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STAR MACHINERY ARRIVES AND IS INSTALLED; PAPER PRINTED IN FRIONA AFTER NEXT FEW WEEKS

On Thursday morning the office equipment of the Friona Star was moved from its former home on Main street to its new home on the south side of Sixth street in the new addition to the W. H. Warren building.

Last Saturday afternoon the greater part of the equipment for the printing plant which is soon to do the printing of the Star, was brought to Friona on two big trucks and lodged in this new building, which was the beginning of the Star's new home.

The big linotype machine which will do the type setting for the Star has not yet arrived and until it does and is installed the printing of the Star will continue to be done in the office of the Hereford Brand as heretofore, but from this date on the Star will be at home to its many friends in its new location.

FORMER FRIONIANS WRITE

The following letter was received from Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sutton and daughter, who formerly lived here, going to Hereford from Friona and thence to California where they have been for the past year or more. They have a host of friends here who will be pleased to hear from them and know that they enjoy reading the home paper.

San Bernardino, Cal., April 5.
An enclosing a money order for the Star as it has just expired and we can't live without our home paper very well, for we feel as though we were right at home with our friends when we are reading it. Thanking you for your kind attention. Yours sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sutton and Daughter.

YOUNG LADIES' MISSIONARY

A number of young women met at the Methodist parsonage Monday night and organized a Young People's Missionary Society.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. R. N. Gore, president; Mrs. Opal Jones, vice president; Miss Geneva Jones, corresponding secretary; Mrs. A. C. Echols, recording secretary, and Mrs. Paul Ware, treasurer.

Following the business session, refreshments of lemonade and cake were served. The next meeting will be held Thursday afternoon, April 17, at 4:30. All young women over fourteen years of age are invited.

REPORTER.

TRUCK DRIVER GASED

Robert Fulks, who is owner and manager of the bus line from Friona to Amarillo, came near passing to the "great beyond" last Sunday while on his way from Amarillo to Friona.

When Mr. Fulks had reached a point about four miles west of Canyon he was seized with something like a severe chill. He had been driving with the windows of his truck cab open and when he became so cold he stopped the truck, closed the windows and opened the heater in the truck, which was the last thing he was conscious of until he was restored to consciousness in the office of a physician in Canyon.

When he failed to arrive at his home in Friona, Mrs. Fulks became uneasy and drove out to the home of her father, Mr. Crane, southeast of town and had him to go with her in search of her husband and they found him sitting in his truck cab apparently lifeless. They took him back to Canyon where medical attention restored him to consciousness, after which he was brought to the home of Mr. Crane, where he is gradually recovering from his nearly fatal experience.

Joe Earhart of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Maupin this week. He accompanied Mr. Maupin to Denver, Colorado, Wednesday where they will be for a few days attending to business affairs.

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J. M. W. Alexander of Lake View community, and candidate for county commissioner, paid the Star office a business visit Monday morning. Mr. Alexander stated that Rev. Beattie of the local Congregational church, preached an interesting and instructive sermon at Lake View Sunday afternoon.

A. C. HAYS VISITS STAR

A. C. Hays, one of the prominent and progressive farmers of the community surrounding Black, was a business visitor in Friona Friday and took time to make a pleasant call at the Star office to have his subscription extended another year.

Mr. Hays says wheat in his locality looks promising and that there will be another elevator built at Black this season in time to help handle the coming crop. The elevator will be built by the farmers' cooperative elevator corporation.

Mr. Hays is a firm believer in the merits of the Plains country as a farming section, feeling that as an all-around agricultural country it can scarcely be beaten.

RUSHING SELLS STORE

A deal was completed last week whereby E. V. Rushing transferred his grocery and dry goods store on Main street to R. F. Fleet, until recently of Ada, Oklahoma. This is the store originally established by J. G. Weir, now of Hereford, Mr. Weir selling to Mr. Warren, who in turn sold to Mr. Rushing. The store has done a most profitable business every since it was established and Mr. Fleet has evidently made no mistake in his purchase, especially from a financial point of view.

The new owner is a man of pleasing and genial appearance and there is no reason why he should not retain the volume of business built up by his predecessors.

IN FULL BLOOM

Mrs. John Gischler has in her home a flower of unusual beauty and interest, owing to the fact that it is an annual blooming variety, but has come into full bloom twice in each year.

The plant is what is known as the Christmas cactus, owing to the fact that they normally bloom each year at or near the Christmas season. This particular plant is unusual, however, in the fact that it comes into full bloom at the Christmas season and continues blooming for a period of three or four weeks, then again during the spring it comes into full bloom and is truly a thing of beauty.

Mr. and Mrs. Gischler are justly proud of this unusually beautiful plant and are pleased to have their friends come in and admire it with them.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U.

Program for April 13
Jesus wants to win everyone: Virgil Weir.
Everyone needs to be won: by Frankie Casler.
Jesus is depending on us: by Madeline Beasley.
Jesus' promise to soul winners: John T. Burton.
Methods of soul winning: Bessie Richardson.

COUNTY FEDERATION MEET

The next meeting of the Parmer County Federation of Clubs and kindred organizations will be held at Lazbuddie April 26, at which time the following program will be rendered:

Business, in morning from 11 to 12 o'clock, with program immediately following.

Music, Lazbuddie glee club.

Roll call, A club slogan for the year.

What can we get from the study of health. Mrs. Merriott, Lazbuddie.

What a county health nurse could do for Parmer County: Mrs. Hanson, Friona.

Special entertainment: Lazbuddie school.

Buying health instead of medicine: Mrs. Floyd Schlenker, Rhea.

Public sanitation in our county. Mrs. Loyal Lust, Lazbuddie.

As this is the first meeting since the election of officers it is earnestly requested that all who are interested in seeing the County Federation grow be present, as you see this program is on health.

Come and express your views on a public health nurse for Parmer County.

Remember the date and place of meeting.

REPORTER.

Mrs. J. W. Ware and sons, Olen and Leonard, and Mrs. Paul Ware spent Monday in Plainview, attending the Dairy Show.

CITY GOVERNMENT IN NEW HANDS

Wednesday evening of last week, the day following the city election, former mayor, John White, met with the newly elected officers and administered to them the oath of office and thus formally inducted them into the responsible offices to which they had been chosen.

Monday night of this week the old and new commissioners met and the work of the city officials that had been begun and remained unfinished was taken up and the two commissions went over the work together, the old giving the new the ideas for carrying out the work and the amount of work yet to be done on the projects so far undertaken.

The city is to be congratulated on the fact that the new commission is taking hold of the reins of city government with a vim and willingness that bids fair for the welfare of the city.

P.-T. A. PROGRAM

The last P.-T. A. program of the year will be presented Monday, April 14, in the school auditorium.

Invocation.

Business.

The value of music in the home and school: Mrs. F. W. Reeve.

Play, by seventh grade pupils: "Art, Where Art Thou?"

Harmonica band, Mrs. Conaway, leader.

Exhibit of art work done by pupils of Miss Osborn's class.

Since this is the last meeting of the year, election of officers will be held. All members and friends are invited and urged to attend.

MESSANGER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Myers and son, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Walker and children, and Mr. and Mrs. George Messenger and children enjoyed a pleasant outing Sunday night seeing and picnicking in the brakes over in New Mexico.

Mrs. George Messenger and Mrs. Wylie visited the Messenger school Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Odell Rasberry called on Mrs. George Messenger Monday morning.

Bill and Eary Myer and Bud Walker spent Monday at the Messenger farm grinding feed for their stock. Hugh Lee was also a business visitor at the Messenger farm Monday.

Mrs. George Messenger and Earl Myer visited Mrs. Wylie one afternoon last week.

A circumstance strange to me was the fact that the merchant, about 32 years old, did not remember such conditions. Can it be that I am getting ancient? It may be true, but hardly seems so.

But the soles! They were wonderful—they were imperishable. They were hard and thick, tough and unyielding. To strike a man on the head with one of them would leave him useless.

Talking to a man recently, I asked him why he always tried to do the "right thing." He replied, "Because I have no right nor reason to do otherwise."

Another replied that he tries to do right so that he may go to heaven when he dies. The first man's reason I take as purely just and honorable, but the other is to my way of thinking a most disgusting and selfish reason.

Come to think of it, the way the city election and the school election passed off and the results obtained in each suits me first rate. In each event three good men were chosen. And this is not inferring that the results would not have been the same had any other three men been chosen from either list—they were all good men.

I like good schools and I like good towns, and the way to have and keep them good is to elect good men to manage the affairs of either.

There is no getting away from the fact that the city commission and school trustees are going to have weighty, delicate and responsible tasks the next two years. It occurs, however, the performance of those tasks is in the hands of good men and I am willing to risk their judgment.

If their views on matters that will come to them should differ from mine I feel that I would prefer to doubt my judgment rather than their. And it occurs to me that that is expressing my confidence in their ability and judgment as strongly as possible.

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COGITATIONS and APHORISMS of JODOK

I stepped into a store not long ago to speak to the proprietor and met a traveling salesman who was traveling for a St. Louis shoe house.

It called to mind the days of long ago, hearing that old familiar name, and I told the man that my boyhood days, the greater part of my manhood had been spent in the shoes he was selling.

And we began talking about the old style brogans or "stogies" at one time long ago the popular and almost only style of every-day shoes worn by men—especially the farmers, such as I.

I doubt very much if the American youth of today would wear such shoes. In fact, we all confidently expected to have a bunch of blisters on our heels or toes during the first few days after getting a pair of new shoes.

I have known men to make long sprints in the uppers of a brand new pair of shoes in order to relieve the pressure over a certain part of the foot. And sometimes a hole would be cut over a favorite pet corn or bunion.

The soles were fastened on with wooden pegs that extended through the bottom of the shoe a quarter of an inch and the merchant had what he called a "float"—a flat piece of iron, bolted to the end of a counter.

The upper surface of the float was corrugated like a rasp and the inverted shoe was pushed down over the thing and given a rasping to break down the ends of these pegs, and if one happened to escape the float and one's foot came in contact with it, it was just too bad.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ESTATES

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Parmer County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the county of Parmer, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof.

Notice of Application for Letters—Estate of Deceaseds.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To all persons interested in the Estate of G. W. Turner, Deceased.

P. W. Tracy has filed in the County Court of Parmer County, an application for probate of the last will and testament of G. W. Turner, Deceased, and for letters testamentary, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing the first Monday in May A. D. 1930, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Farwell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

Herein fall not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 7th day of April A. D. 1930.

(SEAL) GORDON McCUAN, Clerk County Court, Parmer County, Texas.

Elroy Wilson, accompanied by Misses Fay Singletary and Neva Jones, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Abernathy and Lubbock.

Take home a brick of ice cream. FRIONA DRUG CO. 38

Only a few were there to hear them. The work of these gentlemen will do good—real good.

There was real music, given by Prof. Armstrong and his orchestra of high school boys and girls, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Beyer.

I was gratified over the fact that students of Friona school won all the cups and most of the first and second places in the country track meet here last Friday and Saturday.

I am not so much gratified over the mere fact of honors won by Friona as with the fact that in order to win, someone gave serious thought and service to the individual training and preparation.

Some teachers were sincerely in earnest and truly conscientious in their work of training and those students did some real thinking and put forth sincere, conscious effort in their work of preparation and execution.

To my mind that is the real prize. It may be that all students of the school are not given to that kind of thinking and effort, but those results are unmistakable evidence that there is at least a small lump of that kind of heaven in the school and a little heaven leaveneth the whole lump.

The young man here representing the engineering company to inspect the installation of the city water system seems to know his business and sees to it that things are done according to specifications.

I have been told that some workmen insist that if a thing is set within a few inches of the specified place it must be well enough, but this engineer says it shall be exact. If the specifications say 9 and 1-16 inches, they mean just that and not 8 1/2 or 10 or 7 inches nor any other dimension than just 9 1-16 inches.

He proposes to be on the job to see that the work is done according to specifications and no guess work goes.

Right along this line I heard a man say that Nature has no guess work and why should man? That makes me wonder if that way of doing things is not accountable for the failure of so many people in succeeding in their undertakings. They guess at so many things when they might as well be accurate and thus make a slipshod affair which yields them no profit.

AGRICULTURAL PROGRAM PUT ON BY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE; ALL WANT DEMONSTRATION AGENT

BORGER MEN HERE

Two young men from Borger, Clifton Waldo and S. Henry, Jr., arrived here last Saturday and spent a part of this week here installing the printing equipment for the Star office, two truck loads of which arrived the same day.

This heavy machinery arrived knocked down and the young mechanics were busy for a few days assembling the parts and getting the mass of equipment ready for operation.

From all appearances the Star equipment will be second to none in the Plains country. The linotype has not arrived but is expected within two weeks and after it is installed the work of printing the Star and all kinds of job printing will be done right here in Friona.

Rev. J. L. Beattie and John White were business visitors in Hereford Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Connell and small daughters were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fallwell Sunday. While here Mr. Connell took time to pay the Star editor a short but highly appreciated call.

Summerfield

BY MRS. L. JOHNSON

Rev. Brownlow of Plainview filed his appointment here Sunday, preaching Saturday night and Sunday morning and evening, and in the afternoon he went to Black.

G. W. Mills and family, L. M. Jensen and family all of Amarillo visited in the Blakemore home Saturday.

Messrs. and Mmes. C. J. Padlock and Wear of Hereford were Sunday guests in the L. L. Cannon home.

Several from here attended the ball game at Hereford Sunday between Farwell and Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hamm and family of Frío were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins are enjoying a visit with their parents at Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kendall who have been spending the past three months in Hot Springs, N. M., returned home Saturday.

Henry and Joe Kendall and Ky Lawrence have installed electric lights in their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knox of Hereford visited in the Atchley home Sunday.

C. R. and D. C. Waiser came up from Lubbock and will begin farming on their ranch here.

R. D. Lance and family visited in Hereford with relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Black and family of Clarendon spent the past week end with her sister, Mrs. Lee Curry.

J. L. Lookingbill and family went to Tulla Saturday to visit relatives. Their daughter, Mrs. Homer Crow, returned with them and will visit here a few days.

Prof. A. M. Walker and family went to Shamrock over the week end to visit friends.

J. A. Noland and family went to Plainview to visit Mrs. Noland's sister and will also visit at Lockney and Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Ellis and daughter and Frank Ellis visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

The young married folks' Sunday school class were entertained at the Roy Coker home Friday night. The junior class was entertained at the home of Miss Eva Greason the same night.

The community is looking forward to what is known as Homecoming day at the church Easter Sunday. It will be preceded by a revival beginning Friday night to continue through till Sunday night with Rev. Brownlow in charge. Lunch will be served Sunday.

Miss Ellen Atchley spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Denison Hill, at Vega.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harlen of Frío attended services here Saturday night.

Miss Mary Lee Curry returned from a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in Amarillo and Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Fincher and family of Hereford were Sunday visitors in the Curry home.

FOR SALE—A two room house, each room 14 by 14 feet. See E. F. CHAIG.

Try our grape, lime, orange or lemon Freezer. FRION DRUG COMPANY. 38

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Madole and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foster, all of Hollens, New Mexico, ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Weir and family Wednesday.

For better prices and better service. FRIONA DRUG CO. 38

The local Chamber of Commerce carried out a most pleasing and instructive program, arranged by President J. A. Blackwell and Prof. Geo. A. Heath. It was strictly an agricultural program and the speakers were Prof. Frank A. Phillips, head of the agricultural department at W. T. S. T. C. Canyon; R. O. Dunkle, county agent of Deaf Smith county, and Prof. George of Canyon.

Prof. George was the first speaker and took as his subject "The County Agent as Dad to the Farm Boys." His speech was full of information as to how the county agent was the interest of the boys and helps them to a better and more profitable knowledge of agriculture.

He was followed by Mr. Dunkle of Hereford whose subject was "The Development of the County." Mr. Dunkle, being in the county agent work, was fully prepared to handle his subject and to give facts and figures as to the work that can and has been accomplished in Deaf Smith county and what may be accomplished in any other county by the help of a competent county agent.

He spoke of the greatly increased profits some Deaf Smith farmers are making by use of pure seed and by treating their seed for prevention of smut. And these are only a few of the many benefits to be derived from the services of a county agent, though he never intimated in any way that he was responsible for the benefits derived by farmers who have listened to his counsel.

Prof. Phillips took as his subject "The County Agent and His Value to the County" and dwelt instructively on the many phases of the county agent's work all of which are of prime benefit to the farmers of the county. He also mentioned steps to be taken to secure services of an agent, one of which seemed to be a willing board of county commissioners. He also spoke of the advantages the farmers of Denmark have secured for themselves through their farm advisors and their individual efforts, and how they are able to make a living and competence from small farms—a 16 acre farm there being considered quite an extensive farm.

Prof. Armstrong of the high school, assisted by some of the boys and girls of the orchestra, and Mr. and Mrs. Beyer furnished some beautiful music, rendering a number of selections and a few specialties, including a flute solo by Miss Helen Crawford, and saxophone duet by Messrs. Armstrong and Beyer, accompanied by Mrs. Beyer at the piano.

Taken altogether it was a most entertaining and helpful program and the regrettable part is that there were so few people out to hear it.

J. O. Jones spent a few days this week visiting friends and relatives in Abernathy.

Two-day service on Kodak finishing FRIONA DRUG CO. 38

Miss Nada Lee Martin of Farwell, spent Friday and Saturday visiting friends in Friona.

Mrs. A. O. Drake and daughter, Miss Treva, and sons, Arthur, Owen and Earl, spent last Tuesday in Clovis.

Pineapple and lime sherbet. All kinds of ice cream. FRIONA DRUG COMPANY. 38

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Habbings of near Lakeview entertained as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Nat Jones, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cummins and children, and Henry Habbings, of Lubbock.

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Pretty Things that are made at Home



MAKE yourself a beret and see how it can express your personality. It's easy. All the girls are doing it. Paris has decreed, and all the world agrees that the soft, informal beret is quite the thing for wear with sports clothes, the soft tweed and wool ensembles, and later on those lovely cotton frocks you are thinking of making or buying, for cotton has come into its own again, and very beautiful are the new designs. Incidentally these berets you are going to make to match or contrast with your spring and summer wardrobe are crocheted or knitted from cotton yarn which washes like a handkerchief, and comes in all the smart colors, fashion favoring yellows, tans and browns, and the newest of purples, reds, greens and blues, as well as the more delicate pastels and white.

You could really afford a different beret for every sports frock and ensemble, as the cost of making is but 50 to 75 cents. You will doubtless want one in white, as white is going to be very popular indeed this summer, and white accessories will be much worn with pastels, such as white kid shoes and a white beret with pink or light blue or pale green, as well as with white frocks. Stylists tell us it

is going to be a big white kid shoe season, and naturally one must match hat and shoes in contrast or in self-tone with the costume.

Some of the smartest of the new ensembles have beret, belt and envelope bag to match, and the girl who is at all ingenious should experience no difficulty in crocheting or knitting beret bag and belt of the fine, long-thread cotton yarns now on the market which are so soft, so light and so pliable, they make up really luxurious. There are two types of berets you can crochet, the snug top, like that in the upper left corner of the sketch, and the vagabond, like that at the right. By a little manipulation these two shapes can be twisted and turned into six or eight styles of becomingness. Two of these different versions of the vagabond type are shown in the center of the sketch.

In making either the snug top or vagabond beret, first measure the head size around the top of the forehead over the ears and back to the nape of the neck. This measure is usually 22 to 23 1/2 inches. You will require two balls of the cotton yarn for the snug top, and three balls for the vagabond type.

STRAW LACE, BOWS, FEATHERS, FLOWERS, GIVE DRESSY AIR TO HATS



NO WONDER the initial millinery displays have set all vanity fair a-talking. Simply marvelous are the new hats, so flattering, so prettily feminine—"perfect dreams" according to the general verdict. Not the slightest excuse for being unbecomingly hatted this season!

Every woman is sure of getting the hat or hats of heart's desire, for everything which goes to make up the hat-beautiful has been mustered into service, from straw to taffeta and other fabrics, likewise flowers, ribbons and feathers have been called upon to play an outstanding role.

Of course, some things are more outstanding than others. There's straw lace, for instance. It is causing quite a furore in millinery circles. The lovely hat centered in the group gives an idea of how effectively lace made of straw is entering into the scheme of things. This model features a haku straw crown tone of the popular linen-like straw in natural creamy tint, the lace straw brim in perfect match.

The first hat at the same time that it has a tailored aspect, also assumes a dressy mien because of the transparent straw-and-hair flange which encircles its black panamaque crown.

There is a bordering of filmy hair braid about the big black hat in the upper right corner. Millinery designers are accenting transparent effects throughout the entire hat program. A detail of special significance is the posing of a cluster of tiny flowers under the brim. It is said that under-brim treatments will be increasingly featured as the season advances.

Note the gay little pasted feather motifs on the large hat below to the left. One sees these pasted effects on ever so many of the straws arriving from abroad.

The bow hat! You will be hearing more and more about bow trimmings. The model shown here uses taffeta cut into wide strips, which are self-lined for the loops at the side.

JULIA BOTTSLEY.
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STUFFED RIB PORK CHOPS WITH APPLES



Apple Cooked With Pork Enhances Its Flavor.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

When you find the very large rib pork chops in the market you can immediately plan an extra good dinner. Have the pork chops cut at least an inch and a half thick, and either ask the butcher to split each one to make a pocket for stuffing, or do so yourself. One chop will be enough to allow for each person. After the savory stuffing described herewith has been



Splitting Pork Chops for Stuffing.

put into the chops, they are baked very slowly in a casserole or a covered baking pan. The apple that tradition requires as an accompaniment to pork is cooked with the chops and enhances the flavor. As all pork should be thoroughly cooked give the chops plenty of time in a moderate oven. The bureau

of home economics of the United States Department of Agriculture furnishes the following directions for preparing chops in this way:

6 rib chops, 1 1/2 inches thick
1 cup fine dry bread crumbs
1/4 cup chopped celery
1 tbs. butter
1 tbs. minced onion
1 tbs. chopped parsley
1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. savory seasoning
Dash of pepper
1/4 tsp. celery seed
2 tart red apples

For the stuffing cook the celery, onion and parsley in the butter for a few minutes; add the bread crumbs and seasonings and stir until well mixed. Wipe the chops with a damp cloth. Cut a pocket in each chop as illustrated. Sprinkle the chops with salt and pepper and rub lightly with flour. Sear the chops in a heavy, hot skillet, turning the fat edges down at first and then browning both sides. Then fill each chop with stuffing and skewer the edges together with toothpicks. Lay the stuffed chops on a rack in a baking dish or pan with cover. On the top of each place, cut side down, one-half of an apple which has been cored but not pared. Cover closely and bake in a moderate oven (350 to 375 degrees Fahrenheit) for about forty-five minutes, or until the meat is tender. Lift the chops and apples together from the baking dish into a hot platter and remove the toothpick skewers. Garnish with parsley and serve at once.

Bright-Colored Wraps Will Protect Children

Bright-colored clothing is a protection to little children, as well as a source of pleasure to them, the bureau of home economics of the United States Department of Agriculture points out in a recent publication on play suits. The bureau recommends making these garments in vivid colors, and suggests that the same idea may be applied to their coats or other outer garments because of traffic dangers. Of course it is desirable to keep all children out of the streets as much as possible, but in large cities there is often no other open-air place for them to play. In any locality it is at times necessary for them to cross streets where automobiles are numerous, and it is then that they are endangered by the inconspicuous colors which are usually worn.

Motorists often fail to see children wearing coats of gray, tan, brown, navy blue, and black, because these colors blend in with the background; whereas a coat of red, orange, bright blue, or green would draw attention to the child in time to prevent accident.

Success in Preparing Pork Cuts for Cooking

"Success in preparing pork cuts depends on regulating the heat so as to cook the meat well done to the center of the piece, and at the same time to keep the outside from becoming hard and dry. Moderate cooking temperature is best after the surface has been seared to develop rich flavor," says the bureau of home economics of the United States Department of Agriculture. "Do not add water and do not cover pork roasts. Chops may be covered to prevent them from becoming hard and dry. Always serve pork well done." These and many other facts on cooking meats have been developed in the extensive research conducted by the Department of Agriculture, linking meat production and utilization.

Rigid Cleanliness to Offset Foot Weariness

Walking is a pleasure rather than merely a means of getting somewhere, provided, of course, that our feet are kept in perfect condition. The first essential in the proper care of the feet is rigid cleanliness. Perspiration and dust cause offensive odors and often result in skin abrasions and blisters as well.

A cool or tepid foot bath after a long walk will make you feel fresh enough to want to start all over again. It will allow any sensation of burning and will stimulate and harden the skin.

Poisoning Ants

One of the most reliable ways of poisoning ants is to use equal parts of tartar emetic and sugar. Moisten this with enough water to make into a sirup and pour into shallow dishes and set them in the runways of the ants. They will eat very freely of this, and as the poison does not act quickly, it is carried to the burrows and fed to the larvae. In this way the old and young die together, and a large colony is soon disposed of. In case the water dries out of the dish, more may be added.

What Hourly Value Has Homemaker's Time Now?

The modern homemaker knows that by doing her own housework she can save money for the family. All tasks, however, do not bring her an equal return for her labor. With some of them she has no choice; they must be done in the home, and she herself must do them. Others she does because she prefers her own product, or because she is obliged to be in the house during certain hours. But if she is debating whether or not to spend time on one job rather than another, she could make a wiser choice if she knew how much money she saved by doing each and how much time it took.

Convenient information on all these points is lacking. Each woman must be her own investigator. The bureau of home economics of the United States Department of Agriculture suggests the homemaker might start first with the tasks in which she is most interested and keep track of the time and money she spends in doing the work herself, including time and carfare spent in purchasing supplies and the cost of owning and running any equipment which she uses.

Farm Home Makers Have Tiresome Working Week

More than sixty-three hours a week is the average "working time" for 700 farm women who kept records and reported to the bureau of home economics of the United States Department of Agriculture.

They reported an average of 52 hours and 17 minutes spent on strictly home making activities alone. This is more than the 44-hour working week which is the standard in industry, the bureau points out. In addition, these women spent an average of 11 hours and 13 minutes a week on dairy work, care of poultry, gardening, and other outside tasks.

Some of these 700 home makers lived in the Middle West, some in New York state, and some in three far western states. The group as a whole represents rather superior home makers—those likely to cut down working time by intelligent methods. For the country as a whole, the average working time would probably be higher, the bureau says.

Savory Rice

Chop one large onion fine and fry in one tablespoonful of bacon grease. Add two cupfuls of boiled rice, two chopped green peppers, two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, two tablespoonfuls of butter, one small can of tomatoes, one teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce, and salt, pepper, and paprika to taste. Stir well and simmer on top of the oven or over a low flame for half an hour until all flavors are thoroughly blended.

Noodles With Crumbs

Break one-half pound of noodles into pieces and cook for ten minutes in boiling salted water and drain again. Put in the oven or over hot water to keep warm. Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter, add three tablespoonfuls of fine dry bread crumbs and one-half teaspoonful minced onion. Stir constantly over a hot fire until the crumbs are crisp and brown. Stir these into the noodles and serve with gravy or meat instead of potato.

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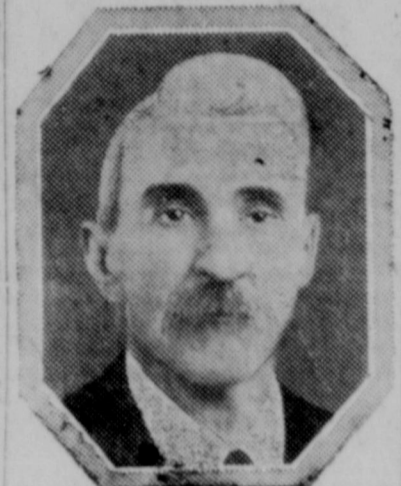
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"SWEETHEART" OF T. C. U.

Austin.—With the "Sweetheart of Texas," Miss Myrie Dauncey of Houston, "sweethearts" from various schools in the Southwest Conference will be presented as part of the elaborate Round-Up Revue preceding the Round-Up Ball at the University of Texas, according to Burt Dyke of Orange, chairman of the revue committee.

Favorites of the different schools who will be introduced in a spectacular ranch setting are Miss Martha Stewart, Houston, representing Rice Institute; Miss Allie Angell, S. M. U., Dallas; Miss Gladys Seigler, of Hereford, T. C. U., Fort Worth; Miss Eldon Claire Gough, Waco, Baylor, and Miss Pauline McCollough, Bryan, representing Texas A. & M.

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Prof. Frank R. Phillips, who accompanied County Agent Dunkle to the Commercial Club meeting at Friona last Thursday night, stated to a representative of the Broad that Mr. Dunkle made one of the most interesting talks before the farmers at Friona that he had heard made in a long time. He said that Mr. Dunkle gave figures of the demonstration work done in Deaf Smith county along the lines of both pig club and pure bred seed which would convince even the "doubting Thomases" of the value of these two types of improvement in agriculture. Mr. Dunkle has the reputation of being one of the outstanding agents of West Texas in Club work.

DENTAL NOTICE

Drs. Heard and Wiltshire will discontinue their dental appointments in Friona from now until further notice. DRS. HEARD & WILTSHIRE. 38-1c

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Sunday school 10:00 a. m., A. S. Curry, superintendent. Preaching services each Sunday at 11 and 8:00. Senior League will meet at church at 7:00 o'clock.

DeWitt VanPelt, Pastor.

BAPTIST

Sunday school at 10 o'clock, C. W. Dixon, superintendent. Preaching on second and fourth Sundays of each month at 11 and 8:00. B. Y. P. U. meets each Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

M. M. Robbette, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible study each Lord's Day at 10:00 a. m., Young peoples' meeting at 6:30 p. m. Our revival meeting begins June 1, continuing over three Lord's Days and will be conducted by Brother H. R. Thornhill, of Wichita, Kansas. Public always welcome.

W. H. FOSTER, Elder.

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The Friona Star is authorized to announce the following persons as candidates for election to the various county offices under which headings their respective names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election in July.

For County Judge:
JOHN ALDRIDGE, Jr., of Farwell. (Re-election).

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
A. B. SHORT, of Friona.
W. L. VENABLE, Bovina.
W. W. HELL
W. D. (BILL) KIRK

For County Treasurer:
WALTER LANDER
JOHN S. POTTS

For Tax Assessor:
J. W. MAGNESS
J. J. DEOLIVEIRA
J. M. (JIM) LANDRUM

For County Attorney:
J. D. THOMAS

For District and County Clerk:
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For County Commissioner, Precinct Number 1:
D. H. MEADE, of Friona. (Re-election).
J. W. M. ALEXANDER

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College Station.—A land utilization conference, state wide in scope, sponsored by the A. & M. College and other institutions interested in and working for the progressive development of agriculture in Texas, has been called for Waco April 14-15. In issuing the call, President T. O. Walton, A. & M., announced that the meeting will not be called for presentation of any new program for "agricultural relief" or the formation of any new organization. "The primary purpose," he said, "will be to stress the vital importance of proper utilization of the land in a well-rounded and economically wise system of agricultural development."

Representatives of the publishers of outstanding members of the daily, weekly and farm press are expected to cooperate and participate in the meeting which will, in effect, be a stock-taking of the agricultural resources of Texas, developed and potential, a consideration of what has been done along the lines of scientific land utilization and what may be done.

Mr. Singer of Littlefield, and Mr. Parker of Muleshoe, representing the State Telephone Company, spent a few days here this week looking after the interests of the company.

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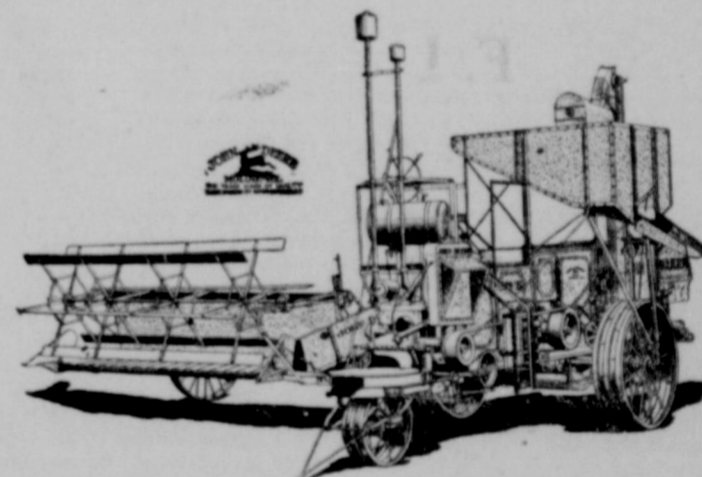
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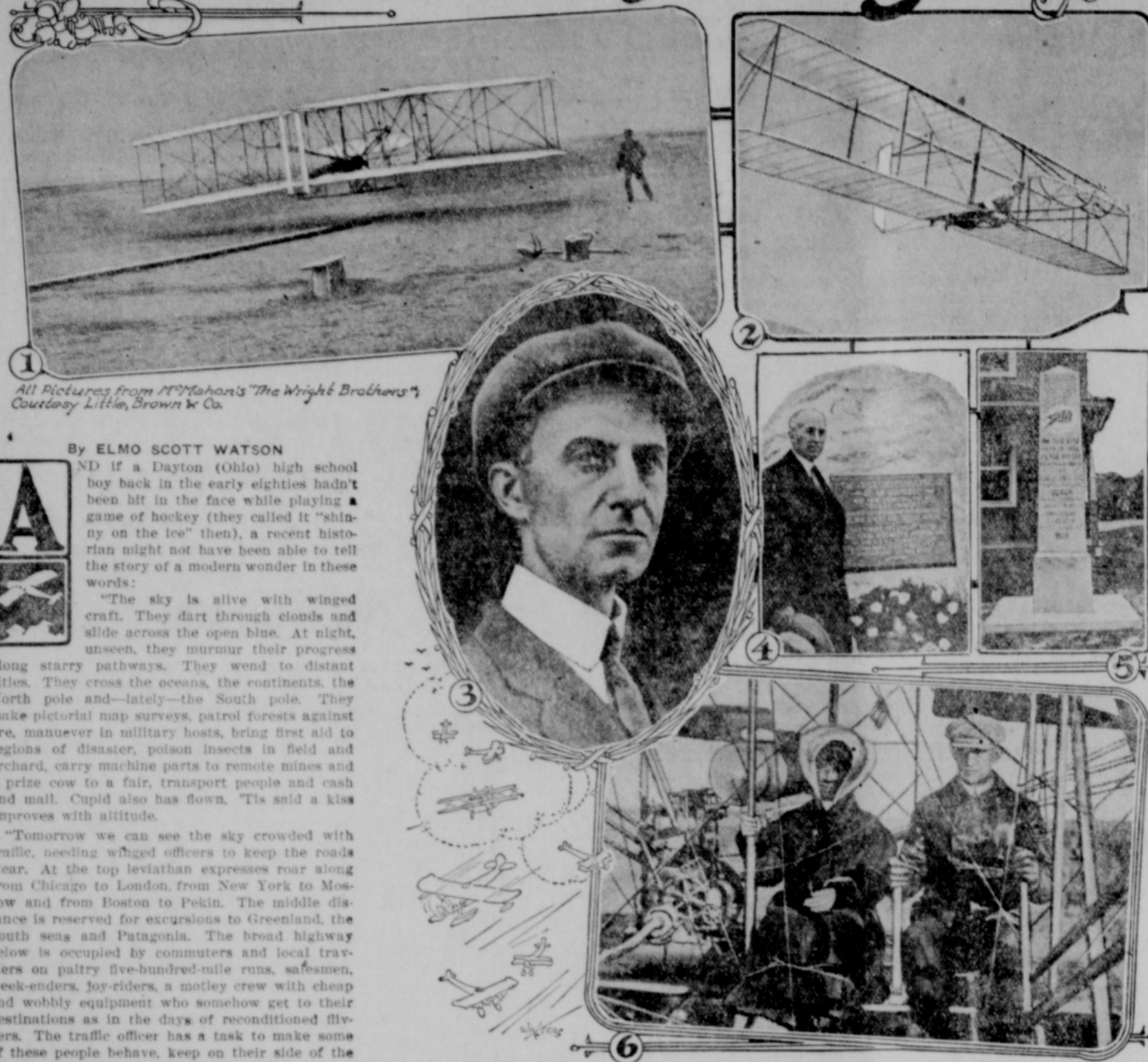
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The Fathers of Flight



All Pictures from Mr. Mahon's "The Wright Brothers," Courtesy Little, Brown & Co.

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

AND if a Dayton (Ohio) high school boy back in the early eighties hadn't been hit in the face while playing a game of hockey (they called it "shiny on the ice" then), a recent historian might not have been able to tell the story of a modern wonder in these words:

"The sky is alive with winged craft. They dart through clouds and slide across the open blue. At night, unseen, they murmur their progress along starry pathways. They wind to distant cities. They cross the oceans, the continents, the North pole and—lately—the South pole. They make pictorial map surveys, patrol forests against fire, maneuver in military hosts, bring first aid to regions of disaster, poison insects in field and orchard, carry machine parts to remote mines and a prize cow to a fair, transport people and cash and mail. Cupid also has flown. 'Tis said a kiss improves with altitude.

"Tomorrow we can see the sky crowded with traffic, needing winged officers to keep the roads clear. At the top leviathan expresses roar along from Chicago to London, from New York to Moscow and from Boston to Peking. The middle distance is reserved for excursions to Greenland, the South seas and Patagonia. The broad highway below is occupied by commuters and local travelers on paltry five-hundred-mile runs, safesmen, week-enders, joy-riders, a motley crew with cheap and wobbly equipment who somehow get to their destinations as in the days of reconditioned fliers. The traffic officer has a task to make some of these people behave, keep on their side of the air and have their tail lamps on at night.

"Yet a quarter of a century ago no airplane existed!"

The man who painted that interesting word picture is John R. McMahon and the above quotation forms the opening paragraphs of his book, "The Wright Brothers, Fathers of Flight," published by Little, Brown and company. And the Dayton schoolboy who lost all of his front upper teeth in the game of shiny on the ice and as a result later became a co-discoverer of the secret of flight and co-inventor of the first successful airplane was Wilbur Wright who with his brother, Orville Wright, launched themselves into the air at Kitty Hawk, N. C., on December 17, 1903. On that date man flew for the first time.

The story of the Wright brothers is by now a familiar one to most Americans. The twenty-fifth anniversary celebration of the first successful flight of a heavier-than-air machine, held at Kitty Hawk, N. C., in 1928, not only attracted nationwide attention but spread their fame throughout the world. Only recently their names appeared in newspapers throughout the country in connection with two events. One was the announcement that a design submitted by two New York architects had been chosen for the great memorial which is to be erected to their memory at Kitty Hawk—an impressive stone shaft in the form of a huge wing, topped by a powerful searchlight air beacon. The other was the announcement that Orville Wright was to be the recipient of the first Daniel Guggenheim medal for notable achievement in the advancement of aeronautics, which will be awarded to him on April 30 in connection with the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers in Washington.

But well known as have become the names of Wilbur and Orville Wright and the story of their epoch-making feat a quarter of a century ago, the complete story of their careers is told for the first time in McMahon's book. And certainly, for the first time, such a thing as a connection between a game of shiny on the ice and man's conquest of the air, after centuries of trial and failure, has been established and that curious but significant fact told. It came about when Wilbur Wright, who was living in Dayton, Ohio, with his father, a bishop of the United Brethren church, his mother, his three brothers, Reuchlin, Lorin and Orville, and his sister, Katharine (now Mrs. Henry J. Haskell of Kansas City, Mo.) took a year's course in the Dayton high school in 1884-85. He had always been an athletic youngster and he soon became a leader in the sports of that high school. One day he was playing on the high school hockey team against a team composed of sons of officers in the home for veteran soldiers near Dayton.

During a melee in the course of the game a stick in the hands of an opponent slipped and struck young Wright a terrific blow on the mouth, knocking out all of his front upper teeth. An army surgeon bandaged him up but he refused the offers of a ride home, saying that he would walk lest it frighten his mother if he were carried home. "Among the effects of this injury were heart and stomach trouble," writes McMahon. "There followed a long period of delicate health if not semi-invalidism, with a diet confined to liquids, eggs and toast. It seemed to every one that the boy was handicapped for life and none dreamed of the possibility of a great compensation.

"Chance and trifles loom large in our story. Wilbur's teeth were knocked out in a shiny game, whence an important fact may be deduced. Poor health kept him at home for years, forbidding ventures into the outside world. He did not travel or marry like his elder brothers. He remained in contact with Orville and continued the collaboration on inventive feats. Time equalized the difference in age (Wilbur was born in 1867; Orville in 1871) and experience between them as they came to early manhood. The fraternal partnership, essential to future achievement but once

1. The first time in history that an airplane flew—Orville Wright's 12-second flight at Kitty Hawk, N. C., December 17, 1903. The distance was about 100 feet. On the same day Wilbur Wright piloted the virgin aircraft 852 feet in 59 seconds.

2. Wilbur Wright in the glider of 1902 at Kitty Hawk, N. C. The air was, in fact, conquered then. Only an engine and propellers were needed to make the glider an airplane.

3. Wilbur Wright in his prime. His most characteristic photograph and his usual costume, whether for flying or meeting kings.

4. Orville Wright at Kitty Hawk, N. C., December 17, 1928, revisits the scene of great achievement during the celebration of the Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of Flight. Besides the memorial here shown, the foundation of a government monument was laid upon Kill Devil Hill. England and France joined America in tributes to the conquerors of the air.

5. Monument at Kitty Hawk, N. C., marking the spot where, on September 17, 1900, Wilbur Wright began the assembly of the Wright brothers' first experimental glider which led to man's conquest of the air. His monument was erected by the citizens of Kitty Hawk in 1928.

6. Wilbur Wright taking his sister, Katharine, for an air ride in the presence of the king of England at Pau, France, 1909. It was a complete and delightful surprise plotted by her brothers.

impaired by age disparity, was now secure."

This casualty on the ice in a hockey game, however, was only one in an interesting chain of events which led eventually to the invention of the first successful airplane. From the day their father aroused their childish interest in flying by the gift of a toy helicopter, the idea of conquering the air was implanted in the minds of both Orville and Wilbur Wright. It persisted during their first venture in business, after leaving high school—publishing a weekly newspaper in Dayton called the West Side News. It continued when they established themselves as manufacturers, dealers and retailers of bicycles which in the nineties were coming into wide vogue in America.

One night in the summer of 1896, while Orville was at home recuperating from typhoid fever, Wilbur sat in their shop reading a newspaper. He came upon an account of the death of Otto Lilienthal, a German engineer, in a glider accident. In the '80s and '90s the German had made hundreds of gliding flights and was experimenting with a power machine when the accident caused his death. Wilbur showed the article to Orville when the latter recovered.

They read eagerly of human attempts to solve flight, starting with a book, "Animal Mechanism," in their father's library. They wrote to the Smithsonian Institution for advice on what books to buy, perused the history of research from the Greek legend telling of Icarus falling into the sea when the sun melted wax fastenings of his wings to the gliding ventures of the Englishman, Percy Pilcher (killed in 1896) and Octave Chanute, an American pioneer in aeronautics.

Of the two groups of investigators in aeronautics, one having to do with powered machines and the other with gliders, they became more interested in the latter because they considered it a wasteful extravagance to mount costly machinery on wings which no one knew for sure how to manage. From speculating on the theory of gliders the next step was to make actual experiments in the air so that they could learn the fundamentals which had to be mastered before flights would be possible.

Previous investigators had failed because they could not keep gliders on an even keel. This seemed to the Wrights to be the most perplexing problem to be solved before man could fly. They finally decided on the correct principle to obtain

stability—the principle that today is used in every airplane. It involved twisting the wings. But at first they did not see how they could apply it. The clew came to them by one of those examples of "chance and trifles" which McMahon mentions as looming so large in their life story.

One night in 1899 Orville and his sister visited with friends. Wilbur, in the bicycle shop, sought means of filling the idle hours caused by slack business. He picked up an empty cardboard box a customer had left on the counter after taking out an inner tube. Wilbur was thinking of aviation all the time. The cardboard box would have been only a cardboard box to most men, but to Wilbur Wright it suggested experimentation.

Wilbur noticed that the oblong box resembled the biplane glider they had planned. He distorted its surfaces by twisting it. After a while he warped the right side upward and the left side downward. He studied it. Why couldn't their glider's surfaces be warped in such a manner so that a lateral balance could be maintained by applying varying vertical wind pressures on either wing?

When Orville returned he found Wilbur sketching his scheme. They discussed it far into the night, examining and twisting the cardboard box. They concluded that the time had come for action. They must now spend money and risk their lives in experiments, instead of buying more books. But caution and lack of resources held them back a while and they contented themselves with building a model embodying their cardboard box principles.

In the summer of 1900 they constructed their first glider of light, strong wood, with wings covered with tough muslin. In addition to wings that could be warped, it had a small horizontal plane in front which could be directed upward or downward at the discretion of the operator. They needed hills and winds of rather high velocity to test it, and these were not available near Dayton. As their glider was taking shape they wrote to the weather bureau at Washington for recommendations as to the best locality for glider experiments.

The weather bureau suggested the rolling terrain near Kitty Hawk, N. C. Correspondence with a North Carolina postmaster revealed that the hills were of sand, piled up by winds from the sea, and this encouraged the Wrights because sand would do less damage to a crashing glider and man than hard earth or rocks.

And that is how this town in North Carolina came to be associated with the pioneer experiments in flying and won its enduring fame as a milestone in the history of human progress. The Wrights arrived in Kitty Hawk in September, 1900, and made their first experiments with a glider which they had constructed. The experiment was not a success but in their failure they learned enough to encourage them to continue. The next year they were back, after having figured out accurate wind resistance tables upon which they realized the success of their experiments depended. By 1902 they had successfully solved the glider problem and the next thing was to design an engine to propel their craft. Within the next year that problem also had been solved and on December 17, 1903, the historic 12-second flight over a distance of 100 feet was made by Orville Wright.

That brief summary of the success of their experiments does not, of course, tell the full story of all the disappointments and discouragements which they encountered, nor the ridicule to which they, like all pioneers, were subjected by the skeptics who refused to believe that man would ever fly. Even they shared that doubt sometimes and once during a period of pessimism following a failure of the experiments, Wilbur Wright declared: "Nobody will fly for a thousand years." And yet within a year he himself was flying—because the Wright brothers wouldn't give up!

POULTRY

ESTIMATED COST OF RAISING PULLETS

Seven Months' Time and 30 Pounds of Feed.

Poultrymen should have available from \$1 to \$1.50 to spend for every pullet they plan to raise, declares Charles N. Keen, assistant professor of poultry at the Colorado Agricultural college.

"To bring into production a dual purpose pullet—one which may be utilized for meat or egg production—about seven months' time and 30 pounds of feed are required," Mr. Keen says. "To bring into production a pullet of the Leghorn type, about five and one-half months' time and 24 pounds of feed are necessary."

Other interesting figures which have been compiled from authoritative sources, but which are of course average figures, are given by Mr. Keen, who believes they will be of special interest now that the new chick season is beginning. It is emphasized that good management in most cases should produce better than average results.

Since it generally takes about two eggs to get one husky chick, and since nearly three chicks must be hatched to get one good pullet, it has been estimated that it really requires about six eggs to obtain one good pullet.

Several good authorities declare that it costs about ten cents to produce a chick. A six-year-old Rhode Island Red should weigh about three-fourths of a pound. A six-week-old Single Comb White Leghorn should weigh about seven-tenths of a pound.

A Rhode Island Red should weigh two pounds at about eleven weeks of age and should have consumed about 7.2 pounds of feed. A Single Comb White Leghorn should weigh one and one-half pounds at about ten weeks of age and should have consumed 6.5 pounds of feed.

Sanitary Management Is Baby Chick Need

If the baby chicks are to keep their health and grow vigorously, we must practice proper sanitary management. We must keep the house clean, the ground clean, and the feed that is given them must be clean and wholesome. The feeding utensils and drinking fountains must be kept as clean as possible. It is a good idea to always keep a good disinfectant on hand, and every time the house is cleaned to use a solution of the disinfectant. The house should be cleaned out at least once each week and disinfected whenever necessary. It should be disinfected thoroughly after each brood is placed on range, to guard against any contagious diseases.

Hard-Boiled Eggs Safe Food for Baby Chicks

It is common practice to feed the infertile eggs tested out from the incubator to baby chicks. In so doing it incurs the danger of infecting the chicks with pullorum disease (formerly called bacillary white diarrhea). Where eggs form a part of the chick's diet they should be boiled for at least five minutes and preferably longer. This boiling will destroy the germ of the dreaded chick disease, and then it is a perfectly safe and good practice to feed the boiled eggs to baby chicks. One should not run the risk of infecting the brood by feeding the raw eggs.

Feed for Poults

Little turkeys should not be fed for the first day or two, as they are absorbing the yolk of the egg from which they came and this is what nature intended that they should get. After two days they may be fed chopped hard-boiled egg and corn bread crumbs for the first week, or soaked stale bread in milk and squeezed dry. When they begin to get out on the range, they may be fed morning and night only, as they get much from the range.

Young Duck Ration

A widely recommended ration that has been extensively used by duck raisers, is as follows: As a starting ration a mash made up of equal parts of rolled oats and dried bread is fed. It is found desirable to add a small quantity of sand, one part to twenty parts of the mash, and moistened. As much as the ducks will clean up readily is fed five or six times daily. After the ducks are six days old equal parts of bran, yellow corn meal, rolled oats and dry bread can be fed.

Geese Mate in Pairs

Geese generally mate in pairs, though a young gander will sometimes mate with more than one goose. Later he will usually pick a favorite. When mature the easiest way to tell a gander is to listen to the voice. A gander has a voice which is a cross between a whistle and whisper. A young male hatched in June has an excellent chance, but if he is kept in a pen with a lot of other birds of different ages he probably will not be ready by February.



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Lesson

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THE CHILD AND THE KINGDOM

Matt. 18:1-6, 12-14; 19:13-15

Golden Text: Suffer little children and forbid them not, to come unto me; for to such belongeth the kingdom of heaven.—Matt. 19:14.

Introduction.

Intervening between our last lesson on the Law of the Cross and that today on the Child of the Kingdom, were the incidents of the Transfiguration, followed by the healing of the demoniac boy at the base of the mountain, the return to Capernaum from Mt. Hermon, the payment of the half shekel tax of the miracle of the

coin in the fish's mouth, and the controversy of the Twelve as to who among them should be greatest. It was perhaps while on the return journey from Mount Hermon to Capernaum that the disciples privately discussed the question who among them would be greatest in the Master's kingdom.

Our lesson begins with a sharp rebuke to the disciples for their dispute as to which of them was greatest. Our Lord set a little child in the midst of them and said impressively, "Verily I say unto you, except ye turn, and become as little children, ye shall in no wise enter into the kingdom of heaven."

The Saviour and the Child.

Our lesson relates an incident in the life of our Lord that occurred several months later. Some parents were bringing their little

children to Jesus in order that he might lay his hands upon them. Among the Jews the blessings of a father or a prophet was highly esteemed. The conferring of such a blessing was usually accompanied by the laying on of hands, and the blessing was usually a prayer. Hence the desire of those parents that Jesus "should lay his hands on them, and pray." There is no suggestion here of the baptism of infants. These babes were brought by their parents to receive the blessing of Jesus, and, as Luke tells us, "he took them in his arms and blessed them, laying his hands upon them," thus doing just what their parents desired.

The pertinence of this passage to our present lesson lies in its revelation of the attitude of Jesus toward children. In contrast to that of his disciples. They rebuked the parents for bringing these children to Jesus and interrupting his discussion of an important question. Jesus thought very differently, and Luke tells us that "he was moved with indignation," a strong work in the Greek. "Suffer the little children," said he, "and forbid them not to come unto me." The double command is very em-

phatic. It is a grave wrong to put any hindrance in the way of a child that is trying to come to Jesus.

Personal Responsibility.

"But who shall cause one of these little ones that believe on me to stumble." This is the opposite of receiving. It is placing before the humble Christian, old or young, some obstacle to the Christian life, giving him a bad example, causing him to doubt Christianity itself because he sees such a miserable specimen of it before his eyes. Such are proud church members, uncharitable church members, the stingy church members, worldly and selfish and quarrelsome church members, all who claim to be followers of the meek and lowly Saviour but who are living lives inconsistent with their example. How many infidels they make!

Our modern times have produced many of these foes of childhood—those who set before the boys and girls the temptation to drink, who teach them to smoke, who plant infidelity in their minds, who sow in their souls the seeds of lust with unclean books and pictures, who make crimes of violence appear heroic before their eyes, and in many other ways lead them astray. Satan knows, if Christians do not always know, the infinite value of the early years of life, and every wicked cause sends its missionaries among the young.

Parental Responsibility.

"Beware how you sin against your child! Parentage involves a tremendous trust. God puts into our hands the most susceptible and receptive creature on the globe when he entrusts to us a young immortal mind. No photographic plate takes impressions so readily or retains them so surely. In geological museums you may see stone slabs which show the prints of birds' feet or of leaves which were made in the stone when it was liquid pumice, centuries ago. In like manner we detect the finger-marks and foot prints of parental influence upon the character of their adult children. Parents often corrupt their children by taking them to impure places of amusement. While the father is laughing at the play, the lad beside him is inflamed by the indecent costume of the actresses, immoral influences of the stage. It is bad enough to smother your own soul, but we beg you, do not sin against your child."—Cuyler.

Ministering Angels.

"A multitude of good angels, who never disobeyed God, but who have always delighted to do his commandments are for us. The spirits of just men made perfect, who have sinned as we have sinned but have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb, these are for us. And they are not idle; it is written they are ministers of those who are heirs of salvation. They are helping us in ways that we cannot think of or dream of."—Frederick D. Mauries.

Seeking the Lord.

Angels care for the Lord's children suggested to Jesus the lovely little parable of the lost sheep. "If any man have a hundred sheep," Christ is arguing from what a man would do to what God, who made the man, would certainly do. Man would not be more thoughtful and brave and

loving than his Creator. "And one of them be gone astray." Only one out of an hundred—a comparatively small matter, men might think, but not do. "Doth he not leave the ninety and nine?" "In the wilderness" is added in Luke 15:4. He does not wait to conduct the sheep back to the fold but leaves them in the uninhabited wild pasture where they were feeding, of course, in charge of an under-shepherd. "And go unto the mountains." Climbing up among the hills, a rough and perilous route for a man, and so much worse for a sheep. "And took that which goeth astray." Luke says that he seeks "until he finds it," with no intention of giving up the search until it is crowned with success.

A Church Without Children.

"I heard of a church that was characterized as 'rolling in wealth.' I forgot how many millionaires it had in its membership. It gives vast sums to maintain its own services and equally as much for the work of the world. But it is an adult church. It has no children. It would not know what to do with them. The only children it has are in the mission which the church maintains. Not a minister or a missionary has come from that church within any man's memory. A church or a home without children is sad beyond words. It takes more than four feet on a fender to make a fireside. There must be the feet of little children on the fender, even in the house of God. No matter how restless the feet are or how much they disturb the fender. A table, even the table of the Lord, may be orderly and quiet, but it is not complete unless children are gathered about it."—Bishop William F. Mc-

Dowell.

Jesus Blesses the Little Children.

"Then were there brought unto him little children, that he should lay his hands on them, and pray." The mothers asked Jesus to pray for a blessing to come upon their children, all good things which mothers long for their children to have." It appears that it was customary for Jewish infants to be

taken to the synagogue to be blessed by the rabbi."—Cambridge Bible. "The child-like spirit is sincere, earnest, undivided, single-minded. That earnest, undivided spirit is the spirit of a little child at play and the spirit of a little child at work."

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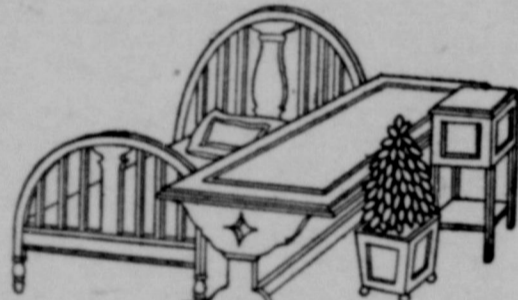
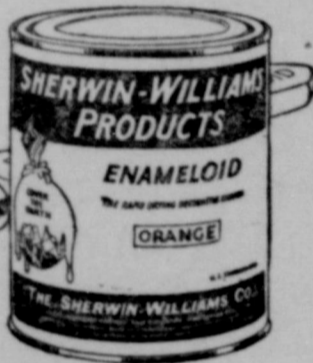
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Cottage Type Prettiest on Wooded Sites or Natural Surroundings



This seven-room frame home with its unusual roof treatment provides room for a large family, there being four bedrooms and bath. The first floor bedroom is a convenience not found in many two-story homes

By W. A. RADFORD
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Homes to be built on wooded sites or where there are natural surroundings oftentimes are prettiest when they are of the cottage type of home building design. The house shown in the accompanying illustration suggests a cottage but it is a full two-story frame home containing seven rooms and bath. The suggestion of a cottage is achieved by the unusual roof lines which come down at a steep



Second Floor Plan.

usual living room, dining room and kitchen. The size of this house is 24 feet by 26 feet exclusive of the porch. The sizes of the rooms and their relation one to another are shown by the floor plans reproduced.

How attractive this home may be with its well planned interior, and the open porch is shown by the reproduction of the exterior. It has a roomy inviting appearance and still is simple and suitable for a lot on which there are many trees and shrubs or which has trees and shrubs as a background for a house.

This is the type of economical frame home which will appeal to many prospective home builders. It has abundance of space in the inside; is attractive from the exterior and it is low in cost which will be an added inducement.

Insulation Is Within Reach of All Purposes
Formerly insulated houses were undoubtedly a luxury. Insulation, being an added expense, could be used only in the erection of elaborate houses. Now an insulated house can be built for the same cost as the old-fashioned, loosely constructed homes, and in many localities the cost is somewhat less.

An insulated house retains the temperature which is created inside its walls for an indefinite period. In hot summer the house must be cooled by the opening of windows after the sun goes down. In the morning when the heat of day again approaches the windows should be closed and the shades drawn so that the effect of the insulation in retaining the night coolness will not be lost by heated air wafting through open spaces.

Every housewife knows this trick of keeping the house cool, but it is invariably unsuccessful in the upper portions of the house, as the hot rays of the sun actually penetrate the materials of which the old-fashioned house is built, making sleeping quarters unbearably warm.

By observing a small fraction of the precaution which is exercised with a refrigerator in keeping the doors closed so that the warm air will not melt the ice and spoil the food, an insulated house may be maintained with unusual comfort in the hottest weather.

By the token the same caution should be used in the winter to gain full benefit from insulation. It is obvious that no matter what materials are used in the construction of the house, the heating plant will be ineffective if the windows and doors are left open during the cold weather.

Some homes are so loosely constructed that they aggregate an amount of infiltration of air around windows and doors that is equal approximately to one good-sized door opening.

Galvanized Iron Needs Coating of Red Lead
If the galvanized iron has been exposed to the weather six months or more it needs no previous treatment before painting. New galvanized iron, however, should be given a good wash before applying any paint. The first coat of paint should be red lead, which is said to be the best-known protective material for all exposed iron surfaces. Over this coat of red lead paint a white lead paint may be applied in sufficient number of coats to cover the bright red color. Generally, 3 coats of white lead paint will do this. The white lead can be tinted to any color desired.

Improves Fireplace
If your fireplace is lined with fire clay and you do not like its color, paint it black. In this way it becomes inconspicuous.

NOVELS TO ORDER WAS HIS SPECIALTY

(By D. J. Walsh.)

MRS. AURELIA SMITH had enjoyed an affluent widowhood for more years than she cared to count. She also enjoyed a vague "poor health" which asked for little lunches between the three meals enjoined by normal civilization.

Most people in Lenville smiled on her vagaries with an amused tolerance; a few accepted her at her own valuation. These she liked. The tolerant she merely talked about.

But the librarian at the public library, Mary Fenn, frowned inwardly when she saw the slow, waddling form enter. Nothing ever suited Mrs. Aurelia. Modern fiction she abhorred. Style for her was not. Sense she shuddered from; nonsense she failed to understand.

Then came Leonard Varley. He was a nice young man with too much talent for happiness in a small community, and altogether too much good looks for a city with many girls. His aunt, Regina Wiles (one of those who tolerated Aurelia), declared he was like the young man in "Patience" beset by twenty lovesick maidens. The allusion hit Leonard, who knew his Gilbert and Sullivan, and he merely replied that if it were but twenty he could endure it, but it seemed more like a circus.

Regina told Mary, who was a pet of hers, and she sought to amuse Leonard. Mary professed herself far too busy finding suitable fiction for Mrs. Smith, who had promised an additional room to the tiny library "when she passed on" if she could find sufficient novels "with happy endings, some tears and plenty of wholesome pathos" while she lived. Otherwise the sum was to be diverted to a home for the Sons and Daughters of those Who Died Young.

Mary in despair, at a Sunday evening supper, suggested that Leonard, in the interests of the Lenville public library, himself write a novel with all the required improvements on current and classical fiction.

"By jove I will," he cried, and darted from his aunt's dining room to start his masterpiece forthwith.

The "twenty (odd) lovesick maidens" grew weary of walking along Pine avenue. Leonard remained closeted. His aunt considerably gave out at the corner drug store he was busy writing a book. She knew her broadcasting station.

In three months' time he had produced 30,000 words of such inane vapidness that he was hopeful of its remaining with the obsolescent publishers to whom it was submitted. He whooped every time the mailman failed to offer him a bulky package. He took Mary to nice roadhouses, where they danced until two o'clock in the morning. He drove his aunt reckless rides (which she liked, being still a redoubtable tennis player herself) and while Mary grew to like his fun and pep more each day, still, no hapless "returned with regrets" package made its reappearance.

At length a letter came from Messrs. Blite & Burberry, the publishers. The book had been accepted by their reader, it stated, subject to the writer's consenting to change the title ("Suburbia Still Subs"), which, they declared, "might be considered by some of their readers to be a sarcasm," and provided a few more characters might be left alive and whole at the conclusion.

The sum offered was not large. But the publishers seemed sure of a large sale—"there is so little wholesome fiction published these days," they sighed—Leonard swore he could bear the sigh—and he whooped once again, danced his aunt around the room and phoned Mary the news.

"You've saved my life," she cried. "Mrs. Amelia Smith is talking of calling very lawyer to alter her will this very afternoon, and now, well, I'm afraid you will have to meet her."

"But, of course, I will," he said. "Do I have to arrive in a hearse?"

"You foolish boy, of course not. Just tell her how frail she looks (she weighs 200 pounds) and that you think her hands are like Marie Antoinette's. And if any of your relatives ever did die young you might—"

"One of 'em was hanged at the age of twenty for smuggling in Cornwall in the old country in the Seventeenth century, and another was a drummer boy and was shot in the War of Independence."

"Well, talk about the caves of Cornwall and don't mention the smuggling. I can just see the nice, cheerful books that will go into that new addition after poor Mrs. Aurelia really has—"

"Done the wisest thing," replied Leonard, "and there is something else."

"Tell me later; there are ten old ladies at the desk waiting for books, and one of them is she."

It is only fair to add that Mrs. Aurelia was charmed with Leonard. He spoke feelingly of the smuggler's early demise and of his love for his aged mother, whose delicate hands played

with the (smuggled) lace shawl his love had brought her. All painful details were deleted freely. Leonard gave himself up to an orgy of fatuousness that, he told Mary later, was like the proverbial tired business man at a feeble-minded show.

"We ought to thank Mrs. Aurelia," she said later, and then blushed. For why the "we"?

"We ought, indeed," said Leonard, "and that reminds me. You have not said if you will marry the new writer of fiction for the fatuous."

"I'll marry you if you want it, Leonard, for you're really nice. But only on one condition: After this one horrid success (and I am afraid it is going to be a big success, because there are such oodles of people like Mrs. Aurelia, who don't think and hate life as it is or ever has been), well, promise me you will write a novel for me in which nobody dies young and nothing unpleasant happens, excepting the kind of things that might happen to—well, for instance, to us."

"Two custom-built novels, eh?" exclaimed Leonard, drawing her pretty head down on his shoulder; "well, that one may please poor old Aunt Aurelia in one respect, too."

"How's that?" somewhat suspiciously.

"Happy ending," he grunted. And then they both giggled.

Gods Held in Regard by Japanese Gamblers

The one female deity of the seven Japanese gods of chance is Benteen or Benzai Ten. She is sometimes identified with Sarasvati, the goddess of learning and eloquence and the wife of Brahma, with the Goddess of the Beautiful Voice, or with a Shinto deity, Ukemochi no Kamii, the protector of food.

Another god of wealth is Bishamon Ten or Tamon Ten. He is often seen in military garb, with helmet, cuirass and a long spear in his left hand. In his right he carries a pagoda. Bishamon is often pictured as making love to the goddess Benteen. In Buddhism, Bishamon is identified with one of the four kings of heaven who guard the sides of the mountain Sumeru, the axis of the universe. He is also identified with Kubera, the Brahmanic god of wealth, who was converted by Buddha.

The remaining two of the seven gods are adoptions from China, of Taoist origin. Jurojin is bearded and wears a black cap. Fukurokuju is an old man with a very high forehead. Each is said to represent the founder of the Taoist doctrine, Laotse. They are symbols of longevity and are associated with the tortoise, crane and deer.—New York Times Magazine.

Windsor Chair in History

Should you have a Windsor chair, writes Catherine Shellabarger in the Brooklyn Eagle magazine, remember it was brought into vogue by King George I of England. King George, talking to one of his farmer subjects, admired the humble seat on which he sat, the back of which was made of slender splines. He thought so much of the chair that he ordered a set made for his palace at Windsor and so established the popularity of the Windsor chair.

Among famous Americans who were partial to Windsor chairs was Thomas Jefferson. On this chair, with wide arms that served as a writing desk, and which also had a double seat, he wrote the first draft of the Declaration of Independence.

Archery

Butt shooting is an old English term which means the same thing as target shooting. In the olden days the shooting grounds were equipped with banks of dirt, covered with sod, which formed the so-called butt. Over this sod was usually placed a piece of paper to act as a target, and the term "butt shooting" was used to distinguish it from rovers. Roving consists in shooting at various targets placed in fields at varying distances. The archers shoot from one to another, which helps develop their judgment of distances, and did in the olden days mean quite a lot to the yeomen, whose business was shooting the bow and arrow, and on days when they were not fighting they were in the fields practicing roving.

The Personal Touch

"I went into a hat store the other day," an observing individual remarked, "and the haberdasher said that no matter how carefully he placed a hat upon a man's head the prospective customer always gave it an extra touch, apparently to make it sit comfortably. Well, it is the same way in fitting a person with eye glasses. After adjusting them correctly the client will take a look at himself in the portable mirror, and then, in a majority of cases, he will just touch the spectacles, or the pince-nez, turn and twist his head to get the reflected effect, and be satisfied. But that little touch seems to be necessary to effect a comfortable setting of the glasses, but in reality doesn't disturb their position in the least."

"Alaska" Not "Alaskan"

Do not say "Alaskan," simply "Alaska." The territorial department of education for Alaska objects to the "n" ending of the adjective in Alaskan gold, Alaskan reindeer and Alaskan children, etc. The school bulletin says: "When Californians speak of their oranges they do not do so as Californian oranges. Likewise it is Florida grapefruit, Iowa corn, Carolina cotton, or Pennsylvania coal. It is incumbent upon Alaska schools to let it be Alaska gold, Alaska salmon."

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Northwest News

BY MRS. H. O. DORRIS

Breaking sod and improving newly purchased land seems to be the order of the day in this part of the country.

It is announced that there will be a box supper at Bippus school house Saturday night, April 19, when everybody is invited to come, especially residents of adjoining communities, and if any Hereford people see this we hope they will consider themselves invited.

Ladies and girls are asked to bring boxes and men and boys lots of money. Proceeds are to be used to buy stage curtains, books for the school library and playground equipment.

Miss Margaret Steen of Bippus spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Stephens at Plainview.

Mrs. Dorris and Sunday school class were picnickers in Mohair Canyon Sunday, when pictures were made and games and other amusements enjoyed, followed by supper at the H. C. Van Bibber home.

Choir practice was held Sunday night at the school house.

J. J. McKinney of Floydada was here Thursday.

Mrs. N. O. Phillips has purchased 200 baby chicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mecaskey were in Adrian one day last week.

Elizabeth Ferguson spent Wednesday evening with Master Glen Fortenberry.

J. G. Fortenberry was a Hereford visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. D. R. Baaingame surprised her husband with a birthday dinner April 2, when a number of relatives and friends were present.

Lige Ellison and Mr. Neal of Crosbyton were here last Thursday looking over wheat prospects on their farms.

Vernon Mounce, Crandell Patterson and J. G. Fortenberry were in Amarillo Friday.

Hugh Fortenberry and family visited in the J. G. Fortenberry home Monday evening.

Mrs. F. D. Ferguson spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. J. G. Fortenberry.

H. O. and Emmett Dorris were in Hereford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fortenberry were Adrian visitors Friday.

H. O. Dorris marketed a load of hogs in Hereford Tuesday of last week.

Here and There.

BY MRS. C. E. TICE

School election Saturday resulted in Mr. Mobley and Mr. Harlin being chosen to fill the places of retiring members, Messrs. Jones and Andrews, who during their term of office gave a great deal of their time to overseeing the erection of the new school house, built last year. These men receive heartiest congratulations of the community for the work they have done. It is the hope of all that the new members, together with the third, Mr. Allman, will continue to beautify the school premises and care for the building as they should be.

Several of the men met at the school house Monday and worked on the well, as the school has been without water since the cold weather.

Rev. Brownlow of Plainview was a supper guest Saturday night at the J. B. Harlin home.

The Harlin family attended services at Summerfield Saturday night.

Last Thursday about 25 ladies

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took each a dish of good eats and went to Mrs. Nettie Green's and gave her a genuine surprise. She was washing when they began to arrive, but she soon had plenty of help and got the clothes on the line in double quick time. After dinner each guest pieced a quilt block and presented them to Mrs. Green. Those present were Mmes. Barton, Mobley, Williams, Rogers, Lindsey, Berry, Sparkman, Dixon, Allman, Jones, Harlin, Walker, Easter, Loomas, Kincaid, Bell, Tice, Green, Williams, Tice and Misses Mattie and Elsie Andrews, Georgia Sparkman and Pearl Heard.

J. D. Barton was an Amarillo At the election Saturday, Walter Huntley was elected to serve as school trustee for the coming two years.

B. K. Greason has the misfortune of losing a large stack of feed by fire last week. We understand it was insured.

A number of citizens went to the Plainview Dairy Show among them being Messrs. and Mmes. W. Huntley, Lloyd Lookingbill, J. L.

Lookingbill and A. M. Walker. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Roberson and baby of Melrose, N. M., visited over the week end with his mother and other relatives.

Frank Cone of Castro county, was here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson had for their guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Booker Pence and children of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Storey and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Britt Clark and family visited in the Jake Robinson home at Canyon last Sunday.

Ward News Notes

BY MRS. WILEY ROBERSON

The Willing Workers Club met April 2 with Mrs. G. M. Suggs. After the business session a very

delightful program was enjoyed by all. Several contests were indulged in and prizes were won by Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Lipscomb. At a late hour refreshments were served to Mmes. Bob and Jim Higgins, Bob Herbold, Chas. Vernon, Bill, John and Jack Hutson, Arlie Dean, Jim Lipscomb, Wiley Roberson. The club adjourned to meet April 10 with Mrs. Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harrison had as their guests at Sunday dinner Misses Garrett and Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Powelson.

Mrs. Suggs called on Mrs. Caraway Friday afternoon.

Everybody enjoyed the pie supper at the school house Friday night. Col. Ray Barber was auctioneer and the proceeds of the sale amounted to \$42.75.

Rev. Harper filled his regular appointment here Sunday, and Rev. Hornbeak will be here next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Higgins and sons, Wesley and Altns, and Geo. Suggs were Sunday dinner guests

in the Jack Hutson home. Miss Beatrice Hutson visited home folks over the week-end.

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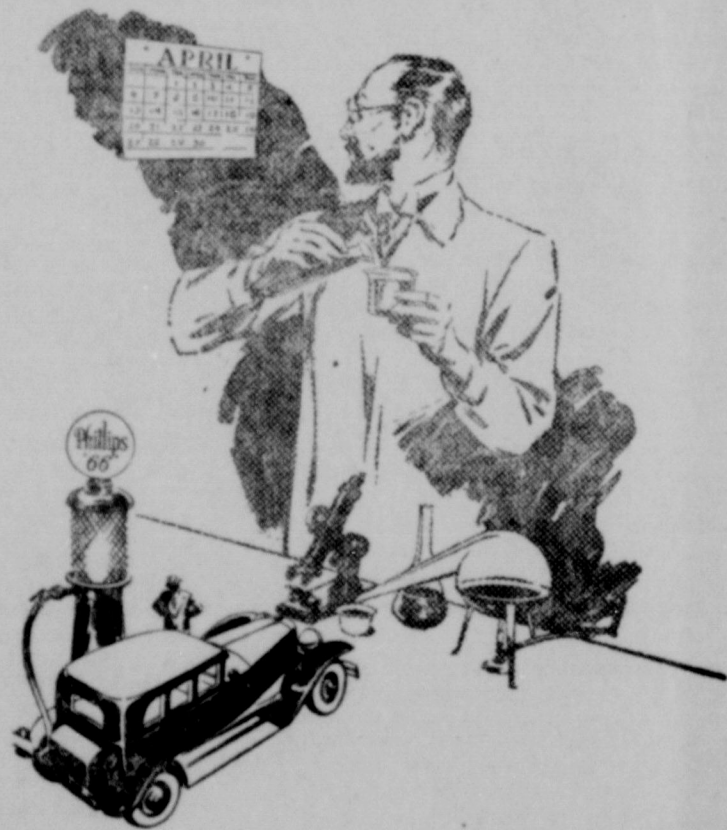
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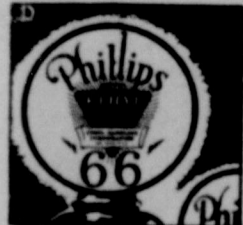
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