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Have You Checked Your Seats for the Lyceum Course?

There are only a few of the best seats left and these will not last long

Not Good Breeding

While it is not to be denied that Texas schools are not what they should be, and that there is much room for improvement; yet, it makes one tired to have some ignorant duck come down here and tell us that the high schools of the North and East have better curriculums than our best colleges.

If this be so, why are so many Texas college graduates employed as instructors in the colleges of the North and East? Why is it that both America and Europe are so eagerly bidding for the services of physicians and surgeons educated at the University of Texas? Why is the medical department of this institution recognized as one of the five great institutions of medical learning of America? Why is it that the law department of the University of Texas is furnishing Uncle Sam with an Attorney General and many assistants? Why is it that Uncle Sam takes all of the output of the engineering department of A. & M. College that he can get? Why is it that the international trophy in a stock judging contest goes to the Texas A. & M. team and the highest individual score to a boy who was born, reared and educated in Texas?

There is one of two things that will serve as an answer: Our Texas schools and colleges either have good and practical lines of study, or else our Texas boys and girls outclass the Northern and Eastern boys and girls in point of gray matter. It shows a lack of brains, as well as good breeding, culture and courtesy for a man to go among strangers and tell them that they are a set of boobs and ignoramuses, and at the same time highly recommending himself and the section of the country from which he came. It isn't good manners.

The North, South, East and West are practically populated and dominated by one race. One is no better than the other—after all the fools are cut out. Some localities have the advantage of others in matters of educational facilities because they have been settled longer; but there are few localities where, if one wishes an education, he does not have to travel far to find a school that will give him all the education which the average human mind is capable of absorbing.

The grand jury of Culberson County has indicted the sheriff and posse who slew Orozco and his gang. This is as it should be, for there are those who are saying that the sheriff and his men killed those Mexicans without cause. When these men are tried, the whole thing will be made public and at the same time they will not thereafter have a possible charge of murder hanging over them, for it is not to be doubted that they will be acquitted.

GRAHAM BARNETT A FREE MAN AGAIN

Graham Barnett, who was tried last week at Fort Stockton for the killing of Will Babb at Langtry about two years ago, came home last Monday a free man. Barnett's plea for the killing was self-defense, and as it took the jury only about 40 minutes to bring in a verdict, one would conclude that the evidence in the case amply sustained this belief.

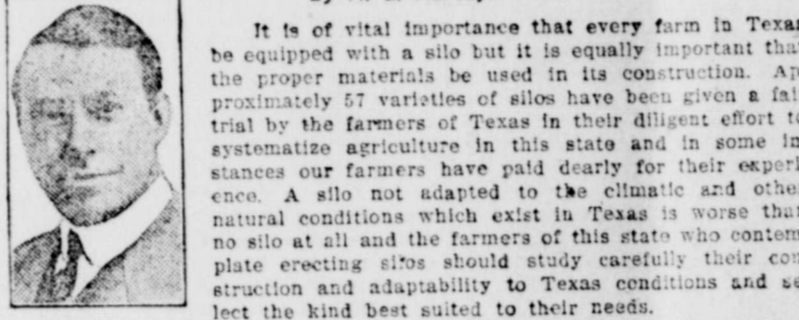
The quiet, peaceable bearing of young Barnett in his past life led his many friends to believe that his provocation and danger when he shot Babb must have been extreme, and the verdict of the jury which tried him undoubtedly confirmed this belief.

The joy of the wife and mother of the young man must have been great when they learn that Graham was once more a free man.

The ladies of the Wimodaughis Club will conduct a bazaar the latter part of November for the benefit of the Library. Any contribution from any friend of the library will be appreciated. Hand work will be sold on commission. For particulars phone No. 61.

KNOW THY STATE

THE PROPER SILO FOR TEXAS USE. By H. G. Harvey.



It is of vital importance that every farm in Texas be equipped with a silo but it is equally important that the proper materials be used in its construction. Approximately 57 varieties of silos have been given a fair trial by the farmers of Texas in their diligent effort to systematize agriculture in this state and in some instances our farmers have paid dearly for their experience. A silo not adapted to the climate and other natural conditions which exist in Texas is worse than no silo at all and the farmers of this state who contemplate erecting silos should study carefully their construction and adaptability to Texas conditions and select the kind best suited to their needs.

Some of the leading silo authorities of this state have been requested to state their views as to the best and most serviceable silo for Texas use and their opinions will appear in this paper from time to time. When asked to address the farmers of Texas on the subject of silos as a silo material, Mr. H. G. Harvey of the Texas Kalamazoo Silo Company, of Fort Worth, which has constructed all kinds of silos in every Texas locality, said in part:

"I consider the Tile Silo the only proper silo for Texas use. For absolute permanency and best results we recommend only silos made of Texas tile for successful operation in this state and our approval is based upon 42 years of testing and investigation.

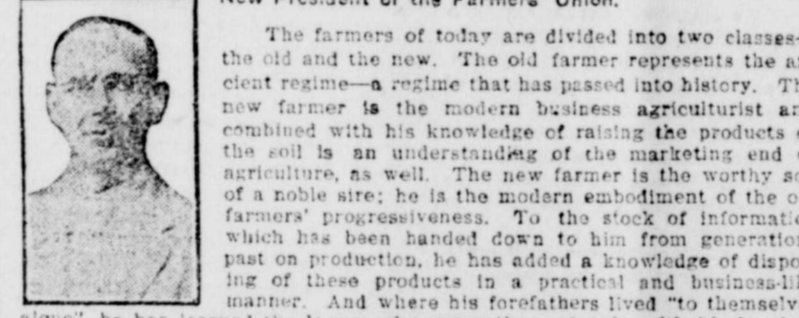
The Tile Silo possesses every feature of every other silo without one drawback. Its peculiar construction affords a double air space and perfectly takes care of all atmospheric and temperature changes that come suddenly and unexpectedly in Texas.

The Tile Silo will withstand all internal strain with a good margin of safety besides and provides a construction that is frost and fire proof. It never requires any paint. The hoops never require tightening. It needs no anchoring against the wind. Its weight is sufficient to hold it and the anchoring against that there isn't the slightest toe-hold for the wind. It will face so smooth that there isn't the slightest dust or dirt. It is absolutely indestructible, practically never deteriorates in quality and it is absolutely fireproof. The Tile Silo is the most practical one for the Texas farmer to consider. It is the best material for silo construction for Texas conditions, Texas climate and Texas needs.

Because of the peculiar conditions in this state the Tile Silo is absolutely adapted to successful operation in Texas. Construction that is marvellously successful in other parts of the country may fail utterly in Texas due to climatic conditions unfavorable to the habits of the material of which they are built. We did not solve the silo question in Texas until we began constructing a Tile Silo made from Texas clay."

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Henry N. Pope, New President of the Farmers' Union.



The farmers of today are divided into two classes—the old and the new. The old farmer represents the ancient regime—a regime that has passed into history. The new farmer is the modern business agriculturist and combined with his knowledge of raising the products of the soil is an understanding of the marketing end of agriculture as well. The new farmer is the worthy son of a noble sire; he is the modern embodiment of the old farmer's progressiveness. To the stock of information which has been handed down to him from generations past on production, he has added a knowledge of disposing of these products in a practical and business-like manner. And where his forefathers lived "to themselves alone," he has learned the lesson of cooperation not only with his brothers who till the soil, but with all lines of industry whose interests are identical with his own.

It is to this new type of farmer that the new president of the Texas Farmers' Union belongs. In selecting Henry N. Pope as the official head of their organization the farmers of Texas have chosen a man whose policies are in keeping with progressive methods and whose far-sighted wisdom will lead the Union safely over the shoals which beset every association which numbers among its membership men of different minds and varied opinions.

Mr. Pope has been the state lecturer and organizer of the Texas Union for several years and in this capacity has met and solved many problems connected with the organization which comprises practically the entire agricultural population of Texas.

It is the opinion of President Pope that it needs no prophet's eye to see the vast change for the better in rural life and conditions that is now in progress. A thorough student of economic conditions, he believes that the evolution of farming methods will steadily continue until the farming interests of the state and nation are placed on a firm financial basis and agriculture takes its rightful place as the foundation upon which all other industries are built.

President Pope invites the continued co-operation of the business interests of the state in helping to solve the problems of the farmer and is especially grateful for the assistance and encouragement being extended by the bankers and business men in trying to finance and market the future cotton crops of Texas. He will endeavor during his administration of the affairs of the Farmers' Union to bring about a closer understanding between the men who follow the plow and the men who direct the financial affairs of the state, hoping that when his tenure of office shall have expired, he may retire with the assurance that the gap of misunderstanding which has long existed between the farming and allied industries may be bridged over in such a manner as will bring progress and prosperity to the entire citizenship of Texas.

Antidote for Carbolic Acid Poisoning

Perhaps the public is not aware that alcohol is the most efficacious antidote known for carbolic acid poisoning. The writer carries a little book, giving antidotes for various poisons. The antidote given in it for carbolic acid poison is, "flour and mucilaginous drinks," and not until several days ago did we learn of the best known remedy, which came about in this way:

Week before last, when the little boy of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Allard drank carbolic acid, we happened to be present when Dr. Everett was called. He called for alcohol, and as soon as he got it he went to the child as quickly as his automobile could carry him. We are told that the child appeared to be in the throes of death when the Doctor reached him. Someone reported

diately arrested." This was all new to us, and remembering the numerous accidents due to carbolic acid, with the Doctor's permission, we give the remedy that it might save the life of someone who could not be reached by a physician in time.

NO. 30 THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Sterling County, Greeting: A. D. Renshaw, Guardian of the estate of Linnie M. Garrett, Darrell D. Garrett and Taylor L. Garrett, minors, having filed in the County Court of Sterling County, Texas, his application for leave to resign said Guardianship, and having accompanied the same by an account for final settlement thereof,

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, that by publication of this writ once a week for three successive weeks in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Sterling, State of Texas, you give due notice to all persons interested in said Guardianship to appear before the Honorable County Court of Sterling County, Texas, at the November Term, A. D. 1915, commencing and to be held at the Court House of said County, in the town of Sterling City, on the first Monday in November, A. D. 1915, the same being the 1st day of said month, and contest the account of said Guardian, if they see proper to do so.

Witness D. C. Durham, Clerk of the County Court of Sterling County, Given under my hand and seal of said County, at my office in Sterling City, Texas, this 14th day of October, A. D. 1915.

(Seal) D. C. Durham, Clerk County Court, Sterling County, Texas.

A true copy, I certify. Dee Davis, Sheriff, Sterling County, Texas.

WANTED:—If you have a ranch you want to sell or trade—any size—send me a complete description, giving terms, price, etc. Jesse R. Pearce, Coleman, Texas.

The Ladies Missionary Society will give a Halloween social on Halloween night. Program and place of entertainment will be announced later.

NOTICE

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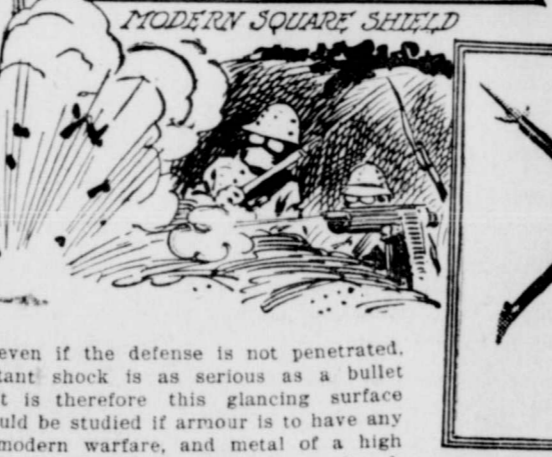
THE RETURN OF THE ARMORER



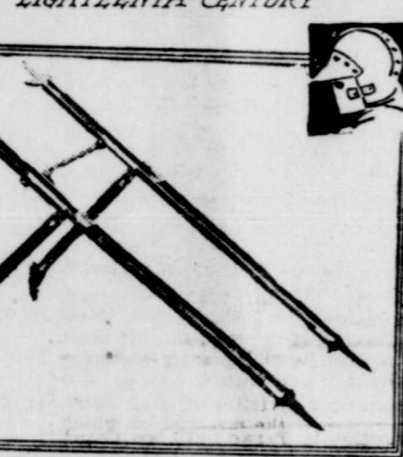
FRENCH TRENCH HELMET, 1915



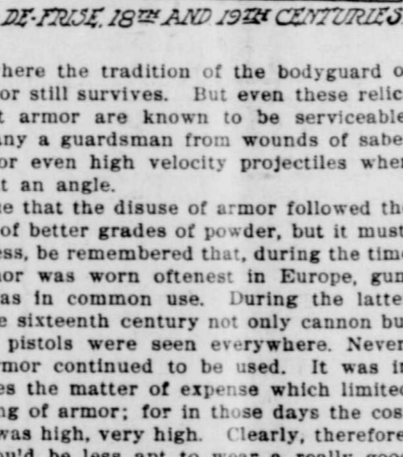
SAPPER'S HELMET, MIDDLE OF 17TH CENTURY



SAPPER'S MANTLE OF LEATHER, EIGHTEENTH CENTURY



MODERN SQUARE SHIELD



CHEVAL DE FRISE, 15TH AND 16TH CENTURIES

- 1—Plumed Shield of Henry VII (Obverse and Reverse)
- 2—Small Cap, Late Seventeenth Century
- 3—Sapper's Helmet, Middle of Nineteenth Century
- 4—Secret, Late Seventeenth Century
- 5—Steel Skull Cap, 1815
- 6—Gorget, Early Eighteenth Century
- 7—Chapel de Fer, Fifteenth and Sixteenth Century
- 8—Peasants' Pot, Middle of Seventeenth Century

MARSHAL MAURICE of Saxe, writing in the middle of the eighteenth century, deplored the disuse of defensive armor as being the cause of a large number of casualties in battle. He very truly observed that most of the wounds caused by spent bullets, sword, lance, or pike thrusts would be minimized, if not prevented, by the use of some kind of metal protection. He does not suggest that its weight and awkwardness was any drawback, for he recommends a cuirass made of buff leather, re-reinforced with metal strips, weighing in all 30 pounds, as very useful equipment, and he gives as his opinion that it was only the cost of armor which might have been its disuse. From the middle of the eighteenth century there had been much discussion as to the practical value of armor, and Sir John Smythe, writing in 1590, cited the death of Sir Philip Sidney from a spent bullet as a reason for adhering to the old fashions in military equipment. As early as 1569 armor was proved by musket or pistol shot, and in 1590 Sir Henry, master of the armories, arranged a trial to determine the respective merits of Shroveton and "Hungers" or Innsbruck metal, with reins disastrous to the homemade product. In the "Verney Memoirs," under the date of 1677, we find that one Richard Hals proved his armor "as much powder as will cover the palm of the hand." It was this proof by musket shot, combined with the gradual advance of the art of tempering his metal, which produced the graceful and cumbersome equipment of the seventeenth century—proof against firearms, it is true, but so heavy and inconvenient as to be entirely unsuited for extended expeditions, and for the new school of military tactics. The last relic of the complete suit of armor was the small crescent-shaped gorget worn by infantry officers up to about the year 1830. This had been a practical protection to the throat, but latterly it shrank to a small plaque, little larger than a regimental badge. The armor, brigandines, and chain mail were occasionally used after field armor had been abandoned, but these were solely used against the back of the assassin. Napoleon III is said to have worn a defense of mail; the cavalry of the Confederate army in the American Civil war favored a vest lined with plates of steel; and Ned Kelly, the bushranger of our own day, wore a metal cuirass and bulletproof boiler plate. The strips of steel used in the brigandine were of value against sword cuts, and it was for this purpose that they were employed in the "bush" of hat linings, of which there are still specimens in the Tower, and in the hat of the regicide, in the Ashmolean museum, Oxford. The modern French and German cuirasses of this nature would seem to be quite useless against long range rifles. For many years cuirasses have brought forward contrivances, and to be bulletproof, which provided that they were worn on the muskular stage, but none ever proved to face the service rifle wearing their armor. As has been repeatedly pointed out in articles on this subject, the only value of armor at the present day is as a protection from the point-blank impact of a projec-

tile, for, even if the defense is not penetrated, the resultant shock is as serious as a bullet wound. It is therefore this glancing surface which should be studied if armor is to have any place in modern warfare, and metal of a high temper and light in weight should be employed. It is unthinkable that such defenses will ever be officially recognized, for, if issued on a large scale, they would greatly impede the mobility of troops already carrying more dead weight than did the soldier of the sixteenth century in his suit of half-armor. If such contrivances are purchased privately an exhaustive test should be insisted upon, and proof should be recorded by some responsible body, as it was in the days of Charles I, when the armorers company of London were ordered to carry out such tests any stamp all armor that satisfied the conditions with their mark. If these defenses are carelessly made of indifferent material they will assuredly be far more of a danger than a protection. It is impossible to criticize the modern productions without seeing them in actual use in the trenches, but it would seem that the pistol shield with crossed bars is in direct opposition to the theory that the "glancing surface" is of importance, for here, wherever the bullet strikes, it will deliver the full force of its blow and will not fly off as a tangent as it would from Henry VIII's pistol shield which is preserved in the Tower. The plain skull-cap seems to fulfill the required conditions, except that it should be provided with a brim curving outward, like the chapel de fer of the sixteenth century. The French helmet appears to provide some lodgments for the bullet in the straight brim and high comb, but again it should be noted that it is impossible to criticize practically until the defense is seen in action. Besides the ordinary body armor of the late seventeenth century in the Tower collection there are a few interesting specimens of modern implements which were the precursors of modern contrivances. The cheval de frise of the days of Wellington are a series of sergeants' pikes joined by horizontal rods, and so arranged that they can be stretched across a road or the breach in a wall as a protection against cavalry—an anticipation of the present barbed wire entanglement. The sappers' mantles of leather and iron have continued in use from the time of the Romans up to today, and the weighty trappings that were used in the middle of the seventeenth century show that even then armor was seriously used in the trench work. Several of the eighteenth century muskets in the Tower of London have brass cups fixed to the barrel or butt from which grenades were thrown, a necessary precaution which when the fuse was the slow match, they can trace the evolution of military invention, and it is peculiarly interesting to find that today, in the light of all our scientific knowledge and experience, we are suddenly forced back to make use of appliances of four hundred years ago which we had but recently stigmatized as relics of barbarism. The facts show that from the stone age onward armor never became extinct. It has always been worn. At the present day, to be sure, it appears less for service than as a uniform of the bodyguard of royalty. And you recall that corselet and steel headpiece are still seen in St. James' park, or in Potsdam, or indeed in Republican



KNEW FAMED WRITER CALOMEL WHEN BILIOUS? NO! STOP! ACTS LIKE DYNAMITE ON LIVER

People Still Living Who Remember Artemus Ward.

Little Village of Waterford, Maine, Where He Was Born, Has Undergone Few Changes During the Passing Years.

Waterford, Me., the birthplace and boyhood home of Artemus Ward, is about fifty miles north of Portland and half a dozen miles from the nearest railway station. Waterford village is a comfortable, sleepy little place, whose homes cluster around a small, tree shadowed common. The houses are nearly all wooden, are painted white and have green blinds. The village supports two stores and a church.

"At one end of the common is a signboard, which reads, '10 miles to Norway.' Other places roundabout are Sweden, Denmark, Paris and Naples," writes Clifton Johnson in the Springfield Republican.

"I found the village delightful in its quiet serenity, and it particularly appealed to the fancy in the evening when the cows were driven from the outlying pastures to their home stables and some pacing along under the elms of the common, while the cowbells hung on their necks gave forth a dull toned music. It was a much livelier place at the time Charles Farrar Brown, better known as Artemus Ward, was born there in 1834. Many emigrants passed through it on their way to the West, and the stages were crowded with passengers in pursuit of business or pleasure. The hotels presented an especially busy scene on the arrival of the stage, and the several stores had a large trade in furnishing supplies to lumbermen. One of these stores was kept by Artemus Ward's father, who died in 1847.

"The humorist died in 1867, which is not so long ago but that people can be found in his home region who remember him distinctly. One of the village women said to me: 'The place has not changed a great deal since he was a boy here. It is about the same size, there is the same white church, and many of the same houses stand around the common. The old 'Brown house,' where Charles was born, burned in 1871, but 'Aunt Caroline,' as his mother was called in Waterford, had long before moved to what had been her father's house. That is here yet, a substantial, two-story building, under the elms on the borders of the common, and it is still owned in the family.

"After Charles had left Waterford and become famous he usually returned every year to spend the summer with his mother. He wasn't very strong. He was tubercular. His hands were whiter than any woman's, almost. They were small and long, and I recall hearing my father say that Charles couldn't wear bracelets because his wrists were as large as his hands, and the bracelets would slip off. Father and he were great cronies. They were own cousins and were said to look alike.

"Another contemporary of Artemus Ward's whom I met was a stooping, elderly village man who walked with a cane. I called at his house in the evening, and I called early because I had been told that he 'went to bed with the chickens.' We sat in his kitchen in the gradually increasing dusk of the twilight.

"Yes, I knew Charles Brown," he said, and I helped lower him into the ground. His body was brought here about the beginning of summer from England in a metallic casket all sealed and soldered up. The casket was cut open at his mother's request, and we see it was Charles inside. There was a funeral at the house, attended by a few of the neighbors, and then we went to the cemetery at South Water-

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

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Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile, crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you feel "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store or dealer and get a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a

spoonful and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it cannot silitate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

Lots of city farmers make a specialty of sowing wild oats.

It takes a conscientious man to enjoy his work if the remuneration is small.

A seismograph invented by a Japanese scientist registers the velocity of all earthquakes two hundredfold.

THIS IS THE AGE OF YOUTH.
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Her Idea.
"What's your idea of a flirt?" he asked.
"Oh, every other girl," she replied.

Hard to Damage.
"Alpine scenery is very grand."
"Very durable, too. I imagine it will pull through the war all right."—Kansas City Journal.

Agreed.
Sadie—Say, honest now, do you like Maggie?
Pauline—Well, she's got a good heart an' she means well, but—
Sadie—Neither do I—Puck.

Not a Matter of Gossip.
"Ah!" I have often heard of you, Mr. Gloom," suavely said the representative of an eastern publishing house who called on only the few persons in each neighborhood who were of sufficient intelligence to appreciate the valuable literary works which he was purveying. "Uh-huh!" returned the dour and savage citizen. "Never heard of my being civil to a book agent, did you?"—Kansas City Star.

Man Without a Country.
An Italian translation of Dr. E. E. Hale's famous story, "The Man Without a Country," has been circulated in Italy in a cheap pamphlet edition for the purpose of arousing patriotic feeling. A writer in the Christian Register, noting this fact, tells us that he once asked Doctor Hale if he really felt his great patriotic story as deeply as he made his readers feel it, and that he received a most emphatic affirmative response.

Matter of Speech.
As a rule the native of a country will naturally speak his own language better than a foreigner of equal standing. Of course, very few of us speak our own language perfectly, but still fewer speak perfectly any language besides their own. It is true that our characteristically careless habits of speech make the English of an educated foreigner more careful than that of the average American, if not more perfect.

Case of Must.
"You're not smoking as much as you used to. Did your doctor order you to stop?"
"No. I'm a martyr to fashion."
"What's fashion got to do with smoking?"
"If you saw my wife's dressmaker and milliner bills you wouldn't ask such a foolish question."

It is.
"Time is money."
"Yep, but it's mighty tough if time is all you've got to spend."
One mine in New Zealand last year produced \$13,821,651.

Surgeon General Rupert Blue of the U. S. Public Health Service Says:

"I WANT TO WARN YOU AGAINST THE CRAZE PEOPLE IN THIS COUNTRY HAVE FOR WHITE FLOUR. THE WHITEST FLOUR IS NOT THE BEST; IT IS NOT THE PUREST; IT IS ONLY THE DEAREST, AND WHEN YOU BUY IT YOU BUY LOOKS AND NOT NOURISHMENT. IN ORDER TO MAKE IT WHITE, SOME OF THE MOST NOURISHING AND ESSENTIAL COMPONENTS OF THE NATURAL WHEAT HAVE BEEN TAKEN AWAY."

These "nourishing and essential components" are the priceless mineral phosphates of the grain, known as the "tissue salts," indispensable for perfect health of body, brain and nerves.

Everywhere food scientists and physicians are sounding a like note of warning, for a host of ills is following the pernicious practise of casting out these elements in the milling process, and that, simply to make the flour look white and pretty. Neurasthenia, anemia, Bright's disease, constipation, rickets, and a lowered resistance against disease in general, are some of these ills.

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AVES JAIL FOR MINISTRY
Murderer Has Become High Educated During 20 Years He Spent in Prison.

George Jones, who was serving a sentence in the state penitentiary, has walked free from the walls of the state penitentiary, he was let for Kentucky, where he is to enter a college and prepare himself for the ministry. Anxious that his name should be forgotten, he refused

to name the college, but it is in the southern part of the Bluegrass state. The release of Jones was secured through the intercession of Miss Emma Davis, sister of United States Solicitor John W. Davis, who has been engaged in prison relief work for years. When Jones was received in the penitentiary he was an illiterate boy of twenty, who could neither read nor write. Today he is a well-educated man of forty. He killed Gordon Hetcher, a neighbor and playmate, in an argument about money. He has been a

model prisoner.—Mountsville (W. Va.) Dispatch New York World.

Those Poor London Cats!
An urgent appeal in behalf of a cats' home, stating that "the dreadful war will break up unless our kind friends help us to hold on," moves the Times to an editorial protest.

"In the throes of the most frightful war of modern times," remarks the paper, "when millions of human beings are suffering death, mutilation, and a neighbor and playmate, in an argument about money. He has been a

that comes of looking before and after, exhortations to bestow alms upon animals seem a little out of season.

One serious phase of the cat situation is the large number left behind by deported or interned Germans.—London dispatch to Philadelphia Record.

If one had a voice which would reach to San Francisco it would take four hours for the sound to carry so far.

Dew Ponds. The name "dew ponds" is given to certain isolated ponds on the upper levels of the chalk downs of the south of England and elsewhere.

Nearest Fixed Star. Alpha Centauri is the sun nearest to the earth of all the fixed stars.

THE EUROPEAN WAR A YEAR AGO THIS WEEK

Oct. 11, 1914. Heavy fighting near Soissons. German attacks in Craonne region repulsed.

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The Spiritual Life.

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Strike Proper Balance.

Sex, religion and insanity are nearly associated. There is nothing that should be so well balanced as the religious belief of everyone.

Cold Light.

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The Next Step.

Be the noblest man that your present faith, poor and weak and imperfect as it is, can make you be.

Like Old Friends.

At a dinner-and-theater party recently given in Washington a beautiful debutante was frightened beyond measure because Senator Blank had been selected for her escort.

Usually a Liberal One.

"Pa, what is graft?" "Graft, my son, is a sort of tip pocketed by the servants of the people."

Someone Responsible.

An angry man entered the water of ice of an eastern city the other day and fiercely announced to the clerk:

Fit for Reception.

"How do your woman audiences take to your candy-making lectures?" "Oh, they just eat 'em up."

Life of Big Guns.

Guns with a bore of 12 inches or more can only fire 90 full charges.

Modern Life.

"Formerly a girl took pride in accumulating linen for her chest." "Well?"

On Second Thought.

"Those men for whom you failed to get government positions were rather indignant."

More Laws.

"Why can't I come to see you tomorrow night?" "Don't blame me," said the beautiful girl.

The Way of It.

"Miss Gladys has a way of getting presents of diamond rings."

Save Your Money.

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GOOD ENOUGH AS A SAMPLE

Quality of Helping Was All Right, But in Quantity It Left Much to Be Desired.

The War Spirit.

A fat "colored mammy" of the "old school" was hauled into court for throwing her washing board at her neighbor's husband.

Hereditary.

The baby had finished his bottle of milk, and the proud mother thought it would be a good time to get him to say "mamma," "papa," and "by-by."

For the Human System.

For cuts, burns, bruises, stiff neck, sore throat, sprains, lame back and bunions, use Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh.

Lost and Found.

"My husband lost his temper yesterday." "Well, that depends. If I can find a girl with a million or two who doesn't want to be married for herself alone."

Small Chance.

"Do you ever expect to be married?" "Well, that depends. If I can find a girl with a million or two who doesn't want to be married for herself alone."

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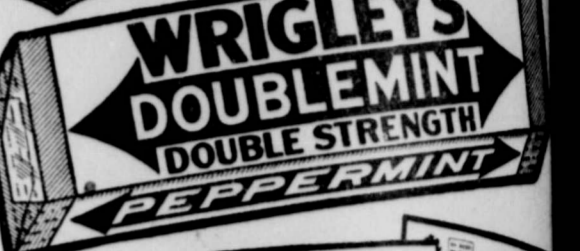
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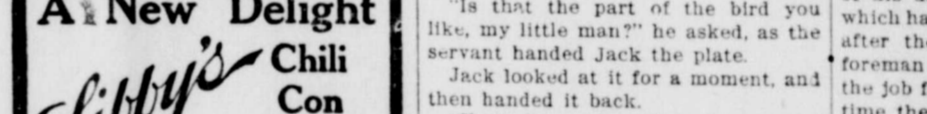


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Cause for Anxiety.

"Gadspur tells me that while on his vacation this summer he was tossed about on one of the great lakes in a disabled launch for forty-eight hours before being rescued."

Reminded.

"When the autumnal frosts touch the foliage with tints of red and yellow against the gray sky, doesn't that inspire you to thoughts?"

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A Giveaway.

"You seem to have a deep-rooted aversion to wrist watches."

LADIES!

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Quite True.

"Do you know that girls often think more of a dog than they do of a man before they are married?"

A good cook should be at the head of every provisional government.

Hanford's Balsam is good for blood poisoning.

A man is apt to feel girlish when he is making his maiden speech.

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