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AX RATES FOR 1920.

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GLOOM GERM MYSTERY

New York .- An important devel-

The Gloom Germ, black sheep of the very respectable microbe family, opinionitis had seemingly disappeared from its haunts in this country for a period of several years, according

et incomes over \$5,000. who were investigating the bad epidemic of opinionitis which has made

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EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

January 16, 1921. Self Control-How to get it; It's

Leader, Miss Frankie Jackson. Songs.

Prayer. Scripture References, 2 Tim. 2ch, 5,

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g net income. This applies Piano Solo .- Miss Lorena McCauley. citizen and resident of the Scripture Lesson, 1 Cocr 9ch 24-27. States. In addition to the Talk, Self Control,-Mrs. Ed R. Wal-

> The rewards of Self Control,-Miss Nina Severtson. Temperance,-Miss Clara Mea Kin-

Come and bring your friends, A very interesting programme and good

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

The ladies of the Church of Christ met and had their Bible study with Mrs. C. P. Pursley last Tuesday. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Lee hausted. Sanders next Tuesday at 2.30 p. m. upon inuiry at the offices The First chapter of Philipians will

LEGION'S BIG MINSTREL

of \$1,000 or more for the opment is expected this week in the are planning for one of the biggest music, a little fancy dancing and a roon. general "jazzie" atmosphere.

Bones" a reproduction of about eight demonstrate the durability of modern galloping dominoes than that of kill- to the Northwesterrn corner of the

The entire cast will be made up of mission requires thirty days. ocal talent and after a few weeks "Talk about service," said Captain

gray matter to gray matter, giving of the date and more detailed infor- we kept right on flying. mation about the "big doins" that . "The 230 miles of glaciers we

SANTA FE MAKING LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

The Santa Fe this week have an both together with the costs known in the lumber industry. Mr. the east end of the switch will also be as if they had just come off the testcution. Similar penalty is Bad could not be found last night, extended, making a very long switch. ing block. In the past the local track has been

We would like to say "sweet honey ANTIDOTE-Look pleasant; smile bunch" to Mr. Santa Fe and get them ed for ships equipped with Ford made get out and enjoy life occasionally; to build us a new depot right away. Liberty motors. must be filed. A minor who been lost in the bottom of the sea; ing one tenth the business they do the proper officials will soon visit be recalled that during the war, it Miami, make a survey of local depot needs and decide that we must have

BE CAREFUL WITH TARGETS

There are of course several kinds of targets, but the kind of late which is appearing most dangerous, is the little .22 caliber shooing irons that has been causing some damage, accidental loss of life and pretty serious

Only last week some boys hunting north of Red Deer bridge shot a window light out of the W. E. Stocker residence. This and other similar happenings should remind the parents that before boys are allowed to go out with rifles, they should be well instructed in their use.

NOTICE: The allotment of vegetable seeds for distribution by the government this year has been materially reduced. It is my desire, therefore, to place such as are available with those who care for and will use them. If any one wishes a package of these seeds and will drop me a post card, giving name and address, I shall be glad to comply with the request provided the supply is not ex-

Marvin Jones. House Office Building, Washington, D. C.

ANOTHER TRIUMPH FOR THE LIBERTY MOTOR

Ford-built Liberty Motors carried shows the Panhandle has been treat- the four Army airplanes which on ed too in many moons. The boys are Octobr 20th completed the 9,000 mile for filing returns and mak- forts to catch up with a Gloom Germ, Minstrel show, having in it about fif- Island, to Nome, Alaska, nd return. now rehearsing on a forty minute journey from Mitchell Field, Long teen characters, including of couurse, The fleet was greeted over New York microscope two months ago the "coons" and enough "white City by a flotilla of forty army for ditsrict in which the per- and has since been trailed through all trash" to make it peppy, and between planes which escorted it to Mineola. acts will be some snappy song hits of The returning planes touched their the time of the plot, some special wheels to earth at 3:15 in the after-

The Alaskan Flying Expedition, This will be followed by a short commanded by Captain St. Clair sketch titled "The Battle of Rolling Street, undertook the journey to darkies on a front line trench with airplanes and motors, and to effect their minds more occupied with the the establishment of an aerial route ing the Kaiser. There will be several American Continent and Asia. Such minutes fun, also mixed in will be a route would bring mail from Alaska some "between act" stunts worthy of to the States in two or three days, whereas the present method of trans-

practice, the boys will be in about the Street. "Those planes and motors right condition for the race. The lo- sure stood up Why, th only trouble al post will give this as a benefit we had on the entire trip was caused play to their finance in paying for by the worst bit of weather I've ever the annals of medical sleuthing. their hall, talking machine and other flown through or want to fly through. We had everything-rain, snow, hail Watch for a later announcement and sleet, clouds, fog and mist. But

traversed was a wonderful sight, but there would have been little hope for rescue had we cracked up in that wilderness. Altogether, it was a rough trip. I never want to fly through such weather agin, but the out, it is understood from extra gang at work, laying additional planes stood it magnificently. Inof tax due. For willful authoritative sources that the chief side track at Miami. An extension stead of battered hulks, flopping to o make a return the penalty surgeon has finally located the Gloom, is being made of the switch that now earth after winded flight, they lookis thrown at the depot, which will be ed bran new Even the turnbuckles extended to the section house, and were polished and the motors looks

> condition today as when we set out. | flight. Before the flight, all the pilots ask-

otal equals or exceeds \$2,000 lieve all the money in the U.S. has business establishment in the city do- fleet required a period of three manded world-wide interest. look sour only when some pessesnist but what has a better building than all of the original motors completed NOTICE OF FILING BIDS COUNTY cents. Under no speed limitations, comes around. Everything the U. S. our depot. Miami has been waiting the journey without repairs or re-

To be allowed the \$2,000 ex- had three months ago it still has, so about seven years for one, since we placements, this is beleived to be a

MICKIE SAYS

AEE BOBGELILLIONS IN VOLVENCE BA CONN MOORS VEOLL LEVIN, BA CONN MOORS VON BOLLE WITHOUT WAITIN' FER US TO C SEND OUT SYNTEMENTS ER STOP WITH PAPER SO DAWSONED BYLLOOSE YMOW Y GU YOU'S WITH YA UNLESS YA GOY MONEY TH' MONEY, THES ALL



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Let your first resolution be to pay cash as you go for everything you buy; and your second resolution to trade at this store. where the quality is standard; service good and the price right.

IN BUSINESS FOR YOUR GOOD AND MINE

MIAMI PRODUCE CO.

J. H. DIAL, PROP.

"We never changed a spark plug. was generally the practice to overblocked at times because the switch Never a cylinder missed on us the en- haul the airplane motors after ap-The physicians announce that a re- was not long enough to let two trains tire trip. The motors are in as good proximately each twenty hours of

This is the second notable event in the Ford Liberty motors have figured torily than any other city. prominently, the first being the transsider the income of both plus keep busy; don't talk anything but Miami needs, deserves and should! Due to the nature of the work Atlantic jump of the Ford Libertyminor dependent children, and cheerfulness; don't let yourself be have a new depot. There is not a which engaged the expedition, the equipped N C 4, a feat which com-

DEPOSITORY

proposals or bids from any banking become so highly developed that they banker, will be opened by the Com- more adeptly than can be imagined. Texas, on Monday, February 14, transformed the Ford. Mahogany the ensuing two years.

not less than one-half of one per cent ferent shades of leather. of the county revenue of the preceding year as a guarantee of good faith liquidated damages, and the County About election time the gentleman Judge shall re-advertise for bids.

J. K. McKenzie.

GOT THE BLUES,

full of cheerfulness.

NO SPEED LIMITS FOR CUBAN TAXIS

Havana Cuba claims the distrinction of having solved the problem of cheap transportation more satisfac-

Operating within a territory whose radius is little greater than a mile, eight thousand Ford Automabiles carry one or two persons between any the drivers are left to their own fate, rushing back and forth throught the first begin to ask. Here is hoping record for aerial navigation. It will Notice is hereby given that sealed sreets, but their feet and hands have corporation, association or individual can swerve out of one another's way

missioners' Court of Roberts County, Besides, Cuban upholsterers have 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the replaces the metal of the tonneau, election of a County Depository for Whipcord for the body upholstery, fancy carpet for the floor, and many Such bids or proposals shall be ac- colored leather for the seats. In a companied by a certified check for single car may be seen five or six dif-

One of the strongest arguments we on the part of the bidder, and that, if ever knew as to why a man should his bid should be accepted, he will always take his county paper happenenter into bond as provided by law; ed right in our own county not many and upon the failure of the banking years ago. A certain county commiscorporation, association or individual sioner did not take the Chief; did not banker that may be selected as such come to Miami often, and knew or depository to give the bond required cared very little about county affairs, by law, the amount of such certified only to keep down taxes as he was a check shall go to the County as big property owner in the county. failed to attend one of the monthly Parties desiring to bid shall file metings, but was on hand at the next, their bids with the County Judge of and to his great surprise, he was not Roberts Couny on or before 10 a county commissioner, and had not o'clock a. m. of February 14, 1921. been for several weeks. An election had been held and another man elect-County Judge, Roberts County, ed, and a new district formed. This had all been told through the Chief, but the gentlemen knew nothing of it because he did not invest \$1.00 per year in his county papr, altthough he feel bad, gloomy and don't know was a county official. It is certainwhat to do. See MICKEY, at the ly a paying investment to take the Pastime next Thursday and get a soul county paper in which you live, or 'in which you own property.

YOUR NEW RESOLUTION

Make your New Year's resolut n one of saving. It will the greatest resolution you ever made if you stay with it. Let us be your banker and make your deposits regular, and we will show you a real substantial surprise next Christmas. Resolve with us to make a deposit every week. We wish you suc-

THE FIRST STATE BANK "The Guaranty Fund Bank"

B. F. TALLEY, President H. E. BAIRD, Cashier L. MATHERS, V-Pres H. A. TALLEY, A-Cash. I. WHITSEL, V.Pres.

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THE CITY MARKET J. O. DUNIVEN, Prop.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

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We extend to each of our Customers the very best wishes for a new and prosperour year. The old one has learned us more than ever the importance of saving, and we invite your account during 1921.

The officers and directors of this bank extend you every courtesy of a safe banking institution, and we are always glad to advise with you on business matters.

THE BANK OF MIAMI

Roberts County Depository Individual Responsibility over \$400,000.00

H. Russell, President. Thos. J. Boney, Cashier. J. F. Johnston, V-Pr Jas. B. Saul, A-Cashier.

Webster-Man's Man

By PETER B. KYNE

Author of "Cappy Ricks," "The Valley of the Giants," Etc.

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"PLEASE LET ME HEAR FROM YOU."

John Stuart Webster, mining engineer, man's man, B years young, boards a train in Death Valley, California, on his way back to civilization after clearing up \$100.00. He is dreaming of cool baths, silk pajamas and ham and eggs. But he looks like a hobo to the power and the conductor. His way of chang-

CHAPTER II-Continued.

Webster struck the upholstery of an adjacent chair a terrific blow with his mad. I won't play." stick-the effect of which was to cause everybody in the room to start and in a cloud of dust, the while in a bellowing buritone be sang:

"His father was a hard-rock miner;

kin!" shouted Neddy Jerome. He swept the cards into a beap and waddied across the room to meet this saved it for you." latest assailant of the neare and dignity of the Engineers' club, "You old.

late a card-playing, eat-drink-and-be. not that kind of an engineer." merry, die-of-inanition, sink-to-oblivion and go-to-b- fireplace spirit!" And It, Neddy?" be prodded Jerome in the short ribs "Not necessarily, although I should the old man to wince. He permitted ground floor for that hundred thouhis friend to drag him downstairs to sand of yours, guarantee you a handthe deserted lounge, where Jerome Some profit and in all probability a big paused in the middle of the room and | cleanu; renewed his query:

"Where have you been. I ask?"

brows in mock reproach. "And you sand when I report for duty." can see my new suit. Neddy, my six-

teen-dollar, made-to-order shoes and ting this consolidation over, Jack. my horny boofs encased in silken hose When--and ask that question? Freshly "In pity's name! Snare me. I've to sit down and get wrinkles in my confounded consolidation. trousers! Smell that!" He blew a News! Give me news! I have to gloud of cigar smoke into Jerome's beg for a drink- Mose, you black smilling face. The latter sniffed. "It sinner, how dare you appear before amelia expensive," he replied. "Yes, and you can bet it tastes ex-

tending his cigar-case to his friend, Serome bit the end of his cigar and democratic greeting. spat derisively. "How much have you -Letter for you, sub. The secremade?" he demanded bluntly.

"It's none of your business, but I'll Webster." tell you because I love you. Neddy, I've made one hundred thousand dollars." "Chicken-feed." Jerome retorted anything of Billy Geary?" "Johnny, I've been combing the minfor you for a month."

"I have a fine job for you, Johnmoney in my pocket and more in matter, nobody cares." bank? Man, I'm going to tread the "I do-and you can take the brief back into the harness again."

enough from this club during the past I'm a little mystified. perintendent's cabin on some bleak hill, I quittal." No. sir-ee. Old Jeremiah Q. Work and three tunes. Now I want Sousa's water in a redwood sluice-box, and now I desire a steam room and a needie shower and an osteopath. I've been mother tongue to my old friends. By

"Very well, Jack, Don't excite yourseif. I'll give you exactly thirty days ! does."

come and claim my property."

"Too're in I just tagged you." "I require a rest-but unfold your to conceal Mr. Webster momentarily proposition, Neddy. I was born a

poor, weak ressel consumed with a curiosity that was ever my undoing. I can only protest that this is no way of Geary? to treat a friend."

"Nonsense! My own brother wants this job, and I have refused to give it to him. Business is business-and I've Jerome leaned forward and laid his

fager confidentially on Webster's againworthless, ornery, no-good son of a knee; whereat the light-hearted wanlizard | Fre never been so glad to see | dever carefully lifted the finger. a man that didn't owe me money. I've brushed an imaginary speck of dire been combing the whole civilized from it, and set it down again. "Be world for you, for a month, at least, serious, you ingrate." Jerome protested. "Listen! Twe been working John Stuart Webster beamed hap- for two years on a conscilination up pily upon his friend "Well, Neddy, Dear Telluride, and I've just put it you old stocking-knitter," he replied across. Jack, it's the biggest thing in quinzically, "since that is the case, I'm | the country. Colorado Consolidated not surprised at your fallure to find Mines Company, Limited, English me. You've known me long enough capital. Jack. Pay 'em 6 per cent. to have remembered to confine your and they'll call you blessed. There's twenty-five thousand a year in it, with "Well, you're here, at any rate and a house and a good cook and an antomobile and a chauffeur, and you can "Hardly, Neddy. "I'm young yet, come to town whenever you please. you know-only forty. Still a real live provided you don't neglect the comman and not quite ready to degenerate | nony's interests-and | know you're

"Do I have to put some money into

with a tentative thumb that caused advise it. I can let you in on the

"I feel myself slipping, Neddy, Nevertheless, the tall goes with the hide. "Out in Death valley, California, try- I'm not in the habit of asking my

"It's been a tremendous job get-

shaved and fromed and almost afraid | beard all I want to bear about your me without bringing a drink?"

Mose, the aged colored porter of pensive, too," Webster answered, the Engineers' club, flashed a row of ivories and respectfully returned the

tary told me to give it to you, Mistah

dy, and tell me something. Ever hear

He was tearing the edge of the eneral belt of North and South America | velope the while he gazed at Jerome. who was rubbing his fat hands to-"Why this sudden belated interest; gether after the fashion of elderly men who are well pleased with themselves.

"You have a chance to become one "King's X." Webster interrupted, of the greatest and richest mining enand showed both hands with the fin- gineers in the world, Jack," he angers crossed, "No plotting against my swered, "now that you've cut loose peace and comfort, Neddy. Haven't I from that young crook Geary. I don't told you I'm all dressed up for the know what's become of him, and first time in three years, that I have neither does anyhody else. For that

primrose path for a year before I get | end of that bet for your last white chip. Don't let me hear you or any-Jerome waved a deprecatory hand, body else say anything against Billy figuratively brushing aside such feeble | Geary. That boy goes for my money, and inconsequential argument. "Are every turn in the box. Don't make any mistakes about that, oldtimer."

Webster's face suddenly was serious; the bantering intonation in his "Married, eh? Great Scott, I might voice was gone, and a new, slightly have guessed it. So you're on your strident note had crept into it. But Jerome waved his hand soothingly.

"All right, old Johnny Pepper-box, sconoclast. If you had ever gotten far have it your own way. Nevertheless, Afteen years to get a breath of real knew of you two, you had testified fresh air, you'd understand why I against him in the high-grade trials want to enjoy civilization for a week at Cripple Creek, and he had pulled or two before I go back to a mine su- out under a cloud, even after his ac-

"Give a dog a bad name, and it will I have had a falling out. Dad burn stick to him," Webster retorted. "Of your picture, Neddy, I want some course I testified against him. As enclass! I've been listening to a dago gineer for the Mine Owners' associashift-boss playing the accordeon for tion, I had to. The high-grade ore three years-and he could only play was found in his assay office, and the circumstantial evidence was complete. band. I've been bathing in tepid, dirty and 1 admit Billy' was acquitted merely because I and others could not swear positively that the ore came from any certain mine. It was the bossing Greasers and Italians and was same old story, Neddy. You can be forced to learn their language to get morally certain that high-grade ore results, and now I want to speak my has been stolen from your mine, but unless you catch the ore thief in the thunder I'm going to have a new deal act, how can you prove it? I suppose you read the newspaper reports and believed them, just as everybody else

"It wasn't all over so long ago as said you seem to think. I suppose you knew the Holman gang was after- discovery of your old pal, I'll tell you from you. ward sent to the penitentiary for what FH do. FH O. K. your voucher those same bigh-grade operations? for the expense of bringing young Billy Genry's acquittal didn't end my Genry back to the U.S. A., and when interest in the case-not by a jurful! we get him here, it will be up to you I fought the case against the friends to find a snug berth for him with Colof the Holman crew among the mine orado Consolidated." owners themselves; and it cost me my "Neddy," said John Stuart Webster. good Job, my prestige as a mining en- "by my halldom. I love thee. You're gineer, and thirty thousand dollars of a thoughtful, kindly old stick-in-themoney that I'd slaved to get together. mod-Of course you never knew this, Neddy, "Neidy, I'll not work for you. I'm and for that matter, neither does Jerome interrupted, and waddled and be guided accordingly. I was in

> He drew the letter from the envelope and slowly opened it.

fond of that boy,"

"Not a word. I was too bost won dering what was to become of me. I couldn't get a 500 anywhere in Colorade, and I moved to Nevada. Made s million in Goldfield, dropped it in runs that way for a while, and then scarcely out of his swaddling clothes? the punic of 1907, and had to start

"What have you been doing lately?" "Boraz. Staked a group of claims down in Beath valley. Bully ground. Neddy, and I was ligsted when I located them. Had to borrow money to pay the fling fees and incorporation. and did my own assessment work. Look!" Webster held up his hands. still somewhat grims and calloused. "The Borax trust knew I was busted. but they never could quite get over the fear that I'd dig up some backing and give them a run-so they bought

to Rhodesia," Jerome continued musingly, "or maybe it was Canetown. I know he was seen somewhere in South Africa."

"He left the Creek immediately after the conclusion of his trial. Poor That dirty business destroyed the lad and made a tramp of him, I guess. I tell you, Neddy, no two men ever lived who came nearer to loving each other than Billy Geary and his old Jack-pardner. We bucked the gether bungry many a time during was like my own boy. Jerome, I curse office to learn the business. How had cached the stuff in his shack?"

"Well, it's too bad," Jerome answered-dully. He was quite willing that the subject of conversation should be changed. "I'm glad to get the right dope on the boy, anyhow. Have an-

other drink?" "Not until I read this letter. Now, who the dickens knew I was headed for Denver and the Engineers' club? I didn't tell a soul, and I only arrived this morning."

He turned to the last page to ascertain the identity of his correspondent, as all of the circumstantial evidence and his facial expression ran the gamut from surprise to a joy that was

John Stuart Webster read the letter deliberately, after which he sat in silent contemplation of the design of the carpet for fully a minute before reaching for the bell. A servant responded

immediately. "Bring me the time-tables of all roads leading to New Orleans," he

ordered, "-also a cable blank." Webster had reread the letter before the servant returned with the

"August, you go out to the desk, like a good fellow, and ask the servetary to arrange for a compartment for me to New Orleans on the Gulf States limited, leaving at 10 o'clock topporrow night." He handed the servant his card. "Now wait a minute until I write something." He seized the cable blank, helped himself, uninvited, to Neddy Jerome's fountain pen,

William H. Geary, Calle de Concordia No. 19, Buenaventura, Sobrante,

"Salute, you young jackass! received your letter. Cabling thousand for emergency roll first thing toto arrive Buenaventura first steamer. Your letter caught me with a hundred thousand. We cut it two ways and take our chances. Keep a light in the window for your old

"JACK-PARDNER."

"That's a windy cablegram," Nedd Jerome remarked as the servant borit away. "Why all this garrelity? / cablegram anywhere generally costs a least a dollar a word.

"That's .my delight of a shin night, in the season of the year." quoted John Stuart Webster: "an why the devil economize when the bo. needs cheering up?"

"What boy?" "Billy Geary."

"Where is he?"

"Central America." Neddy Jerome was happy. He was in an expansive mond, for he bad with the assistance of a kindly fare

"Well, forget it Jack. It's all over | world whom he needed to take charge of the Colorado Consolidated. So he

it changes, and gets worse!"

gently, "do you remember my cross. did you wire that confounded boy?" sition of yours? It just breaks my mind. We'll send him some money to eart to have to decline it, but the come home, and you can give him a better give that job to your brother,

manded. "Johnny, you're crazy in the For answer Webster handed his

send the letter he had just received. "Read that, old horse, and see if you can't work up a circulation," he sug-

marts of men and went to sleep to. as 'dear friend John,' did I but posour five-year partnership. Why, Bill of hearts you are still that, but after three years of allence, due to my stuthe day I took that boy out from un- pidity and hardness of heart, it is, per-

could I know that the Holman gang given, on the broad general grounds that I am most almighty sorry for what I went and done! Am I forgivface and hear you answer 'Aye,' and with this load off my chest at last I believe I feel better already.

> "Jack, you poor, deluded old piece of white meat, do you think for a moment that I beld against you your testimony for the operators in Cripple Creek? I thought you believed the charges and that you testified in a firm belief that I was the guilty man. seemed to indicate. I thought this for three long, meagre years, old friend, and I'm sorry. After that, I suppose there isn't any need for me to say more, except that you are an old fool spend your money and your time and reputation trying to put my halo back on straight! I doubt if I was worth it, and you knew that; but let it pass, for we have other fish to fry.

"The nubbin of the matter is this There is only one good gold mine left in this weary world-and I have it. It's the sweetest wildcat I ever struck, thousand dollars, and we ought to not know whether you have, or can and you can take a look,

"This is a pretty fair country, Jack -if you survive long enough to get used to it. At first you think it's Paradise; then you grow to hate it and know it for hell with the lid off; and finally all your early love for it returns and you become what I am now -a tropical tramp! There is only one social stratum lower than mine, and that's the tropical beachcomber, I am not that-yet; and will not be if my landlady will continue to listen to my blandishments. She is a sweet soul, with a divine disposition, and I am duly grateful

"I would tell you all about the geography, topography, flora and fauna of Sobrante, but you can ascertain that in detail by consulting any standard encyclopedia. Governmentally the country is similar to its sister republics. It's a cold day indeed when two patriots, two vivas and a couple of ald Loss Tom Springfield rifles cannot upset the Sobrante apple cart. We haven't had a revolution for nearly six months, but we have hopes,

"I am addressing you at the Englneers' club, in the hope that my letter may reach you there, or perhaps the secretary will know your address and forward it to you. If you are footloose and still entertain a lingering rounded up the one engineer in all the regard for your aid pal, get busy on

this mining concession P. D. Q. Time is the essence of the contract, because I am holding on to the thin edge of nothing, and if we have a change of government I may lose even that. I need you, John Stuart Webster, worse than I need salvation. I enclose you a list of equipment re-

"If you receive this letter and can do anything for me, please cable If you cannot, please cable anyway. Do let me hear from you, Jack, if only to tell me the old entente cordiale still exists. I know now that I was considerable of a heedless pup a few years ago and overlooked my hand quite regularly, but now that I have a good thing I do not know of anybody with whom I care to share it except your -Well, Jack, just to celebrate the own genial self. Please let me bear

"BILLY."

Jerome finished reading this remarkable communication; then with infinite amusement he regarded John Stuart Webster over the tops of his glasses as one who examines a new

"So Billy loves that dear Sobrante,

eh?" he said with abysmal sarcasm. "Jack Webster, listen to a sane man Geary. I wish he did. We were good away to telephone the head walter at this same little Buenaventura once. friends once. I certainly was mighty his favorite restaurant to reserve a I was there for three days, and I wouldn't have been there three min-Mr. Webster sighed. He disliked utes if I could have caught a steamer exceedingly to disappoint old Neddy, out sooner. Of all the miserable, "And you never heard what became but- He shrank from seeming to squalid, worthless, ornery, stinking think overwell of himself by declin- holes on the face of God's green footing a twenty-five-thousand-dollar-a- stool, Sobrante is the worst-if one year job with the biggest mining com- may judge it by its capital city. Are you going to chase off to this God-for-"Rotten luck," he sollioquized. "It saken fever-hole at the behest of a lad Jack Webster, surely you aren't going When Jerome returned to his seat, to throw yourself away-give up the the serious look in Webster's hitherto sure thing I offer you-to join Billy laughing eyes challenged his immedi- Geary in Sobrante and finance a wildcat prospect without a certificate of title attached. Be reasonable. What

> "That I was coming." "Cable him you've changed your



Mind."

good job under you. I'll O. K. the voucher and charge it to your personal expense account."

"That's nice of you, old sport, and I thank you kindly. I'll talk to Billy when I arrivé in Buenaventura, and if he prospect doesn't look good to me, il argue him out of it and we'll come me. Let me go, I might come back But I must go. I want to see Billy." "You just said a minute ago you'd turned the forty-year post," Jerome warned him. "And you're now going to lose a year or two more in which you might better be engaged laying up a foundation of independence for your old age. For Heaven's sake, man,

don't be a fool." "Oh, but I will be a fool," John Stuand we stand the finest show in the art Webster answered; and possibly, world of starving to death if we by this time, the reader has begun to tackle it without sufficient capital to understand the potency of his middle go through. It will take at least thirty name—the Scotch are notoriously pigheaded, and Mr. Webster had just have double that to play safe. I do enough oatmeal in his blood to have come by that center fire name honestraise, sixty cents, but at any rate I ly. "And you, you poor old horse, am going to put the buck up to you you could not possibly understand why, if you lived to be a million years

He got up from his chair to the full height of his six-feet-one, and stretched 190 pounds of bone and mus-

"And so I shall go to Sobrante and lose all of this all-important money. shall 1?" he jeered. "Then by all the gods of the Open Country, I hope I may. Dad burn you, Neddy, I'm not a Methuselah. I want some fun in life. I want to fight and be broke and go hungry and then make money for the love of making it and spending it, and I want to live a long time yet. I want to see the mirage across the sagebrush and hear it whisper: 'Hither, John Stuart Webster! Hither, you fool, and I'll hornswoggle you again, as in an elder day I hornswoggled you be-

Jerome shook his white thatch hope-

"I thought you were a great mining engineer, John," he said sadly, "but you're not. You're a poet. You do not seem to care for money."

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Hard on Him. "What's your idea of eternal to oution?" "A profiteer worrying of his income tax.'

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Pope's Witty Reply to Official Who Complained of Being Portrayed as a Lost Soul.

The classica! example of a painter's spite, or artistic punishment, is that three minutes. Serve hot, of Michelangelo in his famous fresco of the "Last Judgment" on the wall of the Sistine chapel. When one of the papal chamberlains reported to the pope, Paul III, that the painter was exceeding proper bounds in his use of the nude, the artist, in disgust. took occasion to immortalize his critic by giving his fentures to one of the figures in the infernal regions, of which there is a glimpse at the bottom of the great fresco. The ag grieved official complained to Paul Ill and begged him to order the painter to remove the portrait.

"Where did you say he has placed you?" inquired the pontiff, who did not care to interfere with the fore most artist of his age.

"He has put me into hell!" replied the indignant chamberlain.

"Ah!" said the pope. "I have no jurisdiction there."--Youth's Compan-

How to Keep Rubber Soft.

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GOOD THINGS FOR THE INVALID.

For the invalid only easily digested food should be chosen and it

should be prepared in a way which will not detract from its digestibility. Since foods to become assimilated, must be softened and made liquid,

liquid foods will digest with less difficulty and in cases of severe imness are always prescribed by the physician. Broths, gruels, milk, fruit juices and cream soups are included in a iquid diet.

In serving a tray for an invalid one should avoid serving too many things at once. It is a pleasure to have the food served in courses when it can be done without too great a burden to the caretaker. After the meal is over the tray and all food should be reoved at once.

Malted Milk Cocoa .- Mix one tablespoonful of malted milk powder with one teaspoonful of cocoa and threefourths of a cupful of boiling water. Sweeten to taste, stirring well. Boil

Egg Nests.-Toast a circular piece of bread; butter and place on a hot plate. Beat the white of an egg until stiff, heap on the toast and drop the egg unbroken in the center; season with butter, salt and pepper, if used. Set in a moderate oven until the white

Potato Baked in the Half Shell .-Bake a good-shaped potato and scoop out the inside. Season well and return to the shell, brush over the top with the beaten white of egg or milk and brown slightly. If cheese can be eaten a sprinkling of grated cheese may be added to the potato for flavor.

Egg Lemonade.-Beat one egg, add two tablespoonfuls of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice and one cupful of cold water. Add the water gradually, stirring until smooth and well mixed. Strain and serve. Eggnog is made in the same way as the lemonade, adding a grating of nutmeg. a bit of vanilla or fruit juice and milk in place of the lemon and water.

Brussels Sprouts With Butter.-Boll one quart of sprouts in two quarts of bolling salted water about fifteen minutes. Let drain on a cloth, then toss in a frying pan with four tables; fust a couple of minutes, and should fuls of butter; when the butter is abthen be carefully dried and partly sorbed, sprinkle with one teaspoonful inflated before being hung up again. of chopped parsley and a dash of saft; This treatment serves to keep the rub- mix and arrange in a mound on a serving dish. Surround with toast points.

> Community Spirit says: "I am unbor next door, whoever he is. I am under obligations of service to my community; I am no longer a resident only; I am a responsible citizen. I must make it my duty to see that schools and churches teach first of all good citizenship."

FAVORITE WINTER RECIPES.

For those who find it necessary to serve meat substitutes, the following is worth trying:



Cottage Cheese Loaf .-Take one cupful of cooked kidney beans, one cupful of cottage cheese, | ted States. one cupful of ground peanuts, one tablespoonful of chopped onion, one tablespoonful of butter,

one cupful each of salt and pepper to taste. Combine the ingredients, form into a roll. Brush with melted fat and bake in a mod-

erate oven for a half hour. Cottage Cheese Pie .- Take one cupful of cottage cheese, two-thirds of a cupful of maple sirup, two-thirds of a cupful of milk, the yolks of two eggs, well beaten; two tablespoonfuls of melted butter, salt and one-half teaspoonful of vanilla. Mix in the order given and bake the ple in one crust. Cool slightly, cover with a meringue and brown in a slow oven. Raisin Paste.-Put two cupfuls of

raisins, washed and dried, through a meat grinder; add one-half cupful of orange juice, two tablespoonfuls of lemon fulce, one teaspoonful of salt and one cupful of nut meats, ground, or half a cupful of peanut butter. Mix until smooth, pack into jelly glasses and cover. It will keep a long time and is delicious for sandwiches. Gluten Muffins .- Take two cupfuls of gluten flour, two cupfuls of milk, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one well beaten egg, mix the dry ingredients, stir in the beaten eggs and Beat thoroughly together and half fill well buttered gem pans. Pake

20 minutes. Fried Rice.-Take six cupfuls of cooked rice, one cupful of cold roast pork, chopped, two onions and tops, chopped, two tablespoonfuls of fat, one tablespoonful of salt, two eggs. Add the salt to the fat; heat; add the meat and onion. Let fry a few minutes; add rice; mix well and when thoroughly heated add the eggs whole; stir well; cook until the eggs are set,

and serve at once. New Maxwell the arms, will be found to be just about the modish length for street wear.—Leslie's Magazine

Cigarette Can Be Traced to the Siege of Acre.

Turkish Artilleryman the First to Make Use of Tobacco in That Particular Form.

Although many efforts have been made to show that the use of tobacco was known to the ancient Greeks and Egyptians, they have never been successful. We can accept therefore that general belief that tobacco was first used by the aborigines and that Columbus was the first white man to chronicle its use. The Indians used the weed in a pipe and when the narcotic was introduced throughout Europe and Asia it was for centuries used either in pipes of fantastic design or in the rolls known as cigars. The Venetians are credited with getting the Turks to use tobacco, for the weed was cultivated in Italy. Bales of the seed of the nicotine plant found their way into Turkey and soon the Turkish tobacco industry was established.

This brings us to Mehemet Ali, underpaid worker in the tobacco fields of Kavalla, afterward a leader of the Turkish armies, who left the hoe for the sword and the scepter-and the cigarette. With the bold bashi-bazouks Mehemet eventually became a pasha. His son Ibrahim was sent to the siege of Acre, the great Syrian stronghold. The chief of artillery, a Frenchman, at this slege early in the Nineteenth century, had invented a powder spill, a kind of paper lamp ighter filled with explosive grains. which was thrust into the touch holes of cannon, in place of the old-fushioned and wasteful powder train which was laid on the piece and led into the hole. These spills were made of light and tough India or rice paper. Ibrahim Pasha was so pleased by the way the siege was conducted that he sent to the artillerymen some very fine Kavalla tobacco. This they mixed with the Syrian plant and greatly enjoyed as they smoked the mixture from a narghile or water pipe supplied with a number of mouthpieces which sufficed for an entire squad when off duty.

One evening as a crew was about to go on duty a shot from a Turkish fort smashed the beloved parghile to smithereens. The artillerymen could not leave the battery and they knew not where to get another narghile. A resourceful corporal rolling powder spills was struck with an inspiration. He made a number of spills in which he substituted grains of tobacco for gunpowder and then in a bantering fashion presented these little cylinders to soldiers off duty. He then put one of the spills to his mouth, saying that as long as he could not smoke any more he was going to blow off his head. When the match was applied there came forth instead of a slight explosion a wreath of incense, and

thus was born the cigarette. Old Ibrahim was amused when he heard how much spill paper was being used, and said, as he pointed to a strategic place in the walls of Acre: "Make a breach there and you shall have all the paper and tobacco that in the picture, without detracing from you need." The deed was done in two

This new style of smoking tobacco in paper rolls gained in favor as Mehemet Ali asserted his sway over Egypt and from Cairo it spread to the Euro pean capitals through the diplomatic services of the various nations.

In Russia the cigarette grew in popular favor and in the early '40s cigarettes were sold in that nation which were partly Turkish and partly made of a light tobacco grown in the Uni-

Rupert Hughes Paid for Damages. The "cold spine" has been taken as the last word in literary effect, but Rupert Hughes seems to be able, on the rare occasions when his genial nature grows bitter, to make people faint in a good old-fashioned way. When his story, "The Butcher's Daughter," was published in a magazine, the edi tor received an indignant letter complaining that it "caused a perfectly healthy, normal young woman to faint a practice to which she is not in the least addicted." An additional penalty paid for its perusal was the doctor's fee of \$5 for a night visit and his tax fare of \$2. Mr. Hughes promptly wrote a profound apology, and inclosed his check for \$7.25, the extra sum being the price of the magazine. The young woman replied that the letter "was a source of great delight, and that the most she hoped for was an auto graphed copy of his recent book."-From a Bulletin of Harper & Broth

Good Fuel From Lignite. The chairman of the Canadian lig nite utilization board has announced that the experiments of the board have resulted very satisfactorily and it is hoped soon to make a briquet from this material which will be equal to the best grade of anthracite of the United States and much more satisfactory for domestic use. It is expected that this will be done at a cost of about \$7.50 per ton on board the cars. This work was conducted jointly by the Canadian government and two provincial governments at a cost of \$400,-

The Day of Short Clothes. A woman may be both fashionable and economical this fall. The "short clothes" she wore when a baby of six months, with a little letting out under

MAKE THE HOME ATTRACTIVE

Results Will Follow a Little Careful Planning and a Small Expenditure of Money.

Right now is a good time to plan how the homestead-perhaps new, perhaps old-can be made more attractive. A few years will pass surprisingly quickly, and the old home will become increasingly unattractive or beautiful, depending on whether the owner and his wife have done a little planning and a little planting, seaby season.

The United States Department of Agriculture suggests in the pictures



House Has Bare Look.

beautifying. The changes produced by planting shrubs can be effected in one or two seasons, and even where trees are shown, often only five or six years are required to produce the effects pictured if quick-growing varieties are planted. In such a case, however, provision should be made for better, slow-growing varieties it?" which will be allowed to come up and eventually take the place of the quick growers.

With cultivated land carried to the very door, the house shown in the first picture has no homelike setting. It appears merely as an intrusion in the landscape. But when it is given a dooryard, with lawns, trees, and shrubs, as shown in the second illustration, it takes its proper place



In a Proper Setting.

the value of the surrounding land. If you want more information on this subject write the United States Department of Agriculture, Washing for the door, she sang back, "He has He used to be a driller and he talks

ton, for Farmers' Bulletin 1087, heart trouble." "Beautifying the Farmstead," It will be sent free on request. Faulty Chimneys Cause Fire.

A summary of the various causes of fire shows that those attributable to chimneys annually amount to from 10 to 26 per cent of the total number, while in winter the percentage has reached as high as 50. This is significant when it is realized that most of these fires result from carelessness

and could be avoided by proper atten-In cities and towns with proper fire protection many fires are arrested when you're taking it, and if it was just to show how little they cared, without serious loss. It is evident that in rural districts where there are no organized fire-fighting agencies, and where a fire usually results in a total loss, builders should give more attention to making the construction of all new chimneys as nearly fireproof as

Future Belongs to Small City.

It would be rash to conclude from the census figures that the problem of a better distribution of population is unsolvable. The fact that the small cities show the greatest gains is significant. These obviously permit freer living conditions than the large cities and at the same time are free from the isolation of the village or the widely scattered homesteads. The small city in these days prides itself upon its "metropolitan" aspect. It is conspicouously up-to-date and provides comfortable liv'ng. The tendency of industrial enterprises to seek locations at a distance from the centers of population has had much to do with the upbuilding of cities of this

Community's Real Worth.

After all is said and done, the number of persons residing in a community has little to do with its real greatness. It's the kind of people' it has, the kind it turns out and the kind of things it does which bring everlasting fame to the end.

Because a place is not as big in population as its people had heped for should cause no great regret; but if it is not forging ahead in numbers because of the care it takes of its residents, then there is reason for shame. -- Exchange.

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many prizes for cattle, horses, sheep and bogs, a partial list of which foilows:

Cattle, Canada was awarded the championship for Grade Shorthorns, also in the College Special class, Canada gained first, fourth and sixth

prizes Horses, Grand Championship for Clydesdale stallion, also Grand Championship for American bred mare, as well as first for three-year-old Clydes-"My wife asked me to bring home dale stallion, first for one-year-old something. What the dickens was Clydesdale stallion, and second for the aged class.

In the Belgian class, Canada ob-"Oh, yes. Knowing what a wretched tained first and reserve for Championnemory I have she told me to re- ship Belgians, as well as second for

Sheep, Canada obtained Championship for block, male and female, in addition to first prize in all group

Hogs, in the Yorkshire class Canada was very prominent, taking the Champlonship for pen of Yorkshires, and championship for best single barrow, as well as over twenty first, second and third prizes in other classes of

With regard to the live stock shown t must be borne in mind that these have not been fed on corn, on which the average western farmer places his reliance, but on the wonderful oats and barley grown in western Canada, supplemented by the native grasses. Father was giving the fair young of which a most artistic display was daughter a lecture about her beau. made by our neighbors to the north. The daughter replied: "Yes, he prizes with the animals to which in open competition with the world.

In the Depths.

There's a rugged, two-fisted off man-As the fair young daughter started who has made his millions suddenly, in the jargon of the oil fields. The other day he appeared at a lunch table very much agitated. He was asked

"Jones," he said, "has just fell plum Wash off in five minutes with Cuti. from the top of the derrick"-meaning cura Soap and hot water. Once clear that he sunk to the lowest depths of

> "What happened to him?" chorused the crowd. "By gosh, I was in the Waldorf and saw him a sittin' there wearing spats."

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day of this week and already talk of can bill. New York's a great city, all an extra session is going about. Our right - New York Evening Sun. new Governor, Patt M. Neff will take his seat next Tuesday.

League of Texas is urging Texas Representatives in Congress to support the Emergency Tariff Bill now "What is the charge against this before Congress. Most of Texas man " saked the callph, with a sympa-Congressmen if not all of them will there gleam in his benevolent eye. support the tariff bill. The South is "Your booor," said the attendant, "I now compelled to accept the Republi- appears that he attempted to start can's viewpoint on the tariff at least a private drive of his own for his famas a temporary measure.

The daily newspapers often carry ig headlines about some burgiars robbing the Russian Government of parently belongs to the middle class, so many million Rubbles, or some at the head of a large family. Upon French society dame heiring several being questioned he sold the inspector, million frances. We wonder then if with a lood and unseemly laugh, that i is really a news item, or a puzzle. for many moons he had been asked About one per cent of the people to contribute to everything-all kinds know how much that would be, and

Sleep-well, Eat well, and play well. This is about the last newspaper in Make suure that your water sup- the Panhandle that did not already 'Martins Roup Remedy" cures ply is protected from every form of have one. They mean an outlay of and prevents Roup absolutely gaur- pollution. It is dangerous to take about \$5,000 in money, but why

other way and the storm will pass

RECOGNIZED AN OLD FRIEID

Countryman Visiting in City Had No Fear of Being Harmed by "Thrashing Machine."

"Never mind the price, what are and plunged across the street in its

"Hub," he grunted as he Few people knew the value of a afraid of. They used to scare horses silver dollar last summer, but most when I was a kid; used to make a man of us are learning now, if we try to but of the thrashing crew walk shead things will do. Never expected to see The Texas Legislature met Tues- a thrushing engine here, but you never

DEALT LENIENTLY WITH HIM

Lockney Beacon-The Farmers Consumer's Action, of Course, Was Treasonable, But Caliph Proved a Kindly Man.

PASTIME PROGRAMS

Snub Pollard and Ruth Roland TOMORROW

TO MORROW, Friday, Fifth epicode of RUTH OF THE ROCKIES, and this serial is sure an interest one. Some of the biggest stants ever pulled off in pictures are shown, such as jumping from Aeroplanes, etc. Alsa Snub Pollard in one of one reel commedies, Pathe Review and Pathe News real

SEVEN REEL BLACKETON FEATURE SATURDAY

SATURDAY, this week OTHER MENS SHOES, a six reed J. Staurt Blaketon production released through Pathe and is a wonderful interesting story. Admission 15-30.

MONDAY, next week, no show.

TUESDAY, next week, Vivian Martin in LOUISIANA Paramount Arteraft picture, regular admission.

WEDNESDAY, next week no program.

MICKEY

Seven Reel Comedy next Thurs.

THURSDAY next week, we will have the biggests seven reel comedy evr place on the American screen. Mable Normand in "MICKEY." A seven reel production that is genuine orginal comedy and has played to capacity houses and sat. isfied patrons all over the United States. A picture that has stood the acid test. A program that has had a minnumum admission price of 25 and 50 cents, but we are going to offer it to you next week for 20-40 cents admission. Remember nxt, Thursday, MICKEY, and don't let anything keep you away.

THE PASTIME THEATRE



New Year Greeting

We wish you heartily the season greetings and assure you of our kee appreciation of your good will and patronage.

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each containing 640 acres of land; should prevail over the same "C", Gunter & Munson, original been carried out, and that this suit their income for the year 1919. grantee; and all of section No. is brought for the purpose of can-158, same block and grantee, con- celling said original lease, 30, J. A. King original grantee, con- W. Stoner, but plaintiffs show th wres of section No. 10, Block "H" of the rights of these plaintiffs to the pent, leaving us \$16.32 in debt. he George Walstad survey; said land cancellation of said lease.

e surface thereof.

said real estate developed and ex-titled to. fored for the purpose of determining its oil, gas and other mineral proerties and were desirous of entering ato a contract with some person or Herein Fail Not, and have before ersons skilled in such matters, and said Court, at its aforesaid next regu- with 12 members present. After Roll belief.

7, 1919 the plaintiffs entered into cember A. D. 1920. oner and the said R. D. Clancy, County.

said lease covering the lands herein before mentioned which said lease was terests. threafter recorded in Book 2, at pages 74 and 75, lease records of You are Hereby Commanded to Roberts County, Texas, to which relatives for a couple of months. summon W. W. Stoner, John W. Fos- reference is made for a more partiter, O. E. Null, I. F. Hodge and E. cular description thereof; that said made a business trip to Mobeetie W. Hardin, by making publication of lease provided for a consideration of Monday afternoon. this Citation once in each week for one dollar, cash bonus in hand paid, | C. P. Pursley shipped some hogs four consecutive weeks previous to and specificially provided, among the return day hereof, in some news- other things, that the lease was made and went up with them. paper published in your County, if on the part of these plaintiffs for the Miss Dale Park who has been visitthere be a newspaper published sole and only purpose of operating ing relatives at Mobeetie passed paper published in the 31st Judicial gas, coal and other minerals, and it home in Arizonia. District; but if there be no newpaper | was further stipulated and agreed sublished in said Judicial District, therein that the lessees, meaning the nearest District to said 31st Judicial should erect on said leased premises Church. District, to appear at the next regular within twelve months from the date term of the District Court of Roberts thereof, to-wit, from the 18th day County, to be holden at the Court of January, 1919, a derrick for use brother-in-law, E. M. Walker of the House thereof, in Miami, on the first in digging for oil and gas, and im- Central Drug Store. Monday in February A. D. 1921, the mediately thereafter should begin the ary A. D. 1921, then and there to such operations continuously, un- the past few weeks. answer a petition filed in said Court avoidable accidents excepted, unless J. T. McEntyre was in Tuesday on the 6th day of March A. D, 1920, a well was made to a depth of three with a couple of loads of wheat. That heretofore to-wit, on such operations in accordance there- qusted to be present. January 18, 1919, plaintiffs were and with, then said lease should be null should not become the lease of the week. Section No. 12, consisting of 560 lessees unless oil or gas should be acres of land; And all of Sections found on said premises during the Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, life of the same; and paragraph four 33, and 24, each containing 640 acres of lease further specifically provided Several citizens of this and adjoinof land, and all being in Block "A", that should any clause or provision ing counties have recently received Other Real Estate _____000 tate of R. C. Fitch, Deceased: H. & G. N. RR. Co. surveys; and all of said lease be contradictory to said notices from the Income Tax Depart- Furniture and Fixtures ___\$2,635.00 Mrs. Lula F. Ewing, guardian of

taining 637 acres of land; all of sec- Plaintiff's show that defendants To the Pastime next Thursday. It tion No. 160, containing 69 acres of W. W. Owens, E. W. Hardin, John W. is a Super Special comedy in seven land less 39 acres; and all of section Foster, O. E. Null, and I. F. Hodge, reels with Mable Normand. You No. 159, Block "C", Gunter and claim some interest in said lease by can't afford to miss a 25-50 cent pic-Menson original grantee containing reason of certain transfers which tuure that the Pastime will put on at 472 acres of land; all of section No. they have obtained from the said W. 20-40 cents. taining 500 acres of land, and 205 said transfers were received with full J. T. Pollard, original grantee, being lease, the same being on file and of School Basket'team Monday, a finan-

I. A. King Ranch, in Roberts County plaintiffs pray that the derendants be Gatlin was elected manager. cited as the law directs to appear and The boys basket ball team has won

> Hoover & Willis. Attorney for Plaintiffs

M. M. Craig, Jr.,

"Happy" Casey spent first of the week in Miami with his father and friends. He has been spending the past thirty days at Dallas and other nearby cities visiting relatives.

"Bug" Graham was down Sunday from Pampa where he is employed in the Davis Hardware.

Mr. and Mrs. Oll Davis of Pampa spent last of last week with Miami

Wade Crocker spent Sunday with nd Mrs. J. R. Crocker of Miami. Mr. and Mrs. Olliver Elliott are rejoicing this week over the arrival of a nine pound girl to their home Sun-

Mrs. J. J. Long of Mobeetie passed through our city Monday enroute home from Pampa where she visited, her son Harry. Harry and wife are leaving Pampa this week for Fort Worth, where they expect to make their future home.

E. W. Hogan who recently resigned the position as Mayor of Hoover and moved to Pampa was down Tuesday visiting Miami friends.

Joe Kubik of Pampa was in the city between trains Tuesday afternion. Cashier H. E. Baird of the First State Bank spent Monday afternoon in Canadian where he was invited to attend the opening of the new Southwestern National Bank of that place. Mr. Baird state that the new bank is one of the finest in the Southwest, and that hundreds of visitors were present at the opening. Thos. Cook came in and spent a

short while in our city Monday. R. L. Morrison of Canadian was down Monday looking after local in-

Homer Allen left Tuesday for Ashboro, N. C. where he will visit

W. A. Dyer and John Webster

and steers to Kansa sCity Saturday

therein, but if not, then in any news- upon said land for and producing oil, through town Monday enroute to her

Rev. Bone requests us to announce that he will preach Sunday morning then in a newspaper published in the said W W. Stoner and R. D. Clancy, and evening at the Presbyterian

C. B. White of Birminham, Alabama is here this week visiting his

N. S. Locke came in Tuesday from ame being the seventh day of Febru- digging for oil and gas, and continue Mineral Wells where he has been for ers, and Burnett were guests and

in a suit, numbered on the docket of thousand feet, or unless oil or gas Missionery Society for the M. E. said Court as No. 578, wherein J. A. should be found in paying quanities Church held their regular weekly King and wife, Sena, King are Plain- at a lesser depth, and further speici- meeting yesterday, with nine memtiffs, and W. W. Stoner, John W. cally provided that if said derrick bers present. A very beneficial les-Foster, O. E. Null, I. F. Hodge, E. shall not have been erected within son was had undr the leadership of Miami, Texas, at Miami Texas. State W. Hardin, and W. W. Owens are said time, or if said derrick having Mrs. J. R. Durrett. The next meet-Defendants, and said petition alleg- been so erected, said lessees should ing will be "Pledge Service" meeting, the 29th day of Dec., 1920 published fail or refuuse or neglect to continue and all members are very urgently re- in the Chief a newspaper printed and

Dr. Kelley reports the arrival of a still are the owners of the following and void; and further provided, in son at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

INCOME TAX MAN COMING

"MICKEY" IS COMING

BASKET BALL

acres of land out of Section No. 15, notice of the condition of the said At a meeting of the Miami High the south 205 acres of said tract of public record at the time they ac- cial report was made by Mr. Crain and, and all of section No. 33, Block quired their purported interest, and covering all boys Athletics up to date 14, J. A. King originay grantee, con- that if said interest, if any said de- which showed that \$383.65h ad been taining 143 acres of land; and 175 fendants hold, is in law subject to collected while \$399.97 had been Time Certificates of Deposit

being the identical land known as the Wherefore, premises considered. School Athletic Association, Carl Cashier's Checks ______\$23.30

and other minerals supposed to for the cancellation of said lease in- Saturday with Higgins. Higgins Bonds Deposited ______00 Company office and settle same. and believed to be located under strument, for costs, and for such comes here with a long record of one Other liabilities _____000 13-2t. further and other relief, both gen- sided victorites. Come to the game 2. That said plaintiffs, as was eral and special, as they may in either Saturday and help our boys win, and STATE OF TEXAS well known, were desirous of having law or equity show themselves en- bring your money to help us out of

Carl Gatlin, Manager.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES AID

financially able to conduct such lar term, this writ with your return Call and prayer the business meeting perations, and had investigated and thereon, showing how you have exe- was opened, and it was decided to Therwise, of one R. D. Clancy of Given Under My Hand and the members are to work on articles for this 10th day of January, A. D. 1921

Given Under My Hand and the members are to work on articles for this 10th day of January, A. D. 1921

Given Under My Hand and the members are to work on articles for the Bazaar throughout the year. Be
H. A. Talley.

Seal of said Court, at office in Mia
Seal of said Cou hold a Bazaar in November, and all 3. That on the 18th day of Janu- mi, Texas, this the 22nd day of De- side this we voted to serve funch on the first Tuesday of court week. CORRECT-ATTEST Notice of place will be published the with the defendants W. W. Clerk District Court, Roberts later. Next meeting will be with Mrs.



MOTOR WITH COMFORT-IN A FORD SEDAN

When you ride in a Ford Sedan or Coupe, you ride in comfort-Weather holds no fear for you. A minute, and your car is transformed. Windows down, windshield openthe Ford Coupé or Sedan affords the coolness and breeziness of the open car. Windows up, windshield closed-and you are protected from rain, wind, sleet or snow.

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Come in-let us show you the Ford Sedan or Coupe. Better get your order in now while prompt delivery is possible. And never forget the matchless "Ford After-Service" given Ford owners by Ford dealers means the continuous use of your car.

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MIAMI,

On last Thursday afternoon the

Victory Band of the Home Progress

Club which was so woefully defeated

in last years contest by the Conquer-

ors Division, put on the long promis-

ed and much merited and hard earned

entertainment of the Conquerors at

the residence of Mrs. Will Davis.

both sides heartily enjoyed the after-

noon's pleasure and voted the occas-

ion about the "happiest ever." Most

delicious "eats" followed the fun, and

the Conquerors went home feeling

witnesses to the fact that the Victors

FIANCIAL CONDITION

of Texas, at the close of business on

published at Miami, State of Texas,

RESOURCES

Overdrafts ---- \$2,871.10

Bonds and Stocks ____ \$5,300.00

LIABILITIES

Bills Payable and Rediscounts -----

Total _____ \$266,492.16

J. L. Seiber.

J R. Henry.

H. A. Talley.

COUNTY OF ROBERTS.

H. E. Baird, Cashier

on the 13th day of January, 1921.

Signed-A one time Conqueror.

have fully discharged their duty.

TEXAS



LET US HELP YOU PLAN

that the Victors had surely paid their dues handsomely. Mesdames Math- YOUR TRIP TO CALIFORNIA GRAND CANYON OF ARI-

ZONA ON YOUR WAY

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE fares, etc., see the local Agent or and will collect. L. A. Coffee, Of the FIRST STATE BANK OF

T. B. GALLAHER, General Passenger Agent AMARILLO, TEXAS.

LOST, an Oldsmobile tire rim with described real estate situated in effect, that the lease instrument David Stribling on Friday of last Loans and Discounts, personal or old Cord None-skid casing on same. Collateral _____ \$228,980.48 Please return to J. E. Williams, Mia-Loans, real estate _____ 000 Mi.

> THE STATE OF TEXAS Real Estate (banking house) ___000 To all persons interested in the Es-

of sections Nos. 154, 155, 156, 157, paragraph four, then paragraph four ment, askin gthem to report to Frank Due from other Banks and Bankers, the Estate of said R. C. Fitch, has E. Buckingham, a representative of and cash on hand, ____\$17,213.45 filed in the County Court of Roberts and all of section No. 143, contain- Plaintiffs further say that the the government who will be in Miami Item in transit _____\$158.95 County, her Final Account of the coning 403 acres of land, all in Block terms of the original lease have not on the 15th, and make out reports of Interest in Depositors' Gauranty dition of said estate, together with an Fund _____\$3,631.75 application to be discharged as Guar-Assessment Depositors' Guaranty dian thereof, which will be heard by Fund, _____ 000 our said Court on the first Monday in Accepptances and Bills of Exchange April A. D., 1921, same being the 4th \$5,645.67 day of April A. D. 1921, at the Other Resources Suspense ___\$55.76 | Court House of said Roberts County, Total _____\$266,492.16 in Miami, Texas, at which time and place all persons interested in said mothers of young children, as it con-Capital Stock paid in ____\$25,000.00 estate are required to appear and con-Surplus Fund _____\$12,500.00 test said Final Account and applica-Undivided Profits, net ___\$22,178.27 tion, if they see proper.

Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to Witness, M. M. Craig, Jr., Clerk of check, net _____ 000 the County Court of Roberts County. Individual Deposits, subject to check | Given under my hand and seal of \$128,736.37 said Court, at my office in Miami, Savings Deposits _____000 Texas, on this, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1921.

M. M. Craig, Jr, Clerk *63,054.22 (L.S.) It was decided to organize a High Demand Certificates of Deposits 000 County Court Roberts County, Tex.

RURAL TELEPHONE NOTICE \$15,000.00 Quarterly payments on rural tele-And that said lands are valuable, answer this petition, and that upon three games so far ,but are expecting Certificates of Deposits, issued for phones is now due. Subscribers mong other purposes for the gas and final hearing they have judgement the hardest game of the season next money borrowed _____000 please call at the D. & D. Electric

> "GROWN AT PLAINVIEW ON THE PLAINS"

We, W. L. Mathers, Vice-The Plainview Nursery, Plainview, President, and H. E. Baird, as cashier exas established 1907. Propagators of said bank, each of us, do selemly of the Famous "Compass Cherry" ewear that the above statement is which never fails, will bear in coldest Ladies Aid met with Mrs Patton true to the best of our knowledge and seasons second year from Planting. A cross between Cherry and Plum. W. L. Mathers Vice-President | We know the varieties best suited to the North Plains West Texas and we Subscribed and sworn to before me grow them by the thousands. Our

Notary public Roberts county, Texas, ple, Grape, Shade and Ornamentals. Garden Plante in season.

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Constipation of the bowels is a stoppage of the sewerage syystem that removes waste matter from the body. It is as necessary that your bowels move regularly once each day, to carry off this waste, as it is that the waste pipes of your home be kept open and carry off the waste from the house. If you would enjoy good health, keep your bowels regular by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when

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To Automobile owners, be sure that you pay your highway tax on or before Jan. 1st. It is a violation of the law to run your car on public roads after that date unless you have paid your Automobile Highway tax For particulars as to train service, J. A. Covey & Son have the books

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25 per cent discouunt on soap at the D. & i) Electric Company. It is extra good and this is an introduc-

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This is a pleaasant, safe and reliable medicine for coogh and iolds. It has been in use for many years and is held in high esteem in those households where its good qualities are best known. It is a favorite with tains no opium or other harmful drug Try it when you have need of such a

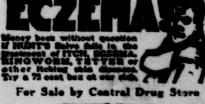
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The question is not so much how you contract a cold, but how to get rid of it with the least loss of time and inconvenience. If you will consider the experience of others under similar circumstances, who have been most successful in checking their cure a bottle of Chamberllain's Cough Remedy without delay, and use it Send for Catalogue and Price list. faithfully. There are many families who have used this prepartion suc-RSEY. cossfully for years and hold it in high TEXAS. esteem. It is excellent.

Good Highways

IMPROVED ROADS IN INDIANA

Order Issued by State Highway Commission Requiring Standardization of Plans,

Uniform road construction is expected throughout Indiana as a result of an order issued by the state highway commission requiring the standardization of road plans and specifications for county highways which are subject to the approval of the commission. The regulation became effective July 1 and covers all county road projects submitted to the commission for ap-

The regulation is similar to the federal order requiring the use of standardized plans and specifications by the



Improved Road in Indiana.

state for all roads for which government aid is expected. The action of the commission extends the use of the approved standards to the roads which will be built in Indiana under the provisions of the county unit road law, by which the state shares the cost.

Officials of the commission have compiled the standards for the Indiana roads, which are Mentical with the federal government. The standards will apply to all county-aid projects proposed under the state highway law, the county unit road law, and the free gravel road law,

Many counties of the state already have adopted the commission standards voluntarily to keep their read construction up to the specifications are two handsome afternoon frocks careful handwork here on a simply prescribed by the federal and state en-

Members of the commission, in discussing the regulation, declared that matching embroidered net-or a net spell success and makes an appropriit will have the effect of standardiz- top ing road construction throughout Indi- draped in a skirt that is made in one is quite equal to supporting a hand-

ROMANS AND GOOD HIGHWAYS

Roads Built Two Thousand Years Ago Are Still in Active Service-How Constructed.

Two thousand years ago the Romans built roads, some of which are still in active service. These roads have lasted through the centuries simply because of their massive construction.

The Romans built four successive courses or layers on the earth subgrade, carefully prepared and drained. First came the statumen or foundation, then the rodus, next the nucleus, and finally the pavimentum or wearing surface, says a writer. The statumen consisted of large flat stones, while the two intervening courses were built of smaller stones laid in lime mortar.

To carry the charlot and packhorse traffic of Roman times, these roads were seemingly ridiculously heavy, yet the wisdom of the builders was amply demonstrated by the 800 years during which the Roman road system formed the backbone of the transportation system of what was the greatest empire of all time.

We can learn a mighty profitable lesson from the Romans, and if we take the lesson to heart now, standing as we do on the threshold of a new highway era, we shall save ourselves much pecuniary sorrow.

HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT SURE

Both Republican and Democratic Par ties Pledged to Assist in Good Roads Development.

Regardless of which party wins out in the presidential election this fall, American motorists can rest assured that highway development will be continued. In their platforms, both the Republican and Democratic parties have placed themselves flatly on record as favoring liberal federal appropriations to assist in good road work.

definite factor in the nation's economic fabric and that everything will be done to utilize its value to the utmost.

Care Received by Colt. Bear in mind the care received by the colt the first 18 months of his life

will be a big factor in his worth at maturity. Destroy Lice on Horse.

A thorough scrubbing with any or-

dinary tar dip such as creolin or creosote, will kill lice on a horse. Force Fowls to Exercise.

All whole or cracked grain should be fed in the litter so as to force the fowls to exercise by scratching for it.

WHEN BIRDS OF **FASHION FLY SOUTH**



the show places, and that of all things | veiled with handsome lace. she cannot afford to look ordinary. And she knows also that money alone cannot solve her problems, although

that merit approval, and one of them designed and graceful model, and evis shown with a hat and veil. This ery woman capitulates to such a dress one is made of panne velvet and -it is made up of the elements that with a simple but subtle bodice. One some hat, finding itself in the proper can imagine this in a rich brown or company with the best the milliner has taupe color, or in black, and be sure to offer.

N JANUARY, when our migra- to fall in love with it in any case tory birds of fashion prepare to A corsage at the waistline—a bit of journey South, the young woman's silk fruit, ostrich flues, and a spray fancy turns-far from lightly-to of foliage-stray downward over the thoughts of clothes. She knows that skirt. The turban is almost covered requirements made of the state by the its going to tax her resourcefulness with sprays of uncurled ostrich plumes to play up to the wonderful parade of that sweep across the hat and droop beautiful apparel that is to be found in at the right to the shoulder and are

> The less pretentious dress at the left, of velours, with its very handit will go a long way toward doing so. some embroidery in self color, need do not utilize to net him a neat profit By way of helping out a little, here not fear comparisons. There is much lace-both very ingeniously ate gown for afternoon or dinner. It

Just Average Hats



The definite action of both parties as in some other things, Americans settle which gayly defies winter skies proves conclusively that motor trans. were thrown upon their own resources from its pose at the front of the brim. portation has been recognized as a during the war and the effect on de The hat at the lower left is made of self-reliant.

Five hats such as a stroll along the on the head of shoppers or promenaders, are shown here. They include duvetyn and one of brocade and fur, tiful story. Ingeniously draped velvet turbans have been, and continue to be, great pears at the upper left of the picture, brim at one side. with velvet laid in folds across the front, draped over the crown and arranged in a pretty chou at the right with two quills thrust through it.

The saucy, small hat with brim

TAKING hats "by and large"—just sharply upturned, shown next to it is average hats-that are now dis- simply covered with velvet and has a charging their responsibility as mid- most unpretentious sash and bow of winter head coverings, we come to the narrow ribbon about the crown. Its cheerful conclusion that their standards business in life appears to be the of beauty have advanced. In millinery, presentation of a big sunburst rosigners appears to have been stimulat; duvetyn covered with silk embroidery ing. They have become more or less in several colors and next to it a wide brimmed model has a plain velvet covered brim and a shirred crown endstreets of any busy city will reveal ing in a little drapery on the brim at the back. A band of ribbon about the crown and a cluster of little flowers three models made of velvet, one of on the brim finish its brief and beau-

brocade and seal fur needs no ornafavorites with women of conservative ment. But hats of this kind often have and elegant taste. Such a turban ap- a handsome jeweled pin thrust in the

Julia Bottom les

POSSIBILITIES WITH SHEEP

Farmer Who Does Not Utilize All of Available Pasturage Is Throwing Money Away.

The keeping of a reasonable number of sheep on the average farm does not necessitate the keeping of fewer dairy cows or other grazing stock. This fact was determined by the United States Department of Agriculture in its recent investigation of sleep-raising possibilities in New England. It was found that farms where sheep are kept successfully



Frequently Sheep Can Be Pastured on Do Not Displace Any Other Stock on Farm.

have practically the same number and kinds of other live stock as other farms of like area where no sheep are kept, and that the acreage in crops on the two classes of farms is substantially the same. The inference is that the farmer who keeps no sheep is simply throwing away enough pasturage that cows and other live stock

IMPROPER FEEDING OF PIGS

One Big Reason Why Fall Porkers Prove Unprofitable in the Hands of Many Farmers.

One reason why fall pigs prove unprofitable in the hands of ers is improper feeding. Many perit is four or five months old to give to catch every little breeze that blows, but turn on him with a stick, and it a chance to grow, which is one of the biggest mistakes a hog raiser can make. As soon as fall pigs will eat other, or provide separate self-feeders, constituent.

CHECK DISEASE AMONG HOGS

Animals Become Infected with Tuberculosis Principally From Following Cattle.

Eradicating tuberculosis from cattle will practically solve the problem of controlling the disease among swine. That is the opinion of veterinary experts experienced in the handling and post-mortem examination of swine received at the principal market centers. By means of a simple and practical marker, hogs may be tattooed with distinguishing letters and figures, and when disease is found by post-mortem examination the identity of such animals is known. With a simple system of records it is thus possible to trace a shipment to the farm from which it came and stamp out infectious diseases at their source. Evidence shows that swine become infected with tuberculosis principally from cattle, either by following them in feed lots or pastures, by receiving infected dairy by-products, or by eating tuberculous carcasses.

DISPOSE OF SURPLUS BULLS

If Not Sold at Minimum Price Within Reasonable Time Convert Them Into Steers.

Some of the breeders have adopted the policy of putting a minimum price on the bulls which they have for sale. If the bulls do not sell in a reasonable The rich and handsome hat of gold time at this price, then they are castrated and good steers are made out of them. This protects the market and the quality of stock which they are selling.

> Yellow Corn More Nutritious. Many careful and observant stock feeders have long contended that yellow corn produces better results than white corn.

DUSK BRINGS JOY

Life in Cairo Really Begins in the Evening.

Summer Days Too Hot for Any Exertion, but With the Fall of Night the City Awakes.

The city of Cairo is really pleasant in summer, at least in the evening, writes a correspondent of the London Daily Express. English people living in Egypt had a chance to find this out when the high cost of travel prevented their usual summer trip to England.

It is for the evenings that Cairo really lives. Through the long afternoon one may lie motionless, in a darkened room, avoiding even the effort of thought, but nothing arrests the steady flow of perspiration that drips and drips until one marvels that there is anything of him left but skin and bone. When the Nile is rising the air is heavy with moisture and it is this that makes the heat so hard to

At last the setting sun floods the desert and the Mokattam hills with a tangerine glow that changes swiftly into a soft, opalescent green light, Dusk falls swiftly, and a little breeze shivers through the treetops.

The streets that but a short while ago were almost empty save for listless policemen and beggars sleeping in a patch of shade, become as animated as a Paris boulevard. The pavement tables outside the cafes are thronged.

Picturesque sellers of water and sherbet, clashing two large bowls together to attract attention, ply their trade; others sell little nosegays of strongly scented jasmine; and the evening papers are bought eagerly by the awakening population, while birds twitter their evening hymn.

It is on the pavement that the true Land Which Would Not Otherwise | Cairene prefers to dine. There is one Be Used for Grazing, So That They street in particular filled with nothing but cafes, and their tables stretch half way across the road.

At some one may order a meal a la carte from the restaurant; at others one orders a glass of beer and picks up courses haphazard from half a dozen different vendors; strange mixtures of salad from one, bread from another, slices of spiced sausage, the leg of a chicken, a handful of prawns, fruit and all manner of things from as many different sources.

This is Cairo's hour; there are other things that the strenuously inclined may do during the daytime-tennis, golf, cricket out at Gezira Sporting , swimming in the fresh water bath beneath the shadow of the Pyramids or in the sulphur spring at Helonan-but there is more of hard labor than pleasure in such pastimes.

It is for the evening that one livessons have the mistaken idea that a Nile, where one takes deep breaths of pig must be fed a light ration until the cool night air and turns one's face anyone who will run away from his

Emerson and the East.

It is interesting to find that the grain and while they are still sucking one art of which Emerson did have their dams, give them all the grain a direct understanding, the art of they will eat. In fact, the best thing poetry, gave him some insight into is to have them run to a trough or the relation of the artist to his vehia self-feeder, where they can find cle. In his essay on Shakespeare there corn, oats, tankage or some other feed is a full recognition of the debt of whenever they want it. After they | Shakespeare to his times. This essay, are weaned keep them right on a ra- is filled with the historic sense. We tion of that sort until they are ready ought not to accuse Emerson because for the market. If you have a self- he lacked appreciation of the fine arts, feeder, put shelled corn or ear corn but rather admire the truly Goethean in one part of it and tankage in an- spirit in which he insisted upon the reality of arts of which he had no unone for the corn and one for the derstanding. This is the same spirit tankage, and then let the pigs be the which led him to insist on the value judge of how much to eat of each of the Eastern poets. Perhaps there exist a few scholars who can tell us how far Emerson understood or misunderstood Saadi and Firdusi and the Koran. But we need not be disturbed for his learning. It is enough that he makes us recognize that these men were men, too, and that their writings mean something not unknowable to us. The East added nothing to Emerson, but gave him a few trappings of speech.-John Jay Chapman,

Stanford White's Home a Clubhouse. The former New York home of Stanford White, noted during the architect's life as a treasure house of rare paintings and other "objets d'art," is now the clubhouse for the daughters of the countries from which those treasures came. It was recently opened by the International Institute of the New York city Y. W. C. A. as a social and educational center of foreign-born women and girls. Girls of so many nationalities meet there for English classes, dramatics, gym work, domestic arts and good times in general that neighbors in the vicinity have named it "Our Own Little League of Nations." It is one of the 62 centers for foreign-born girls maintained in various parts of the United States by the Y. W. C. A. and directed by American women and "nationality workers" who speak the European languages.

No More Lifts.

A young married man lives in the ame apartment building as myself. He has an automobile, and as we both leave the building about the same time in the morning he frequently gives me

One morning I missed him and upon meeting him in the evening he said: "Why, I looked for you this morning to take you downtown. Where were you?"

Whereupon his little daughter, who was with him, piped in: "Why daddy, didn't mamma tell you never to take that girl downtown again?"-Chicago Tribune.

"THE LAST LOVE COUNTS"

Bestowal of First Affections Nothing but Effervescence, According to an Accepted English Theory.

"No love like the first love," was the old adage. Is that true? The say, gestion, of course, is that the fire time a man or maid loves they are etperiencing something which they we never experience again. First love supposed to hold some quality while is absent from other loves. It is to substance; other, and later, loves ar but pale shadows.

In a sense, it is true that first low holds something which is absent from other loves.

But, after all, none would content that we can love but once. We can love half a dozen times, and be in earnest each time. Maturity, too, essential to the thorough enjoyment love. Our feelings, our capacity give and receive, deepen and expand with the years.

At, say seventeen, a maid may lore but her personality, temperament an character are undeveloped. She can not love in full measure; nor be able to absorb a full measure of love. Seven years later she could love again, an a torrent would come instead of

Put shortly, personal maturity is a sential to perfect, full-measure lan-First, second or third loves are ofte but surface loves. They don't come from the deeps. It would be admitted that all on

other feelings widen and deepen as result of years and experience, or d experience only. It is the same with Hence, the later the love, the better and more lasting it is. It is full-bodi

and strong. In ninety cases out of hundred this belauded "first love" despite its felicitousness, not love at Is not time the supreme test of love? And how many boy and go

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marriages, based on first love, happy, or the union permanent? Very On the other hand, late marriage between those who have had other

loves are the happiest of all. It's the last love that counts! Those "first loves" are but efferes cences, and have nothing behind then Love, real love, lasting love, strong love, must have character entwined i And whose character, at twenty is fully formed?

So, then, hanker not to be a first love. Be glad to give, and take the later and better stuff. It wears-From Answers, London.

Loon Killed an Indian. In Hertfordshire, England, the oth-

er day, a boy who foolishly went to look at a swan's nest was tackled by the cock bird and had an arm broket The swan fights with its wings, M cnn deal a most tremendous blow. I the swan. He delights in char is he who does the running. The cran tribe use their long and powers beaks as daggers, and are really gerous, if wounded. They invariable strike at the eye of their opponen few years ago, an Indian who shot loon on the Great Slave lake, and wen to pick it up, was killed outright by the bird, which drove its spear-shape beak right into his brain. Owls will sometimes attack human beings, but it seems probable that this is not be tentional. It is rather that they m take people's heads or hats for ris or other prey. There is an amusi account of some lumber men s dared not venture out at night on a count of some unseen enemy rob them of their fur caps. They though

relieved to find that the robber merely a large brown owl. Perhaps He Might Be Saved. I know a young fellow who is both to be a capitalist. Why not put his in fall now, before he is able to carr out his schemes?

it was the Evil One and were mig

I have known this young man sine he was a worthless boy, says a will in E. W. Howe's Monthly. His or father had no confidence in him. The boy's principal fault was laziness shiftlessness. A wholesale mercha took a liking to him (probably the merchant had been a worthless bo and gave him a job at \$6 a wee Today he is a traveling salesman ear ing \$6,000 a year. In July last sold more goods than any other sale man employed by the firm ever so in a similar length of time. He is liable, industrious, sober, has a wh and baby and is bound to become capitalist unless his career is check Why not put him in fail now and l him there, and thus prevent the happiness he will cause if permitt to keep up his present pace 15 of years?

W. L. George in America.
W. L. George, recently arrived s New York is a terrible town, acce ing to "Round London Town" in

It gives the innocent Englishman feeling that he has been posted i per's Bazar. a letter, for he finds himself vio sorted under his initial by the stead officials, stamped by the cust bagged into a taxi by the porter, bagged, restamped by a recept clerk, retagged by the liftman, when he at last gasps upon a which the elevated causes to ribt the New York press opens him for terviews, as a pearl-fisher search the relationship of the relationshi the rejuctant oyster for gems of sibly lesser price. Then the strath broods on London town, where extending jogs along so nicely in Eighteenth century way.

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The market place in Hattonchatel, vailey of the Meuse, France, which village with its 240 inhabitants, has been adopted by Miss Belle Skinner of Holyoke, Mass., who is shown at the left, with General Berthelet. Miss Skinner al-

45,472 MILES ON ONE VOYAGE OF BIG THRILLS

The President Grant, Army Transport, Back in Brooklyn After Nine Months.

Encountered Fire, Storms, Death, Birth, and Strange Adventures in Tropics-Experienced Every Danger Known to Sea.

New York,-Shore-staying people that the romance and adventure of the engine room. s went out with the clipper ships had better not express their views in n of the army transport President

enture they desired, and then voyage resumed. And Capt. Chambers may be be a good judge of adventure.

lmost twice the distance around by seen by seamen, globe, but they went through fire, seas and rescue at sea.

Off for Vladivostok.

All of this started very prosaicallyhe men of sea-when the President on the afternoon of February 2 bound for Vladivostok, the Rusian port on the Japan sea. There ling 20 officers and men of the my, most of whom were of the medi-The former liner is a vessel f 18,072 tons and is 509 feet long. ore the ship was half way across he Pacific the officers and crew were id every foot of length, but this is dicipating the story. Captain Chamers was on the bridge, the chief offier, H. L. Jones, was busy straighten-

te officer of a ship to take his mind his troubles.

way in her after holds 5,000 tons of to her five stowaways who had crept to her five stowaways who had crept on board at the Adriatic port. ard to Japanese ports.

After five days here to take on coal ed for Karatsu, Japan, for coal, the batteries did the rest. Shirthday, February 22.

colder climes on the northern great ever, was a liner and she kept right

Chance to See Strange Cities. at 10 he went to sea in a clippet dropped anchor in Yokohama roads, the ship apparently suffered no damp, sailed around the world at 19 after crossing the Pacific in sevences age boson of another sailing ship, and days, nine hours. There the liner lay seen many strange things and twenty-one days discharging cargo and ship left for Trieste, reaching that here the crew received generous shore port October 13. This second voyleave, as they did everywhere else age with troops was made novel by doings of the President Grant and throughout the voyage, enabling them the presence on board of 600 Russian men on the long voyage, equal to visit many cities and localities rare- women, wives of the Czecho-Slovak

m, sudden death, births, arctic the next Japanese port of call, where were born. and tropic heat, men overboard, the ship stayed eight days. After passles, fights, black nights, typhoons, ing through Tsugara Straits in foggy weather the ship came safely to Vladi- transport was moored to a dock at vostok, arriving April 22.

made for coal and supplies. Singapore of the wires parted. was reached May 12, and after skirt- Then, came the time the crew, and ing Sumatra and entering the Indian more particularly Chief Officer Jones, ocean, the President Grant stopped at was looking forward to-casting off Colombo on the island of Ceylon. A on the last leg. On October 23 the stay of five days was made here.

one pair of light sandals."

A Ride on the Camels.

At 10:25 a. m. on June 4, the ship ing things out all over the ship for a entered the Suez Canal and reached og voyage, and down in the engine Port Said on the Mediterranean sea om Chief Engineer A. E. Brock was the next day. While in this part of ming his 7,500 horse-power engines the globe members of the crew had or the long and trying task ahead of an opportunity to try out the camel as a means of locomotion. In Cey-Just by way of showing that a sail- lon they had tried elephants, and in Ts life is not always as perfect as China rickshaws, and at Venice, which cured Chief Officer Jones was leave they visited after the ship reached behind his bride of one month. Trieste, they tried gondolas. The arwas happy that he had the moun- rival at Trieste was on June 12, more work that falls to the execu- than four months after the start of the voyage.

At Trieste orders were waiting for The primary purpose of the voyage another shipment of Czech soldiers, so to transport Czecho-Slovak troops after twelve days in port, the trans-Wadivostok to Trieste, Italy, port steamed on the back trail. At their long, hard Russian cam- Port Said she caught the United The ship was not idling on her States army transport Crook, just sailof over, however, for she had stowed ing for Trieste, and hastily transferred

was carrying for the shipping Colombo was reached July 16, after passing through southwest monsoons weather and smooth sens at- and heavy seas in the Indian ocean. thed the first leg of the passage, On July 21, after five days at Colomthe American coast to Colon, at bo for repairs to be made and supthe American coast to Colon, at bo for repair on, the ship steamed east-plies taken on the ship be port was reached after a run of ward, and five days later anchored the days and five days later anchored ward, and five days later anchored days, and the big locomotives on a very dark night at the entrance alled the ship through the locks and if the other side in seven hours and straits. Next morning the ship prominutes. Elever days and ceeded toward Manila, hugging the then hours more of steaming a. the coasts of Borneo and Palawan to robbers as victims, when the burglar regular galt, which was almost avoid typhoons. Manila was reached alarm went off at the Jackson counbetween eleven and tweive August 1, with the crew all very busy ty bank. They surrounded the instih, brought her through the Golden painting and cleaning the ship in tution and waited five hours for the San Francisco on Washing- preparation for her next load of passengers. On August 5 the ship steam- vault has been improperly locked and

but next day halted at the entrance to Subig Bay to land six stowaways who had secreted themselves on

board under the decidedly mistaken impression that they would be rapidly transported to the United States.

Rescue Japanese Fishermen. A few days later the President Grant sighted a motor launch of about 80 feet in length drifting helplessly over the Pacific swells with a signal and supplies the President Grant hove to and lowered a boat. The of distress hoisted. The transport steamed out on the Pacific crossing. men on the boat were Japanese fish-She swung out northward toward ermen, who said their fuel had given out and they had drifted for five days, circle route. Before she sighted land They were given enough gas to take she encountered three very heavy gales them back to Nippon and the Presiduring which from ships all about dent Grant proceeded, reaching Karather she heard profane radio comments su August 10. After five days of on the weather which was forcing coaling the transport steamed toward them to lie to or steam off their Vladivostok, reaching the Russian courses. The President Grant, how- port for the second time on August 18. There 5,874 troops under command ahead on her eleven knot speed re- of Gen. St. Cecek, were embarked gardless of the big swells of the mis- and the President Grant headed named Pacific. Twice she halted for into the rough seas and southwest short periods for Chief Engineer monsoons of the Sea of Japan and sadly wag their heads and say Brock's men to make repairs in the the China sea. Hongkong was While far from land a fire, one of six days later through much rough reached September 2 and Singapore those mysterious conflagrations which weather. Ceylon was touched once the presence of any of the officers or break out occasionally at sea, devel- more and the Indian ocean, Red sea oped in hold No. 1, forward. There and Suez canal passed without miswas only a quantity of life preservers hap. When Port Said was reached, in this hold, but the dense smoke that October 6, the canal authorities orom full of barnacles and her sides billowed out made things look bad. In dered the ship moored in the African pated with green moss, recently tied fighting this fire Boson's Mate Edison basin, against the protests of both at Pier 2, Army Base, Brooklyn, was suffocated in the hold. Ordinary Captain Chambers and the American a nine month voyage of some Seaman Ray went down through the consular agent. When the tide fell 72 sea miles, in which all hands choking fumes in a gallant effort to the big ship went aground aft. Capm Capt. John Chambers to the save him. Both men were stifled to tain Chambers ordered coaling stopped and water tanks pumped out. The ship was pulled ahead by its anchors into deeper water. Fortunately the On March 17 the President Grant bottom of the basin was soft and

> After two days at Port Said the soldiers, and a number of bables. More cargo was discharged at Kobe, Three babies died on board and two

Home Again at Last.

A terrific storm arose while the Trieste and for three days the ship Here the President Grant took on was held with great difficulty. Ten or board 5,437 troops and sailed for eleven lines and eight mooring wires and warped out of her pier at Hobo- Trieste, ploughing through tog and held her safely, but the mooring bitts rain to Hongkong, where a stop was on the port quarter cracked and one

President Grant, homeward bound, There was fine weather and glassy sailed from Trieste with 2,000 immiseas on the trip across the Indian grants on board. She passed easily ocean, but in the Red sea the tempera- through the Mediterranean, bucked a be thankful for every ton of weight ture rose to 102 degrees and the uniform of the day in the fire room was tic, and dropped anchor at 1 a. m. Sunday, November 20. The voyage came to an end officially when, at 10 a, m. Monday the big liner warped into Pier 2, army base, Brooklyn, tied up and slapped rat guards on her lines.

"Certain Man" Answered Charge With 85 Yellowbacks

At the closing session of a revival meeting in Washington, N. C., an evangelist, Rev. B. F. McLendon, leaned over the pulpit and told his congregation that a certain man, present at the service, had not been true to his family, or his religion, but that if he would deposit a \$10 bill in the collection plate it would be taken as a token of his repentance and nothing further would be said, but that if he refused, the evangelist would publish his name.

The collection included 85 ten-dollar bills and five notes asking the evangelist to keep quiet, and promising the \$10 in

Seymour, Ind .- Citizens of this town had visions of a killing bee with bank

HAVE PET BELIEFS NO MORE "PLEASURE DRIVING"

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Few Man Are Without Some Superstitious Ideas.

And Most of Them Can Ee Traced Back to a Comparatively Commonplace Origin.

What is your pet superstition? "My pet superstition?" you'll probbly answer, with elevated eyebrows. 'Why, I haven't any. Superstitions are for the ignorant people."

But pause a moment and rummage around the shelves of your cerebellum among your store of modern information and see if there isn't tucked away in the corner some old, musty, longforgotten superstition you'd forgotten

Do you pick up the pin you see lying n the street?

If you break a mirror does it give you a moment's uneasiness? Honest,

When you knock over the salt cellar do you-not because you believe it does any good, of course, but because it can't do any harm-do you take a pinch and throw it over your left

Do you dislike to accept a \$2 bill? Would you give your friend a knife without adding a penny to break the charm?

Would you walk under a ladder? Do you mind being the thirteenth at

These superstitions are the most popular and they aren't at all confined to uneducated, or even uncultured people, as has been demonstrated.

Of recent years an eminent scientist who had collected much interesting data on superstitions among educated people decided to put his theory to a high test. He went to one of the leading universities of this country.

"My pet superstition?" The dignified old college professor echoed the question, removing his eyeglasses to get a better view of the impertinent stranger. "My dear fellow! Preposterous! Superstitions belong to the dark ages. We live in a period of culture." Whereupon the professor proceeded

to enlighten the stranger with a lengthy dissertation on his university and his high literary standing, saying: "One of the oldest universities in the country, sir, one of the finest. At present we have an exceptionally high attendance. Everything has been running smoothly-" here the intellectual professor halted to lean over and tap

lightly the wooden top of his desk. It developed that 26 per cent of the college professors at this university were wholly without superstitions, but some of them had their fingers

A great many of our superstitions have grown up with us through so many generations that we are hardly conscious of their presence. Many of these date back to the early Romans and Greeks.

Salt in ancient times was used in religious rites, and supposed to possess propitiatory powers. But when some careless emperor's elbow knocked the salt dish over its powers were lost, and the only way to insure a peaceful resumption of the meal was to appease the evil powers by throwing a pinch of the spilled salt over the left shoul-

The superstition connected with oroken mirror dates from Napoleon's ampaign in Italy, when he accidentaly broke the glass over the picture of Josephine. Since glass had always been connected in any form as symbolical of life and death, Napoleon was overcome with fear that some evil had befallen Josephine. And because the broken glass caused the great emperor uneasiness, the woman on the street car today pales when she drops her pocketbook and her mirror breaks.

Thirteenth Century Tomb. An interesting Thirteenth century tombstone has been discovered at Workshop (England) Priory church, which is being restored as a war memorial to the local men who fell in the war. The tombstone which is beautifully carved, has been identified as that of Lady Furnival, who built the church in the Thirteenth century as a thankoffering for the return of her son from Palestine, where he had gone in order to bring home the heart of his brother, Gerald, who was killed by the Saracens. The tombstone bears evidence of elaborate brass work, but the metal itself has disappeared, apparently having been stolen or torn off The Lady chapel is one of the most characteristic specimens of early English architecture in England, and its lancet windows are considered among the most perfect in the country.

Chaplin's Debt to Ingersoll.

In the life of Robert Ingersoll we read of a Fourth of July picnic at Dresden, N. Y., where little Bob and his playmates became uncommonly boisterous. When a dear old gentle man tried to quiet the roughhouse, Robert seized a custard pie and hurled it in the d. o. g.'s face. The higher comedy in America may owe as much to Robert Ingersoll as does the higher criticism.-Chicago Daily News.

As It Usually Is.

"What do you think about letting your son play football when he grows

up? "I'm in a peculiar state of mind concerning that."

"In what way?" "I feel that I shall not want him to play, but on the other hand I shall

Detroit Man Has Eliminated Sunday Afternoon Outings With the Old Gasoline-Driven Boat.

What has become of that old-fashoned institution known as pleasure driving? Sunday, being a beautiful day, we decided upon a pleasure drive into the country. So did everybody else in the world. The out-going trip was not altogether unpleasant, but when the migratory birds began to wing homeward the road began to suffer hardening of the main ar-

We elected to come in by way of Farmington in order to miss the traffic on Woodward avenue. We missed the Woodward avenue traffic all right, but what we ran into out Grand River avenue made us long for the old jam we were familiar with.

At Redford we ran into the deluge. rom then on we were able by sharp driving and careful maneuvering to make at least 30 feet every two minutes. The old left arm was kept busy operating the stop signal. Every few minutes there came the sound of breaking glass and twisting fender. Somebody just ahead or behind had miscalculated the distance and had given up his headlights and his windshield in consequence.

Occasionally an impatient driver would break out of the line, to be followed by several others, and endeavor to gain time and distance by traveling the wrong side of the road. This resulted in as perfect a tieup of travel as it is possible to obtain on one crdinary road. It stopped traffic in both directions.

Then came a slight break. We could see the cars ahead moving forward, but the man just in front of us had dozed off momentarily. When he discovered the line in action he slipped in his clutch and stalled his motor. Having to get out of a car and crank the old engine in the presence of 10, 000 irate motorists is not a predicament to delight the soul. Nor does it particularly delight the folks behind who are obliged to wait for him to do the trick. Peace-loving as we are, we said a few barsh things to ourself about that gentleman. At the end of an hour we had almost made the city limits, and when finally we did get home it was a frayed and nerveracked body that stowed away the bus in the garage. As we staggered into the house we made the public announcement that from the list of outdoor sports we had definitely eliminated pleasure driving.-Detroit Free

Tribe Without Belief in Gods.

Although it has been frequently stated that all mankind has some sort of god to worship, and believes in some sort of after-life, a writer in the Forum, recently returned from long explorations in Africa, reports tribes in Mid-Africa that not only had no comprehension of a soul apart from the body, but never dreamed of life after death, and had no god of any sort. The nearest thing to it was a belief in the buiti, a human armed

with monda or medicine. He says: "Among all the rites and ceremonies of these pagan tribes, as they are called, there is nothing that verges upon worship, homage or devotion in the religious sense of those terms; nor is there any implement, symbol or accessory that is alleged to be or supposed to be divine or holy. The crude, wooden effigies seen in any village, and often used in the ceremonies are not idols, as they are so often supposed to be, and there is no sentiment of reverence or sanctity whatever felt or manifested toward them. They are simply images of Buiti used as repositories of the moda or 'medicine used by him in certain ceremonies."

No Mother to Guide Her.

She was about eight years old. Some admiring woman had exclaimed: "What a beautiful voice she has for such a young girl!" and some other admiring woman had agreed. The child believed them, of course, and consequently was very anxious to sing on any and all occasions. She began to delight in using musical terms which she learned from her mother. She never shouted, because it would hurt her vocal cords. She was very careful to wrap herself up well, because she had a delicate throat which had to be carefully guarded from drafts. She displayed an amazing comprehension of the artistic temperament. Her mother usually played her accompaniments, but on this particular day she had to be absent, and she asked Miss Agnes to play for her daughter. Miss Agnes consented. The rehearsal began propitiously and continued encouragingly for almost a minute. Then the small and imperious singer stamped her foot and cried: "Stop, Miss Agnes! Didn't you see that 'hold?' We'll do that over, so I can get a full, round tone!"-Indianapolis News.

Made the Impression.

When I was in high school two of my friends and I were visiting at the home of another girl for a few days. This girl's brother was a university student, and was spending his vacation at home. He was a big fellow. about six feet tall, good looking, and we wanted to make a good impression

One afternoon we went into his room and I dressed up in his best clothes, not knowing he was anywhere around the house. I had just got all dolled up when in he walked, not knowing we were there. It amused the rest of the gis half to death, but as long as I be disappointed in him if he doesn't live I'll never forget the mortification I felt at that moment.-Exchange.



THE OLD TOYS.

"Well," said Santa Claus, chuckling, "I always see something like this,

Boy of the North, his collie dog, wagged his tail as though to say: "Yes. Master, I agree with you always, but what is it you are seeing now?"

"I'm seeing," said Santa Claus, "my friend Lucy. She is so fond of all her new toys, but she has taken her old pet lamb, too, and is introducing it to the new Christmas toys.

"I always see a number of children doing the same. That is, there are always some who take out their old toys before Christmas day is over.

"You have heard of the little girl who has grown up now who owned the rag doll named Allie Baa?

"Allie Baa came to her when she was three years old and every Christmas after that she played with her new toys and loved them all, but be fore Christmas day was over she took out Allie Baa and played with her, too, to let her know that she loved her

as well as the new toys. "She didn't want Allle Baa to feel she had forgotten her, even if she had been given many new toys. And that

always made Allie Baa very happy. "Now I gave Lucy that little toy lamb a number of Christmases ago, and every Christmas, after she has played with her toys for quite a long time, she takes out the little lamb as though to tell the little lamb that she still loved it, too.

"I just saw her do that, and since I've been looking through my magic telescope I've seen a number of the other children taking out some of their old toys which I'd given them on Christmas days which have gone by and showing the old toys they hadn't forgotten them, too.

"It's so nice to see how faithful they

are to the old favorites. "There is Lucy, now, She adores that lamb, and even though she loves her new dolly and her new set of dishes and the new games and books she has, she still loves the lamb and is

petting it, too! "I see Annette, too. She has taken out the doll I gave her three years ago. She is showing her new toys to

"I see Janet, too, She has taken out her Teddy Bear and is asking him what he thinks of all the new toys. She hasn't forgotten her Teddy Bear.

"I see so many others, too! "Yes, I see so many others who are taking out a number of their old toys and telling them that still they love them and won't forget about them.

"Of course from Christmas to Christmas there are a number of old toys which have been broken, but there are



The Little Lamb Is There.

a number of old favorites which are still loved and cared for.

"That is the nice thing about Christmas. At least that is one of the nice things. The old toys aren't forgotten for long. And by the old toys I don't mean all the old toys, but I mean the old favorites that have been loved through the year and which have given their owners such a lot of pleasure.

"There is Lucy now going to eat her supper. Yes, it is getting late in the day, Boy of the North!

"She is taking two of her new toys with her to the table. She has them on a chair by her side. And the little lamb is there, too.

"It's so nice, Boy of the North, to think they still love some of the toys Santa Claus has given them some time ago. Aren't they faithful, Boy of the North?"

Boy of the North wagged his tail once more and barked to say, "Yes." "There are Ada and Louise," said Santa Claus, "and their collie dog. He looks a little like you, Boy of the North. Come, I will give you a look." So Santa Claus gave Boy of the North a look through the magic telescope and Boy of the North saw a collie dog looking quite a lot like him, and with the dog two lovely little girls, One was fast becoming quite grown-

up. She had light hair, and her sister had light hair, too. "He is seeing both the old and the new toys, too, Boy of the North," end-

What the Doctor Did. Brown's little one was ailing and on his way to work he sent up the doctor. When he got home in the evening he asked her what the doctor had said. "Nothing, papa."

"Then what did he do, dear?" "Oh, he just telephoned me all over," was the child's reply.

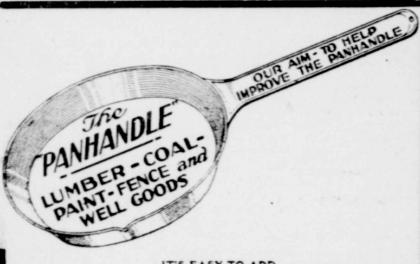
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HIS TIME ALL TOO SHORT

Dvine Profiteer Could Not Make Com plete Confession of Iniquity in One Brief Day.

Armin W. Riley, bend of the "flying squadren" that hunts down proficers for the department of justice, told a produced stary at a Washington to

orld by his physician that he had only

chamber and the door was An hour, two hours, three by the attendant nurses and physiintervals by exclamations of horro

and the confession went on. The afternoon waned. The sun set. Night The divine's dinner was carried to him. And still the profiteer con

"Haggard and unstrung, the divine at last tottered forth at daybreak. "'Our unfortunate friend,' he said

is no more. He worked very, very hard; but at the time he passed away he had only carried his confes sion through the first year of the

COQUETTE SET NEW FASHION

Favorite of French Monarch Responsible for Coiffure Which Became a Universal Style.

Styles have had queer origins, and place with a jeweled fillet or ribbon. At one time it was worn by every lady in the court of Louis XIV, and from there it spread to all parts of the civlized world where fashion reigned. The manner of its origin is this:

The king went for a ride one morn place as his favorite. As they rode, there is reason to believe the little comedy that followed had been staged in in advance, even to the loosening of the pins that allowed her beautiful tresses to escape. At any rate, the lady slipped from her horse, and with a laugh lifted her skirts and took off a jeweled garter which she bound around her hastily repiled hair. The king was delighted with the by-play, and upon arriving at the palace announced the mode the most becoming in the world. Within 24 hours every coquette and matron in the court had

Learn From Lazy Man.

At last some use has been found for a lazy man. The secret was revealed by F. B. Gilbreth, an efficiency expert, in a recent lecture before the polytechnic section of the American

"When we go to investigate a factory," he said, "and wish to find the swiftest worker, we naturally ask to see the men or girls who have the fattest pay envolopes.

"But when we want to see the man who accomplishes a task with the least amount of lost motion, we hant out the laziest man in the factory. By instinct, he learns to do things without loss of motion, otherwise he could not hold his tob.

"We study that man's movements and take motion pictures of him in action. Then we show these pictures to the rapid, energetic worker, and by studying them he learns shorter methods and becomes much more efficient at his own work .- Cleveland Plain

Playing at Soldiering.

Some Australian Wellington will probably trace a modern Waterloo to the playing fields of Melbourne or Sydney. Australia has recognized as the result of her war lessons that intelligence, not monotony, is an invaluable test of the soldier. The old wearsome drill-ground system of training cadets is fast giving way to the new plan which makes a play of work While the boys are taught discipline and drill they are mainly shown how to play basket ball and to compete in jumping, tug of war and swimming. Those intrusted with the making of a new Australian army are confident that the best soldier will be the happy, well-trained sportsman, who has learned to play for his side, to keep his temper and to think intelligently. Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders build There can be little doubt that the change is keenly appreciated by young Australia.-Christian Science Monitor,

Hunt in Autos in Alaska.

Times have changed in Alaska from the days when trappers mushed over the snow fields to hunt for game, Citizens of Fairbanks are hunting caririvals at Scattle. Automobiles are coming into their own in the territory and the bureau is advised that "the days of real sport" around the north-

THE ELM

By LILY WANDEL

had smiled approvingly.

had a younger sister, very pretty and jolly, and why should not Jim go

the six children! Imagine having Jim at the table every day and being called mother! It was ridiculous-imposs!

But she liked him immensely; he would be a good husband. "I know," she decided finally, "I'll ask mother!"

Mrs. Emmet sat on the leaf-covered back porch knitting. She looked up with a surprised smile when Nettle. very grave-faced, stepped out and without a word placed the letter in ber mother's bands.

"My dear girl," when she had finished reading it, "we all have expected this for some time!" She laughed happily and took one of her daughter's cold hands. "How excited and nervous you are, dear child! What is it. Nettle?"

"I went to know, mother, shall I occept him?" in a low, tense voice.

"Nettle, you must know that yourself. All I can say is that I would be very pleased if you would, dear. You know him so well and he loves you very dearly. Don't you love him,

"I don't know," answered Nettle in a muffled, feeble voice. Her mother laughed. "I believe you

are head and heels in love and don't

"But all the children, mother," blurted out Nettle despairingly. "What children?"

"Oh, you know very well. Esther, Ned, and the rest!"

"Oh, don't let them bother you. Most of them are grown. How foolish you are, Nettie!

"I cannot take such a step lightly. I see all the responsibility that comes with such a marriage."

Mrs. Emmet drew her daughter down on her lap. "Nettle, look into your heart and let that alone decide you. Many a foolish little girl has let her right man slip away because she weighed and considered and judged and wanted to make so cock-sure of everything that she lost all. If you are so excited that you cannot think clearly and really want mother's advice, let me tell you-go to the old elm and decide there. Hurry, too, because

it's fifteen minutes past now," Nettle gave her mother a quivering kies and hastened down the path. For the first time in her life she felt disappointed in her mother, as though in this great turning point of her life she had failed her. Oh, she felt like hiding somewhere and sobbing her heart out and not going to the old elm at all. She was on the lane now, just before the twist and a tiny footpath lay to her left. It did not lead to the elm. She stepped into it, hurrled tear-blinded along and bumped into somethingsomebody-Jim!

"Nettie!" she was in his arms, her cheek on his rough coat. "I waited and waited-you did not come. You did not mean it for no, did you? I love you so that it hurts-for years, Nettie. I never could get up courage. Yesterday I spoke to your mother." He stopped to find her lips and then tooked questioningly down in her

KNOW MONEY BY PICTURES

How Those Who Handle Many Bills Find It Comparatively Easy to Tell Bad Ones.

It is a comparatively easy matter o become an expert in the quick hanling of money and also to detect bills that have been raised, according to are federal reserve notes. Those in common use have identification characteristics, in addition to the numer-

ify the proper denomination of the

One-dollar notes, portrait of George

bam Lincoln. Ten-dollar notes, portrait of Andrew

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Fifty-dollar notes, portrait of U. S.

Hundred-dollar notes, portrait of Benjamin Franklin.

HAD HAZY IDEA OF FINANCE

Queer Notion Held by Old Wash White Common to Many Investors, According to Lawyer.

At a dinner in New York the other day a prominent lawyer noted for his activities in rounding up investment swindlers told the following

"It's pitiful to see how feelish a great many people are when it comes to a question of finance.

"Old Wash White is a good example of financial foolishness. When Wash's boss got back to the Delta from the North one day, he found the old man driving a fine young mule hitched to a handsome wagon.

"Now, Wash was a notoriously shiftless customer, and so his boss "Where did you get that splendid

turnout, Washington? "'Ah done boughten it at Magnolia.

sah,' said Wash. "'How much did it cost you?"

"'Ah done give mah note fo' \$200 "'Good gracious,' said the boss, where do you expect to get \$200 to meet your note when it falls due?"

"Wash looked astonished and of-"To' de Lawd's sake, boss man! Miami, Texas. he said, 'you sho'ly don' expeck me

ter give mah note an' pay, too?"

Wasn't Addressing Tramp. On her way downtown the other morning the woman stopped to see a sick friend, who lives on the first floor of a remodeled private house with a bedroom overlooking a nice old-fashloned back yard. The window was open and suddenly a loud voice broke the calm of the sick-room.

"You dirty bum, that's what you are," said the voice. "Of course you'll be comin' home now for your breakfast-and look at you, covered with dirt. It's a bum you are and not a drop of blue blood in you. Quit your whinin,' you hungry stayout. Me lookin' and waitin' for you last night and worrying about you! And now I suppose you want to sleep all day and rest up for another night. You're just like the rest of your kind. It's a bum you ; are and nothin' else.

The woman leaned out of the open window that she might see the wreck of humanity the tirade had visualized. And there was the comfortably built, immaculately clean janitress letting in her prize-winning Angora cat. Doughbey had come home for breakfast .--New York Sun.

Japan's Sulphur Baths.

At the foot of the volcano Asamayama in Japan there is a combination of hot sulphur and cold mineral springs. The bathing house consists of three or four substantial wooden bathing tanks, into which the hot water flows, and a wooden platform running around

the room with cupboards and shelves where the people dress. Beams laid across the bathing tanks livide them into little squares, a quare for each person.

The duration of the time bath is regulated with great precision by the head attendant, and during the bath from 150 to 200 half litre scoops of hot sulphur water are poured over the head of the bather.

Emergency Call.

"We've got lizards in our basement, and I just killed a snake in the front yard. Can't you send some one out right away to kill them?" walled a voice over the telephone to William F. Cleary, clerk of the board of public works.

It was a woman's voice, or Mr. Cleary would have sent a request to the board of public safety that one of the morals squads be sent out with a suggestion that they might find whater. It must satisfy you, or your car and driving back with the winter's Jim; truly I was. You can ask mother to send out an ordinary policeman to kill the reptiles.-Indiounpolis News.



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