By Associated Press.

AUSTIN. Tex., 9.—Abilene High School won the Interscholastic Lea gue track and field meet here Saturday, when, through the efforts of las; Keith, Ralls; Rochelle. Time, Roy Stephens, their ace athlete, they 51.9. registered 14 points. Forest Avenue High School of Dallas was second with 11 points. Sweetwater was 4th with 9 points and Houston Central was fifth with 8 points.

Seven Interscholastic League record were set. They included the 100-yd. dash, in which Draper of Ft. Worth Central broke the tape at 9.9 seconds. Stephens of Abilene set a new record in the 220-yd. low hurdles, making the distance in 24.7 seconds. Draper also set a record in the 220-yd. dash, making the dis tance in 22 seconds flat, this victory, the second for Draper, giving Ft. Worth, a tie for third place.

Bagnell of Clude broke the record for the 220-yd. run, racing in Bartlett. Marlin: Vann, Weatherahead of Stout of Cleburne, Crouch ford; Shelley Austin; Celeva, Brown of Vernon and Cates of Rochelle. His sville. Distance 49 feet, one-and one time was 2:2.7 Vernon's fast mile half in. relay team set a record when it brought the barton across the finish ville: Hall, Masonic Home, Ft.

Bartlett of Marlin took the lead in the weight division when he put the 12-pound shot, 49 ft. 1 and one-half in. for a ne wrecord. Stewart of Breckenridge broke the running high jump record with his leap of 6 feet 2 inches.

Hammond of Electra while not breaking a record in the Javelin throw, set a high mark for future contestants when he threw the slen der wand 174 feet 10 inches. This is the first time the Javelin has been thrown in the History of the meet.

Stephens of Abilene was high point man. He finished first in the

ing up 11 points. Draper of Fort ed off with the tennis honors in the Worth Central and Bailliew of Beau | formances of a year ago andwalkmont, tied up for second place with finals of the Interscholastic League 10 points each.

Beaumont: Bronda, Abilene: Hatch. Lorena; Dohlne, Flatonia. Time, 12.2 100-yd. dash (new record); Draper Ft. Worth Central; Cayton, Oak Cliff, Dallas; Hall San Angelo; Hu-

ghes, Texarkanna. Time, 9.9. 220-yd. low hurdles: (new record) Stephens, Abilene; Bailliew, Beaumont; Naylor, Clarendon; Walker, Vernon. Time, 24.7.

440-yd. dash; coles, Houston Central; Puckett, Forest Avenue, Dal-

220-yd. dash (new record); Draper F". Worth Central; Cayton, Oak Cliff the game of their championship be announced later. with 13 points. Houston Central 3rd Dallas; Hall, San Angelo; Stephens Abilene. Time, 22 flat.

880-yd. run (new record); Bagwell. Claude: Stout. Cleburne; Crouch, Vernon; Gates, Rochelle. Time, 2:2.7.

One-mile run; Willis, Sweetwater Morton, San Marcos; Garett, Claude Simpson, Denton. Time, 4:38.3. One-mile relay (new record); Ver

non, Houston Central; Forest Avenue and Cleburne. Time, 3:30.5. Pole vault; Sullivan, Forest Avenue, Dalas; Smith, Forest Avenue,

Abbe, Hillsboro; Giesecke, Anglton, Height, 11 feet, 2 and one-half in. 12 pound shot put (new record):

Discus throw, Celava, Browns-Worth; Bartlett, Marlin; Rosenbur Distance, 122 feet, 9 in.

Running high jump, new record Stewart, Breckenridge; Toler, Sweet Justice of the Peace. water: Thacker, Dickens and Gar-6 ft. 2 in.

tral. Distance, 22 ft 11 in

and fourth in the 220-yd. dash, ring Dallas repeated high brilliant per- sleeps well."

meet Saturday afternoon. Berke- President-R. E. Petross. 120-yd. high hurdles; Bailliew, ley Bell, Austin flash fell out in the Vice-President-M. A. Buhler. semi-finals when he was beaten by Secretary-Treasurer-H. Davis. Charles Sloan of Houston. Sloan in turn was defeated by Quick in one of the prettiest matches seen in

> Mary Zita McHale, a schoolmate of Quick's took first place in the girls' singles by a brilliant victory June—A. G. Church, J. E. Gregg and Galilee. over Marjorie Bright of Wichita W. H. Colquitt. Falls, winning in straight sets, 6-3,

Austin for some time.

The Taft team composed of Willella Boykin and Villa Mae Brittain, and W. B. DeVolin. matches and wrested the girls dou- Boys Workbles honors from the Calvert team, of Euna Belle McBride and Myrtle E. Petross. Mae McBride, After the sisters had Public Affiarsdefeated them 6-1 in the opening game, the Taft team came back and Stanley Casner. took the next two games and the Publicity-

Houston one of the members of whose team eliminated Berkeley H. T. Fletcher. Bell in the singles, also spilled the Classificationshopes of the local team when Bell and Leon Ammann lost to Sloan and Mitchell Darby in the final round.

W. H. CARTER

Last Friay at Presidio, Texas, W. H. Carter passed away. About four years ago he came to Marfa with the family. At that time he was suffer ing from the ravages of the great

ner, Turkey, tied for second. Height can war veteran, prominent mason Constable. and a member of the Christian Running broad jump; Stephens, Church; he was a man of culture Abilene: Garner Turkey; Toler, and education, and whithal a gentle Sweetwater, Sawyer, Houston Cen-man in its highest terms. In the flower of manhood, when the fruits Javelin throw (new record); (1st) of his attainments and character of the Rangers, Capt. Gray sent to A Garden Lullaby Class gave promise of acheivement he was the Governor his resignation, which Offenbach. Hammond Electra: Galloway, met with many, many reverses, cau took effect on May 1st. The Capt. Class Prophecy Shelley, Austin. Distance, 174 ft.10. manfully fought on to the end. And he has acquired large farming in- Piano Solo

MARFA ROTARY CLUB ELE-CTS NEW OFFICERS

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rallied desperately after a defeat in Committees for other months wil

M. A. Buhler, J. E. Gregg and R.

H. T. Fletcher and H. Davis.

championship with scores of 6-3, Membership-H. O. Metcalfe, N. A. Arnold and

H. T. Fletcher, H. A. Coffield and J. F. Bennett.

Rotary Education-H. O. Metcalfe, M. A. Buhler and J E. Gregg

Business Methods-J. F. Bennett, Carl Wease, an H. L. Hord.

COMMISSIONERS COURT

White Plague. A year or more ago On Monday the Commissioners lecture- illustrated by pictures- Kerr Mitchell, he moved to Presidio, where at the Court after transacting routine busi "Behind th Lines in Germany and Jettie Grace Pruett, last general election was elected ness, appointed F. W. Cook Justice Austria-Hungry. of the Peace in and for Precinct no W. H. Carter was a Spanish-Amer 4., and appointed Capt. Jerry Gray

CAPT. GRAY RESIGNS

After a faithful service as Capt. Class Poem

COMMENCEMENT WEEK Presentation Torch of Learning

Commencement week of the Mar- Toast fa High School was inaugurated Up the Airy Mountain Class when Rev. S. F. Marsh delivered Wilson. the baccalaureate sermon at 11:00 Tursday evening was the Seventh c'clock in the Opera House. It was grade night, when those passing in a magnificient inspirational address to High School were presented with appropriate for the occasion- em- certificates. The following program May-M. A. Buhler, Carl Wease and phasizing the spirit of service as was given. illustrated in the life of the Man of Song

> were held services of the First Cav Reading ... alry, at the Service Club, Camp Class Prophecy Henry Harris Marfa; commemorating, Mothers' Piano Solo Cornelia Kilpatrick Day. A splendid program was given Reading ... before a large audiance. Chaplain, Valedictory ... Thos. A. Harkins made a splendid Presentation of Diplomas address fitting the occasion.

Also at the Methodist Church, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. Rev. Atticus Webb of the anti-saloon league, H. A. Coffield, F. O. Larkin and dilivered an address on "The Unfinished Task.'

Monday evening at the Baptist Church, Miss Duckworth assisted Song, "We come to Greet you" .. by Miss Wilkerson gave a recital Class. of her pupils in expression and recitotion. The pupils showed the earnest efforts of their teacher and Valedictory . all did well.

Tuesday evning at 7:30 p. m. at Greenwood gave a recital of her Ruth Bailey, class in music. The children all Fom Bandy showed the careful training of Cyrus Franklin, their splendid instructor, and each Gay Howard. one deserves special mention.

Also at 8:00 o'clock p. m. at the Clyde Kerr, Opera House, Major McDonald. & Ruth Livingston, S. Army gave his celebrated war Mary Livingston,

house was crowded and the follow Laura Mitchell. ing interesting program was given: Trio, Helen Joyce, Laura Mitchell. Earline Petross. Class History Mildred Poole

Weatherford: Bailiew, Beaumont; sed from physical ill health, but he expects to remain at Presidio where Class Will Ruth Livingston per month in advance. Notice will low hurdles and the broad jump | Quick of the Oak Cliff High school "Now after lifes' fitful fever he terests and will devote his time to Presentation Book of Knowledge ... Jettie Grace Pruett.

Junior Response Weldon Howell Ruth Baily

Junior Response Edna Mae Scott

Rev. S. F. Marsh Invocation At seven thirty o'clock p. m. there Class History Mary Lee Harper ... Mildred Gatrost Hyacinth Hamic Helen Briam Miss Stansell.

Presentation of Certificates and

Friday evening witnessed the Graduating exercises of the Marfa High School, which closed the week of events. The following program was given at the Opera House:

Rev. H. M. Barton Salutatory Ruth Bailey Ruth Livingston

Address .. President H. W. Morelock Presentation of diplomas by J. C. the Baptist Church, Miss Mary Lee Fuller to the following graduates:

Helen/Joyce.

Wednesday evening at the Baptist Mildred Poole, Church was Senior night. The Hazel Weatherford.

A summer school will begin June Mary Livingston 1st for the benefit of those who wish to do work preparatory for the next regular session. This well Tom Bandy be a subscription school, terms \$5 Elva Spencer be given later as to place the school will be taught.

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SEPARATED MILK IN RATION FOR SWINE

The Michigan experiment station has recently reported an interesting experiment in growing pigs on corn and water as compared to corn and separated milk. Two pigs that got gained only 9.5 pounds.

corn and separated milk and though he only weighed 43 pounds at seven months old, weighed 350 pounds at a year old, a gain of 307 pounds. No. 4 gained only 28 pounds, weighing 76 pounds at one year. Then No. 3 was marketed and No. 4 got separated milk and corn for five months. At the end of this time he had gained 274 pounds, weighing 350 pounds, showing that separated milk can bring out even a stunted pig to make good gains. The gains with separated milk cost 6.7 cents per pound, with skim milk at 35 cents per 100 pounds. Gains without milk cost 19.7 to 39 cents per

Although separated milk contains valuable mineral matter, this was evidently not what was lacking in the corn. The main deficiency was in protein and in the growth-promoting vitamines, both of which were supplied abundantly by the separated milk. Many people try to feed pigs on corn alone, while others who have dairy cows separate the milk and throw the skim milk away. Both are making a serious mistake. If separated milk is not available one should use alfalfa pasture, tankage or some other protein supplement along with corn.

Some will say that they get better results on corn alone than were obtained by the Michigan station. This lon black teas. is probably true where pigs are getting some grass or weeds to supply them with mineral matter and vita- be kept hot in a tea cosey. Tea served mines and with some of the supple- with cream should be stronger than mentary proteins. The main thing to tea served with lemon. remember is that corn is not a com-

Separated milk should be considered as a supplementary feed, not as a complete feed in itself. Where fed in moderate quantities, 2 or 3 pounds of separated milk may take the place of 1 pound of corn. In large amounts count 8 or 10 pounds of milk equal to 1 pound of corn. A good rule is to count 100 pounds of separated milk worth half the price of corn per bushel.-Chas. I. Bray, Colorado Agricul-

Salt Supply for Stock

Without giving much thought as to why they do so, most farmers provide parsley or water cress. salt for their live stock. They know that cows will become "salt hungry," if not well supplied with salt regularly.

Denied salt, normal growth, health, general thrift and production either cease entirely or are sadly impaired. Carefully conducted experiments have proved this to be true. Salt is an essential as good feed and pure water.

Most farm crops and mill feeds are very low in the element chlorine, the very element that common salt supplies cheaply, abundantly and in readily available form. The main use of salt is to supply chlorine that is required to make the hydrochloric acid found in the digestive juice of the cow's stomach, and without which that organ cannot properly perform its digestive function. Diminished milk flow and generally impaired physical condition soon follow if salt is not included in the ration.

It is sometimes customary to add salt to the grain mixture at the rate of one pound salt to 100 pounds grain. This, however, is not enough to provide the requirements for all purposes. Whether fed in the grain mixture or not, additional salt should be available at all times in the barn lots and pastures. This may be provided in the form of rock salt or salt blocks. It is advisable to keep this outside supply protected in some way from the weather. A common practice is to keep common feeding salt in a covered box, where the cattle may have access to it at all times.

Care for Sow and Litter The sow and litter can be left in the small pen until the pigs are five to eight days old, after which both sow and pigs should get a little exercise. Care must be taken not to feed the sow too heavily on rich feed or she will produce so much milk that the pigs will very quickly become too fat and some will be lost simply because they get too fat. Once a litter of pigs has reached two weeks of age, losses should be very small.

Healthy Hogs Best

farm fenced in small well-watered ing to size.

PROPER MANNER FOR MAKING CUP OF TEA

Freshly Boiled Water Is of Much Importance.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) Water for tea making should be freshly boiled, says the United States soap. The fat scraps saved from fall Department of Agriculture. Water that has been boiling for some time is distinctly flat and insipid. Have two to make enough soap, for all family earthenware teapots, both warmed previously by pouring hot water in This would be quite a saving. and allowing it to stand until the pot milk gained 221 pounds each in five is to be used. The amount of tea remonths. Those on corn and water quired depends on the individual taste and on the kind and quality of the tea. At the end of five months the milk- Measure the required quantity of tea fed pigs were marketed and the two in the hot pot (from which the warmstunted pigs put in separate pens. Pig ing water has been emptied), pour on No. 4 got shelled corn, water and a as many cups of freshly boiling water good mineral mixture. Pig No. 3 got as are needed, steep from three to five minutes, and strain into the other hot



Serving Afternoon Tea on a Home made Tea Wagon.

pot. Three minutes will usually allow most of the groma and taste to develop without an excess of tannin, which makes the tea astringent.

When using English breakfast or China congou tea, one level teaspoon to each cup of water is satisfactory. A five-minute brewing gives more body, but the three-minute brewing makes a more delicate cup of tea. China congou has less tannin than the green teas and less than the India and Cey-

Tea should never be boiled. After straining off the leaves, the pot should

11/2 cupfuls cream 1/2 cupful green cheese. pepper. 2 tables poonfuls 1/2 cupful pimencorn oil. % teaspoonful salt. 1/2 cupful mayon-

1/4 teaspoonful panaise. 1/2 cupful evap 1/2 cupful pecans. chilled and whipped.

Blend oil with grated and whipped cream cheese, salt and paprika. Add chopped nuts, green pepper and 'product. pimento. Blend with mayonnaise and fold in whipped evaporated milk.

Earning Money at Home by Making Your Own Soap

In farm butchering there is usually a large quantity of fat scraps which would be a loss if not utilized for making soap. Also, there are the fat scraps and trimmings from bacons, hams and all home-cured meats, which can be saved and made into until spring will amount to considerable, and with these you will be able needs, to last at least six months.

An excellent recipe for making a hard white soap, as good as any commercial soap you ever bought, is given

20 pounds of clean melted fat (free 4 quarts of soft water in which are

4 13-ounce cans of lye and 4 heaping tablespoonfuls of pow-

Let the lye and borax solution the West. stand until cold. It is best to dissolve the lye the day before you want to make the soap, as it takes the solution quite some time to cool. The grease should be just warm enough to be in liquid state. Add the lye solution slowly and stir mixture moderately until it reaches the consistency of honey. Now pour in cloth-lined box to harden. When partly hardened cut in bars but do not remove from box. Cover with an old rug or blanket and let stand 24 hours, when it may be removed. If possible, let soap stand in a warm dry place for a month before using. Remember, the longer the soap ages the better. It is milder and you about 100 bars of hard white soap, worth more than \$5, and you will get a great deal of satisfaction out of seeing the results of your own handi-

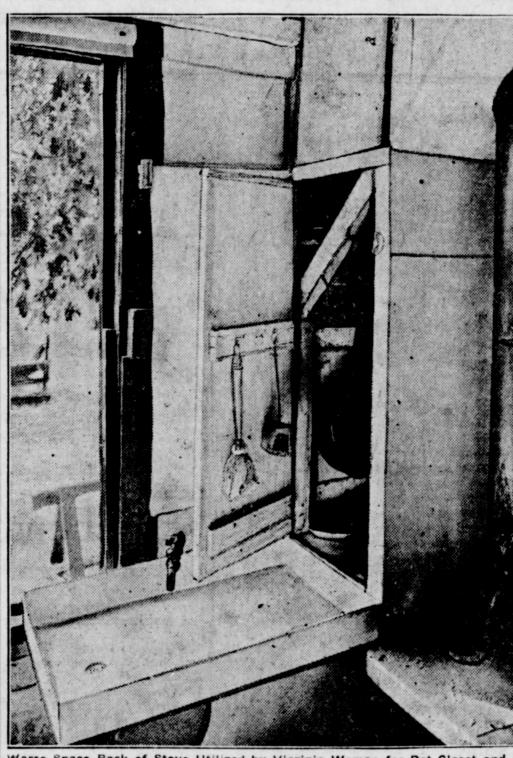
Baking Rhubarb Before Canning Is Ideal Plan

Try baking rhubarb before canning it-you will like the flavor. Wash the rhubarb stalks and cut them into halfbake until tender in a covered dish. The time is not counted until the water surrounding the jars has begun to boil

What might be called the "hot pack" is now considered the best method of canning for all vegetables and a numpoured over them in the containers

kinds of fruits and vegetables are he saw its friendly old walls. Place in mold and pack in equal parts given in Miscellaneous Circular 24, Is of Great Importance of ice and salt for 3 hours. Serve which may be obtained by writing to on lettuce leaves garnished with the United States Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C.

VIRGINIA WOMAN UTILIZES WASTE SPACE



Waste Space Back of Stove Utilized by Virginia Woman for Pot Closet and a Warming Closet Above Where She Raises Her Bread.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) The corner between the stove and the wall is almost never utilized. In most kitchens it is too small and awkward to get at, so nothing is kept there. "The three first principles for In Mrs. E. L. Johnson's home in Powhatan county, Va., this waste space was healthy hogs are segregation, sanita- made even more hopeless because an old, unused staircase ran up to the section and vaccination," said L. E. ond floor just there. The stovepipe was run through this staircase, the wood Drury, a farmer of Morgan county, lined with metal to make it fireproof, and the space under the tread was made III. who markets about 1,000 head into a closet for pots and pans, mop, soap shaker and other accessories to yearly. Cleanliness, sunlight, and dishwashing. A homemade sink was installed, taking advantage of the good plenty of commercial disinfectant he light from the window. She has a barrel waterworks. There was another cited as necessities in sanitation. He space available above the pot cupboard and as the heat from the stove pipe is

regards it of importance to have the just right for a warming closet, Mrs. Johnson raises her bread there. Mrs. Johnson also made herself a wheel tray from an old washstand and fields with portable hog houses, and a high stool. She took all the old paint off her kitchen cabinet, enameled it also to keep the herd assorted accord- white and painted a number of coffee cans for cereals and supplies, thus making her kitchen very compact and convenient. The picture was taken by the United States Department of Agriculture.

Famous Forts in U. S. History

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

(C. 1925, Western Newspaper Union.) Guardian of the Trail to Santa Fe

Since Gen. Henry Leavenworth established two of the most important forts in the early days of the west, it is especially appropriate that one of them, still one of Uncle Sam's greatest military posts, should bear his name. So Fort Leavenworth in Kansas keeps alive today the memory of this gallant soldier who first distinguished himself in the War of 1812 but who won even greater laurels in

By 1827 the volume of trade to the old Spanish capital of Santa Fe had become so large that the government found it necessary to take measures for its protection from hostile Indians. Accordingly General Leavenworth was ordered to establish a fort for such a purpose and he selected the present site of Fort Leavenworth. Soon afterwards the military stores at Fort Atkinson in Nebraska were removed to Fort Leavenworth and it became the principal outpost on the great trail into the Southwest.

At the outbreak of the Mexican war the "Army of the West" was organized at Fort Leavenworth and in lasts longer. This recipe will make 1846 Col. S. W. Kearney set out from this post with his dragoons on the historic march to conquer the Southwest. In 1854 Fort Leavenworth became the seat of civil as well as military government in that part of the country when Andrew H. Reeder, the first governor of Kansas, arrived there to establish the territorial government.

The next year the old fort saw Gen. W. S. Harney starting on the expedition against the Brule Sioux which resulted in the crushing defeat of inch lengths. Add one-fourth as much | these Indians at the battle of Ashsugar as thubarb, by measure, and Hollow. In view of Fort Leavenworth's later prominence as a military Then pack in hot jars, and process for prison, it is interesting to note that five minutes in a hot-water bath—that the seven Sioux chiefs who surrenis, in any covered vessel of sufficient dered to Harney as hostages for the depth for the jars or cans, when set good conduct of their people were on a rack or false bottom, to be com- sent there for safekeeping. Thus pletely immersed while processing. these original Americans were the first to be "sent down to Leavenworth" with all the sinister meaning that those words still carry.

But for all of Fort Leavenworth's later reputation as "a good place to stay out of," in the old days it was ber of fruits, although certain fruits a place of refuge for it was the eastmay be packed cold if boiling sirup is ern terminus of the Kansas stage line which ran to Denver and the Pikes and the processing is continued for 20 Peak gold diggings, and many a pasminutes or more according to the senger on one of these stages, after a thrilling ride to escape hostile In-Directions for canning the common dians, drew his first free breath when

The Fort That Saw Two **Decisive Battles**

Few forts can claim the distinction of having had a part in two decisive battles in American history. Yet Fort St. Philip in Louisiana has the right to that claim. It was built in 1814 as a defense for New Orleans at a bend in the Mississippi some 65 miles below that city.

After Gen. Andrew Jackson's victory at New Orleans, a part of the British fleet bombarded Fort St. Philip for five days but failed to reduce it. The American loss was only two killed and seven wounded, a fitting conclusion to "Old Hickory's" great victory, which was remarkable in the fact that he lost only eight killed and 13 wounded as compared to the British loss of 700 killed and 500 taken prisoners.

At the opening of the Civil war Louisiana state troops seized Fort St. Philip and its sister stronghold, Fort Jackson, (built between 1824 and 1832) on the other side of the river. They mounted 75 guns on Fort Jackson, 40 on St. Philip, stretched a chain across the river below Fort Jackson and placed a fleet of 15 vessels above the two forts. With these defenses they believed New Orleans safe from any attack.

In March, 1862, Commodore David Farragut arrived on the Mississippi with a fleet of 48 vessels, bearing more than 200 guns, and orders to take New Orleans. For six days the mortar flotilla of Commander D. D. Porter bombarded the two forts without much apparent success.

Then Farragut decided to try to run past the forts, an undertaking which the Confederates considered sheer madness. Early in the morning of April 24 Farragut started up the river and through a perfect storm of shot and shell from the fort, the fleet, with the exception of three vessels, safely made its way. The Confederate ships were destroyed and on May 1 New Orleans was in the possession of the Union forces.

In the meantime Porter kept up the bombardment of the two forts and with the co-operation of troops under Gen. B. F. Butler, compelled the Confederate Gen. J. K. Duncan with his force of 700 men in each fort to surrender on April 28. Farragut's loss in this affair was only 37 killed and 147 wounded. His was one of the most brilliant feats of the war and when Fort St. Philip and Fort Jackson surrendered it marked the beginning of the chain of events which enabled Abraham Lincoln to write "The Father of Waters now flows unvexed to

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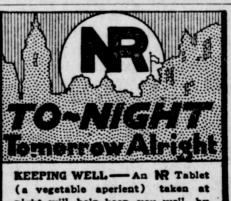


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NOTICE

The Trustees of common school District No. 1, will receive bids up to 10:00 o'clock May 16th, from contractors to wreck the present high school building. Bids must specify the time in which the work will be

The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

J. W. Howell H. O. Metcalfe T. C. Mitchell

MARFA STUDENTS TO RECEIVE

high school diploma from Sul Ross led an intereting lesson from the State Teachers College at the close Mentor. of the spring quarter. Since the law requires that all students be eighteen years of age before any kind of certificate can be granted, Miss Yates will be issued her certificate

Miss Lolla Bunton is a scholership student from the Marfa High School. At the close of the spring quarter she will be granted by Sul Ross .a Sophomore Diploma and a permanent elementray certificate. She is a member of the Sachem Lit | Kerr. erary Society.

Miss Eva Jones will receive a Freshman Certificate. Miss Jones is classified as a sophomore in Sul Ross | THE STATE OF TEXAS: but lacks a course or two complet- COUNTY OF PRESIDIO; ing the work for a sophomore diploma and elementray certificate, ers court of Presidio County Texas She is president of the Sachem Liter held on the 11th day of May, 1925. ary Society.

REBEKAH'S ENTERTAIN

On Tuesday night, April 28, the Marfa Rebekah Lodge gave an infor court was ordered to cause notice sary of the lodge. The guests of Presidio county, Texas. honor was Mrs. Josephine Forbes of El Paso, Vice-President of the present at and assisted in the organization of the ledge a year ago.

The other guests were the Degree staff of the Nannie J. Keesey Lodge of Alpine and the Marfa Odd feflows. Vocal duets by Mr. S. G. Smith and Mrs Edith Hopson of Alpine were much enjoyed by all present

Mrs Forbes gave a splendid address after which the Degree staff should be an inspiration to the mem bers of the Marfa Rebekah Lodge. of Alpine gave a floor drill which Alpine Rebekah may well be proud of their staff for the work which they put on would be a credit to any lodge in Txas

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Ouicker time,

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF PRESIDIO

By virture of an execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Presidio County, on 24th day of April A. D. 1925 by the clerk thereof, in the case of R. H. Johns versus B. Parades, No. 2713, and to of Presidio if there be a newspaper May 29, 1886, at Marfa, Texas, under me as Sheriff, directed and deliver ed, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tues | which a newspaper is published. day in June A. D. 1925, it being once in each week for four consec the 2nd day of said month, before the Court House door of said Presidio County, in the City of Marfa the following described property. to-wit:

> In Presidio County Texas about four and one-half miles N. W. from the town of Presidio, Texas, described by meets and bounds as fol lows, to wit; Begining at the S. E. cor. of survey 351 McKinney&Wilhams, thence south 76 degress east at the Court House thereof, in 520 vrs. to a stake on the bank of Marfa 27th day of July 1925 then the Rio Grande river thence up the and there to answer a petition fil-Rio Grande river s. 67 degrees w. ed in said court on the 28 day of 226 vrs; thence's. 85 degrees w. 42 April A. D. 1925, in a suit numbervrs; thence n. 76 degrees w. 180 vrs. ed on the docket of said court. No. thence n. 51&1/2 degrees w. 160 vrs; 2727, wherein J. M. Ingle is plainthence n. 49&1/2 w. 330 vrs; thence vrs, passing the s. w. cor. of survey 351 McKinney&Williams on 672 vrs or 736 vrs in all to the place of begining, containing 16.1 acres more or less; levied on as the property of B. Parades, to satis-i fy a judgement amounting to \$2329. 00 in favor of R. H. Johns; \$9.45 and Block No. 2, surveyed in the name costs of suit.

day of April A. D. 1925.

J. E. Vaughan. Sheriff, Presidio County.

HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB

CERTIFICATES AND DIPLO- tertaned the Household Science tutes a cloud on the title. MAS FROM SUL ROSS AT | Club, in their regular meeting Thur THE CLOSE OF THE sday afternoon May 7th. Thirteen SPRING QUARTER members responded to roll call. After a short business session. Mes-Miss Isabel Yates will receive a dame Orr Kerr and Ellan Myrick

> Mesdames, Stanley Casner and Joe Jomar were elected to member-

After an hour of "412" the hostess served delicious refreshments Guests for the afternon were. Mes dames. Burt Mitchell, Joe Rosson R. H .Evans, Authur Mithcell, Courghan, Tom Snyder, G. B. Hudson and Mis Penelope Snyder. Club will meet May 21 with Mrs. Orr

NOTICE

At a meeting of the commissionit was ordered that said court would sit as a board of equalization, on the 25th day of May, 1925, as is provided for under Article 7564 of the revised statutes; and the clerk of the mal affiar at the community house of said action of the court to be the occasion being the first anniver published in some newspaper in

This is to notify all persons concerned that said court will convene State Rebekah Assembly, who was on said date, as a board of equalization the tax assessments in Presidio County, and said court will remain in session from day to day until its work as board of equaliza tion is completed.

> Given under my hand and seal of said court, this the 15th day of May, 1925.

J. H. Fortner Clerk of the county court, Presidio County Texas,

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That you summon, by making pub lication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the counv published therein, but if not, in a newspaper published in the nearest County to said Presidio County in utive weeks previous to the return day thereof, Gilberto Martinez and G. B. Calnan, and the unknown heirs and unknown legal represen tatives of the said Gilberto Martinez and G. B. Calnan, if either or both are dead whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Presidio tiff and Gilberto Martinez and G. B. Calnan and the unknown heirs and unknown legal representative of said Gilberto Martinez and G. B. Calnan, The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows to-wit:

Suit to remove cloud from title to the following described estate situated in Presidio County Texas and being all of survey No. 2, in of the Texas&Pacific Railway Co.. Given under my hand, this 24th under the Certificate No. 1/665, and containing 640 acres of land, except 40 acres off of the SW end of said survey which belongs to Con ception Fuentez. Plaintiff claims title under the five year statute of limitation and alleges that the defendants are esserting some kind Mrs. Herschel Hord charmingly en of claim to said land which consti-

> HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said court, on the said first day of the next termthereof. this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Marfa. this the 28 day of April A. D. 1925

Anita Young Clerk District Court Presidio Coun ty Texas

Issued April 28, 1925.

Anita Young Clerk Dustrict Court Presidio Coun ty, Texas.

FOR SALE-Cheap for Cash 65 Acres irrigable land near Presidio good title. BOX 12 Presidio Texas.



THERE is a new Delco-Light-a I Delco-Light that places electricity within the reach of every farm in America. It is lower in price than any Delco-Light Plant has ever been. And it can be bought on terms so easy that no farm family need wait any longer to give its home the wonderful benefits of electric light.

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ing fixtures complete with bulbs.
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Mr. S. C. Hopkins who a short time ago fell and broke his hip is still confined to his bed.

Capt. John A. Pool, Confederate Veteran, now 87 years of age, who was ill a short time ago, is now up kins Company, Dept. J-1. Memphis and taking his daily rides on horse back.

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Locals and Personals

led to Alpine a few weeks ago to daughter of Presidio were pleasant nurse her brother, Senator Berkley visitors to our city last week Mrs. was in our city Wednesday and re- Stroud has been one of the teachported her brother somewhat im- ers there for the past school term. proved but owing to his nervous condition was leaving with him Mrs. R. E. L. Tyler and two son Thursday for Galveston for a few Roger and Curtis will spend the va weeks stay and they hoped the low cation on the Tyler ranch. altitude and completed rest will restore Senator Berkley to his ususal good health.

FOR SALE—Cheap for Cash 65 Acres irrigable land near Presidio good title. BOX 12 Presidio Texas.

at Presidio spent the week-end in Marfa, the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Locke. Miss Ora's school term will close next Friday and shortly after that she expects to spend her vacation in California. get. Write me for particulars.

FOR SALE- Baby chickens R. I Reds and Cornish Games also eggs for setting. Phone 165,

Mrs. Hans Briam and children left Friday morning for San Antonio where they will spend several week at the Ball Park the Marfa Rotary visiting friend and relatives.

funeral services of W. A. Carter 50c. Chidren 25c. who passed to the beyond Friday This is a return game; Marfa hav R. E. L. Tyler had a good rain on morning at Presidio. Mr. Carter was ing won the other that was played his ranch Thursday filling his tanks a health seeker coming to Marfa in Alpine on May 8th; Marfa had several years ago from southern the big end of the score. Alpine Mr. and Mrs. Ware Hord have re Texas. The funeral services were Club will lunch with the Marfa club turned to Marfa. Inspector Hord conducted at Midnight, Rev. M. A. at regular Tuesday lunch at the have been transferred back to Marfa Buhler reached home Sunday morn Longhorn Cafe. ing at 5:00 a. m. Mr. Carter was a staunch member of the Christian Church.

The Fly is dangerous keep him ? out with screens from

Mrs. Jim Shannon and children of Shafter came in Thursday to spend several days with her mother Mrs. Ida Lee Jordan and to be present at the graduation of her neices the Misses Mary and Ruth Living-

FLORINTINO TERCERO

Last Sunday Florintino Tercero an old time Presidio County resident while enroute to the Ruidose Hot Springs, for his health, was suddenly stricken about five miles from Ruidose, and shortly afterward died. His wife died about six months

DAVID DUTCHOVER

Dave Dutcheover who-shot himself, at Shafter, was brought to Marfa, and is now on the road to

Mrs. James Galloway and little son Robert returned Friday from

Mrs. John J. Hart, who was cal- | Mrs. Lillian Stroud and little

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BALL GAME

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W. M. U. ENTERTAINED

Monday afternoon, Mrs. Albert Karstendiek entertaned the members of the W. M. U. of the Baptist church at her lovely home.

Mrs. McKie Mitchell was the leader of the lesson studied from the Royal Service. The subject was, Our Theological School at Louisville Kentucky. The lesson opened with the reading of a portion of the 119 Psalm by the leader, followed by a prayer by Mrs. Marsh. Quite a number of the ladies were on the program which was quite interest-

The business session followed and many important things were discussed.

The most important being a sale to be held in the near future.

Late in the afternoon, Mrs. Karstendiek assisted by Mrs. Ray served lovely refreshments consisting of Ice Cream and Cake.

Twenty members enjoyed this de lightful time. Those present were: Mesdames, Will Davis, Mckie Mitc- records show that windstorms may hell, Ray, Bert Humphris, Marsh, Franklin, Crawford Mitchell, Frank Barton, Perry Kerr, Orr Ker, Homer prepared. Colquitt, McCracken, Eugenia Nicholls, John Griffith, Van Adams, Thompson McDonald, Harn, Davis, Gans, Fuller and Miss Davis.

The wriiteup of the shower of one of Marfa's most popular High school teachers was received too late for this issue but will appear

from Marathon.



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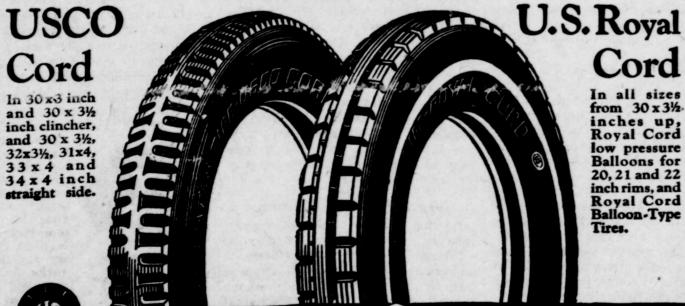
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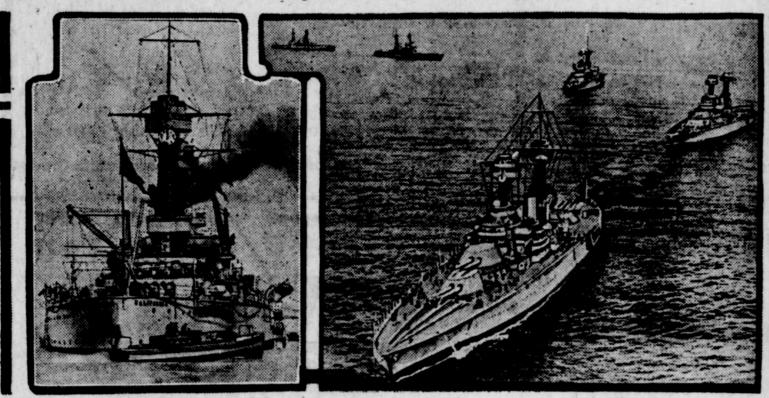
Lockley's Jewelry Store The Woman's Toggery.

Germans Who Plan to Restore the Old Empire



This view of a Monarchist-Nationalist parade in Berlin in the interest of the candidacy of Field Marshal von Hindenburg for the Presidency shows how strong is the old imperial militaristic spirit. The marchers carry the imperial eagle and banners with the old slogan, "With God, for Kaiser and the Reich."

Battleships on Way to Try to "Capture" Hawaii



The U. S. S. California, at left, and other vessels of the battleship fleet on their way from the California coast to attempt to "capture" Hawaii, after which they will visit Australia and New Zealand.

Anglo-Saxon Accord Symbolized



Group of figures symbolizing co-operation and friendship between the United States and Great Britain, which will be erected over the entrance of in which she represented California, the Bush house in London and unveiled July 4. At the foot of the statue are Malvina Hoffman and Robert Baille, the sculptors, and Mr. and Mrs. Bush.

Home Spinning Urged by Gandhi



NOW SHE'S A COLONEL



Miss Faye Lamphier of Oakland, Cal., a winner in the beauty contest was recently given the rank of colonel in the California Grays, crack regiment, by Commander Cyrus F. Voorhies. The rank entitles her to participate in all military drills of the company. This is the way she looks in sort of band-stand around which the her uniform.

ACROBATIC RIDING



Maj. Philip W. Booker, Fort Bragg. N. C., riding in the eighth annual Pine hurst horse show, performs an acrobatic feat not listed in the program. without hurting himself or his mount | and these to me are heaven.

ALONG LIFE'S TRAIL

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK

Dean of Men, University of Illinois. -----

©, 1925, Western Newspaper Union.) WHAT IS IN THINE HAND

MOSES no doubt felt that he was really up against it. He was the he stuttered pretty badly. Here he was with the job wished on him of and through an untrodden wilderness. It is little wonder that his heart sank and his feet grew cold at the thought

"But behold," he said, his courage nor hearken unto my voice."

He did not realize that in his hand he had untold power-an influence that would turn back the waters of the Red sea, that would bring water out of the dry rock, and that would confound

chance or necessity or a crisis of some | those with rotten wood. sort that awakens us to the power of the rod in our hands,

Then the war came on, and Walton enlist that he was rejected and that he was elected to stay with his job.

Most of the men of his age in the office had to go, and there was no alrealization of the power that had been the bureau. lying dormant within him. He discovered that he was a born organizer, that his judgment of the qualifications of men was excellent, and he capitalized these talents at once. Today he is the vice president of the company.

When I was in Atlanta recently I met Blanche Wheeler. She had been a pleasant little society girl in college, without apparent talent, who had married a business man who seemed quite able to support her. They had two children, he had saved little, and one day he was found dead by the roadside pinned under an overturned car. The only road open to Blanche was to do something at once, to support herself and her children, and the best thing that suggested itself was to go on with her husband's business. As I said, I met her in Atlanta-and she was making twice as much as her husband had ever done. It was the rod in her hand of which she had been

What is in thine hand?

HEAVEN

LIEAVEN was a very definite and specific place to me when I was a child. I had frequently in imagination followed the narrow path leading up the hill to the gateway at its entrance. I knew every nook and corner of the place. I had climbed often to the top of its surrounding wall and viewed with childish interest the whole expanse of the enclosure within.

The admission gate, as I saw it, was at the north, gloomy and in some degree terrifying with Saint Peter sitting within to check up on those who applied for admission. When he opened the gate slightly and with great caution to see who was without, light streamed

through and I peeked in. The "mansions" were on the west side of the main street and were not detached houses such as I had been used to, but were more like the store buildings in the village near which I lived. They were built of white stone, and had no yards in front, but came up close to the walk and had little stoops in front like the Dutch houses I had once seen in Albany.

The golden street led up an incline to the south, and at the end of it was a angels used to gather to play their harps. God, looking very much like Mr. Barnes, one of our neighbors with gray hair and long gray whiskers, sat on a gilded throne under a pink canopy at the back of the band-stand. The river bordered with high palm trees such as I had seen in my school geography, ran along the east side of the street.

There was no grass anywhere, and no place to sit down excepting on the little stoops in front of the houses. All the angels which I had ever seen or imagined were barefooted, and I hot on their feet walking down the golden streets, for the sun came down something fierce. On the whole it seemed rather a dull place to me, and was not sure I should like to go there.

That was a long time ago, and during the intervening years my ideas have changed materially, but Heaven is still a reality to me, and I must confess, in large degree a physical reality, for my finite mind has not yet been able to grasp the infinite; spiritual delights I can only vaguely comprehend. But I know what love means and friendship and sympathetic companship, and harmony, and I can imagine what infinite opportunity would mean.

ommunity Building

Lightning Rods Urged for Tree Protection

Trees with wide-spreading root systems or with roots that reach deep into moist soil are relatively good electrical shyest man in history, it is admitted; conductors and, generally speaking, are he had lived in a remote wilderness in most danger of being struck by for forty years, and, worse than this, lightning, says the weather bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture. The rodding of valuable leading a million people out of Egypt | trees to protect against lightning is therefore strongly recommended.

No tree is immune; but among trees of the same kind the one standing well above its neighbors is in most danger, even in a dense forest. This may be weakening, "they will not believe me, due to the greater height of the tree or the kind of ground it stands on. Trees growing in the open are in more danger than those in a thick stand of timber, as are also those growing along an avenue or border of woods. Those growing in moist soil along the banks his enemies and convince his friends. of a stream or lake are better con-Most of us are poor judges of our ductors for lightning than those growown talents. Often what we think ing in drier soil. Sound trees in genwe do best we do very ill, and it is only eral are less likely to be damaged than

Trees growing in loam and sandy soils are struck more frequently than It was the war that brought Walton | those in clay, marl and calcareous out. He had for years occupied a solls. Oaks often grow to great height subordinate position in a large organ- and mostly in loam and sandy soils. ization. He was plodding along un- Moreover, they are a good example of enthusiastically on a salary that a starchy tree, which is a better conscarcely gave him a decent living, with ductor of electricity than an oily tree little apparent chance of promotion. like the beech. The oak also is a taprooted tree, with its root system exhaving flat feet or a heart murmur tending deep into the soil, which conor astigmatism or some of the minor stitutes another factor of danger from weaknesses that threw men into the lightning for it. Studies in various discard, found when he attempted to localities, particularly in western Europe, have shown conclusively that the oak is struck much more often than other kinds of trees.

Elm, ash, poplar and gum trees are ternative left to the management than also very susceptible to lightning damto throw new responsibilities upon age, while those least attractive to Walton. He shivered at the thought lightning are the chestnut, maple, at first, and then there came to him a alder, and mountain ash, according to

Garden Wall Should Resemble the House

usually best to have a wall of the same material as the house, whether it is of stone, stucco or brick. ly that corn stops hurting, then short-For the frame house, the wall may appropriately be of cobbles, a delicate lattice, a paneled "board" fence surmounted by lattice, a picket fence or a

There are of necessity several gates. Where the wall is masonry, a hooded gateway is quaint and attractive. In the hedge nothing could be more pleasing than a trellised arch with a painted gate made of porch balusters. The design of wooden gateways is limited only by the ingenuity and imagination of the home owner.

The rule for a wood pergola is to set the columns as far apart both ways as they are high. The usual wood for exterior woodwork is white pine, as it is very weather-resistant. The fact that garden woodwork must be properly painted and kept so need hardly be emphasized. That paint protection is necessary for the mere preservation of these articles constantly exposed to the weather is well demonstrated by the ordinary unpainted telegraph pole, which is a sight familiar to us all. White will always be the favored color for outdoor woodwork, though green and brown are appropriate, and have greater durability.

Knocker Never Popular

The knocker may have his place in the scheme of things. We are willing to admit that he has. The knocker does some good, in that he points out the weak places in his victim's armor and the victim thus is in a position to make amends. But the long funeral processions are never lined up behind the dead knocker. People who think kindly and speak kindly of their fellows, who have a sympathy for the shortcomings of others and who try to help rather than to knock further down those who may make a mistake, are those who draw men to themselves and who will be missed and mourned when they are gone.-Ex-

Betterment Called For

It may be predicted that the time will come when there will be a lively emulation for betterment among villages of this country, especially in the West. The pioneer days are over. The time is past when any habitable place was acceptable as a home, when the impulse was to regard a home merely as a temporary abode. The country has become stabilized. Villages and towns have taken on permanency, and with it they should develop and define distinctive characteristics. Efforts in used to wonder if it were not pretty this direction can be made to pay. They make for better values in property and in happiness.

Urges Railway Cleanup

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The Free Traders

I LOVE YOU

SYNOPSIS .- Lee Anderson, Royal Canadian Mounted Police sergeant, is sent to Stony Range to arrest a man named Pelly for murder. He is also instructed to look after Jim Rathway, reputed head of the "Free Traders," illicit liquor runners. At Little Falls he finds Pelly is credited with having found a gold mine, and is missing. At the hotel appears girl, obviously out of place in the rough surroundings. A halfbreed, Pierre, and a companion, 'Shorty," annoy the girl. Anderson interferes in her behalf. The girl sets out for Siston Lake, which is also Anderson's objective. He overtakes her and the two men with whom he had trouble the night before. She is suspicious of him and the two men are hostile. Pierre and Shorty ride on, Anderson and the girl following. In the hills the road is blown up, before and behind the two. Anderson, with his horse, is hurled down the mountain side, senseless. Recovering consciousness, Anderson finds the girl has disappeared, but he concludes she is alive and probably in the power of Pierre and Shorty. On foot he makes his way to Siston Lake. There he finds his companion of the day before, and Rathway, with a girl, Estelle, a former sweetheart of Anderson's, who had abused his confidence and almost wrecked his life. Rathway strikes Estelle, and after a fight Anderson, with Estelle's help, escapes with the girl. Anderson's companion's mind is clouded and she is suffering with a dislocated knee. Anderson sets the knee and makes the girl as comfortable as possible. He has a broken rib.

CHAPTER VII—Continued

"Where am I? What has happened?" she asked.

Lee saw at once that she had no consciousness of anything that had occurred since the catastrophe, and probably it would be some time before the memory of that came back to her. He must protect her against the shock of the realization until she was able to bear it.

"Your horse threw you," he answered. "You hurt your knee and cut your head. You will have to keep still for awhile, and we shall have to remain here for a few days. Are you

"My head aches, and my knee-yes, it does hurt a little. It isn't broken, is

"It was dislocated. I had to set it." "Oh!" A faint color crept into her cheeks. There was a little silence. "Are you a doctor, then?"

"No, I was just a humble orderly and stretcher bearer on the western front," Lee answered. "But you see, It had to be attended to, and so Iwell, I did it. After you've drunk some tea I'm going to be an orderly again and rebandage your head."

"But my hair-my hair! You cut my hair off!" she exclaimed, putting her hands up to her head. "Was that

"You were caught by the hair under your horse, and there was danger that It might roll on you at any moment," Lee prevaricated.

She patted her head again, felt the jagged locks about her neck, and looked at him with eyes in which a little mirth appeared.

"Thank you, Mr. Barber," she said. "I'm so glad you take it in that way. I was afraid you might find it dif-

ficult to forgive me." "I might, only-well, you see, I've been thinking of having it bobbed for some time, only I never got around to It; I don't think you made a very

clean job of it, did you?" They laughed, but she was weak, and after she had drunk the tea Lee made for her, she fell asleep until the middle of the afternoon, by which time Lee had completed the shelter over her.

"Better?" he asked, when she awoke. She nodded. "You don't look nearly so swimmy now," she said. "And I'm not in much pain. But will I have to lie here on my back for days?"

"As a matter of fact, the sooner you try to walk the better. I'm going past was completely obliterated. to cut a serviceable crutch for you, and you'll be able to hobble about the camp just as soon as you feel inclined

"But you're not hurt, are you?" asked the girl. "Your left arm seems stiff."

"I hurt my side a little, but it'll be all right in a few days," Lee answered. of a number of things, but everything you know," she said, "I don't quite fused, and when she tried to piece it By the middle of the second week, she remember falling. I was riding, you together, the fragments slipped out say? Were we both riding? Then of her grasp.

where are our horses?" "They were badly hurt," said Lee. "It became necessary to put them out of their suffering."

The girl was trying hard to remember. "A bad fall, then? How did it hood, she seemed to recall a visit to happen? A bad fall in this forest?" them of recent years; at any rate.

"Oh!" She remained silent a little, evidently trying to remember. Then

she smiled. to me. You know I trusted you the Indians. minute I saw you, and I wasn't the Thus she was not cut off from that knew at last-knew for sure that this least bit frightened, waking up and association of habits, tastes, and ex- love was eternal, and the former love finding myself alone here in the forest periences that goes to make the per- only the pale shadow that it had cast

with you." "I hope you will be able to bear the lost very much, and it was always as read the same knowledge in her eyes. whole winter. waiting here," said Lee. "We'll go on if she were upon the point of remem-

just as soon as it's possible." the girl answered. It was odd how had awakened to find herself in the knowledge that she was his. She put even if—if I should be gone for more reconciled she seemed to be now, and woods with Lee, without the knowl- her arms about his neck and their than a week?" he asked.

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how the future had ceased to trouble her. "It's so glorious to be in the woods again, and at this time of the year above everything. It's such a long time since I was in the woods before. I've been living in a big city. you know-nothing but blocks of houses and asphalt and stone. I felt like a prisoner there."

And Lee wondered again at her acquiescence in this new turn of fate. "Now-may I wash that cut in your head and the it for you?"

"Yes, doctor," she smiled at him. He boiled the bandage, washed the cut in boiled water, and retied the strip of cotton about it. The girl was still too weak to talk very much. But it was the most wonderful thing that had ever happened to him, sitting there with her in that intimate companionship, forgetting that she had been at odds with him, putting aside all the memories of conflict, forgetting, he had made for himself, would hear too, that she was a woman, seeing in her only a comrade.

After awhile Lee made some cakes in the ashes of the fire, and cooked some bacon. The girl was able to eat a little, and he felt his appetite returning. Undoubtedly he had gone through the worst of it. Again they sat in silence, till the girl said:

"Do you know, I have forgotten your He had not told her, but he said,

Lee Anderson." Anderson was a common enough name in the district, and would convey nothing to her.

And as she seemed still to be fretng or puzzling. Lee laid his hand on hers and said:

"You musn't worry. We shall go on just as soon as it's possible to." "That's just what I've been wondering about," she answered. "It's very



"Where Am I? What Has Happened?" She Asked.

silly of me, but-where is it that we

are going?" And, as Lee looked at her in as

tonishment, she went on:

"It's curious, you know, Mr. Anderson, but I don't seem exactly to 'remember where we met, either, or why I left that place—where was it? That big city whose name's slipped my memory for the moment. Nor why we came to the woods-came back to the woods, you know," she corrected.

"And then, who am I? I had my name on the tip of my tongue a moment ago, and I'll know soon, I suppose, but it's-just now it all seems to be confused, somehow." And then Lee realized that her memory of the

CHAPTER VIII While Memory Slept

No, the girl had not completely forgotten, for it was not exactly a blank to her. She had a vague recollection I never shall remember." She wrinkled her forehead. "Do appeared to be shadowy and con-

It was in names and places that the lapse chiefly occurred, including her own identity, and it was this fact that gave Lee cause for meditation.

She had lived in the forests in child-"A little distance back. I carried she had all the woodcraft of one to you here. We fell down a rocky whom the forest was home. She had been educated in a convent, she thought, and had been living for sev-

eral years in a large city, studying. "You have been wonderfully good to be a medical missionary among the

sonality; she did not feel that she had before it. He turned toward her and whether it would be a week-or a

bering everything. "But I'm not really in any hurry." Out of this vague, blurred dream she lay there, confident, happy in the me to be willing to wait quietly there

edge of how or why she had come

It might have been the concussion from the fall, but Lee, after pondering do, Lee, you must love me more than over the case, decided that it was I thought it possible to love." much more like a case of shell-shock, and that the injury to her head had between them the pale wrafth of Esbeen only a contributing cause.

and by the afternoon, she felt well to trust again in any woman. enough to hobble a few steps about the camp. The accident which had temporarily ungeared her memory, seemed to have wrought a strange change in her nature. She was no longer wildly anxious to push on to her destination; she accepted Lee as a gether, Lee," she answered. fact in her life, and showed how comintimacy in which they were both dear, I am afraid, awfully afraid of

He was sure that her memory would suddenly come back to her comin dreams, as with shell-shocked patients, but only to vanish with the

At night Lee, lying near her beneath grudged our happiness." another rough shelter of boughs that her tossing and moaning, and occas- of that shadow of fear beat past him. ionally uttering fragments of unintel- "There is nobody else?" he asked. ligible sentences.

Day merged into day. Lee's rib was healing well, and the girl was beginning to set her foot to the ground. At first she was dependent upon him in nearly everything. He helped her to take her first steps without the crutch, leaning upon his shoulder. They were always together.

It was so wonderful a companionship. It was that comradeship of which Lee had always dreamed. And it was the more wonderful, perhaps, because the girl's severance from the past gave it a sort of unreality, as if it were a little plece of paradise which they had snatched for themselves out of the sum total of human happiness.

Soon she began to assume charge of the camp and the cooking. And Lee, lying at her feet, listening while she talked, or lying awake at night beneath his shelter, in the dread of hear- It was either a very young man's view winter had come to stay. They had ing her moan, came at last to realize or a very idealistic one's; yet there had a rude awakening from their parathat his feeling for her was becoming are men of mature minds who hold dise. It seemed essential to push on something more than the mere enjoy. that doctrine; that was why the af- as soon as possible. ment of her companionship.

He loved her, he sometimes admitted to himself; and when a word or glance of his would send the blood mantling into her cheek, he dared to And now he cared no longer whether | dearest?" her memory of the past ever came back to her. Almost better to let her live in ignorance of all that had distressed her.

to blot out their paradise. Only a little incident would be needed, some little shock that would knit the raveled ends of memory, and then-

Then what would lie before them? Another thing to be apprehended was the day so near now, when they must leave their woodland paradise. there was a sharper tang in the air each morning, everything was dead and ice formed every night upon the pool beneath their little spring.

And it seemed now as if Lee's search for Pelly would have to be protracted through the winter months. If his inquiries at the mission proved fruitless, it would mean returning to Little Falls for a sleigh and dogs. Then there was the matter of the

Free Traders. Lee would find his hands full soon

"Do you know, Lee," said the girl one day, "I often feel as if I were on the very verge of remembering. And

when I wake in the morning, just for an instant I feel a different person, as if I had remembered. And I am afraid of remembering. It is as if remembrance would bring back something terrible with it. Who am I?" "You are just you," said Lee, smil-

ing. "That's enough for me." "Where did we meet?"

"In the range."

"I was alone? And then I had an accident and was thrown from my horse? And you, too? It is so strange. I know that I lived in a large city not long ago, and that I was so glad to get back to the woods. But where was I riding? That's the big problem that we have to solve, isn't it?" She looked at him earnestly. "Lee," she said solemnly, "sometimes I hope

She made no plans, leaving everything to Lee, and nothing was decided. could walk fairly well, her strength had come back, and the little period of elysium was drawing to its end. in that wistful way. It was inevitable that the problem

should be faced. panied Lee as far as the lake shore. | it, while I am away. He will take There had been no signs of the Free good care of you. He is a fine man, Traders, and Lee was convinced that and well known for his work among they had long since abandoned all the Indians. When the old priest died hope of finding them. It was a won- last winter, Father McGrath was sent derful evening. There was a haze of for, all the way from Labrador to take The tea plantations are usually formed Indian summer in the November air, his place. there was still a touch of fire in the

was radiant with the sunset clouds. And, standing there beside her, Lee | weather changes."

"Dear-" he said. He took her in his arms, and she her eyes. "Have you faith enough in

lips met. And they looked at each other in all the thrill and glory and long, Lee," she answered simply. surprise of it. It was all so simple, so incredibly dear and true.

"You, woman of mine, without a name, who have come to me out of nowhere because I wanted you! How voice again-"when the time comes long have you known?"

ning that if you cared as much as I

He looked at her incredulously, and telle floated for just a moment. He He made her a crutch next morning. had trusted her. He had vowed never

Then it was dissipated in the sunshine of their love. "Do you care enough to trust yourself to me and take the chance of what the future may bring to us?"

"I love you enough to trust you alto-

But there was just the shadow of pletely she trusted him, despite the a little fear in her eyes. "Oh, my the time when-when I remember. Do you know that since I knew I loved you, and thought you cared for me, pletely. And, memory did come back I have sometimes prayed that I may never remember? I have been afraid of what may be lying in wait for us, waiting to overwhelm us, as if it

> "You must not let yourself grow morbid." But Lee, too, felt the wings "We shall not find that we have been tricked like that? It would be unbear-

> "No, no! I'm sure of that. Lee: surer than that I stand here, that I have never loved anybody else. I know that so well, Lee; for if there had been, I should have felt it by instinct, however deep down within me the memory of him lay buried. No. love isn't like that; it doesn't lose it-

you-never anybody but you. something else, something terrible may

"There's nothing else that could

eparate us." "If you were engaged?" Lee would no sooner have deliberately stolen another man's sweetheart than his wife. To him love was a thing of eternity.

someone I didn't love, Lee?" "You couldn't. You don't think"-

fair of Estelle had broken his life.

"No, I-I'm sure I haven't. But," she persisted, "I just felt curious to know what we would do, in case."

"Oh, then-why, I suppose we'd have to think of that possibility, dear, do

"Of course not, Lee," she answered. But again he saw that she knit her brows in perplexity, and he knew that push on slowly that day by the trail she was thinking, thinking, trying to beside the lake. The mission was near Autumn had returned wonderfully, but reunite those ravelled strands of mem- the head of the lake, about two days'

"You don't live in the range, Lee, do you?" asked the girl presently.

"No, I live at Manistree. That's a long distance away. I've just come here on business."

"Won't you tell me what your busi-

Lee hesitated. "Well, it's secret in a way, though I'm not under any pledge." His instincts were to tell her, and yet the training of eight years seemed to seal his lips against her.

You see, I'm acting for others." "Why, then of course I wouldn't ask you to tell me, Lee," she answered. "Only I have a curious sort of feeling that your business may be bound up with me in some way, that perhaps it means your going into danger."

"I don't think there's much danger

attached to it." But she caught that "much" with alarm. "A little danger, Lee? You know, I couldn't bear you being exposed to danger. But-what is there beyond the range? You see, I've been talking to you about the range ever since I first heard you speak of it, and yet I don't really know where we are. It's curious, too, because for the first

"No, thank God, all the cities lie behi d us. Nothing but forest." "But are you going to see someone,

week after my illness, I didn't seem to

care. Is there a city beyond the

neet someone?" "There's a Moravian mission three or four days' journey away."

"Oh, are you going there?" She was still unsatisfied, still looking at him

"Yes. I am going to take you there, dear, and leave you in the care of .For the first time she had accom- Father McGrath, who is in charge of

now. We want to be off before the

"How long will you be away, Lee?" "Perhaps a week-or longer." And he wondered, as he spoke,

He held her hands and looked into

"Till you return, no matter how "Even if you remembered? No matter what you remember?"

"Even if I should remember. But, Lee"-the note of fear came into her that I remember, I want you with me. "I've known almost since the begin- I am so oppressed sometimes—when I awake in the morning, always. I seem to have been traveling in my dreams all night in horrible places, among hateful people. I seem to have some terrible duty laid upon me, something that I must carry out, although it kills me. And then-I awake

"But one thing I know beyond everything in the world, and that is that there could never have been anyone but you, Lee, dearest; never in the whole world. So take me, Lee, and shield me with your love, and be all in this world to me, for I shall never love anyone but you."

"I'll take you to the mission, dear, and when I come back, I shall take you south with me, and you shall forget all your fears," answered Lee.

So they put their troubles aside, and all the uncertainties of the future, and were sublimely happy in their love. Yet, happy as he was, Lee realized that it would be well for them when he had placed her in the care of Father McGrath at the mission. Only then would the load of anxiety be removed from him.

CHAPTER IX

Joyce Comes Home

In the middle of the night a wild storm sprang up, bringing with it a driving snow. Its violence blew down their two shelters almost simultaneously, involving them in a debris of boughs and branches.

They made light of their troubles. self like that. There is nobody but Lee succeeded in getting some sort of protection up, and the remainder "But what I'm afraid of is that of that night they crouched beneath it, happy, in spite of the snow that piled up all about them.

When morning came, they looked out on a white world. It was freezing hard, and the spring had dwindled to a thread in a basin of ice.

Lee very quickly had a fire burning and tea ready. But it looked as if

In fact, without snowshoes they "Suppose I had become engaged to were likely to find themselves seriously inconvenienced in the event of a heavy fall. Lee meant to prosecute his inshe felt thrilled by the consternation quiries at the mission, and, in case think that his love was returned. in his voice—"that you—you have, nothing came of these, to go to Little Falls, load up, and then return.

"I'm sure I'm well enough to start today, Lee," said the girl that morning, as they discussed the situation. "We could start off slowly, you see, -He began to dread the inevitable to go to him and tell him that we loved and then if it did snow heavily, it day when remembrance would come each other, and then, of course, he would be much more of a strain on would release you," answered Lee, me later on, without snowshoes, than looking troubled. "Still, we don't have now, when the traveling is easy, wouldn't it! So we ought to try to get to the mission within a day or

Lee agreed, and they decided to

journey away. Most of the contents of the pack were left behind. Lee had to travel as light as possible; but fortunately, his rib was fairly set, and the tight bandage which he wore around it

eliminated serious danger of its reaking again. When they stopped for the noon meal they had several miles to their credit. The girl's knee had given her

no trouble, and both were jubilant. That day they covered a good fifteen miles-almost a short day's journey.

When they camped, the girl said: "Do you know, Lee, I am almost certain that I have passed this way before. It all looks somehow familiar to me, and yet somehow as if I'd seen it in a dream. You remember that big rock we passed in the middle of the stream? Well, I had a feeling all the time that we should come to it as we rounded the bend."

"And you have no idea whether you ever lived in this region or not?" he

"No, dear. I'm inclined to think, though, that I may have done so. Perhaps I was at school at that very mission you spoke of. If I was, someone there will be sure to recognize me. I've got a feeling that I was studying in some big city-Montreal or Winnipeg, perhaps, to take up medical mission work here."

Well, it's a case of true love, all right. But when the girl remembers who she is and learns Anderson's missionthen what?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Production of Tea

The tea plant is cultivated in two varieties in China-Thea bohea and thea varides in the provinces of Kwang-Tung, Fu-Kien and Che-Kiang. in a deep rich loam, never on low lands, "I think," he added, "that we shall but on low hilly slopes. The leaves She thought she had been studying leaves of birch and maple; the west be able to start in three or four days are gathered three times, in the middle of April, in the beginning of May and when the leaves again are nearly formed. The first gathering yields the finest and most delicat considerable injury to the plant.

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JURY FUND—1ST CLASS		1 00
Balance	\$2,972.39	
To amount received during quarter	5,825.49	
By amount paid out during quarter	,	\$632.85
By 11/2% commission on am't rec't		87.37
By 11/2% com. on am't paid out		9.59
Amount to balance		8,068.07
	\$8,797.88	\$8,797.88
May 1, 1925, To Balance	\$8,068.07	
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.	. 2nd CLASS	
Balance	\$3,298.94	
To amount received during quarter	6,028.31	
By amount paid out during quarter		\$8,028.73
By 11/2% commission on am't rec't.		90.42
By 11/2% com. on am't paid out		120.42
Amount to balance		1,087.68
	\$9 ,327.25	\$9,327.25
May 1, 1925, To Balance	\$1.087.68	
GENERAL COUNTY FUND. 3rd	CLASS T	
Balance	\$898.32	
To amount received during quarter	10,554.34	
By amount paid out during quarter		\$6,978.06
By 11/2% commission on am't rec't		155.71
By 11/2% com. on am't paid out)	104.66
Amount to balance		4,214.23
	\$11,425.66	\$11,452.66
May 1, 1925, To Balance	\$4,214.23	
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May 1, 1925, To Balance

Amount to balance

FIFTH CLASS		4	
Balance To amount received during quarter By amount paid out during quarter By 1½% commission on am't rec't. By 1½% com. on am't paid out Amount to balance	\$5,469.01 1,539.26		1,604.00 23.08 24.06 5,357.13
May 1, 1925, To Balance	\$7,008.27 \$5,357.63		\$7,008.27

FOURTH CLASS

\$626.51

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SIXTH CLASS

Balance To amount received during quarter	\$2,767.02 1,154.44	
By amount paid out during quarter By 1½% commission on am't rec't. By 1½% com. on am't paid out Amount to balance		\$1,211.8 17.3 18.1 2,674.1
	\$3,921.46	\$3,921.4
May 1, 1925, To. Balance	\$2,674.16	
SEVENTH CLASS		

Balance	\$2,836.89	
To amount received during quarter	1,539.25	1
By amount paid out during quarter		\$2,483.68
By 11/2% commission on am't rec't.		23.08
By 11/2% com. on am't paid out		37.25
Amount to balance		1,832.13
	\$4,376.14	\$4,376.14
May 1, 1925, To Balance	\$1,832.13	

Balance	\$1,197.44	
To amount received during quarter	384.80	
By amount paid out during quarter		\$1,04
By 11/2% commission on am't rec't.		
By 11/2% com. on am't paid out		1
Amount to balance		51
	\$1,582.24	\$1,58
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May 1, 1925, To Balance	\$515.08	
HIGHWAY		
Balance	\$2.348.99	
To amount received during quarter	640.55	1
By 1½% commission on am't rec't.	010.00	
Amount to balance		2,979

Respectfully submitted,

May 1, 1925, To Balance

J. H. FORTNER, County Clerk, Presidio County, Texas.

\$2,979.93

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of May, A. D. 1925 K. C. MILLER

County Judge, Presidio County, Texas.

Approved May 11th, A. D. 1925. K. C. Miller County Judge Presidio Co unty, Texas.

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