





BY GILES M. HALTOM

LESS COTTON THE SAFER PLAN

The latest report of the census bureau shows that the South produced last year 13,365,754 bales of cotton. It was approximately 2,000,000 bales more than was produced in 1919, and the sixth largest crop on record.

This crop would not have been more than the world could absorb had the conditions been normal, but with Europe's buying power curtailed, it has been necessary to hold a large part of the crop out of consumptive channels. The burden of holding the crop has fallen on the producers.

The time has arrived for preparation of land for planting a new cotton crop. What will the farmers do? Gamble with the future, hoping against hope that something will happen to stimulate the demand, or slash the acreage and devote more time to some other crop?

With the census figures before them, it would seem the intelligent farmers would find it not difficult to decide which course to pursue. Conditions in Europe are not growing noticeably better. With a red revolution involving a general strike, threatened in Germany, the outlook for resumption of normal trade with Germany is considerably dimmed. For the present, at least, France and England are making slow headway. World conditions are clearly unfavorable to the prospect of a revival of cotton demand on a large scale this year.

To plant the normal acreage in cotton and run the risk of reaping another bumper crop this year would appear at this time to be the height of unwisdom. It would be only increasing the supply of a commodity which, although needed, the world is not in a position to buy in normal quantities.

Until Europe gets back to work it will be dangerous for the Southern cotton farmer to stake his all on cotton. A little cotton and a lot of the things that enter directly into the living of the farmer will be a surer bet this year than the one-crop plan. The specter of starvation or financial ruin will not then appear next winter, whatever turn the cotton market may take.—Houston Post.

A TRIBUTE TO WOMAN

It takes a hundred men to make an ornament, but one woman can make a home. I met only a few women in the past beautiful object ever created, but I reverence her as the noblest glory of humanity, the sanctuary of all virtues, the pledge of all perfect qualities of heart and head. It is not just not right to lay the blame of man at the feet of a woman. It is because women are so much better than men that their faults are considered greater. A man's desire is the foundation of his love, but a woman's desire is born of her love. The one thing in this world that is constant, the one peak that rises above all clouds, the one window in which ever shines the star that darkness cannot quench, is woman's love. It rises to the greatest heights and sinks to the lowest depths. It forgives the most cruel injuries. It is perennial of life and grows in every climate. Neither coldness and neglect, harshness nor cruelty can extinguish it. A woman's love is the perfume of the heart. This is the real love that subdues the earth; the love that has wrought all miracles or art, that gives us music, all the way from the cradle song to the grand closing symphony that bears the soul away on wings of fire; a love that is greater than power, sweeter than life and stronger than death.—Bob Ingersoll.

HERE'S GOOD ADVICE

The business men and the farmers should be close together, not only for their mutual benefit but as neighbors they should yearn to be personal friends. Sometimes the friendship does not exist because of the seeming indifference of the business man and the carelessness of the farmer. Each one should strive to be the friend of the other, not only for business reasons but because they are neighbors. We are all just men and crave friends, but some times we get too busy to cultivate the friendship of our neighbors. The business man should take a little time off for the purpose of cultivating the friendship of the farmer, and the farmer should make a friend of every business man. This should not be done for any selfish reason but for the purpose of making a better community. Negligence is preventing many ties of friendship that should exist between men and women.—Abilene Times.

EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE

In response to an invitation from President H. F. Estill, Sam Houston Normal Institute, Huntsville, Texas, seconded by the Honorable Anna Webb Blanton, State superintendent of public instruction, Austin, Texas, and in cooperation with several other State superintendents of public instruction in that region, the United States Bureau of Education makes official announcement of the Federal and Interstate Conference on Education with especial reference to the improvement of our country schools, to be held at Sam Houston Normal Institute, Huntsville, Texas, April 24-26, both inclusive, 1921, for the purpose of considering from the standpoint of statesmanship and the public welfare and the present conditions and needs of education in these States and the means of meeting such needs, and particularly the means of fostering among people at large, and their representatives in legislative bodies and elsewhere will result in a more generous support and wiser control of schools where, such intelligent interest as and other agencies of education.

This is to be a conference not primarily of professional educators but rather of citizens—men and women of affairs who own the schools, pay for them, use them and who alone can make possible any important improvement in them. It is very important, however, that the chief school officers of state, county, city and town, should be present and ready to take part in the general discussions of the conference, particularly in the phases of education in which they are most directly interested. The country church and Sunday school, as factors in the improvement of country schools and country life, will be given due consideration.

It is hoped that reduced railroad rates may be secured for those in attendance at this conference. When purchasing ticket ask local agent for receipt thereon on the certificate plan. If a sufficient number of persons attend, the reduced rate will be granted on purchase of return ticket.

Those who wish to make sure of hotel or rooming accommodations should write Professor S. C. Wilson early, stating how many in the party, when they will arrive, and how long they will stay.

Detailed program of the conference will be ready for distribution on or about April first.

J. L. McBrien, Director of Rural School Extension, United States Bureau of Education, Washington, D. C., is the executive secretary of the conference.

AS TO THE MOVIES

The movie folks don't want Clara Smith Hamon to be allowed to play for the screen. There are some tough birds among them, but even they are too respectable to want her numbered as one of them. If the local picture men all over the nation will refuse to book her pictures, then she may be kept from parading her shame before the people. Just now there is a great movement all over the county for cleaner shows. This being true, the News wants to know how in the blazes we may hope for any reform if such notorious characters are to be paraded before the frequenters of the picture shows of the nation. Since the home is the foundation of everything good and substantial in American life, no business can thrive and grow unless it makes the interest of the homes paramount.—Clarion News.

There are pictures being shown every day that are no better than scenes that would be brought out in the Clara Hamon pictures, but no protest has ever been made against these pictures. We are glad to know the moving picture exchanges have refused to book the Clara Hamon pictures, and we hope to see pressure brought to bear against every picture show in the land, prohibiting them from showing such immoral pictures as they have been showing. Such pictures are not fit for grown people to see and the influence it has on the minds of the young people were calling a halt.—Livingston Journal.

JAILING THE SPEEDER

When a public highway becomes a race course, the life and property of everybody traveling thereon may become jeopardized. Therefore, public safety demands that racing on public thoroughfares be suppressed.

Since the application of the prison sentence as the penalty for excessive speeding was started several months ago, this form of amusement has grown conspicuously unpopular in Caddo parish. Still, there is an occasional demonstration of some speed enthusiast. One of these demonstrations was staged a few

days ago. The man who staged it encountered an enforcement officer, and, consequently, confronted District Judge J. H. Stephens, Jr., now presiding over the criminal section of the Caddo tribunal. Sixty miles an hour was the rate he admitted he was driving his car. Just think of it! A mile-a-minute clip! As fast as professional speed demons operate their racing cars on private tracks.

Judge Stephens fined the offender \$50 and cost. But, a thousand times more important, he also sentenced him to serve 10 days in jail. The imprisonment is what really counted. Fines generally do some good, if heavy enough, but what they do in suppressing excessive driving is infinitesimal compared with prison terms.

In sending this speeder to jail, Judge Stephens rendered valuable service to the authorities whose duty it is to hold speeding to a minimum, and assure protection to those who travel the public highways. He also showed appreciation of the rights of the public. Unless respect for the law required, disregard of speed limits will again become popular. It is now unpopular in Caddo, and every possible effort to keep it that way should be exerted.—Shreveport Journal.

YE EDITOR

Editing a paper is a nice business. If we publish a joke, people say we are a little-headed. If we publish original matter, they say we don't give them selections we are too lazy to write. If we give a man a puff we are partial. If we compliment the ladies, we are jealous. If we don't give us publishing a paper not fit for anything. If we remain in our office we are too proud to mingle with the "common herd." If we are on the streets we are not attending to our business. If we wear good clothes, we don't pay for them. Now what shall we do? Some may say we stole this from an exchange—and we did.

In India lizards are hunted for their skins. The skins when tanned are made into women's and children's shoes, purses and handbags, and exported.

The Tartars Had Literary Tastes

THE lowly and uncultured Tartars—when books fell into their possession—ate them to acquire the knowledge contained therein. They doubtless suffered indigestion. At least, they weren't overlooking any bets.

There are mistakes both of commission and omission. Better, by far, to be satisfied that you have done your best and endure indigestion, than overlook real opportunities and feel the pangs of unavailing regret.

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Do you read—and digest—this advertising? Figuratively speaking, some folks "eat it up". They are wise shoppers—the economical buyers—the ones who are strictly up to date on the opportunities for saving money or spending it most judiciously.

Read the advertisements. Read them to know what's what in the shopping district. Read them to save steps—to save money—to save disappointments. Read them because they place before your eyes a moving panorama of business progress. Read them to keep yourself informed.

Read Them Regularly---It Pays

A TRAGEDY BEHIND A TRAGEDY.

The stories of suffering that come out of China are as terrible as they are true. That millions should be eyeing afresh each day the nearer approach of death by starvation appeals more readily to our sympathy and generosity than to our comprehension. We know nothing in this country about living on grass and roots or about selling little children into slavery, and even into vice in order to save them from death from want of food. Happy are we that do not know, and happier, that, out of our abundance, we are able to contribute as we are doing and have been doing to relieve the destitute.

But, terrible as the present condition is, it seems even more terrible that, with the passing of the present famine, the possibility of another famine like this or worse than this one will not have passed. The grandchildren, or perhaps even the children of the survivors of this starving time, may have to face another. Such is the history of China, and such it is likely to be. If one looks back over the vista of a thousand years or so and imagines, though but dimly, the long succession of famines that this people has suffered, the realization grows that the giving of money, imperative as it is will not solve the calamity.

Back of the want that saps the life of whole provinces is the isolation that comes from lack of communication. With 15,000,000 Chinese starving today, there are probably 200,000,000 of their fellow-countrymen who have not even heard of their distress. Nor could they reach them if they knew. Probably they could not even make themselves understood if they did reach the stricken districts, so utterly separated in dialect as well as in province are they.

The drought that sealed the doom of 15,000,000 human beings must have been to them the curse of their gods. Yet, we are told, underneath vast areas of the famine-vexed region there is to be found, within twenty feet of the surface, the water that would make such another famine impossible. If there be anything more tragic than unavoidable starvation, surely it is found in the death of so vast a number while they are within reach of potential plenty.

The response to the cry for help

has been quick, and it will not be niggardly. But unless that response embraces the larger beneficence of aiding an untutored people to aid themselves against the repetition of the present horror it will not have met the greater need of which the existing calamity is but an expression.—Dallas News.

A DOCTOR'S WAR

A congress of doctors was held recently in Chicago. Among other things it was decided to push the war on quacks and cult propagandists who deceive the people with false promises of cures by methods of infinite variety and speciousness. "The public must be told about these men," said one doctor, "and it is up to the family doctor to do the

telling." There is no doubt that this is a timely decision on the part of the legitimate practitioners of medicine. There is a steadily increasing number of cures and creeds and fads offered to the public in lieu of the services of men who have made a scientific study of the cure and prevention of disease. Some of the cults are comparatively harmless, some have a germ of truth, some are utterly bad. All that is sound in any of them is to be found in the practices of legitimate medicine and surgery.

It is a little hard on the family doctor to ask him to save his patient from the thing which is an insult to his good faith and intelligence, but it is keeping with the best medical ideals to undertake the battle.—Exchange.

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### DISGRUNTLED EMPEROR

Budapest, March 31.—Former Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary made his visit to Budapest Monday with the idea of taking possession of the Hungarian throne, but was unable to induce the Hungarian government to fall for his plan, it has been learned from unofficial but excellent sources here.

Official confirmation of the fact of the former ruler's visit was supplied Wednesday, and numerous details have developed from various quarters. The former ruler, it appears, came to Budapest accompanied by two friends. He arrived at the palace at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and invited Admiral Horthy, the regent, to turn over the reins of the government to him.

The regent, however, after setting forth constitutional and political objections, refused the plea and induced the former monarch to promise to return to Switzerland.

### BACK TO THE FARM

Fargo, N. D., March 31.—There isn't any need for the well known slogan, "Back to the Farm" in North Dakota, says A. J. Surratt, agricultural department field agent. He cites census figures to show that while there were only 74,360 farms under tillage in the state in 1910, the number had risen to 77,693 in 1920.

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### BASEBALL MEETING WAS GREAT SUCCESS.

The meeting held at the courthouse last night to take the initial steps toward the permanent organization of a baseball team and to provide suitable grounds was a great success, notwithstanding the fact that not a business man or clerk or newspaper man was present.

The meeting was called to order by H. L. McKnight, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, who explained in a few well-closed words the object of the gathering and the benefits which would accrue through the establishment of a ball park and the organization of a team. The absence of the people who should have been present did not dampen the ardor of enterprising advocates of clean sport, and it is a foregone conclusion that the plan will be put through.

One to two three-minute talks were made by H. L. McKnight, J. J. Greve, T. H. Hunt, C. D. Stegall, Willie Buchanan, Audley Harris, Phil Sanders, W. D. Ambrose, Douglass Patton and Claude King, and the speakers were insistent in their suggestion that the team should be composed only of home-talent players, J. H. Buchanan advising that several East Texas towns had similarly expressed themselves and, further, that if Nacogdoches would adhere to that plan they would, too.

Right here the question of finances was brought up and within a few minutes an initial fund of \$550 was subscribed, with the following as contributors:

J. H. Buchanan \$100, F. S. Aikman \$100, M. V. Wynne \$25, L. W. Gaston \$25, Guy Stripling \$25, Willie Buchanan \$25, Lake Orton \$25, Greer Orton \$25, Southern Ice and Utilities Company \$25, Hodges and Greve \$25, Roberts Electrical Company \$15, E. M. Roberts \$10, French Murphy \$10, C. D. Stegall \$10, Tom Summers \$10, Audley Harris \$5, Don Munsell \$15 and a day's work, Herschel Pierce \$5, Oscar Stewart \$5, W. V. Whitbread \$5, Phil Sanders \$5, Lawrence Lowden \$5, P. V. Davidson \$5, D. A. Washburn \$5, A. S. Brewer \$5, J. M. Summers \$5, Giles Carter \$5, Patton & Van-----

It is certain the sum pledged last night will be largely augmented when the matter is presented to the business men of the city and the advantages of the movement brought home to them.

It is the purpose to arrange for a number of Texas league games here this season, and it is hoped to induce Beaumont, Houston, Dallas, Shreveport and other teams to come to our local diamond.

But the biggest thing suggested was the proposition to prevail upon some of the major league clubs of the country to select Nacogdoches as their winter training headquarters, in which event we would have some big league games here during the season.

Messrs. J. J. Greve, T. H. Hunt, Guy Blount, French Murphy and Oscar Matthews were appointed a committee to draft a plan for providing the necessary finances and grounds, including a grandstand of sufficient capacity to meet all probable needs.

Lee Gaston was chosen temporary secretary-treasurer, and Friday, the 8th, was fixed as the date for holding another meeting at the courthouse to advance the plans mapped out. At this time a permanent organization will be effected and the enterprise launched in business-like shape.

At 4 o'clock next Friday afternoon a big parade will pass through the streets as a reminder to the people that the time has arrived for everybody to take a hand in the work of putting Nacogdoches on the map as the greatest baseball town in Texas.

### WILL ATTACK AUSTRIA UNLESS CHARLES LEAVES

London, April 4.—Confirmation of the report that the "Little Entente" threatened military measures against Hungary if Charles did not leave that country before Thursday was given in advices today to Reuters, Limited. The advices state that an ultimatum to this effect has been sent Hungary by Czecho-Slovakia, Rumania and Jugoslavia.

### APPALLING DISASTER ON MEXICAN RAILROAD.

Eagle Pass, Texas, April 4.—Thirty-three persons were killed in a collision between freight and passenger trains on the Mexican National railroad at Villa Garica, between Parador and Monterey, according to reports here today. The time of the accident was not given. Victor Villareal, a candidate for mayor of Piedras Negras, was the only identified person.

# LUCKY STRIKE

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### ANOTHER SWAT FOR THE FLY

Supreme Court of Maine Adds Its Voice to Denunciation of Almost Universal Pest.

The dog having had his day before the Supreme court in Washington, we now find the "busy, curious, thirsty fly" preening his wings in the solemn precincts of the Supreme court of Maine as a co-defendant. He finds few sympathizers. For his size he is the most malodorous and detestable of beasts, and the mischief he does is immeasurable. In this case the court of appeal was told that a summer boarder had engaged rooms at a hotel for two weeks and had left at the end of four days, declaring the flies intolerable. The Supreme court upholds the plaintiff in his refusal to pay for his infested accommodations.

The Journal of the American Medical association makes the case the text of one of the most scorching denunciations of the fly that have been penned; but will the fly care? Not a bit of it. "A fly," wrote Emerson in his despair, "is as untamable as a hyena." Probably a fly was teasing the sage of Concord as he wrote. The best thing Josh Billings ever said was "D— a fly!" Shakespeare would have said it if he had thought of it. As a carrier of pestilential putrescence the fly is without a peer. The help of the Supreme court of Maine is welcome in putting him down.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

### WILL TAKE LAND FROM SEA

People of Holland Meet Problem of Expanding Population in Characteristic Dutch Fashion.

After many years' deliberation the people of Holland have decided that they need more land, and, having reached that decision, they have gone about the acquisition of it with characteristic Dutch energy and determination, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. The program contemplates the building of a 30-mile dike across the outlet of the Zuider zee and gradual reclamation of parts of that body by means of smaller dikes and a filling-in and pumping process. The damming of the north end of the Zuider zee presents difficulties, not only on account of the length of the dam, but also due to the fact that at the Friesland shore end the water depth varies from 11 to 33 feet. The foundation of the great dam will be, literally, billions of all sizes of tree branches, lashed together into great bundles. These will be sunk, forming a supporting mat of enormous area. Upon this will be placed a thick layer of coarse crushed stone, and on this powerful foundation will be reared the masonry of the dike.

### HORTICULTURAL WIZARD

DE LAND, FLA., April 1.—Lue Gong noted horticulturist whose estate near here is one of the show places of Central Florida, has produced another remarkable variety of citrus fruit, a perfumed grapefruit which when placed in a room permeates the atmosphere with an odor unlike that of any other member of the citrus family. The horticulturist has one tree of the variety in bearing. Lue Gim Gong is the originator of the Lue Gim Gong orange, named after its propagator, and on his estate has several trees of this variety with oranges which have been on the trees from one to three years.

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### COURAGE OF SAMURAI TESTED

Boy of Twelve Forced to Show He Was Not Afraid of Death by His Own Hand.

Sato told us stories—the young man who wanted the sword that he might disembowel the Russians and not have to bite their throats in the hand-to-hand fighting.

Then the story of the samurai boy who must once in his life face death—make up his mind that he is to die. His own case, at the age of twelve, coming home from school, to find his great uncle and his mother all serious, a naked sword on a little wooden rack, the house all in order.

To be told that he had disgraced the family, he had dishonored his father's sword and killed a dog. He would be the privilege of committing harakiri, for he was a samurai's son.

His great uncle gave him an object lesson, showed him how it was done and told him to proceed, wrapping the blade in paper, that it might not cut his hand, and telling him that he must do as he had seen his great uncle do in earnest.

The boy begged for mercy. His kinsman and his mother were immovable. Was he afraid to die? If so, they might help him, and the uncle put his hand on his sword.

The boy's tears stopped. He knew his time had come and bowed. He opened his dress, rubbed his abdomen three times. He put out his hand and grasped the sword. He knew no more till a cry of "Mate" (Stop) brought him to his senses.

The relieve at last. An instant more and he would have been dead by his own hand. He waited, dazed in a death sweat. His courage had been tested. He had faced death.—Asia Magazine.

### ACCORDED PALM FOR BEAUTY

Miss Harriet Lane Acknowledged to Have Been the Prettiest Lady of the White House.

Historians are inclined to give to Miss Harriet Lane, niece of President Buchanan, the palm for being the prettiest woman that ever ruled the White House social life. She was a blond with hair of a rare gold, deep-blue eyes, and her mouth was said to be one of the most beautiful ever owned by a Washington belle. Her beauty was so noticeable that at the dawn of womanhood, when she accompanied her uncle, then America's representative in England, to Oxford, where he was to receive the degree of doctor of civil laws, that the student body greeted her appearance with terrific cheers, inspired entirely by the smile of her lovely lips as she turned her flowerlike face toward them.

Not only was she beautiful in line and curve, but in addition she was a picture of perfect health, an athlete of no mean order, as many a young gallant discovered after she had challenged him to a race and beaten him so badly that spectators of the race unmercifully chaffed him. She played many games with skill and vigor, and there was not a woman in Washington that could compete with her in any game calling for strength and great activity. In spite of this she was not unwomanly, and excelled as a harpist, wrote poetry, and, as the young people of the capital reported, "danced like a feather."

### NO MOVIE REGULATION

Austin, Tex., April 4.—Two efforts of the Texas legislature to regulate moving picture shows in the state failed by a big majority during the past session.

Motion picture censorship was defeated when a house bill, proposing to establish a state board of censors, received an adverse report in committee and died on the calendar. A senate bill providing for the operation of picture shows between certain hours on Sundays received similar treatment in the upper house. Attempts to bring both measures up for consideration on the floor were defeated by large majorities.

### GREEK PRINCE DEAD

London, April 4.—Prince Andreas of Greece, a brother of King Constantine, died of wounds received in the fighting near Brusca, says a Constantinople dispatch. The Turks also assert that General Vlachapoulas, who commanded the Greek attack against the Turkish Nationalists on the Brusca front, had been killed in action.

### INCREASE IN BUSINESS

Honolulu, T. H., April 4.—The territory of Hawaii sold \$192,383,185 worth of products to the mainland of the United States in 1920 and bought to a total value of \$74,054,453, leaving a balance of trade in favor of Hawaii of \$118,330,732, according to Honolulu customs house figures.

Business of the islands shows an increase in 1920 of \$93,020,170 over 1919 and a gain of \$116,823,323, over 1918.

Much of the 1920 gain was due to the high prices received for Hawaii—a sugar,

### WORLD IS FAR FROM FAMINE

Only One-Third of Its Potential Food-Producing Area at Present Under Cultivation.

Only one-third of the world's potential food-producing area is under cultivation, and the crops raised on that third, thanks to agricultural science, increase yearly.

The United States has only some 400 millions of its 935 million acres of arable land under cultivation, yet it raises, among other things, one-sixth of the world's corn supply. The farms of America raise less than half as much wheat to the acre as those of England, yet even with her present standard size could raise enough corn to meet the needs of Europe on the land that is now lying unused.

Russia produces only ten bushels to the acre of corn, but when science has access to her untold millions of acres, and brings their capacity up to the standard of our own farms, then she alone will be able to supply the world's cereal needs, with the exception of maize and rice.

Less than a third of the world's population gets what we should call three good meals a day, yet the working capabilities of the, from our viewpoint, underfed continents of Asia and Africa will compare very well with either Europe or America. The average meat consumption of the world is 39 pounds a head, yet both the Australian and the American eat nearer 180 pounds per head, and the Englishman is not far behind with about 120 pounds.

It is evident, then, that we can tighten our belts a hole or two yet without running any undue risk of starvation.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

### "CRUCIFIX FISH" ODD CURIO

Figure of Man on Cross Plainly Revealed on Dried Skeleton of West Indian Product.

Joseph Reichenbach of 80 Henry street, has a curiosity in the way of a fish which throughout the West Indian country is known as the "crucifix fish," and is regarded with a mixture of reverential awe by the natives, who throw specimens caught in their nets back into the sea and cross themselves when they come on the skull of one.

The dried skeleton of this fish shows plainly on the under side of the skull the figure of a man on a crucifix with a halo about his head. On the other side of the skull is a figure of a monk with a cowl bending before an altar. Mr. Reichenbach prizes the specimen very highly. He keeps it in a little wooden box like a coffin. Formerly he was barber in the Hotel of St. George, and one day John L. Sullivan, the famous pugilist, happened in and Joe showed him a specimen of the odd fish. Sullivan was deeply impressed, and expressed a wish to have one like it, so Joe made him a gift of a duplicate of the fish.

There are other peculiarities about this fish skeleton which Joe has. When it is lifted up and shifted there is a rattling in the skull like dice rolling. Those are what are known as the "air bones."—Brooklyn Eagle.

### Determining Poisonous Vapors.

In its efforts to determine the extent to which the vapors of fires are actively poisonous, the United States bureau of mines has sought vacuum-bottle samples of air from different places in burning buildings in 25 cities. Certain indications have been reported from the contents of such bottles as have been returned. Most dreaded at fires is carbon monoxide, but only one sample of air from above ground showed this gas, the quantity in that case being too small to harm when breathed a short time. The air and smoke in cellars, however, contain considerably more. The ventilation giving good combustion apparently disposes of any carbon monoxide produced, but there may be some accumulation in close places where ventilation is poor. Air charged with dense smoke was quite free from poisonous gas, the effect of such air being mechanical irritation from breathing the smoke; and the most poisonous air found was a sample containing little smoke that was taken from a poorly ventilated space among cases in a basement.

### Wonderful Theatrical Setting.

A wonderful theatrical setting, was offered in Paris to an audience that gaped a little at first but proved appreciative when the first surprise was over. For Richard was clothed symbolically in black when he was brooding, in blood-red when he ascended to the throne, and this actual ascent was presented literally by a flight of steep blood-red stairs that led to the coveted seat. The scene was so drenched with the dreadful color that when later on, in the dream, the phantom warriors were luridly clad, too, the appearance of Richmond's forces in pure white completed the symbol. No attention was paid to court customs and costumes; all else paled besides the enhanced effect of Richard's demoniacal appearance.

### Proper Verb.

"What do you do?"  
"I follow the races."  
"Follow?"  
"Follow is the term, I'm never ahead of them."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### A Penalty, Indeed.

"Perhaps the penalty for bootlegging is not severe enough."  
"It isn't," replied Uncle Bill Bottetop. "A bootlegger ought to be made to drink his own licker."



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### PROPOSES REOPENING CONFAB WITH HU

Washington, April 4.—Hope the negotiations would be reopened between Germany and the Allied governments for a new schedule of reparations was expressed in a memorandum transmitted to Berlin by the State Department, it was officially announced today. The memorandum was sent to Loring Dressel, American High Commissioner, for communication to the German officials.

### DREW LUCKY TICKET

Hamilton, Bermuda, March 31.—Richard Darrell won "Norwood," a fine residence property on the shore of Hamilton Harbor an done of the show places of Bermuda, by drawing lots recently with two other persons in compliance with the provisions of an unusual will of his uncle.

Henry Darrell, former owner of this estate, could not decide which of his three nephews he would make his heir, so he stated in his will that they should throw dice and let fate decide the matter. But in the interval, his sister, Miss Harriet, was to retain a life interest and continue her residence at "Norwood."

Miss Darrell died in January, last, and arrangements were then made to carry out the terms of the bequest. It was thought best, however, to modify the plan to the extent of substituting slips of paper shuffled in a box, for the dice throwing. This was consented to by all parties and the lucky nephew is now possessed of the ancestral estate.

### DISCOUNTING TARIFF

Bradford, England, March 31.—Efforts by United States traders to anticipate the proposed tariff on wool and wool products has boomed the trade of Bradford with America. The value of wool exported from Bradford to the United States during the month of February was £284,243, as compared with £59,000 in January.



# WEEKLY SENTINEL

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BY GILES M. HALTOM

## ON TO NACOGDOCHES

Mt. Enterprise must have a road. Her interests demand a highway that will be of service at all times and under all conditions. The prosperity and contentment of our people demand this road now.

It is only a few miles to connection with the good road of Nacogdoches county at Beech creek. The old road reaches that point but gets into almost an impassable condition during wet weather and is hilly and heavy in dry weather. However, this road can be made good with a little work and expense. This work and expense must be met if Mt. Enterprise is to continue to be the community it should be.

Farmers along this road have said they will give from a week to ten days work with a team on this road. Business men have expressed themselves as willing to donate a fund for the purpose of making this a good road. It is known that Nacogdoches, the coming city of East Texas, will help to defray the expenses of this road so that the people of this splendid section can come to their city with their produce. Nacogdoches is a live city and county. Mt. Enterprise people recognize this and hundreds of them are going to Nacogdoches already. Thousands will go there with a good road such as can be had by repairing the old road from here to Beech creek and connecting with the highway there.

Mt. Enterprise people are naturally looking Nacogdoches way. When they speak of Nacogdoches people and business it is in the highest terms. That city is sure to get the business of this rich and thrifty community just as soon as a good road is built.

The product of this section this year must be marketed by truck and wagon. The incoming freight of all kinds must be hauled by truck and wagon. The growing crop must be moved over a highway. The surest and quickest highway in sight is to build this road from Mt. Enterprise to Beech creek. This will have to be done by private subscription and effort and the time to start is now.

When our people once get this connection with Nacogdoches, that city will have cinched their friendship and business. Mt. Enterprise and Nacogdoches people know this fact. Then let us get down to business at once and do something for ourselves and our splendid community.

Give us the pike from here to Beech creek by all means. On to Nacogdoches!—Mt. Enterprise Progress.

## BOASTED PREMATURELY

Few crooks are able to operate without leaving some of their tracks visible. Even the shrewdest of them usually leave a clue. So Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, clever as he thinks he was in making his escape from America to Germany, seems to have made one slip that may lead directly to his return to America to serve his sentence.

Bergdoll got out of the United States without the necessity of any documentary records, but when he sailed for the Fatherland, he sailed on a forged British passport. It would make little difference whether a passport which had been forged were American or British in this case, were it not for the fact that Great Britain is technically at peace with Germany, while the United States is not. When the point was raised that the technical state of war existing between America and Germany might prevent Germany acting on a request for extradition of Bergdoll, it was recalled that he used a forged British passport, thus giving Great Britain justification for taking a hand in the case.

Thus the United States has a moral right to demand his extradition and Great Britain a legal right, and between the two of them, it is rather to be expected that Mr. Bergdoll will at no distant date be repatriated. It begins to look as though he overlooked a bet and indulged in exultation over his escape too soon.—Houston Post.

## BUILDING NOTES

There are some people who say that Nacogdoches is not building, but they do not know all the facts in the case. The newspaper man Tuesday decided to take a little survey of the situation, to see just what is being done. Accordingly he got in touch with some of the builders and contractors of the city, and soon he had more information on building than he could conveniently handle. On every side of the town houses are going up, and

according to all indications, they are going to be needed, too.

The coming of the Stephen F. Austin normal has set everyone to thinking about Nacogdoches' building program. All know that when this great institution comes more room than Nacogdoches has just now, will be needed.

The following is a brief survey of some of the things taking place in this city:

On North street lots are being sold near the home of Henry Millard on which houses will be built for the Stephen F. Austin Normal. These houses are to be built on a street like a certain street in Dallas. Quite a number of Nacogdoches people have placed money in the lots to be sold, and these people intend to build on them.

Tom Summers says the building program, "while not great, is coming to the front." He says the prices of lumber have come down about as much as they can come, and that he thinks the public, appreciating this, will now begin to buy. He points out Tuesday some of the building going on over Nacogdoches.

It seems that considerable activity is taking place on South Fredonia street. Eight or ten homes have been built on the Fredonia Hill on Fredonia street during the past four or five months, despite the hard times. Recently Marshall Stone and Mr. A. T. Russell finished a bungalow each on this hill, and Mr. G. W. Westmoreland has finished two bungalows there. Mr. W. Stoker has finished a beautiful bungalow. Thus, it seems that the building fever on South Fredonia street, commonly known to many as the Lufkin Road, is manifesting itself very pronouncedly.

On North Street Dr. A. A. Nelson has finished two nice bungalows, also Hermann Sullivan has finished a nice house. It is pointed out that soon others are to follow.

On the Walker Addition, in the eastern section of town, the building spirit is also in evidence. Mr. Leo Zewe, about whom previous mention has been made, has just moved into his nice new bungalow finished by Mr. Louis Rulfs. Felix Weaver, it is understood, has let a contract to Louis Rulfs for a bungalow in the Walker Addition.

"The prices of lumber have come down about as much as they are coming down. The public is appreciating this, and this being the case, we are going to have a healthy building program. I do not look for a sensational building boom, but I do look for plenty of building," said Mr. Summers.

## DO OUR FARMERS WANT THEIR COTTON CLASSED?

Nacogdoches, April 5, 1921.  
To Our Farmer Friends:  
We take this opportunity of saying that we have made a careful study of the cotton classing service offered our people by the Extension Service of A. & M. College and the Bureau of Markets, and that we hereby give this service our hearty endorsement.

We understand that the Farm Bureau of Nacogdoches county is willing to sign a contract with the college and the Bureau of Markets for the service of a cotton classer, provided the farmers of our county will guarantee enough patronage to justify the employment of a classer. It is proposed to charge a fee of 50c for each bale classed. In our judgment it is well worth 50 cents per bale for each farmer to know the grade, staple and market price of each and every bale of cotton he offers on the market.

Under the present system of handling cotton on the local market, there is little inducement for us to improve our staple through the introduction of better seed. Under the system proposed by the farm bureau, providing as it does for the employment of an experienced, competent cotton classer, we could and would realize the actual value of the better staple.

We are firmly convinced that the time has come when we ought to make an intelligent, earnest effort to secure a better market for Nacogdoches cotton. The first step in this direction is to produce a better staple. The second step is to create a condition whereby we can realize a better price for this better staple. Both these ends can easily and readily be secured through the plans proposed by the County Farm Bureau. Without this plan, or at least without some organized effort, we see no relief from the penalty now enforced against our cotton market.

It is our judgment that our farmers will do themselves a needed service and the county a needed favor by giving assurances now that they will patronize the classing service, if established at Nacogdoches. Without such assurances from you, the Farm Bureau will not be justified in making a contract for the service. Meetings in the interest of this movement have been held in many communities. Ninety-five percent of the farmers who have heard the matter ex-

plained have signed a pledge to patronize the service. If you have not signed such a pledge, we urge you to do so at once in order that the Farm Bureau will feel justified in closing a contract for the office.

If you want to know more about the plan, call on Secretary-Manager H. L. McKnight of the Farm Bureau. He will gladly come to your community and explain the service in every detail.

We need to act promptly in this matter. Delay means failure. Can we count on you?

Yours for a better cotton and a better marketing system,

- D. A. Lee, Shady Grove.
- T. J. Maroney, Nacogdoches.
- John Weatherly, Appleby.
- J. T. Turner, Douglass.
- R. F. Johnson, Harmony.
- Dunk Spradley, Nacogdoches.
- B. K. King, Douglass.
- N. T. Sisco, Nacogdoches.
- E. W. Matthews, Melrose.
- John Stewart, Attoyac.
- Jas. T. Hanna, Martinsville.
- W. B. Wortham, Garrison.
- C. A. Trawick, Nat.
- R. Roy, Nat.
- N. C. Beavers, Red Oak.
- H. T. Pittman, Cushing.

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GILES M. HALTOM,  
Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31st day of March, 1921.  
Robert Lindsey, Notary Public.

## NEW TRIAL DENIED

Abilene, Texas, April 5.—Judge Chapman at Aspermont Monday overruled the motion for a new trial in the case of Byrd Cochran, sentenced to two years in the penitentiary in connection with the charge of defrauding an insurance company. Notice of appeal to the court of criminal appeals was given.

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## BAPTISTS REPORT GAIN IN NUMBERS

IN LAST 14 YEARS THEY HAVE ADDED OVER MILLION MEMBERS IN SOUTH.

WILL MEET IN CHATTANOOGA

Many Matters Related to Future Work Will Come Up for Consideration at the Annual Convention May 12 to 18.



DR. E. Y. MULLINS  
President Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Who is Touring South.

Following the close of the second year of the Baptist 75 Million Campaign April 30, several thousand members from the local churches are expected to assemble at Chattanooga, Tenn., for the seventy-sixth annual session of the Southern Baptist Convention. The Convention met in Chattanooga last in May, 1906, and during the interim there has been a marked growth in every department of the Convention's activities and in the numbers and work of the local churches as well. The total number of Baptists reported to the Convention in 1906 was 1,855,784, while last May, fourteen years later, when the body met in Washington, the total membership of the local churches as reported was 2,961,348, or a gain of 1,105,564. The returns for this year are not yet available, but inasmuch as it is known there were practically 175,000 additions to the local churches last year by baptism alone, there is every reason to believe the showing for 1921 will be even larger.

Growth Shown in All Lines.  
At the same time there has been a marked increase in the membership of the churches, there has been a distinct advance in all departments of local and denominational work, it is set out. The total number of local churches has grown from 20,129 in 1906 to 25,303 in 1920; the total number of Sunday Schools from 11,332 to 17,688; and the number of Sunday School pupils from \$57,244 to 1,835,936, an increase of more than 100 per cent. The value of local church property has mounted from \$4,501,122 in 1906 to \$74,273,728 in 1920, an increase of more than 1600 per cent, while contributions to missions and benevolences in 1906 were \$1,501,396.67, as compared to \$7,331,206.55 in 1920, an advance of practically 500 per cent. Fourteen years ago the contributions to all purposes in a year were \$5,941,283.44, as against \$21,327,446.67 for 1920.

Next Meeting Important.  
The approaching session of the Convention is regarded as vitally important to the future of the denomination's work. It is hoped that by the Convention two-fifths of all subscriptions to the 75 Million Campaign will have been paid in cash and that the program for the completion of the remainder of the campaign task can be formulated at this time. Dr. J. B. Gambrell, president of the Convention, and Dr. E. Y. Mullins, who recently completed a tour of Europe, where they carried fraternal greetings to the Baptists of that continent, will give their impressions of Baptist opportunity in that country, while Dr. George W. Truett and Dr. J. F. Love, who represented the Foreign Mission Board at the London Conference last summer when the mission fields of Europe were considered, will tell of the new territory of Spain, Jugo-Slavia, Hungary, Roumania and Southern Russia, which Southern Baptists are asked to occupy. This territory is as large as the Southern States and has a population of 128,000,000.

All the boards of the Convention will report the largest year's accomplishments in their history, the Home Mission Board being scheduled to report the completion of its million dollar loan fund for church building, in addition to the adding of a thousand churches during the year with gifts and loans for the erection of new houses of worship. The Sunday School Board will report more than \$1,000,000 in sales for the year and with collections as well as sales better than at any previous time in its history.



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G. W. Forster of the Bureau of Farm Management of the Department of Agriculture predicts that farm labor will be plentiful throughout the entire United States during 1921.

From all indications, the baseball proposition in Nacogdoches has assumed an even brighter aspect. Professor T. H. Hunt says that the men behind the proposition are busy all the time trying to get the details worked out for the team. It is proposed by Mr. W. H. Buchanan to buy the fair grounds outright, and then make a permanent baseball field. In the meantime, the players are being selected, and these will begin to practice very soon. Nacogdoches with her shallow oil, her Stephen F. Austin Normal, her live chamber of commerce and many other worthy things in connection with this baseball team, is really going to be a merry old town after a while.

FOUND—Suitcase last week one mile from town on the Lufkin road. Identify property, pay for this ad, and get it. See H. F. Sanders, or apply at Sentinel office. 6-1d

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HELP ENFORCE THE LAW  
"Let reverence for the laws be breathed by every American mother to the lisping babe that prattles on her lap; let it be taught in schools, in seminaries and in colleges; let it be written in primers, spelling books, and in almanacs; let it be preached from pulpits, proclaimed in legislative halls and enforced in courts of justice; in short, let it become the political religion of the nation, and let the old and the young, the rich and the poor, the grave and the gay, of all sexes and tongues and colors and conditions sacrifice unceasingly upon its altars."—Abraham Lincoln.

## GOT IT BACKWARD AGAIN

Want to go to Nacogdoches over the dirt road? Then, here is your route, as detailed to a News reporter. Go by way of Marion's Ferry. It is said that the road is fairly good in this direction and the trip can be made with an automobile without any difficulty. The News mentions this not so much for the benefit of Lufkin people desiring to go to Nacogdoches as for the benefit of the Nacogdoches folks desiring to come to Lufkin. Surely the travel from that direction will be greater than from this end of the line, as many would rather visit the best little city in East Texas than to remain where they are.—Lufkin News.

That News man is a comical duck—excruciatingly funny, in fact. The idea of a man going from Nacogdoches to Lufkin when he could as conveniently come from Lufkin to Nacogdoches is enough to excite the risibilities of a New England deacon!

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## HAD SENSE

Mr. G. A. Medford returned at noon from a business visit to various points in Nacogdoches county, even including the town of Nacogdoches in his list of places visited.—Lufkin News, 4th.

We take it that Mr. Medford is an intelligent man, despite the handicap of a residence in Lufkin, and he therefore would hardly have omitted Nacogdoches from an itinerary arranged for the purpose of seeing things of real interest. The fact that he came to Nacogdoches county in search of business, which he probably couldn't get in Angelina, shows that he's got sense.

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## NEFF GIVES REASON FOR VETOING BILL

Austin, Texas, April 5.—Governor Neff, when questioned late Monday made the following statement regarding the resolution proposed by Representative Chitwood and adopted at Sweetwater Saturday.

"Representative Chitwood is absolutely correct in that part of his resolution in which he charges that West Texas is not fairly and justly represented and that the State should be redistricted in order that West Texas can have that representation to which she is, according to population honestly entitled. Not only should this be done as a matter of right, but it should be done because the constitution declares that it 'shall' be done, and because the democratic platform on which the present administration was elected to office 'demanded' that it should be done. Mr. Chitwood has a right to complain at the legislature of which he was a member for adjourning without making good this demand. As I have heretofore stated to interested parties, I am going to submit to the special session of the legislature the question of redistricting the State, because it is right, because the constitution requires it, and because the party platform demands it.

"I vetoed the West Texas A. & M. college bill because the same democratic party said, by a roll call vote, that now was not the time to establish this college. If the convention had adopted, instead of defeating the resolution, would not West Texas have demanded that the party platform be fulfilled? Party pledges should not be regarded as a 'scrap of paper.' In vetoing the bill I was not only carrying out the party platform, but in addition to this good and sufficient reason, I was doing for the State, in a business way, what the people are doing in their own private business affairs, that is, establishing no new business enterprises.

"The cattle and horse and sheep and goat men of West Texas are not now buying any new ranches, the farmers are not building any new homes and the banks are not making any new loans. They are trying to hold and maintain what they have.

"Newspaper reports show that at

the Sweetwater meeting considerable stress was laid on the fact that the bill only carried an appropriation of \$50,000.

"I dare say there was not a person at this meeting who does not know full well that you can not establish an Agricultural and Mechanical college, especially one providing for co-education and a civil engineering department as does this bill, with an appropriation of \$50,000.

"If the purpose of this bill is merely to purchase a site for the college this can be done just as well when we get ready to establish it, and in the meantime it will not necessitate the drawing out of the treasury this \$50,000 that is now so badly needed to maintain the institutions already established.

"In this state, and as long as money matters are as tight as they are now, there will be no new state institutions of any kind established in Texas, unless it is one that looks to the conservation of human life.

"Out of my high respect for the legislature, a co-ordinate branch of the government, I may approve bills carrying larger appropriations than I think they should carry, for the purpose of supporting and enlarging institutions we already have, but I shall not in thence etoain but I shall not in the face of the expressed will of the democratic party, and while times are as they now are, approve a bill establishing a new institution.

"The threat that West Texas will organize a new state does not in any way change my purpose as governor. A movement of that kind will receive no support among the conservative and sober-thinking citizenship of even West Texas, beyond the effervescent oratory of the hour."

## A THRIFTY NEGRO

York, S. C., April 4.—"Uncle Bill" Hopkins, a negro who died here recently, left a \$15,000 estate. Born a slave and unable to read and write, the old negro made practically all his little fortune chopping wood for his white neighbors.

About 7:30 Tuesday morning a light rain began to fall, increasing in volume until it became a regular "gully-washer" by the middle of the forenoon, and the precipitation was without intermission up to noon.

## CARTOON SOFTENS HEART OF CHICAGO LANDLORD

Chicago, April 5.—Facing a rent "strike" by a number of his tenants, John F. Reimer, owner of three South Side apartment buildings containing 70 flats, pledging himself to take no more than 10 per cent net profit on his investment after seeing John T. McCutcheon's cartoon in Saturday's Tribune, entitled "The Specter in Many Homes."

Mr. Reimer announced that he is willing to have tenants organize a committee to advise with him and to assist if they wish in the management of the apartment buildings, and if the return of his investment exceeds 10 per cent, he will turn back to the tenants a pro rata amount of the rent they have paid him.

Furthermore, he states, he will award a month's rent free to any of his tenants to whom a baby is born while they are occupying his apartments. This also applies, he says, to couples who adopt children while living in his buildings.

## ANOTHER YOUNGEST SOLDIER

Fort Scott, Kan., April 5.—Fort Scott's claim to the youngest veteran of the world war is disputed. Herman Lange of this city who was but 14 when he enlisted held this record, it was believed. But a letter from Mrs. Joe Wreiter of Garret, Ind., to a local newspaper states that her son, Leo L. Madden, enlisted and went overseas at the age of 13 with the Rainbow division and was at the front eighteen months with the 150th Field Artillery.

He sailed for France August 17, 1917, and he was not 14 years old until October 10th of that year, according to his mother. After coming home young Leo re-enlisted and was sent to Camp Grant, Ill., where he is stationed with the 52nd Infantry.

## HARDING APPOINTEES

Washington, March 31.—The president today appointed Charles H. Burke of Pierre, S. D., business manager and chairman of the house Indian committee, as commissioner of Indian affairs. George Carter of Iowa was appointed public printer and Thomas Robertson of Maryland commissioner of patents.

## KU KLUX KLAN BEEN BORN AGAIN

The Ku Klux Klan has been born again. Once more knights of white robe are riding by night on missions of mery and protection.

On isolated hillsides and in remote vales the fiery cross surrounded by a host of hooded figures, ghoulisn in the flickering lights, may be seen by those who happen upon a meeting of the Klansman.

Declaration of principles and warnings are making their appearance on conspicuous street corners and isolated door facings, springing from no one knows where.

Acts of charity and of retribution are being performed without the deserving one or the victim, as the case may be, knowing who is responsible for his aid or punishment.

The new Klan, born in Georgia not so many years ago, is undertaking the same work as performed by the original Klan and with the sanction of the original Klansman, any the work is being done on a larger scope.

In answer to many questions bothering the minds of unsuspecting citizens, the following pledge that the knights must swear is believed in and supported when he enters the organization, probably will suffice:

The tenets of the Christian religion.

White supremacy.

Closer relationship between capital and American labor.

Protection of pure womanhood.

Prevention of the cause of mob violence and lynchings.

Prevention of unwarranted strikes by foreign labor agitators.

Prevention of fire and destruction of property by lawless elements.

The limitation of foreign immigration.

Closer relationship of pure Americanism.

The upholding of the constitution of the United States.

The sovereignty of state rights.

The separation of state and church.

Freedom of speech and press.

Much needed reforms.—Dallas Times Herald.

## MOTHERS' PENSIONS

Topeka, Kan., April 5.—The mothers' pension law is now operative in every county in the state of Kansas, as a result of the action of the

1921 legislature in making its adoption compulsory by the various boards of county commissioners, instead of optional. The legislature also increased the maximum monthly payment to mothers with dependent children, from \$25 to \$50, and this sum may be increased by the board "in case of sickness or unusual conditions."

"The old law failed to accomplish its purpose because of the failure of county boards to enforce it," says a report of the child hygiene bureau of the state health department which sponsored the changes in the law. "In a unit of eighteen counties in which a survey was conducted, a total of but forty-nine mothers received mothers' pensions during the survey year, while upwards to a thousand were known to have been left with dependent children and without adequate income."

## HOSPITAL DAY

Chicago, Ill., April 4.—Work of the 8,000 hospitals of the United States and Canada in caring for the sick and unfortunate will be brought to the public attention on the first "National Hospital Day," according to plans of hospital heads cooperating to this end in a National Hospital Day Committee.

The date set is May 12, the 101st anniversary of the birth of Florence Nightingale, pioneer in modern hospital and nursing methods.

The purpose of the day, it is announced, is to make the public better acquainted with the human side of the institutions and to have the people come and see for themselves how the sick are cared for, and how young women are equipped for the profession of nursing.

Each hospital is to have its own program, but the day in general will be featured by an "open house," inspection of the hospital and school for nursing, graduation of pupil nurses, etc.

Lewis A. Sexton, superintendent of the Hartford Hospital, Hartford, Conn., is chairman of the national committee. It is organizing sub-committees in each state and province.

During 1919, 69 per cent of the world's total of petroleum production came from the United States, according to recent figures of the Geological Survey.

## TO FINANCE EXPORTS OF SOUTHERN PRODUCTS

Washington, April 4.—A committee of representative Southern bankers, here today to prepare a program for government aid in financing exports of cotton and other Southern agricultural products, is in conference with the directors of the War Finance Corporation. It was said that the most important proposal to be discussed was the shipment of a million bales of American cotton to Germany and Belgium. It is understood that the Finance Corporation is ready to extend aid, on adequate security, for the movement of agricultural commodities.

## FAMOUS MINSTREL DEAD

Columbus, O., April 5.—Alfred Griffin, "Al G." Field, premier of American minstrels, died at his home here Sunday, his death resulting from Bright's disease. He was born 72 years ago in Leesburg, Va.

Mr. Field was educated in the common schools of Brownsville and Pittsburg, Pa., later becoming interested in banking and farming, and in 1886, entered the theatrical business, organizing a minstrel show, which was operated continuously since that time.

Mr. Field was a former high national officer of the Elks and widely known in fraternal circles.

## DALLAS TO STOP JOYRIDING

Dallas, Texas, April 5.—Joy riding by youths and girls in automobiles at night, unchaperoned, is one cause of mischief and crime in Dallas, the retiring grand jury declared on recommendations for preventing crime contained in its final report, made Saturday. The jurors also recommended a State hospital specializing on mental diseases, where persons not sufficiently deranged to warrant confinement in a State asylum could voluntarily seek treatment.

## ENCOURAGING MANUFACTURES

Paris, April 4.—The Russian soviet government is taking measures to allow foreign owners of manufacturing plants in Russia to exploit their properties under a regime similar to that established for mines, according to a wireless from Moscow sent by the government.



## Passengers Drown When Vessel Sinks

Seattle, Wash., April 1.—Three passengers and three members of the crew of the steamer Governor, which sank last night in collision with the freighter West Harland near Port Townsend, Wash., are missing, according to a wireless message received today from West Harland.

The vessel carried 174 passengers, of whom seven were missing at latest reports. The remainder of the passengers and the crew are aboard the West Harland, which is proceeding to Seattle with her bow badly damaged.

## DEPICTS QUEER SCENES IN TURKISH CAPITAL

Constantinople, April 2.—There are many curious things in this ancient city of the Turk which are unknown to most people. It has remained for a sailor aboard the United States warship Scorpion to classify some of these oddities for the readers of Far Seas, paper published by American bluejackets in Near Eastern Waters.

"Just imagine," he writes, "tying up traffic on the main thoroughfare of a big city during the busiest hours of the day by driving a flock of sheep slowly down the street. But they do it over here."

Some other alleged strange things done by the Constantinopolitans cited as follows:

A street car passenger often bargains with the conductor about the price he will pay for a ride.

If a youth takes a girl to the movies once or twice her parents expect her to marry her.

Turkish saleswoman, even in the smallest shops, are required to understand or speak seven or eight languages.

Native men are accustomed to "rent" a pipe to smoke while they sip their afternoon tea.

A policeman, if he finds a pickpocket at work, may beat him almost insensibly and then let his prisoner go.

Some Constantinople stores have signs in as many as eight languages over their doors.

A tourist may engage a boatman to row him for two miles for two or three cents.

As American paper money in Turkey is worth 15 to 20 percent more than Turkish gold, it is possible for one to buy a \$20 gold piece for 17 paper dollars.

Christmas is celebrated four times a year, once for each of the different religious calendars.

A man walking along the street often may be seen followed, five or ten paces in the rear, by a few of his wives.

A bootblack will give you a good shine for a cigarette.

There is no limit to automobile speeding in any part of Constantinople, but it's a case of "all you can make."

A Turkish barber is courteous but when he shaves you he never washes off the lather, but covers your face with powder.

A suit of pajamas, or its equivalent, is enough "evening dress" at a grand ball.

## THREE CHILDREN KILLED

Plano, Texas, March 31.—Three children were instantly killed and one man perhaps fatally injured when a northbound interurban train late yesterday struck an automobile at Roller Crossing, three miles south of here on the Dallas-Denison road.

The children, two girls, aged 1 and 5 years and a boy 9 years old, were those of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Sorenson of Harlan, Iowa. Clarence, Mr. Sorenson's brother who was driving the automobile suffered severe internal injuries, the extent of which are not known, and a broken arm.

The Sorenson party were traveling overland in two automobiles on their way home from San Benito, Texas, where they had spent the winter. Parents of the children were riding in the second car a short distance behind the one which was struck by the electric train.

## BRITISH MINERS STRIKE

London, March 31.—Coal miners began to leave the pits in various districts today, as it was decided officially to call a strike at midnight tonight because of the failure to settle the question of miners' wages.

## SOCIALISTS EXPELLED

Albany, N. Y., March 31.—The state assembly by a vote of 77 to 62 last night declared vacant the seat of Assemblyman Henry Jager, Socialist of the Fourteenth district of Kings county.

## HUNGARIANS RALLY TO FORMER KING

London, March 31.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Paris today says it is reported that a majority of the Hungarian troops have rallied to the standard of ex-Emperor Charles, who will march on Budapest.

## Capital is Threatened

Vienna, March 31.—Press reports received here today state that ex-Emperor Charles has proclaimed a military dictatorship at Steinamanger and that General Lehar is ready to march on Budapest at the head of 15,000 troops to restore Charles to the throne, forcibly if necessary.

## Will Resist Abdication

Vienna, March 31.—The local press announces that 30,000 Yugoslav troops are massed at Vaarasin, Croatia, with the intention of marching on Steinamanger and preventing the restoration of the Hapsburgs.

## Wants Formal Abdication

Steinamanger, Hungary, March 31.—Premier Telek has been in a debate the whole day here with Former Emperor Charles on conditions of the formal abdication of the latter.

## METHODISTS TO RESTORE THE FAMILY ALTAR

Nashville, Tenn., April 2.—More than 50,000 Methodist heads of families have enrolled for family prayer and systematic Bible reading in the home, and new members of the family altar league are being received at the rate of forty to fifty a day.

Southern Methodists claim that the concerted effort of that denomination to deepen the prayer life if its people is not a forward movement, but rather a return to the days when family prayer occupied its rightful place in the home and marked the beginning and close of each day's activities.

As a means of returning to these "fundamentals," Southern Methodists have made the family altar league a definite part of the Christian education movement. This phase of the educational program is conducted through the department of Spiritual Resource, of which Dr. P. L. Cobb, of Nashville, Tenn., is secretary. The names of those enrolling are kept on file for correspondence and receive encouraging and helpful literature on prayer. For the benefit of those unaccustomed to the language of audible prayer, there has been issued an attractive little book of prayers which members are invited to use freely.

Methodist leaders say that whether this effort be a forward move, or a return to first principles, it is a step in the right direction, since any program which will bring about a closer community of interest in the life of the average American family is greatly to be desired.

## TO IMPEACH GOVERNOR

Oklahoma City, Okla., March 31.—Governor J. B. A. Robertson said last night he saw no reason for departing from his custom of making no comment whatever on any action of the present legislature, he said, through his secretary tonight, in commenting on a report that the Oklahoma house investigating committee late today recommended impeachment of the governor charging "corruption in office and gross neglect of duty."

Impeachment of Governor Robertson was recommended in a report filed in the Oklahoma house of representatives late yesterday by the investigating committee. The report charges corruption and gross neglect in office.

## HONEY WHILE YOU WAIT

Fertile, Iowa, March 31.—A novel idea and an innovation heretofore unheard of in the mercantile world will be introduced this season by a local firm, proprietors of a general store. In connection with their grocery department, they will conduct a modern apiary in the vacant rooms over their store.

The upper story of their building is infested with bees and recently the merchants removed several hundred pounds of honey from within their upper walls. There were no freight charges, overhead expenses or middleman's commission, and they are now installing several double-decked hives upstairs for the accommodation of their benefactors.

The honey will be sold hot from the hive direct to the customer.

A shell from one of Admiral Dewey's guns after lying for twenty-two years in a vacant lot in Manila, exploded when a lad picked it up and hurled it against a rock. The concussion knocked three boys to the ground and painfully injured them.

## Actress Divorcee Gets Big Alimony

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., April 1.—Temporary alimony of \$7,500 per month, counsel fees of \$35,000 and \$12,000 expenses were fixed today for Mrs. Anne Stillman by Supreme Court Justice Morschauer in the suit filed for divorce instituted against her by James Stillman, president of the City National Bank of New York.

## GALLOWES FRUIT HERE IF REPORT IS TRUE

New York, March 31.—Identity of the driver of the death wagon in which was carried the destructive bomb which caused the Wall Street explosion last September is known to agents of the Department of Justice, it was reported here last night. He has been identified as a well known anarchist through a clue furnished by the shoes of the horse which drew the wagon.

## AUGUST ASSEMBLAGE AT CARDINALS FUNERAL

Baltimore, Md., March 31.—The greatest assemblage of church dignitaries ever seen in this country gathered here today at the funeral of Cardinal Gibbons for a ceremonial un-matched in the ecclesiastical history of the United States.

## WONDER OIL STRIKE

Haynesville, La., March 31.—Wild excitement reigns today at Haynesville, the little town on the Louisiana & Northwestern railroad, which has suddenly jumped into the limelight as the next oil city of the United States.

The newly gained prominence came yesterday afternoon with the completion of No. 2 Taylor of Smitherman et al., of Shreveport, which came in with a flow of four thousand barrels of high gravity oil. The well is located in Claiborne parish, fifteen miles northwest of Homer and thirteen miles due north of the producing district of the Homer pool. The location is two and one-half miles from Haynesville. The latest wonder strike was made at 2855 feet.

## EXTERMINATE WHITES?

London, March 31.—Dean Inge, a well-known cleric known as the gloomy dean, predicts that cheap labor may seal the doom of the white race. He declared in an address that the Japanese had tolerated a labor system no better than that of England 100 years ago. Under a regime of peace, free trade and unrestricted immigration the colored race would outwork, underlive, and eventually exterminate the whites.

The abolition of war and the establishment of a league to secure justice and equality of treatment for all nations, would seal the doom of the white laborer, he prophesied.

The dean was of the opinion that the British social order was on the verge of bankruptcy and as conditions became more unfavorable to enterprise capital and business ability would be transferred to the economically strong countries.

## NEW STUNT IN BANDITRY

Chicago, March 31.—Three armed men took over the meat delivery route of Gerald O'Halloran, driver for a packing company, Wednesday, made all the deliveries from the order book, collected \$1,000 and escaped. O'Halloran was kept a prisoner on the delivery truck while the bandits covered the route, and after completing the collections, left their prisoner bound and gagged in his truck. O'Halloran managed to free himself and reported the affair to the police.

## TEXAS NOW HAS NO MINIMUM WAGE LAW

Austin, Texas, March 31.—The governor late Wednesday approved the bill passed at the regular session of the Thirty-seventh legislature, repealing the present minimum wage law. He then vetoed the new minimum wage law, so now there is no minimum wage law in Texas. The governor also vetoed the bill amending the suspended sentence law. It was sought in this bill to add theft of automobiles and criminal assault to the list of crimes to which the suspended sentence law should not apply.

The governor stated that he vetoed the minimum wage law because he is convinced that the proposed act is unconstitutional, because it exempts certain classes from its operation. In disapproving the bill, which sought to amend the suspended sentence law the governor said that to approve the measure would be committing himself to the "underlying principles" of this class legislation.

## Allies Protest the Emperor's Return

Paris, April 1.—The Council of Ambassadors here today adopted resolutions protesting against the restoration of former Emperor Charles in Hungary and warning the Hungarian government that the consequences in such event would be disastrous.

## BRECKENRIDGE SUFFERS ANOTHER BIG FIRE

Breckenridge, Texas, March 31.—Breckenridge had its third disastrous fire in March when another business block burned today, the block being that west of the Jake Hamon depot. Three hotels, several cafes, tool houses and lodging houses were destroyed. The loss was approximately \$60,000.

## EFFORTS MADE FOR PEACE IN IRELAND

Belfast, March 31.—Cardinal Logue primate of Ireland, was interviewed today by Sir William Goulding and three Southern Irish unionists with the object of opening peace negotiations between the Irish republican parliament and the British government.

## \$1,000 FOR HORSESHOE

Albany, N. Y., March 31.—A thousand dollars is offered here for a new horseshoe.

Winter after winter for hundreds and hundreds of years roadways have become icy and horses have slipped. Horseshoes no more than the horse has changed with the passing of time.

Now come organizations interested in these things, each with its hard cash not too readily acquired, to make up a prize worth working for.

The new shoe—or device has just one vital requirement. It must be non-skid.

The American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has put up \$200 toward the \$1,000, and so have the Pennsylvania and Massachusetts S. P. C. A. and the New York Women's League for Animals. The Women's Pennsylvania S. P. C. A. and the Western Pennsylvania Humane Society have each subscribed \$100. Unwilling to be left out, the "Red Acre Farm" has come in for \$5, while \$25 is added by the American Humane Association, which is receiving inquiries at its headquarters here.

## STUDENTS JUBILATE OVER GOVERNORS ACT

Austin, Texas, April 2.—The entire student body and members of the faculty of the University of Texas paraded the capitol grounds and Congress avenue today, thus announcing their gratification to Governor Neff for his approval of the university expansion bill appropriating \$1,350,000 for purchasing land adjoining the campus. The university band led the parade and banners and streamers lauding the governor were carried by students. The governor was presented with a large bouquet of roses by the girls of the dormitories of the university.

## TRAINED MEN NEEDED

Chicago, Ill., April 2.—One of the chief difficulties to be met in the cooperative marketing or farm products will be the lack of trained men to handle the marketing machinery effectively, according to President J. R. Howard of the American Farm Bureau Federation. Mr. Howard has written to the presidents of the various state universities and agricultural colleges suggesting that their institutions would render a great and appreciated service to agriculture by establishing courses in cooperative marketing. The need is so urgent that it is hoped both short and long courses in this subject will be forthwith provided, President Howard said.

## AVIATOR DEAD

Natchez, Miss., March 31.—Lieutenant W. D. Coney, army aviator, who was injured last Friday morning while attempting to make a transcontinental flight from Jacksonville, Fla., to San Diego, Cal., died Wednesday afternoon at 5:20.

## Body Sent Home.

Natchez, Miss., March 31.—The body of Lieutenant Coney, the transcontinental flier, left here today for Brunswick, Ga., where the funeral will be held Saturday.

Contrary to general belief the American Indian is increasing slowly in numbers according to the Indian commissioner.

## IRISH REBELS KILL FOURTEEN POLICEMEN

Cork, March 31.—An attack today upon the police barracks at Rosscarberry, Cork county, resulted in serious casualties to the occupants. Fourteen policemen are missing and are believed to have been killed.

## A DALLAS BELL BOY FLOGGED AND BRANDED

Dallas, Texas, April 2.—Masked men late last night took Alex Johnson, negro bell boy in a local hotel, to a lonely spot six miles south of town and flogged him until he bled freely and then branded him with the letters "K K K" on the forehead. Johnson was brought back to Dallas in an automobile and thrown in front of the hotel where he had been employed. The police said the masked men accused the negro of associating with a certain white woman. Six autos drove to Johnson's home and a number of masked men forcibly placed the negro in one of the cars, where he was tied. With lights out and the negro pleading for his life, the party drove to a spot on the Hutchins road, where the culprit was tied to a fence post and given 25 lashes after he was stripped of his clothing to the waist. Several of the masked men used the whip in turn while the negro shrieked in pain and promised "never to do such a thing again as long as I live." After the whipping was accomplished the negro sagged limply against the fence, when members of the party produced an acid and branded his forehead. The party is said to have been composed of well dressed white men. A charge was filed in county court last week against Johnson after the police said he had been discovered in the room of a white woman guest of the hotel.

## A DECORATION FUND

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., April 1.—A call for all members of the American Legion to contribute ten cents to a Memorial Day fund for the decoration of American graves overseas was sent out today in a bulletin from national headquarters of the legion here.

A majority of the bodies of Americans killed in the World's War have been returned to America, but thousands of our comrades still sleep on foreign soil in compliance with the desire of relatives that they rest forever where they fell. The Legion bulletin says: "Few of the relatives of the fallen can go to Europe to lay a memorial wreath on the grave of the dear departed. As last year, the American Legion will perform this sacred service."

Committees have been formed in France and Great Britain, composed largely of Legion men. Posts in England, France, Belgium and Germany, cooperating with these committees, will see that every overseas grave of an American soldier is as fittingly decorated as if all the fallen slept in the soil of the homeland, the announcement adds. Franklin D'Olier, Philadelphia, past national commander of the Legion, heads the committee on Memorial Overseas for America, and assisting him are prominent men from twenty-one states of the union.

There will be instances in which relatives will wish to contribute expressly for a particular grave, wishing an individual scheme of decoration carried out, the bulletin says: "Legionnaires are charged with transmitting such requests to the memorial committees, through national headquarters, that every desire of the bereaved families may be complied with."

Last Memorial Day the American Legion decorated 75,000 graves of Americans in Italy, Spain, France, Belgium, Luxemburg and Germany.

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## The Elks' Minstrel Was Great Success

Folks, Wednesday we had with us a show that would do credit to any town to play in it and it was a home talent production throughout. The house was seated to capacity in spite of the inclement weather and many anxious to see or could not be accommodated. Many are urgently requesting a second performance, but the show, as advertised, was for one night only.

The house was quickly filled with a steady stream of expectant people. They were correctly seated by the head usher, Dewey Belser, and his assistants, Collis Davis and Jewel Byrd. When seated the people were presented with a souvenir program that was wonderfully gotten up. It was arranged by Smith, Hazle, Monk and McKinney. Advertisements from the most progressive merchants, manufacturers and bankers were dispersed throughout the booklet.

The program began with the musical program rendered by Smith's Novelty "4" and it was really clever and bordering on the ultra-profession. The curtain went up on the opening chorus and the audience was dazzled at the brilliantly arranged scene they beheld. The six black faces, Claude Hazle, Holloway Muller, Robert Monk, Leo Mintz, L. L. McMillian and Murph Drewry, the six white faces, Myrick Glenn, Aron Cox, R. Hagan, Richard McKinney, Ulric Wilson and Dave Thomas, the girls of the chorus, Martha Nelson, Mary Williams, Edna Earle Dent, Ritchie Williams, Virginia Harris, Bettie Lewis Harris, Johnnie Norwood, Mary Donegan, Jose Caricker, Lucile Brewer, Lois Weeks, Vida Gray, Lucius Sharpe, Rose Jordan, Frances Ingraham, Ruth Middlebrook, Loraine Weaver, Doris Wright and Mr. Eugene Blount in the center being the interlocutor. They rendered several selections and at the same time going through various drills. "The Moon Shines on the Moonshine," by Mr. L. L. McMillian, was his cleverly executed in his deep bass. "Whispering," by Miss Jose Carricker was greatly enjoyed. J. Holloway Muller in "Nigger" words and melody sang "Hum Hum." Our own Mr. Ulric Holloway Muller in "Down the Trail to Home Sweet Home," was a treat rarely to be heard. Robert Monk in black face make up took off the "Wang Wang Blues in great style. "I Like It," very cleverly executed by Miss Doris Wright deserves the highest of compliments, Claude Hazle in "Sweet Mamma" was a scream, "Marge" by Mr. Myrick Glenn was highly appreciated and that concluded an act well worth the price of the show.

"The Mustard Plaster" superly read by Mrs. R. G. Piner was greatly enjoyed. She is a woman of wonderful talent and ability as a reader. Myrick Glenn in "Springtime Fancies" and Miss Bettie Lewis Harris in specialty dancing were highly entertaining. The spotlight effect and the scenery was beautiful. The audience beheld a garden of pretty girls as flowers with spotlights on each of their faces. Claude Hazle in a de luxe revue of Melody and dance sang "Girls of My Dreams," as each one appeared and walked out into the spotlights, on a runaway over the audience. At the end of the walk a spotlight revealed girls or dazzling beauty. Frances Ingraham, as the winter girl, Ruth Middlebrook, the debutante, Vida Gray, the riding girl, Doris Wright as the Vamp, Mary Williams, the summer girl, Edna Earle Dent, the society girl, Loraine Weaver, the sport girls, and the last a most beautiful girl in Miss Lucile Brewer, the bathing girl. This concluded the program, which has the compliments of the entire town.

The show really had the aspect of a professional performance of the highest order. This is an annual affair with the Elks and each year it is to better. The entire arrangements were made and managed by Holland M. Smith and Claude Hazle. Decorations and scenery by Affie Middlebrook and Mrs. Charles Williams. The show was success financially and as to entertainment it was the most enjoyable of any affair ever held in our city, thanks to the co-operation of all.

## VEToes TWO BILLS

Austin, Tex., April 1.—The governor Thursday vetoed the bill passed at the regular session of the legislature which sought to amend the present fire escape law so that the act shall not apply to grain elevators and manufacturing and industrial plants when such buildings were constructed of fireproof material. He also disapproved the bill proposing to allow county commissioners to appoint persons to administer hog cholera virus.



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### NOTICE

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I am now temporarily out of business and will be out for a few months. Appreciate business of the past and will be open again by fall. Bright's Garage.

**FOR SALE**—Bollers, engine and saw mill machinery. Always some good used machinery on hand. J. M. Hacker, Box 879, Beaumont, Texas. dwt-ft.

F. B. Paine, George Webster, V. L. Grimes, Tom Hart and Will Finley, all of the Douglas community, were some of the visitors in the city Thursday.

Cotton planting time! Genuine Triumph cotton seed. A full car load at only \$2 per bushel. Mayer & Schmidt. 24-4w.

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### OCCUPANTS OF CAR HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

At the noon hour Saturday Messrs. Hale and Cronan of the Bonita Lumber Company started in their car for their luncheon and in attempting to cross the railroad tracks were the victims of an accident which might well have proved disastrous. The southbound H. E. & W. T. passenger train was slowing down for the tank north of the station and the gentlemen evidently thought they had ample time to cross safely ahead of it, but they miscalculated the speed of the train and the read end of their car was struck and wrecked by the engine and they were thrown out. Mr. Cronan suffering several severe bruises and cuts, but, luckily, sustained no serious injury. His hurts were treated at once and he was able to go to dinner. Mr. Hale escaped with a slight abrasion on one of his legs.

**LOST**—Squirrel gray Jersey cow and yearling calf. Cow had on halter. Has tag in one ear. Likely drifting toward Swift. Will pay \$10 reward for return. Dr. J. M. Rogers, Etolia, Texas. 10-wtf

### A CONEY PUPIL

Lieut. William Coney, transcontinental flier, who fell near Crowville, La., and who died Wednesday at Natchez, Miss., was Adlai Mast's first instructor at Kelly Field, Texas, and gave Mr. Mast his first twelve rides before turning him over to do solo work. Mr. Mast said that Lieut. Coney was a wonderful flier and handled a plane with unusual skill.

He has his pilot book, which shows the grades Coney gave him while learning to fly, with Coney's signature at the bottom, which Mr. Mast prizes very highly.

### SCHOOL NOTES

Superintendent R. F. Davis Tuesday and Wednesday, during the absence of Miss Anna Barrow, the Sponish teacher, she being ill, filled her place. During these periods Mr. Davis read a very interesting article on "Why Graduate?" He supplemented the article with some remarks of his own and made quite a number of the students in the rooms think very seriously before he concluded. He pointed out that a young man who is not a graduate of a high school has a large number of good positions closed to him for life. One cannot have a position in a university unless he has a high school education; one cannot have a position of any responsibility in a bank without a high school diploma; one cannot have a responsible place in aviation without a diploma; and he read dozens of other things that the person cannot have without a diploma from a high school. Mr. Davis is a thorough teacher. It gives him genuine pleasure to see a student progress in school, and he is never the one to discount the value of schooling. It is inspiring to hear him daily urge, advise and plead with students of the high school to make up their work. But right here it must be borne in mind that Mr. Davis is not the only one of the teachers that is deeply interested in the students—every teacher in the high school is struggling harder to see the pupils through than perhaps some of the students are to see themselves through. Who has more responsibilities than a teacher? Think about it!

### Hall's Catarrh Medicine

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### Dr. Will H. Bruce, Osteopathic Physician, Redland Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Orton have returned from Dallas, where Mrs. Orton was under medical treatment.

Miss Velera Weaver is quite ill if in gripe at her home on Bremond street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Horn were called to Sacul Sunday by the serious illness of the latter's mother.

Only eight more weeks of school and then the student can have a rest.

Richard Haltom returned Sunday from Houston, where he had been spending a few days.

Eugene Rector, Joe Rector and Olie Hall, all of the Douglass community, were in the city Sunday.

In the case of the State vs. Audrey Paine, the defendant was acquitted Saturday.

Mrs. John Lucas of Sacul was in the city Sunday for a visit with her father, Mr. J. G. Orton, and family.

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Clarence, the little 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Parrish, South Fredonia street, is quite ill of pneumonia.

Mrs. I. D. Parnley was able to be moved to her home from the sanitarium, where she underwent an operation.

Mrs. John Teutsch of Chiseno, who had been quite ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Teutsch of this city, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. A. W. Meador returned Sunday morning from Beaumont, where she had been visiting her daughter for some time.

Plant less cotton but use good seed. We have genuine Mebane Triumph seed at \$2 per bushel. Mayer & Schmidt. 24-4w

Mrs. L. W. Liles and children left Saturday for Kaufman, where they will join Mr. Liles, who went there several days ago to get their new home ready for occupancy.

Mr. W. J. Bowden left Sunday for Southwest Texas, where he will inspect some timber for a contracting party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Nicholson and Mr. Tine Carroll of Center were in the city Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Dill of Jacksonville, stopped over Sunday for a short visit with their sister, Mrs. W. W. Beck. They are on their way for a visit with Mrs. Dill's mother in Seattle, Washington.

Edward Tucker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Tucker, is suffering from a severe case of eye trouble this week, requiring his being absent from school. He was taken ill Sunday.

Sheriff G. W. L. Woodlan and District Attorney W. B. Bates were called from the city Thursday to Libbert from which place reports came that Billie Pigue had seriously shot Coy Choate. Upon the arrival of Attorney Bates and Sheriff Woodlan, however, it was found that Pigue had only hit Choate on the head with a spade, inflicting small injury. The cause of the trouble was not made known. Pigue was brought to Nacogdoches and placed in jail. His examining trail has not yet been set.

**KASCH COTTON SEED IS HERE**  
If you fail to come after yours don't blame us, later. We will replace free to those of our friends and customers who can truthfully claim that we sold them faulty seed. Mayer & Schmidt. 31-4w

Cars driven by Messrs. H. L. McKnight and Alton Taylor met in a head-on collision in front of the J. M. Weeks home on North street at 7:15 Sunday night, resulting in a broken front axle of the McKnight car and some damage to the other. The occupants escaped injury, though considerably shaken up and frightened.

One of the strangest things in this world is how long it takes a girl to dress and how little she puts on—Snap Shots.

### ALTO HAS ANOTHER BIG FIRE SATURDAY

Fire last Saturday morning, destroyed the dry shed of the Blount-Decker Lumber Company at Alto which contained about a million feet of dressed lumber.

It is presumed that the fire started from sparks from the fire pit that burns the waste lumber and strips, as the wind was from the south, and the fire pit is only about one hundred yards south of the shed that was consumed.

The blaze made a very spectacular fire, as the lumber was still dry and being pine and lots of heart lumber, it made a very big blaze and lots of smoke.

Four streams of water were used to keep the fire from spreading from the dry shed to the saw mill and planer, and the fire workers are to be commended for the way they handled the fire. It was very fortunate that the wind, which was blowing very hard at the time was from the south, instead of the north, for had it been in the latter direction, it would have burned the mill and planer in spite of all that could have been done. As it was the blaze was confined to the dry shed alone. We understand that lumber and sheds were amply covered by insurance.—Alto Herald, 1st.

### COTTON SEED NOTICE

To our customers and friends who bought Kasch cotton seed from us last year who claim they did not get a satisfactory stand will please call at our store for them FREE while they last. Mayer & Schmidt. 31-4w

### NOTICE

Last year's faulty Kasch cotton seed. We will replace free to our customers and friends who bought and did not get a satisfactory stand. Get yours before it is all gone. Mayer & Schmidt. 31-4w

### CHARMING ENTERTAINMENT AT MRS. STURDEVANT'S.

One of the most thoroughly enjoyable social functions in the town's history was given by Mrs. I. L. Sturdevant Saturday night at her home on North street. The house was crowded with the music lovers of the city, who had been invited to hear Mae Middleton Colley, the famous prima donna, in a number of selections which gave full range to her magnificent voice.

Mrs. Robert Lindsey one of the most accomplished of our local musicians, made a brief talk in introducing the singer, referring in flattering and endearing terms to the little lady's accomplishments as a vocalist and a teacher of voice, reading several newspaper articles and personal letters of commendation from some of the foremost musical critics of New York and other centers, finally quoting the old saw that "the proof of the pudding is in the eating," and presented the singer to the expectant audience to prove the reasonableness of her proposition. Nor were the hearers disappointed. For an hour Mrs. Colley held them spellbound with her superb voice which to some was a revelation. Miss Willie Cramling, another of Nacogdoches' accomplished musicians, accompanied Mrs. Colley on the piano, and her wonderful skill added much to the completeness of the entertainment.

At the conclusion of the program Mrs. Sturdevant served delicious fruit punch, and the charmed guests departed with many expressions of gratification and delight.

### NOTICE

I have a very fine thoroughbred jack, shipped to me from the north-west, will stand at my barn at Appleby, Texas. Price \$5 cash and \$10 when colt is foaled.

A visit to my barn will convince. Respectfully,  
31-wtf J. J. Boyett.

Plant Mebane cotton seed. None better, at the low price of \$2 per bushel. Mayer & Schmidt. 24-4w

**A MOTHER'S TESTIMONY**  
San Antonio Texas.—"One of my daughters has two 'Favorite Prescription' babies of whom she is very proud. She was in very poor health for eight years—could scarcely get around and was not able to do her housework. Doctoring did not seem to help her. Finally she started to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and that medicine restored her to perfect health. The babies are fine and healthy and she had practically no suffering. Best of all she is in better health today than ever before.—MRS. SARAH WHITE, 307 Sharer St.

Favorite Prescription contains no alcohol or narcotic. All druggists.

### CHARTER NO. 1284 OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

## Nacogdoches State Bank

at Nacogdoches, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 21 day of February, 1921, published in the Nacogdoches Sentinel, a newspaper printed and published at Nacogdoches, State of Texas, on the 28th day of February, 1921.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$234,727.42
Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps	7,976.75
Interest in Guaranty Fund	3,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	10,850.68
Cash on hand and in banks	76,645.24
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>332,900.09</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
DEPOSITS	171,589.72
Surplus	1,310.83
Bills Payable	60,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>332,900.09</b>

State of Texas, County of Nacogdoches: We, M. V. Wynne, as President, and G. E. Stripling, as Cashier, of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

M. V. Wynne, President,  
G. E. Stripling, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of February, A. D. 1921.  
J. W. Bates,  
Notary Public, Nacogdoches County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:  
R. L. Perry,  
F. R. Penman,  
J. W. Millard,  
Directors.

### SACRED HARP SINGING

All Sacred Harp singers please take notice that the Shelby County Sacred Harp Singing Convention will meet at Blair, five miles west of Timpson, Friday night before the third Sunday in April, it being the 15th and all singers are requested to be on hand with their books.

H. L. Sanford, President,  
W. F. Atkinson, Secretary.

### OIL MEN HERE

Officials of Packers Oil, Messrs. W. W. Ridenour, W. L. Beattie and O. W. Young, who are very well known in Nacogdoches oil circles, were in the county last Friday inspecting their holdings. They were impressed with the activities and development in the Nacogdoches field. Mr. Young informs us that Packers Oil intends to commence drilling about the 1st of May. Billie Black, general manager of the company, who is also well known, here, is recovering from a slight injury he suffered a few weeks ago and expects to take up field work within two weeks.

### TANTALUS ON DECK

It will soon be time for some of the schools in the rural districts to close, announcement having already been made of this fact in some communities. Many of the school children will of course be called upon to assist in the farm work, which will go a long way toward relieving the farm labor shortage reported throughout the country. Then, it will be just the right fishing season, and fish were never reported more plentiful in the streams. There is nothing to compare with the exhilaration of rounding out a week's work on the farm with a fishing excursion to some nearby body of water, an denjoy such an outing in the fullest, if one takes along a frying pan, a little lard to grease the pan, an onion and some corn bread the experience is beyond the power of description. Did you ever try it? —Lufkin News.

The large costly plate glass window to the left of the entrance of Tucker, Hayter & Company's store was broken Saturday afternoon by several men leaning against it. The break was boarded up to await the shipment of another glass.

**Lucky Tiger**  
The Tiger's Balm  
Positively eradicates  
dandruff—corrects  
scalp itching—relieves  
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natural growth—acts  
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Attorneys at Law  
Pierce Building.

### Eggs and Poultry

We are always in the market and will pay you more than you can get elsewhere. It will pay you to see us when you have poultry and eggs for sale.

**JOE ZEVE**  
CASH BUYER

### When in Need of a Monument

VISIT THE NACOGDOCHES CEMETERY AND ASK THE SEXTON TO TELL YOU WHO DOES THE BEAUTIFUL WORK YOU SEE

### GOULD

WILL BE HIS ANSWER WE HAVE PLEASED THE MOST EXACTING AND WILL PLEASE YOU IF GIVEN YOUR COMMISSION. THE SAME ATTENTION GIVEN A MODEST HEADSTONE AS LARGER WORK.

Gould Granite & Marble Co.  
Jacksonville, Texas.

"Buffalo Bill, where do you get saddles and pads for your Rough Riders?"  
From Waco, Texas, made by Tom Padgett Co.—Over fifty years in business—they don't hurt your horse.  
(Padgett's ad has been carried in the Haltom papers for over forty years.)



# POISON

## The Bugs and Insects That Are Eating Up Your Garden

Now that you have your garden truck up do not let the insects eat it up.

Spray your plants with Arsenate Lead.

You can't afford not to do this for if you do you will lose your early vegetables.

We have the poison and sprays.

Also a full line of Garden and Field Seed.

**Stripling, Haselwood & Co.**

Hermann Sullivan of Appleby was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Sallie Pack of Chiereno is in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Pack.

Belton Latimer of Garrison was in the city Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd of Alto motored over the first of the week to visit Mr. J. F. Floyd.

The Sentinel has two Tyler Commercial College scholarships for sale. We will save you a few dollars if you are planning to take a commercial course.

Corporal John L. Lyberger, who accompanied the remains of Private Felix H. Briley, who was killed in France in 1918, to Nacogdoches, left for Camp Pike, Ark., Wednesday. The corporal says he was well impressed with Nacogdoches.

A crowd of Nacogdoches men went to Rusk Wednesday to see if they could land some of the Cherokee county road work. The names of the parties going could not be learned by ties going could not be obtained. Then, too, some of them did not wish to "appear in the limelight."

To cleanse the blood, strengthen the kidneys and regulate the stomach, liver and bowels, Prickly Ash Bitters is a remedy that has proved its worth. It promotes activity in body and brain. Price \$1.25 per bottle.—Stripling, Haselwood & Co. Special Agents.

Only two more months of school remain of the current term of the Nacogdoches High School, and the students are getting down to the business of studying. A great many are burning midnight oil that was not being burned a few months ago. It takes studying to get a N.H.S. diploma.

### GET YOUR MEDAL

Washington, D. C. April 4.—To expedite the delivery of the rainbow-hued ribbons and the bronze medal that bears on its reverse face the name of our thirteen allies in The Great War For Civilization, better known as the Victory Medal, the Marine Corps has opened a new campaign of publicity through the agencies of its recruiting offices. The active resumption of recruiting by the sea soldiers is expected speedily to clear the decks of the recruiting offices of all unused medals. The aid of the American Legion, veterans of foreign wars and the posts of the Army and Navy Union has also been enlisted for this purpose. Application to the nearest Marine Corps recruiting office is all that is necessary, as the usual government red tape for the distribution of the Victory Medal has been eliminated by the Marine Corps. Each recruiting office has been issued a complete list of all officers and men who served in the war, and opposite each name is a record of all battle clasps and other devices that go with the individual medal.

Miss Ruby Ray Ridley of Beaumont came up Tuesday to visit the family of F. D. Huston and J. O. Ray.

### LIEUTENANT HARANT'S LETTER

Camp Travis, Texas, April 3, 1921.

Mr. Buchanan, Chief of Police, Nacogdoches, Texas, My Dear Mr. Buchanan:—

It will be just one year since I left the very good community, the community of Nacogdoches, Texas. Since then I have met with quite a bit of success but not all that could be expected. Still I am very well satisfied, for it seems to be the very same all over the world.

Since leaving Nacogdoches last year at this time, I have been away from this country for nearly six months. In that time I have had an opportunity to study conditions in Spain, Italy, interior of Germany as far east as Berlin and as far south as Tehensen. This latter mentioned town is on the southern frontier. I have been to the new European republics of Czechoslovakia as far east as Prostejov, Olomouc, Kromeriz and one or two others. I was on the Polish frontier last year in August when the Poles and bolsheviks were fighting over Warsaw; so you can see that I have had quite a bit to do; but, with all this, I did not and will not forget my very dear Nacogdoches friends.

A week from today I am starting for Baltimore and New York. There I will remain for about ten days; then I will start for the Pacific, but on my way there I will come by "Doches." I figure that I will reach there about the 18th or 19th, but I certainly expect to get there. I have tried before to get a leave of absence, but have always failed, but this time it is certain. I shall be glad to see all my very dear Nacogdoches friends and be with them for about two days.

Not being able to write to all individually, I will ask a little favor of you. I am sure that it will not cause a great deal of trouble, as you see these gentlemen every day. Please remember me to the following men and friends: Messrs. Haselwood, Watson, R. W. Sullivan, D. C. McCarthy, Lee Axley, Donegan, Baker, Williams, W. W. Lee, Giles Haltom, Bradford, Stripling, Huber, Seale, Judge Marshall, both the Bates boys, Captain Sturdevant and last but not least, the Honorable Mayor, Mr. Middlebrook. I may have forgotten some of them. In that case, you remember them for me, please. I am sure that I will appreciate all.

Here's hoping that all is perfectly well when we meet again in dear old "Doches."

With the greatest respect,  
I remain truly,  
Louis J. Harant.

### THEY SPEAK WELL OF IT

"I frequently hear Chamberlain's Cough Remedy praised by friends and acquaintances which only tends to strengthen my good opinion of it," writes Mrs. Fred Arter, Zanesville, Ohio. Try it when you have a cough or cold and see for yourself what an excellent medicine it is.—Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Company.

Two second-hand boilers for sale cheap. Southern Ice & Utilities Co. 380-6dw2.

Mrs. Jno. Cater has returned to her home in Lubbock after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. McLain.

### MUSCOGEE WOMAN TELLS OF CHANGE

Mrs. Lowe Gains Twenty-five Pounds By Taking Tanlac. Health Perfect Now.

"I have gained twenty-five pounds by taking Tanlac and I just can't tell how happy I am to get my health back," declared Mrs. Mary E. Lowe, 440 N. Cherokee street, Muscogee, Okla.

"Three years ago while we were living in Rosedale, Kansas, I broke down completely and had to give up my position. My nerves just seemed to collapse, and I became so weak and run down that I could hardly get around. My liver became sluggish and I lost my appetite and didn't seem to want a thing to eat. My stomach was badly disordered and at times I felt almost deathly sick. I slept but little and fell off in weight and went from bad to worse until I was alarmed over my condition.

"But Tanlac proved to be just the thing I had been needing, and I certainly am glad I took my friend's advice and tried it. Five bottles have restored my health. I have been built up wonderfully and feel so well and strong I never will be able to praise Tanlac enough. It is the best medicine in the world and I am all the time recommending it to some of my friends."

Tanlac is sold in Nacogdoches by Stripling, Haselwood & Company and Swift Bros. & Smith and in Garrison by the Dale Drug Company and all leading druggists.

As clear as the purest water is Liquid Borzone, yet it is the most powerful healing remedy for flesh wounds, sores, burns and scalds that medical science has ever produced. Try it. Price 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

### WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITIES

There has never been a time when the advantages of education and training for business were more clearly demonstrated than now. Some firms are reducing their payrolls, either in salary or in number of employees to keep pace with the return of normal prices and the general retrenchment in the business world following the period of war-inflation. Naturally, the first class of employees to be cut are the untrained workers. The high-salaried executives, the trained men and women who hold the responsible positions, are the last to have their salaries reduced or to be let off the payroll.

Ambitious young people want to be in the latter class, the employees who are most valuable to a firm, who draw the best salaries and are the last to be released in stringent times. You want to be a TRAINED WORKER. Will you devote years of hard labor at low pay to gaining your training thru experience, or will you invest a few months time in acquiring the most thorough, practical and complete training that can be had in bookkeeping, stenography, telegraphy, cotton classing, business administration and finance, in the largest business training institution in America, the Tyler Commercial College? Such a business training not only insures you a good salary from the day you complete our course, but opens up to you the unlimited opportunities for promotion that can be found in the business world. Every opening for a bookkeeper, stenographer, telegraph operator, cotton classer or private secretary is an opening for a position higher up if you make the most of it, and we will place you in a business office under big business men at a good salary as soon as you complete a course with us. Opportunity knocks but once at each man's door; can you afford to pass this one up?

The thoroughness of our courses is indisputably proven by our enrollment last year of 4483; no inferior school ever built up and held a large patronage. Business men recognize our students as capable, which is proven by the fact that they call upon us every day for graduates to take positions in their offices; we have placed a hundred or more with each of several large concerns.

Fill in and mail the coupon below for free catalogue, containing interesting stories of the success many of our former students. Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

Apply Ballard's Snow Liniment to joints that ache. It relieves bone ache, muscle ache and neuralgia pain. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

### LAND FOR LEASE

My place of 394 acres is for lease. Situated 9 miles south of Nacogdoches on T. & N. O. railroad. See me at the farm. T. J. Phillips. 7-6w4

# Some of the Season's Ends That Must Go

## Coat Suits

Eleven Coat Suits of Serge and Tricotine, sizes 16 to 40 . . ONE-THIRD OFF

## Ladies' Hats

Fisk, Davidson & Smith Hats, ranging in price from \$5.00 to \$3.75 \$7.50, reduced to . . \$3.75

## Men's Silk Hose

All \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.25 Men's Silk Hose in black, blue, cordovan and white at . \$1.00

### NECKTIES AT ONE HALF PRICE

\$10.00 Hats at . . . . . \$7.50  
\$7.50 Hats at . . . . . \$5.00

# THOMAS & RICHARDSON

### BAPTIST WORKERS CONFERENCE

I wish to remind the readers of the Sentinel the Baptist Workers' Conference, which meets in Nacogdoches at 10 a. m. Friday, April 15. It will be a rare treat for all who attend. The great address by Dr. Arch C. Cree of Georgia is a part of the program, and it will be worth while to hear him. I wish to urge all the Baptist people of the county to attend this conference. We want to get better acquainted, and learn how to work together. The meeting is open to all and everybody will be welcome. Let us make it a great day.  
T. B. Harrell, Missionary.

### RELIEVES RHEUMATIC PAINS.

"I am subject to rheumatism and when I have a spell of it one or two applications of Chamberlain's Liniment relieves the pain and makes rest and sleep possible. I would not think of doing without it." Writes Mrs. C. Owsley, Moberly, Mo. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

### FOR A SEVERE COLD

"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured my daughter Anna of a severe cold and cough a few years ago and ever since then I have never missed an opportunity to recommend this medicine to anyone suffering from throat or lung trouble. I cannot speak too highly in praise of it," writes Mrs. D. J. Shelby, Earlville, N. Y. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy contains no narcotic and may be given to children with perfect confidence. It is a pleasant syrup so they do not object to taking it. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

### NOTICE

I have bought the H. H. Cooper Creamery, and will operate same. At present I will accept cream on Tuesdays and Saturdays. I will also install a first-class ice cream factory in connection with the creamery. I kindly ask the co-operation of friends and customers. It is an institution that is badly needed in this county, and with the help of the people we will make a success of it. It means money to you as well as to me. 6-1dw. R. G. Muckleroy.

### CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS ARE JUST WHAT YOU NEED.

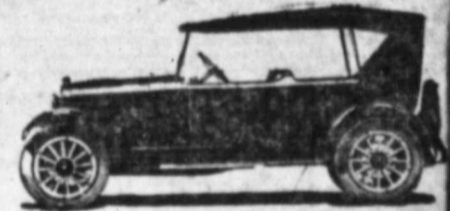
When bilious. When constipated. When you have no appetite. When your digestion is impaired. When your liver is torpid. When you feel dull and stupid after eating. When you have headache. They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach, regulate your bowels and make you feel "fine as a fiddle." They are easy to take and agreeable in effect. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

### JUDGE HUSTON GOT BUSY

Judge Frank Huston got busy Tuesday and married two colored people who seemed happy of the privilege. These have been the first people the judge has married in several weeks. When asked the other day what the trouble was, the judge said he did not know, but one thing, people certainly have quit marrying. Some few months ago, Judge Huston distinction of marrying more people than any other justice of the peace in East Texas. But romance will crop out again!

A "system regulator" is a medicine that purifies and strengthens the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. Prickly Ash Bitters is one of the best of these. It drives out unhealthy conditions, promotes activity of brain and body, restores good appetite, sound sleep and cheerful spirits. Price \$1.25 per bottle.—Stripling, Haselwood & Co. Special Agents.

What is believed to be a world's record for a parachute jump was recently established at Fort Sill when an aeronaut jumped from an airship at a height of 22,000 feet, landing six miles from his take-off.



## New Tops

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## G. A. NELSON

### CITY ELECTION

The city election Tuesday was a very quiet affair, only 83 ballots being polled, many voters being kept away by the unusually inclement weather. Following is a tabulated statement of the returns:

For City Marshal, J. R. Buchanan received the full vote. In no instance was his name scratched.  
J. J. Greve (for short term) . . . 8  
Ford Simpson . . . . . 8  
R. C. Monk . . . . . 6  
Sam Stripling . . . . . 7

After a long winter the system becomes filled with impurities caused by dry, strong winds. In hot weather these impurities cause sickness. Get rid of them now by taking Prickly Ash Bitters. It is the remedy that mer use for purifying the blood, liver and bowels and putting the body in shape for summer work. Price \$1.25 per bottle.—Stripling, Haselwood & Co. Special Agents.

The school election Saturday passed off without incident. Little interest was manifested in the matter, only 41 votes being cast. The candidates, Messrs. A. H. Smith, G. H. Meisenheimer, A. A. Nelson, and W. F. Gintz, received the total vote there being no opposition.