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COOPERATIVE TEST ON 1927 REVIEWED

All co-operative marketing associations will meet with unsatisfactory conditions at times, that being a part of the game.

The Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Ass'n, like all other co-operative plans, are bound to encounter them.

You must remember that there exists a contingent, backed by large sums of money, to get you discouraged and pull you out of the association and force you to the street and to their prices. Your former experiences with such a state of affairs should spur you on further in your determination to win out, and that the past year of 1927 may not be just exactly as each of you may figure it should have been, still by sticking you are discouraging the forces working against you and then you can say that you had the brains and the grit to

Overcome the Crucial Test Now On

We give below, in substance, an extract from the Gen'l Manager's letter in the Farm Bureau News, which is official:

"To date our deliveries in cotton are in excess of 11,518 bales, and effective with bills of lading dated Sept. 1st. Shortly deliveries will begin to pick up materially from central, eastern, north, west and north-west Texas. Great pessimism exists in the textile and cotton goods world, but by pushing vigorously our sales program we have placed orders on our books for more than one-half of our receipts to date."

Another statement, in substance, from Farm Bureau News:

"Final Settlement Checks Exceeding \$1,000,000, To be in Hands of the Membership Not Later than Sept. 10."

This of course means season of 1927. And again:

"Accounts have been balanced and audits completed and much of the check writing actually completed. The distribution will total \$1,107,643.64."

Looks pretty good, don't it?

And while we are at it we will tell again what Sudan did with another co-operative plan—the Turkey.

From The Sudan News, November 18, 1927.

"3,000 Turkeys Shipped From Sudan Monday"

"By Nov., 1927, we began to make the drive into the turkey business, with the result that the turkey raisers of Lamb county received more than \$10,000 for their birds, and in one day 3,000 turkeys were shipped to Kansas City.

"At this time turkeys were bringing only 13 to 23c—

"It was here that J. W. Bishop, vocational agricultural instructor, Sudan High school, and H. H. Weimhold conceived the idea that these prices could be raised and eventually found a market from 7 to 8c higher than the former price. Thus we were able to offer 30c to the producer, and ordered a car sent to Sudan for the convenience of all who had turkeys to sell and ship.

"The object of this shipment was to show the producer that money brought in our midst, directly or indirectly, is of benefit to every person in our town and community, which can be done only by co-operation with those who produce—all commodities considered.

"While this shipment was being prepared turkeys all over town went up to 31c—not only in Sudan, but other places fell in line.

"In getting the car here at a certain time was the means of saving our turkey raisers \$7,000.

"The farmer is the man who sends away the cotton, chickens, eggs, turkeys, etc., and should be protected.

"Those who beat down prices of what the producer raises in order to put a few dollars in their own pockets are town and community traitors."

And another car will be on the way pretty soon.

A Thought For The Week

He had been dismissed from college for drinking. He had taken on more than he could carry and had been picked up in the public streets, not knowing either his name or his place of residence. He was jailed and fined, of course, as such derelicts sometimes are. His mother came to me to plead his case.

"We had always had liquor in the house, and George has been free to take it when he wished. We teach temperance in our family; I never dreamed that my boy would go to excess."

The trouble with Mrs. B. was that she did not know youth.

Whatever example you set, good or bad, youth is always likely to follow to excess. What is worth doing at all, especially if it contributes to one's pleasure, the young person argues, is worth doing as well and as thoroughly as you can. So therefore if you teach a boy at home to drink, trust him at some time or other to do it to the limit—Thomas H. Clark, Dean of Men, University of Illinois, in Rotarian Magazine.

FOR SALE--300 purebred yearling Single Comb White Leghorn hens, Johnson strain, 75c each. Mrs. R. E. Luttrell, 7 miles northwest Sudan, on north side of track.

Field Day at Lubbock Experiment Station September 10, 1928

Announcement is made to the farmers of Lamb county by E. Hones, Superintendent of the Lubbock Experiment Station, situated a few miles east of Lubbock, through D. A. Adam, county agent, that the annual field day will be held on Sept. 10, 1928, beginning at ten o'clock and lasting through the day.

As many as can go are urged to attend this meeting of farmers throughout the South Plains and get what information they can experimenting on all farm crops, garden crops, shrubs and other phases of agriculture.

This is a very important meeting and those interested are requested to get in touch with the county agent in order that he may know about how many will attend and try to make arrangements to go in a group.

D. A. Adam urges everyone interested to go on Sept. 10.

Poultry Culling And Vaccination

September and October are the best months for the fall culling of chickens to remove those who are not layers and at the same time good months for vaccination against roup, chicken pox and other diseases that might attack chickens, states D. A. Adam, county agricultural agent.

Mr. Adam will be on hand to assist in putting on culling demonstration for those men or women that are interested in this phase of the work.

For the first month or so his work will consist mainly in getting acquainted with the people of this county, roads and boundary lines, and he would like to have the people assist him in getting this part of it over with so that he can go into an organization and bring about work that might be of great value to the farmers and this county.

Following projects are some everyone should begin to think of now: terracing, dairying, feeding of home-grown feeds and other matters of importance.

Get in touch with Mr. Adam for other matters of importance.

Anyone in the vicinity wishing to have demonstration can get in touch with Mr. Adam at Amherst in the First Nat'l Bank building, through mail, or personally if you wish. He is anxious to serve the farmers in this county to the full extent at all times.

Great Night--And then Good Night

"Yes, Ise black," says the prospective applicant for admission to the Midnight club.

"Thar ain't gwine to be no mulatto niggers in this yere club--ther blacker yer are ther more aristokratker yer are."

"Strikes me, brudder (to another applicant) strikes me like you are about ther blackest coon I ever did see."

"Yes, suh, and fas' as ther cum in our family ther blacker they got. An' when ther las' one cum he was so durn black yer cudn't see him--yer cud just hear him movin' roun'."

L. E. Slate left for Henderson the first of the week, where he will join Mrs. Slate who is visiting there, and accompany her home.

VOTE FOR V. C. NELSON FOR CONGRESSMAN EIGHTEENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

It is the firm conviction of the republican voters of the Eighteenth Congressional District that in selecting V. C. Nelson as candidate to represent the above district that they have placed on the ticket a man ideally equipped to assume the duties of that office.

Having been an extensive cotton and wheat farmer in Lamb and other counties, Sudan's first mayor and President of the First National Bank he has proved his ability in handling practical solutions of intricate problems that inevitably present themselves at all banks.

Several farmers of Lamb county have been the recipient of his generosity and ability in handling serious problems for them—especially in cases of a fellow slipping and becoming the "under dog" and eventually would have gone under altogether, had not V. C. Nelson with his inherent feeling for his fellow man extricated him from the power of the other fellow who was the cause of his financial stress—"Hold him up; he'll come back in another year!" and he did—not only one but several, and are ranking today amongst the most successful farmers of Lamb county.

V. C. Nelson is chairman of the Republican Committee of Lamb County. He has been elevated to that position because of his recognized ability as a politician and in all things political in the Eighteenth Congressional District, state and national.

It is true that the name of V. C. Nelson has never before been on the ballot for Congressional honors.

His ability, political and otherwise, has placed him there, however, on the ballot to be voted on this coming November.

V. C. Nelson is one of the strongest Republicans in the state.

Good Gosh

There are said to be over two hundred thousand rotten jokes turned out in the newspapers every day of the year, two-thirds of which are never read.

That the U. S. needs more of the men who "do things" than wise-crackers.

And that the earth doesn't revolve after all, that the surface of the earth simply slides over the inner part, which is absolutely stationery.

That 50,000 inventions a minute fly out the patent office.

That Hoover was a scab and took a union dishwasher's job away from him so he could feed himself while begging his way through college. And after election will have to go back washing dishes again.

That Al Smith was a gutter snipe product of the east side and never had an education.

That Texas possesses 20 electoral votes belonging to the "solid south"—and had better keep her eyes open.

That goats have got mixed up amongst the sheep and lambs of this county and number of evangelists are trying to rectify the trouble.

That probably the anti-evolutionists are right after all, for it seems that if man came from the ape that species of the jungles would be extinct—but they are still with us.

That even if you did have \$500 when you started for the Pacific coast, the question is how much of the aforesaid \$500 did you have when you got back home.

And that in consequence of an enormous crop every one of us can buy an automobile.

"As a Man Thinketh"

How much careful, accurate, downright hard thinking we are doing about our farm work before we actually get at it? Dr. Tait Butler likes to say that "the most important farm implement is a lead pencil." This is true, not only because the pencil insures better farm accounting and record-keeping, but also because when we begin to plan things with a pencil we usually get away from hazy abstractions and think with greater definiteness—which means greater correctness.

Recently, in answer to the question, "What is the most important thing in the world?" a writer in The Forum won a prize with an answer which farmers as well as other folks may well take to heart:

"All accomplished work of beauty, durability and merit is preceded by careful, correct thinking. In the degree that the thinking is exact, blunders are avoided, time is saved and harmonious competition finally attained. Correct thinking, therefore, is the most important thing in the world."

Methodist Meeting Progressing Nicely

The Methodist Revival meeting which is being held under the direction of Rev. Freeman, of Munday, is progressing nicely, and much interest is being manifested. Large crowds are attending the night services. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Crim and son made a business trip to New Mexico, this week.

Miss Elizabeth Morrison is visiting relatives and friends at Lubbock this week.

ELECTION OF A PRESIDENT

How Its Functioned --- Pointers Electoral, Etc.

In casting your vote for president you will not find the names of either one of the candidates, Herbert Hoover or Al Smith, on the ballot, therefore you will not vote directly, technically speaking, for either. You only vote for the presidential electors.

The Federal Constitution provides that each state is entitled to as many presidential electors as it has senators and representatives. For instance, Texas has two senators and 18 representatives in congress. So Texas has therefore 20 votes in the electoral college for president.

Each state has two senators, regardless of its size or population, but the number of representatives depends upon the population. For instance, New Mexico has one representative in congress and New York has 45, with two senators in each state; thus New Mexico has three electoral votes and New York 47.

Both parties elect their own electors in each state. In Texas the democrats have selected the names of 20 democrats to appear upon the official ballot in November as presidential electors; the republicans likewise. Both republican and democratic tickets will appear in parallel columns on the same ballot. If you vote for Al Smith scratch the names of the republican presidential electors; if for Herbert Hoover, scratch the democratic presidential electors.

All the rest of the candidates appear in regular order. If you vote a straight democratic ticket scratch the entire republican column; voting a straight republican ticket, scratch the entire democratic ticket; voting a mixed ticket, just leave such names in either column you may desire to vote for and scratch the rest.

In January following election the successful electors meet at the state capitol and cast the vote for president—of course each state functions the same. A certificate is then prepared, showing the name of the presidential candidate for whom they voted. One copy of this certificate is mailed to the president of the senate, another copy is taken by one of the electors, selected for that purpose, and he in person delivers it to the president of the senate.

In February the senate canvasses the returns, declaring that person elected who has received a majority of all the electoral votes.

Nearly all voters are familiar with all of the above, but may be of some benefit to those who do not and much confusion avoided at the polls.

Peace Pact Signed-- United States In It

The greatest assembly of international statesmen, ever since the signing of the Versailles treaty, gathered in Paris August 27th for the signing of the anti-war pact.

Dr. Gustav Stresemann, German foreign minister; W. L. Mackenzie King, premier of Canada; Frank B. Kellogg, Secretary of State of the United States, and Paul Hymans, foreign minister, were among those who signed the pact.

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Fortunes Reaped

George Carver, who was born into slavery in this country many years ago and was kidnapped by raiders and exchanged shortly afterward for a horse worth about \$300, discovered many products derivable from simple substances. From the peanut he obtained 157 distinct products, and from the sweet potato 100 products. He produced 300 dyes from dandelion, various tints and shirubs, onion skins and wood ashes, as well as paints and stains from the red clay of Alabama. A story of a fortune accumulated by the thrifty habits of a coolie was unfolded in the Calcutta high court. An action was brought by the administrator general of Bengal in the case of a man named Dohy, who died without heirs and left property worth \$125,000. Dohy as a laborer never earned more than 8 cents a day. His first purchase of property was a mud house on the outskirts of Calcutta, for which he paid 60 rupees (\$20). This he sold at a profit of 400 per cent, and thereafter, by careful investment in land and properties, he continued to add to his wealth until, at his death, he left a fortune in the amount mentioned in the court proceedings.

Riviera Morals

E. Berry Wall, at a dinner in his Paris apartment, was talking about the Riviera. "Beautiful but immoral," he said. "Perhaps the most immoral place in the world. "One night at the Ambassadeurs in Cannes I heard a lovely girl hiss into the ear of a white-haired old boy with a decoration in his buttonhole: "Traitor! Deceiver! Don Juan! I'm done with you forever. Never speak to me again." "The old boy said mildly, 'What's the matter now?' "You swore to be faithful unto death," hissed the girl, "and I just saw you kissing your wife."

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CHILD STUDY GROUPS HELD FOR MOTHERS



Entertaining the Children With Stories.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Extension workers among farm women in Illinois have combined with their child study groups for mothers an excellent arrangement whereby children who are brought to the meetings are separately cared for while the mothers are discussing their own problems. Most of these women are not situated so that they can leave the little ones at home, as the trip may be a long one, keeping them away for a whole morning or afternoon. Many of the questions brought up in a meeting devoted to child care and training should not be talked over when the children are present. In the case illustrated the children play together out of doors under the direction of an assistant during good weather, or in

winter time, in a second room provided for them in the house where the meeting is held. A regular plan is followed with the children, so that their time is well spent. In the group in the picture, which was taken by the United States Department of Agriculture, the children are telling stories. The little girl sitting next to the leader is keeping the others spell bound with her earnestness.

Meantime, within doors, the range of discussion may include proper diet for children, habit training, care of teeth, dealing with unusual or difficult children, or any of the points that confront the observant and conscientious mother. Exchange of viewpoint and literature on children's welfare, and many other advantages result from these meetings.

NEW FLAVORS FOR FRENCH DRESSING

Tang and Zest Is Sure to Be Very Much Appreciated.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

If one finds the family getting tired of ordinary French dressing on salad, there are a great many flavors and combinations of seasonings by which it may be varied, says the bureau of home economics. For instance, a little chopped pickle, or crumbled Roquefort cheese, or horseradish, added the last minute to a dressing, give it a tang and zest that will be much appreciated. Make a foundation dressing by the following recipe, and then try adding some of these seasonings singly or in combination: 1 tablespoonful crumbled Roquefort cheese, 1 tablespoonful minced green pepper, 2 tablespoonfuls finely chopped stuffed olives, 1 tablespoonful chopped pimiento, 1/4 teaspoonful celery seed, 1 teaspoonful horseradish, 1/2 teaspoonful onion juice.

Vinegar need not always be used in making a French dressing. Orange

Refreshing Lemon Ices

During the Hot Season

Lemons are obtainable the year around almost everywhere. If one can also get ice and has an ice cream freezer it is possible to enjoy refreshing lemon ices through the hot weather. This is especially good served in muskmelons. The following proportions are suggested by the bureau of home economics:

1/2 cup lemon juice (from 5 to 6 lemons) 1/4 cup sugar or more if desired 2 1/2 cups water 1 egg white

Prepare a sirup of the water and sugar and boil for 2 minutes. When cold add the strained lemon juice and salt, and freeze with a mixture of 1 part of salt to 4 to 6 parts of ice. Turn the crank slowly until the mixture is partly frozen, then quickly add the beaten white of egg, and continue to turn the crank until the ice is firm. Remove the dasher, press the contents solidly into the can, cover with waxed paper and replace the top on the can. Pack with more ice and salt and allow to stand an hour or more to ripen before serving.

Orange and Honey Good for Summer Afternoons

For summer afternoons, to serve with iced tea or fruit drinks, a sandwich that is slightly sweet is very acceptable. For this purpose the bread should be preferably twenty-four hours old so that it can be sliced very thin, without breaking. Here is a combination suggested by the bureau of home economics:

4 lbs. grated orange rind 1/2 cup salt Butter 4 lbs. thick honey

Wash the oranges and grate the yellow portion. Mix with the honey and add the salt. Cut the bread into thin slices, remove the crusts, and cover the bread with softened butter. Spread the filling on one side and press the slices together.

Accurate Culling Is of Great Importance

Accurate culling requires that each hen be examined. To facilitate handling the birds they should be shut up the night before. A great convenience is a coop into which the birds may be driven and from which they may be easily removed. Another method is to seize the birds by use of a strip of wire netting about fifteen feet long. Catching hooks made of stiff wire may be used to advantage in picking up the strays while landing nets used in fishing may be used for this purpose. Regardless of the method used, it is desirable to handle the flock without undue excitement.

HOUSEHOLD NOTES

Too hot an iron will yellow silk and make it stiff.

Do not use formaldehyde as a spray or fumigant against moths.

Fruits and simple desserts are the only sweets necessary for small children.

The best way to cook potatoes is to bake them, because then they keep all their minerals.

The refrigerator is cooled when ice melts, therefore, ice should never be covered with paper.

Vinegar and lemon added to the water in which salad greens are being crisped draws out insects.

Paint brushes which have become hard and dry may be softened by soaking up to the length of the bristles in hot vinegar.

LIVE STOCK

FEEDER CATTLE HIGH IN PRICE

Prices of feeder cattle probably will remain relatively high for some time, in the opinion of C. R. Arnold, of the rural economics department of the Ohio State university. Arnold bases this belief on the fact that there is an extremely small number of beef cattle on the ranges, with a decided shortage of breeding cows. Further, Arnold points out, it requires several years to increase this supply to any great extent.

Feeders at the present time are bringing an unusually high price, and Arnold doubts whether the supply of cattle will catch up with the demand for some time.

The reason for the present shortage in the supply of beef cattle goes back several years, according to Arnold. Extreme enthusiasm eight or ten years ago over beef cattle, and high prices for breeding animals at that time, gave a great stimulus to production. As a result, the market was oversupplied and even the best cattle feeders in Ohio began to lose money. Many barns and feed lots in western Ohio have been empty during the past four or five years. When the price of beef cattle dropped and there was no incentive to buy or raise feeders the breeding stock on the ranges was thrown on the market and still further depressed the price, but curtailed the supply.

It is this curtailment, at the source of supply, which is responsible, at the present time, for the shortage and high prices of feeder cattle and breeding stock.

On Many Farms Sows Not Properly Treated

We have frequently observed that on many farms the brood sows are not properly cared for. On some farms too many sows are kept together for safety, writes Dr. George H. Conn in the Indiana Farmer's Guide. Not more than 10 to 15 sows, even in large herds, should be kept in one group. Ten or less sows make a satisfactory group, while five or six to a group is still better.

Another mistake that is often made is to permit horses to run in the same lots or yards with the brood sows. This is a very dangerous practice and valuable brood sows are often injured from colts and horses.

Sows should never be kept in large groups where they can crowd at night to keep warm, as this often results in their developing colds and other conditions which sometimes become serious.

Always keep a lookout for the sows that fight the others in the herd. If a group has an animal in it that is a fighter, she should be removed before she injures some of the other sows.

It is a very good practice to keep the brood sows in as small groups as possible and to pay particular attention to their housing to prevent crowding during cold weather.

Balanced Feeding Best Practice With Swine

It will pay hog feeders even better this year than it did last to use grain feeds in moderate amounts to balance corn, according to E. T. Robbins, University of Illinois. This is especially true in those sections of the state where local corn has been used up.

That it pays to balance corn with suitable feeds supplying protein at a low cost was demonstrated beyond all doubt last year by hundreds of farmers who co-operated with their county farm advisers and the extension service of the agricultural college in keeping hog feeding records. The prediction that this practice will pay even better this year than it did last is based on the fact that corn is higher in price and some of the feeds rich in protein lower in price than was the case in 1927.

Live Stock Hints

Cleanliness pays in handling all types of farm animals.

Hog ellers are labor savers in lice and mange prevention.

From the sanitation standpoint, covered hog troughs V-shaped open-top kind.

It has been shown repeatedly that pigs can be made to grow faster, make cheaper gains, and stay in a healthier and thriftier condition by adding tankage or a good animal protein to the ration.

It pays to feed turkeys well from the time of first feeding until they are marketed.

Elimination of all of the progeny of boars which have been known to sire inguinally herniated pigs is strongly advised. Probably, in some cases, this would not be practical.

While blue grass pasture does not rank as high as rape or alfalfa as a forage crop for hogs, it does have considerable value for fattening pigs.

FARM POULTRY

COCCIDIOSIS CAN BE CONTROLLED

Drugs, no matter how impressive their labels, are of no value in controlling coccidiosis, chick disease that is fully as bad as it sounds.

The poultrymen who regularly every spring lose chicks from this disease might better put their faith in inexpensive sanitation methods and the feeding of milk to control coccidiosis, according to extension poultry specialists at the Ohio State university.

Scientists at the University of California tried these medicines to control coccidiosis: Hydrochloric acid, catechu, a mixture of bichloride of mercury and sulpho-carbolates, potassium dichromate, powdered ipecac and bismuth subnitrate. None of the drugs was effective.

"The disease can be controlled," the Ohio specialists say, "by sanitation and by liberal feeding of milk. The milk helps by producing acidity in the ceca and by stimulating rapid growth. The mash recommended by the University of California is this: Forty pounds of dry skim milk, 10 pounds of wheat bran, 30 pounds of yellow corn meal, 20 pounds of ground oats or barley.

"Start feeding this mash as soon as the presence of the disease is determined. Keep the mash constantly before the chicks in hoppers. The essential thing is to get sufficient milk into the chick and to keep the house and surroundings absolutely clean.

"Sick chicks should immediately be separated from healthy ones. Burn the dead ones."

More Than One Culling Is Essential in Year

Culling hens is the process of removing from the flock the undesirable, the object being to increase the average egg production of the flock and to retain for breeding purposes those hens which possess superior qualities. While the term culling is usually applied to hens during their laying period, successful poultrymen are constantly employing a system of culling, including the eggs selected for incubation, the young stock at broiler stage, the pullets just before they go into their winter laying quarters, and the males used as breeders. The greatest emphasis in the past has been placed on the laying flock on the basis that the best producers in the past will naturally be the best producers in the future.

The first requirement for successful culling is the treatment of the flock prior to the culling process. Obviously good hens will appear as culls if they have not received proper rations or care. The most expert will be helpless in determining the relative value of various hens unless the hens have been fed satisfactory laying rations in adequate amounts.

Egg-Laying Difficulty Is Very Easily Cured

It often happens that a hen has difficulty in laying an egg—probably a particularly large double-yoked one. Such a bird is easily detected. Not only is she to be seen visiting the nest again and again without effect, but she is visibly ill at ease, crouching about with tall down and a generally woe-begone appearance. The quickest way to relieve her is to give her two teaspoonfuls of castor oil (by means of a clean fountain-pen filler), and immediately after to pour into the vent two teaspoonfuls of olive oil. This will inevitably result in the egg being passed within an hour or so.

Like Old Roosts

Pullets learn to like their roosts in the colony houses and fruit trees. After they have been housed for several weeks the weather may be warm and sunshiny, and there is a great temptation to turn out the flock for a few more days of exercise on the range. If this is done, and the pullets have any way of returning to their old roosts, they are apt to leave the laying house some evening, and it is a most discouraging job picking them from the trees.

Corn Is Important

Good yellow corn is very important in mash and scratch feed. Difficulties experienced with coarsely cracked grains have caused some people to not use it as much as would otherwise be the case. When corn is cracked, it should be sifted and the finer parts put into the mash. The remainder should then be used as scratch grain. If fine parts of cracked grain are not fed in the mash, it will not be eaten and will mold on the floors and other damp places.

Sun Saps Pep

Exposure to the sun turns white plumage yellow, bleaches yellow and buff plumage, robs black feathers of their luster and turns them brown. The sun which puts life into chickens, if given in continuous doses saps their pep and stunts their growth. Ducks suffer even more. Poults wilt. Whether it be a shelter of branches or bur-lap, or the living shade of bushes and trees, give the poultry a hiding place from the hot sun during the summer season.



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Speed, But—

"Speed isn't everything." Edsel Ford, at a dinner in Dearborn, was talking about airplanes.

"If in any degree you sacrifice safety to speed you are more foolish than the Yorkshire drummer," he went on.

"The Yorkshire drummer bragged that he covered more customers in a given time than any man on the road. When he was asked how he did it he answered:

"Ah, pops 'ead in at door. 'Marnin', I says. 'Marnin', says they. 'Oat?' says I. 'Nowt,' says they. 'Marnin', says I: 'Marnin', says they. And off I goes to t' next shop.'"

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The Nineteenth Hole.
At an English inn a group of golf enthusiasts were discussing over the drinks their wonderful performances on the greens that afternoon, when the jolly proprietor said: "I'm sorry, gentlemen, but it's time to put up the shutters, so we'll have to shut up the putters."—Boston Transcript.

Dice Games Ancient.
No one can say positively when dice were invented. Credit for the invention is usually given to Psephades of Greece (1244 B. C.). Games played with dice are the simplest and most universal games of chance in the world.

The Sixth Sense.
"Circumstances," a sixth sense that enables the possessor to intuitively predict the future, has been discovered by a French scientist. He asserts that the sixth sense is especially developed in women. A lot of husbands will wonder why this is called as it is. The sixth sense is especially developed in women. A lot of husbands will wonder why this is called as it is.

Control of Boll Worm Not Practical

College Station.—It is not practical for farmer to attempt to control the cotton boll worm which is causing unusual damage this season in North and East Texas, as well as West Texas, according to R. H. Reppeert Entomologist of the Texas A and M College Extension Service. "Earlier experimental work indicated that a considerable degree of control could be effected by keeping the foliage covered with arsenical poisons applied at frequent intervals, but experience and observations of the last few years show that not even a small degree of control can be expected from such measures," he says. "Certainly the result would not repay the expense involved and the farmer might as well rely on such natural factors as the weather and insect parasites which sometimes destroy heavy infestations of the boll worm in a short time.

"The finding of an occasional pinkish cotton boll worm has led some to think they have discovered the pink boll worm," Mr. Roppert reports. "The latter insect does not grow to length of more than one half inch in length, while the cotton boll worm when mature is one to one and a fourth inches in length. It is of varied coloration from very dark green through lighter shades to almost white. Unlike the pink boll worm, the larger worm which is the same species that attacks corn 'often called the corn ear worm' has noticeable hairs.

"The damage done by the cotton boll worm is to the bolls, the worm boring into the bolls and often hollowing them completely. During its latter stages of growth the insect is unaffected by any small amount of poison it may eat boring its way inside. Experience has shown that poisoning for this worm in its younger stages is not uniformly successful and hence the admonition to save time and money by leaving its control to natural factors. It is impossible to foretell just how these factors may operate in any given locality.

No extensive damage from leaf worm has been reported to Mr. Teppert and not authentic reports of its presence in North and West Texas have been received. He believes now that no extensive fight will have to be waged against them this year, but should they appear he states that prompt spraying with Calcium Arsenate, lead arsenate or Paris Green will effectively control them.

England's Coal Output.

A wall 30 feet high and 13 feet broad could be built all round England with the coal annually mined in that country.

Author of "Nearer, My God."

Sarah Adams (nee Flower) wrote "Nearer, My God, to Thee." It was contributed to W. J. Fox's "Hymns and Anthems" in 1841. We find in the book called "Hymns and Hymnology" that the hymn has been edited numerous times to meet the requirements of different persons. The changes and adaptations occurred in the 1890s as a rule.

Dangers.

Thirty-nine people in a year slip on soap in the bathtub and are injured enough to collect insurance damages. This is the record for just one company, the Aetna, which also pays damages to 505 injured in a year by tripping over rugs and 369 who fell downstairs. Sixteen golfers collected damages for being hit by golf balls and nine others for falling into bunkers. Five dancers had valid claims from colliding with other dancers.

Gilders of Early Times.

Short glides in the air were made as early as the reign of King Harold of England by a monk named Eilmer, who, after several successful flights, jumped from a lofty tower with wings strapped to his body. He glided for a furlong or more, when, striking a cross air current, or "air pocket," he fell to the ground, breaking both legs. He attributed the accident to his neglect "to fit on a tail."

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Consider these things--before you mail your orders out of town. The dollar that you spend out of town is gone forever. The dollar that you spend at home--stays here and works. Whether it goes into civic improvements, via taxes, better schools, churches, streets--or whether it simply goes into more merchandise for your next needs--it circulates at home. Remember your neighbor will take better care of you than a stranger. It is to his interest to do so. His future depends on his winning and holding your confidence and friendship--and he's right here to make good any mistakes. When you help the home merchant the home industry--they in turn help build up your town--thus making greater and better opportunities for you and your children. Spending money at home is putting a mortgage on it to come back to you--spending it away from home is bidding it goodbye. And your home purchase is better, for you can see and measure its value--before you part with your money. Not so "the cat in the bag" you buy from the distant point. Don't mail your order until you have considered these things--and you won't mail it at all.

A Matter of Covering.

Little Elsie—"They're saying that Aunt Lucy is a prude. What's a prude, mother?" Mrs. Frank X. Posure—"A prude, dearie, is a woman who wears two-inch shoulder straps on her swimming suit."

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ALL HAIL TO THE MONK

He Is Still With Us and With Plenty of "Ambish"

(Contributed)

In various parts of the African jungles water leaves its channel and flows under the surface, with water holes here and there, some made by nature, others by the animals.

The pelican, giraffe and ostrich come by, thrust their long necks downward, slack their thirst; the monkey, without a long neck, is equal to the emergency, and so grabs a nearby cocconut, dashes it against a rock, takes out the meaty substance and with this shell dips up the water and so slacks his thirst.

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intelligence amongst the ape of the past and present has been the means of putting him in a class by himself and he is still there.

If you want to know if he is somewhat of a forrestial tramp—that's probably where the hobo got his hot foot from—and owing to his agility and long tail in securing himself can leisurely make two miles or more over the tops of an impenetrable jungle and come right back again from whence he started to get another drink—of water. And some of us travel five hundred miles for a drink—of something else.

He is too much of an engineer to let a stream of water stand between him and his desire to get somewhere—it's Pike's Peak or Bust," so they swing together, tail end, two or more land, the final leap bringing the remaining bunch over.

It is evident therefore, that if we evolutionized from the ape the tail is missing somewhere—all science has never discovered where it went to—

We knew from whence it grew. But none can tell to where it flew—

and so if we still hanker for a relationship with the ape we can only get that satisfaction by placing the index finger on that part of the anatomy from which the missing appendage formerly had deep root and thus feel the socket from which it hung and have a good cry.

Moral—Look where you leap. The monkey uses his tail for his anchor before making his plunge. Your tail is gone, so you will have to use your brains.

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Smoking a Real "Deadly Sin."
Smoking is a real deadly sin in some countries today. It is probable that more men have died for tobacco smoking at the hands of Sikhs, Senussis and Wahibis, whose religions forbid this practice, than died under the Roman empire for professing Christianity.

Window Refrigerator.
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The Colfax Bookplate

By Agnes Miller

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CHAPTER XI—Continued

"One minute, please, Miss Grosvenor," interrupted Mr. Almy; "your cousin was not in business here was he? How would he have had to make arrangements for a short trip?"

"He was studying Spanish; he had a lesson every day. But he said readily—too readily!—that he felt sure he could go; and he and my grandfather exchanged such a queer look; they never knew I saw it, they were so absorbed in themselves. But it was plain that they understood each other about some secret. My grandfather had shown no special interest in the notice about the auction until Clarithew's 'Notes' was mentioned, and then so much, and such determination to conceal it from me, that I felt there was something strange involved, something about me, that the other two didn't want me to suspect.

"Well, I was roused. I wondered if things were possibly shaping to give me a chance to find out about the secret which had always surrounded my parentage; you know I had never been told anything about my father and mother—"

"By your grandfather?" asked Mr. Almy.

"Nor by Charles," answered Julia; "and I always thought he must have known something about them. He's enough older than I am to remember or to have picked up something about my mother."

"Do you know how old you were when she died?"

"Four months old. I was told that by an old colored nurse of mine, who had been in the family for decades, and who had waited on my mother; she also said my mother died of tuberculosis. She took care of me only when I was very tiny, for she was sent home to Virginia for telling me as much as that. My suspicions about the book were nothing but suspicions; yet I was so distressed, and vexed that I just made up my mind to go to Richmond myself, and look at that book, and see what was so interesting about it!

"So I went. I wanted to avoid Charles, so I decided not to go to the auction, but to the exhibition room early in the day. And there, first thing, I nearly ran straight into him! Gracious! I was frightened! But there was a large showcase not far from where he was standing beside the counter, so I waited behind that until he should leave. I saw him looking at a book very carefully; I couldn't, of course, see what book it was, but I watched him closely, and I saw him trying to pry the bookplate off with his finger nail! And then I heard him order the clerk to take a bid from him, for Clarithew's 'Notes,' up to five hundred dollars, for he said he couldn't attend the auction."

"That was curious, after he went down especially to accommodate your grandfather," remarked Mr. Almy.

"Not at all, if you knew him," said Julia, coolly. "He has many friends in Richmond, really a large social circle. He didn't want to go down solely on account of that book, I assure you. And five hundred dollars! Judging from what little I know about some of the prices my grandfather paid for similar books, it wasn't worth one cent! He might well have been sure he would get it. Then he went out, and I went and asked for the book, to examine it. And when I got it, I almost fainted. It didn't have a real bookplate in it at all!"

"No," said I. "It had a drawing that would deceive almost anybody but an artist."

"It was a wonderfully skillful piece of work," said Julia. It seemed very strange to me that anyone would make a drawn bookplate, unless for some special book, in event, perhaps, of accident to the metal plate from which the regular bookplates were engraved. I wondered what there was about that very queer bookplate that made my two relatives so anxious to conceal it from me. I was distracted; I hadn't an idea what to do, until I heard a voice asking for that book. It was Mr. Burton's; I recognized it at the auction. It gave me my idea.

"Charles wasn't going to the sale; some one else was interested in the book. I then and there resolved to go to the auction in the faint hope that some one might outbid Charles. In that event, I resolved to find out who it was, and keep track of the book until I could either learn the truth about it or perhaps even buy it. If Charles succeeded in getting the book, I felt sure I'd have little chance of ever seeing it again. I can't tell you how his attitude and my grandfather's terrified me! The rest of the story you know, for Mr. Burton got the book."

"A very clear, interesting account

of your experiences, Miss Grosvenor," said Mr. Almy. "I'm much obliged to you, and I shouldn't trouble you further today if I can help it. May I just use your telephone a moment, if you please?"

The door closed on him. My real chance to speak to Julia Grosvenor had come at last.

"Yes," I said quietly, "Peter Burton got that book; and I know why, and so do you. It was for your sake. It was to help you out of a difficulty he didn't understand at all. He did it out of pure chivalry, because we knew you were in great need of just that service. You can see he has not



Charles MacIvor Stood Before Us.

broadcast his deed, either. Mr. Almy's source of information about Richmond is the clerk from the galleries. And ever since that purchase, Peter has been in no end of hot water."

Julia groaned—moved, indeed, far beyond what I had expected.

"What has happened?" she gasped.

"Mr. Darrow was furious over the price, to begin with, Peter Burton here bore the blame in silence. The legal society which had ordered the book—for which Peter ostensibly bought it—then refused it. Then your recognition of him in the shop on Monday caused a great deal of comment, which he entirely ignored. He is not in the best of spirits; but if I know Peter Burton—I have known him seven years—he is seeing this thing through without flinching. So I can't help hoping you'll finish your story, Miss Grosvenor; tell us all you know about the mystery surrounding your grandfather's death; clear yourself of suspicion, for suspicion does hang over you. Oh, don't make a poor return for the unswerving confidence shown in you by this week of silence and suffering!"

Julia's face was blanched, her breath came in gasps. At first she could not speak; when she finally raised her eyes from the floor, they were again full of tears.

"Oh," she whispered huskily, "but you don't know how poor my best return would be—"

She was interrupted. A latch key sounded in the front door. Charles MacIvor stood before us.

But before he could speak, Mr.

Almy had stepped back into the room. So Mr. MacIvor, on taking me in, had no opportunity to comment on the presence in "his" house of one he had ordered out of it the previous evening, though from his expression he was not pleased. Julia grew very uneasy, but Mr. Almy, placid and self-possessed, inquired politely what was wanted.

"I came to see my cousin on personal matters," said MacIvor, coolly. "By which," Mr. Almy responded, "you mean that bookplate you went out of Clarithew's 'Notes.' There it is, look at it."

Taken aback as MacIvor was by this unexpected answer, he could not restrain his eagerness to see the bookplate. He snatched it breathlessly from the other man's hand, and like Julia, turned it over, only to see the blank back. In stupefaction he stared at it fully half a minute, then turned on his cousin, white with rage, and badly frightened, but attempting to conceal his fright under bluster.

"Thought you'd get ahead of me again, did you?"

"I don't know what you mean, Charles," said Julia.

"Likely story! Got the bookplate through your new confidante, Miss Fuller, did you? I don't think you'd arouse all his sympathies if you told her your whole story."

"Miss Fuller brought me the bookplate because she knew I had an interest in it," cried Julia, aroused. "I have as much right to it as you have!"

Charles opened his eyes. "As much!" he echoed; "as much!" He looked at her hard, studying her. "How much is that?"

She looked back at him innocently.

"I know you and grandfather both wanted that book, Clarithew's 'Notes,' she said quietly, "and I know I wasn't allowed to go and get it, so I suspect that there may be something about it you don't want me to know."

"What?"

Her natural sincerity gave her away.

"I don't know," she admitted. "You don't know?" repeated Charles, triumphantly. "You just implied it was the bookplate. Be careful, Julia; you're stumbling. What was it about the bookplate that interested you?"

I felt he was testing her to see how much she knew. I glanced at Mr. Almy, imploring him silently to stop the questioning, but he did not see me. Julia looked at her cousin, affronted.

"Perhaps it was the same thing that interested you, when you tried to pry it off the cover in the exhibition room at Richmond!" she flung at him.

He almost sprang out of his seat. "You were here, were you?" he cried. "Spying on me?"

"I have as much right in any exhibition room as any one!" cried Julia. "Don't dare speak to me that way! Why were you so interested in the bookplate yourself?"

"You'll ever know that!" sneered her cousin. "And a lot of good the bookplate has done you, hasn't it? Keep it!" He gave it one final appraising glance and flung it on the table.

"I will keep it," returned Julia, calmly; "or, rather, Miss Fuller will. She has charge of it." And she handed it to me.

His suspicions blazed up again. "You've been lying to me! That bookplate's not all there! The idea of pretending you don't know what I'm talking about!"

"If," said Julia, reflectively, "taking all our circumstances into consideration, part of the bookplate is not there, according to your judgment, and if there is something secret about it which I must not know because it would be to my advantage and against yours, I guess that you're expecting to find down at Richmond some document which would give me a right to part of the estate!"

"So this is why you've been in cahoots with all that gang at Darrow's—Burton, and his sister, and this woman, anybody else?" he stormed. "I haven't an idea what you mean!" cried Julia.

"You've been working against me, after the special kindness I showed you!" The emphasis in his words was deadly.

Julia gave a start, and looked

frightened, but did not reply. Mr. Almy, however, broke promptly in: "Special kindness. Since it suits your taste to refer to such a thing, MacIvor, you'll not mind saying if you mean that trip you made to Darrow's Thursday night?"

Charles MacIvor sprang from his chair. "That d-d sneak Case!" he shouted. "So he's a friend of yours too, is he, Julia?"

"He certainly is—a good one!" cried Julia, outraged. "You shouldn't speak so of him! He was here today to offer me the aid refused me by the men of my own family—and he's a stranger! He said he knew you, had seen you off and on all your life; he warned me against you! And he did right!"

"He warned you against me, did he? And he told the police I broke into Darrow's late at night to steal I suppose, by way of helping you?"

"No," interposed Mr. Almy, suavely. "Mr. Case did not mention the circumstance."

MacIvor turned violently on his cousin.

"Then you did! You're the one person who knew I was going, and you knew well why! For your own safety, you try to betray me, do you?"

"Charles," Julia denied, "I did not say one word about it!"

"Do you expect me to believe that? Who did, then?"

"I did," said I, boldly, "I saw you at my desk, from where I was standing in the north gallery!"

"Then it's a conspiracy against me, in behalf of you, is it?" shouted the infuriated MacIvor to his cousin. "Very well, then it's time for me to explain why I went to Darrow's. Here's the reason!"

Headless of her cry, of her hand stretched out to stop him, he dashed to the rear of the room, threw open one of the glass-doored bookcases, and snatched a small object from a lower shelf.

"That's what I went to get!" he cried, and flung it on the table, while Julia, overcome by his fury, sank back and covered her face with her hands.

Mr. Almy picked up the small object.

It was a cube-shaped brass box, the bases of which were about an inch and a half square. He revolved it slowly in his hand, and we could see it from every angle. From the top protruded a thick black metal shaft nearly an inch in length, out of a wide slot about half the length of the base. Beside this shaft, in the very center of the top, was a flat black screw that stood out perhaps a quarter of an inch on the round base of its own, sunk into the box. On the side of the box, just below the shaft, was a small black lever projecting from a small slot. And on the bottom, as he slowly turned it toward me, I saw—a pattern of slots which I instantly recognized! Straight across the bottom base they ran. In just the formation I had seen elsewhere, which had instantly sprung to my mind as Mr. Almy picked up the instrument: I had seen it on the bookplate in miniature; I had seen the pattern of these slots on my yellow note!

But I had little time to do more than identify the instrument. Mr. Almy grasped the box in his left hand and tentatively pressed the shaft. It slid readily along the wide slot in



"That D-d Sneak, Case!" He Shouted.

the top, and reaching the other end, stopped there, caught in place by the spring back of the small black lever in the small slot just below. But as he had pressed the shaft, he had held the bottom of the box toward me, and from each slot I had seen a small sharp blade flash, all of them in one moment, describing a semicircle and disappearing again into the box as the lever sprang.

And now Mr. Almy let go of the shaft and pressed the little lever. And as he did so, the actor of the instrument was reversed: with lightning swiftness, the flashing, little blades all sprang out again from their hiding-places inside the box, describing a semicircle in the opposite direction to their first course, and vanished, with a loud click that shattered the silence in that strange old-fashioned room!

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Average Californian

The average Californian probably isn't a Californian at all, but hails from Illinois, Missouri or New York, according to figures of L. E. Ross, chief of the state's bureau of vital statistics. Only one-third of the present population of the state is native. Illinois leads all other states in population the Golden State, having contributed 137,000 residents. Missouri has contributed 104,000 inhabitants; New York, 102,000; Ohio, 88,880; Iowa, 86,500, and Kansas, 62,850.

A Wholesaler

He—Could I have just one kiss?
She—I don't cater to the retail trade.

Even the optimist forgets to smile when the tax collector comes around.

Shaving Statistics

When a man shaves his razor crosses his face at a speed of nearly thirty miles an hour. He may also cut through approximately 25,000 hairs. Details of this kind in the life of a safety razor blade are given in a London publication, the Engineer, by J. Ferdinand Kayser. He says that 25,000 hairs packed together would occupy about two and one-half square centimeters. The edge of a good blade does not on an average give more than ten clean shaves. Hence its useful cutting life is only fifty seconds.

A young lady seldom tires of trying to convert a bachelor to the annexation theory.

Some people's records would not sound well on a phonograph.



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This year you have PEXEL



always this



never this

PEXEL jells all fruits. Requires less boiling. Obtains more jelly. Does not change the most delicate flavor or color of any fruit

EVEN if you've had a dozen failures—or if you never made jelly before—you can make jellies successfully with Pexel. Just add it to fruit juice and bring to full boil. Then add sugar. Bring to vigorous boil once more. Take kettle from range. Skim. Pour into glasses. That's all—it will be jelled as soon as it is cool.

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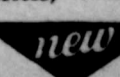
Pexel is a 100% pure-fruit product. It is absolutely colorless,

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Get Pexel at your grocer's. Only 30c. Recipe booklet with easy-to-follow directions in every package. The Pexel Company, Chicago, Ill.

Here are a few examples of how much jelly Pexel makes:

- 4 1/2 cups strawberry juice, Pexel, 8 cups sugar make 11 glasses of jelly.
- 4 1/2 cups raspberry juice, Pexel, 8 cups sugar make 11 glasses of jelly.
- 6 cups currant juice, Pexel, 10 cups sugar make 14 glasses of jelly.
- 4 1/2 cups grape juice, Pexel, 7 cups sugar make 10 glasses of jelly.



Carillon Playing at Its Best in Belgium

Belgium is the classic land of bells. To the Belgians belongs the honor of having first felt and used bell tones as truly musical sounds, and, accordingly, they devised that colossal musical instrument and tower and belfry known as the carillon. The carillon is a set of from 15 to 50 or more bells cast in sizes that sound each its own scale tone. This battery of bells is played on a keyboard placed in a room below the open or latticed belfry, by a carillonneur, as the French call him. Dr. Henry Eames, president of the Society of American Musicians, writes, in Child Life Magazine, the keyboard is not unlike an electric switchboard, with its handles replacing the keys on an ordinary piano keyboard, and another set of pedal keys, like that on a pipe organ, to be played upon by the player's feet. This

carillon keyboard stands today practically the same as it did in the sixteenth century, when the most famous of all bell-casting and carillon-playing families—the Van den Gheyns of Belgium—brought the art of belfry playing to its highest point. The Antwerp cathedral carillon has 65 bells. St. Rombold's stinging tower in Malines has 44, Bruges 41, Ghent 39 and Louvain 40.

Indian Names

Indian place-names, it is pointed out, may refer to physical characteristics of the place, to incidents in the history of the time, or to associations of a tribe with a region. Examples may be seen in Saskatchewan river (swift flowing), Battle river (place of numerous battles) and Ottawa river (river frequented by the Ottawa tribe).

Another point is that Indian tribes generally had two names—the name they gave themselves and the name given them by their enemies—and in many cases the names which have been used by the white man have been "enemy" names. This accounts for the very uncomplimentary names which some Indian tribes bear.

Don't Blame the Women

Nothing is going to stop the prodigality with which women spend time and money on cosmetics because not only women, but the men who admire them, are convinced that it is worth all it costs.—Woman's Home Companion.

Announcement!

We take pleasure in announcing to our friends and former customers of Sudan and Lamb County of

The Opening of a New and Complete Dry Goods Store on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th, at Mueshoe, Texas

This stock will consist of

Dry Goods, Ready-to-Wear and Millinery
A Complete dept. for Children and Babies
Men's Hats, Clothing and a Big line of Shoes
 for the whole family.

We call special attention to our **READY-TO-WEAR**, where we carry a big line of popular-priced Dresses, Coats and Hats for Ladies and Children, in connection with a higher-priced line.

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A protracted meeting will be held at the Friendship church, five miles north and two miles west of Sudan. Rev. William Breeding will preach.

FOR SALE or TRADE—80 acres of land, 1 1-2 miles from Seagraves; will trade 3-yr. old mules for hogs or cows—W. D. SCOTT, 2 miles of Fairview, Tex., Box. 33

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pollard, of Watson, Utah, are visiting their

relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Pollard.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Clary, of the Fairview community, are the proud parents of a baby boy, born on the 22nd.

Mrs. E. Campbell was ill the latter part of last week, but is better at this time.

Mrs. T. L. Collard and her mother and sister, of Littlefield,

were visiting friends in Sudan, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McSpadden of Amarillo, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Foote.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hardcastle, who reside 5 miles south of town announce the birth of a baby girl on the 30th. of August.

Dr. Wagner and family, of Lubbock, spent several hours in Sudan, Monday with Dr. W. H. Ford. They were enroute home after spending their vacation in Colorado.

Mr. E. Lam and children spent Sunday in Lubbock with relatives.

Mrs. A. C. Edwards, who resides 5 miles east of town, is reported ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Furneaux, and Mr. Joe Furneaux were in Sudan Monday, enroute to their home in Dallas, after spending several weeks in Colorado.

Mr. Maggard, manager of the Nessley Cream Company at Amarillo, was transacting business in Sudan, Monday.

Ernest Gaston, of Ballinger, visited his brother, E. E. Gaston during the past week.

FOR SALE—Good milk cow, fresh soon; 400 Rhode Island red chicks, 4 weeks old; Barred Rock pullets and cockerels; Buff Orpington pullets and cockerels; S. C. White Leghorn cockerels; Light Brahma cockerels; Incubator; 1,400 capacity coal brooder, complete; Canary singers and pairs. **F. H. WEIMHOLD**
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Two Sides of a Theory.

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 Nice firm PEARS at \$2.15 Bushel
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Save While Young

The poorhouse is full of people, today. Who one time were young, were happy and gay. How little they thought they ever would feel The pinch and heart aches of poverty's seal. For the ups and downs and failures that came, These people may think they know who's to blame; Yet one thing is sure: had they but saved more, A much smaller house would do for the poor. The First National Bank has found failures are few If you save while young and faithful work do.

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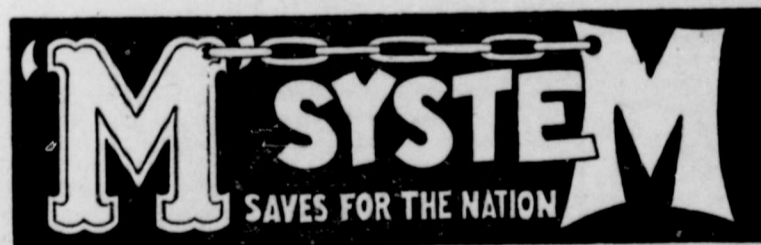
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