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HON. M. E. BLACKBURN



The opening of the political campaign finds Hon. M. E. Blackburn a candidate for re-election to the office of Representative from the 115th District of Texas. Mr. Blackburn was first elected to the office two years ago, and now aspires to a second term. It is to the interest of the people of the district that he be re-elected. His services in the office have been of a very high character, he is now better prepared, through the experience of one term, to give good service. Mr. Blackburn is a conservative, painstaking and thoroughly honest representative of his people, and the enviable record he made in the last Legislature is abundant warrant for returning him.

KERRVILLE FIRE LADDIES PROSPER

WEEKLY DRILLS BEING HELD WITH NEW AUTO TRUCK AND OTHER EQUIPMENT.

The Kerrville Volunteer Fire Company is coming to the front in a manner that should be most gratifying to citizens and business men of the town. The weekly drills are well attended, and some new equipment has been bought. Among other things a fine new auto fire-truck is the pride of the company, and the boys will now be able to get on the ground in record time after an alarm has been turned in, and will be in fine shape for fighting fire when they arrive, instead of having their tongues hanging out from pulling the hose truck.

Not only is it an evidence of progress for the city to have a well organized and well managed company of firemen, but it is a valuable investment in the matter of saving property in the event of fire, and also in the matter of reducing insurance rates.

Union Service.

A union service will be held next Sunday night, June 11th, at 8 o'clock, at the Methodist Church. The service was arranged by the pastors in response to a call sent out by the Federal Council of the churches of Christ in America for contributions to the war sufferers and innocent victims of war's horrible scourge.

The Federal Council is composed of the great Protestant denominations of America, and it is the conviction of the officers of the Council; first, that the awful need of suffering women and children calls ceaselessly for relief, and second, that a gift from America would best evidence the spirit of Christ, and would be a powerful refutation of the mercenary charges brought against our Nation.

Our contribution will be sent to the relief committee operating to relieve the needs of the various countries of Europe. These are as follows: Belgium, East Prussia, Poland, Servia, Macedonia and Syria. Each contributor will have the opportunity of designating the country he desires to help, and the amounts so given will be forwarded to the treasurer of the various relief committees.

The order of service will be as follows:

Opening Chorus—United Choirs.
Hymn—Congregation.
Invocation—Bishop Johnston.
Music—Selected.
Address—Judge H. C. Geddie.
Solo.
Address—Rev. W. P. Dickey.
Collection.
Hymn.
Prayer and Benediction—Rev. J. P. Riddle. REV. S. W. KEMERER.
Secy. Pastor's Union.

W. D. Love Announces.

To the Voters of Kerr County, Texas: In compliance with the earnest solicitations of many persons throughout this Judicial District, as well as my own inclinations, I have announced as a candidate for the office of District Judge of the Thirty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries. It will be impossible, and I believe unnecessary for me to see, personally, all the voters of the district, as I am known, at least by reputation, throughout the District.

If elected, I pledge faithful service, an impartial, energetic, yet courteous treatment to every person coming before the Courts of the District.

I respectfully solicit your vote, and influence. W. D. LOVE.

Ball Game.

The baseball game played at the local park last Sunday between Kerrville and Fredericksburg teams was given to the visitors, 6 to 2. Up to the eighth inning the game was nicely contested, after that time no details will be necessary. The Athletics played a good clean game throughout and "Smoky Joe" pitched his usual good ball, only four hits being secured by the visitors.

Mrs. Philip Crenwelge of Fredericksburg has been the guest this week of her daughter, Mrs. H. Welge.

PROSPERITY AND PEACE KEYNOTES

ADMINISTRATION TO SEE THAT THESE ARE EMPHASIZED IN STATE PLATFORM.

Washington, D. C., June 6.—Plans for the Democratic National Convention, with special reference to the platform, were discussed today by President Wilson with his advisers at the Cabinet meeting and at an informal White House meeting. Senator Ollie James, who is to be permanent chairman of the convention, attended the conference.

The President, who is preparing a draft of the platform, will not complete his work until after the Republican convention. While the main features already have been decided, the tone of the document will be influenced by the action of the Chicago convention. Peace and Prosperity will be the keynote of the platform and special reference will be made to preparedness measures, both military and industrial, adopted and proposed by the Administration. In the legislative achievements of the Administration, chief attention will be paid to the tariff, currency, the Alaskan Railroad and the Trade Commission bills, and mention will be made of the pending tariff commission, Philippine and rural credit bills.

Senator Stone, who is slated for chairman of the platform committee, is expected to confer with the President soon. Secretary Lansing will cooperate with them in the final drafting of the plank, dealing with the foreign affairs of the Government during the Democratic Administration. Secretaries Daniels, Baker and Houston already have prepared to attend the St. Louis convention.

Elsewhere in these columns will be found the announcement of A. B. Williamson as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Kerr County. Mr. Williamson is seeking re-election after having served several terms. He is personally known to probably every voter in the county. If re-elected he will doubtless continue to give the public the same service that he has given them since he first became a public servant.

BOLT SEVERED CAT'S TAIL

Lightning Did Surgeon's Job After Demolishing Chimney.

Galveston, Tex., June 7.—At 6 o'clock Wednesday morning a bolt of lightning struck a brick chimney on the residence of Captain James F. Phillips, district superintendent for the United States Coast Guard, tore off the entire top of the chimney and followed that structure to the ground. At the base of the chimney the family cat was resting after his night's vigil and the animal's tail was completely severed by the bolt, which struck about three inches from the tip of the tail, leaving a four-inch stub to represent the caudal extremities of the unhappy feline for the remainder of his days.

Captain Phillips states that the lightning performed its job of amputation on the cat's tail to such a nicety that the member was thoroughly cauterized, as if it had been the operation of a skilled modern surgeon. There was a small bit of singed hair and skin left hanging on the live end, but this the captain severed with a pair of shears. The secondary operation was performed without pain to the pet, which never raised his head from his platter of milk while the hanging skin was being cut away.

While the loss of the cat's tail was the part of the occurrence which most appeals to the sense of human interest, Captain Phillips was thoroughly impressed with the fact that the entire top of his chimney was demolished, the bricks being shattered and thrown all about the yard, and two lots away, into the premises of the neighbors. The telephone was put out of commission, and the family had a considerable fright. Fortunately the dog, which sleeps by the base of the chimney with the cat, is an earlier riser than her bedmate, and was not in the danger zone when the bolt made its descent on the kitty's tail.

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DRAFT PLATFORM TO SUIT COLONEL

UPPERMOST PURPOSE APPARENT IN FRAMERS OF REPUBLICAN RESOLUTIONS.

Chicago, June 7.—It is becoming evident that the work of the Republican convention committee on resolutions will be one of elimination. Almost every man on the committee is loaded with planks of his own making, and many of them have taken the care of extra declarations for friends.

If there is one general purpose better defined than any other on the part of the leading members of the committee, it is to give the party declarations such an advance tone as will meet the demands of Colonel Roosevelt and his followers.

"We will endeavor to make the pronouncement so strong that he cannot afford to oppose any man that may be placed in nomination," said Senator Root.

The Roosevelt idea on preparedness will, it is thought, prevail. The committee also will go far toward meeting Mr. Roosevelt's views on National distinctiveness and there will be a strong declaration for Americanism first, last and all the time. There will be no condemnation of the so-called hyphenated American in exact terms, but as a member of the committee said, "it will be possible to read that language in the document."

Immediately after the adjournment of the convention the committee on resolutions met and elected Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts as chairman.

A sub-committee of nine to formulate a platform to be later submitted to the entire committee was announced to be composed of Senator Lodge, Senator Borah, Senator Sutherland, Senator Fall, Representative Madden, Paul Howland of Ohio, Senator Oliver, Senator Wardsworth and Charles H. Clarke of Connecticut.

Rain and Hail at Palestine.

Palestine, Tex., June 7.—This city was visited by an electrical and hail-storm last night, which was followed by a heavy rain which lasted until today. The rain was general over the county and crops will be greatly benefited.

JAPS IN PRIVATE CARS AT MONTEREY

WELL-KNOWN MEXICANS SAID TO BE ON SAME TRAIN—TO AID CARRANZA?

Monterey, Mexico, June 5.—(Correspondence of The San Antonio Express)—A report that is causing considerable speculation has to do with the presence here of two Pullman private cars occupied by a party of nine Japanese, evidently men of importance and wealth. The cars were attached to a train for the City of Mexico. On the train was Nicoforo Zambrano, Secretary of the Treasury, and according to the same report De la Rosa, Pisano and Leon Cavallo, although this latter statement lacks definite information.

It is believed that great significance attaches to the visit of the Japanese to Mexico at this time. This is further accentuated by the air of mystery and the attitude of officials when questioned. Statements from reliable sources are that the Japanese are considering furnishing the de facto government arms and ammunition and before reporting to Japan are studying the situation. What Japan is asking in return is not known.

Wallace for County Judge.

In the proper column of this paper will be found the announcement of Lee Wallace as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Kerr County. Judge Wallace, who has been a resident of this county for many years, is seeking re-election as County Judge after having served several terms in that capacity, and an introduction of him at our hands would, therefore, be superfluous. If re-elected he will no doubt continue the same service that has marked his career as an officer in this county for many years.

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EXPERT STARTS FOR TEXAS

Will Investigate Nitrate of Potassium Deposits in San Saba and Burnet Counties.

Washington, D. C., June 7.—Hoyt S. Gale, nitrate expert of the Geological Survey, left here today for Texas to investigate deposits of nitrate of potassium in San Saba and Burnet Counties. Mr. Gale has just returned from an inspection of the Chilean nitrate fields.

Recently citizens of San Saba and Burnet Counties discovered what they believed to be a rich deposit of nitrate of potassium. They sent a sample to Representative Slayden, who submitted it to the Geological Survey. The director of the survey reported to Mr. Slayden that the sample contained nitrate of potassium in valuable amount, provided a sufficient quantity of it is available. Mr. Slayden then asked the director to send an expert geologist to Burnet and San Saba to report on the deposit. The director has sent Mr. Gale.

This is but another step in the work that Representative Slayden has done and is going to do to develop the mineral resources of his district. He has always contended that the hills of Llano, Burnet, San Saba, Blanco and Gillespie Counties contain practically every kind of valuable mineral. Should this deposit prove to be of great extent it will develop a great and profitable industry for that section of the Lone Star State.

HARPER WOODMEN CELEBRATE

Local Camp Entertained With Barbecue and Picnic.

The Harper Camp of Woodmen of the World held one of their famed entertainments in the way of a barbecue and old fashioned picnic for Woodmen and their families last Saturday. The management of the affair indicated that the people of that community, and especially the Woodmen, have made so many such successes that it has become a habit with them. There was a good sized crowd, but it appeared that arrangements had been made to feed a great many more people than were present.

Several goats had been barbecued, and the meat was as fine as could be. In addition to the usual barbecue fare the ladies came with baskets prepared to feed the people on all the good things that have ever been known to Texas picnics. A feast was spread that could not be excelled, and is rarely equaled at a public gathering of this character.

After dinner, a number of candidates being present, part of the afternoon was devoted to speechmaking and story telling. On the whole this was one of the most enjoyable occasions in the history of Harperland.

HEAVY HAIL HITS IN SPOTS

Hailstones Falling at Copperas Cove Measure 10 to 14 Inches in Circumference.

Lampasas, Tex., June 7.—The city of Lampasas was visited early Wednesday morning by the most severe hailstorm in the history of the city and the fruit crop was greatly injured. In some places near the city the grain crop was injured and corn was riddled.

The greatest damage was done at Copperas Cove, where some hailstones measured from 10 to 14 inches in circumference. There was some damage to property done in the eastern part of the county. A light rain fell.

Hail Brief but Heavy at D'Hanis.

D'Hanis, Tex., June 7.—Suddenly for ten minutes this afternoon, followed by rain about fifteen minutes, hail fell here from the size of small marbles to hen eggs. Just what damage is done to crops cannot be ascertained. If the hail was only in streaks and more rain followed tonight crops may be benefited. Indications are good for rain tonight.

GEN. BELL REVIEWED TROOPS

Five Miles of Soldiers Showed El Paso is Protected.

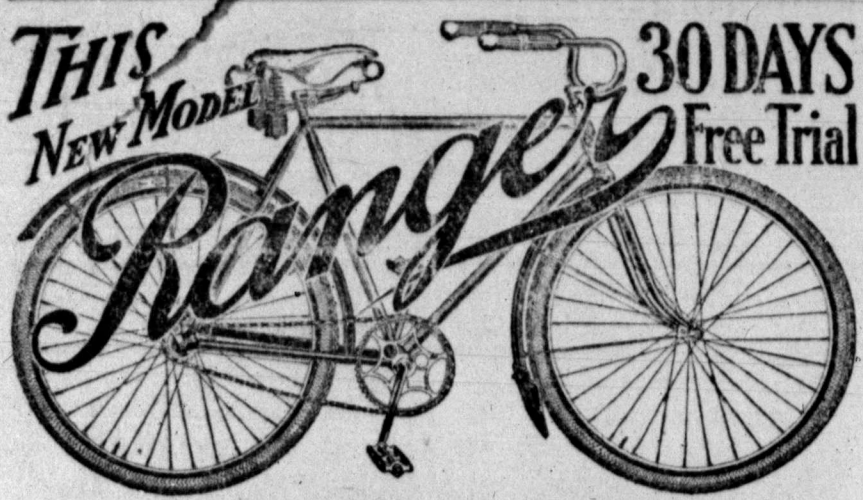
El Paso, Tex., June 7.—A column of United States troops five miles long was reviewed here Wednesday by General George Bell Jr., commanding the district border patrol. Military authorities said the spectacle represented every branch of the army and was for the purpose of convincing residents that the soldiers are prepared to protect the city and its environs in event the remotest possible emergency occurs.

In the throng which viewed the parade were hundreds of Mexicans, two of whom were arrested on a charge that they had been counting the soldiers as they passed.

MAY MAKE SALUTE TO CIVIL WAR VETERANS COMPULSORY

Washington, D. C., June 6.—The custom of rendering an officer's salute to all veterans of the Civil War when they are recognized on the street, started by enlisted men of the United States Marine Corps, may be made compulsory for all enlisted men of whatever service arm if the joint resolution introduced into the House by Representative L. C. Dyer of Missouri, passes.

Sergeant Edward A. Callan, of the United States Marine Corps, is the author of the resolution which will require enlisted men of the army, navy and Marine Corps to salute the veterans of the war from '61 to '65.



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BULLETIN ON JUDICIAL REFORM IN TEXAS

The University of Texas has just issued a bulletin dealing with the much-discussed issue of judicial reform. It does not pretend to a solution, but does offer the following thoughtful articles as a contribution to the discussion: "Reforms in the Texas Judiciary," W. H. Kimbrough, Amarillo; "Procedural Reform in Texas," Rhodes S. Baker, Dallas; "Organization of the German Judiciary," Geo. C. Butte, Austin, and "A Proposed Constitutional Amendment."

Since it is generally conceded that there will be presented to the next Legislature a plan for the reorganization of the judiciary and the simplification of procedure, the matter contained in this bulletin will doubtless interest a large number of people in Texas. Tentative plans for this reform will be presented to the next meeting, June 12 and 13, of the University of Texas Law Association in Austin, Hon. Pat M. Neff of Waco, serving as chairman of the reformatory committee. Members of the higher courts, whether members in the association or not, as well as all citizens, are invited by President Kimbrough to take part in the meeting. A free copy of the bulletin will be sent any inquirer, as long as they last.

Second Crop Irish Potatoes.

G. M. Garren, Agronomist Extension Service Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas: It is a growing practice throughout the Southern States to grow a second or fall crop of Irish potatoes. The increasing popularity of the Irish potato as a staple article of diet and the ease with which this second crop can be kept through the winter should commend to the Texas farmers the growing of a fall crop of Irish potatoes.

The second crop is usually planted on the same land where the first crop grew or where cucumbers or some other early truck crop grew. Many use seed from the first crop, but seed from other sources can be used. Use an early variety. Irish Cobbler is one of the popular early varieties. It will require from 90 to 120 days to mature a crop, much depending upon the amount of rainfall during the growing period. Plant to take advantage of the rainfall of the season. Some growers in Texas recommend late planting. Such early planting, it is claimed, tends to overcome the seasonal disadvantages.

The greatest disadvantage to overcome is the lack of moisture. The planting and cultivation of the fall crop will differ from the planting and cultivation of the first crop only in the efforts to overcome the handicap of a lack of moisture. Overcoming this handicap will be materially aided by:

First, Sprouting the seed before planting. Place the seed on the ground in a shady place. Cover with straw or other coarse litter. Keep moist until sprouted. Plant before the sprouts are long enough to break off in handling. Sprouting the seed hastens early growth.

Second, Plant and cultivate on the level. Level cultivation the better enables the grower to maintain a mulch to conserve his moisture. Plant about six inches deep on deeply prepared land and roll the soil in covering, if possible. If covered with a hoe, walking behind the hoe will serve the purpose or rolling the soil.

Third, At all costs, maintain a good mulch. Success depends upon conserving the moisture. Harrow frequently before planting and after planting until the potatoes come up. Then, if obtainable, cover the whole field with a mulch about three inches deep of straw or other coarse litter. Then all future cultivation will consist in hand pulling what few weeds may come through the mulch. If a litter mulch is unobtainable, a soil mulch will have to be depended upon. Those who are interested in growing fall potatoes, but are not in a position to grow them on a field scale, should grow half a dozen rows or so in the garden for home consumption. It would be easy to secure sufficient litter to mulch a few rows. In addition, growing a few rows in the garden will give that practical experience and skill that would later insure success in growing them on a larger scale.

Not Up on Current Events.
A commercial traveler found himself in a remote village inn when a heavy downpour of rain set in. "I say," he said, addressing the waitress, "It looks like the flood."
"Like what?" the girl inquired.
"Like the flood. You have read of the flood, and how the ark landed on Mount Ararat, haven't you?"
"No, sir," admitted the waitress. "I ain't seen a newspaper for more'n a week."—New York Evening Post.

PLAIN FACTS ABOUT CHARBON OR ANTHRAX

Anthrax or Charbon is an acute infectious disease that attacks both man and animals.
The infected territory is found along the lower Mississippi Valley and the Gulf States.

In Texas the disease was recognized along the Gulf Counties, and because of the manner of handling stock has gradually spread into the interior.
The cause of the disease is a rod-shaped bacilli which multiplies in the blood of the animal and is thrown off in the discharge of the body. After death, the bacilli may be found in any portion of the body.

The spores or seed of the bacilli are formed as soon as the bacillus leaves the body. The spore retains its life for many years and can only be destroyed by burning. Disinfectants as commonly used do not affect it. Anthrax, as a rule, affects only grown stock and occurs in three forms, but all forms infect the pastures with the spores and scatter the disease.

The acute form shows few symptoms. The animal dies suddenly and in many cases drops dead, showing no particular symptoms.
The sub-acute form produces high fever, nervousness, sometimes convulsions, bloody discharges and lasts from one to three days. In the milk cow, the flow of milk is stopped at once. There is no single symptom that may not appear in some other disease or condition.

The chronic form may last for several days, and usually shows a swelling on the neck or under the belly. The fever is not so high as in the sub-acute form nor is the nervousness so noticeable. The swelling is hot and painful and contains a peculiar yellow fluid. The animal may live several days and finally recover.

Other diseases are sometimes mistaken for Anthrax such as Texas Fever, Black Leg, Malignant Ecdemia, Forage or Pasture Poisoning and Hydrophobia.

Texas Fever is caused by a germ, there is rapid pulse, breathing thrax, there is rapid pulse, breathing, high fever, with nervousness, loss of appetite and constipation or diarrhoea. The blood is pale and watery in Texas Fever, while in Anthrax, the blood is dark, frequently a tarry black.
Black Leg is caused by a germ and affects usually young cattle. Rapid pulse and breathing with high fever are generally present. As the swelling suggests, there is a swelling of the leg. This swelling, when pressed or pinched, gives a peculiar feel or sound due to the small pockets of gas and fluid formed under the skin. If the skin over the swelling be cut, these pockets along with the blackened spots may be plainly seen. In Anthrax the swelling usually occurs under the chin, neck or belly, does not contain these pockets of gas, does not give this peculiar feel or sound or pressure, and is filled with a thick yellow fluid.

Malignant Oedema in the animal is similar to blood poisoning in man, and is caused by a germ infecting a wound. It produces a swelling and fever and other symptoms similar to Black Leg and Anthrax. The swelling may appear at any point on the body and on any aged animal, but does not spread from one to the other.

The prevention of these three diseases is a very easy matter, if prompt and scientific methods are used.
To prevent Texas Fever rid your pasture of ticks and do not buy tick infected cattle. Ticks may be eradicated by dipping or spraying with a standard solution at regular intervals during the season.
To prevent Anthrax vaccinate all grown stock in the latter part of the spring or early summer. Separate all sick stock from the well. When the animal is dead, burn the carcass, scatter straw or leaves on the place where it has been while sick and burn it. The burning of pastures, the killing of buzzards, and stray dogs and wolves, will lessen the spread of Anthrax. If the double dose system of vaccination is used, do not mix them or use the No. 2 first. This vaccine matter will produce a mild form of the disease and should be handled by a scientific veterinarian only. The container and all the instruments should be burnt after the vaccination is over.

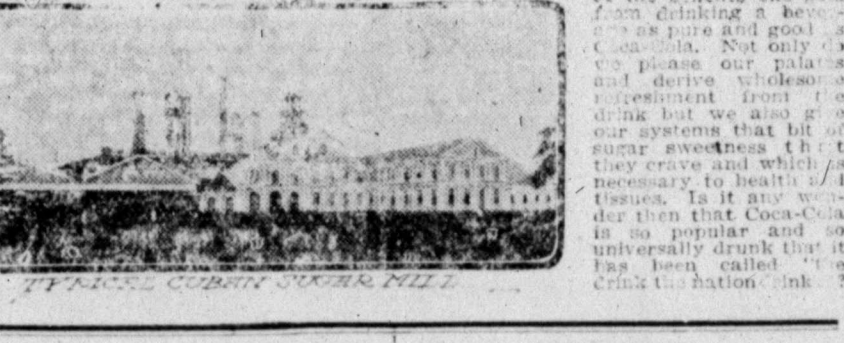
To prevent Black Leg vaccinate all stuff under 2 years of age in the spring. Vaccination for Black Leg is a very simple matter to an experienced vaccinator, but should be handled with care by the inexperienced.
Cattlemen who are raising fine stuff will reduce the sickness among their stock by burning all dead stock without regard as to the cause of death. By burning off their pastures regularly, by cleaning up their fatering places, and by reporting any deaths from unknown causes in their communities.

The Live Stock Sanitary Commission at Fort Worth, or the State Board of Health, Austin, will investigate any outbreak of disease among the stock and will assist in the suppression of

What Would We Do Without Sugar?



are interesting because we find that instead of the heavy sugar having gone to the bottom of the barrel that has raised the price of sugar, it is now being used for other purposes. We all think of sugar as being used for sweetening coffee and tea and for making candy and other confections. But we all think of sugar as being used for other purposes. We all think of sugar as being used for other purposes.



such epidemics. Notification of such diseases or requests for information should be addressed to the Commission or the Board.

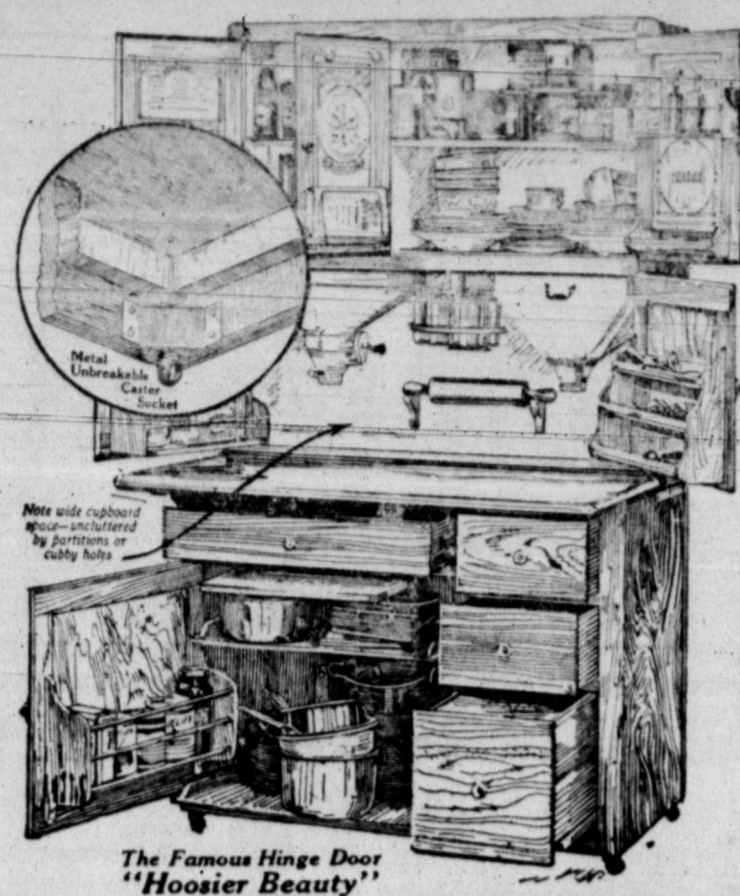
Liberty and Justice.
We are ready to fight for our rights when those rights are coincident with the rights of men and of humanity. It was to set these rights up, to vindicate them, to offer a home to every man who believed in them, that America was created and her Government set up. We have kept our doors open because we did not think that we in conscience could close them against men who wanted to join their force with ours in vindicating the claim of mankind to Liberty and Justice.—Woodrow Wilson.

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Larger Postal Savings Deposits.

Larger postal savings deposits will now be accepted at the postoffice. This is made possible by an important amendment to the Postal Savings Act just approved by President Wilson. A postal savings depositor may now have an account amounting to \$1,000 upon which interest will be paid. Formerly \$500 was the maximum amount he could have to his credit. This enlargement of postal savings facilities will be very gratifying to thousands of depositors who have already reached the \$500 limit and are anxious to entrust more of their savings to Uncle Sam.

Another feature of the amendment that will avoid further embarrassment to the public and to postal officials is doing away with the limit on the amount that could be accepted from a depositor monthly. Under the old law only \$100 could be deposited in a calendar month. The amendment abolishes this restriction. While the Postal Savings System has already

proved a signal success as is shown by the fact that more than half-a-million depositors have over eighty million dollars standing to their credit, still it has fallen short of meeting the full demands of the public because of the restrictions which have now been eliminated. Postmaster General Burleson and Third Assistant Postmaster General Dockery have been tireless in their efforts to secure a modification of the limitations and the new liberalizing legislation is particularly gratifying to them.

First Baptist Church.

I hear that in spite of all my kind invitations to some of our people to come to our meetings that certain persons persist in "joy rides" and even some have gone fishing. Now my friend I heard of an old man who gave six boys an apple and saved one on the tree for himself, and after those naughty boys had eaten their apples, they slipped back and stole the only one the old man had kept for himself. Application: God gives us six days and saves one for Himself, and many steal this day of service. "See!"

The weather is fine and you have another invitation to come to our services next Sunday, both morning and B. Y. P. U. meetings. There will be no preaching at our church at night as we are to have a co-operative meeting at the Methodist meeting house at night. You will see the program for this meeting elsewhere. J. B. RIDDLE, Pastor.

Lutheran Church Started.

On the corner of Barnett and Tchapatoula Streets the building of the new Lutheran Church is in progress. The building will be of lumber, size 28x48 feet. The tower will be 44 feet. Bruno Schott is the contractor. The structure is expected to be completed by August 1.

Fire losses in the United States and Canada last year decreased \$42,755,000 from the year before.

MARINES HAVE UNWRITTEN LAW AGAINST UMBRELLAS

New York, June 5.—Come to think of it, did you ever see a United States Marine in uniform carrying an umbrella? Residents of Washington Street, Brooklyn, caught a glimpse of a marine recruit carrying a contraband "bumbershoot" during yesterday's rainstorm, but the glimpse was nothing more than that.

At the very outset of the recruit's journey two older marines met him, took the umbrella away from him and broke it up before his horrified gaze, paying not the slightest heed to his plea of having purchased the thing but ten minutes before. Then the older marines gave the recruit a severe lecture on military proprieties and left him alone to ponder.

There is no service regulation to prevent the carrying of umbrellas by uniformed men, but there is an unwritten law of the Marine Corps which classifies the umbrella as a piece of feminine finery, and its use is taboo with older heads who know the ropes.

Big Preparedness Parade July 4.

San Diego, Cal., June 7.—The Panama California International Exposition is promoting one of the largest preparedness parades in the United States for July 4. In addition to the thousand marines on the Exposition grounds, the regulars at Fort Rosecrans, officers and men from the Pacific fleet and Pacific reserve fleet, the aviation station at North Island, and the thousands of members of fraternal organizations, the California National Guard and the Auto Reserve Corps will have a part in the day's celebration. Admiral C. McRae Winslow and Admiral W. F. Fullam have addressed Exposition audiences on the subject of "Preparedness" and have assisted in making the plans for the big Preparedness Celebration at the Exposition.

Glimpses of Our National Parks

THE HOT SPRING RESERVATION.

As different, almost, as possible from the great scenic National Parks which we have been considering, but in its own particular way, as extraordinary as any of them, the Hot Springs Reservation in the Ozark Mountains of Arkansas must be accorded a distinguishing place among American resorts of National character and ownership. The reservation is the oldest National Park, having received that status in 1832, forty years before the wonders of the Yellowstone first inspired Congress with the idea that scenery was a National asset deserving of preservation for the use and enjoyment of succeeding generations.

No aesthetic consideration was involved in this early act of National conservation. Congress was inspired only by the undoubted, but at that time inexplicable, power of these waters to alleviate certain bodily ills. The motive was to retain these unique waters in public possession in order that they should be available to all persons for all time at a minimum, even a nominal, cost.

The low, irregular mountain masses known as the Ozarks cover the greater part of Southern Missouri and overlap Northern Arkansas, where, in marked contrast with the surrounding plains, they become higher, more rugged and heavily timbered.

The country is one of much beauty. Hot Springs Mountain, from whose sides flow the cleansing waters, is about fifty miles west by south from Little Rock. Here, as early as 1804, began the settlement which has developed into the handsome prosperous city of 16,000 inhabitants known as Hot Springs. It is a resort city, made wealthy from the many thousands of visitors seeking health from the adjacent Government springs and pleasure in the high and beautiful neighborhood country with its excellent drives and woodland paths, its mountain and river views, its social gayeties and its exceptional golf.

On the borders of the city at the mountain's foot lies the reservation, a tract of 912 acres enclosing all the forty-six hot springs. Eleven bathhouses are in the reservation and a dozen more in the city, all under Government regulation. There are also cold-water springs of curative value. In the city are many hotels and boarding houses with rates ranging from lowest to highest. The Department of the Interior has spent altogether more than a million dollars on the development of the reservation. The reservation contains, also, an Army and Navy Hospital.

Dr. William P. Parks, superintendent of the reservation, states in his annual report for 1915 that while the baths are constantly given for such ailments as seem to be benefited in the experience of physicians who have prescribed their use and carefully observed the results, there are still many physicians throughout the country who, never having themselves tested the springs, hesitate to send patients there.

"No physician who is thorough and looks for the best results from the medicine he gives," says Dr. Parks, "would think of prescribing a drug whose physiological effects and therapeutic value had not been scientifically proven and described."

A perfect explanation, this, of a natural scientific conservatism. The War Department's years of experience in the Army and Navy Hospital, however, is thoroughly convincing, and the medical staff officially affirm the waters' curative value for rheumatic and many grave ailments more or less kindred.

Recently the Department of the Interior has established on the reservation the Oertel system of graduated exercise which has proved so successful at the celebrated springs of Bad Nauheim, Germany. Courses have been laid out on the mountain slopes with distances scientifically established and plainly marked by monuments. The length and character of the walks are determined by physicians according to the condition and progress of the patient.

Tradition has it that the curative properties of the hot springs were known to the Indians long before the Spanish invasion. It is probable that they were known to De Soto who died in 1542 less than a hundred miles away. It is tradition that Indian tribes warred for their possession but that finally a truce was made which enabled all tribes to avail alike of their waters.

Government analyses of the waters disclose more than twenty chemical constituents, but it is not these nor their combination to which is principally attributed the waters' unquestioned virtue in many diseased conditions, but to their remarkable radioactivity. The Department of the Interior will send full information to inquirers.

The Grand Canyon of the Colorado will be described next week.

MANY KILLED AND INJURED BY STORMS IN ARKANSAS

Little Rock, Ark., June 5.—At least fifty persons are believed to be dead and 250 injured in a series of tornadoes that ravaged at least ten counties in Arkansas late this afternoon.

All means of communication are cut off or crippled and details of the tragedy are difficult to obtain. It is feared that the list of dead and injured will be greatly increased when communication is restored.

The greatest destruction of the storm was wrought at Judsonia, a town of about 8800 inhabitants, about fifty miles northeast of Little Rock on the Iron Mountain Railroad. One-third of the town was destroyed. Twenty-five bodies and fifty injured have been recovered from the debris.

The dispatcher's office of the Iron Mountain Railroad in Little Rock received a message early in the night that eighteen persons had been killed and many injured at Heber Springs, on the Missouri & North Arkansas Railroad in Northern Arkansas. The railroad wire failed and no further information has come through.

Three white persons and two negroes were killed in Dallas County in the south central part of the State.

At Hot Springs four were killed and eight injured.

Three are known to be dead near Cabot, between Little Rock and Judsonia.

A white woman was killed and fifteen were injured at Greenland, in Washington County, in the northwestern portion of the State.

At Merrifton, forty miles northwest of Little Rock, two negroes were killed, a negro is missing and a white woman and several children were injured.

Only the extreme southern and eastern portions of the State appear to have escaped entirely. The meager reports indicate that the property damage in the State will be enormous.

A combined mail box and milk bottle holder has been invented that suspends two bottles on the side of a house out of reach of animals.

NATION'S FIRST PARTY FOR WOMEN FLOATED

Chicago, Ill., June 5.—History for woman was in the making tonight when the woman's party was launched under the auspices of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage. The night meeting followed the one held by the women during the day, marking the opening of their three-day convention here in an effort to promote their cause and induce the Progressives and Republicans to put an equal suffrage plank in their party platforms and to obtain their indorsement of the Susan B. Anthony amendment to the Constitution. This is the first National woman's party ever launched.

Miss Maude Younger of California, the temporary chairman, made the keynote speech. She said the woman's party would consider no other issue than equal suffrage at present and that it would throw its influence to that party which supported the Anthony amendment.

Delegates from over the country were in attendance. The Blackstone Theater, where their convention is being held, was crowded with delegates and prominent personages. More than 2,000 delegates have been registered.

A committee of 100 expert lobbyists was picked to work among the delegates and leaders of the Progressives and Republicans to obtain equal suffrage support.

Unusual Celery.

A lady who had just received an interesting bit of news said to her little daughter:

"Marjorie, dear, auntie has a new baby, and now mamma is the baby's aunt, papa is the baby's uncle, and you are her little cousin."

"Well," said Marjorie, wonderingly, "wasn't that arranged quick?"—Boston Transcript.

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IN THE OPEN.

We don't want any candidate for any office to be under a misapprehension of the facts as to where we are in the present campaign. We are for these people whose names are the head of this column, and we are going to do all we justly, fairly and honestly can to elect them, and naturally to defeat those who are opposed to them.

YOUNG MAN, WHO ARE YOU?

Are you known by your own name, or are you known merely as your father's son.

Are you known by your own good qualities and by your acts, or are you remembered simply because you bear the name of better people who conceived you and brought you into this world?

The young man who can look his elders straight in the eye and say "I am James Martin" already has opportunity at his feet, but the fellow who can say nothing better than that "he is Robert Martin's son" will still be groping in the darkness of the future after opportunity has vanished in the distance.

Be something, do something, create a personality of your own, and the world will know and respect you for what you are and not for what your parents were before you.

But continue content as "another man's son" and you will be accorded the respect and privileges only of "another man's son," and when death overtakes you your home paper will speak charitably of you merely as "another man's son."

This world is full of givers and takers, with everybody wanting to be a taker.

We note, with satisfaction, that the price of eggs is coming down. Hurrah for eggs!

Oh, no, the political pot is not bubbling one wee little bit. It is only a seething cauldron.

A few of our favorite sons, however, appear to have unloaded the bulk of their favoritism.

The wise man often knows not of his own wisdom, nor the fool of his foolishness. But 'tis nature, and will ever be so.

Occasionally we run across a fellow whose mind feeds only on itself. And, forsooth, it has blamed little on which to feed.

Belts for men will be in style again this summer. Skinnies will wear them and fatties will ditto if they can find one long enough to reach around.

There is a new calendar out that covers twenty centuries, from 100 to 2100. And, incidentally, we hope the war will be over by the time a new one is in demand.

Japan is preparing to bite off another slice of China. But, then, China has 400,000,000 people who can not fight because they have nothing with which to fight. How would you like to fight?

Medical prescriptions are written in the language of the county. The United States they are written in a tongue that has been understood for hundreds of years and thousands of miles. Understands but the doctor's druggists. Why?

WHO GOOSSED HIM?

Regrettable things sometimes happen without ill intention on the part of the person directly responsible for them. It appears that some one has goosed the editor of The Rooksprings Leader. That gentleman seems disposed to lay the blame on us, but, honest, we didn't even know he was "goosey."

In a news story of the Democratic State Convention, published in this paper a few weeks ago the statement was made that Jim Ferguson was one of the shrewdest men that Texas politics ever knew. We don't really think any sane man would question that statement. The Leader goes on to say that their "shrewdness will lead to their undoing." We do not attempt to gainsay the right of The Leader to get into the Mother Shipton class, and we don't say the prophecy will not come true.

The Leader further refers to the Governor and his partisans having been mixed up in a trial of the brewers of Texas at Sulphur Springs. Possibly true, but we admit our ignorance—never even heard of it. Knew the breweries were fined heavily for violation of anti-trust laws, and other laws, and if they were guilty should have been fined, but never knew that Governor Ferguson, Judge Ware and Judge Poindexter (both ardent prohibitionists) held any brewery stock.

Now, the trouble is, The Leader is like a lot of other people, it has let this pro and anti virus get into its system a little too deep. The Leader winds up its ebullition with the following beautiful bit of irony:

"We are an admirer of brave men, therefore we commend the editor of The Sun for his courage in championing this bunch of booze bottling rascals, and for his advocacy of a lost cause, and a cause that deserves to be lost."

First and foremost we would make the plain unqualified statement that any man who says the editor of this paper ever knowingly championed any lawbreaker's cause makes a statement that has no foundation in fact. As to championing a lost cause, there have been better men than the editor of this paper, or even of The Rooksprings Leader, who have championed lost causes with the best of intentions.

The Sun supports whom it pleases for any office, and is not the political prostitute or plaything of either the pro or the anti faction of the Democratic party in Texas, and does not believe the question has any place in party politics, where it has been used by every political shyster in the State for a hobby horse on which he hoped to ride into an office that he was not qualified to fill, and it will continue to be so used. Because the editor of this paper chanced to be an anti-prohibitionist, and many of his friends are anti, is not a reason why any respectable member of the Texas press should unjustly criticize the editorial expression of The Sun, and then, not satisfied, try to hold us responsible for the news items that chronicle the happenings of the day.

In this connection we wish to state that we are at this time supporting two gentlemen for public office, one of whom told us he was a prohibitionist, and the other is said to be one, though we have never asked him. We refer to Judge W. D. Love of Uvalde and Hon. M. E. Blackburn of Junction. It is time right now for the people of Texas to throttle the idea that the rights of men to public office, their qualification for the same, and even the rights of men and women to share in God's mercy and His eternal justice, is based solely on this one question.

SHAKE UP YOUR BRAINS.

Shake up your brains, brother, shake them up lively. Somewhere in the dark recesses of your cranium is an idea that would be of great value to your home community.

Let the idea out and pass it along for examination and dissection and for possible use for the betterment of our people.

Any man of normal intelligence is full of good ideas, but few people care to exploit them before the public. And yet the exploitation of ideas is just what we need for the improvement of local conditions.

Step forward and tell us what you know or what you think. Much of it may be utilized, but there may yet appear the one great opportunity for which this community is waiting. Do it now and your action may spur your neighbors to such an extent that we may eventually get somewhere and do something.

Houston Post: Admiral Dewey urges more dreadnaughts as a result of the North Sea battle. What does that old fossil know about a navy's needs compared with the politicians of the House of Representatives? Why a dreadnaught isn't worth more than 1,000 packages of seeds in a campaign for a member's re-election.

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TODAY AND TOMORROW.

The American people have one distinct and besetting peculiarity. They think today and forget tomorrow. In this respect they probably are unlike any other nation of people on the face of the globe. To demonstrate the force of this statement you have but to glance at the pages of any of the great papers of the country. (A sensation will be sprung today and it will be blazoned in big type over the first pages of the press. Unless its importance is of tremendous magnitude tomorrow will find it relegated to its obscure corner of the paper. It is forgotten. About the only exception to this rule is the newspaper story that is reeking and slimy with scandal. It holds the public eye and is played up to the limit.

Preparedness is just now the great and overshadowing question before the American people. Everybody is talking about it, either for or against. A few months ago monster peace parades were held in the large cities, and war and preparedness against war were denounced on every hand. Today you can find scarcely a man who can tell you even the month in which one of those parades was held. They have been forgotten. A few weeks ago New York City held a monster preparedness parade, in which 145,000 people participated. Chicago immediately followed suit with one of the greatest parades in the history of this country, all in the interest of preparedness. Other cities, large and small, all over the country caught the fever and paraded for preparedness. But these, too, will be forgotten, for it is the way of the American people to do today and forget tomorrow.

And as it is in National affairs, so it is in the smaller confines of the local community. A rainy season comes along, country roads and unpaved town streets become muddy and impassable, and everybody raises his voice in a loud and vociferous wail for better roads and streets. But time soothes him into forgetfulness. The rains cease, the sun dries up the mud and the roads assume more normal conditions. Traffic is less impeded and the citizen promptly turns his attention to other and more pressing matters of personal consideration. The roads are forgotten until the next rail fall.

The red tongues of flame sweep over a town and destroy a good section of territory. Thousands and thousands of dollars are swept away and the people rave and storm over the lack of adequate protection from loss by fire. The tumult of indignation is at fever heat for a few days, and then begins to subside. Time only is needed to send it, too, into the realm of forgetfulness, until the next fire comes along and creates even greater devastation and death. It is easy to forget.

Some one arises in a public meeting and proposes a practical scheme for the development of the commercial interests of the community. He is sincere and eager to do something for the benefit of his home town. He believes in progressiveness. His scheme looks good and sounds better to other business men and citizens and everybody begins to talk in its favor. The editor backs it up in his columns and for a few weeks it is the general topic of conversation. No forceful leader seems to be at hand, and the rest of us are too engrossed in our private affairs to assume the duties and responsibilities of leadership. Time does the rest, and a practical forward movement is bogged in the mire of forgetfulness.

We might go on for hours citing similar instances, for they are legion in number and local in application. But what's the use? You, too, would read and ponder and exclaim today—and forget tomorrow. It is our way. Americans are a great people and they perform prodigies in the commercial, inventive, and intellectual world. No obstacle is too great for them to surmount, if time will only permit them to forget to forget. But time is inexorable in its flight, and forgetfulness follows in the wake of American time.

PARADES IN MEXICO.

In Mexico, too, there are parades to give expression to Mexican sentiment, and we are told that in Monterey 15,000 were in line as a protest against the possibility of Americans trespassing the sovereignty of Mexico. It is stated that the parade was orderly, although there were many anti-American expressions.

No doubt Mexican sentiment at Monterey is fairly representative of the feeling of the people throughout the country, and it affords the United States authorities a good index of the nature of the problem which Mexico presents.

Those who know Mexico and the Mexicans have never been in doubt as to the attitude of the great mass of Mexicans toward the American people. It is and has always been one of hatred and distrust, and it will never be anything else until a higher standard of civilization and intelligence is established there.

It is evident, too, that the military movements in Northern Mexico are not designed to suppress Mexican outlaws or to co-operate with the American forces to prevent the violation of American territory. They are aimed at the United States and are expected by the leaders and people alike to frighten the people of this country with the possibility of Mexican vengeance.

There is not the slightest misunderstanding of this in the minds of Scott, Funston and Pershing. They know exactly the conditions which they are dealing with, and it is to be hoped that Washington is now thoroughly enlightened upon this point since the receipt of the unusually offensive note recently indited by Carranza.

The disposition of the American troops at this time will likely prevent further violation of American territory for the present, but the Mexicans sooner or later will disclose their intentions by an organized attack, and apparently that is what the Mexican people are demanding. So far as Villa, and his bandits are concerned, what they have done against the United States has won nothing but approval from them. The Mexican troops would scarcely trifle with Mexican sentiment now by punishing the Villistas at this time, because they feel that a common enemy is threatening them.

Thus it is seen that Villa was not so stupid as some suppose when he struck at American territory. He was largely discredited among his own people and it was to rehabilitate his rapidly waning prestige that he invaded this country. It was an appeal to Mexican hatred of us that met with a ready response.

All this is enlightening in its bearing upon our future relations with Mexico. It is cumulative evidence that there is no such thing as convincing Mexican leaders or peons of the sentiments of humanity and helpfulness which President Wilson has so often expressed. Events will ultimately compel intervention, unless Mexico is to be irretrievably ruined, and intervention will evoke the fiercest resistance of which the Mexicans are capable.

Temporizing with conditions in that unfortunate country is but natural, because it is not an agreeable task to undertake the salvation of a country that does not want to be saved and which will resist every reasonable effort to save it. But the inevitable cannot be evaded. Sooner or later the accounting with Mexico must be had and when it begins, there will be intervention and war.

No man in authority can say now what the outcome will be or what the National demand will be when the task is ultimately accomplished. One thing is certain, no nation has ever attempted so extensive and expensive a job without compensation, and it would be futile for any statesman in or out of authority to attempt to interpret accurately what the National view will be when the Mexican problem shall have been completely solved.—Houston Post.

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Notice Regarding Harvest Hands.

The Division of Information of the Bureau of Immigration, U. S. Department of Labor, has been advised that about 1,000 men will be needed this season for grain harvest in the extreme northwestern part of Oklahoma, otherwise known as the Panhandle district; wages will range from \$2 to \$3 per day and board. Before proceeding to the harvest fields of Oklahoma, all persons should first communicate with Mr. W. G. Ashton, Commissioner of Labor, Oklahoma City, Okla., to find out whether or not employment will be available for them upon arrival. Harvest will begin in the extreme northwestern part of Oklahoma June 18.

It is estimated that Kansas will need from 35,000 to 40,000 men for the wheat harvest at the following wages per day with board: Ordinary hands, \$2 to \$3 per day; stackers, \$3.50 to \$5 per day; enginemen, \$3.50 to \$6; men with teams, \$4 to \$7.

Harvest will begin in Kansas about June 15. No men will be needed before that date. Persons who desire more definite information as to employment in the harvest fields of Kansas should communicate with P. J. McBride, State Commissioner of Labor, Topeka, Kan.

The Department is informed that the vast majority of farmers who want harvest hands prefer able-bodied, English speaking white men. Applicants should have sufficient funds for subsistence in the event of unavoidable delays in commencing the harvest.

It will be necessary for all persons desiring harvest work to defray their own expenses to and from the place of employment.
Mr. C. L. Green, General Inspector in Charge of Employment and Distribution Work, representing the United States Department of Labor, will be stationed during the harvest season at 804 Grand Avenue (opposite post office), Kansas City, Mo. It is suggested that all harvest hands who can do so without extra expense purchase tickets to destination via Kansas City, Mo., with step-over privilege, for the purpose of calling upon Mr. Green for definite information. The services of Mr. Green and those in charge of the offices above referred to are free.

Another Cause.

Chicago News: Another fruitful source of accidents is the sporting instinct which inspires people to see whether they can cross the street ahead of an oncoming automobile.

Will the Proofreader Be Cremated?

In an editorial paragraph Thursday morning appeared: "No low-necked waists, no short sleeves, no thin waists, no low shoes." It should have read, "now low shoes."—Kennebec Journal.

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The Sun is authorized to announce Emet H. Nichols as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Kerr County, subject to the action of the November election.

The Sun is authorized to announce R. A. Dunbar as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Kerr County, at the ensuing November election.

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We are authorized to announce Jno. R. Leavelle as a candidate for the office of County and District Clerk of Kerr County, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce Lee Wallace as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Kerr County, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce A. B. Williamson as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Kerr County, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce Judge W. D. Love as a candidate for the office of District Judge of the 28th Judicial District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.


Living Too Fast.

Galveston Tribune: Americans in their feverish quest of efficiency have been living altogether too fast. The burden of fast life tells most heavily upon the heart. New York has succeeded in reducing its deaths from tuberculosis from 421 in each 100,000 to 169 in 1914; but during this same period its deaths from heart disease have increased from 74 to 169, and the end is not yet in sight. In population are caused by organic heart disease; 15.2 per cent is the proportion for the entire city. The best cure for either heart trouble or tuberculosis is to see that the child has a sound constitution to begin with, that his physique is developed by systematic and rational training, and that he learns to keep his exertions well within the limits of his capacity.

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Items of Interest Gathered Here and There
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A. J. Norwood of Turtle Creek was in town Thursday.

Palm Beach Suits cleaned and pressed, 50c. R. S. NEWMAN.

Geo. E. Meeks of the Center Point community was in Kerrville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ridgeway were shopping in town Thursday from their ranch on Turtle Creek.

SUITS CLEANED AND PRESSED
All Kinds of Repair Work Promptly Done. Ladies' Suits Cleaned, and Suits Made to Order.
S. FRIEDMAN, Tailor
Mountain Street, Opp. Courthouse

Judge A. H. Moore attended to business in the Kendall County Civil Court Tuesday. While at Boerne Judge Moore attended a big Woodman celebration and picnic.

WHAT CATARRH IS

It has been said that every third person has catarrh in some form.

Science has shown that nasal catarrh often indicates a general weakness of the body; and local treatments in the form of snuffs and vapors do little, if any good.

To correct catarrh you should treat its cause by enriching your blood with the oil-food in Scott's Emulsion which is a medicinal food and a building- tonic, free from alcohol or any harmful drugs. Try it. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

E. H. Prescott went to Junction on business last week.

Palm Beach Suits cleaned and pressed, 50c. R. S. NEWMAN.

Wm. Sporn of the Melissa Ranch was a Kerrville visitor Thursday.

Palm Beach Suits cleaned and pressed, 50c. Model Tailoring Co.

E. L. Spence and family have gone for a visit to relatives at Corsicana.

Straw hats, felt hats; cloth hats and silk hats at CHAS. SCHREINER CO.'S.

Oscar Nowlin was in Kerrville Thursday from his home at Camp Verde.

Bring us that Palm-Beach Suit to be cleaned and pressed; 50c. Model Tailoring Co.

Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Kemmerer spent Thursday at Sherman's Mill, visiting the campers.

Miss Pearl Nichols and grandmother, Mrs. Lizzie Preston, were visiting in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. S. Gammon have a new Buick "Six," having purchased same in San Antonio last week.

Highest prices paid for old brass, copper, zinc, automobile tires, etc. N. Sachs, Leavell Bldg., Kerrville, Tex.

Miss Lizzie Dismukes of Rocksprings left Tuesday for Austin, after a week's visit to Mrs. T. B. Hamlyn.

If you need anything in Millinery, call on us. We are selling all spring goods at reduced prices. Paris Millinery Company. 23-2t

J. R. Colbath was in Kerrville Friday, having come in from the Southfork Ranch with a drove of fat cattle for the Schreiner Cattle Co.

\$1.50 value, 7-piece plain glass water sets; will be sold at \$1.00, while they last. KERRVILLE FURNITURE COMPANY. Phone 159. 24-ff

USE GOLDEN CROWN, WHITE PIGEON, OR GOLDEN ROD FLOUR. IT IS THE BEST AND CHEAPEST. KERRVILLE ROLLER MILLS

W. R. Finney of the Medina country was among the visitors in Kerrville Wednesday. Mr. Finney says harvesting is going forward rapidly in his section and the grain is good.

M. M. Hagens was in town Friday from his Valley Farm.

Palm Beach Suits cleaned and pressed, 50c. R. S. NEWMAN.

Dal Dewees of San Antonio spent last week visiting relatives here.

We are giving reductions on all Spring goods. Paris Millinery Co.

W. W. Wells was a visitor in Kerrville Thursday from his ranch on the Divide.

Miss Hattie Garret left yesterday for a two weeks' visit to friends in San Antonio.

Lon L. Parker was in town Wednesday from his ranch near Noxville in Kimble County.

Mrs. L. A. Schreiner has as her guest her sister, Mrs. W. W. Weeks, of Kansas City.

Going swimming? Bathing suits, caps and shoes for every one at CHAS. SCHREINER CO.'S.

J. W. Adams was attending to business in town Wednesday from his ranch near Harper.

Cottage for Rent—Across the street from Jack Moore's residence. W. G. Leazar, at the Gun Shop. 23-2t

See the Bargains offered on the 42-piece gold band dinner sets and the 7-piece water sets. KERRVILLE FURNITURE CO. Phone 159.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Berry have as their guests, Mrs. W. H. Brooks and little son and Mrs. T. H. Ridgeway of San Antonio.

Mrs. Kate Whisenhunt and daughters, Misses Maude and Rachel, and son, Fred, were shopping in Kerrville Tuesday from their home in Bandera County.

FOR SALE—Perfectly gentle mare, can be rode or driven by women or children; will be sold at a bargain. See D. F. Lawson, proprietor of Depot Restaurant. Phone 231, Kerrville, Texas. 24-2t

Dr. and Mrs. P. J. Dominguez attended the commencement exercises of St. Louis College in San Antonio this week, their son, Francis, having been a member of the graduating class this year.

All well beaten roads lead to the store of Heimann & Grona these days, and "there's a reason"—the finest brands of canned goods to be had can be found at our store. HEIMANN & GRONA. Phone 190.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Dietz and children, Rev. J. T. King and family and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vaughn of Waelder, and the families of D. H. Comperette and J. E. Grinstead are spending a few days camping on the river at Sherman's Mill.

Mrs. Otto Leismann and daughter, Olive, and Mrs. Leismann's father, Wm. Gaughen, who had been visiting Miss Helena Leismann for the past ten days left yesterday for San Antonio. They will visit Houston, Galveston and Greenville, Texas; McAlester, Okla., and Cloudercroft, N. M., before returning to their home at Bisbee, Ariz.

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Parsons Building
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Pasturage Wanted.

I want grass for 100 head of horses and mules. Address O. W. Cardwell, Telegraph, Texas. 19ff.

English in Prescriptions.

Chicago Herald: Shall the sick go on paying for Latin on the prescription label? Dr. Bernard Fantus, professor of pharmacology at the University of Illinois, thinks not. He has started a campaign to compel the use of English in preparation of prescriptions instead of the Latin heretofore in use.

Latin names have sold common drugs at fancy prices to the public for many years, according to physicians, druggists and surgeons who have expressed themselves in favor of the English prescription. The leaders of the reform movement have met opposition among drug manufacturers, druggists and surgeons, who are members of strong clubs.

They say the use of Latin has been universal almost from the beginning and that any change in the United States would reflect on the foreigner's impression of this country and tend to tempt householders to prescribe for themselves.

Dr. Fantus sent a copy of his paper, which appeared in the Journal of the American Medical Association, to the heads of a number of medical schools, and the responses showed a big majority in favor of the use of English prescriptions.

Electrical machinery has been installed in the world's richest iron mine, which is in Lapland.

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San Antonio Brewing Association
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

Prof. D. F. Eagleton Dead.

San Antonio, Tex., June 9.—Prof. David Foule Eagleton died suddenly on a train entering San Antonio this morning. Prof. Eagleton, Manager Delaney, of the Presbyterian Encampment at Kerrville, and others were en route to Kerrville to open the encampment grounds and prepare the camp for the summer. The body will be taken to Prof. Eagleton's home at Sherman for burial.

Prof. Eagleton has been prominent in the educational work of Texas for twenty-five years, and for many years has held the chair of English in the Austin College at Sherman. He was a man of very fine character and of unusual literary ability. He compiled the book, "Writers and Writings of Texas," and had been identified with other literary efforts. He was prominent in religious and educational circles of the State, and has spent several summers in Kerrville attending the Presbyterian Encampment, and was at one time a member of the faculty of the Kerrville Summer Normal.

Long Idleness.

"My poor fellow, have you been long out of work?"

"I was born in '68, mum."—Boston Transcript.

DR. L. WERBLUN IN KERRVILLE

Dr. L. Werblun of San Antonio is here at Rawson's Drug Store and will remain till June 14, and will be in Center Point at Dr. Merritt's office June 15, 16 and 17. Examination of the eyes free.

Stallion for Sale.

I have for sale a Norman-Percheon stallion, 17 hands high, weighs 1,600 pounds; good driver or saddle; will sell for cash at a bargain, or will consider other stock or Ford car in trade. P. J. Kirkland, P. O. Box 31; phone 107; Kerrville, Texas. 20-ff

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Bedbugs, ants, fleas, chicken mites, lice, potato and cabbage bugs, also mosquitoes, disappear almost at once when you fight them with Ross' "Dead Quick" Spray. It is the fastest bug killer in existence. Spray carpets before sweeping to keep down dust and kill moths. Sold in Kerrville by the Rock Drug Store.

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THE OFF LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There

M. Holekamp of Turtle Creek was in town Monday.

Electric face or head massage 35c, at the Palace Barber Shop.

A. M. Terry of the Divide was in town Monday on business.

Palm Beach Suits cleaned and pressed, 50c. R. S. NEWMAN.

Miss Mae Louise Schreiner is visiting relatives in San Antonio this week.

J. T. Miller of Bluff, in Bandera County, was a visitor in Kerrville Tuesday.

A. G. Weston, a merchant of Lenkey, was visiting relatives in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bonnell were in town Tuesday from their home at Camp Verde.

For Rent—Two furnished rooms, with sleeping porch. Apply to Famous Millinery.

Henry Haby and little son of Bandera County were visitors in Kerrville last Friday.

Mrs. Walter Real of Turtle Creek visited her mother, Mrs. B. Weir, last Friday and Saturday.

J. W. Smith and two daughters were in Kerrville Tuesday from their ranch near Rocksprings.

J. A. Winn, an Edwards County ranchman, was in Kerrville on business Monday.

Let us order your spring and summer suits. A fine line of samples to select from. R. S. NEWMAN.

Raymond Allen, from the Allen Ranch in Kimble County, was a business visitor in Kerrville Thursday.

FOUND—Palm Beach suit and silk cap on Harper Road. Owner can get property by describing same and paying for this notice.

\$10.00 value, 42-piece Gold Band Dinner Sets, which will be sold at \$6.50 while they last. KERRVILLE FURNITURE CO.

Miss Sarah C. Scofield left Tuesday for a visit to friends and relatives in San Antonio. She expects to be at home about June 20th.

New cottage for rent, located near Tivy School Building. For particulars, apply to R. Holdsworth, phone 109-10, Kerrville, Texas.

Just Arrived! Fiber and Woolen Fiber Rugs and Hall Runners at reasonable prices, to be found at the KERRVILLE FURNITURE CO.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Conn and two children of Yoakum were the guests of Mrs. B. Weir last Friday. They were on their way to Ballinger for a visit.

W. W. Aaylor, a Kimble County ranchman, was a business visitor in Kerrville Tuesday. Mr. Taylor is a candidate for the office of sheriff of Kimble County.

E. J. Corkill of Benavides was in Kerrville Thursday on business. Mr. Corkill secured grass for 250 head of steers which is being moved out of a dry range territory.

Telephone No. 190 and if you have got a good appetite we can furnish you with the right kind of groceries that will keep it from worrying you. HEIMANN & GRONA.

Stray Hog—I have at my place one stray red hog which owner may have by giving proper mark description of same and paying for this advertisement. R. C. Saner, Kerrville, Texas.

Comfort Rest: Mrs. J. C. Rees, after spending last week with Mrs. Alfred Stieler, returned to her home in Kerrville Monday, taking Mrs. Stieler and children with her for a visit of several days.

Never mind the expense. Prices don't count when you buy groceries from us. The quality and quantity are so great that it makes the expense so small that you can scarcely locate it. HEIMANN & GRONA.

Chas. Real and wife, who have been living in Sap Antonio for the past four years, are again residents of Kerr County, having come up Sunday to take charge of the ranch on Turtle Creek formerly owned by Geo. Williams.

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Rocksprings Leader: M. R. Nelson and son of Kerrville were here Sunday. They are carpenters, working for Sid Peterson on his Diamond Ranch. They are overhauling the ranch residence, and building a barn and new goat sheds.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

Local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear, there is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. There is no doubt that the cause of deafness is an inflammation of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube re-opened to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. It is not a matter of time, but of method of treatment. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by Catarrh of the Eustachian Tube, which cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH CURE. Send for circular free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, etc. Take Hall's Family Cure for constipation.

Daylight Saving.

Fort Worth Star-Telegram: At first blush, it would seem a foolish thing and a self-deception to turn the hands of the clock up one hour as a means of saving daylight.

"If people want to get up earlier and quit work earlier, why don't they go ahead and do it without waiting for a law changing the time?" is the common question.

There is one big reason why such a thing never could be accomplished without a national law—custom. Suppose the business man who now rises at 7 a. m. and gets to his office at 8:30 a. m. were to begin rising at 6 a. m. and getting to his office at 7:30 a. m. There would be little work he could put behind him if all business had not started the day's round uniformly with his. The mails would not be in, the other offices and stores and shops would not be open, the trains would not be in, the buyers and sellers would not be aboard—business would not have begun.

There is no deception about it. It is simply making uniform a new schedule for the use of the best part of the day, the part of the day that is now wasted. In the summer, the sun rises before 5 a. m., but business does not get under way for four or five hours afterward, and people sleep through the glorious cool of the morning when they would be at the highest stage of their efficiency if they were at their desks and their work benches.

Is it practicable? Germany, Austria-Hungary and Holland adopted the new schedule May 1, and England followed May 20. All these countries are finding it practicable. Now it is proposed for the United States. If this Nation is to maintain its reputation of efficiency and vigor it must not be a Nation of sleepers.

To Sell.

Twenty-eight Angoras, half does, half wether kids; \$70.00. 33-3t E. HABECKER.

Lutheran Church News.

Next service will take place July 23. The pastor will be on vacation until July 15.

For Sale.

I have 400 head of sheep to sell, 325 muttons and 75 ewes; they are from yearlings to 5-year-olds, and can be seen at my place. F. E. Whisehant, Center Point, Texas. 19tf

Religious Notice.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Holy Communion first Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Morning Prayer second, third and fourth Sundays at 10:30 a. m. Morris Ranch third Sunday. Turtle Creek fourth Sunday at 3:30 p. m. J. S. JOHNSTON, Bishop in Charge.

To the Public.

"I have been using Chamberlain's Tablets for indigestion for the past six months, and it affords me pleasure to say I have never used a remedy that did so much good."—Mrs. C. E. Riley, Illion, N. Y. Chamberlain's Tablets are obtainable everywhere.

Patronize Home Industry.

Buy Kerrville Roller Mills products—Flour, Corn Meal, Chops, Wheat Bran, Shorts, etc. The products of this mill are always pure and fresh, of finest quality and low in price. This mill grinds the wheat and corn grown by the farmers of this section, and when you patronize the Kerrville Roller Mills you are patronizing your neighboring farmers. 47-4f

Parents-Teachers' Meeting.

The Parents-Teachers' Club will hold their monthly meeting at the High School Auditorium, June 14, at 4 p. m. The following program will be rendered: Prayer. Music—Mrs. Fisk and Sons. Business. "How the Children Can Spend a Profitable Vacation"—L. Mrs. E. E. Dietert; 2. Mr. J. E. Palmer. Round Table Discussion. Music. All members are urged and visitors invited to be present. PRESS REPORTER.

CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTES

BY FATHER KEMPER

The fourth annual commencement exercises of Notre Dame Institute will be held tomorrow afternoon (Sunday), at 4:30 p. m., in Washington Hall, the school auditorium. Admission is free to everyone. An attempt will be made to provide seating capacity for all, but this is necessarily limited on account of the size of the hall, and therefore all who desire to attend are recommended to be punctual. Besides the usual features of a musical and vocal entertainment, the program includes the distribution of certificates and awards.

Most noteworthy in this category is the long list of honors sent by the Palmer Penmanship College of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. This institution of nationwide repute, took occasion to send a special letter of the most flattering tone to congratulate the students and their teachers on a record that few competitors have equaled. Diplomats were conferred on Misses Verna Bulwer, Augusta Kaiser, Courtney Kaiser, and Master Clarence Mosel. Certificates were granted to Misses May Carpenter, Meta Michon, Helen Mosel, Masters William Voiss, Alfred Schwartz and Henry Voiss. Buttons of improvement were given to Miss Selma Ruff and Master Earl Dubus. Lastly, the following are entitled to a teacher's certificate in the Palmer Method: Misses Mary Mosel, Annie Mosel and Beulah Kaiser.

Immediately after school close three young ladies who have completed most of the eleventh grade will go to the State University for laboratory work in physics and chemistry, as well as review work in geometry and Latin so that they can graduate next June from the high school department of Notre Dame Institute. These summer students are Misses Annie Mosel, Mary Mosel and Beulah Kaiser. They will be accompanied by Miss Angeline Kemper and Miss Hilda Mosel, both of whom will pursue special classes at Austin. Master Alfred Schwartz will be with this crowd on Monday morning as far as the Capitol City, whence his parents will motor him to their home in Mart, Texas.

We re-echo the unanimous praise of a densely packed auditorium in stating that the commencement exercises of Our Lady of Guadalupe School, last Sunday, were a deeply gratifying success, and made the patrons increase their honest pride for that Mexican charitable institution, which has proved to be their greatest blessing.

Notre Dame Institute.

The Honor Roll for May is as follows:

Primary Department—Frieda Ruff, Beulah Kearney, Charlotte Carpenter, Jewel Osborne, Ruth Nye, Wilhelmina Mosel, Mary Mildred Mosel, Aleida Michon, Annie Kearney, Mary Meurer, Martha Doyle, John Kearney, Martin Michon, Lawrence Staudt, Rudolph Ruff, William Campbell and John Moldenhauer.

Preparatory—Frances Michon, Estella Michon, Selma Ruff, Stella Ruff, Frederick Nye, Lyton Bulwer, Earl Allan, Edward Meurer, May Carpenter, Elizabeth Newton, Helen Mosel, Alma Ruff, Meta Michon, William Voiss and Henry Voiss.

High School—Misses Annie Mosel, Mary Mosel, Beulah Kaiser, Augusta Kaiser, Courtney Kaiser, Verna Bulwer; Masters Alfred Schwartz and Clarence Mosel.

Our Lady of Guadalupe School.

The Honor Roll for May is as follows:

Girls—Juanita Torres, Delfina Zamora, Lupe Zamora, Maria Gil, Otilia Rojas, Adelaida Herrera, Elvira Herrera, Amanda Herrera, Ester Herrera, Vicenta Torres, Carmen Torres, Amelia Torres, Lidia Ayala, Manuela Zamora, Trinidad Zamora, Rosaura Riojas, Augustina de la Cruz, Jeneveva Sanchez, Eulalia Sanchez, Juanita Silvas and Maria Solis. Boys—Santiago de la Cruz, Ricardo Torres, Blas Torres, Simon Ayala, Enrique Castillo, Bonifacio Areola, Felix Areola, Luis Silvas, Carlos Zamora, Vicente Caslanuelas and Martin Reyes.

Bowel Complaints in India.

In a lecture at one of the Des Moines, Iowa, churches a missionary from India told of going into the interior of India, where he was taken sick, that he had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him and believed that it saved his life. This remedy is used successfully in India both as a preventative and cure for cholera. You may know from this that it can be depended upon for the milder forms of bowel complaint that occur in this country. Obtainable everywhere.

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Chas. Kobbe, city marshal, Main St., Boerne, Texas, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills some time ago for disordered kidneys. My back ached most all the time and seemed to be getting worse right along. I also suffered from dizzy spells and my sight was poor. As soon as I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, I felt all right and have been free from kidney complaint since."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Marshal Kobbe had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Ablest Men of the Day.

The newspapers view the railroads as wonderful proofs of the highest degree of efficiency and ability. The biggest work of an age always attracts to itself the biggest men of the age. When the great work of the world was painting, in the days of Medicis, the greatest men in the world were painters. Michael Angelo was the greatest engineer, the greatest architect, the greatest sculptor, of his day, and probably in every other way the greatest man. Leonardo da Vinci was the greatest military engineer, the greatest road and fort builder; with the power of two Jeffreys, he could take an iron bar and bend it in his hand. The greatest minds go in the greatest direction. Railroad building, industrial building, is the great work of today. And the men who would have been naval heroes in the days of Elizabeth, and explorers in the days of La Salle, and painters in the days of Michael Angelo, are railroad men today.—Arthur Brisbane.

Forethought.

People are learning that a little forethought often saves them a big expense. Here is an instance: E. W. Archer, Caldwell, Ohio, writes: "I do not believe that our family has been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since we commenced keeping house years ago. When we go on an extended visit we take it with us." Obtainable everywhere.

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Good News for Motorists.

San Diego, Cal., June 7.—Good news for motorists who desire to camp out has been announced by the officials of the Panama California International Exposition. When the Twenty-first Regiment U. S. Infantry left the Exposition for Mexico, they left a model camp with tent frames, wooden walls and floors intact. In addition to these, there are many other conveniences found only in an up-to-date military camp. So many requests have been received from motorists who carry camping outfits, asking for permission to pitch camp on the Exposition grounds, that favorable action has been taken. No charge will be made for the camping right. The site given to the use of campers is opposite the motor demonstration field and only a few hundred feet from the Isthmus north gate. In addition to this accommodation for motorists, the Exposition is giving a bronze button to every traveler who drives more than 500 miles to the Exposition.

Sanitary advantages are claimed for a Pennsylvania inventor's wire handle for milk bottles, which converts them into pitchers, a spring controlled cover fitting into their tops.

CONVENTION MAY NAME BOY SCOUTS AS USHERS

St. Louis, June 5.—Preparations for the Democratic National Convention, which will be called to order here June 14, were in full swing today. The police department was preparing a schedule for policemen and detectives to be followed during the stay of the delegates. Hundreds of extra policemen will be sworn in for special duty during the Democrats' meeting.

The Boy Scout troops will do their share of the work and most likely will be used as ushers in the Coliseum, where the convention will be held. Other youngsters will act as guides to the visitors.

The civic organizations of the city were busy getting out literature which will aid the delegates and their families in locating the city's points of interest.

Work on the preparation of the Coliseum will begin in a few days, Manager Robinson said. Hundreds of special seats in addition to the platform and arrangements for the press representatives will be arranged.

Wouldn't Stand for It.

In Cleveland they tell a story of a boy who left school to work for a small manufacturer. The boy was dull, and his stupidity annoyed his employer greatly. So after a week's trial he was discharged.

"Get your pay," said the manufacturer to him on Saturday, "and let that be the last of you. You're discharged."

It was, therefore, with great surprise that the manufacturer saw the boy at work in his former place on Monday morning.

"What are you doing in this shop?" demanded the manufacturer angrily. "I discharged you Saturday."

"Yes," said the boy, "and don't you do it again. When I told my mother she licked me."—New York Times.

WILSON SIGNS BI-CENTENNIAL BILL

AUTHORIZED TO INVITE SPAIN AND PAN-AMERICA TO PARTICIPATE IN EXPOSITION.

Washington, D. C., June 5.—President Wilson today signed the Slayden-Sheppard joint resolution authorizing him to invite Spain and the Pan-American nations to participate in the San Antonio Bi-Centennial Exposition in 1918. The President, however, will not instruct the State Department to invite the Pan-American nations and Spain until after San Antonio votes the \$1,000,000 bond issue, and thus assures the success of the exposition.

Senators Culberson and Sheppard and Representatives Garner, Slayden and Davis were present at the ceremony. The President used two handsome gold silver-staffed pens in signing the resolution. One of these pens was supplied by Representative Garner and the other by Senator Sheppard. Mr. Garner announced that he would present his pen to William Cassin, president of the exposition, as a souvenir of the occasion.

The President laughed and joked with the delegation. The Texans invited Mr. Wilson to attend the exposition. Senator Culberson said Mr. Wilson would still be President in 1918, but at this the President only smiled. He said he was very anxious to visit Texas and would attend the exposition if possible.

A photograph of the President and the Texans was taken on the White House grounds. When the delegation left the White House the President invited Senator Culberson to remain for an informal conference and the Senator conferred with Mr. Wilson for a few minutes. The President told Senator Culberson he was glad to know that Mr. Culberson had recovered his health. Neither the White House nor Senator Culberson gave out anything concerning the conference.

Eibert Hubbard on Law and Lawyers.

This country is suffering from an overproduction of laws. A lawyer by training and by instinct is not an economist. Seven out of ten of the men elected to Congress are lawyers.

The function of Government is to make it easy for all men to do right. Goodness cannot be legislated into mankind. Morality must spring from the heart to be of avail.

The lawyer is wedded to precedent and in spite of his boasted respect for law, he is an expert in the evasion of law.

Pernicious activity and meddling interference by lawyers with the natural flow and trend of trade is paid for by the people at a terrific cost.

For the lawyers, whose work is to protect commerce and see that trade moves along safe and legal lines, no word of criticism can be raised.—Eibert Hubbard.

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WAR MINISTER OF THE BRITISH LOST

ENTIRE KITCHENER STAFF AND ALL ON BOARD THE CRUISER HAMPSHIRE PERISH.

London, June 6.—All Britain was stunned tonight by grief over the tragic loss of Earl Kitchener, who, with his entire staff, as Secretary of State for War, together with 500 officers, men and crew of the Cruiser Hampshire, was drowned last night off the Orkney Islands, when the Hampshire, on which they were voyaging to Russia, was sunk, either by a mine or torpedo. First official news of England's greatest personal loss since the war began was made public by the Admiralty just before noon today in the following official statement received from Admiral Jellicoe:

"The commander in chief of the grand fleet reports with deep regret that H. M. S. Hampshire, Captain Herbert J. Sayill, R. N., with Lord Kitchener and his staff on board, was sunk last night about 8 o'clock to the west of the Orkney Islands, either by a mine or a torpedo.

"Four boats were seen by observers on shore to leave the ship. The wind was north-northwest and a heavy sea was running. Patrol vessels and destroyers at once proceeded to the spot and a party was sent along the coast to search, but only some bodies and a capsized boat have been found up to the present. As the whole shore has been searched from the seaward, I greatly fear there is little hope of there being any survivor.

"No report has yet been received from the search party on shore. H. M. S. Hampshire was on her way to Russia."

Official hope of Earl Kitchener being found alive was indicated as entirely abandoned when the press bureau announced tonight that memorial services would be held in St. Paul's at a date as yet unfixed. An army order also was issued directing that officers shall wear mourning for the late War Secretary for the week commencing tomorrow.

Accompanying Earl Kitchener as his staff were Hugh James O'Beirne, former counsellor of the British embassy at Petrograd; and former minister at Sofia, Colonel O. A. Fitzgerald, private military secretary to the War Minister; Brigadier General Ellershaw; Sir Hay Frederick Donaldson, technical adviser to the Minister of Munitions; Lieutenant R. D. McPherson, aide; F. S. Robertson, and Detective McLaughling.

Officers and men aboard the Hampshire numbered between 400 and 500. The casualties probably will total 500.

The War Minister and his staff were proceeding to Russia at a special invitation of the Czar of Russia on a special mission to discuss important questions connected with the military and financial conduct of the war.

It is understood on high authority that Earl Kitchener's visit to Russia was kept profoundly secret. It was practically impossible for the Germans to have learned either that he was going or on what route the ship was traveling.

That the Hampshire was torpedoed by German design, therefore, is generally discounted. It is believed in the highest circles that the ship either struck a mine or was torpedoed in a chance encounter with a German submarine.

News of the death of England's beloved "K. of K." spread rapidly. Everywhere the sad tidings created the utmost consternation and expressions of deep sorrow were heard everywhere.

Deep sorrow and regret were expressed at the embassies and legations of the neutral governments in London. Numerous callers arrived at the government offices offering condolences. As soon as the first shock of the news had passed a meeting of the British War Council was called. In attendance were Sir William Robertson, chief of the imperial staff, whom Earl Kitchener left in charge of the War Office; Sir Edward Grey, Secretary of Foreign Affairs; Reginald McKenna, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and David Lloyd-George, Minister of munitions.

It was reported following the meeting that General Sir William Robertson probably would succeed Earl Kitchener as head of the War Office.

Although the military effect of the death of the War Secretary, known as England's greatest military organizer, was not lost sight of, it was generally believed that because of the very efficiency with which Lord Kitchener has perfected his organization, the work he has carried on with such great success will continue uninterrupted. While the dominant spirit of

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The great military idol will be lost and the army thus deprived of the personal touch of a great commander, the machine that England and her allies have been slowly perfecting in the opinion of observers, will not be stripped of its efficiency because of the loss of its builder and driver.

The Orkney Islands, off which the Hampshire went down, are off the north coast of Scotland. The Hampshire was on her way into the Atlantic and around the northern end of the Scandinavian Peninsula into the White Sea.

The Hampshire was one of the Devonshire class of six cruisers. She was built in 1903 and normally carried 655 men. She displaced 40,850 tons, was 450 feet long, 68½ feet beam and drew 25½ feet. She was armed with four 7.5-inch, six 6-inch, two one-pounders and twenty 3-pound guns and two torpedo tubes. She cost \$4,250,000.

The Hampshire had been in use as a scout boat and for carrying officials on various missions, having ample accommodations for the latter purpose. She was too old to take a place on the fighting line. When the war started she was in the Far East and was reported to have been worsted in a fight with Germans in the South China Seas. She was one of the British squadron which was sent to the United States for the Jamestown Exposition in 1907.

Cheese factories of the United States annually produce four pounds for each inhabitant of the country.

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WM. SPORN.

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That wild burros in the Grand Canyon of the Colorado are increasing rapidly is the report from a ranger on the Tusayan National Forest, who says the little animals in their search for forage are finding their way to the top in such numbers as to constitute a nuisance. Already there are thousands of the animals in the Grand Canyon from Supai to the mouth of the Little Colorado, according to the Forest Ranger.

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AIR SCOUTS WATCHED WHOLE NORTH SEA DURING FIGHT

Berlin, June 30 (By wireless to the Associated Press via Sayville—delayed in transmission).—The extent and character of the German victory at Jutland are indicated further apart from the German reports, by British admissions of losses, showing more than 100,000 tons of main unit, have been destroyed compared with some 24,000 for the Germans. The British losses moreover involved some of the most modern ships while the only really modern German warship lost was the small Wiesbaden.

In the absence of further details of the fighting naval circles are convinced the victory was due to superior German strategy, seamanship and probably in no small degree to the airship scout service. Against this service the British have nothing even of approximate value in making observation. The lookout in a ship's fighting top can see thirty miles and the radius of aeroplanes is limited but the seaplane is to watch the whole North Sea. The tremendous effectiveness of the torpedo as a weapon in the hands of the Germans had been demonstrated clearly.

Feed Crop Prospects.

College Station, Tex., June 6.—The crop conditions in Texas at the moment are not as promising for food and feed as they were at this time last year.

The five District Agents of Farm Demonstration Work of the A. and M. College and United States Department of Agriculture met for conference at College Station last week. It was the consensus of opinion of these men, whose districts cover all parts of the State, that there is a probability of a short feed crop this year. One fact in evidence is the increased acreage in cotton and another is that the sentiment for feed crops this year for some reason is not as strong as last year. The next three weeks is a very critical period with the corn crop. The stalk is small, and even the best cultivation cannot produce a maximum crop. Also weather conditions have not been favorable this spring to a full crop of corn. Therefore, the necessity arises for planting peas, sorghum, peanuts and June corn to make up this prospective shortage.

It is good business in farming to hedge against a loss, either partial or total, in one crop by planting a substitute. These substitute crops can be planted with safety up to June 25th. The farmers of the State will make a crop cheaper this year than in several years past, because they have plenty of their own feed, and they should profit by this year's experience.

All interests concerned in agricultural welfare are urged to bring these facts immediately to the attention of the farmers.

CLARENCE OUSLEY,
Director of Extension.

Senator Culberson Is All Right.

Dallas Democrat: Hon. Jed C. Adams has returned to Dallas from a trip to Washington and New York, on legal business. Mr. Adams spent a week in Washington, before going to New York. He was gratified to note that Senator Culberson had so much improved in health. Mr. Adams made the following statement:

"Every day I was there Senator Culberson was in his seat, attending to his duties. Like President Wilson, the Texas senior Senator is something of a baseball fan. I met him out at one of the league games, which he seemed to be enjoying as much as any school boy." Senator Culberson is regarded in Washington as one of the big men who is standing shoulder to shoulder with President Wilson, just at this critical time. He has been especially active in securing a report of the judiciary committee (of which he is the chairman) favorable to the confirmation of Louis D. Brandeis, as one of the justices of the Supreme Court of the United States."

Glynn and His History.

Fort Worth Record: Former Governor Glynn of New York is temporary chairman of the Democratic convention and will sound the keynote of the campaign. Glynn is one of the foremost Democrats of New York. He has been Congressman, Comptroller of the State and Governor, and has filled other position of high honor and trust. His father came from a foreign land but Martin H. isn't a hyphenate. He is of the opinion that this is the only country, fit to live in and has the only flag worth fighting for should fighting become necessary.

HONOR TO OLD GLORY: FLAG DAY IS JUNE 14

San Antonio Express: "The Preparedness Parade Saturday night forms one of the brightest pages in this old city's eventful history," said Captain C. S. Brodbent. "The closing sentence of a resolution adopted by the Fourth of July committee in 1914 reads, 'and we recommend that on all National holidays our citizens rival the of El Paso, Los Angeles and other progressive communities by converting San Antonio into a billowy sea of flags and bunting; thus helping to create in the hearts of our children a fervor of patriotism that will make our city celebrated throughout the land and put it in the front rank of the world's greatest tourist resorts.'"

"Surely no member of that committee dreamed of seeing in less than two years such a billowy sea of flags as was in evidence Saturday night, and it gives our city a 'place in the sun.' It was a glorious exhibition of patriotism. The most forceful and pathetic lesson of the whole parade was that conveyed by the Polish division. And yet, fellow citizens, with all our pronounced love for the flag, it has no legal protection in the great patriotic State of Texas.

"Any person can tear it in shreds and trample it under foot and he violates no law. The Daughters of the American Revolution, the Elks and other noble organizations have long wanted a law placing the flag in every public school and making its desecration a punishable offense, but our Legislature is too busy to heed the requests, and yet several hundred of our brave Texas boys are today offering their lives in our flag's defense. State Senator Bailey had such a bill passed by the National Senate but it, too, failed to reach the House of Representatives. This condition is hardly less shameful than that outrageous exhibition in New York a few nights ago when the flags of nations, our own included, were torn in pieces and cast into a 'melting pot' fire by a set of traitors and liberty assassins who would have been hung or torn asunder in any other country. Our own Rev. Mercer Johnston, whose heart beats in sympathy with all who are downtrodden denounced it as a damnable outrage and quit the crowd, just such an action as we would expect from an honored son of a gallant sire.

President Wilson asks the Nation to observe the flag's birthday—the 14th of June. Shall we not back him up in this as in preparedness? It used to seem that there were not twenty-five flags in our city. Even the hotels, save one, were bare on National holidays. We now know there are thousands of flags in our city. Let us show our children, especially the foreign born, and our tourists, that we do prize our National emblem, and that we are not too indolent nor too busy to display it on the coming 14th of June and 4th of July."

This Wondrous World.

Galveston News: It was the privilege and pleasure of the writer, a few evenings ago, to attend an exhibition of moving picture films that was more than ordinarily interesting. It included pictures of the rivers of a foreign land, where the scenes were unusually beautiful and peaceful, and where there was no hint of the terrible war that was raging a few miles away from where the pictures were made. There were pictures of snow and ice, of the sublime in Western American scenery, and, sandwiched between the longer reels, was one section so filled with suggestions and possibilities that I wondered how many individuals, in the audience of several hundred, caught the idea presented. The exhibitor stated that it was a trick of the film by which was actually shown the actions and habits of animals which were usually so rapid that the human eye could not see them, and therefore took them on faith, as it were. This interesting section of film began with the startling rush of a kangaroo, in its native wilds in Australia, springing like a cannon shot across the jungle scene. In the background was a little stream of water, and as the animal catapulted across, its hind legs scraped the surface of the water and caused waves and spray. The next scene showed the motions of the kangaroo showed down so that the human eye could see every muscle play, every movement of the animal, every drop of water as it rose from the disturbed surface of the stream. The kangaroo floated slowly and gracefully out of the underbrush, sailed easily across the field of vision

and disappeared, with the lightness of a soap bubble, at the opposite side of the picture. Following came the picture of a man holding a kitten upside down. He let the kitten fall, and, of course, the little animal fell on its feet. The following picture was the same, only it was so slowly made that the kitten was seen to easily and gracefully turn over in the air, much as a toy balloon would turn about as it floated away. The explanation of the picture is simple. The exposures of the "slow" pictures were made at a rate of something over a hundred to the second. When these same films are projected, or the positive films that are made from them, the action is reduced to the usual speed for projecting motion pictures, hence the action is slowed down five or six times. This makes it possible to see with the human eye movements that have forever been taken for granted. Theoretically, it is possible to take a bullet flying from a rifle at the rate of one two-thousandths of a second. This would mean, if a moving picture

film could be made of it, 2,000 little pictures of the progress of the bullet in one second. If this film were made and then a positive taken from it, and this positive projected on a screen in the usual manner, the bullet would be seen floating along in a leisurely manner and quite unconcernedly. If it had been taken piercing a board, the actual operation would be seen as it slowly entered the wood, and the small splinters and depression could be seen and followed.

With an object lesson such as this before one, it is but a short step of the imagination to wonder how many things there are actually close to us and in which we are continually living and of which we know little. If a mechanical process as simple as the taking of a moving picture can reveal an entirely new world at the will and command of a photographer, is it not possible that there are latent discoveries that may some day so broaden the field of human knowledge that we shall wonder at the primitiveness of this day and time?

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