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FRUIT TREES!

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\$1.50 PER YEAR.

SURVEY WILL BE NECESSARY BEFORE ESTIMATE CAN BE MADE OF WATER SYSTEM

Mr. Osborne, of the Devlin Engineering Company, of Amarillo, was a business visitor here Tuesday, having driven over to consult with the water works committee regarding the installation of a system in Friona.

Mr. Osborne stated that it will be impossible to give anything like an accurate estimate of the cost of a system that will accommodate the people of Friona for many years to come without a complete survey of the city. He suggested, as a comparative estimate, however, that such a system will not cost more than \$40,000 nor less than \$30,000.

The committee is very thankful to Mr. Osborne for the valuable information he was able to give concerning the proposition of water works and the said committee recommends that the city take the necessary steps to secure the installation of the system.

C. E. GIVES PARTY

The social committee of the local Christian Endeavor society entertained the members of the society and a few invited friends at a domino party Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John White with Misses Orma White and Lola Goodwine as hostesses.

Fourteen couples, employing seven tables, took part in the games which lasted about two hours and resulted in Mrs. Grant Musick and Raymond McElroy making high scores. After the games, refreshments of sandwiches, olives, cakes and cocoa were served. All present enjoyed the evening's program.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burney, Mrs. Grant Musick and Fred White; Misses Lottie and Goldie Stueick, Lola, Neida, Floy and Margaret Goodwine, Esther and Mary Reeve, Mary Catherine and Helen Crawford, Mary Pearl Cowan, Imogene Copeland, Ella Marie Landrum, Alice Guyer and Orma White; Messrs. Hurd, Otho and Orville Whitefield, Raymond Wright, Raymond McElroy, Leslie Ford, Milford Alexander, Charley Hays, Hadley Reeve, Lynn Vance, Reeve Guyer, John Beattie, Roy Landrum and Logan Sympson.

THINK THEY ARE HOOKED

Some of our citizens feel that they have been made the victims of a confidence scheme in the form of an optometrist who visited the town.

It appears that the man represented himself to be an optometrist in the employ of the state and would examine eyes and recommend the kind of glasses needed for the relief of the patient. He then took the order for the glasses which he said he would send to a house in Fort Worth, from which the glasses were to be sent. He then collected for the glasses and took his departure. His patrons, however, have failed to receive their glasses of any word from them, although it has been several weeks since he was here.

FORMER RESIDENT WRITES

The following letter was received at the Star office from Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Grantham of Cresco, Iowa. Rev. Grantham was formerly pastor of the Congregational church here and both he and Mrs. Grantham have many friends in this locality. Their letter follows: Dear Star: It was with deep sorrow of heart we read of the passing of dear Mr. Stevens. We loved him as a brother. He was so kind and helpful to us when Mr. Grantham was pastor at Friona, and our hearts go out in sympathy to the ones that he left.

Mr. Grantham is very poorly all the time. We enjoy the Star. It seems like a letter from dear friends we shall never forget.

LINEMEN STILL BUSY

The large crew of linemen that have been constructing the Texas Utilities Company's high line between Bovina and Dimmitt are still busy with the work.

Although the line was completed into Friona last week, there is still much of the work to be done before the entire distance is covered.

FRIONA WOMAN'S CLUB

The Friona Woman's Club held its first meeting of the year Wednesday afternoon, September 11, at the home of Mrs. T. J. Crawford, seventeen members being present. The home was artistically decorated with bouquets of beautiful cut flowers and the following "Texas" program was given:

Response; Current Events. Song, "Texas Our Texas" by the club.

Book review, "Sam Houston, Colossus in Buckskin," written by Geo. Creel, given by Mrs. Fred White.

Paper, "Texas Indians, Past and Present," Mrs. Carl Maurer.

Reading, "Texas," written by Henry Van Dyke; Mrs. G. L. Livings.

Piano solo, "September"; Mrs. Edith Lillard.

After the program the hostesses, Mrs. Crawford and Mrs. Hanson, served delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake, and the club adjourned to meet again, September 25.

HAS MOVED TO FRIONA

Roy Bailey drove to Dexter, New Mexico, the latter part of last week and returned Sunday evening with his family and has taken up his residence here.

Mr. Bailey is the owner and operator of the new telephone system recently built in Friona and the surrounding territory, and which is now being completed by the installation of the switch board and the individual phones.

Mr. Bailey's central office is one of the upper rooms in the new Maurel building on Main street.

NEARING COMPLETION

The two new houses being erected by S. F. Truitt on the south side of town are nearly completed. One of them is already occupied by Mr. Ruth and family and the other as soon as ready will be occupied by two of our teachers, Misses Gardner and Boston. These young ladies are living in the home of F. W. Reeve pending the completion of their house.

The residence building of Dr. McElroy on Seventh Street will also be ready for occupancy within a few days. This building will be occupied by Mr. Crowe and family. Mr. Crowe is manager of the Consumers' Oil Company.

WILL TEACH AT PANHANDLE

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wimberly drove to Panhandle last Saturday to take their daughter, Miss Lucille, who will teach in the Panhandle schools this term.

HAS GOOD CROPS

H. W. Wright, one of our veteran farmers living south of town, was in Thursday morning and reported that his farm crops are looking most promising at this time.

Mr. Wright, being in the radius of slack rains for the last several weeks, was fearful that his crops would fall short of his anticipations, but on going into his corn and gathering a couple of rows, he finds it really good, making an average of at least twenty-five bushels. His kafir and cane crops are also good. Mr. Wright feels highly gratified with his prospects.

MOVED TO BALLARD PROPERTY

Mr. Mice, manager of the Friona Motor Company, moved his family from the R. S. Gischler house to the residence property of T. D. Ballard, near Mr. Ballard's home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gischler are now occupying their own home, since it was vacated by Mr. Mice.

F. T. Schlenker of the Rhea community was in town Wednesday afternoon. He stated that his wheat land is in need of moisture as very little rain has fallen in that locality recently.

THREE TEACHERS FOR MESSENGER

A sure evidence of the growth of the population of the Messenger school district is the fact that that school is employing three teachers this term. Up until last year one teacher had been able to take care of the pupils of the school, then another teacher was added, and the school last year was conducted by Misses Nelda Goodwine of Friona and Imogene Copeland of New Mexico. This year a third teacher has been added in the person of Miss Mary Pearl Cowan who with the other two young ladies will conduct the school. The Messenger school opened Monday morning with these splendid young ladies in charge.

TO SCHOOL AT DENTON

Mrs. Goodwine and two daughters, Misses Floy and Margaret, departed Wednesday for Denton, where the two young ladies will enter the College of Industrial Arts for the winter.

They went as far as Tulla by train Wednesday and will go on from there in a car Thursday morning, expecting to reach Denton the same night.

SOLD FARM HOME

J. W. Parr last week sold his nice farm home adjoining the west side of town to W. W. Johnson. It is understood that Mr. Johnson will take possession of the farm in the near future and that Mr. Parr will build a home in Friona and engage in some line of business.

VISIT ABILENE

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gischler drove to Abilene the latter part of last week for a visit with her parents. Mr. Gischler returned Monday evening, but Mrs. Gischler and the little ones will remain for several weeks with relatives and friends.

They were accompanied as far as Lubbock by Mrs. G. W. Burney who visited with friends in that city over the week end and returned with Mr. Gischler Monday.

SOME ARE SOWING WHEAT

A number of farmers are reported as engaged in sowing wheat for next season's crop.

In some localities in the Friona territory they have had too much rain for farm work, while in and near town and to the northeast there has not been enough for good tilling and farmers in these sections are not rushing their seeding operations until more moisture is received.

R. W. Parr and family have moved into the J. W. Cralley home in the northwest part of town.

CHINA BECOMING MODERNIZED

The present war or threats of war between China and Russia is bringing these two countries very prominently before the public gaze and many are wondering how those benighted and obsolete Chinese and the socialistic, bolshevik Russians are going to compare with each other in the prosecution of a modern warfare.

The prevailing idea that China is so far behind the times in modern civilization, that she can hardly be expected to have any chance in coping with even so formidable an enemy as Russia.

Just as a matter of interest and general information as to the social conditions in China, especially as to the conditions and standards of womanhood in China and which may be reasonably taken as a measure for the advancement of man's social and intellectual condition also, we are giving the following letter received from Rev. H. G. C. Hallaek, a missionary stationed at Shanghai, China:

Dear Editor, Here comes a letter from this land of intrigue, graft, warfare, famine, suffering, chaos, to tell you and the readers of your excellent paper about China's new woman who has a share in the "goings-on."

If a woman in China twenty years ago had been given a Rip Van Winkle sleep, she would be more surprised than he was, should she awake today. Then women had to stay indoors and work something like domestic animals. Or, if of a better family, be cooped up at home and stay there. She was allowed to be seen only by her husband or brothers.

Now what a change! The modern Chinese young woman skips around the streets with a spring, grace and freedom that is quite refreshing when one remembers the women formerly hobbling along on bound feet supported by amans.

Now girls bob, snuggle, or permanent wave their hair. That's a sign of freedom. They ride bicycles, play tennis, basketball and engage in other athletics. Formerly the parents arranged their marriages.

Young ladies walking very affectationally, arm in arm with their best boys, and the young people often do the arranging. The dress used to be the most modest of any nationality. Now women are often seen with short sleeves and very low necked frocks even at mid-day. Sometimes they're seen with the most up-to-date up-beyond-the-knee short frocks and flimsy silk hose and very high-heeled shoes.

Indeed the Chinese girls are quite amusing boppers sometimes—shocking sometimes—so much so that the officials have felt it necessary to issue proclamations commanding them to dress modestly. The girls have even learned to flirt in the most up to

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STAR OWNER HERE LAST FRIDAY

Friday of last week, David Warren, of the Nunn-Warren Publishing Company, accompanied by R. E. Kessie, manager of the Hereford Brand at Hereford, paid Friona a business visit.

The Nunn-Warren Company being owners of the Friona Star, Mr. Warren was here looking after the paper's interests. He expressed the opinion that if a suitable building could be secured his company would install a complete newspaper plant in Friona in the near future, or as soon as such building can be secured. Such a move, when accomplished, will add greatly to the business interests of the city.

RETURNED TO MINNESOTA

Mr. and Mrs. Hamline Lyons departed Monday for their home in Minnesota after a stay of a few weeks here.

Mrs. Lyons came here several weeks ago to be with her father, Rev. C. M. Stevens during his last illness, and was joined a few weeks later by her husband.

Mrs. Lyons, who was formerly Miss Catherine Stevens, is well known here by the older residents of the locality, she having lived here and was identified with the Friona schools as primary teacher for a number of years.

This was Mr. Lyons' first visit to the Plains country and he expressed himself as well pleased with the country and the people. It was reported that these splendid people would perhaps make their home here, but they later decided that their affairs in Minnesota demanded their return to that place.

Sermon Subjects.

Rev. J. L. Beattie, pastor of the Congregational church, announces the subjects for his morning and evening sermons next Sunday, the morning services his subject will be "Ideal Marriage" evening, "The Christian's Service and Quoting of Christ." The entire public is cordially invited to attend each of these services.

TO VISIT IN IOWA

Mr. and Mrs. Seidon Warren and children departed Monday for Wheatland, Iowa. The family drove through and expect to be gone about three weeks visiting relatives of Mrs. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Chenin and daughters, Lucile and Marie, and little son, R. G. Jr., drove over to Friona from Tulla Saturday and remained until Sunday afternoon as guests in the home of Mrs. Minnie Goodwine.

ENROLLMENT IN FRIONA SCHOOL REACHES NEW HIGH MARK; 405 REGISTER

ILLINOIS READER LIKES THE STAR

A letter from W. R. Warren of Abilington, Illinois, expresses the fact that our out-of-state readers like to read of Friona doings and happenings.

Mr. Warren was here last April looking after the interests of one of his neighbors who owns land near Friona, and while here had the Star sent to her address for three months as a kind of trial subscription and who now orders the subscription extended. We appreciate such letters as this one from Mr. Warren, which is as follows:

Dear Sir: I discovered after sending you one dollar about two months ago, I think, with the request that it be added to the 50 cents I had given you while in Friona in April to pay for the Star for a year, that the price to non-resident subscribers is \$2 a year.

I am now enclosing check for \$2.50 to pay balance for two years up to April 1, 1931, to be continued as heretofore to the address then given.

As she has never been in Friona and has property near there, she is much pleased with the make-up and contents of the paper. Yours,

W. R. WARREN.

ITEMS FROM SPRING LAKE

The following items taken from the Olton Enterprise concerning the Spring Lake community will be of interest to many of our readers:

A good number of juniors and intermediates met Sunday afternoon at six o'clock and organized a Christian Endeavor society. After a service and quoting of Bible verses the following officers were elected. Supervisor, Mrs. Benson; vice president, Gladys Barton; president, Alysne White; secretary, Betty Row Ott; assistant secretary, Mildred Martin; treasurer, Mildred Barton; pianist, Thelma Alair; choirster, Macon McCool. Mrs. Hanson will be the leader for September 8. We invite all children to attend. Be there at 6 o'clock next Sunday.

P. L. Cunningham and family are in New Mexico on a vacation trip.

Miss Margaret Miller who has been visiting her aunt Mrs. O. C. Axtell, returned to Emporia, Kansas last Wednesday. Miss Miller is teacher of dramatic art in the Emporia schools.

NEW SETTLER ARRIVES

C. H. White, of Megargle, Texas, arrived in Friona with his family and household goods and farming equipment to make this locality their home.

Mr. White has purchased a tract of land a few miles southeast of town where he and his family will make their home hereafter. He made a fair crop of wheat on his land this season and expresses himself as well pleased with his new location and the Friona country.

RETURNED TO OKLAHOMA

Mrs. Oils Kiel who has been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Johnson, returned to her home at Nocona, Oklahoma, Saturday.

She came here several days ago with her father who was there visiting. Mr. Johnson says that crop conditions in that locality are very poor owing to dry weather. He says there will be very little if any kind of crops grown there this season, not even cotton. The Panhandle, he says, sure looks most promising in comparison.

OFF TO SCHOOL

Among those of our young people who will attend various colleges this term are Misses Mary Kathryn Crawford, Alice Guyer and Louise Lang, who will attend the College of Industrial Arts at Denton. They will drive to Denton Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Crawford.

Others who will attend school away from here are Mary and Hadley Reeve, who will enter the W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon next week.

Prof. J. A. Conway, superintendent of Friona schools, reports a much larger enrollment this term than for last year.

The enrollment for the first day was 265 in the grades and 140 in the high school, making a total enrollment of 405. This is an increase of about sixty or seventy over last year, and it is expected that when the entire enrollment is in this year the increase will be near 100 over last year.

Prof. Conway stated that the school work started off in fine shape with the exception of a lack of space and seats. There was a shortage of from one to ten seats in the various rooms.

The superintendent says just what they will do for sufficient room he does not know, but he is sure they will make arrangements to take care of all the students. He also says that it will be necessary to add to the faculty one more grade teacher and one high school teacher.

Nine Trucks and Two Cars

F. W. Reeve, who has the contract for transporting the pupils of the district to and from school, reports that he is now using nine trucks and two cars to carry them.

Mr. Reeves states that he feels sure he will be obliged to add at least one more truck to his fleet when the entire enrollment is in. The following young men are serving as drivers of the trucks at present: Dalton Allen, Arlie Green, John Luther Furlong, Johnny Berg, Leslie Ford, J. W. Lacy, Floyd Johnson, Glenn Reeve and Mr. Reeve and Charles Reeve are driving the two cars now in use.

CONGREGATIONAL LADIES' AID

The ladies of the Congregational Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. T. H. Hughes, two miles north of last week, when the afternoon was spent in sewing and at adjournment it was announced the next meeting would be with Mrs. Howard Morris Friday afternoon, September 20.

The Bible study will be as follows:

Upon whom, under the Mosaic Law, was capital punishment first inflicted?

What became of Korah? What kind of fruit did Aaron's rod bear?

Where did Miriam die? Where did Aaron die?

How were the people saved from the fiery serpents?

Who was called to curse Israel? Give the history of Balaam?

When the people were numbered in the Plains of Moab how many were found who had been numbered at Sinai?

Who was Moses' successor? Which tribes received the inheritance east of the Jordan?

How many journeys did Israel make under Moses?

Give the boundaries of the Promised Land.

How many cities were given to the Levites?

What was the law concerning a daughter's inheritance and her marriage?

ELEVEN MILE NEWS

L. W. Hutchinson and daughters, Densilia and Ora Estell, visited in the L. M. Williams home Wednesday.

Mrs. L. W. Williams and her mother, Mrs. Ellis Hamilton, visited her son-in-law, L. W. Hutchinson, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Lynch and little Lou took dinner in the L. M. Williams home one day last week.

John and Quince Hamilton who have been in Houston the past week returned home Tuesday.

Ben Bates motored to Kansas City, Kansas, Saturday and returned home Thursday.

John and Quince Hamilton and two nieces, Misses Unita and Estelle Williams, visited relatives and friends in New Mexico last week.

Bill Whitson and his father-in-law John Annen were shopping in Hereford Friday.

John Hamilton and son, J. W., are spending the week with his brother-in-law, L. W. Hutchinson.

Mrs. Earl Porter visited in the L. M. Williams home one day last week.

"S FUNNY-HE DONT WANT TO BE THE STAR"



VIVID PLANTINGS NEAR FOUNDATION

Add Greatly to Pleasing Exterior and Cover Detail.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Shrubs and other plantings near the foundation brickwork of a house add greatly to a pleasing exterior. They soften the building lines, conceal ugly or uninteresting details, add color, and, if spaced and arranged to advantage, beautify the entire yard or front lawn. Home demonstration agents in many states, working with farm women on general home improvement, have given considerable attention to the possibilities of improving the exteriors of rural homes. As a result, it has often been possible to identify the homes of members of home demonstration clubs because of the charm obtained through well-selected shrubbery, window or porch boxes of bright flowers, hanging fern baskets, and other inexpensive, easily procured decorative plants. Flower shows and lawn and



North Carolina Farm Home Having Foundation Plantings.

garden competitions have done much to awaken interest in attractive surroundings, and an indirect result of this interest is often a greater interest in her own personal appearance, on the part of the farm woman whose home setting has been improved.

This photograph, taken by the United States Department of Agriculture in Hertford county, North Carolina, shows a number of these features suggested by the extension agent. The low shrubs near the brickwork have been used to screen the porch foundations without interfering with the effect of the gay flower boxes that take the place of guard rails on the veranda. Reasonable care will keep this exterior planting in pleasing condition all through the growing season.

Eggplant With Sausage Cakes New Combination

Here's a good combination of flavors and for some people, a new way of using eggplant. The bureau of home economics suggests this method of preparing it:

- 1 large eggplant ¼ tsp. salt
- 1 lb. sausage meat

Wash and pare the eggplant and cut it into cubes. Form the meat into fat cakes and brown on both sides in a heavy skillet. Remove the meat, pour off the excess fat, add the eggplant and salt, and let the eggplant cook in the fat for about ten minutes. Then put the eggplant in a shallow baking dish, place the sausage cakes over it, cover, and cook in a medium oven for about 30 minutes, or until the eggplant is tender. Serve from the dish in which cooked.

Covering Creosote Stains
Creosote stains on walls are hard to do anything with and it is pretty hard to keep them from showing through after a time. About the only thing one can do is to cover them with two thin coats of shellac, then size and paper or paint over them in the usual way. Two thin coats are better than one heavy one, as the tendency for the shellac to peel is not so great.

DOMESTIC RABBIT GOOD YEAR ROUND

Different From Cottontail With Its Limited Season.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Relatively few housewives in the eastern part of the United States are acquainted with the delicious flavor of domestic rabbit meat. Most of them have been accustomed to think of rabbit in terms of the cottontail rabbit, which is available only during a short open hunting season, or of the Jack rabbit, which is generally considered more of a pest than an article of diet. Domestic hatch-raised rabbits may be eaten the year round, and there are now hundreds of domestic rabbit farms throughout the country where the animals are being raised for the market. The rabbit-raising industry is most flourishing in the West, particularly in California, but increasing interest in it is developing in the Eastern states also.

Hatch-raised rabbits are carefully bred and fed for table use. They eat rolled cereals, alfalfa hay, and leafy vegetables. The nature of their food makes the meat sweet, tender and excellently flavored. It can be better compared with chicken than with wild rabbit. Rabbits raised in small hutches or on fur farms are cleanly in habits and can be produced under sanitary conditions.

Just as with poultry or with various cuts of meat, young, tender rabbits may be fried or roasted, while the older ones require longer, slow cooking. The bureau of home economics has co-operated with the bureau of biological survey in conducting experiments in the various methods of preparing domestic rabbit meat for the table and makes the following recommendations:

Young, tender rabbits may be fried or broiled, or if just a little larger than the frying or broiling stage, smothered according to the method Southern cooks use for chicken. The older, larger rabbits may also be used for short orders by parboiling whole, then cutting into pieces suitable for serving, and frying in batter. Or they may be simmered and served with dumplings or used in chop suey or salad in the same way as chicken. Recipes will be furnished by the United States Department of Agriculture upon request.

Fresh Tomatoes Served in Many Different Ways

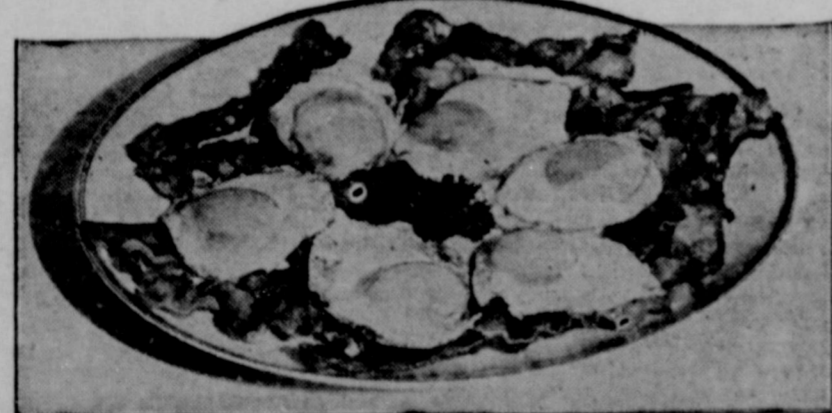
While fresh tomatoes are in season, one may try innumerable good ways of serving them without having to duplicate the dishes one prepares in winter time with canned tomatoes. Tomatoes every other day at least, all summer long, differently served, will assure the family of an abundance of vitamins and a certainty of appetizing flavor in the menus. Try these broiled tomatoes on toast with bacon for lunch on a warm day. The recipe is from the bureau of home economics.

- 5 firm ripe toma- Salt
- toes Pepper
- ¼ lb. sliced bacon 8 slices buttered
- Butter toast

Cook the bacon until crisp in a skillet or under the flame of the broiling oven. Drain on paper. Wash the tomatoes and remove a thin slice from the stem end. Cut the tomatoes in half and put them in a shallow pan. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and dot with butter. Cook in the oven until softened and then place them under the flame of the broiling oven until browned. Remove carefully and put on the golden-brown, buttered toast. Arrange the bacon around the toast; garnish with parsley and serve at once.

To Keep Silver Neatly
It is easier to keep your flat silver put away in an orderly fashion if the spoons, knives and forks each have their own compartments. Some of the new chests of drawers have, as an interesting innovation, small drawers at the top in triangular arrangement to hold flat silver. These take the place of the usual large, single silver drawer.

EVEN HEAT IS SECRET OF FRYING EGGS



Fried Eggs With Coated Yolks.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Moderate, even heat is the secret of frying eggs so that they are tender and tasty, as it is of cooking all egg dishes. While any well-flavored fat may be used for frying eggs, ham and bacon drippings are prime favorites. Moderate temperature is likewise the secret of cooking ham and bacon. Do not let the fat become so hot as to smoke and produce scorched flavors in the drippings and disagreeable odors in the kitchen, warns the bureau of home economics. Whatever kind of fat is used, have it moderately hot when the eggs are slipped into it, and cook slowly and

carefully over a low fire. The eggs may be turned so as to cook them on both sides, or some of the hot fat may be dipped up and poured over the yolks until a coating is formed. When the white is delicately jellied the eggs are cooked enough. The white should not become tough.

An egg fried in a little butter makes an excellent hot toasted open-faced sandwich. After the egg is slipped onto the toast, pour over it the melted butter from the skillet. Cooked until firm throughout, an egg fried in butter can be shredded fine to make a palatable garnish for soup, spinach, or other dishes.



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Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

On Three Wheels

Three-wheeled trucks are being extensively introduced in London for the delivery of freight and merchandise. They are much more mobile than the four-wheeled kind and seem to answer most purposes. A car can almost be turned in its own length and the pliability of the truck in congested parking is wonderful. The three-wheeled truck was tried here years ago, but was never able to make a hit. It looked too much like a motorcycle with a side car, but they are worth looking at anyhow.—Los Angeles Times.

Light at the Poles

In speaking of the period of darkness at the poles, complete darkness is not implied, but rather a sort of twilight. There is sufficient light for ordinary activities to be carried on.

Red Cross, the new wonder bluing. Highly concentrated. All good grocers sell it.—Adv.

It is much easier to love a poor girl than a rich one, because there is less competition.

News Gathering Both

Simple and Effective

Life in the highly sophisticated South Sea Isles is by no means as newsworthy as one might hazard by measuring the number of miles separating them from Fleet street (writes a globe-trotting correspondent). The Papete planters have bestowed the pleasing name of coconut wireless on the means by which their wives and daughters keep up with all the news that really matters. Every sun-up the native maids meet at the market place and pool the previous day's domestic log while they do the forthcoming day's shopping. These reporters bring back their gleanings to the housewife news editors, who publish to their yawning spouses, over the breakfast coffee, "All the News That's Fit to Print" (and a great deal that isn't). In consequence, what every family does not know about every other family can positively be sprayed across the head of a pin.

Water in Oceans

No exact estimate of the volume of water in the oceans can be made because many areas have not been surveyed. From existing records the volume is computed at 324,000,000 cubic statute miles, or 14 times the bulk of all land in the world above sea level.

A Help to Mother

Visitor—And so you help your mother with the housework, do you?
Little Helen—Yes, ma'am. She says I help her by keeping out of her way.

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Charge for Thrills

"Is he mean?" "Mean! He's so mean that if he were a ghost he wouldn't give you a fright."

Most

"What kind of taste?" "Well, I'm like it either rare."



Mrs. W. G. Watts



Mrs. B. E. Lindsey

Pains Relieved

"I WAS going to school, trying to keep up with my classes, when my health got bad. I was very irregular. I suffered severe pains and cramping, and just awful headaches. My hands would draw and get right cold.

"My mother had used Cardui, and she gave it to me. After taking one bottle, I was much better. I kept on taking Cardui, and after my third bottle I did not have to take any more, for I did not have the cramping spells. My health is still good."—Mrs. W. G. Watts, 70 Gale St., West Asheville, N. C.

"WHILE in school, I found myself in a weak, run-down condition, and suffered a great deal with a pain in my side. This pain made me so nervous and unstrung I had to go to bed a few days at a time, causing me anxiety for fear I would fall behind in my classes.

"My mother had taken Cardui and knew that it was a good tonic. I began taking it and found it helped me so much. I was soon rid of the pain in my side. I feel that Cardui did me a world of good."—Mrs. B. E. Lindsey, E. Nassau St., Lake City, Fla.

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Helps Women to Health

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COGITATIONS and APHORISMS of IODOK

I think most of us do not appreciate the kindness of our friends as much as we should. We take too much for granted, feeling every kind turn we receive is just naturally due us.

That is a mistaken idea—there's nothing due us except we merit it, and there is very few of us that merit more than we get.

Some people say that I over estimate the goodness of humanity when I assert that there are more people who love their neighbors as themselves than there are those who do not. However, I am not willing to retract my statement.

The man who is crowing worse, in my opinion at the world, is the way we are how to use

think a little better than in the days of Jacob, fearing punishment average person the people

mean man who and visa versa mean that

is a mighty good has no fault in him.

No man ever gets so mean he has no friends, and no man ever gets so good that he has no enemies.

The amount of good there is in a man's nature or disposition or character represents just so much God in him. And a man can cultivate that God quality in himself until he is all God-like.

A man who is good just because he is afraid to be otherwise, is not very good after all. A man who is honest just because "honesty is the best policy" is not honest at all.

Do you know I have a fellow feeling for our City Commissioners to the extent so do all it can for the city? They are blamed for lots of little things which they (I mean the commissioners), cannot help.

There is an old maxim which says "You cannot get something for nothing." Well, I think there ought to be another made which would say, "You can not do something with nothing."

Maybe most people do not know it, but it is a fact that these City Commission boys do not have much to do with in the way of finances. Another old saying is: "Money makes the mare go." Yes, and money makes the city grow.

Never mind, these boys, although they are busy every day with their own business, still take time off to look after the affairs of the city and have done a few things.

With the help of the Chamber of Commerce they have secured current for lights and power for the city from a company that is second to none in this great Plains country or elsewhere. And a telephone system which so far as rural service is concerned is superior to any in the country.

The commission has also granted a franchise for natural gas service, and the mains will be laid within the next nine months. They are now after other improvements and with the co-operation of us, the people, will perhaps soon have paved streets and an up-to-date water service.

Yes, and they are planning for a system of sanitation, which will place our town on the list of the most sanitary cities. Now, do you not think they should receive our compliments rather than our censures?

We should be honest because it is right to be honest and we should be good because we have no right to be any other way.

Well, another term of school has begun this week at Friona, in charge of a faculty of high class teachers who are qualified and willing to do their part to make it the best school in the land.

The young people of our district who will constitute the student body are also well equipped

I'M STUCK BY ORGATONE BECAUSE IT STUCK BY ME

No Doubt About It Putting Ginger Into a Fellow When He's Worn Out," Says Amarillo Smelter Man.

Business men, farmers, artisans, and in fact Amarillo people from all walks of life, including innumerable women, have actually tested Orgatone and have testified to the preparation's merits. This undeniable evidence was further strengthened by the statements of an unusually large number who had more recently realized the powers of the medicine, among whom was T. L. Burkett, better known as "Shorty" by his many friends and fellow workers at the smelter and who resides at 2144 N. W. 13th Avenue, Amarillo, Texas.

"I must say that this Orgatone was the very thing for my run-down condition," he said to an Orgatone representative, "and it took hold of my trouble and picked me up so quick that I was actually surprised. I had been suffering from lead poisoning and swelling of the joints as well as indigestion of the worst sort for the past two years and was so nervous I could not get hardly any sleep at night that would do me any good. "I had been going down hill and getting in this condition for a long time and would have bloating spools that felt like I was being pumped up with an auto pump. I didn't seem to get any strength or nourishment from my food, and to save my life I couldn't tell what exactly was the matter with me or get anything in the way of medicine that would do me any good. Even a drink of water would put me in misery.

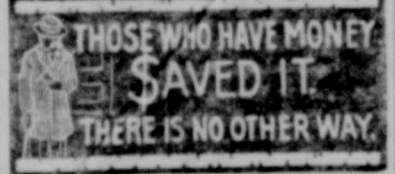
"At last I made up my mind to give this Orgatone a trial, and see if it wouldn't tone me up, and to my surprise I began to see a change in the doctor after the next few days. I have taken one bottle of it now, and the way it's braced me up and given me an appetite for work is something curious.

"I now enjoy my food and can sleep all night long without waking up once. I rest fine and get up in the morning feeling fresh up in the air, ready to tackle a job and stout and strong. I put a wire good day's work—it's a fact. I edge on me, you might say, but I don't blast up like I did and don't get tired after doing a little work. The fact is, I can hardly remember the time when I felt as good as I do now.

"All my friends tell me how much better I am looking, and I certainly am sticking by Orgatone and telling them about it, for it is certainly stuck by me. It's a fine thing and there's no doubt it's putting the ginger into a fellow when he feels all tired out and run down.

Genuine Orgatone is manufactured by one of the world's largest laboratories and is not a so-called secret or patent remedy but a new scientific bile treatment and is sold in Friona by the City Drug Store.—Adv

MONEY TALKS



Those Who Save

Not only have capital for their efforts, but in saving they establish a reputation which makes it easy for them to secure additional capital when they need it. Keeping everlastingly at it makes big accounts of the little ones. Get the habit—the amount will take care of itself.

FRIONA STATE BANK
 FRIONA, TEXAS

mentally and physically as any other student body to do their part toward building a high record term.

In my opinion, however, there is not all that is necessary for a successful term of school. Only a very few of the parents or other patrons of the school, who are continually pouring the cold water of disapproval on the enthusiasm and efforts of the teachers and pupils can curtail the usefulness of any school.

I read a verse of poetry not long ago about co-operation, which I would like to quote, but it has gone from me. But it meant something like this:
 The bobcat rails and spits and howls,
 The mustang roves the prairies,
 The wild goose flies from north to south,
 Its course it seldom varies,
 Jackrabbits spoil the farmer's crops,
 And cause him great vexation;
 But a town or school to reach the top,
 Must use co-operation.
 Homage & Boughten.

It is up to us old boys and girls who are making a stagger at the job of running the homes in the district to back up the efforts of these teachers and pupils with our heartiest co-operation. (C'mon, let's go!

FOR SALE
 250 acre improved farm located in the east part of Parmer county. Improvement consists of four room house, well and windmill, about 200 acres in cultivation. Price, if sold at once, is \$25.00 per acre. Will give reasonable terms.
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 STAR BRAND SHOES
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 Buy 'em at
RUSHING'S GROCERY

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 A judge asked a convicted prisoner if he had anything to offer the court before sentence was passed upon him, to which he replied: "Nope, Mr Honor, me lawyer took me last dollar."
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 FRIONA TEXAS

One hour and reads quite a lot these days about a new calendar for the world. I think it is called the Cotsworth calendar, but that makes little difference, as that is one place where the name amounts to little.

I am prone to give up old customs with considerable misgivings, but in this case I can see no harm in it, and I can at least be able to tell the number of days in any month without quoting that old rhyme of:

"Thirty days hath September," etc., as all months will have the same number of days, and I can at least guess the day of the month within four guesses, if I know the day of the week.

I was talking to a man recently about advertising. He says it pays any business to advertise. I think so, too. Advertising is like the momentum of a long freight train. Once the train is under way it speeds along merrily, but let its speed dwindle just before it reaches a steep grade and the engine wheels are apt to spin around while the train remains motionless.

This applies to a newspaper just the same as to any other business. "Advertise yourself," said an aged newspaper man in speaking of his frequent ads, and by so doing set an example to your merchants."

Mr. Vance, manager of the Farmers Elevator here, brought a copy of the Wheat Growers Journal to the Star office, showing a picture of the large amount of wheat that was dumped on the ground at that elevator during the harvest rush. It was a good picture and does justice to the scene.

Better see those stoves at BLACKWELL'S. They're dandies.



SCHOOL EYES
 Starts the youngsters working long HOURS
 Why not have that boy or girl's eyes examined NOW
DR. C. E. Worrell
 Eyesight Specialist
 114 East Fourth Street
 Clovis, New Mexico

W. D. Houren, civil engineer of Amarillo, was a business visitor here one day this week. Mrs. Orma White and Mrs. Musick drove over to Clovis Wednesday night to attend a show.

FREE GATE—TRI-STATE FAIR
 AMARILLO, TEXAS—SEPTEMBER 23 TO 28
 Main Attractions Will Be:

HAGENBECK-WALLACE CIRCUS

TWICE DAILY 2PM-8 PM. GRAND STAND CHAIRS RESERVED AND GENERAL DOORS OPEN 12PM-7PM. ADMISSION TICKETS ON SALE CIRCUS DAY

WORTHAM CARNIVAL!
 INDIAN SHOWS!
 FIFTEEN BANDS

\$15,000 IN PREMIUMS
 Big Hereford Exhibit!
 DOG SHOW
 Pet Stock Show!

Our Display Window
 Tells the story to a nicety as to our complete stock of school supplies.
 JUST WHAT THE CHILDREN WANT FOR SCHOOL WORK
 Old Man Winter is just around the corner now, which recalls the fact that good warm coverings will soon be needed.
 WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF BLANKETS, COMFORTS AND COMFORT MAKINGS.
 See us for Shirts, Sox, Silk Underwear, Sheeting, Shoes, Silk Hose
 Lard, \$1.10
T. J. CRAWFORD
 HARVEST QUEEN AND EVERLITE FLOUR

Our Opening Date
Saturday, Sept. 14
 IS A SURE-ENOUGH OCCASION
 We hope you will be here to enjoy it with us and get your share of the bargains which we will have to offer on that date and on all other days henceforth. We feel sure
Our Stock Will Meet Your Approval
 And quality and prices will be to your liking.
 Ladies' and Gents' Ready-Made Clothing, Hats and Shoes
 CURLEE—FLORSHEIM—STETSON
SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY:
 \$1.00 Work Shirts \$.85
 Overalls \$1.85
 Favors for the Kiddies!
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 Friona, Texas.

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For Sale, two row binders, one Deering and one McCormick, M. K. SMITH, twelve miles south of Friena.

FOR SALE—One McCormick-Deering row drill; good as new. See J. L. GORE, Friena, Tex. 84fe

FOR SALE—One No. 12 DeLaval cream separator; been in use two years; good. See LEON HART, 1 1/2 miles north of Friena. 84fe

FOR SALE—Some extra good quality Kansas Red seed wheat; no smut. See R. L. CHILES, 1 mile northeast of Friena. 84fe

FOR SALE—Or trade, a 25-barrel flour mill; new building machinery, three acres land; located at Friena, Texas. This is worth your money if interested. Write J. H. RUDD, Colorado, Texas. 83ip

FOR SALE—John Deere used tractor, used one season. Also Fordson. If you can use a new Case, buy one; if you cannot, buy one of these used tractors. BLACKWELLS. 64fe

WANTED—Head grain and ear corn. I will appreciate your patronage, and will endeavor to give you the best market possible. J. J. HORTON, Friena, Texa.

MILK COW—For sale. Be first to buy this bargain. BLACKWELLS. 64fe

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One McCormick-Deering header, 12 foot cut. Will take part in cutting. F. L. CARSON, Bovina, Tex. 72tp

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RADIO BARGAIN—A six tube Parmax battery set, with reproducer speaker, new B battery and aerial. All for \$49.00. ED WHITE.

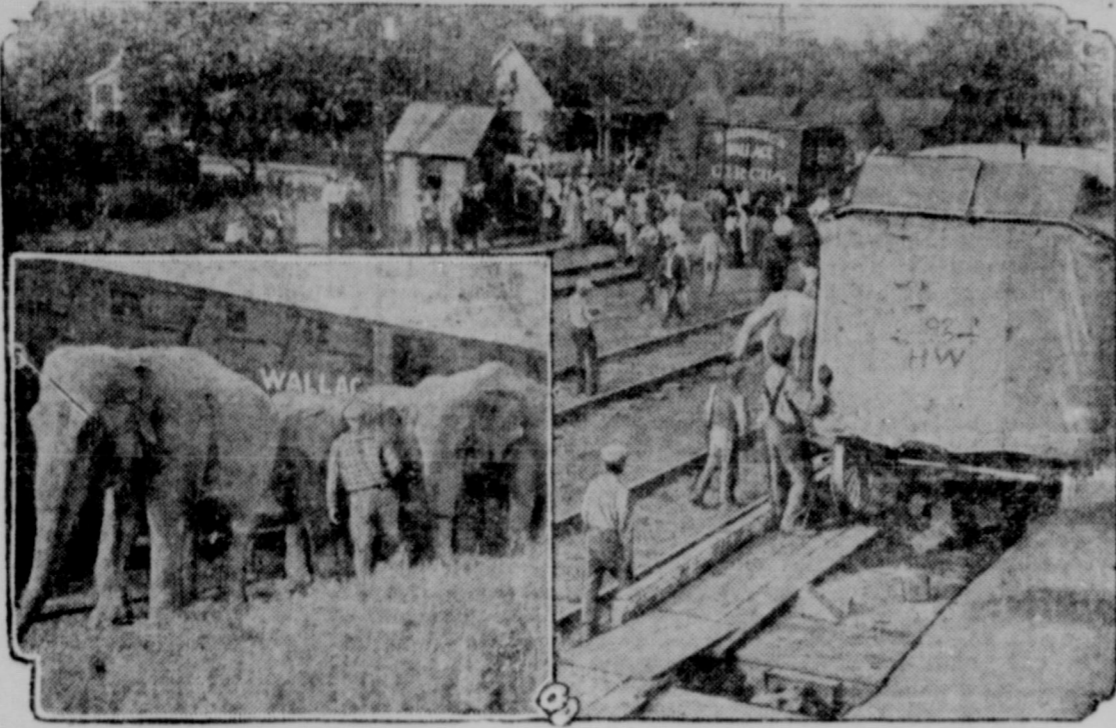
CHINA

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date way. That's freedom. They dance in the latest style. They ride horses, astride, with boots and riding breeches.

Once a deal for girls was that they be able to do beautiful needle work at home. Now they are doing other things. They are clerks in stores. Some are typists and stenographers. Some are bankers. They play the organ or piano or other musical instruments. Some are becoming movie artists or actresses. Some are lawyers and judges and doctors, are teachers and kindergarteners. They even become soldiers and some times they become general's secretaries. Women also become street car conductors, corner politicians and scream the revolutionary plitudes such as "down with imperialism," "give the people freedom," to beat the most zealous men revolutionaries. Rarely do you see a girl for propaganda or riots without seeing girls or women making active part in them, urging on the riots. I am glad to say that some few of them are taking part in Red Cross work in relieving the suffering of those wounded in battle. Women, too, occupy places of influence in the government in Nanking. Once women's faces lacked all hope and ambition and there are still great hosts of women who are the same drudges at home or, worse, in great factories. But among the younger generation they have ambition—

HAGENBECK-WALLACE CIRCUS TO ENTERTAIN THOUSANDS AT BIG AMARILLO TRISTATE FAIR



Little Junior or Mary at Amarillo will not need any extra effort to slip from their beds the morning of September 23rd. With the first call they will spring to the floor, dress hurriedly, swallow their breakfasts and hustle toward the tracks of the railroad. The one important reason for all this activity is Circus Week—Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus Week. Every youngster in Amarillo will be anxious to be on hand for the unloading of the long trains and many of them will follow the canters covered wagons to the circus grounds at the Tri-State Fair Grounds at Amarillo. A huge crowd is sure to be in evidence when the circus is being detrained while additional hundreds are certain to be assembled at the grounds. Sturdy working men will make an easy job of the herculean task of erecting the mammoth big top, as well as the many other big and little tents. Within a few hours after the first wagon reaches the fair grounds, the Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus will be ready for the afternoon and night exhibitors. Performances start at 2 p. m. and 8 o'clock every afternoon and evening of the fair, with the mammoth doors opening one full hour in advance. Thousands of visitors from over the entire Puckaha-Flains are planning to "kill two birds with one stone" by going to Amarillo September 23rd to 28th and seeing both the circus and the greatest Tri-State Fair ever assembled.

ambition that carries them to extremes.

I am glad to say that there are many modest, motherly women who have gone through our mission schools who are making nice, clean, beautiful Christian homes where the children are brought up well and taught to be good useful members of society, children of whom they and the missions can be proud and thankful. One can not expect great things from a nation in which the people have been brought up for ages in filth, physical and moral. But a new generation is coming on, born anew in the church of Christ and in these clean Christian homes. We are expecting much for China from such.

Things are out of join in China, but we hope and pray that the common sense of better Chinese and the deeply planted power of the Gospel will gradually overcome the criminal influences and that China will find peace, prosperity, and a place among the great nations of the world.

Yours in Christ's glad service,
REV. H. G. C. HALLOCK.

AMERICAN ROYAL SHOW SCHEDULED NOVEMBER 16-23

The premium list of the 31st annual American Royal live stock show to be held in Kansas City November 16-23, is ready for mailing and prospective exhibitors and others interested in this event.

Breeders of pure bred Herefords, Shorthorns, Polled Short-horns and Aberdeen-Angus cattle will compete for approximately \$22,000 in prize money, which is offered on breeding cattle and individual fat steers.

More than \$5,000 is offered to producers and feeders of commercial cattle and they may compete for this money with carloads of fat and feeder cattle.

Increased premiums will be offered in the dairy cattle department and breeders of milking Shorthorns, Holsteins, Jerseys and Ayrshires will have the opportunity

of competing for \$8,000 in premiums.

Breeders of pure bred Chester White, Berkshire, Duroc Jersey, Hampshire, Poland China and spotted Poland China swine will show their best animals against their fellow breeders for more than \$4,000 in prizes.

The producers of fat market hogs and feeder pigs will exhibit their animals in carload lots for more than \$700 in awards.

The sheep breeder will have op-

portunity to put his best productions in competition with his fellow breeders and share approximately \$5,000 in prizes offered for B and C type Ramboulllets, Hampshires, Shropshires, Cotswolds, Lincoln, Southdowns, Oxford, Corriedales and Dorsets.

Percheron and Belgian draft horse breeders will have \$5,000 offered on these two breeds and the mule fancier and breeder will have \$1,000. \$500 is offered in the horse and mule pulling contests.

THE BELLA DONNA BEAUTY PARLOR

Try our Scalp Treatment for the removal of dandruff and falling hair.

Permanent Wave \$7.50

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I have taken charge of the Rainbow Camp and Cafe, south of the railroad, and am prepared to serve my patrons with regular meals and short orders that they will like.

I Will Appreciate Your Patronage.

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A Good Time To Subscribe

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Friena Star

Just a good home newspaper

A Community Radio

\$1.50

—a year

Keep yourself and your family posted.

On school events, business events, social events church events, local current events, crop conditions and local market quotations.

WE STRIVE TO SERVE
OUR PEOPLE

The afternoon and evening horse show will have \$40,000 for saddle horses, roadsters, harness, ponies hunters and jumpers.

More than \$7,500 is offered in trophies and medals and in special cash prizes for Herdsmen's specials, live stock judging contests, 4-H boys and girls clubs, vocational agriculture high school activities of which \$1,000 is for agricultural college scholarships.

CONSTITUTION INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE AVAILABLE

Austin—Copies of the revised constitution and rules of the Texas Interscholastic League may be secured from the University of Texas League Bureau, according to Roy Bedichek, chief of the Bureau.

3000 STUDENTS EXPECTED AT TEXAS A. & M. COLLEGE

College Station—Advance applications indicate an enrollment of 3,000 students for the 54th regular session of the A. & M. College of Texas, announcement from the office of Dean C. E. Friley, registrar, shows. This would mean an increase of about 200 over the student body of last year. A feature of the advance enrollment

this year is found in the large number of students transferring from other colleges, especially junior colleges, Dean Friley pointed out.

"Freshman Week" exercises will be held again this year in keeping with a custom that has become popular at A. & M. This program will open September 16 and all freshmen are required to be present to participate in the exercises. Freshmen registration will be held September 18, with registration of old students September 19. Formal opening of the college for the new session will be held September 20, when class work will begin.

Freshmen-Week exercises, designed to familiarize the new students with their surroundings and with the traditions and ideals of the college prior to the opening of class work, will be opened the morning of September 16 with addresses by President T. O. Walton, Dean Friley and T. F. Mayo, librarian, of the college, and Col. C. C. Todd of Bryan. Group meetings with deans of the various schools will be held during the first two days. Psychological tests are scheduled for September 17. Physical examinations will be held September 19. "College Night" program, a colorful affair in student activi-

ties, will be held the night of September 20.

INFORMATION FOR DEBATING TEAM FROM STATE

Austin—Selected material on the subject of highway financing will be available after September 15 for members of the Texas Interscholastic League who are interested in debating, according to Roy Bedichek, chief of the University of Texas League Bureau. A bulletin containing selected arguments both for and against the League subject for debate, Resolved, that the Sterling Plan for Financing a State Highway System Should be Adopted, will be off the press on September 15. Indications are now that it will prove to be one of the most popular subjects ever chosen by the League for debate.

Rotan reported 250 bales of cotton already ginned at an early date in the season, with cotton coming in faster all the time. Early cotton continues to open fast with the hot dry weather starting opening in all fields. Six thousand, five hundred bales or half the crop of last year, is estimated for this year.

THOSE PEORIA DRILLS

Are going fast and you will need one for your seeding. REMEMBER, THERE ARE NONE BETTER AND FEW AS GOOD

We have both the Deep Furrow and Flat Land Types.

See Us About One Today.

Maurer Machinery Co.

SYSTEM

"Saves for the Nation"

You don't lose a penny on bad accounts at the "M" System Store, because we don't have any

**SATURDAY SPECIALS
Saturday, September 14**

FLOUR	Golden Sheaf, 48 lb Sack	\$1.53
COFFEE	Wamba 3 lb Can	\$1.37
COOKIES	Assorted Two Pounds	53c
SOAP	Big 4, Thirteen Bars	49c
LYE	Rabbitt's Six Cans	71c
BANANAS	Nice Fruit, Per Pound	8c
LETTUCE	Hard Heads Per Head	10c

We Want Your Eggs!

Ask us about that 26-piece dinner set to be given away later—see this set on display now.

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Legitimate Basis—Financial Ability
Local Service

All these you pay for when you pay your premium. Then why should anyone solicit patronage when he does not offer all that you pay for?

OUR EXPERIENCE OUR FACILITIES
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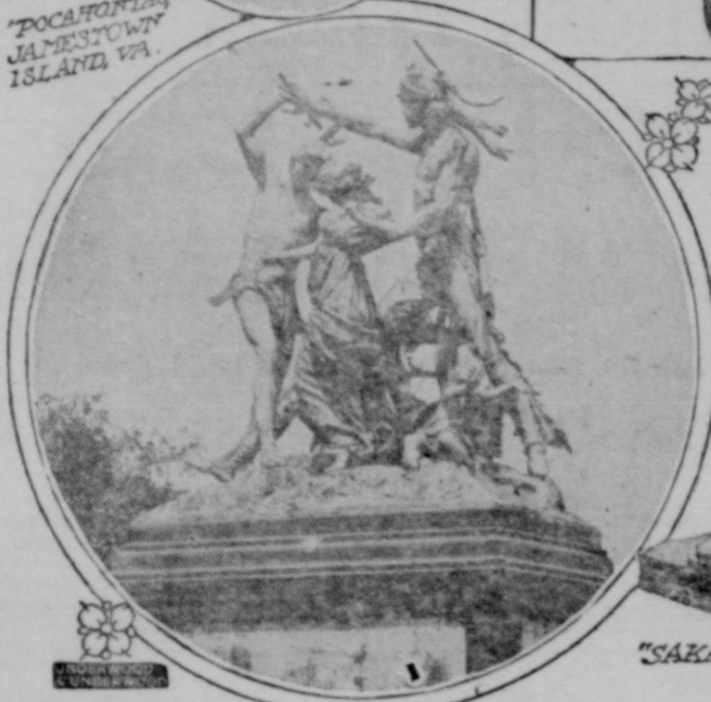
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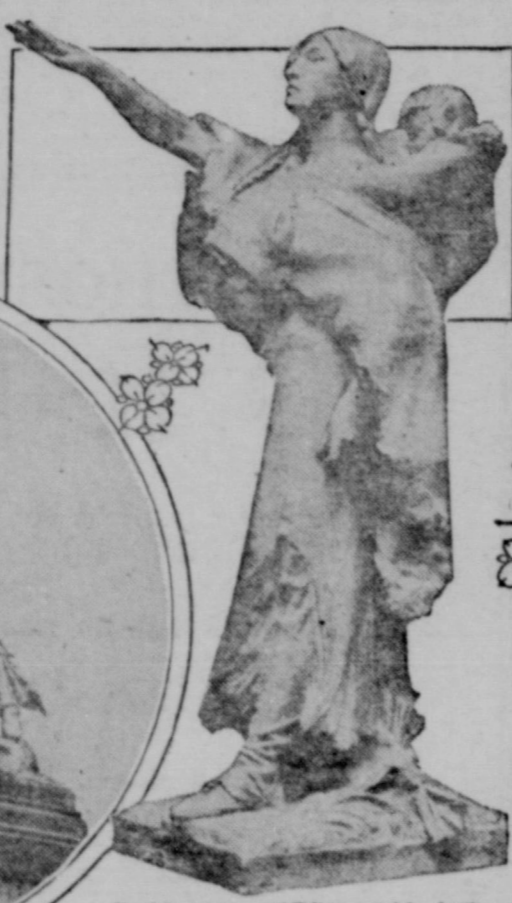
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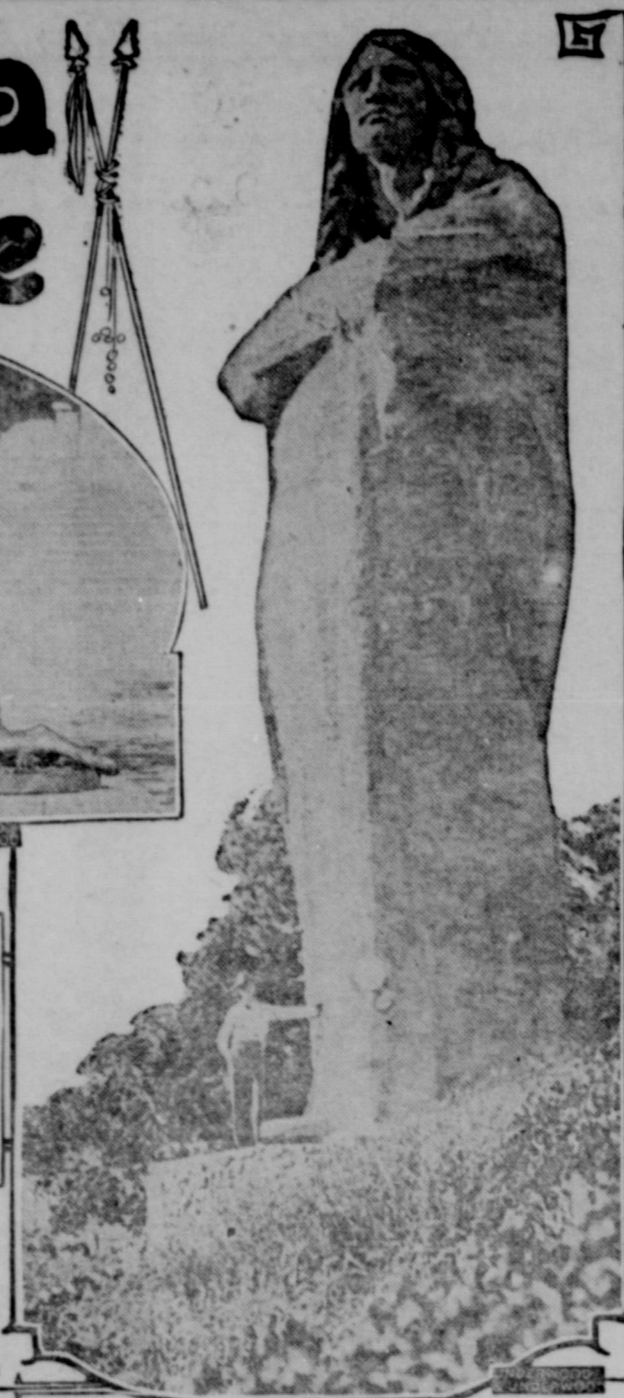
"THE BUFFALO KILLER," DENVER, COLO.



"FORT DEARBORN MASSACRE" CHICAGO, ILL.



"SAKAKAWEA," PORTLAND, ORE.



"BLACKHAWK," NEAR OREGON, ILL.

friend. He died in Washington on the 24th day of December, 1824, of croup, in the 60th year of his age.

It is to the credit of the white man, at least that not all of the monuments which he has erected have been to friendly Indians. Some of them perpetuate the warlike deeds of Indians who were in their day the bitterest enemies of the encroaching whites. One of these stands in the courthouse yard at Point Pleasant, W. Va., and bears witness to the greatness of Cornstalk, the Shawnee, who led his warriors in the first and greatest "all-American battle" at Point Pleasant at the mouth of the great Kanawha in 1774 when native white frontiersmen under Gen. Andrew Lewis strove mightily with native red men under Cornstalk. Although defeated at that battle, Cornstalk's prowess and generosity won the highest praise from his enemies, who later were the most sincere mourners of his death at the hands of treacherous and cowardly whites while he was detained as a hostage. A memorial in a Pittsburgh park recalls another great Shawnee who fought under Cornstalk at Point Pleasant. He was Catahecassa, but known along the frontier as Black Hoop, a warrior whose fighting days extended from Braddock's defeat in 1755 through the defeats of Harmar and St. Clair, until Mad Anthony Wayne finally broke the power of the Indians and peace was signed in 1795.

No part of the United States is richer in Indian memorials than the great Mississippi valley which was for so long the beloved homeland of several powerful Indian tribes. Near Columbus, Ohio, stands a monument to the memory of Leatherlips, a Wyandot chief, who was executed by his own people on the site of the monument in 1809. This memorial was erected by the Wyandot club, an organization dating back to pioneer days, because of the fact that, although the Wyandots claim that the old chief was executed for practicing witchcraft, it was the opinion of the settlers that it was done because Leatherlips was too friendly with the whites. Chicago, the metropolis of the Mississippi valley empire, is especially rich in Indian memorials. In addition to the Mestrovic and Dullin statues, it has also a monument which perpetuates not only the story of a terrible Indian massacre but also a noble act on the part of a red man. This is the Fort Dearborn Massacre monument on the lake front, capped by the stirring group which depicts Black Partridge, the Pottawatomie, saving the life of Mrs. Helm, wife of one of the officers in the fort, from the deadly tomahawk of an infuriated Indian brave.

West of Chicago the traveler will see, on a high bluff above the Rock river, a solitary majestic figure outlined sharply against the natural beauty of field and woodland in the background. Although this statue, the work of the noted Chicago sculptor, Lorado Taft, is popularly believed to be that of Blackhawk, the great leader of the Sacs and Foxes, its maker has declared that it is neither a representation of that leader nor of any single tribe. It symbolizes the Indian, a spirit unconquered while still a conquered race. It is one of the first large monuments to be made of concrete.

Still further west is another statue by the same sculptor which tells the story of another great Sac and Fox leader. This is the bronze figure of Chief Keokuk which stands in the Iowa city which bears his name. Oshkosh is an honored name, the name of a chieftain of the Menominee Indians and several years ago, in a beautiful setting in Menominee park, the citizens of Oshkosh, Wis., erected a statue in honor of his memory.

Out in Colorado is another city which bears the name of a great Indian chief. He was Chief Ouray of the Utes, an Indian who repeatedly proved his right to the title of "Friend of the White Man." A few years ago a part of their debt of gratitude to him was paid by the unveiling of a monument to Ouray and his wife, Chipeta, on a tract of land near Montrose which was a part of the original Chief Ouray ranch.

And these are but a few of the many memorials to the vanished race. As westward the "star of empire took its way" it took with it the Indian and the sorrowful fate which has been his, and is symbolized in one of the most famous of all Indian statues—the bowed figure of an Indian warrior, mounted upon a horse whose drooping head is pointing toward the setting sun—James Earle Fraser's "The End of the Trail."

there a reminder of another friend of the Pilgrims. It is a granite monument with a bronze tablet bearing this inscription: "Samoset, an Indian Sachem of Pennequid who welcomed the English at Plymouth, gave a deed of the land where this stone was quarried, and of that where it stands, to John Brown of New Harbor 15th July, 1623, and acknowledged it before Abraham Shurte, it being the first deed properly executed in New England." One other New England statue which should be mentioned before leaving that part of the country is the famous bronze by Cyrus E. Dallin, "The Appeal to the Great Spirit," which stands before the museum of fine arts in Boston. This was the last of a series of four statues made by the famous sculptor more than twenty years ago which represented the racial tragedy in which our national life began. The first "The Signal of Peace" stands in Lincoln park, Chicago, and represents the friendly meeting of white and red man. "The Medicine Man" in Fairmount park, Philadelphia, depicts the red man's suspicion of the invader while "Protest" shows the warfare of the tribesmen against settlers. "The Appeal to the Great Spirit" illustrates the surrender of the Indian, not to human enemies but to a higher friend. One other of Dallin's symbolical sculptors should be added to the list of his masterpieces. It is "The Scout" which stands in Penn Valley park in Kansas City, Mo., an appropriate locale, for this was the eastern terminus of the Oregon and Santa Fe trails and the mounted Indian is looking over the vast empire where he made his last stand before the onrush of the white settlement of the West.

The recent unveiling of the Chanco monument in Virginia is a reminder that Pocahontas, one of the two great Indian heroines in American history, was not the only one whom Virginians have reason to hold in grateful remembrance. The statue of Pocahontas, which stands on Jamestown Island, is perhaps the best known of all Indian statues. To see the memorial to another Indian heroine you must go clear across the continent to City park in Portland, Ore. There stands Sakakawea, her hand outstretched to the west, pointing the way as she did more than a hundred years ago when she guided Lewis and Clark on their famous expedition into the wilderness. North Dakota also has honored the memory of this Indian girl with a statue which stands on the grounds of the state capitol at Bismarck. Virginia, however, is not the only state which had a Pocahontas. Near the town of Benton, Tenn., stands a cairn of stones bearing a marker with the following inscription: "In Memory of Nancy Ward, Princess and Prophetess of the Cherokee Nation. The Pocahontas of Tennessee. The Constant Friend of the Pioneer, Born 1738—Died 1822."

In the Congressional cemetery in Washington, D. C., stands a monument which is not only unique in that burying ground of notables of our nation. It is also a memorial to an Indian warrior and statesman said by many to be the greatest of all his race known to the white man and honored at the time of his death with a military funeral accorded only those ranking as general officers of the United States army—the only red man in history to have been paid such a tribute. Engraved on the plain shaft that marks his burying place are these words: "Pushmataha, a Choctaw Chief lies here. This monument to his memory was erected by his brother chiefs who were associated with him in a delegation from their nation in the year 1824 to the government of the United States. Pushmataha was a warrior of great distinction. He was wise in council, eloquent to an extraordinary degree, and on all occasions under all circumstances, the white man's

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

THIS year marks the tenth anniversary of the establishment of a day for honoring the memory of the original inhabitants of this continent—the American Indian. It was in 1919 that the Illinois legislature authorized the observance of Indian day on the fourth Friday in September of each year. Since that time the idea has spread to other states and all over the country the day is marked with various ceremonies.

In connection with this event, it is interesting to note how many permanent memorials have been erected within recent years to perpetuate the fame of some individual red man or of the Indian as a race. The past year has seen the addition of several to an already long list of such memorials. Outstanding among these have been the two Indian equestrian statues of heroic size which were made a part of the main project of the monumental Grant park decorative scheme, the twin bridges across the railroad tracks at the foot of Congress street, on the lake front of Chicago. Characterized as "two of the ugliest but most impressive Indians ever cast in bronze," these statues, modeled by Ivan Mestrovic, the great Yugo Slav sculptor, idealize the fighting spirit of the American Indian as not done before.

Other memorials to a vanished race (and that term is used purposely, because the primitive Indian is not merely the "vanishing race," but very definitely a "vanished race") include the life-like bust of Chief Oratem, of the Achkinke-shacky tribe, which was recently presented to the Bergen County Historical society in New Jersey, the monument to Chief Straw of the Delawares, unveiled at Strawtown, near Noblesville, Ind.; and a massive granite boulder erected at Surrey Courthouse, Virginia, which recalls to the people of that state their indebtedness to an Indian named Chanco. A bronze tablet on that boulder tells his story. It reads: "In memory of Chanco, the Indian who lived with Richard Pace at Pace's Paines in this county and who, on the night before the massacre of March 22, 1622, informed Pace of Opechancanough's plot and thus saved the Jamestown colony."

And these are only a few of the many memorials to the American Indian which have been erected in every state in the Union. An entire book could be written about these memorials and the heroic deeds to which they testify. This article, therefore, cannot hope to contain a complete list. In New England alone, for instance, a plan was set on foot several years ago to erect one hundred monuments to all the tribes and to a number of individual Indians who lived in that section of the country. Just the other day it was announced that a memorial of a different sort from the usual was to be established on Mount Hope in Rhode Island as a shrine to perpetuate the memory of King Philip, the great Wampanoag warrior. On that historic ridge will be built a fireproof museum for housing objects of historic Indian value and it will be a shrine, an archeological sanctuary for new England history. Massachusetts long ago honored the memory of King Philip's father, Massasoit, with a huge bronze statue of "the great Sachem of the Wampanoags, protector and preserver of the Pilgrims," which was erected at Plymouth during the Pilgrim tercentenary in 1921.

The visitor at New Harbor, Maine, will find

MILLINERY, ENSEMBLES AND SUITS FOR EARLY AUTUMN

IT WOULD seem as if hats have moods as well as modes. One is almost tempted to accuse them of being temperamental, or is it the wearers that are thus? At any rate, according to modern millinery cult, the hat must tune to individuality. Not only must it enter directly into the color scheme of the costume of which it becomes an integral part, but it also

According to the initial couturiere showings, suits and ensembles are going to indulge in lavish, also extremely unique, fur trimmings this fall and winter. The furs employed run the gamut from smooth fabric-like pelts to showiest long-haired types.

In these richly furred costumes every step of the way is marked with



Three Hats for Autumn.

must reflect the spirit of the time, the place and of the woman who wears it. Therefore the choosing of headwear becomes no light matter. One simply cannot "get by" these days buying a chapeau at random and expect to be hatted up to standard.

Since millinery ethics, so to speak, have reached such an acute stage, both those who create the modes and the women who wear them are becoming increasingly but sensitive. Which accounts for the amazing diversity of headgear, such as heralds the new season.

The illustration demonstrates the fact of hats being both brimmed and brimless. The two-cap versions as shown bear the stamp of French origin. The model at the top in the above picture is of felt stripping over-cast along one edge with wool yarn.

fascinating diversity—here a badger-trimmed, rough-surfaced tweed, there a dressy broadcloth or it may be dainty netting and cuffed and muffed too. If you puff, for there's the cutest little muff with the outfit all of black broadtail.

Maybe next to follow in the style parade is a brown novelty cloth flecked with white, the white caracul collar which ties very prettily, giving it class.

No less interesting than the fur themselves are the odd and diverse ways in which they are manipulated. In the flat furs, particularly, one is impressed with fashion's trend toward novelty. So many of the thin, supple furs are stylized with clever "dressmaker" touches, such as piquant bows, standing collars one side fur and one side cloth, sleeves half of



Style-Revealing Afternoon Costume.

The cap-touque shown below it exploits the all-over braided effect.

Again fashion sponsors the cloche. The one in the picture is one of those casual, informal felts, just such as should occupy a niche in every well equipped wardrobe of hats. One may imagine it in any color which suits best, for, hats repeat the color of the frock or coat with which they are worn.

A very interesting color phase which is being made much of in the initial fall displays is that of vivid tones. Bi-color, tri-color and multi-color themes are worked out with consummate art both in felts and velvets. First in the color procession come browns in solids or combined with stunning yellows, tangerine and capucine shades. Wine shades and old fashioned plum color play close seconds. Quite a flair for greens, too, especially rich dark tones. Such contrasts are featured as navy with pink felt, black with white, also black with apple green.

for the other half of fabric and so on and so on.

Then there's the subject of materials, which presents an endless variety in patterning, color and weave. Oh! the new street and afternoon costumes are certainly not lacking in thrills.

The model pictured abounds in just one style-revealing detail after another. First there's the showy fur collar and cuffs to attract attention. Then there's the fabric itself, a rough surfaced brown novelty cloth, for already it is apparent that brown is to be the rage. Note the buttons on the blouse and the skirt, for they foretell that fancy turns to them as an important trimming theme.

Other notable details apply to the making of the shirt which boasts a fashionable yoke treatment, likewise the fallie silk blouse which is a tuck-in, signifying the return to normal waistlines.

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Lights of New York

—By—
GRANT DIXON

Coincidence
New York.—Several months ago an author of my acquaintance completed a novel, which has been appearing as a serial in a magazine but is not yet out in book form, in which the hero is the inventor of a machine which enables motorists to serve themselves with gasoline by dropping quarters in a slot. A few weeks ago it was announced that a California inventor had perfected such an apparatus.

City Museum
New York, which already may lay claim to being the city of museums, will have a museum of its own next year, wherein will be displayed the municipal waxworks. Unlike the waxworks at Coney Island, which pictures such civic events as the murder of Arnold Rothstein, this museum will depict the more serious and important moments in the history of the municipality. The first scene will show Henry Hudson on the deck of the Half Moon, approaching the island of Manhattan on his search for a route to the

Indies. Other scenes will show Peter Minuit making his famous \$24 deal with the Indians, and Washington's inauguration at Federal hall. Also pictured will be a draft riot in Union Square during the Civil war, and the waterfront in the days of clipper ships. No plans have been laid for picturing more modern events, but I, for one, vote for the inclusion of a scene depicting the returning of Lindbergh from Paris. There was something that for sheer magnificence may never be duplicated.

Floating Hotel
Several years ago an imaginative reporter got himself and his newspaper into all sorts of trouble with a highly colored story about a floating palace on Rum Row, where the elite of the fast set were enjoying gambling and drinking orgies. The vessel was pure imagination on the reporter's part, and every one agreed, a very superior grade of imagination. But now the real thing has appeared off the coast of Long Island. It is a luxurious boat, operated as a hotel where stage and society folk spend their week ends. It is no gambling hell or floating liquor dispensary, and it operates within the law.

Foolish Squirrels
Columbia university, where men and women are equipped in a superior fashion for their battle with life, has proved the undoing of a community of squirrels. These animals have been

Claims Plane Shakes Dishes Off Her Shelf

Syracuse, N. Y.—That a low-flying airplane keeps her awake and "shakes dishes off the shelves" in the wee hours of the morning was the complaint made to the police here recently by one housewife.
"It flies so low it wakes us all up and the vibration from the engine shakes dishes off my shelves," said the woman, adding that she wanted "something done about it." The sergeant promised to do his best, though as yet there are no "air cops" on the force.

broken down mentally to such an extent that they have forgotten the in-born squirrel instinct to bury nuts in summer so that they may eat in winter. The students are at fault. Apparently all of the thousands that attend the university in the winter session have been willing to provide nuts for the campus squirrels, and the squirrels have developed a devil-may-care philosophy. And the strange part of it is that early summer is the leanest period of the year for these improvidents, for the winter students have departed and the summer session attendants have not yet arrived.
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First Fag Starts Fire
Philadelphia.—Smoking his first cigarette at the age of fifty-four, W. W. Cole set fire to his home and was nearly overcome before he rescued his four-year-old niece. Mr. Cole's first smoke was a bigger one than he intended.

Louder Than Any Word
No speech ever uttered or utterable is worth comparison with silence.—Carlyle.

It Won't Be Long Now



SOME PEASI

Locust Samson had been born and reared in the backwoods, and was a grown man before he made his first visit to the city. He went to a hotel for dinner and, as an appetizer, was served a dish of large olives. Locust looked them over carefully and then motioned for the waiter.
"Ah don' wants ter bothah you," he said in an awe-struck voice, "but ah'd shoud like to see de pods dem peas come in."—Open Road.

SMALL BILL



Hubby—What have you got to pay for that canary bird?
Wife—Oh, the bill for that kind of bird is very small.

Brave Boy
"I cannot sing the old songs," she sang with face away.
"And since you can't," said brother, "I wish you wouldn't try."

Jury No Place for Him
Judge—Why are you so sure this man is disqualified for jury service when you haven't even asked him a question concerning his views?
Lawyer for the Defense—The fact that he looks actually intelligent ought to convince you that he doesn't belong on a jury, your honor.

The Big Expense
Mrs. Bont-Town—What do you consider the heaviest item of your household expenses?
Old Longwed—According to my wife's expense account "sundries" cost me more than all the rest put together.

Valuations
"Aren't you sorry for a man who has to pay alimony?"
"Not if the woman is homely," answered Miss Cayenne. "Whatever the alimony may be, the man is likely to feel that he is getting off cheap enough."—Washington Star.

WHAT STOPPED HIM?



She—Don't you dare kiss me—or I'll slap your face.
He—Don't think it's fear stops me

New Responsibilities
This world is rather funny
As legacies redouble
With every bunch of money
You get a bunch of trouble.

The Price of Peace
"Pa, what's hush money?" asked the kid.
"It's the ten you give a wife so she can go buy what she wants and quit gabbling about how abused she is," growled his dad.

Mental Dyspepsia
Gertie—Poor Bertie! I'm afraid he suffers from matrimonial dyspepsia.
Reginald—What's that?
Gertie—Oh, you know—his wife doesn't agree with him.

Makes It Different
"No, I cannot train you for the stage, you have no voice."
"But I would willingly have trained and paid three times the fees."
"What? Say that again. Your voice sounds better already."—Der Wahre Jakob.

Puzzled
"I've come to the conclusion that women are puzzles."
"So have I; in fact, I've had to give several of them up."

Caligula's Galleys Disappoint

Rome.—Caligula's galley, about which so much has been written in Italy and elsewhere, is proving a disappointment to the Italians, and a source of worry to the peasants of Nemi, whose medieval city overlooks the lake in which the galley was sunk.
Now that several million gallons have been drained from what was till recently the most beautiful lake near Rome, the bulk has appeared in all its dilapidation. Its worn beams, entirely bare of those ornaments of marble, copper and mosaic that were described with such glowing color, have been kept together only by the mud of the bottom of the lake. Now that they have been exposed to the sun, they are in danger of crumbling away altogether, and the two firms that have undertaken its salvage at their own expense hastily had it boarded up, while continuing pumping opera-

tions, though on a reduced scale, as the rapid pumping of the last six months not only caused landslips, but may throw the beams of the bulk apart altogether.

Hope to Reconstruct Galley.
Archeologists and antiquarians are not so disappointed as the general public, nor do they share the anger of the Nemi peasants, whose famous strawberry beds, which used to reach to the water's edge, are damaged by the withdrawal of moisture and the frequent landslips.

They point out that once the water is drained from the galley's keel, and the cooler weather makes it possible to remove the boarding, it will be simple enough to remove the bulk beam by beam and "reconstruct" it on the shores of the lake, where a small museum is to be built for its reception.
Whether the operation will solve the riddle of how galleys of ancient Rome were propelled remains to be seen. Former attempts to save this one did more harm than good. Large quantities of wood taken from it were sold for fuel, and the better parts made into "keepsakes," such as snuff boxes and walking sticks.

Emperor Is Playful.
As to the precious marbles and bronzes with which the barges were covered, local rumor has it that the

Emperor Caligula, being in a playful mood, sunk the boats on purpose, with his friends on board to see what they would do when in danger of drowning, but carefully had everything of value removed. The discovery of a large wolf's head in copper, a few tiles and some long copper nails, not entirely refuted this legend, for the heads were used as figure-heads, and the tiles may have covered a cabin. One head, evidently the twin of that found near the bulk recently, has been in Terme museum in Rome for some years. The copper nails were purely ornamental, as experts who examined the bulk found the beams were kept together by dove-tailing one into the other.

Now that the barge near the shore has proved disappointing, archeologists' hopes are centered on the one further out which, they say, will be in better condition, as neither peasants nor relic hunters could get at it so easily. But the two firms who are undertaking their salvage for purely patriotic reasons have already spent over 1,500,000 liras (\$75,000) against an estimated 200,000,000 liras (\$10,000,000). And it is not certain that they will be able to attack the second vessel, which would prove even more costly. The estimate was that both would be laid bare by next October.

Wisconsin next year. His work at Illinois has been something of a failure. He doesn't like our weather which, truth compels one to admit, is variable. Living conditions do not please him, his associates are dull and his instructors are dull and altogether commonplace. The facts are that Gentry is lazy, he has been spoiled at home, and so has grown selfish and self-centered. He will be disappointed wherever he goes, for he is not going to be able to get away from himself even in Wisconsin.

Donner as a boy had always seemed to me a very disagreeable person, critical, pessimistic, envying at the slightest opportunity for adverse criticism. Even when he was sitting off in a corner alone, he never seemed to me to be enjoying himself. His own company, even, was disagreeable to him. I had not seen him for some time until a few months ago when he seemed like a new creature, and I had the temerity to say so to him.

"I waked up to the fact one day," he explained to me, "that I was an impossible person to live with—ill-tempered, critical, ill-mannered, selfish. The fact at first did not make such a strong impression on me as it did later when I realized that always, whatever I did, wherever I went, early or late, night or day, I should have to live with myself. There was no escaping it, I could get away from my family, I could snub the neighbors, I could ignore the people I met on the street, but my own personality followed me like a shadow inescapably a part of me. The thought frightened me, I decided to make myself the sort of person with whom it would be pleasant if not profitable to live."
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In a just cause the weak overcome the strong.—Sophocles.

WOMAN OWNS "ORIOLES"



One of the two women to head a baseball organization in this country is Mrs. John Dunn, owner of the Baltimore International League team. She is the widow of Jack Dunn who until his death managed the Oriole club. She is not only intensely interested and enthusiastic over her new role of becoming a business woman but is making a great success of it. She attends all of their games and is an inspiration to all her team.

Father Sage Says

A woman is so used to planning things that she can't understand why a man should make so much fuss about a missing button.

British Aristocrat a Genius

London.—Any schoolboy fresh from his first chemistry lesson, will tell you that water is H₂O—a statement, by the way, with which modern scientists do not altogether agree. Not everybody, however, can say who first made that stupendous fact known to the world.

It was a millionaire bachelor, Henry Cavendish by name, nephew of one of the dukes of Devonshire. He was so shy that he kept many of his discoveries secret lest he should become famous, and they were only unearthed after his death; so shy that if he ever caught sight of one of his own women servants, she had to pack her bag and leave that day. He was so shy that when his banker came to tell him he had \$400,000 in his account—and wasn't that rather a lot to be idle?—he sent the man of business

away, told him to do what he liked with it, but said he would close his account if they ever bothered him again.

He was so shy, says the London Mail, that having a wonderful library of books he was quite willing to lend to take a separate house in Soho so that borrowers need never disturb his studies. Whenever he took out a book himself he always signed for it like any stranger.

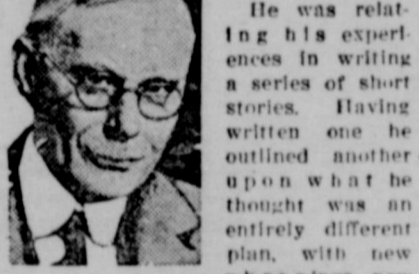
Not only did he tell how water is made. He was one of the first to discover that heat is not a substance but a state; one of the first to measure the density of the earth; a pioneer of electricity, an astronomer, a geologist. Rustles at Clapham, where he had his country seat, peeped through his windows and saw, instead of furniture, a laboratory and a forge. They

thought he was either a wizard or a madman; but he was merely a genius.

ESCAPING FROM ONESELF

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
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It was Joseph Conrad in his introduction to his "Tales of Unrest" who said, "We cannot escape from ourselves."



He was relating his experiences in writing a series of short stories. Having written one he outlined another upon what he thought was an entirely different plan, with new phrasings new

points of view, a different method of attack. "It was only later," he confesses, "that I perceived that in common with the rest of men nothing could deliver me from my fatal consistency. We cannot escape from our selves."
Every day I see the truth of the statement in my own actions and in the reactions of those with whom I come into contact. We deceive our selves that a new environment, a different job, a milder climate will inspire us with greater enthusiasm, will give us a keener desire for work, or help us to go at unpleasant tasks with increased eagerness. These things seldom have the effect we anticipate, for, in truth, it is not the climate, nor the job, nor the environment that is wrong, but ourselves. Gentry tells me that he is going to

Female Fire Fighters Win Praise



Members of the female fire department of Silver Springs, Md., are here seen preparing for their annual inspection and hose-laying contest. The town has been very pleased with the service rendered by the female fire fighters throughout the year.

SUCH IS LIFE — Punishment



By Charles Sughroe

"I've come to the conclusion that women are puzzles."
"So have I; in fact, I've had to give several of them up."

International Sunday School Lesson

BY DR. J. E. NUNN

TEACHING THE LAW OF GOD
Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5, 6, 8-12

GOLDEN TEXT: The opening of thy words giveth light.—Ps. 119:130.

Introduction.

For 12 years the great priest and scribe Ezra, is mysteriously absent from the history. These were troubled years in Jerusalem on account of Samaritan aggressions. There was no opportunity for the religious teaching which was Ezra's main purpose in going to Jerusalem. "We can only account for the sudden and absolute vanishing of the greatest figure of the age by supposing that he had retired from the scene, perhaps gone back to Babylon alone with his grief and disappointment. Those were not days for the scholar's mission. But now, with the return of some amount of securing and its accompanying leisure, Ezra emerges again, and immediately he is recorded the front place, and Nehemiah—the Saviour of Society—modestly assumes the attitude of his disciple. A higher tribute to the exalted position tacitly allowed to the scribe or a finer proof of the unselfish humility of the young statesman cannot be imagined. It recognized the supremacy of religion."

"Bring the Book."

"And they spake unto Ezra the scribe to bring the book of the law of Moses which Jehovah had commanded to Israel." It was not as man's book, but as God's book, that Ezra presented the Bible to the great congregations.

"Bring the Book!" It would be well to take this little sentence and frame it as a motto and hang it on the walls of the house. It would be well for men of affairs to have this sentence meet them daily as they go forth to their toll in office, or shop, or store, or street, for wherever men do their work in the world there is need to "Bring the Book." In all circumstances and conditions of life let us learn to "Bring the Book." In our sorrows, when the tapers of hope burn low, there is no book that can comfort the heart like the Bible. Daily it calls us to higher levels of life, opens for us new vistas of thought and hope, inspires us with the great ideals of the Kingdom of God. No wonder that a brilliant writer has said that if all the books of the world were going up in a bonfire, he would rush in and save the Bible.—Rev. Edgar Whitaker York D.

A Six-Hour Bible School.

"And he read therein from early morning until midday." At midday "the excessive heat made further standing in the open impracticable. Most Orientals have about this time of day a long siesta." The Bible school was six or seven hours long and yet we degenerate moderns think that half an hour a week is all the time we can give to Bible study in the church. And the ears of all the people were attentive unto the book of the law. Attention is the first essential of learning. Giving attention, when one wants to give it, as well as continuing one's attention when he has given it, is a matter of habit. And there is hardly a habit of mind more difficult of acquiring than just this one. It has been said indeed that a man's power of learning and a man's power of using his learning depend more upon his ability of fixing and continuing his attention on what he sees or hears, or on what he would say or do, than on any other mental habit or quality.

The Only "Pulpit" in the Bible.

"And Ezra the scribe stood upon a pulpit of wood." A wooden pulpit or platform has been made for Ezra, the first contrivance of the kind recorded in history. This important novelty helped to mark the importance of the occasion. It was broad enough to contain, in addition to Ezra, no fewer than thirteen assistants; if Ezra may be called the superintendent of this first Bible school, he had thirteen assistant superintendents. These assistants were probably Levites, and six of them stood on Ezra's right hand, seven on his left.

"And Ezra opened the book; and when he opened it, all the people stood up." "The Jews commonly sat to hear and stood up to pray; but in hearing they occasionally stood up, to do greater honor to the person or the occasion (Judges 3:20). It is not to be supposed that they stood dur-

ing the whole of the six hours that Ezra's reading lasted.—Pulpit Commentary.

Worship in the Bible School.

"And Ezra blessed Jehovah, the great God." This pioneer Bible school opened with prayer, and the custom has been maintained ever since. We cannot fully apprehend the Bible without the aid of its Author. "And they bowed their heads and worshipped Jehovah with their faces to the ground." They bent over, their heads low in token of profound adoration.

Worship is an essential element in the Bible school. We cannot make progress in Bible study unless God is present with us. A reverential attitude on the part of all must be obtained and maintained or the school will be a failure. "They Read Distinctly and Gave the Sense."

"And they read in the book in the law of God, distinctly." Reading aloud is a fine art, and especially as it applies to the Scriptures. It is an art that is falling into disuse with the breaking up of family life. And in reading the first essential is for the reader to make himself heard, to read distinctly, each syllable properly formed and the reading as clear as a bell. "And they gave the sense, so that they understood the reading." We often say that "the Bible is its own interpreter," and that is true, but only after the reader is put into the same relation with regard to it as toward a modern English or American book. But the Bible comes to us from distant countries and from ancient times. It is full of allusions to different customs from ours and before we can understand it many references must be translated into corresponding terms in our experience. These reasons made it necessary to have lesson helps in the Bible school and in the preliminary study at home. They take the place of those thirteen Levites who explained Ezra's Bible reading to the people.

The thirteen men who stood with Ezra on the platform were there probably to do honor to him and help him render the occasion impressive. In addition thirteen others are named who were probably Levites representing as many families and it was their duty, according to different parts of the assembly, to repeat the Scripture passage as the reader gave it, a small portion at a time, and then explain it clearly to the people. This was the part of Nehemiah's Sunday school which corresponded to our modern recitation period. It is the climax of the whole, that to which the Bible reading and the worship have led.

"Send Portions" to the Needy.

"And send portions unto him for whom nothing is prepared." "The sending of portions" to the poor is not distinctly mentioned in any but the later historical Scriptures. (Compare Esth. 9:19, 22). But it was an injunction of the Law that the enjoyment of the greater festivals should be extended to the stranger, the fatherless, and the widow (Deut. 16:11-14); and the practice of sending portions naturally grew out of this injunction, proceeding even beyond it.—Speaker's Commentary. Thus in modern times dinners are given to the poor and baskets of food sent them on Thanksgiving day and Christmas especially. "Neither be ye grieved; for the joy of Jehovah is your strength." "This beautiful sentence is literally 'Delight in Jehovah is a strong refuge.'"

Joy and Gladness in Worship.

"And all the people went their way to eat and to drink, and to send portions and to make great mirth." "These exhortations to festive gladness breathe the characteristic Old Testament tone of wholesome enjoyment of material good as a part of religion. The way of looking at eating and drinking and the like, as capable of being made acts of worship, has been too often forgotten by two kinds of men—saints who have sought sanctity in asceticism, and sensualists who have taken deep draughts of such pleasures without calling on the name of the Lord and so have failed to find his gifts a cup of salvation. It is possible to 'eat and drink and see God,' as the elders of Israel did on Sinai."—Alexander MacLaren.

"Because they had understood the words that were declared unto them." The ground of their joy was very good. To have the Holy Scriptures with us, and helps to understand them, is a very great mercy, which we have abundant reason to rejoice in. "The better we understand the Word of God the more comfort we shall find in it; for the darkness of trouble arises from the darkness of ignorance and mistake."—Matthew Henry.

The new Chase deep furrow grain drill, no trash can bother, can get a stand when all others fail. Look this drill over before you buy. GAINES & ELLIOTT Hardware Co., Bovina, Texas.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SERVICES

Rev. Mr. Tolley Corder of Tulia will preach at the Church of Christ new building next Sunday at 11 a. m. Rev. Corder has been in Friona on other occasions and is known by many of our people. Everybody most cordially invited to attend this service and hear his message.

Mr. Fairley, of the State Telephone Company of Texas, was here Monday looking after the interests of his company in Friona.

Personal

While in town Wednesday afternoon Ed Massie took occasion to renew his subscription to the Star. While we know very well that Ed could get along without the Star, he made it plain that he does not want to do without it.

New type Sanders one-way plow, three levers, new hitch and fool proof. Puts it in a class to itself. GAINES & ELLIOTT HARDWARE CO., Bovina, Texas.

A representative of the State Telephone Company of Texas was in Friona several days this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilkinson and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Maurer spent the latter part of last week in Amarillo in attendance at the Air Derby.

The Fairbanks-Morse steel Eclipse windmill will always get you a cool drink. Has 25 per cent more lifting power than others in steel type. Come in and let us tell you why. GAINES & ELLIOTT HARDWARE CO., Bovina, Texas.

Mrs. S. K. Smith is planning the erection of another dwelling house in town in the near future. Logan Symson is making the plans.

Star Advertisers are sincere in their efforts to make buying easier for you. Read their messages.

The Sunset State has been doing some good passenger business thru Friona recently. The Sunset passes directly through the town and furnishes our people with very satisfactory service of which we are proud.

Weeds never get too thick and high for the new type Sanders plow, and the ground never gets too hard but what it will do a real plow job when all others fail. GAINES & ELLIOTT HARDWARE CO., Bovina, Texas.

Buy binder twine at BLACKWELL'S.

A. W. Taylor, whose farm is northeast of town, called in the Star office and renewed for the Star for another year. Mr. Taylor says he likes the Star and does not want to miss a copy.

Winters is sending out appeals for cotton pickers. The cotton picking is in full blast there now and has average one-fourth bale per acre. They are paying \$1.00 per 100 and furnishing houses for families who want to pick.

Marfa furnished the principal speaker at the barbecue by John M. Gist at Midland in the person of Wm. A. Wilson. Gist raised everything eaten at the barbecue except bread, pickles and coffee. Over 200 people were entertained at the barbecue and picnic.

San Angelo reports the highest price paid for leases in Pecos county's fourth oil pool up to this time to be \$3,215 per acre, half of which is to be paid in cash and the other half in oil. Forty acres brought this amount in leasing.

Canyon school officials greeted and entertained over 1000 teachers representing 188 Panhandle counties in the annual institute. Many teachers of the WTSTO were on the program and special lectures were given during the sessions.

Convention plans were made at a meeting of the advisory board of the WTCC with A. M. Bourland and Grady Shipp. A time and place will be designated for the giving of programs or stunts by every town represented. The convention will end with a fiesta on the streets of Juarez, Mexico.

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