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BOYS EXPERT JOCKEYS

Indian Youths at Home in the Saddle at an Astonishingly Tender Age.

A daring traveler braves the dangers of a trip into Mongolia he is fascinated by the natives at the time of summer festivals. Then every Mongolian family puts on its best bibs and tucks and goes to the fair.

For the only in Mongolia are the Mongolians are great horsemen, learn to ride at a very early age.

These little fellows are mounted on the very fast Mongolian ponies, but their only trappings are a bridle, a whip and a handkerchief.

BEAT SOUTH AMERICAN HERO

Memory of Simon Bolivar Worthily Honored by the Nations He Served So Well.

Simon Bolivar lived during that period in the history of mankind when political revolution was the order of the day. He was born in Caracas, Venezuela, July 24, 1783.



STARVE MITES IN HEN HOUSE

In Tests Made Parasites Were Still Alive After 113 Days in Abandoned Building.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It takes several months to starve the mites in an infested chicken house after the poultry has been removed.

The only way to get rid of these pests is to break up their hiding places. Dust baths will not control them. Roosts should be taken down.

Commercial carbolineum, which consists essentially of a high-grade anthracene oil, has proved very effective against mites.



Spraying Interior of Hen House for Mites.

Crude petroleum, while not so effective as carbolineum, retains its killing power for several weeks.

It has been found that one spraying with either of these materials often will completely eradicate the mites, but ordinarily it is advisable to make a second application in a month.

It is bad practice with fowls of all ages, but especially with youngsters. Chickens with mother hens or in brooders often are crowded at night.

AVOID CROWDING OF CHICKS

Bad Practice With Fowls of All Ages, but Especially With Very Little Fallows.

Avoid overcrowding. It is bad practice with fowls of all ages, but especially with youngsters. Chickens with mother hens or in brooders often are crowded at night.

Five Poultry Factors

There are five major factors in profitable poultry production, says N. E. Chapman, poultry specialist at University farm-breeding, feeding, housing, management and care.

PA'S UMBRELLA

By MARJORIE GATES

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"Now, pa, don't you lose that umbrella, whatever you do!" quoth Ma Hanley, with a touch of aggressiveness as she gave the tie under her better half's ear a twitch around to plumb and ascertain that a handkerchief lay in his back pocket.

Pa submitted meekly to a resounding kiss on his chin and departed with the importance of the rain-shedder firmly implanted in his mind.

Ma was generally right, and pa knew it, but he was nevertheless aware that there was something wrong—vaguely an—as with that umbrella.

"I believe I'll just drop into Abe Finley's on my way downtown," he thought, "perhaps I can put this pesky petticoat behind his door or leave it on his yellow plazy or somewhere."

Pa shuddered at the thought of a pea-green umbrella on a yellow veranda. "Sakes alive! Folks 'ud think the circus was a-comin to town! Nope! I jest can't do that. I'll have to leave it behind his kitchen door."

But luck wasn't with him. His guardian angel had joined the union, and never worked overtime.

"Oh, I know! I'll go in here and see Mis' Smith a minute," he decided, as he neared a very neat white house under the rise of the next hill.

"I'll jest stop around an' see how 'Bijah is this mornin' an' inquire after Tildy's husband. But, land alive, she's neater than wax, an' she'll see this here annoyance afore ever I get out of sight over the hill."

Quite so! No sooner had pa survived Alameda Smith's tale of troubles times and departed minus umbrella and worry, than Alameda spied the cause of his shame and, grabbing it in a determined hand, rushed to the front door.

"Urah!" she shrieked, "Urah Hanley! Here's your umbrella!" Pa's back was non-committal, and he feigned temporary deafness.

With a resigned sigh pa turned and went back! Alameda was smiling from ear to ear. "Land! But Mis' Hanley 'ud be mad if you lost that umbrella," she said.

"Thanks," said pa. "Yes, yes," and went on. Could he never dispose of that awful green umbrella! Would he always have to carry it!

On the homeward journey, laden down with his recent purchases and lost in thoughts of cedar shingles and staging, pa had little time to notice the darkling skies and lenden clouds.

Abstractedly pa raised the wreck over his head and walked the mile and a half more home.

And then there was an unmistakable, if slight, twinkle in his eye as he entered his wife's kitchen—the corpse of the pride of her soul still raised above his head and dripping streams of water through its countless rents.

Ma Hanley looked at him a moment and then sank weakly into a chair. "My land!" quoth she—and that was all.

Sam told that on his next trip to town pa bought two rather strange articles that were commented on by the grocery store loafers.

The Truth, Anyway.

It was a foreign class composed of Slavs and one Italian. This unbalanced race distribution resulted in the little Italian boy being at the mercy of the others, and they were certainly aware of it.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THURSDAY'S JOKE

"I have a joke to tell you, Father Week," said Thursday, after Friday had started in to work.

"What is it?" asked Father Week. "I like to hear jokes, for in this business of keeping all my fine children on time I need a joke or two once in a while."

"Now, Father," said Thursday, "that is a joke you're cracking yourself. You know perfectly well you don't have any trouble with us. You know we are always on time, always, always, always."

"You know that I've never kept Wednesday waiting and I am always quite ready to go when Friday appears. And Friday is always on time, too. I've never known Friday to be late."

"We're on time always and while it is your splendid example which helps us so much, still we are punctual ourselves."

"True, true," said Father Week. "Yes, I was cracking a joke as 'they say and as you said."

"But tell me your joke, Thursday, for you must be off on your holiday. You want to have some games with your family. Tuesday is waiting for you to play and so is Wednesday and so is Saturday and so is Monday and Sunday has a wonderful story to read to you, a simply wonderful story, Sunday says."

"Tell me your joke, Thursday, my child."

"Well," commenced Thursday, "I was working—so, of course, you know it was Thursday's day which is Thursday."

"A little girl asked her mother this question as little girls will do and as sometimes mothers will do, too: 'Mother,' she said, 'what day is today?'"

"Today is Thursday," her mother said.

"So I went along with the hours and played with the minutes but kept right up to time all through the day. 'But again and again, that little girl said to her mother: 'Mother, what day is today?'"

"Again and again her mother told her, but her mother said: 'Can't you remember, my dear? I've told you a good many times it is Thursday.'"

"The whole trouble is," said the little girl, "that I am all mixed up because yesterday was a holiday and I keep forgetting today what day it is."

"What a joke it was! Of course, once she had been told it was Thursday she should have remembered. 'I suppose she couldn't help but be mixed up after a holiday. We've often found that people were mixed up after a holiday. They kept thinking we ought to be Monday, as a rule. 'That we can understand as it happens so often, and we see how differently things are on a holiday and naturally it is a bit mixing.'"

"But the part that is so absurd is that the little girl didn't remember after she had been told many times that it was Thursday that it wasn't going to change from being Thursday during the day."

"Yes, of course, once I had started in with my day's work I wasn't going to leave until it was over and until my evening's work was over, too."

"Once it was Thursday it was going to continue to be Thursday all day long!"

"Dear me, as if I'd change places with Friday in the middle of the day!"

"Gracious me, I'd never do that."

"You never would, I'm glad to say," said Father Week, "but what strange things do happen. It certainly does seem strange to think that any one would ask what the day was, after having been told once, for everyone knows the days don't change places like that. But there are funny people and they make funny jokes for us!"

"And now be off for your holiday, Thursday, my child."

So Thursday hurried off to join the other days in their funmaking.

WAVE OF RELIGIOUS FERVOR

"Revival" Along the East Coast of England Is Most Remarkable of Recent Years.

A religious "revival" has commenced among the fisher people on the east coast, from Grimsby to John o' Groats, says the Manchester Guardian.

The great devilfish or giant ray, which abounds in the waters around Beaufort, S. C. and Captiva Inlet, Fla., has occasionally been found off New York and New Jersey.

DIFFER AS TO GIANT RAY

Naturalists Divided in Opinion Concerning Structural Makeup of Monster Fish.

This was 14 feet wide between the tips of the pectoral fins, 7 feet long from head to base of tail, and weighed 1,698 pounds.

Dr. E. W. Gudger of the American Museum of Natural History writes of the giant ray in Science, and says that naturalists who have described it differ as to whether it has a large spine or sting on its tail.

September 11 is a great day for all good Chinamen, for then occurs the feast of the Moon Cakes.

The greater number of cakes purchased the greater is considered the purchaser's respect for the night's light luminary, and some very black fate is believed to be reserved for the Chinaman who fails to eat a cake before the festival is over.

In computing the amount of his taxes on soft drinks, a Portland (Me.) druggist uses an old trolley car register.

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Surveying—Mapping—Real Estate W. A. THOMPSON Office in Court House County Surveyor

INSURANCE Income Tax Work R. A. BOSTON

THE CITY MARKET From Breakfast Time—till bed time every housekeeper is subconsciously at least planning meals. PRIME MEATS and keep the meat courses of the menu varied is something of a task until you have tried the suggestions of our MEAT MARKET ARNOLD & GARDNER

Look Ahead With The Graduate to the Things That Are New It's a sign of age to be pottering around in the smoldering embers of our yesterday. The flame of youth burns today. —Just so in the realm of fashion, values are determined by the timeliness of apparel and the pleasure you get out of them. If prices in staples appeal to you we have them— 15c Brown domestic 10c 15c Gingham, at 10c 20c Bleached domestic 12 1/2c Special for Saturday we are offering Demnity and Pajamas check, in 36 in. THE FAMOUS

# Local and Personal News

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

Malcom Tucker visited Childress Sunday.

Carl Huckaby, of Goodlet, is here visiting relatives.

Chas. Gober and Hallie Young were in Amarillo Friday.

Cleo Andis of Clarendon was a visitor here Sunday.

Hume Russell, of Estelline was here Monday afternoon.

Jesse Ballew, Transfer, Phone 333.

W. H. Grundy, of Newlin, was a Memphis visitor Saturday.

Buddie Guest and Tom Ballew were in Childress Sunday.

Fruits, berries and vegetables in season. Guinn & Tunnell.

Prof. Garrett of Salisbury school was a visitor here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Payne, of Estelline, were here Tuesday.

Miss Exa Landers of Plainview was a visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wheat visited relatives at Estelline Sunday.

Mrs. A. S. Moss went to Amarillo Saturday to attend to business matters.

Miss Rose Howard attended the singing convention at Webster Sunday.

Raymond Ballew left Sunday night for Dallas to get two new Studebaker cars.

That coffee you've been hearing so much about? Find it at Herod's Tailor Shop.

Geo. W. Moore and family spent the week-end with home-folk near Childress.

Mrs. Chas. Glenn of Wellington is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Arnold.

Ernest McMurry and Duke Goodman were in Childress Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Hart and daughter, and Mrs. Jap Duncan of Estelline were here Tuesday.

Phone 15 when you have a news item to report. The courtesy will be appreciated.

Bran and shorts delivered at your barn on short notice. Phone 113. Guinn & Tunnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Gilmore of Amarillo are spending the week with home-folk here.

Raymond Ballew visited Dallas on a business mission last week, returning home Friday.

Jones "Filling Station" for lunches, Chilli, Hamburgers, Coffee and Smokes. West Side. —12

Try our service—we try to please by delivering when wanted. Phone 113. Guinn & Tunnell.

Roy L. Jacobs connected with the Wm. Cameron Lumber Company was here Saturday from Waco.

Wanted—Woman to help cook and do housework, middle-aged preferred. Apply at Democrat office.

Lost—Wrist-watch, near post office Wednesday. Finder return to Cross Dry Goods Store for reward.

We will have a new crop comb Honey next week at very low prices. Phone 113. Guinn & Tunnell.

Harry Montgomery, of Lodge was a Memphis visitor Saturday and paid this office a brief business call.

Farm Loans and Ranch—Loans, any size, at reasonable rate of interest. NORWOOD & WALKER.

Rev. Chas T. Whaley and wife left Sunday night to attend the Baptist Convention at Little Rock, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson and little son, Jack, were among the visitors here from Estelline Tuesday.

Found—Brown striped coat. Owner may receive same by calling at Democrat office and paying for this notice.

Web Roberts of Floydada came in Sunday to visit Mrs. Roberts who is recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Robert McMurry left Sunday night for Sulphur, Oklahoma, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Howard.

Supt. Frazier of the Lodge school was a business visitor at the office Saturday. The Lodge school closes this week.

Mrs. Jones gave us a splendid talk at chapel Thursday morning. She is a representative of the Baylor Belton College.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown and little daughter, of Quanah, visited Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. L. Holt the first of the week.

Holiday Ice Cream is pure, wholesome and delicious—a delightful treat for everyone. Tomlinson-Rushing Drug Company.

Sweet Potato Slips—Porto Rica and Nancy Hall, strong and vigorous \$2.50 per thousand. Get them at Lemon's Produce Co. 1-\*

T. N. Baker was here from Deep Lake Saturday. He said that good progress was being made in farm work in that neighborhood.

Closing Out—Our stock of second-hand furniture and household goods. A special bargain in a Majestic range. MRS. S. M. COOPER.

Take home Holiday's Ice Cream and make the most simple meal a feast, it's the best ice cream made. Tomlinson-Rushing Drug Company.

S. H. Lacy of Turkey was here Tuesday and Wednesday. He reported everything in fine shape in that section, except that farm work is being delayed by the frequent rains.

J. L. McCollum, R. H. Whaley, Curry Green were among the Estelline delegation here Saturday in conference with the Commissioners' court in regard to road matters.

Fof Sale—Used cars one Buick Six, newly painted, one Studebaker Roadster, Big Six, one Ford Turing car with starter. W. M. Fore and sons, Tourist garage.

Final examinations start this Friday morning and continue until Wednesday, all students are making great preparations in order to meet these examinations.

D. L. C. Kinard is attending the State Bankers association meeting at Dallas this week. Mrs. Kinard accompanied her husband and will visit relatives at Hillsboro while away.

John T. Read was a Pleasant Valley visitor Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCollum of Estelline, were here Tuesday.

Try a sack of Majesty flour—Phone 113. Guinn & Tunnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Davidson, were visitors from Estelline Tuesday.

Bert Leslie of Childress is here looking after business interests.

Jesse Ballew, Transfer, Phone 333.

Leon Lewis and Jack Sorrell of Clarendon were visitors here Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Evans of Plainview spent the week-end with friends here.

F. M. Trapp came up from Childress this morning to visit his family.

E. D. Garner of Turkey was here Wednesday on his way to Amarillo.

C. C. Holcomb, of Leslie, was an appreciated business visitor Friday.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, no children. Phone 212. 44-2

Don't forget the treat of the season at the high school auditorium this Friday night, the play "At the End of the Rainbow," will be presented by the senior class of 1922. Come early and avoid the rush.

Mrs. Peek a representative direct from the Elmo Laboratories, Philadelphia will give us a four days demonstration of the different face preparations beginning Wednesday the 24th. She will be able to give you some interesting and useful information.

GREENE DRY GOODS CO.

Pure unadulterated coffee all chaff and rubbish taken out of our coffee. See our wonderful grinding process eliminated all impurities making our coffee sanitary and healthful. Herod's Tailor Shop.

The Fountain of Youth—That's what our fountain looks like these warm days. All the young people in town come here for their cooling and refreshing ices and invigorating drinks. Tomlinson-Rushing Drug Company.

Mrs. Peek who demonstrates the Elmo toilet preparation will be with us four days next week beginning Wednesday the 24th. She will teach you the right way to paint your face and explain the proper use of the different face preparations. GREENE DRY GOODS CO.

W. T. Fitzgerald, who formerly conducted the Sloan garage, which burned about two years ago, was arrested at Hedley by Memphis officers yesterday on an old grand jury indictment for theft. He put up a cash bond for his appearance at the coming term of district court and was allowed to proceed. He stated that he was on his way to Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Rev. A. D. Rogers returned Wednesday from a trip to San Antonio. He was present at the meeting of the newspaper men at Denton last week and reported that there was a large attendance and a very successful meeting.

A newsy letter was received from Eli last week but, because the writer failed to sign, it could not be used. We are anxious to get the news from each community but can not publish unsigned letters. The signature is only wanted as evidence of good faith, however, and the writer's name is never published unless publication is authorized. We will be glad to furnish stamps and stationery, and a copy of the Democrat to any correspondent who will furnish the news from any neighborhood and will appreciate the service if friends of the Democrat in each community and will be of interest to Democrat readers through out the county. Set that your neighborhood is represented in the paper each week.

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### Church News

Church of Christ, 7th and Brice.

The church meets each Lord's day. Bible study at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. on the first and third Lord's days of each month.

Communion at 11 each Lord's day. Prayer meeting and Bible study on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. There will be preaching next Lord's day at 11 o'clock.

You are invited to attend these services.

C. H. KENNEDY, Minister.

Main Street Church of Christ.

Sunday school 9:45, a. m. The blues are ahead. Let the reds remember that two more Sundays will decide who shall serve at the biggest picnic ever held in Hall county.

Communion and offering 11: a. m. No preaching morning or evening on account of commencement services at Baptist and Methodist churches.

Junior C. E. 7 p. m., Lucy Hudgins leader.

Senior C. E. 7 p. m., Orvil Goodpasture leader.

Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8, p. m. Every one urged to be present. A. D. ROGERS, Pastor.

First Methodist Church.

A record-smashing Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. If you are a member of this church we want you to come. Please do not fail us.

Intermediate League, 2:15 p. m. Junior League, 3:00 p. m. Senior League, 6:45 p. m.

Sermon to the undergraduates of high school at the evening hour. No service at the other churches.

Dr. Ernest E. Robinson of St. Paul's Methodist, Abeline will preach both sermons Sunday. To the graduates at 11 a. m., Baptist church at the Methodist church at the evening hour.

Dr. Robinson is a great preacher. Hear him for he will bring us something unusual. A. L. MOORE.

First Presbyterian Church

On account of the commencement exercises next Sunday at the Baptist and Methodist churches, there will be no preaching at this church.

Interesting services were held last Sunday. The morning hour was set apart in honor of mothers, and the pastor preached on "Mothers". The pulpit and platforms were decorated with beautiful flowers which sent their cheer into every heart.

Sermon to Odd Fellows On Sunday evening, May 28, the pastor will deliver a sermon in this church to Odd Fellows. All Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Hall county are invited to attend. The local lodge No. 444 is to turn out in a body, and the Rebekahs are cordially invited also.

Next Sunday the usual order will be followed, with the exception of the preaching services. 10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. 6:00 p. m.—Junior and Intermediate C. E.

Evangelist Law and his singer will be here to begin their evangelistic campaign in this church on the first Sunday in June. Some preliminary services may be held before their arrival, if so further announcements will appear. —Eugene B. Kuntz, Pastor.

For Rent.

To couple or two men. One conveniently located bed-room, well-furnished. One block north of Tourist garage, opposite Christian church. Phone 15.

We serve all the popular summer drinks in a clean sanitary way. Nothing but the purest ice cream and freshest fruit flavors. Tomlinson-Rushing Drug Company.

R. D. Sasser Jr. entertained the student body Monday morning at the chapel by giving his and the other representatives trip to Austin the week previous.

### FERGUSON URGES RADICAL CHANGES

(Continued from Page One.) that men can not be made good by law. Mr. Ferguson discussed at length the Federal Reserve system, declaring it was responsible for the present financial depression and hard times.

"Other candidates want to keep the Federal Reserve system, but I want to wipe it out," he said. It is not owned by the Government, but by the big bankers, who control the smaller banks of the country and curtail the credit of the farmers and business men.

Scores Reserve Expenditures. "Business is bad in all lines of industry, and yet the Federal Reserve system built a \$26,000,000 building in New York City, more than the White House and the Capitol in Washington cost. They built a \$5,000,000 building in Kansas City, where 500 employees are given free 50c dinner every day as they listen to a forty-two-piece orchestra, while we farmers down here in Texas eat bacon and beans and haven't even a fiddle to play "Sugar in the coffee" while we eat.

"Here in Dallas we have a \$2,000,000, building and pay a man \$10,000 a year to be governor of it. Mr. Ferguson declared he strongly in favor of union labor, that united effort was necessary all lines of human endeavor. Mr. Ferguson said he was glad to see the farmers organizing and joining with the laboring men, declaring their interests were identical. Mr. Ferguson advocated the turn of light wives and beer, declaring that more people have been killed during the last three years drinking contraband liquor than all during the history of the sale. A tax on light wives and beer would produce great revenues for the Government, while the bootlegger does not pay any, he said.

Advocates Redemption Fund. "I want to restore the government the right to issue money because the Constitution says so. I would take \$750,000,000 of the \$3,000,000,000 gold piled up in Washington and use it as a people's redemption fund. Then I would issue \$3,000,000,000 in gold certificates. I would take \$2,000,000,000 of that and pay the soldier boys \$500 each would pay out the \$1,000,000,000 to the public for wages and put it in circulation. If money was divided we would have good times and do business with each other, but until the people have money we can't do business. Some may say I am for inflating money. Well, didn't the Federal Reserve crowd deflate it? Every child who is hungry and every man out of work has a right to cuss the Federal Reserve Bank.

"If I am elected I am going to pass a law making it a penitentiary offense for any man or institution lending money to charge more than 6 per cent in any shape form or fashion. The Bible denounces usury in no uncertain terms, yet men and banks practice it every day. Two States Position on Klan In reply to an inquiry from audience, Mr. Ferguson stated position on the Ku Klux Klan. "I do not think that opposition or indorsement of the Klan is a qualification for a Senator," said, "but it seems here lately every candidate must speak on the question, and I never dodge an issue. I am not a member of the Klan and I do not agree with plans as publicly announced, know nothing of its private practices, but I could not join any order which my Savior, Jesus Christ could not join after he returned earth. "You have heard my views on what I consider the most important issues in this campaign," Mr. Ferguson said in conclusion. "I ask you to compare them with the platforms of my opponents, which like Mother Hubbard, cover every thing and touch nothing."

## Long Lines, Rich Colors, Fine Suits

There's something cheery about these new tans, blues and grays, they certainly make stylish suits. Sport styles, new long lines in all of them.



Very fine values in Continental tweeds and worsted suits at \$30 and up. Cleaning and pressing.

### BROOKS TAILOR SHOP

PHONE 554 DRY CLEANING MEMPHIS, TEXAS

## ELMO FOR BEAUTY

Mrs. Peek of the Elmo Laboratories will be at our store for four days next week—MAY 24th, 25th, 26th and 27th.

She will answer any questions you may wish to ask regarding proper care of the skin.

Are you using the correct preparation on your skin? Do you know the correct use of the different creams? Do you understand the only correct way to apply Rouges and Powders?

Mrs. Peek will be here on the above dates to show and advise you. We hope you will find her a help.

## GREENE DRY GOODS COMPANY

Neighborhood News

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

Hulver Hints

A. M. Russell has been real... Carl Posey entertained a... Mr. W. Miller, of Floydada, was here Monday on business.

Pat Arnold, of Amarillo, was here for several days last week, visiting his son, Donald Arnold. More rain fell here Sunday.

Hedley Happenings

Mr. J. W. Miller, of Floydada, was here Monday on business. Ted Stogner went to Amarillo Thursday, returning Friday.

Turkey Talk

Carlton, of Memphis, is visiting here. Mrs. J. H. Mecham, here lately. Vanderslice will leave the latter part of this week for Wellington.

Estelline Events

O. T. Ball, of Memphis, was here on business this week. Several people from here saw "The Black" in Memphis Monday and Tuesday.

Methodist Church Notes

Preaching services next Sunday morning at 11 p. m. M. D. King will fill the pulpit. Subject: "The Old Paths."

Bits from Bridle-Bit

I. D. Mullins made a business trip to Memphis last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. George White were guests at home of Joe Parker Sunday evening.

and I were young maggie," and Glad Vacation Time." Next they played several games, and had an interesting story telling period.

I. O. O. F. News and Notes

On account of the press of other business this correspondent failed to get anything in print last week. The lodge meeting last week was one of the best and most interesting held in some time.

Encampment Held

The Encampment held its semi-monthly meeting last Friday night but owing to the bad weather and the fact that many of our out-of-town members are busy with their farm work the attendance was small.

Bro. T. H. Martin was reported quite sick with smallpox at his home on East Noel Street. While most of us will not be able to visit him, he will none the less be the object of our tender care and attention.

Bro. W. E. Bray was here Saturday from Clarendon. Frank White, of Clarendon, visited in Hedley Sunday.

The proposition of building a new lodge hall is a live topic at all our meetings and something will probably materialize along this line soon. J. M. WILLBORN, Cor.

Special Oddfellow Services

A special service for Oddfellows will be held at the Presbyterian church in this city Sunday night, May 28th. Oddfellows and Rebekahs from all our neighboring lodges are cordially urged to attend this service.

London University, with an enrollment of 20,000 students, makes the claim of the largest attendance of any institution in the world.

LODGE SCHNOL CLOSES MOST SUCCESSFUL YEAR. COMMENCEMENT WEEK

Report Shows Large Proportion of Promotions. Teachers Employed Under Unusual Plan.

The schools of the Lodge Independent District, including Lodge, Indian Creek and Pleasant Valley public schools, close, perhaps, the most successful session in the history of the district this week.

Commencement exercises were held last night. A class of six complete the tenth grade this session.

A report prepared by Superintendent A. L. Frazier gives the following information: Number enrolled, 379; promoted, 248; retained in present grades, 45; withdrawn during term, 77.

The withdrawals were mostly due to moving away from the district, so that those withdrawn, with a few exceptions, have enrolled in other schools.

Of those retained in present grades practically all were irregular in attendance. The Lodge school board, which is composed of some of the most progressive citizens in the county, has evolved and adopted a plan of employing teachers which they believe will result in continued improvement for the schools.

The personnel of the board is as follows: T. J. Dennis, president; J. B. Burnett, vice-president; L. A. Daniel, secretary; M. Owen, custodian and N. M. Orr, H. T. Rea and Tom Messer trustees.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Blackshare, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Copeland were here from Estelline Tuesday. In a contest at Shanghai between a Chinese adept in the use of an abacus and an American adding machine salesman, the abacus was badly worsted.

The late King Charles paid 31 per cent interest for a loan of 75 days' duration, on the crown jewels of Austria-Hungary, according to allegations made in a suit by a Paris jeweler. More than \$2,000,000,000 is invested in the coconut industry.

Travelers report that the price of a room in a first-class hotel in Vienna is anywhere from 5,000 to 40,000 crowns a day. Forty per cent of this goes to the municipality. A similar tax is imposed on the charge for heating rooms and there is a tax of 10 per cent on the cost of meals.

The Majestic Theatre Program.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY William Fox presents Tom Mix in "Trailin'" with Aurbain Movie Chats. WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY Universal presents Gladys Walton in "Gutter Snipe," also Sunshine comedy, "Please Be Careful."

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY William Fox presents William Russell in "The Lady from Longacre," also 16th Chapter of "Winners of the West."

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The Secretary of the Navy has announced the closing of naval radio stations to public use for broadcasting speeches, lectures of any form

of non-official communication, excepting musical programs to be picked up by radio telephone. The issuance of the order followed the use of the naval radio service by members of Congress in addressing their constituents on political subjects.

Identifying cows by the prints of their noses, in the same manner as the police system of identification by fingerprints, is a new method employed by the University of Minnesota to prevent unscrupulous dealers taking advantage of pedigreed live stock.

A canary bird wholesaler in Omaha has the trade-mark, "Living Music Box," stamped under the left wing of each bird with indelible ink. He places a high value on this trade-mark.

A baby man-eating shark, hungry and vicious, was found as a stowaway in the bilge of a ship put in drydock in New York for repairs.

USE BRICK Vitrified brick, the pavement that gives universal satisfaction. Write to Thurbur Brick Co., Ft. Worth, Texas.

Notice

The report is being circulated that we fix the charges for handling cotton at the cotton yard.

In justice to the weigher and ourselves we wish to say that we have no part in fixing such charges. They are fixed by the public weigher who is elected by the people.

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New patterns and colors for summer are here. Why not look them over.

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STONE & LANG CHAIN STORES



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CUPID-AND JANEY

By JOAN M. GRAY

Standing on the shady porch of the Reed bungalow, Mona Lee and Janey Reed waved good-by to young Mr. Jimmie Reed, rising young architect and uncle to one, husband to the other.

On the Reed porch the hours wore on until even Mona gave up and went in to dinner, where the gay hearts and Cupids of Janey's inspiration seemed to droop despondently.

Uncle Jimmy was a lover of yours. I saw him kiss you that night there on the rocks and I—

DOULTRY NOTES

Put your eggs in cold storage via the waterglass route.

MAY BE PEAKS OF ATLANTIS

Azores, Madeira, Canary and Cape Verde Islands Possibly Mountain Tops of Vanished Continent.

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There's no joy in anything when your feet ache and pain, or if you have corns, bunions and callouses.

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Here you will find our Foot Comfort Demonstrator who will be glad to answer any questions you may care to ask in regard to foot comfort and correct shoe fitting.

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Instead of being able to reach one to a dozen interested persons as you might at a trade's day or other similar gathering once a month you may reach, perhaps, one hundred or five hundred who are looking for just such a proposition as you may have to offer.

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No advertisement will be inserted for less than 25 cents.

Evening Dress, worn only a few times. Can be made to fit 34 to 36 bust. High-priced dress at fraction of first cost.

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Enclosed find \$1.00, for which please insert the following advertisement four consecutive issues, beginning the first issue in June.

1922.

BONBON MAN

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Memphis Newspaper Syndicate.

Richard's glanced at her wrist and then expectantly down the hall with a disappointed look in his eyes...

There she met her friend with the hat George and his friend were wearing to the movies and to supperward...

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ENDING THE STORY

By MILDRED WHITE

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Millicent sat with her Great-aunt Millicent's letter spread before her. The room she was in might have been part of a picture of long ago.

The girl turned her eyes on the letter. "My dear namesake," it began. "I hope that the bracing air of Wind-cliff is doing for you all that the doctors prophesied, and it is fortunate that I was able to take advantage of my old friend's hospitality for your sake...

"What joyous times we had together, until a fabled cause for jealousy separated me from the man I loved. Women in rivalry for love are, I suppose, the same through all the ages; and it was such an unprincipled and untruthful creature who brought me sorrow...

"Sad and widowed, John Meredith came again to seek my hand, but I could not forget his lack of trust, so we were never married. And even as I refused him, his old hot anger arose, and he swore to haunt me in reproach, living or dead."

"My dear, I was still deeply grieved when, as time passed, I came to learn of his death. Indeed you may see the portrait of the man for love of whom your aunt lived single all her days hanging in the wainscoted room overlooking the sea. When you gaze at those dark eyes, be sorry that they were not softer in expression."

She sat thinking over Aunt Millicent's story as twilight descended and a purple mist seemed to rise from the sea. Then, presently, as though drawn by some unseen power, the girl looked toward the portrait. Slowly, but positively, the tall painted figure swayed forward, and Millicent jumped with a startled cry. As quick as her cry, the picture fell back into place. Bravely, she advanced to test it with her hands. The oiled surface was firm in its place.

"I am getting to be as bad as the servants," she told herself, and went briskly to join her aunt's old friend. But Miss Meredith had gone down to the village, the housekeeper told her. And would she have tea in her room? The uncertain influence again drew the girl.

"I will have it," she replied, "in the front tower room." She tried to persuade herself, as again and again her eyes sought the canvas in the panel, that she was curdling herself of an illusion. It was just as she had finished her second muffin that the unbelievable happened. Noiselessly, the great panel swung out, then back; and in place of the painted man stood a living, breathing one.



MARY GRAHAM BONNER

SAMMY SAUSAGE'S DISCOVERY

"I've discovered something," said Sammy Sausage. "Yes, I have!"

"What is a discovery?" asked Pinky Pig.

"Grunt, grunt, what is it?" asked Porky Pig.

"Squeal, squeal, what is it?" asked Miss Ham.

"Do tell me, grunt, grunt," said Mrs. Pinky Pig.

"Tell me first," said Master Pinky Pig. "Squeal, squeal, tell me first."

"Tell me first, grunt, grunt," said Pinky Pig's mother.

"Ah, no, tell me first," said Brother Bacon. "Tell me first, grunt, grunt. I'm a good friend of yours."

"Ha, ha," said Sammy Sausage. "You're a fine friend when you think I have something I may share with you. But why you have such an idea or where you got it from is something I cannot understand."

"I don't know where you ever picked up such an idea. You must have surely been hunting for silly ideas in a rubbish heap."

"Dear me, grunt, grunt," said Brother Bacon. "One doesn't find ideas of any sort in a rubbish heap. One finds rubbish in a rubbish heap. There! You see how wise I am."

"I don't see that you are wise at all," said Sammy Sausage. "I hear you say that you are, or rather I hear you telling me to see how wise you are."

"But I won't pay any attention to that. For I know you aren't wise."

"Suppose I sniff that one found roses on rose bushes, would that make me bright?"

"Ah," said Brother Bacon. "There aren't always roses on rose bushes. But in a rubbish heap there is always rubbish."

"How do you know?" said Sammy Sausage.

"Well, there must be," said Brother Bacon. "If there wasn't any rubbish on a rubbish heap there wouldn't be any rubbish heap. Now what do you think of your smart pig relative?"

"No more than I ever have," said Sammy Sausage. "You may be right."



"I Am Your Friend."

in what you have just said but that doesn't mean you're right in everything and it doesn't even mean that you are bright."

"Oh well," said Brother Bacon. "I didn't expect any praise from you."

"Then," said Sammy Sausage, "you don't feel badly because you don't get it."

"I believe I do know what discovery means," said Brother Bacon. "I believe we all do. One of us discovered something one day and—"

"Kept it to himself," interrupted the others.

"Perhaps that is so, undoubtedly it is so," said Brother Bacon. "Yes, I remember now a discovery is something some one has found which is new or which hasn't been found by some one else. That's about what discovery means."

"You wouldn't make a good teacher," said Sammy Sausage. "If a creature only knows about what a thing means it isn't enough."

"Enough for me," said Brother Bacon. "I don't intend to be a teacher. And I don't intend to be a pupil. They don't have enough eating periods in a school. They're forever looking at books. No one can eat a book, unless one happens to be a goat. We're not goats, anyway!"

"But, Sammy Sausage," said Brother Bacon. "Do tell me what you have found for I am your friend."

"Ah, Brother Bacon," said Sammy Sausage. "You are a fine friend. When I can do something for you, around you come and you talk to me about what a fine friend I am."

"You say that you will never forget me if I help you and you say you love me so."

"But when you could do a kind and friendly act for me you don't because you've forgotten you're a friend of mine unless you think there is some chance of my doing something more for you."

"Until pigs learn to be better friends they can't expect too much."

"No one will start the good example, grunt, grunt, grunt," said the other pigs.

"But no matter! It is too late in the day for pigs to change their grunting, squealing, pig ways!"

Definition of a Fishing Net. Teacher—What is a fishing net? Freshie—A lot of little holes tied together with bits of string.



SELL POULTRY TO CONSUMER

Specialists Believe It to Be Most Profitable Method of Disposing of Best Fowls.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

There are three general ways of selling poultry—direct to the consumer, direct to the retailer, or to commission merchants for selling on the open market. Selling direct to the consumer is believed by poultry specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture to be the most profitable method of disposing of high-grade goods, for the charges of the middlemen are eliminated. Very often the producer is situated so that he can build up a retail trade among the families of a neighboring town or city, delivering his goods once or twice a week, or oftener if desired. In this way he can obtain a substantial increase over prices paid in the open market. Especially is this true in the case of strictly fresh eggs. Often it is possible to find customers in a town or city within reasonable hauling distance, taking eggs and poultry to them at regular intervals. Hotels, restaurants and clubs are good customers which can be supplied in this way by contract.

Often there are grocery and provision dealers catering to a select trade to whom the producer can sell regular supplies of eggs and poultry. Of course, the simplest way to sell produce is through the commission merchant. It does away with expense



Plucked and Ready for Consumer.

and trouble of private trades, but the returns usually are not so large, except when dealing with certain commission houses that have built up a fine trade along certain lines. The Department of Agriculture has several bulletins covering the subject of marketing poultry. Farmers' Bulletin 830, Shipping Eggs by Parcel Post, may be had free upon application to the division of publications; Farmers' Bulletin 528, Hints to Poultry Raisers, 5 cents; Department Bulletin 561, Feed Cost of Egg Production, price 10 cents, may be ordered of the superintendent of documents, government printing office, Washington.

BOWEL TROUBLE IN POULTRY

One Good Way to Prevent Ailments Is Not to Feed Anything Solid for Seventy-Two Hours.

"To prevent white diarrhea and bowel trouble, chicks should not be fed any solid feeds for at least 72 hours after hatching," says Harry Embleton, head of the poultry department of Oklahoma A. and M. college. "During this period, however, they should receive sour, skim milk when taken from the incubator, and this should be kept before them all the time. In addition to the milk they should receive some fine sand which acts as a grit."

"When beginning to feed solid feeds, feeding should be little and often. A commercial chick feed scattered in a finely cut litter accompanied with some rolled oats or Johnny cake or a mixture of these feeds with hard-boiled eggs makes a very good feed for starting young chicks. Care should be taken not to over-feed them."

Bumble Foot Remedy

This trouble is an abscess on the bottom of the foot caused by a splinter in the foot or jumping off a high roost. If the roosts are at fault they should be remedied.

Tie a cord tightly around the leg above the foot to control the flow of blood. Open the abscess and thoroughly clean out the core. Disinfect in a dilute solution of tincture of iodine, after which apply a generous dressing of carbolated vaseline and bandage. In two days repeat the dressing of iodine and carbolated vaseline.

Father of Three Kings.

Charles Bonaparte, father of the great Emperor Napoleon, was a humble lawyer, with no very extensive practice, in the sleepy little town of Ajaccio, in the isle of Corsica. He seems to have been a most affectionate and exemplary parent, and as the father of three sons who became kings (Joseph, king of Naples and Spain; Louis, king of Holland, and Jerome, king of Westphalia), and a fourth who became the greatest military commander, monarch and king-maker of modern times, he holds an unique place in history.

Word "Lot" of Puritan Origin.

The use of the word "lot" to designate a field or plot of land, is universal in the United States. It had its origin among the Puritans, and was the product of their strict adherence to Biblical customs. Among the early settlers of New England the extensive salt-marshes from which the salt-hay was cut, were owned in common, every man helping himself to as much hay as he wished. As the population increased this condition could not prevail with general harmony, and it was agreed to divide the marshes equally among all the families. This was done by the Biblical fashion of lot and the portion which fell to each man was known as "his lot." In a short time the word came to apply to any piece of land, and finally reached the meaning of any great quantity.

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