



Sylvia of the Minute

CHAPTER VI—Continued

'Well,' she said with a long, deep sigh, 'me I ain't got nothin' to be proud of—but my kar'kter!'

It was a pathetic little note, Meely felt—poor Mr. Schwencken anxiously endeavoring to protect his wayward child, yet equally anxious to avert suspicion with his powerful neighbor by casting on him any base, unfounded suspicion; pointing out to St. Croix the impossibility of any safe or honorable relation between him and his daughter, due to their unsurmountable differences in station, wealth and education.

Meely remembered, as she found the words all spelled correctly, how astiduously the farmer had, one evening, to her mystification, been consulting the dictionary and how he had asked her to spell for him several long words.

She was relieved to find that Nettie was referred to only as "My daughter," and not by name.

"Poor Pop!" she sighed as she returned the letter to its envelope and passed it back to St. Croix, "he means so well by us children!"

"So you see, Meely, you've got to be careful. No more fudge!"

"I never conceived it would give all this her trouble!" she lamented, on the verge of tears.

St. Croix looked a shade less austere. "Where'd you get the spiffy coat?" he asked. "Looks for the world like English tweed."

"Ach, well!" pouted Meely, looking again as though she were on the verge of tears—and then suddenly, to her consternation, she quite uncontrollably sneezed—crushing her hand against her mouth to keep from laughing hysterically. Fortunately for her, he took it for a suppressed sob.

"There, there, my dear!" he said half impatiently, half remorsefully. "Never mind! You're past teaching anyhow! Look here, Meely, why haven't you ever mentioned that the teacher boards with you? You've talked of everyone else in the household."

"Well, you see, I had afraid you might want to be given an introduction to her and she's so pretty, I had jealous."

"She is a pretty little thing. But I wonder," he grinned, "what my brother, Marvin, thinks of such a little ignoramus teaching a district school! I didn't know they had such crude teachers as that in the schools!"

"But she's awful good in geography! She can bind every state on the patch-work quilt!"

"You know—the map. And sums! You had ought to see her do sums onct! My—goodness! To be sure, she can't talk very correct. She gets her w's and we's mixed terrible! But United States history! Why, she knows even the footnotes, now mind I'm tellin' you!"

dreaming, of course, that the girl understood why he laughed; why he thought it funny that Meely Schwencken should look "patrician, actually!"



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garding her appraisingly. "It's that you're so absolutely feminine!"

"Feminine? Well, but my goodness!—what would you expect?"

"It makes you, to most men, my dear, so irresistible! I can't understand how you've gone this long without being married. Why haven't you married, Meely?"

"Ach, I ain't got no curiosity!" He winced. How blatantly vulgar she could be!

However, she had given him his cue—a wedge to break down barriers.

He found himself surprised at his own sense of reluctance to come to the point with her, to put his quest to the test; an undefined apprehension of disappointment—though of course that was ridiculous—surely she "loved" and desired him, or why had she been risking so much to meet him here? Surely she was flattered at his desiring her!

He suddenly snatched her to him, with passionate kisses—so fiercely that this time she was too helpless in his hard grip to avert his lips—and into her ears he poured out words not in her vocabulary—she could only guess their meaning; could only surmise that now at last he was telling her what all along she had known—and that he took her for a "hussy!"—and although through all these weeks she had been expecting this climax, yet it came to her now with a shuddering shock.

In vain she struggled to free herself from his arms and his appalling words.

"Let me go—or I'll scream!" she managed to gasp at last. He was not too far gone to know the danger of her threat—their hill-top, though isolated, being not too distant for a scream to be heard from the valley below.

Panting, baffled, he dropped his arms from about her, his face distorted with a mingled resentment and an anguish of hungry yearning. But he clutched her skirt lest she get up and run away. She only moved, however, a few inches from him on the log, her whole body trembling, her face deathly white.

"If you touch me, I'll scream!" she gasped. He could not find breath to answer her.

"Can we," she asked scarcely above a whisper, "talk this here thing out, Mr. Creighton?"

"What's there to say? I want you! You surely want me—I'll amply reward you—"

"You mean—buy me?"

"Of course not—any more than you'll buy me. We want each other, Meely! I'll reward you for the risk you take—reward you well—"

"Do you mean you'll give me—money?"

"A pile of it—that you can put away for your marriage—"

Meely started—this was an amazing world that was being revealed to her! She had not dreamed how far some men would go, how ruthless they could be, in degrading a girl.

"For my marriage!" she breathed. "Ach, Mr. Creighton, I didn't know you thought that low-down of me!"

Before the look of utter dismay that had come into her face, he actually felt, to his own bewilderment, a momentary embarrassment. Was she going to be sentimental and scrupulous? That would make things much too difficult—he had certainly not anticipated having to wrestle with scruples!

"I don't think 'low-down' of you, Meely. We love each other—"

"Love? But I'd think, Mr. Creighton, that if a man loved a girl he'd purtend her, not hurt her!"

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

MARY GRAHAM BONNER

SERVAL AND CAT

"There are people who brag about their family trees," said the Wild Cat, and I don't understand how a family of people have a family of trees."

"Oh," said the Wild Cat's neighbor, "they don't mean they have a tree made of the family."

"What they mean is that they all belong to grandmothers and grandfathers of great importance and who are very high-up people."

"I suppose they're called family trees because they're high up," said the Wild Cat, "though lots of trees aren't very high, come to think of it."

"No," said the neighbor, "that has nothing to do with it. A family tree all depends on whether a creature has grandmothers and grandfathers and great-grandmothers and great-grandfathers. Don't you see?"

"But then every one would have a family tree," said the Wild Cat, "and I didn't think every one had."

"My dear Wild Cat," said the neighbor, "there are grandmothers and grandmothers."

"I suppose so," agreed the Wild Cat. "But I mean," explained the neighbor, "that some grandmothers are high up and some aren't."

"Some are snobs and others aren't," eh?" asked the Wild Cat. "Yes, that's about it," said his neighbor.

"Pray Explain it to Me."

"So that is what they mean by a family tree?" said the Wild Cat. "Yes, that's about it," said his neighbor.

"It's all very well to have one, but unless a creature amounts to something himself I don't see how he can think he is fine simply because his grandfather was."

Just then another neighbor of the Wild Cat looked about him. "I wish to boast," he said. "To hear my name, my fine and dignified name, my name which means nothing and yet which means everything, one would never believe I was a cat, eh?" asked the Serval.

"Why does your name mean everything and nothing?" asked the Wild Cat. "That sounds rather queer to me. In fact it sounds quite impossible."

"Ah, but it isn't," said the Serval. "Then pray explain it to me," said the Wild Cat. "The name of Serval sounds very dignified," said the Serval.

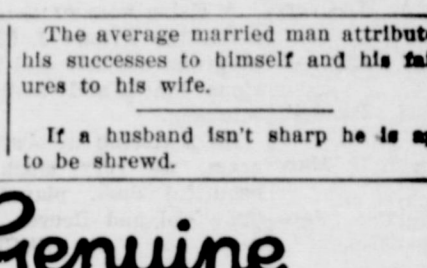
"Well, I suppose so if you want to think it does," said the Wild Cat. "And it means nothing in one way because it doesn't tell any secrets. It doesn't tell folks that I'm everything!"

"Well, well, well," said the Wild Cat, "that is bragging a little bit too much."

Build Up Any Boy in Two Weeks!

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Is flattery more acceptable than cold, disagreeable truth, even when you know it's flattery?

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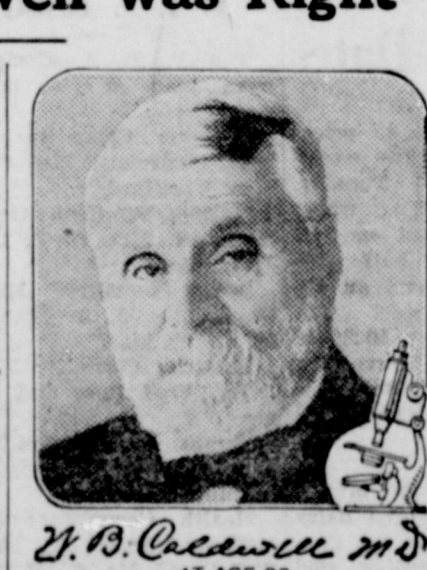
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Health for Females in Open-Air Exercise

There seems to be no reason why a woman or girl should not get as much enjoyment out of life as any man or boy. Too many of our sex consider themselves hothouse flowers. If the weather is cold or stormy they will not venture outdoors. The sun must be shining and the weather warm before they will spend any time outside. Whether it is cold or warm, calm or stormy, every woman and girl should spend at least three hours daily in the open air. Not merely resting, but walking, washing or playing some game. Being in the fresh air is all right in a way, but to get 100 per cent value out of the good air, one should exercise in it. Even if the exercise consists only of deep breathing, this, at least, exercises the lungs. I find that too many women neglect their breathing. They very seldom take a deep breath. It is easy to get into the habit of taking the deep

breathing; expanding the lungs to the limit if only two or three time a day. Doing this indoors is of little value. The fresh air should be taken advantage of. By this means, alone, one can obtain assurance against lung troubles. And there is no cost whatever for this treatment.—Psychology Magazine.

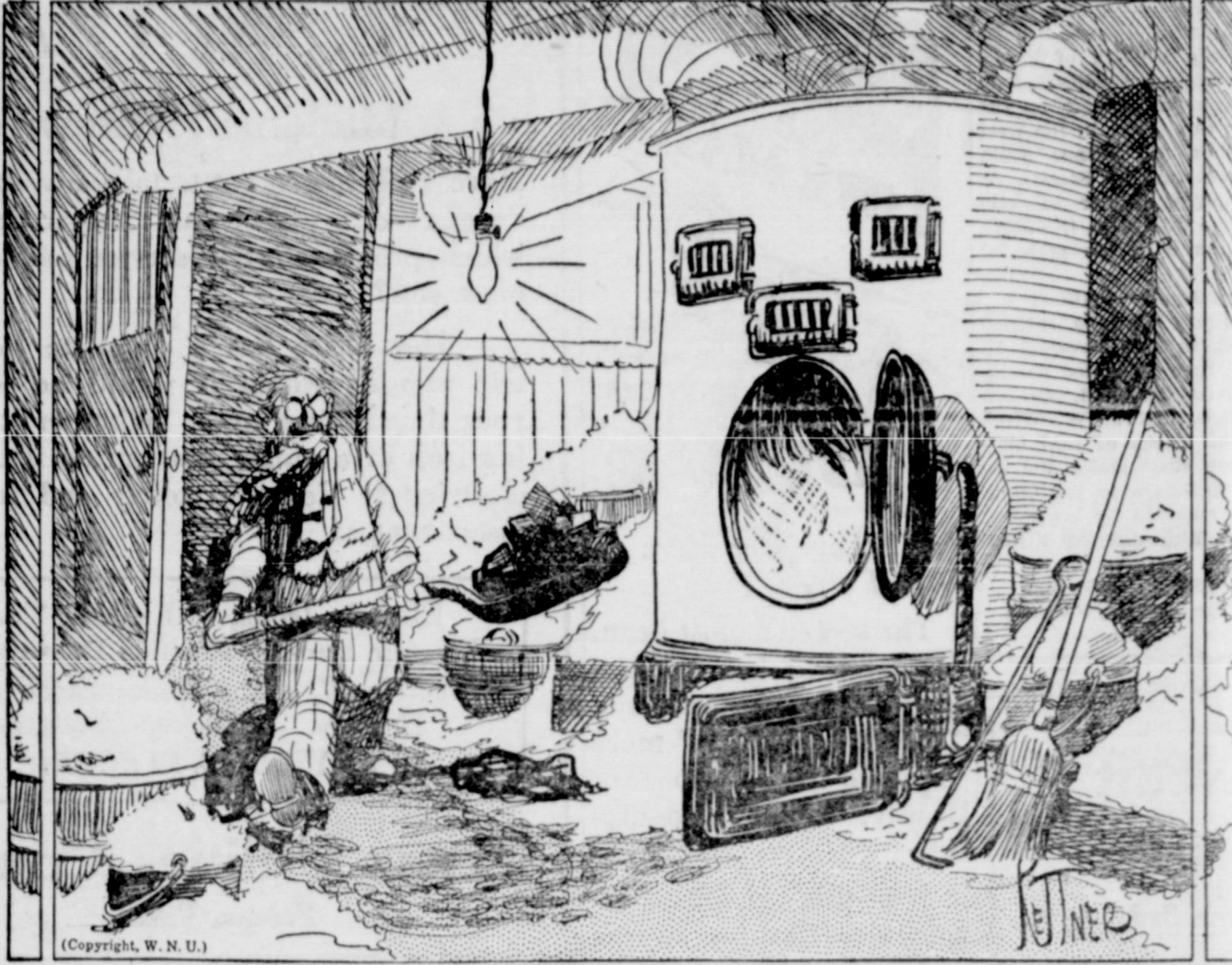
"Safety First"

Helen and her mother spent the summer on a farm and Helen was heartbroken when one Sunday her pet rooster had to give up his life because the minister was coming to dinner. Some time after she saw the minister coming to call, and she ran to the barn shooting the chickens, and said: "Get in quick; here comes the man that ate your father."

Silk culture is being fostered as a new industry in Mexico.

# OUR COMIC SECTION

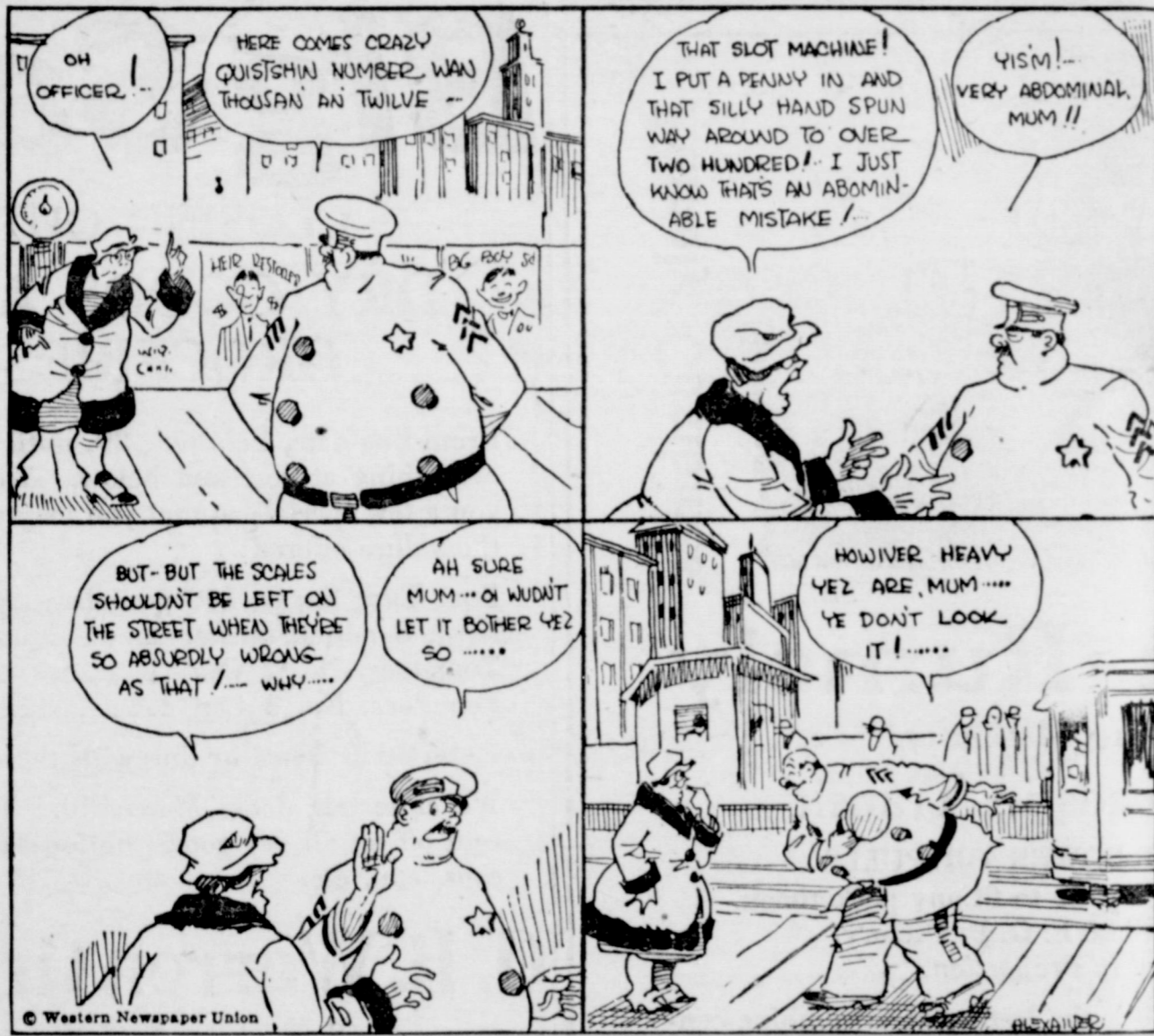
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## Two Lives Saved by Marvel of Surgery

Two patients, whose respiration had already ceased and who were virtually dead, have been recalled to life in the Hospital of Moerby, near Stockholm, through operations performed on the heart by two young Swedish surgeons, according to a statement by the head physician of the hospital published there. The patients suffered from thrombosis, a condition whereby blood clots are formed in the blood vessels. The thrombi, or clots, had entered the heart, stopping up the artery of the lungs so that the blood could not be emptied from the left half of the heart. A young physician, Dr. Clarence Crafoord, assisted by Dr. J. P. Stroembæck, at once decided to attempt operations, quickly made incisions in the heart and removed the thrombi. Both patients now seem to be out of danger. This operation was first made by a German surgeon, Doctor Trendelenburg, and only two or three successful cases are so far recorded in the history of medicine.

## Legal Wrangle in Sight

After Valentine Christ was jilted by his sweetheart more than half a century ago he secluded himself in a dilapidated old house in Cleveland, Ohio, and was rarely seen except when making a real estate deal. At his death in 1910 a purported will left his fortune of \$2,000,000 to John Christ and Mrs. Martha Damback, his brother and sister, but did not mention a second brother, Adam Christ, who broke the will and received a third share. Recently a second will, yellowed with age, was found in the attic of Valentine Christ's old home, leaving his entire fortune to his brother John. If this will is upheld by the courts it will mean a redistribution of approximately \$25,000,000 worth of property to the heirs of John Christ—and the lawyers.—Capper's Weekly.

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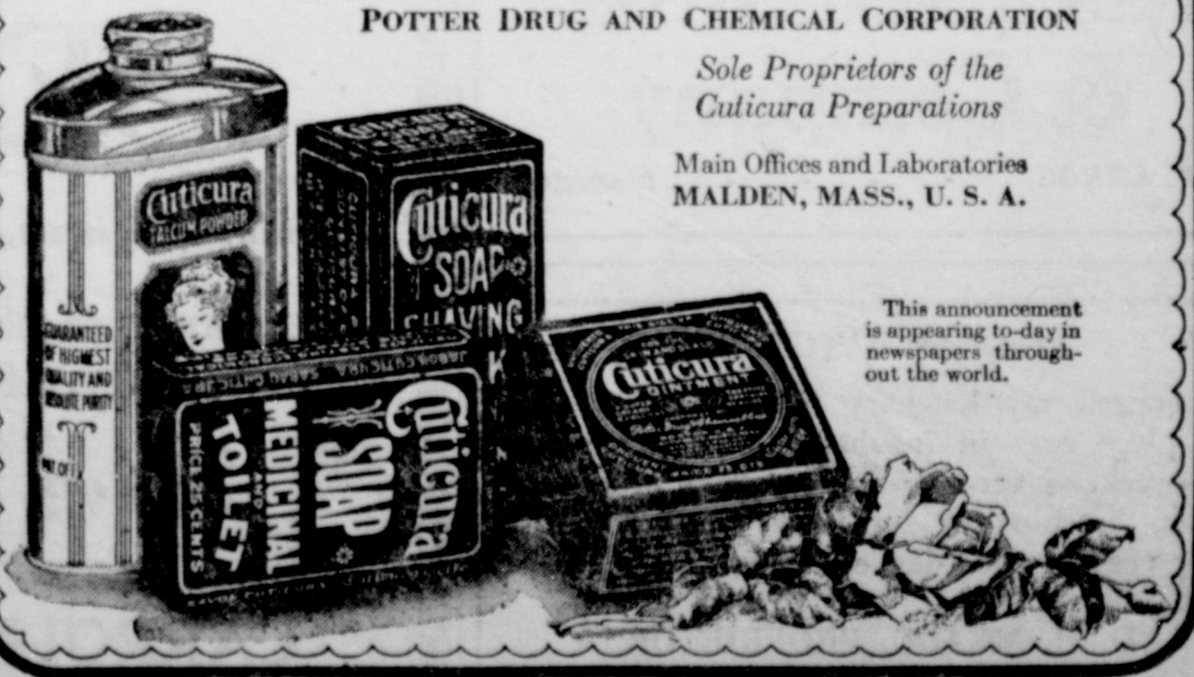
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## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Friona Star is authorized to announce the names of the following persons as candidates for the office under which the name appears, each subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary to be held on the last Saturday in July, 1928:

**For Sheriff and Tax Collector:**  
 J. H. MARTIN, of Farwell.  
 JOHN S. POTTS, of Bovina.

**For County Judge and Superintendent of Schools:**  
 ERNEST F. LOKEY, of Farwell.  
 J. H. ALDRICH, JR., of Farwell.

**For County Clerk:**  
 GORDON McCUAN, of Farwell.

**For County Assessor:**  
 J. W. MAGNESS, of Farwell.

**For County Treasurer:**  
 S. N. (SAM) MARTIN, of Bovina.  
 MRS. LELAH M. ROBBINS, of Bovina.

**For County Treasurer:**  
 B. E. NOBLES, of Farwell.

**For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:**  
 NAT JONES (Re-Election).

**For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:**  
 W. S. MENEPEE.

Glenn Singleterry of Pleasant Hill, New Mexico, spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Friona.

## Jackman's Women's Wear Exclusively

Mr. Talkington and son of Oklahoma arrived here last week where the son will live on the Talkington farm west of town, while Mr. Talkington will return to his home in Oklahoma.

Orval Knight of Dawson, New Mexico, arrived here Monday night to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Browder and son Jack, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. McLellan, visited in the home of Arthur Murphy and E. B. McLellan Monday and Tuesday. They were accompanied by Arthur Murphy's children who have been visiting relatives here the past two months.

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Mrs. O. F. Lange and daughters, Carylan and Miss Marie Coneway spent Thursday in Clovis shopping and visiting.

Mrs. Thomas Fickle and son, Joe Don, of Canyon, visited the past week in the home of Seldon Warren and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carr of Bovina, were welcome visitors at the Star office Wednesday afternoon.

### STOCK LAW ELECTION NOTICE.

In compliance with law and pursuant to an order of the Commissioners' Court of Parmer County, Texas, dated the 13th day of February, 1928:

#### NOTICE

is hereby given that an Election will be held on the 31st day of March, 1928, at each of the voting precincts in Parmer County, Texas, for the purpose of determining whether horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle shall be permitted to run at large within the bounds of Parmer County, Texas.

By order of County Judge of Parmer County, Texas, this the 13th day of February, A. D. 1928.  
 ERNEST F. LOKEY,  
 County Judge, Parmer County  
 30-4tc Texas.

#### ELECTION NOTICE.

Pursuant to an order issued on the tenth day of February, 1928, by the County Judge of Parmer County, Texas, notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 19th day of March, 1928, at the office of the Friona Star, near the post office of Friona, by the inhabitants of the herein-after described subdivision of Parmer County, Texas, for the purpose of determining whether the said subdivision embracing the post office of Friona shall be incorporated under the corporate name of Friona with the commission form of government, and in case the vote be favorable to incorporation, for the further purpose of electing a mayor and two commissioners, the said subdivision being particularly described as follows: A tract of land beginning at the northwest corner of Section 6 of Township 4 south of Range 4 east of a Capital Syndicate Subdivision as shown by plat on the deed records of Parmer County, Texas; thence south with the west line of said Section 6 about 442 1/2 feet to the point of intersection of the south boundary line of the right of way of the Pecos and North Texas Railway Company and the west line of Section 6; thence northeasterly with the south boundary line of the right of way about 1195 feet to the point on the south line of the right of way where a line down the center of First Street of Wright Addition as originally platted intersects the said south line of the right of way; thence east down the center of First Street as originally platted about 2470 feet to the point at the center of the intersection of First Street and Pierce Avenue as originally platted; thence north down the center of Pierce Avenue about 760 feet to the point at the center of the intersection of Third Street with Pierce Avenue as originally platted; thence east down the center of Third Street about 380 feet to the point at the center of the intersection of Third Street and Columbia Avenue as originally platted;

thence north down the center of Columbia Avenue to the intersection of this line with the south boundary line of the aforementioned right of way; thence northeasterly with the south boundary line of the Pecos and North Texas Railway Company right of way to the intersection of this south line with the east line of Section 6; thence north with the east line of Section 6 to and through the northeast corner extending in straight line 1140 feet beyond the northeast corner to a point; thence west and parallel with the south line of Section 31 of Township 1 north of Range 4 east of a Capital Syndicate Subdivision as shown by plat on the deed records to a point in the west line of Section 31; thence south with the west line of Section 31 to the southwest corner of said section; thence west with the north line of Section 6 to the place of beginning.

All resident legally qualified voters of the State shall be entitled to participate in said election. M. A. Crum has been appointed presiding judge, and Jesse M. Osborn associate judge, and J. W. White and Ed White clerks of said election, and they shall make due return within five days to the County Judge as required by law.

Dated this 14th day of February, 1928.  
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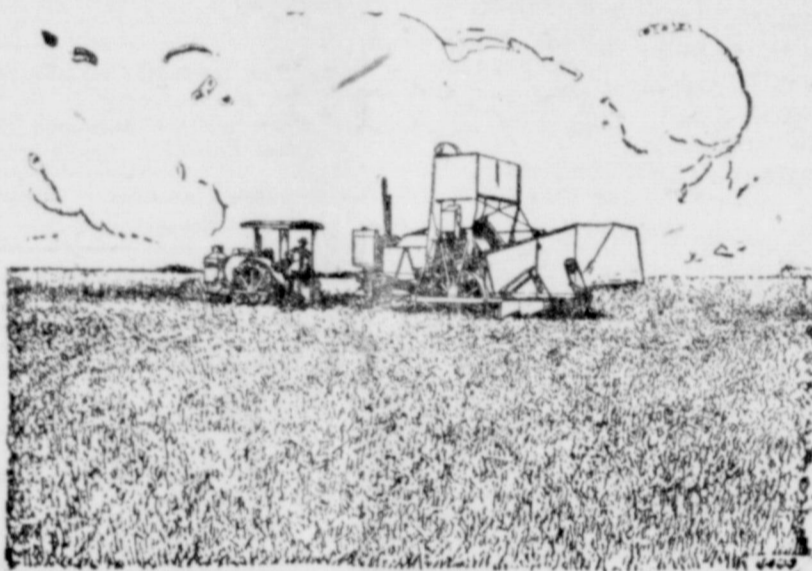
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Athletic Editor

Testament. About 400 attended the party given by the first grade at the P. T. A. meeting Thursday night.

Second Grade: The second grade pupils are making their spring posters.

Third Grade: Dowell Reanis, of Canadian, entered the third grade this week.

Sixth Grade: Faye Riners, Mary Edna Danis and Albert Danis entered the sixth grade this week.

## JUNIOR CLASS MEETING.

The Junior class met Monday, February 27, and decided to practice their play, "Safety First," Monday night.

The funds from the play will be used for the Junior-Senior banquet.

## ROUGH GAMES GOES TO HAPPY.

Wednesday the Friona boys were defeated by Happy on the Happy court by 32-20. It was a rough but fast game. During the first half Happy scored 15 points to Friona's 2. During the last half the Friona bunch got in stride and showed they could play basketball by scoring 18 points, while Happy scored 17. Lemons of Happy was high point man, with 12 points, and Richardson of Friona was next with 11. Baker and Richardson of Friona and Fortenberry of Happy were put out on personals.

## PERSONALS.

Francis Nichols went shopping in Clovis Tuesday.

The Home Economics Club will present the play, "Little Miss Jack" in the near future.

Elizabeth Brownley who has been severely ill with pneumonia for the past two or three weeks, has not yet recovered. Her condition is still serious. Her class mates miss her very much and hope that she will recover and return to school.

## FOODS GIRLS GET BANNER.

The Foods girls have the banner for the third time, which entitles

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Alma—"I wish I could get married."

J. D.—"I know a boy who wants to get married. I'll tell him if you

want me to."

## W. M. U. PROGRAM.

March 6th:

Subject: Far above Rubies.

Leader: Mrs. Weidle.

Song: He is so Precious to Me.

Scripture reading and prayer.

The Joy of Forgiveness, Rom.

15:15.

The Joy of Perfect Peace, John

15:11.

The Joy of Salvation, Isaiah

12:3.

The Joy of Service, John 11:28.

More Precious than Rubies: Mrs. Meade.

Acres of Rubies: Mrs. Short.

Rubies of Great Price: Mrs. Benton.

Song, My Heart Looks Up to Thee.

Adorned with Rubies: Mrs. Stevick.

Gems for His Crown: Mrs. Lockhart.

Prayer, The Key to God's Chest of Jewels, and Using the Key: Mrs. Dilger.

Giving Our Rubies: Mrs. Truitt.

## B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

Program for March 4:

Devotional meeting—The Cleansing Blood of Christ.

Scripture Reading—Miss Gladys Elam.

Introduction—Bessie Harry.

The Theme Here and in Heaven—Miss Askew.

Divine Help Our Only Hope—Edith Gallaway.

Salvation, the Gift of God's Love—Lois Eason.

The Atonement—Marie Warren.

Christ Died in Our Place—Matilda McFarland.

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# The "Lost Dauphin Mystery"



SUPPOSED TOMB OF LOUIS XVII IN PARIS Underwood in Underwood



Eleazer Williams

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON  
**T**HE other day a group of French Royalists gathered in the Abbey of St. Denis, north of Paris, where lie the Kings of France in their royal tombs. The occasion was the one hundred thirty-fifth anniversary of the execution of Louis XVI which took place during the French revolution and they had gathered there in memory of the Bourbon monarch and his Queen, Marie Antoinette. While they thus honored these two victims of that historic tragedy, they were denied the privilege of paying a similar mark of respect to a third, Louis XVII, the lost Dauphin of France, for the reason that no one knows where lie the remains of that victim of the Reign of Terror. In the cemetery of the church of St. Margaret in the Rue St. Bernard there is a tomb which bears the words "L. XVII, 1785-1795. Attendez et voyez si est doloz sicut doloz meus." Is this the tomb of the lost Dauphin, as that inscription would indicate and as many Parisians believe? Or would the Bourbonists who wished to honor the memory of this King, who never held the throne which was rightfully his, be compelled to visit a cemetery in the town of Hogansburg, New York, and lay their wreaths upon the gravestone which bears the name of Eleazer Williams with the assurance that they were thus honoring the little lost Dauphin?

Although the fate of the lost Dauphin is one of the unsolved riddles of history, certain definite facts in regard to it have been established by the researches of a recent French historian. According to his account, in August, 1792, the Paris Commune, after a dispute with the legislative assembly as to where their royal prisoners were to be quartered, succeeded in getting its own way and decreed that the place of captivity should be the Temple, the palace of the Grand Friar of the Knights Templars. Here were held King Louis XVI, Queen Marie Antoinette, Princess Elizabeth (sister of the King), Princess Marie Therese (daughter of the King and Queen and later the Duchesse d'Angouleme), and the Dauphin, Louis Charles. On January 21, 1793, the king was beheaded; later the Queen and the Princess Elizabeth were also sent under the knife, leaving only the Dauphin and his sister prisoners in the Temple. Before the Queen was executed, however, the Dauphin had been separated from the rest of his family and held a prisoner by himself in another part of the building where he was placed under the care of Antoine Simon, an ignorant shoemaker, and his wife. Simon was to be the young prince's tutor with the special object of teaching him the democratic ideas of the revolution. All that he taught the boy, however, was to sing indecent songs and to talk the rough language of the lower classes. However he was not cruelly treated, as has so often been charged, and enjoyed considerable liberty within the Temple grounds. On January 19, 1794, Simon suddenly ceased to be the Dauphin's guardian and that night he and his wife left the Temple. It is from this moment that the mystery begins. Heretofore many people had been allowed to see the Dauphin, but from this time on he was kept in close

confinement and no one, except the person who attended to his needs, knew anything about the mode of his existence. Within six months the Commune had fallen, but the Temple still held its royal prisoner or, at least, a child who was supposed to be the Dauphin. The last guardian of the little prisoner, Etienne Alsne, reported that the boy was an imbecile or very much like one and finally on June 8, 1795, this boy died. An autopsy was performed and various persons were shown the corpse. Care was taken to prevent anyone from properly identifying him. Although the boy had been buried as the son of Louis XVI, rumors persisted that the Dauphin was not really dead. It is a plausible theory that the real Prince was taken away from the Temple by Simon and that a substitute was placed there in his stead; that Royalist plotters abducted this substitute in the belief that he was Louis XVII, replacing him with the boy who actually died in the Temple and was buried as the prince, a child who was apparently diseased and an imbecile. If this is true, then the mystery is no nearer solution than ever before, for not long after Simon left the Temple, he was guillotined without revealing what substitution he had made of the real Louis XVII. The Dauphin had simply disappeared and not even the careful researches of this French historian has accounted for his ultimate fate. He is certain that the boy did not die in the Temple but is unable to find any trace of him after his removal by those who hoped to profit thereby but who died before they had the chance to make use of their opportunity. In the years that followed the disappearance of the real Dauphin and the death of the supposed Prince in the Temple, there came a veritable deluge of claimants to the title of being the real Louis XVII. No less than twenty-five "Lost Dauphins" appeared before French courts from time to time to press their claims and to disturb the peace of mind of the government of France. The most picturesque perhaps of all the claimants was Charles William Naurendorf, who appeared in Paris in 1833 as the long missing lost Dauphin. He too, had a long list of documents in support of his assumption that he was of royal blood but when the court heard the evidence this "lost Dauphin" was summarily banished from France. He eventually made his home in Delft, Holland, and died in 1845. So strongly did he impress his claims upon a large group of French royalists that he was buried with great ceremony and over his grave in the Delft cemetery was erected a monument bearing these words: "Here reposes Louis XVII, King of France and Navarre, Charles Louis, Duke of Normandy, born in Versailles, March 27, 1785, died in Delft August 10, 1845." It is a far cry from the palace of Versailles and the Temple in Paris to the little town of Hogansburg, N. Y., and Green Bay, Wis., yet these two American towns have also been concerned in the mystery of the lost Dauphin. Seventy-seven years ago both Europe and America were agog over the assertion of Rev. Eleazer Williams, an Episcopal missionary among the Indians, that he was the son of Louis XVI, and therefore the lost Dauphin of France. Eleazer Williams was the son of a halfbreed

Mohawk Indian chief, Thomas Williams, who was descended from Eunice Williams, the famous Deerfield captive, and was one of the family of thirteen halfbreeds by Thomas Williams' Indian wife, Mary Ann Williams. He grew up among the Mohawks at Coughnawaga, Quebec, but was educated in New England and served brilliantly as the head of a corps of scouts and spies for the Americans in the War of 1812. Later he became a missionary among his father's people, first as a Congregationalist and later as an Episcopalian. When they and other Iroquois tribesmen in New York were being hard pressed by the advancing white settlers, he was instrumental in obtaining lands for them in Wisconsin. At some time during his early career he heard the story of the lost Dauphin and having been told that he resembled the Bourbon Prince, he decided to advance his claims to the honor of being that person. Owing to a scrofulous taint in his family, the bruises and injuries, received while he was a child playing with his Indian playmates, left permanent scars which were later in life increased in size by artificial means. These he claimed to have been the result of the shackles and chains with which he was confined in the Temple. In 1841 the Prince de Joinville, son of the then reigning King Louis Philippe of France, followed his father's example and paid a visit to America. During a trip on the Great Lakes the Prince found awaiting him at Mackinac a clerical-looking gentleman who asked permission to accompany the Prince's party to Green Bay, Wis. This cleric was Eleazer Williams and soon after the departure of the Prince from Green Bay, Williams gave out the astonishing statement that De Joinville had acknowledged that he (Williams) was Louis XVII, and that the Prince had sought him out in the western wilderness to ask him to renounce his claim to the throne of France. A few years later Williams told his story to Rev. J. H. Hanson who wrote an article "Have We a Bourbon Among Us?" which appeared in the February, 1853, number of Putnam's Monthly. When a copy of this magazine was received in England, where the Prince de Joinville was then living as an exile from France, he immediately repudiated the alleged interview and denounced Williams as an impostor. However, a book by Hanson, "The Lost Prince," which gave a detailed account of Williams' life, and which proved to the satisfaction of the author, at least, that the Mohawk halfbreed missionary was indeed the lost Dauphin, gained for him many adherents. Although Williams steadfastly maintained that he was the lost Dauphin, nothing ever came of his pretensions and he died August 28, 1858, on the St. Regis reservation near Hogansburg, N. Y. Evidently his adherents were not as steadfast in their belief as were those of Naurendorf, for he was buried with Masonic rites simply as "Brother Eleazer Williams," and the plain monument over his grave at Hogansburg bears not the royal crest of the house of Bourbon, but the Masonic emblem, his name, dates of his birth and death. Perhaps he has had as much right to the title of the lost Dauphin as any other claimant but history has not yet been convinced that any of the claims are convincing.

### Fighting Pellagra

The disease known as "pellagra" was formerly supposed to be caused by a sort of poisoning due to corn or to a fungus growing in spoiled corn, but this has been completely disproved. The reason why the theory was ever set up is that the disease was first studied in southern Europe among people who lived almost exclusively on corn. Pellagra is now believed to be largely, if not entirely,

caused by restricted diets which do not supply all the necessary food ingredients, particularly by those which furnish little or no flesh foods, eggs dairy products, fresh vegetables or fruits. The best way to guard against it is to try to use these foods freely.

### Exports Trees to World

In a very remote corner of Holland there is a section of the country that is given exclusively to the growing of trees and shrubs which are shipped to many parts of the world, the great

part coming to the United States. The land is especially adapted for this character of nursery work and the rhododendrons grown here are notably fine specimens. In one field alone there were 10,000 of these plants which were being grown especially for dealers in the United States. There are many other such fields, some being given over to the cultivation of ornamental trees. This country imports 40,000 glass eyes each year.

## How the Useful Plants Came to Mankind

By T. E. STEWARD  
 WNU Service

### The Potato

FROM the days of our schoolbooks, we have known that the white potato, sometimes called Irish potato, was one of the true American plants. What many do not know, or believe erroneously that they do know, is that the potato was not a native of Virginia, as reported in the famous Sir Walter Raleigh story, nor was it first introduced into Europe by Raleigh. The white potato, whose botanical name is "solanum tuberosum," is a native of Chile, in South America. Before Raleigh and his lieutenants took it to England it had already been carried to Europe by Spanish explorers. And the potatoes which Raleigh took home from Virginia had been introduced into that colony from the Spanish colonies far to the south, obtained either in trade or at the time when a Spanish galleon was captured by the English privateers who scoured the Spanish seas. The botanist De Candolle, who has written one of the most authoritative works on the origin of useful plant species, points out that the white potato was not known in ancient Mexico as it was in the Indian nations of the South American continent. Furthermore, says he, it could not have reached the Indians of the Virginia and Carolina district without having passed through Mexico. The added

This plant which has come to be a food staple among so many of the nations grows wild to best advantage on the crags and cliffs of the shores of Chile, usually not more than two or three miles from salt water. There it is found in mountainous spots that are hard to reach, points to which nature could never have carried it after an escape from some cultivated garden.

Darwin, during his famous naturalist's voyage around South America in the ship Beagle, found the potato growing wild in great abundance on the sand of the seashore in southern Chile. Its remarkable vigor there is attributed to the damp climate. The tallest plants measured four feet in length. The tubers were small, as a rule.

Early potatoes transplanted from America to Europe were far smaller than the magnificent varieties now grown. Seldom did a tuber measure more than two inches over its greatest width and many measured but one. The white potato is not a member of the same family as the sweet potato, whose origin may be either Asiatic or American, with the evidence favoring a conclusion that it, too, is a "plant of the Western Hemisphere. The sweet potato is a convolvulus, however, while the potato belongs to the family, solanum.

### Hemp

HERODOTUS, who was born in 484 B. C., wrote that the Scythians, a wild people living north of the Black sea, used hemp, but in his time the Greeks were scarcely acquainted with it. Early kings of Syracuse and other maritime ports of Greece recorded that they purchased hemp for their vessel cordage, showing that they did not raise it.

Hebrew books make no mention of hemp and it was not used in the fabrics which covered the mummies of ancient Egypt. Even at the end of the Eighteenth century it was raised in Egypt only for the sake of an intoxicating liquid extracted from the plant. The Talmud, a compilation of Jewish laws made during the period of Roman domination, speaks of the textile properties of hemp as if they were little known.

Probably the Scythians brought this plant into eastern Europe from Central Asia when they migrated westward about 1500 B. C., a little before the time of the great Trojan war. It may also have been introduced by the earlier incursions of the Aryans into Thrace and western Europe, though it would seem that it should have been known in Italy had that been the fact. Hemp hasn't been found in the lake dwellings of Switzerland nor in those of northern Italy.

Modern botanical observations of wild hemp verify the deductions from history and literature. It has been found wild, beyond a doubt, south of the Caspian sea, in Siberia, beyond Lake Balkal and elsewhere in Central Asia. In many populous regions of southern Russia it is called wild by authors, but as these districts are populous and hemp has been grown in them for many centuries, it is difficult to say whether it is actually wild or has escaped from civilization. Jute, which has the same uses as hemp, is widely dispersed in Africa the warm regions of Asia, and Central and South America. Thus the origin of the several species of this genus are difficult to trace. It may be native to each of them. The like of hemp, however, that it is an Asiatic plant that has been introduced into Africa and America. It is common in Ceylon in a wild state and has been found growing wild in Java. Until the growth of the tremendous Western cord and bag industries jute manufacture was carried on chiefly in southern Asia, particularly in Bengal.

## LIFE'S LITTLE JESTS

NOT GUILTY

He was a stage aspirant, and had contrived to gain an introduction to a well-known manager, who agreed to fix a date for a trial. This duly came off, and expectantly the aspirant awaited the verdict.

"What do you think of it?" he asked, after a deep silence.

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"I have never smoked a cigar in my life," said the first Mr. Choate. "I never play poker and I never saw a horse race."

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"You can; Choate did," piped up Speaker of the House Reed.

### TOO NOISY FOR HIM

She—I never see you smoke a cigar with a band.

He—No, that would be too noisy for me.

### Paradox

It's surely queer.  
 Yet oft' we've heard folk tell  
 Of getting sick  
 Because they lived too well.

### Clever Work

"Are there any sick crooks in this city?"

"Slick! Why, one night at a dance they stole my trousers and hung weights on my suspenders so I shouldn't miss them until they had gone."

### Forced Landing

"Confound it," cried a passenger who had been tumbled to the pavement. "Can't you wait till I get off?"

"Huh!" returned the street car motorman. "If you ain't off now, you never will be."

### LOSING COLOR

Mother—Don't you think Mary is losing color?

Dad (grimly)—Yes; every time she has a caller I notice the loss.

### Disappointment

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 To learn that pleasures flit!  
 A man gets what his hopes have craved  
 And finds it isn't it.

### Joking the Joke

"I'm thinking of going to Palm Beach for the winter."

"That will cost you a lot."

"No; only a little gray matter—thinking about it."

"Even so, can you spare it?"

### A Financial Mystery

"My wife has queer ideas."  
 "As for example?"

"Well, she can't understand why a bank is so much fussier about her owing it than a department store is."

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**Von Elm Denies He Will Turn Pro**

**G**EORGE VON ELM, former national amateur golf champion, denied reports that he would sign under the management of Jack Kearns, fight promoter, as a professional for a golf tour. Von Elm insisted he would never consider abandoning the amateur ranks for the professional.

While Kearns insisted the star linksman was considering seriously his offer, Von Elm declared the suggestion had been made only in a "kidding way" and that he would not for a minute think of making such a change. Kearns had declared previously that plenty of money could be made out of professional golf if it were given "the proper ballyhoo."

Kearns brought the name of Al Watrous, Grand Rapids, professional, into the proposition as a possible teammate for Von Elm.

From Kearns' camp also came information that El Paso, Texas, would be the scene of Von Elm's first golf appearance after winding up his amateur career in the Long Beach open tournament. It was declared arrangements for the El Paso opening of the professional tour already had been started.

Earlier Von Elm had been reported as confirming his acceptance of Kearns' proposition, and a close business associate of Kearns insisted the agreement had been entered into. In the face of the golfer's denials it was declared Von Elm desired to withhold any announcement temporarily, but he also denied that such an allegation was true.

Von Elm insisted golf was but an honored pastime with him and that, paired with his private business, would prevent him in spite of any "million-dollar" offer from going into professional golf.

George Von Elm.

**Tunney Plays Golf**

The photo shows Gene Tunney, heavyweight champion of the world, keeping in good physical shape, in preparation for his next bout, by playing golf on the La Gorce course at Miami Beach, Fla.

**Test for Headphones**

A very simple test for phones is to wet the tips and then touch them together. A distinct click should be heard in the phones. This is due to the small voltage generated by the contact. If this click is not heard the phones are not very sensitive.

**Travel Around Australia**

The photograph shows the motor car in which Pastor Deen and his wife traveled around the entire continent of Australia, a distance of 11,310 miles, in four and one-half months. In some of the wild parts of the country they were attacked by savages, but succeeded in finishing the journey safely.

**Newsy Squibs From A. Over**

Southern California will be captained next year by Jesse Hibbs, giant tackle.

Horses owned by H. P. Whitney won 75 races during the racing season of 1927.

The only thing needed to clear the heavyweight situation is a draw between Heeney and Delaney.

Suzanne Lengien's latest hobby is collecting stamps, with special attention being paid to airmail stamps.

Buster Shimek, captain of the Marquette track team last year, plans to run for the Illinois Athletic club this year.

Paul Bertelbach has retired and opened a billiard room, a traffic in ivory that one would associate with baseball, not boxing.

Michigan will open its 1928 baseball season by playing the University of Cincinnati at Cincinnati, April 7. Twenty-seven games have been scheduled.

The game of golf is more popular than any other in the United States.

Bucky Harris of Washington is likely to be the only playing manager in the big leagues this year.

Indiana and Illinois are liable to play two football games in one day against each other next fall.

Hyatt, Pittsburgh sophomore, is being hailed as the best point-making forward in Eastern basketball circles this year.

Officials of the American Basketball League have decided that the home team must have a doctor on the bench at all times.

According to Gene Tunney, heavyweight champion of the world, he will not retire from the ring until knocked unconscious.

The St. Louis Browns announced the sale of Chester Falk left-handed pitcher, to Montreal, of the International League.

**Bulletin Gives Hints on Tires**

**Should Be of Help in the Constant Effort to Extend Their Life.**

The mechanical first-aid department of the Chicago Motor club has issued a bulletin on tire care which should be of help in the constant effort being made to extend the life of tires. Some of the causes of damage are given as:

Motorists should examine their automobile rims to see that they are not the cause of loss of service from tires. Their trueess should be verified so that the tire may run without "wobbling." Bent flanges should be straightened and rust should be removed, as these conditions tend to chafe the side of the tire.

**Side Wall Wear.**  
Brushing the curb when turning a corner or parking, or driving carelessly over frozen, rutty roads, tends to wear the rubber off the side wall, leaving the fabric foundation exposed. Water and dirt can enter the fabric and the tire soon is destroyed. Side wall injuries should be repaired, with out delay, by an experienced vulcanizer.

Tubes are frequently damaged by pinching when they are being applied. A little care will avert this danger. The flap should be smoothly and carefully applied in straight-side tires. A wrinkle will cut the tube and cause a slow leak. Both the lock nut on the valve stem and the valve cap should be screwed down tightly.

**Stone Bruises.**  
Probably breaks or cracks in the fabric body—commonly called "stone bruises"—more than any other cause, make it necessary to scrap tires before they have given full service. A "stone bruise" usually is the result of the fabric inside of the tire being forced sharply down against the steel rim. Most accidents of this type can be traced to insufficient inflation of tires, or to striking some projection in the road while traveling at high speed. Striking the curb when turning a corner or turning around in the street also is responsible for many "stone bruises." The tire can usually be saved if such injuries are repaired promptly by a good vulcanizer.

**Champion Shot Putter**

The photo shows Miss Lillian Copeland putting the shot. For four years she has held national and world's records with a distance of 40 feet 4 1/2 inches. She is rated as the best all-around woman athlete in the world, and she'll wear the American colors when athletes of all nations meet in completion at Amsterdam in July.

**Braves' Infield Packs Big Wallop**

**Hornsby and Farrell Have Terrific Punch.**

The Boston Braves will have a terrific batting punch on their infield next season with Rogers Hornsby playing second base and "Doc" Farrell shortstop. Hornsby batted .361 for the New York Giants last season, while young Farrell pounded the ball for the same figures as a member of the Giants and Braves.

With the playing field in Boston shortened considerably, Hornsby should be able to pound out a lot of home runs for the Braves. A few years ago he established a National league record for homers when he cracked out 42, and he also made a big total of extra base drives last summer.

Farrell is one of the best hitters among the younger National league players, is fast and a good fielder. Paired with Hornsby he should improve in his work and the Braves new keystone combination should be one of the best in the National league.

The Braves have Dick Barrus for first base, and while he is not a great player he is a good hitter. If the team can land a hard-hitting third baseman it will have a real punch, on its infield—something that has been lacking for years. It may be that Johnny Cooney, a former southpaw pitcher, will play first, in which instance the hitting temperature of the team will increase, for the ex-hurler is a real hitter.

**Blackburne Bats 1000 but Name Is Omitted**

The official American league batting averages omitted mention of the real batting leader of the league because of the technicality which insists upon a minimum of ten games before a player can get into the records.

Russell ("Lena") Blackburne, years ago a White Sox player and now a coach on the club, finished the season with a batting mark of 1000 per cent perfect. A base hit was sadly needed one day last summer and Blackburne stepped up to the plate and delivered it, sending home a runner from second with a "Texas leaguer" back of first base. His one swing at the ball, his only one of the season, was not enough to get him into the official figures.

**Hurler Jack Ogden Goes to St. Louis in a Trade**

Trade of Jack Ogden, veteran pitching star of the Baltimore Orioles, for two St. Louis Brown players and a cash consideration was announced by Jack Dunn, Oriole president and manager.

Catcher Dixon and Pitcher Boien went to the Orioles from the American league club in exchange, but the amount of cash involved in the deal was not made known.

In eight years with the Orioles, Ogden has won 191 games and lost 80 beside earning a reputation as a fielding pitcher and valued aide to the manager in suggesting strategic moves during games when he was not on the mound.

**Floating Siphon Insures Tourist Clean Gasoline**

Many tourists, particularly those of the motor-camper class, use a rubber-tube siphon to fill the tanks of their camp stoves or gasoline lanterns. Clean gasoline is essential to the proper operation of any gasoline-heating of the sediment and water accumulated there. This trouble is avoided by attaching a large cork, which can just be slipped through the filler hole of the tank, to the siphon tube, about an inch or so from the end. The tourist is then always assured of getting clean gasoline. —Popular Mechanics Magazine.

**Good Battery Cheapest for a Good Radio Set**

Cheap dry batteries generally are short-lived and fail to render good service even during this period. The cheapest battery in the long run is the most expensive in the first place. Good materials are essential to produce good batteries—heavy seamless zinc cans for instance, instead of flimsy, solder-seamed cases; good chemicals, with the mustin bag construction instead of the crude wet blotter; proper insulation between cells in the assembly of the block, and so on. It pays to buy a good battery at any time.

**Automatic SOS**

Automatic alarm receivers, for SOS signals from ships at sea, have been designed by the Marconi company and are ready to be placed on all ships and broadcasting stations.

**Cork on End of Siphon Prevents Getting Sediment and Water Out of Auto Gas Tank.**

unit. Dirty gasoline containing water is often caused by the end of the siphon tube extending down to the very bottom of the gas tank of the car, which permits it to suck up some

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**Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA**

**PILE SUFFERERS Get this handy tube PAZO OINTMENT**

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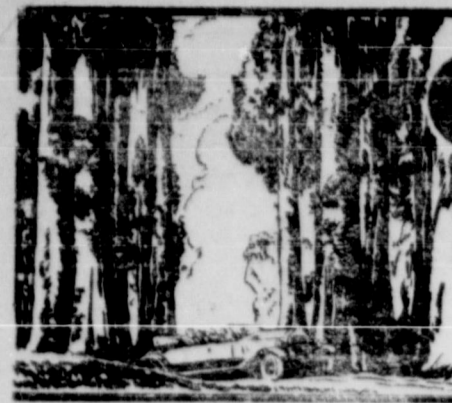
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Never had she experienced such profound stillness. Burton became conscious of the beat of her pulses, the singing of her ears. By holding herself quiet she could even bear faintly the roar of the sea; and that was over a range of high mountains and many miles away. She struck another match. One—twenty-two. Some one stirred in the other shelter; arose and poked the embers of the fire to a flame. Burton thought it must be Ross Gardiner. She turned her head impatiently. How near the surf sounded!

Overhead a tiny twig struck the canvas with a sharp spat. After an interval another, and another. Suddenly Burton thrust open the flap and thrust her head and shoulders through.

The roar of the surf was now even more plainly to be heard. A warm drop splashed her forehead; another her cheek. Air was stirring, soft as velvet.

The man at the fire was not Gardiner, but Davenport. The young man had on a yellow slicker and sou'wester hat. He looked up and caught her eye.

"She's coming," he said cheerfully. "Listen to her!"

And then Burton suddenly realized that the roar was not of the surf, but of the tempest hurrying through the forest.

She stepped to the fire, glancing curiously at the recumbent figures under the other shelter.

"Once a man's asleep, he's hard to awaken until after 3 o'clock," Davenport answered her unspoken wonder, "unless he's been brought up in the open and so is sensitive to outside things. But they'll probably awaken quickly enough in a few minutes."

"Doughtn's you to awaken Mr. Gardiner to witness he's lost his bet?" she asked.

"He probably wouldn't acknowledge these few drops as rain," said Davenport easily. "He's a natural quibbler."

"There are less than four minutes," Davenport glanced at his own wrist watch.

"Three," he said composedly. "Gardiner and I set our watches alike, you recall."

"Oh, dear!" cried Burton. "Don't worry, it will be here in less than two. Listen!"

The roaring was louder. "It frightens me," she confessed, "it's like the approach of a ravening wild beast."

"You are safe," he told her in confidence. "I'll answer for it. Believe that and enjoy it as the great and fearful spectacle it will be. But get into the tent now. You must not get wet for there will be no chance to dry off when this hits it will come in buckets."

They turned together to the tent. One of the figures under the shelter stirred uneasily, some faint echoes of the turmoil penetrated his dreams.

"When the wind comes before the rain, hoist your topsails up again; when rain comes before the wind, topsails down and halliards mind!"

Thus chanted Davenport in a full voice. Overhead Burton heard a hurried patter as though many little feet scurried across the canvas, then succeeded a drumming.

"Roll out! Roll out!" yelled Davenport. "Roll out and see it rain! At a thousand drops for a cent my ten thousand would be overpaid a million times!"

## CHAPTER VI

### Simmins Brightens Up.

A tiny fire blazed merrily at the edge of the shelter, a marvelous sight in all this deluge to Burton when she turned out in the morning. Her father and Gardiner sat leaning against a log in the background and Simmins fussed with a coffee pot over a small gasoline stove. Grimstead looked good-natured and amused by the turn of events; Gardiner was company-manners polite, which meant that he was disgruntled; Simmins was bright and chipper.

There was no doubt of it; something had happened to Simmins. His manner was free and independent and human; no longer did he conceal rigidly his naturally frivolous proclivities.

"Coffee, Miss," he should have enunciated mechanically. Instead of which he remarked: "That'll warm you up."

That morning Davenport found Simmins clad in a mackintosh, delving into the pockets of the larger cat.

"You certainly did call the turn!" said Simmins. "I congratulate you, sir! And to rock his ribs does my heart good! I'll buy me a little souvenir with the tinner

you let me in for. I suppose that goes, sir?"

"Certainly," laughed Davenport. "You'd better make yours a Liberty bond though, Simmins, if you take my advice."

"Liberty bond, sir, with a tinner?" puzzled Simmins.

"Tinner," repeated Davenport, also pretending to be puzzled. "Oh!" he stimulated enlightenment. "I see! Did you imagine for a moment I'd bother with a sum like ten dollars?"

"What else, sir?" asked Simmins uneasily.

"Then hundreds, of course," replied Davenport.

"Good lord! If it had not rained I'd have been out a thousand dollars?"

"Most certainly," Davenport assured him seriously. "As it is, you shall have my check for a thousand the moment Mr. Gardiner pays his debt."

And now you know why Simmins passed the coffee in that carefree, swashbuckling spirit that it would warm her up.

"Looks as if it might rain forever," remarked Grimstead after a pause.

Davenport glanced at his watch and made a rapid calculation.

"It will stop at ten minutes to ten," he stated.

"I'll acknowledge that you called the turn on this storm, but you're cutting it too fine," said Grimstead.

"Be reasonable."

"Nevertheless, if you'll allow me five minutes either way," smiled the young man. "I'll lay anybody another bet." He glanced at Gardiner, who did not look up.

The millionaire laughed.

"Well, you're a good sport. I'll say that for you. I'm no heavy gambler like you young fellows with lots of money. I'll bet you a box of cigars just to make it interesting."

"All right."

"By the way," added Grimstead, "didn't you say something about a tree—?"

"It's down, square across the road," interrupted Simmins eagerly.

"The deuce you say!" Grimstead sat up. "How many others are down?" he inquired after an instant.

"None sir; not one!" cried Simmins triumphantly, as though the glory were his own personally. "I took especial pains to look."

"This is the most extraordinary exhibition of either fanistic bull luck or prophecy or a mixture of both I have ever witnessed!" said Grimstead. "It's—it's almost uncanny!"

"Not at all. The story was the exact product of a whole series of causes and effects working out, and as the causes and effects were all subject to physical law which is unchangeable, any prediction as to the time or the direction or the strength or duration of a storm can be entirely exact, provided it is based on those causes and effects."

## CHAPTER VII

### A Startling Discovery.

At the hour predicted by Davenport the rain ceased and the clouds broke in the instantaneous California fashion to admit a bright shining sun. The whole world was a glitter with jewels, and little mists eddying through the forest drifted in and out of steady, broad shafts of light. Grimstead stared curiously at Davenport's little machine.

"Make her yourself?" inquired Grimstead.

"Such as she is," acknowledged Davenport. "I didn't use much pains with her looks because she is just an experiment. I'm trying something out."

"You said that she was electric driven?" queried Grimstead.

"Yes."

"And I suppose charging a battery costs nothing," struck in Gardiner scornfully, "and there are charging stations everywhere."

"Often enough for my purpose," rejoined Davenport with entire good humor.

"I should think you'd want more speed and power," observed Grimstead.

"Goared as she is I can make 50 an hour on a paved road and that means power for anything within reason—I haven't had it brake-tested, but it must develop between 35 and 45 horsepower."

"Your battery can't have a long charge-life at that rate," pursued Grimstead. "I don't see how you keep charged. How many hours do you make?"

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