There is is no good ich conditions should is all a conspiracy to olic. I believe both ailway and the coa conspiracies between and the labor unions.

SCIENCE OF GRAMMAR

Ontario, Professor Jones of Ontario

college adraitted that in the past the

teaching of grammar had been too

formal, that too much time had been

of grammar was a highly useful and

mentary and secondary education. The

task of simplifying the presentation of

now learn a terminology that is not

only accepted in all parts of the coun-

try in connection with English grammar, but is equally useful for his

study of foreign languages. The main

modern, simplified form is that it is

thoroughly useful, both in developing

of 1870. What household of that time

the common indispensable equipment of

our day? Our young men and maidens

golden age; they may have chosen the

primrose path which leads to the ever

lasting bonfire. What is certain is that

way. To refuse to make use of the

by the news that a single gold franc

has been struck as the monetary unit

transactions of the League of Nations

ference by feeling between a six-pence

Another reason why so many men do

not accept the advice of the British

oet and retire at fifty and pursue a

hobby is, they find themselves at sixty

under the compulsion of pursuing an

old gray mule in fresh furrows, with

the mule always a plow-length in the

with mail robbers, a postmaster wrote

back and asked, "How far shall I go

with them?" More government print-

and a half-sovereign

they will not stand still.

After tracing very briefly the fall of grammar in Canada, particularly in

that union working the subject had been cursed with a bewildering terminology; but he conare conspiring, but tended that a reasonable presentation their leaders are. r union leaders are quite essential subject in both eleose co-operation with nd mine owners." ve Saturday will im-

ow out of work more 0 men. In Detroit i low of \$3,800.000 that are paid in the Throughout the nation double the number of estimated to be out of

do this," said Ford. o be done. I would d to keep going. I like mployed and happy. price that I will not oing and that is graft. graft to get coal." told Ford that Herbert nallenged his statement

o pay the price. always more ready to atement than he is to e truth of it.

ild be bought if one

fering coal at fancy Hoover says he wants titeering in coal. Well, prevent it, why doesn't id of talking about it?" lly determined, among to bring both the railoal strike to a tocus. both strikes are con-

is of the opinion that lead in bringing busiandstill that the con be compelled to call

Goldrick of Tulsa, oss Plains visitor this is suicidal. This is an ugly prospect; oldrick is an official of and any bond or pledge mutually Dil and Gas Co. who lease east of town and rs of the well known adjoining, as well as ties in the Cross Cut

or The Review.

WHY PTOKS?



uld learn why at u require glasses of trength" for reading ig distant objects.

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a few reasons:

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oss Plains

Scientists say that this old world of or two since recorded time, in making Take any six figures from above they represent the its annual trip around the sun. Considering the trouble and turmoil it has p yet reached in the

ent of bifocal lenses. Before being tickled to death over a and get more reareduction of \$185,000,000 in the public debt in December consider the fact that Price Including War Tax there are \$23,619,085,725 remaining unny, Sept. 11th

A dispatch says Spanish troops have occupied Tauriat Richl and Tauriatzag while other troops established positions at Yebel Azernum and Aingorra, Isn't in Optical Co

called a twilight zone-being neither

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With R. E. Fo Combined Big Dou task of simplifying the presentation of grammar has been made much easier Shows.

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Wed., Sept. 27, Cross Plains-Pioneer Oil Field Day Abilene Fair

What Is Your Policy

SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS must have a sound foundation. Only by enterprise and frugality may we hasten normal period's arrival.

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NEW SHALLOW GASSER

is likely the well will be deepened SMITH OF CROSS PLAINS a little further down.

Leonard et al Prater No. 1, that this is the same pay sand as eight miles due south of Cross the Gilett & Magness well at pay streak must lead in from and the matter of arrangements disasterous. Plains in the Cross Cut country Cross Cut. and as this well is that direction. came in Monday night for a gas almost in a due line between the flow variously estimated at from Gillett & Magness and the Star close the last gap in the chain of that body. for one day to assist the farmers charge. According to the police de-5,000,000 to 8,000,000 from a No. 1, of A. G. Crabb et al, depth of only 1400 feet. As the which encountered 10,000,000 Plains and give the town drilling solid for this occasion and make to the direct interest of the merchants women on the street Wednesday gas is coming from a 12 1.2 inch feet of gas at 1500 feet, it proves hole it is hard to estimate the the theory that this sand is conexact flow, but it is said to be tinuous for the entire distance sufficient to lift a nail keg 15 of over three miles between the feet when placed over the casing, two wells, the structure rising to and seems to be showing for a the east which accounts for the and will be diligently pushed to steady increase as the hours go slight difference in depth.

by. There is now some 600 feet | The greatest importance of the of open hole and a string of 10 discovery lies in the extent of 24-FOOT OIL SAND inch casing is being set It is territory proven for shallow pay, understood that the gas will be outlining a structure three miles marketed through the gas line of long and from a mile to a mie B. Slick and the Phillips and a half wide in a northeast-Petroleum Co. near by and no southwest direction as another from a dept of more than a mile in about 45 bales and the price for the further drilling done on this well vast reservoir of oil and gas. until conditions change with re- made especially attractive to oil Texas, by the Gulf Production Com- 21 1-2 cents. At this rate a little stove for \$7.50 by use of removable 35c and 45c. These are great gards to the price of oi, when it men by its shallow depth.

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Vestal farm as a center and still selection of Wednesday, Sept. 27, a little farther to the north a 700 was made. This day will be acre block has been arranged for widely advertised by the fair surrounding the Ogilvy farm. management and all programs Pledger, Taylor and Montgomery etc. will carry its designation to are taking the contracts for the the two oil field towns. drilling of all three wells and a In addition to the usual fair to carry out the work.

distance from known production, to the \$1,000 derby.

radius of only a few miles.

According to the plans of the Abilene Fair. promotors actual operations will begin within the next few days COTTON CROP BETcompletion.

ed in striking an oil sand. About this amount will show considerable ent from that of the ordinary oil well, t is asserted, and it will not be suprising it the oil is of a higher grade than heretorore discovered in MERCHANTS MAY CLOSE the Gult Coast region. The hole was put down by a rotary drill and this tact marks a new epoch in rotary drilling, according to oil men.

Notice,

Notice is hereby given that we the West Texas Chamber of Comhave served our association with the merce is considering the issuance firm of Wilkinson & McGaugh of of an appeal to all merchants, bank-Brownwood, and in the tuture there ers and ther business men to close will be no connection between the their places of business one day two firms. We will retain our during each week auch with al offices at Cross Plains under the their employes to cotton fields style of Hart & Harrell, and Mr. and help the farmers gather their McGaugh has returned to Brown- cotton wood and will continue in the firm With practically all the cotton in of Wilkinson & McGaugh of that the state ready to be gathered,

Hart & Harrell.

The local Chamber of Com-POSED NORTH OF TOWN merce received a telegram Sature day from W. J. Kingsolving Drilling contracts were com- Secretary of the West Texas Fair pleted this week for three deep Association, stating that except tests to be drilled within five Friday Sept. 29, all dates were miles of Cross Plains; one to the open for selection to Cross Plains northwest of town where 540 and Pioneer for a day to be desigacres has been blocked up sur- nated as Cross Plains-Pioneer rounding and including a part of Oil Field Day and in accordance the W. C. Adams farm; one to at a called meeting of the local northeast of town with the E. I. Chamber Monday night the

strong company is being formed attractions, this will be "derby day" at the races and the best Two of the projects might be races of the entire meet will termed "wild cats," being some doubtles be pulled off, in addition

but that of the Vestal and sur- It is planned to interest at least rounding acreage viewed from 75 Cross Plains cars in making the production discovered in the the trip and as Pioneer expects old Vestal well some two years to take a delegation of 40 to 50 ago makes this project rather cars a creditable turn out from savor of the proven section as this section seems assured. All oil in commercial quantities has Cross Plains people who expect been proven to exist in that to attend the fair at a lare urged section, and since a test has been to get in line on Wednesday made to the northeast of the old Sept 27, and carry a Cross Plains Vestal well without uncovering booster banner on their cars A critical the state has ever faced. in search of the oil bearing strata the pay it seems a well located to register of cars is now being If a general fain or high wind should the west or south should be al- made up by the Chamber of There now seems no question most sure of production, for by commerce in order to estimate hit West Texas before the crop is

week 600 bales of cotton had been Cross Plains to enjoy a day of real American. ONE MILE DOWN week 600 bales of cotton had been Cross Plains to enjoy a day of feat most of which came in within the than to be among the first to try out Development of oil production past week, the daily average running the suggestion. pany. It is said to be the deepest more than \$5,000.00 per day is burners Joe H. Shackelford. oil well in the world. While there being turned over to the farmers of have been a tew deeper test wells this vicinity in return for cotton and than this one, none of them succeed- as the season advances of course twenty-tour feet of oil sand was en increase. Buyers report the qualit countered at the bottom of this well. as almost perfectly uniform from al On account of its great depth it is a sections and perhaps more than 95 difficult matter to bail the well and per cent is grading as strict middling get ready to bring it in in proper Original estimates placed the crop torin. Prictical oil men who have in the Cross Plains market territ ry examined the hole are convinced that at 2,000 bales, but it is now almost it will show paying production. The assured that this estimate was a oil odor of the sand that is brought least 1,000 bales low and there rom the bottom of the well is differ- | seems little question that 3.000 bales will be ma, keted here this tall.

AND HELP PICK COTTON

With the demand for cotton pickers in West Texas increasing rapidly than they can be supplied,

the situation is described by those in touch with it as one of the most

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Newt Mahaney w s arrested Wed be greatly facilitated by The suggestion that all stores in nesday night and placed ueder bond The drilling of these wells will ferybody registering at once West Texas towns and cities close of \$1,000 on an aggravated assault development surrounding Cross Plains should line up was prompted by the fact that it is partment Mahaney accosted a young we is on every side within a Cross Plains-Pioneer Oil Field for the farmers to realize every night and offered to take her home Day the biggest day of the dollar they can for their crops. If in his car. When the young woman's this plan is adopted it is probable corner was reached, it is charged that an effort will be made to have Mthaney failed to stop, insisting that all towns closed on the same day. they take a longer ride. Becoming The novelty as well as the bene frightened, the woman- an employee icial results of this plan should lend in a local restaurant- jumped from popularity to the move, and we the automodile, sustaining painful Up to Wednesday night of this could suggest no better way for but not serious injuries .- Cisco

> Plain White Plates, 50c set while they last. The Racket Store.

the earth is under way near Orange, week varying from 19 1-2 cents to Make your wood stove into a gas Plain White Bowls for 15c, 25c,

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arough a hole in the door; someir es she stood behind a cloth screen sheet furnished by the brideex county, immodesty and embarrassment were avoided by the groom furnishing all the clothes worn by the bride, retaining title to the same in Minself. This he did in the presence of citnesses, that he might be able

Use Various Expedients.

To carry out the law fully at the

ople understood it the ceremony

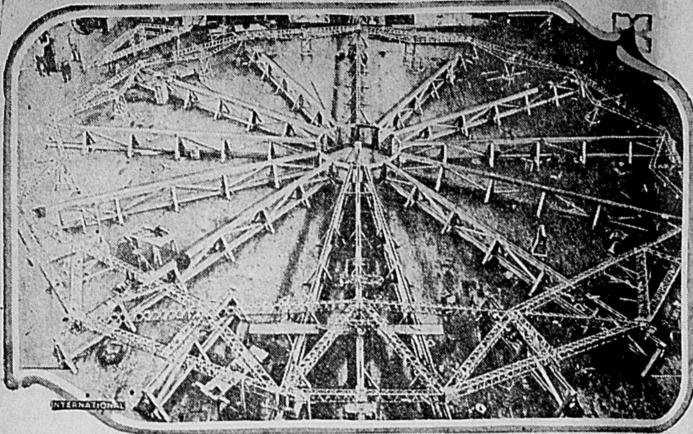
to prove the fact in the event that he twas sued for any debts she might have A marriage of this kind was pertformed in Bradford in 1773, the fol-

A "Foxy" Bridegroom. "Bradford, Dec. ye 24, 1773.

"This may certifie whomsoever it may concerne that James Bailey of Mary the wife of Thomas Stickney & and parrots. "WILLIAM BALCH, minister of ye motorcar.

in all cases of smock marriages that lawn party where a guest carried what have come to his knowledge the brides appeared to be a sunshade with a have been widows. It is thought that highly decorative handle. Closer induring the reign of George III there spection revealed the "handle" to be were many smock marriages in Maine, a beautifully marked snake, perfectly then part of the Prevince of Massa- motionless and carelessly twined over chasetts Bay, chiefly in the Counties of its fair owner's arm and around her Lincoln, and York, or in the territory | sunshade.

Building One of World's Largest Dirigibles



One of the largest dirigibles in the world is under construction in the aircraft factory at the Philadelphia navy yard. Sections of the huge craft are shipped to Lakehurst, N. J., to be assembled in the hangar built to house the ZR-2, which descended in flames in England a year ago. More than a billion nuts and several million rivets will be used during the construction of the giant dirigible. The photograph shows a section of the airship being assembled

agreement became lawfully wedded.

Smock Marriage an Old Custom

monies Were Common in Early Colonial Times.

FREED GROOM OF WIFE'S DEBT

but Nobody Objected-Embarrassment Often Relieved by Happy Man Buying Trousseau.

Bangor, Me.-A Bangor lawyer at-Wiscasset, Lincoln county, spent a books reads; rainy afternoon rummaging through "Certificate-This may certify all further and got some light on a custom that prevailed in England and in

"Medoucook, May 12th, 1772,some of the colonies as well in the Whereas the subscribers, Wm. Elwell Smock marriages were weddings published & desirous of entering into record of more than 2,000,000 bay where the bride appeared dressed only the holy state of Marriage & being marriages and deaths, with other bloom in a white chemise or sheet. The confined in a place where there is graphical details in many cases. reason for it was the belief that if a nelther a minister or a magistrate, do mean married a woman who was in by these presents & in the presence debt he could be held liable for what of Almighty God & before these witshe owed if he received with her any nesses that may sign this instrument, of her property; and also that if a engage & do take each other as man woman married a man who was in debt and wife, according to the laws of his creditors could not take her prop- God and man, according to the best erty to satisfy their claims if he had of our capacities & as though we were received nothing from her at marriage, married by a magistrate or minister, In England, says an antiquarian, there In witness whereof we have hereunto was in puris naturallbus while the "WILLIAM ELWELL ceremony was being performed in the "HANNAH THOMAS, her X mark." great church at Birmingham. The "Signed in the presence of we, the

minister at first refused to perform subscribers, & that the man took her the ceremony, but he could find noth- as were naked and gave her clothes ing in the rubric to justify a refusal, so to put on-Wm; E. Frost, Samuel Conthat effect. don, Cornellus Morton, Mary Condon her X mark, Otis Pinkham, Mercy W.

Larry her X mark. "N. B .- Wm. Elwell & Hannah Thomas took the common prayer book after they had signed the above instrument & read the church ceremony manner before the witnesses to the above instrument before me-Wm.

Hannah Thomas were married in the June ye 21st, 1773; their second, a

a husband was liable for debts of his wife contracted before marriage, and no such subterfuge as the smock marriage could relieve him, considering the glory of the bridal finery of today.

lowing being a true copy of the rec- SNAKE AS SUNSHADE HANDLE

Dog Is Rapidly Being Displaced in England as a Pet by Freak Rivals.

Bradford who was married to the London, England,-The place long widow Mary Bacon. November 22 last held by the dog as a family pet and past by me ye subscriber then de- street companion threatens to be clared that he took the said person usurped by the monkey and other without anything of estate and that exotic creatures. Women are seen Lydia the wife of Eliazer Babank & carrying marmosets, mongooses, foxes,

Myrgaret the wife of Caler Burbank | People also are getting accustomed gil of Bradford were witnesses that to the woman with a young white fox the clothes she then had on were of on a string, another with three cats his providing and bestowing upon her. and the chimpanzee that rides in a

But the most startling innovation It is noted by the same writer that | in family pets was observed at a

PEDIGREE HUNT IN BRITAIN

American Visitors Are Eager as Natives to Know About Their

London.-"Among the keenest inquiries into their pedigrees-and genealogy never before was as popular as Records Show That Such Cere- that now is so known. One such mar- it is at this moment-are many of the riage is reported in the archives of Americans now visiting this country," the Town of Friendship, Knox Coun- says Secretary Fothergill of the So-

ty, eriginally known as Meduncook clety of Genealogists. (signifying Sandy Harbor). It is also "The day of 'faked' pedigrees is one of the few instances in Maine his. past. What the modern American is tory where advantage was taken of seeking is the truth about his forethe provision of the law that in a bears, traced backward generation by her money." community where there resided neith- generation.

"They are particularly interested in er minister nor magistrate a man and Sometimes She Wore Only a Sheet, woman who appeared before wit- the new field for genealogical research nesses, read the marriage service to that has recently been opened up, the each other and signed a marriage deposition books of the old courts. This has not yet been properly exploited, for in many instances the rec-Such a marriage was performed in ords of the ecclesiastical and common tending court in the ancient town of 1772, and the record on the town law courts and the court of chancery school." are not yet open to public inspection.

the colonial records of the place, and whom it concerns that W. Elwell of that they are not mere lists of names his car he doesn't sit at the wheel and In the course of his reading came Meduncook bath been duly published and dates. The very words spoken by honk his horn, but gets out and comes across the official registration of a to Hannah Thomas of Meduncook. the parties and the witnesses to these to the door and rings the bell." "smock marriage." Not knowing what "(Sl'd) SEDATE WADSWORTH. old disputes are preserved, so the cost authentic voice of one's ancestors by

be heard down the centuries." The main work of the societ - the preparation of the huge com and Haunah Thomas, being lawfully intiex, which already constitu

WILLING TO TAKE A CHANGE

When Carlo Got Through Laughing the Deputy Game Warden Decided Not to Arrest Him.

San Quentin, Cal,-Carlo Ballesterl was fishing on the beach here. A man came up and watched him a while, Said the man:

"I'm a deputy fish warden. I think I'll put you in jail for 30 days for fishing with a net, which is against the

"Ha, ha!" said Carlo, or words to "Thirty days in jail is nothing to

laugh at," said the man. "Ain't I the bird that knows it?" in quired Carlo. "I'm doing a life stretch at San Quentin prison and am fishing by special permission." "O!" said the fish warden, and contented himself with confiscating the

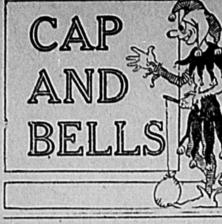
Nutdrell. O .- Mrs. William Russell, who is eighty-seven years of age, and a garden consisting of half an acre of land which is filled with vegetables, such as potatoes, corn, beets, carrots, beans and many kinds of flowers. This garden, which is kept in excellent sell. Mrs. Russell rises at 4 o'clock every morning and works in her garden most of each day.

Pennsylvania Has Soft Coal Reserves to Last 290 Years

Harrisburg. -- Pennsylvania's bituminous coal fields contain 43 830 860 000 short tons of recoverable coal, enough to meet the demands of the next 290 years at the present rate of consumption, the state department of internal affairs announced in making public the results of a recent survey of the bureau of topographic and geological survey.

The supply available is less than previous estimates, which had placed the amount recoverable at at least 75,000,000,000

The survey fixes the orgina bituminous deposits at 75,259, 055,000 tons, of which 5,519, 775,000 have been mined. Waste and unrecoverable coal reduces the amount available to the total estimated.



DEADLY OVERDOSE

"What experience did you have with he roach poison I sold you last week?" "Not so good, not so good. All the roaches did well on it, and I think are ooking better, except one. He liked it to well he made a durned pig of himself and foundered. I'm afraid I'm going to lose him."—Philadelphia Retail Ledger.

Not the Right Kind. y this afternoon. He-Well, what do you want me to

lo about it? She-Couldn't you bring home that kitty from the club I heard you talk-



to Miss De Rich six times before she accepted him." "She certainly gave him a run for

He wants to be a hero bold, And go where dangers lurk From anything like work.

"Yes; whenever he calls for you in

Willson-Dabb is certainly an opti-Willson-His doctor told him he

wasp't likely to live very long, yet he started two continued stories this

Editor-I am obliged to return your to him about himself. oem with thanks. I am very sorry, Poet-But what?

A Real Regret.

Editor - The management insists upon my declining all poems that way.

The Irony of Fate. She-It is not easy for a girl to get a husband. He-Nonsense! Why, a pretty girl

can make her choice of four out of every five men she meets, She-But it's the fifth she wants. Just So.

"The men have gotta quit hammer ing at the way the women get them selves up. The limit has been "I see your point. Paint and saw dust won't stand it."

Doing Well. "Mrs. Wombat buys a labor saving

device every day." "Well, if she buys enough of them she won't have to do any housework at



He: Yes, I term 'em the freedom

of the sieze."

Is a queer thing," said Duns; "The longer it stands, Keeping Her in Gloves. "Is your son-in-law a good pre-ider?" "He can just about keep my daugh-

"A standing account

ly asked for her hand."

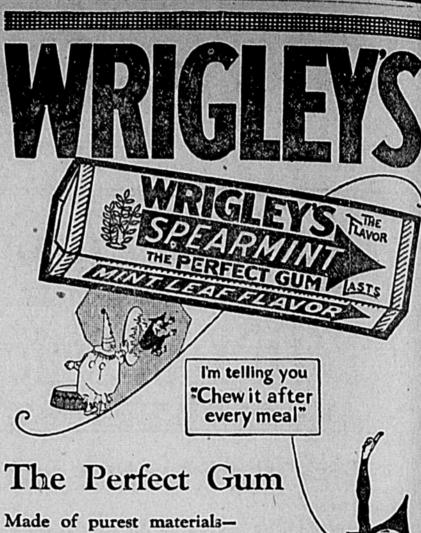
blame me. I'm not guilty."

"Then he deceived you as to his cir cumstances?" "No, I distinctly remember he mere

ter in gloves. I pay for everything

Few of Us Are "This is a man's world," she com plained.

"Maybe it is," he replied, "but don't



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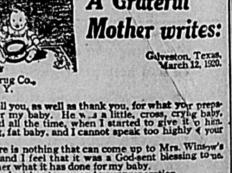
Record Grain Elevator. The largest grain elevator in t world was built at Minneapolis Ju-tion, Minn., in 1886. The building 336 feet long, 92 feet wide and I feet high, with a storing capacity 2,000,000 bushels of grain.

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white curlycues?" "Yes, they

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earnest efforts that have been made banking system affords. And it by him to suppress lawlessness in our opinion that the importance every form and his fearlessness in up this issue demarks the highest type holding the majesty and dignity of of constructive statesmanship for nation that the violation of the law 9. We heartily indorse the should be followed by a punishment pard Towner act and call upon the hands of a jury; that the violation of fits of this law. the law should be followed by punishment for the same. And we especially and accepted doctrine that the Deni try were unable to suppress it. Acprophecy of what his future shall be, of public roads. ing the necessity of assisting the eduparticularly the demands of the public schools, he, at the same time,

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Not the Right Kind. afternoon. 'ell, what do you want me to

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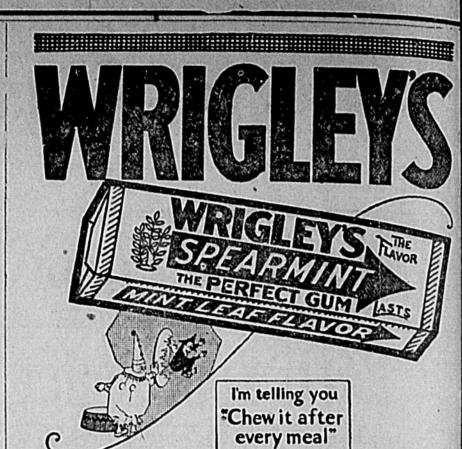
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Keeping Her in Gloves. Is your son-in-law a good pre der? He can just about keep my daugh in gloves. I pay for everything

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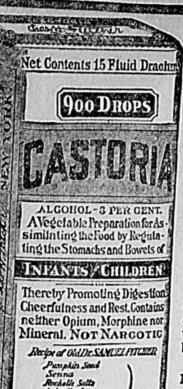
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MOTHERS SHOULD READ THE BOOKLET THAT IS AROUND EVERY BOTTLE OF FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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"How far are you going?" "Buffalo," acknowledged the other taken off his guard. "Is that so? Well, Buffalo is a great town. I have a cousin living there

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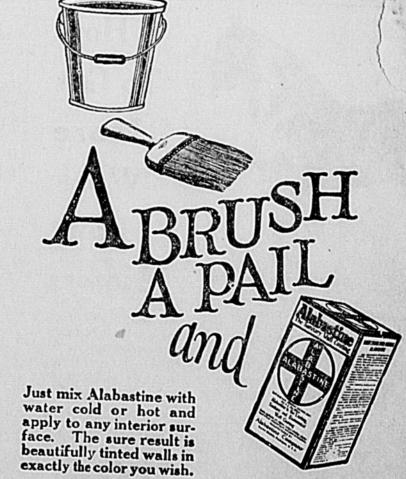
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J. W. Payne.

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For County Tax Collector:

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W. J. Evans, Cottonwood.

Victor B. Gilbert, Putnam.

Mrs. J. Roy Jackson, Baird.

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B. C. Chrisman, (re-election).

THE PROBLEM OF HOLDING

COTTON.

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For County Superintendent:

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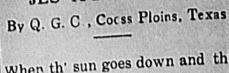
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price this season. Mr Terrell re-

views the cotton situation and ur-

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but gives facts from which sensible

of Sept. 1, indicates a yield of about

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The review given by Mr. Terrell

is quite lengthy and he gives many

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The cotton crop this year, as I'm jes' so big an' jes' so strong estimated by the government report Bet I kin whip any boy thet

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which Mr. Terrell believes to be one But you found your girl with Jim FOUR ISSUES CONSTITUTE A MONTH million bales too high. The report An' you said, "But you jes' wait

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> But Jim blocked the way an' wudn't let you in An' th' things you said were jes'

Doesn't it bring a lot O' JOY Jes' to dream you're only a boy Jes' to get away frum th' cares

An' be jes' a freckled faced boy

SAYS BIG OIL POOL EXISTS UNDER GULF

Belief that a great pool of oil exists under the Gult of Mexico is expressed by Dr. James H Head of Opposition to the "return to nor- Houston, who has presented papers maley as hearlded by the present dealing with the subject.

The papers include notes taken by Federal Administration," to the Ac-Franco American mariners who ministration taritt bill, to immigration and support of the League of attempted to find the mouth of the Nations was expressed by May- Mississppi years ago. In the notes, field. He also declared for Ameri- the marines told of great stretches can assistnance in stabilization of water covered by oil. He asserts of European aftairs and develop- that these reports confirm with the reports of the bureau of hydro-"Prohobition is here, and this is graphics, which state that oil in no time to discuss whether we should great quantities to stored under the

have it," Mavfield said. "The Vol. gulf. White visiting friends in Aransas beginning of each season with the permit the manufacture of light wine Pass a few years ago, Dr. Head said existed under the Gulf about ten miles off of the main land.

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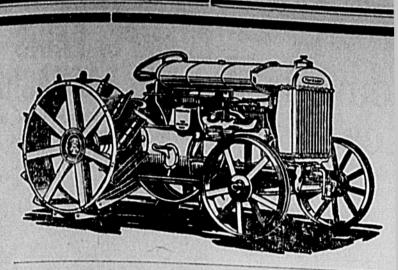
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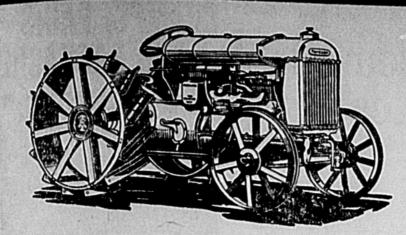
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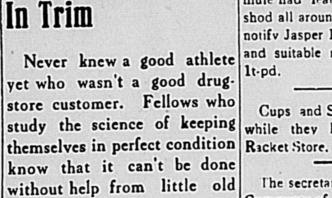


Bill Wise sez

They say that money talks, utallit ever says to me is 'good

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Finder will please notity J. A Moore, Cross Plains, Texas. 11-np

Jr., returned nome Wednesday trom a two-weeks visit with relatives in

Plain White Bowls for 15c, 25c, 35c and 45c. These are great values. The Racket Store.

Mrs S. F. Bond ud children moved to Abilene last Saterday where they will make their tempor ary home in order to place the children in school during the presen

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ployed with the Review office since 95th milestone. the first of the oil boom, has gone with the Free Press at DeLeon.

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15 hands high, othe 16 hands, pide harness marks, unbranded. Smaller mule had leather hautter on, both shod all around. Finder will please notify Jasper Daniels, Ci Co, Texas, and suitable reward will be paid

Cups and Saucers, special price while they last, 65c set. The

We are in business to help formed the Review that on Sept. folks take care of themselves - Gladys Childs of Cross Plains were the raid were Guy B. Hardy, W their teeth, their hair, their registerants at the Roswell tourist W Edwards, J. C. Harwell, Fred skins-in fact their whole camp ground while on their way to Heiser and J. M. Mayso.

> ree weeks auto and camping trip, during which time they sojourned at Hot Springs, Ark., extending their visit to relatives in Tennessee, returned through the northern part of Mississippi and enjoying a great recreation, returned to their home in cross Plains last Saturday.

Just eceive. Large shipment of Queensware, cups and saucers. ios Plains Furniture Store.

9 inch plates 90c. 7-inch plates 60c. a Cross Plains Furniture Store or Queensware, cups and saucers. with 70.8 on July 25.

9 inch plates 90c, 7-inch plates 60c. Bowls and platters.

According Child's Place given and will be away until after Oct. 1st. with each 50c purchase on these Please call and settle your account specials. Mis. Wilson, at Cross it your name is on my books. Thanks. Plains Furniture Store.

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Nearly new Ford, cash and terms L. P Henslee.

garten work Monday, Sept. 18th, at Racket Store. the Christian Church. Will be glad to see all who are interested Re-

L. B Mauding, who was former

C. S. Boyles, Jr., left the first of this week for Brownwood, where he Saddle lost or stolen off horse, has entered school for the present

Mrs. L. P. Henslee and Lem Paul, GRAND-FATHER OF CISCO MAN IS 103 YEARS OLD

The people of Ci-co had just as el make up their minds to endure he presence of E. J. Barnes for a good long while unless he meets up with some accident or can e per

Why? Because Mr. Barnes comes of a long-life family- one that makes a study of "hanging on."

His tather, William Barnes, who makes his home with him, will be 86 years of age his next birthday, and is still young and in good health His mother, who was a Miss Milner is past 71, while her father, Rev, Mr. Milner, is still living in east Tex For Sale-My home in Abilene, as at what might be termed the ripe large rooms with all conveniences. age of 103 years, and now and then Well located. If interested address fiels the pulpit at various Baptist "Owner," P. O. Box 337, Abilene, churches. Mr. Milner has been a or phone 1294. Price right. 1t pd minister of the gospel about 70 years Sam Brown, who has been em- ister is still living and has passed he The wife of this good Baptist min

WOMAN CAUSES LIQUOR RAIDS AT PIONEER

A wholesale raid of liquor joints in Pioneer was made by Federa prohibition officers last week, and a woman's shrewness lead the officers It-no to every location where the fiery fluid was being dispensed. Severa persons were arrested and the raid is believed to be the starting of a general war on alleged vice conditions

The woman is Edith Zutler, mem ber of the United States Secre Lost-Pair bay mare naies, one Service. She had been in Pioneer several days, concealing her identity week Federal prohibition officers raided an establishment said to have been conducted as a wholesale iquor house. Those arrested are being held in jail transfer to Abilene.

Following the raid the mayor has houses and all hotels. The Chamber The secretary of the Chamber of of Commerce has wired the situation Commerce of Roswell, N. M., in- to Governor Netf and asked for

Federal officers participating in

Cris Parson and family, after a 10.575.000 BALES IS GOV. ESTIMATE IN SEPT

A reduction of 874,000 bales in the prospective cottoncrop of this year since the forecast of a mont h ago was shown in the Department of Acriculture's September cotton re port issued last week forecasting the total cotton crop at 10,575, 000 bales

13 8 points during August as con pared with an average declin of 7 points in the previous ten years, th condition having been 57.0 per cen Just Received-Large shipment o normal on Aug. 25, as compared

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FINANCIAL PEACE IS IN POTASH PACT

FRANCE-GERMAN AGREEMENT IS FORWARD STEP IN ECONOMIC RELATIONS.

TAKES PLACE OF THREATS

Following Stinnes Reconstruction Plan, Emphasizes Trend to Rapprochement.

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Paris .-- A torward step in strengthening of Franco-German economic relations is marked by the report that French potash interests in Alsace have formed an agreement with their German rivals in order to curb competition, particularly in the Eastern markets.

This, following closely on the Stinnes agreement for the reconstruction of the devastated regions, served to emphasize the new tendency to work for rapprochement with Germany instead of attempting to get results by a series of futile threats. Powerful French metallurgical in-

terests, according to well-founded ru-

mors, are now attempting to arrange agreement with the German coal and coke barons which, if successful, will create a Franco-German steel and iron-producing, combination that will certainly be the most powerful in Europe, and, if extensive ly pushed, might be a formidable rival of America in Continental European markets, to say nothing of Eng-

Although local metallurgical magnates are reticent regarding their plans, it is known that Louis Louchcur, former Minister of the Devastated Regions, has spent considerable time recently in the Nancy and Bries mine regions, and, inasmuch as he framed the Weisbaden agreements with Dr. Walter Rathenau, the late German Foreign Minister, it is deemed likely that he has a finger in the international pie.

Furthermore, President Millerand who before the war was general counsel for the Comite des Forges, the central organization representing the metallurgical interests, is an outspoken advocate of helping Germany to her feet. During his premiership, Millerand emphasized that it was to help its debtor toward solvability, and flee before the on-sweeping ualty list from wood alcohol poison Although the President's power is limited by the Constitution, his influence through personal persuasion among bankers and manufacturers is tremendous. It is quite possible therefore, that President Millerand is quietly, but doggedly, taking advantage of the adjournment of the Parliament to direct France's policy to ward Germany on the basis of a rapproachement instead of threats.

DALLAS COMES SECOND IN CATTLE RECORD

Houston Leading Lity In August In Eradication of Tuberculosis Reports Show.

Ave herds were tested during August and that two reactors were found. industry. Second in effort for tubercular-free dairy herds was Dallas, with the same number of herds tested and rect the agency to make a separate hours. seven reactors found among 1,192 and distinct investigation of the anhear of cattle in the herds. Testing thracite industry and to inquire into Japanese Buy Sheep From Wyoming their utmost to effect an armistice th oughout the State, however, was any "organized relationships" be Laramie, Wyo-Representatives of slack during the month of August reen miners and operators if they the Japanese government have beer only about 3,400 head of cattle being exist. The change was a direct re the largest purchasers of sheep ever

Temple, Waco and Wichita Falls were on the "no reactor" list, while Beaumont stood at the foot with sixteen to be resumed as a result of an included nearly 300 Rambouillet ewo reactor samong 396 head of cattle tested. El Paso's record was 264 head tested and ten reactors found.

Alexander Howat Must Stay in Jall. deposed president of the Kansas Miners' Union, must stay in jail at Girard, where he is serving a year's illness is described as an ailment tion to hold. sentence for calling a strike in violation of an injunction. Judge A. J. Curran of the Crawford County Dis trict Court refused to grant Howat &

Mexia Plans Poultry Show. Mexia, Texas.-The Chamber of Commerce has announced that the next Trades Day event will be devoted to the encouragement of coultry. Following the event of Tuesday of this week another Trades Day will be held in October, on which occasion a poultry show will be held.

Klan Head Makes Bond. Indianapolis, Ind .- Edward Young Clarke acting imperial wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, left Indianapolis for Atlanta late Friday, leaving behind a \$2,000 bond for his appearance in Federal Court on a charge of transporting and possessing liquor in violation of the Voistead act. Clarke surrendered to the Federal authorities early Friday and gave the bond, which was signed by a surety com-

GREECE READY TO QUIT ASIA MINOR

Commander Prisoner-King is Fugitive-Would Demobilize Armies If Possible.

form a new Minstry.

Paris.-Greece has offered to evacuate Asia Minor on condition that the Turks grant an immediate armisace. The Greek offer was sent direct to Angora, the seat of the Turkish Nationalist Government. This development, made known

semi-officially here, follows close on the disaster which the Greek army

talk afterward," Firid Bey, European representative of the Angora Government, told the United News when asked what answer his Government is likely to make to the Greek request for an armistice.

Bey said. "We intend to take Smyrna and talk afterward unless the Greeks completely surrender and Railway Executives. unconditionally accept our terms in surrender of all war material"

The Turkish representative said he did not believe the Greeks could hold conditions. out at Smyrna. "The Greeks are retreating in dis-

order," he said, "and are anxious to seniority rights. get aboard the warships waiting at "Our advance guard is encounter- roads now have 305,000 shopmen at ing little opposition. Soon we will work compared with 400.000 before either catch up with the main Greek

army or it will be driven into the sea. It is evident that the Greeks intended to embark part of their troops 8 DIE FROM EFFECTS at Mundiana, but we did not give them time. If they do not surrender we will enter Smyrna with fixed bayonets. Following the capture of the Greek

commander in chief. General Tricoupis, the Turks swept the demoralized Greeks before them in a chase toward Smyrna. The Greeks, unable to put up an effective fight, could do of irresponsible bootleggers was giver nothing but burn their strongholds Wednesday night as Brooklyn's cas Mustapha Kemal issued an order

by death.

ANTI-PROFITEERING COAL BILL IS PASSED

Sends It to Conference.

Washington.-With only seven negative votes recorded, the Senate were women. passed the first of the emergency coal bills, the House measure as identified by her voice and descrip mended was sent to conference for tion a woman, 50 years old, as the

dication of .__erculosis among dairy tion of the fact-finding commission of two laborers who drank in her the victorious Turks in Asia Minor. cattle during the month of Augus; measure, but final action on it was restaurant Monday. according to the monthly report of deferred by a sudden, and, at times, Keenan, likewise, was able to hell danger of being driven into the sea, a great responsibility and God will Dr. Leon G. Cloud. State Veterinarian heated debate over provisions which authorities before he died. He took and the allies are alarmed lest the The report shows that in Houston would direct the commission to study a \$2 bill given him by detectives and victors open a campaign of extermi-

a ndment to strike out this section. yearlings.

Wife of President is III.

Washington - Mrs. Harding, wife of neither alarming nor serious.

Cotton Crop Estimate Large. Paris, Texas .- Aithough the cotton was about 30,000 bales.

\$1,000 in Merchandise Taken in Raid. worth of merchandise Thursday night an automobile.

Call On Congress to Impeach. New York.—A resolution calling upon Congress to impeach Attorney the throne of Greece is menaced by General Daugherty and Federal Judge the collapse of his army in Asia Wilkerson for the injunction issued Minor, according to uncensored inforat Chicago in connection with the mation from Athens reaching here strike of the shopcraft unions was Successive victories by the Turks adopted Thursday night at a meeting have culminated in a complete de

be raised. it was announced.

POLICY COMMITTEE CALLED TO MEET

Not Imminent, Says Cuyler of Rumors. Strikers Ask Impeachment of Daugherty.

Chicago, Ill .-- A call for a meeting Athens .- The Greek Government of the policy committee of ninety in has resigned. King Constantine has Chicago, 10 a. m. September 11, was asked Nikolas Kalageropoulous to sent out by John Scott, secretary of small white 9 1-2c pound. California the striking railway shoperaft unions. pink beans 7 1-2c ib., California black-The telegraphic appeal was in code and was addressed to the regional general chairmen of the organization

in all parts of the country. It was expected that it would be several days before they could arrive in Chicago. and for that reason no general sessions were expected before the first of next week.

The meeting was called, it was intiin Asia Minor met at the hands of mated, to consider plans for a settlethe Turks within the last twenty-four ment of the strike on separate roads "We intend to take Smyrna and country's mileage. It followed reports of conferences between B. M. Jewell, head of the strikers, and rail execu-

> New York .- Reports that peace is imminent in the strike of railroad shopmen are "absolutely without foundation," according to T. DeWitt Cuyler, chairman of the Association of

"The roads are standing squarely we will demand complete on the platform adopted by them at evacuation of Asia Minor and the their meeting Aug. 23," said Cuyler. "The executives are a unit as to this, and are entirely satisfied with present

This platform denies to striking shopmen the restoration of their The collapse of the strike, Cuyler declared, is in sight, because the

Warning Sounded of Menace of Boot leggers As Many Are Reported

New York .- Warning of the menace ing continued to grow.

Death of Michael Keenan and Mrs to his troops announcing any moles. Sigma Johnson after drinking poisor tation of Christians will be punished liquor that caused complete blindness brought the total of fatalities to eight while many other persons were re Three arrests have been made of per box.

charges of homicide. Louis Carris, field secretary of the Louis Carris, field secretary of the National Committee for the Preven U. S. SEND BATTLESHIPS Senate Acts On the Measure and tion of Blindness, seized the occasion to advise the country against patroniz ing bootleggers.

Mrs. Johnson, after going blind

mines, along with other phases of the ing a little later with a bottle of minority peoples. whisky. The place was immediately Before quitting for the day, the raided. Soon after Keenan went commission bill was amended to di- totally blind and died within a few

tested and thirty-five reactors being suit of the recent settlement of the recorded in Wyoming, according to anthracite tie-up. The fight on anannouncements here. The sheep will Abilene, San Aneglo, Sherman, whether the commission should be be shipped to Japan immediately "rected to inquire into the advisa- going by rail to Vancouver and thence lity of nationalization is expected to Tokio by steamer. The purchase

600 Bales "old at Henderson. Henderson, Texas.-Six hundred the President, is ill and under the bales of cotton were received here Pittsburg, Kan .- Alexander Howat, care of Dr Sawyer, the family physi- Saturday from the wagons and every cian. She has been confined to the bale was sold. Cotton is opening White House for several days. Her rapidly and farmers show no inclina-

Some Cotton Is Held.

Kerens, Texas.-Drop in prices has caused farmers to hold some of their crop has deteriorated in Lamar cotton, but reecipts remain heavy County on account of hot weather Over 5,000 bales have been weighed and insect pests, the crop as a whole here and receipts are now 400 a day is expected to be about twice what Half the crop has been gathered it was last year. The yield last year | Seed is bringing \$24 and cotton 20

Man Killed Hunting for Treasure. Lawton, Ok .- The store of W. A. Georgetown, Texas .- August Wed Sapp of Sterling was robbed of \$1,000 ner, about 50 years old, was killed y a fall in a cave where a hunt was by persons who made their escape in leing made for buried treasure be tween (stown and Leander.

Greek King May Lost Throne. Paris.-King Constantine's seat of of the Central Trades Council gov- moralization of the Greek forces. This erning organized labor throughout debacle has stirred up a storm of dis Greater New York. Three and a half satisfaction in athens so deep-seated million dollars to aid the strikers will that it may lead to the fall of Con

THE MARKETS

Prices quoted below were stone obtained from jobbers and commission men and are subject to constant fluctuations. They are given here as an approximation of the actual market.

Dairy Products. BUTTER-Creamery 28c. CREAM CHEESE-Daisy 24-25c. Domestic Swiss -- 55-45c, brick 24c.

DRIED BEANS-California navies. Baby Limas 11 1-2c. RICE-Fancy Blue

Sugar and Syrup. SUGAR-Beet, \$7.75 per 100 lbs., pure cane \$7.85 per 100 lbs. SYRUP-Louisiana pure, No. 10 cans \$4-\$4.25 a case No. 5 cans \$4.50 a case. No. 2 1-2 cans \$4.75. No. 1 1-2 cans \$3.60-4.25.

Poultry and Eggs.

HENS-15-16c per lb. ROOSTERS-8-9c pound, Young Chickens 1 3-4 to 2 1-4 17-18c per 1b. TURKEYS-21c-22c. DUCKS-15c and 16c per lo. GUINEAS representing about one-third of the \$3.60 per dozen. GEESE-8-10c lb. EGGS

Gram, Hay and Feed.

alfalfa \$20.00-\$22.00 per ton. grass \$10.00-12.00 per ton CORN-83c OATS-50-55c per bu. CORN CHOPS-\$1.70-\$1.80 per 100 lbs. BRAN-\$1.30 per 100 pounds. KAFIR CORN--\$1.80 per 100 lbs. MIXED CHICKEN FEED-Extra quanty \$2.50 per 100 Ds., standard grade \$2.10, COTTONSEED MEAL-\$53 a ton in ton lots. WHITE SHORTS-\$2.00-2.10 per 100 ibs. BROWN FEED-\$1.69. MILO MAIZE-\$1.80-1.85.

Fresh Vegetables. EGGPLANT-10c per pound. GREEN BEANS-15c per lb. LETTUCE-\$5.00 per crate, POTATOES-California White 1-3c per lb. Burbanks 2 3-4c. BEETS 4-5c per lb., 75c per dozen bunches. CABBAGE-3 and 314c per lb. ONIONS-Green, 40-50c dcz. bunches, Crystai Wax 6c-7c lb. Bermuda 3c per lb. PARSLEY-50c per doz. bunches. MUSTARD-10c per lb., 90c per dozen buncnes, MATOES-California \$2,50 per CELERY-\$1.50 per dozen. FLOWER-171/2c per lb. CUCUMBER-4-5c lb. TURNIPS-5c lb. SWEET
POTATOES (new crop) 3c per 10.
OKRA-12-15c, BLACK-EYED PEAS-10-12c lb.

Flour and Meal. FLUUC-Extra Patent \$7.00, basis 192 lbs., 48-lb, sacks \$1.75, 24-lb, sacks MEAL--Cream Meal, 50 lb. sacks 95c 25-1b. sacks 50c, 10-lb. sacks 21c, 5-lb.

Packing-House Products. HAM-Extra 30c per lb. extra skinned 31c. BREAKFAST BACON-Strips 37c. 18-20c. PURE LARD-13 1-2c-14 1-2c, compound 12 1/2c. OLEMARGARINE-23-NUT MARGARINE-23-24c. FRESH PORK-Loins 20-22c, hame 24-25c, shoul-

Fresh Fruits

BANANAS-6 1-z-7 1-2e per 1b. LIMES \$1.00 per basket. LEMONS-\$7.00 per ORANGES-California navel \$9-12. WATERMETONS-\$1.50-2.00 per 100 lbs.
ELBERTA PEACHES-\$3.00-3.50 per
bushel. APPLES-Arkansas \$3.00 per box. PEAR California Bartlett

TO TROUBLE CENTER

Four of the victimes stricken dead Greeks in Danger of Being Driven Into Sea by the Turks.

London.-The United States has enter Christian service because of .djustment of differences with the person who sold her the whisky Wed joined the allied Governments-Great nesday morning. The woman had Britain, France and Italy-in the dis- iness (1:12,13). Because of lack of Fort Worth, Texas.—Houston was Passage of the profiteering bill was previously been released on bail after patch of warships to Smyrna to pro- love the routine of duty became Irkthe leading city in Texas in the era followed immediately by considera-

Defeated, the Greek troops are in to teach God's law to the people have the question of nationalization of the staggered into a "blind pig," emerg nation against the helpless Christian 15). (1) For ungodly marriages (2:11,

Ships were sent on the urgent appeal of Great Britiain. Simultaneously with the dispatch of the composite fleet of warships, the allies, and particularly Great Britain, are doing between the Greeks and the Turks before the Grecian army is wiped out.

Word that the great naval powers had joined in rushing battleships to the troubled centers of the Near East came from Constantinople and was accompanied by confirmation of reports that Great Britain is trying desperately to bring about an armistice before the general conference on the Near East to be held at Venice, probably late this month.

Official information here is that the Greek position is bad. Messages from Athens and Constantinople indicate the troops of Mustapha Kemal, the Turkish chieftain, are menacing Drusa, the base of the Northern Greek army, and are splitting the Greek forces in geveral places.

Military Review Opens Centennial. Rio De Janeiro.—Brazil's centennial exposition has opened here with a gorgeous military review in which the uniforms of many nations we ϵ present. Enormous crowds, estimated at more than 250,000 filled the stand Special missions from vatries sat in seats of honor. Secre tary of State Hughes, who came iron the United States to attend the open-

ing ceremony, was seated directly

behind President Persoa.

Whether Tariff or Bonus Comes First Washington .- Decision as to whether the tariff bill will be laid aside temporarily for the soldier bonus bill is expected to be reached by the conference committee of Senate and House, to which both measures have been referred, Chairman McCumber issued a call for the meeting of the conference to discuss the question, summoning Democratic as well as Republican members of the commit-

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They were guilty (1) of profanity

(1:6). Their profanity was in despis-

rights. (4) Blasphemy (3:13-15)

Shall Befall the Nation (8:1-5; 4:1-6)

III. The Severe Judgments Which

1. By Whom Executed. This is

done by the Lord. Judgment has been

committed to the Son of God (Acts

2. Time of Second Coming of Christ.

John the Baptist was the forerunner

of His first coming. Elijah shall be

the forerunner of His second coming

3. Result. For the righteous it will

be a day of healing and salvation. To

the wicked it will be a day of burning

and destruction. A book of remem-

brance is now being kept. A day of

Even as He Is Pure.

Beloved, now are we the sons of

God, and it doth not yet appear what

we shall be; but we know that, when

He shall appear, we shall be like Him :

for we shall see Him as He is. And

purifieth himself, even as he is pure,-

Not Afraid.

I laid me down and slept; I awaked;

for the Lord sustained me. I will not

be afraid of ten thousand people-

every man that hath this hope in him

retribution is coming.

I John 3:2-3.

ing the name of God. To fall to honor God is to be profane. To use His name in any unreal way is to be thus guilty. (2) Sacrilege (vv. 7, 8), Their sacrilegious act was in offering polluted bread and blemished sacrifices, To bring such offerings to an earthly ruler would be a gross insult. Gifts to be acceptable with God must be genuine; must cost something. We should give to God our best. There is no intellect too brilliant to offer in the Lord's service. The young should not esteem their lives wasted who offer them on the altar of missionary sacrifice. (3) Greed (1:10). They were not willing to open the doors of God's house without pay. Our service should be out of a heart of love for God, not for profit. This has a vital application to ministers and evangelists today, To worldly gain is of this type. (4) Wearthe people (2:1-9). Those set apart most surely demand an accounting. 2. Against the People (2:10-17; 3:7-

12). God's purpose in the prohibition of mixed marriages was that He might **Problem** raise up holy seed (v. 15). The marringe of the believer with the unbeliever today brings confusion into the fold of God and turns aside His purpose. (2) For divorce (2:13-16). Divorce was the source of great sorrow -even the tears of the wronged women covering the altar (v. 13). The offerings of a man who had thus treated his wife would be an abomination to God. The tears of wronged women today are going up to God and make even the prayers of some men an abomination to Him. (3) Public wrongs (3:5, 6). (a) Sorcery-magic. BEST had run out. Mr. A. D. Mebane, knowing full well Those who practice such things should be regarded as public offenders. (b) Adultery. This is a sin of wider extent than the parties concerned. (c) False swearing. (d) Oppression of the hireling, widow and fatherless. (e) Turned aside the stranger from his

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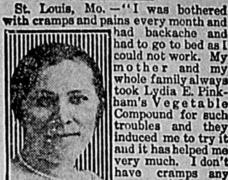
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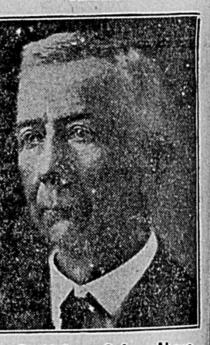
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res that d—d villain again—hold any dark implication hidden in his words, no one seemed to observe it.

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ny friends, I don't suppose en Bob recently?" was silent. Jachin Fell. responded with a cold nod

he said in his peculiarly tone "Yes, we have. At least

riedly. He made an expressare of despair. "He's in cosf course. I've been given to ell, drinking."

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vily in his eyes.

Forester, in his kindly way t, tut, Joseph." he said, gently, will be boys, you know; really, no great matter! Don't let it so hard. I'll go with you to room, of course. Where is

l all go," put in Ansley, "We'll little party of our own, gentle-Come on, I believe we'll be able cover the place." four men left the foyer and d through the corridors. .

bear," said Judge Forester to tor Ansley, as they followed the two, "that there has been astonnews today from the Midnigh afternoon-loot the bandit had a. It appears to have been some of a carnival joke, after all." poor one, then," responded Ansand in doubtful taste. I've ard nothing of it. I wouldn't mind ting back the little cash I lost. bugh I must say I'll believe the

when I see the money-" broke off quickly. they turned a corner of the corr to the four men came realizathat they had attained their geal. m one of the rooms ahead there aded snatches of a boisterous chorbeing roared forth lustily. As halted, to distinguish from which the singing proceeded, the chorwas broken off by an abrupt and den silence. This silence was acugh the singers had checked their dlin song in mid-career.

)-n it!" muttered Maillard, "Did hear us coming? No. that oldn't matter a hang to them-but at checked them so quickly?" This door," said Fell, indicating

rattle as a number of chips fell Cursed queer!" observed Jachin I frowning. "I wonder what hapied to them so abruptly? Perhaps he deal was finished—they're having game. Well, go ahead, Joseph!

the scene which greeted them. room was large and well lightwindows and transom darkened the occasion. Tobacco smoke Judge Forester, I'm afraid there is the all the room stood a large Gentlemen, you will kindly unmask— co the littered with the room stood a large which one of you is Robert Maillard?"

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Illustrations by Irwin Myers

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Perhaps because the Masquer did not

fire instantly, and perhaps because Malliard's mad action shamed them, the nearer members of the drinking party burled themselves at the bandit. The threat of the weapon was forgotten, unheeded in the sweeping lust of the man-hunt. It seemed that the fellow feared to fire; and about him closed the party in a surging mass, with a burst of sudden shouts, striking and clutching to pull him down and put him under foot.

Then, when it seemed that they had him without a struggle, the Masquer broke from them, swept them apart nd that-well, that he has and threw them off; hurled them clear away. He moved as though to leap through the side doorway whence he had come, With an oath, Maillard hurled him

self forward, struck blindly and furiously at the bandit, and fastened upon him about the waist. There was a surge forward of bodies as the others crowded in to pull down the Masquer before he could escape. It looked then as though he were indeed lostuntil the automatic flamed and roared in his hand, its choking fumes bursting at them. The report thundered in the room; a second report thundered, deafeningly, as a second bullet sought its mark.

Like a faint echo to those shots came the slam of a door. The Masquer was gone! After him, into the farther room,

rushed some of the party; but he had vanished utterly. There was no trace of him. His complete disappearance



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confused the searchers. After a moment, however, they returned to the lighted room. The Masquer had gone. but behind him had remained a more grim and terrible masquer. In the room which he had just left, the

however, there had fallen a dread si- ste lence and consternation. One of the masqued drinkers held an arm that jol hung helpless, dripping blood; but his in hurt passed unseen and uncared for, he even by himself.

"Dead," he said, 'curtly, "Shot

the room stood a large with glasses and bot-with scattered cards, with chips Amid a stunned and horrified silence bout this table had been sitting a dozen members of the Krewe one by one removed their grotesque headgear, staring at the dead man whose white face looked up at them with an air of grim accusation. But none of them or earne forward to claim kinship with an air

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2:17). 1. Against the Priests (1:6-2, 9). They were gullty (1) of profanity (1:6). Their profanity was in despising the name of God. To fail to honor God is to be profane. To use His name in any unreal way is to be thus guilty. (2) Sacrilege (vv. 7, 8), Their sacrilegious act was in offering polluted bread and blemished sacrifices. To bring such offerings to an earthly ruler would be a gross insult. Gifts to be acceptable with God must be genuine; must cost something. We should give to God our best. There is no intellect too brilliant to offer in the Lord's service. The young should not esteem their lives wasted who offer them on the altar of missionary sacrifice. (3) Greed (1:10). They were not willing to open the doors of God's house without pay. Our service should

be out of a heart of love for God, not for profit. This has a vital application to ministers and evangelists today. To nited States has enter Christian service because of worldly gain is of this type. (4) Weariness (1:12,13). Because of lack of to Smyrna to pro- love the routine of duty became lrksome, (5) Not teaching the law to the people (2:1-9). Those set apart to teach God's law to the people have a great responsibility and God will most surely demand an accounting. 2. Against the People (2:10-17: 3:7helpless Christian 15). (1) For ungodly marriages (2:11, 12). God's purpose in the prohibition t on the urgent ap. of mixed marriages was that He might

raise up holy seed (v. 15). The marringe of the believer with the unbeliever today brings confusion into the fold of God and turns aside His purpose. (2) For divorce (2:13-16). Divorce was the source of great sorrow -even the tears of the wronged women covering the altar (v. 13). The offerings of a man who had thus treated his wife would be an abomination to God. The tears of wronged women ing was in many cases not Melbant today are going up to God and make | Seed at all, and if Mebane, so many even the prayers of some men an abomination to Him. (3) Public wrongs (3:5, 6). (a) Sorcery-magic. BEST had run out.

Those who practice such things should Adultery. This is a sin of wider extent ing that it was not only a reflection be regarded as public offenders. (b) than the parties concerned. (c) False on the quality of his Seed-which has swearing. (d) Oppression of the hire stood the test for over twenty years ling, widow and fatheriess, (e) but also having the interests of his Turned aside the stranger from his fellow farmers at heart, in seeing that rights. (4) Blasphemy (3:13-15) they should get his PEDIGREED

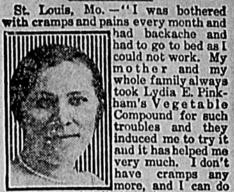
be a day of healing and salvation. To the wicked it will be a day of burning and destruction. A book of remembrance is now being kept. A day of retribution is coming.

Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be; but we know that, when He shall appear, we shall be like Him: for we shall see Him as He is. And every man that hath this hope in him purifieth himself, even as he is pure .--I John 3:2-3.

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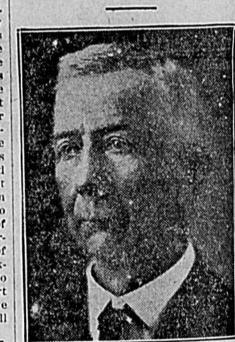
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APTER VIII-Continued.

faillard, almost with relief. friends, I don't suppose Bob recently?" was silent. Jachin Fell. responded with a cold nod

e said in his peculiarly tone "Yes, we have. At least, rried," said Maillard, anxidedly. He made an expressre of despair. "He's in coscourse. I've been given to

e of compassion. "A number Krewe are occupying one of ms in the building, and they we been visiting it frequently. for your sake that the fact become generally known in

rd nodded. Shame and anger rily in his eyes Forester, in his kindly way hand on the banker's arm. tut, Joseph," he said, gently of sympathy in his voice will be boys, you know; really no great matter! Don't let it so hard. I'll go with you to e room, of course. Where is

l all go," put in Ansley, "We'll little party of our own, gentle-Come on, I believe we'll be able over the place."

four men left the fover and through the corridors. . bear," said Judge Forester to tor Ansley, as they followed the two, "that there has been astonng news today from the Midnight ver. It seems that a number of ple have received back property It appears to have been some f a carnival joke, after all." poor one, then," responded Ansand in doubtful taste. I've nothing of it. I wouldn't mind ing back the little cash I lost. agh I must say I'll believe the

when I see the money-" broke off quickly. they turned a corner of the corto the four men came realizathat they had attained their goal. one of the rooms ahead there ed snatches of a boisterous choreing roared forth lustily. As halted, to distinguish from which the singing proceeded, the chorsas broken off by an abrupt and en silence. This silence was acated by the preceding noise, as ugh the singers had checked their dlin song in mid-career. -n it!" muttered Maillard, "Did

hear us coming? No, that aldn't matter a hang to them-but at checked them so quickly?" This door," said Fell, indicating to their right. He paused at it, ening, and over his features came disgular expression. As the others hed him, they caught a low murt of voices, a hushed sound of talk, rattle as a number of chips fell however, there had fallen a disputation of the control of the

heavens!" he cried, furiously.

blind rage, transported out of by his sudden access of pasbanker hurled himself forfrom the bandit burst r cry warning; the pistol in his toward his assallant. lon precipitated the event, son Blanche building was deserted and notice it."—Answers.

Copyright by Doubleday Page and Company Perhaps because the Masquer did not fire instantly, and perhaps because Maillard's mad action shamed them, the nearer members of the drinking party hurled themselves at the bandit. The threat of the weapon was forgotten, unbeeded in the sweeping lust of

the man-hunt. It seemed that the fellow feared to fire; and about him closed the party in a surging mass, with a burst of sudden shouts, striking and clutching to pull him down and put him under foot. Then, when it seemed that they had

him without a struggle, the Masquer broke from them, swept them apart that-well, that he has and threw them off; hurled them clear away. He moved as though to leap through the side doorway whence he had come.

With an oath, Maillard hurled himself forward, struck blindly and furiously at the bandit, and fastened upon him about the waist. There was a surge forward of bodies as the others crowded in to pull down the Masquer before he could escape. It looked then as though he were indeed lostuntil the automatic flamed and roared in his hand, its choking fumes bursting at them. The report thundered in the room; a second report thundered, deafeningly, as a second bull let sought its mark.

Like a faint echo to those shots came the slam of a door. The Masquer was gone!

After him, into the farther room, rushed some of the party; but he had vanished utterly. There was no trace of him. His complete disappearance



The Threat of the Weapon Was Forgotten, Unheeded in the Sweeping

ment, however, they returned to the this thing has my goat!" lighted room. The Masquer had gone, but behind him had remained a more | Ben Chacherre,

· however, there had fallen a dread si- story, which sounded straight the way

m the blackcoats, and if you need a motionless figure, prone on the dirmoral support, call on Judge Forty floor; and it was the figure of ty floor; and it was the figure of ty floor; and it was the figure of the murderer must have been the tent of any prohibition thereof by Mallard. The physician says the murderer must have been the congress. The power vested in the large term of the side. They feet, He made a terribly significant cause all young Mallard's crowd knew congress by this article shall be additional to and not a limitation on the a came to a startled halt, at riew gesture, and his crisp voice broke about the party that was to be held ditional to and not a limitation on the

1. By Whom Executed. This is done by the Lord. Judgment has been committed to the Son of God (Acts 17:30-31).

2. Time of Second Coming of Christ. John the Baptist was the forerunner of His first coming. Elijah shall be the forerunner of His second coming 3. Result. For the righteous it will

of his Seed; hence the A. D. Mass.

Sales Agency, which agency with Masquer—holding them up at distribute only Pedigreed Mebs.

Sales Agency, which agency with Masquer—holding them up at to say only what you have seen—and know. You will kindly remain here until I have summoned the positive of supports.

He left the room, and if there were that d-d villain again-hold any dark implication hidden in his words, no one seemed to observe it.

CHAPTER IX.

On the Bayou.

concerned. The cleaners and scrubvomen had long since finished their asks and departed. Out in the streets he tag-ends of carnival were running n a swiftly ebbing tide. A single eleator in the building was, however, n use. A single suite of offices, with carefully drawn blinds, was lighted and occupied.

They were not ornate, these offices, They consisted of two rooms, a small reception room and a large private office, both lined to the ceiling with books, chiefly law books. In the larger room were sitting three men. One of the three, Ben Chacherre, sat in a chair tipped back against the wall, his eyes closed. From time to time he opened those sparkling black eyes of his, and through narrow-slitted lids directed keen glances at the other two men. One of the men was the chief of

police. The second was Jachin Fell. whose offices these were. "Even if things are as you say, which I don't doubt at all," said the chief, slowly, "I can't believe the boy did it! And darn it all, if I pinch him there's goin' to be a h- of a

Fell shrugged his shoulders, and nade response in his toneless voice: "Chief, you're up against facts, Those facts are bound to come out and the newspapers will nail your hide to the wall in a minute. You've bare chance to save yourself by takng in young Maillard at once," The chief chewed hard on his cigar I don't want to save myself by puting the wrong man behind the bars,"

he returned. "It sure looks like he was the Masquer all the while, but you say that he wasn't. You say this was his only job-a joke that turned out bad." lon't want • accuse a man of crimes

the best of evidence that he did commit this crime. If the newspapers fasten the entire Midnight Masquer ousiness on him, as they're sure to do, we can't very well help him. I mave no sympathy for the boy." "Of course he did it," put in Ben

Thacherre, sleepily, "Wasn't be caught with the goods?" The others paid no heed. The chief ndicated two early editions of the morning papers, which lay on the desk in front of Fell. These papers carried full accounts of the return of

the Midnight Masquer's loot, explain-

ing his robberies as part of a carnival "The later editions, comin' out now," said the chief, "will crowd all that stuff off the front page with the Maillard murder. Darn it. Fell! Whether I believe it or not. I'll have to arrest the young fool."

Chacherre chuckled. Jachin F. smiled faintly. "Nothing could be plainer, chief," he responded. "First, Bob Maillard comes to us in front of the opera house, and talks about a great joke that he's going to spring on his friends across

"How'd you know who he was?" interjected the chief, shrewdly, "Gramont recognized him; Ansley and I confirmed the recognition. He was more or less intoxicated-chiefly more, Now, young Maillard was not in the room at the moment of the murminutes afterward he was found in a nearby room, hastily changing out of an aviator's uniform into his masquerade costume. Obviously, he had assumed the guise of the Masquer as a joke on his friends, and the joke had tragic ending. Further, he was in

and so had the uniform ready to hand. You couldn't make anybody believe that he hasn't been the Masquer all the time!" "Of course," and the chief nodded perplexedly, "It'd be a clear caseonly you call me in and say that he confused the searchers. After a mo- wasn't the Masquer! D-n it, Fell,

the aviation service during the war,

"What's Maillard's story?" struck in "He denies the whole thing," said In the room which he had just left, the worried chief. "According to his masqued drinkers held an arm that both them so abruptly? Perhaps deal was finished—they're having make. Well, go ahead, Joseph!

The black you up as a deputation masqued drinkers held an arm that hung helpless, dripping blood; but his hurt passed unseen and uncared for, shots startled him and made him change back. He swears that he had shots are the heard the shots. He claims that the shots startled him and made him change back. He swears that he had shots of age, and powers and other civilians applied for or were shots startled him and made him change back. He swears that he had shots of age, and powers and other civilians applied for or were shots startled him and made him change back. He swears that he had shots of age, and powers of age, ag

crime on anybody-" (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Netley-Was Boresom still talking Constitution. when you left the club? Miller-Really, I don't know. At three o'clock on the morning of conversation is so unimportant that

END CHILD LABOR

BENATOR M'CORMICK OF ILLI-NOIS TO OFFER AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION.

BELIEVES THIS THE ONLY WAY

Proposed Change in the Country's permanent part of the regular army, Basic Law is Drawn Up and Sup- as the enlisted men come and go with ported by Many Organizations- their varying terms of enlistment. It President Thinks States Should Act. Was the theory of the law that a num-

By JAMES P. HORNADAY Washington .- Another attempt so to amend the Constitution of the United States as to prevent child labor is to be made, it seems, regardless of what the states through their legislatures may do on the subject. Senator Medill placed under the War department. the new proposal. He is acting at the instance of the Permanent Conference for the Abolition of Child Lapor.

After several recent sessions this conference, which brought together representatives of the American Federation of Labor, women's clubs, church organizations, the League of Women Voters and other organizations, drew a constitutional amendment which was presented to Mr. McCormick.

At a conference between Senator McCormick and Samuel Gompers, president, and Frank Morrison, secretary, of the American Federation of Labor, who represented the conference committee, Senator McCormick agreed to press the proposed legislation.

"The child labor situation," said Senator McCormick, "can be met only by constitutional amendment, and I will offer the amendment." Amendment to the Constitution is proposed following two decisions of perience in these duties is essential

These Support It. posed child labor amendment to the it is a number that will go quite far Constitution were said by Senator Mc- by sprinkling through the great war-Cormick and the conterence committime army and helping to leaven the

tee to include the following: General Federation of Women's sary ideas of military science an Clubs, National Congress of Mothers cipline, fill many of the most respon and Parent Teachers' Associations, sible high commands for which a suf-National Council of Catholic Women, ficient number of citizen soldiers are National Women's Trade Union not then prepared, and in general help league, American Association of Uni- raise, equip and train the soldiers of association, Federal Council of the during the recent war. Church of Christ, national child lapor committee, Public Education and of Women Voters.

of Labor; Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, officered alike, some requiring many president of the General Federation more officers than others, and many of Women's Clubs; William Green, military functions are necessarily persecretary of the United Mine Work- formed by officers who are not aters; Miss Grace Abbot, chief of the tached to troops at all. children's bureau, Representative Accordingly, when the army reor-John I. Nolan, William H. Johnson, ganization act became law it providpresident of the International Asso- ed for an increase in the commissioner ciation of Machinists, and others rep- personnel of all grades, and under the

The Proposed Amendment.

will offer, reads:

Amid a stunned and horrified silence the members of the Krewe one by one removed their grotesque headgear, staring at the dead man whose white face looked up at them with an air of grim accusation. But none of them original Masquer was another person of grim accusation. But none of them original Masquer was another person of grim accusation. But none of them original Masquer was another person it is announced, to look to state legislatures to enact adequate child la-SEED BEARS THIS TRADEMALS

In order that Mr. Mebane can be some which cloaked them. Their of his Seed upon a large scale, it was not necessary that a sales agency be ganized for the proper distribute of his Seed; hence the A. D. MEBAN of his Seed; which agency whi for congress to delay action on the went across the street and "killed" "Virtuous man!" Fell smiled thinly, proposed constitutional amendment, two malted milks, "According to all the books, the chief If the legislatures should come and of police is only too glad to fasten the go without meeting the situation in a proper way, it will be time enough, in the judgment of the administra- peared at the Queen's hall, the goal

Big Job of Plucking Board. Every commissioned officer in the thoroughly.

army is nervous because no one knows where the board's lightning will strike. Whole System Is The reduction in the commissioned personnel is made necessary by the terms of the army appropriation bill.

When the army reorganization act of June 4, 1920, was drawn it authorized a strength of 17,726 commissioned officers for the regular or permanent military establishment. This number of officers was decidedly far more than would be needed simply to supply officers for the various tactical organizations of the army or for its normal peace-time administration and overhead. But it was recognized that the commissioned personnel is the only

ber of officers varying with the needs of the time would be detailed to duty with troops or for administration and weight." overhead, that others would be sent to the various service schools of the army, others still to various duties and responsibilities which are by law McCormick of Illinois is the author of such as rivers and harbors work, for system and helps you back to normal one instance, and that the body of commissioned officers remaining would be utilized in the various agencies concerned in the training of civilians and civilian or nonprofessional mili-

tary organizations as already indi-Would Keep Them Circulating. It was the idea of the law that the officers would be kept in circulation

throughout these activities, serving for a period with troops; then perhaps gong to a service school to acquire additional proficiency in their profession; then detailed once more to some administration, staff, or other overhead duty; then to the agencies of civilian training if fitted for that particular duty; and so on, roundabout, going back to troops frequently in order always to be close in touch with the actual army and its every day life and necessities.

It is the theory of the law that exthe Supreme court invalidating child to the army and that officers in peace labor laws passed by congress. The time should be trained not only in line first law declared void was one bar- duties but in administration, staff ring products of child labor from in- work, and similar responsibilities erstate commerce. The second placed which experience shows will instantly prohibitory tax upon persons em be enormously enlarged and comploying child labor. The Supreme plicated upon the outbreak of a war court said both laws were unconsti- and the raising of millions of men in tutional and an invasion of the rights citizen armies to take the field. It is of the states. Advocates of child lathe theory of the law, moreover, that bor then turned to an amendment to while the small number of regular offithe Constitution to make possible a cers maintained over and above the law that would stand the test in the exact requirements of the number of troops in the peace-time standing army cannot be anywhere sufficient to fill Organizations indorsing the pro- the higher grades in a war-time army, whole lump with some of the neces-

versity Women, National Council of the war-time army during the organi-Women, Young Women's Christian zation period, as was demonstrated Mistaken Way of Estimating. In attempting to estimate the num Labor Associations of Pennsylvania, ber of commissioned officers necessary social action department. National to an army it is a mistake to divide Catholic Welfare council, National the number of enlisted men by the Consumers' league, National League total number of officers and then to argue that we have an army made up The committee named to represent of "one officer to so many enlisted the so-called permanent conference men." The commissioned personnel for the abolition of child labor includ- of an army does not stand in any ed President Gompers and Secretary such ratio to the enlisted men. The Morrison of the American Federation various tactical organizations are not

resenting labor, civic or reform or terms of the law several thousand former emergency officers in the As approved by the child labor con- regular army in various grades, and ference, the proposed constitutional | the remaining vacancies were filled by amendment which Senator McCormick promotions of the regulars already in "The congress shall have power to however, it developed that not a suf-

Should Avoid Acquaintance.

Ed Oscars of the Majestic Tire company once lived in Greenfield. He was sitting in his automobile in front ago waiting for his secretary to return with the mail. "Hello, Ed." he heard coming over his shoulder, and a moment later was grasping the outstretched hand of a Greenfield ac quaintance.

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And then, for old-times' sake they

Street Singer in Luck. One of the artists who has just ap-

tion, for congress to take up the ques- of all English singers, is Miss Alice tion of another amendment to the Warwick, who, until a short time ago was a singer in the streets. One day a famous conductor heard her sing-The board of army officers that must lng, and at once recognized the perretire about 2,000 of their fellow offi- fect quality of her voice. He took her Ash Wednesday the great white Mai. when he stops talking I always fall tr cers has no small job on its hands, under his tutelage and trained her

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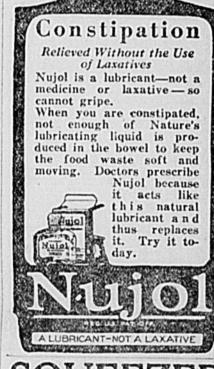
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Teacher (to pupil)-When did uis XIV die? No answer.

Teacher-Don't you know when Louis XIV died? Pupil-No ma'am. I must have

een absent that day.

PALM FIBER FOR BRUSHES

Quite a fair trade has developed what is known as "palm fiber" in Hongkong with the United States for the manufacture of brushes. The material is the center of the leaf stem of the small palm (livistons chinensis), which grows wild over much of the South China hill country and which is generally cultivated in some districts for its leaves-the

common palm leaf fan of commerce The fiber is obtained simply by soaking the stem and stripping of the outside portion. The fiber in the stem is then cut into convenient lengths and shipped in bundles of about two hundred pounds each The fiber is used locally and in fact all over South China in the manufacture of what are popularly known

ather than castigating, helping rather

n, probably, than in any other area the world, of equal size, of the

ers and governments, seeing that plished before the Pacific conference, and the rest occupy themselves a the Tsao Ting of China. If, however, we indulge in a continual civic strife between one province and another, we ire simply furnishing evidence to prove he truth of the Japanese contention.

We are not afraid of bold proposals a imperial policy, where those proonsals do not conflict with what we conceive to be natural development of imperial institutions. The whole questhe parties concerned, is surely contrary to the spirit which has led to he present development of the empire.

"If wives only knew what stenographers think of their husbands they wouldn't worry," says Life. Life has its wires crossed. The wives are not worrying about what the stenos think of their husbands, but about what the husbands may think of the stenographers, not having heard their husbands swear at the aforesald stenog-

however desirous of shooting one another up, are invariably ready with a

By reaching the North Pole, Captain The first report expected from him is

It is evident enough that the most disastrous war of all time left in its wake the most disastrous peace of all

If we were a young girl, and we lack much of being anything of the kind. we would rather the ribald wretches call us a chicken than a flapper.

DRILLING IN INDIA

By S. L. Bagby, Cross Plains, Tex

"A wasting Christian kisses on a eathern idol's foot."

Let it be understood at the be- get started going roune and ginning that this is a story told to the writer by a driller who spent a which sounds "Hola Bola" and vear in India, Kipling's hunting keep this up until the pipe is run ground. Let those who do not care pulled. The driller wakes up o to hear of the land over the seas that gave rise to "India's sunny have a joint "cross threaded" clime and where the poet, said to be Kipling, wrote" I've taken my fun where I've found it, I've roamed the work goes merrily on. and I've ranged in my time, I've had my picking of sweethearts and our of the lot they were prime," read no further for this is the story that 'Double Six," who is now boat from Prome. This is the drilling for Gehrett & Burris, told to

Let it be further understood that a girlie from Prome." he writer does not know from whom drillers can get jobs in India. I interviewed a driller fresh from India, once, published the and then was deluged by letters from drillers other drillers to go to India. who wanted to go over.

"Double Six" had just had a good dinner and the subject of India came up and this got him there must be a catch in it s started and before he finished the rest of the boarders were gathered around and listening with opened mouths as he told of India. The fact that certain sects in India bury their dead in honey for ten years and then cremate them brought forth exclamations of wonder from the

'In India," said "Double Six, "Mail Pouch cost sixty cents pouch and Bull Durham about fifty. So it is very easy to see that the lift of an American driller in India is hard life. They only work daylights, get twelve dollars a day and par of their expenses paid, and only have

According to "Double Six" about will not suffer from oc- all an American driller has to do in India, is to sit on the lazy beach and watch the coolies work. In India they don'thave a tool dresserspect, and the Japanese propaganda they have tool dressers, fourteen tool dressers on each well, to be exact. The driller occupies the lazy bench, the head coolie runs the engine, another fans out the screw without a ray of hope, says they see best, mostly by sleeping according to "Double Six."

When pipe is to be run three men mount the beam as stabbers and the other seventeen, understand I say seventeen, for a casing crew in India

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"Not a 'and will she turn, mum," she said, "not a 'and. Just fancy, mum, on'y yesterday morning she sons. wouldn't even take a cockroach off 'er own shoulder, an' 'er supposed to be so fond of animals."-London

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numbers 20 men, take down headache post and gather are the two casing poles, which hey Just how seventeen casers fourteen tool dressers can poss get on two poles, the writer can see, but we have "Double Si word for it. The round and I and singing some heathern in a while to see it the three stab then goes back to sleep or over visit with some other driller,

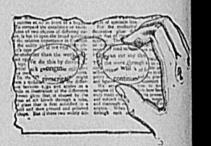
"Double Six" drilled near Ye Yaung, or at least that is who sounds like; this is in upper Bu To get to Yeung Yaung, he too mentioned in the poem, "To Ladies." The line reads, "One

Wells in India range from 50 10,000 barrels and are in most car owned by British capitol.

"Double Six" signed up with made the trip and about four still over there.

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