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## Collins-Dickson Nuptials.

As previously announced by invitation, the marriage of Miss Brownie Collins of this city to Mr. J. L. Dickson of Marshall occurred at the First Presbyterian church Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Collins.

The church was filled to overflowing. The invited guests, as they arrived, were seated by the ushers, Messrs. Davis, Murdock and William H. Denny and John Cook. The marriage altar was beautifully and artistically decorated.

Preceding the entrance of the bridal party was a music program as follows:

Vocal duet, Hoffman's Baucarolle—Mrs. A. M. Decuir and Mrs. John LeGory.

Vocal solo, "Oh Fair, Oh Sweet and Holy"—Mr. Leroy L. Moore.

Bridal chorus—Mesdames A. M. Decuir, John LeGory, J. P. Hail, James S. Shivers, Miss Minnie Craddock and Mrs. Johnson Arledge.

Piano accompanist, Mrs. J. D. Woodson.

The wedding march was played by Mrs. J. D. Woodson.

The bridal chorus entered in pairs, singing as they marched up the aisles, and formed a line to the left of the altar.

The bride came with her maid of honor, Miss Sue Denny, and the groom with his best man, Mr. Leroy Moore, the bride up the left aisle and the groom up the right. They crossed the altar and took their places in front of Rev. S. F. Tenney where, surrounded by their attendants, the rites of marriage were administered.

Preceding the bride and groom, came the matron of honor, Mrs. Alfred Collins, followed in pairs by the bridesmaids, who were Misses Reba Rich and Verne Monday of Lovelady, Grace Denny, Mary McLean, Bella Lipscomb, Kathleen Hail, Alline Foster, Louise Denny, Beasley Denny, Edith Arledge, Virginia Chamberlain, Nell Beasley, Gladys Dawes, Mary Lee Benedict and Otice McConnell. The bridesmaids formed a pretty semi-circle in the center of which the bride and groom and attendants stood. Four little flower girls and the ring bearer stood within the half circle.

All were beautifully dressed. The bride wore a gown of white chifon taffeta and chantilly lace. Her veil of tulle was adjusted with a wreath of orange blossoms, an heirloom in her mother's family. The bridesmaids wore poke bonnets of tulle with white organdy dresses over taffeta in the various shades, three in each tint, and carried shower bouquets in the rainbow tones. The matron and the maid of honor wore white lace dresses and carried shower bouquets of oleanders and ferns. The little flower girls, Esther Mae Ellis, Augusta Lone Shivers, Maxine Collins and Fannie Pauline Kennedy, in frocks of accordeon-pleated white organdy, carried baskets of varicolored blossoms. The little ring bearer, Janie Elizabeth Edmiston, in a pleated dress of white organdy, carried the ring in a beautiful white jily. The bride carried a magnificent bouquet of bride's roses and valley lilies, which was afterward caught by her maid of honor, Miss Sue Denny.

The rainbow was chosen as the

motif to be developed throughout the accessories.

Following the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Among the many useful and costly presents on display was some silver, a gift from Mrs. Mary C. Douglass, that has been in the Collins family for almost a century.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickson, showered with rice, left on the midnight train for New Orleans, and from there will go to Memphis and other points in Tennessee. They will be at home after September 1 at Marshall, Texas.

## June Sixteenth.

Mrs. W. H. Denny, assisted by her three charming daughters, Misses Grace, Sue and Beasley Denny, entertained one of our June brides, Miss Brownie Collins, in the form of a lovely 7:30 breakfast on Wednesday morning.

Although it was rather an early hour, the bridesmaids were all too glad to go out, being repaid by seeing just that much more of our beloved little bride.

Mr. J. L. Dickson, the groom; Mr. Leroy Moore, his best man, and Miss Mary Lipscomb of Beaumont also contributed much with their presence.

Promptly at the appointed hour the guests were ushered into the beautifully decorated dining room where five artistically adorned tables were waiting our pleasure. The center one—with Mademoiselle Bride and Monsieur Groom, attended by the "best lady in waiting," followed by two little flower girls, represented by our new people, the "Kempies"—was the honor table for Miss Collins, Mr. Dixon, Miss Sue Denny, maid of honor, and Mr. Leroy Moore. The pretty placecards did the quick work of having every one contentedly waiting for the good menu to follow.

The rainbow color scheme of the wedding was carried out with the beautifully decorated tables, representing different colors. The center of each held a basket of pansies with fluffy tulle bows of same color, and the place favors were miniature baskets tied with harmonizing color tulle. Also were found silver thimbles as an expression of love from our bride to all her bridesmaids.

Misses Lucile and Lois Millar served a delicious three-course breakfast.

This was voted one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season. After a period of conversation we bade our hostesses a reluctant adieu.

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## Surprise Party at "The Oaks."

A jolly social gathering took place at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fisher on Thursday evening of last week. It was planned as a home-coming welcome to emphasize the expressions of pleasure on the part of neighbors and some of their town friends upon the recent return of the couple from a year's absence in the north.

Mr. Fisher was told a few days in advance what was going to happen, with a request that the information be kept from Mrs. Fisher. This program was strictly adhered to, and when the autos began to arrive at 7 o'clock and the happy occupants began to unload, and came towards the front gallery carrying packages, baskets, ice cream 'freez-

ers, etc., Mrs. Fisher was completely "rushed off her feet," as the saying goes, and when she noticed that her usually loyal spouse did not seem to be at all surprised, but acted as if the proceedings were entirely in order, she threw up her hands and surrendered very gracefully, and then remarked: "This accounts for a good many queer antics on the part of Mr. Fisher during the past few days."

The party took possession of the place and good naturedly said to the host and hostess that they were the guests and should comport themselves accordingly. Tables were at once arranged on the gallery and such a spread of good things to eat and drink is seldom seen as appeared on this occasion.

After the luncheon was over the gallery was cleared and one of the ladies furnished excellent piano music for an hour's enjoyment of the very latest dances. Then followed vocal and instrumental selections and a flow of general good cheer until time for leave-taking.

The party was made up as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edmiston and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wootters and daughter, Mrs. Luther Eastham and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. James Clinton and daughter, Hon. D. A. Nunn, Miss Gladys Farr, Miss Jessie Meyer, Mr. E. F. Archibald and Mr. Chas. Fuller.

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## AUSTRO-GERMAN DRIVE AGAINST RUSSIANS ON

RUSSIANS ARE IN GENERAL RETREAT ALONG WHOLE LINE NEAR LEMBERG.

### THE SITUATION IN FRANCE

The French Have Made Some Progress in France, While British Have Not Fared So Well—Turks on Offensive in Dardanelles.

From Battle Fronts in Europe.

An exodus of considerable proportions has already begun from Lemberg. The crisis of the Austro-German drive is at hand. Grodek is secure in the possession of General von Mackensen's men and the German and Austrian corps under Field Marshal von Arz are reported by Berlin to be storming and capturing one after another the Russian trenches along the entire front before Lemberg, extending from Rawruska in the north to Janow, which lies only eleven miles from the Galician capital.

This front is twenty-four miles in extent and the fighting here has been of the most stubborn character. To the south, between Grodek and the Dniester marshes, the Russians also are being hard pressed.

Although the Russian war office has had little to say of late regarding the Galician campaign, unofficial reports from Petrograd declare that the rapid retirement of the Russian forces has been accomplished without any demoralization whatsoever and intimate that the Russian lines have been straightened and put in a state of preparedness to meet the further advance of the vast forces which are being flung against them.

Never, perhaps, since before the battle of the Marne have the Teutonic allies appeared so confident of success. Having failed in their original plan of crushing France and then turning to Russia, they have reversed the order of their strategy and now, judging by the expenditure of life and ammunition in Galicia, they have pinned their whole faith to so paralyzing the Russian army as to permit of the throwing of a tremendous weight of men and metal into the western theater, there either to break through the Franco-British line or force an interminable period of sanguinary warfare.

Part of that great mass of Russians who captured Przemyśl and later reached almost to the plains of Hungary are again back on Russian soil, according to the latest Austrian official communication. They were victims of the relentless drive that has been in progress since the Germans joined their allies in the Galician campaign.

The town of Tarnograd, just inside Russian territory, north of Sieniaswa, and the heights of Krezow, northwest of Tarnograd, are occupied by the troops of the Teutonic allies, while to the southwest, in that sector of Galicia lying between the lower San and the Vistula, the Russian forces at several points have been compelled to retire.

On the western line seemingly a breathing spell has followed the heavy combat of preceding days except in Alsace, where the French declare they are continuing to advance in the region of Metzeral and along the banks of the Fecht river. In this region Paris asserts that the French troops are holding under their fire the German line of communications between Metzeral and Munster.

There is fighting along the Austro-Italian frontier, in Serbia, on the Gallipoli peninsula and in the Caucasus.

The Turks in the vicinity of Avl Burnu are declared to be constantly on the offensive. A correspondent with the Turkish forces says that with the British fleet unable to assist in the land operations because of the submarine menace, the British hold on Avl Burnu apparently is not as secure as it was.

Dispatches from the Italian front indicate that the Austrians along all their fronts have thrown their crack regiments to take the place of customs guards and soldiers of the land-sturm. On the Tyrol front the Austrians in the vicinity of Mori and Robereto have taken the offensive against the Italians, and a battle in that region is in progress. Vienna reports heavy losses inflicted on the Italians near Piava.

The Austrians have bombarded with torpedo boat destroyers the Italian towns of Pesaro and Rimini, and also a section of the coast railroad near Fano and Pesaro, on the Adriatic sea. Rome reports three civilians were slightly injured at Rimini, but that the material damage nowhere was important.

Another British steamer, the Alisa, has been sent to the bottom by a German submarine off the southeast coast of Scotland.



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### INDIANS WILL LEASE RICH OIL HOLDINGS

Osage Nation Plans Rental of Lands Worth Millions in Oklahoma Tribal Grounds.

Washington.—Plans for leasing of oil lands of the Osage Indians in Oklahoma worth millions of dollars were agreed upon Friday by the tribal council of the Osage Nation and approved by Secretary Lane of the interior department.

Later, clothed in their native costumes, the Indians made a formal call on President Wilson and told him of their first agreement in fifty years with the interior department on the disposition of the lands.

The arrangement eliminates the Indian Territory Illuminating Oil Company, which now owns the so-called Foster lease covering 680,000 acres of land in the Osage reservation.

The Foster lease expires March 16, 1916. After that date the new plan, which limits leases to 4,800-acre tracts of quarter section units, will take effect.

Sublessees now holding land under the Foster lease will be given an opportunity to lease direct, subject to the 4,800-acre limitation. Quarter section units, however, which are capable of producing twenty-five or more barrels a day on July 1, 1915, will be withheld, and with the land not taken up by the sublessees will be offered for lease at public auction under rules to be prescribed by the secretary of the interior. All oil leases will provide that the government may have an option to purchase all oil produced at the highest posted market price on the day of sale.

Leases will be made on a royalty of one-sixth of the production, except where the wells in any quarter section shall produce 100 barrels a day for a calendar month period, when the royalty will be one-fifth. Unless lands are developed within one year after the approval of lease by the secretary of the interior the lessees shall pay \$1 an acre a year.

### Record Grain Crop for Texas.

Dallas, Tex.—This year's Texas grain crop, just commencing to move, is generally estimated as almost certain to surpass in yield and in probable total money returns any grain crop ever before produced in the state. The estimate of the probable Texas wheat crop, as made by Dallas bankers and grain and mill men, runs from 20,000,000 to 24,000,000 bushels. The oats yield, some estimate, will go from 60,000,000 to 70,000,000 bushels. Estimates of the price vary considerably, but even if the prices go to some of the lowest estimates it is generally figured the total amount of money to be paid for the Texas grain crop this year will break all records.

### Court Martial Verdict Stands.

Paris.—The court of appeals Friday refused to consider the appeals of Colonel Francois Desclaux, former paymaster general of the French army, and of Mme. Bechoff, wife of a German, from the judgment of a court martial convicting them of stealing military stores. The court martial sentenced Colonel Desclaux to seven years' solitary confinement, with military degradation, and Mme. Bechoff to two years' imprisonment.

### Yaquis Want to Fight World.

Washington.—The Yaqui Indians have declared war on Germany, Mexico and the United States. Their declaration of war on Germany is because a German colonist, a crack rifle shot, defended his home in the last Yaqui raid with remarkable success and much disaster to the soldiers.

### TAX RATE IN TEXAS MAKES HIGH RECORD

Property Owners Will Pay Total of 54c on \$100 Valuation Present Year. Ad Valorem Estimated at 29c.

Austin, Tex.—Property owners in Texas will pay the largest tax rate for 1915-16 that has ever been fixed in this state. An ad valorem tax of 29c is predicted, which, with a school tax of 20c and a constitutional tax of 5c, levied for the purpose of pensioning the Confederate veterans, will bring the total tax rate assessed for all purposes up to 54c.

From 1871 to 1880 there was levied for all purposes, on a basis of taxable valuations that was about one-tenth of what it is today, a tax of 50c per hundred dollars valuation. Then, with the provision for a special tax for school purposes, the ad valorem rate dropped steadily with few exceptions until it even reached 4c in 1910.

Three years later it touched what was then believed a high water mark, when 23c for ad valorem purposes was assessed. Statesmen in revising and revamping the constitution of the state of Texas placed a constitutional limit at 35c. For 1915-16 the ad valorem assessment falls but 6c below this mark.

There are many items to be considered in the estimating of the state tax rate at about this figure. Appropriations of the thirty-fourth legislature were generous for educational purposes. The penitentiary system has long been a losing proposition. From the coffers of the state there has been a steady flow of money to stave the deficits occasioned by the system. As a result one measure carried \$465,000 to pay penitentiary obligations. Other individual deficiencies carried in the appropriation bill to meet miscellaneous accounts would make the total at least \$475,000.

The miscellaneous appropriation bill as passed finally carried \$977,977.62.

### Chicago's Street Car Strike Ends.

Chicago, Ill.—Normal service on Chicago elevated and surface car lines was resumed Wednesday after fifty-three hours' interruption, as the result of an agreement reached after an all night session of railway and labor representatives and a council committee headed by Mayor Thompson had agreed on arbitration of the strike.

### Texas Druggists Select Fort Worth.

Houston, Tex.—Officers were elected for the ensuing year and the place of meeting for the 1916 session of the Texas Pharmaceutical Association was selected as the last day of the convention Thursday. Besides the election of officers, various other business was transacted. A. M. Fischer of San Antonio was chosen president of the association and Fort Worth was selected for the 1916 convention city.

### Villa-Zapata Agree on Leader.

Washington.—Manuel Vasquez Tagle, minister of justice in the cabinet of Madero, who has taken no part in revolutionary activity in Mexico since Huerta's coup in February, 1913, has been practically agreed upon by leaders of the Villa-Zapata coalition as acceptable to them for the provisional presidency should an agreement with the Carranza faction be possible.

### Man Found Guilty of Homicide.

El Paso, Tex.—Juan Guaderrama, charged with the killing of Texas Ranger Scott Russell and Deputy Sheriff W. H. Garlick, was found guilty of murder in the second degree in the district court and sentenced to five years in prison.

## CHIEFS VILLA AND ZAPATA REPLY TO PRESIDENT WILSON

Will Accept Friendly Aid Only, and Will Maintain Dignity of the Mexican People.

Washington.—The United States government has been informed in a note from Francisco Lagos Chazaro, president of the Villa-Zapata convention at the City of Mexico, that if President Wilson's recent statement warning Mexican factions to compose their differences should signify "pressure or threat," the conventionist government, "still harboring the conscience of its sacrifices, will maintain the dignity of the Mexican people."

The communication, which was communicated by the Brazilian minister at the City of Mexico, states, however, that the convention continues "to conjecture that the general idea of the government of the United States is to help us in a friendly way to bring to an end our fratricidal struggle, which would be for the greatest good of the country."

After declaring a willingness to make peace with the Carranza faction, the note says, in part:

"The conventionist government does not see, does not wish to see, in the substance of the declaration made by his excellency, President Wilson, anything more than an advance, a friendly suggestion, to induce the contending groups to wipe out their differences."

"Coming to the declaration that if we Mexicans can not settle our differences within a very short time the government of the American union will find itself constrained to decide as to what means it shall use to bring it about, the conventionist government can not understand how President Wilson previously declares in the same note that the United States does not desire or claim any right to settle the affairs of Mexico, and more to the same effect.—The same chief of the American nation made at Indianapolis the following categorical declarations:

"I am proud to belong to a powerful nation which says that country (Mexico), which we could crush, will enjoy the same liberty in the management of its affairs as we enjoy. If I am strong, I should be ashamed to dictate to the weak in the measure of my strength. My pride consists in keeping my strength free and not in oppressing another people with it."

"If contrary to the interpretation which in the most friendly sense the convention government puts upon President Wilson's declarations, this closing part should signify a denial of the instinctive sympathy generously demonstrated to the Mexican revolution and should further signify pressure or threat, the conventionist government, still harboring the conscience of its sacrifices, will maintain the dignity of the Mexican people. We continue, however, to conjecture that the general idea of the government of the United States is to help us in a friendly way."

This note from the convention government was drafted after conferences with the Zapata leaders. The state department previously had received a note of the same general character from General Villa, which, while denying the right of the United States to intervene in Mexico, said that the suggestion for a unification of the factions should be adopted.

### First Section of Bryan's Comment.

Washington.—William J. Bryan, former secretary of state, in the first section of his statement on "The Causeless War," Wednesday prophesied that the greatest peace-making opportunity in all history was certain to come to the United States. He declared that, with the return of peace, there would be a demand for an international conference to change the rules of international law, which "seem to have been made for the nations at war, rather than for the nations at peace."

### Decision is Against Becker.

Albany, N. Y.—The court of appeals Friday denied the application of counsel for Charles Becker, the former New York police lieutenant, for a reargument on its decision affirming the sentence of death. Becker, convicted of inspiring the killing of Herman Rosenthal, a New York gambler, is now in the Sing Sing death house, sentenced to die in the electric chair during the week beginning July 12.

### Noted Woman Writer is Dead.

Chicago, Ill.—Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong Reed, mother of the late Myrtle Reed, the novelist, died Friday, aged 72 years. Mrs. Reed's works on Oriental literature are used as text books in colleges wherever there are chairs of Oriental literature. She is the only woman whose works have been accepted by the Philosophical Society of Great Britain.

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### Strange Death Message.

It may have been a strange and tragic coincidence. Some will believe there was more in it than that. The husband of a Paris woman violinist, himself a musician, left for the front shortly after mobilization. His name was Remy. At parting he told his wife: "If I go under I will try to let you know directly before the official news reaches you." She scarcely played any music during his absence. But the other day she took up her violin, feeling impelled to play one piece which he liked above all. She opened the case, and two strings of the violin suddenly snapped, the D and the E. "Re" and "Mi," she at once thought. It was the warning he had said, he would give her. The next day a telegram informed her that her husband, Sergeant Remy, had been killed in action.

### In the Kitchen.

The Vanilla Bean—I have a great association with epicures as a flavoring for desserts.  
Nutmeg—Ah, but I have a grater.

### Sometimes.

"Do you believe it pays to get next to the soil?"  
"It did me when I went out prospecting and struck pay dirt."

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TEXAS NEWS CONDENSED

The state banking board has granted a license to the First State bank of Laron, guaranty fund plan.

A census which has already been completed in McKinney gives the city an increase of nearly 500 in the last year.

The scholastic census of Terrell, just completed, shows 816 white children and 425 colored, a total of 1,241, a decrease from last year of 25.

The Ennis city commission has let the contract to the Chicago Bridge and Iron works to erect a 150,000-gallon water tower at a cost of \$4,190.

The Bartlett school census has been completed and shows an increase over last year. There are 373 white children and 154 negro children.

Gasoline prices rose 1 cent a gallon in Dallas. The increased demand for gasoline at the ports, caused, according to local oil men, by the war demand of Europe, is responsible for the increase.

As a result of the decline in the price of wheat, the state warehouse and marketing department contemplates invoking the emergency warehouse law for the protection of Texas wheat growers.

Burnie Reed, 9-year-old son of W. A. Reed of West Dallas, was instantly killed, his sister, Mrs. Monia Arney, received a bad wound in the ear and her husband, Leslie Arney, got sixteen small shot in the back of the head and the neck when a shotgun in the hands of Otto Reed, age 16, was accidentally discharged.

A fund of \$65,509.44 is provided by the Dallas waterworks budget for this year, formally adopted by the board of city commissioners, for improvements, metering and general extension of sanitary sewers. The budget, however, provides \$38,800 extra for corrective work on sanitary sewers.

The total amount of tuition collected by the Dallas public schools for the last school year was \$6,865.14, as shown when C. M. Moore, secretary of the board of education, compiled his report dealing with that subject. This was all collected from pupils not entitled to free school.

Tarrant county has suffered heavily from the effects of the overflow. The greatest damage has been done to bridges and their approaches. One bridge valued at \$10,000 was totally destroyed. County C commissioner Durringer estimates that the damage to roads and bridges throughout the county will exceed \$20,000.

Orders under which the Fifteenth United States cavalry was to sail for the Philippines within the next few weeks were suspended on instructions from the war department at Washington. The Fifteenth cavalry was ordered to remain on the Texas border.

Texas steers are travelers, according to Joe D. Jackson of Alpine, president of the Cattle Raisers association of Texas. Mr. Jackson testified before the railroad commission that the average Texas steer is shipped four times before he reaches the packing houses or the slaughter pen. He argued for that reason the steer is a railroad revenue producer and the present rate for assessing his transportation charges should not be advanced.

Births in Dallas continued to show a substantial margin over deaths during the last month. There were 169 births and 121 deaths during the period, the monthly report of registrar of vital statistics shows.

Three damage suits totaling \$31,500 were filed against the city of Dallas by owners of farm property above White Rock dam who claim their lands had been damaged as a result of the construction of the dam and reservoir.

Out of 19 new steel bridges recently ordered from a Dallas bridge constructing concern the commissioners of Falls county report that eleven have already been constructed and are ready for use.

The attorney general's department has approved the following bond issues: Dallas common school district No. 27 \$3,000, Harris county common school district No. 28, \$10,000, Joaquin independent school district No. 38 \$1,500

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and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

**The Truth Comes Out.**  
The Lawyer—But how did you manage to rob that big corporation so systematically without being discovered?  
The Former Employee—Oh, the big corporation was too busy working the same kind of a game on the public to notice me.

## HAD PELLAGRA; IS NOW WELL

Ringgold, La.—Mrs. S. A. Cotter, of this place, writes: "Will say that I am perfectly well and the happiest soul on earth. Wish every pellagra sufferer could know of your great remedy. I know how to appreciate health and sympathize with those that are not so blest as I. Am growing stronger, gaining in weight and can do anything I ever could. Oh, I know I am well of that horrible disease, and my heart is full of rejoicing. I feel that I have come out of a dense cloud into the blessed sunshine. God be praised! He has spared my life for some good, and I feel that I have just begun to live."

There is no longer any doubt that pellagra can be cured. Don't delay until it is too late. It is your duty to consult the resourceful Baughn.

The symptoms—hands red like sunburn; skin peeling off, sore mouth, the lips, throat and tongue a flaming red, with much mucus and choking; indigestion and nausea, either diarrhoea or constipation.

There is hope; get Baughn's big Free remedy for Pellagra that has at last been found. Address American Compounding Co., box 2088, Jasper, Ala., remembering book on Pellagra and learn about the money is refunded in any case where the remedy fails to cure.—Adv.

**Strictly Business.**  
"Ah, my friend!" said the pedant. "Going out for a little piscatorial recreation?"  
"Nope," answered the person addressed. "I'm goin' after my breakfast. There ain't no recreation in that fur me an' there certainly ain't goin' to be none fur the fish I hope to catch."

**To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System**  
Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents. Adv.

**The Modern Barber.**  
Omar—That new barber is an up-to-date artist, all right.  
Henry—How do you know?  
Omar—He gave a friend of mine a cubist haircut the other day.

Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh is itself an antiseptic and the use of any other remedy before applying it is unnecessary. Adv.

**Specifying.**  
Belle—I have been told my eyes are like jewels.  
Nell—So they are—like cat's eyes.

For galls use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

But a man never realizes what fool ideas he has until after he builds a house according to his own plans.

Man is seldom famous for the things that he has not done.

**A Last Resort.**  
Mr. Tompkins was obliged to stop over night at a small country hotel, says Harper's Magazine. He was shown to his room by the one boy the place afforded, a colored lad.  
"I am glad there's a rope here in case of fire," commented Mr. Tompkins as he surveyed the room, "but what's the idea of putting a Bible in the room in such a prominent place?"  
"Dat am intended for use, sah," replied the boy, "in case de fire am too far advanced for yo' to make yo' escape, sah."

**He Was Heap Careful.**  
Said a western mining man at the Astor hotel in New York city the other day, according to the Times: "We have a bachelors' mess in the mining camp where I'm located, and we usually have a Chinaman to do the cooking. Some of the Orientals are fine cooks, after they get over a few of the peculiar ideas they have imbibed from their own country's oddities in the culinary line."  
"Not long ago we got a new Chinaman as cook. A couple of days later one of the fellows got a pedigreed Irish terrier pup given to him—a real dog. My friend had to go up to one of the mines that afternoon, and he turned the puppy over to the new Chinaman. 'You be mighty careful of this dog,' he said to the cook. 'Me be heap careful,' was the answer."  
"That night, at dinner, the new Chinaman brought on, with great ceremony, a covered dish.  
"Me heap careful,' he remarked, as, with a smile of pride, he removed the cover.  
"Underneath was the pedigreed pup, neatly cooked in the best Chinese style."

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Touch spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment, and follow next morning with a hot shampoo of Cuticura Soap. This at once arrests falling hair and promotes hair growth. You may rely on these supercreamy emollients for all skin troubles.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

**Habit.**  
The doctor stood at the bedside of the sick purchasing agent and said: "Yes, I'm pretty sure I can cure you."  
"What will be your charge?"  
"Probably in the neighborhood of one hundred dollars."  
The buyer rolled over with a groan and faintly replied: "You'll have to shade that price considerably. I have a much better bid than that from the undertaker."—Joseph Feeney, New York.

**Exploration.**  
"What are your plans for the summer?"  
"Further exploration, I suppose," answered Mr. Muving. "I'm going to keep on looking for some place that carries out the impressions I get from the pictures of the summer resort post cards."

**ALLEN'S FOOT-POWDER FOR THE TROOPS**  
Over 100,000 packages of Allen's Foot-Powder, the antiseptic powder to shake into your shoes, are being used by the German and Allied troops at the Front because it relieves the feet, gives instant relief to Corns and Bunions, hot, swollen, aching, tender feet, and makes walking easy. Sold everywhere, Sec. Try it TODAY. Don't accept any substitutes. Adv.

**Maw Was a False Prophet.**  
"Now, Tommy," said his ma, "if you eat any of that cake in the pantry it will make you sick."  
"Say, ma," remarked Tommy an hour later, "you was dead wrong about that cake. It didn't make me sick at all."

**YOUR OWN DRUGGIST WILL TELL YOU**  
Try Murine Eye Remedy for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids; No Smarting, Just Eye Comfort. Write for Book of the Eye by Mail Free. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

**Fine for Love-Making.**  
"The planet Jupiter has five moons."  
"How romantic the nights must be there!"—Kansas City Journal.

A man seldom knows what he doesn't want until after he acquires it.

For proud flesh use Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Adv.

Some observe Mother's day once a year, others all the time.

**Two Kinds of Water.**  
It was a training school for navy recruits and the young ensign had been detailed to teach the "rookies" the rudiments of learning.  
"Name the various bodies of water," wrote he on the blackboard, "and state how many there are."  
It was a simple question to big John Henry.  
"Two kinds of water," wrote he, "arm and roof."

**LADIES!**  
—Take CAPUDINE—  
For Aches, Pains and Nervousness. IT IS NOT A NARCOTIC OR DOPE— Gives quick relief—Try it.—Adv.

**A Test.**  
"At last," said the young woman, "I am sure that I have made my commencement essay properly profound and dignified."  
"How do you know?"  
"I read it to father and he didn't understand a word of it."

**Keep it in Your Stable.**  
For external use on horses nothing that we know of equals Hanford's Balsam. Many trainers use it as a leg wash because it keeps the skin in fine condition and should cure lameness. Adv.

**Its Lack.**  
"Has your son's college a good curriculum?"  
"No; they don't play none of them Greek games."

For fresh cuts apply Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

The average man is too modest to say he is better than other men—but he is willing to admit he is different.

Coquetties are like weather vanes—only fixed when they become rusty.

The demand for sincerity is far in excess of the visible supply.

RELATIONS OF GOD AND MAN

Gradual Readjustment Means a Continual Advance Toward the Higher Life.

In studying the Bible it becomes increasingly apparent that the relations between God and man are not constant or fixed, but are subject to a gradual readjustment. In the earlier chapters the ideal held out is for man to "fear" God. Later he learns to trust, to a limited extent, this higher life. Eventually this grudging faith is turned to love, which recognizes God as the father, constantly giving himself, as life and wisdom, to his children. And beyond this comes that fruition of growth which constitutes real unity; man is merged with God, and comes to realize that "I and the Father are one."

God never changes, but our understanding of him does change. And it is the evolution of this ideal which we have of the great sea of life in which we live, and which lives in and through us, which constitutes real growth and advancement. Life is for that; the everyday tasks tend toward the bringing forth of self-consciousness, which is always a fuller consciousness of God.—From the Nautilus.

**Worse Things to Talk About.**  
"Human pride takes curious forms."  
"For instance?"  
"I know a man who never tires of bragging about his patent garbage can, for which he paid \$6.50."

## MRS. MABEN WAS MADE WELL

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Wants Other Suffering Women To Know It.

Murfreesboro, Tenn.—"I have wanted to write to you for a long time to tell you what your wonderful remedies have done for me. I was a sufferer from female weakness and displacement and I would have such tired, worn out feelings, sick headaches and dizzy spells. Doctors did me no good so I tried the Lydia E. Pinkham Remedies—Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash. I am now well and strong and can do all my own work. I owe it all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and want other suffering women to know about it."—Mrs. H. E. MABEN, 211 S. Spring St., Murfreesboro, Tenn.



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**Why Lose Hope.**  
No woman suffering from any form of female troubles should lose hope until she has given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

**WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC**  
not only the old reliable remedy for MALARIA but a general strengthening tonic and appetizer. For children as well as adults. Sold for 50 years. 50c and \$1 bottles at drug stores.

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Name and address of capable and reliable single man who understands farming and ranching. Splendid opportunity for right party. (Strictly confidential.) Address Mrs. Watson, (B-306) Valley, Nebraska.

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Because of those ugly, grizzly, gray hairs. Use "LA CREOLE" HAIR DRESSING. PRICE, \$1.00, retail.

**PRESERVING THE EGGS FOR FUTURE USE**



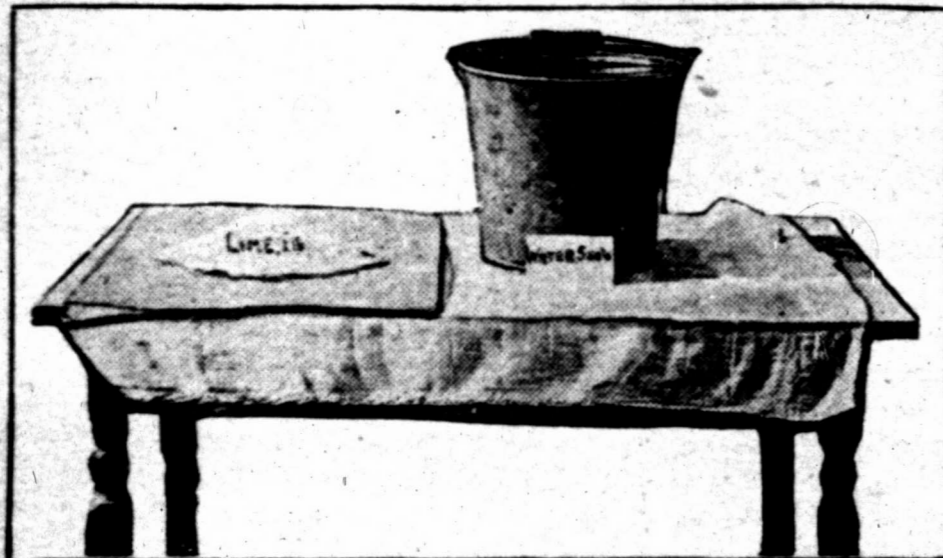
Putting in Ingredients.

While, of course, we would like to have strictly fresh eggs all the time, there are times when this is impossible. Then we must take the next best thing, which is the preserved egg.

Limewater makes one of the best egg preservatives. The limewater treatment, according to M. E. Dickson of the College of Agriculture, University of Wisconsin, consists in dissolving one pound of lime in five gallons of water which has been previously boiled and allowed to cool. The mixture is thoroughly stirred and allowed to settle. Then the clear liquid is poured into an earthen jar or wooden tub, which is filled within two inches of the brim with fresh eggs. The container is covered with coarse muslin over which is spread a paste of lime to prevent evaporation as much as possible. All of the eggs should be entirely covered with the liquid.

The eggs should be unwashed, but clean and, of course, fresh. Although freshly gathered fertile eggs are all right when put down immediately, sterile eggs are preferable. Heated or doubtful eggs should never be preserved.

The water glass method of preserving is possibly even more common than the limewater method. Water glass, or sodium silicate, may be obtained from any druggist for from \$1.50 to \$2 a gallon. This solution of sodium silicate should be diluted with nine (9) parts of water, which has been previously boiled and allowed to cool. One quart of water glass thus diluted is sufficient to preserve twelve dozen eggs. An earthen jar or wooden tub is preferable for storing, and the same precautions to prevent evaporation should be taken in this method as are taken in the limewater method.



Lime and Water Make Good Preservative.

**PROBLEM UP TO THE FARMER**

Must Solve to His Satisfaction Time of Year to Hatch His Birds—Weather Charts Help.

Every farmer and poultryman, says Professor Rice, must first solve to his own satisfaction the time of year in which to hatch birds so that they will begin laying just before heavy frost or freezing weather arrives in his particular state. This is a very simple problem, as a glance at the government and state weather charts will show the average date of frost and freezing weather for any given period of years. Then, taking into consideration a particular breed and familiarizing himself with its characteristics, a farmer or poultryman can set the exact date when eggs should be hatched so as to allow the pullets ample time to come into full plumage and maturity before the advent of cold weather.

If, for example, White Leghorns are the type chosen, a farmer will learn that these birds usually begin laying at seven to eight months of age. He strikes an average time for the arrival of cold weather, probably November 15 to 25. He looks at his calendar and carefully counts back eight months and finds that March 15 to 25 is the logical time in which to hatch out the birds. Therefore, if Leghorns are to lay at eight months, they must have eight months of weather absolutely adapted to their fullest development before they can be expected to lay. And they must not come into laying except in mild weather before their vitality has been taxed or impaired by cold.

**Hens Pay Store Bill.**

Every farmer can keep a hundred or more hens and raise on the farm at slight cost enough feed to supply their needs. This number of hens, if properly cared for, will pay the store bill for a small family. Try it.

**PROVIDE SHADE FOR POULTRY**

Ducks and Geese Quickly Succumb if Unable to Secure Protection From the Sun's Rays.

Failure to provide shade for poultry during the summer months not only results in a large number of deaths, but the flocks are less productive. The importance of summer shade cannot be overestimated. Poultry of all kinds require shade. Ducks and geese very quickly succumb if they are unable to get protection from the sun's rays.

It is easy to provide plenty of shade. The Missouri College of Agriculture recommends the following ways of furnishing shade for poultry: Portable houses can be set up on blocks so that the birds may run underneath; orchards, sunflower patches, cornfields, etc., can be so arranged that the young stock or mature hens may run in them. Cornfields make excellent summer range for young stock. They furnish plenty of shade and other conditions for rapid economical growth are ideal. A little planning on the part of the farmer will make poultry keeping more profitable. By providing shade the losses are reduced, the flock is more productive, and the young stock will make more economical growth.

**First Class Hatching Eggs.**

If you buy dollar eggs for hatching, don't be disappointed if you get a very ordinary quality of chicks. That's all you pay for at that rate, and if you get good chicks consider yourself fortunate, just as you would if you picked up a five-dollar gold piece in the road. First-class hatching eggs cannot be produced for one dollar per setting.

**Hens in the Garden.**

The hen with unclipped wings will watch and sing while you plant the garden seed, and when you leave, over the fence she will go to gather the seed from the row.

**DO THE REPAIR WORK**

IMPORTANT SHIPS THAT ACCOMPANY A SQUADRON.

British Navy Has Boats That Are Wonderfully Equipped for the Work—How They Operated While "in Action."

A battleship need not necessarily go home—into dock, that is to say—to have anything done to her. Within reason she can be repaired at sea, thanks to the various "repair ships" which are generally in attendance on a modern fleet, says Pearson's Weekly. Of course, every big warship nowadays has on board a blacksmith's forge and small repair shop, but naturally such a forge cannot handle everything. But unless a breakdown is very serious the damage is repaired by the ship's electricians and artificers. They call them "tiffies" in the navy for short. There are a number of famous repair ships, ships whose sole duty it is to patch up, on the high seas, any damage done to one of the units of the fleet.

The most famous of the ships are the Ark Royal, the Vulcan, the Cyclops and the Assistance. The Ark Royal is the only repair ship of its kind in the whole world. It is nothing more or less than a floating aeroplane factory, having on board appliances and materials for mending and building seaplanes, spare aeroplane engines and parts, as well as spare seaplanes all ready to be flown.

She is at present with the fleet that is bombarding the Dardanelles, for seaplanes there are almost as important as ships. Without the seaplanes, indeed, the big ships would be unable to tell whether they had got the proper range for smashing up the Turkish forts. The Cyclops is equal in capacity for work to a dockyard employing 300 hands, for she carries that number of skilled mechanics in addition to her crew. Every inch of room on board that can be spared is given up to the various "repair shops." The famous repair ship has on board a complete foundry, where castings can be made, and she is capable of turning out a new propeller for a battleship, and a battleship's propeller is not a small thing.

One of the curious things that would at once strike any visitor to the Cyclops is an enormous wooden anchor hanging over the side of the ship. This anchor is, of course, not used for anchoring, but is one of a set of "templates," or patterns, which the vessel carries for all sorts of castings required in the navy.

In addition to her big repairing plant the Cyclops carries a large distilling apparatus sufficient to supply fresh water to a number of ships, as well as ice-making machines and refrigerating rooms to keep food fresh during hot weather. No other ship in the world is fitted so completely with forges, smithies, furnaces and a big steam hammer as the Cyclops.

The Assistance is a much smaller vessel, though she can carry out many repairs which are too big for an ordinary ship's workshop. The Vulcan is a special repair ship for torpedo boats. She is really a converted small cruiser of 7,000 tons. One of the first things a visitor would notice about her would be two huge cranes amidships. These cranes are worked by hydraulic power, and will lift a small vessel clean out of the water onto the deck in half a minute or so. The foundations of these cranes are fixed right on the keel of the Vulcan, otherwise the ship might dangerously heel over when heavy weights are being lifted. This repair ship, one of the oldest in the navy, by the way, carries launches on board which are used for mine sweeping, and below deck she can carry a hundred torpedoes, as well as some hundreds of mines, ready to hand out to any ship that wants them.

**Prominent Russian Statesmen.**

General Sukhomlinoff, minister of war for Russia, unlike most of his predecessors, is a Slav and a Russian Nationalist, and was formerly military governor of Kiev. His work, until summoned to assume the task of reorganizing the military forces of Russia as minister of war, was entirely within the strategic problems of Russia's western frontiers. He took part neither in the Chinese nor Japanese wars, nor in any of the Asiatic wars, under the celebrated General Dragomiroff, whose favorite lieutenant he was, and whom he succeeded in the command of the southwestern frontier. By profession he is a cavalryman, and is generally regarded as the most remarkable cavalry leader in Europe.

**Something of a "Snap."**

Joseph had just started to kindergarten and therefore was required to go only half a day. The little boy next door saw him home one afternoon and said: "Don't you go to school any more, Joe?" "Oh, yes," Joseph replied, "but I only have to go in the morning. Ain't I got it simple?"

**LEAGUE IS FORMED TO PROMOTE WORLD PEACE**

Object is to Unite All Nations With View to Prevent Armed Conflicts. Taft Chosen President.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Within historic Independence Hall Thursday—the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill—there was formed an organization whose object it will be to promote the creation of a league of nations with a view to preventing wars, or at least to lessen the possibilities of armed conflicts. The name adopted by the organization was "League to Enforce Peace, American Branch."

Former President Taft was elected permanent president, and in addition a long list of representative American citizens was named as permanent vice presidents.

The conference was not an assemblage of what one participant termed "pure peace" men, but a gathering of those who for the most part believed in trying to bring about peace even though they had to use force to do it.

The report of the committee was adopted, as follows:

Throughout 5,000 years of recorded history peace here and there established has been kept and its area has been widened in one way only—by the superior power of superior numbers acting in unity for the common good.

Mindful of this teaching of experience, we believe and solemnly urge that the time has come to devise and create a working union of sovereign nations to establish peace among themselves.

We then believe it to be desirable for the United States to join a league of nations binding the signatories to the following:

1. All justifiable questions arising between the signatory powers not settled by negotiation shall, subject to the limitations of treaties, be submitted to a judicial tribunal for hearing and judgment both upon the merits and upon any issue as to the justice of the question.

2. All other questions arising between the signatories and not settled by negotiations shall be referred to a council of conciliation for hearing, consideration and recommendation.

3. The signatory powers shall jointly use forthwith both their economic and military forces against any one of their number that goes to war or commits acts of hostility against another of the signatories before any question arising shall be submitted as provided in the foregoing.

4. Conferences between the signatory powers shall be held from time to time to formulate and codify rules of international law which, unless some signatory shall signify its dissent within a stated period, shall thereafter govern in the decisions of the judicial tribunal mentioned in article 1.

**Bryan's Third Statement.**

Washington.—Former Secretary of State Bryan, in the third and concluding section of his statement on "The Causeless War," issued Friday, suggests mediation as "the way out." As a preventive of war, Mr. Bryan proposes universal extension of his investigation commission peace treaty plan. "Mediation," the statement says, "is the means provided by international agreement, through which the belligerent nations can be brought into conference; time for investigation of all disputes is the means by which future wars can be averted, and the cultivation of international friendship is the means by which the desire for war can be rooted out."

**Carranza Ignores Villa's Overtures.**

Washington.—General Carranza has declined, for the present at least, to accept overtures for peace in Mexico by the Villa-Zapata faction. Three such offers have gone unanswered. The latest, it became known Wednesday, was transmitted through the medium of the United States without comment. A few days ago the convention assembled in the City of Mexico, over which Francisco Lagos Chazaro presided, formally presented to the Brazilian minister, as the representative of the American government, for transmission to General Carranza through diplomatic channels a proposal for a thirty-day armistice, during which arrangements could be made for establishing a provisional government.

**Special Legislative Session Ended.**

Baton Rouge, La.—A special session of the Louisiana legislature, the time limit for which expired at midnight Tuesday, passed a bill making the business of sugar refining a public utility, put through a rigid anti-trust law and provided for a constitutional convention subject to ratification by the voters; also passed an appropriation bill carrying almost \$400,000. The legislators have been in session thirty days.

**BABY IN SUMMERTIME**

ESPECIAL CARE NEEDED DURING THAT SEASON.

First Requisite is That He Shall Be Comfortable at All Times—Food, Clothing and Bathing All Highly Important.

The long, hot days of summer are trying to people of all ages, but are particularly hard on the young baby. He is more liable to illness, especially to diarrhea, at this time, because he is weakened by the heat and in a condition where he is easily upset.

The object for which the mother must work in summer is to make the baby comfortable, for a comfortable baby is one who is well. To make the baby comfortable it is necessary to consider how he should be fed, clothed and bathed; how to keep him cool and give him plenty of sleep; how to deal with prickly heat and other similar troubles, and, most of all, many times, what not to do.

Nothing is so necessary to the health of a young baby as breast milk. This is the food nature intended him to have and on which he will nearly always thrive. Any other food, however good the milk and however well prepared, cannot take the place of good breast milk, and no mother who loves her baby will be willing to deprive him of this boon until she has tried in every way to keep it for him. This is true at all seasons of the year, but it is especially true in summer, when it is so hard to keep cow's milk pure and sweet. Unless cow's milk has been milked from clean, healthy cows, by clean milkers, into pails that have been scalded with boiling water; unless it has been cooled at once and kept cold until the food is made ready, it is not fit for a baby.

In order that the mother may nurse her baby successfully she should begin about two months before the baby is born to take care of the nipples, washing them every day in warm water and a mild soap, like castile, and, after drying them thoroughly, rub them gently with vaseline, olive oil, or some other softening application.

When the baby is about six hours old he may be put to the breast, and then at six-hour intervals for the first day or two, until the mother's milk "comes." After that he should be nursed every three hours from six o'clock in the morning until nine in the evening, nursing him regularly by the clock. For the first three months he will need a night feeding, but after four months he should sleep through the night without nursing. When the baby is six months old the mother should begin to lengthen the interval between feedings a quarter of an hour each week until the length of time between nursings is four hours. The baby needs no other food than breast milk, except plenty of good drinking water (which has first been boiled and cooled) for the first eight or nine months.

The nursing mother should have plenty of good food. All good food is milk-making food. What is important is that it should please the mother's taste, tempt her appetite and cause her no headache, coated tongue or gas on the stomach or bowels. If the mother is well, the baby is pretty sure to be well. Among the things that most nursing mothers will digest well and thrive on are fresh vegetables, nourishing soups, good bread and butter, milk—sweet milk and buttermilk—eggs, meat, fish, poultry and fruits raw and cooked. Some of the things that may give her indigestion are heavy puddings, underdone cereals, dumplings, too-fresh bread and biscuit, pastries, or a lack of fresh vegetables and fruit from the diet. It is better to cut down the allowance of tea and coffee to one cupful of each a day. Plenty of good drinking water is needed and it is a good plan for the mother to have milk between meals and at bedtime.

**Veal Soup.**

Put a knuckle of veal into three quarts of cold water, with a small quantity of salt, add one small tablespoonful of uncooked rice; boil slowly, hardly above simmering, four hours; when the liquor should be reduced to half the usual quantity; remove from the fire, into the tureen put the yolk of one egg and stir well into a teacupful of cream, or, in hot weather, new milk; add a piece of butter the size of a hickorynut; on this strain the soup, boiling hot, stirring all the time; at the last beat it well for a minute.

**Egg and Tomato Scramble.**

Melt one tablespoonful of butter and add one pint of tomato sauce, which has been previously stewed with a little chopped onion and a high seasoning and then strained. When boiling hot slip the water pan underneath and add six eggs which have been slightly beaten; also a half teaspoonful of salt. Stir continually until the mixture is quite thick and creamy and then serve quickly.

It's easier to win a girl's hand than it is to eat her bread.

**"FIGHTING ARCHIE" HUNTER**



Sir Archibald Hunter, whom Lord Kitchener placed in command of the third British army, has built up, during his forty years of service, a reputation for valor which the most seasoned campaigner might envy; moreover, he is loved and trusted by his soldiers, who know him as "Fighting Archie."

His brilliant career began with the Nile expedition, and later in the Sudan campaign he was severely wounded at Guss, and was rewarded for his services with the D. S. O. In Egypt Sir Archibald Hunter was Lord Kitchener's right-hand man, and he commanded a division which was present at K. of K.'s triumph at Khartoum.

During a period of fifteen years' almost continuous fighting Sir Archibald earned nineteen decorations and orders, and created a record by being promoted to the rank of general after only twenty-two years' service in the army. If the Kaiser is well acquainted with the history of the South African war, he will know that he has a dangerous antagonist in Sir Archibald Hunter, who will never admit defeat, and can be relied upon to find his way out of the tightest corner. For Sir Archibald played a conspicuous part in the South African campaign, and at its conclusion a public reception was proposed to honor the famous soldier.

But "Fighting Archie" is more at home on the battlefield than on a public platform, and he modestly refused the suggested ceremony.

**JULES BOIS' TRAGIC ROMANCE**

When Jules Bois, the distinguished man of letters of France, was in America last spring those who were familiar with his life recalled the tragic romance of his early years that accounts for his deep interest in the advancement of woman.

In his youth M. Bois fell in love with a woman who, loving him in return, was bound by a marriage unfortunate and at the same time, under the French law, indissoluble. The woman died in reality of a broken heart, and M. Bois, moved at once by her sad fate and his own sorrow, vowed his life to the cause of the emancipation of woman. It is from this standpoint that he views the war of the nations, concerning which he has the idea that the outcome will be for the woman what the revolution was for France. It is, he says, the "89 maternelle"—the date of the rights of mothers.

Government, he says, has been maintained and operated by brute force to no end but the incomparable slaughter of human life now going on, which writes in letters of blood on the page of political history that "it is not good for man to be alone." It is as little good for man to be alone in the government of cities and of states as in any other situation in life, therefore a new Eve is to come—the woman who will take her place beside man in politics empowered with rights commensurate with her duties.



**PEDDLER TO PROFESSOR**



Leo Wiener, professor of Slavic languages at Harvard university, famous educator, author of numerous philological and literary works and father of the boy prodigy, Norbert Wiener, got his start as a teacher in Kansas City, where he once sold shoestrings on the streets. The story of his eight years here is a convincing proof of the theory that the successful man makes his own opportunities.

When the young Russian immigrant first went to Kansas City, after working on a Kansas farm, he was penniless and friendless. His first job was as janitor of a dry goods store. Then a French-Canadian peddler persuaded him to take up his own profession and supplied him with 25 cents capital. He started out with a paper box full of shoestrings and other things, and more than quadrupled his capital before evening. He prospered greatly and soon became known to the wholesale houses as a

bold and shrewd purchaser of slightly damaged goods. Then young Wiener discovered the public library, and thenceforth devoted to traffic only enough time to provide himself with necessities. The rest of the time he spent in study in the library. Several years later he obtained a position as teacher in the Central high school of Kansas City. From there he went to the University of Missouri, and thence to Harvard.

**MILLIONAIRESS WHO WORKS**

"I can't think of anything more stupid than days devoted to bridge tournaments, to pink-tea gossip and entertaining hosts of people in many of whom you have not the slightest interest."

So says Miss Rosalie Jones, who has gained national prominence in connection with the suffrage movement, and, putting her ideas into practice, she has become an automobile saleswoman in New York. This would be in no way remarkable were it not for the fact that Miss Jones recently inherited more than a million dollars through the death of her father, Oliver Livingston Jones. The Jones mansion at Cold Spring Harbor, L. I., is one of the show places of a section noted for its handsome estates and overlooks 500 well-kept acres. Rosalie's family have closed their town house and taken up their all-year residence in the country, but Rosalie herself is living in a modest hotel in the city and earning happiness and contentment as well as money.



**FEW CAN ESCAPE NOSTALGIA**

Homesickness Claims Victims From All Classes and From Every Variety of People.

German sailors on steamships which are held up in New York are said to have, several of them, gone mad. Idleness and homesickness are the causes, hospital authorities say.

Homesickness finds strange victims. Army surgeons know that sometimes it kills. Often it is the man without a regular home who is most subject to nostalgia. This disturbance of soul, mind and body settles down upon the phlegmatic, the burly, the thick-skinned. It takes them under sunny skies amid the earth's best loveliness and they moan for dirty streets where they played in childhood.

Idleness breeds homesickness and active diversion cures it. It is akin to melancholia and comes in mysterious ways. Probably it arises from the biological impulse intended to anchor man in one place long enough for him to take root. Its opposing instinct is the wanderlust.

Explorers have confessed that the worst homesickness they have known was in the first few hours and days of their return. In familiar surroundings the marks of time's inexorable progress were painfully apparent. Changes, small and large, tortured them by reminders of the precious past. Some have turned in despondent revulsion to take up their roamings again.

**Aggrieved.**

"Did you say that my production is a thoughtful, educational and moral entertainment which couldn't offend the most refined sensibilities?" asked the manager.

"Yes," replied the playgoer. "Isn't it true?"

"Maybe it is. But I don't see why you should want to knock business by talking about it."

**Its Handicap.**

"First the Russians took Przemysl from the Austro-German forces, and now the latter are attacking it in turn."

"Well, that is one place where I don't see how anybody can make a pronounced success."

**Differentiating.**

"Do you care for jam?"  
"I like it on the supper table, but I don't care for it on the trolley."

**A Human Dynamo.**

"Hustler; isn't he?"  
"Yes, that fellow kicks up as much dust as an automobile."

What has become of the old-fashioned girl who blushed?

**SAW NO REASON FOR SPEED**

Some Food for Thought in Epigram Made by Moroccan Statesman About the Lusitania.

The sinking of the Lusitania recalls an epigram about this ship which the sultan of Morocco's grand vizier made to Jules Huret.

The grand vizier, a very old man, received M. Huret, who is a French journalist, in Fez. M. Huret described the wonders of modern science and invention to his host. He told him about the Lusitania, then just completed, which could do her 27 knots an hour. "Think of it," said M. Huret, enthusiastically. "Think of it! A great ship that goes 27 knots an hour!"

But the vizier yawned and said: "Why do you Christians always want to go so fast, when all roads alike lead to the grave?"

**Same Thing.**

Hearing a noise at the kitchen entrance, the man of the house slipped quietly to the rear door and suddenly opened it. The grocer's delivery boy was there with a basket containing a dozen eggs, a pound of butter and some Roquefort cheese.

"Oh, it's you, is it, Billy?" said the man. "My wife is always afraid when she hears a noise here, especially after it begins to grow dark. She thinks it's a robber."

"Well, she needn't change her mind on my account," gloomily responded the grocer's boy, handing over the goods and presenting the bill, which called for \$1.37.—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

**Fitness for Reward.**

A Sunday school teacher had been telling her class of little boys about crowns of glory and heavenly rewards for good people.

"Now tell me," she said, at the close of the lesson, "who will get the biggest crown?"

"There was silence for a minute or two, then a bright little chap piped out:

"Him wot's got t' biggest 'ead."—Tit-Bits.

**Murmur of a Misanthrope.**

"Can't you get the telephone to answer?"

"No," replied Mr. Growcher. "The operator is one woman I'd like to meet. She doesn't show the slightest disposition to talk back."

**Color Change.**

"Your new assistant is blue over his work."

"I guess that is because he is so green about it."

Will the suffragette have to acquire the big black cigar habit before she can make good as a political boss?

**Summer Luncheons in a jiffy**  
Let Libby's splendid chefs relieve you of hot-weather cooking. Stock the pantry shelf with Libby's Sliced Dried Beef and the other good summer meats—including Libby's Vienna Sausage—you'll find these fresh and appetizing.

Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago

**Rather a Facer.**  
William's uncle was a very tall, fine-looking man, while his father was very small. William admired his uncle, and wished to grow up like him. One day he said to his mother: "Mamma, how'd uncle grow so big and tall?"  
His mother said: "Well, when uncle was a small boy he was always a very good boy, and tried to do what was right at all times; so God let him grow up big and tall."  
William thought this over seriously for a few minutes, then said: "Mamma, what kind of a boy was papa?"

**Bragging.**  
Two close neighbors were in conversation.  
"Well," said one, "you haven't any call to be proud. My father's taller than yours."  
"Bet you a nickel he ain't!" was the retort.  
"Bet you he is," said the first youngster. "My father can see over the wall at the end of the garden. Yours can't."  
"Yes, he can, smarty," replied the other, "with his hat on."

**It Depends.**  
He—W-w-will you k-k-kiss m-m-me?  
She (shyly)—How long will the real thing take?

Loving a woman is not the important thing. Getting along with her after marriage is the important thing.

Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown—of false hair.

**Half the Fun**

Of being a boy is in eating with a boy's hearty appetite.

And what a capacity boys have! One bowl—then another of delicious

**Post Toasties**

with Cream

Made from the meats of selected white corn, skillfully cooked, daintily seasoned and toasted to a golden brown crispness—

**Toasties are Mighty Good!**



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## PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

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## WILL BE HERE JULY 1.

The schedule of the Houston party of good roads advocates has been completed. The party will be conducted by C. U. McDowell of the Houston Post good roads department. Some change has been made in the schedule published in the Courier last week. The trip will begin at Houston on the morning of June 29 as stated, but the party will attempt to drive through to Palestine by night, where meetings will be held June 30.

At 8 o'clock on the morning of July 1 the party will leave Palestine on the return trip, arriving Elkhart at 8:30, Grapeland at 10:30, Latexo at 11 and Crockett at 12:30, where meetings will be held during the afternoon, similar to the meetings held along the route from Palestine to Crockett. The party will take dinner, supper and breakfast here and rest for the night. July 2 will be spent between Crockett and Trinity, including a rousing meeting at Lovelady.

July 3 will be spent at Trinity, where a big fourth of July good roads celebration will be held and where every town between Houston and Palestine, including Huntsville, will be represented. It is said that thirty automobiles have been promised from Huntsville. Double that number will likely go from Crockett.

Some of those included in the Houston good roads party will be: F. P. Chandler, Progressive League secretary; B. K. Coghlan, A. & M. College good roads expert; Mrs. March Culmore, chairman Texas Federation Women's Clubs good roads committee; Mrs. G. M. Beverly, Houston Federation of Women's Clubs; Miss Mary Roper, representing the fourth district of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs; C. U. McDowell, representing the Houston Post good roads department. The Houston party will include ten people and others will be picked up along the route.

## GOOD ROADS PARTY TO BE ENTERTAINED.

That automobile party of good roads boosters from Houston will be through Crockett about 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, June 30, and will be joined here by a number of local enthusiasts. All automobile owners are invited to make the trip with them, as they will be joined by a number of cars along the route.

Returning from Palestine, the party will reach Crockett at 12:30 o'clock on the afternoon of Thursday, July 1. The ladies of the party will be taken in charge by the wives of the directors of the Crockett Commercial Club and the members of the Crockett Shakespeare Club and will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. W. Young.

A massmeeting of the entire citi-

zenship is called by the commercial club to meet in the court house at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, July 1, when addresses will be made by members of the party. At 8 o'clock the ladies of the party will serve a dinner to the visitors and the directors of the Crockett Commercial Club in the club rooms over Eichelberger's store, where talks will be made and a general get-together spirit encouraged.

A large attendance at the mass-meeting in the court house at 2:30 o'clock is greatly desired.

## Kennedy-Adams Wedding.

At half past eight o'clock, at the First Baptist church of this city last Tuesday evening, June 15, occurred the marriage of Miss Yolo Kennedy to Mr. Earle Porter Adams. The ceremony was performed by the Baptist pastor, Rev. M. L. Sheppard. The church was artistically and appropriately decorated. The pergola effect was carried out by the use of English ivy and pink roses.

Preceding the ceremony was a musical program, which indeed showed skillful training, and added much to the beauty and impressiveness of the occasion. The music was in the capable hands of Mrs. M. L. Sheppard.

The chorus consisted of some of Crockett's best talent as follows: Mesdames John LeGory, Johnson Arledge, B. F. Dent, A. M. Decuir, Clifford Kennedy, D. F. Arledge, James S. Shivers, F. G. Edmiston and Pinckney Hail and Miss Clarite Elliott. Mrs. J. D. Woodson played the piano accompaniment and Mrs. M. L. Sheppard the violin.

The order in which the musical numbers came was as follows:

"Her Wedding Morn," from "The Rose Maiden," by the chorus.

Solo, "Bright Star of Love," Mrs. J. D. Woodson, with violin obligato by Mrs. M. L. Sheppard.

"Faithful and True," from Lohengrin, was used as the processional. The order in which the wedding party entered was as follows:

The ushers—John Wootters, John Cook, W. H. Denny and J. G. Adams. The ribbon bearers—Victor Kennedy, Florence Dent, Sam Arledge and Mary Kennedy of Lovelady.

The junior bridesmaids—Beth Lundy, Dewey Kennedy, Lois Millar and Sarah Mac Crook. These wore pink dresses and pink garden hats and carried Marie Antoinette baskets of pink roses and ferns.

The bridesmaids and groomsmen—Miss Nell Beasley and Jim Lipscomb, Miss Bella Lipscomb and Frank Chamberlain, Miss Gladys Dawes and Downes Foster, Miss Aline Foster and Dick Hale of Cold Springs, Miss Mary Lee Benedict and W. C. Dupuy, Miss Kathleen Hail and Roy Arledge, Miss Otice McConnell and H. G. Clark, Miss Virginia Chamberlain and J. C. Wootters, Miss Edith Arledge and W. C. English, Miss Kate Lloyd of Vernon and O. C. Aldrich, Miss Dorothy Hutchinson of Shreveport and H. A. Lemay, Miss Augusta Adams and W. B. Bates—the bridesmaids down the left aisle and the groomsmen down the right. The maids were becomingly attired in pink dresses, bridesmaid's veils of white tulle and lilies of the valley, and carried bouquets of pink roses and fern.

The pillow bearer—Eugene Kennedy.

The ring bearers—Tom Adams and John Bonner Sheppard, carrying the ring on small, satin pillows, within wreaths of pink roses. The maid of honor, Miss Florence Kennedy, and the matron of honor, Mrs. D. O. Kiessling—beautifully attired in white dresses and white hats with lilies of the valley trimming, the matron wearing her wedding dress of five years previous

and both carrying pink roses.

The flower girls—B. B. and E. E. Kennedy.

The bride and her brother, Mr. D. C. Kennedy. The bride was befittingly attired in bride's tulle embroidered in pearls over shimmering white satin, the court train also being embroidered in pearls. Over all, gracefully draped from the wreath of orange blossoms in her hair, fell the veil of tulle enveloping the dainty little figure. She carried a shower bouquet of sweet peas and lilies of the valley.

The bridegroom with his best man, Mr. R. L. Bobbitt of Hillsboro.

After assemblage of wedding party, Mrs. Pinckney Hail sang in a most impressive manner "At Dawning" by Cadman.

After the double ring ceremony, Mendelssohn's wedding march was played on piano, violin and organ, to which the party left the church.

Following the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, where many elegant and costly wedding gifts were on display. Here the guests were presented to the bridal party by Mrs. D. F. Arledge, and Mrs. Johnson Arledge saw that all registered. Mrs. T. B. Collins extended invitation to the dining room where Misses Lily Belle Hail and Alice Foster served. The punch bowl was in charge of Miss Virginia Mae Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams are at home to their friends on Downes avenue.

## Bridal Party Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Kiessling entertained the Kennedy-Adams bridal party on the evening of the 11th inst. As the guests arrived they were presented with miniature slippers filled with rice. When all had assembled they were conducted to the air dome where they spent an enjoyable hour. Upon returning to the residence they were made comfortable on the broad veranda which had been specially arranged. At one end punch and sandwiches were served by Misses Beth Lundy, Dewey Kennedy, Sarah Mac Crook and Lois Millar.

Toasts, Mr. Kiessling as toastmaster, were proposed—first, to the visitors by Mr. Jim Lipscomb, to which Miss Kate Lloyd of Vernon responded. Mrs. D. F. Arledge gave a toast to the bridesmaids, and Miss Otice McConnell responded. Rev. M. L. Sheppard proposed a toast to the married men to which Mr. B. F. Dent responded. Mr. Clifford Kennedy then drank to the health of the groomsmen to which response was had from Mr. Oliver Aldrich. Miss Dorothy Hutchinson toasted the bride and groom. Then came a shower of rice, and while merriment still reigned supreme, there came another shower, planned by the bridesmaids as a surprise to both the hostess and the bride.

A Guest.

Buy Courier advertised goods.

## Get Rid of Your Rheumatism.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it if you apply Chamberlain's Liniment. W. A. Lockhard, Homer City, N. Y., writes: "Last spring I suffered from rheumatism with terrible pains in my arms and shoulders. I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and the first application relieved me. By using one bottle of it I was entirely cured." For sale by all dealers. Adv.

Buy Courier advertised goods.

## Only a Few Can Go.

Those who do not have to consider expenses are now going to health resorts to get rid of impurities in the system that cause rheumatism, backache, aching joints and painful muscles. If you cannot go, yet feel you need relief from pain and misery, get Foley Kidney Pills. They restore the kidneys to activity and make you feel well and strong. Sold everywhere. Adv.

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Drink  
**Coca-Cola**

Because it is delicious —  
Because it is refreshing —  
Because it is thirstquenching —

And because it is the combination of the three. That marks Coca-Cola as a distinctive beverage.

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## Lovely News.

Mrs. A. M. McGowan of Jackson, Miss., arrived Tuesday to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Mainer.

Mrs. S. E. Tanner was in town from Grapeland yesterday to attend the shower given for Miss Ella Mainer. The occasion was a most enjoyable one, and the many gifts were beautiful. Misses Gertrude Nelms and Myra Hemphill acted as hostesses.

Since July 4 comes on Sunday this year, and the people of Trinity are to have a big rally on Saturday, the 3rd, the merchants of Lovelady have agreed to close their stores on Saturday so as to be able to attend the Trinity picnic. Farmers, take notice and do your trading at Lovelady on or before Friday, July 2.

Correspondent.

## Not for Men Only.

Women suffer as much as men do from indigestion and constipation and require the same scientific remedy to keep the stomach sweet, the liver active and the bowels regular. Foley Cathartic Tablets are wholesome and cleansing; do not gripe or cause nausea. Stout people say this is the one cathartic that takes away that over-full and clogged-up feeling. Sold everywhere. Adv.

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## A Mistake Made By Many.

When you suffer pains and aches by day and sleep disturbing bladder weakness by night, feel tired, nervous and run down, the kidneys and bladder should be restored to healthy, strong and regular action. It is a mistake to postpone treatment. Foley Kidney Pills put the kidneys in sound, healthy condition and keep them active and strong. Sold everywhere. Adv.

## For an Impaired Appetite.

To improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion try a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets. Mr. J. H. Seitz of Detroit, Mich., says: "They restored my appetite when impaired, relieved me of a bloated feeling and caused a pleasant and satisfactory movement of the bowels." For sale by all dealers. Adv.

## Lumber for Flooring



should be even, smooth and perfectly matched. It should also be thoroughly seasoned to avoid shrinking, warping or cracking. That is the kind of lumber we sell exclusively. You'll be wise to use it when next you build or repair. See us about it, anyway.

## Crockett Lumber Co.

"The Planing Mill"

# A Time Saving

All telephone orders delivered promptly—therefore you will find it pays to phone your orders for goods which you need for immediate use. By taking a few steps to your telephone you may save your time and perhaps a tiresome walk. You will also find our telephone service a great time saver when you are in need of some emergency remedy.

Phone for anything you want. We deliver small orders as cheerfully as large ones. Phone 47 or 140.

**Bishop Drug Company**  
The Prompt Service Store

## Local News.

Drugs and jewelry at the Rexall Store.

Oliver Aldrich returned Saturday from Tyler.

Miss Mahala Hall has returned from Austin.

Mrs. Kate Newton visited at Lovelady Friday.

James S. Shivers and Arch Baker spent Sunday at Galveston.

D. A. Nunn left for a professional trip to Beaumont Wednesday.

Misses Nell Beasley and Katie King are visiting at Pilot Point.

A complete, up-to-date abstract. tf-adv Aldrich & Crook.

Mrs. Ada Shupak is visiting friends in Tyler and Fort Worth.

Miss Otice McConnell left Wednesday night to visit relatives at Warren, Ark.

Mrs. D. A. Nunn and Mrs. C. N. Corry left Sunday night to visit friends in Hearne.

Mrs. J. H. Painter and children are visiting Mrs. Willis Higginbotham at Stephenville.

### For Sale.

Horse, buggy and harness. 2t. W. A. R. French.

F. L. Dillaye of Houston is spending the week here with his sister, Mrs. H. P. V. Bogue.

Play ball! We sell Spalding's goods—you know the rest. tf. McLean Drug Co.

County Clerk A. S. Moore was a visitor to Houston and Galveston Saturday and Sunday.

All kinds of wire used on the garden or the farm, poultry yard or phone line at Jas. S. Shivers & Co's.

J. F. Henderson of Creek Route 1 says that his section has had plenty of rain and has splendid crop prospects.

Pure apple cider and white wine pickling vinegar. It pays to buy the best from Johnson Arledge. Phone 29. 1t.

Mrs. Luther Eastham of Huntsville is visiting her sisters, Mrs. R. H. Wootters and Mrs. F. G. Edmiston, here.

Cleanliness predominates at our soda fountain and the drinks we serve are as good as the best and better than the rest. tf. Chamberlain & Woodall.

A complete line of wire in all the different kinds now on hand and the prices are right at Jas. S. Shivers & Co's. 2t.

G. Q. King and family and Miss Nell Beasley will leave Monday for Merton, Irion county, to remain for some time.

Pure apple cider and white wine pickling vinegar. It pays to buy the best from Johnson Arledge. Phone 29. 1t.

Miss Hazel Long, after visiting her sister, Mrs. S. L. Murchison, left Monday night for her home at Kingston, Ohio.

A new line of box stationery, correspondence cards and fine writing tablets just received at Chamberlain & Woodall's. tf.

### Wanted.

A few table boarders. Will serve the best meals in the city. Address P. O. Box 203. 1t.\*

You have the money, we have the goods—let's get together. McLean Drug Co., The Rexall Store

Mrs. J. O. Monday of Lovelady chaperoned a party of young girls to Crockett Thursday. It took a 7-passenger car to bring them.

The coolest thing this side of the North Pole—a genuine Palm Beach Keep-Kool suit. We have them. 2t. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

A \$10 Colonial China dinner set, 42 pieces, for \$2.98 and freight. Ask us about it. tf. Chamberlain & Woodall.

Cool your fevered brow under our fans and quench your thirst at our fountain. McLean Drug Co., The Rexall Store.

Mrs. James S. Shivers and her visitors, Misses Bess and Miriam Partlow of Liberty, are spending the week at El Caney fishing club.

Wear a Palm Beach suit and laugh at the sun because you keep cool. The Big Store has a full line. 2t. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

### Free Embroidery Lessons.

See window display of finished embroidery at the Vogue Millinery. Free lessons in the mornings only.

### To Preserve Your Health.

The kidneys are the great health preservers. Rheumatism, backache, headache, sore muscles, stiff joints come when the kidneys are out of order and fail to properly filter the blood. Foley Kidney Pills tone up the tired and diseased kidneys, banish backache and stop sleep disturbing bladder troubles. Sold everywhere. Adv.

G. W. Harrison of Kennard Route 1 says that, while he would like to have some more rain, crop prospects along the road to Crockett are flattering.

Mrs. S. E. Marshall and granddaughter, Miss Mary Lee Benedict, who have been visiting Mrs. Thos. Self, left Monday for their home at Whitewright.

"Warmanna" Kipperd herring and sardines, ready for the table. They are very desirable for the sake of variety. Try a can today. 1t. J. D. Sims, Phone 19.

Crockett defeated Henderson in a baseball game at Henderson Monday by a score of 12 to 6. On Tuesday the score was 5 for Crockett and 3 for Henderson.

You should worry not at all, we make Palm Beach Keep-Kool fit them, one and all, either lanky, lean, fat or tall. 2t. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

### Beech-Nut.

We have a complete line of Beech-Nut products. Try a bottle of Beech-Nut catsup or olive oil. They are delicious. 1t. J. D. Sims, Phone 19.

The farmers' friend, and the city man's, too. That's us—Keep-Kool Palm Beach clothing. We have them. Ice water is free and the Palm Beach dirt cheap. 2t. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Rev. F. M. Boyles, formerly pastor of the First Methodist church of Crockett, has been called to the pastorate of the First Methodist church of Houston. He has recently been serving as presiding elder of the Marshall district.

### All Needleworkers

Will be interested in the Art Needlework demonstrations at the Vogue Millinery. Miss Switzer has a complete line of stamped pieces, embroidery and crochet threads and materials. Stamping done to order.

### Flour.

The wheat market has gone to smash, so have our flour prices. We are offering liberal reductions on the prices of flour, meal, bacon, lard, sugar, coffee and feed stuffs. 1t. J. D. Sims, Phone 19.

The last day of the series of baseball games between the Houston Olympias and the Crockett team resulted in a score of 8 for Crockett and 4 for the Olympias. The Olympias left Wednesday night to play a series of three games at Jacksonville.

Mr. Ira J. Young and Miss Ella Mainer, both of Lovelady, were married at the Baptist church in Lovelady Tuesday evening, Rev. H. E. Harris officiating. Both are popular young people and the recipients of many congratulations and well wishes.

Downes Foster left Crockett Monday night for Houston. On Wednesday morning he will leave Houston for the California expositions, going via the Santa Fe route and returning via Salt Lake and Denver. Side trips will include visits to the Grand Canon of the Colorado and Yellowstone National Park. He expects to be gone about six weeks.

### Baseball Next Week.

The Crockett baseball club will play three games with Rusk at home on the 28th, 29th and 30th. Rusk has strengthened and has a fine club. Crockett has just added one of the best first basemen in Texas and perhaps other good men. Fans will witness some good games between the two strongest teams ever on the Crockett diamond. The Rusk team is being brought to Crockett at heavy expense, and it is hoped that large crowds will attend the games, which will be called at 4:45 p. m. Admission, 25 cents; grandstand, 10 cents. Ladies free to grandstand.

## Real Estate and Loans.

We have real estate for sale and we would like to examine any vendor lien notes you may have for sale.

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CROCKETT, TEXAS

### Christian Church Revival.

A revival will begin at the Christian church Thursday evening, July 1, at 8:30 o'clock. Services will be conducted by Evangelist D. A. Leak and all are invited to attend.

W. B. Worthington will preach at the Christian church next Sunday, June 27, at 11 o'clock. He will present the types and antitypes in chart form and a general invitation to hear him is extended.

### Open-Air Services.

Rev. D. H. Hotchkiss, pastor of the Methodist church, announces that, beginning next Sunday, the evening services of his church will be held on the lawn next to the church. It will be remembered that such services were held last summer, and many will doubtless be glad to attend this summer, where the open air, good lights and music and comfortable seats will conspire to make all pleasant.

### Crockett at Rusk.

Crockett played three games of baseball at Rusk last week. Thursday's game resulted in a score of 0 for Crockett and 1 for Rusk, the best possible score between any two teams. At the close of Friday's game the score stood Crockett 4 and Rusk 5. Crockett played a better game on Saturday and won from Rusk by a score of 10 to 0. The Crockett club is playing the first three days of this week at Henderson.

### New Oil Company.

A new oil company is being promoted at Crockett by J. E. Winfree, Lawrence Dawson, DeMoss and others under the name of the Houston County Oil Company. J. E. Winfree is acting as trustee. The promoters are showing a bottle of water with quite a quantity of crude oil on the water. Interested parties have been inspecting the contemplated oil find and they report that indications seem to be flattering. The field is said to be fourteen miles east of town. The promoters announce that drilling is contemplated by July 15.

### Only One Entirely Satisfactory.

"I have tried various colic and diarrhoea remedies, but the only one that has given me entire satisfaction and cured me when I was afflicted is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I recommend it to my friends at all times," writes S. N. Galloway, Stewart, S. C. For sale by all dealers.



### Sore Mouth in Dogs.

Oakhurst, Texas, June 17, 1915. Editor Crockett Courier:

—Some time since I thoroughly investigated the cause of sore mouth in dogs. I discovered it to be acute gastritis, or inflammation of the stomach or mucus membrane of stomach and mouth. From finding what the disease was, I evolved a treatment that has so far cured every case in which it has been tested, and it has been tested in many stubborn cases. I have decided to give the public the benefit of the discovery at a small cost, as there are a great many very valuable dogs die annually which this treatment can save. This recipe will be sold to only one man in each county, and he in turn is authorized to sell at any price he chooses—say \$5.00. Five hundred sales would net him \$2500. There is big money to the one buying it for his county. For price of recipe and terms address

Dr. W. S. Randolph, Adv. 4t. Oakhurst, Texas.

### Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Houston county, on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1915, in the case of Palestine Grain Company versus J. N. Wellborn, No. 5546, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 5th day of June, A. D. 1915, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on the first Tuesday in July, A. D. 1915, it being the 6th day of said month, at the court house door of said Houston county, in the state of Texas, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which said J. N. Wellborn had on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1915, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit: Situated in Houston county, Texas, being lots Nos. 1 to 8 both inclusive in block No. 19 and lots Nos. 7 and 8 in block No. 6, according to the map of the town of Lovelady, said property being levied on as the property of J. N. Wellborn to satisfy judgment amounting to \$1,140.67, in favor of Palestine Grain Company, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand this 5th day of June, A. D. 1915. R. J. Spence, Sheriff, Houston County, Texas.

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## Confessions of a Mail Order Man

By Mr. M. C. X.

Revelations by One Whose Experiences in the Business Covers a Range From Office Boy to General Manager

### HOW ENORMOUS PROFITS ARE MADE.

I bought where I could get things the cheapest and where our money would go the farthest. Not satisfied with doubling on the cost of an article: in other words making 100 per cent on your money, I began to scratch and dig for the little profits on the side, in addition to the big profits I made on the price.

For instance, I would advertise an article for sale in our catalogue at six dollars. This article would cost us, in the house of the wholesale dealer, for example, \$2.50. By paying cash I would make two per cent additional and for quantity (I agreeing to take, say 1,000 of this particular thing) I would obtain a discount of say five per cent.

This is how I would figure it out:

Cost of article	.....	\$2.50
Cash discount at 2 per cent	.....	.05
Quantity discount at 5 per cent	.....	.125
Discounts	.....	.175
Net cost	.....	2.325
Selling price to YOU	.....	\$6.00
Our profit	.....	\$3.675

You can see for yourself that when I was making such profits it was but natural that I should deem it proper to spend the money on trips to Europe and up the Nile, etc. Of course, I had plenty of money to spend. Even way back when the concern was in its infancy I always made big money. And it made no difference what the financial barometer said about the money market. I was not bothered by bank failures nor by financial stringencies. I did not have to borrow any money. Of course not. You furnished it.

Good gracious, if you had furnished your local merchants with the cash you sent to me, in advance, they would all be millionaires, now, instead of plodding along trying to make both ends meet.

Take it, for instance, that you sent me an order for a lot of things including hardware. Did you ever wonder why the hatchets and hammers and other tools broke so easily or would not keep an edge? Did you wonder why the locks became broken and out of order? Did you wonder why nothing would work just as it should?

Your dealer in your own town buys goods that he feels sure will give service and be satisfactory. If not you can make him give you a duplicate that will fill the bill. But he is a different proposition. He has to be right there in his store to meet you face to face while my concern is a long ways off.

In groceries, too. It was my custom to buy up what we call "job lots" of any merchandise whatever. If a merchant went broke and went into bankruptcy I used to bid on his stock. I would buy it, for cash, for all the way from fifteen cents to forty or fifty cents on the dollar. He always wanted cash and was willing to sacrifice his goods at any price. Then I would take this stuff and parcel it out. All was fish that came to my net. I would offer some old junk that he had kept on his shelves for many years, as special bargains, and would quote descriptions as though the stuff were new, and yet make a price that sounded low. I would call an article "valued at" say \$6, and price it at \$3.50. It would have cost us about half a dollar or perhaps less.

Cases of tomatoes, corn, fruit and other canned goods were my specialty. Many a time have I dug up from the cellar or from the back of the shelves of some old merchant whom I bought out for cash at a very small price, a lot of old cans, bulged out, and rusted and looking as if they had been there for years. And they had, probably. I would set a boy to work cleaning and polishing these cans and then I would paste new labels on them. Sometimes there were no labels and then I could have a lot of fun deciding what labels to put on them. There were many surprises in store for those who bought such stuff at a "bargain." I would paste new labels on such cans as I could not tell the contents of, and ship them out to our customers.

Sugar, that had become wet, and which I had to break up with an ax, salt the same, prunes full of worms, corn meal alive with roaches, salt fish strong enough to float a ship, flour and crackers filled with vermin—yes, I bought all sorts of stuff and sold it at a great profit.

And clothing—there's where I made some of my greatest profits, for the clothing I sold, in a majority of instances, was made by half-grown Jewish girls and boys in what are known to the trade as "sweatshops."

The vest I sold as a part of your suit was probably cut by a sweating

young Jew from Russia, who cannot speak more than a half dozen words of our language. He cuts them out in lots, a pile of cloth a foot deep and he cuts them with a big knife that looks more like a straw or hay knife—the kind you use to cut hay out of a stack with. It's the same way with the coats and trousers.

Then these pieces of cloth are sewed together by perspiring young Jewesses. They get a few cents for sewing a vest. Another gets a few pennies for putting in the pockets. Another gets a similar amount for sewing on a collar, etc. All this work is done by the dozen. So many cents per dozen.

The costmakers are generally men, but some shops have women because they are cheaper. Most of the work is done right there in the shop so an inspector can watch the poor sweating men and girls at work and keep them speeded up. The poor slaves who sew the garments I sold have never placed a hand on a well-dressed man nor worn a well-fitting garment themselves.

It's the same with the cloaks and suits of the woman folks. All this stuff is cut out by the dozen at one time with a big knife—literally sawed out. The making is done in the same manner. If you could only see the dirt and filth of these foreign slaves who cut and sew the garments I sold you would shudder with horror at the prospect of placing the garments on your back.

Your own tailor or dressmaker, right in your home town, will make you a suit or a coat much better than the sweatshop workers and you can be sure that you are not going to catch any disease from it. You will find that it is sewed better, that it won't rip, that the buttons won't fall off, and that your pockets won't turn into gaping holes. Again you will find that the material is better and dependable, that the style is better, etc. In every way it will be more desirable.

It will be the same way with your hats and shirts and shoes. In fact you will discover that with everything I sold there will be something lacking.

It may look good for the first few times. Then it will fade, the rain will pull it out of shape, the seams will rip wherever there is an ordinary strain, and you will find out that it looks cheap and shoddy. It is.

Buy at home. Get the things that are dependable and worth having.

Buy from your local dealers. It's cheapest for you in the long run, and you are not sending your money out of town. Be patriotic and spend your money at home. It's a good investment for you. It will advance your own interests.

### WOODS OF VARIOUS STRENGTH

Investigation Has Shown That Presence or Absence of Tylose Makes a Great Difference.

The reason why one kind of wood is more durable than another is owing to the fact that one contains the substance known as tylose in more generous quantities. Tylose is the material which fills the pores of the wood and resists the entrance or action of decay. For instance, white oak is well suited and much used for barrel staves, where barrels are to contain liquid, while, on the other hand, red oak, which is apparently of the same structure, is not at all suited for the purpose.

A close examination of the white oak reveals the presence of the tylose which seals all the little pores of the wood. Red oak has none of the tylose. For this reason a fence post of white oak will last much longer in service than one of red. Timber engineers who inject creosote and other substances into wood to retard decay long ago made lists of species that were hard to treat, and others which were easy.

The preservative fluids, we are told, penetrate certain woods to a considerable depth when moderate pressure is applied; while others are almost impervious, no matter how great the pressure. Those hardest to penetrate by preservative fluids are those best supplied with tylose.

### Eulogy on the Bob White.

The following is the eulogy on the Bob White, by William T. Hornaday, once director of the New York zoological park:

To my friend the epicure: The next time you regale a good appetite with bluepoints, terrapin stew, fillet of sole and saddle of mutton, touched up here and there with the high lights of rare old sherry, rich claret and dry monople, pause as the dead quail is laid before you on a funeral pyre of toast and consider this:

"Here lie the charred remains of the farmer's ally and friend, poor Bob White. In life he devoured 145 different kinds of bad insects and the seeds of 129 noxious weeds. For the smaller pests of the farm he was the most marvelous engine of destruction that God ever put together of flesh and blood. He was good, beautiful and true; and his small life was

blameless. And here he lies dead, snatched away from his field of labor and destroyed, in order that I may be tempted to dine three minutes longer after I have already eaten to satiety." Then go on and fish Bob White.

### Comfortable German Helmets.

German helmets brought to England as trophies of war have been much admired. Though made apparently of steel, they were as light almost as a cloth cap or a straw hat.

Round the inside, where the helmet touches, was a ring of metal "leaf springs" bound with leather, which lightly clipped the head to keep the helmet on without heavy pressure. The brass spike or knob that crowned the helmet was made useful as well as ornamental. There were large holes in it, which gave very good ventilation to the inside of the helmet—much better than the pinholes that are supposed to ventilate a bowler. In fact, the Germans seem to have succeeded in making a really comfortable bowler out of paper-thin steel.

### The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Young G. Walker, deceased, Y. G. Walker, deceased, F. H. Blain, deceased, whose residences are unknown, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1915, the same being the 11th day of October, A. D. 1915, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1915, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5578, wherein John E. Campbell is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Young G. Walker, deceased, Y. G. Walker, deceased, F. H. Blain, deceased, whose residences are unknown, and J. B. Best, who resides in Houston county, Texas, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the lawful owner in fee simple, being seized and possessed of the following described tracts of land or parcels of land, same being the part of the Young G. Walker 160 acre survey land lying and being situated on the waters of a tributary of the Neches river, about 25 miles N. 70 E. of Crockett in Houston county, Texas, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at S. 30 W. 200 vrs. from the S. E. corner of the B. Easley 320 Acre Survey, a stake from which a pine 10 in. in dia. brs. S. 13 W. 3 5-10 vrs. and another pine brs. S. 89 E. 7 3-10 vrs. Thence S. 60 E. at 950 4-10 vrs. a corner from which a pine 12 in. brs. S. 48 E. 8 vrs. and another pine brs. S. 41 W. 13 3-10 vrs. Thence S. 30 W. 880 vrs. a branch C. N. E. at 950 4-10 vrs. and a corner from which a pine 10 in. brs. S. 45 W. 2 6-10 vrs. and another pine brs. N. 11 W. 2 4-10 vrs. Thence N. 60 W. at 950 4-10 vrs. a corner from which a pine 24 in. in dia. brs. N. 47 E. 11 vrs. and another pine brs. N. 65 E. 12 5-10 vrs. Thence N. 30 E. 950 4-10 vrs. to the place of beginning, bearings marked W, less the hereinafter described tract, beginning at the S. W. corner of the said Y. G. Walker Survey a pine and sweet gum marked X. Thence N. 30 E. with said Walker's S. W. B. line at 540 vrs. to corner in Crockett, Gregg's Ferry Road a Red Oak 12 in. mkd. X brs. S. 4 West 10 vrs. Thence S. 80 E. with said road at 240 vrs. corner in the old Sumpter Road a pine 10 in. mkd. X brs. N. 72 W. 5 vrs. Thence South with said old Sumpter and Bates' Ferry Road at 719 vrs. corner on the S. B. line of said Y. G. Walker Survey a pine 18 in. mkd. X brs. N. 74 W. 2

vrs. Thence N. 60 W. with said Walker's line at 585 vrs. to the place of beginning, and containing 117 acres of land more or less.

Plaintiff further alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have had and held peaceable, continuous, and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, paying all taxes due thereon, under deeds duly recorded for periods of three, five, and ten years, immediately preceding the filing of this suit, and plaintiff specially pleads the three, five and ten years' Statutes of Limitation in bar of any claim asserted by the defendants in and to said land or any part thereof.

Plaintiff alleges that the defendants herein are asserting some claim to said land, which is unknown, and that the deeds out of Young G. Walker and the other defendants herein on account of the records of Houston county, and the court house of said county being twice destroyed by fire are irregular, all of which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title, and on which cloud plaintiff sues to remove from said title. Plaintiff is claiming title to said land by and through the following instruments and muniments of titles: Patent from the State of Texas to Young G. Walker, deed from Mary A. Walker, et al, to James Wells, deed from W. C. Walker, et al, to J. W. Wells, deed from J. W. Wells and wife to F. H. Blain, deed from John N. Wells and wife to James Best, deed from J. W. Wells to J. E. Campbell, timber deed from J. E. Campbell to Southern Pine Lumber Company, deed from S. E. Gardner to John Campbell, extension of time for timber deed from J. E. Campbell to Southern Pine Lumber Company, deed from Joseph E. Minton and wife to J. W. Wells, deed from John Campbell to J. B. Best, affidavit as to occupancy signed by M. W. Wells, affidavits as to heirs of Young G. Walker, deed from Susan Carnegay, et al, to John Campbell, right of way for tram by J. B. Best and wife, deed from Jane Roberts to James Wells.

Plaintiff prays judgment for said land against all said defendants.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, John D. Morgan, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 15th day of June, A. D. 1915. John D. Morgan, Clerk, 8t. District Court, Houston County.

### The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Jacob Cutler, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. C. Cutler, deceased, the unknown heirs of L. N. Cutler, deceased, the unknown heirs of John Kennedy Sr., deceased, the unknown heirs of James Brimberry, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be holden at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1915, the same being the 11th day of October, A. D. 1915, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 28th day of May, A. D. 1915, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5576, wherein Charles Ursprung is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Jacob Cutler, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. C. Cutler, deceased, the unknown heirs of L. N. Cutler, de-

ceased, the unknown heirs of John Kennedy Sr., deceased, the unknown heirs of James Brimberry, deceased, and G. W. Hutcheson are defendants, and said petition alleging:

That the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple, being lawfully seized and possessed of the following described tract of land lying and being situated in Houston county, Texas, the same being part of the Jacob Cutler 320 acre survey, and containing 135 acres of land, less one acre, heretofore sold off by plaintiff's vendors for church purposes; said 135 acre tract, beginning at the S. E. corner of a 25 acre tract made for H. S. Murdock in the N. end of the said Jacob Cutler 320 acre survey, a set stake from which a red oak 18 in. dia. brs. S. 4 E. 19 7-10 vrs. Thence west with south boundary line of the said 25 acre tract at 950 vrs. the S. W. corner of same on the west boundary line of the said Jacob Cutler survey, a pine marked X brs. S. 13 1/2 E. 3 5-10 vrs., a B. J. marked X brs. S. 37 E. 2 5-10 vrs. Thence south with west boundary line of said survey at 801 1/2 vrs. a corner from which a pine marked X brs. S. 49 E. 4 2-10 vrs. Thence east with division line between the Murdock heirs and James Leaverton at 950 vrs. set stake for corner on the west boundary of the William Carmichael 320 acre survey from which a hickory marked X brs. N. 52 1/2 W. 8 vrs. Thence north with said Carmichael west boundary line at 801 1/2 vrs. to the place of beginning, by instruments executed which are fully set forth in plaintiff's petition. Plaintiff further alleges that he claims title to said land under the statutes of three, five and ten years' limitation, under deed from Jacob Cutler to James Brimberry, which he has specially pleaded in statutory form in his petition in said cause, as a bar to any adverse claim of any of the said defendants to said land. That said deed from Jacob Cutler to James Brimberry as well as the record thereof has been destroyed by fire. That the records of Houston county show a deed from L. N. Cutler to J. C. Cutler and a deed from J. C. Cutler to John Kennedy Sr., but that said deeds are void for want of description and for other reasons as shown in said petition. That the record of said deeds, and the destruction by fire of the said deed from Jacob Cutler to James Brimberry, casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title. Plaintiff prays for citation, and that on hearing he have judgment for the title and possession of said land, and removing all clouds therefrom, and for general and special relief.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, John D. Morgan, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 7th day of June, A. D. 1915. John D. Morgan, Clerk, District Court, Houston County.

By J. H. Sharp, Deputy. 8t.

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