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in this issue.

Station Baileyboro

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McCarty Drug Store Installs Frigid Air

A. V. McCarty Jr. owner of the McCarty Drug Store, had a of this week.

Kinney & Oberthier, of Here- ball players and fans are esford and Plainview, made the pecially invited. this part of the state.

at the proper temperature at all Saturday afternoon. times. The people of Muleshoe are proud of this wonderful Big Land Owners Here Drug store.

Texas Utilities Gang

tween here and the Twin city.

twenty-four hours of wonderful development going on. service. The streets are well lighted and we have plenty of juice for all power driven machinery.

Halsells Will Drill

Mr. O. D. Halsell received a letter the past week from Mr. day night with Miss Virginia W. M. Clarey, a prominent Charlie Coffman and Delman about that many more to come W. E. Halsell in which he in- Hall. structed the former to arrange Misses Pauline and Mattie community. Rev. Payne said Sudan, Friday night. for drilling a test oil well on the Ruth Kyzer spent the week-end the words that made them man In the base ball game with spread. ranch land between Amherst with their grandmother, Mrs. and wife. Miss Mary is well Inez, N. Mex., Saturday, Baileyand the headquarters near Earth. W. C. C. Elmore.

This movement has been un- The Primative Baptist spread in her community. der consideration by the Halsells a delicious dinner on the ground for some time and it is gratify- Saturday at the school house. ing to learn that it is to be car- A large number of Circle- Mo., is here on business this ried into operation.

several good structural locations, view Sunday. between Amherst and Earth as All of the farmers in this ren and Miss Eunice Page re. Saturday and Sunday. well as closer to to the Ranch community are busy planting turned from Lorenzo, Tuesday,

Dan Cupid Very **Base Ball Season Opens** Saturday

The Muleshoe base ball man-

Looking At Country

J. C. Belsley and W. A. Move To Farwell Pfeiffer, of Illinois, were here the latter part of last week look-

George D. Wilburn, high line ing over the country, and investforeman for the Texas Utilities igating their holdings, The above Company has moved his gang to gentlemen own interests in the Farwell. to complete the gap be- Jennings ranch. This large body of land will soon be placed on

Muleshoe now has one of the the market, to settlers. They keenest electrical plants on the are well pleased with the country Plains and we are receiving and were surprised at the big

Circleback Announcing

program, so after the pupils had enridge. received their surprises and dis-Oil Test on Ranch received their surprises and dis-apointments on their report cards a. m. at the home of Mr. and they were quitely dismissed.

Miss Willie Davis spent Fri- ter. Mary became the bride of visitors here Thursday.

backians were present at the week. It is believed that there are Motner's Day program at Fair-

On last Sunday afternoon Oliver Jones and Miss Eva H. Johnson's Dry Goods is atcomplete frigid air system in- agement announces the first Franks, of Sudan, were quietly tracting many people from far stalled in his fountain Tuesday game of the season Saturday. married in Plainview, by Rev. This will be a free game and all Lipscomb. Oliver Jones is connected with the Muleshoe Motor

Co., of this city' and the bride installiation and now the Drug Dan Winn is the manager and is the danghter of Mr. and Mrs. store is one of the most com- L. C. Jones is Secy-Treas. They Franks, of Sudan. She has been plete and up-to-now stores in have asked us to inform the connected with the Sudan News public that no bill will be paid for some time and is a charming They do not use any ice, in unless it is signed by the above young lady. They will make their drinks, for they are kept men. Don't forget the game their home here after June the 1st.

> Harley Blanton, of Ralls, and and Harley Blanton, of Ralls, Miss Trixie Henderson of the were married Saturday, May 1st, Watson Community, were mar- at the groom's home near the ried at the home of the groom city of Ralls and it is thought near Ralls last Saturday May that they will make their home 1st. They will make their home there in the future. near Ralls.

Tuesday of this week we print- Luther Ragsdale who have been

ed the announcements for Miss suffering with the flu are im-Beryle McCarty and Alton Hollis, proving now. who were married in Clovis, N.

Mrs. Arthur McCarty, of Su-M. on January 5th, 1926. This dan, is spending this week with comes as quite a surprise to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. their many friends. Mr. Hollis Barnet.

was recently with the Panhandle Stella Nichols has been teach-Lumber Co., of this city and has ing the Figuee 2 school for Miss been transfered to Panhandle. Anderson, who is recovering Mrs. Hollis is the accomplished from an attack of the flu.

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. The candy-breaking given at The Circleback school was out McCarty Sr. and graduated from the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. suddenly last Friday. The pupils the High School this year. They Jones, Thursday night, in honor did not have time to prepare a will make their home in Breck- of Miss Faye Calvert's birthday District Grand Master of the first of June, to make ready for was largely attended and fully

On last Sunday morning at 9 enjoyed by everyone. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brannen, Mrs. A. L. Davis, their daugh- of Littlefield, were business

young farmer of the Fairview Ragsdale attended the show in known here and is very popular boro lost to their opponents. The score being 8-7. The game was

T. B. Trimble, of Kansas City,

Johnsons Fire Sale J. I. Sieber Of Busy This Week Attracting Big Crowd **Crosbyton Here** The big fire sale going on at J. J. I. Sieber and another gentleand near. The prices are cut

man, (we did not get his name) half into, most the goods are not damaged and everything goes, stated Mr. Johnson this morning. The sale will last until all the ranch at Crosbyton. goods are sold. See his big ad

Mr. Sieber is running a mammoth incubator at the above city, and reports a wonderful business spur. this season. He produces his Miss Trixie Henderson, of the Watson community, near here, from the other breeds.

good in his hatchery.

does not install a mammoth hatchery here and lets produce Supt. Of Schools our own baby chicks. Thousands of chicks were shipped in here this season. Many more will come next year. Some one is

The Masonic Lodge **Completes** Organization Monday Nite

Judge Woodlee, of Dimmitt, Masonic Lodge was over Monday night to complete the or-

ganization of the Muleshoe Methodist W. M. S. Masonic Lodge. They have nineteen charter members and in. After the business was transacted a bountiful feast was

The local Lodge has a wonder- but due to inclement weather ful hall over the McCarty Drug Bovina ladies were unable to at-Store that would be a credit to tend. An interesting program a town many times the size of followed by a three course lunch-A game with the Rogers, N. Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Slone at- proud parents of a fine boy which member of a hen, these hens to Mrs. Wm. Kennedy and child- tended church services here arrived May 8th. J. E. Jr. weigh- be sold and the proceeds to go to

Mesdames Lawrence and Waugh Entertain

Monday evening at the beauti-

ful country home of Mrs. S. T. Lawrence a gay group was were here last Friday enroute gathered, the occasion was a home from Clovis, N. M., where surprise dinner given in honor they had been to secure eggs of Mrs. D. K. Smith. The aland roosters for his chicken ready beautiful home was enlivened and beautified with decorations consisting of American Beauty roses, lillies and Lark-

Covers were laid for sixteen, White Leghorn eggs on his own namely: Mesdames D. K. Smith, farms, but has to purchase eggs J. E. Aldridge, R. L. Faulkner, W. C. Bucy, S. T. Lawrence, J.

We are well acquainted with D. Waugh and -L. B. Daniel, Mr. Sieber, and remember when Miss Dollie Lawrence and K. K. he entered the chicken business Smith, J. E. Aldridge, M. P. a few years ago. He is making Smith, John Lacy, S. T. Lawrence, J. D. Waugh, Tom and

Elected For Next Year

The Muleshoe school board has elected the Superintendent of the school for the next year. J. G. Leverett, of Slaton, will be the man in charge. Mr. Leverett is considered one of the best. school men on the Plains and Muleshoe is indeed fortunate in securing his services. He and his wife will move here about the the next term of school.

Given Weekly Report

A joint meeting of the W. M. S. of Bovina and Muleshoe was arranged for Wednesday, May 12 at Muleshoe Methodist church, eon was enjoyed by all present. An unique feature of the meet-J. E. Hanley and wife are the ing was the donation by each the church building fund by the Muleshoe W. M. S. Reporter.

We do not see why some one Billy Daniel. Mrs. Alice Shirley and Mrs.

overlooking a good bet.

With the immense oil and gas big crop this fall. in Lamb county.

have lived in several. We may Texas. be a Jonah in some respects. but as an oil and gas mascot, Molly Kent and daughter. Lucy team. we are a howling success-so spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. pass around the hat. - Amherst W. C. C. Elmore. Argus.

TO FARMERS

Get your field and garden seeds from the Will H. Pattison Seed evening with Lester Elmore. Co., of Clovis, New Mexico.

making a high germination test, meeting with the L. M. C. girls. of the state as it has rained so bulk garden seeds of best obtainable.

tion for growing chicks and lay- th Sunday. You are invited to ing hens.

Come and see us.

The Will H. Pattison Seed Co. 112-15-c

Mrs. Geo. M. Clark is visiting

Ivan Mardis returned from Friday May 28th. Announcetely well. We rejoice with bers urged to be present. im in this good news.

You'll like Muleshoe

fields north, east, west and south Mrs. Chas. Elmore and daughof us, there is no reason there ter. Nelline, who has been visshould not be oil and gas found iting in this community went to Morton on last Saturday and the Coffman and wife.

any section but what gas and visit there Mrs. Elmore will re- game to Goodland this Saturday. home from church services Sunoil have been found-and we turn to her home at Channing, Goodland has the champion day.

ate supper with Jack Davis Sun- girl. day night.

Winslow Hall spent Sunday

Miss Wentland came out Thurs-Have full line of field seeds day evening for her regular Sunday school every Sunday layed. morning at 10 o'clock and preach-Also a splendid balanced ra- ing every first, second and four-

attend.

Weekly Report Of Baptist W. M. U.

The W. M. U. ladies of the with her friend, Mrs. Frank Baptist church met Tuesday with Poindexter, of Plainview this Mrs. Coker. A goodly number week. Mrs. Poindexter will be of the members were present. emembered as Miss Mary A devotional and business session tion, formerly of this constituted the program of the afternoon. The ladies voted to

have a pie and parcel post sale.

an Antonio, the first of the ment as to place will be made veek, where he has been for a later. Society meets next Tuesal examination. He reports day, with Mrs. D. A. Dodson in here Sunday visiting in the home each. Must make room for other that the Doctor said he was study of the Manual. All mem- of his brother, J. L. Alsup.

Reporter.

When y'u goin' pay me?

headquarters and west of there. their crops and preparing for a where they have been visiting visitor in the home of Mr. and

relatives.

Goodland ball team played ate Sunday dinner with Claude

Lubbock last Wednesday with score stood 7 to 4 in favor of A large number of the young The writer has never lived in W. A. Elmore. After a few days Morton. They will return the folks accompanied Ellen Coffman

> team in this part of the Plains. Dudley Kent and son, Mrs. T. D. Gaddy is manager of the Durham attended the Mothers

> Born to Mr. and Mrs. Barn-Albert Perkins and Hodge Hall hill one day last week, a fine day and Sunday with her mother.

> > D. O. Smith returned from a trip to Dallas, the first of the week. He reports this country the G. L. Blackshear, home, is better off than the lower part Sunday afternoon. The B Z B,s. much the crops have been de- Printing Industry Is

Cloyd Roubinek left last Friday for a sixty day vacation. He will go by Oklahoma, after his wife, and then to Chicage, and will visit thru the northern states. He will also investigate the Palmers School of Chiropractic at Davenport, Iowa, with a view of taking the training.

Mrs. E. J. Vance and Sherman and Mrs. J. M. March returned magnitude of the printing in-Tuesday from a trip to Oklahoma. dustry.

The Vance's visited in Mangum and Mrs. March visited her parents, at Hollis.

E. R. Hart is in Amarillo, this miles northwest of town. week attending the Hardware

Men's Convention.

Winifred Lewis is a frequent fine at this time.

Mrs. W. H. Taylor.

played on the Inez diamond.

Saturday.

Mex., nine will be played here

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wollis

Blanche Blackshear and Charlie Day program at Fairview Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Young spent Satur-Mrs' M. J. Harvey. Misses Grace, Vesta and Anna

Mae Brannen, and Mary Hall, of Arch, N. Mex., were visitors in

Third In The U.S.

The printing industry has jumped to third place in importance in the United States. Ten years ago it stood in twelfth place.

The steel industry leads in volume, packing is second, printing is third, and the automobile industry fourth.

Few people realize the great

FOR SALE-Rose comb white Wyandotte pullet's, nine weeks old, from famous Martin Fishel R. E. Alsup, of Bledsoe, was strain. Quality egg-bred, \$1.00

> chicks. Mrs. R. B. Boyle, Muleshoe, Texas. Four and one-half

ed seven pounds, and is doing

Frank Poindexter and wife were visiting with friends in Muleshoe last Sunday.

Your Chiropractor has been in Muleshoe. one year. (Adv)

LATEST FOR GIRLS



Agnes O'Laughlin of New York in

troducing what is the extreme in late

modes for women, gaudily striped

suspenders, which are used to uphold

the female skirt. These colorful gal

luses promise to become the thing in

spring wear for the up-to-date young

Mrs. M. P. Smith is here from Mineral Wells, this week, visiting her husband, M. P. and friends.

Fred Warren, of Chicago, and Bob Morehead, of Hereford, are here this week looking after land interests.

FOR SALE-Cabbage plants, 35c per hundred, now ready for delivery. See A. J. DeBord, 1 mile on Plainview road.

If you have anything you do not need, or if there is something you want and do not have it, advertise for it in the Journal. Our advertisements are result getters. Ask your neighbors.

FOR SALE-S. C. White Leghorn pullets. A limited number from eight to ten weeks old. These pullets are the result of careful breeding and the building up of our flock with pure Tancred stock. Each of these are grandaughters of a \$100.00 cock. R. Wicks and Son, Clovis, 13-14-p N. Mex.

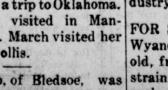
Miss Alma Sanders is visiting with her friend, Miss Floris Robortson, of Plainview, this week.

ANNOUNCEMENT

We will open our cafe and dinning room to the public on Saturday morning May 15th. We will offer you the best of service in meals and short orders. Come in and make us a Moeller's Cafe. visit.

Phone 54 all the local news.

It's only \$1.50 per year



THE MULESHOE JOURNAL



Her Mother-in-Law Knew A Remedy



Vegetable Com-pound and Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash," she writes. "I took six bottles of the Vegetable Compound and I was not the same voman at all. I could sleep and would get up in the morning singing and feel-ing fine. I am the mother of three children and always after the babies came I had to take treatments, but I can truly say that this last time I have only used the Sanative Wash. It does me more good than the treatments. It keeps me on my feet to care for my children and I do most of my work. I feel it my duty to let you know how both of the medicines have helped me." -MES. BEILE THOMPSON, R. 2, Rossville, Georgia.

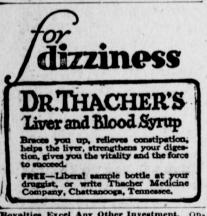
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Seek New Facts on American Man-Eating Indians.

WILL BE EXPLORED

Washington,-With the departure for the Louisiane coast of Henry B. Collins, Jr., ethnologist, the Smithsonian institution initiates an exploration of an almost forgotten area of prehistoric life on this continent. The region, which extends westward from New Orleans, was the camping ground of the Attacopa and Chitimacha Indians. It has been overlooked by archeologists and nothing has ever been written about it.

Mr. Collins, who is assistant curator of ethnology in the National museum and whose expedition the bureau of ethnology is financing, will investigate the mounds in the area with a view of determining whether they are true mounds or mere shell heaps, and to collect bones, artifacts and pottery. So far all the pottery found along the gulf from Florida to Louisiana has been similar, indicating a cultural relationship among the peoples and suggesting a migration route.

Cannibal Tribe.

The Attacopa Indians were one of the few known cannibal tribes of the American continent. Whether they engaged in the practice for ceremonial purposes or for the love of it is not known. Other cannibal tribes were found in Cuba, Jamaica, Venezuela, Colombia and Brazil.

The Chitimacha possessed a much higher culture and seem to have been related to the Natchez. They had the same caste system-division of the tribe into nobles and proletariat-and their language is similar. It is interesting to note that caste was transmitted through the mother, so that a high-caste mother could bear highcaste children to a low-caste father, while the children of a low-caste mother must remain low caste no matter who was their father. Incidentally, one method of climbing the social ladder and entering a higher caste was to sacrifice one's relatives at the death of a noble.

Explore Choctaw Mounds.

From Louisiana Mr. Collins will proceed to Mississippi to continue excavations begun last year of Choctaw mounds. The old belief that these mounds were the work of some fanciful ancient race, entirely distinct from the American Indian, has long been exploded. It is now known definitely that they are the work of the ancestors of the Choctaw or related peoples, who built them as burial mounds or more commonly as platforms for the erection of their temples and the homes of their leaders.

The largest of these mounds is 100 feet high and covers an area of about 16 acres. When it is realized that the builders had nothing but crude sticks and stone implements with which to dig, and reed baskets in which to transport the dirt, the intensity of the religious feeling which could produce such a monument may be understood.

Built 5,900 Miles of

New Roads in 1925 New York .- Motorists will have Geneva. out 5.900 more miles of concret

ALASKA HOTEL OWNED PAGAN ANNALS

Seek Light on Early Franc's can Martyrs.

STUDY PUEBLO

Santa Fe, N. M .- Brothers of the

Franciscan order of the Roman Catholic church in the Southwest are preserving the traditions of their organization which arose from the martyrdom of priests who passed centuries in the conversion of the Pueblo Indians from their pagan beliefs to Christianity.

Much research work is being done by scholars to bring to light the facts of the spiritual conquest of the Pueblos, which they believe to be one of the most colorful pages of the history of the Americas.

Father Theodocius Meyer, after considerable study in the archives of the mission at Santa Barbara, Cal., has compiled a list of 51 members of the order who gave their lives in the period from 1542 to 1696.

The result of this search contrasts the religious brothers with the proud conquistador, the one for the prize of mystical gold and gems, the other for the prize of human souls.

The history of the Christlanization of the Indians showed that there were waves of persecution of the priests at intervals of 40 or 50 years throughout nearly two centuries. They reached their climax in 1680, when the Pueblo Indians rose in rebellion against the tyranny of the Spanish rule, and killed nearly every white man in New Mexico. By prearranged plot, 31 missionaries in a score of pueblos, many of them 100 or more miles apart, were killed on one day.





Mrs. Matje Roffi, wife of the former vice president of the Italian Bank of Commerce of New York, with "Minnie," prize cat that accompanied her to Europe and back on the Conte Rosso. The cat was listed as a first-class passenger and her meals each way were \$10. The cat is wearing a blue ribbon awarded her in a cat show in them back and retook the position. He

BY 'MOTHER OF NORTH'

Got Her Start Cooking for Gold Seekers.

Skagway, Alaska.-Many tourista from the States know Mrs. Harriet Pullen of the famous Pullen house, which is 1.500 miles as a plane flies from Ketchikan, at the southeastern tip of Alaska to Nome, out to the northwest on Bering sea.

All over the world, wherever linger those madmen and others who came rushing to Alaska and the Klondiketo the eastward, in Canada-for gold in 1898 and 1899, Mrs. Pullen is loved. A handful of women became famous because they were able to stand be-

side the sprinkling of men in the uncounted myriad of goldrushers who were hard enough to conquer the North-and of all that bright company the men of the golden North count Mrs. Pullen the brightest.

Young, comely, strong, Harriet Pullen was daughter of a rancher on Puget sound in Washington state. She came to Alaska in 1898 with her four children to go with her husband over the Chilkoot trail or the equally terrible White pass trail into the Klondike for gold.

Had \$7 and Four Children. She lost her husband. Camped on

the beach here she had \$7-and four little children.

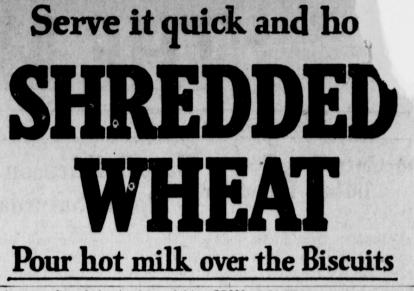
The rush was never so mad that men did not eat, and the mother with the four children and \$7 went to cooking. She cooked so well and withal was so kind and helpful that those thousands passing through here and up the White pass trail or through Dyea, four miles from Skagway, and up the Chilkoot trail, called her the Mother of the North. She prospered and bought out old Cap Moore's boarding house in Skagway.

The boarding house she developed into Pullen house, a 20-room modern hotel, standing in a landscape garden of several acres, split by a mountain stream with an island and rustic bridges. Canadians opening up their country came with a railroad over White pass-the White Horse & Yukon.

The railroad still runs, and Mrs. Pullen still prospers because the whitehanded children of the outside come, taking this fast route to see the sights of the North. Pullen house is reputed to have entertained more distinguished guests than any other hostelry in the North.

Sent to West Point. Mrs. Pullen's oldest son was Dan. He attended the University of Washington, which then had a preparatory school, five years. President Roosevelt gave him the first appointment from Alaska to West Point. He became all-American tackle, and graduated among the first five cadets in his class.

Into the World war he went as a colonel of engineers. He was pressed into service as a tank commander. With his squadron of tanks he took a German position, but infantry following him, failed to consolidate. To hold the position, Pullen hastened back afoot, reformed the infantry, led died of sleeping sickness, attributed



A man often feels the loss of his first wife more after acquiring a sec ond.

Cuticura for Sore Hands. Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes .- Advertizement.

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Kill All Flies 1 THEY SPREAD DISEASE Placed any where, DAISY FLY KILLER attracts and DAISY FLY KILLER HAROLD SOMPRS Brooklyn N. Y.

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Face Shows Character

What a man is, what his character, is generally read in his face, hence the expression an "honest face." One may be ever so homely yet in good-ness be most beautiful. Very true is the saying "the face is the mirror of the soul."-Grit.

Fresh, sweet, white, dainty clothes for baby, if you use Red Cross Ball Blue. Never streaks or injures them. All good grocers sell it.-Advertise-

He had such a gentle method of reproving their faults that they were not so much afraid as ashamed to repeat them.-Atterbury.

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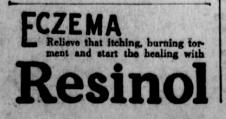
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Tanlac is a natural tonic, made from roots, barks and rare herbs. Harmless to man or child. It cleans the blood, stirs up the liver

cleans the blood, stirs up the liver and puts digestive organs in work-ing order. If your body is weak and run-down, if you lack ambition, can't eat or sleep, you'll be delighted with Tanlac's results. Take Tanlac Vegetable Pills for constipation.



road to travel over during 1926 than they had in 1925. Added to the 31,700 miles built in previous years, there are now approximately 37,600 miles of concrete on the highways in the United States outside limits of incorporated cities and villages.

The building of 5,900 miles of concrete highway in a single year establishes a new record and along with the improvement of many other miles of gravel and grading was no small job for the road builders. It involved the use of tremendous quantities of materials and the employment of a great army of workers.

A feature of the last year's highway construction activities was the efforts of the road builders to inconvenience the motorists as little as possible. In every way the policies of the state highway departments were to serve the highway user.

More attention was paid to detours around construction jobs. They were kept in good condition and were carefully marked so that the motorist could reach his destination with the least inconvenience.

Identify Fish

New York .- It is possible for a fish cast upon the waters to return. The federal fisheries people put some infant mackerel in Massachusetts water two years ago with identifying marks. One of them, just caught off Cape May, N. J., weighs one and one-half pounds.

Oysters Catch Cold; 600,000 Pearls Lost

Tokyo.-Because oysters, like humans, are subject to bad colds, a loss of more than 600,-000 embryonic cultured pearls is estimated to have been suffered by pearl raisers of Ago bay near Nagoya.

Ago bay is the center of Japan's cultured pearl industry. Here tiny seeds implanted in oysters grow into rich necklaces. The season's drought is said to have caused the water of the bay to become extremely cold and the change in temperature, experts said, resulted in the parent oysters' catching cold and dying.

office.

Nebraska U Arranges

Exchange With Mexico City of Mexico .- Negotiations look-

ing toward an exchange between the United States and Mexico of scientific and research knowledge have been conducted along successful lines in the last two months between the University of Nebraska and the institute of geology of the Mexican government. Prof. E. F. Schramm, chief of the department of geology and paleontolgy of the University of Nebraska, is the chief power behind the movement to bring about an exchange between the countries of fossils, minerals and meteoric stones. John Zozaya, secretary of Judge E. B. Perry, American commissioner at the meetings of the special claims commissions, was commissioned to initiate the move to strengthen the scientific collections now existing in both countries with such specimens as each country is able to supply, which the other has not got. It is pointed out that there exist many fossils and other objects of scientific value in Mexico which are not to be found in museums in the United States and vice versa.

Six Million Criminals

in U. S., Records Show Washington .- Statistics, disclosing that about 6,000,060 Americans at some time in their lives have indulged in criminal careers, were obtained at the Department of Justice.

About 3,000,000 have been accused in the courts. The other half, although at some time guilty of offenses for which they might have served terms in prison, have escaped the vigilance of the police.

The estimate of the criminally inclined population was made by department experts on the basis of the fact that finger-print records of 1,013,-000 criminals are on file in the bureau of identification.

He's Cautious

Richmond, Va.-One Virginian is going to be a bachelor, for a while at least, because of his caution. To the questions of the clergyman, at his wedding, the cautious groom insisted on replying: "I'll do the best I can." The ceremony was called off and the license returned to the county clerk's

Royal Pullen graduated from the University of Washington, playing guard, and was an officer in the World war. Both brothers were cited for gallantry, and General Pershing once exclaimed: "I wish I had a regiment of Pullens."

to war service, two years ago.

Mildred Pullen graduated at s nurses' school in New York city. Chester Pullen, a student at the Unlversity of Washington, was drowned at Ketchikan on his way back to the States after a summer at home.

Many Murderers

New York .- There are 118,000 murderers at large in the country. The authority is Judge Marcus Kavanaugb of Chicago.

Mother of 28

Kikinda, Austria.-Frau Anna Bauer, forty-nine, is the mother of 28 children, all living. She has 14 grandchildren.



bones of two human skeletons stand as the gruesome monument to a great gold field? Woodbury Russell revolves this question in his mind as he plans trips in search of the yellow metal. He has abandoned interest in the search and gives all the information he possesses to the public.

His information is contained in a note found floating in a tightly-corked bottle below the falls at Clark City, on the St. Margaret river, in Canada. The note reads: "Whoever finds this bottle,

there is gold and in plenty 25 miles above the falls. My chum, Jack, is dead, and I am freezing to death."

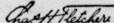
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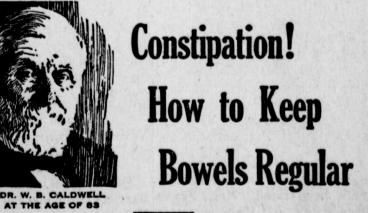
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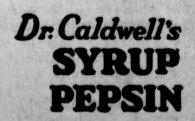
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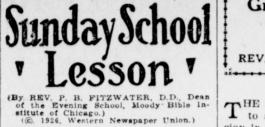
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Lesson for May 16

ABRAHAM AND THE STRANGERS

LESSON TEXT-Genesis 18:1-19. GOLDEN TEXT-All nations of the earth shall be blessed indeed.-Gen. 18:18.

PRIMARY TOPIC-Abraham Is Kind to Strangers JUNIOR TOPIC-Abraham Welcomes

Three Strangers. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOP-

IC--Abraham's Hospitality. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOP-IC-Why God Chose Abraham.

I. The Lord Appeared to Abraham (vv. 1.8).

While Abraham sat in his tent door, he lifted up his eyes and lo, three men stood by him. His reception of these three men is a beautiful picture of oriental hospitality. These beings, while called men are also called angels (see 19:1). When the men arose to depart, Abraham according to custom. accompanied his guests some distance on the way. One of the men was the angel of Jehovah, or Jehovah manifest in human form. The Jehovah angel remained behind to commune with Abraham. This is clear from the fact that three started out-one talked with Abraham and only two entered Sodom (see 18:22 and 19:1).

II. God's Promise to Abraham Reaffirmed (vv. 9-15).

The Lord communed with him about his personal interests, showing how Sarah should have a son in her old age, according to the covenant promise. This conversation being overheard by Sarah from her place in the tent only provoked laughter on her Although she thus expressed part. unbelief, it doubtless was a great comfort to Abraham who had been awaiting the fulfillment of the promise for years. "Is anything too hard for the Lord?" is a striking rebuke to Sarah's unbelief, and shows that the Lord is able to discern even our inmost thoughts.

III. The Doom of Sodom and Gomorrah Revealed to Abraham (vv. 16-21).

The Lord now communed with Abraham about Sodom and Gomorrah. Though Abraham had no personal interest in Sodom, the Lord revealed unto him His secret purpose concerning it. He did not hunt up Lot to make known unto him his purpose concerning Sodom. He never goes to the persons who are entangled with the things of the world. The only way to know God's thought touching the age in which we live is to remain separate from it. "The secret of the Lord is with them that fear Him." (Ps. 25:15). The reason for this disclosure may be stated as follows:

1. Because he was his friend (Jas. 5:23; John 15:15). Friends confide in each other. The master reveals his purposes to his friends, not to his



Great Personages of the Bible By **REV. LEONARD A. BARRETT**

Vashti

T^{HE} book of Esther introduces us to an environment intensely Persian in character. In the midst of all its gorgeous splendor. Ahasuerus, known as Xerxes the Great, ruled as king.

In a magnificent palace garden Ahasuerus entertained his friends with marked and extravagant hospitality characteristic of the East. When the revelry had reached its height, Ahasuerus commanded that Vashti be brought unveiled before the assembled guests. The rule of the East was that no woman was permitted to appear unveiled in a public place, and her consent to comply with the king's wishes would have at once involved her high sense of propriety and honor. Should she disobey, Vashti would be compelled to pay the price of her refusal. That night, facing a future dark and unknown, a regal conscience jeft that Persian palace, for the soul of Vashti had fought and conquered in the struggle for her ideal of what was right. Here was a character true to all that is implied in that noble word woman. Vashti was every inch a woman, and rather than sacrifice her conscience she was willing to abandon wealth, a life of luxurious ease, and all the prerogatives which belonged to her as queen of the

Persian palace. In the veins of Vashti there must have flowed the inherited blood of a true aristocracy of character. How did Vashti become the recipient of such a high conception of womanhood? We know that she acquired it through no influence of the Persian palace. She brought to Ahasuerus a high conception of womanliness which was instilled into her life in the far earlier years of her development. Back of all the gifts which crowned Vashti queen, we can see the molding influence of a mother. Vashti had a Back of every woman mother. adorned with those queenly gifts of womanhood, is a mother. Ah! Vashti, something stood strong within your heart in the hour of that crisis, and there is something that must stand strong in every woman's heart and life, as she holds in her hands that power which determines the future of American citizenship.

In the career of every child there come times of doubt and perplexity, when the music of the Ave Marie is a very real experience. Where shall child go in such hours, save to a mother? It is the mother that speaks, and it is the mother who stands up and answers the all-perplexing questions and solves the intricate problems in the life of her child. Before we can ever bring to the present social and economic problems a sure and a permanent solving power, American motherhood must have absorbed early in its infancy those high and noble ideals, those commanding and all-illuminating motives, those exalted and queenly conceptions of character, which we discover in the mother of Vashti. Let Christian motherhood rise to this proclamation, that child has the right to be well every



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SOOD THINGS TO EAT

The simplest foods well cooked and served are the most satisfying to the majority of people for

every day. Claridge Beef Heart .--Wash and remove the arteries from the heart, wipe dry and fill with a good stuffing, tie up securely and roast in a moderate oven for three hours. Remove the strings before serving. and also pour a hot gravy around the heart.

Stuffing: Chop one ounce of suet fine, add two cupfuls of bread crumbs, one chopped onion, season with parsley, thyme, pepper, salt, and a grating of nutmeg. Mix well and add one beaten egg to bind it.

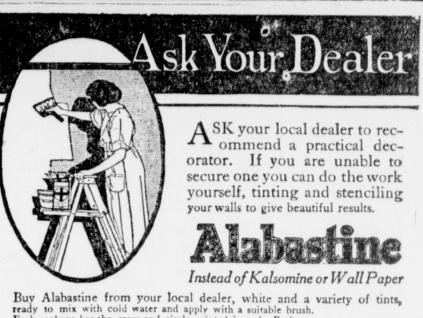
Spring Salad .- Grate or put through the fine knife of the food chopper enough carrots to make a cupful, add a little minced celery, a secsoning of onion and enough good salad dressing to season well. Serve on lettuce, dotted with spoonfuls of the dressing. Rhubarb and raisins make a good combination for a pie.

Plain Custard Pie .- It would seem that any cook might make a most acceptable custard pie, but the proof of the pudding being in the eating, we know they can't. Line a pie tin with a good rich crust having the rim stand up well above the edge of the tin. Fill with a custard mixture, using for an ordinary pie two eggs, one-third of a cupful of sugar. a pinch of salt, and two cupfuls of milk, adding a generous grating of nutmeg or cinnamon if preferred. Set into a hot oven to bake the crust quickly-this avoids soaking it-then lower the heat to bake the custard, as that should not be cooked at a high temperature. Too hot an oven will make the custard whey, and become coarse grained. A perfect pie should be well baked on the bottom and have a filling of rich. creamy consistency. A custard is well baked when a knife thrust into the center comes out clean.

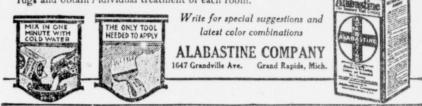
Tapioca well cooked and mixed with any bits of canned or fresh fruit, topped with whipped cream, makes a most delightful dessert.

Dumplings .- Delicious fluffy dumplings may be prepared as follows: Take one beaten egg. one cupful of buttermilk, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt; sift in flour enough to make a drop batter, Drop from a teaspoon into a kettle of hot meat with plenty of bones to hold up the dumplings, cover tightly and cook eight minutes. Do not uncover during the cooking.

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servants. 2. Because he was to be the head of a great nation (v. 18).

As such he was to be the medium of blessings to them. The interests of humanity were at stake in the destruction of Sodom. It was good that Abraham should know that he might be able to instruct coming generations.

3. Because of the responsibility of instructing his own family aright (v. 19). God is always careful that His judgments have a rational explanation, serving to deter others from the same sin. The Lord declared that His purpose was to go down and see whether the Sodomites had done according to the cry which had come up from it (v. 21).

IV. Abraham's Intercession for Sodom and Gomorrah (vv. 22-23).

The two men departed for Sodom, leaving Abraham alone in the presence of the Lord. He stood there as an intercessor. In this unselfish act Abraham represents our High Priest (Heb. 7:23-28; Rom. 8:34; I John 2:1). Jesus possesses the divine right to stand before the Father. Abraham made his plea on the ground of justice to the righteous who might be in the city. Because of the infinite sacrifice which Christ made by His blood for our sins, He can plead our cause before God on the ground of strict justice. He ventured his plea six times, each time diminishing the number. We should learn from this that petitions granted give encouragement to ask for others, Abraham's power as an intercessor was limited. He was afraid of overdrawing his account with the Lord. This is not the case with our High Priest. His credit and influence with the Father are infinite. He is able to save unto the uttermost those who come unto God by Him, seeing He ever liveth to make intercession for them (Heb. 7:25).

The Road of Life

It is not designed that the road should be made too smooth for us here upon earth .- Jane Porter.

The Stain of Sin

Besides the guilt of sin and the power of sin there is the stain of sin -Nathaniel Culverwell.

To Be Converted

A man to be converted has to give up his will, his ways and his thoughts. -D 1. Moody.

born. It is a fearful thing to send a young soul voyaging to eternity, but it is a perilous thing to send a child on that voyage with the poison of ancestral blood flowing in his veins.

Many solutions are offered for the evils of our age. To the task of solving our social and economic problems, every person should contribute his share of service and money, but even then have we solved the problem? There is a cause for crime more farreaching in its influence than poverty and the social conditions, out of which much evil arises. The cause for crime barks back to the problem of heredity, which argues again-every child has the right to be born. It harks back to the earlier days when into the development of child life there must be infused those ideals and motives for which true American motherhood stands. This idea is magnificently expressed in a Mother's day proclamation recently handed down to the people of Michigan by the governor of the state. "Never did the word mother have a broader and deeper meaning than it has today. The welfare of the world is related Put a carrot or two through the to motherhood. Would that the mothers of our sons and daughters fully realized the power they wield. Through the double standard of virtue, established by man long ages ago mothers have unconsciously granted their son's license to disregard the sanctity of womanhood. When mothers shall insist upon as clean men for husbands of their daughters as they now insist upon clean daughters for

wives of their sons a new era will have dawned in which the social evil and the white-slave traffic will have largely disappeared from our fair land. The highest type of woman is the mother. The word mother thrills the heart with joy and gratitude and gives to memory priceless treasures."

Ahasuerus' feast is a thing of the past, but the queenly spirit of Vashti who sacrificed position rather than conscience, who remained true to her sublime ideals of womanhood, the spirit of all this will forever abide. And, as we tell this story to our children we look up from the pages containing the Biblical narrative and, resting our eyes upon a picture which hangs upon the wall of our home, we behold in the Madonna (a mother with her child) the challenge as well as the hope of our future Christian civilization

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be a good one to follow. For small amounts it may be divided. Cheese Sandwich Filling. - Mix together one cupful of sour cream,

three eggs, one tablespoonful each of butter and sugar, a few grains of cayenne, one teaspoonful of mustard, and one terspoonful of salt. Beat all together until the eggs are broken, set over hot water and stir until it begins to thicken then add three tablespoonfuls of vinegar (hot) to the cream mixture. Cook until it coats the spoon, add one and one-half pounds of finely cut cheese, two green peppers put through the meat chopper and two red peppers elso chopped. Add the peppers after the mixture is slightly cool. Use on slices of buttered bread. The cheese and peppers may be used, adding enough dressing to make the right consistency; in this way the amount may be varied to suit the need.

Carrot, Pineapple and Nut Salad .-meat chopper; to one cupful of the carrot add a slice of finely minced pineapple and a tablespoonful of chopped nuts. Mix with a good salad dressing and serve on lettuce.

Curry of Mutton .- Fry one large onion, chopped fine, in two tablespoonfuls of butter. Mix one tablespoonful of curry powder, one teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of flour, and stir into the onion and butter. Pour over slowly one and onehalf cupfuls of stock. Cut two pounds of lean mutton into small pieces and brown them in hot fat; add them to the sauce and simmer until tender. Place the meat on a hot dish and arrange a border of hot cooked rice around it.

Liver Patties .- Scald a pound of liver and grind it with one-fourth of a pound of bacon and an onion through the meat chopper. Season well, form into small cakes and cook in a little hot bacon fat, browning on both sides. Medley Sandwich .- Take two-thirds of a cupful of minced chicken, onethird of a cupful of minced ham and tongue; add cayenne and enough mayonnaise to make a smooth mixture to spread and spread on buttered brown and white bread made into ribbor sandwiches.

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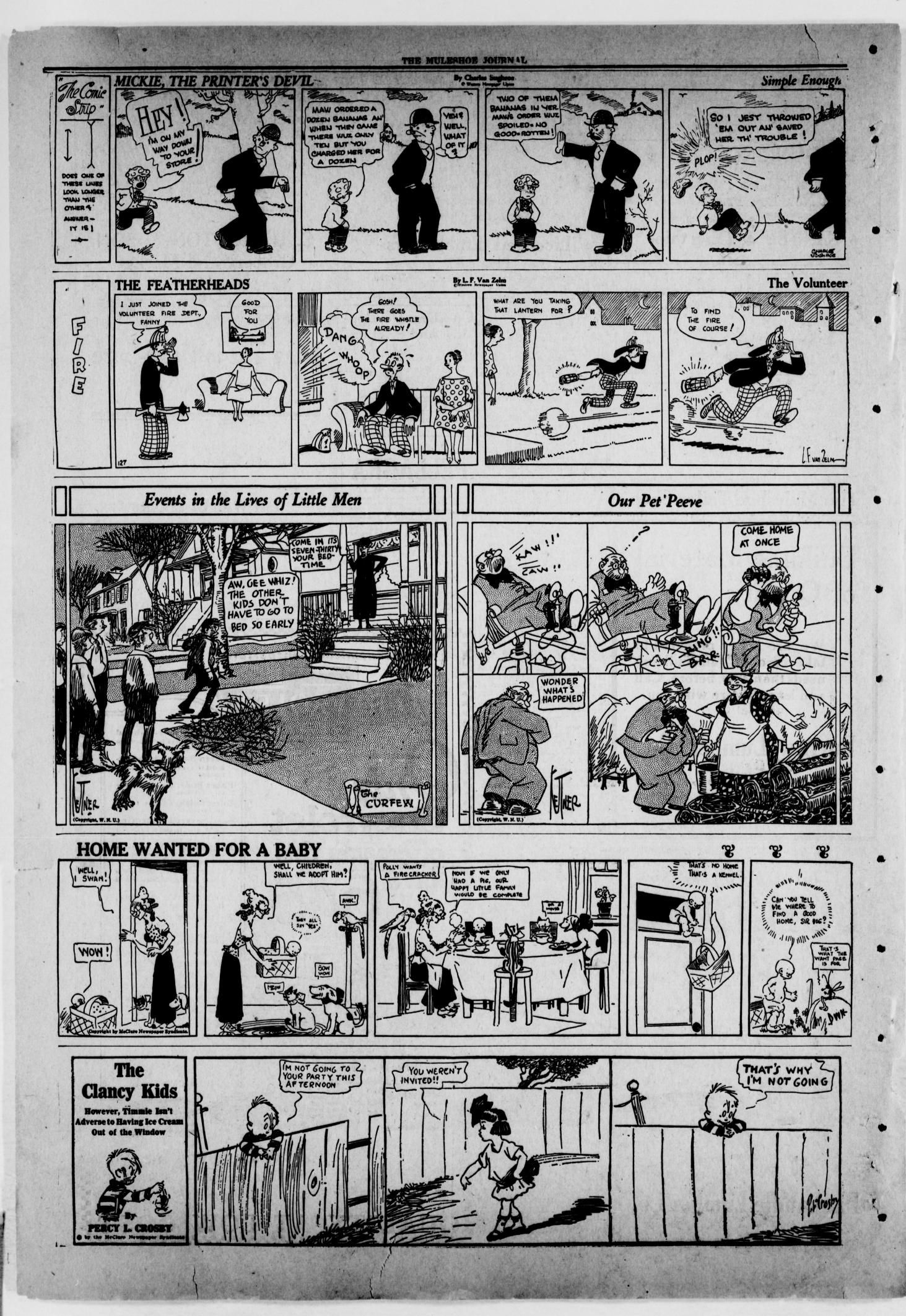
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"No! Tie him up and put him in the shack and get our stuff to the canoe! I'll get rid of the girl !"

The die was cast. Every minute at the post spelled danger. But Steele now had an excuse for refusing to take Rose Laflamme to the railroad. "You understand, David? Keep

your knife out of him. Your turn will come on the snow. Now get the canoe !"

David carried Laflamme into the shack, and went for the canoe.

Returning to the girl, trembling in the dark, Steele said: "It was he. David knocked him out, but he's not hurt. We must get away at once." With an impulsive movement, Rose

Laflamme found Steele's neck with her arms and kissed him wildly. explained the harassed "But."

American, 'we've got to travel fast; they'll follow us-we can't take you ! "You mean you'll not take me now?" gasped the girl in her despair.

"We'll have to run the portages, break our backs to beat the Indians he'll send after us. If you go, they'll get us !" protested Steele.

"Take me, take me with you!" she moaned. "Am I not beautiful, beeg American? Don't leave me here!"

Then Brent Steele gambled: "What was Pierre doing down river?"

"I weel tell you in the canoe," she parried, and he crunched his teeth in his chagrin. "Wheu we are in the cance I will tell you things-things you nevaire dream of," she urged, "I know all."

She would exchange her information at a price-her freedom; and that price Steele would not pay. But it was necessary to get her back to the house.

"All right," he said, "go and get some heavy clothes, and be at the log landing in an hour. Don't make any noise. We don't want them to find Laflamme until morning. Now be careful !"

With a low cry, she again circled Steele's neck with her arms, kissed him and disappeared. In an hour he and David would be far down the fake on their way to Nepigon house. She had intended making a catspaw of him to escape from Ogoke and Steele wasted no sympathy on her. He wondered whether, on finding herself tricked, she would arouse the post or take to her bed, feigning ignorance of the whole business.

And he also wondered whether if Denise St. Onge ever learned of this night's work at Ogoke, she would believe that every act and word of his had teen in her service.

Through the night, the churn-swish, churn-swish of the paddles of David and Steele ceaselessly marked off the miles, for with the sun might come a head wind, which meant fighting for every foot while their pursuers gained on them with a four or six-man crew. Time and again through the long hours, the keen eyes of David alone had sensed through the murk in which traveled, the m

By GEORGE MARSH Author of "Tollers of the Trail" "The Whelps of the Wolf" (Copyright by the Penn Publishing Co.) (W. N. U. Service.)

So, without stopping at noon, the fleeing canoe pushed on up the Rouge, and not until dusk settled on the valley, was it turned to the shore. There, unloading the weary crew carried boat and outfit back into the

"bush" against the possible chance of their camp smoke being seen at daylight by those at their heels. Dawn found them at their galley

slavery with another back-breaking day to live through before the clearing of the Jackfish portage would open up ahead. Unless they were run down shortly, that night the fleeing canoe would ride the Jackfish, and they had

won. They were rounding a bend below a backwater when the man in the bow lifted his hand and pointed. In the shallows, not fifty yards away, stood a yearling moose.

"Meat to take us to Nepigon!" groaned Steele.

David slapped the water with the flat of his paddle. "Marche, you !" he cried, "or de cutt'roat behin' us weel get you."

"One shell would have got him!" said Steele, ruefully, as the moose slowly turned and disappeared.

"Wal, I not wast' de last shot on moose," and the Indian held up a shining cartridge for the inspection of his friend.

"Where in the devil did you get that?" cried the amazed and delighted stern man.

"I fin' eet een de grub bag." "And you never told me! Is that

fair, David?' "Wal, eef I tell you, you fire eet at

de moose.' "Why not? We would have red

meat then, to Nepisjon." The Ojibway shook his head soberly: "Daveed save set for one of Laflamme's men."

To Steele, who felt now that sundown would find them at the Jackfish portage; that their pursuers were far in the rear; the words of David sounded unduly ominous. It was possible that some of the Indians on their trail could travel the forty miles of broken, bush-grown river shore in a night and a day, but he doubted it. So he laughed loudly at the square back of his friend when, an hour before sunset, they landed at Jackfish

portage. "Well, we did it, old boy!" cried Steele, slapping the knotted shoulder of the grinning Lavid. "Now we'll take her all over in one trip or throw this museum stuff away. Can we do It ?"

David nodded. "De carry to de tak" ees short. I tak' the canoe an' de Injun stuff. You tak' de rest."

"Man alive! It will go four hundred-with the boat."

But David was busy slinging his tump-line to the largest of the -bags and made no answer.

"So Lafamme left your trother to die alone to starve?"

David nodded. "Dat feller had fear of Loflamme, but he so back to de Pelican s'en he get chance.

"What did he fin i?" asked Steels. "Nodin'." "What?"

"My brodder cra'ri to de riviere an drown heesel'-before he starve.'

"David," said the man across the fire, "I want to apologize for keeping you off that snake. He was belpiess and I thought if I allowed you to go back that night, and we were afterward overhauled, it would mean our finish; but now I wish you had throttled him."

"I had hard fight not to keel heem but you're de boss," added the loyal Ojibway.

"You'll have your opportunity this winter-never fear."

"Mebbe; tut dey may wait for us tomorrow at de Frying Pan."

"You still think that some of them may have been sent overland to cut us off?

"Wal," said the cool half-breed, "eet I hunt canoe traveling dis way from Ogoke, dat ees w'ere I sen' dem." "But they won't have had time to

get there." "Mebee not. Tomorrow we see." And the red stole rolled himself in his

blanket. The stars still nong above the Jackfish, although there was a hint of dawn in the graying east, when a canoe slid swiftly through the shadows on the way to the Frying Pan rapids. Once over the carry around this roaring cauldron of white-water, into the spray of whose flumes and cross currents no man, red or white had ridden a canoe and come through. and the two friends could snap their fingers at Laflamme's pursuing pack of wolves, for thirty miles of hardrunning river, from which they would not lift their flying cance, then lay before them.

As they paddled toward the carry above the thundering Frying Pan, Steele asked the Indian whose eyes ceaselessly searched the shore below them: "Have these rabids ever been run?

"Nu! Dev are ver' bad een some place" muttered David. "Could we run them?"

The Indian shook his head. "Then why did you insist on out having our setting poles handy?" David did not answer.

"You're wasting your time watching that portage," laughed Steele. Still the Ojibway ignored the man in the stern. Then the souffer suddenly wondered why the bowman was edging the nose of the boat, as they drifted, away from the ca.ry. A thrill shot through him. Had David seen something suspicious?"

The boat was fast approaching easy rifle range. With his paddle burled, the Indian, simulating I surely action, and tollowed by Steele, was rapidly adding to the distance between

ARRAYED FOR JUNE WEDDING; TROUSSEAU AFTERNOON FROCKS

IN THE imagination of girlhood, Much is expected of afternoon throughout its brief, bright years, frocks in the trousseau-it goes without saying that they should be vague pictures of brides and bridals float. Occasionally in them, each beautiful and it is not difficult to find plenty of them that fill this requiremaiden sees herself the center of inment. But every bride desires that terest as a bride; but there are so hers should be unusual, as well as many interests and distractions in this complex age, that even Prince bezutiful, also more or less dignified Charming, before his actual arrival, and, above all, suited to her personality. occupies only a small space on the Afternoon gowns are the observed of



Picturesque Bridal Costume.

colors and simple decorations, afterof the bride's wedding gown. She has noon frocks progress glong the path a wide choice of beautiful and grace- of more elaboration until the dinner ful styles at her disposal-all of them gown is reached. It includes combinadignified. She may be simple and in- tions of taffeta and lace, plain georgenious, splendid or picturesque and gette and lace, figured georgette or her malds never, had better opportu- chiffon over plain slips, and the renities to look like pictures. What with verse of this. There are many pretty sheer fabrics, lovely colors, floating soft teffeta frocks in navy blue or lines and fluttering draperies a bevy black with collars and sleeve trimof June bridesmaids look more like mings of ecru lace, and sometimes personified flowers than anything else. bandings or ecru lace, that are dig-But here comes a little procession of nified and very useful. Navy or black wedding gowns, for the inspection of in georgette, brightened with colored the bride, each created by a great embroidery in silk, and posed over a name in the world of stylists. The slip to match the embroidery, or over first is a gown of white crepe satin self color, affords a choice of many with long molded bodice, very long, conservative gowns which may be

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particular June and finds many a fair part perfectly. girl (fully as many as usual) face to face with her wedding. Most important of all is the matter

horizon of youth. Then, almost be- | all observers and if they prove the

fore she knows it, along comes this envy of many, they have played their Beginning with informal afternoon frocks of taffeta or georgette in plain

point or the threat of bowlders, awash, square in their course.

"How far have we come?" asked Steele, laying his paddle on the gunwale to stretch his stiffened arms. "Wal, dees point ees ver' far up de

lak'. Eeen two bour we hit de inlet." "Good! If that is so, we're thirty

miles ahead of them." The Ojibway shook his head. "We tak' no chance-we travel lak' h-1!"

On shore the tea-pail was soon boiling, while David and Steele overhauled their scant supplies. There were barely beans, bacon and flour to do a week, and Nepigon lake was two weeks' hard travel. It meant shooting their way out, unless the fish would bite, for they had given their net to Michel.

"Let's have a look at the old Mannlicher." said Steele as David watched the bacon sputtering in the pan. "We may need her before we get out of this mess. I was a fool to stop there. I might have-" He had thrown the bolt-handle up and back, when his face sobered. The startled eyes which met the inquiring gaze of the man at the fire drew a quick : "W'at you see -ghost?"

Making to reply, Steele sprang to the canoe, tore the lashings from a bag and fumbled with its contentsthen emptied the bag on the beach. Taking David's rifle from the canoe, he opened the breach

"Both guns empty !" he said in dismay. "They've got our shells-two boxes in the bag! Not a shot leftcleaned out !"

The white man looked long into the immobile face of the Indian.

"If they catch us-we're done! If they don't, we can't even shoot our way home. It's fish-or starve!"

The Ojibway squatted on his heels and resumed his frying. "Wal, boss." he said stoically, "we have beeg feed dis mornin'-den paddle lak h-1.!"

For two hours the canoe was driven as only seasoned men can push maple paddles. Then, leaving the lake, they faced forty miles of the swift Rouge before they turned off on the portage to the Jackfish. Once on the Jackfish they gould travel as fast as their purfor from there it was all down m to Neplgon. But the thought hich added pounds to the thrust of pele and lunge of paddle through the travai and sweat of that October day was the chance of heing headed by Indians sent overland to the Jackfish portage. With no shells for their rifies, they were at the mercy of the are, half-breed to come up with them. with his thoughts.

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So, after further protest, which the Indian brushed aside, Steele packed the three hundred pounds of bags on the Ojibway's wide back, and on top balanced the canoe, and the thick bowlegs of the red son of Anak moved

steadily up the trail. With the dusk, the canoe was in the Jackfish and the two men gripped hands in mutual congratulation. They had set Laflamme's gang a pace over a hundred miles of lake and river which they would not soon forget. Dropping downstream they camped in the thick spruce, back from the river, and for the first time in two days. baked combread for their beans and bacon, and feasted.

Beside a fire which the scrub masked at fifty feet, two men, at ease with the world, pulled on after-supper pipes. With a little luck in the pike lakes of the lower Jackfish, they could eke out their scanty food supply : and if, as seemed certain, they had left their pursuers hopelessly behind, the shell in David's rifle might bring them meat.

"Boss," said the Ojibway, after a period of silence which was characteristic, "I nevaire tell you w'y I hunt dis Laflamme."

From a revery in which Denise St. Onge again played to him on her Hill of Dreams, far in the north, Steele turned with interest to the speaker. "No, I should like to hear."

"Eet was manee year back-ten,

twelve. Dis Laflamme trade wid de 'Jibway up Los' lak' way. My brodder work for heem. He sen' my brodder an' 'noder man to mak' cache on de Pelican riviere. One day, beeg spruce log, she fall and hit heem in de back. De 'noder feller try carry heem ovair de portage but eet pain my brodder too much. He say, 'I stay here w'lle you breeng men from Los' lak. Dey tak' me ovair de long portage on de spruce pole !"

For a long space David sat with head on hands, staring into the fire. Steele smoked in silence, waiting for the mood of his friend to change, when the rest would be told.

At length, David straightened and turned to the other, black eyes glittering, as he hearsely demanded: "W'at you t'ink dat Laflamme say w'en de feller reach Los' lak'? Dees ees w'at he say: 'Dat man ovair on de Pelican ees dead by now. I got no men to sen'. Toy not go back; I got work for you wid beeg cance down in Wabigoon.

Again David paused, his face black

the canoe and the shore. But to the straining eyes of the American the scrub told nothing.

"What is it? I can't make anything out." demanded Steele.

Back from the tow came: "Keep on paddle; dey are dere!"

The words froze Steele where he kneeled.

On drifted the craft, ever edging farther and farther from the ambush. Stiff as stone knelt the man in the bow, outthrust arms rigid, eyes anchored to the beach, wrists alone in motion. Hunched in the stern, fingers fiercely gripping his paddle, Steele, marveling at the Ojibway's nerve, waited for his order. A hundred yards more and the suck of the first chute would draw them into the Fry. ing Pan. The boat was now passing the portage, yet the rifles on the shore were silent. Then Steele understood. The plan was to drown them.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Realizing His Profits

He walked into a brokerage office several months ago, deposited \$10,000 and bought some stocks on the firm's advice. No one saw him until lately when he walked in agein and asked how much profit he had.

"Twenty thousand dollars, or there abouts," replied one of the partners, after the account had been checked UD.

"Sell my stocks and give me my profits in cash," the customer directed after a few minutes.

As soon as the orders could be exe cuted and a messenger returned from the bank, the partner counted out to him twenty one-thousand-dollar notes and some odd bills and change. He stuffed the money in his wallet and sat down. Then, after he had enjoyed for half an hour the sensation of carrying his profits in his clothes, he pulled out the money, handed it back to the partner, and said:

"Buy all those stocks back again " -Wall Street Journal.

Words

Words, too, are more than sounds ; they are garners stored with history and the experience of generations of their users. Languages, alen, have their distinctive characters, and forms of expression and meter suited to one language do violence to another. Even words seem to welcome the emotion, the rhythm which the poet brings, and respond to his touch ---Lascelles Abercrombia

taffeta and lace.

close-fitting sleeves, reaching to the varied by slips in different colors worn knuckles; round neck, skirt widening under them. Scalloped hem lines, tunic into ripples with a scalloped hemline flounces and cascading draperies, with



Bride's Afternoon Gown.

and no vestige of trimming. But the | ripples, godets and plaits, help to vary back portion is lengthened into a wide them. Plain, light colors in georgette, train and over all is a veil of tulle. made up with lace dyed to metch, are Finally comes in the last word in very effective, especially in the tan wedding gowns, for the bride whose and gray tones. The procession of taste runs to the picturesque and flowered chiffons and combinations of whose style will allow her to indulge it. This is the robe-de-style and an plain and figured fabrics is endless and lands us in the realm of lovely example of it is pictured here. It is dinner gowns where we shall come to be recommended for the bride who across superb examples of embroidery will have only one attendant or none. used as the decorative feature. In This is a very youthful mode and this class are short-sleeved models. may be developed in georgette or in JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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LLEN'S FOOT-EASE, Le Roy, N. Y.

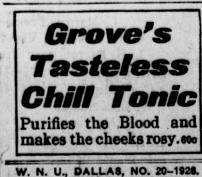


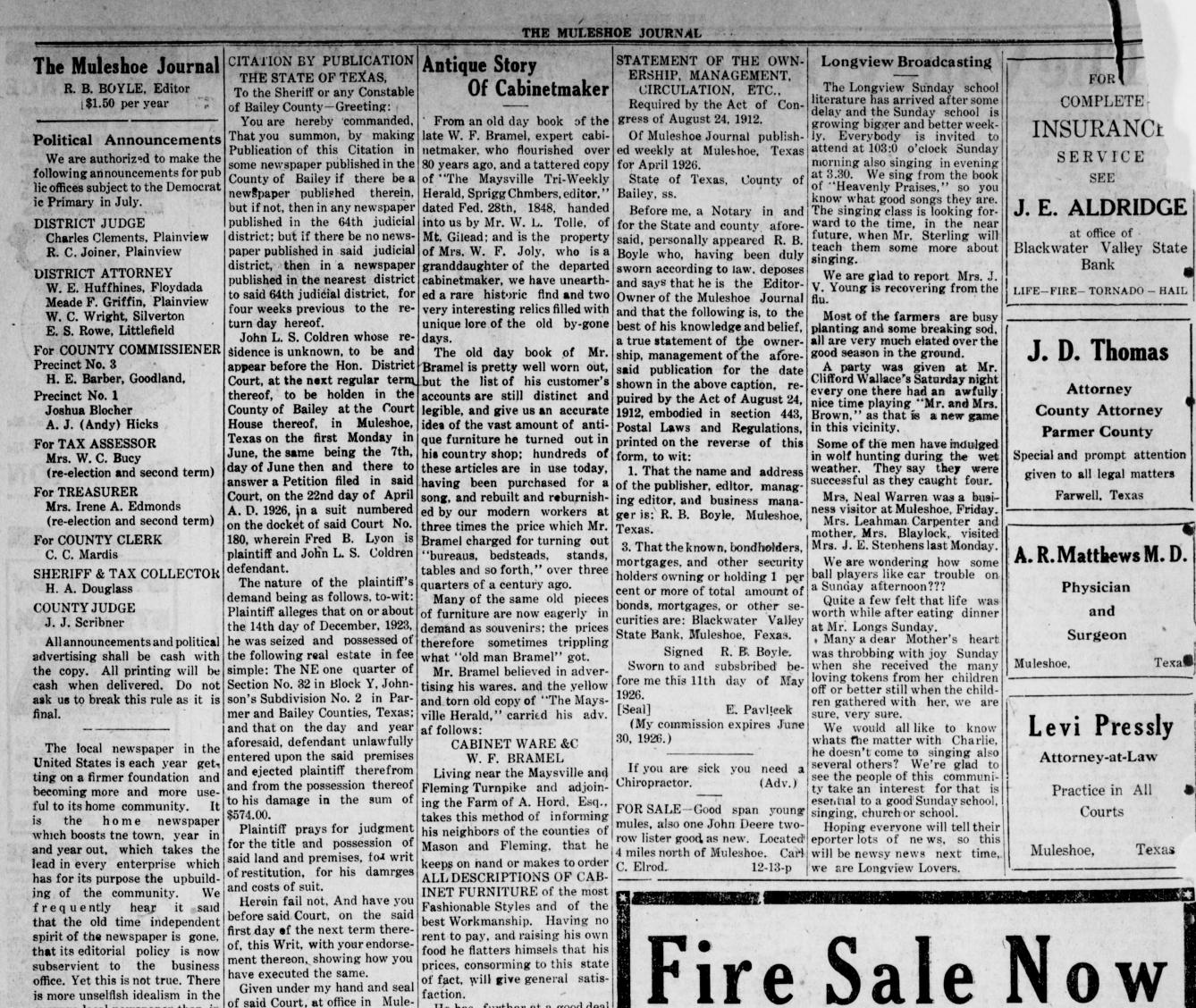
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Be slow in choosing a friend, slower in changing .- Franklin.



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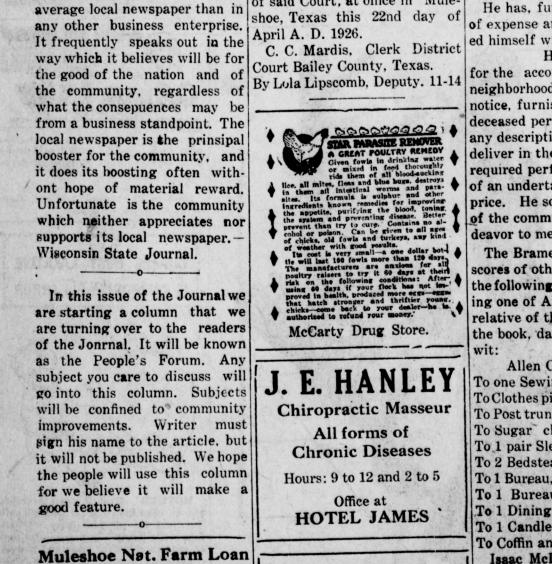
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