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Cool Subject Listed

for Hot Day's Work

On the shade the thermometer registered 96 degrees in Reading, Calif. The hotel lobby, with a dozen electric fans and an ever-resourceful cooler of iced water, was the congregating hall for all of the registered guests and some just tearing through the town for business.

Even the wide sheds, covering the sidewalks, so familiar in all small valley towns, offered no relief by their shade. A diversion was welcome to change the constant trend of thought and conversation toward the heat.

A small sign posted on the bulletin board, "Chaunauqua: Six Big Days" met the eyes of the Woman's Friend. A few minutes' conversation with the clerk, who showed his surprise at a mental activity which seemed to keep pace with the thermometer, and she was wending her way Chaunauquward.

Her inspiring face and parched throat received a delightful reward, for her eyes and mind slaked their thirst in the subject of that day's meeting.

Illustrated by stationery news.—New York Sun.

Plants' Rapid Growth

in Artificial Light

Turning a dark cellar into a bright sunroom and growing tropical plants in greenhouses 5,000 miles north of their native habitat, are not dreams. These things have been done with the aid of electric light. In an experimental greenhouse in Yonkers, N. Y., all sorts of weird results have been obtained by running a traveling crane up and down all night over the glass roof, flooding electric light in varying intensities over beds of plants and flowers from the four corners of the earth. About 100,000 cubic power made sweet peas bloom five weeks ahead of their daytime schedule. Oriental clover that requires two years to bloom under natural conditions, blossomed in two months under 24 hours of daily light. Orchids were produced at will and brought to fullest flower on certain fixed schedules, thus preserving strange dyes in the horticulture of the future.

London to Kill Pigeons

The city of London, according to a dispatch to the Philadelphia Public Ledger, has too many pigeons, and it requires an act of parliament to get rid of them. These pigeons, congregating about St. Paul's cathedral and similar historic places, are a picturesque feature of the financial section. Their disappearance would deprive it of one of its charms from a sightseeing point of view, and the city's medical officer says they cause considerable damage and jeopardize the hygiene of its people.

Since pigeons cannot be classed as wild birds, they are protected by the larceny acts. As soon as these are amended, there will be gunning in the heart of London, though it will be reserved for the corporation's own sharpshooters.

On a Delicate Subject

B. B. protests against the present prominence of the feminine underpinning, declaring that it is much too much in evidence on the street, in the elevated, on the billboards and in the magazines. We dare not print his little essay in full, but we copy the warning with which he concludes it: "Let us be careful," he writes, "lest our legacy to history be the impression that we were idolaters, worshipping the silken calf."—Boston Transcript.

Children's Hearts Affected

Statistics show that there are in this country more than 500,000 children suffering from heart disease of one kind or another. Two hundred thousand are afflicted with organic heart disorder. As the chief causes for the affliction, physicians cite so-called "growing pains," rheumatism, bad tonsils, adenoids and conditions resulting from over-indulgence in tobacco, tea, coffee and alcohol.

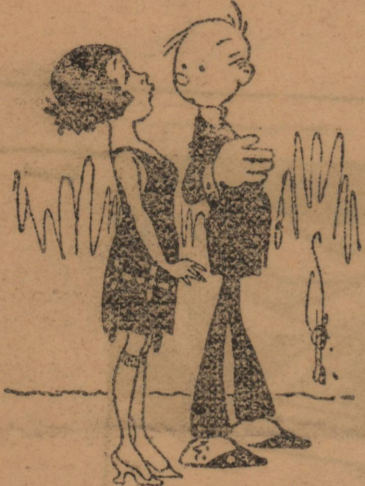
Early Light Bulbs Glow

Electricians at Leadville, Colo., have taken from the ceiling of the St. George Episcopal church three several electric light bulbs devised by Thomas Edison when incandescent lighting was just started. The filament is made from bamboo and the bulbs are still capable of converting electric current into light.

Plain Has Felt March of Conquering Hosts

Half way between Beirut and Damascus, in the valley between the Lebanon mountains and the range called the Anti-Lebanon, is a magnificent flat plain, once probably a lake bottom, called the Bekaa. It is one of the most peaceful sights imaginable, a fertile stretch of beautiful country, waving with wheat, chackered in green and yellow fields, spotted with almond and pomegranate, olive and fig, orange and jaccoranda. From the hills a positive haze of peace, an aroma of honest toil, ascends through the lazy heat. Yet this Bekaa plain, this great highway through Syria to the sea, has probably seen more conquerors than any other stretch of land in history. One of the first was Ramases. The last was Allenby. In between there were Egyptians, Semites, Phoenicians, Philistines, Babylonians, Assyrians, Chaldeans, Sumerians, Hittites, Greeks, Medes, Persians, Romans, Huns, Mongols, Tatars, Turks, Crusaders, Saracens and Arabs. And Napoleon almost reached it in 1802. Kaiser Wilhelm did reach it, shortly before the World war.—Chicago Daily News.

STICKPINS



She—I've been on pins and needles all day.
He—Yeh! I was noticing the pins.

Build Ark of Covenant

After a long study of Jewish symbolism, two California sculptors are working in an old studio at Chelsea, England, on a bronze of the ark of the covenant. When completed the work will be sent to a synagogue at San Francisco. Although no time or expenditure limit has been placed on the work, the American artists hope to finish their task this fall.

The ark is to be pine feet high, cast from bronze, covered with gold and ornamented with symbolic panels in gold and enamel.

More than 270 jewels hold down the gold shingles on the roof. The processes of enamel work, which were done in their own studio in gas and electric furnaces, date from the Fifteenth century and duplicate the hitherto lost methods of the medieval craftsmen.

North Pole Advantages

Chuck, the hired man at the Cox farm, was taking his usual midday rest under the shade tree when the August sun was pouring down. Billy, the schoolboy, was soon at his side discussing the advantages of the North pole. "Why, Chuck, they say they have six months of day and six months of night." "Well, if that's the case," drawled Chuck, "I'd like to get there about sundown."—Indianapolis News.

Lon-Lon Likes Cafeteria

London's first cafeteria has been a success. It has a seating capacity of 500. While Londoners at first ebbed at the idea, within two weeks of the opening the cafeteria had all the noon business it could handle, and most of the armchairs also were filled at tea time. The cafeteria is in the shopping district, and has proved popular with women.

Irish Women Barristers

Dublin has had four women barristers who plead in court in the same kind of wigs and gowns as the men. Belfast has now a bar separate from Dublin and calls its own barristers. Women are admitted as in Dublin, and the latest is Miss Mary Ann McClair, who comes from Cashel.

Jews in New York City

About one tenth of the Jewish population of the world is in New York city. The Jewish population of that city is 1,643,000. The Jewish population of the world has been estimated at 15,550,000.

KEEPING WELL

BACKACHE

PAIN in the back is popularly considered a symptom of kidney disease. How this belief arose is difficult to say. Patent medicines advertisements have, of course, strengthened the idea in the public mind. But there must have been a pre-existing belief or the kidney pill and plaster promoters never would have taken it up.

The fact is that there is no connection at all between Bright's disease and pain in the back. Most persons with chronic kidney disease complain far more of indigestion and discomfort in the stomach than they do of backache. Of course, a person with Bright's disease may also have a pain in his back, but there is no connection between the two conditions.

Most cases of persistent and long-standing pain in the back are due to some kind of muscle or ligament tear or strain or to a dislocation, either complete or partial, of some of the joints in the bones of the pelvis. These accidents, for they are just as much accidents as a broken arm or a dislocated knee, usually occur during heavy lifting or straining. An unusually severe exertion or a sudden strain tears some of the muscle fibers or the ligaments in the back muscles. Little attention may be paid to it at the time but, in the course of a few days, the pain and tenderness increase, until any movement and especially any muscular effort becomes extremely painful.

Few persons understand that a strain is really a fracture of the muscle or ligament, just as a fracture is a breaking of the bone. Torn muscles ordinarily heal slower than broken bones. If a man breaks a leg, he is willing to go to bed, have a cast or a splint put on his leg and stay there until the doctor says he can get up. But if he tears a muscle he generally says, "It's nothing but a sprain," never goes near a doctor, keeps on working and so never gives the torn muscle a chance to heal.

And it doesn't heal and he has a permanently disabled muscle that is weak and that causes pain whenever it is used.

A joint dislocation is due to the same cause; too heavy lifting. Only here the muscles don't tear but the joint slips out of position. Sprain, either of the muscles or the joints, should have plenty of time for recovery. The back should be strapped and held in position until well.

Drainage in Florida

Doing Harm in Florida

The real-estate men of Florida are killing the goose that laid the egg in more ways than one. It is now said that the great drainage systems for making land are working a marked change in the character of the state. Lowered water levels are killing the fish and driving the birds away from their haunts and in many localities old-established orchards are being damaged, as indicated by the granting of an injunction in Dale county stopping the operations of a company which was engaged in extensive reclaiming land which had hitherto been a marsh. Similar destructive results are reported from the Everglades, where the trees are dying and where the Indians who have lived there for generations, are shifting their bases. There are 700 Seminoles living in the fastnesses of the Everglades and they are now engaged in a migration to find suitable places for habitation. The state and federal governments have set aside two tracts for the use of the Indians, but they refuse to occupy it, for the reason that they say that it, as well as much other land in the state, already belongs to them.—Detroit Free Press.

Visitors Leave Trail

of American Dollars

Tourists have excellent appetites, particularly when traveling in the country, and the weather is delightfully cool in midsummer, and where the air is scented with the tang of the pines, and the quantity of food consumed by American tourists in the province of Ontario last summer has been estimated and is most interesting.

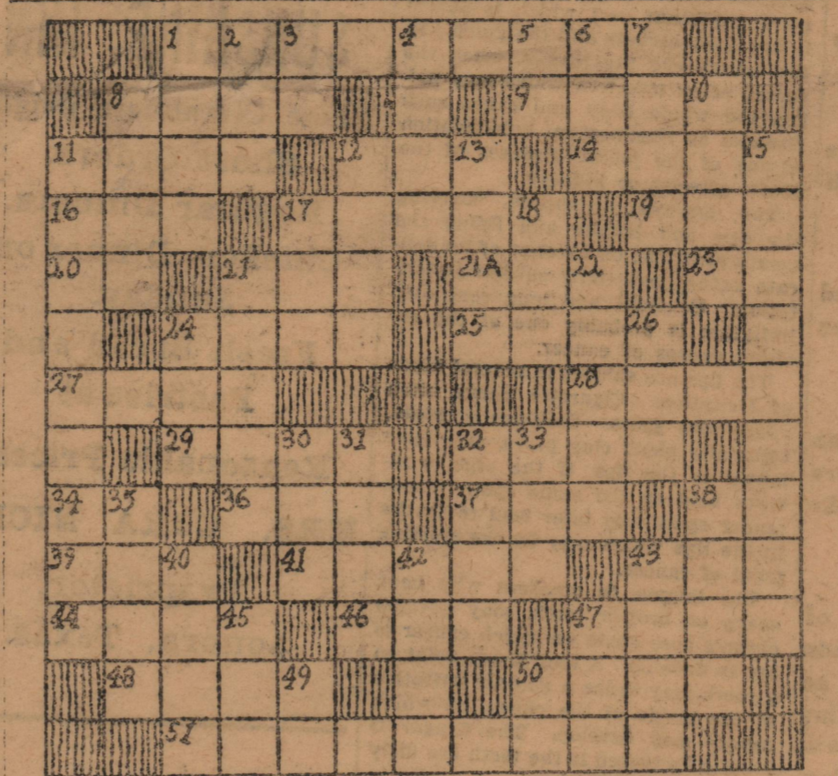
Think of 9,445 sheep being eaten, 1,763 hogs, 8,795 lambs, 2,143 cattle, 2,204 calves, 98,000 bags of potatoes, 3,000,000 quarts of milk, 500,000 dozen eggs and 300 tons of butter, together with all other incidental offerings to appetite, such as chickens, vegetables, canned goods, cereal foods, bread, cheese, coffee, tea and candies.

These totals have been made by the tourist bureau to show the tremendous importance of American travelers being welcomed and cared for with every courtesy, as they are.

CROSS WORD PUZZLE

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.



- Horizontal.
- 1—To settle a dispute by an arbiter
 - 6—Woody plant
 - 8—To board
 - 11—Reared
 - 12—Pines
 - 14—Saucy
 - 16—Long, narrow inlet
 - 17—Colorless fluid
 - 18—Conjunction
 - 20—Proposition
 - 21—Glass container
 - 21A—Wooden container
 - 22—Thus
 - 23—Stable
 - 25—Months of earth
 - 27—Affected with reverential fear
 - 28—An infernal machine
 - 29—Part of a boat
 - 30—Shoehorned Indians
 - 32—Preposition
 - 35—Female rabbit
 - 37—Bird of fable
 - 38—Indefinite article
 - 39—The end of a match
 - 41—Tool for splitting logs
 - 42—OK, in a suit of cases
 - 44—Three feet
 - 46—American poet
 - 47—Settle
 - 50—Dollar bills
 - 51—Inflammation of the lungs
- Vertical.
- 1—Extent
 - 2—Scribble
 - 3—To exist
 - 4—To color
 - 5—Like
 - 6—To open a keg
 - 7—Equal
 - 8—Journey
 - 10—God of love
 - 11—Restlessness
 - 12—To marry
 - 13—An amount owed
 - 15—Wind instruments
 - 17—Battle
 - 18—Fish eggs
 - 21—Wearied
 - 22—A kind of Mediterranean vessel
 - 24—Couch
 - 26—Distress signal
 - 30—Bovine
 - 31—To retain
 - 32—To encourage
 - 33—To marry
 - 35—Authoritative order
 - 38—Performances
 - 40—To support
 - 42—Date
 - 43—Extent
 - 45—To bound one for money owed
 - 47—Blackbird of cuckoo family
 - 49—Note of scale
 - 50—Preposition

Answers to last week's puzzle.

FEAST APART
LITTLE LEXH
LITTLE LEXH
RAMP LEAST ADO
TROT DYESTEW
TRADE NEWTS
TIE RIA
GALES RANCH
AMLS LEAKES
CAB PARTS GAP
AT DUNCEON TO
I AUNT SWIMR
NAMES SPENT

Old Employees Recognized

One of the large automobile manufacturing companies in the United States plans to give pleasing recognition to its old employees by naming gateways and company streets around the plant for them. Some of these old employees are pensioners and all are over sixty years of age and have been in the employ of the concern for more than 20 years. The gates they have passed through and the streets they have used most in their work will bear their names.

Cotton in Syria

The mandatory government in Syria has instituted a system of experimental cotton plantings to show the farmers the value of this crop; as a result, cotton production has increased rapidly, reaching a total of 45,000 bales in 1924 as compared with 2,000 bales in 1921. It is estimated that by irrigation the present total of 60,000 acres planted to cotton may profitably be increased to 2,600,000 acres.

Auto Oddly Repaired

Maurice Reddy had his car parked under a tree at Manchester, N. H. The auto had been giving him considerable engine trouble. A wind storm broke and a large limb of a poplar tree fell on the car, damaging the top and the windshield slightly. But when Reddy started the motor after the storm had cleared, he found his engine trouble had mysteriously disappeared.

Entirely Unexpected

"My gosh!" astoundedly ejaculated the landlord of the tavern at Peewee-cuddyham, as a guest walked in without warning. "Was the train on time?" "Yes," was the reply, "and the conductor hadn't any idea how it happened."—Kansas City Star

The Columnist Nods

An alert reader of this department writes: "In that joke of yours about the bunch of bathing girls on the beach holding a one-piece conference, seems to me you missed the chance for a good punning action, to wit: 'A Jen-Eva Gathering.' Aw, shucks! So we did.—Boston Transcript.

Honor First Osteopath

As a memorial to Dr. Andrew T. Still, founder of osteopathy, the log cabin in which he was born in 1828 is to be removed from its site near Jonesville, Va., to a park in Kirksville, Mo., where he founded a medical college. The cabin, built in 1822, is still occupied.

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The Methodist Missionary Society.

The Methodist Missionary Ladies will hold their annual bazaar and dinner in the Church basement on Wednesday, November 17th. We need your support and will appreciate your patronage at this time. Please send your gifts early to one of the committee or the president.

Since starting our Auxiliary this fall, we have nearly finished our study book and are planning to take up another one on completion of this under the leadership of Mrs. Lem Johnson.

We have had two real enjoyable social evenings during the quarter, one at the church with Mrs. Claude Stites and Miss Ruby Cook as hostesses, the other at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kenonover, with Mrs. Reason over and Mrs. Merton Shurley as hostesses.

Meet with us every Wednesday afternoon and enjoy your church society.

Walker & Stites the Chevrolet agents have bought the Smoot machine shop, and have placed E. O. Reynolds in charge. They will do all kinds of auto repairing

DIED.

Mrs. Mary A. Barkdale, who had a stroke of apoplexy Sunday morning a week ago, and who was brought to town and placed in the home of her son, Alonzo Barkdale, died at 1:20 Friday morning October 28.

Mary Ann Crenshaw, was born in eastern Texas on Feb. 3, 1844, and was married to J. C. Barks Feb. 10, 1863. They moved to Deming about 30 years ago, and "granny" as she was affectionately known lived for almost 24 years on the same ranch, near Nutt Station.

She is survived by seven sons and two daughters, 27 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren. Her husband preceded her to the grave about nine years ago.—The Deming (N.M.) Graphic.

Miss Nettie Word was in from the Word ranch on the line of Sutton and Crockett counties, Tuesday. Miss Word and her sister, Mrs. Luella O'Leary of San Antonio, arrived home last week from a two months trip. They visited the sesqui-centennial at Philadelphia, where they saw the West Texas Chamber of Commerce exhibit, which displayed wool from Sutton, Crockett, Tom Green and Sterling counties. They also visited New York, Atlantic City, Buffalo, Washington, D.C., and several points in Canada.

NOTICE.

The following citizens of Sonora have been wearing glasses fitted by Dr. Baker, Dallas Optical specialist, (formerly of San Angelo) for some time: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lowrey, George J. Trainer, Mrs. J. A. Kring, Mrs. J. R. Word, Mrs. Nannie Wheat, J. D. Eaton, Mrs. J. W. Mayfield, Mrs. J. T. McClelland, Mrs. Torah Long, J. A. Leach and a large number of others that will be furnished as reference upon request.

Dr. Baker will be at the McDonald Hotel Monday and Tuesday, November 1st and 2nd.

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CARD OF THANKS.

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Mr. A. Swinburn
 B. D. Wagner
 Deibert Wagner
 G. B. Wagner.

RAIN.

Rain Saturday amounted to 0.75.

LOST

In Sonora Sunday evening, a pair of shell rimmed glasses. Finder please notify Mrs. Ben L. Wheat.

W. B. Adams was in from his place on the head of the North Llano several days this week.

Miss Bertha Eaton returned this week from Dallas where she attended the Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Buchanan of San Angelo, were in Sonora Wednesday, Jim is with the Massie Furniture Co.

Dr. P. L. Guffin, Dentist, of Austin, who has been at Eldorado for some time, has opened an office in the Craddock Building over the Ware bakery. He will be ready for business Monday, Nov. 1st. Make your arrangements early. He comes highly recommended.

Democratic Nominees for County and Precinct Offices.

- For County Judge, Alvis Johnson.
- For County and District Clerk, J. D. Lowrey.
- For Sheriff & Tax Collector, B. W. Hutcherson.
- For Tax Assessor, Geo. J. Trainer.
- For County Treasurer, Mrs. A. J. Smith.
- For Com. Precinct No. 1, Joe F. Logan.
- For Com. Precinct No. 2, Roy Hulspeeth.
- For Com. Precinct No. 3, Thomas A. Bond.
- For Com. Precinct No. 4, C. T. Jones.

Cheap Seismograph

An instrument for detecting earthquakes, so simple of construction and so cheap that it could be installed in every home, has been perfected by a government scientist. The instruments now used are cumbersome and expensive and consequently there are relatively few in operation throughout the world.

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that no hunting, driving stock, wood hauling or trapping will be allowed on our ranch seven miles south of Sonora, without our permission.

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DISEASES OF THE MOUTH
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 Editor of "HEALTH"

In a recent article in the New York Medical Journal, Dr. Joseph C. Bloodgood, the well-known surgeon of Johns Hopkins in Baltimore, talks about the mouth as a source of disease. The mouth, he says, has three interesting relations, one to food, one as a source of infection, and one as a starting point for cancer. As it is easy to examine the mouth, the possibilities of detecting any disease conditions early are good. So, much trouble can be prevented by frequent, careful examination of the mouth and teeth.

Diseases of the mouth may affect the mucous membrane lining the lips and mouth, the teeth, but only the part we can see but the larger and more important part which is buried in the bony sockets and the gums. In the mouth are the tonsils, often the center of an infection which may poison the whole body and cause such diseases as rheumatism, inflammation of any of the joints, diseases of the heart, arteries or kidneys.

The mucous membrane covering the lips and tongue and lining the mouth cavity is, on account of its delicate nature, especially subject to irritation. Constant and long continued irritation is probably one of the exciting causes of cancer.

The lips are subject to several kinds of irritation. Cigarette burns often cause sore spots. Smokers of pipes, especially short clay pipes, may have "burns" on the lips. If the pipe is always held on the same spot, these tender spots may later lead to cracks in the lips which may be the starting point of cancer.

The tongue, in smokers who have sharp or broken teeth, may develop chronic sore spots on which cancer is apt to develop. A long sharp point on a tooth may cause a chronic irritation of the inside of the cheek, on which cancer may develop. The danger is greatly increased if the teeth are dirty and unclean.

These are all causes which can easily be avoided or removed, if chronic sores have once developed. While there is no positive proof that tobacco will cause cancer, the habitual smoker or chewer of tobacco is more apt to develop chronic points of irritation on the lips, tongue or cheek than the nonsmoker. To avoid this danger, every person who uses tobacco should take special pains to avoid burning the lips or tongue, to have the teeth kept in good order, to have decayed teeth filled or removed and to have any sharp or irritating points removed or smoothed down.

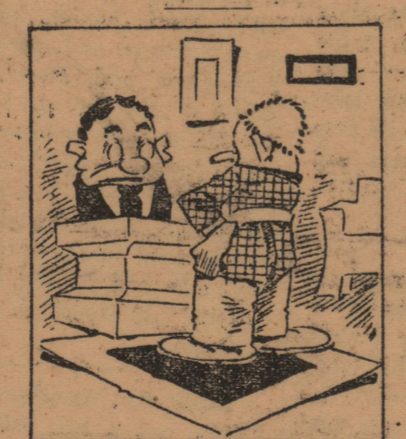
New Theory Advanced for Lightning Cause

The latest accepted theory about the cause of lightning is based on experiments conducted in India by Dr. George C. Simpson.

Simpson's explanation starts with the fact, previously determined by laboratory experiments, that when drops of water are broken up there is a separation of negative and positive electricity. This process occurs on a large scale in thunderstorms, where the falling raindrops are broken before they reach the earth by the powerful uprushes of air that occur in such storms.

Positive electricity is carried aloft by the rising air and eventually gives a strong negative charge to the higher parts of the clouds. The two kinds of electricity have a tendency to reunite and neutralize each other, but they are kept from doing so by the air, which is a bad conductor. However, when the opposite charges are strong enough they suddenly break a path through the air and lightning is produced.

LOUD TOGS



Editor—Well, if you found that actor dressing for the street, why couldn't you have had a talk with him?
 Reporter—Couldn't hear a word he said for the suit he was putting on.

Big Electric Power House

Next to the 452,000 horse power at Niagara falls, the biggest hydroelectric development in the United States is the new Conowingo installation now building on the Susquehanna river to help serve Philadelphia with electric power. It will be rated at 350,000 horse power.

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Notice to Trespassers.

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"FURTHER" on and after Oct. 1st., the gates from the Eight Mile Water Hole East, will be locked. M. M. STOKES CO.

NOTICE.

To the Merchants of Sonora: This is to notify all parties concerned, that W. T. Montgomery contractor on the Sonora-Junction road, will not be responsible for any debts made by road employes except on his written order.

Signed, W. T. Montgomery, by R. W. Perrine, Sonora, April 21, 1925.

Heal Those Sore Gums

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 A part of your trade will be appreciated.

BAZAAR
 The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will have its annual Bazaar and Dinner on Wednesday, November 17. Plan for it, work for it, and come, buy and eat a fine dinner and enjoy the day.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF METHODIST CHURCH BUILDING, SONORA, TEXAS.

Cost of building last statement Dec. 1913	\$23,886.11
Pews and Pulpit installed	1,247.78
West Texas Lumber Co. material	10.00
Light bulbs, 50 cts., phone, 30 cts., stamps, \$3.00, oil, \$7.50	11.80
Compensation insurance	78.64
Insurance on building	110.00
Interest on money	622.97
Total cost to date	\$26,156.69
Amount paid to last statement	\$17,201.50
Amount paid since statement	\$886.73
Note First Nat'l Bank, Sonora	5,000.00
Note West Texas Lumber Co.	4,750.00
Note Roy Hudspeth	7,000.00
Cash on hand	21.65
Total	\$26,209.28
Open accounts not collected	1,875.25
Notes not collected	4,907.00
Total	3,022.25
Balance cash on hand last statement	\$21.65
Collected since statement	3,000.72
Total	\$24,632.25

CASE ACCOUNT.

Dec. 25 Central National Bank, draft on pews	64.30
25 Telephone Central National Bank	0.65
25 Mrs. Mayde Brown, con. insurance	78.64
21 Cash, stamps	2.10
21 Central National Bank freight	187.00
Jan. 2 B. W. Fisher freight	25.17
10 Roy Hudspeth credit on note	1,076.00
10 Roy Hudspeth interest	213.78
Feb. 4 West Texas Lumber Co.	195.25
4 J. O. Norris freight	13.80
4 G. B. Hankhorn, labor	5.40
12 J. E. Johnson freight	31.10
12 J. O. Norris freight	4.00
10 P. L. Benson insurance	50.00
Mar. 1 G. H. Moore Hardware Co. floor oil	1.95
11 West Texas Lumber Co. credit on note	500.00
21 Sonora Motor Co. light globes	6.00
May 8 Houston Steel and Furniture Co. pews	24.47
21 First Nat'l Bank Sonora interest	24.00
Jul. 21 Cash, stamps	1.60
Jul. 15 Roy Hudspeth interest	12.00
Aug. 10 West Texas Lumber Co. on note	34.10
Sept. 2 J. D. Spivey insurance	30.00
Oct. 2 First Nat'l Bank interest	45.00
15 Balance cash on hand	21.65
Total	\$4,972.08

Sonora, Texas, Oct. 13th, 1914. J. G. Dunklin, Treasurer

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 "Come and bring your family to church."
 The Methodist church doors are wide open for you and your family, and you are heartily welcome to all of our services.
 Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
 Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.
 Intermediate League at 3 p.m.
 Senior League at 6:30 p.m.
 Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30.
 A hearty welcome
 R. W. Fisher, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sabbath means "Day of Rest." It is a divine institution ordained of God. It is coeval with creation. See Gen. 2:3.
 Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy, was incorporated in the law of Moses, but was in force long before Adam, Abraham and Jacob all observed the Sabbath day.
 Ancient tablets from China show that the Sabbath was strictly and sacredly observed. Like the tithe it was kept sacred; as a tenth of our income and a seventh part of our time belongs to God to be used for Him in His service in worship and in carrying on the interest of His Kingdom. Note the example of Jesus how He went about doing good on the Sabbath. His habit of going to the house of God to worship on the Sabbath day. Let His disciples follow His example. Keep the day sacred in His service. Live the resurrected life, as you commemorate the resurrection of the Lord on the first day of the week, which is the seventh day of time.
 Come to church next Sunday at the Baptist Pastors home at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
 Regular church services morning and evening.
 Sunday school 10 a.m. W. E. Wallace, Supt.
 Preaching each Lord's day at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
 B. Y. P. at 2:30 p.m.
 Singing Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.
 All are earnestly asked to come to all these services.
 The young people are cordially invited to attend the Senior Union.
 J. A. Stephen, Pastor.

P.T.A. PROGRAM
 Nov. 2, 1914.
 Leader Mrs. Geo. B. Hamilton
 Music, Folk Song, directed by Miss St. Clair.
 How can home to operation with a school health program be secured, Mrs. Cobb.
 What is a health examination and its "follow ups?" Miss Crawford.
 Music, Piano solo, Elizabeth Caldwell.

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 I will prosecute anyone caught dumping, hunting dogs, turkeys or other live stock on my property; without permission. This means everybody.
 T. E. Evans,
 Fox Trot Ranch.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
 At a business meeting of the officers and Board of Directors of the newly organized Sonora Chamber of Commerce, Monday evening, H. V. Stokes was elected Secretary of the body, the meeting was set as the first Tuesday in each month for business meeting and the third Tuesday in each month for a get-together banquet.
 It was also decided to make the fee for membership one dollar per month payable quarterly in advance, with a minimum fee. The membership goal has been set at one hundred and fifty members and from the first meeting this goal can be reached. Messrs. A. B. Bond and W. R. Barnes were appointed as membership committee and on the first day Mr. Barnes signed up sixty members.
 Without a doubt every business house and every business person in Sonora will join this body as most of them have already done. And it is almost a sure thing that nearly all the ranchmen will join hands with the business men in making the Sonora Chamber of Commerce a success. It is expected that the body will at all times be ready to help the ranchmen in any manner possible and it is very likely that the opportunities will present themselves.
 If the membership soliciting committee have not seen you already, do see them and put your name on the "donation line." The Sonora Chamber of Commerce means business and they want you in on it.

FOOT BALL
 Friday Oct. 22nd, the Sonora Bronchos fully avenged their defeat by Eldorado on Oct. 8th, by defeating the Eldorado team 13 to 0. The Eldorado team was outplayed in every department of the game.
 The first score came when Floyd Ridley ran 25 yards for a touch down. The run was made straight through the Eldorado line, and almost every man of Eldorado's team teckled at him, but he would not stay. The extra point was made on a pass Ridley to Holmgren.
 The second score came later in the game. After two or three changes of punts in which Ridley about 35 yards for the Sonora team, the Bronchos were again in position to score. Ridley took the ball over for the touch down. The extra point was not made when Striegler failed to reach the pass from Ridley.
 It would be impossible to pick any outstanding star or stars in the game because all the Sonora team starred. The two stopped rush after rush by the Eldorado team. Holmgren defensive work was outstanding. Time after time he would teckle the Eldorado backs for losses of 10 or 15 yards. On the offensive Ridley's work was great. The Eldorado line just couldn't stop his offensive punts. Another feature of the game was the punting of Joseph Trainer. His punts averaged 45 or 50 yards; while the Eldorado punter probably averaged about 30 yards.
 In all it was a big day for Sonora. The old football spirit which has been missing so far, returned for this game, and now everybody in town is backing the team.

SONORA LINE UP
 Left end... Alvin Holmgren
 Left tackle... Joe Steigler
 Left guard... Jack Trainer
 Center... R. E. Taylor
 Right guard... Wesley Sykes
 Right tackle... Williamson
 Right end... John McChard
 Quarter back... Mes or Archer
 Full back... Floyd Ridley
 Right half... Jody Trainer
 Left half... Burton Tutney

NOTICE
 Dr. Fred R. Baker of Dallas, formerly of San Antonio, and Texas leading optical specialist, who was appointed by former Governor Neff, a member of the Texas Optometric Examining Board, and who was formerly President of the Texas Optometric Association, will be at the McDonald Hotel, Monday and Tuesday, November 1st and 2nd, to demonstrate his expert ability in fitting defective eyesight with glasses. He will make free examination. Don't fail to take advantage of this.

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MARRIED.
 Mr. James Carroll Stephen and Miss Ruby Cook, both of Sonora, were quietly married on Oct. 23, at 7:30 p.m., at the Baptist Pastor's home, Rev. J. A. Stephen officiating.
 The groom is a splendid young man of business and is now with the Sonora Motor Co. He is highly esteemed by all his many friends, as a man of sterling worth. He is the son of R. V. and Mrs. J. A. Stephen, pastor of the Baptist Church of Sonora.
 The bride is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cook, Mr. Cook is the efficient deputy sheriff of the county. These fine young people are universally beloved by all who know them. We bestir God's richest blessings upon them as they journey through life. We are glad to know they will make their home in Sonora.

JOHN SWINBURN
 John Swinburn was born in Comfort, Indiana, Oct. 8, 1847. Died in Sonora, Oct. 26, 1914.
 Moved to Nacogdoches, Texas with his parents. Grew to manhood in that place. His father's name was married on June 3rd, 1913, to Mrs. Mary Ann Bimera.
 John Swinburn was a Confederate soldier, was a pioneer in East Central and West Texas. He was a hard worker at his trade being a brick mason and concrete worker. He was a busy man never idle, had been a hard party man until last May, when he had a stroke of paralysis, since that time he has been in the decline until the end came.
 He was kind hearted and considerate of all, he was a good citizen. He has lived in Sonora for over 30 years.
 He leaves to mourn his loss his loving wife, one brother, Sidney Swinburn of Mexico, and his many friends.
 Uncle Johnnie had many friends among the people he had lived with. He was loved and respected by those who knew him.
 The last few months of his life on earth he was a sufferer, but never complained. His only thought seemed to be a preparation to meet his God. He was a firm believer in God and the truth of the Bible. He expressed his hope that God would have mercy on him and forgive him his sins, and we believe He did. We bid him to rest in the Sonora Cemetery. The funeral services of his many friends were beautiful. A large group of friends followed his remains to the grave.
 Rev. J. A. Stephen preached his funeral service.
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 The fans of this new Star are curved to give great efficiency in an 8 to 10 mile an hour wind. Plunger pump or crank case floods crosshead, guides and pitman bearings with oil, and tight cover keeps out dirt, rain or snow.
 One filling of crank case with oil each year will save many trips up the tower. May be fixed on any tower.
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