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GALVESTON MAKES USE OF NATURAL INSTINCT.

Criminal Practices and Inclinations Curbed by Interesting Gangs in Civic Affairs.

Galveston, Texas, June 21.—The problem of enlisting the small boy in civic welfare work has been well solved in Galveston. A mammoth and perplexing problem to any municipality, the small boy, has been more than this to this seaport city. For many years the boy was left to shift for himself, with the result that numbers of little fellows were brought into the corporation court every morning charged with offenses ranging from the trivial to the criminal. A juvenile court was established, and for a time this seemed to have the effect of lessening the offenses. A school for the youthful delinquents was built at Seabrook, and in a very short time the school was filled to overflowing. The listeners at the trials of these boys heard thousand of excuses for the offenses committed, which came every one from the one source—idleness. Interested men began to look about for a means to employ the boys and to keep them busy with work of a nature helpful to the municipality.

The boys were found to have well-organized gangs, with leaders and officers regularly elected and installed. They played in gangs, loafed in gangs and committed offenses in gangs. Often a gang would go bathing in the gulf, and if one member was caught in the undertow and washed ashore dead, there appeared no member of his gang to identify the body, and the police would establish identification only through adults who might know the boy's relatives. The problem was, "How can these gangs be put to work?" The gang instinct being strong, there was no hope for the extraction of individuals, but the entire organization must be interested and employed. Men asserted the belief that if the boys were given work and were made to believe that a real and definite responsibility rested on them, they would be converted into a means for much good for the commonwealth.

The location of Galveston is superb for a revival of the Pied Piper of Hamelin stunt. The water was here, the rats were here and the stage was all set. But no Pied Piper appeared. Some one thought of the small boy, the gangs and other boys' organizations of a higher class, and a well-arranged method of enlisting them in a war against rats was agreed upon.

The city commission authorized payment of 4 cents for every rat caught and killed by a boy or a gang of boys. The matter was carefully placed before the leaders of the various gangs. The result exceeded fondest hopes. Rats were brought in by bunches. The gangs took the lead in the campaign, and were the first to register rats at headquarters. The Boy Scouts next enlisted, and finally hundreds of individual boys were on the trail of rodents. A rat is a rare sight in Galveston now. The boys have scoured the city and the adjacent country and have well cleared this territory of the pest. If the famous Pied Piper could have viewed the result of this work he would have blushed with shame. The city commission has actually paid to the boys enlisted in the rat campaign more than \$1,000 for dead rats delivered to the city incinerator.

The most remarkable feature of the clean-up was the work of the gangs. Silently and seriously they scoured the waterfront, going beneath piers and sheds in quest of their prey. They delivered more dead rats to the incinerator than all the rest of the enlisted boys combined. And the number of cases in court against boys have been reduced to almost none, while from the school at Seabrook comes the advice that there is now room for many more boys. The rats being scarce, the boys are seeking new employment. They have learned what it means to accomplish something really worth while. The next campaign in which the boys will be enlisted will be the cleaning up of vacant space throughout the city, including the alleys in the negro sections. Every gang has ceased operations of an offensive nature and are eager for the fray in behalf of a cleaner and more beautiful city. Galveston has learned that the small boy finds enjoyment in employment as well as do men.—Fort Worth Record.

PRIZES FOR BEST ROADS.

Orange, Texas, June 25.—The Orange Commercial Club will offer one hundred dollars in prizes for the best mile of roads using the split-log drag. No compensation will be given the farmers for dragging the road other than the advantage of an improved public highway an opportunity for winning the prize. The first prize will be fifty dollars, second twenty-five, third fifteen and fourth ten dollars.

It is estimated that a man and a team can keep a mile of road in good condition by running a split-log drag thirty hours during the year.

KELL SAYS WHEAT CROP IS OVER 11,000,000 BUSHELS.

Wichita Falls Millionaire Miller Asserts That Average Is Small but Average Yield High.

Despite the reduction in wheat acreage, caused by dry weather in the Panhandle early in the season, Texas will produce more than 11,000,000 bushels of wheat, or nearly twenty bushels to the acre, according to Frank Kell, millionaire miller of Wichita Falls. Mr. Kell was in Fort Worth Tuesday to meet M. Lasker, of Galveston; T. P. Duncan, of Waco, and Thomas Kelley, of Wolfe City, his associates in the milling business.

"The wheat crop will be the best since 1904," said Mr. Kell. "The government gives us only 675,000 acres sowed in wheat, but the crop will be nearly as big as that of last year, which is proof of more intensive cultivation."

Mr. Kell said the granting of changes in grain rates and regulations requested by the Texas Grain Dealers' Association would have no effect upon the relations as between the grain men and the millers.

AN OLD-TIME FOURTH OF JULY.

Midland intends celebrating the Fourth this year in true Western style, and is making careful plans for the entertainment of her guests. Besides the interesting program that has been arranged, special consideration will be given to anything that will add to the comfort of the visitors. Plenty of ice water will be provided at all gathering places, such as the barbecue, baseball grounds, etc., and rest rooms will be provided for visiting women and children and competent help placed in charge to aid visitors in every way possible.

The Midland Cornet Band, under the direction of their new director, Mr. Vander Stratten, are preparing some very good programs, and should add considerable to the enjoyment of the various features.

The barbecue will be held at the Court House grounds, and is under the direction of such old-time experts in barbecuing as Lish Estes, J. R. Rhea, Wm. Little and Taylor Brown, and the fact that these men have charge of this important end of the program at once insures its success.

The program as arranged calls for baseball games between Big Springs and Midland on the 3rd, 4th and 5th; polo matches with the crack soldier team from Fort Bliss on the 4th and 5th; a big tennis tournament between the experts of the South Plains, and a real old-time bronco-busting contest with some of the wildest horses and best riders to be found any place, goat roping contests, cigar races, and other sports that will fill out a program interesting every minute of the 4th and 5th of July. Visitors may secure dance cards from the Dance Committee of the Secretary of the Commercial Club.

For those who are interested in irrigation and desire to take advantage of the opportunity to see the wells in operation, transportation will be provided if application be made to the Secretary of the Commercial Club.

The railroad is making a special rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip, good going the 3rd and 4th and returning the 7th, and the officials have promised ample equipment for handling all crowds.

THEY LIKE PLAINVIEW PUMPS.

M. E. Hay, formerly governor of the State of Washington, and his brother, E. T. Hay, who owns 50,000 acres of plains near Texline and 100,000 in old Mexico, lately visited the Plainview country, Hale County, Texas, where shallow water and the centrifugal pump make artificial irrigation possible.

They propose to irrigate their lands by pump, and they went to Plainview to learn how. Z. E. Black, of Plainview, writes that the visitors were greatly pleased by what they saw. Governor Hay said that if some of the irrigated orchards which he saw were in Washington they would be worth from \$1,000 to \$4,000 per acre. He said that while Hale County gets six cuttings of hay from irrigated alfalfa, they only get three in his state.

"Irrigation by pump certainly has made good in Washington," the ex-governor said, "and we find that for market gardens near our cities it pays to lift the water even from depths of 400 feet. I see no reason why the shallow water areas of the Texas Plains should not be considered the best irrigation districts in the country; for your lift is light and artificial irrigation is needed only to supplement a rainfall, which is much greater than in most of our Pacific Coast States."—The Earth.

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### PROFITS IN LETTING HOGS GATHER CROPS.

#### J. M. Sowers Has 300 Acres Planted Near Olton Which Porkers Harvest.

J. M. Sowers, from Tallula, Ill., is another South Plains farmer who is finding hog raising profitable.

Mr. Sowers owns a section of land near Olton. He has planted a 50-acre tract to millet, black-eye peas and cane, 20 acres to oats, 25 acres to alfalfa and 105 acres to maize and kafir. This is growing fine, according to Mr. Sowers, who left yesterday for a two months' visit at his old home in Illinois.

"We have 275 hogs," Mr. Sowers said, "and our plan is to let the hogs harvest all of the feed. They did this last year on a smaller scale, and the plan proved so profitable that we are trying it with 300 acres. If that turns out as well as the experiment did last year we will go into hog growing on a large scale—letting the hogs run in the field and harvest our crops."

An advantage of this plan seems to be that it gives the hogs exercise and keeps them thrifty.

### FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION.

All persons who wish to secure concessions and privileges for the Fireman and Band Celebration at Plainview, Texas, July 4th, see or write C. FRANKLIN, Fire Chief, Adv. 30. At Rich-ler Store.

### SUBMERGED IN FLOOD, CAR RUNS ON OWN POWER.

Illustrating under what adverse conditions the Ford will run is the experience that befell one Model T during the Dayton, O. flood. The rising waters completely submerged the car, and when they receded left it covered with a thick coat of clay and mud. The car was buried under the waters for many hours.

It seems almost unbelievable that a car in this condition could be gotten to run before a thorough overhauling. Nevertheless, when it had stood for a few hours to dry and a new coil box had been fitted on in place of one that had been smashed, it started under its own power without further alterations.

As it went chugging down the streets it had the appearance of an animated mud heap. There was mud plastered over radiator and hood, mud filling the lights, frescoed on the fenders and mud caked on the axles.

Yet it ran almost as smoothly as if it had just emerged from the wash rack instead of from a mud bath. The experience of this Ford and its ability to go after having passed through it all is but another tribute to the rightness of the car.

### LADIES' MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Ladies' Missionary Society met at the Methodist Church, with 23 members present. We feel sure that the prayers and

co-operation of the ladies' prayer meetings during the revival just closed were a great blessing to all. Let us continue the good work throughout the entire year, and not let it be a "spasmodic religious spasm."

It is said that during the Civil War a recruit who had lost his company in the strife approached the general and timidly asked where he should step in. "Step in?" thundered a voice that frightened the already-terrified recruit. "Step in anywhere. There's fighting all along the line!" So let's step in anywhere; each Circle is ready to give you the glad hand of welcome.

Circle No. 4 gave a report of 13 new members.

The president wishes to urge that all be present next Monday, June 30, at the meeting of the Federated Missionary Society, to be held at the First Christian Church. She further asks that a full report from each Circle leader and officer of society be made at the regular meeting on July 7.

PRESS REPORTER.

### SUMMER DISHES WITHOUT MEAT.

Something that will nourish without heating is the demand in the way of edibles at this season.

**Spinach Eggs**—Four eggs, spinach, white sauce, butter, cream.

Cuf in halves four hard-boiled eggs and rub the yolks through a sieve. Season some cooked spinach with a little butter and cream and fill the

whites of the eggs with the mixture. Place in a buttered baking dish and pour over the whole a good white sauce. Use the yolks for a garnish over the top and brown in a quick oven.

**Escalloped Tomatoes**—Two cups of tomatoes, two cups of bread crumbs, one-quarter cup of butter, salt and pepper.

Cook the tomatoes with the seasoning until tender. Into the melted butter stir the crumbs but do not let them brown. Place in a buttered casserole or pudding dish alternate layers of the tomatoes and crumbs until all are used. Let the last layer be crumbs and bake to a light, golden brown.

**Bean Fricasse**—One pound of marrow beans, one tablespoon of butter, one cup of milk or cream, mushroom or tomato catsup, vinegar, pepper and salt, minced parsley.

Boil the beans until tender and drain. Brown the butter in a frying pan and add the beans, stirring until thoroughly seasoned with the butter. Dry and add a little minced parsley, salt and pepper. Stir in the milk or cream and let it stew for a few minutes, then season with mushroom or tomato catsup and a little vinegar.

**Corn Chowder**—Two cups of sweet corn, four cups of milk, four cups of diced potatoes, two tablespoons of butter, one onion, eight soda crackers salt and pepper, two cups of boiling water.

Put half of the butter into a saucepan, add the onions sliced and let cook

slowly for five minutes. Then add the potatoes and the corn, with two cups of boiling water. Let cook for twenty minutes and add the milk, the remainder of the butter and salt and pepper to taste. Break the soda crackers into a dish and pour the chowder over them. Serve at once.—Kansas City Star.

### AGAIN CALLS ATTENTION TO OUR LARGE FARMS.

The average farm in Hale County contains 519.4 acres, and in each farm the average number of acres of improved land is 173.1. The Farmers' Union is strongly advocating the reduction of the size of farms of this State, and its president, Hon. Peter Radford, has previously, through the press, called attention to the number of large farms in Hale County. Federal Census records show that we have 669 farms that contains more than 100 acres. Mr. Radford claims that if cheap money were available more tenant farmers would become home owners and the owners of these large tracts could be induced to place their property on the market in small tracts.

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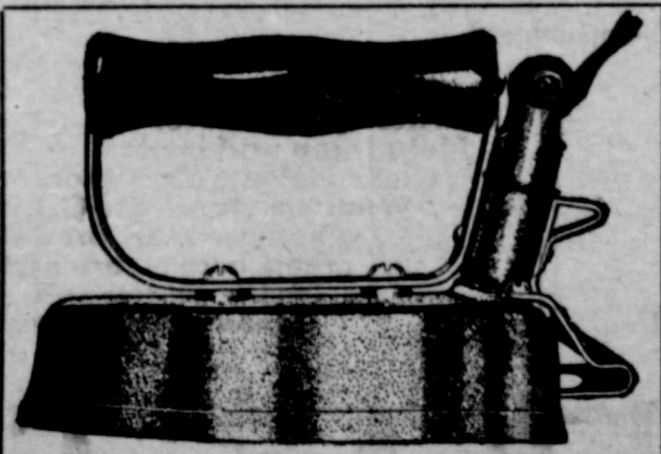
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#### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. W. H. Martin, of Lockney, is visiting her mother.

Mrs. F. Gromer, of Tulia, visited Mrs. J. M. Shafer Sunday.

Sam Malone, wife and child, are visiting the gentleman's brother, J. M. Malone.

President Wilson has foregone his week of rest in order to address the old soldiers at Gettysburg on July 4th.

Jas. Frye, of Tulia, was here on business Monday.

Miss Carrie Twing, who has been visiting the family of A. C. Hatchell, has returned to her home, in Quanah, Texas.

G. W. Shaffer, of Granbury, has been visiting relatives here.

Dr. S. R. Cates, of Abilene, is the guest of Judge W. B. Lewis.

Ira G. Heard left Wednesday for Glen Elder, Kansas. He will be gone two months.

Mrs. T. T. Fisher left Monday for O'Donnell, Texas, where she will visit relatives for a week.

L. R. Grimes and two little boys, of Weldon, Iowa, came in to-day. Mr. Grimes is en route to California.

Mrs. Walter Hancock has returned to her home, in Keytesville, Mo., after a visit to her son, M. C. Hancock.

B. O. Sanford is enjoying a visit from his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sanford, of Covington, Texas.

Work has been begun on the concrete walk at the Lake. The walk will be laid from the railroad track to the wierpool.

B. O. Brown, editor of The Herald, made a trip to Amarillo yesterday on business in connection with the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway.

Miss King, who has been visiting in the home of A. C. Hatchell, left Wednesday for Canyon City, where she will enter the Normal.

T. A. Boles, of Haskell, Texas, arrived Monday for a few days' visit to his daughter, Mrs. W. M. Pearce, at Seth Ward College.

The Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association has established a depot for gasoline at Roos' Garage, and will sell gasoline wholesale to automobile owners.

Rev. A. G. Jeffries, of Greenville, who has been conducting a series of revival meetings at Floydada, was in Plainview today, en route to Greenville.

Revs. G. A. Nicholson and S. R. Brennon, who have been engaged in evangelistic work for a number of days in Plainview, have returned to Kentucky.

Mrs. Mattie Brown and her mother, Mrs. M. E. Smith, of near Petersburg, who have been visiting in East Texas since February, returned very enthusiastic over crop prospects on the Plains.

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J. F. Pittman was in Plainview Monday, on his way to Amarillo. He has been visiting relatives at Lockney.

Professor C. H. Hendry came in to-day from Georgetown, Texas. Mr. Hendry will leave this week for Philadelphia, where he expects to study medicine in the University of Pennsylvania.

Horace Peters, Lockney, and Mrs. H. P. Swan, Denver Colorado, Mr. Peters' sister, were registered at the Ware Hotel yesterday. Mr. Peters is on bond as an alleged accomplice in the Muncey case.

S. K. Ingram and family, of Oklahoma City, passed through Plainview Sunday, en route to Roswell, N. M., driving a Marmon automobile. Mr. Ingram is engaged in the lumber business, and is much interested in silo building over the South Plains.

R. A. Long Drug Co. will give, on July 9, 10 per cent of all cash sales to the Ladies' Aid of the Calvary Baptist Church. —Adv. 1f

#### STUDENTS TO WORK.

Those who wish to have young lady or gentlemen students work at their homes for board during the coming school term may telephone or write to W. M. PEARCE, President of Seth Ward College, and make such arrangements. —Adv. 30

#### FIFTY CENTS A WEEK FOR FLIES.

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#### RED LIGHT USED TO PRESERVE MILK.

Scientific American Says Red Rays Help, While Violet Causes Souring Quickly.

Interesting experiments have recently been made concerning the influence of red light on milk, says the Scientific American. That light, as such, is detrimental to the conservation of milk has long been known, but which of the rays really did the mischief has only now been determined, when it is found that the red rays are beneficial, while those toward the violet side of the spectrum caused the milk to "turn." Pure, fresh milk placed in an uncolored glass bottle in the full sunlight, and sterilized and pasteurized milk, placed also in uncolored bottles in the same place were found at the end of the day to be completely spoiled and unfit for consumption.

Absolutely no difference could be detected between the ordinary "fresh" milk and that which had been sterilized—both were equally bad. But if even unsterilized milk is placed in a red bottle or in a bottle wrapped in red paper in the full sunlight it keeps perfectly good for ten hours. In Holland much care is being expended on delivering pure milk to the public. The "fresh milk" is brought around by the milkmen in large, covered, brass vessels placed on small hand-carts. On these same hand-carts are open holders to contain the bottles of pasteurized or sterilized milk, which costs rather more, but to which many people give the preference, as it is considered more hygienic. Now, however, that experiments have proved

how easily even this pure, sterilized product "turns", by the influence of the light, it may be expected that every dairy will adopt red bottles. Until a sufficient quantity of such shall have been manufactured, the bottles will be wrapped in red paper.

#### KATY IS READY FOR HEAVY BUSINESS.

New York, N. Y., June 30.—Frank Trumbull, chairman of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas board, has just returned from an extended trip over the lines of the system, during which he inspected the M. K. & T. main line from Kansas City to the Gulf of Mexico, at Freeport, Texas.

Commenting on his trip, he said: "One of the most encouraging features of my trip was the evidence of a more friendly spirit toward railroads in the West and Southwest. People in general seem to feel that the pendulum should swing back and the efforts of railroads to establish good service should be encouraged."

"In the Southwest, through Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas, the crop prospects are excellent. Bankers through the territory told me that they were never in better condition, and they look forward for a big business this fall."

"Missouri, Kansas and Texas will earn between 2 1/2 per cent and 3 per cent on its common stock for the year ending June 30. The road was never in better physical condition. The 3,800 miles of lines are ready to take care of all the business that may be offered. We expect to handle the biggest traffic in the roads' history next fall. Equipment is in excellent shape, and

there are fifty new locomotives and 1,500 box cars ready for service. There is no extension work under way, but we are confining our attention to developing and strengthening the existing lines."

#### TARRANT, PARKER AND PALO PINTO COUNTIES SECURE ROAD.

Fort Worth, Texas, June 30.—Tarrant, Parker and Palo Pinto Counties have raised the necessary \$80,000 to secure the Federal appropriation of \$40,000 for a post road between Fort Worth and Mineral Wells.

The County Commissioners of Tarrant County will appropriate \$50,000, Parker County has pledged \$20,000 and Palo Pinto County, \$10,000. According to an understanding, Tarrant County will allow the bulk of the Government's allotment of \$40,000 to be spent in Parker and Palo Pinto Counties, thus insuring a permanent, first-class military pike.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Mrs. E. E. Roos is entertaining this afternoon with "500" on the lawn at her home, 200 Archer Street.

Mrs. C. W. Tandy, teacher of the Philathea Class of the Calvary Baptist Church, is entertaining the class this afternoon.

The Philathea Class of the Methodist Church will entertain the Wesley Baraca Class this evening.

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PLAINS DIVISION OF HIGHWAY ASSOCIATION.

New Organization Perfected and Lined Up with the Panhandle Division.

San Angelo, Texas, June 25.—With 250 delegates in attendance, the Plains Division of the Colorado-to-the-Gulf Highway Association was perfected here today, and the new division lined up strongly with the Panhandle Division for the highway project.

The adopted route will pass through Trinidad, Raton, Clayton, Dalhart, Amarillo, Plainview, Lubbock, Lamesa, Big Springs, San Angelo, Menard, Kerrville, San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

The proceedings were marked by genuine enthusiasm, and the highway project was given a new and strong forward impetus.

WANTED—TO TRADE:

East Half of Section No. 28, Block A4, Hale County, in Shallow Water Belt, and ten acres or more about 8 or 9 blocks from Floydada... new Court House partly inside corporation. I wish to trade this property for a small, improved ranch, properly located. A. L. HAWKINS —Adv. tf. Hale Center, Texas.

A. AND M. COLLEGE NOTES.

B. Youngblood, Director of the State Experiment Station at the A. and M. College, has the following to say concerning killing Johnson grass:

"Persistent effort is the only remedy. If the field is set solid to Johnson grass I would advise that it be grazed closely during the spring and early summer; that it then be plowed repeatedly during the dry summer months, and then again during the coldest months when there is possibility of a freeze. Disc it thoroughly after each frost, so that new root may be thrown up to be killed by freezing. After this is done, it is advisable to plant the land to cotton in checks. Cultivate both ways, and do not allow the grass to make growth. If clean cultivation is repeated for two of three years no difficulty will be experienced in getting rid of the grass.

"Killing out spots is a little more difficult matter. It is useless to attempt to dig out the roots unless the spots are very small. I would advise that the roots be left uncultivated, so that the field may be plowed during the dry and cold months, thus killing the grass. During the cold months repeatedly plow and disc, in order to throw the roots up to the cold. During the months of vigorous growth, keep the grass cut back to the ground with a hoe. This plan followed consistently and repeatedly for a year or two will no doubt eliminate the spots of grass."

The following answer was made by Dr. G. S. Fraps, State Chemist and Chemist to the Experiment Station at A. and M. College, to an inquiry concerning the collection and preservation of manure:

"The manure should be kept in a shed protected from the rain, and as compact as possible. It also should be kept moist. If it dries out there is a loss of plant food. There will be a loss anyhow if the manure is kept for one year, but the best thing I can suggest is to keep it as I have suggested above. The manure will be worth about \$3 a ton, and it depends on the cost of gathering whether it would pay to save it.

"A better way where a dairy is maintained is to provide a large lot for the cows to run in, and grow a crop in this lot every alternate year. Much more of the fertilizer value may be gained in this way. The use of preservatives on manure is too expensive for the returns it pays."

The following answer has been sent to a Whitew farmer regarding silos and silage by C. M. Evans, Superintendent of the Extension Department of the A. and M. College.

"For the section around Whitney, sorghum or Kaffir corn will make a very satisfactory silage crop. If the land is of a sandy or loamy nature, it would pay to plant cow peas in the rows. These crops should be cut as soon as they are thoroughly ripened, and before the leaves become heavy, into half-inch lengths and packed thoroughly in the silo."

The following question has been answered by R. R. Rosa, of the Extension Department of the A. and M. College: "I would like for you to answer the following question: I have six shoats of 70 to 80 pounds weight and two sows that will farrow in the next ten days. I have corn chops, corn, wheat bran and wheat shorts. Now, what part of each ought I to seed to the shoats for a balanced ration; also what of this feed is best for the sows?"

Answer—"It has been found by experiments that wheat bran is not so good as other feeds for hogs. If fed continuously intestinal trouble will set up, as it seems to have a laxative effect. However, it is a good plan to give a feed of this material once in every few days to clean your hogs out. There is no difference in the feed stuffs of corn and corn chops. For pigs of 80 to 100 pounds weight give 2 1/2 pounds of corn and 3 pounds of wheat shorts per day. Sows weighing 200 pounds should be fed 5 pounds of corn and 2 1/2 pounds of wheat shorts per day."

The following methods of scattering acid phosphates are given by Dr. G. S. Fraps, Chemist to the Experiment Station at the A. and M. College: "The fertilizer may be scattered in a planter which will plant the seed and put in the fertilizer at the same time. The fertilizer also may be put in the row and then a bed thrown upon it. Then open the beds for planting. If the land is not bedded put the fertilizer in the furrow and then run a plow through it to mix it with the earth, and then plant the cotton in the furrow. If the acid phosphate has been manufactured properly, it can be applied with a drill, unless the weather is unusually damp. If it is necessary to apply it by hand, a horn made of tin or paper may be used, this reaching to the ground and preventing the wind from blowing the fertilizer."

The Cotton Classing School is in progress at the A. and M. College, and will continue indefinitely. The attendance is larger than had been expected, and more students are expected, in view of the fact that the only fee charged is \$7.50, while most schools charge from \$40 to \$60. It is estimated that the student can finish the course in four weeks. J. B. Bagley is in charge of the school.

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Below is a list of the merchants of Plainview who are offering free entertainment at the Majestic every Saturday evening to their out-of-town customers only. Shows at 1:30 and 2:30 o'clock: Blasingame & Klinger, Boyd Grocery Co., Sewell Grocery Co., Busy Bee Cafe, Jo W. Wayland, Shelton Bros., Warren & Sanson, Necessity Store, J. M. Sanderson, W. E. Winfield, Geo. S. Fairris, Carter-Houston D. G. Co., R. A. Long Drug Co., J. W. Willis Drug Co., Wright & Dunaway, Duncan's Pharmacy, Donohoo-Ware Hardware Co.

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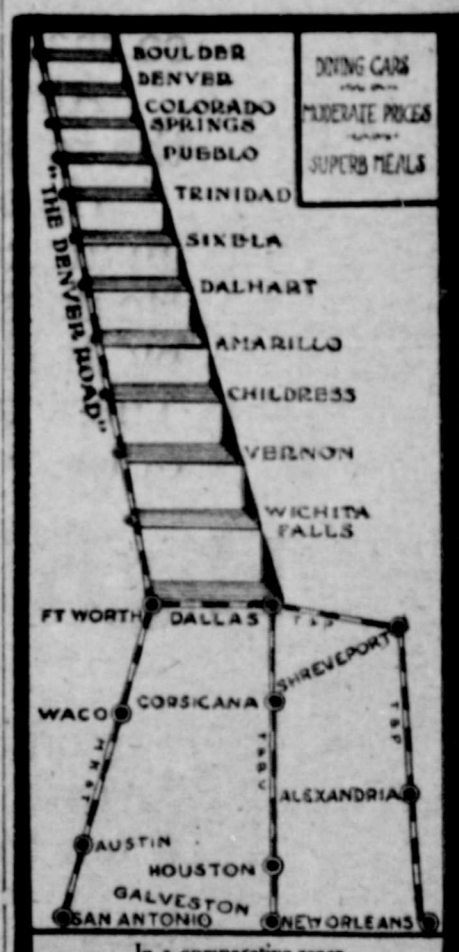
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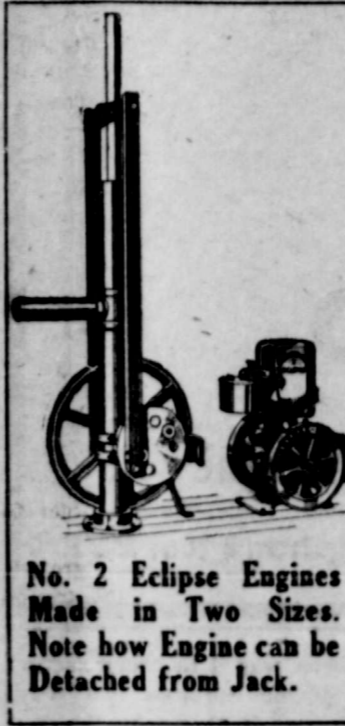
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### BISHOPS TURN DOWN IRONMASTER'S GIFT.

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At a called meeting of the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, attended by nine members of the college of bishops, a vetoing measure was drawn up Friday.

to the university, and is illegal, null and void.  
Copy to Secretary.  
A copy of this action will be duly certified and forwarded to the secretary of the board of trustees of the university.

Conditions Unsatisfactory.  
But the conditions attached to this gift and the letter accompanying it, which must be taken as expository of the conditions, are such as lead us to believe it cannot be accepted without a breach of trust and without dishonor to the church, if conditions are fulfilled in good faith to the donor.

negle should be deceived or that the university should be dismembered and the church of God dishonored.

### VACATION RECITAL.

The music pupils of Miss Amy Faulkner will entertain at 8:30 o'clock on Thursday, July 3rd, at the Schlick Opera House.

### COMPETITIVE TOURING IN EUROPE.

Competitive touring has taken hold in Europe, according to a message recently received by the Willys-Overland Co. of Toledo, Ohio, from its representative in Vienna, Austria.

\$10 REWARD.  
\$10 reward for delivery, or \$5 for information leading to recovery, of one Scotch Collie; female; sable (yellow) and white. Wearing collar with Plainview tax tag, 1913, attached.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hale County--GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED. That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hale, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 64th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 64th Judicial District, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, W. V. Kennedy, Edward Kennedy and R. S. Lemons, whose residences are unknown, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Hale, at the Court House thereof, in Plainview, on the 4th day of August, 1913, then and there to answer Plaintiffs First Amended Original Petition filed in said Court, on the 27th day of June, A. D. 1913, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 965, wherein T. J. Black and Alta Black are plaintiffs and W. V. Kennedy, Edward Kennedy and R. S. Lemons are defendants.

To the Honorable District Court of said County:  
Now come the plaintiffs, T. J. Black and Alta Black, and file this their First Amended Original Petition in lieu of their original petition filed herein on the 7th day of June, 1913, and for such amendment, and complaining of the defendants, W. V. Kennedy, Edward Kennedy and R. S. Lemons, whose places of residence are unknown to plaintiffs and to their attorneys, show to the Court:

That heretofore, on the 1st day of January, 1913, the plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described tract of land, lying and being situate in Hale County, Texas, holding, claiming and owning the same in fee simple, to-wit: Parts of the J. E. White Homestead and of the Ed M. White Homestead surveys, in and near the town of Petersburg, Texas, described by metes and bounds as beginning at the southwest corner of the said J. E. White Homestead Pre-emption survey; thence east 1,652.9 feet; thence north 2,108 feet; thence west 1,652.9 feet; thence south 2,108 feet, to the place of beginning, containing 79 1/4 acres of land; and that on the day and year aforesaid the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected the plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession thereof, to plaintiffs' damage in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars.

And Plaintiffs further show that they have title to and claim said land by chain of title as follows: Patent from the State of Texas to J. E. White, No. 569, Vol. 30, of record in the Patent Records of Hale County, Texas, Vol. 1, page 295; deed from J. E. White et ux. to Ed M. White, of record in the Deed Records of Hale County, Texas, Vol. 12, page 446; patent from the State of Texas to Ed M. White, No. 282, Vol. 30, of record in the Patent Records of Hale County, Texas, Vol. 1, page 209; deed from Ed M. White et ux. to T. J. Black, of record in the Deed Records of Hale County, Texas, Vol. 16, page 63; and that defendants have no title to said land known to plaintiffs, and are setting up some claim to said land under the deed from plaintiffs to defendant W. V. Kennedy hereinafter mentioned.

And for further cause of action against said defendants, plaintiffs show to the Court that on the 5th day of January, 1909, plaintiffs signed and delivered to said W. V. Kennedy a certain deed in form a general warranty deed, bearing date the day and year aforesaid, and now of record in the Deed Records of Hale County, Texas, Vol. 22, page 109, which deed purports to convey unto said W. V. Kennedy a certain tract of land lying and being situate in Hale County, Texas, described as beginning at a point 9,871 feet south of a wagon spindle at center of the D. P. Goodwin Survey; thence south 990 feet a stake; thence west 1,652.9 feet a stake; thence north 990 feet a stake; thence east 1,652.9 feet to the beginning, containing 37.57 acres of land; and plaintiffs say and show to the Court that said deed is invalid and not binding against plaintiffs, and should be cancelled, annulled and held for naught, and the record thereof should be cancelled, annulled and held for naught for the following reasons:

At and before the time of making said deed the plaintiffs resided at the town of Petersburg, Hale County, Texas, near which said land is situated, and owned and possessed at and near said town other lands, and were very anxious of having a railroad constructed into said town; and that said defendants W. V. Kennedy and Edward Kennedy at and just prior to the execution of said deed came to said town of Petersburg, and, acting together for the purpose of acquiring said land from plaintiffs, and for the purpose of defrauding them out of said land, represented to plaintiffs, and promised and assured plaintiffs, that if they, plaintiffs, would convey said land to said W. V. Kennedy that they, said Kennedys, would build, construct, complete and equip a railroad from the town of Memphis, Texas, to and through said town of Petersburg, and would have trains running over such railroad within two years from that time, and would have such railroad completed into and through the said Town of Petersburg within two years from that time; and represented to plaintiffs that they, said Kennedys, were financially and otherwise able to do so build, construct, complete and equip such railroad, and would so build, construct, complete and have trains running over such railroad within said time of two years, if plaintiffs would make such deed.

That plaintiffs had no knowledge of the matters about which such representations promises and assurances were so made, and relied wholly on the representations, promises and assurances so made by said Kennedys, and, so relying on said representations, signed, acknowledged and delivered said deed to said W. V. Kennedy; and plaintiffs show to the Court that they would not have so signed, acknowledged, delivered or executed said deed but for said representations so made by said Kennedys as aforesaid.

the Court that all and every of said representations, assurances and promises so made by said Kennedys were falsely and fraudulently made for the purpose of swindling plaintiffs out of their said land, and made without any expectation or intention of fulfilling, complying with or performing them or any of them, and without any ability to perform, keep or fulfill them or any of them. That said Kennedys were in fact mere adventurers without any financial standing or ability, and had not the ability to construct any such railroad. And Plaintiffs say that the execution and delivery of said deed was procured by fraud.

And these plaintiffs further show that said deed was signed, executed and delivered by plaintiffs to said W. V. Kennedy, they, plaintiffs, relying wholly on the representations, promises and assurances of said Kennedys so made as hereinabove set out; that no money or other thing of value whatever was given to or received by plaintiffs for their said land, or for the execution and delivery of said deed, and that the only consideration for said deed and the land in said deed described were the said representations, promises and assurances and agreements so made by said Kennedys and hereinabove set out; and these plaintiffs further show that said Kennedys have wholly failed to perform or do any of the things which they so represented, promised, agreed and assured plaintiffs that they would do, and have broken each and every representation, promise, assurance and agreement so made; that no railroad has been built into, through or near said town of Petersburg by said Kennedys or any one else; that plaintiffs have gotten nothing whatever for their said land; and plaintiffs say that said deed is absolutely without any consideration to support it, and that the consideration for said deed, if any there ever was, has wholly failed.

Wherefore, plaintiffs pray that defendants be cited to answer this petition, and that upon a hearing they have judgment for title, restitution and possession of said lands, that said deed and the record thereof be cancelled, annulled and declared void, for costs of suit, and for all relief to which they may be entitled in law or equity.

Attorneys for the Plaintiffs.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, 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 Plainview, this, the 27th day of June, A. D. 1913. (SEAL) B. H. TOWERY, Clerk District Court, Hale County, Texas.

Pasture for 25 head of horses for rent by the month; fine grass. Inquire at Herald. —Adv. 1f.

Phonics: C. D. WOFFORD, Dentist, Rooms 14-16, Ware Hotel Bldg.

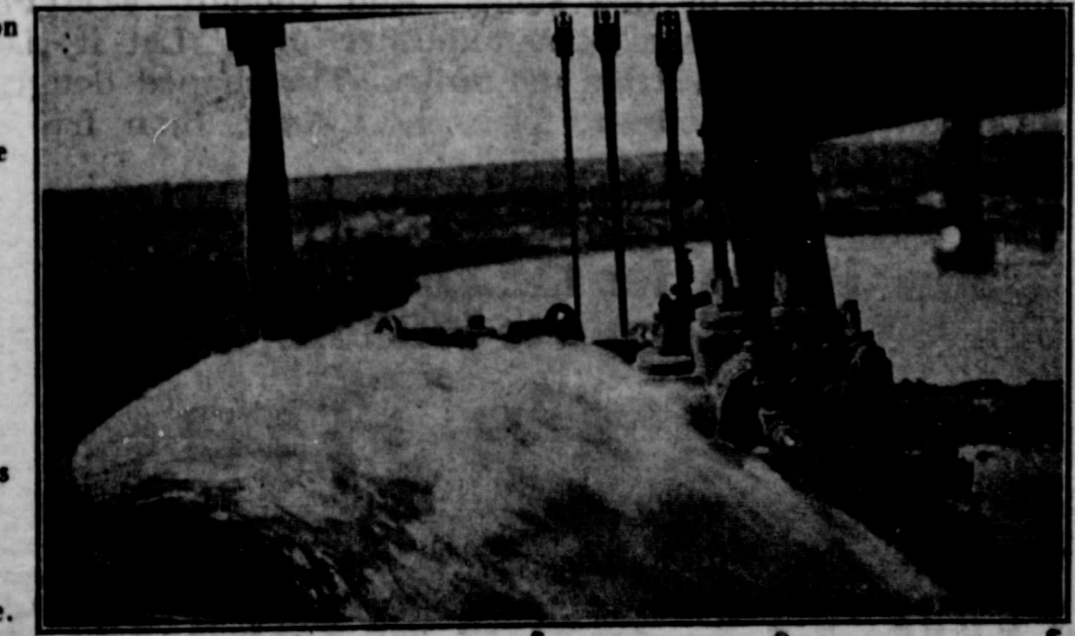
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BY  
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at  
**Plainview Methodist Church,**  
Monday July 7th, 1913.

Many customs of Indians illustrated by use of peace pipe, papoose cradle, girl's costume, moccasins, bow and arrow, etc. The bow and arrow were once the property of old Geronimo.

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### MISS KNIGHT ENTERTAINED L. F. E. GIRLS MONDAY.

The L. F. E. Girls were charmingly entertained Monday afternoon by Miss Bettie Knight, in honor of Miss Anna Hinn, who is in Plainview visiting Mrs. D. H. Collier.

Progressive bridge was the pastime. Mrs. D. H. Collier won top score. The guest favor was a souvenir spoon of Plainview.

Miss Knight served an ice course.

### ELKS TO HOLD MORNING DANCE.

The Elk Lodge will give a Fourth of July morning dance from 5 o'clock to 8 o'clock Friday.

### WILL AID IN FIGHT TO EXTERMINATE FLIES.

At Meeting Tomorrow Civic League Will Devise Means to Continue Campaign.

Members of the City Council have expressed willingness to pay a reasonable sum for flies trapped. The contest conducted by the Civic League closed to-day, but the fly season has just begun.

At its meeting tomorrow the Civic League will take up the question of "fly-swatting" and will devise some way to keep the young people busy trapping these pests during the balance of the summer.

### UNSPRUNG WEIGHT IS AUTOS.

"Many people have never heard much about unsprung weight," says J. J. Eller, Franklin dealer here, "but unsprung weight has a great deal to do with operating cost and with comfort and safety of an automobile. Unsprung weight is made up of the parts between the road and the springs of the car. The big items are the rims, wheels, hubs, axles, gears and transmission if it is located on the axle.

"When the wheel of a car drops into a hole or hits a stone the force of the

blow on the tire is directly proportional to the unsprung weight. Since the springs do not support the unsprung weight they cannot absorb any of the shock. Therefore the tires take all the blow. The result in injury to the tire when weight is added is probably greater than the ratio of the weights, as the tire is undoubtedly stressed beyond the elastic limit with the blow from the heavier blow.

"A very simple test to show the effect of unsprung weight can easily be made, if one will jump off a platform with a ten-pound dumb bell in each hand. Then take the same jump with twenty-pound dumb bells, and there will be a wonderful difference in the blow. In fact, the heavy dumb bells will probably be dropped. The tires get the same treatment when subjected to heavy blows from excess unsprung weight. But, instead of dropping the weight, the tires take the strain and finally blow out."

### WILL IRRIGATE FARM.

L. L. Helsner, of Neosho, Mo., has been visiting his brother, D. O. Helsner, who lives four miles northeast of Plainview. On the quarter-section owned by his brother considerable improvements have been made in the past few months. A windmill, house and barn have been erected. Mr. Helsner has set out a large orchard. One hundred acres of the quarter-section are under cultivation. He plans to irrigate the farm next year.

### WILL IMPROVE SECTION.

F. V. Sneider, a locomotive engineer, of Denver, Colorado, was here this week looking after land interests. He owns a section a few miles from town. Mr. Sneider will return in the fall and drill an irrigation well, build a house and barn and otherwise improve the land.

### GOOD ROADS IN TEXAS ATTRACTING ATTENTION.

Fort Worth, Texas, June 28.—That the vigorous Good Roads campaign

that has been waged in every section of Texas during the past two years is bearing fruit is shown by the fact that during the first five months of 1912 \$3,696,000 was voted for good roads in twenty-two elections, which sum exceeded the total amount voted for good roads during 1911, according to records kept by the Texas Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association.

The interest in the good roads movement is not alone confined to individual counties, but has grown until many counties of the State are co-operating in the construction of several inter-state highways. Notable among these is the Colorado Springs-to-the-Gulf-Coast Highway, which is now being logged following the recent formation of the Panhandle Division of the Colorado-to-the-Gulf Highway Association at Childress, Texas.

The Texas Good Roads Association will hold a mid-summer congress in Corpus Christi, Texas, July 10th, 11th and 12th. L. W. Page, Director of the Bureau of Public Roads, and other men of National reputation will be present, and the hope is to make this the greatest gathering of good roads enthusiasts that has ever been held in the State. One of the features of this mid-summer congress will be the good roads exhibit of the A. and M. College. Homer D. Wade, of Stamford, Secretary of the Association, has received replies from almost every commercial organization in the State assuring the attendance of a representative, and also many mayors of cities. County Judges and County Commissioners of the various sections of the State have signified their intention of being present.

At Lampasas, Texas, recently at least three thousand people of more than eight counties attended the meeting of the San Antonio, Blanco, Granite Belt Good Roads Association. Among the speakers was D. E. Colp, of the Bexar County Highway League, which is a powerful factor in creating an interest for better roads in Southwest Texas.

One of the many features of the Texas Commercial Secretaries' Institute to be held at Mineral Wells on July 15 to 19, inclusive, will be the second day's session, which will be entirely devoted to the subject of good roads. In addition to an address by J. C. Travilla, formerly of St. Louis, Missouri, but now superintending the construction of the Tarrant County \$1,000,000 system, there will be talks by Col. B. B. Buckneridge, General Secretary of the Texas Commercial Secretaries; R. O. McCormack, Secretary of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, and many other good roads experts.

On Saturday, July 9th, a special election will be held throughout the State of Texas, at which time an amendment to the Constitution will be submitted which seeks to permit a majority vote instead of a two-thirds vote on roads bond issues, as at present.

The Commissioners of Parker, Palo Pinto and Tarrant Counties have appropriated a total of \$80,000, which, with the \$40,000 allotment by the United States Government, assures the construction of a \$120,000 Federal Post Highway between Fort Worth and Mineral Wells, a distance of 65 miles, passing through Tarrant, Parker and Palo Pinto Counties.

On the occasion of the meeting of four Texas conventions, namely, County Judges and Commissioners, District and County Clerks, County and District Attorneys and the County Tax Collectors, in Fort Worth, August 7th, 8th and 9th, one of the greatest demonstrations of road building ever given in the South will be held. Government good roads experts, prominent speakers and highway-making machinery of all types have been secured for this occasion. By this time

nearly seven miles of the new paved road system being built for Tarrant County, under the supervision of Engineer J. C. Travilla, will be ready for use between Fort Worth and Handley. This will be the first complete paved road in the State, and as the people of Texas are aroused on the subject of good roads as they have been on no other species of public improvement, it is believed this meeting will be the means of drawing delegates, not only from all sections of Texas, but from Southern and Middle-Western States as well. An effort is being made to secure the United Good Roads Demonstration Train for this occasion.

### FARMERS' UNION PROCURES SIX PER CENT MONEY.

Fort Worth, Texas, June 30.—"It is most gratifying to the Farmers' Union to see the bankers of Texas lending their heartiest co-operation in enabling the farmers of this State to procure advances on their cotton at the rate of 6 per cent per annum," said Peter Radford, president of the Farmers' Union, when asked to what extent the Texas bankers were responding to the Farmers' Union Selling Plan for this year's cotton crop.

"The Central Selling Agency has been established at Houston," continued Mr. Radford, "with E. F. Shropshire as its manager."

"The agency is prepared to serve the membership in selling for them all kinds of farm products that could ordinarily be sold through any selling agency, and to especially sell cotton."

"Cotton is to be sold from local warehouses by samples, where there are warehouses, with their warehouse manager bonded properly, so that they can guarantee grades, weights, etc. Also, where there is no warehouse, and they wish to ship, they can do so and procure advances on their cotton at the rate of 6 per cent per annum."

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### DRY CLIMATE BEAN DISCOVERED.

A new variety of bean adapted for dry climates was discovered under interesting circumstances by Prof. R. W. Clothier, of the University of Arizona, as reported by him in a recent magazine article. During a 1,300-mile wagon journey over the deserts and mountains of Arizona in the summer of 1908, he visited the Papago Indians,

and obtained from them several hundred brownish-yellow beans of an unknown variety. These were grown on experimental plots at the Arizona Experiment Station for four years before the discovery was announced. It appears that the new bean, which has been named "tepary," is more prolific under dry conditions than any other known variety, yielding as high as 730 pounds to the acre with no water other than the scanty rainfall of Arizona. Under the same conditions ordinary beans yield only from 66 to 144 pounds to the acre.—Scientific American.

entire absence of crushed ice and salt, and there are no wet floors. It is claimed that the electric device also gives considerable economy in working. Another point is that where there are electric motors already in use for other purposes, the ice cream machine can be driven from them without entailing the extra expense of a motor.—Scientific American.

### HIGH MEAT PRICES DUE TO KILLING OFF CALVES!

Washington Chamber of Commerce Will Seek Law Prohibiting Slaughter.

Convinced that the high prices of meats could be effectively reduced through the enactment of a law prohibiting the slaughter of calves, the National Chamber of Commerce, at Washington, D. C., has announced its intention to appeal to Congress for such legislation, says Associated Press reports. Eminent physicians throughout the country will be asked to testify as to the unwholesomeness of veal as a food, and their testimony will be submitted to Congress when the crusade is launched.

### ELECTRIC FREEZER INVENTED.

An electric ice cream freezer has been devised by a London inventor. In the usual freezer tank, generally of large size for wholesale manufacture, hotels or the like, is mounted a tubular coil supplied from a carbonic-acid machine which takes the place of ice and salt. The small machine is mounted on a wall frame together with a small electric motor, which drives it by belt from above, so that the outfit takes up very little floor space. Cleanliness is secured by the

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