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CITY OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR CHOSEN

In the city election Tuesday Frank Kendall was chosen for Mayor, and C. B. Battle, W. G. Brinson, J. B. Masterson, T. C. Lively and C. E. Johnson for Aldermen. This is a splendid selection, for they are all well qualified to serve the public as officials, and we believe, will do so without fear or favor. The offices do not carry any salary and the work done by the Council is done gratis, and citizens should co-operate with them in the management of the city's affairs in every way possible. Not by criticism, but by standing by them in what they do. It is said that any man serving the public without a salary gets paid in "cussings." It is to be hoped it will not be the case in Hedley.

The outgoing officers have done good work during the past year in getting the City government in good working order, and had considerable to do to get it in shape, for it was the first year of the incorporation. They have showed good business judgment and are to be commended.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES ELECTED SATURDAY

The election last Saturday for trustees of Hedley Independent School District resulted in the election of J. S. Beach, A. N. Wood, C. A. Hicks, and T. T. Harrison by large majorities. Mr. Beach was elected for the second term. These men are qualified to make good trustees.

Considerable interest was manifested in the election, there being 125 votes cast, and the ones elected received from 91 to 105 votes.

The remaining trustees to hold over are L. L. Cornelius, C. F. Sanford and J. I. Steele.

GASOLINE FILLING STATION

N. M. Hornsby has installed a gasoline filling station and has put the price to 22c per gallon in keeping with the customary price of adjoining towns. advt

Is the product of the celebrated South American Maté, by far the most popular drink of all others combined in Argentine, Paraguay, Chile, Uruguay and Southern Brazil, the most up-to-date and progressive section of South America.

El Maté is the most delightful, healthful drink ever put on the American market—the only drink suitable for the home, as well as the fountain; it is meritorious, liked by all, and the biggest repeater ever sold over a fountain. It spreads like magic; it meets with popular favor with all classes; it is favorably talked about by dispensers, traveling men and all who come in contact with it.

It does not have a single objection and may be used as freely as desired with the most gratifying results. It is destined to fill a place in every home. It is liked for its thirst-quenching, refreshing, soothing and beneficial properties at every fountain, at the table, and for afternoon refreshment in the home by young and old.

M. E. CHURCH TO BE DEDICATED NEXT SUNDAY

The Hedley M. E. Church will be dedicated next Sunday. Presiding Elder Hall of Clarendon will conduct the dedicatory service and deliver the dedicatory sermon.

Work was started on the church in 1912 by Rev. G. H. Bryant, now located at Estelline, and finished the next year. A few days ago the last payment was made preparatory to the dedication.

Quarterly Conference will be held Monday.

ENJOYS REUNION OF HER FAMILY THIS WEEK

Mrs. E. G. Dishman had two days of real enjoyment this week. Her five sons were all present Tuesday and Wednesday—the first time they have all been together in three years. Robt. Dishman, who has been in California, Oregon and Washington the past three years came home Monday night. He was on his way to Dallas to resume work there. Gene, who is working in Amarillo, also came to be with the family. Then there were Ed, Lake and Grafton to complete the family. They had big dinners Tuesday and Wednesday to fill out the cup of enjoyment. These family reunions are always greatly enjoyed.

INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

The bad weather of last Friday and Saturday interfered with the Interscholastic Meet at Clarendon, and it has been arranged to take place today and tomorrow.

W. M. AUXILIARY

Monday April 10, 2:30 p. M. The School Brings Light. Bible lesson "In Partnership with God" Matt. 25: 34-45; 28: 24-27.

Song, Stepping in the Light. Prayer. For our home work. Reading, The Transformation of a Mountain Girl—Mrs. C. E. Johnson.

Honors for Sue Bennett Students—Mrs. Lively. A Mountain School that makes Men—Mrs. Scales.

A story, Mrs. Lilly Meekin: "A Friend of Man"—Mrs. Bain. Little Faggots for Missionary Fires—Mrs. Davis.

A Poem: To give is to live—Mrs. Harrison.

Roll call. Name and locate a Home Mission Work. Leader, Mrs. Masterson. Publicity Supt.

LITTLE FOLKS MISSION

Song, No. 38. Bible lesson, Exodus 20: 1-12. Prayer.

Story—Ita Pool. Reading—Mildred Reavis.

Song—Leone Wimberly and Cloetel Moreman. Reading—Jessie Pool.

Minutes and roll call. Answer with a verse of scripture. Song, 130.

Leader, Vashli Watkins. Dismissed with Lord's Prayer.

Reporter.

ALEXANDER ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION

J. J. Alexander authorizes his announcement as a candidate for re-election to the office of County and District Clerk of Donley County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Alexander has made an efficient clerk and his record speaks for itself. Ever courteous and obliging, and always at his post of duty; looks well after the affairs of the county that come under his jurisdiction. He also keeps the expenses of his office in an economical way. If elected he promises the same careful attention to the duties of the office as has characterized his tenure of office heretofore, will appreciate your support and influence in the coming election. He asks that you who are acquainted with his record to investigate same before casting your vote.

Federal Court will convene in Amarillo April 17, and the Grand and Pettit jurors for same have been summoned. Two Hedley men are on the list: J. L. Bidwell, Grand juror; and W. G. Brinson, Pettit.

VICTOR B. SMITH ANNOUNCES FOR COUNTY CLERK

Victor B. Smith has entered the race for the office of County and District Clerk of Donley County and authorizes the Informer to announce his candidacy subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Smith has been a resident of Donley County for the past ten years, two years of that time at Jericho and the remaining eight years in one mile of Clarendon; has been prominent as a public school teacher, having taught for the past seven years in Donley county schools. He is well qualified to fill the office to which he aspires and asks the voters to investigate him as to his qualifications, and promises if elected to do all in his power to fill the office to the best of his ability. Give his candidacy your careful and earnest consideration before casting your vote.

W. T. White let the contract this week and work has been started on a nice five-room house on the Scales lots in west Hedley which he bought, to be occupied by J. R. Benson. Watch Hedley grow.

BOATMAN ANNOUNCES FOR CONSTABLE

W. M. Boatman authorizes the Informer to announce his candidacy for the office of Constable for Precinct No. 3 of Donley County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary next July.

Mr. Boatman desires to state that he is a resident of Hedley, has lived here several months, and is acquainted with the duties demanded of a peace officer, and if elected promises to look after the duties of the office to the best of his ability, keep down law breaking in the precinct, do the right thing and treat everybody right; look after the interests of the people and serve them to the best of his knowledge. Give his candidacy your careful consideration before casting your vote.

SLUGGED IN THE DARK SATURDAY NIGHT

While going to the picture show Saturday night Pros Sullivan was struck under the chin and knocked out for a while. He said it was done so quickly and unexpectedly that he didn't have time to see who did it, but that he heard some one running away. Evidently he was taken for some one else, for Pros is a quiet boy and has no enemies. This is the first time that slugging has been done in Hedley in the dark and we hope it will be the last.

More Street Work Done by the City

The City Council had more street work done this week that helped considerable. Places that were too hard and dry the first time work was done were worked over, low places in the streets filled and rough places smoothed down.

Johnson's Garage Sold to Caraway Co.

We understand that a deal was made last week whereby Caraway Co. became the owners of the garage business established by Bond W. Johnson.

LOCAL DRUGGIST MAKES A STATEMENT

We always advise people who have stomach or bowel trouble to see a doctor. But to those who do not wish to do this we will say: try the mixture of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-I-ka. This simple remedy is so powerful that JUST ONE SPOONFUL relieves sour stomach, gas and constipation INSTANTLY. People who try Adler-I-ka are surprised at its QUICK action. The Hedley Drug Co.

Advertising merchant deserves your confidence and patronage, because he believes in his goods and stands behind them, else he would not advertise them. Patronize the merchants who advertise in the Informer.

When you need any corn ground into meal, feed chopped, or any work of that kind done, bring it to me and same will receive prompt attention.

N. M. Hornsby.

WAR AFFECTS NEW PAPER

That the war directly affected this country is not disputed. All effected more or even so in

demanding a higher upward prices for paper for the result of the same the manufacture has been decreased and in some cases shut off entirely.

Because of the war the price of paper has increased and the demand for paper has increased. The price of paper has increased and the demand for paper has increased.

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AT THE
"The PLEASANT HOUR"
Saturday Matinee and Night Program
Big-U 3-Reel Feature
Murdock Macquarre as Detective Harding in
"THE MYSTERY OF THE TAPESTRY ROOM"
Nestor Comedy
Produced by A. L. Christie, Lee Moran, Victoria Ford, and Eddie Lyons, in a Riotous Musical Discord
"WHEN HER IDOL FELL"
SPECIAL
15c Photoplay Magazine given away with every ticket purchased Saturday Night.
Matinee 3 to 4 P. M.
Night Show 8 to 10

ARE YOU GUILTY?
A FARMER carrying an express package from a big mail-order house was accosted by a local dealer.
"Why didn't you buy that bill of goods from me? I could have sold you the express, and besides you would have been patronizing a home store, which helps pay the taxes and builds up this locality."
The farmer looked at the merchant a moment and then said:
"Why don't you patronize your home paper and advertise? I read it and didn't know that you had a staff I have here."
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It, drink lots of water; any pharmacist four Salts; take a table-glass of water before few days and your fine. This fa- from the acid of ce, combined en used for gged kidneys normal activity, acids in urine, source of irrita- der weakness. sive, cannot ighful effervescent which everyone d then to keep the active. Druggists lots of Jad Salts to in overcoming kid- it is only trouble.—

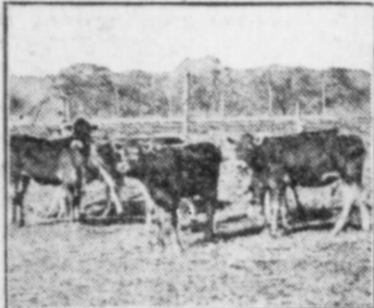
DAIRY FACTS

IMPROVEMENT OF DAIRY COW

How Much Credit Must Be Given for Better Feeding and Care and How Much for Breeding?

In increasing the production of a dairy herd how much credit must be given for better feeding and care and how much for better breeding and selection?

This question has been argued back and forth and experiment stations in this and all other countries have made



Young Jerseys at Pasture.

tests showing that from nine to fifty per cent increases have been made by better feeding and care.

The answer, of course, depends a great deal on previous feeding and care, but it is not an important question.

The important thing is that we know positively that by better feeding and care better breeding and selection the production can be increased very largely and very profitably. It doesn't matter what form of effort gets the credit, the result is what we want.

DEVICE TO SEPARATE CREAM

Machine Will Often Pay for Itself in One Year, Much Depending on Number of Cows Kept.

The cream separator is a mechanical device for separating the cream from the milk, almost instantaneously by centrifugal force. Its advantages over the old methods of separation are:

1. It takes practically all the butter fat and will save from five to ten dollars per cow each year over any methods.
 2. Skim milk has its greatest feeding value while warm, clean and sweet.
 3. The labor connected with the care of the milk can be decreased and the profits from the cows greatly increased because a better quality of cream can be obtained.
- A cream separator is an investment and not an expense to anyone who keeps five or six good cows, and wants to make butter or sell cream. A separator will often pay for itself in one year, often in less time, according to the number of cows kept. With proper care and attention, a cream separator will last a decade.

CHURNING HINTS FOR WINTER

Butter-Making Troubles May Be Overcome by Keeping Cream at the Proper Temperature.

Troubles arising from winter butter-making may largely be overcome by keeping the cream to be churned at a temperature of 52 degrees Fahrenheit until two days before churning, when it should be placed where the temperature is about 75 degrees Fahrenheit.

The cream should be kept at 58 to 60 degrees Fahrenheit during churning time and when the butter collects into small nut sizes the buttermilk should be drained off and water at a temperature of 60 degrees Fahrenheit should be poured over it, repeating the rinsing process two or three times.

With the last rinsing, give twenty churning revolutions and draw off the water. To work the butter, place the particles on a flat board and strew the salt over it uniformly and work just enough to distribute the salt evenly throughout the butter.

MILK ONLY WITH DRY HANDS

Practice of Wetting Hands is Filthy Habit and Liable to Cause Cow's Teats to Chap.

Milkers should be allowed to milk only with dry hands. The practice of wetting the hands with milk is a filthy habit and is liable to cause the cows' teats to chap in the winter time.

Milking should be done quickly and thoroughly, with no violent jerking of the teats.

After each cow is milked the milk should be removed immediately to the milk house.

Avoid Wooden Stalls.

Stalls of wood have many flat surfaces and cracks which are difficult to keep clean, and in case of an outbreak of disease are not easy to disinfect thoroughly. Stalls and swing stanchions made of metal pipe are more sanitary.

Using Bog Moss for Dressing Wounds

By A. C. BERNARD, Washington, D. C.

Few of the many adaptations and changes brought about by the European war in the countries of the old world have interested botanists, health officials and surgeons in the government service more than the reports made from European countries to the department of commerce of the growing use of sphagnum, or bog moss, for dressing wounds, and the satisfactory service it is giving.

Almost from the time of the birth of modern surgery specially prepared cotton has been used for absorbent dressings, and has even been considered a surgical necessity. Large quantities of such dressing materials have been shipped from the United States to the belligerent countries by the Red Cross and other organizations, and such cotton as could be spared in the countries at war has also been put into shape for hospital use. The tremendous demand for cotton, however, for use in the manufacture of explosives, coupled with the pressing need for materials to dress the enormous number of wounds that modern war machinery inflicts, has made it necessary to find a substitute for hospital use. This has been true even in Great Britain and France, with which countries the way to the great American cotton supply has been practically without interruption. The result, the commerce department has found, is that many tons of sphagnum are being gathered now from the bogs of Europe and sent to the hospitals and field surgical depots.

Though driven to the use of the moss without choice, European surgeons have found to their surprise that in some ways it is superior to cotton for surgical use. The long, soft, close-growing fibers, which are not unlike the ravelings of a thick silken carpet, have a springiness that makes a comfortable dressing for the patient. It also has the property of diffusing discharges throughout the dressing instead of passing them directly through, as does cotton wool. Another advantage of the moss over cotton is that it has the power of disinfecting.

The moss grows in great profusion throughout the temperate zones and is the principal material from which peat is eventually formed. Much of it has been collected in the past, and has entered commerce for the use of florists, for stuffing mattresses and furniture and for other such purposes. Now that its good qualities have been demonstrated in surgery, especially for dressing compound fractures, it is believed that before long it will be possible to purchase specially prepared packages of the material in drug stores as absorbent cotton is now purchased.

"Kids" of Long Ago and Now

By Joseph Terrell, Washington, D. C.

When you come to read it and then figure it out you cannot help thinking of the good fortune of the rising generation in the matter of getting an education. Who ever thought when the former generation went to school to have the dentists and nurses and the experts on hygiene visit the school at stated intervals and put the kids through a course of sprouts? Who ever would anticipate that our children would have an advantage of perhaps 1,000 per cent in obtaining an education, as compared with the hardships we were forced to undergo?

In New York city years ago the men who are today making history in that metropolis obtained their education only by grim determination; they were not petted and cajoled into doing this or that; there were no parent-school-teacher organizations to devise schemes or systems toward the betterment of educational methods.

The kids were chased out to school; when lunchtime came around they went home to lunch, and there were no hot soup propositions such as you read about nowadays. And it is my opinion that the kids of those days were tougher and possessed of much more brawn than some of the specimens I see daily on the streets returning from the elementary and high schools. At any rate they knew more about manly things, and while they were a bit shy on algebra or geometry, they could take care of themselves when it came to a rough house and in the end made first-class citizens.

I don't say the present generation is the loser by these exalted ideas in the matter of educating the young, but I do know that they will be not one whit better citizens than the kids we had running around the streets thirty and forty years ago.

Every Girl Should Develop Good Taste

By Miss Florence Hunt, Assistant in Domestic Art, Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kan.

Individuality, simplicity and quality of material are elements that must be considered by the girl who aspires to be well dressed. Too much stress cannot be placed on the importance of developing good taste. Good taste includes knowledge of color, line, form, material, and suitability to the occasions upon which the dress is worn. Dress for school, business, or street wear or for dress affair should, of course, be distinctive.

The costume must be suited to the individual according to line and form. A tall person cannot wear the same style as the short person. The same principles apply also to materials used.

The study of color harmony is made practical by combining samples of materials and designing appropriate costumes. There are materials which will not combine well and colors that should not be used together.

Another problem is the study of the design principles—the relation of rhythm, balance and harmony to dress. The greatest effort is made to impress upon girls studying costume designing in the college the value of simplicity, good quality and less decoration.

Manners, Like Charity, Begin at Home

By WILLIAM B. BERRY, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Poets have raved over the "joys" of home, but how can anyone enjoy being in a home where some member of the family is forever finding fault?

We all know of such homes, and always feel uneasy when we think of them. We are very anxious to please—to be noted for what is called a "winning personality," but manners, like charity, begin at home.

The wise woman lays the foundation of a charming personality at her own fireside—her heartbeats are for every member of her family—and when she goes outside she endears herself to whomsoever she may meet.

Then be gracious and kind to the folks at home. Be their champion and their champion.

You need not worry about "results." The results will be as sure and as true as the North star. Every member of the family down to the household dog will stand by you through thick and thin and when the keen edges of the world hurt them—cut into them—their hearts will turn longingly and lovingly to home and you.



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The Alabastine way is simple in the extreme—You buy the Alabastine in the colors and quantities you require—it is mixed with cold water in a pail according to the directions on the package. There is no boiling water re-

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Colonel Ross boasts of the fact that he never forgets an acquaintance. His walks downtown are always punctuated with handshakes and an inquiry regarding business, health, wife, children, or what not. Unerringly he touches the right chord and leaves the acquaintance with the feeling that, however indifferent the world may be to him and his affairs, the colonel is his friend.

A few days ago Colonel Ross met a friend. After a cordial handshake and "How are you?" the colonel said, "Where are you working now, Dan?" "At the shop." "Same old place?" "Yes, I got an interest now." "An interest? Well, that's nice! Since when?" and the colonel shook his friend's hand vigorously. "Since Saturday. The boss told me I'd have to take an interest in the place or quit."—Indianapolis News.

The Philosopher. Mrs. Knicker—Outdoor work is healthy. Weary Willie—Outdoor idleness is much more healthy.

REPRIEVE FOR THE BIRDS

War in Europe Has Meant That Feathered Creatures Have a Chance to Increase and Multiply.

While men are destroying each other in Europe, they are giving the wild creatures a respite. This is not philanthropy, but business—war business. Anyone who can point a gun must aim it at the enemy. But the effect on the birds is all that the most ardent Audubon society could desire.

France has prohibited all hunting and the sale of native game. Ordinarily, more than 1,000 tons of such game, nearly all birds, are sold in French markets, not to mention the quantity consumed by the hunters. Two million pounds of birds represent a pretty heavy slaughter, and the absence of this destruction will help to re-people the woods and fields with feathered folk. Belgium, in normal times, exports more than 50,000 sky-larks for food. Since most of these are trapped, it may be that the destruction is not greatly lessened in some parts of the country, but in or near the war zone birds are immune.

A Whale Market. Jonah complained. "We are always advised to buy at the bottom, but there is nothing for sale," he cried.



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You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound to-night and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

This preparation is a toilet requisite and is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.—Adv.

All America. Knicker—I believe in America first. Becker—And also second.—New York Sun.

STOMACH MISERY GAS, INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" fixes sick, sour, gassy stomachs in five minutes.

Time! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, or sour breath.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most-certain indigestion remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

Please for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which doesn't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest relief known. Adv.

Then Why? "Will you marry me, Ethel? My family is all one could wish for." "Then why do you want me?"

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Entered as second class matter October 28, 1910, at the postoffice at Hedley, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Four issues make a newspaper month.

Advertising locals run and are charged for until ordered out, unless specific arrangements are made when the ad is brought in.

All Obituaries, Resolutions of Respect, Cards of Thanks, Advertising Church or Society doings when admission is charged, will be treated as advertising and charged for accordingly.

What we don't go after we seldom get.

A dog and a dude make an interesting combination of something and nothing.

If rags continue to advance in price we'll soon be tempted to toss our editorial trousers onto the market.

Col. Cecil A. Lyon of Sherman died Tuesday. He was a noted Republican leader in Texas, and was General of the Texas National Guard.

So far as we can learn the fruit has not been destroyed by the cold weather of the past few days, and as it has escaped so far we look for a big fruit crop this year.

Some people are so stingy that if they start telling a reporter anything and realize it is an item of news to others, they stop right off in the middle of a sentence and shut up like a clam.

Has Your Subscription Expired? Come in and renew it next time you are in town.

Advertising merchant deserves your confidence and patronage, because he believes in his goods and stands behind them, else he would not advertise them. Patronize the merchants who advertise in the Informer.

"Damn" is not a cuss word, but the name of a small coin once used by the ancients, remarks the Fort Worth Record. If this is true, replies The Mineral Wells Index, we'd like to go back and talk over a few incidents in the past and correct some statements we've made under the impression that it was a perfectly good cuss word.—Wise County Messenger.

KODAK FILMS

DEVELOPED FREE

Prints three cents each at Stockings Drug Store Clarendon, Texas. Mail us your films enclosing stamps for number of pictures wanted.

Statement, Management, Circulation, Etc.

Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912. Of the Hedley Informer, published weekly, at Hedley, Texas, for April, 1916

State of Texas, County of Donley: Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared J. Claude Wells who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor and publisher of the Hedley Informer, and the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption

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2 That the owner is J. Claude Wells, Hedley, Texas.

3 That there are no bondholders, mortgagees, nor security holders.

J. Claude Wells.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of March, 1916. H. C. Cooper.

It Will Pay You

to become a regular advertiser in This Paper

PREPAREDNESS A QUESTION OF NECESSITY

NATIONS OF WESTERN HEMISPHERE SHOULD ORGANIZE.

Revenue From Income and Inheritance Tax Should be Utilized for Defense.

By J. S. Cullinan, Chairman Texas Economic League

The three important subjects which the Texas Economic League has listed for first consideration are Citizenship, Administration of Justice and Preparedness. Probably the most important of these is Preparedness. Government is a triangle and Preparedness, Administration of Justice and Citizenship are the component parts with Preparedness as the base. Unless we prepare there will be no Citizenship, no Justice, no government.

Our government is now passing through a supreme test of efficiency, and it is for the citizen to say what he expects of government. In my opinion, government should do something more than collect taxes and issue warnings. It is the duty of government to protect its citizens on land and sea, and our government has no more right to refuse to do so than a citizen has a right to refuse to pay taxes. It is not a question of opinion—it is one of necessity, but no nation can protect its citizens unless it has the guns.

The President is correct in his policy of preparedness and protection, and no thoughtful citizen can afford to invite national peril through inefficiency. When our government permits liberty and freedom of its citizens to go by default, it has violated its pledge to the people, as much as if it took liberty and freedom from them by force. There can be no government without force. A court without a sheriff is nothing more than a debating society, and a modern government without an army or navy is no government at all. It is a helpless tribe of people.

Real men are animals—not angels. They always have and they always will fight. The cruises of war will never be removed until the human race is removed. Human nature cannot be dismissed from mankind, for in every infant it will be born again. Many psychological causes have been advanced for wars. There is an old Irish tradition that following a dancing craze the world will either pray or fight. The League is not at the moment concerned in the psychological causes of war, as stern realities demand first attention, for the liberties and rights of a citizen guaranteed by the Constitution have been denied our people.

Nation's Duty to Protect Citizens.

Government is organized physical force, and without force there is no government. No man can peacefully possess a thing of value unless in some manner he can defend his title by force. Our government denies the citizen the right to use force, and in disarming the individual enters into

a contract to protect the rights of a citizen by force, and, if necessary, to kill and destroy persons or nations that interfere with the rights of its citizens. It has no option in the matter. It is its first obligation.

This nation is facing a world crisis, and world opportunities. The destinies of the human race are at the moment more nearly in the hands of the American people than any other earthly power, and our government should adopt a policy in dealing with the forces of civilization that will establish permanent world peace. So far as this continent is concerned, in my judgment, the twenty-one Republics should be organized for: First, peace and protection. Second, each Republic should maintain not exceeding one per cent of its population to army and navy duties. Third, that at least sixty per cent of the population of each such Republic should be trained to military discipline and duty; such training period not to exceed two years, to be held thereafter as reserves in case required for the defense of their country or the defense of the continent.

It would further seem highly desirable that applied to the United States a declaration of principles be made covering Federal policies; such, for instance, as the Monroe Doctrine, from which no State should be permitted to depart after such have been voted on and approved by a majority of our people.

The President's plans, as I understand them, call for an investment of \$500,000,000 over a period of five years. I do not think that is sufficient. It seems to me we should shape plans for a continuing expenditure, if need be, of \$5,000,000,000 for such period, and by co-operating with the other twenty American Republics, and possibly Canada, adopt a policy of matching dollars with the balance of the world for the purpose of defense, and protecting liberty, life and property, at much less cost than undertaking to defend the nation against one of the modern powers as now organized.

Congress, in my judgment, should issue Bonds and use the revenue from the income and an inheritance tax only for the purpose of retiring these Bonds. I would further favor universal military training for our young men, adequate provision for our first line of defense, the Navy, substantially increasing our Army, and providing coast defense.

YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE

If you are planning to do any business improving around your place we are glad to figure with you. Also be sure that we always have coal on hand.

Cicero Street Lumber Company



TORNADO INSURANCE

Remember—Cyclones drop around—they don't make appointments. Our policies protect against any windstorm that does damage. You can "put out" some fires, but who ever put out a Tornado? You can run for a safe place, but you can't take the house with you. We provide the funds for a fresh start. The cost is small—the protection great. Better be prepared—you will feel easier every time a dark cloud comes up. The windy season will soon be at hand and you will want the protection when it does come. See me at once. J. C. Wells, Agent.

Patronize

the merchants who advertise in this paper. They will treat you right.

The gin this Friday, Sunday will be at Mullins

Save Was

Printing is getting work and lose the due in work they get. Printers charge very reasonable prices, for all of them get rich nearly all of them work hard.

Moral: Give your printing to a good printer and save money.

Our Printing Is Unexcelled

Farm Loans AND INSURANCE

FIRE HAIL TORNADO LIGHTNING AUTOMOBILE LIVE STOCK

When I write a policy it is strictly correct, and in a company that pays a loss promptly. Ten years of actual experience gives me a right to guarantee my work

J. C. Wells

The Should Hot Water in the Morning

all the stomach, liv-
el poisons be-
breakfast.

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head; no constipa-
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ns, begin this
keep it up!
on the skin,
and purifying,
and hot water
before
the stomach,
liver, and bowels.—Adv.

"Has he sense of fairness?"
"Goodness, yes! He can tell them
a block away."

OUCH! PAIN, PAIN, RUB RHEUMATISM

Rub pain right out with small
trial bottle of old
"St. Jacobs Oil."

Rheumatism is "pain only." Not
one case in fifty requires internal
treatment. Stop drugging! Rub soothe-
ing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" di-
rectly upon the "tender spot," and re-
lief comes instantly. "St. Jacobs Oil"
is a harmless rheumatism cure which
never disappoints and can not burn
the skin.

Limber up! Quit complaining! Get
a small trial bottle of "St. Jacobs Oil"
at the store and in just a moment
you'll be free from rheumatic pain,
soreness, stiffness and swelling. Don't
suffer! "St. Jacobs Oil" has cured mil-
lions of rheumatism sufferers in the
last half century, and is just as good
for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, back-
ache and sprains. Adv.

German shippers have never fa-
vored the Kiel canal, as they prefer
the long sea voyage to the toll
charges.

IS CHILD CROSS, FEVERISH, SICK

Look, Mother! If tongue is
coated, give "California
Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative,"
and nothing else cleanses the tender
stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing
to empty the bowels, and the result is
they become tightly clogged with
waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach
sours, then your little one becomes
cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat,
sleep or act naturally, breath is bad,
stomach full of cold, has sore throat,
stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen,
Mother! See if tongue is coated, then
give a teaspoonful of "California
Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all
the constipated waste, sour bile and
undigested food passes out of the sys-
tem, and you have a well child again.

Millions of mothers give "California
Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly
harmless; children love it, and it never
fails to act on the stomach, liver
and bowels.

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle
of "California Syrup of Figs," which
has full directions for babies, children
of all ages and for grown-ups plainly
printed on the bottle. Adv.

Some husbands would do almost
anything to render their wives un-
speakably happy.

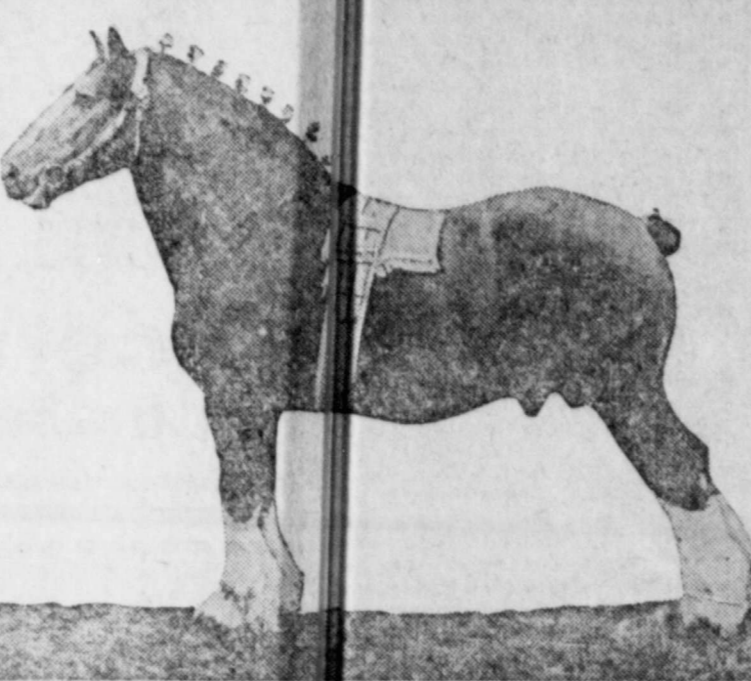
THAT GRIM WHITE SPECTRE,
Pneumonia, follows on the heels of a
neglected cough or cold. Delay no
longer. Take Mansfield's Cough Bal-
sam. Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

Andre Dahl found the dahlia in
Peru.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the
original little liver pills put up 40
years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

Reading early newspaper
each day.

IMPROVE QUALITY OF HORSES AND MULES



An Imported Shire Stallion.

(From the United States Department of
Agriculture.)

In the past ten years twenty states
have enacted laws regulating the pub-
lic service of stallions and jacks. The
principal objects of these laws are
to improve the quality of horse and
mules raised and to protect breeders
against misrepresentation and fraud
on the part of unscrupulous stallion
owners and dealers.

In order to accomplish these re-
sults these laws require the owners of
all stallions and jacks intended for
public service to secure a license from
the stallion registration board of com-
mission. Licenses are issued for pure-
breds, grades, crossbreds, and mong-
rels or scrubs, according to the pro-
visions of the law in the particular
state.

Those stallions or jacks offered by
their owners as purebred must be re-
corded in the studbook published by
a society recognized by the state as
authentic and reliable. The certificate
of registration and pedigree issued by
one of these societies must be pre-
sented to the board with an application
for license and an affidavit certifying
to the condition of soundness.

In their general provisions all of
these laws are similar, but in certain
details vary in a greater or less de-
gree. In some states certain diseases
or unsoundness disqualify a stallion
or jack for public service, while in
others the stallion or jack is per-
mitted to stand, but any unsoundness
must be mentioned on the license cer-
tificate as well as on all post, cir-
culars, etc., used by the owner for ad-
vertising purposes.

The states having laws of this char-
acter are California, Colorado, Idaho,
Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michi-
gan, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska,
New Jersey, North Dakota, Oklahoma,
Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Dakota,
Utah, Washington and Wisconsin.
The last-named state was the first to
pass such a law and Oklahoma the lat-
est one. Under the law in the latter
state stallion owners are not com-
pelled to secure a state license, but it
is safe to say that the holder of a state
license has a great advantage over
the one who does not.

It is a deplorable fact that hundreds
of farmers and mare owners have pa-
troned the inferior stallion with the
cheap service fee. These men seem-
ed to have failed to appreciate that in
paying a higher fee for the service of
the sound purebred sire the service fee
will be more than offset by the higher
price received when the resulting
colt is sold. Nor have they ap-
peared to consider the fact that it
costs as much to raise a grade or mongrel
as it does a purebred.

A lack of consideration in the mat-
ters of soundness, breeding, and regis-
tration have been the cause for much
of the patronage secured by the in-
ferior stallion. However, these laws
have now made it possible for every
farmer and mare owner in these states
to know exactly what a stallion or jack
is before breeding their mares. They
have also benefited the owners of
sound purebred sires because they dis-
courage the use of the unsound, grade,
and mongrel stallion.

The results thus far show a gradual
increase in the percentage of purebred
stallions in service and a decrease in
the percentage of grades and mongrels.
At the present time there are ap-
proximately 58,000 stallions in ser-
vice in these states, of which more than
50 per cent are licensed purebred.
This indicates that breeders are be-
coming more particular in the mat-
ters of soundness and breeding, and
that the owners of stallions who at
first were, in some instances, inclined
to oppose are now siding in the en-
forcement of the provisions of the
laws.

The question may be asked as to
what is becoming of the unsound,
grade, and mongrel stallions. The re-
ports from the various states show
that as the patronage of superior ani-
mals decreases they are either castrated
or shipped out, undoubtedly into
those states where there is no law to
compel them to stand under their true
condition of soundness and breeding,
thus continuing their destructive work
to the horse industry.

It is in these states that breeders
should exercise the greatest caution
before deciding to which stallion they
will breed their mares. They should
demand of the stallion owner that they

be permitted to examine the certificate
of registration and pedigree in order
to learn if the animal is properly regis-
tered in a reliable studbook and if
the age, color, and description agree
with the stallion whose service is be-
ing considered. If the certificate does
not agree with the stallion it is evi-
dent that something is wrong, and it
will be much wiser to refuse the ser-
vice of the stallion than to accept it,
pay the fee, and run the risk of get-
ting a nondescript foal, expensive to
raise, and for which there will be a
poor market.

If a breeder is not familiar with
pedigree and registration societies, he
should consult his state agricultural
college or experiment station, giving
all facts regarding the stallion being
considered for service. In this way
much information may be secured that
will be of value to him in the future
when the question of breeding comes
up.

COMMON CONDITION IN GROWING SWINE

Bone-Building Feed Will Aid
Greatly in Keeping Animals
Free From Paralysis.

(By I. E. NEWSOM, Colorado Agricul-
tural College, Fort Collins, Colo.)

Paralysis of the posterior part of
the body appears to be a rather com-
mon condition in growing hogs, and
sometimes even in mature animals.
While in some instances it may be
due to mechanical causes, such as in-
jury to the back, yet these cannot ex-
plain the greater number of cases. Some
have suggested that intestinal
parasites bear a causal relation, but
this is open to considerable question
as it is difficult to see just how worms
in the intestine could produce pa-
ralysis.

The theory that seems most plausi-
ble is that the bones, particularly of
the spinal column, become softened,
thus producing pressure on the spinal
cord. The softening of the bones is
probably due in many instances to
lack of lime salts in the food and is
not frequently noted when the victi-
ms have been heavily fed on corn.
Consequently a rational treatment
consists in the addition of lime water
to the feed and an entire change of
diet, especially with a view to build-
ing better bone. That this treatment
will have any beneficial effect on the
affected animals is open to question,
but such measures when instituted
should prevent other animals com-
ing down with the disease.

PERCHERON HORSES ARE OF FIRST CLASS

Importance of Good Feeding Is
Emphasized by President of
the Percheron Society.

In his annual address E. B. White,
president of the Percheron Society of
America, emphasized the importance
of good feeding as follows:
"Let me call your attention to the
fact that you cannot grow first-class
animals without giving them an abun-
dant feed, and at the same time
obtain satisfactory results.
"Any breeder who thinks he is going
to produce a Percheron horse equal to
the imported and run him in the stalk
fields, or give no serious thought to
the cost of his keep, has made a fail-
ure almost before he has started.
"We without doubt have the best
foundation stock in the world, and if
our breeders learn to grow out the
young animals, which can only be done
by liberal feeding and abundance of
fresh air and exercise, our friends in
France, when the war is over, will find
they have lost the American trade for
all time to come."

Farmer Won't Starve.
The garden not only saves living
cost, but it affords a living worth
while. With a good garden, a home
orchard, meat and bread, all of which
may be raised on the farm, there is
little likelihood that the farmer will
starve.

FARM ANIMALS

EFFECTIVE REMEDY FOR LICE

Important Question Right Now Be-
cause Pest Is More Troublesome
in Winter Than Summer.

(By R. C. ASHBY, University Farm, St.
Paul, Minn.)

It has been estimated that a 150-
pound hog has 92,000 drops of lice.
Suppose he is supporting 1,000 lice
and each takes one drop of blood per
day. What per cent of his blood will
be lost daily, and who will pay the
bill?

The question is important right now,
for lice are worse in winter than in
summer. The hogs pile up closely and
spend much time in their beds. The
lice take advantage of the situation and
breed rapidly.

To remove the lice is neither diffi-
cult nor expensive. Dipping or spray-
ing with coal-tar compounds is danger-
ous in winter, but three other treat-
ments are available. These are:

1. Equal parts kerosene and machine
oil mixed together and applied with
an oil can, brush or swab.
2. Crude oil (thinned with kerosene,
if too thick), applied with a brush or
as a spray.
3. Powdered staphisagria dusted on
the pigs, or steeped as a tea and ap-
plied with a brush or as a spray.

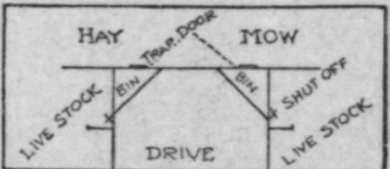
For a small bunch the first treat-
ment is the most convenient, but when
one has many hogs the crude oil is
cheaper. Be sure to apply behind the
ears and in both flanks. The lice pre-
fer folds of the skin.

Clean the beds and pens thoroughly,
also. If these are thoroughly sprayed
with the oil, there should be no fur-
ther trouble from the lice. If the hogs
sleep in straw sheds, one can keep
them free from lice by treating them
every two weeks. Try it!

FEED BINS MADE CONVENIENT

Can Be Built Beneath Hay Floor
Where Stock Is Kept—Much Time
and Labor Is Saved.

Handy feed bins can be built be-
neath the floor of hay drive where
stock is kept below the hay. Slanted
as shown, the grain falls into the spout
leading into a box to catch the waste,
a shutoff slide fits into end of spout.
The spout may be made to empty into
alley or where most convenient. This



saves labor and time, because you fill
the bins through trap doors in floor
above and there is no lifting at any
time.

FEED FOR FATTENING STEERS

Result of Interesting Experiment at
South Dakota Station With Sil-
lage and Mill Products.

The South Dakota station reports a
test made in which three lots of year-
ling steers of four head each were fed
during a 145-day feeding period, each
lot receiving all the silage the steers
would eat and 12 pounds of a by-prod-
uct, this being for lot one oil meal,
lot two cotton seed meal, and lot
three dried distillers' grains. The av-
erage daily gains per head were 2.45,
1.95, and 2.17 pounds, respectively;
and during the first ninety days 2.69,
2.08, and 2.48 pounds. The estimated
cost per pound of gain was 6.86, 6.44,
and 5.5 cents.

In two other lots grain was substi-
tuted for one-half, by weight, of the
silage fed in the former lots, lot four
receiving oats and lot five, corn. The
former lot made average daily gains
of 2.18 pounds per head, the latter
2.09, and during the first ninety days
2.3 and 2.01 pounds, respectively, cost-
ing 6.88 and 8.22 cents per pound of
gain. The average amount of gain for
the 146-day feeding period was as fol-
lows: Lot one, 19.7 pounds of silage
and 1.2 pounds of oil meal; lot two,
21.2 pounds of silage and 1.5 pounds
of cotton seed meal; lot three, 20.3
pounds of silage and 1.3 pounds of
dried distillers' grains; lot four, 10.9
pounds of silage and 4.7 pounds of
oats; and lot five, 11.6 pounds of sil-
age and 5.9 pounds of shelled corn.

Danger With Alfalfa.
Avoid letting horses overfeed on
alfalfa hay, as there is danger of
causing kidney trouble. A rule that
has been followed successfully in feed-
ing alfalfa hay is to give one pound of
hay for every 100 pounds of horse
weight.

Time for Watering Horse.
Water taken into the stomach of a
horse is bound to go in quickly. If
given after feeding, it will carry much
undigested food with it. Before meals
is the time for watering.



Colds Make Backs Ache

MORE aching backs, more kidney troubles come in March, than in
any other month. Slushy sidewalks, dampness, raw winds and
sudden changes cause chills and colds. And chills or colds tend to
hurt the kidneys. It is good sense to use a kidney remedy when recov-
ering from a cold and at any time when suffering from a lame back,
sharp pains when stooping or lifting, dizzy spells, irregular or annoy-
ing kidney action, and a run-down, nervous state.

Don't delay and take a chance of getting dropsy, gravel, Bright's
disease or some other serious kidney disease. Use Doan's Kidney
Pills, the best recommended, special kidney remedy. All over the
world grateful people frankly praise Doan's.

Here's What Texas People Say:

J. W. Stowers, West, Tex., says: "I suffered from severe backaches
and rheumatic pains in my limbs. The kidney secretions were some-
times too frequent in passage and then again scanty and filled with
sediment. As soon as I used Doan's Kidney Pills they benefited me.
When I take cold and feel any re-
turn of the trouble, Doan's Kidney
Pills soon fix me up in good shape."

Mrs. Dora A. Redin, 1410 Fifteenth
St., Wichita Falls, Tex., says: "For
a year I had kidney complaint.
Whenever I caught cold or exerted
myself, my back got lame and sore.
A dull ache in my back kept me
miserable and mornings it was hard
for me to dress. I rubbed my back
with liniments and used plasters,
but Doan's Kidney Pills brought
the first relief. They did away
with all the ailments and I have
been in good shape since."

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

At All Stores, 50c a Box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Give Your Liver a Chance

Take a time tried and proven remedy for Liver Complaints, Cost-
iveness, Biliousness, Jaundice, Kidney Troubles, Impure or Bad
Blood, Pimples, Indigestion. If suffering from these take

Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup

Your Liver and Kidneys are your best friends if you keep them in good condition, but
when neglected they become your most dangerous enemies. If you are bilious or consti-
pated you should immediately take this great preparation—50c and \$1—all dealers.

Greater London has about 2,000,000
more persons within its limits than
Greater New York has.

Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes
make us look older than we are. Keep
your Eyes young and you will look young.
After the Movies Murine Your Eyes. Don't
tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co.,
Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

Defined.
"Say, pa, what's a bungalow?"
"Well, a bungalow is a parody on a
house."

IMMEDIATE ATTENTION
Should be given to sprains, swellings,
bruises, rheumatism and neuralgia.
Keep Mansfield's Magic Arnica Liniment
handy on the shelf. Three sizes
—25c, 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

Less Reason to Be.
Father—Aren't you sorry now that
you hit Willie Jones?
Bobby—I ain't half as sorry as he
is.

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of
CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for
infants and children, and see that it
Bears the
Signature of *W. C. Fletcher*
In Use for Over 30 Years.
Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

A mail and express auto, traversing
the wilds of Colorado has a bandit-
proof cage in the rear for valuables.

The older the man, the longer he
looks at a paper before signing it.

NEURALGIA

STIFF NECK

BRUISES

KILLS PAIN

Why bear those pains?

A single bottle will
convince you

**Sloan's
Liniment**

Arrests Inflammation.
Prevents severe compli-
cations. Just put a few
drops on the painful
spot and the pain dis-
appears.

THE CITY OF NUMBERED DAYS

BY FRANCIS LYNDE

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It seems to be the scheme of life in all ages and climes that just when a man thinks he is able to stand on his moral feet, temptation comes and tries to trip him up. Do you know the power of money to corrupt honesty? And do you know the power of a good woman to strangle corruption? In this story you will find these problems working themselves out.

CHAPTER I The Heptadem

It was not characteristic of Brouillard—the Brouillard Grislow knew best—that he should suffer the purely technical talk of dams and reservoirs, bed-rock anchorages, and the latest word in concrete structural processes to languish and should drift into personal reminiscences over their first evening campfire in the Niquola.

"As you were saying?" Grislow prompted, stretching himself luxuriously upon the fragrant banking of freshly clipped spruce tips, with his feet to the blaze and his hands locked under his head. He felt that Brouillard was merely responding to the subtle influences of time, place and encampments and took no shame for being an analytical rather than a sympathetic listener. The hundred-odd men of the pioneer party, relaxing after the day-long march over the mountains, were smoking, yarning, or playing cards around the dozen or more campfires. The evening, with a half-grown moon silencing the inverted bowl of a firmament which seemed to shut down, lidlike, upon the mountain rim of the high-walled valley, was wistfully enchanting.

"I was saying that the present-day world slant is sanely skeptical—as it



Brouillard Was Staring Out Over the Loom of the Camp Fires.

should be," Brouillard went on at the end of the thoughtful pause. "Just the same, every man has his little attic streak, if you can hit upon it. For example, away back in the porringer period, in which we are all like the pin-feathered dickybirds, open-mouthed for anything anybody may drop into us someone fed me with the number seven."

"Succulent morsel!" chuckled Grislow. "Did it agree with you?"

Brouillard sat back from the fire and clasped his hands over his bent knees. He was of a type rare enough to be noteworthy—a well-knit figure of a man, rather under the normal stature, but bulging athletically in the loose-fitting khaki of the engineer; dark of skin, and owning a face which might have served as a model for a Viogre study of a fighting franc-tireur.

"I don't remember how early in the game the thing began," he resumed, ignoring Grislow's joking interruption, "but away back in the dimmest dawnings the number seven began to have a curious significance for me. Back in the pin-feather time somebody handed me a fact about the waste and replacement that goes on in the human organism, bringing around a complete cellular change about once in every seven years. Are you asleep?"

"Not yet; go on," said the hydrographer.

"Up to my seventh birthday I was a sickly child, puny and only about half alive. It came—the change, I mean—when I was seven years old. That was the year of our removal to Vincennes from the country village where I was born. Since that time I haven't known what it means to be sick, or even ailing."

"Bully old change!" applauded Grislow. "Is that all?"

"No. What the second period sang on my body it took out of my mind. I

grew stouter and stronger every year, and became more and more the stupidest blockhead that ever thumbed a schoolbook. I was fourteen to a day when I squeezed through the final grammar grade; think of it—fourteen years old and still with the woman teachers! I found out afterward that I got my dubiously given passport to the high school chiefly because my father was one of the best-known and best-loved men in the old home town. Perhaps it wasn't the magic seven that built me all over new that summer; perhaps it was only the change in schools and teachers. But from that year on all the hard things were too easy. It was as if somebody or something had suddenly opened a closed door in my brain and let the daylight into all the dark corners at once."

Grislow sat up and finished for him. "Yes; and since that time you have staved your way through the university, and butted into the reclamation service, and played skittles with every other man's chances of promotion until you have come out at the top of the heap in the construction division, all of which you're much too modest to brag about. But, say; we've skipped one of the seven-year flag stations. What happened when you were twenty-one—or were you too busy just then chasing the elusive engineering degree to take notice?"

Brouillard was staring out over the loom of the dozen campfires—out and across the valley at the massive bulk of Mount Chigringo rising like a huge barrier dark to the skyline save for a single pinprick of yellow light fixing the position of a solitary miner's cabin half way between the valley level and the summit. When he spoke again the hydrographer had been given time to shave another pipe charge of tobacco from his pocket plug and to fill and light the brier.

"When I was twenty-one my father died, and"—he stopped short and then went on in a tone which was more than half apologetic—"I don't mind telling, Grislow; you're not the kind to pass it on where it would hurt. At twenty-one I was left with a back load that I am carrying to this good day; that I will probably go on carrying through life."

Grislow walked around the fire, kicked two or three of the charred log ends into the blaze, and growled when the resulting smoke rose up to choke and blind him.

"Forget it, Victor," he said. "In less than a hundredth part of that time you'll be at the top of the reclamation service pay roll—won't that help out?"

"No; not appreciably."

Grislow gave it up at that and went back to the original contention.

"We're dodging the main issue," he said. "What is the active principle of your 'sevens'—or haven't you figured it out?"

"Change," was the prompt rejoinder; "always something different—radically different."

"And what started you off into the memory woods, particularly tonight?"

"Coincidence. It began with that hopelessly unreliable little clock that Anson persists in carrying around with him wherever he goes. While you were up on the hill cutting your spruce tips Anson went over to his tent and lighted up, and a few minutes afterward I heard the clock strike—seven. Just as I was comfortably forgetting the significant reminder the clock went off again, striking slowly, as if the mechanism were nearly run down."

"Another seven?" queried Grislow. "No; it struck four."

"Well?" was the bantering comment. "I suppose Anson was tinkering with his little tin god of a timepiece. It's a habit of his."

"I was curious enough to go and look. When I lifted the flap the tent was empty. The clock was ticking away on Anson's soap-box dressing

case, with a lighted candle beside it, and for a crazy half-second I had a shock, Murray—the minute hand was pointing to four and the hour hand to seven!"

"Still I don't see the miraculous significance," said the hydrographer. "Don't you? It was only another of the coincidences, of course. While I stood staring at the clock Anson came in with Griffith's tool kit. 'I've got to tinker her again,' he said. 'She's got so she keeps Pacific time with one hand and eastern with the other.' Then I understood that he had been tinkering with it and had merely gone over to Griffith's tent for the tools."

"Well," said Grislow again, "what of it? The clock struck seven, you say; but it also struck four."

Brouillard's smile tilted his curling mustaches to the sardonic angle.

"The combination was what called the turn, Grizzly. Today happens to be my twenty-eighth birthday—the end of the fourth cycle of seven."

"By George!" ejaculated the hydrographer in mock perturbation, sitting up so suddenly that he dropped his pipe into the ashes of the fire. "In that case, according to what seems to be the well-established custom, something is due to fall in right now!"

"I have been looking for it all day," returned Brouillard calmly.

It was Murray Grislow who finally rang the curtain call on the prolonged talk.

"Say, man! do you know that it is after ten o'clock?" he demanded, holding the face of his watch down to the glow of the dying embers. "You may sit here all night, if you like, but it's time for the blankets. Now, what in the name of a guilty conscience is that?"

As it chanced, they were both facing toward the lower end of the valley when the apparition flashed into view. In the deepest of the shadows at the mouth of the gorge, where the torrenting Niquola straightened itself momentarily before entering upon its plunging race through the mountain barrier a beam of white light flickered unsteadily for a fraction of a second. Then it became a luminous pencil to trace a zigzag line up the winding course of the river, across to the foothill spur where the camp of the reclamation service vanguard was pitched, and so on around to the base of the Chigringo. For certain other seconds it remained quiescent, glowing balefully like the eye of some fabled monster searching for its prey. Then it was gone.

Grislow's comment took the form of a half-startled exclamation.

"By Jove! wouldn't that give you a fit of the creepies?—this far from civilization and a dynamo? What are you calling it?"

"Your guess is as good as mine," was the half-absent reply. Brouillard had got upon his feet and was buttoning his many-pocketed shooting coat.

"I'm going to take a little hike down yonder for investigation purposes. Want to come along?"

But the mapper of watersheds was yawning sleepily. "Not on your tin-type," he refused. "I'm going to 'cork it off in me 'ammick!'"

It was only a short mile from the camp on the inward slopes of the eastern foothills to the mouth of the outlet gorge, across which Brouillard could already see, in mental prevision, the great gray wall of the projected Niquola dam—his future work—curving majestically from the broken shoulder of Chigringo to the opposing steep of Jack's mountain. The half-grown moon, tilting now toward the skyline of the western barrier, was leaving the canyon portal in deepest gloom.

Picking his way judiciously because the trail was new to him, Brouillard came in due time to the descending path among the spruces and scrub pines leading to the western outlook

upon the desert swales and sandhills. At the canyon portal, where the forest thinned away and left him standing at the head of the final descending plunge in the trail, he found himself looking down upon the explanation of the curious apparition.

None the less, what he saw was in itself rather inexplicable. In the first desert looping of the river a campfire of pinyon knots was blazing cheerfully, and beside it, with a picnic hamper for a table, sat a supper party of three—two men and a woman—in enveloping dust-coats, and a third man in chauffeur leather serving the sitters. Back of the group, and with its detachable searchlight missing, stood a huge touring car to account for the picnic hamper, the dust-coats, the man in leather, and, doubtless, for the appertional eyes which had appeared and disappeared at the mouth of the upper gorge. Also it accounted, in a purely physical sense, for the presence of the picnicers, though the whim which had led them to cross the desolate Buckskin desert for the dubious pleasure of making an all-night bivouac on its eastern edge was not so readily apparent.

The young engineer saw no reason why he should intrude upon the group at the cheerful campfire. On the contrary, he began speedily to find good and sufficient reasons why he should not. That the real restraining motive was a sudden attack of desert shyness he would not have admitted. But the fact remained. Four years in the reclamation service had made the good-looking young chief of construction a man-queller of quality. But each year of isolation had done something toward weakening the social ties.

A loosened pebble turned the scale. When a bit of the coarse-grained sandstone of the trail rolled under Brouillard's foot and went clattering down to plunge into the stream the man in the chauffeur leather reached for the searchlight lantern and directed its beam upon the canyon portal. But by that time Brouillard had sought the shelter of the scrub pines and was retracing his steps up the shoulder of the mountain.

CHAPTER II J. Wesley Croesus

Brouillard was not what the West calls "jumpy." Four years of field-work, government or other, count for something; and the man who has proved powder-shy in any stage of his grapple with the Land of Short Notice is customarily a dead man.

In spite of his training, however, the young chief of construction, making an early morning exploration of the site for the new dam, winced handsomely when the shock of a distance-muffled explosion trembled upon the crisp morning air, coming, as it seemed, from some point near the lower end of the canyon.

The detonating crash reminded him forcibly that the presence of the touring party was asserting itself. The explosion was too heavy to figure as a gunshot. Therefore it must have been an accident of some sort—possibly the blowing up of the automobile.

Between this and a hurried weighting of the sheet of blueprints with his fieldglass preparatory to a first-aid dash down the outlet gorge, there was no appreciable interval. But when he came to his outlook halting place of the night before, he saw that there had been no accident. The big touring car, yellow with the dust of the Buckskin, stood intact on the sand flat where it had been backed and turned and headed toward the desert. Wading in the shallows of the river with a linen dust robe for a seine, the two younger men of the party were gathering the choicest of the dead mountain trout with which the eddy was thickly dotted.

Coming toward him on the upward trail, and climbing laboriously to gain the easier path among the pines, were the two remaining members of the party—an elderly, pudgy, stockily built man with a gray face, stiff gray mustaches and sandy-gray eyes to match, and the young woman, booted, gauntleted, veiled, and bulked into shapelessness by her touring coat. Brouillard had a sudden rush of blood to the anger cells when he realized that the alarm which had brought him two hard-breathing miles out of his way had been the discharge of a stick of dynamite thrown into the Niquola for the fish-killing purpose. In his code the dynamiting of a stream figured as a high crime. But the two on the trail had come up, and his protest was forestalled by the elderly man with the gray face and the sandy-gray eyes, whose explosive "Ha!" was as much a measure of his breathlessness as of his surprise.

What do you think will be capital's first move to get concessions for city building near the Niquola dam project?

(TO BE CONTINUED)

PHOCAEA A HISTORIC TOWN

Had High Place in the Annals of Fame Twenty-five Centuries or More Ago.

Dispatches from Turkey say that the little city of Phocaea has been burned.

It is only one more town swallowed by devouring war, but what memories its name awakens! More than six hundred years before Christ Phocaea was the home of a race of sailors as daring and skillful as those who later made the fame of Plymouth and Salem. Its trading captains sailed from the Black sea to the Pillars of Hercules—which we know under the prosaic name of Straits of Gibraltar—broke the monopoly of Tyre and Carthage, carried back hides and silver ore from their barbaric customers in Gaul and Spain and founded the city of Marseilles.

They were fighters, too. When the Persian hordes had rolled over the Greek colonies of Asia Minor the Phocaeans declared that exile was better than slavery. They sank a lump of iron in the harbor, swore never to return until it should rise to the surface, and sailed away to Corsica. But this time fate was unkind, the Carthaginians and Etruscans joined forces against the Greek intruder, and in a dream one of the homesick exiles saw the lump of iron floating on the waves of the dear old harbor at home.

The Phocaeans came back, to share the kaleidoscopic changes of Greek history, doze under the iron peace of Rome, suffer the hardships which were inflicted on the "rear guard of Europe" when worse barbarians than the Persians came out of the East. And now their little town is in flames once more and a new chapter—perhaps a new volume—opens for the distant grandsons of the daredevils who traded and pirated in the western Mediterranean 25 centuries ago.

BECOME USED TO SUFFERING

Soldiers in the Trenches Accustom Themselves to the Hard Conditions of Modern War.

A medical observer of the effects produced on French soldiers by prolonged service in the trenches notes with apparent surprise that in a few months they lose all fear of the sudden death which constantly threatens them, cease to thrill to the horrors that are their daily spectacles, and when wounded seem almost indifferent to pain.

No doubt these observations are true—of the men who prove capable of accustoming themselves to the hard conditions of modern war. Equally credible, however, are the reports coming from all the armies of men in considerable numbers whose nerves will not stand the strain of the trenches and who are soon reduced by them to a state of imbecility or insanity. As for the impassibility of the harder faction, it is only another illustration of the familiar fact that the human mind cannot long respond actively to stimulations that are continuous and monotonous. One mangled corpse is a frightful spectacle when first seen, but when there are hundreds or thousands of them in view, day after day, they cease to create any emotion.

That the soldiers become comparatively insensible to pain only shows that they have acquired, by living much as savages do, a trait which every student of the lower races has found in them. The red Indian could sing while being burned at the stake, not because he was notably courageous, but because his sufferings were much less than would be those of a civilized victim of the same torture.

Wanted Tax on Movie Fans. Movies were characterized as luxury during a debate in the Massachusetts state senate in an unsuccessful attempt to impose a tax of 1 per cent of the gross receipts upon moving picture houses.

The opponents of the measure declared that the movie men are not enjoying a luxury, but are engaged in a business. It was suggested that a tax of one cent be levied on each ticket to the movies and that the patrons of these places be required to pay the extra cent.

This led to suggestions that baseball fans, football fans and spectators of other athletic sports be required to pay a cent extra for each ticket, the cent to go to the state. The movie taxation bill was voted down, however, and the discussion of proposed new schemes of taxation was brought to a halt.

Encouraging Matrimony. The municipal council at Prades, near Perpignan, France, actuated by a desire to encourage matrimony, has passed a resolution to the effect that the government should select henceforth as prefect of the eastern Pyrenees a bachelor who shall be under obligation of marrying within two months, in order that he may be able to maintain a fitting position in the department.

Its Greatest Height. The fad now is that a corsage bouquet should be worn not on the corsage but on the hat, which is the most altitudinous point the waist line has yet reached.—Detroit News.

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By J. S. Cuffman
Chairman Texas Economic League.

The business men of this country have been accused of being cowardly, indifferent and selfish in their relations to government, but the average business man has perhaps had less to do with shaping the political policies of the country than any other class of citizens, and therefore very little responsibility for the present state of affairs can be laid at his door. The most serious charge that can be successfully lodged against him is that he accepts slavery in preference to sovereignty in his citizenship, and there is nothing so dreadful or so difficult to overcome as voluntary servitude. But as a whole he is to be pitied rather than condemned. He cannot tell whether he is honest by consulting his conscience. He must ask his lawyer. The right to think has been legislated out of him. Individuality has been torn from him by law. He is but a ghost of the citizen created by the Constitution of the United States. Not only have liberty and freedom become vague and uncertain terms subject to contradictory interpretations of those who hold office, but so complicated has the citizen's relation to government become that human rights is a floating substance moved by the current of legal opinion, and the remedy lies in a more active, patriotic and responsible citizenship.

The business men of this nation need the spirit shown by the business men of '76, when Robert Morris, the nation's wealthiest citizen opened his purse strings and said, "I will give all I have to my country except my integrity," when John Dickinson the wealthy farmer stepped forward and said, "It's my duty to leave liberty to my children, but not my duty to leave wealth to them," and Benjamin Franklin over 70 years of age when called by the Continental Congress said, "I am old and good for nothing, I am but the rag end, take me for what you please."

Men and Money Needed

I want men to join me in the work of the Texas Economic League in giving the rag-ends of their lives and a part of their money to getting this country back to the Americanism of Washington and the liberty of Jefferson. There are many of us in Texas who need to leave less money and more liberty to our children. I believe I make no mistake in saying that the general trend of business men of wealth in this country today is to reverse the statement of Morris, Dickinson and Franklin. The readiness with which some of our citizens plead guilty to business crimes, suggest the conclusion that they are willing to give their country their integrity if they can keep their money, and it seems to be universally conceded by most business men that it is their duty to leave wealth to their children, but not their duty to leave liberty to them.

I am not one of those who believe that the solution of this problem lies in business men making laws, holding offices and sitting upon juries, although it is a laudable thing to do, and a duty that no good citizen should shirk. This country could survive the ordeal if we did not pass another law for ten years, and it was never contemplated that the people should depend upon office holders to preserve their rights. The contest for liberty has always been between government and the citizens, and bad government is always the result of bad citizenship. Neither do I believe that the liberty and freedom of this country can be preserved by endowing foundations, universities, churches and libraries. Greece gave us the most polished and powerful products of the human race, and while the genius of her day was swaying the world, ignorant savages destroyed her government, and led her master minds captive to foreign countries—the result of bad citizenship. Palestine gave us the mightiest religious teachers in all civilization, and while the world was marveling over her faith and her miracles, infidels and heathens destroyed her Temple and threw her prophets in prison—the result of bad citizenship.

The pages of history abundantly prove that neither the fertility of the

soil nor the business sagacity of the people are sufficient safeguards for the preservation of government. The Ptolemies of Ancient Egypt established a powerful dynasty in the most fertile valley on the globe, but it withered and died as a result of bad citizenship. The mighty Caesar established in the Roman Empire the world's greatest financial center and all nations and all men paid tribute to the money powers of Rome, but the nation crumbled and fell as a result of bad citizenship. Good citizenship can build an empire upon a rock and bad citizenship will make a desert of the most fertile country on the globe. 15

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Effects of Soil Erosion in Mississippi.

(By M. E. MILLER, University of Missouri, College of Agriculture.)
Brush and straw piles that will be in the way during the farming season should be hauled away and used to stop soil washing. Everyone has seen enormous gullies cut in a single season and years spent in trying to undo the mischief, but few realize that sheet washing is gradually taking away the best surface soil of our fields to such an extent that soil washing is the greatest single source of loss on many of our farms. The less busy winter time should be used in active work to stop this loss and in planning next season's field work so that the fields will be planted and cultivated across the slope or around the hill, so that the rows will not run straight down in such a way as to furnish the steepest possible channel for the run-off from rains. Those who have such winter cover crops as rye to hold the soil in place are fortunate, but those who do not should not flatter themselves that no washing is going on even in the winter time when there is less rainfall.

Small gullies that have just started in cornfield or wheat fields or even in pastures and meadows may often be

stopped with a little straw. Even cattle paths in pastures often deepen so that they need such treatment. In other places it is necessary to plan to sow sorghum to stop washing, but if the gullies are more than a foot deep and two or three feet wide it is usually better to use brush, concrete dams, or the sewer system, which has given good results under certain circumstances.

The brush dam gives better results if straw is mixed with the brush to help hold the dirt. Wherever the fall is great enough to make the water cut seriously it is likely to be necessary to stake down the brush and straw so that they will not be washed away.

For deep narrow gullies concrete dams from 6 to 12 inches thick will give better results. Iron rods to give weight must be used in re-enforcing the larger dams, but heavy wires will do very well in the smaller ones. The middle should always be left lower than the edges and the supply way should be provided with a concrete, stone or brick apron at the bottom of the gully to prevent the falling water from cutting into the soil and undermining the dam.

SELECTING A BREEDING SOW

Some Good Points to Look For in Picking Out Good Pig Producer—Look for Usefulness.

In selecting breeding sows, the principal thing is to get good ewine. It pays a beginner better to invest in two or three good sows than in a much larger number of ordinary ones. This is the advice that the live stock experts of Clemson college are giving South Carolina farmers who ask for pointers on making a start with hogs.
In selecting a sow there are certain sex characteristics to look for. She should not have any appearance of coarseness. The head should be lighter, forehead higher and neck slimmer and neater than those of the boar.



Healthy Young Brood Sows.

She should have strong, straight legs, deep and wide chest, wide back and good length and depth of body. A deep, wide chest is a mark of good constitution, and a long, deep body generally goes with prolificacy. Another feature to look for in a brood sow is good width of hips and hind-quarters.

In choosing a sow for breeding purposes look for the good breeding characteristics ahead of everything else. Quality may be considered, but pay more attention to usefulness than to "fancy points."

Intensive Farming in Southwest.
The people of the southwest have passed through the preliminary stage of extensive farming. They are now ready for intensive tillage and business management. Live stock raising will begin, rotation of crops will be practiced and economy in storing and marketing will be sought.

Use for Fallen Leaves.
Fallen leaves should be raked off the lawn and piled in some out-of-the-way place and allowed to decay. They are useful in the garden when well decayed.

PROPER CARE OF THE CREAM

Clean Milk Cannot Be Produced Under Unsanitary Conditions—Small-Top Bucket Favored.

By C. A. BURNS, Department of Dairy Husbandry, Oklahoma Agricultural College.

The care of cream should begin before the cows are milked. It is quite an evident fact that it is next to impossible to produce clean milk under unsanitary conditions, where the surroundings are anything but an incentive to a milker to be clean and careful.

Naturally a cow is a very clean animal, and if given proper surroundings will not show the least inclination to be otherwise. However, if a cow is forced to wade through mud and manure up to her body in order to get to the watering tank or into the barn to her feed, how can she be otherwise than dirty and filthy? If no gutter is furnished in the cow barn and the cows are tied with short halters, nothing more may be expected than that they will be coated with filth every day.

Cows should be absolutely clean before they are milked, special attention being given to the flanks, hindquarters and udder. If such precaution is not taken, dirt, hair and dry, dead skin from the cow's udder are almost sure to fall into the milk pail during the process of milking.

The milker himself, especially his hands and clothing, should be perfectly clean, and the bucket should have a small top to prevent any hair which might fall from getting into the milk.

If visible dirt be strained out of the milk, it simply remains in large measure the index to the filthiness of the milk to those who do not know under what conditions it was produced. The few large hairs and visible pieces of dirt may be taken out, but the thousands and millions of microscopic organisms or bacteria have been previously washed from the hair and pieces of dirt and remain in the milk. These organisms, together with uncontrolled temperatures at which the milk and cream are kept, are the chief factors that enter into the production of poor cream.

USES FOR LESPEDEZA PLANT

Grown for Hay in Some Localities in South—Crop is Also Good for Restoring Soils.

Lespedeza thrives well in places. In some localities in Louisiana and east Texas where the soil is strong it is grown for hay.

It is also good for grazing and to restore worn sandy soils.

It is a legume and has the adaptation of using free nitrogen with certain soil bacteria.

It requires a liberal amount of moisture and is not adapted to arid or semiarid conditions.

Made since 1866—Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Better get busy, girls. It's a long time between leap years.

Weak, Faint Heart, and Hysterics can be rectified by taking "Reno-vine" a heart and nerve tonic. Price 50c and \$1. Adv.

A patent has been granted for an egg substitute made chiefly from thoroughly cooked yams.

Dr. B. F. Jackson, Celebrated Physician, handed down to posterity his famous prescription for female troubles. Now sold under the name of "Femenina." Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

No Common Cur.
Wife (angrily)—You're a perfect brute.

Hub (calmly)—Thanks, my dear, for putting me in the thoroughbred class, anyway.

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.
There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription ointment—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of ointment—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength ointment, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

On a War Footing.
"Meyer," said the professor in the Landsturm to his next neighbor in the line, after a successful charge against the English trenches, "as a student I have rather often had to give you a pretty low mark. But as a comrade I have to grade you I-A."

BABY'S ITCHING SKIN

Quickly Soothed and Healed by Cuticura. Trial Free.

Bathe with hot water and Cuticura Soap. If there is any irritation anoint gently with Cuticura Ointment on end of finger. Refreshing slumber for restless, fretful babies usually follows the use of these super-creamy emollients. They are a boon to tired mothers.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

BREAKING THE NEWS GENTLY

How the News of a Fire at His Home Came to the Man Who Was Most Interested.

In Liverpool there is a man famous for his calmness on every occasion. One day he strolled leisurely into the office of a friend.

"I've just had a chat with your wife," he began.

"Why, I didn't know she was in town."

"Oh, she wasn't in town," replied the other. "I called at your house."

"I didn't know she was receiving today," said the husband, with some surprise. "I thought she had a headache."

"She didn't mention it to me," said the calm man. "There was quite a crowd at the house."

"A crowd!" echoed the husband.

"Yes," went on the calm man. "They came with the fire engine."
"The fire engine!" gasped the husband.

"Oh, it's all right," went on the calm man. "It's all right now. It wasn't much of a fire, but I thought you'd like to know of it."—Pearson's Weekly.

Paradoxical.

"I like that man Jobbies."
"Why?"
"He's straightforward."
"That's queer. Everybody says he's a crab."

CALOMEL IS MERCURY, IT SICKENS STOP USING SALIVATING

Don't Lose a Day's Work! If Your Liver Is Sluggish or Constipated Take "Dodson's Liver Tone."—It's F

You're bilious! Your liver is sluggish! You feel lazy, dizzy and all knocked out. Your head is dull, your tongue is coated; breath bad; stomach sour and bowels constipated. But don't take salivating calomel. It makes you sick, you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into sour bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping.

If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your

sluggish liver better than nasty calomel and that it you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone medicine. You'll know ing because you will be fine, your liver will be headache and dizziness stomach will be sweet a regular. You will feel, you'll be cheerful; full ambition.

Dodson's Liver Tone vegetable, therefore has not salivate. Give to Millions of People Liver Tone instead of omel now. Your that the sale of stopped entirely

The Other Groundhog.

Knicker—What were you wondering?
Bocker—Whether the pork barrel saw its shadow.

Natives of Sumatra make drinking cups of rhinoceros horn, believing it a cure for poison.

A woman talks.

For weak joints Balsam thoroughly a Adv.

You seldom meet who admits that he k

Clean the Blood A NEW DIS

Spring is the time of the year when we should put our house in order. We're run down after a hard winter—after grip, colds, catarrh. It's time to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, purely vegetable and free from alcohol or narcotics. It will search out impure and poisonous matter and drive it from the system. Buy "Discovery" now in tablets or liquid.

It will dissolve the poisons accumulations and replace the bad blood it drives out, with rich, pure blood full of vital force.

It will clear the skin; eczema, pimples, rash, blotches will dry up and disappear; boils, carbuncles and other evidences of tainted blood will pass away, never to appear again.

"Anuric" is a recent

Doctor Pierce, who is valids' Hotel, Buffalo, ments at Dr. Pierce's Ho eral years proved that wonderful eliminator of ur those easily recognized s inflammation—as backach urine and frequent urin acid in the blood has cau rheumatism, it is simply wonderf Anuric" acts; and in grav invariably the pains and ness rapidly disappear.

Go to your nearest dr store and simply ask for a 50-cent package of "Anuric," or send Dr. P 10c for trial pkg.

Grim Prophecy on an Egg.

"The end of time—1916." These words appear plainly on an egg laid by a little white Leghorn belonging to James Francis of McKees Rocks.

The letters of the prophecy are in dead white, contrasting with the milder grayish luster of the rest of the shell. They are embossed, standing out noticeably. They could be read by the fingers of the educated sightless.

As to how they came on the egg shell, the problem is too much for many who have tackled it, and those who believe that even a hen is not too humble an instrument for great revelations to date have the best of the argument.—Pittsburgh Dispatch to the Philadelphia Record.

Taking a Short Cut.

"I'm perfectly willing to help you," said the practical philanthropist, "but you ought to try to help yourself when the occasion presents itself."

"The last time I did that it got me into a whole lot of trouble," answered the shabby visitor. "In fact, I spent some years in durance vile."

"What do you mean?"

"I helped myself to the contents of another man's cash register."

Retort Courteous.

"You are getting quite bald, str," remarked the fresh barber.

"Yes," rejoined the victim in the chair, "but if my head ever gets as soft as yours I'll raise hair to sell."

Fashions Set by Soldiers.

Alexander the Great is responsible for men shaving their faces. When the Baltimore Sun observed his phalanx swept into the beards of his soldiers were found to be a source of danger to the enemy the latter were found to possess too great an advantage to be able to grasp the beard. A matter of military necessity Alexander ordered all his fighting men to shave. Today in the trenches of Europe soldiers are permitting their beards to grow as a protection against a necessity of war—less the wearing of beards will be very generally revived in consequence.

The Optimist.

Charles F. Murphy, the leader, praising optimism. "When I am looking bracing optimism, I often street musician playing 'Awake' on a cornet in the driving snowstorm on Christmas day. The snow fell, the wind the musician, standing in tooted away when a lady by attire and said to him and optimistically: "How lucky it's only that's full of holes. They at all in this deep snow."—Washington Star.

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consists in selecting food that will surely rebuild the tissue cells of brain, nerve and muscle. In this daily rebuilding certain elements richly stored in the field grains are all-important.

Grape-Nuts

made of whole wheat and malted barley, supplies in splendid proportion all the rich nutriment of the grains, including their vital mineral salts, phosphate of potash, etc., lacking in the usual dietary of many, but necessary for building and storing up reserve energy.

Grape-Nuts comes in sealed packages—fresh, crisp and ready to eat. It has a delicious nut-like flavour, is easily and quickly digested and, with cream or good milk, is an ideal ration for health.

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**Norsham, Agent
HEDLEY, TEXAS**

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Clarke, The Tailor, advt
Rev. L. Reavis went to Clarendon Tuesday.
George Killian made a business trip to Claude Monday.
George Tomberlin and family have moved to Clarendon.
W. Carraway has put out the nice trees around his home.
Mrs. J. K. Caldwell and children visited in Childress this week.
Bring your old hats to my shop if you want them cleaned.
J. B. King.
J. C. Reed and family have moved to the Killian place in east Hedley.
Mrs. Ivey Arnold went to Wellington Wednesday to visit relatives and friends.
G. A. Blankenship and wife made a trip to Lakeview Monday returning Tuesday.
When you want good satisfactory barber work, give me a trial.
Bob McGowan.
J. M. Whittington returned Thursday morning from a business trip to Chillicothe.
J. E. Blankenship and G. A. Wimberly made a trip to Lakeview first of the week.
Grandpa Sullivan, who fell and hurt himself in February, is still confined to his bed.
W. H. Madden is spending a few days in Memphis with his brothers, R. L. and L. B.
Miss Mae Simmons of Memphis visited relatives and friends in Hedley a few days this week.

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CLARENDON, TEXAS

B. W. and T. B. Moreman left Thursday evening for a business trip to Yoakum county.

A. G. Nipper returned to his home at Hastings, Oklahoma Tuesday after a few days visit with his son, A. A. Nipper, and family.

FARM LOANS—Can make good loans on choice farms and ranches, well located and improved. J. C. Wells.

A new house has been built to take the place of the one occupied by H. J. Pettit that burned a few weeks ago on the Morris place.

When in need of any shoe repairing go to Alexander's shop at Moreman & Battin's store. First class work guaranteed. advt

J. H. Nanny, the McKnight merchant, was in town Thursday and reports everything moving along nicely in his "neck of the woods."

Gardening has been the theme this week, and with plenty of moisture and warm weather we will have something to eat before many weeks.

Mrs. S. F. Parker left Sunday night for Lipan, Texas, to be at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. E. V. Bagwell, who is very sick with pneumonia.

Anyone wanting to buy seven or eight hundred steer wearlings \$40 per head April 1 delivery, see or write J. D. Thomas, Wellington, Texas.

Tom Stallings shipped a car of hogs to Fort Worth Tuesday. The price of hogs there Tuesday was \$9.60; about as high as they have been this season.

FOR SALE—Single Comb Buff Opington Eggs at \$1 per setting of 15, at the farm. By incubator setting 50c per setting of 15. W. T. McBride, Lelia Lake.

The ginning season at Hedley has closed at last. The number of bales ginned in Donley county the past season was 2470, about 5000 short of the year before.

A message was received Wednesday from Afton, Texas, stating that M. L. Hale, a brother of Mrs. S. F. Parker, was dead as a result of an auto accident.

Thos. Durham has offered his resignation as postmaster of the Wellington office. Durham originated the Hedley Herald gone by the board these many years.

More good showers have fallen this week, giving plenty of moisture for the planting of crops. The "new-comers" here to acknowledge it does rain in the Panhandle.

Rev. A. W. Hall, Presiding Elder of the Clarendon District, will dedicate the Hedley M. E. Church South, Sunday, April 9 at 11 a. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

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No. 864

Official Statement

OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF

The Alfalfa State Bank of Lelia Lake

at Lelia Lake, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 7th day of March, 1916, published in the Hedley Informer, a newspaper printed and published at Hedley, State of Texas, on the 7th day of April, 1916.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$18,821.28
Overdrafts	328.76
Real Estate (banking house)	895.80
Other Real Estate	1,575.50
Furniture and Fixtures	1,295.05
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	2,261.81
Cash Items	12.00
Currency	1,265.00
Specie	402.71
Interest on Depositors Guaranty Fund	90.39
Other Resources as follows: Ass'm't to D. G. Fund	9.97
Bill of Exchg.	4,578.08
	4,588.05
TOTAL	\$31,536.35

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	475.78
Individual Deposits, subject to check	18,560.57
Time Certificates of Deposit	2,000.00
Cashier's Checks	500.00
TOTAL	\$31,536.35

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Donley: We, J. W. Rowland as president, and T. J. Cothran as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
J. W. Rowland, President.
T. J. Cothran, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Mar., A. D. 1916.

BESSE ADAMS, Notary Public, (SEAL) Donley County Texas.
Correct—Attest:
A. B. Hynum
J. J. Palmer
C. L. Cook, Directors

Last Saturday evening at the parsonage Rev. L. A. Reavis united in marriage a young couple Mr. Davis and Miss Lee of McKnight.

Friday March 24, twenty little friends met at the Phillips home to celebrate Emily's 9th birthday. They were served candy and gum and played games to their little hearts' content.

The Hedley Boy Scouts are requested to meet at my office Monday at 4 p. m. to register for the coming year. Bring your annual dues.
Scout Master.

K. W. Howell was brought home from the Clarendon sanitarium Wednesday night where he has been some three weeks. He is improving nicely and his many friends are rejoicing and hoping to see him up and about soon.

GASOLINE FILLING STATION

N. M. Hornsby has installed a gasoline filling station and has put the price to 22c per gallon in keeping with the customary price of adjoining towns. advt

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MONUMENT OF REAL COURAGE

Deserved Tribute Paid to One Man Who Fought Resolutely Against Adversity.

There died recently in Louisville, Ky., a remarkable old man, James Morrison Heady by name. Born eighty-three years ago in the city in which he died, the son of a prosperous physician, he was a normal child from the physical side, the Detroit Free Press observes. When six years old a flying chip destroyed the sight of his right eye. When sixteen years old he fell during a scuffle, striking his left eye on another boy's foot and becoming totally blind. Thereafter he was educated in a blind school and became an expert musician. At forty-four he lost his hearing, so that he could no longer earn his living by his music. But he found a way to write music and books for children and the blind.

Despite blindness and deafness he fought his battle cheerfully, far more cheerfully than many do who are without handicaps of any sort. And he got a lot out of life besides a mere living. He rode horses, took long walks about his native city, knew hundreds of children, to whom, with his long, white beard he was the personification of a good fairy.

To him there was no blindness, no deafness at all. There was inner sunlight, inner music, "at evening time it was light," all the way to the shore of the Last River.

Such lives are worth enshrining in memory. They are monuments of real courage.

PASTEBOARD MONEY IN USE

French Cities Which Are Held by the Enemy Make Substitutes for Cash.

Pasteboard sous and pieces representing denominations up to five francs are being used in some of the occupied cities, owing to the scarcity of small change. The pasteboards are of many different colors and shapes—square, round, octagonal, oval and diamond shaped.

At Roubaix, Tourcoing, Roney and Croix the money is guaranteed by the municipality and good only for use in transactions with merchants of the town where the money is issued. At Lille the pasteboard sous were issued by the Bank of Lille.

The city of Valenciennes issues a new denomination of small change in the form of a four-sous piece (20 centimes), guaranteed by the communes of the arrondissement and redeemable four months after the conclusion of peace.

PLEASANT MEMORY.

She—Do you remember that you once proposed to me and that I refused you?

He—Yes, that is one of my life's most beautiful memories.—Buffalo Courier.

MUTUAL.

First Tommy—Got a toothache, 'ave yer? I'd have the beggar out if it was mine.

Second Ditto—So would I if it was yours.—Punch Bowl.

TEARS OF RECREATION.

"Do you ever make your wife cry?"

"Sure. I buy her matinee tickets to see every emotional actress who comes to town."

ITS USE.

"I wonder why so many girls marry the family chauffeurs?"

"It must be the influence of the sparking plug."

SCARED OFF.

"The girls are proposing a leap-year dance—"

"Then if the girls are proposing, they'll have a scarcity of partners."

NATURALLY SO.

"Your wife impressed me with her ability to keep a secret."

"Then she must have made a telling impression."

DARK DEED.

"That's a black threat against corruption in England."

"What is it?"

"A coal strike."

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Informer is authorized to announce the persons below as candidates in Donley County for the office under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held Saturday, July 22, 1916.

For Public Weigher Precincts 3 & 4:

MARTIN H. BELL
D. C. MOORE
(Re election)
JNO S. CLYMER
CARL S. BOSTON
L. L. PALMER
G. E. DAVIS

For Commiss'n'r Pct. 3:

C. L. COOK
E. R. CLARK

For Constable Prec't 3:

H. D. BURRIS
E. B. MACE
W. M. BOATMAN

For District Attorney of 47th Judicial District:

HENRY S. BISHOP
(Re election)

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

GEO. R. DOSHIER
(Re election)

For Treasurer:

E. DUBBS
(Re-election)

For County Judge:

J. H. O'NEALL

For Tax Assessor:

B. F. NAYLOR

For District and County Clerk:

J. J. ALEXANDER
(Re-election)
VICTOR B. SMITH

NOTICE

I will stand at my barn 2 1/2 miles north of Hedley the Hick's Jack. He is Black Spanish and Mammoth, of the very best strains of jacks and has proven himself to be a fine jack. He is four years old and a sure foal getter. He has a number of colts to show for themselves. \$10 to insure. Best of care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

S. L. Adamson,
Hedley, Texas.

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