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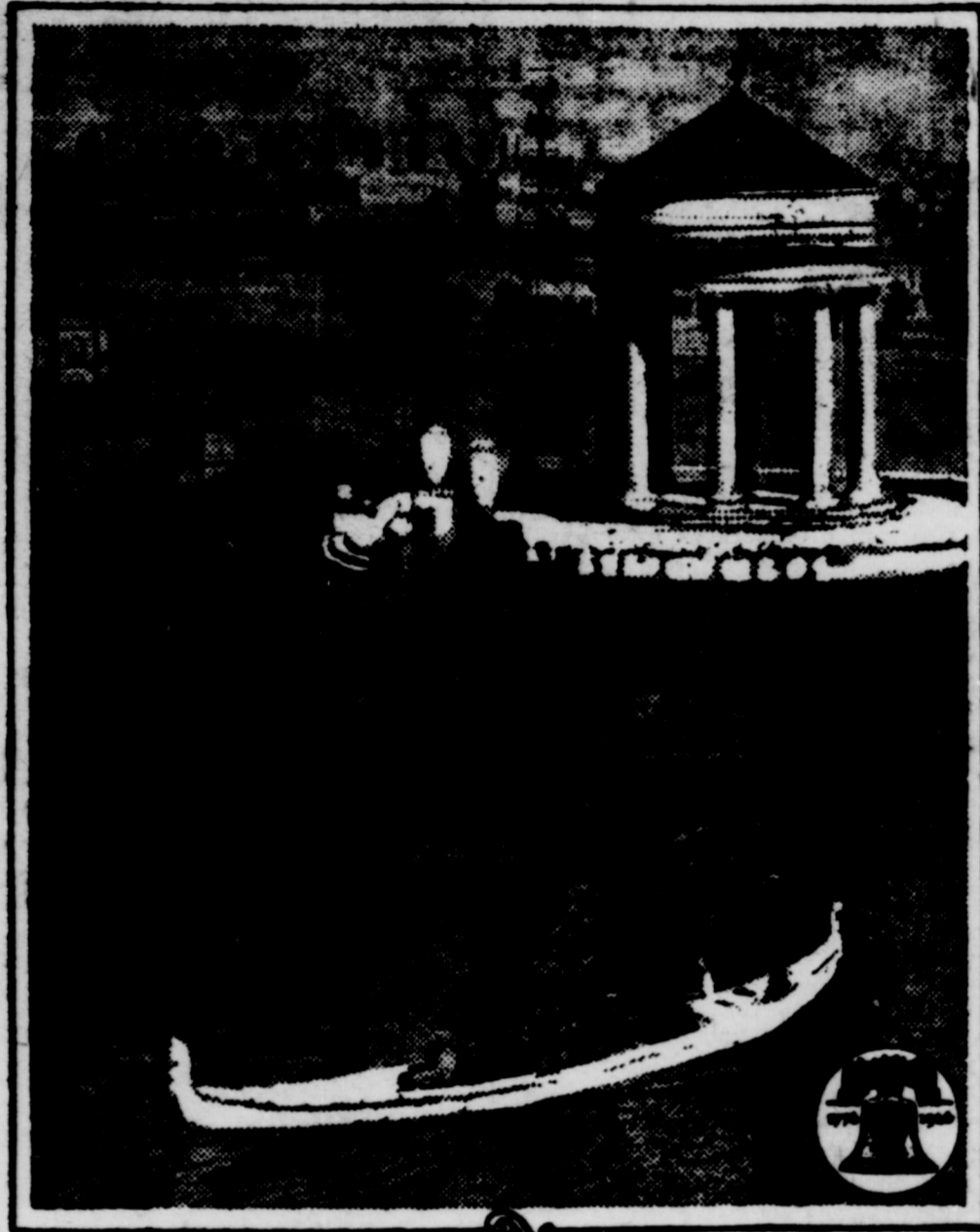
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ON THE SESQUI LAGOONS



Here are Americans, visitors to the Sesqui-Centennial international Exposition in Philadelphia which celebrates the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, riding about the lagoons in an Italian craft, a gondola, from which they view the buildings and displays from many lands. In the distance can be seen the mammoth Sesqui Stadium; to the right is the signal tower of the United States Coast Guard building and exhibit, and to the left is one of the Japanese pagodas which dot the exposition grounds. The Grecian pavilion is one of the permanent structures on the site before the city government decided to build the Sesqui at the front door of the great Philadelphia Navy Yard. The Exposition continues until December 1.

FOOTBALL

PECOS vs MARFA

Friday on the school campus there was an interesting Foot-ball game between the Marfa High school eleven and the Pecos High eleven, but the Pecos aggregation proved the victors by a score of 14 to 0. This was Marfa's first game of the Interscholastic League, they have played one practice game with Alpine, but this game shows that they have improved a hundred per cent since. With more practice and training it is predicted that they will be difficult to defeat later. The game Friday throughout was clean cut and without any unseemly squabbling or friction. The Pecos bunch is composed of good sports throughout.

During the last quarter Marfa threatened to score but the Pecos defense stiffened and the Marfa boys just barely missed a touchdown.

Marfa and Pecos were playing on about equal terms during the last half, neither was able to do very much.

The Officials of the game were: Referee, Coffield; Empire, Hildebrandt; Headlinesman, Howard; Time J. E. Gregg and J. R. Humphrey.

PECOS

NO.	NAME	POS.	YR.	WT.
10.	MORRISON G.	TACKLE	1	155
13.	ESENWINE N.	QUARTER	0	130
11.	COLLIE M.	END	0	135
6.	CARSON B.	TACKLE	1	150
8.	WOULLARD H.	TACKLE	0	120
9.	RUNNELS R.	GUARD	0	125
3.	MURRAY G.	HALF	1	145
4.	BOZEMAN D. W.	GUARD	0	125
7.	COLLIE B.	CENTER	0	128
1.	BRYAN H. P.	FULL	2	175
5.	POER S.	GUARD	1	155
2.	DEAN B.	QUARTER	0	120
12.	BROCAT J.	END	0	145

OFFICIALS: REFREE, Coffield; UMPIRE, Hildebrandt; HEADLINESMAN, Howard; TIME, J. E. Gregg and Joe R. Humphrey.

MARFA

NO.	NAME	POS.	YR.	WT.
10.	KNIGHT (Captain)	TACKLE	1	175
1.	WEATHERFORD	QUARTER	1	150
3.	GATROST	HALF	0	150
4.	KILPATRICK Bud	FULL	0	170
7.	MEANS	END	0	130
11.	SCHUTZE	TACKLE	0	150
5.	HUBBARD	GUARD	0	145
6.	I. RIDOUT	GUARD	0	180
2.	R. ELMENDORF	HALF	0	150
8.	MOORE	QUARTER	0	129
9.	JONES	CENTER	0	135
14.	T. DAVIS	TACKLE	0	135
13.	BENNETT	END	0	118
12.	HUMPHRIS	END	0	130
16.	FRANKLIN	TACKLE	0	120
15.	MARSH	GUARD	0	128
17.	HARRIS H.	GUARD	0	140
18.	BOGEL B. B.	HALF	0	118

Miss Ellison Weds Scott L. Plumbley

Two plums of pampas grass, palms and daskets of roses decorated the interior of First Christian church for the marriage of Miss Julia Marlowe and Scott Lee Plumbley, yesterday evening at 6 o'clock. Pink candles in silver and crystal holders burned on the altar.

The Rev. George Bassett performed the marriage and a double ring ceremony was used. A number of friends of the couple were present.

Miss Mae Howard of Marfa, maid of honor, was first in the wedding procession, followed by Mrs. Percy Montgomery, sister of the bride, who was matron of honor. The bride approached on the arm of her brother, R.R. Ellison, Jr., who gave her in marriage. Mr. Plumbley and his best man, William Hall, awaited the approach of the bridal party at the altar.

Miss Howard wore a frock of black satin trimmed with green, with a black hat and black shoes. She carried bouquet of pinkroses. The matron of honor was attired in a costume of jungle green satin and ceru lace, with a green hat and costume accessories of black. She carried roses.

The bride's costume was of tan and brown, worn with a small flower trimmed tan hat and costume accessories of tan and black. Her bouquet was of salmon pink roses.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a honey-moon trip to Galveston and Houston, They will make their home in El Paso.

Mrs. Herman Rosch played several pipe organ selections preceding the ceremony. For the approach of the wedding party she played the wedding march from Lohengrin and for the exit of the bridal party Mendelssohn's wedding march was played. Mrs. H. H. Kilpatrick of Marfa, an aunt of the bride, sang "I Love You Truly" and "Oh, Promise Me." Mrs. Rosch played softly during the ceremony.

Among the out-of-town guests who came to El Paso for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wells of Marfa, aunt and uncle of the bride, Clarence Ellison, brother of the bride, Miss Cornelia Kilpatrick of Marfa, G. A. Howard and Miss Mae Howard of Marfa, and Mrs. Kilpatrick.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ellison. She is a graduate of El Paso high school and attended T. C. U. College at Fort Worth. Mr. Plumbley is an employe of the Southern Pacific Railroad.

—El Paso Times

Mrs. N. H. Corder

It was with deep regret that friend here learned of the death last Thursday of Mrs. N. N. Corder, 70 years old, which occurred in San Antonio that morning. Mrs. Corder was a native of Atascosa County, but had made her home here on a ranch for years. To know Mary C. Corder was to like her. She was a kind, faithful and Christian mother, devoted to her family and home.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Josephine Arvin and Mrs. Mary Mitchell, both of Sanderson, four sons, Eugene Corder of Sabinal, B. T. Corder of Marfa, J. M. and R. E. of this city, two sisters, Mrs. W. B. Miller of Uvalde, and Mrs. Ben C. Corder of Rocksprings, and two brothers, T. M. Schrier of Johnson City, and J. P. Schrier of Junction City.

Funeral services were held last Saturday in San Antonio.

—Sanderson Times

American Royal Live Stock Show

The premium list of the American Royal Live Stock and Horse Show to be held in Kansas City November 13-20, 1926, is being distributed and shows approximately \$75,000 in premiums will be distributed in the several divisions of beef cattle, dairy cattle, swine, sheep, draft horses, mules, finesaddle and Harness Horses and Ponies.

This will be the 28th annual showing of this great national exposition which attracts exhibitors from the Atlantic to the Pacific Coast and from the Canadian Border to the Gulf.

Many instructive features await those interested in dairy cattle and dairy as the dairy division will be one of the best departments in the Show.

Last year was the first time dairy cattle have been shown at the American Royal and like all innovations there was some questions as to just how the exhibitors and visitors would respond to this feature.

The dairy division proved to be a success from every view point and this year's showing will surpass in every way that of last year. Some of the best dairy herds in the country have already been entered for the coming show and by the time the entry list closes the dairy breeds will make one of the largest divisions of the American Royal.

Chamber of Commerce Luncheon Meeting

Forty members of the Chamber of Commerce were present at the semi-monthly Luncheon held at the Longhorn Cafe, September 29. The program featured R. S. Miller, County Agent, who addressed the Chamber on the "Possibilities of the Poultry Industry in the Big Bend Section." M. A. Buhler followed this address with a co-operative talk, and made the motion that the Chamber of Commerce commend Mr. Miller's plans and his success in organizing a Poultry Club in the Big Bend. The motion carried and a rising vote of indorsement was given. Mr. Miller, Henry Fletcher acquainted the members with the Public School Traffic Ordinance recently passed by the City Council, and asked that the Chamber of Commerce indorse the movement of the City Commission, and support them in making the law effective. By a rising vote, the entire membership showed its support of this measure. M. A. Buhler, chairman of the Cotton Contest Committee, made a splendid report of the Committee's recent trip of inspection through the Cotton Section of Presidio Co. Constructive talks were made by J. P. Jones of the Kokernot Motor Co., H. L. Hord of the Hord Motor Co., and vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce, Gus Raetzsch and R. E. Petross, H. M. Tilton, Live Stock Agent for the M. K. and T. Railroad closed the meeting by commending Chamber for its activity and progressiveness. For the past nine months, the Chamber has been most active in helping to put over a number of progressive moves for Marfa and Presidio County, the latest activity being that of fostering the Waterworks and Sewer bond issue, recommended by the City Commission, which resulted in the carrying of the bond election, on September 23, by an overwhelming majority.

AN ACCIDENT

Oscar Wells first of the week while roping a steer on the Brite ranch was thrown from his horse, dislocating the left shoulder. Mr. Brite was phoned of the accident and immediately left with Doctor Darracott for the ranch. Although suffering considerable Dr. Darracott soon had the dislocated shoulder adjusted.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Some one has said, "I go to church for three reasons:

1. To get away from myself,
2. To get closer to folks,
3. To draw nearer to God."

Next Sunday morning the church will observe the ordinance of the Lord's Supper. There also will be monthly conference.

Fifteen have joined the Bible class that is studying the New Testament. This class meets every monday afternoon at four except the first Monday of the month.

Our Rally Day program was a very pleasant change from our regular Sunday School work. It brought out the largest attendance we have ever had this year. All are invited to return next Sunday.

The Sunday School officers for the ensuing year are: L. F. Curl, Superintendent; W. T. Davis, assistant superintendent; Frank W. Barton, secretary; Mrs. McKie Mitchell, pianist; Hilda Marsh, assistant pianist.

At President Woodrow Wilson's funeral it was related that a soldier had sent him a khaki Testament, such as so many soldiers carried with the request that he read it every day thereafter no matter how hard he had worked nor how weary he was the president never failed to read the soldier's little khaki.

S. F. MARSH

RECEPTION AT COMMUNITY HOUSE

The Parent-Teachers Association gave a reception at the Community House to the Students of the School and the Pecos Football Boys Friday evening. The large reception hall was crowded to capacity and everyone, both visitors and students, enjoyed to the fullest extent the program and amusements of the evening. The imitation of one of Billy Sunday's physical efforts by Brother Marsh, was perfect in rendition and most amusing. His theme, divided into different heads, parts and summaries, with gestures, etc., was the A. B. C's, etc.

The evening entertainment was rounded off with eats, most acceptable and enjoyed.

GREEN VALLEY OIL WELL DOWN TO 500 FEET

"Active drilling at better than 200 feet" is the report that came in Wednesday afternoon from the well of the Green Valley Oil Corporation, well No. 3 Sec. 5, Blk. 3, T. & St. L. Survey, which was last week reported "spudded," and should have been corrected this week in our "Drill and Sandline" column.

From the office of the corporation in Alpine Wednesday it was stated that the well should reach a depth of at least five hundred feet by tonight, and all be in readiness to put in ten-inch casing.

Thus far the "top form" corresponds exactly with the old Wilson No. 1, which is only twenty feet distant from this test.

It will be remembered that Wilson No. 1 came in at 1,740 feet, with a gauge of forty barrels per day some time ago, and caused much excitement, locally. It had to be abandoned on account of dropped casing. With the new well at the same location, history should, in all reasonably expectations, repeat itself.

—Alpine Industrial News.

Among prominent Cattlemen in Marfa Monday, were W. H. Kokernot and A. S. Gage of San Antonio, Joe Esby, Bennett and Willis McCutcheon of Jeff Davis County and many of Presidio's Stockmen. Also Mr. Denman, representing the National Producers Association, with Headquarters at St. Louis, was here circulating among the cattle raisers of the Highland. Mr. Denman has bought about 10,000 head of Cattle in the Big Bend.

NOTICE

All parties are hereby forbidden to either fish or hunt or otherwise trespass in my pasture.

Sept. 24, 1926. W. W. Bogel.

ROTARY ACTIVITIES

Great interest is being evinced by members of the Marfa Rotary Schools. Young members are learning the principals of Rotary, while older ones are renewing their acquaintance with its ideals. Tuesday evening, the Club was served a luncheon at the Longhorn Cafe, after which, the membership adjourned to the Community House where the Rotary School was held, under the leadership of Earl Petross. The program featured "Rotary a Philosophy of Life" by N. A. Anold. Other addresses were: "Boy's Work" by J. E. Gregg, "Community Service" by Bryan DeVolin, "Rotary Activities" by J. C. Bennett, and "Better Business Methods," by Earl Petross.

This meeting was the second of a series of four schools, the others to be held in the near future. Rotary attendance, this month, average 96 per cent, which figures, will land Marfa Rotary, first place in the 42 District.

District Governor, Clint Anderson, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, will pay the Marfa Rotary Club an official visit, Tuesday, October 12th, Henry Fletcher, member of the Rotary Club of Marfa, and Ex-Governor of the 42nd district, who holds an important committee with Rotary International, will attend a committee meeting in Chicago, Nov. 13, 14 and 15.

INSTALLATION

The Woodman Circle will hold their installation at the W. O. W. Hall Monday evening at 7:15 p. m., with Mrs. Ernest Williams as the installing officer. An invitation has been extended to the Alpine Circle. A pleasant time is anticipated.

Golden Jubilee

Tomorrow evening at 6:30 p. m., in the Christian Church the C. E. will observe the Clark Golden Jubilee with the following program: Hymn—"How Firm a Foundation." Opening Prayer by Reverend Buhler. Responsive Reading—Psalm 91. Sentence Prayers.

Hymn—"Blest Be The Tie That Binds."

Ten Minute Addresses.

"A Christian Home for Fifty Years." —H. O. Metcalf.

"Christian Endeavor's Contribution to the World." Mr. Kilpatrick.

"What Christian Endeavors Owe to the Golden Jubilee." Mr. Buhler.

Hymn—"Take My Life and Let it Be." Golden Jubilee Offering for the Completion of the Recognition Fund.

Announcements.

Hymn—"God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

Mizpah Benediction.

HISTORY CLUB

Mrs. J. F. Skinner was hostess to the Marfa History Club Tuesday afternoon at her ranch home twelve miles south of Marfa.

Mrs. Edgar Mueller, the president conducted the business session.

Mrs. J. C. Darracott was the leader for the lesson:

"Nature, History and Art." by Macgonigle.

Interesting papers and discussions were given by members present.

Those present were: Mesdames, Mueller, Marsh, Fischer, Darracott, Brite, McCracken, Wilson, Yates, Suttot, Miss Jacobs and Mrs. Mueller of San Antonio.

Miss Winnie Davis and Daisy Hamie are students at Sul Ross.

CO-OPERATIVES FACTOR IN MARKETING



Even the Farm Women Have Their Extension Agents Who Meet With Them to Demonstrate Better Farm Practices.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Thirty per cent more eggs were marketed co-operatively in the United States in 1925 than in 1924. It is estimated by the United States Department of Agriculture. A number of recently formed co-operative organizations reached their full stride as marketing agencies during the year and many of the older associations received larger quantities of eggs from their members.

Gains in Marketing.
Gains in the co-operative marketing of eggs were particularly large in Missouri, where county exchanges and centrally established assembling and packing plants have been developed. In Minnesota a substantial increase in the co-operative marketing of eggs was largely due to expansion in the business of the Minnesota Egg and Poultry Exchange, a federation of 17 local units with 22,000 members. This

organization did not begin operations until the latter part of 1924. Yet in 1925 it handled a larger number of cases of Minnesota eggs than had ever before gone through co-operative channels in that state.

New Organizations.
New co-operative associations organized to handle eggs began operations last year at Hannibal, Mo., Portland, Maine, and Wauseon, Ohio. Fifty-eight co-operative elevators, creameries and stores began in 1925 to handle eggs as an additional service to their members. Large quantities of eggs were marketed for co-operative associations through co-operative sales agencies in New York, Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis, Los Angeles, and San Francisco. One association that handled New Hampshire eggs on the Boston market in 1924 went out of business before the close of 1925.

VEGETABLE PLATE FOR HOME DINNER

From Three to Five Vegetables Are Served.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Perhaps you've eaten the combination known in restaurants as a "vegetable plate." Many a homemaker has found this kind of a meal on the home table very popular. The special plates divided by little ridges into separate compartments, one for each vegetable, are not needed. These plates add novelty, but a vegetable dinner tastes just as good when served in the usual way.

The markets at this time of year are most tempting, with a variety of fresh vegetables, such as peas, string beans, slicing tomatoes, asparagus, summer squash, egg plant, and lima beans. Also the good things in cans need not be overlooked. As the summer advances your choices for a dinner of this kind will increase and you can then have one often with so many different combinations that they will never need be twice alike. That is one of the great things about using a variety of vegetables. Hardly any two look, or smell, or taste just the same. With all the different colors and textures and flavors of vegetables the meals can be kept varied and appetizing and well balanced, too, from the standpoint of food value.

From three to five vegetables are usually served in a vegetable dinner. There should be at least one hearty kind, that is one that contains a rather high proportion of protein and starch, either in the vegetable itself or in the other foods combined with it. There should also be variety in texture and flavor—something crisp, something soft, something mild flavored, something acid, and at least one pronounced flavor to give zest to the entire combination. And there should be enough richness in the seasoning of the vegetables or the way they are cooked to make them substantial enough for the main course at dinner. Some people complain that a vegetable dinner does not "stick to the ribs" and that it just fills up the stomach with "bulk." It is, of course, true that vegetables contain a high proportion of cellulose and water and that they do not stay in the stomach so long as meats and other foods rich in fat. The vegetables, however, can be easily enriched with enough butter, cream, or other fats to make them satisfy the appetite. And what is more they contain an abundant supply of the much-needed vitamins and minerals.

Three hot cooked vegetables and one raw one are suggested for today's menu: Potatoes delicately browned in butter or other fat, shredded carrots in milk, asparagus or new peas, spring onions or radishes. Contrasts in texture, color, and flavor are all given in this simple combination. The browned potatoes are starchy, rich, and crusty; the orange-colored carrots cooked in milk are soft and slightly sweet; the asparagus or new peas are fresh green, tender and juicy, and the spring onions or radishes are so crisp and succulent that they give the teeth good exercise.

This is only one of a great many equally good vegetable combinations that might be chosen.

VALUE OF SALAD IN GREEN LEAVES

Of Peculiar Value Because of Vitamins Supplied.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Literally the word "salad" means something salted. If this definition is accepted, a stalk of celery or a radish is really a salad. Common usage, however, applies the term salad to any dish that consists chiefly of or in-



Lettuce, Tomatoes, Peppers, Radishes, Onions and Celery for Raw Vegetable Salad.

cludes a certain amount of some fresh crisp vegetable. Some salads contain also meat; others fish, cheese, eggs, fruit, or nuts. In the opinion of experts on nutrition, it is the green leaf that gives to salads their peculiar value, for it supplies a kind of vitamin that is found in few other foods. Busy housekeepers will do well to remember this fact. The elaborate salads may taste good but their special value lies in the green leaves which they contain.

Nutritive Value of Any of Home-Cooked Cereals

It is almost impossible to compare the nutritive value of ready-to-eat with home-cooked cereals, says the United States Department of Agriculture. The nutritive value of any cereal food depends on the kind and on the proportion of bran, germ, and endosperm (white inner portion of the kernel) included. If outer coatings and germ are included, it contains far more minerals and vitamins than if these parts are rejected. Judged on the basis of average servings the food value of the lightweight ready-to-eat cereals is lower than that of the home-cooked kinds. In the case of all cereal foods, however, it should be remembered that comparison of the nutritive value should be not on the basis of the form in which they are sold, but on that of the parts of the kernel they include.



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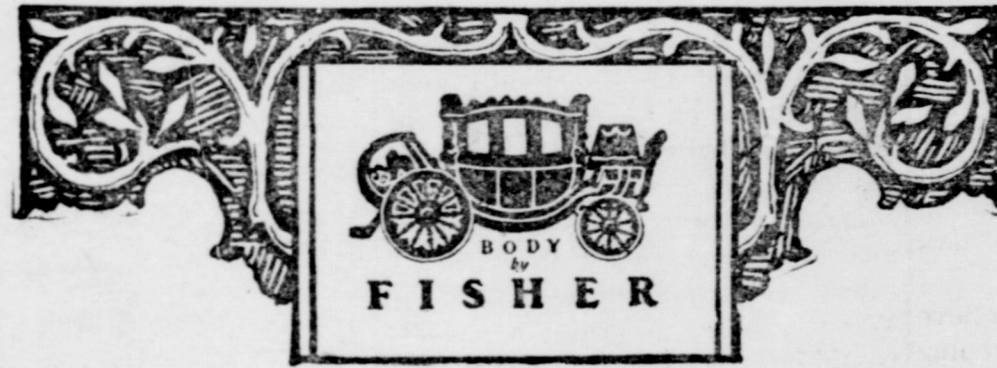
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Two laboratories for the scientific investigation of earthquakes are in process of erection. One is being built at Imperial university, Tokyo, Japan, and the other is being constructed at Pasadena, Calif., by the Carnegie Institution of Washington.

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Gravediggers Rob Dead

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Deceiving

"Did you write those jokes yourself?"
"Yes."
"Then you must be much older than you look."—Buen Humor (Madrid.)

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Figures may not lie, but figures of speech are often misleading.

"Getting away" with a thing usually means "getting away" with yourself.

A man may be short of ideas and still be able to hand out a long line of talk.

A man that is young in years may be old in hours if he has lost no time.—Bacon.

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unquestionable the greatest force in
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day. They should look that way for
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Volcanic Soil which gives to the
Marfa grape a most delicious flavor
And it seems that each vine here
selects its own particular extract,
The New Era's neighbor Mrs. Briam
gave us a basket from her vine this
week, and truly, they were fine, very
fine, indeed— with bouquet and fla-
vor all their own.

Kansas Pas- ses The Buck

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to those who would change the law,
and yet in an article published in
the New York Tribune we find him
saying:

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stead Act hadn't decreased the use
of liquor in Kansas. It isn't as good
a law as the Kansas prohibitory law
... Nevertheless, there was a
tendency to substitute the mean-
ing of the federal law for the state
law. Local administration went on
vacation and, to use that vivid
phrase born in the World War,
passed the buck to the federal
agents."

For Rent

ALL, or part of my
home, completely
furnished.

Mrs. Lillian Bailey

(9-18-26) tf.

Prohibition is sound enough, when
the people want it. Any locality, any
state, has the right, moral as well as
legal, to forbid commerce in alcohol.
But laws of this nature can be en-
forced only by local public opinion.
The federal government has nei-
ther the police nor the judiciary to
assume such a burden, and neither
the Wets nor the Drys are willing
to give it that power.

Kansas, and every other state,
passes the buck and so the dry law
has done more than anything since
the Fugitive Slave Law to bring the
government itself into contempt.

—Colliers Weekly.

An ORDINANCE

The City of Marfa, Texas
County of Presidio

AN ORDINANCE MAKING IT UN-
LAWFUL FOR ANY PERSON,
FIRM, OR CORPORATION OR
THEIR EMPLOYEES, TO ENTER
THE PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL
GROUNDS IN A MOTOR VEHICLE,
EXCEPT AT TWO DESIGNATED
PLACES AND FIXING A PENALTY
FOR SAME.

BE IT ORDAINED THE BOARD OF
COMMISSIONERS OF THE
CITY OF MARFA, TEXAS:

That from and after the passage
and publication of this ordinance it
shall be unlawful for any person,
firm or corporation or their employ-
ees to enter upon the High School
grounds of Marfa, said premises
lying between Columbia Street on
the North, Hill Street in the West,
Lincoln Street on the South and
Abbott Street on the East in any ve-
hicle propelled either by steam or
gas, except at the following two de-
signated entrances, South entrance
and exit where Kelley street would
intersect said premises and on the
West where Washington street
would intersect said premises.

That any person, firm or corpora-
tion or their employes violating this
ordinance shall be guilty of a mis-
demeanor and shall be fined in any
sum not less than five nor more
than fifty dollars.

The above ordinance was passed
at a regular session of the City Coun-
cil of the City of Marfa on the 23rd
day of September A. D. 1926.

JOHN HAMIC

Mayor of the City of Marfa, Texas
(SEAL)

Attested:
Katherine Duckworth
Secretary of the City of Marfa, Tex.
This is to certify that the above
and foregoing ordinance after its
passage was placed in the office of
the Secretary of the City of Marfa,
Texas, that it was thereafter signed
and approved by the Mayor of such
City and was by him returned to the
Board of Commissioners of such
City, and was duly adopted by the
Board of Commissioners of such City
at a regular session, sitting on the
23 day of September A. D. 1926.

by the following vote to-wit:
John T. Hamic, Mayor, voting yes
Joe Rossen, voting yes
C. Britz, voting yes.

Katherine Duckworth
Secretary of the City of
Marfa, Texas.....
(SEAL)

All kinds of junk, Brass, Copper,
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No. 64. I.O.O.F.
1st Tuesday Night, 1st Degree
2nd Tuesday Night, 2nd Degree
3rd Tuesday Night, 3rd Degree
4th Tuesday Night, Initiatory
Degree. All visiting brothers are
cordially invited to be present.
J. H. FORTNER N. G.
E. F. NICCOLLS, Secretary.

The Wool Industry in South Africa

(Letter from E. S. Bartlett, Bloomforton, O. F. S., Africa)



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Weaving coolies with primitive looms in Africa.
Note the Overseers.

The Union of South Africa is rightly
classed among the great wool pro-
ducing countries of the world. Cli-
matic conditions there are admirably
adapted to the breeding and raising of
the Merino type of sheep with a
strong, staple wool.

A large part of this country is sui-
table only for the raising of sheep,
and the government is making pro-
gressive and intelligent efforts to im-
prove both the sheep and the manner
of preparing the wool for market.

Jackals being a strong menace in
South Africa, long-time government
loans are extended to sheep owners
for the erection of jackal-proof fence-
ing. Government sheep experts are
maintained permanently in allotted
districts so that their services and
advice may be assured at a nominal
fee.

The mutton sheep of South Africa
is the fat-tailed, black headed Cape-
a non-wooled sheep. As no cross-
breeding for mutton lambs is done,
the wools are purely Merino in char-
acter.

Progress in this South African in-
dustry is particularly noticeable in
the harvesting. Despite the fact that
Kaffir labor can be secured at the
equivalent of \$3.50 American, per
month, there is a trend towards the
modern shearing machine as against
the age-old hand blades, which, even
in America, have not been discarded
by many otherwise entirely progres-
sive wool raisers.

A study of this fact, however, read-
ily reveals the reason for it. While
there is a first cost for the machine,
the unskilled black adapts himself to
its use much more readily than to
the hand blades, and soon does a re-
markably smooth job of shearing with
the machine.

Once adapted to the use of the ma-
chine, its economic value is demon-

strated in the materially greater num-
ber of sheep shorn daily, the better
market value of the wool, the fewer
maimed sheep, and not least im-
portant, the additional 5% to 12%
more wool obtained with the machine
over and above the amount of wool
secured with the hand blades. As a
consequence, the machine resolves
itself into a small investment with
certain and big returns.

Steadily, the science of wool-mar-
keting in South Africa is fast ap-
proaching the scientific efficiency of
the Australian marketing plan, which
is, without doubt, the most practical
and efficient in existence today.

Considering that the four provinces,
Natal, Transvaal, Orange Free State,
and Cape Province, which comprise
the Union of South Africa, have
20,000 square miles less of territory
than Oregon, Washington, Idaho,
Montana and Wyoming combined, it
is surprising to note that they contain
two and one half times as many sheep
as our five states named.

This alone, makes that country a
strong contender for future leader-
ship in the wool industry. It is inter-
esting to note however, that the great
bulk of foreign progressiveness is due
to American initiative, American im-
plements, and machinery and Ameri-
can ingenuity. The South African
wool industry holds true to this in
that American methods and Ameri-
can machinery are destined to take a
large and important place in the eco-
nomic progress of the far distant
Union of South Africa.

LISTEN!

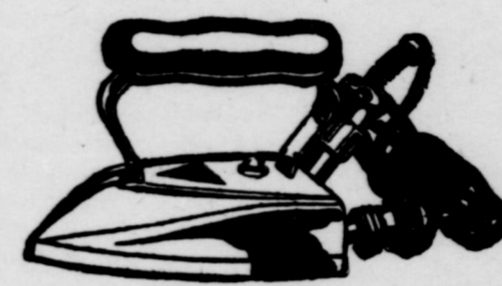
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Unlike anything else it is "DUCO" the beautiful enduring finish for every thing in the home.
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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pilketon have returned from their Eastern trip, and Ms. Pilketon is again with the Marfa National Bank.

"DUCO" for handy home use, lasts at time, dries fast and lasts.
G. C. ROBINSON LBR. CO.

Mrs. George Logan returned first of the week from El Paso, where her son Albert was operated on for appendicitis. She reports him doing nicely and will soon return home.

Miss Mary Nelson has gone to Austin, where she is studying for a degree at State University.

WANTED—Will pay cash for upright piano box. Phone or write, J. B. Gillett, Marfa, Texas.

C. J. Warren of the Sierra Blanca Mountain Eagle, was in Marfa Monday and Tuesday. While here he bot and shipped to Sierra Blanca the Job Office of Andrew Wilcox.

FOR SALE—We offer for sale all material left over from old school building. Also the lumber building and improvements on school ground.
**J. W. Howell
C. T. Mitchell
F. W. Jordan
Trustees.**

H. W. Schutze has begun this week to move his Stores from the Hurlay building next to the Model Market to the building formerly occupied by A. L. Block.

W. T. Millington was in this city Tuesday. He reported that the Orient Railroad was being rapidly extended towards Ojinaga.

FOR SALE—Government bought, enamel dishes for Sale cheap, also a number of second-hand government wagons, cheap as long as they last.
**W. M. COUGHRAN,
Marfa, Texas.**

Prof. Riley Aiken of the T. C. U. at Fort Worth has been on this list since his visit here a month ago and Miss Catherine Schutze has been supplying in his place as teacher in German.

Martin Knight was brot from the ranch first of last week suffering from what appeared to be Sunstroke. He was taken to the hospital at Camp Marfa where he is reported some better.

THE WAR IS OVER

Children under twelve years of age, HAIR CUT for 25 cents: at Kennedys.
(Advt.)

ORDER YOUR CAKES

The Ladies of the Baptist W. M. S. will be pleased to take orders for cakes at any time. Phone Mrs. McCracken or Mrs. Orr Kerr.

Lets talk about your Sweetie, buy her a nice Ring at LOCKLEY, Ring Sale this week. See window display and this paper for weekly Specials.

John Fortner returned Tuesday to Sul Ross, where he has been a Student since his graduation at the Marfa Hi.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Jones of Fort Davis are now in Georgia, their old home state, visiting many places where they spent many happy days in the long ago. Dr. Jones knew Joel Candler Harris when the author of Uncle Remus was a red head freckle face printers devil, and by the way, this was in Putnam County, Georgia where before the war Charles Summer taught School for a time.

If you have any news, don't hesitate to send it to the papers, just phone 299 and we will do the rest. A newspaper is in business solely for the purpose of pleasing its customers, we will be glad to do anything to serve you, so don't be afraid to send in your news.

Mr. and Mrs. ED. Stegall of Valentine were Shopping in Marfa Tuesday.

The Model Market has installed a combination Ice and Meat Counter and are now prepared to handle Better Meat, Cleaner Meat. With Quicker Service. This up to date Counter cost \$800.00.

Everybody has been asking "When can we have DUCO to brush on at home" we have it now.
G. C. ROBINSON LBR. CO.

The Baptist Ladies will have a Bazaar December 4th. Place will be announced later.

Miss Mary Lee Greenwood is now in San Angelo in charge of the Music Department in the High School in that flourishing City.

There has been more rain, more grass and more fat cattle in this section at this time of the year than in many years past. In fact, from reports reaching Marfa this week from the Rio Gande Valley at Ruidosa and Candelaria where a great deal of damage has been done the cotton from floods coming from the mountains and hills near the river, there was too much water at one time. It seems that conditions bring a blessing in one section, at another is the cause of loss and worry.

FOR SALE—My Home in Marfa, Modern 7 room Bungalow. For further information, write Mrs. Paul Propst, Presidio, Texas.

H. L. Kokernot Jr., was a business visitor to our City Monday.

The Marathon correspondent to the Avalanche reports that, Mr. O. L. Niccols, returned Sunday from a three weeks trip to Chicago where he had been visiting sisters, Miss Jess Niccols and Mrs. Ella Norton. On his return he stopped in Houston and spent several days with his son Mr. Joe Niccols.

J. C. Bean the Marfa Contractor, has been busy at the Frank Jones ranch where Mr. Jones is having extensive improvements made on his ranch home.

The many friends of Mrs. W. T. Jones are pleased to know she is improving under the care of physicians in El Paso.

GAME COMMISSION ACCEPTS HUDSPETH COUNTY PRESERVE

Austin, Texas, September 30—Grant of 100,000 acres of land in Hudspeth County to be used as a game preserve, was accepted today by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission from Hudspeth county farmers.

The new preserve will be known as the "Eagle Mountain Preserve. A second grant of 100,000 acres in the same county known as the "Finlay Preserve is also pending.

Donors of the Eagle Mountain preserve are F. Z. Martin, R. H. Espy, J. A. Espy, E. C. Booth, Gustav Raetzsch, Harry Moore, Alphonz Kloh, W. F. Morgan, and David Rumsey.

Wild animals in abundance on the preserve included black tail deer, coyotes, bear, mountain lion, rabbits and foxes. The land was not given outright but its usage as a reserve turned over to the Commission.

Restriction will be thrown around the preserve immediately to protect the animals, it was said.
—El Paso Times, xz

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Espy of Fort Davis visited relatives here Thursday.

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Mrs. Tucker's Shortening

Mrs. Hicks Grey and Mrs. G. W. Davis were Marfa visitors from El Davis first of the week.

Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Whitfield of Alpine were visitors to our City.

Quite a number of the members of the Woodman Circle motored over to Alpine last Thursday evening to meet with the Alpine Woodman Circle. They report a very pleasant evening, spending a delightful social hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and family of Galveston, who have been spending the summer at Fort Davis were visitors to our City this week.

Among those who came over from Fort Davis Wednesday for the afternoon show—"The Vanishing American" were: Mrs. Lee Sprunt, Mrs. B. B. McCutcheon, and Mrs. R. C. Williams.

Capt. Paul Morris returned from San Antonio Thursday morning to visit his wife and daughter a few days before going to El Paso for the Horse Show.

March Goffield and wife and Mrs. Henry Goffield motored to El Paso this week.

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"Several times I have suffered with bad spells of indigestion myself and found I would soon get relief if I took a course of Black-Draught. I was troubled with a bad accumulation of gas and severe pains across my stomach and lower bowels. Now when I feel a spell of this kind coming on, I head it off by taking Black-Draught—a dose every night for a few nights will prevent the trouble and save me much pain and suffering.
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The following is the Program for the week of October 2nd.

- MONDAY**— A WESTERN
ART ACORD In *The Terror*.
- TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY**— A PARAMOUNT
ALICE JOYCE and WARNER BAXTER In *Mannequin*
- THURSDAY and FRIDAY**— A F. B. O.
CONWAY TEARLE and DORTHY MACKAIL In *The Dancer From Paris*
- SATURDAY**— Jewel
MAY McAVOY and PAT O'MALLEY In *"My Old Dutch."*

Show starts 7:30 P. M.

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MARFA CHAPTER No. 344 O. E. S., meets the 3rd. Tuesday evenings in each month. Visiting members are cordially invited to be present.

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Marfa, Texas.

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**CARL WEASE, W. M.
N. A. Arnold, Secretary**

Mead Metcalfe

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Marfa Rebekah Lodge no 432 Meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 8:30 P. M.
Oddfellow's Hall
Miss Blanch Avant, N. G.
Mrs. Vera Belle Keane, Sec.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL MARFA CLUB
Meets every Tuesday's 12 Noon. Longhorn Cafe
MOORE A. BUHLER. Pres't
B. HILLSMAN DAVIS, Sec'y

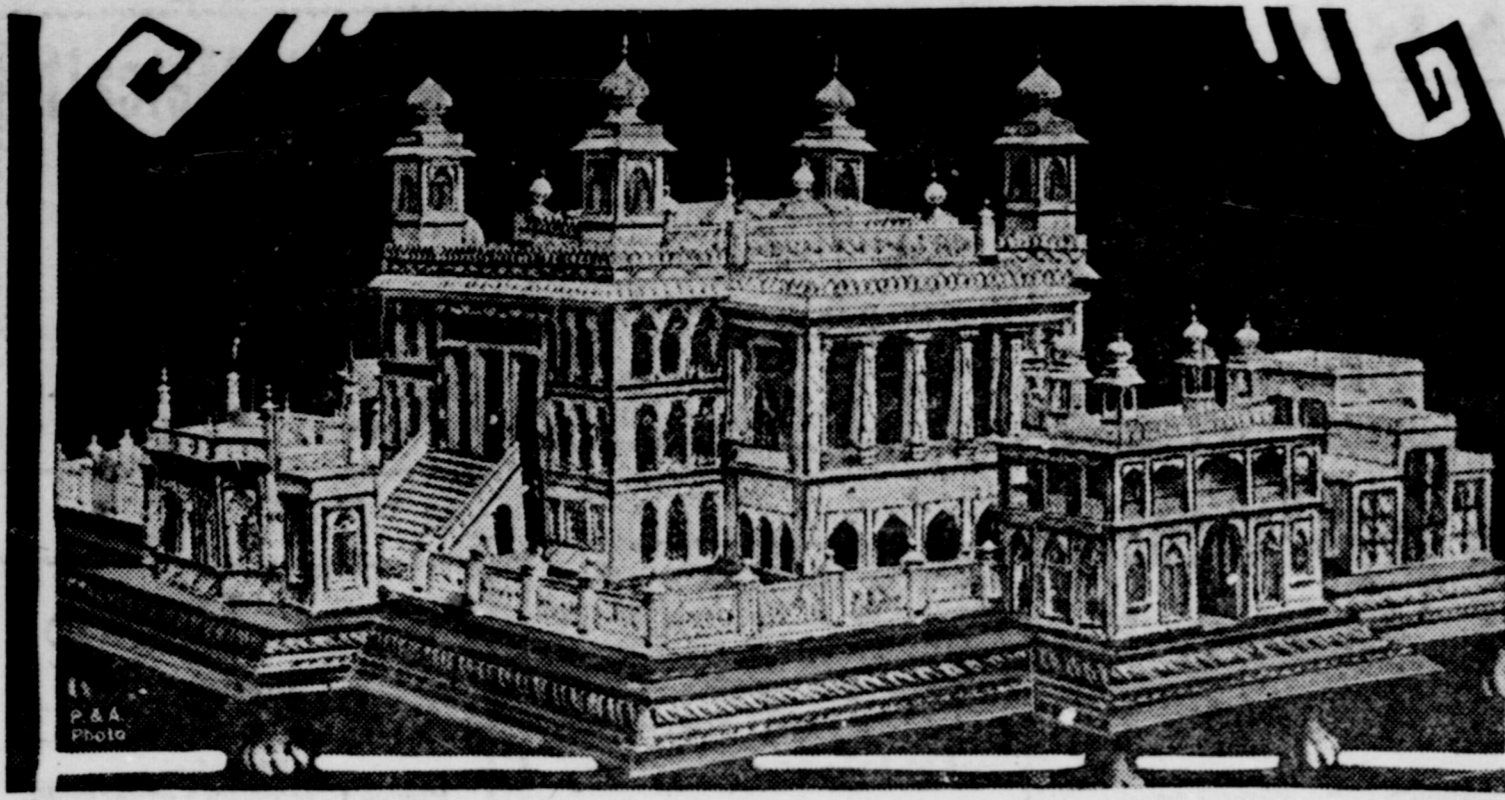
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**J. C. Bean, H. P.
J. W. HOWELL, Sec.**

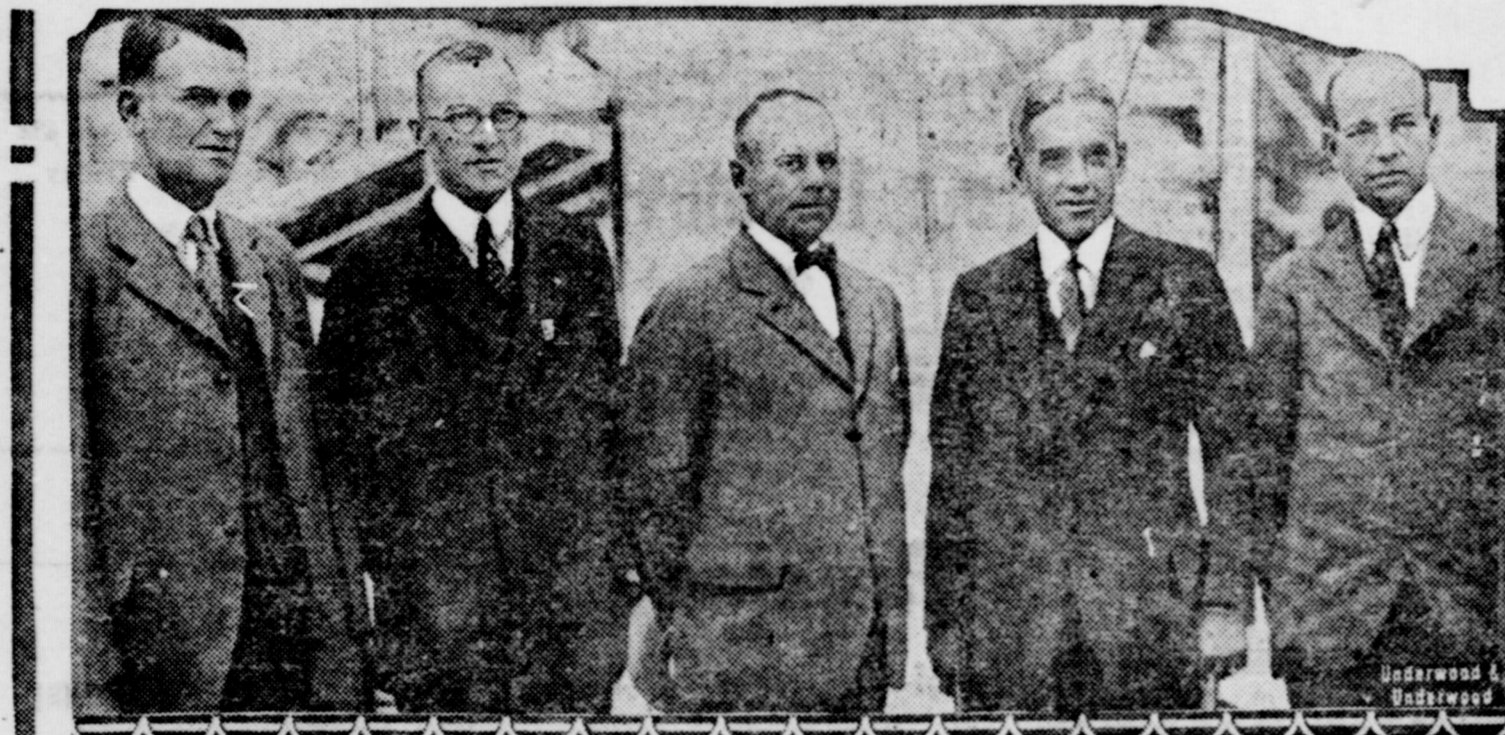
TO MY FRIENDS AND PATRONS
In order to keep 1st class Barbers the best work, it is necessary for us to increase the price of hair cutting to 50c, effective Oct. 1. The prices for other work will be the same as our neighboring towns of Ft. Stockton, Alpine, etc.
It has always been my desire to give you the best possible for the money, and in regulating our prices the same as other places, we think good workmen can be kept. Thanking you for your patronage and assuring you we appreciate your business and that we are here to serve you to the best of our ability.
**The Marfa Barber Shop.
W. R. Ake, Prop.**

Silver Model of Nizam's Proposed Palace at Delhi



The common people of India are beginning to complain, formally, of the huge sums taken from them by the native princes and wasted in various ways. Nevertheless the nizam of Hyderabad is now planning to build a white marble palace at Delhi, at a cost of £350,000. Above is a photograph of the silver filigree model of the palace which he has had made.

Our Delegates to Road Conference in Italy



This is the delegation appointed by President Coolidge to attend the international good roads conference in Milan, Italy, photographed as it was about to sail from New York. Left to right, the members are: John N. Mackall, Paul D. Sargent, Thomas H. McDonald, H. H. Rice, and Pike Johnson.

Highland Spatees the Latest



Miss Lala and Minnie Smith, daughters of the British high commissioner for South Africa, are seen above wearing the "Highland spatee," a new fashion for women, introduced at a reception held at the Savoy hotel, London. The spatee is made of showerproof material (wool) to be worn over the silk hosiery during wet weather, to take the place of Russian boots.

Cupid Takes No Account of Years



James L. Shroyer, eighty-nine, and Mary A. Couch, seventy-two, being married in Los Angeles by Judge Holzner. Shroyer, who previously had been married four times, took Mrs. Couch as his fifth wife, and Mrs. Couch accepted Shroyer as her second husband. Shroyer has only one child of his own, but is stepfather to nine children by previous wives. Mrs. Shroyer has four children, seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild by her former marriage.

GOLDA A. FOSSETT



Women have ventured into many fields in the business world, but Miss Golda A. Fossett is said to have the distinction of being the only one of her sex at the helm of a national live stock exposition. As secretary of the National Swine show, celebrating its eleventh anniversary at Peoria, Ill., September 13 to 18, Miss Fossett shoulders most of the responsibility incident to making this blue ribbon event of American hogdom a success. Hog men throughout the country agree that she is "boss of the show."

EATS MOST CLAMS



Mrs. Rose Rooney as she appeared winning the clam-eating contest which was held at the Antiquarian clam bake at Rehoboth, Mass. Mrs. Rooney ate two pecks of clams, beating the record and the two men who opposed her.

Moving Mountain

A mountain approximately 2,000 feet high moved slowly across the Rio Blanco valley, Colorado, in March a year ago. Traffic on the highway was blocked by the shifting of the mountain. A similar movement was reported in 1906.

Community Building

Employing Idle Land for Public Forests

Two-thirds of the cities in New York state have started, in one form or another, municipal forests, chiefly on city watersheds, and several already have planted more than 1,000 acres. Some of these forests in addition to the young plantations contain mature trees that may be utilized for lumber and wood. In the Albany city forest, which contains more than 600 acres, a considerable portion of the land is covered with mature pitch pine, a recent survey showed \$50,000 worth of lumber for plies besides 2,000 cords of wood.

The conservative commission is receiving inquiries from all parts of the state in reference to the planting of municipal forests by counties, cities, towns, villages and school districts that are considering the use of idle land to grow lumber and wood to meet their local needs. Many cities in Europe have such forests that are more than one hundred years old and are steady sources of revenue. In Switzerland the city of Zurich regularly employs one man for every 33 acres of its forest, and in the winter and times of industrial depression employs more. What Europe has been doing successfully and profitably for two centuries American cities are just beginning to do, and are using for that purpose land not suited to raising agricultural crops, of which there are large areas.

Make Garage Conform to Style of Home

The majority of the houses that are being built today—at least the better houses of today—are being carefully planned and executed so that when finished they are a credit to the neighborhood. They will always remain so, for they are not flimsy in construction nor structurally ornate with gingerbread work. In other words, they are planned on conservative lines.

However, even yet, we often find a house that is well built, following some certain type of architecture, such as the English cottage, the Dutch colonial or others equally well known, and this house is really a source of pride to the owner and the whole neighborhood, but many of these same houses have garages on the rear of the lot, simple boxlike structures without thought as to design. These detract from the general appearance of the property.

The garage should harmonize with the house in physical structure and finishing. It costs practically no more to build a garage after the Dutch colonial style than it does to build an ordinary shedlike garage. Trellises may be placed against a garage, adding to its decorative value.

Landscape Planning

In building a new home it is of course important that the landscaping be arranged in keeping with the house. Where the home is pretentious the services of a good landscape gardener are desirable. A good landscape man is an artist who knows how to eliminate the unsightly features of your home and how to accentuate its attractiveness by the use of shrubs, trees and vines, not to say anything about proper grades and terraces. Even in the home of lesser cost and smaller dimensions, such an outlay proves in every case a good investment.

Yet any number of home builders feel that they cannot afford such an expenditure. That may be true in a number of cases where the home purchaser is straining his resources to meet payments. However, that is no reason why such people should not try to make their homes attractive as those owned by people of greater means.

Color Scheme Important

We give scant thought to the colors that we paint our houses, to the tint of the body color, to the contrast of the colors of body, trim and roof, and to the relation of the colors to the surroundings, natural and artificial.

We apparently tell the painter that the house is to be white with green shutters, and accept his idea of the shade of green without considering that it may make the difference between charm and mediocrity. The house of loveliest design may be ruined by inappropriate colors, and color may give distinction and charm to a house that in itself is commonplace in the extreme.—Detroit News.

Home Needs Care

Are you one of those home owners who takes pride in his home and its surroundings and strives at all times to keep it at its highest efficiency and attractiveness? Or are you one who has the mistaken idea that your home will take care of itself without any effort on your part? If you are one of the latter, you are likely to find that your home-owning experience is not going to be as profitable and as satisfactory as you have every right to expect.—Chicago Evening Post.

Highway Signs Illegal

California lawmakers have passed an ordinance prohibiting the erection of signs and billboards along highways. Exception is made for legal and directional signs.

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"Tiffin" in America
An English trades journal broad-casts the information that sales of Indian tea had increased in the United States by 3,000,000 pounds in 1924. In many of the large business houses and banks the four o'clock cup of tea has become a part of the office routine.

Pantaloons
First Club Member—There's Rickey. You wouldn't recognize the old bore, would you? They tell me he's been rejuvenated.
Second Club Member—Ye gods, if he'd only had it done to his jokes instead.

Speaking of Cereals
"This movie is certainly mushy."
"I think so, too. It must be a serial.—Christian Science Monitor.

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Science Does Not Quarrel With Jesus The Great National Rifle Association

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A FRIEND who moves about a good deal said to me recently. "There's a general opinion that religion means believing in Adam and Eve and in Jonah's whale, and in Daniel and his lions, and that children who die are not safe unless they have been christened, and that men will be damned unless they accept the Athanasian creed. The result is," he continued, "that very many have no use for religion. They look to science for truth, and believe that science has killed Christianity."

I am afraid that his estimate of the present situation is fairly correct. Until people get a truer idea of what Christianity really is, they will not be willing to call themselves Christians.

What is a Christian? you ask. The answer is simple. A Christian is one who accepts Christ's teaching and tries to shape his life accordingly. "But," comes the reply, "that means believing in Adam and Eve, and in sin and death coming to the earth because Adam ate an apple."

A Fact None Will Deny.

It does not. There is no mention in this story and theory in the teaching of Jesus. He merely said that in the beginning God made mankind, male and female, and that is a fact which no one will deny.

The fact is that there is no quarrel between science and the religious teaching of Jesus. But, in the past, men combined his teaching with their own science, which we now know to be in many ways wrong. They thus made a system of theology. We want a religion which no longer credible. We must get back to the revelation of Christ, and combine it with good science.

Some say: "We don't want any theology. We want a religion which helps people to live decent lives, and we look to science for truth." That position seems to be impossible. You cannot go for a walk without getting somewhere. You cannot have a religion without definite beliefs of some sort. Why are we here? Why do we feel that we ought to lead decent lives? Why do we value scientific truth? Science cannot answer these questions. It tells us that the earth is probably some 4,000,000 million years old, and that man has been evolved from lower animal who had neither our mental nor spiritual qualities. Science thus shows us a picture, but it does not say—it is not its business to say—who painted the picture. It reveals a stupendously long and elaborate progress, but it cannot tell us the purpose of that progress.

Spiritual Realm

Jesus, in his Revelation, answered the fundamental questions which we all ask. He said that God made and rules the world God planned and directs the process which has brought man into existence. And Jesus affirmed that man was made to enter what we called the kingdom of God. This world is ours is not the ultimate and final world. Behind it is the spiritual realm of goodness and beauty and truth. Of that realm, and of God who is its King, we only

get blurred visions. But we were made to enter it because we value truth, because our very nature makes us feel the supreme importance of righteousness. Man is what he is because he was created for spiritual ends. Man has come from the animal, but he is not a mere animal. He has, and they have not, mental powers that enable him to discover God's secrets. He has, and have not, ideals which points to the kingdom of God. To these religious truths science does not and cannot demur.

"God is love. Repent, and the doors of the kingdom are open before you." Such is the essence of Christ's teaching. And, to enforce it, He told the parable of the prodigal son. In the light of such teaching the idea that unbaptized children go to hell is not only horrible, but also false. By all means bring children to church and dedicate them to God's service. Then train them to be loyal to Him whose cross has marked their brows.

But—no magic. God is Love, and God is reasonable. Magic continues to seek an entrance into religion, probably because for a hundred thousand years primitive men combined the two. But it is the foe, and not the friend, of true religion. And because science is inflexible hostile to magic, it is a real servant of religious progress. Every true follower of Christ can welcome the aid of science in destroying superstition. Superstition is the parody of faith, and, moreover, it had no moral value

During the war I met on a train a dissipated looking soldier. He asked me if I was a priest for as he said, "I always go to confession, get absolution and begin again." "What good does it do you?" I asked. "Otherwise," he replied unctuously, "I should be left to the uncovenanted mercies of God." I told him that there was no talk of "covenanted mercies" in the parable of the prodigal son. The boy in the story came home to be freely forgiven when he had put loose women out of his life. That is Christ's teaching. Repent and enter the kingdom.

A Dream.

But is not this other world, this kingdom in the heavens, a dream? Surely we have given up the idea that heaven is a place. Science can probe the depths of space, finding thousands of millions of stars as important as our sun, but it discover no realm of God. Such is the common criticism of what is supposed to be Christian belief. But we answer that the spiritual world is invisible, not material. It is the world of God who acts through matter, but is beyond and above it.

We are here, knowing much and puzzled by much more. Is it conceivable that at death we shall be blot- ted out, with the great riddle of our existence unsolved? Shall we never know why we were made? Cannot unselfish love outlast death? Was the cross mere folly? I cannot believe it. The spiritual work is the only real world. It is the world, not of science, but of the reality which lies behind science. It is the world where knowledge shall be perfect and death shall be no more. It is the world of Love, Joy, Peace.

Due to discontinuance of the National Rifle Association Matches at Camp Perry, Ohio for this year, the Regular Army Troops at Fort Eustis, Virginia, have organized the Old Dominion Championship Rifle and Pistol Tournament which will begin To-morrow (Friday), September 24th, and end September 26th. Entries have been received from the entire Third Corps Area which comprises the states of Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, and the District of Columbia.

Eight rifle matches, three small bore (22 cal.) matches, and nine pistol matches are scheduled. The outstanding contests will be the National Rifle Association Individual Championship Matches for rifle and pistol, open to civilians and military personnel and the Old Dominion Championship Team Matches for rifle and pistol which are open to teams, one from each regularly organized regiment or separate detachment of the Regular Army, Navy, Marine Corps, National Guard, or Organized Reserves, or from any regularly organized civilian rifle club in the Third Corps Area.

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