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### Mary Rebecca Edwards

Mary Rebecca Edwards died about 12:30 o'clock Monday morning, July 16, 1923, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jim Landers. Mrs. Edwards first took sick some three weeks ago on the Edwards ranch and about two weeks ago was brought to town to be near medical treatment.

She was born in Sabine county, Texas, February 11, 1848, and was 75 years, 5 months and 5 days old at the time of her death. Her maiden name was Ruddell and she was the daughter of Dr. John Ruddell. At the age of 18 years she was united in marriage to Jesse Miles Edwards, and to this union was born seven children, five boys and two girls, of whom five survive, one daughter and four sons. These were at her bedside when she passed away.

At the early age of 12 years she confessed her faith in the Savior and united with the Methodist church and later with the Christian church.

She and her family moved from Paint Rock, Texas, to their ranch near here, 14 years ago. Besides her own children she leaves ten grand children and three great grandchildren to mourn her loss.

The funeral took place Monday evening at 5 o'clock, services being conducted at the grave by Rev. Joe Bickley. Many beautiful floral offerings were placed upon the little mound, the silent tribute of sincere friends.

The Times joins with friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved ones.

### FOR SALE.

All of our household and kitchen furniture for sale. Also one Overland car for sale. Please call on or phone Mrs. J. E. Mac-Calmont.

### Will Stop Off Here When Returning to Alpine

E. A. Waldron, of the Wadron Quicksilver Company will stop off at Sanderson for a day or two during the coming week in behalf of seeing people interested in the Waldron Company movement. Mr. Waldron states that all who know his tactics, know from his actions that the organization has a positive future, with big money for all those who become interested. A worthwhile industry of the Southwest, owing to the course being pursued, cannot other than be a success. An investment for people with surplus money that should be put to work and grow with the Waldron Company.

### RATTLE OF THE RAIL.

Engineer Boyce spent several days in Houston this week visiting his mother. Engineer Gibbons filling his run on passenger on the Del Rio division.

Fireman Tom Mosely has given up his daylight passenger run, as he has taken the night runs on the Del Rio-Sanderson passenger run.

Engineer Luse has given up his work train run at Del Rio and has been assigned to a regular freight run on the Del Rio division.

Fireman Stallings has arrived from El Paso to work on the extra board.

Engineer R. M. Gillespie of El Paso is working on the extra board here.

Engineer J. P. Potter has returned to the extra board at Del Rio.

Mrs. Evan Hord and children are visiting friends in El Paso.

### SURPRISE PICNIC

The many friends of Mrs. W. Young gave her a big surprise Thursday evening, June 14th, in the form of a surprise picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKee came in their car to the home where Mrs. Young was staying and invited her to take a ride with them. They rode to the six-mile well and as they got nearer to the Well could see several cars and a number of people moving around. Mrs. Young remarked, "Looks like a picnic here," which was the fact. Her old friends and neighbors had gathered there with an abundance of good things to eat, such as chicken with dressing, roast beef, all kinds sandwiches, several kinds of salads, potatoe chips, cakes, pies, pickles, olives, preserves, stuffed eggs, iced tea, coffee and ice cream.

Much fun, good will, laughter, and cheer, combined altogether to complete hospitality and ease to and for every one present, about 32. After all had partaken of, and enjoyed the good things provided Mrs. Young was asked to come and pay another visit soon, so as the jolly and enjoyable time might be repeated. After the fragments were gathered together they all got into their cars and a pleasant drive in the moonlight to home, closed a happy time to be long remembered by all that were present.

—One who was present.

### FOR SALE—

2 gasoline irons, 1 bed, springs, mattress and other household articles. Call or see Mrs. P. F. Robertson for particulars.

### RESOLUTION.

Whereas, the Great and Supreme Ruler has in his infinite wisdom taken from the home of our sister, Lola Schuppach, her father, therefore be it

Resolved that by the removal of this good man, there is a vacancy in the family of our Sister.

Resolved, that we, the officers and members of Sanderson Review No. 72, W. B. A. of M. tender our sympathy to our bereaved Sister in her hour of loss, and be it

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be placed upon the records of our Review, and a copy printed in the Sanderson Times and a copy sent to our bereaved Sister.

Nellie Lea,  
Nabel Yeates,  
Margaret Pollard,  
Committee.

Madison Made Silk Shirts can be bought from \$1.00 to \$15.00 and size 13½ to 17 at the Royal Tailor Shop.

Fred Holt of Austin, Texas, who secured the contract for building the first section of the Terrell county highway, was in Sanderson a few days ago on business. Mr. Holt expects to have his outfit here by the first of August ready to begin work. About 100 men will be employed in four different crews.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Turk motored in from the ranch the first of the week and spent a couple of days in town visiting friends and shopping. Doc stated that everything on the ranch was getting along fine, but a rain would be most welcome right now.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Pollard and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sherrod returned Wednesday from a fishing trip on Devil's river. They report having a very enjoyable outing.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to all those dear friends who were so kind and thoughtful during the recent illness and death of our beloved mother and grandmother. Also do we wish to thank you for the beautiful floral offerings.

May God bless you all.

Sincerely,  
The Edwards Family,  
The Landers Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Downie and children returned Tuesday evening from Berkley, California. They drove through to Berkley in Mr. Chas. Downie's Hudson car. Ed reports that they had a very pleasant trip going out and were eight days on the road.

The Order of the Eastern Star held a School of Instruction here this week at which many high officers of the lodge and visitors were present. The Times was promised a write-up of the affair by some of the ladies of the local lodge, therefore we did not send a representative to take note of the proceedings. But from some cause or other we did not get the write-up; however we are informed that the matter will be ready for next week's paper.

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Building Material, Sash

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# THE KERR MERC. COMPANY

New Active Cone in the Crater of Vesuvius



Coincident with the eruptions of Mt. Etna, the volcano Vesuvius has been showing increased activity and the magnificent display at night has been enjoyed by the throngs of tourists in Italy. This photograph of the crater shows the new cone.

Smashing Up Discarded Vessels



This interesting photograph shows how United States ships which have been sold for junk are being smashed to smithereens in a few minutes at the yards of the Western Marine and Salvage company at Alexandria, Va. The large ball is raised to a height of 75 feet by a huge electro-magnet, and then when the current is cut off the two tons of steel drops with terrific force, breaking the hulls into fragments of commercial size.

Peg Leg Bossy of Lima, Ohio



When old Bossy lost her right foreleg, amputated because of an infection, her owner, Dr. H. F. Faylor, a veterinary surgeon of Lima, Ohio, decided that a mere missing foreleg shouldn't cause him to destroy an otherwise perfectly serviceable cow. So he rigged up an artificial limb and now Bossy stumps around quite handsily on her peg leg.

U. S. Destroyers Off San Diego Harbor



Destroyers maneuvering off San Diego, Cal., on the Southern drill grounds where the Pacific fleet is playing at war.

WORK OF BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY

Appropriations Amounting to \$92,250 for the Work Have Been Made.

Fort Worth, Tex.—Appropriations totaling \$92,250 for the work of the bureau of animal industry in Texas have been made by the department of agriculture, according to notice received Monday by Dr. Harry Grafke, inspector in charge of Texas for the bureau. The appropriations cover the entire fiscal year of July 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924, on all the phases of work except tick eradication.

In the tick eradication work an appropriation of \$45,000 is provided for the months from July 1 to Oct. 31. At the expiration of that time an additional appropriation will be provided, either for another four months' period or for the final eight months of the year.

The full appropriation is divided as follows: \$15,000 for federal indemnities tuberculosis eradication; \$3,000 for expenses in tuberculosis eradication; \$45,000 for tick eradication from July 1 to Oct. 31; \$22,000 for sheep and cattle scabies eradication work; \$10,000 for interstate transportation inspection, stockyard work for the bureau, and enforcement of the twenty-eight-hour law, and \$7,000 for hog cholera control work. The final item, that for hog cholera, is reduced from last year and necessitates a reduction in the work. Three veterinarians have been assigned to this work, but in the future only Dr. G. F. Flaharty of Fort Worth, and Fred J. Wolma of San Antonio, will handle this work. The appropriation this year is about on a par with that of last year, according to Dr. Grafke, and will give the bureau an opportunity to do a good job of tick eradication in Texas this year, as well as to co-operate with the live stock sanitary commission in its other work.

TEXAS CITIES HAVE LOW DEATH RATE

Austin, Tex.—Texas during the last week of June had the lowest death rate of any state in the Union, according to a health report just issued by the department of commerce at Washington.

Fort Worth had the lowest death rate in the state. This city's figure was 4.4 per 1000 population. This also was the second lowest in the entire country. Dayton, Ohio, was lowest with 3.2.

Houston was next in the state with 6.4 per 1000. This, Dr. Flicker says, is unusually low, and proves that Southern climate is as healthy as any part of the country. "That stuff about the South not being a good place to live is all bunk," Dr. Flicker declared. "Here are government figures to prove it." The average for Houston is about 11.8, he said, hence the 6.4 is unusually low. For the same week in 1922 the figure was 10.4.

The report showed that Duluth, Minn., had 6.4, Chicago 11.3, Richmond 17.1, Dallas 12.6 and San Antonio 14.1. The highest rate was at Nashville, Tenn. The deaths there were 23.2 per 1000 population.

Rail Strike Injunction.

Chicago.—Four hundred thousand employees and officers of the railway shop crafts unions who went on strike a year ago in protest against a United States railroad labor board decision Friday were permanently restrained from interfering with the operation of the railroads in what is considered the most sweeping permanent injunction ever granted. The final decree, which makes permanent a temporary injunction granted the federal government October 5, 1922, upon application of Attorney General Daugherty, was entered by Judge James H. Wilkerson in United States district court Friday. The unions, which comprised the railway employees' department of the American Federation of Labor, were given 60 days to file an appeal.

Want General Crop Insurance.

Washington.—General crop insurance is feasible and is urgently needed for the protection of American agriculture, in the opinion of officials of the department of agriculture, who have been making a study of the subject. In view of the progress made by insurance in other fields these officials say, it is hard to believe that adequate crop insurance facilities will long remain undeveloped.

First Bale Ginned at Odem.

Odem, Tex.—The first bale of cotton of the present season in San Patricio County has been ginned at Odem by the C. Gierdes and Son gin and was bought by Norman Smith at 30 cents a pound. The cotton was raised by James Allmann.

Indians Settle at Elgin.

Elgin, Tex.—A new tribe of people have cast their lot with Elkinites, about 40 Indians having located and are being employed by the local brick plants. Many of them can not speak English.

Chinese Robbers Loot Residence.

Hong Kong.—Chinese robbers Friday raided and looted the residence of a German at Tung Shan, near Canton. Foreigners of the district are in a state of consternation.

Texas News

A permit to do business in Texas has been granted to the Interstate Trust Company of Wilmington, Del., capital stock \$443,750, with its Texas office at Houston.

Broom corn, planted in the vicinity of Edna for the first time in several years, is now being harvested.

The Yoakum District Ginners' Association will meet at Yoakum, July 25, in annual convention.

The number of convicts in Texas is reaching the high mark, the total being 3,906, of which twenty-one are in insane asylums. Some years ago the number exceeded 4,000 by a small margin.

The asphalt topping is now being given the highway from Lufkin to Diboll. In a short time this road will be completed to the Neches river, connecting there with Polk county's splendid highway.

The contract for three and a half miles of state highway of the Angleton road district has been let. The road leads north from the town of Angleton and connects with the Anchor road district, in the main highway from Angleton to Houston.

The school tax election held in the Yarrington school district last month to increase the school tax from 50 cents to 75 cents on the \$100 valuation, has been declared void by the district court. The court held that the election petition did not allege the specific amount of the increase.

With one of the biggest cotton yields in the history of the county in prospect, but being threatened by pests of various kinds, Bell County farmers are now resorting to the methods generally and successfully used thirty years ago for eliminating cotton pests, that of the torch light and pan.

Farmers of Bell County have just successfully harvested the largest and best oats crop in many years. The acreage was below normal, but the yield was much larger than usual, averaging between 50 and 60 bushels per acre. About 125 cars were shipped from Belton and Temple. About one-third of the crop was held in reserve.

One hundred and sixty-four counties in Texas conducting tick eradication in its three phases dipped 4,056,875 head of live stock in efforts to stamp out Texas tick fever during June, according to the monthly report of work done in the state under the supervision of the live stock sanitary commission of Texas and the bureau of animal industry.

Railroads must meet the expense of reconditioning compressed cotton arriving at destinations of less than 225 pounds per cubic foot, the railroad commission has ordered. Certain railroads had declined to meet the expense of reconditioning. It is stated. After reconditioning the cotton the railroads must look to the original compressor for reimbursement.

The fig crop of Galveston County, with the exception of the territory around San Leon, will be less this year than last, according to reports from throughout the county. The majority of the growers report that the late freezes this year delayed the crops considerably. Not only will the crop this year be small, but the time of picking will be delayed.

There will be about 1,200 students attending the Citizens' Military Training Camp at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, from July 28 to August 25. The army estimates feeding each one at a cost of 70c per day. This is a total of \$840 per day, which will be spent in San Antonio, paid out for groceries and vegetables. Grocers and dealers in other kinds of food will get \$25,500 worth of business during the month's training.

The Coleman County Pioneers' Association has just been organized at Coleman for the purpose of keeping alive history, tradition and memories of early civilization in Central West Texas. Charter members number 100 and it is expected that this number will be greatly increased when the organization becomes permanent.

Contracts for \$89,000 worth of asphalt surfacing were awarded by the Smith County highway commission recently. Nineteen miles of roadway will be treated with asphalt under this contract, the work costing an average of \$5,000 a mile. The completion of the work will give Smith County over 40 miles of concrete and asphalt country roads by the first of next year.

The Alamo Association at San Antonio has been presented with an old Spanish cannon, said to have been used by the Spanish in their defense of the Alamo against the Mexicans in 1812. W. H. Maverick, the oldest living native of San Antonio, gave the cannon to the association. The gun was found by Maverick's father in 1851 while excavations were being made for the present Maverick home.

State warrants are now being discounted 4 per cent and Austin local buyers assert that the rate will be 5 per cent by September 1, when the new appropriations become available. A call was made this week to pay warrants up to No. 66,960 and represents \$275,390. The last outstanding warrant was No. 73,748. Before the call the deficit was \$2,104,098, therefore it was reduced to \$1,828,618.

Colorado County crops are reported looking better than they have for many years.

TO CONTINUE ROAD BUILDING IN TEXAS

No Possibility of State Losing Federal Road Aid, as Reports Would Have It.

San Antonio, Tex.—Texas counties were urged to proceed with all highway construction under way or contemplated, and were reassured that there is absolutely no possibility of their losing the huge amount of federal road aid which have been counted upon by speakers before the State Highway Association in convention at San Antonio last week.

Of the \$31,000,000 in federal aid appropriated by congress to be spent between 1916 and 1925, \$16,000,000 has already been paid out on construction in various counties of this state. All counties which have been promised allotments of the remaining money will be taken care of, according to Highway Commissioners R. M. Hubbard, D. K. Martin and George D. Armistead, who were present.

A committee was appointed by Mr. Hubbard to communicate with Secretary of State Staples and to ascertain if the highway amendment election called for July 28 and revoked by Acting Governor Davidson, would affect the issue.

It was announced that Texas gets 6 per cent of every dollar collected by the government from this country for federal road aid, deriving more of such money than any other state, with New York second.

A formal statement on the state highway situation, in the light of the election developments, was made by D. K. Martin, speaking for the state highway commission, of which he is a member.

The reports in recent issues of the newspapers of the state, to the effect that Texas will lose \$22,000,000 federal road aid on account of the failure to publish the proposed constitutional highway amendment in sufficient length of time, are erroneous and misleading. To date federal money appropriated to the state of Texas is not in jeopardy. In fact, of the \$32,000,000, practically one-half has already been expended. The remaining has been allotted by the Texas highway commission to road projects either now under construction or financed. However, unless the next legislature materially changes the present methods employed in road construction by the proper constitutional and statutory provisions, the state will lose many millions of dollars in the future in the shape of federal aid. The present situation will in no way affect existing or contemplated road projects. Work of the highway department will continue without interruption of any sort.

A proclamation revoking the special election scheduled to be held July 28, at which time the voters would say whether or not they favored an amendment to the constitution affecting the maintenance and general supervision of the state highway system, was issued Wednesday by Acting Governor Davidson. In issuing the proclamation he declared he was doing so after conferring with the attorney general with special reference to the provisions of the law in advertising the election.

FARMERS' UNION ELECTS OFFICERS AND ADJOURNS

Yoakum, Tex.—The State Farmers' Union closed its 21st annual convention at Yoakum, Wednesday. The main problem confronting the convention was freight rates. Resolutions to have the Bach Cummings act repealed and to return the rate-making power to the Texas railroad commission were adopted.

The following officers were elected: J. D. Henderson, Munday, president; Charles Lucke, Sweet Home, vice president; A. L. Baker, secretary treasurer, re-elected. Executive committee: C. F. Steve, Runge, chairman; J. W. Grogg, Rusk; J. H. Lehman, Brenham; J. W. Baird, Parish, and C. H. Thompson, Hallettsville.

Ft. Worth Captures Sheriffs.

Galveston, Tex.—Plainsmen sheriffs from the cattle country adjacent to Ft. Worth came down to the forty-fifth annual convention of the Texas Sheriffs' association and captured the 1924 meet of the Texas organization for Ft. Worth. Other Texas cities contending for the 1924 convention were Waxahachie, Corpus Christi and Galveston. H. E. Nix, sheriff of Hunt County, for the past year first vice president of the Texas Sheriffs' association, was elected to the presidency of the organization for the ensuing year. Sheriff Nix succeeds Burton Roach of Ft. Worth and Amarillo.

Rice Heading At El Campo.

El Campo, Tex.—Several farmers report that rice is heading. Rice is about thirty days later than usual. Acreage is about the same as last year.

Firpo Defeats Willard.

Ringside, Jersey City, N. J.—Jesse Willard, from Kansas, went back to fistic oblivion Thursday night, but he staged the last, though futile act of his come-back before a vast throng of more than 100,000, the greatest in ring history, that filled Boyle's Thirty Acres to overflowing. Luis Angel Firpo, of Argentine, closed the door to Willard's attempted return to fistic fame by knocking out the giant former champion in the eighth round of a slashing battle—one of the greatest in recent heavyweight history.

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Explaining what happened yesterday is as much fun as predicting what will happen tomorrow.

He found it in Valparaiso

Then he headed north and found it up near the "jumping-off place"

No matter what part of the world you may find yourself in, few things make you feel more at home than to walk into a store and discover your favorite smoking tobacco for sale.

You get a great thrill from seeing your home newspaper in a strange land and an even greater thrill on meeting someone from the old home town. But tobacco certainly comes next in the order of importance in away-from-home thrills.

With your favorite tobacco in your favorite pipe, life is worth living in almost any corner of the globe.

This thought was inspired by the following interesting letter from Mr. W. E. Bromley, an Edgeworth smoker from Fort Wayne, Ind.:

Larus & Brother Co., Richmond, Va. Gentlemen: In some of your advertisements from time to time I have noticed the names of different users of Edgeworth Smoking Tobacco and I wondered if anyone ever had a more varied experience than I have had.

When in Valparaiso, South America, I could get it; and when I was as far north as a man could well go without going to the "jumping-off place," I could get Edgeworth Ready-Rubbed.

I have an old briar that I have had for ten years and it never had a crumb of any but Edgeworth in it.

If that isn't going some, "you tell me." Yours truly, (Signed) W. E. Bromley.

If Mr. Bromley makes frequent trips from continent to continent, his record of keeping all tobacco but Edgeworth out of his briar is indeed noteworthy.

Although Edgeworth does reach the far corners of the earth, there must be times when the supply runs low in Zanzibar and other remote districts.

But as a rule Edgeworth smokers, wherever they are, generally manage to find a way to get Edgeworth, for they don't feel as if they are really smoking unless the tobacco comes from a little blue can.

If you are not an Edgeworth smoker but would like an opportunity to find out if you want to be one, send your name and address to Larus & Brother Company, 67 South 21st Street, Richmond, Va.

You will receive almost immediately free samples of both Edgeworth Plug Slice and Ready-Rubbed. Then you can judge for yourself what you think about this tobacco that so many smokers claim gives complete pipe-satisfaction.

If you will include the name and address of your regular tobacco dealer with your request for the free samples, your courtesy will be appreciated.

To Retail Tobacco Merchants: If your jobber cannot supply you with Edgeworth, Larus Brother Company will gladly send you prepaid by parcel post a one- or two-dozen carton of any size of Edgeworth Plug Slice or Ready-Rubbed for the same price you would pay the jobber.

INFLAMED EYES. Don't treat any, no matter how long they have been inflamed, with powerful eye drops. A soothing, effective, safe remedy in 15 minutes. MITCHELL EYE SALVE. W. N. U., HOUSTON, NO. 29-1023.

# The Secret Adversary

By AGATHA CHRISTIE

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## "A GIRL!"

**SYNOPSIS**—Realizing that she has a possible chance of being saved, as the Lusitania is sinking, a stranger gives a young American girl a package which asks her to deliver to the American ambassador in England. She is saved. In London, former lieutenant, "Tommy" Beresford and Miss Frances Cowley—"Tuppence"—discharged army nurse, form an organization, "The Young Adventurers, Ltd." They are both broke and consequently ready for unorthodox methods. They write out an advertisement. Tuppence makes a business appointment with a man, Edward Whittington, who offers her easy employment, but on giving her name as "Jane Finn," which she had heard on the street, Whittington disappears. In answer to an advertisement signed "Jane Finn," Jane Finn, who had disappeared after landing from the Lusitania's boat, and employs them to search for her. They discover a Mrs. Vandemeyer is a Lusitanian. Tuppence recognizes Whittington as a caller on Mrs. Vandemeyer. Tommy trails him. Whittington leaves for France. Mrs. Vandemeyer follows him. Tommy trails Boris, Whittington's companion, to a house in Soho. He overhears details of a Bolshevik and labor plot to overturn the government.

## CHAPTER IV—Continued.

After listening intently for a minute or two, he put his head round the curtain. The parange was deserted. Tommy bent down and removed his shoes, then, leaving them behind the curtain, he walked gingerly out on his stocking feet, and kneeling down by the closed door, he laid his ear cautiously to the crack. To his intense annoyance he could distinguish little more; just a chance word here and there if a voice was raised, which merely served to whet his curiosity still further.

He eyed the handle of the door tentatively. Could he turn it by degrees so gently and imperceptibly that those in the room would notice nothing? He decided that with great care it could be done. Very slowly, a fraction of an inch at a time, he moved it round, holding his breath in his excessive care. A little more—a little more still—would it never be finished? Ah! at last it would turn no farther.

He stayed so for a minute or two, then drew a deep breath, and pressed it ever so slightly inward. The door did not budge. Tommy was annoyed. If he had to use too much force, it would almost certainly crack. He waited until the voices rose a little, then he tried again. Still nothing happened. He increased the pressure. Had the beastly thing stuck? Finally, in desperation, he pushed with all his might. But the door remained firm, and at last the truth dawned upon him. It was locked or bolted on the inside.

For a moment or two Tommy's indignation got the better of him. "Well, I'm d-d!" he said. "What a dirty trick!"

As his indignation cooled, he prepared to face the situation. Clearly the first thing to be done was to restore the handle to its original position. It he let it go suddenly, the men inside would be almost certain to notice it, so, with some infinite pains, he reversed his former tactics. All went well, and with a sigh of relief the young man rose to his feet. There was a certain bulldozing tenacity about Tommy that made him slow to admit defeat. Checked for the moment, he was far from abandoning the conflict. He still intended to hear what was going on in the locked room. As one plan had failed, he must hunt about for another.

He looked round him. A little farther along the passage on the left was a second door. He slipped silently along to it. He listened for a moment or two, then tried the handle. It yielded, and he slipped inside.

The room, which was untenanted, was furnished as a bedroom. Like everything else in the house, the furniture was falling to pieces, and the dirt was, if anything, more abundant.

with a reasonable amount of accuracy. The Sinn Feiner was speaking. His rich Irish voice was unmistakable: "That's all very well. But more money is essential. No money—no results!"

Another voice, which Tommy rather thought was that of Boris replied: "Will you guarantee that there are results?"

"In a month from now—sooner or later as you wish—I will guarantee you such a reign of terror in Ireland as shall shake the British empire to its foundations."

There was a pause, and then came the soft, sibilant accents of Number One:

"Good! You shall have the money. Boris, you will see to that."

Boris asked a question: "Via the Irish Americans, and Mr. Potter, as usual?"

"I guess that'll be all right!" said a new voice, with a transatlantic intonation, "though I'd like to point out, here and now, that things are getting a mite difficult. There's not the sympathy there was, and a growing disposition to let the Irish settle their own affairs without interference from America."

Tommy felt that Boris had shrugged his shoulders as he answered: "Does that matter, since the money only nominally comes from the States?"

"The chief difficulty is the landing of the ammunition," said the Sinn Feiner. "The money is conveyed in easily enough—thanks to our colleague here."

"That is settled, then," said the sibilant tones. "Now, in the matter of the loan to an English newspaper, you have arranged the details satisfactorily, Boris?"

"I think so."

"That is good. An official denial from Moscow will be forthcoming if necessary."

There was a pause, and then the clear voice of the German broke the silence:

"I am directed by—Mr. Brown, to place the summaries of the reports from the different unions before you. That of the miners is most satisfactory. We must hold back the railways. There may be trouble with the A. S. E."

For a long time there was a silence, broken only by the rustle of papers and an occasional word of explanation from the German. Then Tommy heard the light tap-tap of fingers, drumming on the table.

"And—the date, my friend?" said Number One.

"The Russian seemed to consider. "That is rather soon."

"I know. But it was settled by the principal labor leaders, and we cannot seem to interfere too much. They must believe it to be entirely their own show."

The Russian laughed softly, as though amused.

"Yes, yes," he said. "That is true. They must have no inkling that we are using them for our own ends. They are honest men—and that is their value to us. It is curious—but you cannot make a revolution without honest men. The instinct of the populace is infallible." He paused, and then repeated, as though the phrase pleased him: "Every revolution has had its honest men. They are soon disposed of afterward."

There was a sinister note in his voice.

The German resumed: "Clymes must go. He is too far-seeing. Number Fourteen will see to that."

There was a hoarse murmur. "That's all right, gov'nor." And then after a moment or two: "Suppose I'm nabbed."

"You will have the best legal talent to defend you," replied the German quietly. "But in any case you will wear gloves fitted with the fingerprints of a notorious housebreaker. You have little to fear."

"But, I ain't afraid, gov'nor. All for the good of the cause. The streets is going to run with blood, so they say." He spoke with a grim relish. "Dreams of it, sometimes, I does. And diamonds and pearls rolling about in the gutter for anyone to pick up!"

Tommy heard a chair shifted. Then Number One spoke: "Then all is arranged. We are assured of success!"

"I—think so." But the German spoke with less than his usual confidence.

Number One's voice held suddenly a dangerous quality: "What has gone wrong?"

"Nothing; but—"

"But what?"

"The labor leaders. Without them, as you say, we can do nothing. If they do not declare a general strike on the 29th—"

"Why should they not?"

"As you've said, they're honest. And in spite of everything we've done to discredit the government in their eyes, I'm not sure that they haven't got speaking faith and belief in it."

Again the Russian's fingers drummed on the table.

"To the point, my friend. I was given to understand that there was a certain document in existence which assured success."

"That is so. If that document were placed before the leaders, the result would be immediate. They would publish it broadcast throughout England, and declare for the revolution without a moment's hesitation. The government would be broken finally and completely."

"Then what more do you want?"

"The document itself," said the German bluntly.

"Ah! It is not in your possession? But you know where it is?"

"No."

"Does anyone know where it is?"

"One person—perhaps. And we are not sure of that even."

"Who is that person?"

"A girl."

Tommy held his breath.

"A girl?" The Russian's voice rose contemptuously. "And you have not made her speak? In Russia we have ways of making a girl talk."

"This case is different," said the German sullenly.

"How—different?" He paused a moment, then went on: "Where is the girl now?"

"The girl?"

"Yes."

"She is—"

But Tommy heard no more. A crashing blow descended on his head, and all was darkness.

## CHAPTER V

**Tuppence Enters Domestic Service.**

When Tommy set forth on the trail of the two men, it took all Tuppence's self-command to refrain from accompanying him. However, she contained herself as best she might, consoled by the reflection that her reasoning had been justified by events. The two men had undoubtedly come from the second floor flat, and that one slender thread of the name "Rita" had set the Young Adventurers once more upon the track of the abductors of Jane Finn.

The question was what to do next? She retraced her steps to the entrance hall of the mansions. It was now tenanted by a small lift-boy, who was polishing brass fittings, and whistling the latest air with a good deal of vigor and a reasonable amount of accuracy.

He glanced round at Tuppence's entry. There was a certain amount of the gain element in the girl; at all events, she invariably got on well with small boys.

"Well, William," she remarked cheerfully, in the best approved hospital-early-morning style, "getting a good shine up?"

The boy grinned responsively. "Albert, miss," he corrected.

"Albert he," said Tuppence. She glanced mysteriously round the hall. The effect was purposely a broad one in case Albert should miss it. She leaned toward the boy and dropped her voice: "I want a word with you, Albert."

Albert ceased operations on the fittings and opened his mouth slightly: "Look! Do you know what this is?" With a dramatic gesture she flung back the left side of her coat and exposed a small enameled badge. It was extremely unlikely that Albert would have any knowledge of it—indeed, it would have been fatal for Tuppence's plans, since the badge in question was the device of a local corps originated by the archdeacon in the early days of the war. Its presence in Tuppence's coat was due to the fact that she had used it for pinning in some flowers a day or two before. But Tuppence had sharp eyes, and had noted the corner of a three-penny detective novel protruding from Albert's pocket, and the immediate enlargement of his eyes told her that her tactics were good, and

that the fish would rise to the bait. "American detective force!" she hissed.

Albert fell for it.

"Lord!" he murmured ecstatically. Tuppence nodded at him with the air of one who has established a thorough understanding.

"Know who I'm after?" she inquired generally.

Albert, still round-eyed, demanded breathlessly: "Some of the flats?"

Tuppence nodded and jerked a thumb up the stairs.

"No. 20. Calls herself Vandemeyer. Vandemeyer! Ha! ha!"

Albert's hand stole to his pocket. "A crook?" he queried eagerly.

"A crook! I should say so. Ready Rita, they call her in the States."

"Ready Rita," repeated Albert delightedly. "Oh, ain't it just like the pictures! Annie always said as how she was a bad lot."

"Who's Annie?" inquired Tuppence idly.

"Ouse parliamint. She's leaving today. Many's the time Annie's said to me: 'Mark my words, Albert, I wouldn't wonder if the police was to come after her one of these days! Just like that. But she's a stunner to look at, ain't she?'"

"She's some peech," allowed Tuppence carelessly. "Finds it useful in her layout, you bet. Has she been wearing any of the emeralds, by the way?"

"Emeralds? Them's the green stones, ain't they?"

Tuppence nodded.

"That's what we're after her for. You know old man Rydale, the oil king?"

"It seems sort of familiar to me."

"The Rydales belonged to him. Finest collection of emeralds in the world. Worth a million dollars!"

"Lumme!" came ecstatically from Albert. "It sounds more like the pictures every minute!"

Tuppence smiled, gratified at the success of her efforts.

"We haven't exactly proved it yet. But we're after her. And—she produced a long-drawn-out wink—"I guess she won't get away with the goods this time."

Albert uttered another ejaculation indicative of delight.

"Mind you, sonny, not a word of this," said Tuppence suddenly. "I guess I ought to have put you wise, but in the States we know a real smart lad when we see one. What's this about the girl you say is leaving?"

"Annie! Regular turn-up, they 'ad."

An idea was dawning in Tuppence's brain. She thought a minute or two, then tapped Albert on the shoulder.

"See here, son, my brain's got busy. How would it be if you mentioned that you'd got a young cousin, or a friend of yours had, that might suit the place. You get me?"

"I'm there," said Albert instantly. "You leave it to me, miss, and I'll fix it."

"Some lad!" commented Tuppence, with a nod of approval. "You let me know, and if it's O. K. I'll be round tomorrow at eleven o'clock."

"Where am I to let you know to?"

"Rita," replied Tuppence laconically. "Name of Cowley."

Albert eyed her enviously. "It must be a good job, this tea business."

"It sure is," drawled Tuppence, "especially when old man Rydale backs the bill. But don't fret, son. If this goes well, you shall come in on the ground floor."

With quick promise she took leave of her new ally, and walked briskly away from South Audley mansions, well pleased with her morning's work.

She went straight back to the Rita, and wrote a few brief words to Mr. Carter. Having dispatched this, and Tommy not having yet returned—which did not surprise her—she started off on a shopping expedition. Starting with a cheap clothing store, and passing through one or two second-hand establishments, she had finished the day at a well-known hairdresser's. Now, in the seclusion of her bedroom, she unwrapped that final purchase. Five minutes later she smiled contentedly at her reflection in the glass. With an actress' pencil she had slightly altered the line of her eyebrows, and that, taken in conjunction with the new luxuriant growth of fair hair above, so changed her appearance that she felt confident that even if she came face to face with Whittington he would not recognize her. From hospital experience she knew only too well that a nurse out of uniform is frequently unrecognized by her patients.

"For the first time Tuppence felt afraid."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

**Good Name Beyond Price.** Garments that have once been rent in them are subject to be torn on every nail, and glasses that are once cracked are soon broken; such is man's good name once tainted with just reproach.—Bishop Hall.

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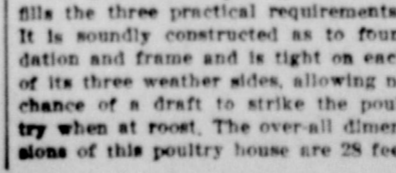
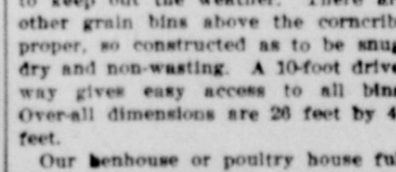
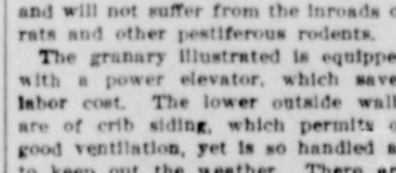
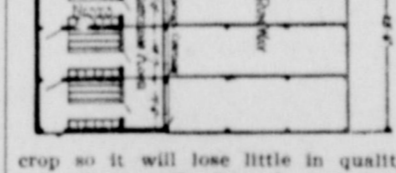
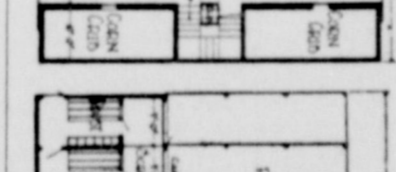
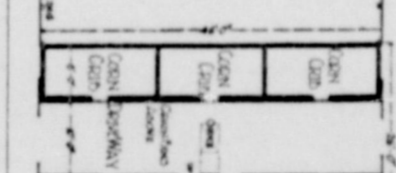
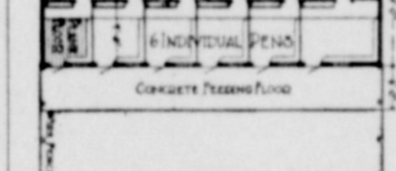
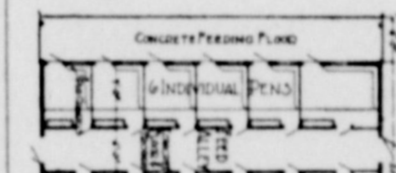
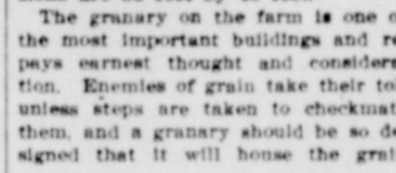
Illustrated is a group of three typical buildings needed on every farm—community hog house, granary and poultry house. They are simply and durably constructed and are of a type which will continue to yield continual returns on the original investment over a long period of usefulness.

The community hog house at the left has been planned to make the most of its location. It has good, sunny exposure, and the granary behind it helps to make an effective windbreak. It has a suitable elevation, which less-



ens the problem of manure handling and drainage, and is far enough placed from the farm dwelling to lessen the chance of wind-borne odors and consequent unpleasant effects, to say nothing of possible disease infection. There are 12 individual pens, six on each side, with a feed alley running down the center and with concrete troughs and floor. The latter is intended to be equipped with additional plank floor as a guard against dampness. Pig guards are also installed to lessen mortality at farrowing time. Concrete feeding floors at each side of the pens are reached through the swinging doors and are at an elevation suitable for the purpose, insuring cleanliness and absence of waste. Over-all dimensions are 38 feet by 46 feet.

The granary on the farm is one of the most important buildings and requires earnest thought and consideration. Enemies of grain take their toll unless steps are taken to checkmate them, and a granary should be so designed that it will house the grain



6 inches by 46 feet. It is divided into four compartments, each containing six nests, and all having access to the same scratching floor. The runway is a feature worth considering always, since in inclement weather it expedites the care of the poultry and aids in keeping the fowl in prime, healthy condition. Ventilation is controlled by regulating the windows and the canvas curtains in the front of the house, depending altogether upon weather conditions.

The construction of all these buildings is frame, and their design is such as to make their erection a comparatively simple matter.

## REBUILDING CITY OF YPRES

Belgians Work Hard at Restoration, but There Still is Much to Be Accomplished.

Over a thousand new homes have been put up since 1919 and a town is once again clustering round the Cloth hall and the cathedral. But it must be confessed that the new buildings, quickly got together with bricks and mortar, have an incongruous look beside what remains of the grey stone of the Cloth hall. Workmen are busy on its outer walls, and the ruins are already taking shape again. The Belgian's working week in the devastated areas is what he cares to make it—from ten to twelve hours daily. For his industry and spirit one has the highest admiration. The task begun with such heart and courage four years ago, is being continued today—very quickly, one thinks, as one looks at the villages that have grown up on the ruins; very slowly, one feels, as one passes piles of barbed wire entanglements, that have been taken no farther than the



corner of a plowed field. Dug-outs, mostly German, dot the ground along the railway line as one approaches Ypres, with here and there a black cross (German) among the growing corn. In the town and at intervals in the surrounding country are the war graves. It is all very still. . . . The service of reclaiming the bodies and of identification still continues.

## Little but Precious

Many families have got christening robes treasured away in some old press or chest or trunk. Some old English families have robes which have historical interest. Earl Fitzwilliam has, for instance, a gauze scarf, which is attached to the robe of the infant at a christening. It is reputed to have been owned by William the Conqueror, and to have been given by him to an ancestor of the Fitzwilliams after the battle of Hastings. Lord Clanwilliam's family also owns the robe worn by the duke of Kent, Queen Victoria's father, at his christening. It having been given to the lady who held the royal baby, and to have passed later into the possession of Lord Clanwilliam's ancestors. Now Princess Mary will put away another addition to the store of treasured relics of infancy.

## "Dizigold"

A new Swedish cheap jewelry alloy called "Dizigold" is said to combine the color and luster of gold with the hardness and durability of steel, also to have great resistance to the action of acids and alkalis. It seems to be an aluminum bronze, with copper in varying proportions up to 50 per cent. It is stated to be a good substitute for German silver, which contains a large quantity of nickel as well as copper, with small amounts of aluminum and zinc.

## Expressive, but Untimely.

I had moved to a new neighborhood, and a Jewish neighbor had been particularly kind to me. She came over one afternoon, and as we were sitting on my front porch, word came to me that some rugs which were to be delivered that day would be indefinitely delayed. I was extremely annoyed and exclaimed, "Well, don't that beat the Jews!"—Exchange.

## Retreat Good Policy.

One day I was in a drug store with a number of my girl friends. We were discussing a married lady of fifty-seven rather loudly, and the drug store was crowded. We suddenly turned to see the lady whom we were so freely discussing right behind us and she could not have helped hearing every word we said. Needless to say we beat a hasty retreat.—Exchange.

## Ann Wondered.

Ann, age four, was shopping with mother for a pair of shoes. The obliging clerk had brought out three or four pairs and Ann had duly tried on one shoe of each pair. Finally mother decided on the pair she wished and told the clerk she would take them. As the clerk started away Ann called out: "Mother, don't we get two?"

## NEW RULE IS MADE BY RESERVE BANKS

Federal Banks Will Charge For Service Rendered Non-Member Institutions.

Washington.—Regulations of the federal reserve board have been amended prohibiting any federal reserve bank from receiving on deposit or for collection any check drawn on a nonmember bank which refuses to clear checks at par in acceptable funds. At the same time federal reserve banks will be required to make a charge of not to exceed one-tenth of 1 per cent for their services in collecting checks which bear the indorsement of or are drawn by a nonmember bank which refuses to remit at par.

The board's action is said to be an effort to maintain an efficient system of par collections and at the same time comply with the recent decision of the United States supreme court that the federal reserve banks can not pay exchange. It is understood to be the board's theory that banks which now refuse to remit at par may be inclined to do so when they find that the federal reserve banks must retaliate in making a collection charge for services in their dealings with such banks.

A statement issued by the federal reserve board in support of the amended regulations shows that par collection is in operation between about 92 per cent of all banking institutions and which have approximately 95 per cent of the country's total banking resources. The system has eliminated a very large portion of the time formerly consumed in the collection of checks and reduced to a minimum the cost of making the country's exchanges.

Even though an involuntary system may not be imposed upon the federal reserve banks by the federal reserve act, as interpreted by the supreme court of the United States in its recent decision, the system has fully justified its operation, says the board's statement, and is of such value to the banking and commercial interests of the country that its continuance as a voluntary system is of vital importance.

## DRUGLESS METHOD Of Treating Rheumatism, Indigestion and Run-Down Systems Discovered.

Houston, Tex.—A drugless method of treating forms of indigestion, rheumatism, nervousness, kidney and bladder troubles and general run-down systems has been discovered. It is called Vitalitas, which means the state or quality of being vital, vital force or animation, the principle of life.

The owners of this valuable discovery offer \$1000 reward to the person who can prove that any alcohol, opiates or drugs of any kind are added as nature made it.

If interested in the history of this remarkable discovery with suggestions as to its use in treating chronic and stubborn cases, write The Vitalitas Company, Houston, Texas.—Advertisement.

## FEDERAL HIGHWAY AID SYSTEM IS OUTLINED

Washington.—Definite designations of roads to comprise the federal aid highway system have been made in 34 states by the department of agriculture. These roads and estimates in the 14 states where the roads have not been approved aggregate 187,406 miles, connecting nearly every city in the country having a population of 5,000 or more. Indications are that more than 50 per cent of the nation's population will live within 10 miles of a federal aid highway. In some states it will be as high as 85 per cent, according to department officials, and in none will it drop below 65 per cent. Mileage by states where designations have been made includes: Kansas, 6,425; Missouri, 7,046.

Estimated mileage in states where designations have not yet been approved include: Arkansas, 5,037; Illinois, 4,987; Louisiana, 2,667; Oklahoma, 7,889; Texas, 11,655.

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## New Postmaster for Malvern.

Washington.—The postoffice department announces that Forrest W. Jonea has been appointed postmaster at Malvern, Leon County, Texas.

## Charbon Situation Improving.

Angleton, Tex.—The charbon situation is somewhat improved. It is thought that the heavy rains of the past week have been beneficial in helping to stamp out the disease.

## Expect Bumper Rice Crops.

"I am a Progressive, but I Favor Retaining the Things That Are Good"

By ALVA B. ADAMS, New U. S. Senator From Colorado.

IT MAY be that government ownership and control is the solution of the transportation problem, but I believe a further test of private ownership of the railroads, with continued government supervision, should be made.

I favor the repeal of the Esch-Cummins law creating the railroad labor board. It has not worked well. It has served as a source of irritation among railroad men rather than as a means of soothing them. Its mission is good, but the results are not good because neither side is committed to abide by the decisions of the board.

I am in favor of law enforcement, and that applies to the Eighteenth amendment.

I am in sympathy with most of the economic purposes of the farm bloc, but I do not think blocs should exert their influence to the detriment of the whole, and I doubt their wisdom and propriety.

I am in favor of an adequate and effective line of defense. We ought to be better prepared than we were in 1917. I am in sympathy with arms limitation in a general way, and in favor of anything that will make war more improbable, but I think the arms limitations treaty is less effective than the league of nations plan for preventing conflict.

The international policies of Senator LaFollette and those who agree with him do not meet my approval. I am a progressive and I believe in eliminating the bad things in our government, but I am in favor of retaining the things that are good.

The government should stop child labor of the kind that stunts the child's growth. The government should prevent working conditions insanitary or destructive of the moral or physical welfare of the worker. Especially among women a far greater hazard of evil results from low wages rather than from long hours.

The preservation of peace is of far greater importance than the success of political parties, and if the President and his party can promote world peace I shall be glad to support their efforts. I hope the senate will give its consent to membership in the International Court of Justice.

Result Would Be the Minimum Price Would Become the Maximum Price

By GRAY SILVER, American Farm Bureau Federation.

I am opposed to price-fixing legislation applying to farm products. Without the incentive or opportunity to trade and with no reason for organizing, the result would be that the minimum price would become the maximum price, for there would be no active force to remove it from its starting point.

The farmer would lose all individual initiative, all ability and incentive to trade or barter, and he would become a victim of an autocratic system of business and price fixing which would make him, in effect, a ward of the government, whereas by the present method we are seeking to develop a democracy that gives the widest opportunity to agriculture to compete.

If, in addition to having to meet organized groups who price their own products, were we to provide for governmental stabilization by the method proposed in any of the bills now in congress, the farmer would find himself between the arbitrary price fixed by the groups and the arbitrary price fixed by the government. Since he is approximately one-third of the total population, he would be in a position of having his customers, the other two-thirds of our population, after pricing their own goods, sit in with him and, with their majority vote, determine the price.

Government by Blocs Leads to Class War, of All Conflicts Most Cruel

By COL. R. W. STEWART, Address at Coe College.

Government by blocs, carried to its ultimate conclusion, leads to but one destination—class war, of all conflicts the most cruel, ruthless and destructive. The bloc system is designed to favor a minority, a certain class, regardless of the effect upon the majority. It is history that no bloc or class has ever maintained itself in power for any length of time in any nation without resort to militarism and confiscation.

The average advocate of syndicalism, communism and associated revolutionaryisms—and I do not exclude socialism—is at heart a shirker, whether he be of the study or soapbox. He aims at equality of reward. He would rob the children of the fragal to recompense the offspring of the profligate.

The so-called intellectual of the pessimistic red variety contemplates the dreadful spectacle of a man earning his living by the sweat of his brow. He suffers vicariously for the man who must work to live. He dreams of Utopia where no man would have to work, or, at least, where there would be but little work to do.

He prates of relieving what he is pleased to call the proletariat of the dreadful necessity for work, blissfully careless of the biological fact that it was this some necessity for work which raised man from a situation of savagery to his present estate.

Future American Army Must Be Composed of Normal, Virile, Healthy Men

By LT.-COL. JULIUS R. KLINE, Staff Specialist, U. S. A.

The watchword of the United States army is efficiency. To perfect an efficient defense the defenders of the nation must be 100 per cent efficient. Efficiency means men—real men—normal and healthy both in body and mind.

The nation does not contemplate training men to defend other men, but it does seek to so train men that they will be able to destroy themselves, should occasion arise, against other men who may attack the nation. The future army must be composed of normal, virile, healthy men.

The nation, to maintain its supremacy, needs such men. The future of the generations to come demands real men to perpetuate the nation. We must produce and maintain men and women healthy physically, mentally and morally.

The government aims to train men so that physically they are in truth images of their Creator; mentally, that they will be able to reason for themselves, and show a proper respect for the laws of the nation, and morally, that they shall so live and act as to be of credit to this nation, which has always respected God, humanity and freedom of all mankind.

To this end the citizens' military training camps have been instituted.

CONDITION OF CROPS THROUGHOUT TEXAS

All Crop Conditions for the Past Month Have Been Fairly Favorable.

Houston, Tex.—Considering the condition of all the crops of the state, the past month has been fairly favorable, according to the report released Friday by the U. S. Bureau of Crop Estimates. Harvesting and threshing of the small grains made good progress and the growing crops show little change from the June 1 condition. The cotton acreage has increased 1,826,000 acres over last year, making 14,077,000 acres, or more than all other crops combined. The oats acreage is greater this year, but all the other important crops in the state reflect a decrease, yet altogether there has been an increase of 3 per cent in the total cultivated area.

The corn acreage standing shows a decrease of 15 per cent from that planted last year. The condition of the crop is reported as 76 per cent of normal, which is 3 points below the 10-year average and 2 points below the condition a year ago. Based upon the condition figure and the 4,870,000 acres planted, the crop promises a production of 95,121,000 bushels, or almost 20,000,000 bushels below last year's estimated production. It is noticeable that those districts which increased their cotton acreage, decreased the acreage devoted to corn. The acreage of the U. S. is 106.7 per cent of that planted in 1922 and indications point to practically the same production as during the past season.

Wheat condition is reported at 68 per cent of normal, which forecasts 17,819,000 bushels. On August 1, the average yield per acre will be given and also the preliminary estimate of winter wheat production. Many fields are producing satisfactory yields, but there are many poor ones as well; the condition figure indicates an average of 11.5 bushels per acre. Only 1.0 per cent of the crop of 1922 remained on farms on July 1; on July 1, 1922, the amount was 2 per cent. The U. S. winter wheat crop is forecast at 585,389,000 bushels; the spring wheat, 234,739,000 bushels, making the present prospects 41,000,000 bushels less than last year's production.

The acreage of both white and sweet potatoes is less this year than last in Texas and in the remainder of the U. S. also. Following the unsatisfactory farm prices received for the last crop a considerable decrease was to be expected. It is estimated that the white potato acreage in Texas has decreased 6 per cent and that of sweet potatoes 15 per cent; the U. S. acreage was reduced practically 10 per cent in each instance.

The acreage of grain sorghums is reported as 4 per cent less than that of 1922; that of sorghum cane for syrup, 12 per cent less; and the peanut acreage is 9 per cent less. The growing condition of these crops is good and exceeds that reported on July 1 last year with the exception of the grain sorghums which have a condition 2 points lower, 86 per cent. The acreage of rice is reported at 151,000 acres as compared with 151,000 acres last year, a decrease of about 21 per cent; the condition of the crop is reported as 89 per cent of normal.

Table with 3 columns: Crop Name, Percentage, and Condition. Includes items like Corn, Wheat, Oats, Barley, Rye, Grain sorghum, Rice, Pasture, White potatoes, Sweet potatoes, Tame hay, Wild hay, Alfalfa.

SURPRISE RAID IS MADE BY FRENCH

Dusseldorf.—French troops Friday made a surprise raid on Barmen, outside the occupied area, as a punitive measure for the kidnaping on Wednesday of two French soldiers and the sniping which is alleged to have been carried on by the Germans against the forces of occupation.

Detachments of infantry and cavalry, with one tank, a squadron of airplanes circling overhead, reached the town at 6 o'clock in the morning and left five hours later with a group of hostages and a number of secret security police documents, seized at the city hall.

The French numbered about 600. They encountered no opposition.

Will Buy Road Bonds. Hallettsville, Tex.—The county treasurer has been authorized to buy \$10,000 worth of Lavaca County road district No. 1 bonds for the permanent school fund of the county.

Tropical Storm Hits Montevideo. Montevideo.—Three days of storm and flood have wrought damage to the city and harbor of Montevideo estimated at \$1,000,000 and have been responsible for the loss of at least five lives by drowning.

Thorndale School Tax Voted. Thorndale, Tex.—An election to determine whether or not the school tax should be increased from 50c to 75c, resulted in the increase carrying by a vote of 95 to 40.

Jones in Hall of Fame

Bobby Jones, third sacker for the Detroit club, in a game against Chicago on April 30, accepted 11 chances in a nine-inning contest. This is not a record of total chances, but Bobby, when he handled nine assists perfectly, equalled the American league record in this respect, and his name will be in line with those of Terry Turner, Oscar Vitt and Buck Weaver, all of whom share in the honor. The best record in this line is held by Jerry Denny of old-time fame. On May 29, 1890, Jerry had 11 assists in a nine-inning game, and accepted them with ease and grace.

TY COBB REFUSES TO HEED TIME SUMMONS

Georgia Peach Not Yet in Bench Manager Class.

Tyrus Raymond Cobb, variously known as "the Peerless One" and "the Georgia Peach," is not yet in the bench manager class, despite his thirty-seven years and the thinning hairs on his head. Frequent predictions, first heard when he succeeded Hughie Jennings as manager of the Detroit Tigers two years ago, that he was through as a player, have failed of fulfillment.

It is a different Cobb who guides the destinies of the 1923 Tigers from the player who flashed along the major league horizon in 1906, gaining in brilliancy and renown until in 1911 he became a 420 batter. The speed that gave Cobb a new major league record for stolen bases in 1915, with a total of 98, is waning, but in its place has come craftiness, and because he had so much speed to lose, he still is a great outfielder, still a dangerous man on the paths.

At bat, he is the same "Peach." His eye seems as clear as in his earlier days when he was the bugbear of all pitchers in the league. He continues to meet the ball squarely and his facility of driving the ball out of reach of the fielders seems greater, if anything, this year than ever.

From the start of this season he has had the Tigers among the league leaders. Close followers of the game have seen in Detroit the principal menace to the New York Yankees in this season's race. Cobb's heavy artillery is conceded to be the equal of the New York club's "murderers' row," and his pitching staff, considered the principal weakness of the club, has shown surprisingly well during the first month, the veteran Daus especially appearing near the peak of his form.

Some critics see indications that Cobb may direct his club from the bench soon, in the acquisition of two slugging recruits. Fothergill and Manush, both of whom have been used effectively this year, but Cobb smiles and continues to take his stand in center field.

Wins Women's Title



Playing wonderful golf, Miss Alexa Stirling won the Women's Golf Championship match held at the Westchester-Biltmore club links at Hyde, New York, defeating Mrs. G. M. Hockschler with 11 up and 9 to go. Her playing would have brought dismay to many a masculine player.

INTERESTING SPORT NOTES

More than 500 public tennis courts are laid out in the South Park system in Chicago.

Much of the day's pessimism is due to the fact that good golf scores are so hard to get.

Paul Kennedy, Lafayette, Ind., was elected 1924 track captain of Notre Dame. He has been a consistent 4:30 miler.

"It's a wise Irishman," said Johnny Kilbane, "who knows when to quit fighting." This was Johnny's victory to the ring.

In the Bronx park, New York city, which covers 4,000 acres, 250 acres are devoted to golf links. There are eighty-five tennis courts in the park system.

Prior to 1913, boxing was quite unknown in Italy. The first real impetus for this sport came from the arrival of the American soldiers in Rome, and since that time boxing has made great strides.

BONUS BILL SURE SAYS MR. SMOOT

UTAH SENATOR DECLARES ONE WILL BE PASSED IN NEXT SESSION OF CONGRESS.

ENOUGH VOTES TO BEAT VETO

Position of Each New Member of House and Senate Has Been Ascertained—Demand for Adjusted Compensation Easily Explained.

By EDWARD B. CLARK

Washington.—Senator Smoot of Utah, chairman of the senate committee on finance, has said recently that congress at its next session is certain to pass a bonus bill in behalf of the ex-service men. It is understood that Senator Smoot went a little further than this and intimated that there would be enough votes for the bonus in the house and senate to pass the measure over the President's veto in case he should make up his mind to intervene with his "I forbid."

There probably is no other one thing, unless it be the League of Nations, on which the opinion of the country has been so sharply divided as on that of the so-called bonus measure. Veterans of the service, and the writer is one of them, prefer the use of the expression "adjusted compensation" to the word "bonus."

Not all of the ex-service men are in favor of the bonus; but let one who never has been in favor of it say that the majority of the veterans do favor it, and that it is known in Washington that the American Legion, in working on behalf of the measure, is following the wishes of the majority—yes, a great majority—of men who saw service in the World war.

Enough to Overcome a Veto?

The next congress will be different in its personnel from the last congress. It may be asked, however, how it is that even a senator of the United States is able to declare in advance that the bonus measure will be given the sanction of the new congress. Of course, the name of every member of the new congress is known, and his address along with it. A poll has been taken, and the position of each new member of the house and the senate is known on the bonus proposition. The position of each old member who holds over has been known for a long time. It is believed that at least ten votes over the two-thirds necessary to overcome a presidential veto can be secured in the house, and at least three votes more than are necessary in the senate.

While the writer of this is an ex-service man, and never has been in favor of the passage of the bonus bill, he easily understands why the bill has been demanded, and he is perfectly willing to admit that seemingly there were all kinds of right and reason back of the wish of the former soldiers that their services be given substantial cash recognition by the United States government.

Of course, as the opponents of the bonus in the American Legion and out of it look at the matter, each man who served ought to have been glad to serve because of a willingness to fight for his country, and been willing to do it without any thought of pecuniary reward. The difficulty was that when the soldiers who had served in the trenches in France came back to the United States they found that men as able as themselves to fight not only had been exempted from the fighting service, but had been given jobs which paid them sometimes as high as \$20 a day. These non-combatant workers therefore received twenty times as much pay as did the combatants in the trenches.

Only Human to Ask It.

Was it not human nature which prompted the men who had fought virtually for no pecuniary reward to demand that some recognition be given their service other than the pat on the back for their patriotism? It may be an old story, but the germ of the human nature demand for a bonus can be found in a little incident of the service in France.

When the soldiers who had been in action for some days were relieved for a rest entertainment were given for them in the areas back of the fighting line. Vaudeville performances were the favorites. It was found necessary to cut one conversation between two of the performers out of the program because of the bad effect which it might have. Two of the actors were supposed to represent two soldiers who came from the same home town in America, but who were meeting for the first time during their soldier service in France. This interchange took place between them:

"Well, Bill, have you heard from home?"

"Yes, Jim, I heard from the old town last week. Jack Smith, who ducked the draft, has got my girl and my job."

In this little story probably can be found the germ of the feeling which has caused the majority of ex-service men to stand back of the demand, or rather the request, that congress make an appropriation to pay them a bonus in cash.

High Time.

"I want to be taught," said a little boy.

"And," growled a crusty neighbor, "if you talk that way it is high time for us were learning you something."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

BROOKINGS MAKING WORLD RECORD



Charley Brookings of Iowa is shown "doing his stuff" as he does it when making world records like 23 9-10 in the 220-yard low hurdles at the Stagg field competition in Chicago. The four pictures, left to right, are: Charley getting set on the mark; leaving the mark and gathering speed for the first hurdle; over the barrier, and last, his lunge over the tape.

Mild Remark by Mercer

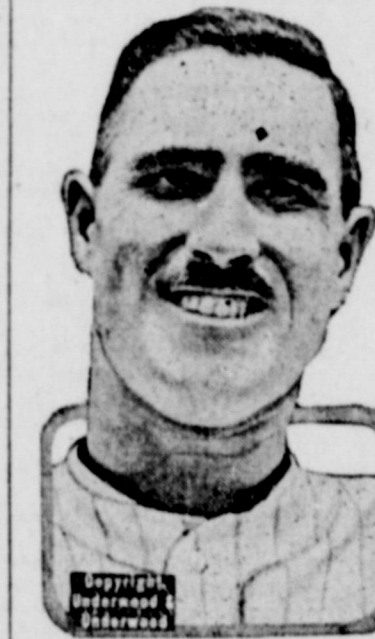
Win Mercer, one of the mildest mannered of pitchers, has been dead for a good many years, but one mild remark got him benched.

Win was pitching for Washington, and he was not only wild, but was being hit hard. He thought Cantillon was missing a few strikes on him and he complained two or three times.

Finally he turned around and said: "Joe, you're in the wrong place to see 'em."

"Now, Win, you've been in the wrong place all afternoon. You belong under the showers." And Win went.

Mustache for Scott



The venerable Jim Scott of the San Francisco Seals is so proud of his age that this season he has grown a mustache. The lip whiskers are tinged with gray, as are the hairs on Scott's head and the grayer the better Scott likes it. Meanwhile he continues to be a wizard on the hill for the Seals, old and gray as he is.

Football Player Seldom Makes Good at Baseball

The football player who "doubles" at baseball and becomes a great baseball player is rare. For instance, Mathewson was a star football player at Bucknell, Dave Fultz, one of the great stars in baseball of a generation ago, was an All-American at football. Paul Castner, pitching and outfielding star at Notre Dame, whom the majors are after, came near reaching the All-American heights. For the most part, however, star baseball players coming from the colleges are not worked very much in football. Many athletic directors, if they have a star baseball player, keep him from the more dangerous game of football, saving him for the diamond.

For instance, when at Michigan, George Sisler had everything to make him a great football player. Yost saw a gridiron gem in Sisler, but saw, too, that baseball was the place where he would win fame for Michigan.

More Accuracy in Golf by Follow-Through Shot

The beginner at golf is told often about the follow-through, which means the completion of the stroke, even after the ball has been hit.

The correct follow-through is the end of the correct stroke. James Braid, one of the greatest players in the history of the game, says that it gives more distance and, of course, accuracy. And in golf accuracy is the big idea. Distance, attached to accuracy, is unbeatable.

Diamond Squibs

Eddie Roush is enjoying a big year at Cincy.

Hans Wagner ended his professional baseball career with forty-three years of age.

Manager Ty Cobb says a baseball team needs inspiration to win. And a few pitchers.

In the first month of the International season there were 30 games postponed, or an average of one a day.

The "most valuable player to his team" in the Southern league will next fall be presented with an automobile.

Horace (Pug) Allen, outfielder, has been shifted from Dallas to Beaumont, the latter club claiming him on waivers.

"Baby Doll" Jacobson, of the Browns, is gaining on the batting leaders and should be among the top-notchers before long.

George (Micky) O'Neil, catcher for the Boston Nationals, has announced his retirement from baseball to go into the drug business.

As part payment for first baseman Ace Elliott, the Chicago Cubs sent Art Weis, outfielder to the Wichita Falls Texas league club.

The Minneapolis club has put its only southpaw, Earl Yingling, on the suspended list. Yingling has been unable to get in shape.

"The best utility man ever seen in the South Dakota league" is the way an admirer writes of Wesley (Berry) Clemens of the Aberdeen team.

Neil Blaisdell, the young college pitcher who came all the way from Honolulu to get a trial with the Chicago White Sox, is on his way back.

Otis Miller, Toronto's recruit infielder from the Mint league, who got off to a bad start this spring, is now in high favor with Toronto critics and fans.

The first half of the Florida State league season closed with Orlando a rather easy winner and St. Petersburg, the champions of last year, down in the ruck.

Having obtained Wickey McAvoy from the Orioles, the Rochester club has sent Catcher Walter McQuinn to his Scranton farm, along with Henzes, an infielder.

Connie Mack recently sent Friend Ira Thomas at Shreveport a rookie pitcher, Elbert Schilling. So far he has been of great help to the wallowing Shreveport team.

Johnny Bish, for several years pitcher with Worcester, released to bring the club within the player limit, has been signed by Montreal of the Eastern Canada league.

Playing his old position of first base seems to have helped Hooks Cotter of the Wichita Falls team in his hitting, for he has been pounding the ball hard since he shifted from the outfield.

Among collegians recently signed by the Boston Americans is Eddie McQuillen, a pitcher from Drexel Institute of Philadelphia. If he lives up to the family name he will be a big league star.

Miss Nina Belle Hurst, who has been officially appointed as a baseball umpire by the Southern California Baseball Managers' association, is said to be the only official woman baseball arbiter in history.

WIT NOT FORCED

Dublin Car Driver Famed for Power of Repartee.

Probably Able to Boast, if He Would, That He Never Found Himself at a Loss.

Pat Dickinson is a well-known character in Dublin, where he is very popular, the Christian Science Monitor relates. His car is always clean and comfortable, and he has a particularly fine horse, but Pat himself is the chief attraction. He is bubbling over with genuine fun and wit. It is true that he somewhat startled an English friend of mine last year. She had enjoyed the drive in the Phoenix park so much that wishing to be sure of being able to engage him again, she asked him his name. As she was writing it down he exclaimed suddenly, "Oh, please to stop, ma'am; sure you're putting out me eye!" She had written Dickinson instead of Dickinson. On their way to the park they saw a baker's boy drop his basket of loaves, and Pat immediately called out, "It's glad I do be to see that bread's down in these hard times."

As they were passing the Four Courts my friend asked him what that fine building was. Pat drew up his horse, and accosted a barrister, who, being and gown was standing at the entrance. "Would your honor be so kind as to tell this fair lady what this fine building is?"

"Why, you rogue, you know as well as I do that it's the Four Courts."

"To be sure, your honor, and so it is, but I thought I'd like to have counsel's opinion free for once."

"Pat," said my friend, who is a brunette, "might you not better have called me a dark lady?"

"Not at all, ma'am," was his quick answer; "sure and don't you be my fare."

He told her that his father was a farmer in Tipperary. "One day," he said, "he was driving a cow before him from the market, when up comes a cycle agent, and, see he, 'Hallo, me, and what did you give for that cow?' '£20,' says me father. '£20! Just think of the grand bicycle you could have had for half that!' 'All very good,' says me father, 'but did it be a cow I was wanting, and not a bicycle.' 'Yes, but just think what a fool you'd look going through the street, trying to ride a cow!' 'Arrah thin, not half the fool I'd look going through the streets, tryin' to milk a bicycle.'"

"Another day, me father caught a tramp, runnin' off with one of his best hens. 'Drop that, this mornin', see he, 'Oh, sir,' says the tramp, 'sure I only did it takin' it for a lark.' 'Indeed thin,' says me father, 'but it's the uncommon bad judge of poultry ye do be.'"

When Pat's fare was bidding him goodby, she gave him an extra half crown for his "good company." "No, thank you, ma'am," he said; "sure and didn't you give me your company free?"

Lights Float on Mercury.

There is said to be an increasing demand for quicksilver in manufacturers of electric appliances. An interesting and increasing use in Scotland is the floating of lights of lighthouses upon a body of quicksilver. The metal is not consumed, of course, and the loss in use is insignificant.

It appears that the commissioners of northern lighthouses in Edinburgh have in their charge ninety light-houses on the coast of Scotland. Up to a few years ago the revolving lights were borne on rollers. The "font" system has been gradually introduced, however, and is now in operation at thirty coast stations and will be used at all others. The lighting machinery rests on a pontoon which runs on quicksilver in a groove. The quantity of mercury required for this purpose in a lighthouse is from seven to eight flasks of 75 pounds each.

Busy Individual.

Missing the most mischievous of her third grade pupils from her regular place in filing out of the room into the corridor, Miss Jones rushed indignantly ahead of the class to accost the delinquent. Seeing the youngster at some distance down the hall, turning this way and that, the while she waved her arms windmill fashion toward scores of pupils who scurried in various directions, Miss Jones called out, "What are you doing there, Margrove?" "Oh, nothin', Miss Jones," came the calm answer. "I'm just trying to regulate traffic."

Forestry Clubs Are Spreading.

Forestry clubs, formed by boys and girls, are becoming popular, according to records of the forest service, United States Department of Agriculture. Beginning with a forestry club organized last year in Crestone, Colo., the movement has spread to many other localities in that state. These clubs are being formed under the direction of local men and women interested in both forestry and agriculture in cooperation with the county agent and the forest service.

Critical.

Helen D. has a very precocious little three-year-old sister, Catherine, at St. Paul, Ind. Helen is attending college. Recently when she came home her sister made the surprising remark, "I don't like that slap on your face." It developed that she meant "bang" on her sister's forehead.—Indianapolis News.

List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1922, for the Taxes of 1921, in Tarrant County, Texas.

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State Revenue Tax \$923.13
State Pension Tax 228.35
State Poll Tax 13.50
Total State Taxes \$1,165.08
County Ad Valorem Tax \$2,264.56
District School Tax 1,621.85
County Poll Tax 2.60
Total County Taxes 2,887.41

Given in open court this 23rd day of May, A. D. 1922. G. J. HENSLEY, County Judge. W. A. COCHRAN, County Clerk. R. N. ALLEN, County Commissioners of said County.

Attest: LUELLA LEMONS, County Clerk.

Table with columns: OWNER, No. of Acres, Description of Property, Original Grant, City or Town, No. of Acres, Total Ass'd Delin. Taxes. Lists various land parcels and owners such as C. W. & Vina Adams, Ellis, V. B. & Mandie, etc.

THE SANDERSON TIMES, SANDERSON, TEXAS

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State Revenue Tax \$1,350.72
State Pension Tax 280.13
State Poll Tax 4.50
Total State Taxes \$1,635.35
County Ad Valorem Tax \$2,807.11
County Special Tax-Road 2,771.51
District School Tax 1,671.82
Total County Taxes \$7,254.23

Given in open court this 14th day of May, A. D. 1922. G. J. HENSLEY, County Judge. J. M. COLEMAN, County Clerk. J. W. BANNER, County Commissioners of said County.

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SUPPLEMENTAL ROLL FOR 1920 AND 1921. Table with columns: OWNER, No. Acres, Total Tax.

For Home News Read your Home Paper. Charming Dresses of Cotton Fabric. Staple Materials Vie With Novelty Effects in Summer Outfits.

Embroidery Feature of Blue Serge Dress. This is one type of dress in the designing of which America excels. It is the purely summer frock of cotton material.

Among the marvelous creations of foreign origin and the printed silks designers have not forgotten to place stress on the cottons that have for many years been considered more or less staple. They realize that there is bound to be a revulsion of feeling and when women have tired of these gay fabrics they will turn to the simple type of dress that they always have liked.

Sectional Bookcases Big Library Adjunct. No other room in the home offers greater opportunities for the quiet expression of individuality than the library, says the Milwaukee Sentinel.



New Geyser in Yellowstone Park is Destructive. During the past winter a powerful new geyser burst forth in the Norris geyser basin, Yellowstone National park.

Rain Expert Dissects Fog. Harvard Professor Explains That Precipitation is Really Forced Draft. Cambridge, Mass.—Now we have the truth about rain making!

Bird Builds Nest Under Mail Coach. New York.—When "Wyken, Blyn-keon and Nod one night sallied out in a woden shoe," their voyage was not one bit as adventurous as the daily journey of 75 miles taken by five of the oldest passengers that ever rode on the Philadelphia & Reading railway.

Test Shows Sweet Foods Are Injurious to Teeth. San Francisco.—Experiments conducted on convicts at San Quentin prison to determine the effect of sweet foods on the teeth revealed that such foods were injurious, according to a report made to the annual convention of the California State Dentists' association.

Flag Lowered for Dog. Augusta, Mo.—Governor Baxter ordered the flag on the statehouse gallery at half mast in memory of Percy, his Irish setter and for many years his constant companion. He buried the dog on his island estate near Portland.

\$8,000,000 to Fire Victims. Duluth, Minn.—Nearly \$8,000,000 has been paid by the United States government to victims of the northern Minnesota forest fires of October, 1918, according to figures given out by agents in this district for the United States railroad administration.

AMERICAN BOY OWNER OF GREAT RANCH IN HAWAII Will Be Multi-Millionaire When He Attains Majority. Honolulu.—The high cost of living is one thing that need not cause much worry for the next year to ten-year-old Richard Smart, who is now on his annual visit to his domain, the great Parker ranch of almost 200,000 acres on the island of Hawaii.

Tobacco Juice Routs Bull That Freed Men. Kingston, N. Y.—Fred M. Doherty and Henry Wingle, while working in the woods near here were attacked by a bull. The men hastily climbed a tree, thinking the animal would soon leave, but it kept them treed nearly an hour.

SCIENTIST SAYS MEN DO NOT USE ALL OF BRAIN. Changes Taking Place in Human World Very Rapidly. London.—We do not use our brains to half their capacity, says Sir Arthur Keith, British scientist, who has just returned from the African jungle, where he made a minute study of the brains of gorillas and gibbons.

New Claimant for Age Record. London.—The latest entrant for territorial old age honors is a 1 carian woman by the name of Ani Lippal, whose age is authentic one hundred and twenty-five. She is reported to be in excellent health and very active.

New Use for Income Tax. London.—It is now proposed that the excess of the excise duty on space on income tax forms and government papers for advertising purposes. It is claimed that \$2,500,000 can be raised in this manner.

that certain characteristics, which are easily recognized in the bodies of a large proportion of our modern population, are of recent origin. The most plastic bone in the human body, he said, is that under the gums, in which the teeth are rooted, and it is here that the most marked changes are to be noted.

that birds are blind to the blue light rays. A German professor has found that birds are blind to the blue light rays because they have yellow retinas. The recession of the teeth gives the modern nose and chin an undue prominence; the tendency of all modern

handkerchiefs and heavy weaves. Modes and veils are used for both. Various styles of trimming. Various types of needlework, such as

# To Test Menace of New Ice Age

### MacMillan Expedition Will Study Recent Movements of Glaciers in Greenland.

New York.—Is another ice age coming? Are the scenes of the latter Pleistocene age—the geologic period which immediately preceded our own—to be repeated? And, if so, what will it mean to the inhabitants of the earth?

In an effort to determine whether there is any likelihood of such a cataclysmic occurrence the MacMillan expedition recently left for Greenland to study the recent movements of glaciers on that island continent. The great ice age ended, according to scientists, about 25,000 years ago, but the ice has left its footprints, by which its advances and retreats and movements may be traced.

During the ice age, or the glacial period, there was a marked lowering of temperature over the whole earth, and 6,000,000 or 7,000,000 square miles of the globe's surface became entirely covered with ice. Half the region thus covered lay in North America; more than half the remainder lay in Europe. But far away, even to the tropical forests of India and the mountains of Asia, glaciation occurred where there had been no ice previous to the ice age. On mountains which now bear burdens of continual snow and ice the snow line descended 5,000 feet lower than it is at present.

**Human Beings Succumbed.**

Imagine great sheets of ice and hard-packed snow creeping ever so slowly but surely over the temperate areas of Europe and America, and imparting to them an Arctic cold to which many of those early human beings, who in their savagery were little better than beasts, succumbed. These mighty layers of ice, miles and miles in thickness, spread over rivers and mountains and plains, filling up the valleys and the lakes and the seas. In Europe the ice moved forth from the Scandinavian highlands and buried the lowlands of Belgium, Russia, Denmark, Germany and Holland; and then, crossing the North sea, touched the shores of Britain. Besides these great continental ice sheets, large individual glaciers formed in the valleys of the Alps and spread out in all directions. Separate glaciers joined on the plains of France and Italy and in the Rhine and Danube valleys.

Four times the enormous sheets of ice advanced and covered the land. Four times they retreated after uncounted centuries, each time leaving a terminal moraine of boulders, earth and other debris which serves as an

indication of the route of the ice on its advance southward. The second of these four glacial advances brought the ice farther south. In North America the terminal moraine of the ice can still be observed, and followed, in a roughly correct line, over Long Island through the town of Jamaica, as far south as Perth Amboy, N. J. The line then runs in a westerly direction through a point where the town of Morristown is now located. The smooth, low plains of the upper Mississippi valley were covered with ice, while the Ohio and Missouri rivers owe their beginning to the glacial advances of the ice age.

**Leaves its Mark.**

Not only by the terminal moraines, which indicate the extent of the various ice advances, can the route of glaciation be read. The passage of ice over the hard, rocky floor of the earth leaves a peculiar kind of marking. This erosion, due to the work of glaciers and ice sheets, is of a smooth, rounded nature imparted to the rocks which contrasts decidedly with the pinnacled, irregular surfaces which are the work of ordinary weathering. The whole of the enormous island of Greenland is covered with an ice cap or ice sheet which, pressing down under the weight of accumulated snow of centuries, imparts a gradual movement to the various glaciers along its edges.

# New U. S. Rifle is Automatic

### Demonstration of Latest Infantry Arm at Aberdeen Meets Government Tests.

Washington.—Every doughboy may be practically a machine gunner in future wars due to progress made by ordnance experts in developing a semiautomatic shoulder rifle to replace the regular service magazine guns.

Recent demonstration firing with the latest postwar model, the Garand semiautomatic, at the Aberdeen (Md.) proving ground, has convinced many officers they are on the road to the long-sought solution of the proper weapon for the infantry.

The Garand, named after its inventor, John C. Garand, long employed at the Springfield arsenal, is one of numerous semiautomatics with which army experts have been working. It is approximately the same size

### MISSSES NO YALE RACE



George St. John Sheffield of Providence, R. I., eighty-three years old, who graduated from Yale in 1893, has not missed a Yale boat race in the last 50 years. He is here examining the rudder of one of Yale's shells.

**Annuity for Insulin Discoverer.**

Ottawa.—Dr. F. G. Bantling of Toronto, discoverer of the insulin treatment for diabetes, is listed for an annuity of \$7,500 in budget estimates announced in the house of commons.

Russian sable is the most expensive fur in the world.

# NEWS and GOSSIP of WASHINGTON



## Navy Building Program Is Outlined

WASHINGTON.—The navy building program for the coming year comprises eight cruisers, four river gunboats and three cruiser submarines. This announcement, calling for only eight cruisers, created surprise in the ranks of naval observers, because of the known opinion of Secretary Denby that the fleet is markedly deficient in the cruiser class. Considering cruisers less than ten years old, the United States would be represented in any international ratio by "zero," while Great Britain has 214,000 tons and Japan 51,000. It was pointed out. Computing vessels now building, however, the United States has 33,000 tons, Great Britain 249,000 and Japan 157,000 tons.

The program will be submitted to the budget bureau and to congress at the coming session. The four gunboats will be for the Chinese river patrol. Recent inspection of the old vessels now engaged in that patrol, Secretary Denby said, indicated that they must be replaced as quickly as possible.

Report on this year's war games stressed the lack of fast scouts for the navy. This need was placed second only to the deficiencies of the Panama canal defenses. Technical advisers of the Navy department were understood to have agreed that seventeen 10,000 ton cruisers would be necessary to maintain a 5-5 ratio with Japan, and nineteen would be needed if a 5-3

## Tablet Is Placed on Historic Mansion

A MONG a gathering of distinguished persons at the Arts club, 2017 I street, Northwest, once the home of President Monroe, Mrs. Rose Gouverneur Hoes and Miss Maud Campbell Gouverneur, great-granddaughters of the mansioner of the Monroe doctrine, unveiled a tablet which will mark the building as one of the foremost historic spots of the District.

The bronze tablet, upon which are inscribed the names of the famous persons who have lived there, was presented by the District Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

In speaking his approval of the marking of the historic house, District Commissioner Rodolph said, in part: "Everything associated with the name of James Monroe ought to excite the interest of every patriotic American. The event in his official career that brought him closest to our interest is his connection with the selection of the location of the site of the seat of government of the United States. He was a member of the committee appointed by congress in October 30, 1783, to repair to the lower falls of the Potomac, to view the situation of the country in the vicinity of the same, and to report a proper district for the residence of congress. "In a letter to Thomas Jefferson on the 25th of the following May, he says, 'My letter by the last post will inform you of the occasion which pointed that as the favorable moment for a trip to Georgetown and of our availing ourselves of it. Yesterday evening we returned. Our report will be in favor of the Maryland side and of a position near the town.' The site so favorably was that now occupied by the city of Washington, which shows how harmoniously he worked with Washington and Jefferson in furthering his founding of the national capital."

Mrs. Catherine Nagle, chairman of the state historical committee and state historian of the District chapter of the D. A. R., in introducing Mrs. Edward J. Hoes, chairman of the organization's historic spots committee, spoke of the work of the local D. A. R. in preserving all matters of historical value.

The house was built in 1802 and for six months it served as the nation's White House after the burning of the original one by the British in 1814. Many distinguished persons, in addition to President Monroe, have resided there.

## Wins Pilot's Wings at the Age of Sixty

SECRETARY OF WAR WEEKS formally announced that Maj. Gen. Mason M. Patrick, chief of the army air service, has duly qualified as a pilot at the age of sixty years.

"We used to hear that a man more than thirty years of age should not attempt flying, but General Patrick has won his wings at twice that age," said Mr. Weeks, who was obviously proud of the achievement of the chief of the air service.

Secretary Weeks added that General Patrick had done a great deal of flying as a passenger and observer, and now had passed all the tests required of an officer to become a full-fledged pilot. These include taking off, landing, cross-country flying, and a knowledge of the construction and operation of airplane motors. General Patrick was transferred to the air service from the engineers corps in 1921. He began taking flying lessons a few months ago.

The entire personnel of the air service is happy over General Patrick's acquisition of flying wings, pilots generally contending that no matter how excellent an officer's other qualifications, unless he knows actual flying he cannot have the real sympathy of men who make a business of it.

Secretary Weeks also announced that he has authorized General Patrick to detail two air service officers to make a preliminary survey of the route for the proposed around-the-world flight. These officers will make a reconnaissance of the coast of Alaska and the Aleutian Islands and touch Japan. The general plan is to pick up on the Asiatic continent the route followed by British pilots on their flight from London to Australia.

The around-the-world flight has not yet been formally authorized, and congress probably will be asked for a specific appropriation to cover the expense, which will be considerable, especially if a small squadron makes the flight instead of a single plane.

## President Taft's Trip Still Holds Record

PRESIDENT HARDING, on his visit to the Pacific coast and Alaska, started a trip that in mileage will be equal to nearly two-thirds of the way around the world, but yet will leave standing the record presidential tour in point of mileage.

Mr. Harding and his party on the basis of the itinerary as now arranged will cover 15,057 miles. This mileage includes approximately 5,000 miles by train and the remainder mostly by boat—the naval transport Henderson, which will take the executive to Alaska and return; the shipping board steamer President Harrison, which will take him from San Diego, Cal., by way of the Panama canal to San Juan, Porto Rico, and another shipping board vessel, the American Legion, which will convey him from San Juan to New York.

The 15,057 miles is shorter by just 20 miles than the famous "twelve around-the-circle" made by President Taft in 1911. On his trip of 15,077

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## Dewey's Grandsons Sailors Too



These two grandsons of the late Admiral Dewey have ambitions to capture an enemy fleet, too. They are starting at the bottom. The boys are Richard and Orville Dewey, both of them members of the District of Columbia Naval reserve. The photograph was made just before the reserves left on a practice cruise.

## CATNIP PROVES AID IN TRAPPING MOUNTAIN LIONS

Wildcats Are Also Lured to Traps by Use of Oil.

Denver, Colo.—Catnip, the delight of the parlor tabby, is proving a monumental success in luring wildcats and mountain lions in the wilds of Colorado to their deaths in the traps of hunters of the United States biological survey, bureau of predatory animal control.

Stanley P. Young, chief of the bureau in Denver, in announcing the success of the experiment, reported the trapping of 40 bobcats and two mountain lions through the use of oil of catnip, diluted with oil of petroleum, which is liquid vaseline.

"Few members of the cat family in the Colorado wilds who have caught the scent of our catnip traps have passed us by," Young said. "We have not been able, however, to attract the kin of the dog, such as the wolf

## Dog Battles Rattler and Saves Boy's Life

Holton, Mich.—A big shepherd dog probably saved the life of Cornelius Willis, twelve-year-old son of Ambrose Willis, recently when the boy was attacked by a large rattlesnake while herding cattle.

As the snake struck at the boy, the dog gave battle, and finally killed the snake. The dog was bitten by the snake and a veterinarian was called to treat it.

The kill of predatory animals by the biological survey during May was the largest of the year, Young announced. The total of 249 predatory animals killed included 243 coyotes, five bobcats and one lynx. In addition, eight badgers were taken, along with 18 porcupines. The total kill of animals so far is 8,500.

# MRS. HICKEY SO WEAK COULD HARDLY STAND

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#### Summer Find You Miserable?

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Great men, taken up in any way, are profitable company. We cannot look, however imperfectly, upon a great man, without gaining something by him. No nobler feeling than this of admiration for one higher than himself dwells in the breast of man. — Carlyle.

#### Apt Description.

The children of the neighborhood like to congregate at Esther's home because her mother and father are interested in children's affairs and make it exceedingly pleasant for them. One day on her return from there Dot remarked: "I like to play there 'cause it isn't a mother and father house—it's a little girl's house."

#### Chamois Gives Little Leather.

The chamois, which sports itself on the mountains, has nothing to do with the bulk of the chamois leather which we all know. The latter is really the lining of sheepskins, which is stripped off and treated by a special process to render it soft and pliable. Only a very small proportion of this leather is obtained from the chamois.

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#### Dummies.

The Washington woman who said to the library attendant, "Can you tell me the author of Roosevelt's Letters to His Children," must be a descendant of the man who never could remember who wrote "Gray's Elegy." — Boston Evening Transcript.

#### Truly a Bad Situation.

The village grocery assembly was discussing the sudden death of a neighbor who had left a rather helpless family. "And the worst of it is," said old Uncle Bill, "that there isn't one of those boys that has the head to fill the old man's shoes."

#### Wanted a Mind Picture.

Jean's mother has a sister living in California, whom Jean has never seen. One day she said, "Mother, tell me all about how Aunt Blanche looks so I can get a view of her in my mind." — Chicago Tribune.

#### Light From Discussion.

Whoever is afraid of submitting any question, civil or religious, to the test of free discussion, is more in love with his own opinion than with truth. — Bishop Watson.

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# THE SANDMAN STORY

## FOX AND TURTLE MEET

ONE morning Mr. Fox happened to stop in the woods near some ferns where Mr. Turtle was resting. "Good morning, Grandpa," said Mr. Fox. "I expect you must be pretty tired, you travel so fast."

Mr. Turtle was slow to wrath. In the first place he did not mind being called grandpa, for he was very old, and in the next place he was so wise that he was sorry for Mr. Fox, he was so young and flippant.

"Good morning, Mr. Fox," replied Mr. Turtle in a dignified manner. "I am not really in need of rest, but I like to take time to enjoy the things I see."

"Did you know, my good friend, that those who travel through the world swiftly miss a great deal that is going on?"

"I think I see about all that happens around these parts," answered



"I Should Like to Know What I Miss."

Mr. Fox rather crisply, "and if I do say so, I travel at a pretty fast rate of speed."

"Yes, that you do," said Mr. Turtle, "especially when my enemy Mr. Dog is on your track, but, as I said, you miss a great deal."

"I should like to know what I miss," said Mr. Fox. "Away down there on the ground you must miss a great deal of what I can see."

"Perhaps, perhaps," murmured Mr. Turtle. "Did you ever see a spider's web all covered with dew, Mr. Fox, under a bush or a leaf where the sun

## "What's in a Name?"

By MILDRED MARSHALL  
Facts about your name; its history; meaning; whence it was derived; significance; your lucky day and lucky jewel

## RHODA

AMONG the flower names which have been under discussion appears one name which is not generally recognized as belonging to the list. It is Rhoda, the graceful Greek name, which has completely lost its identity under importation and is now regarded as purely English and American. The name signifies "Rose." It is taken from the Greek word for the flower. It was apparently transplanted to English shores, as there is no record of its evolution from a Greek root. The Rhodans which appeared in France and named the wife of Gilbert de Gaunt is thought by etymologists to have arisen from the Latin "rhos," meaning fame, rather than to have been taken from the flower. Indeed, most of the derivatives of the feminine name, Rose, are believed to have come from this source.

Thus Rhoda is almost unique in her place and significance; likewise it has never suffered contraction.

The ruby is Rhoda's talismanic gem. It possesses the deep red color which is likewise her talisman, and promises her the fulfillment of her ambitions, bodily and mental health, and peace of bearing. Tuesday is her lucky day and 5 her lucky number. (© by Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

## can just touch it in the early morning?

"Can't say that I did," replied Mr. Fox.

"You have missed a beautiful sight," answered Mr. Turtle. "Have you ever stopped to notice the ants at work, Mr. Fox?"

"Can't say that I have," said Mr. Fox.

"You have missed a wonderful sight," answered Mr. Turtle. "Have you ever watched the birds that nest near the ground feed their young, Mr. Fox?"

"No, I never have," replied Mr. Fox, beginning to feel uneasy. "I travel fast and I have no time for trifles, Mr. Turtle."

"You have missed a great deal, Mr. Fox. I may travel slowly but I have time to see what is going on around me, and that is more than you can say. The trifles, as you call them, are the things that count in life; remember that, my young friend."

"Just because you have four legs that carry you swiftly over the ground, do not think you have seen all there is in the world. Many of the most wonderful and beautiful things in the world are missed by those who run."

"Well, Grandpa, that sort of reasoning may be all well enough for you, but if I went nosing about the ground instead of keeping my head up where it belongs, I should miss being alive very soon and Mr. Dog—"

Off dashed Mr. Fox, for at that moment Mr. Dog came bounding through the bushes with a bark that made Mr. Turtle draw his head inside his shell and Mr. Dog ran over him without knowing he was there.

"Foolish young fellow," thought Mr. Turtle. "If he kept close to the ground as I do, he would keep out of trouble."

"Foolish old fellow," said Mr. Fox

later, when he was safe in his den, thinking of Mr. Turtle. "Living down there on the ground as he does is dangerous. Someone might step on him. No, sir, I choose to have my swift feet to use even if I do miss a few cobwebs."

But, after all, Mr. Turtle was right in a way, for those who travel swiftly through life often miss the little things that go to make up the beautiful big things in life.

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## The Right Thing at the Right Time

By MARU MARSHALL DUFFEE

### WATCH YOUR WORDS

Words are but the shadows of actions.—Plutarch.

HERE is a bit of worldly wisdom for the young man or woman who is striving to appear to best advantage in a circle slightly higher up on the social scale than the one to which he or she is accustomed. Nothing perhaps counts so much for or against you as the words you use. Your dress may be irreproachable and your table manners perfect but if you don't use discrimination in the words you use you may be dropped like the proverbial hot cake. So go slowly. If you are in doubt as to the usage of any word or expression don't use it at all. Run the risk of being thought a little formal in your speech rather than use the slang that will brand you as a little second rate by the persons with whom you wish to succeed.

Here are some of those little second-rate words and expressions: "swell" and "toney," which may be well enough once but are now decidedly out of good usage. To say that you went to a swell dance and met some twenty people would suggest that you were unaccustomed to either.

"Classy," though not so out of date, has a second-rate sound, especially when used by more mature persons. We can excuse a boy of eighteen for saying that he had a "classy time" at his high school dance but when a woman of forty describes a man acquaintance as "a classy gentleman" we are less lenient.

"My friend," "my gentleman friend," "my young man," are used not infrequently by girls to indicate their flancies or admirers. They are all taboo in good usage. Flance is the only way to express the man you are engaged to in ordinary conversation and unless you are engaged you should refer to your admirer merely as "a man friend" or "an acquaintance."

Unless you are quite sure of your audience don't use slang at all. To be sure, slang passes current among men and women of the most desirable social circles, but the slang that you use may be discordant to the ears of your new acquaintances and they may misjudge you because of it.

In ordinary conversation be careful of using too frequently such expressions as "said I" or "he said." "I says" or "he says" as applied to the past time is positively ungrammatical but even the correct grammatical form, if repeated often, mars the best-told tale or the finest recitation.

Be careful about using the adjective form "awful," "dreadful" or "terrible." Now, to say that a friend is wearing an "awfully pretty hat" or that you are "dreadfully bad cold" may indicate a lax use of words, but we all do use these intensifying words more or less and we say things are terrible, awful and dreadful that are not so at all. (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)



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## The Friendly Path

By WALTER I. ROBINSON

### DON'T BE "COPY-CAT"

IMITATION is poor policy. Yet on every hand we find people living, dressing and amusing themselves the way others do for no particular reason other than, perhaps, to satisfy their desire not to permit anyone to get ahead of them.

Probably nothing proves a greater obstruction to the progress of the world than the folly of imitating. Certainly the desire so to do results in a great amount of unhappiness to men and women everywhere.

The only real advancement in any community or for the public at large must come through people doing new things or old things in different ways. Every important advance, with probably a few exceptions, has come to individuals and nations as a result of men or women taking new paths in order to accomplish something worth while for themselves and their fellows. Because they cannot live in houses as fine as others, cannot wear as fine

clothes and jewels and cannot duplicate their neighbors' motors, a large, unfortunate class find little joy in living. Others work and growl all along their pathways because they spend too much in order to imitate their fellow men.

No individual ever stands out from his fellows unless he does something valuable which others cannot or are too lazy to do. It, therefore, is not difficult to understand why the few who occupy places of real honor are so few. Nor is it beyond understanding that so many seek high places and success in vain, because they either do not try to distinguish themselves by doing one important act which others fail to accomplish, or else aim no higher than others.

When one tries to imitate he is more likely to make a miserable failure than to succeed.

Muskrate imitate the beavers in housebuilding in the wilds along Lake Superior, but they remain muskrats just the same. (© by the Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

## Hoot Gibson



Edward Hoot Gibson, born in Tekamah, Neb., twenty-six years ago, stands five feet six in his socks and weighs 160 pounds. He has blue eyes, brown hair, and a most captivating smile. With the exception of a short time spent in Australia and with a big show in Australia, he has seen seven years' service before the camera. He is married.

## THIS DOG'S LIFE IS HAPPY ONE



Literally speaking, a "dog's life" is not half as bad as it sounds. For instance, when a member of the canine realm announces his intention of setting up a world's record in motor travelling he's starting something. Jack, a Sealyham terrier, belonging to Mrs. Charles Rowden of Lannington Spa, England, here seen, unstrapped, in his little side-car on the running board, is the lucky dog who is trying to establish a canine motoring record. Already he has accompanied his mistress on runs totaling 8,000 miles.

## ABUSE OF BRAKE WEARS OUT AUTO

### Good Driver Gauges His Speed in Heavy Traffic and Uses Horn Intelligently.

It is a well known fact, frequently commented on, that the American car owner drives too much with his brakes. Every time you hear a traffic officer's whistle in a large city, you hear at the same time a shrieking of brakes and a scraping of tires on the dry pavement, writes H. W. Hedry in the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Let it be said to the credit of the car manufacturers that the brakes are actually built so mechanically sound that, in spite of the abuse to which they are subjected, they stand up under the strain.

Fast driving between short city blocks, followed by a sudden jamming on of the brakes, is expensive, both in the wear and tear on the tires, the burning out of the brake lining and damage to the brakes and other mechanical parts of the car.

**Brakes Have Important Purpose.**

There is no question at all that brakes are extremely important for the purpose for which they were built, but simply because they are efficient and reliable is little reason for their abuse—abuse which results in damage to other parts of the car's mechanism.

The relation between the use of the horn and the use of the brakes is simply this—greater use of the horn would make less use and abuse of the brakes.

In other words, sound your horn and keep going.

The better the driver, the less he touches his brakes. Note any day how a particularly good driver goes through the congested districts of a large city. He gauges every traffic stop ahead— and slows down or speeds accordingly.

Frequently in driving outside the business center of the city, it is a case of jamming on the brakes or sounding the horn. Sounding the horn a half block before reaching an intersecting street will eliminate the necessity of jamming on the brakes, coming to a dead halt and then speeding on again.

**Usefulness of Horn.**

Too often an automobile driver sounds his horn when nearly on top of pedestrians, and then it is almost useless, because he has waited so long that he must at the same time jam on his brakes. In fact, the hand movement for the horn and jamming on of the brakes is almost simultaneous, thereby defeating the purpose of the horn.

The horn should not only be sounded to warn pedestrians and automobile drivers, but likewise, in night driving, to warn the car ahead. It should be sounded at all times in backing out of a garage. It should be sounded at every turn in a road. You can make no mistake in sounding your horn frequently. Use your horn every day in every way—more frequently.

**PROTECTION FOR SPARE TIRE**

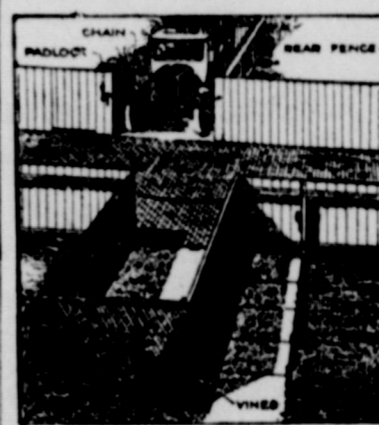
Water, Oil and Heat Will Do Much Damage Unless It is Covered in Some Way.

When you are looking over the tires of your car don't forget the spare tire you are carrying behind. Unless it is covered to protect it from light, water, oil and heat it will deteriorate rapidly. These four enemies of rubber will take the life out of any rubber product in a short time.

## RECESS IN FENCE IS CONVENIENT FOR CAR

### Arrangement Shown for Temporary Storage of Auto.

The illustration shows an arrangement used by a resident of Washington for the temporary storage of an automobile until a garage could be built. A seven-foot section of the backyard fence is removed and a recess, fourteen feet long, built in; it may be built of the same material as the fence, which is, perhaps, most advisable because the section of the fence cut out can then be used; or it may be built of lattice-work, as shown in the foreground, and vines planted around it, which would be the more



A Recess, Built in the Backyard Fence, and Equipped With a Chain and Lock, Has Been Found Convenient for Storing a Car Temporarily.

decorative method. A strong chain is fastened securely around a corner post on one side of the entrance, and equipped with a heavy padlock, that can be snapped on an eyebolt fastened to the opposite corner post. If the recess is used during winter it should be provided with a light roof to keep off the snow.—G. A. Luers, Washington, in Popular Mechanics Magazine.

## AUTOMOBILE GOSSIP

A great deal of engine trouble can be avoided if new spark plugs are installed once a year.

The vital part that spark plugs play in good engine performance is just beginning to be realized.

The brakes should not be applied suddenly—never hard enough to slide the wheels on the road.

It is a good plan to save the oil drained from the crankcase. You will find many uses for it about the car.

Operating the engine without sufficient water or with no water at all may result in injury to the spark plugs.

Refill the crankcase with the correct grade of lubricating oil. And remember there is a happy medium in the matter of oil.

Many motorists believe that rim cutting of tires is an unfathomable mystery. Underinflation usually is the cause but it has an ally in side wear.

The best and easiest way to clean the windshield is to wipe it off with a wet chamois and rub dry with a clean cloth. A little kerosene in the water will help if the glass is very dirty.



# Pretty Things that are made at Home

EVEN in such irresponsible and frivolous things as bonnet caps and dance hats, fashion lives up to its reputation for fickleness. Certain styles in them come to the fore like a flock of gay butterflies, flourish tremendously for a brief time, and are superseded by some newer whimsies—but not entirely neglected for there are always all kinds of caps in the displays. The favorite of today is therefore "among those present" tomorrow.

Just now bands of lace or net or of the two combined, tied themselves in the company of varied bonnet and breakfast caps. They are ingeniously made with ribbons and flowers contributing to their prettiness as usual.

lively colors and sheer materials dedicated to summer time and there is a feeling that no matter how smart the chrysalis of her winter wrappings may be, it is on the gauzy wings of volle, swiss, organdie and georgette that she reaches the heights of loveliness.

In the two summer dresses pictured above the designer has gone to inspirations far away and long ago, in creating simple and attractive costumes. The dress of the left is a modern adaptation of a style popular in grandma's day. It is of lavender voile with short kimono sleeves and the becoming bateau neck. The only ornamentation, aside from the rows of tucks on the skirt, is the hemstitch-



WELL WORTH THE LABOR

Two of them are shown in the illustration at the left of the group pictured, which includes a dance hat.

White point-de-esprit net and val lace make the crisp headpiece at the top of the two pictured—which has the appearance of a hat without a crown. A straight piece of net is laid in plait at the ends and edged all around with a frill of the val. Pink satin ribbon is tacked along one edge above the frill and ties in the back in the simplest of bows. A rosette of val lace is posed at the right side.

Black chantilly lace and narrow satin ribbon accomplish a pert and most becoming little affair that mere-

ing on the front and back of the blouse. A narrow sash of the material, tied at the side, furnishes the finishing touch to this youthful frock.

The little frock at the right offers a fine suggestion for one of many lovely bordered materials which are so attractive and often so hard to make up effectively. The design in the material is inspired by a pattern found in oriental weaves and the oriental idea is further carried out in the neck of the blouse, which is an adaptation of the neck line of the eastern burnouse. The frock is cut from a straight slipover pattern, has the short set-in sleeves demanded by the mode, and a wide band of plain ma-



CHARMING SUMMER DRESSES

ly suggests a cap but is highly decorative. A coronet is formed of the lace by sewing a gathered length of it to a band of ribbon which extends about the head and ties at the back or one side. The coronet is laid in folds at the ends and sewed to the band at each side, where a rosette of the lace is centered with a ribbon flower.

Gold or silver lace with malines or chiffon for the soft crown, make the perfect lace cap, requiring two when to support the brim. Hats of this kind are worn by bridesmaids and require only a long sash of narrow ribbon and a little cluster of flowers for trimming.

Summer clothes have a greater appeal to the feminine heart than any others, and it is with good reason. Women, and young women particularly, appear to best advantage in the

terial sets off the figured pattern by forming the lower part of the waist, the collar and a narrow sash.

*Julia Bottomley*  
(© 1921, Western Newspaper Union.)

**Plaiting Popular.**  
The revival of plaiting is one of the outstanding features of this season. It is liked not only for the separate skirt, but for the many-tiered skirt, which is joined to the plain bodice.

**New Gloves.**  
One pair of long elbow gloves of silk has a fluted ruffle following the seam from wrist to elbow. Emphasizing the length of line is supposed to create the illusion of slenderness.

## Control San Jose Scale by Spraying

Entomologists Trying to Find Effective Means to Check Injurious Pest.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The increase of the San Jose scale during the last two years in the Ozark region of Arkansas has seriously threatened the apple industry in several localities. Steps have been taken by entomologists of the United States Department of Agriculture to find an effective means of control for this pest. Of all the insecticides tried in various experiments at Bentonville, Ark., best results were obtained with the so-called paraffin-oil or lubricating-oil emulsion. Department Circular 263, "Preliminary Report on Control of San Jose Scale With Lubricating-Oil Emulsion," by A. J. Ackerman, entomologist, discusses the history and seriousness of the infestation, and describes the proper way to prepare and apply oil emulsions.

**Carelessness Chief Cause.**  
Unintentional carelessness in spray methods on the part of growers is no doubt the chief cause of the present widespread infestation. Unfavorable weather for spraying during the dormant period has also been a factor in scale increase. Lack of parasites and predatory enemies is another explanation of the rapid spread of the pest.

**Spray in Dormant Season.**  
The department recommends thorough spraying in the dormant season, during favorable weather, with an emulsion containing 2 per cent of oil. Two dormant sprays should be made in badly infested orchards. No indication of injury to trees from the use of the spray recommended has been observed in Arkansas. Soft water must be used in making the emulsion. Applications made during the growing season only result in a partial checking of the scale. They should be made during the cool part of the day or injury to fruit and foliage will result. Very thorough spraying work should always be done to insure reaching all parts of the trees, particularly the tips of the branches.

The circular is free upon application to the United States Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C.

## Buckwheat Quite Useful as Short Season Crop

Buckwheat is a short-season emergency crop which can be grown in many states. The crop is useful to replace a corn planting which is drowned out and cannot be replanted, and it may also be used to fill other emergencies in the rotation. Buckwheat always commands a relatively good price on the market and, while the yield is generally only fifteen to twenty bushels per acre, the return per acre is usually quite satisfactory.

Buckwheat matures in ten or twelve weeks and can be seeded as late as the first week in July. It is adapted to a wide range of soil and, in fact, will grow to better advantage on poor soils than a great many other crops. The usual seeding rate is four or five pecks to the acre and the seed may be either drilled or broadcasted. Among the best varieties is the Japanese buckwheat.

Cutting when the first seeds have matured and the others are well formed is advised. The crop must be left in the field about ten days to dry out and the balance of the seed will ripen in this time. If the cutting is delayed until all the seed is ripe, some of the earliest seed is likely to shatter.

## Bordeaux Mixture Good Cure for Flea Beetles

Flea beetles often make the leaves of potatoes, beets, beans, tomatoes and cabbage look like the top of a pepper-box. Spraying with bordeaux mixture and arsenate of lead will control the pest.

Use to every 50 gallons of bordeaux, usual strength, two and one-half pounds of powdered arsenate of lead. In spraying it is important to soak the under side as well as the top of the leaves, as the black or striped jumping beetles which do the damage feed on both sides. In the garden it is well to use an extension rod with angle nozzles, and in the field a good power sprayer, with three nozzles to a row, similarly equipped.

## Male Guinea Much Like Females in Appearance

In all varieties of guineas the males and females are very much alike in appearance. The males have a little heavier comb and wattle. Their heads are a little coarser, and when they are excited they walk on tiptoe. The cry of the male is one shrieking note, while the female has two notes. "Buck-wheat, buck-wheat," she calls.

## To Produce Profitably Hens Require Best Feed

It has been shown that it is impossible to judge the value of a hen as a layer unless she has been fed a ration that would give her an opportunity to demonstrate her capacity. Pullets that have not yielded profitably because of a ration lacking in animal matter have become profitable layers when the defect in the ration was corrected.

## Duty of Hog Grower to Watch His Herds

Many Diseases and Parasites Cause Big Losses.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A hog which remains in good health from the day he is farrowed until he is loaded on a market-bound train is usually a satisfaction to the farmer, the packer, and the consumer. But there are many diseases and parasites which beset him during the few months allotted for his economic performance. If this performance is to be a creditable one, says the United States Department of Agriculture, the hog grower must keep close watch over his herd and learn to know something of the symptoms which indicate the possible approach of dangerous disease.

Hog cholera is the great enemy of the swine industry, although it has been diminishing in importance as a result of widespread use of anti-hog cholera serum. It has been reduced by about 90 per cent from the losses during the most disastrous years, but with greater care and better understanding of the plague it could be reduced to a much greater extent.

With the gradually increasing control of this disease, it is important that swine growers give attention to the many other ailments which cause losses, some of which are frequently confused with cholera. Among the diseases with symptoms confused with those of cholera are anthrax, epilepsy, gastroenteritis, necrobacillosis, pleurisy, pneumonia, poisoning, swine plague, tuberculosis, and worms.

When there is any deviation from the normal in gait, appetite, or digestion, it is time for the owner to take measures to prevent possible losses. Minor ailments often can be successfully treated by the owner, but in case of doubt it is the part of wisdom to call for a veterinarian.

## Georgia Girl Wins Over Boys in Raising Swine

Taking the championship of the southeastern states away from more than one hundred boy contestants, twelve-year-old Lois Duncan of Royston, Ga., won the grand prize in the Boys' Pig club events of the recent Southeastern fair in Atlanta, Ga. She is seen with "Duncan Liberator," the Poland-China boar which won the championship. She also won second prize with another entry.



Lois Duncan and Her Fat Pig.

Her "pet pigs," as she calls them, were raised under her sole direction and care and are as tame as kittens. She expects to take them to other inter-sectional fairs in the country and capture more prizes.

## Most Careful Attention for Eggs During Summer

Eggs are easily secured in March, April and May. It is during the three months which follow that the flock requires most careful attention. Twelve years results at the Story's egg-laying contest showed that a normal well-fed hen should lay within seven of as many eggs in June, July and August as she laid in March, April and May. The average cost of feed for a hen is approximately 10 cents per month. This feed bill naturally runs less in summer months than in winter months. When seven out of ten eggs produced by the average hen are produced from March first to September first, can you afford to overlook feeding for summer egg production?

## Corn Is Not Favored as Milk-Producing Ration

Corn is more of a fattening ration than a milk-producing ration, but a certain amount of corn in a ration is valuable. A considerable amount of bundle corn can be fed to very good advantage with clover or alfalfa hay. Better results would be secured if a rule for the corn to be husked out and ground.

## Give Attention to Hen and She Will Work Hard

What the hen needs: Home grown grains and their by-products, a little more light to eat by, clean water, enough grit, a daily wet or dry mash, exercise and a scratch mixture. Give her a little more attention and she will work harder for you.

## Turkey Failures Laid to Infectious Disease

The turkey business would be very profitable indeed if the turkeys would all live, but unfortunately a lot of them die, sometimes all of them. The chief trouble is an infectious disease known as blackhead, no cure for which has been found.

## MOTHER! GIVE SICK CHILD "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

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## INCOME TAX WORK COSTLY

Collection for Each Fiscal Year Have Cost \$1.30 for Each \$100 Paid to Government.

To handle efficiently the collection of income taxes among one hundred million people is a problem that cannot be worked out overnight, but now after nine years a comparatively smooth-running, well-organized machine has been developed.

The internal revenue bureau in Washington annually receives one and a quarter million income tax returns. This figure does not include the returns filed by those whose incomes are less than \$5,000. To audit and carry on the work of this department of the bureau, 7,275 persons were employed in Washington during the last fiscal year.

The cost of administering the internal revenue laws was \$41,577,374.49. Total receipts were \$3,197,451,083. Computing on this basis the cost of collection was \$1.30 for each \$100 collected, compared with 87 cents for the preceding year. The difference in relative cost of collection is due mainly to the large reduction in revenues, the repeal of some of the war profits taxes, and the increase in individual exemption.—Saturday Evening Post.

## Let Sleeping "Dogs" Lie.

She—While you are asking papa for my hand, I'll play something lively on the piano.

He—If I rather you wouldn't, dearest. You know some people simply can't keep their feet still when they hear lively music.—Boston Evening Transcript.

If you must kill time, kill it on culture not on vice.

Occasions, like clouds, pass away.—Arabian Proverb.

**Karo on Sliced Bread**

Great for Children

Carrying the Load.  
The recent publicity given co-eds at the university has caused quite a lot of apparently "tongue-twisted" comments from the co-eds themselves. For instance, in substance, the following is a conversation between two of the fair damsels.

"Well, what do you think of the scandal that they are shooting at us about getting parties?"

Other co-ed: "I have passed it up as a huge joke."

"Why, sure; that's all it is. Why should they accuse all of them by actions of a few of us?"—Columbus Dispatch.

The Young Philosopher.  
A young philosopher was employed in one of the stores at a salary of \$6.50 per week. He told his employer one morning that he was going to leave, having found a better place.

"A better place?" echoed his employer. "What wages are you to get?"

"Six dollars a week."

"But that is not as much as you get here."

"No," said the boy, "but then it's better to do less and get so much than to do more and not get enough."

None.  
"I try to mind my own business."

"Well, there's no law against being eccentric, old scout."

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Then they laughed openly.

But he was not dismayed. "I just came from Pittsburgh," he explained, "and the coal dust there is so thick that we either have to wash our faces every hour or so or powder ourselves."

However, the other men laughed on.—Exchange.

Many people don't care so much for liberty. They only want to know it's there to be had.

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So the thought back of our offer of over \$7500.00 for Grape-Nuts Recipes is to bring out the new ways in which this wonderful food is adding to the health and pleasure of people everywhere.

Ask your grocer, or write to Dept. B, Postum Cereal Co., Inc., Battle Creek, Mich., for details of the offer of over \$7500.00 for New Grape-Nuts Recipes, which must be mailed by August 31, 1923.

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33x4 Cord	20.90	2.65
34x4 Cord	21.80	2.75
33x4 1/2 Cord	27.80	3.50
34x4 1/2 Cord	28.90	3.65
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Frank Edwards and family of Junction, Texas, were here this week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Edwards.

Mrs. George F. Bennett of Los Angeles, California, is here on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Peterson.

W. A. Powell and family returned Thursday from a visit to relatives in San Marcos. They made the trip overland in their car.

W. J. Banner was in from the ranch Thursday. He reported everything doing fine on the ranch, but a rain was badly needed immediately.

**HERE'S TO THE LINE.**  
Let your ships fly where ever they may.  
And don't forget old  
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Ed Reeves was down from El Paso for a few days this week, shaking hands with friends. He returned to El Paso overland, driving through in his Pathfinder car.

Mrs. E. B. Litton and daughters Esther and Gertrude, and son Eugene, will leave Sunday morning on No. 110 for Oneida and other points in Tennessee, where they will spend a month visiting relatives and friends.

Wear made-to-measure clothes and you will always appear well dressed. Call at the Royal Tailor Shop and let us show you some of the "smartest" samples for suits you ever seen. The cost is low and satisfaction guaranteed.

Mrs. Ed Downie and children are visiting relatives in San Antonio.

Roundhouse Foreman McConnell is taking a ten days vacation and his place is being filled by Fireman Fred Talbot.

Base ball game tomorrow (Sunday) between the Alpine Mexican team and the Sanderson Mexican team.

Mrs. Joe Wolfe left Friday for Langtry where she will spend several days visiting her mother, Mrs. Burdwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nutter were in from the Watkins Oil Well Sunday. Mr. Nutter states that everything is fine at the Well and are drilling every day and it is beginning to look favorable.

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is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Those subject to frequent "colds" are generally in a "run down" condition. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a Treatment consisting of an Ointment to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts quickly through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, building up the System, and making you less liable to "colds." Sold by druggists for over 40 Years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

M. H. Goode and son M. H. Jr., were in from the ranch Thursday, on business.

Howard Johnson and two little daughters were in town Friday, shopping.

More stock has been shipped this week than there has been in several weeks. The Hat "A" Ranch shipped 2 cars cattle to St. Louis and 1 double deck car sheep to Kansas City; Burdwell shipped 1 car cattle to San Antonio and Bob Gatlin shipped 1 car big steers to Mr. Ardon at San Antonio.

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**MUSSEY BROS.**

## Church News of Sanderson

Sunday is Bro. Adams regular day; services at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. All welcome.

Not much work accomplished by the W. M. U. ladies this week so many away on vacation; will do better next time we hope.

The Bible study at the Methodist church on the 13th was well attended and an excellent lesson. Bro Bickley, leader. Singing enjoyed by all.

Presbyterian Sunday School opened last Sunday with fewer in attendance. Hope we shall reach the average next Sunday at least.

The ladies of the W. M. S. met with Mrs. C. Smith on Friday afternoon, July 20th. Next week the society will meet on the regular day, Tuesday, at 2:30. All welcome.

Bro. Bickley preached to a well filled church Sunday night (15th). His earnestness and sincerity is very inspiring to his hearers, hence encouraging us to be more zealous for the Christ work.

### NOTICE.

Miss Leona Thorne of Menard, Texas, will assist me in Dress Making. All work greatly appreciated, prices reasonable. At cottage of Mrs. P. F. Robertson. Mrs. O. E. Shelton.

W. E. Lea left Thursday evening for Del Rio to place his little son in the hospital. The little fellow is suffering from a swollen jaw and throat that resembles blood poisoning.

Mrs. W. W. Young of Houston, Texas came in Monday morning to attend the O. E. S. School of Instruction and also visit many of her old time friends.

## Robs Calomel of Nausea and Danger

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Calotabs are sold only in original, sealed packages, price thirty-five cents for the large, family package; ten cents for the small, trial size. Your druggist is authorized to refund the price as a guarantee that you will be thoroughly delighted with Calotabs. —(Adv.)

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Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Grigsby have moved into the R. A. Stewart residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kerr and children returned from El Paso Tuesday evening.

FOR RENT—Well furnished, immaculately clean front bedroom. Call on or phone Mrs. J. E. Landers.

Mr. S. H. Cobb was in the city for a few days this week from the Watkins Oil Well to visit his family.

For Sale—In Terrell County, 2 1/2 acre oil lease in Lot 36, Survey 35, Block Y; this lease runs until November 1st, 1924. For particulars write:

Mrs. F. L. Worthington,  
5 1/2 Park Place,  
Mystic, Conn.

Sam Murray and daughter of Sheffield visited friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Green and children left Thursday for a few weeks motor trip to points in east and south Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Taylor and children returned Sunday from a two weeks visit in Galveston and Houston.

Your clothes will always look neat and clean if you have them pressed and cleaned at the Royal Tailor Shop. Phone No. 6, and we will call for your package and deliver when finished.

Jim Nance is sporting a new Jewett car.

Mrs. Joe Nichols and daughter of Dryden visited friends here Thursday.

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A STUDY AD IN THIS NEWSPAPER WILL RESTORE A ROUNDDOWN BUSINESS TO HEALTH, RESURRECT DEPARTED CUSTOMERS AND CURE A CRIPPLED BANK ACCOUNT!

House Joint Resolution No. 16. Proposing an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which relates to taxation and revenues, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a, directing the Legislature to provide for the construction, operation and maintenance, under State control, of a State system of public highways; providing for an election for the ratification or rejection of amendment herein proposed, and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That there be submitted to the people of Texas, for ratification or rejection at a special election provided for herein an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending said Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a., which shall read as follows:

Section 9a. The Legislature is authorized and directed to provide for the creation, establishment, construction, maintenance and repair, of a system of improved highways throughout the State to be under the control of the State; and in order that the State may provide the means, revenues and instrumentalities the establishment and maintenance of such system of highways, the Legislature is empowered to levy and cause to be collected specific excise and ad valorem taxes, in addition to those permitted for other purposes in the Constitution, but such an ad valorem tax shall be imposed only for the purpose of retiring the bonds authorized by vote of the people of this State as provided for hereinafter in this Section.

When said system shall have been designated and taken over for the State as provided in Section A hereof, the Legislature is authorized to make provision for the equitable compensation to such counties for the value of such improvements as have been theretofore constructed by the Counties in the State.

Provided, also that save for the State highway system, in all other respects, Counties shall have the right to build, construct and maintain roads, turnpikes, and bridges within their respective boundaries and the Constitutional provisions relating thereto are not qualified or repealed by reason hereof.

The Legislature, at any Regular or Special Session, is authorized and directed to pass and enact all appropriate legislation necessary to carry out and effectuate the purpose and intent of these Articles.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to cause to be issued his necessary proclamation for an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1923, at which election on this amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection and shall make the publication required by the Constitution and Laws of the State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State, and the ballots for said election shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the following words:

"OFFICIAL BALLOT": "For the amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways." "Against the amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways."

Those voters who favor such amendment shall erase by marking a line through the words "Against the Amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways." Those who oppose such amendment shall erase by marking a line through them, the words, "For the amendment to Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways." And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election.

Sec. 3. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of the proclamation and publication of this amendment and the election to be held hereunder.

S. L. STAPLES,  
Secretary of State.