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## S. D. Stennis, Jr.,

CARSBAD, NEW MEXICO

Is forty years old Has practiced law twelve years Is candidate for District Judge Your vote and influence appreciated

### Primaries, May II, 1918

Red Cross at Redland

Portales people attended the Red | Harris is making every effort to Cross meeting at Redland. This comply with all the requirements meeting was held under the lead- of the government and is one of ership of Carl Turner and the the most enthusiastic supporters Portales choir cunsisting of Miss of the administration in the city. Fannie Williamson, Mrs. Clyde He volvntarily closed for the few Knapp, Mrs. E. L. Kohl, Frank hours because he would not be Smith and Carl Turner. There even in a technical violation of was oratory and plenty of good the provisions of the food adminmusic, but the chief event was istrator's office the magnificient collation set by the good ladies of Redland. There was chicken, ham, salads, sandwiches, pickles, olives, all kinds of pies and every sort of cake that was ever known and that is good to eat, and all made without white flour. The crowd was large, yet it was unable to get away with more than half of the good things, A box of chocolates donated by Dr. J. E. Camp brought \$47.00, and the net collections for Red Cross work was \$97.15, with y monthly subscription of \$46.00. The Redland folks have gone over the top at every patriotic meeting held there this year. They have no slackers in that community, in fact they would not be tolerated When any one asks for white flour bread in that neighborhood they are told to enlist and they can get all they want, otherwise,

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### Closed to be Right

Wednesday afternoon the store of C. V. Harris was closed voluntarily by Mr. Harris, he having for all grocers who sell supplies Irene Smith. to hotels and restaurants to and was instructed by wire to re-

every grocery in the city was in Sunday about a dozen cars of the same condition. Charley

### School Announcements

Debate-High school societies. Friday evening May 10, Methodist church.

Contest—Declamatory and musical, Saturday evening May 11. Cosy theatre

Junior play—Wednesday evening May 15, Cosy theatre.

Class representative exercises Friday evening May 17, Methodist church.

Senior play—Tuesday evening May 21, Cosy theatre.

Baccalaureate sermon—Sunday evening 19, Menhedist church, Sermon will be preached by Prof. David R. Boyd, president state university.

Commencement exercises Thursday evening, May 23, Me thodist church. Address by State Superintendent J.N. Wag-

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Newport News, Camp Hill, Virginia, 1st Reg. Div. M. S. T. Company C.

To Sister Smith, Ben Smith. learned that it was necessary | Coe Howard, Jack Wilcox and

Have been so busy haven't had have a federal license. He im- time to write you people, but mediately made his application think all of you owe me a letter.

This camp is a embarkation open his place that license had camp, they ship thousands of been recommended by state food trucks, tractors, aeroplanes, canadministrator. This technical nons, ammunition, mules, horses. misunderstanding was due to the wagons, here where they are fact that proper instructions had loaded on the transports and then never been sent to the merchants sent to that large city, "Someof this place and, with the ex- where." It is a sight to see ception of the Joyce-Pruit house' these war machines being unwhich is also a wholesale dealer, loaded. You see a tractor pull-

ing a large cannon. They un-tial payment of \$2000.00, before loaded three cars of gauze and shipment and another payment bandages here yesterday. At of approximately, \$3000.00 upon the truck park one day you see a receipt of the first unit. The thousand trucks, next day they above money was borrowed to are all gone. The tractors are take care of the last named pay wonders to see them pull and ment and the cost of installation get around. I took a trip to Portales can always be counted bit, and then some. She man Portsmouth, it is at the mouth upon to "go over the top" in matof the James River, this camp ters patriotic or for anything being located on James river tending toward the betterment about fifteen miles up the river, of the town or its facilities. in fact it is a continuous camp from here to Portsmouth, At Portsmouth is the naval training station, a good town of about eat dinner (6 p. m.) at the finest point, derived from the proceeds hotel in Virginia, some class. of this office.

can be placed on the firing line. term. Am feeling fine. Each of you write me a letter.

B. A. Stewart.

### Citizens Come Across

pending the voting and sale of all alike. taken up with the business men 12 years and am thoughly acand the following agreed to loan quainted with the ups and downs to the city the amounts set op- of the people as I lived out a posite their names for immediate homestead near Redland New bonds could be voted and sold:

	Wilcox and Braley	500
	R. G. Bryant	500
	W. O. Oldham	500
,	Ed J. Neer	500
	Ben Smith	250
	E. E Hoagland	200
	J. K. Robertson	100
	C. V. Harris	100
	E. A. Herndon	100
l	E. B. Hawkins	100
	C.J. Whitcomb	100
	J. B. Priddy	100
,	J. S. Long	100
,	Coe Howard	100
1	J. R. Webb	100
	Dr. D. B. Williams	50
,	C. E. Brown	50
•	F. R. Smith	50
	The contract provided	an ii

#### To the Voters of Roosevelt County

one hundred thousand. I went you my candidacy for re-election loose change they could spare Went to the Curtis aviation field. the first term, so you can see my front? Wait I forgot, at Fort Monroe I standing from a financil stand-

Now people don't forget that As all true Democrats know Uncle Samis just getting started that it is a long acknowledged and if you could only see what is party custom that when an officer asy. being done, as I have been seeing is qualified and efficient in the it, well it hardly looks possible performance of his duty, is he to see the amount of war material justly entitled to the endorsethat is going over. It comes by ment by the people for a second train loads not car loads. Our term. A candidate coming bedivision is quarentined which fore the people asking their supmeans we must go soon. All of port for them, is advocating a our men wants to go, and this principle which you well know good Yankee pup is bound to they do not stand for, because make a turning point in the war if they were elected to the office, as soon as a large enough force they would ask you for a second

In regard to my record as a public official, the work I have done for the 2 years I have served stands before the public, and I heartily request and invite as When it came to closing the many people who care to investicontract with the Fairbanks-gate as to value of merchandize Morse company for the town or as to value of personal or as plant, it was discovered that to the number of livestock of varsatisfactory arrangements could jous individuals, it will afford me not be made with the company a great favor to show you for installing the two new units through their renditions to the of one hundred horse power each, end that justice may be done to

The matter was I have lived in your county for use, and until such time as the Mexico, and if my services have been satisfactory for my present G. M. Williamson......\$500 00 term of office, I solicit your care-09 ful consideration and support to 00 a second term on the 11th day of 00 May next, oor which I sincerely 00 thank you.

Very respectfully, Burl Johnson.

### A Reminder

Mr. voter don't forget that I am still in the race for sheriff | Something over \$70.00 was made and will appreciate your vote May 11th.

W. E. (Emzy) Roberts

FOR SALE- Eggs for setting from oure bred Buff Orphington, White Minorca and Buff Leghorn hens. See Mrs. B. Tucker, phone 122, Portales

FOR RENT-Good business house, in desirable location, opposite new First young jack. Jas. B. Smiley or phone or The contract provided an ini- National bank building site-Ed J. Neer write Frank M. Beard.

Done Her Bit

Mrs. Minnie Roller, a widow lady who earns her own living and provides for a good sized family, was unable to buy a bond or to subscribe money for the Red Cross, however, she did her aged to take time from her daily work and to make a fancy bed quilt which she donated to the Red Cross. Saturday, at the raising of the honor flag, this quilt was spread at the foot of the flag pole and the crowd re-Gentlemen, in presenting to quested to throw onto it what by boat to Old Point and Fort to the office of tax assersor, pos- There was an instant response Monroe. This fort guards en-sibly you are aware of the fact with about \$115.38 in real money. trance to James river, also Ports- that I have only been elected one This was followed by auctioning mouth and Hampton road. There term which I am now serving, off the quilt, which netted about are are a few of the dissapearing And I wish to say that in 1910 I \$31.00, making a total of somecannons here, fifteen feet long, made a thorough campaign of the thing very close to \$146.49 for twelve inches, shoots twelve county and the statehood bill the quilt. How different has miles, a hunk of steel weighs passed carrying the provisions been the idea from that of some. eleven hundred and ten pounds that all the old officers serving at This woman is an American, she and guaranteed to give a fellow that time hold over another year. | could not endure the idea that the head ache if he gets in the The following year, I made a sec- she was not doing her part in road. The old fort is very in ond campaign and was defeated this war. She used her head as teresting. On my way to this by a very small majority of 24 well as her hands and "went fort I saw some of our large bat- votes, and in 1916 I was elected over the top" just as surely and tleships, which were painted up tax assessor and this campaign just as patriotically as did Rockelike a society queen. Saw some making the fourth time that I fellor with his millions. How of the light submarine chasers, have been before the people and can America lose with such woand I say they are some fast. all this expense has come out of men to back the boys at the

#### Richland News

J. A. Vick has a new Ford car. Rev. Calloway, of Portales, filled his appointment here Sun-

Joe Faw went to Roswell to work last week.

Clarence Rice and Alvin George are in Arizona at work.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rice wend to Electra, Texas, the last of the week, after visiting his parents here.

Miss Lottie Cares is still on the sick list we are sorry to report.

The Richland rural school will close Friday after an eight month term under the direction of Miss Carl Tally. Miss Tally's work has been highly efficient and greatly appreciated by her patrons and papils. There will be a picnic for the children on the closing day.

J. W. Partin, L. H. Faw and L. A. Faw were in Clovis Satur-

J. W. Fulton, R. J. Fulton and wife and Mr. Sam Butler arrived

from Roswell Friday. The Red Cross ladies of this branch met at the Odd Fellows hall Monday and made hospital garments. Quite a bit of work was accomplished and a great deal of patriotism was shown by those there.

A very unusual thing happened out this way last Friday. It set the most of the people either to smiling or to work, both in most cases for we had a half inch of rain. Heres hoping we get more soon.

There was a very successful pie supper given at New Hope, Wednesday night for the benefit of the Red Cross branch there. and a good time was reported by everyone.

Mrs. J. N. Partin is still quite crippled up with rheumatism but we sincerely hope she may be gain relief soon.

FOR SALE OR TRADE-A good.

### THE RESULTS ARE ALWAYS GOOD

Children and Grown-Ups Alike, Are Benefited by Old, Reliable Black-Draught.

Rockymount, Va.-Mrs. Sallie E. Chitwood, wife of W. T. Chitwood of this place, writes a letter which should be of general interest. It reads:

"I am very glad to make a statement in regard to my experience with Thedford's Black-Draught.

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I make it in a tea, and it is easy to take and the results are good."

Children and grown-up folks suffer plenty of pain and misery from liver and stomach troubles. What Black-Draught has done for Mrs. Chitwood and her family, in relieving these troubles, it will, no doubt, also do for you and yours.

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Had Enough at Home.

The other day plans were being made at the Stanley Hall school at Evansville for the adoption of a French orphan. In each room the pupils were asked to give their ideas of the proposition and everywhere the movement had met with great success. In a room where the tiniest pupils sat the teacher put forth the question as to the advisability of such action. All those in favor of caring for one of the little unfortunates were asked to rise. All arose with the exception of a very

"What's the matter, Harvey? Why don't you want to adopt a French orphan?" asked the teacher in astonish-

"We just got so many children at our house now, I know my mamma wouldn't want me to bring home another," was the serious reply.-Indianapolis News.

## LEMONS DO MAKE THE SKIN WHITE

HOW TO MAKE A CREAMY LEMON BEAUTY LOTION AT HOME FOR A FEW CENTS.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply you with three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put in the orchard white and shake well. This makes a quarter pint of the very best lemon skin whitener and complexion beautifier known. Massage this fragrant, creamy lotion daily into the face, neck, arms and hands and just see how freckles, tan, sallowness, redness and roughness disappear and how smooth, handed pitchers. soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless, and the beautiful results will surprise you.—Adv.

And There Was His Wife.

An inexperienced speaker was prefacing his address with apologies to his audience for the crudeness of his prospective remarks.

"To be a good speaker," said he, "a man should be in constant practice. He should appear before audiences frequently. He should learn to talk with perfect freedom, I don't have a chance to do this. I spend my evenings at

Everybody in the audience looked around at his wife, who, unfortunately poon. for him, had come to hear the address.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine-double strength-is guaranteed to remove these homely spots. Simply get an ounce of othine-double strength-from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should on see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that nore than one ounce is needed to completely lear the skin and gain a beautiful clear

ine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Pocketbook or Best Book-which is to be your guidebook on life's jour-

#### IT IS GERMAN RUTHLESSNESS

Former Manager Dooin of Phillies Thunderstruck at Sale of Alexander to Cubs.

Charley Dooin, once manager of the Phillies and a man who did much to

develop and bring out Grover Cleveland Alexander's great skill as a pitcher, calls his sale by William F. Baker to the Chicago Cubs little short of German ruthlessness. He is quoted as saying:

"I was thunderstruck when I read the news. Money can never replace wonders Alexander and Killifer. Al- Grover Alexander. exander was the

greatest pitcher in the history of the game, and it is a matter of much personal pride to me that I was responsible for his development.

"Selling Alexander, to my mind, is something like the practice of the Germans in demolishing a cathedral or destroying priceless works of art."

Kaiser's army hasn't stolen a base on Hank Gowdy yet.

The poor, down-trodden players are allowed but three feeds a day.

Guy Morton's pitching wing is said to be in good condition this spring.

It is still possible to go crazy over baseball, but it is no longer obligatory.

Fordham university baseball team will make a southern trip this spring.

Owing to the war Benny Kauf or-

dered only 12 suits of clothes this Catholic University has a pitcher

whose name has been given out as Kerononwetter.

Miller Huggins likes the looks of Sam Vick, the young outfielder from the Southern association.

Players in the National league must now buy their own shoe laces and pay for their own chicken feeds.

Sox, will retain the veteran Billy Murray. He will be the club's scout.

Bert Humphries, former big league fact: hurler, has been signed by the Louisville club and will attempt a com-

against the Brooklyn Dodgers with bearer. This alone explains the agony two home runs over the garden wall at and bloody sweat of Gethsemane and Hot Springs.

National league Hans Wagner of the the shadow of the cross upon which he Pittsburgh team has cracked out a total of 100 home runs.

Horace Milan of the Washington team, now is taking a course of in- cross we must speak with reverent restruction at the naval aviation station at Charleston, S. C.

Russian soviets remind us of left-

Lajoie will have to obtain a new uniform when he joins the Robins, but he will be permitted to use his old crutches.

Ray Caldwell, the lanky Yankee, has made his annual declaration to the doom." The bishop wisely adds, "The effect that he intends to win thirty reverent disciple will avoid all detailed games this season.

An Obstacle.

"What's going to keep me from kissing you?"

"My goodness;" — Harvard Lam-

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### The Substitute

By REV. L. W. GOSNELL Assistant Dean, Moody Bible

ministered unto but to minister, and te give his life a ransom for many.—Matthew 20:28.

A "ransom" is a price paid to secure freedom for a slave or to set a person free from liabilities or charges. Jesus Christ proclaims himself the ransom for sinners.

> The text makes clear that it was not merely by living his life but by giving it, in death, that Christ redeemed us. Many become confused at this point. Of course, Christ's perfect life was essential to his worthiness as a

sacrifice, for the Lamb must be without blemish or spot. But even though he had lived his perfect life, there would have been no salvation for sinners had he not gone to the cross. In the strong words of Bishop Moule, "His life had to do with his being all-worthy. But it did not, in whole or in part, constitute the sacrifice." The Apostle Peter sums up the matter thus: "Ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers, but with the precious word of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot."

His life was given "for" us, that is, "instead of" us, for so the word may be translated. The idea of substitution cannot be removed from this expression. An illustration of the thought is found in Exodus 30:12: When thou takest the sum of the children of Israel after their number, then shall they give every man a ransom for his soul unto the Lord." The half-shekel given by each man was "atonement money," "to make atonement for their souls" as the succeeding verses make clear. The people were considered not as doomed but as ransomed by the atonement money paid Instead of their death. Just so, Christ's death takes the place of ours.

The reality and solemnity of the substitution of Christ for sinners is set forth in Galations 3:13: "Christ Harry Frazee, owner of the Red hath redeemed us from the course of the law, having become a curse for us." The old revival hymn well expresses the amazing and glorious

Bearing shame and scoffing rude, In my place condemned he stood; Sealed my pardon with his blood: Hallelujah!

The death of Christ cannot be under-Babe Ruth started off in fine shape stood save as the death of the sinthe plea, "Father, if thou be willing, remove this cap from me." But if we During 21 years as a player in the understand that he was entering inte would bear the sins of the world, we can understand his shrinking horror

> As to what Christ suffered on the serve. But his cry, "My God, my God, why has thou forsaken me?" must not be emptied of its awful content. Bishop Moule points out that Christ could not suffer that personal remorse for sin which must be one awful element of the future woe of sinners; yet his cry on the cross "at least favors the belief that the all-blessed Sufferer willed to bear, and the Father to ordain, the personal experience of desertion such as enters into the final speculation in such a matter." But well may we sing:

None of the ransomed ever knew How deep were the waters crossed, Or how dark was the night the Lord went through,

To find the sheep that was lost. What a price has been paid for our redemption! Surely we could ask for no more; God himself could ask for no more and Satan is silenced in view of the work done on the cross. Christ's For cleansing and beautifying the cry, "It is finished," answers all the skin, hands and hair, Cuticura Soap questions which could be asked in

We need only fall down and thankdress, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At fully accept the deliverance bought by

A Christian girl lay dying. With much effort she moved one hand to the Women talk more than men, but the other and, after feeling the palm for a moment, whispered, "No nail; his hand was pierced with the nail." With even Abuse is doubly plentiful when wit more effort she raised her hand to her brow and, after feeling it, said, "No thorns; his brow was crowned with thorns." Finally, her hand stole to her side, and with triumph she cried, "No spear; his side was pierced by the spear."

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be sweet and bowels regular. Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and can not salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dedson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calo-

Right There.

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Proper Fate. "What did they do with that clever forger?" "They sent him promptly to

the 'pen.' " Many a beautiful Easter bonnet represents the milliner's unpaid bill.

# LIKE BACON

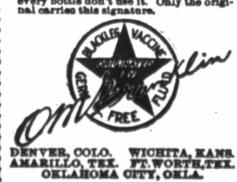
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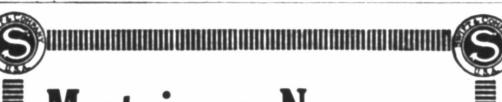
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TRAILING ARBUTUS FLOWERS.

"We mustn't waste any more time." whispered one of the trailing arbutus family to an-

other. "No, we mustn't, We must awake, for we are first to awaken every year. And all the families in this part get up soon. "Years ago," continued the sec-

"Oh, Dear, I'm a Little Shy."

ond arbutus, "some children came here to look for trailing arbutus flowers. They said to each other:

"It must be too soon. There aren't any.' But they looked under some of our leaves and several of us were trying to peep out as fast as we could, so we would not disappoint the children.

"Many of our sisters and brothers were picked and I believe they came out later on in water.

"But those same children have come back every year, and now they are almost grown-up. They always say, "'Here is the first place we find

these lovely spring flowers.' And so we know what is expected of us."

"How did you learn all that?" asked the first arbutus. "This is the first look at the world I've had."

"It's my first look, too," said the second arbutus, "but I almost feel as if I know all about the world, for the leaves have whispered to me when we were under the snow all about the glorious world.

"Ah, yes," continued the arbutus, "every year as our family goes away as the different flowers are picked, they whisper to the leaves:

"'Don't forget to tell the buds in the spring that they must be the first to come out. It's expected of them. Remember to tell them.'

"And so we know we must come out

"Yes," said the first arbutus, "that's why I'm out. I thought perhaps you had been here before.'

Just then they heard a rustling of

leaves and then some laughter. "I believe those are the voices of

children," said the first arbutus. "Oh, dear, I'm a little shy," said the second arbutus. "I must hide."

And it hid a little under the leaves. Most of the arbutus family are shy, and they always hide under the leaves. But once they are picked and put into water they are shy no longer, and they give a glorious fragrance all around them, to let grown-ups and children know how happy they are they can give pleasure.

"We must look under the leaves," said one child. "I've heard this is the place where they come out first every

The arbutus flowers nudged each other and rustled a trifle under their leaves. "It's just as I said," the secand arbutus whispered.

"Yes, it is," said the first arbutus. "Won't they love it when they see us hiding here? We're having a little game of hide-and-seek—that's all!"

"Look!" exclaimed the children. "Here! Here! Lots of them. Oh. aren't they beautiful, the lovely pink sweet flowers."

The flowers smiled. "Good morning, children," they seemed to say. And how bright and

they looked. "It's true," said one of the children, "this place is famous for the first arbutus of the year."

pink and happy m

"There," thought the leaves to themselves, and the roots which were left behind, the same thing pext year. Oh,

tell the flowers Carrying the Biggest Bunches.

how sad it would be if we ever lost "But I'll hurry things up next spring," said one of the roots.

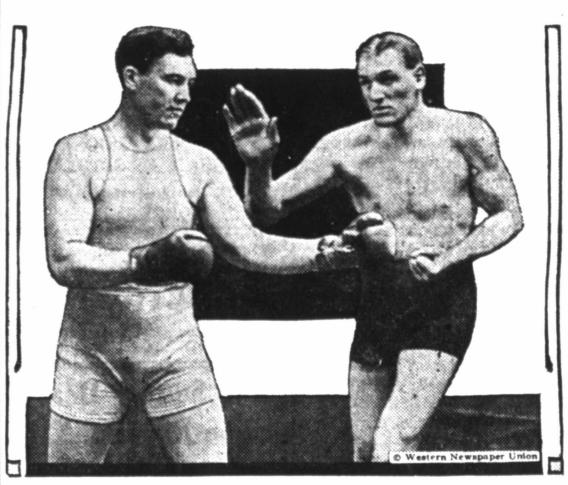
"So will I," said another. And off the children went, carrying he biggest bunches you ever did see of trailing arbutus flowers. And the lowers whispered secrets to the chiliren, but as the children didn't understand flower talk, they didn't know

that they were hearing secrets. This is what the flowers were sayng: "We hide our heads under the eaves because we're shy, but we love hildren and the whole beautiful world. to pick lots of us, and we'll be bright

But the children only knew that the lowers were very, very fragrant, and



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OVER THE TOP Roosevelt county did herself proud in the matter of the Third Liberty loan. Her quota was \$101,750.00; she raised something over \$112,000.00 with over eight hundred subscribers, or seventy five per cent of her population buying. Just how good this showing really is may be appreciated by recalling at in the Second Liberty loan, the percentage of people buying was less than nine. Last Saturday, the day set for the raising of the honor fiag, was one that will be long remembered by the crowd that was in attendance. The main feature of the day was the parade, which started at 2:30 o'clock, p. m. This parade consisted of hospital ambulances, Red Cress cars, sister of mercy cars, the old ladies knitting club, sewing clubs and the entire en rollment of the pupils of the public schools. After the parade, Captain Jack Wilcox introduced Judges G. L. Reese and Charles R. Brice, who both made interesting addresses. Also Mrs. J. S. Long, director of the boys' and girls' club work, gave a talk and reported progress. Another interesting part of the program was the separating of a recalcitrant bond slacker from a nice piece of money for bonds, not, however, without muce moral suasion. There are a few others. At the conclusion of the oratory the honor flag was raised, beneath the stars and stripes, under whose sheltering wing the oppressed of ell nations have found a safe refuge, and under whose folds today a half million of the flower of American young manhood is battling against every foul device known to mankind for the freedom of the world. It will be cheering news to the Roosevelt county boys in France that their home county is with them in spirit, and in fact, that their dol ars are at their service; that their hopes and their hopes honor are in their keeping, and that they have no fears for

either.

### OFFICIAL BALLOT



Demogratic Primaries, May 11, 1918

Roosevelt County, New Mexico

PLEDGE—"I am a Democrat and agree to support the nominees of these Democratic primaries in the general election next November.'

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COE HOWARD J. S. LONG Sheriff BENT B. CLAYTON

Representative

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Treasurer JOHN W. BALLOW County Clerk SETH A. MORRISON

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Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned county treasurer of Roosevelt county New Mexico, will, at his office in the court house at Portales, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of the 20th day of May, 1918, sell to the highest bidder for cash, as is provided by section 4902 of the code of 1915, as amended by section 23 of chapter 105 of the session laws of 1917, bonds of school district No, 27 of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, aggregating the sum of \$750.00, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, macent per annum, payable semi-annually, ma-turing twenty years from date and redeemable, at the pleasure of the school district, at any time after ten years, being issued in denomina-tions of \$250,00, and bearing date the 20th day of May, 1918.

This the 26th day of April, 1918JOHN W. BALLOW,
Treasure

A-27:M-17 County Treasurer.

SALE OF SCHOOL BONDS

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County Treasurer.

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JOHN W. BALLOW.

A-26:M-17 County Treasurer.

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This the 26th day of April, 1918.

JOHN W. BALLOW,

#### NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, on the 11th day February, 1918, in cause No. 1219 upon the civil docket pending in the district court of the Fifth judicial district of the state of New Mexico, in and for Roosevett county, wherein C. Slayton is plaintiff and Ernest C. Wright, Jennie C. Wright, Portales Utilities Company, A. A. Rogers, C. J. Taylor, Jr., T. J. Lee, S. J. Artingstall, Jr., and A. L. Burrows are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a judgment and decree upon a promissory note and morigage deed securing the same in the sum of \$3035.69, with all costs of said action, and said mortgage securing said amounts was fore closed upon the following described real estate, to wit: The southwest quarter of section eleven in township one south of range thirfy three east of New Mexico meridian, New Mexico, plaintiff's said mortgage being declared by the court a first and prior lien upon said property in favor of the plaintiff, that said judgment and decree at the date of the sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$3087,27 with costs of suit, and whereas, the undersigned. H. Waggoner, was in said decree appointed special commissioner and directed to advertise and sell said described lands and real estate, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash. to satisfy said judgment, interest and costs of suit. after due advertisement thereof. therefore, by virtue of said judgment and decree, and the power vested in me as such special commissioner, I will, on the 29th cay of May. 1918, at the hour of two o'clock, p.m. of said day, at the norteeast front door of the court house in the town of Portales, New Mexico, sell said described real estate and property at public ven-due, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said judgment and decree, and the costs of this Witness my hand this the 20th day of H. C. WAGGORER, Special Commissioner.

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## Matters Purely Local

Miss Gertrude Bryan is visiting Mrs.

Jesf Mc Cormack.

Mrs. Cleve George, of Elida, was Portales visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. McAdams, of Monay, Texas, the guest of Mrs. Nash.

Miss Esther Myrers, of Inez, was Portales visitor Tuesday. Miss Nola Keen passed through the

city Monday en route to Roswell. P. E. Jordan made a business trip to

Fort Sumner the fisst of the week. Miss Sidney Pierce accompanied Miss

Nola Keen to Clovis Tuesday evening. Miss Lucy Seay, of Roswell, is the guest of Mrs. Roy Connally this week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, of Lacy, Sunday of this week,

Judge George L. Reese made a busi. ness trip to Clovis Wednesday of this

County Treasurer John W. Ballow is

guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Johnson last week.

Joe Naylor and family and J.M. Littlejohn made a trip to Plainview, Texas,

Prof. W. H. H. Roberts, of the state college, was in Portales Wednesdey of this week.

Miss Jenny Carter left last week for Clovis, where see attended the funeral of her uncle.

Miss Orma Sanbefer, of Amarillo, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends and relatives in the city.

Miss Lillian Carr returned last week from an extended visit with friends in Little Rock and Augusta, Arkansas.

Frances and Juanita Ryther, Dora Smith and Charles Del Curto spent the day in Clovis, with friends Sunday.

Frank McInturff left this week for Electra, Texas, to have a look at his part of the big oil well at that place.

The Central Christian church will observe Mothers day. Every one is invited to attend. Mrs. P. E. Jordan.

The People's store bought the remainder of the stock of the White House grocery and moved it to their

tesday for San Antonio, Texas, to attend | fluence in his candidacy and will Mr. Neals brother, Paul, who is reported

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Neale left Wed-

Fred Broadhead this week bought from Dr. Hensley about five hundred head of cattle which he shipped to his Kansas ranch.

FOR SALE-Young Jersey cows, fresh with or without calves. Will take part in Liberty Bonds. Five miles south and one mile west of Portales.

Miss Ettie Stovall and Miss Ora Crawford, of the Arch community were Portales visitors Wednesday. Stovall has just completed a term of teaching at Floyd and Miss Crawford of

Judge John W. Armstrong, of Carlsbad candidate for one of the judgeships of this district, was in Portales for a short time Wednesday night. The judge briny deep. says that his prospects for the nomination look good to him.

Seth Tidwell and family will leave the latter part of the week for their new rauch in the Sacramento mountains. Seth says hunting in that neighborhood that practically all of the children of the will be good this fall and that all his Portales friends are invited to come and

The horse race scheduled for Tuesday afternoon turned out to be no horse race at all. The little black, belonging to Seth Tidwell, run away from the long legged bay and hid. That bay might be a good horse in a race if he had a land terrapin to run against and the distance for 10 cents. was not over thirty feet.

STEP AND IN THE STORY OF

Land Loans-See W. O. or W. B. Seth Morrison, county clerk, wants the people of Roosevelt county to know that he appreciates the fact that he has had no opponent in his race for the second term. He had intended to get out among the people just as though he had a vigorous campaign to wage but the work of his office had multiplied so that he would have had to neglect his duty, and that he would not feel justified in doing. He believes that efficiency and hard work are the best evidences of appreciation any officer can give his constituency, and this you will always have from Seth A. Morrison.

> Land Loans-See W. O. or W. B Oldham.

#### Coe Howard

Coe Howard is one of the old timers in Portales and Roosevelt county. It was through his efforts largely, that Roosevelt county was changed from a sparsely settled prairie to a thickly settled and prosperous community. Mr. Howard is largely interested in the affair of convalescing from a severe attack of the the county and state. He is a man of affairs and of ability and Mrs. M. E. Holmes, of Need, was the has for the past two years been associated with the directorate of the Security State bank. He is a graduate of a reputable law school and has decided opinions on matters of public interest. He feels that he is qualified for the position to which he aspires. Mr. Howard is asking to be sent to Santa Fe as representative of the Twentieth representative district. He has been given much encouragement by the electorate and feels confident that he will be the choice of the Democratic voters on May 11th. His candidaby has been neglected to some extent by reason of the very active part he has taken in the flotation of the different United States bond issues and the work of the American Red Cross, yet he felt that that work was paramount to any personal interest that he might have in the campaign. He is in hearty sympathy with the administration at Washington and is ready and willing to do anything necessary to help eliminate the Hun from European control. He asks for your support and your inappreciate anything you may be able to do in his behalf.

> All kinds of feed at the Portales Mill & Elevator Company.

Estrayed, one six weeks old black. and get reward.

S. L. Goodson, a soldier of the United States army, stationed at Garden City, Long Island, New York, was in the city the first of the week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Atkinson. Mr. Goodson is just convalescing from an attack of typhoid fever.

M. E. Farris, C. M. M., of El Paso, Texas, was here this week looking for recruits for the navy. For some reason necessity and advantage of such the young men of this neck of the woods a course and will call for your are not partial to the big pond and prefer New Mexico sand storms to the

Mrs. Elizabeth Koger, of the state college, was in Portales'the first of the week organizing the children for summer garden work. She says that, so far, she has been very successful and loan campaign must be of perstate will be enrolled in the work of making war gardens.

### Peoples Store

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### Publicity of Slackers

W. O. Oldham is in receipt of a letter from J. W. Hoopes, deputy governor of the Federal Reserve bank, of Dallas, Texas, which indicates that bond slackers are to be tabbed. The letter follows:

To the Organizer Addressed:

As you are aware the third Liberty loan campaign is going to be conducted in a much more thorough manner than any previous loan, and the personal responsibility of every citizen is going to be brought home to him in a manner never attempted before. In this line of thought, we want you to be prepared, after the campaign has been in progress for about two weeks, to give to us a list of the names and admale pig. Finder notify James A. Hall dresses of every man in your county who is well known to possess wealth, and who has not done his full share in the purchase of Liberty bonds. That is to say who has not purchased just what you consider to be his individual quota. We trust you will have the names ready for us on call. You will realize the watching the subscription lists very closely. This is one of the duties which we ask you to assume in this campaign. We ask you to realize that records and data relating to the third Liberty manent character, and we ask you to keep these records by you subject to our call at any time We know that we will receive your hearty co-operation in these very important matters.

Very sincerely yours,

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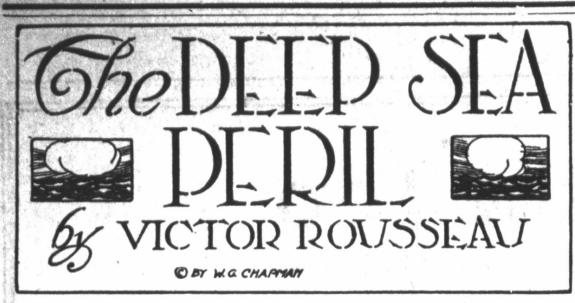
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#### MASTERMAN'S LIFELONG ENEMY APPEARS AND THE FOR-MER IS SEIZED WITH A FATAL APOPLECTIC STROKE.

Naval Lieutenant Donald Paget, just given command of the F-55, a submarine, meets at Washington an old friend and distinguished though somewhat eccentric scientist, Captain Masterman. Masterman has just returned from an exploring expedition, bringing with him a member of the strange race, the existence of whose species, he asserts, menaces the human family. At the club, the "March Hares," Masterman explains his theory to Paget.

CHAPTER II—(Continued.)

"I know it, my boy," the captain answered. "I've been called crazy ever since I saw the sea serpent off Aberdeen. I have to thank MacBeard for that. Ever since he learned that I | are to be found?" was on the track of something big, he has been trying to queer me. And the sea floor, I was called an impostor, which hurt more. But as I see to himself, and I stand for truth and fair play, moderation and courteous forward. dealings, not mudslinging and invective, and calling names, like that pig-MacBeard."

this. But if you don't listen, if you don't warn the world-"

this particular generation and another | fell out of the dead man's pocket.

Masterman leaped out of his chair and stood beside the lieutenant. He twined his fingers convulsively in his long beard, and there was a look of fanaticism upon his face.

"Because it has already terminated and begun," he shouted. "Because I have felt them!"

"Seen them, you mean!"

"Felt them, sir! Ocean men. Monsters, between the Shetlands and the Faroes, just where the continental shelf rises to a hundred feet-feet, sir, not fathoms—and then sinks to the uttermost abysses of the sea. A natural ladder, sir, a mountain path up to the world. And if you won't tell the world—"

He broke off and stared at the door leading into the passage from which they had entered the cardroom. A man was standing there. He was perhaps fifty years of age, short, rather chubby, his round face covered with a sparse, prickly growth of hair. His figure was rotund, and like many short, round men with sparse beards, he had an appearance of pompous dig-

Somehow Donald imagined that he had been behind the door for a long time, and that his entrance had been prompted by curiosity so uncontrollable that it overcame all sense of shame or fear of discovery.

"MacBeard!" ejaculated the captain

quickly. "Donald, my lad—Donald—" He stopped and looked at Donald in a dazed way. He put his hands to his head, a look of bewilderment succeeded that of anger, and he sat down again heavily. His features were suffused with blood.

Donald sprang toward him.

"Captain Masterman! Are you ill?" he cried, shaking the old man by the shoulder.

MacBeard came into the room and stood beside him, looking down at the captain. Donald was conscious, even in that moment, of a strong personal antagonism toward this man. "I am afraid he has had a seizure,"

said MacBeard.

Capt. Jonathan Roderick Masterman looked into the lieutenant's face with an expression of pathetic helplessness, smiled, sighed very deeply, stretched out his legs, and died.

### CHAPTER III.

The House in Baltimore. Life was extinct, and the doctor who was hastfly summoned could only confirm what all perceived. He gave it as his opinion that heart disease was the cause of death, and stated that there would be no need of an inquest.

ure?" be inquired of Donald.

"Yes," answered the lieutenant. "He

was worked up about a theory of his

The doctor nodded. "A very happy death," he said. "He didn't suffer. I suppose you know where his relatives

Donald was entirely ignorant. The little group that had gathered about when I discovered mammalian life on the body, their own theories temporarily laid aside, were equally in ignoit, lieutenant, a man can only be true in anyone else at the Inventors' club.

Then Professor MacBeard stepped

"I had some acquaintance with Captain Masterman," he said. "In fact, eon-brained, pot-faced porous plaster, we were strong friends, although our views were divergent upon certain "But at least you won't mention subjects. I shall be happy to see to these matters to people who-who the interment and to take charge of all. That's why I have told you about | an official trustee."

Lieutenant Paget was convinced station. that MacBeard was lying. Why, it "I?" exclaimed Donald. "Good Lord, was hardly ten minutes since Master-Masterman, you can't suppose that I man had denounced him in his charthing won't happen in our time. Why slight jar to the couch on which the should a world epoch terminate in body had been laid, a bulky envelope

> MacBeard stooped hastily and was about to transfer it to his own when Donald intervened.

"Excuse me, but is that not addressed to me?" he asked. "My name is Paget-Lieutenant Paget."

He was sure that he had seen his name upon the envelope, and it occurred to him that this must be the document about which Masterman had spoken. Donald felt greatly touched to think that Captain Masterman had had him in his crazy mind, even be-



A Man Was Standing There.

fore their accidental meeting, out of all his acquaintances.

MacBeard had placed his hand over the envelope, as if to hide the address; but, seeing that it was impossible to deny Donald's assertion, he re-

"I suppose that you are the man you claim to be, and can prove it? A good many persons are anxious to profit by Captain Masterman's discov-

The insolent challenge, and the sneering tone awakened Donald's anger. He grasped the professor by the wrist which held the letter.

"I am not accustomed to having my identity questioned," he answered. "You'll hand over that envelope, and afterward I will submit my proofs to whoever is qualified to receive themand you can do the same."

MacBeard's hand opened and Donald took out the envelope.

fessor with an embarrassed laugh, "I some sort of arrangement that per-"Was he excited just before his seiz- really had no intention of withholding mits a senator to be as inconsiderate a food conserver. Have you got any anything that is legitimately yours, I as he chooses."

assure you, nor of questioning your good faith. I was a little startled at the moment. Perhaps, as mutual friends of the late Captain Masterman, we may take care of his interests jointly."

As Donald made no reply of any nature, MacBeard turned to the physician, and had soon completed the arrangements for the removal of the body. Then he went to the clerk's

He held the envelope in his hand still, and he was about to place it in his pocket when his glance fell upon a sentence of the manuscript within. Donald drew it forth and read:

In the event of your hearing of my sudden death you must not delay a moment, but go to my house at 166 ...... street Baltimore. Above all, beware of Mac-Beard. He is an enemy of the human race. So much I have learned, but-

Donald thrust the loose sheet into his trousers pocket and replaced the envelope, containing the rest of the manuscript, in the inner pocket of his coat just as MacBeard returned.

He would go to the house in Baltimore, and see what there was to be done. He knew Masterman had lived there alone for years, in the intervals between his voyages.

MacBeard came up to Donald with smile of affected friendliness.

"I understand that there is no record of our friend's address," he said "Poor Masterman was a very retiring man. No doubt we shall learn from have arranged for the funeral to be tions around its tank. held from Byam's undertaking estabbe done?"

"Then if you can look in here tomorrow at eleven, we may talk matters over. And now permit me to wish you good evening," said the professor cordially.

Donald took the proffered hand and haven't open minds," pleaded Donald. any papers that my old colleague may felt a sense of disgust at the touch "No, sir. I wash my hands of them have left, pending the appointment of of the limp fingers. He strode out of the club and took a taxicab to the

The Baltimore train was just about to leave. Late that night Lieutenant Paget found the captain's house. It am able to stake my professional ca- acteristically unmeasured terms! And proved to be in a little old-fashioned reer upon the retailing of such a at that moment, apparently by coinci- thoroughfare flanked by neat twostory! Even supposing it true, the dence, but doubtless on account of a story houses. Each had a tiny back an arm extended from a wall. There garden surrounded by a high wall. There was about it an atmosphere, if not of mystery, at any rate of the retirement common to such backwaters in the roaring streams of city life.

The captain's was the last house in the street. It stood a little farther back than the rest, and was turned slightly askew, facing them obliquely, as though it knew itself to be out of place and was watching its neighbors

apprehensively over its shoulder. There was no light behind any of the drawn shades. A small dome on a flat roof seemed to contain a tele-

Donald climbed a fence, walked round to the back, and went up the weed-grown path. The grass had not been mowed since it sprouted in spring; the garden was unkempt and ragged. Donald felt sure that there was nobody within.

As he trod the flags of the garden walk, he fancied he heard the footsteps of a man in the street, following him. He stopped and listened, but now no sound was to be heard. He peered back into the darkness, but saw nobody. Doubtless it was a hallucination; it was a place of echoes and hauntings. And it seemed singularly appropriate for old Masterman to have had his lonely residence here, matching his lonely life.

As Donald had anticipated, the front door was locked, and the window of the living room was apparently nailed up. He traversed the narrow path that led to the back of the house. To his surprise, the kitchen window was

Then it occurred to him that Masterman had, of course, gone directly home on his return from his last earthly voyage. He swung himself across the window sill and dropped to the kitchen floor. He lit a match and found the gas.

The yellow flare disclosed a very ordinary kitchen. Masterman's coat hung on a nail beside the window, and he had been cooking porridge upon the range. Donald went through into a room at the back of the house, which had apparently been built out at a date subsequent to the completion of the structure in its original form.

He stopped short at the threshold, hearing the "swish, swish" of water.

It was not falling water, but a gentle and continuous rippling. It occurred to him that it was, on a smaller his friends in a day or two. I will scale, the sound that a seal makes in have an announcement published, and the course of its ceaseless peregrina-

There was a palm tree in a huge lishment the day after tomorrow at pot on either side of what looked like rance. Nobody was much interested noon. Is there anything further to an enormous goldfish bowl. Behind this was a second bowl, even larger. "I hardly think so," answered Don- In the middle of the room was a complicated apparatus resembling a retort. He saw a chandelier close to the

Donald lit three gas-jets.

The light flickered and sputtered as the air rushed out. Then, when it had grown steady, Donald saw that a sort of photographic lens was attached to a box in front of the apparatus, directed toward the great tank between the palms.

Approaching, he perceived that the top of the tank was covered with glass. A slender tube of the same material entered the water from was a connection between the tube and another which ran upward from the top of the retort.

Presently Donald caught sight of a barometer attached to the front of the mechanism. Now he began to understand. The object in the tank, whatever it was, was under a pressure of a number of atmospheres.

He approached the tank and walked round it, peering into it from every side. He saw the ripples on the water, and there was a faint sound as of a fin brushed against the glass. But he could see nothing in the nature of a living thing.

> Lieutenant Paget sees a specimen of the strange race which Masterman has described.

> > (TO BE CONTINUED.)

### WHALES STOOD ON HEADS | MISTAKEN FOR GRAND DUKE

According to Ship's Officers, Large School Certainly Acted in a Most Peculiar Manner.

This is a whale story, concerning whales that stood on their heads, and all vouched for by officers of a fruit steamer which arrived recently from the tropics, according to a recent issue of the Boston Evening Transcript. And, seriously, the chief officer of the steamer intends to make a written report about the whales to the federal bureau of fisheries. The whales were grand duke of notoriously pro-German sighted south of Nantucket shoals lightship. During their respective careers at sea the officers have seen many whales, but none which behaved in the manner of those sighted on this trip, and it was the peculiar behavior of the leviathans, together with their number, which attracted attention. Between 6 a. m. and 4 p. m., according to the chief officer, nearly 100 whales were seen. For the most part, they appeared to be in shoal water, and from time to time would dive and remain poised with their tail-ends protruding twenty or more feet above the surface, according to the size of the individual whale. In the opinion of the ship's officers, the whales pursued these tactics to obtain food fish swimming close to the bottom. On the other hand, a number of the whales again, according to the mariners, floated on the surface apparently asleep and were not disturbed by the approach of the steamer.

In addition to the story, the steamer brought 28,000 bunches of bananas.

Perplexing Inquiry.

"Father," said the small boy, "what is senatorial courtesy?" "I am not exactly clear on that "Why, my dear sir," said the pro- point, my son. But it seems to be

"God Forbid, I Am an Honest Man!" Replied Russian Army Leader, in Reply to Salutation.

An amusing story is going the rounds in Petrograd just now concerning General Brusiloff, who can be very direct and brusque in his manner when he

The army leader happened to be in the capital on business—this was before the revolution-and was mistaken by an officer passing for a certain sympathy.

Coming smartly to the salute, the officer, who probably, judging from his manner, had some petition for preferment to present, led off with the re-

"Pardon me, sire, but I believe I am addressing the Grand Duke So-and-"God forbid!" replied General Brus-

iloff, "I am an honest man." And saluting gravely in his turn he passed on.

Portable Fire for Soldiers.

A compact portable material for building a small cooking fire is a blessing to the soldier in the field in winter. The Italians have devised a home-made "fire ration" which the people at home prepared last winter for the men in the cruel Alpine passes. The fire ration is made from old newspapers, and candle ends, or other paraffin material. The newspapers are cut into little cylinders, which are afterwards boiled in the paraffin. This produces a highly compact and combastible little cylinder which can be used for heating food in the field.

Foe to Waste.

old food you don't want wasted?"



Red-blooded men of courage are on the firing line—and there are many anemic, weak, discouraged men and women left at home.

At this time of the year most people suffer from a condition often called Spring Fever. They feel tired, worn out, before the day is half thru. They may have frequent headaches and

sometimes "pimply" or pale skin. Bloodless people, thin, anemic people, those with pale cheeks and lips, who have a poor appetite and feel that tired, worn or feverish condition in the springtime of the year, should try the refreshing tonic powers of a good alterative and blood purifier. Such a one is extracted from Blood root, Golden Seal and Stone root, Queen's root and Oregon Grape root, made up with chemically pure glycerine and without the use of alcohol. This can be obtained in ready-to-use tablet form in sixty-cent vials, as druggists have sold it for fifty years as Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a standard remedy that can be obtained in tablet or liquid form.

A good purge should be taken once a week even by persons who have a movement daily, in order to eliminate matter which may remain and cause a condition of auto-intoxication, poisoning the whole system. To clean the system at least once a week is to practice health measures. There is nothing so good for this purpose as tiny pills made up of the May-apple, leaves of aloe and jalap, and sold by almost all druggists in this country as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, sugar-coated, easy to take.



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## BEAUTY HINTS FOR YOUR HAIR

How to Prevent It From Growing Gray.

There is no occasion for you to look unattractive or prematurely old because of gray, streaked with gray, white or faded hair. Don't let this condition with its look of age rob you of your youthful beauty and the wonderful opportunities which life offers. No matter how gray, prematurely gray, lusterless or faded your hair might be, "La Creole" Hair Dressing will revive the color glands of nature—promote a healthy condition of the hair and scalp—and cause all of your gray or faded hair to become evenly dark. soft, lustrous and beautiful. This preparation is not a dye, but an elegant toilet requisite which is easily applied by simply combing or brushing through the hair.

USE

"LA CREOLE" HAIR DRESSING to prevent your hair from growing gray and to restore a beautiful dark color to gray or faded hair. Sold and guaranteed by all good drug stores everywhere, or sent direct for \$1.20 by Van Vleet-Mansfield Drug Co., Memphis, Tenn.—(Advt.)

Time for Him to Flee.

"William," said Mrs. Peckham sternly, "did you ever stop to think that someone might steal me when you were away?"

"Well," responded the poor husband, with a far-away look, "I was a little alarmed when a horse thief was prowling through these parts last week."

Mrs. Peckham stiffened up haught-

"A horse thief, eh?"

"Yes. I heard that he carried off two or three nags from this district." And then Peckham made a bee-line for the door.

\$100 Reward, \$100

Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. therefore requires constitutional treat-ment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the Sys-tem. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE destroys the foundation of the disease, gives the patient strength by improving the general health and assists nature in doing its work. \$100.00 for any case of Catarrh that HALL'S CATARRE MEDICINE fails to cure. Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

It is a good thing to ask ourselves once in a while whether or not we are useful citizens.

### **NERVES GAVE OUT**

Serious Kidney Trouble Had Made Life Miserable, But Doan's Removed All the Trouble. Hasn't Suffered Since.

"I had such severe pains in my back," says Mrs. Albert Akroyd, 304 W. Indiana Avenue, Philadel-phia, Pa., "that they almost doubled me up. Many a day I could not do my housework and at every move it seemed as if my

back would break in two. My feet and ankles swelled until I had to wear largesized slippers and sometimes I couldn't stand up.
"I had dizzy spells

and dreadful headaches and flery Mrs. Akroyd flashes passed before my eyes. Had a heavy weight been resting on my head, the pain could not have been more distressing. The least noise startled me, was so nervous. I couldn't control the kidney secretions and the pain in passage was awful.

'It began to look as though my case was beyond the reach of medicine until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. The first box benefited me and four boxes cured all the troubles. I have had no further cause for complaint.

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**GOVERNMENT ASKED TO HELP** 

Proper Construction and Maintenance of Roads Demanded by Conditions of Great War.

"That the effective conduct of the war demands immediate attention to proper construction and maintenance of the highways of the country is a plain statement of facts," asserts Chairman George P. Coleman of the American Association of State Highway Officials.

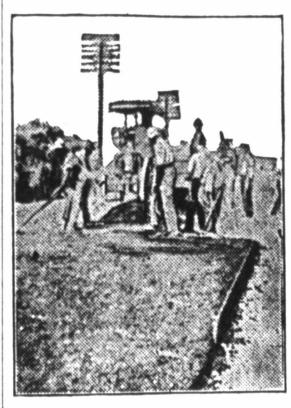
"Never before has there been such urgent need of a comprehensive and definite policy for road and street construction and maintenance as is the case at present, and, in making their request to the United States government to formulate and promulgate at the earliest hour a plan which shall be countrywide in its character, the state highway officials believe that they are expressing the concensus of opinion of all citizens interested in roads progress intended to encompass the greatest economic and military value in conserving the resources of the country and facilitating the highways transportation of freight.

"In our appeal to W. G. McAdoo, director general of railroads, we have included a special petition that freight cars shall be furnished early in the spring for transportation of the necessary materials entering into the building of main artery roads which command a priority of attention. We are going to be exceedingly hopeful that the director general will recognize the interrelated needs of railroads and highways, enabling the road arteries of communication to serve a maximum help in relieving the rail lines of their present overload."

#### GOOD ROADS IN CONNECTICUT

Excellence Due to Efficient Maintenance Under Extremely Heavy Traffic Conditions.

The main roads of Connecticut have long been famous for their excellence, a condition due to their efficient maintenance under heavy traffic as well as to their original good construction. State Highway Commissioner Bennet has organized a special branch of his bureau to attend to this maintenance, so that there is no divided responsibility for results. It is under a superintendent of repairs, W. Leroy Ulrich, who recently explained how the good results are attained. The state has been divided into ten districts. Any part of each of them can be easily reached from a central point, where the office of the district supervisor of repairs is located. Each district is divided into sections, each in charge of | the durn thing for me, then." a foreman. These foremen sometimes



**Building Asphalt Pavement.** 

have charge of 10 to 15 men, depending upon the season of the year and the work to be done. In addition each district has one or more gangs transferred from place to place to carry on reconstruction, oiling and other work which is occasionally needed in such amounts that the section forces are unable to perform it without neglecting other duties. This bureau handles all the maintenance and small reconstruction work of the state and keeps the roads in good condition until long stretches become so worn that their reconstruction by contract is more economical than further maintenance.

Trees Along Highways.

The highway commissioner of Pennsylvania suggests that trees planted along highways should be fruit or nut bearers. This would make fine picking for tourists and small boys.

Ruin Asphalt Pavements Asphalt pavements are softened and sometimes disintegrated by illuminating gas leaking from mains beneath

# CROSS, FEVERISH IF CONSTIPATED

LOOK AT TONGUE! THEN GIVE FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR STOM-ACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

"CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS" CAN'T HARM CHILDREN AND



stomach, liver and bowels need a times a year. If the ground is so wet cleansing at once.

ach-ache, diarrhea, remember, a gene ing and will promote the general tle liver and bowel cleansing should health and welfare of the hens. A

Figs" for children's ills; give a tea, inches above the ground. When this spoonful, and in a few hours all the space is left the floor will not rot so foul waste, sour bile and fermenting quickly and rats are not so likely to food which is clogged in the bowels take refuge under the house. passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again, and sanitary condition, dropping All children love this harmless, delia boards should be provided and roosts cious "fruit laxative," and it never above them. This makes it easy to fails to effect a good "inside" cleans remove the droppings each morning ing. Directions for babies, children and helps greatly to keep the house of all ages and grown-ups are plainly free from objectionable odors. A liton the bottle.

given today saves a sick child tomor- will be found to make the cleaning row, but get the genuine. Ask your easier. druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Here they are out of the way and at Company."—Adv.

Demand on Demand.

"The war is demanding great things of us, but it's a holy war, and we don't

The speaker was a representative. He continued:

"No, we don't mind—on the contrary, we're glad-but the war's demands, somehow, remind me of Smith-

"Smithers entered a hatter's and produced a very dirty check to cash

"'Can't do it, Mr. Smithers,' said the hatter. 'I couldn't possibly do it.' "'All right,' said Smithers. Tron

### RELIABLE PRESCRIPTION FOR THE KIDNEYS

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medi-

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Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medieine has so many friends, Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start

reatment at once. However, if you wish first to test this too high for the heavier hens to fly up reat preparation send ten cents to Dr. to. The roosts should be 3 or 4 inches

Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

Knew What Baby Needed.

Mother happened into the room just as Willie was making his baby sister sit down in her little chair. The little ners rounded off, makes a good roost. one strenuously objected, whereupon | A pole, or even a piece of board 2 or 3 Willie spanked her. Mother caught inches wide, may be used. If the roost him by the arm and shook him.

"How dare you spank baby?" she "Well," he defended, "she's getting spoiled, and someone's got to have authority over her."

### BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

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Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body.--Addison.



#### ARRANGEMENT OF HEN HOUSE

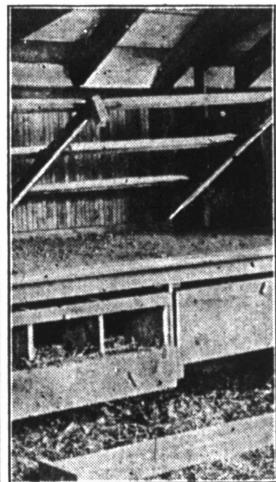
No Floor Needed Where Drainage is Good-Dropping Boards Should Be Cleaned Daily.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

When the soil is well drained and consequently will remain dry no floor need be used in the poultry house, the ground itself serving as the floor. Often a slight dampness can be corrected by filling up the floor several inches above the outside ground with sand, cinders, gravel, or dry dirt. Three or four inches of the surface of Mother! Your child isn't naturally the floor, and of the run if a very small cross and peevish. See if tongue is run is used, should be removed and recoated; this is a sure sign the little placed with fresh dirt two or three or damp that this condition cannot be When listless, pale, feverish, full of corrected by filling it is best to provide cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't a board floor, as this will help to keep eat, sleep or act naturally, has stom, the house dry, will allow easier cleanalways be the first treatment given, house with a board floor should be set Nothing equals "California Syrup of on posts or blocks, so that it is 5 to 12

In order to keep the flock in a clean tle sand or ashes sprinkled on the Keep it handy in your home. A little dropping board after each cleaning

The drepping boards and roosts should be placed against the back wall. the same time where they are least likely to be reached by drafts. The dropping boards should be about 20 to



Interior of Well-Equipped Hen House.

30 inches from the floor, depending on the height of the building. This gives space enough under them so that the hens have room to exercise and is not above the dropping boards. If more than a single roost is used, they should be on the same level; otherwise all the hens will try to crowd upon the highest roost. A piece of 2 by 4 or 2 by 3, laid on edge and with the upper coris of light material and fairly long, it should be supported in the center, as well as at the ends, to prevent it from sagging badly. An allowance of 7 to 10 inches of roost space per fowl, according to the size of the birds, should be made. If more than one roost is used, they should be placed about 15 inches apart.

### ERADICATION OF ALL PESTS

First Step Should Be to Clean House and Then Thoroughly Spray or Paint Interior.

The first step to eradicate the pests which live in cracks and crevices in poultry houses is to clean the house. All litter, nest material and droppings should be removed. Then spray or paint thoroughly the entire surface of the house and literally flood all cracks and inside of nests with a 5 per cent spray and do the work thoroughly.

Marvelous Story of Woman's Change from Weakness to Strength by Taking Druggist's Advice.

Peru, Ind.-"I suffered from a dieplacement with backache and dragg down pains so badly that at times I could not be on my feet and it did I could stand it. tried different everal doctors but an operatie would do me any My drugcompound. I tool it with the resu that I am now well up in the morning at four o'clock, do my housework, then go to a factory and work

all day, come home and get supper and feel good. I don't know how many ef my friends I have told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Mrs. ANNA METERIANO, 86 West 10th St., Peru, Ind. Women who suffer from any such all-

ments should not fail to try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

### WHEN THE OUTDOORS CALLS

Spring Restlessness Only a Manifestation of Mankind's Kinship With Old Mother Nature.

Nature and her noblest creature, man, that blind them are often grossly multilated and obscured by man's persistent system of artificial living, but there can be no escape from the kinship. We belong to the soil, and when the old mother whispers of wideflung spaces and the rebirth of living things man answers with a restlessness that is acute and often misinterpreted. We greet the first warm days of spring with a peculiar lassitude. We can it "spring fever." Into our so-long-contented souls comes a restlessness that brings discontent with the narrow limitations of the shut-in life! The great outdoors begins to call its children, and all the uncomfortable conditions of mind and of body that ensue we vainly hope to cure with tonics and sassafras

There has not yet been compounded the medicine that will cure the cause of what we call spring fever. The disease lies deeper than the physical. The nostalgia is a spiritual yearning for the intimate companionship of nature. Visions from we know not what source come to us of wide fields and mistcovered hills.

The only way to think a lot of your friends is to do a lot to be worthy

Many a man who seems perfectly happy is wearing a shirt made by his

We shall have all eternity to rest



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"There's a Reason"

Call For Democratic Primary. Pursuant to the action of the Democratic County Central Committee a primary election for the Democratic Voters of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, is hereby called to be held in the various precincts and voting boxes of House: said county on the eleventh day of May, 1918, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, to nominate candidates for Precinct No. 23, Painter: the following offices: Two District Judges.

One member of the State House of Representatives. One sheriff.

One County Clerk. One County Treasurer. One County Assessor. Three County Commissioners. One Probate Judge. One County School Superintendant.

One County Surveyor.

At said election each precinct of said county will also elect one member of the County Central Committee to hold such office for the next two years.

The following named places shall have voting boxes at said Precinct No. 28, Emzy: election, and the following named persons shall be the judges and clerks who shall hold said election at the various voting boxes, to wit: Precinct No. One, Portales.

Judges: J. P. Henderson, F. T McDonald, C. V. Harris. Clerks: C. J. Whitcomb, J.

A. Fairly. Precinct No. 2, Elida: Judges: J. E. Wallace, John Slack and C. H. Letton. Clerks: Charles Sims Tyre Beal.

Precinct No. 3, Dereno: Judges: J. D. Spear and J. H. Cheek. Clerk: S. A. Elliott.

Precinct No. 4, Floyd: Judges: J. P. Nash and J. E. Spears.

Clerk: J. R. Shock. Precinct No. 5, Tolar: Judges: H. C. Scruggs and T. L. Beal. Clerk: E. R. Wright.

Precinct No. 6, Minco: Judges: J. L. Swafford and B. S. Anderson. Clerk: Hance Arnold.

Precinct No. 7, Arch: Judges: J. J. Pinson and J B. Crawford. Clerk: C. M. Horton.

Judges: D. C. Evans and T. I. Park, Clerk: A. J. Burkett. Precinct No. 9, Milnesand:

Precinct No. 8, Cromer:

Judges: Butch and J. R. Webb. Clerk: B. J. Ditto. Precinct No. 10, Valley View:

C. McCowen. Clerk: Lee Smith. Precinct No. 11, Rogers: Judges: W. O. McCormack and Lem Miller.

Judges: W. J. Stobb and E.

Clerk: B. J. Campbell. Precinct No. 12, Dora: Judges: C. T. Battle and J W. Thompson.

Clerk: Henry Bewley. Precinct No. 13, Midway: J. P. Williams. Clerk: W. B. Vaughan.

Precinct No. 14, Nobe: Judges: A. R. Self and Charles Wilson. Clerk: Frank Parker.

Precinct No. 15, Causey: Young.

Clerk: Dora Judah. Precinct No. 16, Inez: and E. P. Williams. Clerk: W. D. Greathouse. Precinct No. 17, Redlake:

H. Richardson. Clerk: S. E. Johnson. Precinct No. 18, Upton:

Horace Cowart. Clerk: John V. Miller. Precinct No. 19, Macey:

F. A. Anderson. Clerk: Ray Robbins. Precinct No. 20, Ingram:

A. M. Stephens. Clerk: L. L. Mason. Precinct No. 21, Benson: Judges: L. J. Deathridge and J. O. Benson.

Clerk: W. C. Parkey. Precinct No. 22, Perry School Judges: Elijah Sparks

W. P. Witt. Clerk: Ras Franklin. Judges: P. J. Keeter and J. M. Price.

Clerk: G. H. Clarey. Precinct No. 24, New Hope: Judges: J. W. Ballew and J E. Burns.

Clerk: Preston Williams. Precinct No. 25, Delphos: Judges: C. L. Craddock and Doc Herndon.

Clerk: Precinct No. 26, Springer: Judges: A. N. Miller and C. Y. Smith.

Clerk: Joe Powell. Precinct No. 27, Kermit: Judges: J. A. Pipkin and O. Q. Hawk.

Clerk: W. O. Swayne. Judges: R. F. Keller and Brown Stirman. Clerk: Frank Johnson.

Precinct No. 29, Kenna: Judges: Frank Good and W H. Cooper.

Clerk: R. R. Hedspeth. Precinct No. 30, Richland: Judges: L. D. Young and T. C. Jewell. Clerk: Earl Stratton.

Eagle Hill: Judges: J. L. Graves and B. N. Bennett. Clerk:

Need: Judges: Esau Bilberry and R. O. Rogers. Clerk:

It is further provided that the voting place in each precinct shall be held at the usual and accustomed voting place or box of each precinct unless changed for good cause by the election judges appointed to hold said election.

In the event any judge or clerk herein appointed shall fail or refuse to act, or shall be absent at the time for the opening of the polls on election day, the qualified Democratic voters of the precinct assembled at the polling place shall select other Democrats qualified to vote at said primary to fill any such vacancy or vacancies.

Any Democrat who will be a qualified voter at the General Moorehead Election next November will be qualified to vote at said primary.

A qualified voter may, vote outside of his precinct, provided he shall not vote but once in said county, upon furnishing satisfactory evidence to the Judges of the particular precinct wherein he offers to vote that he has not voted at any other precinct in the county, and that he has a reasonable excuse for not voting in the precinct of his residence.

The Judges may examine and swear the applicant in such case, Judges: D. L. Harding and and may, if they desire, require of him a written affidavit entitling him to vote in the precinct proposed.

Booths shall be used at all polling places when same can be obtained, and the rules applicable to the Australian Ballot sys-Judges: G. W. Jones and H. tem shall be applied as far as possible.

When the polls are closed ail ballot boxes with the returns Judges: T. J. Mullins, Sr., shall be, with convenient speed, returned to the County Chairman, and the judges of said election shall see that such ballot Judges: J. W. Frans and H. boxes are transmitted with dispatch; and after all the returns are in, it shall be the duty of the County Chairman to call a meet Judges: T. E. Holder and ing of the County Committee to canvass such returns and declare

the result of the election. The Judges herein appointed, Judges: J. W. Buckelew and and in the absence of action by them, where the occasion may require it, the precinct committeeman, may select a polling

usual voting place is not available, is inconvenient for a majority of the voters of the precinct, or otherwise impracticable.

Witness our hands this the 25th. day of April, 1918. G. L. REESE, Chairman.

W. H. BRALEY, Secretary.

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