

# THE HEDLEY INFORMER

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NO. 27

**WARNING!**—All parties are warned to stay out of my Gravel Pit, unless permission is obtained from me.  
D. C. Moore.

**STRAYED YEARLINGS!**—Any one seeing strayed yearlings, dehorned and branded on left shoulder, please notify Doherty Bros.

## LOCAL LEGION POST INVITED TO CLARENDON

Adjutant P. L. Dishman of the Adamson Lane Post American Legion has received from the Aubyn E. Clark Post at Clarendon an invitation for all members of the local Post to attend the Memorial Day Exercises to be held in Clarendon next Sunday afternoon, May 29th.

If it is possible, all who attend are requested to wear uniforms.

The invitation is appreciated by the local Post, and will doubtless be accepted by a large percentage of the membership.

## BAKERY AND RESTAURANT

Fresh Bread and an abundance of Good Things to Eat at all times. Cold Drinks and Confections. Come to see us.

W. A. Armstrong.

W. D. Biggers, from Groom, has been elected Superintendent of the Hedley Public Schools for the coming school year. The complete corps of teachers will probably be selected within the next few weeks.

**LOST**—Pair of Klein side cutting Pliers, seven inches long. Finder please return to Clyde Owens.

## JUNIOR B. Y. P. U.

Program for Sunday, May 29. Charley Farris, leader. Scripture reading, by Mollie Newman.

The Origin of Missions—Hazel Boone.

The Message—Allie Mae Caldwell.

The Method of Missions—Raymond Dunn.

Prayer, by Mrs. Hullum.

The Task—Pope Walker.

The Motive—Edith Heath.

The Power—Vera Brinson.

The Program—Wallace Raney.

Piano solo—Nellie Mae Chapman.

## I AM AGENT

for the Amarillo Union Laundry and will appreciate any business you give me. I will call for and deliver your Laundry. Basket leaves here each Tuesday and returns the following Friday.

Call No. 1.

DUCK MOORE.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Smith are on a social and recreational visit with Sam Thomas and family to relatives of the latter at Turkey, in Hall county.

**GRAZING**—Have a section of good grass land, and plenty of water, four miles east of Hedley, that will be opened up for stock May 1st. See me for stock pasturage. J. S. Young, 2½ miles south of Giles, at the Crow place.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Howard from Clarendon visited the Informer family Saturday afternoon to Sunday morning. Mr. Howard and O. C. Hill attended the Masonic meeting here Saturday evening.

Mrs. G. T. Burnett and children, Billy Louise and Ernestine, of Vera, are here for a two or three weeks visit with Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Coffey.

E. H. Watt and family were among the prominent Giles citizens in Hedley Saturday.

## BAND IS ORGANIZED IN HEDLEY TUESDAY

Under the direction and leadership of Dr. A. M. Sarvis, of this city, there was organized on the evening of May 24th a brass band which we hope will develop into a permanent organization for the city and surrounding country. Dr. Sarvis has had wide experience in this work; and with the nucleus he has already in the town, we should have a real live band and orchestra.

If there are men here who can play a band instrument, and wish to join the organization, please mention your name and the kind of instrument you play to Dr. Sarvis, the conductor.

The object of the organization, as stated by Dr. Sarvis, is the betterment of the morals and of the musical education and amusement of this part of the country. We recognize the handicap placed on the city in not having good places of amusement, but with such a leader and with the loyal backing of the citizens, this band should be a great factor in the life of the people.

Our greatest need at present is the financial support of the citizenry. Some have already spoken of their willingness to help, and mentioned the terms of their willingness; we assure these men of our indebtedness to them and hope soon to prove to them our thanks for their support. Others who wish to help us in purchasing our instruments and in financing the organization, please be ready to receive our committee when we wait on you; or, better than that, speak to one of the band members as to the extent you want to help your town and yourself in this way.

## F. W. & D. OFFICE HOURS

Agent R. B. Adams asks us to state, for the benefit of the public, that office hours at the Fort Worth & Denver station have been changed as follows:

On Sundays: 7:30 to 10:30 a. m. After 10:30 a. m. there will be nobody at the station until 7:30 p. m.

On week days: 8:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m.

Please keep these hours in mind when you have business at the station.

See the Aluminum Ware on display at Thompson Bros. To be sold on Saturday, June 4th.

## CAMPFIRE GIRLS

The weekly meeting was held with Mrs. J. B. Masterson Tuesday, May 24th. The following committees were appointed:

Hiking Committee:—Mayme Wood, Myrtle Hall, Vera Brinson and Ila Acord.

Social Committee:—Lorraine Hankins, Nita Cuiwell, Lois Masterson and Melba Johnson.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Masterson next Tuesday, May 31st. Every one bring fancy work.

Press Reporter.

**COTTON SEED**—Good two-year old Mebane Cotton Seed for sale at 50c a bushel.

S. W. Smith.

J. W. Noel has been in Fort Worth several days the past week, consulting an eye specialist.

**TURKEY EGGS FOR SALE**—Bourbon Red; \$2.50 per setting of 10. Mrs. J. D. McCants, Giles, Texas.

Subscribe for The Informer

## HOT BREAD

To the People of Hedley: If you want hot bread, call at the Bakery after 3 o'clock each day. For Bread, Buns and Pies. Hedley Restaurant.

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All the Items You'll Need for your dinner table

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L. T. Hullum

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R. S. Smith

The Produce Man

## HOW ABOUT A COW, A SOW AND A HEN?

Let's look back to 1920, painful as the reflection may be. Suppose each of our farmer customers had boarded and cared for one cow, one sow, and a dozen hens or so.

Continuing the supposition, let's say the milk and butter from the cow came in handy, besides the yearling she raised; the sow raised a litter of eight pigs in payment of her board and keep; and the hens were on the job with fresh eggs and fryers. The farmer had his meat and lard without buying it at the grocery; had his eggs and chickens, and perhaps a few turkeys, and the "Missus" may have sold some butter and eggs. It's a safe bet that that sort of farmer got along with a small grubstake, and will be able to get along with a much smaller one this year "when it is hard to get money at the bank." He will maybe get another cow or two, and perhaps some more hogs, and branch out on his poultry. He will prepare to live at home, will raise mere feed for his stock, and WILL RAISE LESS COTTON. SHALL WE REDUCE THE ACREAGE DEVOTED TO COTTON IN OUR COMMUNITY THIS YEAR?

YOUR FRIEND,

Guaranty State Bank  
HEDLEY, TEXAS

# SUNSHINE NEEDED IN HOG BREEDING

Modern, Comfortable Houses Are Profitable Investment.

## DESIGN WITH GOOD POINTS

Building Here Illustrated Has All Modern Equipment for Insuring Little Pigs and Mothers Plenty of Air and Sunshine.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.  
Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building work on the farm, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all those subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

Hog raisers are in the same position as every other manufacturer of food-stuffs—to earn a profit they must raise more hogs at the least possible cost.

The shortest cut to profitable hog raising is to feed the little pigs and their mothers plenty of sunshine—and sunshine doesn't cost a cent—nature provides it freely, more freely at some times than at others, but no matter how great or small is the supply, it is free.

Sunshine keeps little pigs from contracting disease; it keeps their pens free from disease germs, and from cold and damp which are two deadly enemies of the animals in their infancy. By admitting plenty of sunshine into their living quarters, a greater proportion of each litter will live to become sacrifices to the need for ham and bacon, to say nothing of pork chops.

Of course, the easiest way to bring

stock has decreased less than any other farm product. While feed is cheap, hogs are bringing a good price, comparatively, and hog raisers are much encouraged over the prospects. However, greater production at a less proportionate cost means profit for the farmer who markets his corn on the hoof.

During the last few months building materials has been reduced more than 25 per cent. Lumber dealers everywhere have revised their price lists downward, and farmers who have put off building for this reason can now go ahead with a reasonable assurance that they will be getting their buildings at a cost that has little chance of being much lower for several years to come.

How much this building will cost can be easily ascertained by consulting with the local lumber and building material dealer and the contractor. If it is decided to go ahead with construction work, it is the best policy to build from plans, as with the plans before him the contractor has no excuse for mistakes.

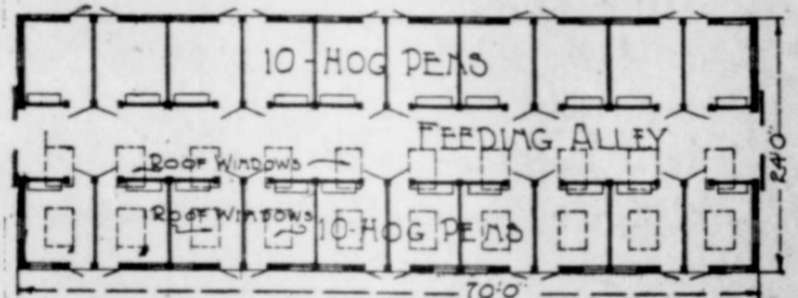
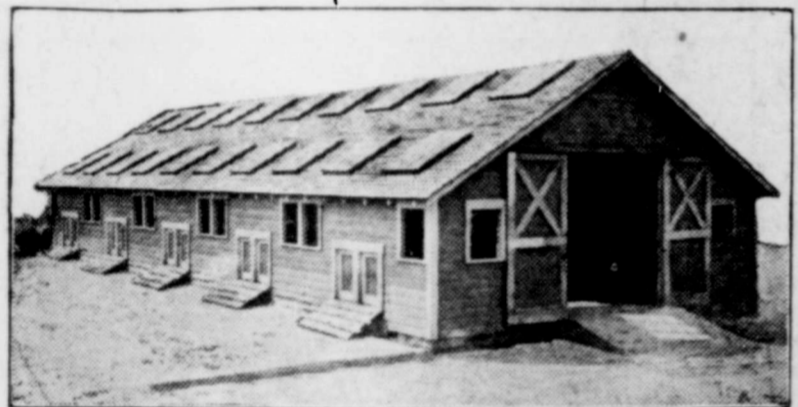
Building this year will be heavy, as buildings are needed, both in the larger cities, the rural communities and on the farms. Those who take advantage of the spring season to get needed buildings erected, will be in a position to properly house their live stock and crops next fall.

## CLASSED AS DEADLY POISON

Weed Known Generally as "Poison Ivy" Has Been Under Investigation by Government Chemists.

Poison ivy has been under investigation by the United States bureau of chemistry and it is declared to be one of the most powerful poisons in the vegetable world. People have been known to die from too liberal a contact with it.

Poison is present in all parts of the plant, and if taken internally is extremely dangerous. It is described as a violent irritant poison—an oily substance, the slightest trace of which on the skin will produce severe inflamma-



the little pigs and the sunlight into contact is to allow them to run outdoors. But in the late winter and early spring, when a great majority of pigs are born, it is too cold for them. They must be housed in buildings that will protect them from cold and drafts, but the building must be so constructed that there will be an abundance of sunshine in their living quarters.

This need of young pigs has been thoroughly recognized by modern farm building architects, and they have designed buildings that will keep the pigs and their mothers warm, allow them plenty of fresh air without drafts, and at the same time admit the life and health-giving sunlight.

How this is accomplished is shown by the building in the accompanying illustration. This frame structure, 24 feet wide and 70 feet long, will house 20 sows and their young. It is set on a concrete foundation and has a concrete floor. The floor enables the farmer to keep the house clean and sanitary. One half of the pen floors, that half that is next the outside walls of the building, is covered with planks, raised an inch or so from the concrete. This permits a circulation of air underneath the planks, and prevents the pigs from coming in contact with the cold, damp concrete.

But the most essential feature of this building is the windows in the walls and roof. These windows are so located that every bit of sunlight available in February and March has access to the pens, killing the disease germs that thrive in the dark and damp, and warming the interior of the house. Later in the spring, the windows provide means for greater ventilation of the house.

The pen partitions may be either of wood or metal, the latter being preferred, as it is more sanitary. There is less chance for dirt to adhere to it than to wood; also it is more easily cleaned. Through the center of the building is the feeding alley, sufficiently wide for a wagon to be driven through for either distribution of feed or removal of litter. Sank into the concrete floor is a gutter, which may be hosed out, and raised above it are the feeding troughs in front of each pen.

Records show that the price of live

tion. Some persons are more sensitive to it than others, but nobody is immune.

Ivy poisoning may be contracted by touching shoes or clothing that has been in contact with the plant. Dogs or other animals may in like manner convey it. Even fire does not destroy the poison.

Specimens brought inside the house will poison the whole family and if, when the character of the plant is discovered, it is thrown in the fire the results are worse, for the smoke will carry the poison throughout the house.

## Effective War on Peach-Borer.

The novel method of destroying the peach-borer developed by the United States bureau of entomology consists in spreading an ounce of two of para-dichlorobenzene around the tree under a light layer of soil. A rise of temperature from 75 degrees to 80 degrees Fahrenheit volatilizes the crystals, and the heavy poison gas generated penetrates the soil, killing all borers near. The chemical is not expensive, while the labor is slight compared with digging the larvae from the tree base with a knife.

## Can-Opener Civilization.

These condensed homes are all the rage with those couples who cannot well withstand the shock of paying a hundred a month for a regular flat. A nook no bigger than a dog house with a kitchenette about the size of a mouse trap is all that some loving pairs require to embark upon the great adventure. The lover's Omar now reads: "A can opener, a folding bed and thou; our paradise begins right here and now." Thou and the disappearing bed can start anything—even a society drama.—Los Angeles Times.

## Science and Poetry.

The Arabians are using the theme of the X-ray in their love poems. Al Rumi, a modern poet of Bagdad, now living in Constantinople, gives expression to the following sentiment in one of his recent lyrics: "Take from the light Roentgen's rays, by which the invisible becomes visible, throw the rays upon my heart and behold! Thou wilt find that my heart is pocked with wounds because of thee." The case is said to be by no means isolated.

# SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

## RUBBING THE LAMP

OF ALL the stories that out of a far-distant past have come down to entertain and teach us none is more compelling in its interest than that of Aladdin and his wonderful lamp.

There are several versions of the fact, but one feature remains the same in all the variations—in order to get the benefits which the lamp had power to confer the possessor had to rub it.

In other words, it took WORK to get the desired results and to enjoy the benefits.

The greatest disgrace in this life is to be idle. To produce nothing, to feed upon the mental or physical labors of others, reduces man to a rank lower than the animals, for they strive at least for their food.

"He is not only idle who does nothing," says Seneca, "but he is idle who might be better employed."

The thing to do is to find that task for which you are best fitted, which you can do with the greatest efficiency and the greatest pleasure, and do that task with all your might.

Count your efforts by results. The punch that does not land never overcomes your opponent.

The bullet that spends its energy in the air never helped to win a battle.

Production, RESULTS, is what truly measures endeavor and fixes its value. Idleness is emptiness. Emptiness as to the present, emptiness as to the future.

One of the most indefatigable workers in America, a man whose accomplishments are known the world over and whose name is a synonym for accomplishment in his profession said in a lecture to a group of young men recently: "The man who works only

with the purpose of self-preservation; whose only object in life is to satisfy his hunger, cover his nakedness and provide himself a shelter, may be good but he won't be good for much."

A man WITH A BRAIN ought to have something that the machine cannot have. He ought to have aspiration and ambition and a vision of a better future.

If he has not how is he better than the combination of belts and gears beside which he works?

I could never quite see why Adam was very severely punished when as a result of his infraction of the rules of Eden he was told, "In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread." I cannot believe that the Creator looked upon work as a curse, a punishment.

Work has brought more joy into the world, cured more sorrows, mended more broken hearts and built more happiness than any other function of mankind.

Carlyle paid a splendid tribute to work when he wrote, "There is a nobleness and even a sacredness in work. There is always hope in a man who actually and earnestly works. The latest gospel in the world is, know thy work and do it."

Work will make us love life. It is the one means of satisfying ambition.

It is the one way to turn dreams into realities.

It is the ONLY way by which a man can prove his right to existence and establish the wisdom of the Creator in having made him.

The best part of the story of Aladdin and his lamp was that he had to rub the lamp to get results. He had to work to accomplish what he sought. And that was much more satisfying than ever marrying the Sultan's daughter and living happily ever after.

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## SCHOOL DAYS



## THE GIRL ON THE JOB

How to Succeed—How to Get Ahead—How to Make Good

By JESSIE ROBERTS

## LECTURE-TEACHING

IN PARIS, when our soldier boys were on leave and seeing the sights of the great city, it was common to meet an American girl taking a bunch of the boys through one or the other of the museums that make part of its glories. They made these trips interesting by telling stories about many of the famous pictures and statues.

Anna Curtis Chandler is doing something of the same sort in her Sunday Story Hour for children in the Metropolitan museum in New York city. She confines her work to the lecture hall, however, and illustrates what she says with stereopticon slides. But there is an idea here that might be carried out in many of our smaller cities and towns. There are often excellent little museums in such towns whose contents, if they were brought to the attention of the young people, and the older ones, too, would add immensely to the appreciation and understanding of art and beauty in a community, as well as to the knowledge of the history of art. A clever girl who wished to do this sort of work would have to take a course in art history. She would need to understand the different periods, to know the masters. She would be able to find much interesting material on which to build her stories, such human interest, too. Working with the co-operation of the

curator, and advertising her talks in a way that would attract her fellow-townsmen, she might make a real success of this now little-worked form of lecture-teaching.

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## THE ROMANCE OF WORDS

### "SALARY."

ADMITTEDLY a necessary part of everyone's diet, salt, was formerly much more of a luxury than it is at present. Deposits of it were comparatively scarce and the commodity was distinctly high-priced. It was for this reason that salarium or "salt money" was included as part of a Roman soldier's pay—much as, in the sixteenth century, "pin money" was given to wives for the purchase of pins, then made by hand and quite expensive.

From his allowance of "salt money" the word "salary," as applied to payment for services rendered, was gradually evolved, and it is to the same source that we owe the common colloquial expression that a person "is not worth his salt." Owing to the fact that salt is now obtainable for a few cents a pound, this phrase is understood to mean that a person is practically worthless. But, a few centuries ago, it was understood to mean that, while not much above the average, the person referred to was worth at least something.

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## Mother's Cook Book

I wander'd lonely as a cloud  
That floats on high o'er vales and hills,  
When all at once I saw a crowd,  
A host, of golden daffodils;  
Beside the lake, beneath the trees,  
Fluttering and dancing in the breeze  
—Wordsworth.

## WHAT TO HAVE FOR DINNER.

PLANNING the family meals is not a task to be spoken of lightly, for it means much thinking, planning and economy. A nice dish which will be liked by the family and will be asked for again is:

### Codfish Chowder.

Take two thick slices of salt pork, cut into small cubes and fry until brown; add one-half dozen potatoes sliced, three small onions also sliced, cover with boiling water and cook until the vegetables are tender. Add two cupfuls of shredded salt codfish and one quart of hot milk; cook for five minutes, add one-half dozen milk crackers softened in boiling water and serve at once.

### Soup From Bones of Fowls.

Remove all bits of meat from the bones of a fowl. Separate the bones at the joints and crush with a hammer; add all the bits of skin, pieces of neck and the feet which have been scalded and skinned. Cover with cold water and set over the fire. Melt three tablespoonfuls of chicken fat, slice into it an onion, three stalks of celery and a scraped carrot, add three sprigs of parsley, a blade of mace, cover and let cook, stirring occasionally until softened and yellowed slightly. By covering the dish the vegetables will steam in the fat and their own moisture. Add to the bones with a cupful of left-over canned corn and simmer partly for an hour; remove the bones and strain through a fine sieve. This broth may be used in making almost any variety of soup. By the addition of salt, pepper and a small can of tomato soup, a particularly good tomato soup results.

### Banana Salad.

Slice one-half dozen bananas and chop one cupful of walnuts fine; add a little salt and mix with enough mayonnaise dressing to make the salad of the right consistency; add one cupful of freshly-roasted peanuts, and serve on lettuce.

Young cooked beets hollowed out and filled with peas, peanuts and chopped pickles makes, with a good well-seasoned dressing, a most tasty salad.

### Ham Loaf.

Chop one and one-half pounds of uncooked ham, add one and one-fourth pounds of round steak chopped, one-half pound of lean fresh pork chopped. Mix well, add two well-beaten eggs, one cupful of oatmeal or rolled oats, one teaspoonful of salt and one teaspoonful of pepper (level). Mix and bake in a loaf one hour.

Heinie Maxwell  
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## THE WOODS

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

### THE PASSENGER PIGEONS.

WHERE roam ye now, ye nomads of the air?  
The old-time heralds of our old time Springs?  
Once, when we heard the thunder of your wings,  
We looked upon the world—and Springs was there.

One time your armies swept across the sky,  
Your feathered millions in a night, march  
Filling with life and music all the arch  
Where now a lonely swallow flutters by.

Where roam ye now, ye nomads on the air?  
In what far land? What undiscovered place?  
Ye may have found the refuge of the race  
That mortals visit but in dream and prayer.

Perhaps in some blest land ye wing your flight,  
Now undisturbed by murder and by greed,  
And there await the coming of the freed  
Who shall emerge, like ye, from earth and night.

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## A Feeling of Security

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It is not a stimulant and is taken in teaspoonful doses.

It is nature's great helper in relieving and overcoming kidney, liver and bladder troubles.

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Thus does Mrs. Platte's testimony bear out the experiences of hundreds of mothers who have found this simple, harmless remedy a valuable help in cases of summer complaint, teething and stomach and bowel trouble in infants. 60c and \$1.20 the package at all druggists. Given to babies in liquid form, mixed with sugar and water, they love to take it. Write for Dr. Ware's booklet on stomach and bowel troubles—free.

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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Donley County—Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to summon W. H. Johnson, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Donley County, Texas, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Clarendon, on the third Monday in July, A. D. 1921, the same being the 18th day of July, A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 1149, wherein Dora L. Johnson is Plaintiff, and W. H. Johnson is Defendant, and said petition alleging, in substance, that plaintiff and defendant were legally married on or about December 25th, 1895, at McKinney, in Collin County, Texas; that they contin-

ued to live together as husband and wife up until about February 15th, 1921, when defendant abandoned plaintiff; that the bonds of matrimony still exist between them; that defendant is a man of violent and impulsive temper and defendant was guilty of periodical fits of cruelty toward plaintiff, which cruel treatment was begun by defendant toward plaintiff shortly after their marriage, and continued up to the time of said separation; that on one occasion, while plaintiff was recovering from an operation and was then ill, defendant struck her, inflicting great physical injury and nervous shock; that often during their married life defendant would curse and abuse plaintiff, calling her vile names; that during the latter years of their married life defendant developed a systematic course of abusive treatment toward plaintiff, and by his every act and conduct showed to plaintiff that he had no love or affection whatever for her; that about August 20th, 1920, defendant, without cause or provocation, abandoned

plaintiff, leaving her alone at their home in Clarendon, Texas, and leaving dependent upon her and without means of support the five minor children of plaintiff and defendant; that about the month of December, 1920, defendant returned to Clarendon and plaintiff forgave him and permitted him to return to her home; that plaintiff and defendant again continued to live together as husband and wife until about February 15th, 1921, when defendant again, without cause or provocation, after realizing about \$3,100 from the sale of community property, abandoned plaintiff and said minor children, and left them stranded in the town of Clarendon, without means of support, and defendant absconded to some place unknown to plaintiff; that the following named are minor children of plaintiff and defendant, to wit, Jewel, a girl, about 16 years of age, Ruby, a girl, age about 14 years, J. C., a boy, about 11 years of age, Jimmy D., a boy, about 7 years of age, and Aubrey Woodrow, a boy, about 5 years of age; that plaintiff is able and willing to support educate and maintain said minor children and is a proper person to have the care, custody and control thereof; that during the time plaintiff and defendant lived together as husband and wife they acquired considerable property, consisting principally of about 985 acres of land in Hall and Donley Counties, Texas, and in notes owed by various parties to defendant; that in the month of August, 1920, the defendant deeded 384 acres of said land to Star Johnson (son of plaintiff and defendant) and Mrs. Kittie Salmon and Mrs. Susie Martin (daughters of defendant by a former wife) which said 384 acres of land defendant agreed to accept and did accept as his portion of the community estate of himself and this plaintiff, and in full satisfaction of his claims to said community estate; that other portions of the community estate have purchase money notes pending against same which plaintiff cannot pay so that foreclosure proceedings will be had against same, so plaintiff says the only community property left of the community estate of herself and defendant is as follows:

ginning at a stone mound, an iron pipe on the East line of said Section 45, and 382 vrs. South from the Northeast corner of said section; Thence West 24 feet to a stake for the Northeast corner of this tract; Thence South 210 40 vrs. to stake for the Southeast corner of this tract; Thence West 185 16 vrs. to stake for the Southwest corner of this tract; Thence North 210 40 vrs. to stake for the Northwest corner of this tract; Thence East 185 16 vrs. to place of beginning, and containing five acres of land and being same tract of land conveyed to Frank Whitlock by G. W. Medley, and by Frank Whitlock and wife to W. H. Johnson.

Plaintiff prays for an absolute decree of divorce from the defendant, in all things cancelling the marriage bonds now existing between them; that she have the exclusive care, control and custody of the five minor children herein named; that the title, right and interest of defendant in and to the personal and real property herein described be divested out of defendant and invested in plaintiff, as her own separate property, to be by her sold, transferred, assigned, endorsed, negotiated and released, the same as if she had acquired same in her own proper name, and that the title to said real estate be vested and confirmed in her, free and clear of all claims of the defendant, and for costs of suit.

Herein fail not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Clarendon, Texas, this the 9th day of May, A. D. 1921.

W. E. Bray, Clerk District Court, Donley County, Tex.  
By S. Hightower, Deputy.

**Notice of Application for Letters---Estate**

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Donley County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Donley, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—ESTATE OF DECEDENTS.**

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To all Persons interested in the Estate of John S. Smith and Susan E. Smith, deceased. J. T. Hampton has filed in the County Court of Donley County an application for Letters of Administration upon the estate of the said John S. Smith and Susan E. Smith, deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing the First Monday in July, A. D. 1921, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Clarendon, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, May 14, 1921.  
W. E. Bray, Clerk County Court, Donley County, Tex.

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As has been announced before, our summer meeting will begin July 22nd, held by our District Supt., Bro. Allie Irick, and his wife. These same workers we had with us last year, and they expect to bring a singer with them this time. Every one is cordially invited to each and every one of these services. Remember the date, and if you pray, remember us at a throne of grace, that God will give us an old time revival of old time, heartfelt religion. Make your plans to be with us.  
S. L. Wood, Pastor.

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R. E. Newman.

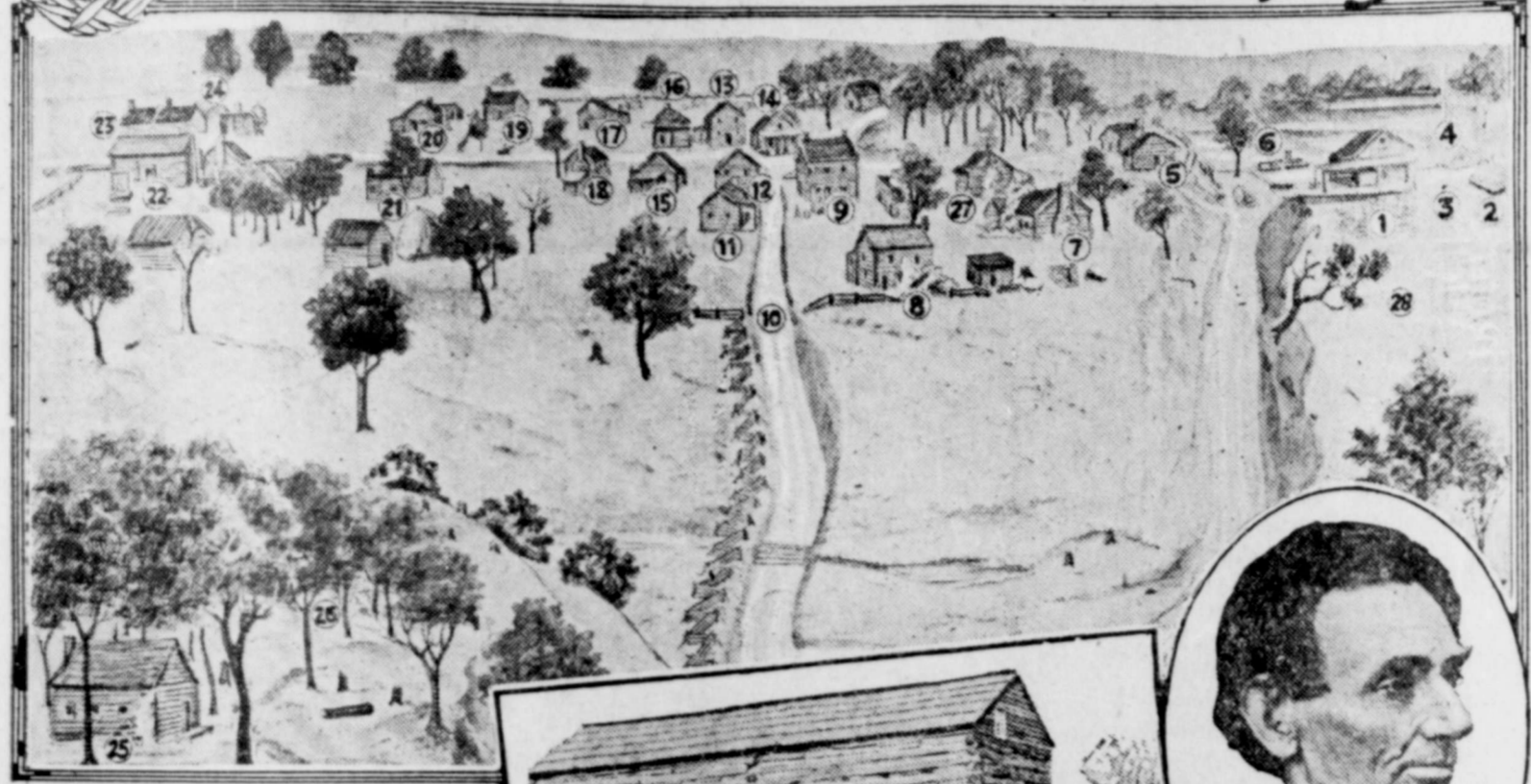
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# Rebuilding New Salem, Ill., "Honest Abe's" Town, 1831-7



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By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN.

A blend of mirth and sadness, smiles and tears;  
A quaint knight-errant of the pioneers;  
A homely hero, born of star and sod;  
A peasant prince, a masterpiece of God.



THOSE who know their Lincoln and every good American should read and reread this Bible of Americanism—the name of New Salem, Ill., calls up a chapter in his life that no man can read without smiles and tears—and wonder.

For New Salem was Abraham Lincoln's town during the six years which marked the first stage of his development from "a quaint knight-errant of the pioneers" to "a masterpiece of God."

He arrived at New Salem in 1831 "a stranger, friendless, uneducated, penniless boy, working on a flatboat for \$10 a month," as he himself put it. In 1837 he left New Salem to take up his law practice in Springfield.

In those momentous six years he had transformed himself from an ignorant and unlearned youth of twenty-two to a man of acknowledged promise and ability, with more than a local popularity and an ambition that spurred him to travel far.

Those six years were crowded years. It was at New Salem that Lincoln earned his nickname of "Honest Abe"—and incidentally fastened upon himself a burden of debt which he was never able fully to wipe out until his fortieth year, after his election to congress in 1849.

It was at New Salem that he was clerk and storekeeper; that he studied grammar and Blackstone; that he was a captain in the Black Hawk war, that he was deputy surveyor, that he was postmaster, that he was defeated and then elected for the legislature. And it was at New Salem that he loved and wooed and lost Ann Rutledge, over whose death he nearly lost his reason from grief.

New Salem was founded in 1828. Soon after Lincoln went to Springfield the little town began to decline. Its springs left for more accessible places. By 1845 New Salem had been abandoned.

Today, under the auspices of the Old Salem Lincoln League, an organization formed in 1917, "Honest Abe's" town is being restored in facsimile. It will be in every possible detail like the New Salem which he knew. Old maps, old prints, old deeds—every record obtainable—have been consulted to make the new village an exact reproduction of the old. The only new building is the Lincoln museum. William Randolph Hearst gave the property. The cost of rebuilding is being met by popular subscription. The work will be done some time this summer, it is expected.

#### Old Salem State Park.

Old Salem State park will be New Salem's new name. Its purpose is to preserve for posterity the environment and atmosphere that helped make Lincoln, the man.

As to the photographs here reproduced: The portrait of "Honest Abe" is one of the earliest photographs he had taken and gives the best idea of his appearance as a young man. The numbered plan is from the architect's working model.

New Salem, first called Cameron's Mill, was on the Sangamon river (then spelled Sangamo and pronounced Sangamaw), 20 miles northwest of Springfield. In those days New Salem was in Sangamon county, with Springfield as the county seat. Springfield itself was still a mere village, having a population of 1,000, or perhaps 1,100. The capital of the state was yet at Vandalia, and waiting for the parliamentary tact of Abraham Lincoln and the "long nine" to take it to Springfield.

The historian of the restoration project says that the first settlers of New Salem were John M. Cameron and his uncle, James Rutledge, who entered their claims on July 23, 1828. Here they erected their grist and saw mills, both housed in one structure built out into the Sangamon river, that fringed the town site. New Salem grew up around this mill.

Settlements existed already at Clary's Grove, at a place now called Athens, at Sugar Grove and at Indian Point, all within ten or twelve miles of New Salem. With a mill to attract these settlers, the opportunity for business at the new settlement



LINCOLN & BERRY GROCERY ON LEFT, HILL & MCNAMER STORE

was good, and Samuel Hill and John McNeill presently erected a store building of logs. They sold tea, coffee, sugar, salt and whisky in the grocery line, and blue calico, brown muslin, cotton chain and straw hats, with a few ladies' hats and other ornamental feminine apparel in their dry goods department.

John McNeill's right name was John McNamer. He quickly made a "fortune" of about \$12,000 and wooed and won Ann Rutledge. Then he left to bring his mother and sisters from New York. A long delay broke off the engagement and Lincoln then won Ann. McNamer returned to find Ann dead of fever.

#### Town Gets a Postoffice.

"On Christmas day in 1829," the historian goes on to say, "a post office was established in New Salem and Samuel Hill was made postmaster. George Warburton then built a store building and put in a stock of goods, but soon sold out to the Chrisman Brothers, one of whom, Isaac P., became postmaster on November 24, 1831. William Clary, the brother of John, who gave his name to the grove where he settled in 1819, erected and became proprietor of Clary's grocery. Then came Doctor Allen, who erected a dwelling across the street south from the Hill & McNeill store.

"In addition to his professional duties Doctor Allen conducted a Sunday school. He was an ardent temperance man and formed the first temperance society in the community. The place of meeting was in his residence or in the log schoolhouse erected shortly before this time on the hillside south of New Salem. Doctor Allen was bothered as to whether it was right or wrong to engage in the practice of his profession on Sundays and compromised the matter by relieving the sick but giving his earnings on that day wholly to the work of the Lord.

"Then, during the summer of 1830, Henry Onstott moved from Sugar Grove, erected a dwelling and established a cooper's shop, supplying the kegs and barrels for the flour and meal made at the mill, and the containers for the cured pork shipped by flatboat to the markets of the South, generally from Beardstown, to which place it was hauled in wagons.

#### Denton Offut Arrives.

"During the summer of 1831, Denton Offut, on his return from a flatboat excursion to New Orleans, contracted for lot 14 north of Main street and erected a store building, the deed thereto being dated September 2 of that year. Then came a rush of other settlers—Philemon Morris, a tanner, erected a dwelling and established a tan yard; Joshua Miller, a blacksmith and wagon maker, built a residence and established a shop; Alexander Furgeson and Peter Lukins, the shoemakers; Robert Johnson, the wheelwright, who made looms, spinning wheels and furniture; Martin Waddell, the hatter, who made hats out of rabbit fur, wool and the fur of other animals; the Bale family, headed by Jacob Bale, who bought and operated Hill's carding machine and storehouse for wool; the Herndon Brothers, shopkeepers, who established a store west of the James Rutledge residence and inn, and in a part of the house of Joshua Miller, which was double, lived his brother-in-law, Jack Kelso, whose wife kept boarders occasionally and who himself was the champion hunter and fisherman of the village. Henry Sinco came in the fall of 1831 and sold out at the end of a year to Doctor Regnier. Also came Doctor Duncan, David Wherry, Isaac Burner, Edmond Greer, Isaac Gollamer, Robert and William McNeely. Caleb Carmen moved there from Rock Center after Trent left and made shoes.

"Thus the town soon became self-supporting, and had it not been for the fact that it was almost inaccessible except from the west, there is no reason why it should not have grown and become the metropolis of the county."



THE OFFUT STORE

Lincoln first saw New Salem in April, 1831, when he and his flatboat crew had their famous adventure on the milldam. He was on his way from Beardstown to New Orleans, where he saw the selling of slaves and said, "If ever I get a chance to hit that thing, I'll hit it hard."

July 1, 1831, Lincoln walked into New Salem to serve as clerk in the Offut store, when it should be ready. The town election at that time was held during the first week in August, and Lincoln, being about the polling place, was asked by Minta Graham, the man who later became his friend and teacher, if he could write. Lincoln replied, "I can make a few rabbit tracks," whereupon he was invited to assist in keeping tally, the regular clerk having failed to appear. It is said that during the lull in voting Lincoln improved the opportunity to tell stories. So here was Lincoln's introduction to politics. But he was a finished story-teller even then.

"Tom" Reed of Maine, the famous speaker of the house of representatives, once said, "A statesman is a successful politician who is dead." The humor and sarcasm of this are exceeded only by its value as a popular gauge of politics and politicians. But where Abraham Lincoln is concerned all signs fail. He was a consummate politician all his life, and he never hesitated to seek public preferment.

#### Lincoln's First Campaign.

After "Honest Abe" had been in New Salem a year or so he ran for the state legislature. He had already learned to write, as is shown by his announcement of his candidacy, which concludes thus:

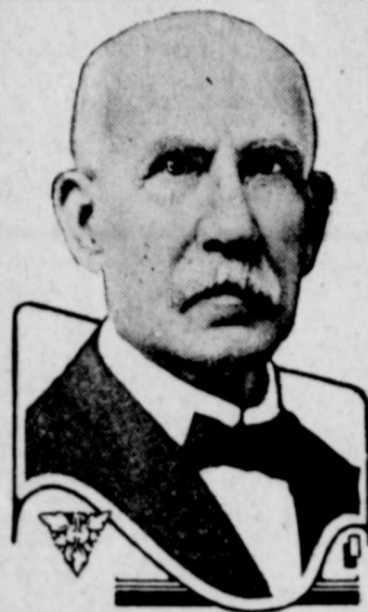
"Every man is said to have his peculiar ambition. Whether it be true or not, I can say, for one, that I have no other so great as that of being truly esteemed of my fellowmen by rendering myself worthy of their esteem. How far I shall succeed in gratifying this ambition is yet to be developed. I am young and unknown to many of you. I was born and have ever remained in the most humble walks of life. I have no wealth or popular relations or friends to recommend me. My case is thrown exclusively upon the independent voters of the county; and if elected, they will have conferred a favor upon me for which I shall be unremitting in my labors to compensate. But if the good people in their wisdom shall see fit to keep me in the background, I have been too familiar with disappointments to be very much chagrined."

Well, Lincoln was beaten by Peter Cartwright, the itinerant preacher whom he defeated in 1840 for congress. But New Salem went for "Honest Abe" with 277 votes out of the 290 cast. And two years later he was triumphantly elected.

Nobody ever saw any difference between the Abraham Lincoln of New Salem and the Abraham Lincoln of the White House. He never changed. Moreover, there was something in his lowly origin and in the story of his life that brought him close to the people as one of them. And in the development of the man there is no more fascinating chapter than New Salem, 1831-37.

## PROMINENT NEW YORK MAN PRAISES TANLAC

John F. Hyatt, of Albany, N. Y., Is Relieved of Severe Attack of Rheumatism of Many Years' Standing.



JOHN F. HYATT  
227 Pearl St., Albany, N. Y.

"I am now seventy-two years old and am just getting rid of a fifteen-year case of rheumatism that had me so crippled up I could not walk," said John F. Hyatt, 227 Pearl St., Albany, N. Y., in relating his remarkable experience with Tanlac, recently. Mr. Hyatt was chairman of the committee in charge of building the Albany County Courthouse and was four times elected a member of the County Board of Supervisors. At present Mr. Hyatt is Assistant Superintendent of the Albany County Courthouse, with offices in the building.

"I don't believe," he continued, "anybody could have rheumatism any worse than I did, and my case was of such long standing I didn't expect to ever get over it. I was unable to walk except for a short distance, supported with a cane, and even then the pains struck me every time I took a step. My legs, hips and ankles hurt something awful and my joints were stiff and achy. I couldn't cross my leg without having to lift it up with my hands, and to turn over in bed, why, the pains nearly killed me."

"My appetite was gone and the sight of food nauseated me. My stomach was out of order, and I had a sluggish, heavy feeling all the time. I was weak, off in weight and discouraged so that it looked like I might as well quit trying to ever get well."

"I had no idea Tanlac would relieve my rheumatism when I began taking it last Spring. I took it because I saw where it would give a fellow an

appetite. Well, sir, I was the most surprised I ever was in my life when the rheumatic pains began to ease up. I took seven bottles in all and, it's a fact, I didn't have an ache about me, was eating fine and simply felt like I had been made over again."

"I have been in the best of health ever since, with only a slight twinge of rheumatism at intervals. I do not need my cane now, but as I had been unable to walk without it for several years, I got into the habit of carrying it and so will take it along. I am enjoying life and health once more and can conscientiously recommend Tanlac as the greatest medicine I have ever run across in all my experience."

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#### HIS "HUNCH" WAS CORRECT

Actor's Assertion That Someone in the Audience Had a Bottle Quickly Proved True.

A peculiar incident happened in a local theater, which provided enough comedy to make the performance very amusing. In one of the acts, prohibition was made the butt of all the actor's jokes, and he happened to be one of those fellows who makes reference to the audience.

"Where is that bottle?" he shouted at the audience. "Someone in the house has a bottle, with the cork off." Hardly had the laughter subsided when there was a "plunk," as a bottle dropped accidentally from the grasp of someone down in front. It happened just at the opportune moment and the house went into roars of laughter. Whoever dropped it made no attempt to reclaim it, even though the bottle might have contained anything from milk to medicine. But the M. A. T. has been told by someone who was close to the sound that some time after he saw a woman slowly making an attempt to reach for the fallen wet goods.—Lawrence (Mass.) Telegram.

It's as Fickle as a Woman.  
How can we expect the forecast officials to tell what the weather will do when the weather itself does not know?—Boston Herald.

Natural Sequence.  
"I'm simply crazy about your bread."  
"That's probably because of its well-known nutty flavor."

#### PRESSING DAD PRETTY FAR

Youth's Last Question Certainly Might Have Been Called Pointed and Personal.

A most promising youth recently sought information from his father touching family affairs:

"Dad," said he, "do you like mother?"  
"Why, what a question! Of course, I do!"  
"And she likes you?"  
"I am certain she does."  
"Did she ever say so?"  
"Thousands of times, my son."  
"Did she marry you because she loved you?"  
Whereupon dad became angry, and said:  
"See here, young man, you're getting entirely too personal. But I don't mind telling you that she did."  
The boy scrutinized his parent closely, and after a pause added:  
"Tell me this, dad; Was ma as near sighted then as she is now?"

A Business Man.  
"He is a wonderful man for business, my boy—he even trained his little girl to put her pennies in the gas meter, and she thought it was her money box."

All Winners Now.  
This is the season of the year when every major league city has a great baseball team.

An ounce of help is better than a ton of hot air on the subject.

## He Turned the Corner—

The man in the fog thought he was lost, but he turned the corner — there was his own home!

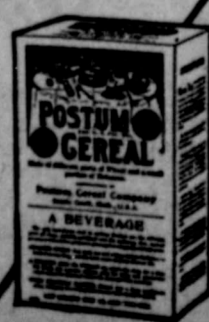
So many, troubled with disturbed nerves and digestion due to coffee drinking, help has seemed a long way off, but they found in

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The Girl of the Wood

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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Robin Page sat on the side of her narrow bed in her hall room on the third floor of Mrs. Leeds' lodging house. Her pretty feet drummed a little tattoo on the floor until the exasperated man who occupied the room beneath and who hummed monotonously all the evening knocked on his ceiling with a hairbrush which sent Robin's feet up on the bed in a flurry of excitement.

"Of all the impossible situations," she groaned. "To think that my father's daughter, brought up in luxury, should be spending her days in a horrible stuffy office and her nights in this pen—and worst of all, I cannot make my salary meet my expenses and Mrs. Leeds threatens to put me out tomorrow! Of course, some of dad's friends would help me, but I'm too proud—I've got to reduce living expenses. How? She puzzled over this a while and then the memory of the old home, now closed and later to be torn down, haunted her. "I could go there, no one would know it, and I could come in on the trolley. Later I will get a better position."

The novelty and the daring of the adventure appealed to Robin and the next day when she received her salary she paid Mrs. Leeds and, packing a supply of clothes in a couple of traveling bags, she sent her trunk into storage where there was some furniture saved from the wreck of her fallen fortunes.

Deprived of home, fortune, loved ones, all in one year, had stunned Robin Page, and she did not know how she had longed for the old place until the next day when she crept into the house and revisited beloved spots. At last she reached the upper floor, with tear-blinded eyes and sobbing lips, and decided that she would occupy her parent's room with the adjoining bathroom. It was sunny here



Clutched the Back of Her Chair.

Even with the shutters closed, for the sunshine would sift through every crack.

There was a fireplace with a grate. The house stood back from the road among thick trees and there would be little danger of discovery. She decided that for the present she would use a kerosene stove and lamp, and when it rained she might have a fire at night in the chimney.

She worked like a beaver all that Sunday. From all over the house she brought stray articles salvaged from the rooms, things which had been left for the ashman, but which were very precious to this bold pioneer. A sagging sofa from the attic was cautiously bumped down the stairs, a creaking, comfortable armchair followed.

There was a feeble table and a chest of drawers, and some rugs and draperies, deemed too worthless to sell, and odd utensils from the kitchen below. She added a few small things from the city stores, tugging her suitcase back and forth to town each day, until at last her house in the woods, as she dubbed it, was complete.

Weeks passed by and no one discovered Robin's hiding place. The girl grew rosy and her eyes recovered their old hope and luster. She found another and better position and was saving a little money against the day when the house should be demolished and she would be homeless again. She was determined never to be without a home of some sort in the future, something of her own, and not the stark, forlorn boarding house substitute. Of course, she knew there was danger of momentary discovery of her retreat and hasty eviction, but she had schooled herself to meet that, and she was glad that the old Arthurs place next door, whose chimney tops she could not even see through the trees, was also closed, as the owner, Tommy Arthurs, her old playmate, was traveling in India.

"A mighty hunter like Tommy Arthurs would smell my smoke right away," she thought. Her excursions here on the trolley each night were attended with some danger of recognition from old friends, but she had been very fortunate and in these days of motors people did not look for John Page's daughter in the slim, veiled

figure that came in on the Outline trolley car with bags and bundles, who alighted at Pole No. 14, beside a lonely road, and who finally disappeared through a broken gate which finally brought her to her hidden refuge.

"It is good to be home again," declared Tommy Arthurs, the night of his arrival from abroad. He had brought his intimate friend, Waldo Kent, out to spend the week-end with him and to decide what repairs the fine mansion needed. "I've got the Page property on my hands," remarked Kent as he lighted a cigarette after dinner. "I thought of tearing it down and putting some bungalows there, but you're next door and it might not suit you to have cottagers."

"It wouldn't," said Tommy gruffly. "I'll buy the old place from you, Waldo. I used to know the Pages, and we had fine times growing up together—they're all gone now, save pretty Robin, and I don't know where she is—I must hunt her up."

"We might go over and look at the outside of it now. Though I have the keys, we wouldn't be able to see inside," suggested Waldo.

"Done," agreed Tommy, for the house seemed stifling after his years in the open.

They entered the grounds and explored a little bit in the faint moonlight. Suddenly Waldo clutched his friend's arm. "There's a light up there on the second floor, Tommy. It isn't fire, either."

"That's right. No other light in the house and this one's hidden—thick curtain over window. Tramps?"

"May be. Want to come along and investigate?"

"I'll go back to the house and get a couple of guns and sticks. Never know what we're up against out here on the outskirts."

They oiled the lock of the front door and let themselves noiselessly inside the vast entrance hall of the deserted house. Rubber soled shoes helped them up the stairs and presently they were before the door of the room, where a crack of light ran along the sill. A girl's voice was talking cheerily to some one.

"Now, old gray cat, you have had your supper and I've had mine and we are both going to sit down in this comfy chair and read." Tommy's heart quickened for he believed he knew who belonged to that delightful voice.

It was Waldo Kent who entered without knocking. He simply put his big shoulder to the door and the ancient lock strained and gave way. So they burst in upon Robin and the cat who had come to live with her. The frightened girl jumped up and then clutched the back of her chair. These healthy young men were not law-breakers and one face was dearily familiar. With a little cry she ran and put her arms around Tommy Arthurs. "Oh, Tommy, Tommy, it's so good to see some of the home folks again," she sobbed. Tommy flapped his free hand at the gaping Waldo. "I'll see you later, Waldo, go and look at the moon, that's a good fellow—"

Waldo stayed an hour and when he came back the two who had been reunited had only reached the point where Tommy was fitting his mother's engagement ring upon Robin's slim finger.

"We missed each other a lot," explained Tommy, "but we never knew it till just this minute!"

"Is this house for sale?" asked the real estate man.

"Never," cried Tommy and Robin together.

**The Masked Actress.**  
One had long grown accustomed to the thought that "all the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

And one man in his time plays many parts, and when Hamlet introduces his players one recognizes a state of affairs quite like a nest of Chinese boxes. But when it comes to an actress no longer showing her own face, but playing her part covered in a mask, of which even the eyes are not her own, the plot thickens, the very mask is masked, and the actress, who may by change of mask play her many parts in the course of one piece, becomes as elusive as that forest sprite which Russian folklore defines as having "one nostril and no back."—Christian Science Monitor.

**No Apartment Houses in Japan.**  
Frequent earthquakes and low wages of servants account for the fact that Japanese families invariably live in separate houses. There is not one apartment house, not one family living in a hotel (save travelers) even in the decidedly Occidental city of Tokyo.

Homes there are of small size, made of wood, bamboo and tile, built very light, so as to suffer the least damage in earthquakes. The most economic and practical size of a house, accordingly, is eight rooms, three stories high. This is the size of house most commonly used all over the country. It is just the right size for the average Japanese family.

**That Was Later.**  
"You say the glare of his headlights confused you. Weren't his lamps dimmed?"

"They were after I got through with him," said the man who had the narrow escape. "I gave him such a nice pair of black eyes that he could hardly see out of them."—Kansas City Star.

**Accounting for it.**  
"Mrs. Passy, who hates fast driving, came in after her motor trip looking like a thundercloud."  
"I suppose that was because her escort drove at lightning speed."

LITTLE LADIES' SUMMER DRESSES



LABOR with what zeal they may, something still remains for mothers to make for their little ones, but the work is not much of a task when the matter of material and style are decided on. In materials we find plain chambray, small plaid and checked gingham, light and dark satens, dotted swisses, voiles, organdies and taffetas, all in pretty, live colors (with a spice of black and navy blue) make up the color story as told by the shops; chambrays, ginghams and satens for utility clothes; organdies, swisses and taffetas for special occasions.

For the small fry, from two to six years old, rousers divide favor with dresses and the latter are provided with bloomers or short pants to match. Nothing is in greater favor than amusing little peg-top bloomers of plain chambray, in blue, green, light brown or other colors, made with round neck and elbow sleeves. Very simple stitchery is the usual finish for them. Dresses with bloomers to match are cut either in the smock pattern with small yoke, or with a short bodice and knee-length skirt. A pretty model appears at the left of the two shown above, made in this way. White lawn is much used for collars and cuffs and

colored floss provides cross stitch or outline embellishment and sometimes quiet, small flower motifs. Odd-shaped pockets are featured on all sorts of dresses.

The pretty dress at the right might be made up in white or light colors. A strap decoration on the shoulders and at the front and back at the waist line invites an embellishment which appears in a little simple embroidery. Button-holed slashes at the ends of the waist straps allow a sash to slip through them, tied in a buoyant bow, with loops and ends at the left side.

The very young ladies' spring and summer frocks, for dress-up wear, are most enticing when made of organdy in gay colors. Little ruffles of organdy trim them but their chief glory is found in small clusters of organdy flowers, in several colors, posed on each pocket, or on the girdle. There are many long-waisted frocks and gay ribbons add their enchantment to the other delightful details of organdy, swiss or batiste dresses. Dark blue or black taffetas have allurements in embroidery as clusters of red silk cherries or cross-stitch patterns in color silk.

Approved Styles in Coats



THOSE who have postponed the requirement of a spring coat until now, may congratulate themselves that the styles are crystallized and that therefore it is easy to make a choice. Coat styles have gone from good to better and it will take a cautious and hypercritical person to journey far in the displays without growing enthusiastic over the last offerings of the designers. There are several good, distinct styles to choose from, with those showing the influence of the cape, dominating the season.

This feature is given prominence in the handsome coat shown at the left of the two illustrated here. The body of the coat is full and hangs straight with ripple at the bottom, in the manner of a long cape, the sleeves simulate a shorter cape and the embroidery, used for embellishment, follows the lines of a still shorter cape, or deep cape collar. By these means the designer affirms his approval of cape styles in coats and accomplishes a graceful garment. It is of tan-colored

wool material in a soft weave and lined with soft taffeta and is a garment that can be worn almost anywhere.

The rich-looking coat at the right is a compromise between the cape and dolman styles that are artfully combined in it. The dolman sleeves are cleverly cut and set in and are covered with a bold pattern in solid embroidery. This embroidery reappears on the long shawl collar which is proving a great success on coats and many other garments this season. Besides the staple colors, as navy, dark brown, gray, these darker coats are shown in other pleasing shades and among them certain soft blues are favored. Shades of beige and taupe are elegant and always a safe choice, harmonizing with everything. The coat pictured is of dark blue lined with plain satin.

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**Rather Skeptical.**  
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"Yes," said Mr. Gumpson. "I have also heard about a pig in Mississippi that's a better hunter than half the bird-dogs in the state, and I once heard of a man who had a pet rattlesnake that took the place of an alarm clock and woke him up every morning by coiling on his chest and rattling, but thank heaven I don't have to believe everything I hear."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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Communion with God on the Lord's Day brings new strength of body and mind as well as soul, for God's word tells us "My God shall supply all your needs."

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Dr. Hankins conducted the services in a manner that would have been a credit to any pulpit orator, having it attributed to him that he was the biggest preacher in West Texas, and as an evangelist second to none. Visits were paid to the school on different occasions, and as a result Rev. Hankins was given a special invitation to preach the Baccalaureate Sermon, upon a unanimous vote of the Graduating Class, and Singer Gilliam to attend and render special music for the occasion. This will be the first time in the history of the school that Methodists have conducted these services.

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"Well, if you put it in that way, you escaped loose, I'll assist your sap-headed philosophy to your exact cash limit. When will you pony up?"

"In twenty minutes by the clock," said Mr. Randolph cheerfully, and rang off.

The historic pounding drive on Amal I. S. & C. that started with the opening of the market on the following day was of such Homeric proportions that the advance sale made by Messrs. Verries & Cat on behalf of Mr. R. H. Randolph during the Thursday afternoon next preceding was a mere drop in the bucket of oblivion to the public at large—a mere flea-bite lost in the shuffling of epidemics to the monster saurians involved in the combat; but to Mr. Randolph, it was a matter of transcendent importance.

With a feeling of great relief over an order that he had placed with his tailor nine days previously for complete new afternoon and evening outfits, the successful hunchbustler collected one hundred and thirty-two thousand, thirty-eight and no hundredths dollars and proceeded to turn in his wagon to the Village Cab company, together with the highest clock reading ever known in the history of Manhattan. He then chartered one of the vehicles for hire of that concern and directed it to carry him to his new clothes.

At ten minutes to four, he emerged from his tailor's, garbed in the very latest thing in slim-line morning coats, a top hat, pearly-striped trousers, spats, a mottled, platinum-handled, snakewood stick, and a gardenia in his buttonhole. Ignoring the wise and friendly-appearing look on the face of the cab driver, who was none other than our old friend of asturine visage, Patrick O'Reilly by name, fallen on evil times, and re-engaged that very day on Mr. Randolph's recommendation, he gave a certain address in Fifty-ninth street.

Let us now break one of the cardinal rules of narrative for cash by ruthlessly switching the objective point of view. Behold Miss Imogene Pamela Thornton dressed in a ravishing, modestly modern tea-gown effect that would have cost her great-grandmother a ducking in the pond off Bleeker street if she had dared to wear it in her day at a fancy-dress ball, pacing up and down Mr. Randolph's recent sitting room and counting off nine on her fingers for the hundred and eighty-sixth time.

And then, at last, the bell! 'Yomlinson, his jaw set grimly, advanced upon the door. For an agonizing small moment, Pamela held her



"We-won't You Sit Down?"

breath, and then let it go with a rush as she heard the old valet's sonorous voice tinged, nay, reeking, with the joy of welcome.

"Glad to see you back, Master Robert. Miss Thornton will receive you in the sitting room." Followed jingling sounds as Tomlinson disconnected the doorbell.

He was right, in surmising that the former employer did not require a guide, but, as it turned out, there was no reason why he should not have witnessed the very proper meeting

which took place between the two outwardly cool young members of society who were inwardly, nevertheless, seething with more emotions than there are fumes in a lime-kiln.

"Miss Thornton!" exclaimed Mr. Randolph, as, from force of long habit, he laid hat, stick and gloves on a side table and then advanced with a tentatively outstretched hand.

"Oh, how do you do?" asked Pamela, rising and offering her hand.

"Wo—won't you sit down?"

"Thank you; I will."

He took the other end of the couch, crossed his legs in an effort to appear thoroughly at home, and gazed almost furtively at the apparition before him. Ye gods and heaps of daffodils! What a vision of loveliness, of charm, grace, breeding, carriage and nurtured beauty! What a bubbling well of mirth; what a source of the light of youth that never fails; what an armful of divine delight!

"Er—er—told Mr. Milyuns I'd call," said Mr. Randolph.

"Yes!" eagerly countered Miss Thornton.

"Er—I—said I'd be here at four," supplemented Mr. Randolph.

"Yes; he told me," murmured Miss Thornton, not quite so ardently.

"Er—it's just four now," stated Mr. Randolph.

"So it is," agreed Miss Thornton quite coolly, glancing at the clock and registering surprise—tone quite calm and dignified.

A long silence intervenes. The lady could easily break it, but won't. She has gathered somewhere that silence is often a club. Mr. Randolph evidently shares the intuition; he must say something and does.

"I've been very busy since I saw you last."

"How interesting!"

"Yes; it has been—in spots. I've—er—been studying the under side of the upper world through a hole in the front glass of a taxi. It has given me a great idea."

"Really?"

"Yes; I'm going to start the Manhattan Chaperoned Cab company."

"The what?" asked Miss Thornton, forced to show interest in the preposterous project in spite of the fact that her eyes were growing more and more wounded and the corners of her tremulous mouth were drooping farther and farther south.

"Chaperoned Cab company," repeated Mr. Randolph, his broad brows puckering in serious thought over his wide blue eyes. "It doesn't sound like much of an idea until you follow it out. Would you like to have me explain it to you?"

"Oh, ce—certainly."

"Well, it all hangs on an invention of my own—an attachment to the ordinary taximeter of a miniature map of New York and vicinity and a sort of seismic-needle affair. You set the needle on the point in the map corresponding to where the cab starts from in—er—real life. Wherever the cab goes, the needle shows the route in red ink on the map, with a time signal of how long it stopped at any given house, park, store—er—et cetera. Do you begin to get the idea?"

"N—no," said Miss Thornton.

"Just think a minute. Tired old couple of conventional ideas and actually beyond the age of dancing are in horror of sitting up all night watching daughter have a good time. Send her in one of my cabs; the ink-route will show just how straight she went to the party, how long she stayed, and how she came back. I forgot to mention the dictograph attachment in every vehicle. Take another case: Man married to a pretty and very young wife. Can't you hear him say, 'Yes, my d-d-dear; you can go anywhere if you'll take a Chaperoned Cab?'"

"No, I can't," said Miss Thornton decisively, and stared meaningly at the clock, as though she were worrying over her next engagement.

Mr. Randolph flushed, rose hastily, and possessed himself of hat, stick and gloves.

"I mustn't keep you," he said, "I've got an appointment in about five minutes myself."

She rose, an absent-minded look in her eyes, and accompanied him to the door of the room. He opened it and took his hand from the knob to shake good-by. Her hand reached out toward his listlessly, as though it had become infected with the selfsame droop that had assailed the corners of her lips.

"May I—er—call again?"

"No!" cried Pamela, snatched back her hand, threw both arms up against the doorjamb, dropped her curly head upon them, and burst into tears.

Mr. Randolph's platinum-headed cane fell with a clatter; his gloves fluttered to the floor, and his new top hat, emitting a clucking, mirthful sound, hurtled across the room. In less time than it has taken to describe these simultaneous events, he had seized the sobbing girl in his arms and was babbling as follows:

"Miss Tho—Pamela—Pam, you dearest and sweetest of all the little women in the world! Oh, darling, don't cry; but if you must, then cry on me—so! That's right, my precious; put your arms round my neck and hold me close. S—strangle me, b—but never, never let me go."

He stooped gradually, picked her up, and made for the couch. Just before he got there, he reached a small prayer rug of Persian design and of great value, one of many such oases in the large expanse of beautifully waxed flooring. The speckled rug seemed to take sudden offense at Mr. Randolph's rude footfall. It took to itself wings and flew from under him. The crash of two of the choicest bits of Manhattan's humanity was terrific, above the din of scattering furniture

could be heard the peal of a girl's clear laughter, and presently a voice ringing merrily through half-swallowed sobs:

"M—my—what a b—bump!"

They sat on the floor, face to face, and matched a treble: "Ha! Ha! Ha!" with a heavy male: "Haw! Haw! Haw!"

The terrified Tomlinson burst in upon the scene and there are twenty-six adjectives that would have fitted the look on his countenance, the first five being "astounded," "scandalized," "amazed," "deprecating," "appalled."

"M—Master Robert! M—Miss Imogene!"

Pamela pointed one finger at him weakly, and was off again to tumble down another cascade of laughter. Tomlinson shook his solemn head from side to side in a grieved and palsied motion.

"Such doings! I never—no—I never!"

"Tomlinson is right," said Mr. Randolph solemnly, as he rose and helped Pamela to her feet. "I consider this the most astonishing sample of deportment that has come to my immediate attention for—for ten years." He turned to the unmollified servant, "Tomlinson," he continued, still sup-



One of Those Long, Unhurried Marriages of the Lips.

porting the laughter-weakened Pamela with one arm, "I think it is due you to explain this Miss Thornton and I were merely rehearsing, or, rather, reviving the occasion of our first meeting. It was sitting just as you found us that we first made each other's acquaintance a decade ago, except that the encounter took place on the western sidewalk of Fifth avenue at about the corner of Forty-eighth street. I trust that this information will clear up all doubts in your mind as to our sanity, and that you will now leave us to the settlement of certain personal affairs of great moment."

Tomlinson withdrew, still shaking his head from side to side, and mumbled his opinion that the explanation, far from condoning an affront to what had once been an orderly establishment, was in the nature of a plant on his credulity. No sooner had he closed the door softly but firmly on the scene of wreckage than Mr. Randolph turned all his attention to the lady in his arms.

After a few moments, he laid his hands on her shoulders, held her at arm's length, and forced her eyes to a long and breathlessly solemn meeting with his own. "My dear girl," he continued, "when I came here this afternoon, the sudden bloom of your beauty swept me off my usually confident mental bearings. I saw how completely desirable you are and my courage sank and left me, as though some one had said, 'You can have her if you'll just step up to Mars.' When I was running away, so that I might live to fight for you in many other days, the flame of you swept down and seized my coward heart. It's yours, darling, forever—if you'll only take it!"

And then they kissed each other—one of those long, unhurried marriages of the lips in which eye meets wondering eye so closely that the barriers of flesh and space and time are pushed aside, and all the whole wide world together with seven heavens are crowded into the tiny sphere of a single lucent orb. Look at them, oh, you growing public; watch them do it! For while it is customary to draw the veil on these intimate first contacts of the soul, let it be said that such conventional literary hypocrisy is herein abjured on the grounds that the real thing in youth in love doesn't give a whoop who sees.

Even such a kiss as is under review has an end as well as a beginning, and just as this one finished its too brief but crowded span of life came the honk three times repeated of a motor horn, as though the world at large had availed itself of that means to cap the shameless osculation with three exclamation points.

"Why, Bobby," cried Pamela, "you've never kept your cab waiting!"

"Sometime tonight," said Mr. Randolph dreamily, sadly, wistfully, "I'll have to go somewhere away from here. Let him wait."

[THE END.]

His War Record.

"What did the honorable do during the war?"

"Talked."

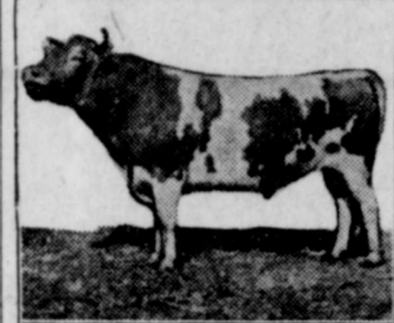
## DAIRY HINTS

### WORK OF BULL ASSOCIATIONS

Largest Increase Noted Since World Was Inaugurated and Improvement in Herds Seen.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The number of active bull associations increased from 78 on July 1, 1919, to 123 on June 30, 1920. This is the largest increase since the work was begun by the United States Department of Agriculture, and is partly due to the momentum gained during the



A Good Type of Dairy Bull Such as Co-Operative Bull Associations Use.

preceding year, when the first real effort was made to extend the work.

Eighteen of the new associations are in South Carolina, Alabama and Mississippi, where a large part of the active field work has been done by the co-operative extension men. Reports from the associations which have been in operation for a fairly long time show that the bull association is fulfilling its purpose of improving the herds and that the daughters of association bulls have generally excelled their dams in milk and butterfat production. In one Maryland association 21 daughters of association bulls exceeded their dams in yearly production by an average of 963 pounds of milk and 44 pounds of butterfat.

### STERILIZING MILK BOTTLES

Only Thorough Washing, Steaming and Drying Produces Sterile Container for Milk.

Too much emphasis cannot be given to the fact that only thorough washing, steaming and drying produces a sterile container for milk and that milk should not be allowed in any other than a sterile container at any time, and particularly if the milk has been pasteurized or otherwise heated.

The washing and sterilizing of returned empty milk bottles to a city milk plant constitutes a big problem. Bottles are received in varying conditions of cleanliness and from the many and varied sources of collection, and it becomes somewhat of an accomplishment to make them sterile containers for milk.

The inoculation from the empty bottle can be reduced to a minimum by thorough washing, steaming and draining, and as this is possible and highly important from a health point of view no other method should be tolerated.

Placing pasteurized milk in a bottle which has not been sterilized just previously lessens the efficiency of the pasteurizing process and helps to defeat its purposes.

### CHEESE INDUSTRY IN SOUTH

Becoming Noteworthy Factor in Dairying, Particularly in North Carolina and Tennessee.

In the South, particularly in North Carolina and Tennessee, the cheese industry is becoming a noteworthy factor in dairying, following the introduction of successful methods of cheese making developed by the United States Department of Agriculture. In each of these states two new factories were established during last year with the help of the dairy division specialists of the department.

The Grove City creamery, Grove City, Pa., conducted under the direction of the dairy division, continues to manufacture foreign types of cheese by methods developed in the laboratory of that division. The production of Roquefort, Swiss and Camembert cheese during the year exceeded 130,000 pounds.

### DAIRY BULL FOR COMMUNITY

Farmers Should Organize Themselves and Raise Sufficient Money to Secure Good Animal.

In communities where there are no good dairy bulls, the farmers should organize themselves and raise enough money to buy and pay expenses in the upkeep of a good bull. If possible the bull should be used as a "community free service bull." This method has been tried out in many sections and is giving satisfaction.

### BEST DEVELOPMENT OF COWS

Feed is About as Important as Breed in Creating More Highly Developed Animal.

Feed, as a source of development, is about as important as breed, not in creating impossibilities, but in bettering the possible; so that the heifer, if well bred, if well and properly fed, and with discriminating judgment will be a more highly developed cow.

## LIVE STOCK FACTS

### RAISE ORPHAN FOAL BY HAND

Not Uncommon for Mare to Die, Leaving Youngster Dependent on Artificial Feeding.

It is not uncommon for a mare to die shortly after foaling, thus leaving her foal dependent on artificial feeding for its sustenance; and some mares furnish an insufficient amount of milk for their colts. Cow's milk furnishes a most logical substitute for mare's milk, but as the composition is somewhat different, certain changes or modifications are necessary in order that the supplied diet be not too dissimilar from the natural. The following table of percentage gives the average composition of the two kinds of milk:

	Water	Protein	Fat	Sugar	Ash
Cow's milk	87.17	3.55	3.89	4.88	0.71
Mare's milk	90.75	1.99	1.21	4.88	0.76

Milk from as fresh a cow as possible and which is not rich in butterfat should be diluted about one-fourth with fresh water. A table-



Patience, Perseverance and Judgment Are Necessary in Raising Orphan Foal.

spoonful of sugar and about 3 tablespoonfuls of lime water should be added for each pint. This mixture should be supplied to the colt at about body temperature. A bottle with a rubber nipple, or even a finger of a kid glove with a fair-sized hole in it fitted over the end of a spout of a vessel such as a teapot, will serve as a convenient utensil in getting the foal to take the milk. If the finger of a kid glove is used it should be as clean as possible. At first about one-half a cup of milk should be given every hour, the quantity to be increased slightly and the intervals to be lengthened gradually as the foal grows older. In about 2 months skimmed milk may be substituted for whole milk, and in addition one of the following rations should be fed: One part of flaxseed meal boiled to a jelly, and 2 or 3 parts of bran. Or 2 parts ground oats, 1 part corn meal, one half-part flaxseed meal. Or 2 parts of bran, 2 parts corn meal, and 1 part oil meal. Feed a double handful a day to start with, and increase the amount gradually.

Raising a foal by hand is not a job for the careless and indifferent. It requires patience, painstaking care, perseverance, judgment, and cleanliness. The vessel in which the milk is supplied should be scalded thoroughly each time it is used. Unclean receptacles for the milk and irregular intervals for feeding likely will cause scours. The quarters should be very clean and the orphaned foal should have company of some kind. Another foal is desirable, but even a calf is better than no company. A grassy paddock with abundant shade, fresh water and protection from flies will increase the orphan's chance of proper development.

### GOOD REMEDY FOR SWEENEY

Afflicted Horse Should Not Be Worked If It Can Be Avoided—Complete Rest Is Best.

A horse with sweeney should not be worked if it can be avoided. If the animal is used at all it should be at only light work. The collar should not properly. A cure can be brought about much more quickly if the animal is given complete rest, preferably in a pasture, for a couple of months.

Rubbing to loosen the skin over the muscles affected is very beneficial. A corn cob is often used for this purpose. If wasting away continues it may be necessary to apply a light blister.

### BLAME GOITER FOR AILMENT

Experiments in Wisconsin and Montana Determine on It for Cause of "Hairless Pig."

Goiter has been determined as the cause of the trouble known as the "hairless pig," according to investigations made recently at the University of Wisconsin and the Montana experiment station.

### PREVENTIVE MEASURES BEST

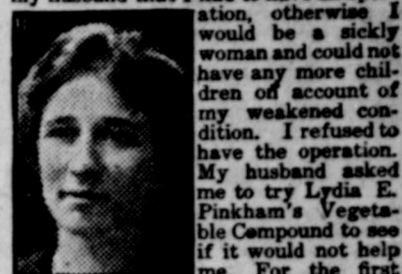
Successful Farmer Always Tries to Avoid Various Ailments Rather Than Try to Cure.

The successful farmer always practices prevention of disease in live stock rather than curing it. In the former case, the chance for curing remains after preventive measures have failed.

## WIFE TAKES HUSBANDS ADVICE

And Is Made Well Again by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Springfield, Mass.—"The doctor told my husband that I had to have an operation, otherwise I would be a sickly woman and could not have any more children of account of my weakened condition. I refused to have the operation. My husband asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to see if it would not help me. For the first



four months I could do but little work, had to lie down most of the time, was nervous and could eat hardly anything, but my husband was always reminding me to take the Vegetable Compound, which I did. Of my eight children this last one was the easiest birth of all and I am thankful for your Vegetable Compound. I recommend it to my friends when I hear them complaining about their ills."—Mrs. M. NATALE, 72 Fremont St., Springfield, Mass.

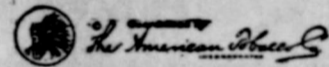
Sickly, ailing women make unhappy homes, and after reading Mrs. Natale's letter one can imagine how this home was transformed by her restoration to health. Every woman who suffers from such ailments should give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial. It is surely worth while.

"Wins the Wise to Praise." Every heroic act measures itself by its contempt of some external goal. But it finds its own success at last, and then the prudent also extol—Emerson.

What we need is to apply our courage to the small things in life.



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HEDLEY, TEXAS

**HEDLEY L. S. AND F. A. FARM AND CROP NOTES**

Crop planting is in full blast. Recent rains have brought moisture enough to bring up seed in most places. Next week the larger part of this year's crop will be in the ground, so far as the seed are concerned.

How much cotton did you plant? What will it cost you a pound to produce? Will you have to hire help to cultivate and gather your cotton crop? The answer to this last question will largely decide whether or not you will make a profit on this year's crop.

We still hold that the farmer who plants only what cotton he can cultivate and gather himself will make some money, if gotten out early in the season.

Don't forget that the old reliable black hulled kafir is almost a sure winner when it comes to producing feed. Select the best seed available, and don't plant too thick. Effort spent in getting better seed is usually well spent.

If sandy soil, treat the seed against rats, etc.

Don't forget to reserve some space to plant some sweet potatoes, peanuts, beans, peas, syrup cane, watermelons and anything else that you can use at home and perhaps have some to sell.

The farmer that keeps a milk cow, raises his meat, keeps a few dozen laying hens, cans up a big lot of vegetables, puts away a few sacks of peas and beans, successfully keeps enough sweet potatoes to furnish his family, will be prepared to meet most any possible emergency. So called hard times will hold no fears for him. He has reserve rations that will be a formidable barrier against further debt and the other unpleasant things that go with it.

Home canners have demonstrated their worth in many communities, and we see no reason why they could not be used profitably here in putting up many kinds of vegetables for the coming year. The fruit will be scarce, no doubt, but as we can grow most all kinds of vegeta-

bles in abundance, why not put up more of them and also adopt the best way of doing it. One canner will answer for several families, thereby causing their use to be economical. Think over the home canner idea.

Anything you may plant of grow on the farm, you will want to place on exhibit some of the best specimens at our big Community Fair this fall. This will be everybody's fair, and we want you to help make it a grand success.

But before the Fair comes off, we are going to have a big Barbecue and Picnic August 4th—just after we lay by crops. There are a number of bees already subscribed for the barbecue, and ample support of other natures that assure a big day of pleasure, merriment and entertainment. Like the fair, plan to help make it a success and be a 100 per cent community builder. We have got the country; we have got the people; what we need is a cooperative citizenship working in complete harmony for anything that is of an up-

building nature for the community in general. Isn't this a fact? Think it over.

Hedley Livestock and Fair Association.

Miss Ruth Coffey, teacher in the Claude schools, spent Friday to Sunday here with her parents. Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Coffey. She was accompanied back to Claude by little Miss Billie Louise Burnett, who returned to Hedley Wednesday.

B. E. Ferrell of Berryville, Ark., is visiting with his cousin, L. W. Willis, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Mace of Hereford were the guests of V. C. Kersey and family last week.

Mrs. Gene Hord was called to Memphis Thursday on account of the illness of her father.

Uncle Ben Beach has been in Hedley the past week on a visit to relatives and friends. He has been living in North Arkansas for several months.

**Revival Meeting**

Rev. S. H. Holmes of Vernon will conduct a revival meeting at the First Christian Church in Hedley, beginning Sunday, July 10th, 1921.

Everybody cordially invited. Make your arrangements to attend and enjoy this meeting.

Nat S. Perrine returned Monday from Laredo, where he went to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. C. C. Halbedl.

Rev. Y. F. Walker was called to Sentinel, Okla., one day the past week on urgent business. He returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Perrine have returned from Laredo, where they were called by the sickness and death of their daughter, Mrs. C. C. Halbedl, who was best known to Hedley people as Miss Virginia Perrine. The death of this excellent young woman was a grievous blow to her family, and the sincere sympathy of the people of this community goes out to them.

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**HEDLEY SINGING CLASS**

The following program has been arranged for the Hedley Singing Class on next Fifth Sunday, May 29th, at 8:00 p. m., at First Christian Church:

Opening song led by Sam Ayer.  
 Prayer by Bro. I. J. Spurlin.  
 Two songs led by Clarence Lettrell.  
 Two songs led by G. B. Battle.  
 Quartet arranged by Robert Watkins.  
 Short talk by W. A. Armstrong.  
 Two songs led by A. N. Wood.  
 Special song arranged by Zela Wood.  
 Two songs led by C. A. Hicks.  
 Special song arranged by Sam Ayer.  
 Closing song by A. N. Wood.  
 Dismissed by Bro. Otis Alexander.

R. N. Gendron of Throckmorton is visiting in Hedley, a guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. A. Hicks.

**FOR SALE**—A span of good mules, gentle to work. Will sell for cash or bankable note, or will trade for Ford car or cattle. See Judge Hoggard, at Hedley.

**JOINT MISSIONARY SOCIETY**

Program for Monday, May 30, at 2:30 p. m.

Song, Help Somebody Today.  
 Devotional, Mrs. Y. F. Walker.  
 Business: Report of personal service workers, etc.  
 Song, Let the Lower Lights Be Burning.  
 Missionary Paper, by Mrs. Adamson.  
 Report of State Convention with reference to Missions in foreign fields—Mrs. Coffey.  
 Pianos solo—Mrs. Thompson.  
 Missionary paper—Mrs. F. M. Acord.  
 Prayer for Missionaries in the Orient—Mrs. Wood.  
 Paper—Mrs. Culwell.  
 Vocal solo—Miss Grace Myers.  
 Missionary Playlet—Y. F. M. S.  
 Song, Rescue the Perishing.  
 Closing song, God Be With You Till We Meet Again.  
 Offering will go to European sufferers.

**TO THE PUBLIC**

and Members in particular: The Hedley Equity Union is selling Groceries, and would appreciate a call from you. See **A. N. Wood.**

**METHODIST CHURCH**

The pastor, Rev. L. B. Hankins, will preach at both morning and evening hours next Sunday, the 29th. You are cordially invited to worship with us.

Miss Melba Johnson is spending the week with relatives and friends in Memphis.

Now is the time to buy that Ice Cream Freezer or Milk Cooler. You can get them at Thompson Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hill were down from Clarendon Saturday and Sunday, visiting relatives and friends.

T. O. Johnson of Giles mingled with the crowd in town last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Scott of Goodnight spent Sunday visiting their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Kersey.

Mrs. J. G. Coffey attended the Christian Church convention in Wichita Falls last week.

**"HONOR ROLL"**

The following have our thanks for money paid on subscription since last issue. We didn't have to "dun" any of them. Who'll be the next lucky one?

- W. J. Deal
- W. E. Grimsley

**FINE POULTRY FOR SALE**

One cock and twelve hens, Black Minercas; three cocks and twenty hens, Rhode Island Reds; at \$1.50 each if taken in lots of six, or will take \$45.00 for the entire lot.

These fowls are worth much more than the prices made, but business prevents my giving time to my poultry, hence the sacrifice prices.

L. A. Stroud.

**BAPTIST REVIVAL**

The First Baptist Church will hold its Annual Protracted Meeting in August, beginning the third Sunday.

Rev. Geo. G. Hoth of Seminole, Okla., will be with us for the meeting.

Y. F. Walker.

N. N. Martin, Clarendon realty dealer, was a business visitor in Hedley Tuesday.

P. V. Dishman returned last week from Dallas, where he had his leg and foot treated at the Baptist Sanitarium. We are glad to learn that he is now on the road to early recovery.

**COMING**

Who? C. H. Kennedy of McKinney, Texas.

What for? To preach the plain unadorned gospel—the same gospel the Apostles preached. And John said: He that "Kneweth God hears us."

Bro. Kennedy is one of the best preachers in the Church of Jesus Christ today. He is a man of real power. He is clean. He SLINGS NO MUD. He is spending his life helping sin-sick souls prepare for the Judgment of God.

Come and hear him at the Presbyterian Church, beginning the night of June 4th.

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