



The Pledge of '4444'

By WINFRED DUNBAR

The serious-faced superintendent of the grim penitentiary sat at his desk, pen in hand, a written list of numbers before him...

Sentiment and the Law

By DOROTHY WHITCOMB

Law and sentiment are the same thing," said Rogers the old corporation lawyer. Somebody had been lamenting the average jurymen's liability to bring in a verdict upon the evidence alone...

Education vs. Marriage

By CLAIRE SMITH

When Miss Frances Turner established her hill school for the children of the poor whites of Mill county, unfavorable prophecies concerning it were vented freely...

The Native, Ayrieth

By CALVIN HENDRICKS

"I do not think much of your choice, Blanche." "Do you mean of home or of husband, Marcie?" "Both. Walter is certainly as much in love with you as when he married you, but I would resent a husband bringing me to this unendurably desolate spot—no society, no comfort, no future, nothing but wallowing natives and a hot, blistering sun."

little duties, because they say 'material raw' and 'goods fancy' when it is really 'fabrics'..." "That night the consul went over his tariff files. He made an important discovery..."

zoos. Hagen of Tronje would be indelible, chosen at the moment when he treacherously murders Siegfried, who he brutally slays the infant Orlieb. But Siegfried was honorable, Siegfried was brave, Siegfried was chivalric, Siegfried was not a Hohenzollern...

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Fairy Mary I know I'm beautiful. I'm very lovely. I'm in very good luck. I'm a great deal of fun. I agree with you, who like Walter that she would take them had visited him in his valleys. They had seen the ponds had seen Mr. Freeley with all kinds of wares in all kinds of things. But said I have never been to the place you trip is over. I will never be delighted to see you. So old Man Queen and the where there were wares in all kinds of things. There the Fairy went about and so that they were rot. There were had been mad. These things rushed down. All about a cross. The stars, too, and faded, a pink danced in place they. So much beauty. There were great waters of the sun whose which came to live and the of the branches sparkled as if of dazzling. There were falls and the hurrying rills they had to. and as though they didn't. But something to twist about. Some of down over...

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# Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

MARY GRAHAM BONNER  
WINTER BEAUTY

"I know that the spring is very beautiful. I know that the Summer is very lovely. I know that the autumn is very gorgeous. And I think, Old Man Winter ended, 'that there is a great deal of beauty about the winter.'"

"I agree with you," said the Fairy Queen, who had promised Old Man Winter that she and some of the fairies would take a winter trip with him. They had visited country places, and they had visited sea-shore places. They had visited some wonderful mountains and they had visited some lovely valleys.

They had seen the work Sir Freezing had done and also the work of Mr. Freezing-is-Fun. They had seen all kinds of wonderful winter scenes in all kinds of places.

"But," said Old Man Winter, "I have just one place to take you to before your trip is over."

"We have certainly had a wonderful trip," the Fairy Queen said, "and we will never forget it. We are quite delighted to visit one more place."

So Old Man Winter took the Fairy Queen and the other fairies to a place where there were as wonderful and marvelous waterfalls to be seen as anywhere imaginable.

There the Fairy Queen and the fairies went about with Old Man Winter, and so that they wouldn't be seen, they wore robes of spray.

There were ice mountains which had been made out of spray, and between these mountains great waterfalls rushed down without stopping.

All about were huge icicles, and at night a crescent moon came out and the stars, too, and the water dashed and foamed, and the lights from the sky danced merrily as if to say how pleased they were to look down on so much beauty.

There were rainbows in front of the great waterfalls in the daytime, for the sun shone right through the spray which came from the falls, and the ice and the snow and the icicles and the branches of ice on the trees, all sparkled as though they were made of dazzling, wonderful jewels.

There were several great waterfalls and then there were rushing, hurrying rapids, rushing as though they had to get somewhere on time, and as though they would be late if they didn't hurry like anything!

But sometimes they found the time to twist about and have a game or so. Some of these rapids dashed on down over rocks, but some of them



"We Are Quite Delighted."

were frozen over and the ice and the dashing water talked together of the beauty of the winter.

There were falls which were opposite from several other falls, and these were in the shape of a horseshoe. All about them were icicles and they dashed down between great huge masses of beautiful ice.

The telegraph poles and the trees all about were covered with ice, and such beautiful shapes as they were. The trees were like fairyland, Old Man Winter told the Queen of the Fairies, which made her very much pleased.

All about were rainbows and marvelous colors and dazzling snow and ice and rushing green and blue water which changed its dress on a gray day to a wild gray green color while on the bright days wore a beautiful shade of blue green.

The Fairy Queen and the other fairies stood up on an ice mountain which looked up at the greatest of all the waterfalls, and the Fairy Queen said: "Old Man Winter, I have seen the falls come out in the spring, and I have seen the flowers appear. I've seen the soft green moss and the new ferns and the lovely green grass. I've seen the splendor of mid-summer, and I've seen the glory of autumn."

"But never have I seen anything more wonderful than the work Winter has done here, whether on the few days when the beauty almost dazzles me, or on the stormy days when the beauty is so wild and wonderful. I've never seen anything to equal this."

And Old Man Winter smiled and his smile was like a breath of fresh cold air.

"I'm glad you like some of the work we do. We get a good deal of abuse, but we do try to give a great deal of beauty to the world. We're glad that you think we have!"

Tree Naughty Boys Dialect. What tree does a naughty boy die the most of all? The birch.

## FARM POULTRY

### EXERCISE BEST FOR POULTS

Confining Young Turkeys Does Not Result in Marked Success—Thrive on Free Range.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Plenty of exercise is essential if the turkey poult is to thrive, say poultry specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. At all times, when rain or dampness does not prevent, the poult should be allowed to run in and out of the coop at will. Too much stress cannot be given to the necessity of exercise, and the only way to provide for this is to allow the poults at every possible opportunity to range for feed outside the coop. During a long-continued rainy season it is better to allow them to run out of the coop whenever it is not actually raining, even though the grass is somewhat dapp.

By confining the mother hen to the coop she will always be ready to hover



Let the Turkeys Have Open Range.

the poults whenever they run to her, which they will do if they become chilled. The greatest care should be taken to keep the interior of the coop dry, and for this reason it is advisable to choose a sandy slope where the water runs off quickly and where there is also protection from heavy rains. If necessary, the mother-hen can be confined to a roosting coop for a week or more, provided she is properly fed and watered, and the coop moved to fresh ground every day.

If the weather is warm and dry, as frequently happens when the poults are hatched late in the season, no shelter is required, as they do better in the open; but it is advisable to keep them within a fenced inclosure for the first three or four days until they are strong enough to follow the mother. Weather conditions being favorable, the hen and brood can be given free range after the third or fourth day, but care should be taken to keep them out of heavy dews and to protect them from rain for the first two or three weeks. After this early morning dews or light showers followed closely by warm sunshine will do little harm, as the poults soon become warm and dry. If cold, damp weather sets in, however, they will need to be kept in dry quarters, for nothing is more fatal to young poults than wet and cold.

When about six weeks old, the young turkeys are old enough to go to roost. Practically all turkey raisers allow the birds to roost in the open trees or on fences or other roosts especially provided for them. In sections where high winds prevail, it is customary to build the roosts next to barn or shed, where there is some protection. When this is done posts are driven into the ground and poles laid across them four or five feet from the ground. By driving them to the roosting place and feeding them there every evening just before dark, young turkeys can be made to roost wherever desired. For the first few times it is sometimes necessary to keep them under the roost until dark, but they will finally fly up, and after a week or so will no longer have to be driven, but will come up every night to be fed and to roost.

During the summer and early fall turkeys can find an abundance of feed on the average farm. Grasshoppers and other insects, weed and grass seeds, green vegetation, berries, and grain picked up in the fields all go to make up the turkey's daily ration. When this natural feed is plentiful very little need be added until fattening time, except for the purpose of bringing the turkeys every night to roost and to keep them from straying from home. For this purpose one feed of grain every night just before roosting time is sufficient.

### Totally Obscured.

A certain callow Chicago swain had an amazingly large mouth which he contorted into an all-pervading smile when he wished to make a good impression. His sweetie had persuaded him to "ask father" and the youth was determined to show himself to good advantage.

"Mister Jones," he began, stretching his principal feature to the utmost of geniality. "I have come to ask for the hand of your daughter. I—" "Just a moment, young man," interrupted the old gentleman mildly, "would you mind closing your mouth for a moment till I see who you are." —American Legion Weekly.

## The Time for Thinkers.

Exact Selections from the Bible and Science and Health With Key To the Scriptures.

"And these signs shall follow them that believe: In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues; they shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick and they shall recover." "JESUS."

"To those leaning on the sustaining infinite to-day is big with blessings. The time for thinkers has come. Truth, independent of doctrines and time honored systems, knocks at the portals of humanity. Contentment with the past and the cold conventionalism of materialism are crumbling away. Ignorance of God is no longer the stepping stone to faith.

The question: "What is Truth?" is answered by demonstration—by healing both disease and sin, and this demonstration shows that Christian healing confers the most health and makes the best men.

The divine principle of healing is proved in the personal experience of any sincere seeker after Truth.

Jesus said: "These signs shall follow them that believe and they shall lay hands on the sick and they shall recover." Who believes him? He was addressing his disciples, yet He did not say, "These signs shall follow you, but them—them that believe" in all time to come.

The lonely precincts of the tomb gave Jesus a refuge from his foes, a place to solve the great problem of being. His three day's work in the sepulcher set the seal of eternity on time. He proved life to be deathless and love to be the master of hate. He met and mastered on the basis of Christian Science, the power of mind over matter, all the claims of medicine, surgery and hygiene.

He had no drugs to allay inflammation. He did not depend upon food or pure air to resuscitate wasted energies. He did not require the skill of a surgeon to heal the torn palms and bind up the wounded side and lacerated feet.

Could it be called supernatural for a God of Nature to sustain Jesus in his proof of man's truly derived power? It was a method of surgery beyond material art, but it was not a supernatural act. It was a divinely natural act, whereby divinity brought to humanity the understanding of the Christ—healing and revealing a method infinitely above that of human invention.

When will Jesus' professed followers learn to emulate him in all his ways? Christians claim to be his followers, but do they follow Him in the way that he commanded? Hear these imperative commands: "Be ye also perfect, even as your Father is in heaven is perfect," "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature," "Heal the sick."

Forseeing the persecution which would attend the Science of Spirit, Jesus said: "They shall put you out of the synagogues; yea, the time cometh, that whosoever killeth you will think that he doeth God's services and these things will they do unto you, because they have not known the Father nor Me." To-day the cry of bygone ages is repeated "Crucify him!"

If that Godlike and glorified man were physically on earth to-day, would not some who now profess to love him, reject Him? Would they not deny Him even the rights of humanity, if he entertained any other sense of being or religion than theirs? The advancing century, from a deadened sense of the invisible God, to-day subjects to unchristian comment and usage the idea of Christian healing employed by Jesus; but, this does not effect the invincible

Now that the Gospel of healing is again preached by the wayside, does not the pulpit sometimes scorn it? But that curative mission, which presents the Savior in a clearer light than mere words can possibly do, can not be left out of Christianity.

If the soft plume upturned to a lordly salaried, and architectural skill, making dome and spire tremulous with beauty, turn the poor and the strangers from the gate, they at the same time shut the door on progress. Sensuality palsies the right hand and causes the left to let go its grasp on the divine.

As in Jesus' time, so today, tyranny, and pride need to be whipped out of the temple and humility and divine Science to be welcomed in.

The strong cords of scientific demonstration, as twisted and wielded by Jesus, are still needed to purge the temples of the vain traffic in worldly worship and to make them meet dwelling places for the most high.

Truth's immortal idea is sweeping down the centuries, gathering beneath its wings the sick and sinning. My weary hope tries to realize that happy day, when man shall recognize

the Science of Christ and love His neighbors as himself—when he shall realize God's omnipotence and the healing power of the Divine Love in what it has done and is doing for mankind. The promises will be fulfilled. The time for reappearing of the divine healing is throughout all time, and whosoever layeth his earthly all on the altar of divine Science, drinketh of Christ's cup now, and is embued with the spirit and power of Christian healing.

In the words of St. John "He shall give you another comforter, that He may abide with you forever. "This Comforter I understand to be Divine Science."

The prayer that reforms the sinner and heals the sick is an absolute faith that all things are possible with God, a spiritual understanding of Him—an unselfed love. By thousands of well authenticated healing it stands revealed. These cases for the most part having been abandoned as hopeless by the best medical science. The unbiased Christian thought is soonest touched by truth. Few invalids will turn absolutely to God 'til all physical supports have failed, then Man's extremity is God's opportunity. Only those denounce God's method who do not understand, or come not to the light lest their words be reproved as "Faith, without works is dead."

In the spirit of Christ's charity, and joyful to bear consolation to the sorrowing and, healing to the sick, Christian Science comes to all honest seekers of Truth.

In Christian Science; God, the great I am. The all-knowing, all-seeing, all-wise, all-loving, and Eternal; Principal; Mind; Soul; Spirit; Life; Truth; Love, all substance; intelligence.

Man. The compound idea of infinite Spirit; Spiritual image and likeness of God; the full representation of Mind.

Scientific Statement of Being: There is no life, truth nor intelligence in matter. All is infinite Mind and its infinite manifestation, for God is All-in-all. Spirit is immortal Truth; Matter is mortal error. Spirit is the real and eternal; matter is the unreal and temporal. Spirit is God and man is His image and likeness. Therefore man is not material; he is spiritual. "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free."

The following is a brief exposition of religious tenets of Christian Science:

1. As adherents of Truth, we take the inspired word of the Bible as our sufficient guide to eternal Life.
2. We acknowledge and adore one supreme and infinite God. We acknowledge His Son, one Christ; the Holy Ghost or Divine Comforter; and man in God's image and likeness.
3. We acknowledge God's forgiveness of sin in the destruction of

sin and the spiritual understanding that casts out evil as unreal. But the belief in sin is punished so long as the belief lasts.

4. We acknowledge Jesus' atonement as the evidence of divine, efficacious Love, unfolding man's unity with God through Christ Jesus the way-shower; and we acknowledge that man is saved through Christ, through Truth, Life and Love as demonstrated by the Galilean Prophet in healing the sick and overcoming sin and death.

5. We acknowledge that the crucifixion of Jesus and his resurrection served to uplift faith to understand eternal Life, even the ailness of Soul, Spirit and the nothingness of matter.

6. And we solemnly promise to us which was also in Christ Jesus; watch and pray for that Mind to be do unto others as we would have them do unto us; and be merciful, just, and pure.

—From Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy.

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Monday and Tuesday, April 24 and 25

PRINCESS THEATRE

### Local and Personal News

#### News Paragraphs and Personal Mention of General Interest to Memphis and Hall County Readers

Mr. and Mrs. Noble spent Sunday in Amarillo.

John Alexander was a Lakeview visitor Saturday.

Judge A. S. Moss was a Wellington visitor Monday.

O. A. Davidson of Estelline was here Monday.

Jim Travis made a business trip to Amarillo Sunday.

Jesse Ballew, Transfer, Phone 333.

R. D. Sasser was a interscholastic meet visitor at Vernon.

Uncle John Crabtree of Newlin was here first of the week.

Orville Bowman, of Amarillo, was in school of instruction.

M. N. Cohen went to Dallas Sunday on business matters.

T. P. Richerson was a business visitor at Estelline Monday.

Ray Martin and Jim King were Clarendon visitors Sunday.

J. H. Joutett, of Parnell, was a business visitor Wednesday.

Van Zant Gibson was a Vernon visitor Saturday and Sunday.

W. G. Campbell, of Childress, was a business visitor here today.

T. M. McMurry was in Lakeview Saturday canvassing the voters.

A big crowd was in town Wednesday as well as the animal show.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson were Wellington visitors Sunday.

Jesse Ballew, Transfer, Phone 333.

Dr. J. C. Henson went to Groome Wednesday on business matters.

Judge T. T. Clark was at Estelline Monday attending to a court case.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Davidson of Estelline were visitors here Monday.

J. B. Goodman and Mablem Tucker were Childress visitors Sunday.

Newt Locke, of Pampa, was here Tuesday attending to business matters.

Judge J. M. Elliott was looking after court business at Estelline Monday.

Nig Dyer and Elbert Stephenson were visitors in Quanah Tuesday night.

Roy Garner of Turkey and Earnest Tunnell of Quitaque, were in town Sunday.

L. M. Thompson was at Hulver Monday looking into a reported peach-tree disease in that section.

Mrs. Rena Hardgraves of Childress visited with Mrs. J. G. Gardner, Sunday.

Jones' "Filling Station" for lunches, chili, hamburgers, coffee and smokes, West Side.

Neal Burns, Douglass Kennedy and Saddy Guest were in Childress Sunday.

Motion pictures, which tell visually the story of athletics, classrooms, dormitories, fraternities and campus of Wittenburg College, Springfield, Ohio, are to be shown to prospective students at the college.

A suit or two of men's clothing and some ladies' waists, and other articles were missing.

Mr. O. T. Ball was in Wichita Falls on business matters Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Carmen Gooch was down from Hedley this week end to visit with her folks.

Howard Wren returned to Wichita Falls Friday after a weeks visit with parents here.

Mrs. R. D. Green and daughter, Mrs. W. T. Holland, were Memphis visitors Wednesday.

Honey Chuskey and Dollie Gallagher of Childress were in Memphis visitors last week-end.

L. M. Carnes of Childress was here Friday on his way home from a trip on the Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lock returned Monday from a visit with relatives in Magrum, Oklahoma.

Mrs. M. C. Howell is spending this week visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Thomas, at Childress.

Mrs. V. V. Davis of Wichita Falls is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stephens this week.

P. R. Underwood, attorney of Amarillo, was here Tuesday looking after a case in county court.

W. E. Cornelius, manager of the Greene Dry Goods Store at Estelline, was in town Wednesday.

Roy McAlester left Friday for Waco to attend the meeting of the Lumberman's Association.

Mrs. Jim Martindale, accompanied by Miss Estelline Dennis were Vernon visitors last week-end.

Mrs. Ola O. Munger, representing the Butterick Company, spent several days here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Stephenson of Childress are here this week visiting their mother, Mrs. Lock.

Judge J. M. Elliott visited Mexia, Monday night. He reported everything very quiet in the oil fields.

Joe and John Weatherly, from the Weatherly neighborhood south of the river, were Memphis visitors Wednesday.

E. T. Kittinger left for Ft. Worth Wednesday night to attend the Grand Commandery and will go on to New Orleans.

The American Legion Baseball reported for practice Tuesday afternoon, a good practice was had under Manager Jesse Ballew.

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Bob Nelson was here from Newlin Wednesday. Mr. Nelson said that the first Tuesday night killed young cotton in that section.

Have you ever visited the Bradley Dairy and seen for yourself how they do things, if not the doors are open seven days in the week at 3 to 4 p. m.

Sam Acton, salesman for the Southwestern Paper Company, at Dallas, was here this morning, on his way to the Panhandle Press meeting at Amarillo, and paid this office a brief visit.

Buff Orphington Eggs—Breed Buff Orphingtons exclusively. Excellent egg-type breeders that deliver the goods. Eggs \$2 for 15, postpaid. H. GILMORE, Turkey, Texas, 40-3-0

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Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and at the death of our darling wife and mother. We wish to thank our friends for the nice flowers. 1-3-2 J. W. Henson and Children.

FOR SALE—Mammoth Light Brahma eggs, 15 for \$1.50. None better. The chickens for cold weather, legs and feet well-covered with feathers, short combs. Good winter layers. Weight 8 to 10 pounds. 41-3-2 O. R. PERKINS, Turkey, Texas.

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Orville Bowman, of Amarillo, was an appreciated caller at this office Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Bowman recently moved to Amarillo from Estelline.

T. D. Gee, of Estelline, paid this office an appreciated friendly call Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Gee is here this week attending the Masonic school of instruction.

If you need second-hand furniture of any kind see our stock and get prices. Mrs. S. M. Cooper, center block, south side square.

Thousands have eaten the bodies of the dead, "mass cannibalism" is spoken of.

Officers went to Childress this morning on a clue leading in that direction.

Store Burglarized.

The Famous, M. N. Cohen's store, on the south side of the square was entered Wednesday night by burglars who gained entrance by breaking a rear window.

ARKANSAS "LIP STICK" CASE IS DECIDED IN FAVOR OF GIRL

Corning, Ark.—Miss Pearl Pugsley was to resume her studies in the Knobel School following the rendering of a verdict in her favor by Judge W. W. Bandy in the "Lip Stick" case here.

Judge Bandy said he would issue a writ of mandamus to have the school board set aside its regulations barring students who use cosmetics.

### COURT CAN CONVEY TITLE TO COURT HOUSE PROPERTY

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rights and interest have grown up around the Court House and these in many instances would be effected. I, as much as any one, and I am sure the County likewise does not relish the idea of interfering with the property rights any man, but for argument sake we will say that it does interfere with such rights. These rights are merely imaginary. There is no citizen who has more of vested right in the exact location of the Court House than any other citizen of the County. When these people acquired this property they acquired it with the knowledge that this Court House could be moved, even from Memphis, under conditions provided by the laws of the State of Texas. They acquired it with the knowledge that it could be built at any place within the limits of the original town of Memphis, to say the least, and that the Commissioners' Court was vested with the power to locate it at any place within said town. I do not deem this an argument at all, for the reason that if a deal could be made by which this property could be used to acquire other lots within the original town of Memphis, and to construct a modern Court House sufficient to the needs of the county, as will be required by your court, (I feel sure, before you act), without costing the people of Hall County, one cent, it would be improper to consider the small effect, if any, to the property rights of a few citizens located on the square.

The last article that the Herald has submitted is that to move the Court House would require a vote of the people. The question of moving the Court House is never submitted to the people. It is the question of moving the County Seat that is submitted. After a County Seat is located by a vote of the people the Commissioners' Court must provide buildings, etc. where court can be held, at such place. Memphis had been designated heretofore as the County seat, of Hall County, Texas. At the time this election was had, the plat showing the original town of Memphis, was known as Memphis, and Memphis at this election was designated as the County seat. The fact that it might be moved a block or two West, or a block or two North or South would not take it out of the original town. It would still be in what was known as Memphis at the time the election was had, by which Memphis was designated as the County seat. Of course we can't move the County Seat, like a traveling show, but the Commissioners' Court, after the county seat is designated in any town, can locate the Court House, or other County buildings, within the limits of that town, and it is their statutory duty to do so, and you in no way change the county seat when you construct the court house within the limits of said County Seat. There is no statutory restriction that within the limits of the County Seat, whenever a prior Commissioners' Court has located the Court House on one block in said County Seat that a subsequent Commissioners' Court, when it becomes necessary for them to build another Court House that they must build it on that same block. They are only required to build it within the limits of said County Seat, and if they desire to build it elsewhere then they must submit it to a vote of the people.

In the language of the court, in case of Ralls et al vs. Parrish, 149 S. W. 811: "The County Seat does not consist, merely of the Court House, Jail, and other public buildings, but consists of the town plot of the town designated as the County Seat at the time it is so designated."

I, as a citizen submit this to you, and if it is of any value to you, my efforts have been well paid.

I am Yours truly, A. S. MOSS.

### MASS MEETING AT TURKEY DISCUSSES RAILROAD PROJECT

(Continued from Page 1.)

at the court house after dinner. A large crowd attended the meeting, and pledged their support to Mr. Powell in connection with his railroad project.

The Chamber of Commerce of Tulsa will go with Mr. Powell and Mr. Noonan, on to Tucumcari, N. M., over the proposed route.

### GOVERNOR NEFF ASKED TO CALL SPECIAL SESSION

Bryan, Texas, April 17.—At a mass meeting of the teachers, trustees and citizens of Brazos County, petitions were drawn asking Governor Neff to call a special session of the Legislature to make provision for the public schools in 1922-23. Representative Lee J. Rountree in a speech declared an education crises had come to Texas and must be met. His stand was commended by the mass meeting.

### PARDONS FOR MOONEY AND BILLINGS REQUESTED

San Francisco, Cal., April 18.—District Attorney Mathew Brady of San Francisco city and county today sent a letter to Governor Stephens, asking him to pardon Thomas J. Mooney and Warren K. Billings, who are serving life sentences for murder in connection with a bomb explosion here.

### The Princess Theatre

"Where Memphis is Entertained."

Program.

WEEK BEGINNING APRIL 24 1922

MONDAY AND TUESDAY—William Fox presents "Shame", a super-production, with Federated comedy "In Wrong" and Ourban's Official Movie Chat No. 2.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—Universal present Gladys Walton in "Playing with Fire," also a Sunshine comedy "Pardon Me."

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—William Fox presents Shirley Mason in "Quinnie," also 12th chapter of "Winners of the West."

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The Memphis Democrat

Neighborhood News

Things of Interest and Personal Mention Surrounding Communities as Gathered by Democrat Correspondents.

Bridle-Bit

This section have practically nothing to report...

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KLAN CALLED UPON TO DISBAND ORDER

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Easter Entertainment.

On last Monday afternoon, April 17th, Mrs. Tom Isham entertained the Ladies' Aid Society of Lakeview with an Easter program as follows: "Easter Egg Hunt," "Egg Race," and a game contest in which Mesdames Houston Fowlkes, Ida Brown and Isabell Cypret won the prizes.

A. GUEST.

NEFF ASKED TO CALL SCHOOL AID SESSION

Greenville, Texas.—Resolutions calling upon Governor Neff to summons the Legislature in special session for the purpose of providing more funds for the maintenance of Texas public schools, particularly those on the rural districts, were unanimously adopted at a meeting of about 150 trustees of rural schools in Hunt county.

Indorsement of the resolutions was given by State Representative Joe M. Moore and Eugene Dinkle.

FARM BUREAU MEETING TO SELECT DISTRICT DIRECTOR CANDIDATES

A meeting of the members of the Hall County Farm Bureau is called at the court house here next Saturday, April 22, for the purpose of selecting candidates for director of this district, which was recently created by re-districting the State.

A delegate to the State convention, in July, at Dallas will also be selected.

It is desired that every Bureau member who possibly can do so attend this meeting.

The call for the meeting was issued by President R. F. Meacham of the Hall county organization.

An invention in the form of a new roller bearing for freight cars and passenger coaches cuts down friction some 90 per cent and abolishes the hot box entirely. The gross weight of a car and its load amounted to 1222,600 pounds. This car was pushed 66 feet in one direction and then pushed back again to the starting point by one man in a recent test. After 11 months' service the bearings were found to be in as good condition as when they were installed.

A toy balloon, released in Waukegan, Illinois, was found 11 days later in Altoona, Pennsylvania, as it descended into the street. The distance between the two cities is about 650 miles.

This is not advice. It is just a man's hunch. If you want to feel good from the bottom of your feet to the top of your head, cut out the things you know you ought to.

A beaver colony on the east fork of the Hood River, in Oregon recently felled a tree 18 inches in diameter across a power line of the Pacific Powr & Light Company, plunging the entire countryside into darkness.

An airplane equipper with runners in place of wheels for the "take off," has completed a successful trip from Cochrane, Ontario, to Moose Factory, on the south shore of Hudson Bay, and return. On the return trip three landings were made in different forms of snow, but the ship took off with the ease of a fling boat on open water.

Cheating contractors and crooked officials of Sumerian civilization in Mesopotamia 5,000 years ago were tried briefly and thrown into the river, according to recent scientific discoveries. Among other things, they had an elaborate banking system, with a reserve bank comparable to our own of today, a postal system with a parcel post branch and circulating libraries, which distributed clay tablet books.

WANTED 100 RADIATORS To Repair At Scotts Tin Shop WEST MAIN ST.

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Newin News

has begun the erection of a new building.

Mrs. Thornboroughs, of Oklahoma, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Bur-

well has made quite a few improvements on his place, including a side-walk which has been laid.

Several from Memphis was down Monday attending Justice Court.

L. M. Thompson of Memphis, was down the first of the week on business.

The Easter program at the Methodist church given by the Sunday school, was splendid and well rendered. It was an enjoyable and profitable hour for everybody present.

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In Your Quest for Bargains

Don't overlook the store that always has bargains to offer. Not just for a week or two during a special sale but during the entire year you can always find specials in short lots and odds and ends on display that are genuine bargains. It will pay you to watch our bargain specials at all times. Just now we are offering:

- One lot of Men's and Boy's Oxfords at \$3.45
All Spring Coat Suits for Ladies, at a discount of 25%
One lot of Ladies' Silk Dresses that sold at from \$20 to \$40, special at \$9.85
Yard Wide Bleached Domestic at 10c
Good quality light ground Percales 10c
One lot of Men's Caps, \$1.00 sellers 19c
All sizes Ladies' High Heel Oxfords \$6 to \$10 sellers, at \$1.95

Many other specials that are worth your attention are added from day to day throughout the store.

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Memphis School News

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are hoping our girls will win the state cup and a full share of the cash prizes. As the contest now stands the following girls are in close contest for the trip and before Friday no one can decide the lucky four.

First year contestants are: Mildred Harrell, Clara Gillis, Della Goben, Clara Pycatt, Fenton Guest, Fannie Gerlach, Pauline Goodnight.

Second year contestants are: Elizabeth Kennedy, Mozell Moses, Frieda O'Dell.

The representatives from the Miami High School to the State Clothing Contest will join the Memphis girls, to be chaperoned by Miss Ownby to Houston.

We wish to thank the business men for their liberal offerings to the Home Economics Class. Something over \$100 was given and will be used by the class in sending their representatives and general exhibit to Houston: Cross Dry Goods, Stone & Lang, The Famous, Memphis Dry Goods, The Grand Leader, Hall Co. Bank, First Nat'l Bank, Citizen's State Bank, R. E. Martin Drug Store, Tomlinson-Rushing Drug Company, Clark & Williams, Baldwin Drug Co., The Herald, The Democrat, Thompson Hardware, Harison-Clover Hardware, King Furniture Co., Hattenbach-McKelvy, Ross Tailoring Co., Brooks Tailor Shop, Memphis Tailoring Co., Moses Shoe Store, Lemons Produce, Wherry's Jewelery, White Rose Cafe, Sweet Shop, Arnold & Gardner, Gentry Meat Market, Sanitary Bakery, Neel Grocery, Berry's Cash Grocery, Ward, Star Grocery, Guinn & Tunnell, Goodnight Grocery, Ben Smith, The Princess Theatre, Edison Parlor, DeBerry Grocery Store, Barnes Grocery Co., Tourist Garage, Gerlach Garage, Holt Plumbing, Slaton Grocery and Blue Front Cafe.

Notwithstanding the absence from town of a number of our families and the revival going on in a sister church, the attendance at this church, both morning and evening, last Sunday was gratifying. The pastor preached an Easter sermon at the 11 o'clock hour, and at night the Rev. Chas. T. Whaley, pastor the Baptist Church discoursed in an effective evangelistic strain.

The overflow service next Sunday evening will be held in the Baptist church, and the pastor of the Presbyterian church will preach the sermon.

10:00, a. m., Sunday school. The members and affiliates of this church urged to line up for the Sunday school hour, and then let all remain for the preaching, for the preaching of the gospel in its various phases, after all, is the important part of the day.

Announcements will be made Sunday morning as to the meetings of the C. E. Societies.

11:00, a. m., sermon by the pastor, theme: "The Bulwarks of the Church."

7:45, p. m., sermon by the pastor, at the Baptist church. Theme: "God Mindful of Man."

Prayer meeting, 7:45, p. m. EUGENE B. KUNTZ, D. D., Pastor.

Services will be held at the Baptist church Sunday. The pastor will be in the pulpit Sunday morning. We wish for a good audience—you are wanted in your place at the S. S. Be on time let's have a great school.

The overflow will be held at the Baptist church Sunday night. Rev. Kuntz will be the preacher.

Let's make Sunday a great day in Memphis, for the Lord. CHAS. T. WHALEY, Pastor.

Married, Wednesday evening at the Baptist Pastorium, Mr. Wilshire of Claude and Miss Allie Mae Harper.

At the Methodist Church. The revival now in progress at the Methodist church is entering the last half of the second week, and is growing in interest and force. The evangelist, Hub DeLaye, has been delivering some of the strongest sermons ever heard from a Memphis pulpit.

Mr. DeLaye is unique as an evangelist. Apparently he cares little about securing a large number of church members, but he is insistent upon a genuine profession of religion. He is unsparring in his denunciation of sin. His caustic criticism of indifferent and ineffectual church membership draw blood sometimes, but

they are productive of awakening professed Christians to a sense of their lack of real Christian power. Apparently, Mr. DeLaye feels that if men and women would really live the profession they make, there would be more powerful churches in the land. One cannot listen to the evangelist long without being impressed with his desire to arouse men and women to a life of genuineness and honesty.

Last evening the High School students were the guests of the Methodist church, and about one hundred accepted the invitation and were present. A section of pews had been reserved for them, and the space occupied by them was roped off in the school and class colors. Mr. DeLaye preached a very strong sermon, based upon the story of the rich farmer whose land produced so plentifully that more commodious barns were necessary to store the grain, and who thought to live and enjoy the fruit of his labors many years, yet who died the self same night. The evangelist pointed that the man made the three fatal mistakes of failing to take God into his life, of becoming materialistic, and, of thinking that he had a lease on life.

A men's prayer meeting has been announced at the church for seven o'clock each evening, beginning today. Mr. DeLaye will meet the young people in a prayer meeting in the basement of the church this evening at seven-fifteen. Tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock at the Methodist church, Mr. DeLaye will speak to women only, the subject of his sermon at that time being: "Mother, Home, and Heaven."

To date there have been between forty and forty-five conversions and reclamations, and the interest is increasing with every service. The revival has already registered itself as one of the greatest in the history of Memphis, and great good is yet expected to be achieved. Services will continue daily at nine in the morning and seven forty-five in the evening.

Main Street Church of Christ. Sunday school, 9:45, a. m. Men's class at Library. Women's class at church. The Red's army to reach St. Louis, 10:45, a. m. The blues are having engine trouble.

Our church reached its aim in the Pre-Easter campaign. Our annual revival will begin the first of August. Preaching 11, a. m., subject "Encourage Him." No preaching at night on account of revival at the Methodist church.

Junior C. E., 3, p. m., Bernice Bean, leader. Senior C. E., 6:30, V. B. Rogers, leader. Preaching at Salisbury, 3, p. m., at Ell, 8:15, p. m. Overflow services at the Baptist church.

A. D. ROGERS, Pastor. Church of Christ, 7th and Brice. All services were well attended Lord's Day.

Preaching at 11, a. m., and 8, p. m., by the minister. On Monday night O. E. Phillips of Abilene, Texas spoke in the interest of education and Abilene Christian College. His talk was well received by the congregation.

Meeting each Lord's Day at 10, a. m., for Bible study, and the worship. Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 8, p. m. Preaching on the 1 and 3 Lord's Days. Everybody is invited to all meetings. C. H. KENNEDY, Minister.

Cochran Says Ku Klux Should Disband

Prominent Texas Mason Says Ku Klux Should Prove Sincerity By Disbanding.

Houston, Texas, April 14.—"If the Ku Klux Klan had a reason which justified its organization, the situation which brought about that reason has entirely passed; the klan should disband."

This advice was given by Sam P. Cochran of Dallas, sovereign grand inspector general of Scottish Rite Masons in Texas. Mr. Cochran was in Houston Thursday to attend the Maundy Thursday ceremonies of the Scottish Rite Masons.

"My advice to the Ku Klux Klan is to make good on its repeated proclamation as an institution devoted to the maintenance of law and order, and in proof of its sincerity in this declaration, disband," Mr. Cochran said.

"Members of the klan should be giving their open and active support to the lawfully constituted authorities of the cities, counties and State."

"The condition now existing in Texas calls for all good citizens to unite in doing away with the present unrest and strained relationship between our people. We should again become a united citizenship, determined to enforce the laws, and give peace and protection to those who believe in legally constituted government."

YOUTH AN ASSET IN TIRE BUSINESS

At a banquet recently, one of the well known tire companies listed the ages of its executives, branch and board of directors. The average age of them all was a fraction over 35 years.

If you think 35 is young for men controlling a great industry, remember that Alexander Hamilton was Secretary of the U. S. Treasury at 24. Mellon's job is child's play compared with the load this strapping shouldered. The machinery is all there. Hamilton built that machinery out of nothing—built it so well that it hasn't been improved on in a hundred and fifty years. No secretary since has handled government moneys so wisely, either.

"Capital is controlled by greybeards, hence its conservatism. Labor is more youthful. The two are bound to clash." So says the Saturday Evening Post. It's true in the main. Not always. This tire company—con-

trolled by 35 year old men—kept its full complement of tire builders working thruout this winter's off season, when labor generally was being laid off. Concessions on both sides made it possible. There's harmony and mutual understanding in youth.

There's vigor, too. In Peter B. Kynes' great story, "The Go-Getter." The conservative Skinner objects that the hero is too young for a certain job of great responsibility. "He's thirty, isn't he?" snaps wise old Cappy Ricks.

Peter B. Kyne has read history. Pitt was First Lord of the Treasury, Chancellor of the Exchequer, Prime Minister of England and the Lion of British statesmanship at the ripe old age of 24 years.

Napoleon was a general at 26. Alexander the Great commanded an army at 16 and died at 33—conqueror and creator of the greatest Empire the world had seen. John Paul Jones was scourging the British at sea, commander of the first American Navy, when he was 26.

The automobile and tire industries especially are the province of young men. The younger they are the better fit.

In 1921, national tire sales fell off an average of practically 40 per cent but the tire company controlled by men averaging 35 years old, practically doubled its sales volume. This Company is the Gates Rubber Company.

Specially constructed barns are now available for the dog aristocracy of Paris, with carefully trained attendants, masseurs and manicures to give each dog the benefit of their art.

A combination church and hotel is to be built in New York City, according to reports. The building will be 17 stories high and will have Sunday school space in the basement, a church on the first three floors and a missionary school on the roof. A strict censorship is to be exercised over hotel guests, and dancing and card playing will be prohibited.

Columbia Bell Ringer advertisement. Includes images of batteries and text: 'Fix that bell today! Get one Columbia "Bell Ringer" Battery, or two Columbia "No. 6" Batteries, and make the old bell happy. Columbia Dry Batteries are better for every purpose. More power and longer life at little cost. Used everywhere for doorbells, buzzers, heat regulators, alarms, etc., for gas engine and tractor ignition, and for quick starting ignition on non-self-starting Fords. Columbians are for sale all around you—electricians, hardware stores, general stores, auto supply shops, garages, implement dealers. Insist upon Columbia.'

Kellogg's Corn Flakes advertisement. Includes text: 'Mighty appetizing to open the day with Kellogg's Corn Flakes'. 'Those big, sunny-brown "sweet-hearts-of-the-corn" just seem to get things going right, from the littlest "star boarder" to the eldest! For Kellogg's Corn Flakes hit-the-spot as no other cereal ever could; and they are a continuous taste-thrill! Tempting in their appearance, wonderful in supreme flavor and crunch and crispy to the very last degree, Kellogg's Corn Flakes are really and truly a revelation in good things to eat—for breakfast, for any meal and for between-times nibbles! How all your folks will delight to get Kellogg's; how they'll appreciate Kellogg's crispness. For, Kellogg's are never tough or leathery or hard to eat! You'll see big and little bowls come back for "some more Kellogg's, Mother, please!" When you order Kellogg's today—insist upon getting KELLOGG'S—the delicious Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN package! It bears the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Corn Flakes. NONE ARE GENUINE WITHOUT IT! Bear in mind KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes are made by the folks who gave you the JUNGLELAND Moving Pictures. Coupon inside every package of KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes explains how you can obtain another copy of JUNGLELAND. Kellogg's TOASTED CORN FLAKES. Also makers of KELLOGG'S KRUMBLE and KELLOGG'S BRAN, cooked and branbled history for centuries.'

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### Political Announcements

The Democrat is authorized to announce the following candidates for the office indicated, subject to the Democratic primary election to be held in July, 1922.

Representative, 121 District:  
S. A. BRYANT  
G. E. HAMILTON

For Judge 56th, Judicial Dist.:  
M. M. HANKINS, of Quannah  
ROBERT COLE, of Crowell  
J. V. LEAK, Memphis

For District Attorney:  
ARTHUR C. NICHOLSON

For District Clerk:  
S. G. ALEXANDER

For Sheriff:  
JOE MERRICK  
RUX EDDLEMAN  
J. Y. SNOW  
JOHN ALEXANDER  
S. A. (Sid) CHRISTIAN  
O. E. SIMMONS

For County Attorney:  
W. A. MCINTOSH

For County Judge:  
A. C. HOFFMAN  
T. M. McMURRY

For County Clerk:  
HOWARD FINCH  
M. O. GOODPASTURE  
(Miss) EDNA BRYAN  
E. E. WALKER  
(Miss) ROSE HOWARD

For County Treasurer:  
J. M. WILBORN

For Tax-Collector:  
T. M. (Marvin) DISHEROON

For County Superintendent:  
M. E. McNALLY  
ELSIE BASS

For Tax-Assessor:  
LOUIS WHEAT

For County Commissioner:  
Precinct No. 1:  
W. COMBEST  
H. R. BLUM  
W. H. GRUNDY

Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:  
A. R. McMASTER  
C. J. NASH  
B. J. WOODINGTON  
R. B. McMURRY  
C. W. ARMSTRONG  
T. N. BAKER

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3:  
FRANK COX  
JOHN RUSSELL  
MED BARTON  
W. A. CALDWELL

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4:  
U. F. COKER  
WALTER LACY

For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1:  
J. WALTER DENNIS  
CURTIS CUDD

For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 3:  
HUGH HART  
J. C. BOWMAN  
J. R. COWAN

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1:  
G. L. WHISENANT  
R. N. GILLIS  
N. E. BURK

For Constable, Justice Prec. 5:  
C. P. WASSON, Newlin

The Arkansas girl who was expelled from school because she painted her face and lips has been reinstated by a court decision. The courts are right. This foolish girl and others like her only advertise their lack of sense by their actions; but it is nobody's business but their own.

Hunt County school trustees to the number of 150 passed resolutions calling upon Governor Neff to call a special session of the Legislature to provide funds for rural schools and the resolutions were endorsed by two members of the Legislature. Over 1,200 farmers of Hall county recently sent similar petitions to the Governor but have not yet received the courtesy of a reply.

The most promising force in America is the farm "bloc" in the senate. It has the power of the twenty million farmers back of it and the leadership of the most powerful, honest and wisely radical men in the senate.

Senator Capper of Kansas says the farmers include in their program, and mean to have, these things:

- Long term credits for farmers, at fair interest.
- Reduced railroad rates.
- Sufficient tariff protection for farm products.
- Development of Muscle Shoals for cheap fertilizer production.
- It is a modest program to begin with, and the farmers, well led in the senate, will put it through. They know how to stick together—workmen have still to learn.—Arthur Brisbane.

Men blame us for the bitterness of our language and the personality of our attacks. It results from our position. The great mass of the people can never be made to stay and argue a long question. They must be made to feel it through the hides of their idols. When you have launched your spear through the rhinoceros hide of a Webster or a Benton every whig and Democrat feels it. It is on this principle that every reform must take for its text the mistakes of great men.—Wendell Phillips.

### A Cruel and Unusual Punishment.

From Collier's: What about the gentleman or lady who knows nothing about the care of a car, or its operation, except to press a few buttons and pull a few levers, and steer a lurching course through out swift and orderly motor traffic?

Good drivers don't like him: The American Automobile Association, with 350,000 members, is after him. It has conceived a punishment that is both cruel and unusual—and we are for it. The association offers a prize for a name that will describe

him. Collier's is glad to offer one suggestion. Here it is: Automobob.

We will be glad to give wide circulation to this or any other descriptive term chosen by the A. A. A. on behalf of the millions of sensible, careful drivers who want real comfort and pleasure on the roads.

Further, we guarantee that if motorists—instead of meting out painful fines—would slap Automobob (or any better word they can find) in big letters on the front and back of the car of every driver convicted of reckless driving and would provide a heavy penalty for removing it before the time set, the roads would soon be a lot safer for everyone.

If you know a better word, send it in.

### Dear Little Bird.

You're in a cage, dear little bird, From morn till night your song is heard;

You sing your sweetest roundelay And passers-by think you are gay.

But I can hear in ev'ry note That's pouring from your tiny throat; The longing for the forest trees, And sighing for the fragrant breeze!

I hear your tender, loving plea For freedom; in your melody, You miss the brooks and meadows, too, The flowers and the gleaming dew.

I hear the longing in your song, The shade of sadness and of wrong; Sweet lingering gladness of the days, When you knew naught but freedom's ways.

—By CARMEN LaFORREST.

When "good" men permit the whitecapping of undersirables, the rough element of their town is going to follow suit with a vengeance, and soon nobody will be safe in that particular community.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

The other evening a car load of young people—saw a wolf trotting along the roadside. Ernest Tunnell and Earl Wise left the car and just for fun gave chase on foot. But the wolf proved to be worn out, apparently from a previous chase, and the boys surprised themselves by capturing the animal in a short time.—Quittaque News.

### Wants New Court House.

Editor of the Democrat: In last week's issue of the paper I notice the proposition made to the Commissioners' Court to build a new and modern court house in exchange for the old building and the block of land it occupies.

I do not feel competent to advise the people of Hall county or to advise the Court; but I feel that it is my duty to lend assistance in anyway in my power when called upon as a citizen in the up-building of my county or community.

We all know that a new county building must be provided in the near future because the old building is not going to stand very much longer, for this reason I think that if the proposition, when finally made, is such that the court is convinced that the county is getting the worth of the property exchanged that the offer should be accepted. If the tax-payers of the county can be saved an amount approximating \$100,000 I think it would be a mighty good thing. This is particularly true when at the same time it will open up and make room for more business houses and more business. The out-of-town peo-

ple who make this offer do not intend to lose money on the proposition. They see something that looks good to them in the future of Memphis and Hall county; we should all be willing for outside capital to come in. We want more business and better business, more people and more building. We now have many people who are industriously working to help put Hall county on the map; but there are too many of us who are pulling on the wrong end of the rope, and more who are not pulling at all but standing aside as indifferent spectators.

I will say that I am for a new court house, if not by this proposition by some other method. We need it and there is no use to put it off.

Also I stand for more buildings and more improvements all over the county. Above all we need more tenant houses. We should stop the ruinous practice of forcing the tenant farmers to cultivate more land than they should. We ought to have three farmers where we now have one; and we could easily have them if we had the houses on the farms. I have learned from long experience that a farmer can make more from 25 acres of cotton and 100 acres of feed than he can make on 150 acres of cotton and 25 acres of feed. I hope that the farmers of this section, and the farmers throughout the South, will not plant a big acreage to cotton this year as a result of fairly good prices for the last crop. They should, I think, plant plenty of feed-stuff and keep some hogs and some good milch-cows. Help your wife with the old hen and the cream separator and you can send your children to school; have a full term of school and start your children when the school starts instead of having to keep them out of an education while teaching them to be cotton-pickers.

All cotton farming will stop the schools when they should be in session and it will not pay your banker or your grocery bills but it will keep you jumping to make it pay the cost of production.

We all know this and have known it for a long time but lots of us have got the all-cotton habit like some have the tobacco-habit, and it is hard to quit.

I make a motion that we get behind the proposition to have a new court house and push, as we should push for every good and necessary improvement. While we are at this I suggest that some smart man devise some practical plan for promoting better roads for Hall county.

Respectfully,  
E. T. MONTGOMERY.

### I. O. O. F. Anniversary Celebration.

On Wednesday night, April 26, Memphis Lodge No. 444, Flora Rebekah Lodge No. 346 and Memphis Encampment No. 60, will hold a joint celebration of the 103rd anniversary of Oddfellowship in America. The meeting will be held at the I. O. O. F. Hall unless otherwise announced. Committees on arrangements have the matter in hand and a nice program appropriate for the occasion, as well as a big eat will be provided. All Oddfellows and Rebekahs are cordially invited to be present on this occasion. Encampment members from over the county are especially invited to be present.

A little history of the order will be appropriate in this connection. The

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first lodge of Oddfellows in America was organized 103 years ago, in the year 1819 in the City of Baltimore, by Thos. E. Willey under a special dispensation from the Grand Lodge of England. It is not definitely known how far back the origin of Oddfellowship can be traced but it is not overstating the facts to say that the principles of Oddfellowship have been practiced and been a boon to humanity almost from the time that God said: "Let there be light."

This first lodge organized in Baltimore consisted of five members and from this small beginning has grown by far the largest fraternal organization in America. Government statistics for the year 1920, showed that the I. O. O. F. had half a million more members than any similar organization in this country. It is also the only fraternal organization that has never been divided. At the last meeting of Memphis Encampment No. 60, it was decided to have a get-together meeting of the membership on our next regular meeting night, which will be April 28th. There will be work in all the degrees and some nice refreshments will be served. All Encampment members are urged to attend this meeting.

We would not forget to say a word for our local Lodge of Rebekahs. This branch of our order is composed of Oddfellows, though at all time good women are welcomed into its membership. Oddfellows stands for the protection of all women but it can throw its protecting arm around

them much more effectively than men are able to understand. Our Sisters of the Order of the Eastern Star, who meet regularly on each week, at the I. O. O. F. Hall.

A new machine guning 3,500 shots a minute of a Spaniard, posed of 50 barrels, able of firing 70 shots in operation.

The Commissioners' Court has employed a Traffic Law officer to begin work on and all Traffic Laws beginning with said W. J. BRAGO, County Judge of Hall County.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court will receive sealed bids for the construction of a road across Parker creek, just east of the Bond will be required must be filed with the County Judge of Hall County on or before May 11, 1922. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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