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## Begin 1922 with a Firm Resolve to Better

## YOUR FINANCIAL CONDITION

Make up your mind to connect with the starting point of increased power and increasing income-a GROWING account at this bank.

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Historian, Mrs. Flake George.

cooked food sale at Sanders Grocery

All members are urged to be present.

SOO-SOO CLUB NOTES

A delightful afternoon was spent

with Mrs. Jack Montgomery January

the third, when the Soo Soo club had

Mrs. D. I. Barnett, President.

Mrs. Flake George, Secretary.

sandwiches, fruit salad and coffee.

SAVE A NICKLE

Our next meeting will be Jan. 10th

We have made up a bunch of

scratch pads, about 4x6 inches con-

taining about 100 sheets, that we are

selling at 5 cents each. They are

fine for the school children and busi-

They are just the right size to

throw around on the desk or coun-

ter, and are quite inexpensive, cost-

ing about half as much as a common

tablet. Better come in and get one

MEETING OF TAX PAYERS

A meeting of the tax payers of

Roberts County is called for Satur-

M. Cunninghams office over Moon's

the interest of the taxpayers is to be

or two.

discussed.

their regular meeting.

elected as follows:

and Press Reporter.

with Mrs. Ralph Chisum.

Press Reporter.

### O. E. S. PLAY A SUCCESSS

That Miami has some mighty good home talent was fully demonstrated Jan. 3. Twelve members were prehat Saturday night when the play sent and new officers for the com-"A Poor Married Man" was put on ing year were elected as follows: by the members of the Miami Chapterorder of the Eastern Star to a full Vice-Pres., Mrs. J. A. Mead. house at the school Auditorium. The affair was one of the most enjoyable

ecasions of the holiday season. From the time the curtain went up on the first act at 7:30 until the from our adopted soldier boy at whip and two kinds of cake with coffinal climax, there was not a dull Kerville, thanking us for the box we fee. moment and the audience was kept in continued happy humor. . The characters in the play each seemed exactly fitted for the part they play-

ed and acted like old timers at the store. How Emmett Gatlin could initate a "tipsy" college professor with the country so dry as it is, is more than we can understand and we are indined to think there was something stronger than water in those bottles. Mrs. Burnett played the part of mother-in-law to perfection proving without a doubt that every time "Lobster salad" is served it is not meant as a means of getting rid of undesirable husbands, Jupiter Jackson (Mr. Thornhill) imitated an old outhern darkey perfectly, and

brought a ripple of laughter over the audience everytime he appeared on he stage. Bessie Coffee made a fascinating Miami Chief reporter and did the "home commg" up nice-Dan Kivlehen played the part of

he country Dr. as only it could have een played by the individual, howver, we do believe that timid, shrinking Violet was too much for his Irish wit.

Zoie (Ollie Coffee) made a mighty weet bride and Billy Blake (John Nelson) wasn't the only one who

Clara Mae Kinney as June Gray nade an ideal wife and mother evidently answering all the Prof. ness men find them mighty handy. roubles in the end.

Between acts, the crowd was entertained with some splendid musical elections by Mrs. Baker.

The play was one of the very best faged in Miami was the unanimous rerdict of every one present.

Mrs. Chas Burnett deserves much credit for her untiring work in acting as conductress for the play as well as taking part at the last minute a ading part herself.

The entire membership of the O. day, January 28th, to be held in T. S. was greatly pleased with the May the play went off and wishes to store. Every tax payer in the counthank the public at large for their ty should make a special effort to be plendid support. As a final tribute present, for several things vital to to all who so generously gave their me and effort towards making the ay a success we feel in duty bound men on "Socrates" who with all ability he possessed, played his Contributed.

The Woman's Missionary Auxili- 30 days. 7 held its regular business session will be given during the latter be appreciated. part of January. Next Wednesday is the date for

regular Bible class.

## HUSBANDS

STUDY CLUB HONORS

bands as guests of honor.

insel decorations on every window.

were festooned throughout the large reception rooms, pot plants and cut tion in Dallas this week. flowers added a beauty to the rooms very pleasing to the eye.

The tables were arranged in order and numbered and those presents drew for their table. After each one had found their partner and was seated, a "turkey dinner" was served. When we say just "turkey" we mean "turkey" with everything else that goes with it, dressing, fruit salad, cream potatoes, cranberry jelly, celery, and maybe some other the war, was repealed.

After the first course the president, Mrs. Jno. Newman gave the

following toast: Here's to the Stars and Stripes,

o the land of our birth, The American man

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY Best husband on earth! Here's to the doctor "who brought

Amercan Legion Auxiliary, met Here's to the father who taught us, Here's to our rivals who fought us And here's to our husband who

caught us. Here's to the land we love, and the

"love" we "land." And this was responded to by Jack

Mrs. Newman gave quite an appropriate answer and the second course Several letters have been received, was served consisting of pine-apple

After the tables were cleaned '42" was indulged in until a late Saturday, Dec. 7th we will have a

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison were also guests and every one present ex-Next meeting will be Dec. 17th. pressed their pleasure at the good times afforded them during the even-

> New Years socials just come once a year but they are so well enjoyed that they last from time to time.

Pres Reporter.

## CITY TAILOR SHOP SOLD

Bob Hardin and Alfred Crump sold out the City Tailor shop Mon-Officers for the coming year were day to Frank Jones and Arthur Mrs. Emmett Gatlin, Treasurer fter the business session the hostess served dainty refreshments of

### FARM BUREAUS ORGANIZED IN THE PANHANDLE

A delightful social event was the Tuesday there was a meeting held in lovely six o'clock dinner party given Claude for the purpose of organizing by the Study Club, Dec. 30th, at the the Armstrong County Farm Bureau. W. W. Davis residence with the hus- This makes six county Farm Bureaus organized in the Panhandle since The spirit of Christmas was in December 30th. These are Potter, vidence by the bright stars and Gray, Deaf Smith, Carson, Randall and Armstrong Counties. These The club colors of pink and green organizations will be completed and will have delegates at the Conven-

> All of these counties have signed up great quantities of wheat with the Texas Wheat Growers Association.

## GOOD NEWS

Effective January first, announcement was made at Washington, December 30th, the war tax on practi- DISCONTINUES MONDAY NIGHT WOODROW WILSON cally everything, that has been in force for the years during and since

All tax, on express, freight, passenger tickets, ice cream, soda water, amusements, clothing and such mains, but is transferred from the

purchaser to the retailer. The repeal of the war tax lowers the wheat rate from Miami to Galveston 6 cents, and to other points

### in proportion. NEW LEGION COMMITTEES

APPOINTED The following committees for Pulaski Post of the American Legion

have recently been appointed to serve for the new year: Executive Committee. M. M. Craig, Jr., Chairman.

Albert Stribling. Entertainment Committee. Bob Townes, Chairman. Waid S. Willis.

Earl Chisum.

J. E. Martin.

J. R. Carter. J. R. Nelson. Ray Jones.

Membership Committee. Henry Chisum, Chairman. Sam Carter. Jake Murry.

Emmett Gatlin. Roy Sewell. Bill Black.

Remember your membership ex-Bob has a chance in a tailor shop going to have a bigger and better your support. post than ever.

## KEEPING UP WITH MARY

CHEROLOGICAL CONTRACTOR OF THE CONTRACTOR OF THE

Mary returned from boarding school with a lot of fool notions as to what her family should do to keep up appearances. Tho her fther was a prosperous merchant, he went broke trying to keep up with Mary.

The trouble with all who try to keep up with Mary is, they spend all their energy in keeping up insead of getting a-

If you want to get ahead discriminate between luxuries and

THE BANK OF MIAMI

necessities, between wants and needs, and SAVE.

Roberts County Depository Individual Responsibility over \$400,000.00

H. Russell, President. J. F. Johnston, V-Pres. Jas. B. Saul, A-Casbier.

Thos. J. Boney, Cashier.

SHOWS The management of the Pastime the Monday night shows, for a time Texas for her share in the Woodrow

been signed up for the Tuesday day, January 16th. like has been taken off, and the tax night shows, with such stars as Jus- The Woodrow Wilson Foundation on jewelry and real luxuries re- tine Johnston, Bebe Danials, Wanda is proposed as a memorial to Wood-Hawley, Mary Miles Minter and Con- row Wilson, who was twice President stance Binney, all of whom you know more possibly than any other man and like to see. The management who ever lived to further the cause feels that by discontinuing the Mon- of human Freedom, and who was in-

nounce the candidacy of Clyde Mead or more to be invested in United for Treasurer of Roberts County, States Government bonds, and the subject to the Democratic Primary in awards from the income of the Foun-

he is thoroughly fitted in every re- mittee to the individual or group of spect, to fill. He is a home boy, individuals that has rendered, within known and respected by every one a specified time, meritorious service and we feel sure that his popularity to democracy, public welfare, liberis all the recommendation he will need al thought or peace through justice. to be elected to the office he is ask-

months of that time. When he re- 000 within three days. ceived his discharge he was a lieutenant. Clyde is a member of the Pulaski Post American Legion, and is one of the fellows to whom the My bank account is going to grow post is indebted for its popularity. He is at present Post Adjutant.

We feel that in offering the an-Gowin, who took charge immediate- pires the first of the year and don't nouncement of Mr. Mead for Coun- I'm going to work as ne'er before, ly. Bob and Alfred are going this forget to send your dues in to the ty Treasurer, we are putting for- To add unto my earthly store. this week to Hot Springs, N. M., Finance Officer. You can't afford ward one who is worthy of your con- I'm going to start rightoutforgore where they each have good jobs. to stay out of Pulaski Post this year sideration. And he respectfully asks Alfred will go into a garage, and if you are eligible to join for we are for, and will thoroughly appreciate I'm going to end my erring ways

## COMMUNITY DINNER

mas week took place at the ranch Writ high upon the scroll of Fame home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mead on Thursday. The guests were limited I'll make a record for myself to the neighboring families, and a dinner was served about 3 p. m. I will not linger on the shelf Being a community affair, each family contributed to the dinner-and With every kilowat of power, what a great dinner it was! There I'll labor every single hour, was much merriment among the And my ambition won't go sour crowd during the day and they voted unanimously to make the community I'll not go in for words, but deeds gathering an annual affair, the next one to be at the ranch home of Mr. My garden wil not run to weeds and Mrs. Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Mead: Messrs and Success, upon ne'er-failing wings. Mesdames L. B. Cross, R. E. Thomp- That's when I always do the se son, C. F. Burnett, Floyd Coffee, Clyde Coffee and Messrs Wurley and Williamson.

## EPWORTH LEAGUE

Program for Jan. 8, 6: p. m.

Subject: ("Epworth Era") "The Circulation of the Life Fluid." Leader,-Ruby Russell. Scripture Lesson,-Col. IV. 7-17.

Song. Prayer.

"Our Motto,"-Katheryn Gray. Special Music,-Willie Fae New-

Half minute talk by each Leaguer, "What the Epworth Era means to

"The Special Features"-Virginia

Hymn-"Blest Be the Tie that

Rev. Bowen.

### FOUNDATION

The campaign for the purpose of Theatre has decided to discontinue raising the \$60,000 quota allotted totine Johnstone, Bebe Daniels, Wanda Wilson Foundation, begins on Mon-

of the United States, and who did day night show they are enabled to strumental in pointing out effective give you better shows the remaining methods for the co-operation of the liberal forces of mankind througout the world.

CLYDE MEAD FOR TREASURER | The Foundation proposes to create by popular subscription of \$1.00 or We are authorized this week to an- more to raise a fund of \$1,000,000 dation will be made from time to Clyde is asking for an office that time by a nationally constituted com-

Rhea Howard of Wichita Falls, has been selected as chairman of this dis-He served during the World War, trict. The canvass is expected to in all about eighteen months, and last a week, and it is hoped that it was in active service in France ten will be possible to raise Texas' \$60,

## "NEXT YEAR"

I'm going to hervest loads of dough

\_\_ Next year.

Next year. Next year.

I'll make the most of all the days Next year. I'm going to get in the game One of the happy events of Christ- And you will see my little name

> Next year. Next year. Next year.

Next year. Next year.

Next year. The following were the guests of I'll be efficient, for that brings things-

Roy K. Moulton.

## · SCHOOL OPENS

School started Monday, after a weeks vacation, with the youngster "on their toes." The teachers' whose homes are at other places spent the holidays with friends and relatives there, and most of them returned to Miami Saturday, feeling fine. The The value of Church Periodicals, holiday week here was filled with jolly social events among the younger set, who enjoyed them to the lim-

### Address by Epworth Era Agent- FAIR WARNING AND THE LAST CALL

All old and past due accounts not paid on or before January 5th, 1922, will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. We regret to take this course, but our business and our creditors demand it.

Yours truly,

## Committee. SPECIAL NOTICE

All who owe us are asked to WOMAN'S MISSIONARY NOTES call at once and settle their acount. We cannot let accounts run over

We are closing up all accounts for Wednesday afternoon. Plans were New Year. Our taxes and other hade for renewed activity in al de- obligations we must meet and your atments during the new year. A unpaid acount will help us and will

Yours truly, A. M. Jones Drug Co. By A. M. Jones.

## Things For The Family To Eat

WHEN YOU BUY THINGS TO EAT, IT'S IMPOR-TANT TO GET THE BEST, AND TO PAY AS LITTLE AS MEANS A BIGPOSSIBLE FOR IT.

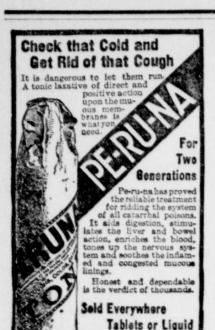
FOOD IS THE PRINCIPAL THING MOST US SPEND MONEY FOR; A SMALL SAVING ON EACH ITEM MEANS A BIG SAVING IN THE YEAR.

WE NEED YOUR BUSINESS. IT WILL BE APPRE-CIATED. DE\_14 . 194

## J. H. DIAL

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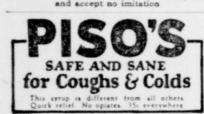


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## Scientists Test Sight of Bees

Experiments Expected to Have Important Bearing on Natural Selection.

## COLOR-BLINDNESS AT ISSUE

Research is Expected to Last for Years and to Establish Just What Bee or Moth Can See or Not See.

eminent American scientists to disare color-blind or not. The scientists who are now busy inventing devices K. Richtmyer of Cornell University, a physicist and specialist in color vision. insects of the National Research coun-

Their tests of the sight of insects are expected to last for years and to ing study of the whole subject. establish just what a bee or a moth can see and what it cannot see. These for the coloring of many insects or years of elaborate experimentation animals, as well as flowers, on the have not been planned by the National principle of "natural selection." The Research Council and undertaken by three eminent scientists solely for the purpose of ascertaining a bee's optical equipment. A greater question lies behind. The controversy about the bee's sight, it is said, involves the validity of the whole theory of natural

The evolution of man from the lower animals and the evolution of all plant and animal life from a primitive form of life originating on earth billions or hundreds of millions of years ago are almost universally believed by scientists, but the hypothesis that the evolution was brought about almost solely by the process of natural selection has come under attack recently from many quarters. This is where Dr. Harlow Shapley, Harvard the bee's sight becomes important.

Theory on "Selected" Flower. The theologian holds generally that the beautiful colors of the flowers were placed there by the Creator for the delight of man. The biologist has generally denied this, and argued that the colors are there because they attract the attention of bees. The visits of the bees result in carrying pollen fertilizes the seeds. Unless they re-The cumbrous phrase of "natural seection" in this case is intended to de-

### Hits Wrong Auto Pedal; Goes Into River; Dies

scribe a process probably millions of

years old, under which the flowers

New York. - Becoming confused as she drove her automooile on to the driveway on the ferryboat Weehawken and placing her foot on the accelerator instead of the brake, a young woman believed to be Miss Edith B. Stewart of Wilkesbarre, Pa., high school teacher, crashed through the iron chains and car and driver disappeared under the waters of the Hudson river. Air bubbles and a number of roses and carnations floated to the surface. The body and the car were recovered.

which most attracted the bees by their colors or scent were pollenated in greatest numbers, while those less attractive received fewer visits from the bees and tended to die off. In each generation the flowers which pleased the bees most would be "selected" to live.

These "selected" parents would have offspring, some brighter than themselves, some about the same as themselves and some less bright (that is, of course, bright from the standpoint of the bee, whose standards of brightness might differ greatly from ours). The action of the bees, tending to preserve New York .- A series of delicate ex. the prettiest colors, would make each periments will soon be started by three generation of flowers slightly lovelier than its predecessors, thus producing cover whether bees and other insects finally the gorgeous natural varieties in existence today.

This theory had been accepted for for testing the vision of bees are Dr. many years, but recently it has been F. E. Lutz, a biologist of the Ameri- rudely shaken. Investigations in Gercan Museum of Natural History; Dr. many and Belgium have made it doubt-J. Arthur Harris, an entomologist of ful whether a bee can tell one color the Carnegie Institution, and Prof. F. from another, or whether the flowers which are gorgeous to human eyes have any power, by reason of their coloring They form the committee on the blo- to attract the attention of the bees at ogical relations between flowers and all. The results have so far been so uncertain, however, that the American scientists and institutions agreed that it was necessary to make a far-reach-

Biologists have attempted to account plumage of birds and the colors of fishes aid in courtship, mating and the increase of the species. Zebras, giraffes and thousands of types of animals, birds and insects have camouflage or protective coloration which makes it difficult for their

enemies to detect them at a distance. The curious coloring of the skunk is supposed to warn his enemies that he defense, while at the same time his and purify, the Ointment to soothe and colors blend with the twilight, so that which he preys. The light of the vertisement. lady glowworm is her matrimonial advertisement.

While evolution explains thousands of these things, it has many hard nuts to crack. One thing hard to explain, for instance, is the beauty of the pearl, which grows inside the body of the oyster. The pearl is really the mausoleum of a parasite which has invaded the shellfish and is elaborately inurned by it in lustrous calcium carbonate, slightly different from the material of which the oyster makes its shell.

## Dog Receives Snake's Fangs to Protect Lad

Hayward, Cal.-A new niche has been set aside in the hall of fame of dogdom for Joan of Arc, an Airedale dog owned by Frank Belval of Hayward.

Belval, his thirteen-year-old son, Robert, and the dog set out on a hiking trip from the Bolinas valley ranch one Sunday afternoon. At a sharp turn in the trail Belvel heard the warning signal of a coiled rattlesnake, He jumped aside barely in time. Before he could seize his son the snake struck. But the faithful dog, seemingly sensing the danger, met the snake in midair, receiving its poisonous fangs upon the lips. One shake and the dog

had killed the rattler. According to Belvel, the snake possessed nine rattles and was almost a yard long. First ald applied to the wounded dog saved its life.

## Dust Cause of Ages of Cold

Observatory Director, Discusses Climate Changes.

from one flower to another, which Earth Cooled Off During Long Periods to Doctor Shapley, the earth, the sun When Sun, Earth and Other and the other planets were moving Planets Passed Through Region of Dust Clouds.

> New York .- A new theory relating to one of the greatest mysteries about the past of the earth has been offered by Dr. Harlow Shapley, the measurer of the universe, whose appointment as director of the Harvard observatory was announced recently.

> This mystery concerns the changes of climate over millions of years, which at one time caused the polar icecap to extend as far south as New York and at other times warmed the arctic region so thoroughly that the animals and vegetation of the temperate zone could live there, as shown by fossil remains in that region.

> The earth has been cooled off during long periods, according to this theory, when the sun, the earth and the other planets were passing through regions of space filled with clouds of dust or dark, nebulous material, which cut off enough of the sun's heat to freeze most of the globe. At other times, apparently, the solar system moved

U. S. S. California Seen Bows-on

A remarkable bows-on view of the superdreadnaught California, at an-

chor in San Diego bay, which gives a real idea of the floating fort's great bulk and width. She is 971/2 feet wide, or about 50 per cent wider than a

through a region of space almost entirely free from such material, so that the sun's rays beat with full force on the earth, probably making the polar regions pleasant and the rest of the earth unlivably hot. At present the sun is apparently moving through a part of space thinly scattered with interplanetary materials.

An Age of Murk.

A few million years ago, according some of which may be detected by the naked eye. Behind this veil in Orion are 70 faint stars which vary in intensity. They average about 800 light years (about 180,000,000,000,000 miles) from the earth, which is a moderate distance astronomically, and many of them would probably be very bright, except for the curtain of dark material hung between them and the earth. The density of the curtain apparently varies, from the manner in which the stars behind it are flickering. At the densest, the black nebulae are believed to be very rare, large stretches of vacuum separating the particles of matter. Still they are sufficient, because of the great space they occupy. to blot out stars, and some astronomers believe the sky would be blindingly brilliant except for the smoky patches. The black spot in Orion is calculated to be vastly greater than our solar system.

In a brief account of his theory in the Journal of Geology, Doctor Shapley said that it is calculated that "s few million years ago our sun was in the vicinity of the Orion nebulae; at its present speed the sun would require nearly a million years to pass through that particular nebulous region." After showing how starlight is cut off at present by billions of miles of dust-clouds in Orion, Doctor Shapley proceeded to suggest how the earth would fare when our solar system moved through the same region.

Effect of Dust Clouds. "A change of 20 per cent in the solar radiation," said Doctor Shapley, "if maintained for a considerable period of years, would sufficiently alter terrestrial temperature to bring about or remove an ice-sheet; an 80 per cent change, unless counteracted by concurrent changes in the terri-

Doctor Shapley offered this theory as an addition to many other causes of climatic change discussed by Dr. W. J. Humphreys of the United States weather bureau.

torial atmosphere, would completely

desiccate or congeal the surface of the

There are apparent flaws in nearly all the theories which have been put forward. None of them account for the many far-reaching changes in climate indicated by the geological record.

A period of volcanic activity might cause an age of cold, according to Doctor Humphreys. He calls attention to the fact that the great volcano of Tomboro in the Malay Archipelago in 1815 darkened the sky during the day and night for three days for a distance of 300 miles and produced a long season of cold because of the effect of the atmospheric dust in intercepting the sun's rays.

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"Miss Lily White will please stand up!" But Phoebe upward wriggled: "I'm Lity White-with Faultless Starch." And all the Pupils giggled.

HE SCHOOL HERO CHANGES KNEW HOLY LAND GEOGRAPHY

Football Games Single Handed-Style Improved.

ors to Tushtushville prep school. She said that it was the same Boys who have tried to go out and name of a town mentioned in the in school baseball series, have found near there," she said. in fiction. They know that boys sim- must have been Antioch." ply don't do such things-not as 'frosh," anyway.

he is traveling at a slower pace. that had taken place when the in-Prexy does not kowtow to the gifted surance man called. youth as suddenly as in the heyday of such fiction. Librarians say that the big improvement in school fiction has come through saner plots and more careful work in characterizaion. The author must really show als own interest in a school character if he is going to get the hero "over."-Arthur Chapman in the New York it alone now leaves it alone wither

No Longer Does the Freshman Win Insurance Man Could Do More Than

There has been a noticeable slump win football games single handed and Bible. who have sought an opportunity to make home runs at crucial moments out what rot has been handed them

Guess at the Birthplace of His Acquaintance.

An insurance man of Indianapolis,

"Was it Jerusalem?" he asked. "No, but I am sure it was a town

"Well, then," the man replied, "it

So in the evening when the mother returned home from a social function The school hero still maintains, but the daughter related the conversation

> "It seems strange," said the mother, "but he was right. I was born in a little town in Ohio by the name of Antioch, and nearby was another village called Jersusalem."-Indianapolis

> That man who could take it or leave

## When a Federal Bureau reminds you that children should not drink coffee or tea-why not think of your own health?

The Federal Bureau of Education includes in its rules to promote health among the Nation's school children, the warning that children should not drink coffee or tea.

The reason is well known. Coffee and tea contain drugs which stimulate and often overexcite the nerves, and so upset health.

The harm is by no means confined to children, as any doctor can tell you.

If health is valuable to childhood, it is valuable always. If harm to health should be avoided until bodies grow up, is it worth taking a chance with health when bodies have grown up?

You can have that delicious and satisfying cereal beverage, Postum, with any meal, and be safe you, and the children, too. There's charm without harm in Postum.

Postum comes in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) made instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages of larger bulk, for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared) made by boiling for 20 minutes. Sold by all grocers.

The road to health is a good road for anybody to follow

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Founder of National Loyalty League

Extends Invitation to Legion-

naires to Visit His Playground.

Col. R. P. Dickerson, founder and

Loyalty League,

attended the re-

cent convention

of the American

Legion at Kansas

City and extended

Legionnaires to

his ranch near

Springfield, Mo.,

where they can

"ride, romp, fish

turn the ranch in-

"I am going to

and hunt."

invitation to

national commander of the National

to a playground for ex-service men,"

The ranch is known as the Five-

Bar Mule ranch and is probably the

largest in Missouri. Since the war

he ranch has been muleless and the

owner has had cottages built for the

accommodation of his ex-service men

Colonel Dickerson is a veteran of

he Spanish-American war. When the

United States entered the World war

operated with other patriotic organi-

LOSS OF THE NAVAL RESERVE

Last Few Weeks from 230,000

to Nothing.

Experts disagree as to the possibil-

ly of a "next war," but they agree

absolutely that if the "next war" does

come, it is likely to be on the seas

reserves. Yet in spite of these warn-

ings, the paid personnel of the naval

reserve force has shrunk in the last

which failed to appropriate enough

reserve, a class in which personnel is

not paid, no matter how much time

pense, receiving only navy pay and

the navy than to the reserves. To

disenroll these men is to waste their

HE IS VALUABLE LEGION MAN

Judge Hanley of Mandan, North Da-

kota, Has Given Much Service

to His Country.

In the last ten years James M. Hanley, Mandan, North Dakota, has served

nearly four years of the ten in the

service of his country, and finds time

talion of the First North Dakota in-

in 1917 and went to France with the

41st division, serving later with the

Judge Hanley has been a member of

the American Legion since its incep-

tion. He was a delegate to the St.

Louis caucus and was chairman of the

first department convention of the

American Legion in North Dakota.

to be a good dad to four children.

not been considered.

Legion Weekly.

as speaker of the

North Dakota

house of repre-

sentatives; as

state's attorney

of Morton county

in the same state;

as a state senator;

as president of

the Mandan Ro-

tary club and as

judge of the Dis-

trict court. Be-

sides this record

of service he gave

89th division,

summer's work, yet they have been

educational propaganda.

declared Colonel Dickerson.

Write for New Dr. Price Cook Book-Its free

Price Baking Powder Factory,

1003 Independence Blvd. Chicago, III.

-and Save!

He-"Did you love me when you get used to you first."

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Baby's little dresses will just simply

### "MISSING" MAN WAS CONVICT proved his good qualities.

Long Mourned as Dead, English Woman Learns Her Husband Had Served Prison Sentence. Many people, doubtless, "disappear"

for reasons of their own. Debt, ime or some other hidden page in their apparently blameless lives may be the real reason for their going.

Little did the wife of a Manchester ment her husband had got ten years before. He was thought to be a repectable merchant; his home life was happy and blameless.

One day he went out to buy a newsaper and returned no more. For years his wife mourned him as dead, until one day during the war he ame back. He was now a soldier, but disappearance was explained by e fact that, under another name and another town, he had been carryrested and sentenced to a long term, sleeper growled. He was released during the war, and while serving in France had thought returned. of the once happy wife he had so misled. Hence his sudden reappear- other; "I want to sleep." ance to a world which had almost for-

gotten him.-London Answers. h?" Well, because he seems always on a jawing spree at home."

A Scottish parish church was in first saw me?" She-"Oh, no; I had to need of a minister, and the beadle, who was rather a gawky character, was very loud in his praise of one of the candidates. This gentleman was dazzle if Red Cross Ball Blue is used duly elected, and proved a great suc- Personnel of Force Has Shrunk in in the laundry. Try it and see for your. cess. Whereupon some of the memself. At all good grocers .- Advertise- bers of the congregation asked the beadle what there had been about the candidate that so conclusively

"Oh, naething at a'," said the beadle; "but, ye see, I aye get the minister's auld claes, and he wis the only and in the air. We are warned that yin o' the candidates that wis about we must have adequate naval and ma size."

## Measurements.

borer in a Clyde boatyard to measure few weeks from 230,000 to nothing. an iron plate. The laborer, not being The naval reserve, in which hunwell up in the use of the rule, after dreds of thousands served faithfully man know into what terrible entangle- spending considerable time returned. and valiantly during the war, has prac-"Now, Mick," asked the plater, iteally been abolished by congress,

"what size is the plate?" "Well," replied Mick, with a grin of money to pay the meager retainer satisfaction, "it's the length of your fees of personnel. The Navy departrule and two thumbs over, with this ment, asserting it had no alternative, piece of brick and the breadth of my discontinued the paid reserve. All hand and my arm from here to there, members were disenrolled, having only bar a finger."-Everybody's Magazine. an opportunity to join class 6 of the

## He Desired Peace.

In a vaudeville house the other day may be devoted to drills and maa man in the audience went to sleep, neuvers, on a fraudulent stock and share His energetic neighbor punched him. Thousands of reserve sailors went ce—a "bucket-shop"—and had been "What's the matter?" the would-be on cruises this summer at navy ex-"The program's begun," the other training, which is more valuable to

"Program be hanged," snorted the

"Sleep in all this noise!" The other voiced his amazement.

"Noise nothing," the other closed thousands of men joined the naval re-Why do we refer to a sailor as "jol his eyes. "This is quiet. My wife's

Theories may work fine after you One-half of our citizens who are have got everybody to agree to try

## Che. American FOCH IS MADE LEGION MAN

Distinguished Marshal Recipient of Ceremonial Badge From George Washington Post, No. 1.

Marshai Ferdinand Foch became a member of the American Legion the day he landed in

America on his recent visit. He signed the application for membership immediately upon his arrival at Washington, D. C. The Marshal was met at the train by officials of George Washington Post No. 1 and escorted

to the President's Lieut, H. S. Fisk room in Union station. Here he was presented by Lieut. Howard S. Fisk U. S. N., commander of the post, with the American Legion ceremonial badge George Washington post No. 1 is the original American Legion post.

### EX-SERVICE MEN RUN BUSSES

Former Soldiers and Sailors Are Re-Employed by the Fifth Avenue Coach Company.

The Fifth avenue bus in New York is a national institution. It is as famous as Broadway, Fifth avenue, Brooklyn bridge and the Woolworth building. The busses which ply through one of the most congested thoroughfares in the world are manned largely by ex-service men. This fact gans to become diseased.

Pain in the back, headache, loss of amployees of the Fifth Avenue Coach company, operators of the busses, applied for a charter for an American Legion post.

he organized a regiment of cowboys, orize fighters and sporting men and "We have found the ex-soldier and offered their services to the War deex-sailor to be excellent bus men," partment. Later he organized the said John A. Ritchie, president of the National Loyalty league which cocoach company, in a recent interview. "The ex-service man may have been a tations in promoting loyalty through little restless when he came out of service, but wasn't everybody a little restless after the war?" asks Mr. Ritchie.

Mr. Ritchie re-employed every man of his organization who had gone to war and in putting on new employees has given preference to ex-service men. His company recently started a "civility" campaign, the purpose of which was to bring about a more friendly relationship between the patrons and employees of the bus. The campaign has resulted in virtually eliminating complaints of passengers, and, according to Mr. Ritchie, proves air forces. We must have adequate that "there are two sides to nearly every complaint."

## IS STRONG FOR AMERICANISM

St. Paul Newspaper Editor Lauds the First Task of the American Legion.

"Good American citizenship means making the most of ourselves and our opportunities as Americans, and

wise," declares

ment commander

of the American

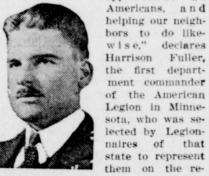
Legion in Minne-

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cent "pilgrimage" to France and the battlefields.

Toward the close of the World war, "Americanism," continues Fuller, "as serve who were trained after the Armconceived by the American Legion, has istice. All that training seems lost for its first task the education of all to the navy. Many reserves recently elements of our population in the "shipped over" after expiration of principles of American government their enrollment. Good intentions have and in the opportunities offered by our system to the humblest resident of The navy appreciates the reserve our land."

force. The reserves appreciate that Fuller is city editor of the St. Paul the navy needs them. Only congress Dispatch and Pioneer Press. During seems unaware that there is in time his term as state commander, he orof war a need for trained sailors outganized 472 posts of the Legion in Minside our permanent forces.-American

## RIFLES FOR LEGION POSTS

Arms and Ammunition for Use at Funerals Will Be Supplied by the Government.

American Legion posts wishing to stock up on obsolete rifles and blank ammunition for use in funeral ceremonies may obtain them from corps ordnance officers, United States army, under the provisions of an act of congress. No more than ten rifles and their equipment will be supplied to

one post. Legion state commanders must approve the application for the loan of rifles and the sale of blank ammunition. Upon receipt of the application bearing the endorsement of the state commander, the corps ordnance officer will supply a bond covering the penal value of the property. This bond, when properly executed, must be approved by the state commander and returned to the ordnance officer. He went to the Mexican border in Transportation must be paid by the

1916 as major in command of a bat-Corps ordnance officers are located fantry. He entered the World war as follows: First area, 99 Chauncey street, Boston, Mass.; second area, Governor's Island, N. Y.; third area. Fort Howard, Md.; fourth area, Fort McPherson, Ga.; fifth area, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.; sixth area, Fort Sheridan, Ill.; seventh area, Fort Crook, Neb.; eighth area, Fort Sam Houston, Tex.; ninth area, 804 Santa Fe building, San Francisco, Cal.

## ASPIRIN INTRODUCED

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Look for Name "Bayer" on the Tablets, Then You Need Never Worry.

If you want the true, world-famous Aspirin, as prescribed by physicians for over twenty-one years, you must ask for "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin."

The name "Bayer" is stamped on each tablet and appears on each package for your protection against imitations .- Advertisement.

Uses Carbon Copy for Love Letters. "I'm through with Gloria for the rest of my life," said Charlie as he seated himself in a comfortable chair at the "What's the trouble?" asked Jack.

"Hasn't she written to you lately?" "Yes, I just received a long letter from her," answered Charlie with a

"Wasn't it as endearing as usual?" asked Jack with a twinkle in his eye. "Yes, just as much as ever," replied Charlie.

"Then, for Pete's sake, what is the trouble?" inquired Jack impatiently. "The letter," mumbled Charlie, "was carbon copy."

## WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease. If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other or-

bition, nervousness, are often times symp-Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. out one of the men in the cashier's

Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's pre-scription, obtained at any drug store, may his work, etc. just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Get a medium or large size bottle im-

mediately from any drug store. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

Indic. and in this time? Only made one slight mistake."

"Good," replied the president. "Let me congratulate you. But hereafter be more careful."—Wall Street Journal.

Surrender! Never! "Why don't you get rid of that

horse, if he's so vicious?" asked one farmer of another. "Well, you see, Jim, replied the

other, "I hate to give in. If I was to sip! What was it? sell that horse, he'd regard it as a personal victory. He's been tryin' for the last six years to get rid of me."

## MOTHER! OPEN

## CHILD'S BOWELS WITH CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP

Your little one will love the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup" even if constipated, bilious, irritable, feverish. or full of cold. A teaspoonful never fails to cleanse the liver and bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the sour bile, and undigested food out of the bowels and you have a well, play-

helping our neigh- ful child again. Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a tea-Harrison Fuller, spoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup," which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.-Advertise-

> Sometimes the voice of conscience seems to sound as if it came from local girl." "Whose money is talkthe neighbors.

Fools try to convince a woman, but wise men persuade her.

## BY "BAYER" IN 1900 SUFFERED ALL A WOMAN COULD

Mrs. Meyer Finally Found Relief and Health in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Orange, Cal.-"I always feel very grateful to you, as some twenty years ago three doctors said I had to have a

serious operation. I had a tumor, and ulgather and break. I had displacement so badly that I could hardly sit down at times, and it seemed asif I suffered everytning that a woman could suffer. Then ome one advised me

take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I took it until I was cured and saved from the operation. I have told women of your wonderful medicine times without number, and I am willing that you should use these tacts and my name if you like. I also used your Compound during the Change, and I can do all my own work but the heavy part, and can walk miles every day as I help my husband in the office." —Mrs. J. H. Meyer, 412 South Orange

St., Orange, California.

It is quite true that such troubles as Mrs. Meyer had may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource. On the other hand, a great many women have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Room for Improvement.

The newly elected president of a banking institution was being introduced to the employees. He singled

"I have been here 40 years," said the cashier's assistant, with conscious pride, "and in all that time I only

Irresistible.

Dorothy--I just heard something horhid about Gladys.

Kathleen-You know I just hate gos-



There was a great stampede for the omnibus. A man was pushed off the step and he and his son failed to se-"Did God see that man that pushed

us off?" asked the little boy, "Of course he did."

"And will he punish him?" "He has punished him, sonny."

"Already, father?"

"Yes, I've got his watch."-London

Conversation. "Some talk of the duke marrying a

An all-day rain can make a blue



ing?"

Never say "Aspirin" without saying "Bayer."

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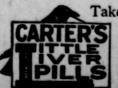
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Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proper directions. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24 and 100—All druggists.

## What to Take for **Disordered Stomach**



Take a good dose of Carter's Little Liver Pills —then take 2 or 3 for a few nights after. You will relish your meals without fear of trouble to follow. Millions of all ages take them for Biliousness, Dizziness, Sick Headache, Upset Stomach and for Sallow, Pimply, Blotchy Skin. They end the misery of Constipation.

## What Kind of a Day Do You Wish Yourself?

breakfast table and finally have the wish come

willing for this day to drag along?"

If you keep on wishing your days with the food you eat, finally the wish is likely to come

Nothing miraculous; just the natural result from right food with the right taste.

friend at the breakfast tableor tinned), is fully nourishing—feeding the tissues and glands, the bone and blood, with just those

strength without any "heaviness." Grape-Nuts is the perfected goodness of wheat and malted barley, scientifically developed ready to eat from the package. A Grape-Nuts breakfast or lunch is a practical wish for good luck.

Sold by all grocers

# lgible voters fail to vote.

Suppose you could make a wish at the

true. Would you say, "I want this to be a good day," or -- "I am

Grape-Nuts helps your wish for a good day.

There is a charm of flavor and crispness in Grape-Nuts that is like the smile of a good

And Grape-Nuts, with cream or milk (fresh elements which Nature requires - building

"There's a Reason"

### NEW RESOLUTIONS ON BOYS

Ie may be that some Amarillo citizens feel that there has been quite enough said about boys and boy problems, but it is an ever present one -one that will not solve itself. Amarillo has her quota of boys who need all of the attention that it is possible to give them. They are now after. Let us all move forward and at an age when they may be redeemed and transferred through a little kindly and constructive attention HOMEY PHILOSOPHY FOR 1921 6 Months from the list of liabilities to that of

rible experiences of this and other for trifles"-the foregoing is publishcommunities in the past, where err- ed broadcast as an epigram of the ing and neglected boys have become "clever" Bernard Shaw. disgrace to the communities in which Human people in the mass do not they lived? All such persons might, hourly, or daily, or even weekly, or if taken at the proper time, been re- yet even monthly, sell their souls. deemed to society, but they were not Because the human person loves and the communities paid the penal-comfort and entertainment and ties. Long terms in country jails solaces himself sometimes with retrials, convictions and long terms in gretable little vices and falls into dition on the north side of the Audiprisons, all at the expense of the peo-

digerence. We should take care of either.—Hereford Brand. the erring not only for their good, but for the good of society in general. No one suffers alone, but all suffer in measure when any part of Phillip Terry, author of "Terry's Guide the fabric drops to the ground.

Everyone should make new resolutions as touching the boy problem, in Amarillo, realizing that if there was a general an all inclusive co-operation in this matter, great results guide book writer lectured him on the

### THE VALUE OF MILK

is an educational organization, gives and collars marked with the Cantonese some splendid slogans and reasons hieroglyph signifying "upstart jack for every boy and girl to make milk ass. their friend.

"The Milk Way is the Health

"The first food a family should look at the musical show," buy is milk. The last food to be dispensed with is milk.

Dr. Graham Lusk of Cornell says, the Chief office. "No family of five should buy meat until they have bought three quarts

later on in life to be proud of.

If it pays the Landlord,

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There is no investment you could make

Plan NOW to build this year and se-

cure the advantage of the decline in

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Help prosperity your way by having us repair your farm

No job is too large for us to undertake, and none too

We repair anything that is repairable outside of the

Have it done NOW and it will be READY when you

implements and machinery before you are in the midst of the

DUMIVEN BROTHERS

that would please HER better.

material and labor.

HELLO FARMERS!

THIS IS FOR YOU

small to receive our careful attention.

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NEED it in a hurry.

ve call Cheerful Service.

"They are the ones that have used hat LIQUID ENERGY and its pro- PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY lucts to make them this way.

"This liquid energy is Milk, and

Happy New Year to ali. The Chief will be your paper through 1922 and boost for Miami, for Texas, for our

"What is human conduct but the Will we not recall some of the hor- daily and hourly sale of our souls

dnese laundryman. The pense of building. tial, but he said nothing. Later Mr. The National Dairy Council, which guage, was surprised to find his shirts

"That motion picture theater has

beautiful music. "Butter is indispensable to growth "Yes," rejoined Miss Cayenne. "At

## Worth Considering

The question is not so much how pers .-- Higgins News. "The people who have achieved sider the experience of others under "canned" editorial services that are that hath nothing, wanteth nothing, the most and have real strong won- similar circumstances, who have been always being offered to them .- expecteth nothing; for he shall not derful bodies, that can accomplish most successful in checking their "written just to fit your town"-al- be disappointed. colds, in their beginning, you will se- ways with a little contract attached Teach men to feel another's woes, "The ones that know and love the cure a bottle of Chamberlain's whereby they cost the editor a few and to not condemn the other fellow "The ones that have professions use it faithfully. There are many man on earth who, unless he lived So may your good works in 1922 families who have used this prepara- in a town, could write editorials to redound to the glory of our Cub. "The ones that are capable of giv- tion successfull for years and hold it fit that town. He absolutely must ing to their fellow man that big thing in high esteem. It is excellent.

Why not YOU?

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CLAY STEEL GATES

## The Miami Chief.

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> Mrs. L. G. Waggoner, Publisher and Owner.

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CASH IN ADVANCE ALWAYS

The proposed addition to the Miami school building will fill a much attention to the knocker but just

prisons, all at the expense of the peo-ple who through their indifference at error that flesh is heir to, it does not torium, one story and basement My Dear Comrades: the right time, might have averted mean that he sells his soul. The soul The basement will be equipped and is not so easily sold. And mark you, used as a gymnasium and the ground the peeping in of 1922, your Presi-Why will we permit ourselves to the soul that was made by God is not floor will be made into three addi- dent feels it his duty to harangue be victimized through our own in. so easily lost as some people imagine, tional class rooms, that are much you. needed , the building being full practically to its capacity now. actions during 1921, are the least the Aside from the extra room for school, better. the new additional will make, the None of us have prophesied much fact that there is a possibility of for humanity, and fortunately hufurnishing the High School with a manity doesn't expect much from us. gymnasium is well worth the ex- Now, as to the year, 1922, I want to

> and girls are handicapped a lot by surroundings. Of course, I only ask necessarily playing out of doors. An you to talk down anything that is uninside basket ball court is a neces- pretty, and to TALK up the beautisity in any school where athletics are ful and sublime. Talk is cheap,-ex pushed. There is no one thing that cept in some instances. as athletics, and not one thing should be allowed to stand in the way of street faker offers to sell them a furnishing the school with a good sure-enough good thing for a merroomy gynasium. Get back of the trifle-for if they keep their

"Canned" editorial may be all and there is no substitute for butter." present we listen to the picture and right, but somehow we prefer to do sumer's have to pay the big salary our own stuff. A newspaper should and the Seven Dollar a Day Hotel have something to say of it's own. Bills for Saleman Sam SCRATCH PADS 5 cents each at The something may be neither wise Tell your county and city dads nor witty, but it will at least be from that Taxes, yes, Taxes and more the heart and besides, it is different Taxes are needed to elevate our from the matter found in other pa- community to the Moon.

of it with the least loss of time thank goodness they are getting few. the profiteers. and inconvenience. If you will con- er and fewer, that fall for the Impress the though: "Blessed is he Cough Remedy without delay, and hard earned shekels. There was no until all the evidence is in. know local conditions, to write inditor that reads it, for he has had the chance of using them too.

Then there are others who seem to think that if they fill up their editorial column with wise comments from their exchanges, they are doing just the thing. That fellow is nothing more than parrot, who has not the interest in his own town that he should have. It is alright to talk a little about other towns, but what a paper's readers want is something going on in Russia where they have that they are personally interest in, and that is their own town or com munity. An editor should write about what his readers are interested in, and then his subscription list will take care of itself, and a good subscription list means plenty of adver- change her mind again when she distising, and the two together means that he is making a success in his

## KEEP GOING

We hear business men tell about the hard times that are on us. And career of William Howard Taft the farmer cannot sec where his next season's bills are going to get paid. he was the victim of circumstances we are going to be worse than a cave

ed, in another year. feel, well, rather sick. The trouble right on doing what seemed mo with most of the fellows who are hollering hard times now is that they knew don't what hard times are. Just people who made this country, were, and they would possibly manage to live over the first week, getting along that has ever held both of these high fine, the second week they would stations in our government. pack up and get out or starve, there may be hard times now, but we have enough to eat, enough to wear and heart Tuesday noon, when a little a house to live in, which was only a sprinkle of rain began. For a time dream of luxury forty years ago, it looked as though we were going to Still the old timers are still with us, really get wet, but within an hour all lots of them, and they are the ones hopes of rain for that time were

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS 0000000000000000000

The Chief is autorized, by the following persons, to announce their candidacy for the offices indicated, subject to the Democrtic Primaries in

FOR SHERIFF

L. A. COFFEE, Re-elect.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR

MRS. BESS PURSLEY FOR COUNTY TREASURER

CLYDE MEAD

times is doing his little best to make

At the close of the year, 1921, and

My conclusions in regard to our

urge you all to help your President As it now is, the basket ball boys regulate the City of Miami and its

Tell your merchants that your

Teach "Reuben" to be humble

## A WOMAN'S MIND CHANGED

A woman of whom we have heard a great deal has been disillusioned. Emma Goldman, the anarchist, who was deported from our country and sent to Russia some time ago, has discovered that America is a pretty good place after all. hen she was here, she spent her time mainly in trying to overthrow our government world. She says: "I find less liberty

covers that even the freedom to return is denied her.

## A MAN WHO KEPT SUNNY

There is a wholesome lesson in the new turn which has come in the As President of the United states

Every once in a while we talk to nearly beyond human control and some one who takes great pains to hopelessly defeated for re-election. tell us that unless something happens Very many men would have been dis gruntled and soured by the seeming man, as far as prosperity is concern- injustices of it. He preserved his genial optimism and kindly good na-That kind of bunk makes a fellow ture through the hard ordeal and kept worth while in the very best way he

turn them out on the plains like the of our Supreme Court, an office in every sense as lofty and honorable as the Presidency. He is the first man

We almost had palpitation of the who kept going when the task look- gone. But don't worry. We'll get

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W. E. STOCKER

Mrs. N. S. Locke went to Amarillo Tuesday morning to remain for a couple of days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Payne returnas, where they had been spending turned home Sunday. the holidays.

Johnnie George returned Sunday to Wichita, Kansas, to complete his course in a business college.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Lard and little on, who have been here during the holidays, visiting with relatives, returned Wednesday to their home at Hot Springs, N. M.

Carl Gatlin returned Sunday night! o College Station, where he is a cadet in the A. & M. College.

Miss Nell Bratton returned Sunlay from White Deer, where she spent the holidays.

Miss Keevil, who spent the holilays with relatives and friends at Wichita,, Kansas , returned to Miamr Sunday evening.

Dr. Rodgers, who has been confined to his home for several days with severely burned face, is able to be at his office again.

E. Peters, of Hoffman, Oklahoma, came in Monday to look after some

H. A. Wilde went to Roswell, N. everal ays with frends.

Mrs. A. M. Winsett, of Higins was visitor over th week-end at the Judge Ewing home.

Master George Peer, of Gage, Oklahoma, was here last week to vist during the holidays with Fern Precesang, and also the latter's cousin, Mer. McDowell, of Kiel, Okla., was visiting at the Precesang home during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Williamson and two sons, of Kingfisher, Okla., were visiting last week at the home of Mrs. Williamsson's sister, Mrs. F.

The Vocational Agricultural class of the Miami High School visited the Hogan Duroc Jersey hog ranch six miles east of Mobeetie Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. John H. Hicks, and n, pastor of the M. E. Church at Canyon, were here Thursday and Friday of last week, visiting friends. Rev Hicks was formerly pastor of the church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morrison were holiday visitors in Miami last week. Ellis Locke and George Robert Morrison spent Christmas week with Henry Tieman in the ranch.

Mrs. Johnson, who has been visiting at the Dan Kivlehen home reurned to her home at Childress Mon-

Attorney N. P. Willis, of Canadian vas a business visitor here Sunday.

J. W. Holmes returned home Saturday, from San Antonio, where he pent the holidays with relatives.

Mrs. W. H. Craig and children returned home from Amarillo Friday, after spending the holidays there

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Mrs. Dulany Suttle returned Saturday from a visit with her parents

Miss Taylor visited friends at ed home Tuesday from Quanah, Tex- Lockney during the holidays and re-

> Miss Erethia Pulaski spent last week with relatives at Amarillo.

Mrs. Winsett is visiting her brother, Judge Ewing.

Mrs. Will Locke visited with her

mother, at White Deer, last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Long passed thru Miami Sunday on their way to

T. R. Saxon returned home Tuesday, from Amarillo, where he has been in a hospital for the past two the Chief office.

weeks. He is recovering nicely from

his operation.

Galveston, where Mr. Long has some

mportant business matters to attend

Mrs. Whitlow, who has been confined to her room for some time re- body. It is as neccessary that your ed the same accident again last Thurs day, to carry off this waste, as it is day, in going from her chair to the that the waste pipes of your home be bed. She fell and the limb was broken a second time.

Misses Lucille and Myrtle Gill, of when needed. Canyon, were here the last of the business matters and to call on week, visiting relatives. They accompanied Rev. and Mrs. Hicks here.

Mr. Wilcox, principal of the pub-M., the last of the week to visit for lic schools at Canadian, and Alba Shallow, were business visitors in Miami Friday evening.

> Art Gowin resigned his job at the light plant Monday and has taken charge of the City Tailor Shop. George Wells has taken his job as night man at the plant.

B. F. Gray received the news Wednesday morning that his brother residing at Dalhart, was seriously ill G. B. Alexander shipped a car of and not expected to live. Mr. Gray left for Dalhart Wednesday noon.

> erected by Alonzo Gill, just south of the Baptist Church, is rapidly assuming the appearance of the nice home it will be. It will have six rooms and will be modern in every respect, and will be one of the nicest residences

Mr. and Mrs. J '.R. Durrett returned home Friday, from Clarendon, where they spent a week during the holidays visiting with relatives.

Paul Maunde returned to his home at Dallas, Friday, after spending several days here visiting with

All the teachers returned last of last week, including Miss Taylor who spent the holidays at Lockney.

County Court is convening this week, but the docket is very small, there being no cases of consequence.

Saturday night, December 31st, a fine baby boy arrived to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Will Waits.

Mrs. Will Key, of White eer was visiting the last of the week with her parents, Grandma and Grandpa Christopher.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornhill were Cana dian visitors Monday afternoon, going there to have some dental work

Will Locke has been under the weather all this week, and has been unable to be at the store.

Mrs. George Wells was taken to a hospital at Wichita Sunday, for an operation for gall stones. She was taken ill last Wednesday.

Nola and Ebin Alexander visited friends at Glazier Saturday and Sun-

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Clarice M. Baright, attorney at law, first woman ever appointed to serve as a member of a lunacy commission in New York state, although the distinction in some newspaper articles has been accredited to another. She points out that she has held four such appointments, the first one being made by Judge Otto A. Rosalsky on February 19, 1919, and the latest one by Judge Mulqueen in February of this

Robert Bruce's Heart!

During excavations at Melrose abbey carried out by the office of works. there have been unearthed a number of stone coffins, and also a leaden casket, inclosing a heart. The discovery of this casket has aroused speculation as to whether the heart which It contains is that of Robert Bruce, the famous king of Scotland. The casket was found, however, in that part of the abbey grounds where the chapter house stood, in which Bruce's heart is said to have been buried .-

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### BUILDING OF PUBLIC ROADS

Federal Government and States Have Completed 7,469 Miles in Past Five Years.

(Prepared by the United States Depart-

On June 30, 1921, the close of There is also a balance allotted but not yet extraed on projects now under enstruction amounting to \$66,375,696. \$18,793.544 remaining unobli Twelve of the states have ob ligated their entire allotment and sev eral others have only a small amount

During the last fiscal year the total pleted projects jumped from 1,077 to 7,409 miles, and the projects 910 to 17,977 miles. The money earned by completion of work has grown from \$40,007,881 a year ago to \$118.915.515 at the end of this fiscal year. The amount earned during the year was \$78.817.634, or nearly twice as much as the amount earned during the four years preceding.

The new projects submitted during the year bring the total amount of federal aid obligated up to \$247,956, 456, as compared with \$109.830,366



Building Federal-Aid Roads-the Kind That Stand the Wear,

which was the amount obligated on bon. June 30, 1920. At this rate it is expected that the small balance of \$18,-000,000 still unobligated will be taken

completed projects increased by more than 1,200 miles, more than twice the amount reported for the month of May. Funds allotted to work actually under construction increased by \$13,-

## COST OF HIGHWAY VEHICLES

Government to Determine Expense of Operating Surplus War Road Building Material,

What it costs the government to operate motor vehicles engaged in road building is shortly to be determined through a system of operative records recently installed by the bureau of public roads, United States Department of Agriculture.

Out of the surplus war material turned over to the War department for distribution among the states, the bureau has retained a large number of motor vehicles, which are used principally on forest road work in the West. These motor vehicles are kept at various central points where shops are maintained for repair work.

Complete records will be kept of all oil, gasoline and supplies of every kind used by each vehicle. Even the number of tube patches will be kept. Record will also be kept of the number of hours of shop work required; of days idle, and why; of distances loads are carried and the character of the loads; and the gross income from the operation of the vehicles. The information thus obtained will be combined with similar information from some of the states operating the surplus war equipment turned over to them, and will form a valuable addition to the knowledge of the cost of highway transport.

## Total Surfaced Roads.

United States is now greater than the ety are generally favored, and author- the extremely heavy sort. The latter Even though many home owners had or twelve per cent of the 2,753,834 miles of highways in the country as against 259,000 miles of railroads.

Pneumatic Tires Are Best. According to the bureau of public Agriculture, there is less wear on the corners, in the center of each plait. roads when pneumatic tires are used

op motor vehicles,

## DAINTY NECKWEAR SKIRTS OF DISTINCTION;

ministered by the bureau of public son. The idea of uneven bem-line has bund embrodders Agriculture, the states and federal have attached panels looped under the of making a little go a far way: Cut completed 7,462 skirt hem at each side. Another favor- a shapely collar and guimpe from flumiles of road, and 17,977 miles were lite model fastens to the left side of lest white net. Finish the collar with

trimmed at the side seams with loops on the collar. The other ten scatter formed of one-inch-wide streps of over the net guimpe. Sew each down

what a boon to womankind! As gandle or lace at the throat, the presfar as style is concerned, the sep-ence of the true gentlewoman is

Designers are, however, taking con- preme, with fine net collars, guimpes Many of the latest cloth models are Place eight of these at vantage points



SKIRTS IN PLAIDS, STRIPES AND PLAITS.

cloth, hemstitched as if a picot rib- securely. Now embroider in solly

skirt is in its element. The many out- rose. When completed dip the entire football games, call for sports attire shade" is preferred to white by The month of June was a record exclusively. Stripes and plaid skirts those who appreciate the subtlety of month in every way. The mileage of in the college colors are popular refined effects. At trifling expense among the younger set. These are of you will, by following these instruc-Scotch tweeds, plain, and in the tions, own a guimpe with many dolheather mixtures of brown, gray, rust lars saved. and orange.

ter wear.

Plaited skirts of prunella weaves Black and white still hold good. Often foretells the featuring of adorable a solid color stripe, say chocolate, frills and furbelows of lace, net and blue or taupe, is alternated with plaids sheer white fabrics. Two interesting

stitch with white floss, stems, foliage At the present moment the sport and buds, in connection with each of-doors entertalaments, especially the guimpe in strained tea water, for "tea."

Two noteworthy suggestions in neck-Knitted skirts for sports wear, hav- wear are shown below. The organdie scious of the home neighborhood's ing a brushed wool surface, are being one suggests the quaint fichu idea. featured by some shops for real win- The Irish crochet with net is an exquisite exponent of finest peckwear.

Hints of spring fashions berald a are adaptable to the short fur coats, definite vogue for the suit and this



SUGGESTIONS IN NECKWEAR

or stripes, as you see in the pictures | items registered in the newer design, The total of surfaced roads in the berewith. Plaited skirts of this vari- are Venice lace and a real filet of cloth skirts for spring.

> checks are favored, brown background. The latest collar has a round front having tan overcheck in both large fastens at the back where it dips into and small designs.

A black and white chevron stripe is roads, United States Department of made so the stripes meet in mitered

Refinement of dress finds eloquent expression in dainty neckwear. One's gown may be simplicity itself, even

Itative advice establishes the prunella comes in natural color and has hith- to weather some financial storms in erto been important for art work and In the heavier materials, small for decorating purposes,

two deep shawl points.

### HE separate skirt and bloomse, a triffe shably, yet with dainty or TREES TOO OFTEN NEGLECTED

Average Citizen Is Slow to See Their Value and Usefulness to the Community.

The tree growth on the streets of the average American town or city is ragged and unkempt in appearance. while that of the suburb or small village often is not much better unless the planting has been done under municipal control, and the plantings on a street have been confined to a single kind of tree. The telegraph, the telephone, the electric light and the trolley car have added their share toward the trees that were in existence at the time of their coming.

cause they excluded a little light, or made the store less prominent, or were somewhat in the way of using the sidewalk for merchandise."

### BOOM IN BUILDING INDUSTRY

Movement That is Practically General Must Have a Favorable Effect on Business.

provement noticed in the building and cording to E. L. Stock, prominent in over the roofs of the houses. building and financial circles in this city and Baltimore and governor of the Fifth district of the International As- reindeer, and that always pleased the Washington Star.

"It is gratifying to note the improvement that has taken place in re- the fire escapes. cent months in the building industry," Mr. Stock said. "Due to the re- of all," he told his reindeer, "but it adjustment of price conditions which really makes no difference as long has been under way, in addition to a as there are children asleep, waiting loosening up of money for construct for the morning when they will get up tion operations, we are feeling a re- and find that I have been here. vival of building operations that will have a favorable effect upon business And Santa Claus chuckled as he left should serve somewhat as a barometer stockings wherever he went. the United States. New construction as went down the chimneys of some is now running well ahead of the aver- of the places," said Santa Claus to his age for a good many years past, reindeer, later on. "I got soot over and all indications point to increased activity in this line."

## Community Renaissance Comes.

A community renaissance has come and not too soon. Here and there big cities and small towns, farm areas and village circles had fallen into a tatterdemallon state. What wonder if one of their townsmen traveled abroad and came back and was conpudity and dirt? Perhaps an observing newcomer, school teacher or doctor, who had seen better conditions elsewhere, was enlightened on the subject of local welfare and by tactful suggestion, keeping himself in the background, proposed this and that community enterprise and consequent

The chief constructive point gained fine reindeer," has been to put a community task in sight; to inspire unified consciousness | deer hurried along of working in and for their own town, with an organized pulling or lifting they could. together. What remains is a deepseated habit of community planning, a forward-looking local improvement program, the readiness to be and act like Wordsworth's "cloud, which when it moves moves all together."-Quincy L. Dowd in Chicago News.

## Beat Coke Shortage With Oil.

ics Magazine.

## Ownership of Homes

home-owners the world ever knew. order to hold on to their land titles, they are well repaid when it is considered that the average man who owns his own home pays but \$50 a year in rent, if we look at the interest on the investment, plus the taxes and repairs, as rent. Contrasted with this, the man who does not own his own home and is forced to pay rent gets rid of a good-sized fortune every year. when it rises it is light.

mutilation or destruction of the good

Faulty methods of pruning have caused disfigurement and ruin. "Success follows the careful planting of good trees which are given adequate protection and timely attention," says Farmers' Bulletin 1209, Planting and Care of Street Trees, issued by the United States Department of Agriculture. "Every tree should be trained to its proper form while young, so that severe pruning will not be necessary later. Guards are necessary, too, for several years.

"To the mutilation of severe pruning has been added the destruction of many trees in centers of business be-

There is at present a gratifying imheating industries in this country, acsociation of Rotary Clubs, reports the reindeer so much.

group activity.

Because of a coke shortage due to war conditions, Austria was obliged to turn to some other fuel for heating cupola furnaces. Oil seemed to be the only promising medium, and its trial as an alternate produced some astonishing but desirable results. The experimental furnaces were equipped with two burners and a necessary complement of air pipes. No other alterations were made. The tests disclosed the fact that the coke charge, when oil was used, was reduced by 11 pounds to each 200-pound iron charge. The oll required was a little over two pounds, and the melt was accomplished in from one-third to onehalf the usual time.-Popular Mechan-

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WITH THE REINDEER

"We're all ready to be off," said Santa Claus to his reindeer, "And we're going have a big load, I can tell you!

"We will go from house to house and we'll hurry, for all over it is Christmas eve and all over there are houses where there are children. "Sometimes I've

heard that people wondered how Santa Claus always knows the houses where there are children. Down the Fire I could help but

know them "And I always know when they've ved. The children write and tell me. Then I suppose when one has always hought of children more than anything else one can almost feel in which houses they live!

Escape."

"I always know the houses where are children anyway! But it does help me a great deal when they write and tell me if they have moved "That is always a great help to me.

"Now we must start off," Santa

said. So waving his arm and with a

farewell bark from his dog. Boy of the North Santa Claus was off, drawn by his wonderful reindeer. "What a fine cold night it is," said Santa Claus, and the reindeer shook

their lovely heads up and down to agree. "Just the night to be busy," Santa

Claus added. They went from house to house where there were children, and right

Sometimes Santa Claus had sugar which the children had left for his

Then they had trips through the cities and Santa Claus climbed down "I like the good old chimney best

"They'll see that I have been !

in general. In fact, this condition bundles and packages, candy and filled of conditions generally throughout "I dropped some soot on the oranges

> an a number of the things I put in my pockets. "But I didn't get any on the presents as I had them wrapped up. But I hadn't time to shake off the soot from

the oranges, and I'm sure they won't "I'm in such a rush. And have so nuch to do! I will get everything inished though, no fear about that!

"You know I'll never say that I aven't time for a few of the places had planned to visit. You know that, y beautiful reindeer." For Santa Claus always has time or every place on his list. And his

ist is the greatest and the longest list ever kept by anyone. "Now my fine reindeer," Santa said, "we have fifteen more houses to visit.

Make haste, my

And the reinas fast as ever "Just through in

time," said Santa as he got into his sleigh after the last house on the list had been visited. "The children

were almost waking up there! I had a peep at them, though, and I had a feeling they were dream-

"Just Through." ing of me." So off towards the north again went the reindeer and Santa Claus. But before they were very far away, and Mr. Sun was peeping up behind a great hill Santa Claus said, "Wait a moment!"

The reindeer stopped. "I thought I heard something!" Santa said. But after a little walt they went on again.

After a few moments, once more Santa Claus said, "Wait a moment! I'm sure I heard something that time. "Ah, I did," he said after a pause. "Listen reindeer!"

From all over the earth there came to Santa's ears the echoes of the voices of children and they were saying. "Santa Claus has been here. Oh, look, look! See what he has

brought me! Oh, what a darling he is! What a darling he is!" And Santa Claus sald, "Go on, my lovely reindeer! My ears heard all right! Yes! I heard their voices. And they called me a darling!"

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The curators of the Laun and Tasmanian museums have p sented the Royal Society of Tasman preliminary account of a nearly plete skeleton of a gigantic er monster, recenty discovered in pleistocene beds of Tasmania. animal was as large as the la existing rhinoceros. The newly i covery shows clearly that it w rhinoceros-like animal, with a si built for aggressive warfare, and least one powerful horn on the so Evidence of the gigantic battles which this animal engaged is to und in the complete smashing partial mending of the collar-be and in the crushing and subsequ repair of the bones of the nose



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valued at \$125,000, was brought to t valued at \$125,000, was brought to states by Father Germanos Agent one of the monks who made it in the monastery of the Brotherhood of No demus, at Mount Athos, Macedon The composition is 28 inches high a 21 inches wide, and includes a high and low relief The central figure is "The Last Judiment," reproducing in wood the determinant of Michael Angelo's, famous painting of Michael Angelo's famous painting

Decorated Sufficiently.

"Say, pa, this magazine says Ma Curie got another medal for disc ering radium. Why didn't my ma e get a medal?"

"Why should she? She meddenough as it is,"—Science and lare

A boast isn't always a boost; son times it means a "bust."



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sis.-Doctor Strickland, reliving with his family Walley, just out of San Fran-Anne, the doctor's niece, is enty-four. Alls, the doctor's uniter, is twenty-one. Cherry other daughter, is eighteen, ball closest friend is Peter Joyce, add, lovable sort of recluse. He love with beautiful Martin Lloyd, a visiting engineer, pays court to and wins her promise to him. While the family are lating about Cherry and Marrealizes his love for Martin and Cherry of e are eager for an early wed-

(CHAPTER III-Continued.)

ard, don't ask me!" Peter said, "I think she's too young to snyone-but the mischief's

think I'll talk to her," her father ted. "Anything is better than a her make a mistake. I think. listen to me!" And a day or ister he called her into the study. as a quiet autumn morning, foggy warm, with a dewy, woody sweet-

efore we decide this thing finalthe doctor said, smiling into her face, "before Martin writes his that it's settled, I want to ask to do something. It's something won't like to do, my little girl. nt ye to walt a while-wait a

ras said. He watched the brightade from her glowing face. She ed her eyes. The line of her

until you're twenty, dear. young enough. I only ask you ea little time-to be sure, dear !" She shrugged faintly. ed the downcast eyes as if tears

an't take your old father's word P Dr. Strickland asked.

isn't that, Dad!" she protested ty and affectionately. "I'll wait bave waited! I'll wait until mas, or April, if you say so! it won't make any difference; ing will. I love him and he loves nd we always will.

og den't know," Cherry went on. has meant to us both! If we wait longer, why, we will, of but it will mean that I am living along somehow-oh, I won't she interrupted, smiling with habes. "I'll try to bear it dey! But sometimes I feel as if

dn't bear It-" rush of tears choked her. for a handkerchief and felt. e had felt so many times, her handkerchief pressed into her The doctor sighed. There was

more to be said. e gave Cherry a wedding check made her dance with joy, and was no more seriousness. "There gowns, dinners, theater parties



astened Over Her Corn-Colored Mair Her Mother's Lace Veil.

prise and new delight to Cher-She had her cream-colored rajah but her sister and cousin perd her to be married in white, and their hands that dressed the bride when the great day came. astened over her corn-colored her mother's lace veil.

was a day of soft sweetness, not skidy summery, but warm and under the trees. Until ten o'clock intain and the tops of the redwere tangled in scarfa of white en the mellow sunlight pierced ith sudden and lifting. sudden spectacular brighten-

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twelve o'clock Charity Strickcame Charity Lloyd and was and toasted and congratulated lovely little face was burnth color and her blue eyes were

o'clock there were good-bys. Cherry drive and Martin said to the fat man had changed the wedding satin for the in it: cream-colored rajah silk then and wore "Mr. Bates, I want to make you acthe extravagant hat. It would be many years before she would spend twenty-five dollars for a hat again, and cocks' feathers against bronzed straw

wood-smelling bedroom and the hour in which she had pinned her wedding hat arm about her and the bay horse dawover her fatr hair, and had gone, demeet her husband in the old hallway. She was confusedly kissed, passed from hand to hand, was conscious with a sort of strange aching at her heart

that she was not only far from saying the usual heart-broken things in farewell, but was actually far from feeling them. She laughed at Alix's last nonsense, promised to write-wouldn't say good-by-would see them all soon -was coming, Martin-and so a last kiss for darling Dad and good-by and so many thanks and thanks to them

She was gone. With her the uncertain autumn sunshine vanished and a shadow fell on the forest. The mountain above the valley was blotted out with fog. The brown house seemed had loitered away and the last caterer had gathered up his possessions and

The doctor had changed his unwonted wedding finery for his shabby old smoking jacket, but Peter still stepped down to sit between them and her father's arm went about her. She snuggled against him in an unusual mood of tenderness and quiet.

"Be nice to me!" she said, whimsically. "I'm lonely!" "H'm!" her father said, significantly, tightening his arm. Peter moved up on the other side and locked his

own arm in her free one. And so they sat, silent, depressed, their shoulders touching, their somber eyes fixed upon the shadowy depths of the forest into which an October fog was softly and noiselessly creeping.

CHAPTER IV.

Meanwhile the hot train sped on, vrapped in her dream, smiling, musing, rousing herself to notice the scenery.

When Martin asked her if she liked to be a married woman, traveling with her husband, she smiled and said that it seemed "funny." For the most part she was silent, pleased and interested, but not quite her usual unconcerned self. After dinner they had a long. murmured talk; she began to droop sleepily now, although even this long lay had not paled her cheeks or visibly tired her.

At ten they stumbled out, cramped and overheated, and smitten on tired foreheads with a rush of icy mountain

"Is this the pl-l-ace?" yawned Chery, clinging to his arm,

"This is the place, Baby Girl; El Nido, and not much of a place!" her husband told her. "That's the Hotel McKinley, over there where the lights are! We stay there tonight and drive out to the mine tomorrow. I'll manage the bags, but don't you stumble!" She was wide-awake now, looking alertly about her at the dark streets of the little town. Mud squelched beneath their feet, planks tilted. Beside Martin, Cherry entered the bright, cheerful lobby of a cheap hotel where men were smoking and spitting. She was beside him at the desk and saw him write on the register, "J. M. Lloyd and wife." The clerk pushed a key across the counter; Martin guided her

to a rattling elevator. She had a fleeting thought of home; of Dad reading before the fire, of the little brown room upstairs, with Alix, slender in her thin nightgown, yawning over her prayers. A rush of reluc tance-of strangeless-of something like terror smote her. She fought the homesickness down resolutely; everything would seem brighter tomorrow. when the morning and the sunshine

came again. There was a brown and red carpet in the oblong of the room, and a brown bureau, and a wide iron bed with a limp spread, and a peeling brown washstand with a pitcher and basin. The boy lighted a flare of electric lights which made the chocolate and gold wallpaper look like one pattern in the light and another in the shadow. A man laughed in the adjoining room; the voice seemed very

Cherry had never been in a hotel of this sort before. It seemed to her cheap and horrible; she did not want to stay in this room, and Martin, tipping the boy and asking for ice-water, seemed somehow a part of this new strangeness and crudeness. She began to be afraid that he would think she was silly, presently, if she said her prayers as usual.

In the morning Martin hired a phaeton and they drove out to the mine. Cherry had had a good breakfast and was wearing a new gown; they stopped that eighteenth birthday, and berself

quainted with my wife!"

"Pleased to meet you, Mrs. Lloyd!" said the fat man, pleasantly. Martin never again would she see bronzed told Cherry, when they passed him, that that was the superintendent of without remembering the clean little the mine, and seemed pleased at the encounter. Presently Martin put his mure and radiant and confident, to Martin's deep voice told his wife over dled along at his own sweet will, while and over again how adorable and beautiful she was and how he loved her.

Cherry listened happily, and for a little while the old sense of pride and achievement came back-she was married; she was wearing a plain gold ring! But after a few days that feeling vanished forever and instead it began to seem strange to her that she had ever been anything else than Martin's wife.

For several days she and Martin aughed incessantly and praised each other incessantly, while they experimented with cooking and ate delicious gypsy meals.

By midwinter Cherry had settled down to the business of life, buying bacon and lard and sugar and matches dark and empty when the last guests at the store of the mine, cooking and cleaning, sweeping, and making beds. She still kissed Martin good-by every morning and met him with an affectionate rush at the door when he came home, and they played Five Hundred evening after evening after dinner, looked unnaturally well dressed. Alix quarreling for points and laughing at each other, while rain sluiced down on the porch. But sometimes she wondered how it had all come about, wondered what had become of the violent emotions that had picked her out of the valley home and established her here, in this strange place, with this

man she had never seen a year ago. Of these emotions little was left. She still liked Martin, she told herself, and she still told him that she loved him. But she knew she did not ove him, and in such an association as theirs there can be no liking. Her thoughts rarely rested on him; she was either thinking of the prunes that were soaking, the firewood that was running low, the towels that a wet breeze was blowing on the line; or and the drab autumn country flew by she was far away, drifting in vague the windows, and still the bride sat realms where feelings entirely strange to this bare little mining camp and this hungry, busy, commonplace man, ield sway.

The first time that she quarreled with Martin she cried for an entire day, with the old childish feeling that somehow her crying mattered, somehow her abandonment would help to straighten affairs. The cause of the quarrel was a trifle; her father had sent her a Christmas check and she immediately sent to a San Francisco shop for a clock that had taken her ancy months before.

Martin, who had chanced to be pressed for money, although she did not know it, was thunderstruck upon discovering that she had actually disposed of fifty dollars so lightly. For several days a shadow hung over their intercourse, and when the clock came as large as a banjo, gilded and quaint, he broke her heart afresh by pretend-

ing not to admire it. But on Christmas eve he was deayed at the mine and Cherry, smitten suddenly with the bitterness of having their first Christmas spoiled in this way, sat up for him, huddled in her silk wrapper by the air-tight stove. She was awakened by feeling herself lowered tenderly into bed and raised warm arms to clasp his neck and they dissed each other.

The next day they laughed at the clock together, and after that peace reigned for several weeks. But it was inevitable that another quarrel should ome and then another; Cherry was young and undisciplined, perhaps not nore selfish than other girls of her age, but self-centered and unreasonable. She had to learn self-control and she hated to control herself. She had to economize when poverty possessed neither picturesqueness nor interest. They were always several weeks behind in the payment of domestic bills, and these recurring reminders of money stringency maddened Cherry. Sometimes she summed it up, with angry tears, reminding him that she was still wearing her trousseau dresses, and had no maid, and

never went anywhere-! But she developed steadily. As she grew skilful in managing her little house, she also grew in the art of managing her husband and herself. She became clever at avoiding causes of disagreement; she listened, nodded. agreed, with a boiling heart, and had the satisfaction of having Martin's viewpoint veer the next day, or the next hour, to meet her own secret conviction. Martin seemed satisfied. and all their little world accepted her as a matter of course. But under it all Cherry knew that something young and irresponsible and confident in her had been killed. She never liked to think of the valley, of the fogs and the spokes of sunlight under the redwood aisles, of Alix and the dogs and the dreamy evenings by the fire. And especially she did not like to think of

bewildered with fatigue. At two another phaeton on the long, pleasant thrilling and ecstatic because the strange young man from Mrs. North's had stared at her, in her sticky apron,

CHAPTER V.

with so new and disturbing a smile

So winter passed at the mine and at the brown house under the shoulder of Tamalpais. Alix still kept her bedroom windows open, but the rain tore in, and Anne protested at the ensuing stains on the pantry ceiling.

Cherry's wedding, once satisfactorily over, was a cause of great satisfaction to her sister and cousin. They had stepped back duly, to give her the center of the stage; they had admired and congratulated; had helped her in all hearty generosity. And now that she was gone they enjoyed their own lives again and cast over hers the gig.mor that novelty and distance never fail to give. Cherry, married and keeping house and managing affairs, was an object of romantic interest. The girls surmised that Cherry must be making friends; that everyone must admire her; that Martin would be rich some day, without doubt.

Chery wrote regularly, now and then assuring them that she was the same old Cherry. She described her tiny house



Father Said on an April Walk.

right at the mine, and the long sheds of the plant, and the bare big building that was the men's boarding house. Martin's associates brought her trout and ducks, she wrote; she and Martin had driven three hundred miles in the superintendent's car; she was preparing for a card party.

"Think of little old Cherry going off on week-end trips with three men!" Alix would say proudly. "Think of Cherry giving a party!" Anne perhaps would make no comment, but she often felt a pang of envy. Cherry seemed to have everything.

Suddenly, without warning, there was a newcomer in the circle, a sleekheaded brown-haired little man known as Justin Little.

He had been introduced at some party to Anne and Alix; he called; he was presently taking Anne to a lecture. Anne now began to laugh at him and say that he was "too ridiculous," but she did not allow any one else to say so. On the contrary, she told Alix at various times that his mother had been one of the old Maryland Percies, and his great-grandfather. was mentioned in a book by Sir Walter Scott, and that one had to respect the man, even if one didn't choose to. marry him.

"Marry him!" Alix had echoed in simple amazement. Marry him-what was all this sudden change in the household when a man could no sooner appear than some girl began to talk of marriage? Stupefied, Alix watched the affair progress.

"I don't imagine it's serious!" her father said on an April walk. Peter, tramping beside them, was interested

'Have you listened to them? They've been contending for weeks that they were just remarkably good friendsthat's why she calls him Frenny!" "Ah-I see!" the doctor said mildly,

is l'eter's wild laugh burst forth. "But now," Allx pursued, "she's told him that as she cannot be what he wishes, they had better not meet!" "Poor Anne!" the old doctor com-

"Poor nothing! She's having the time of her life," her cousin said unfeelingly. "She told me today that she was afraid that she had checked one of the most brilliant careers at the bar."

Then Cherry . . . was crying in the arms of Aliz

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## LIVE STOCK **FACTS**

KEEPING OUT ALL DISEASES

Quarantine Instituted Against Importation of Live Stock From Different Countries.

(Prepared b) the United States Department of Agriculture.) The prevalence of foot-and-mouth

disease in some European countries, in certain sections of Asia and Africa, as well as in South America, has caused the United States Department of Agriculture to institute special quarantines against the importation of live stock from these places. This systematic survey of foreign sources of breeding stock and protection against the introduction of diseased animals is annually worth millions of dollars to the live stock breeders of the United States.

Any one who wishes to import cattle, sheep, goats, swine or other animals



Cow Just Unloaded From Lighter at Quarantine Station, Turner, Md.

from any country, except Canada or Mexico, must first obtain from the secretary of agriculture a permit, to be presented to the American consul at the port from which the animals will be shipped. No permits are issued for shipment from countries where rinderpest, surra, foot-and-mouth disease,

or contagious pleuro-pneumonia exist. Foot-and-mouth disease prevailed to serious extent in England during the abated to the extent that horses from both England and Ireland are now allowed to enter the United States, if certain restrictions regarding feeding and care are observed. These regulations require that the animals be subjected to disinfection, both before shipment and after arrival in this country, and that the feed and bedding used during the voyage come from this country. These precautions, although they may seem very radical to those who do not appreciate the critical character of the diseases under discussion, are effective in preventing the introduction of live-stock plagues into the United States.

## BEEF CATTLE BENEFIT FARM

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WIN FIGHT ON TUBERCULOSIS

"My dear father," the girl protested. Government Authorities Report That Thousands of Cattle Are Freed From the Dread Disease.

> Latest report of the tuberculosiseradication work by the United States Department of Agriculture shows that a total of 204,892 head of cattle in 8,839 herds have been accredited by the government as free of tuberculosis infection, while 702,590 additional cattle in 56.113 herds have already been once tested and found free of the disease. On August 1, 1921, a total of 1,294,159 cattle in 79,341 herds were under supervision in the tuberculosis eradication campaign. Furthermore, there were 218,531 cattle in 14,494 berds on the walting list for testing. There is a constant increase in the number of animals and herds tested and accredited and in the demands on the part of herd owners who desire to place their cattle under government

## CANADA DID WELL

Honors Worthily Won at International Live Stock Show.

Friendly Rivalry at Chicago Splendidly Revealed the Possibilities of Our Northern Neighbor.

Further evidence, if any were needed, of the friendly relations between Canada and the United States might have been found by a visit to the International Live Stock Show recently held at the Chicago Stock Yards. There the Canadian and American were to be found side by side in the friendliest competition, the loser willingly admitting defeat when the other fellow carried off the blue ribbon. Some of the Choicest and best of Canadian stock was there, and much of it returned loaded down with ribbons denoting firsts, championships that indicate pedigree, breeding and worth, and cups and trophies that were won in hard and severe contests.

The hay and grain classes were points of great interest, and here Canada did well, securing many

Twenty-five first prizes were listed in the oats class; Canada carried away 22 of them. A sample of oats from the Province of Alberta, weighing 48 pounds to the bushel, was the heaviest sample in the show. It was Alberta oats that took the sweepstakes, the exhibitor in this case, J. W. Lucas, of Cayley, repeating what he did last year.

In wheat there were 25 first prizes to be awarded; Canada got 23 of them.

The greatest interest was shown when the horse classes were called. Here also Canada stood well to the front. The Percheron entries showed that Canada breeders were popular and successful exhibitors. Championships were awarded to a number, and first prizes were common. The same may be said of Clydesdales. This breed stood out prominently, there were many entries, and this old-time popular breed had an unusual number of admirers. This was especially so in "Wee Donald's" case. Here was a Saskatchewan horse, his owner taking back to Canada the grand championship. Not only has he done it this year, but last year as well-two years in succession-something never before done at the Live Stock show. In past two years, but recently has been | Clydesdales Canada won places in every class in which entries were

The same story could be repeated in sheep and hogs, honors being heaped upon honors on Canadian entries. Particularly important is the fact that first prize for alfalfa seed was awarded for seed grown at Brooks, Alberta in competition with 43 en tries. Alfalfa growing in Western Canada has been increasing by leaps and bounds, and this victory will give it-and the dairy industry, which is always linked with it-a further impetus.

A visit to the Canadian government exhibit of grains, grasses, vegetables, fruits, minerals and other products of the Dominion to the north, revealed in tabloid form what the great country to the north could do. A great interest was aroused in this exhibit. and it was greatly admired by visitors to the Live Stock show. Representatives of the government were on hand for the purpose of giving information to those desiring it .- Advertisement.

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with Mrs. Wombat? She seems a nice dame?" "To tell you the truth, none of us know what to make of her. I told her

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## THE "SNOB"

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Shirley Disnay was a newcomer to Smethbro'. After the detached air of New York, the interest which the office girls took in the "society set" of the town amazed her. So far she had found the small oil town about as exciting as a mill pond, and she herself as lonely as a goldfish in a bowl of stagment water, under the gaze of curious eyes. They knew her as "the ew systemizer" to "The Merrett Re-

Robert Merrett had frankly stated in a letter to Shirley's firm, that she would not be received with open arms by his office employees; they had muddled along for over thirty years without any "system" and looked on it

"Yes, he has a perfectly wonderft voice, goes to Paris to have it trained! Too bad he has an idea that women e him only for his money," purred Wilmer, the head clerk in 'sales," as they were eating lunch. Shirley pricked up her ears and found that it was Robert Merrett un

"I suppose it's true, though!" said Shirley, with a wise smile. "I'd love o meet this wonderful rich man."

"My goodness, Miss Disnay, do you think Robert Merrett would look at one of his office clerks?"

So Shirley fibbed day after day, letng out hints of peachy car rides, din he gay city on her return.

The scenery around Smethbro' was

ew experience in her city-bred life hirley had just managed to coax the ire into flame and wondering how cof ee was made without burnt fingers

'Don't you know the danger of forest fires?" he demanded, in angry ac

varned me without scaring me almost o death?" Shirley blazed back. "I had an awful time getting the fire to burn, too," she added, wistfully. "From New York?" He smiled now, with friendly eyes.

"Yes, and the first fire I've ever

A little lonely camping by oneself, eh?" he went on, with a glance at the coffee pot and basket. "It's lot of fun! I wonder if you could tell me how to make coffee

without getting scorched?" "Delighted, on the condition pleased voice.

The moon was rising above the hills is Shirley and the stranger gathered the remains of the lunch together and prepared to leave for the town.

"Don't you think you would like this beauty-sometimes?" the man

"I might," Shirley replied, with a reserved note in her voice. Then with a grateful smile, she thanked him for his timely help and company. When she arrived at her room and thought the adventure over, she realized that neither had asked the other's name. "And he was a gentleman, too," she sighed, a little regretfully.

On Monday morning she was told to report to the manager's office.

"Miss Disnay, I regret this has happened, but a small town like this Smethbro'-will talk!" the manager began in a distressed tone. "Mr. Merrett is here this morning. He tells me a report has come to him that he has been taking you around. You are a pretty little girl, and Mr. Merrett feels responsible for you-te your firm. The young ladles here started the report. They tell me you told them so yourself. Mr. Merrett is anxlous to get this wrong impression cleared up-for his sake and yours. He will see you in his office."

"Don't you know a small town is dangerous for a pretty girl to remance in?" came in familiar accents as she entered the office, and looking up met the smiling gaze of the man of the woods.

"No, or I should have shown more sense," Shirley faltered back. "Oh, I wish you would believe me, Mr. Merrett-I just made a wrong impression about knowing you, because-be-

"Because what?" demanded Robert "Because they told me you would

not look at an office girl," she finished in a low voice.

"What made them tell you that?" "I said I would like to know youhear you sing-

"They gave you a wrong impression -that I was a snob-to be treated like a god on wheels-unapproachable. Do you think I act like that kind of man?"

"I thought you were awfully nice as a woods man-but I don't know what you are as-as a rich man!" replied Shirley, sincerely.

"Go on thinking of me 'as an awfully nice woods man.' If you will, I shall forgive you all those 'fibs' and turn them into the truth!"

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