

# MEMPHIS DEMOCRAT

MEMPHIS, TEXAS, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1916.

NO. XVI.

## Come to the Hall County Fair

### Take Two Days Off and Bring the Whole Family and Help to Make Our First Fair a Success

### BRING ALL THE BOYS AND THE GIRLS

#### KAFFIR CALF AND MILO PIG

Two Extraordinary Animals To Be Exhibited at the Hall County Fair.

#### THE ONLY TWO IN CAPTIVITY

These Animals Were Secured By Long Painsstaking Effort. Never Before Exhibited.

A unique, extraordinary, and curious feature among the fair exhibits will be two new, and heretofore unknown, animals. Animals that have never been exhibited before, here or elsewhere.

One has been named, by its discoverers, the "Milo Pig," and it bears a striking resemblance to the latter animal. Its color is nearly that of the Duroc-Jersey, and it equals a well developed adult of that breed in development and size. It is mute, and presumably, deaf; has uttered no sound since its capture.

The other, for want of a better name, has been called the "Kaffir Calf." In general shape it is not unlike the cattle in this section and is of about the size of a yearling Hereford, which it very much resembles both in color and markings.

These animals were secured, if not at great personal risk, at a great expenditure of time and ingenuity, the most painsstaking patience and careful effort being necessary to success. Their exhibition is sure to create a sensation.

#### HURDLESTON R. R. COMMISSIONER

Governor Selects Fort Worth Man to Temporarily Fill Place of Commissioner Williams.

Austin, Oct. 2.—Governor Ferguson today announced the appointment of Charles H. Hurdleston of Ft Worth to be railroad commissioner to fill out the unexpired term of Judge William D. Williams of Fort Worth, who died here early Sunday. He is a brother of City Light Commissioner M. W. Hurdleston of Fort Worth.

In 1914 Hurdleston was appointed general manager of the State railway, with headquarters at Palestine.

He has been a close friend of Governor Ferguson since the days twenty years ago when they were fellow employees on the M. K. & T.

Hurdleston was notified in Palestine Sunday night of his appointment by Governor Ferguson to succeed Williams.

#### To The Cotton Buyers

It is a violation of the law to cut or deface any marks or bands on a bale of cotton. This law applies to any person firm, corporation, or association of persons, buying cotton in this state. See art 988 Revised Criminal Statute 1911. State inspectors are keeping a very close watch on this feature of the law and any violation of the same called to my attention shall be prosecuted.

Sam J. Hamilton, County Attorney.

### The Young Folk will get Pleasure, Encouragement and Knowledge of Educational Value and You will Like it Yourself

The Hall County Live Stock, Agricultural and Educational Exhibition, to open Friday and continue over Saturday will be Hall County's first attempt to hold a County Fair. We have repeatedly gathered exhibits for fairs at other places, to show people away from home what Hall county could do; but have made little effort to enlighten home people regarding our accomplishments and possibilities. The result is that many people living in other parts of the State are better informed along these lines and appreciate our successes and possibilities better than we do ourselves.

To overcome this lack of needed information and to engender and strengthen a justifiable local pride, and at the same time help and encourage the most progressive and intelligent set of youngsters any county ever had, are the chief reasons for inaugurating this organization, which we hope to see grow to proportions that will rival similar fairs in any county in Texas.

Those in charge of the work, who have performed heroic service, realize that future success depends to a great extent upon getting a good start, hence their strenuous work and their efforts with the limited funds at their disposal, to awaken a proper interest and get a representative attendance. Of course all outside folk are invited and the more that come the better we will be pleased; but the people we are most anxious to interest are the home people. This fair is their affair, and we want their approbation and assistance.

Don't fail to come, and to get your neighbors to come. You will be pleased and enlightened, and those who have done the work will feel amply rewarded, if you do come.

#### \$1,004 MADE ON EIGHT ACRES

H. R. Donaldson, a tenant farmer on E. E. Hamilton's place, one mile south of Body, made \$1,004 this year from eight acres of land. Mr. Donaldson planted the eight acres in Irish Potatoes, and when he had laid by this crop, planted cotton between the

rows. He gathered and sold 440 bushels of potatoes for 85c a bushel, which brought \$374. He has gathered and sold in cotton and cottonseed \$615 and has yet about \$15 worth to pick, which makes a total of \$1,004 from the eight acres of land in one season. Mr. Donaldson has made affidavit to these figures before a notary public.

#### MEMPHIS WINS FROM AMARILLO

Football Game With Amarillo Saturday is Won by the Home Team Easily.

#### SCORE MEMPHIS 57, AMARILLO 0

Visitors Were Game and Played Good Ball But Were Too Light In Weight.

The football game between Amarillo and Memphis High attracted a good crowd and furnished good sport.

The weather was ideal, the ground in good shape and the crowd enthusiastic. Both sides showed symptoms of amateurishness and both lacked experience and training; but the "pep" and snap exhibited made up for other shortcomings and the crowd was much more enthusiastic than critical.

Both team were fast and good time was made and some fine individual work was done on both sides.

The visitors were out-classed in weight and the game was one-sided on that account; but they were game to the last and came back with a snap after each defeat.

The locals will play Quanah here, during the fair, next Saturday, and good sport is anticipated.

#### TO PLAN NEW A. & M. COLLEGE

West-Texans Meet Today to Plan Campaign Before the State Legislature.

The campaign in the coming Thirtieth legislature to secure the appropriation for an Agricultural and Mechanical College in West Texas will be planned Thursday in Fort Worth, when several hundred delegates from West Texas towns will meet at the Chamber of Commerce in the convention of the West Texas A. & M. Campaign Association.

The association will go into the legislature to fight for this appropriation with the indorsement of the state Democratic convention. This convention instructed the legislature to establish this college in West Texas.

Dr. P. C. Coleman, of Colorado, president will preside over the convention. Large delegations will come from San Angelo, Abilene, Sweetwater, Colorado, Big Springs, Plainview, Amarillo, and other West Texas cities which are candidates for the location of the college.

The visitors will be guests of the Chamber of Commerce at 5 p. m. Thursday at a barbecue-Dutch luncheon.

#### Notice, Memphis Agricultural Club.

All members of the Memphis Boys' and Girls' Agricultural Club are requested to meet, without fail, at the court house at 11:00 o'clock Thursday WILL. M. MIDKIFF

### MORE MONEY NEEDED FOR TEX. SCHOOLS

PLEA FOR VOTES FOR CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED UPON IN NOVEMBER ELECTION

#### AMENDMENT DOESN'T IMPOSE TAX

Will Permit Those Who Wish To Tax Themselves For Better Schools.

House Joint Resolution 30, passed by the 34th Texas legislature, submits an amendment to the state constitution to be voted on by the people at the general election to be held in November, 1916, providing that the legislature may enact a law permitting common and independent school districts to levy a local school tax not to exceed one dollar on the \$100 of assessed property valuation by a majority vote of the qualified property taxpaying voters of the district, and also permitting counties to levy a county school tax of 50 cents on the \$100 of assessed property valuation to supplement the county school funds if a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of the county desire to do so.

The adoption of this amendment does not, therefore, impose a tax upon anyone, but simply removes the constitutional handicap which forbids many localities having efficient schools and allows the people of school districts and counties where they desire to do so to provide adequate financial support from their own funds for the proper maintenance of their own schools.

In many sections of the state the schools are suffering seriously on account of insufficient funds. The people of such districts desire better schools for their children, but the constitution stands in the way. Is this right? If you do not need the amendment in your county or district will you not help your fellow citizen in some other section who does need it?

The state of Arkansas has a constitutional limit of seven mills for local school purposes, as against five mills in Texas. The people of Arkansas are asking that this limit be raised to 12 mills. The people of Texas are asking that the limit be raised to only 10 mills. Oklahoma already has a state school tax of 15 mills.

It is an acknowledged fact that Texas is considerably below the average among the states of the United States from the standpoint of an efficient public school system, and the main reason for this state of affairs is attributed to the fact that many of the schools of Texas are hindered by a constitutional restriction which forbids the people to provide out of their own means sufficient funds to maintain good schools, although, in a majority of instances, they are eager and willing to do so. Should not the constitution and the laws serve the educational needs of the people?

#### Baby Contest Notice.

All babies up to twenty-four months of age, including those under six months, will be admitted to the "Better Baby Contest." Mothers with babies who are not doing well, or not growing properly, are that are weak or abnormal in any way, are invited to bring them; the doctors on the committee will give the mothers free advice for their improvement and in overcoming defects. Those babies not entered in the contest will be given the same careful examination as those who are contestants.

Bring babies to the Baptist church Saturday morning between the hours of 9:00 to 12:00

en... AND GIRLS' CLUBS TO COMPETE... COUNTY CLUBS LARGEST IN... AND THERE IS SHARP COMPETITION FOR THE MEMBERSHIP... ST CLUB TO LEAD PARADE... Members Called to Meet at the Court House at 11:00 a. m. Friday Morning... boys and girls' agricultural... Hall County have a larger... than that of any other... in the United States, or simi... in the world. They now have... members... club with the largest member... present will have the honor... of the parade to the fair grounds... and there has been sharp com... among the clubs to secure... who must be bona fide... certified with some branch of... It is not known how... stand as to membership;... last account the Hulver and... were leading and very close... members of these organizations... by far, the most numerous... The pig clubs alone have... entries. Nineteen baby... have been entered and the ag... exhibits of club members... numerous... Agent Will M. Midkiff, who... and is yet, the moving spirit... work, says that the public... surprised at the successful... attained by these boys and... of whom are mere children... Midkiff requests us to say that... members are to meet prompt... 11:00 o'clock Friday morning... court house. Badges will be... and the order of march... Don't forget, and don't... Senior League Program... What Our Work as Lea... would be... He Leadeth Me... Live Reading: Ninety-fifth... Much Time Ought I give God...—Miss Miller...—Does God Need Me?—Sam...—Kingdom and Our Part—Ira...—We Owe as Stewards to God—Wren...—Mental Solo—Anna Fae Mont... Our League Special is for...—Elsie Bass... with Missionary Items...—Claudia Bass... ACCIDENTS AT CHILDRESS... Receive Serious and... Minor Injuries in Auto... Accidents... Gibson was seriously, and per... hurt, and Johnnie Jones... injured in an auto accident... on Valley road east of... Friday night. Gibson and... were in a car followed... in another; Gibson slowed... at a corner and Jones' car... on the other, overturning both... main unconscious since;... was seriously hurt... by J. T. Hanley and... on an embankment on the... road north of Childress... Mr. Hanley, who is an aged... his arm broken and his dis... others received minor in... Hanley, who now lives... county was formerly a... Childress county.





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Specialist

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West Side of Square  
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We are better than ever prepared to serve you everything in the short order line. You should try an order of

### Fish and Oysters

as we prepare them and you will come again.

Mr. G. Watts is now one of the proprietors and extends to his friends a special invitation to call.

### McAdoo-Watts

Lax-Fos, A Mild, Effective Laxative & Liver Tonic  
Does Not Grip nor Disturb the Stomach.

In addition to other properties, Lax-Fos contains Cascara in acceptable form, a stimulating Laxative and Tonic. Lax-Fos acts effectively and does not grip nor disturb stomach. At the same time, it aids digestion, arouses the liver and secretions and restores the healthy functions. 50c.

First National Bank  
MEMPHIS, TEXAS

### To The Democrats of Hall County

Texas has pledged \$100,000.00 to the Democratic Presidential Campaign and the undersigned central committee for Hall county believes that we ought to pay, at least, \$250.00 of this amount.

Any amount will be gladly and cheerfully received but we hope to raise this amount largely by \$1.00 subscriptions and in order that every one may have an opportunity to contribute without inconvenience, we have appointed the following men to solicit and receive subscriptions, who are authorized to receipt for same and who may select such men as they desire to assist them:-

At Memphis Central Committee,  
At Newlin, J. R. Nelson and B. E. Rushing.

At Ell Robert Jones and E. M. Dennis.

At Finger T. N. Baker and W. W. Shaw.

At Estelina Cross Randle, H. W. Mitchell and J. N. Anthony.

At Baylor R. D. Land and H. H. Davis.

At Parnell T. J. Cole and W. A. McIntosh.

At Hulver J. W. Phillips and J. W. Mosely.

At Lakeview J. C. Wells, Wm. F. Dickson and C. P. Buchanan.

At Turkey D. C. Lane, W. L. Lacey and J. H. Young.

At Lodge Arthur Gidden, S. H. Boon and J. E. Orr.

At Brice G. R. Dickson, W. B. Youngblood and W. M. Stewart.

The first named in each committee shall act as chairman and to whom a copy of this letter and receipts have been sent.

The name of each contributor, with the amount, will be reported to Hon. W. W. Marsh, Treasurer, Democratic Committee, New York City, and we shall ask that each committee report the names, with their remittance, to J. H. Read, Secretary, Treasurer of Central Committee, Memphis, Texas, who will make his remittance direct to Mr. Marsh and Mr. Marsh will acknowledge this contribution by returning an engraved receipt to each one.

It is important that a canvas be made at once as the election is not far distant and we trust that each committee shall be diligent and make early remittance.

Yours for success,

R. J. Thorne, Chairman

J. H. Read, Sec. Treas.

J. M. Elliott

W. A. Johnson

### DO YOU KNOW THAT

It is dangerous to put anything into the mouth except food and drink?

Sanitary instruction is even more important than sanitary legislation?

The U. S. Public Service issues free bulletins on tuberculosis?

The continuous liberal use of alcoholic beverages lowers efficiency and menaces longevity?

Moderate exercise in the open air prolongs life?

"Mouth breathing" makes children stupid?

Fish cannot live in foul water nor man in foul air?

Smallpox is wholly preventable?

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars-free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY, Toledo, O.

Turn to the Right

Drivers of all vehicles should observe the "turn to the right" rule; particularly in town where an ordinance requires it; but also on the roads.

Careful observance of this rule will prevent accidents that are otherwise almost sure to occur. There is nothing more dangerous than making the wrong turn at a busy corner. Should another vehicle, unseen by approaching rapidly a collision is almost sure to result "Turn to the Right."

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 15c.

J. V. Leak

Fred Estes

J. F. Bradley

Central Committee for Hall Co.

# Are You A Good Guesser?

Look in the window at Oren's and make a guess at the number of stones.

Ask the man to explain

## CHAS. OREN

Jeweler and Optician

## Democrat Advertising Pa

# B stands for Bradfords and for the Best of Everything in the Grocery line.

Phone 4

# LAST CALL

# HALL COUNTY FAIR

## Friday and Saturday this week. Remember it will not be a complete success without you.

Commence now to make your arrangements to be on hand. Decorate your automobile, wagon, buggy--be in the Grand Parade Friday morning at 10 o'clock sharp and stay to the end.

Every hour, every minute can be spent profitably and pleasantly.

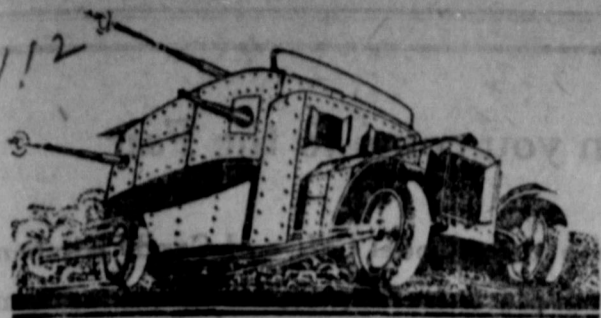
## The Hall County Boys' and Girls' Livestock and Agricultural

Clubs with their wonderful showing of pigs, calves, sheep and agricultural products will be worth your trouble. Come and encourage these youngsters; they are "the hope of our country."

Don't miss the big parade of the Memphis Schools Friday at 2 o'clock. Don't miss the football game Saturday. In fact don't miss any of it.

# We need you all, all of the time. Come and see that your neighbor comes





Whether on armored motor truck, service aeroplane, racing car, motor boat or pleasure vehicle, the men who know motors, use:

**TEXACO GASOLINE AND TEXACO MOTOR OIL**

You can bank on Texaco in the pinch, and get full power - at all times.



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money by buying the best groceries—poor quality kinds are high at any price. Here you will find all **The Standard Brands** at prices no higher than you are probably paying for inferior goods. Phone us a trial order.

## Thrasher's Gro

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BAGGAGE AND PIANOS A SPECIALTY  
"QUICK SERVICE."

Service car over the city and to any part of the country. Careful Driver and reasonable prices. HEADQUARTERS AT CITY BAKERY. Phone 142 or see

RAYMOND BALLEW, Proprietor

## Between Meals

When hungry time comes it would be pleasant to have on hand a fresh, rich loaf of

## Cream Bread

as welcome as cake more wholesome than other kinds. Order a 10c loaf from your grocer today. Fresh from our spotless bakery.

## CITY BAKERY

H. B. ESTES, Mgr.

FOR DANDRUFF

## "MAHDEEN"

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We will refund the price if it fails in you case.

CORNER BARBER SHOP

## FASHION DEPARTMENT

Latest Styles in Dresses and Fabrics and Millinery Compiled by Famous New York Fashion Authority

### IS THE DIRECTOIRE TO BE FELT AGAIN?

From Paris Come To This Effect and Now and Again One Sees Proof of It.

#### BLouses OF SATIN-GEORGETTE

We have lately been hearing rumors from Paris that the period of the Directoire is likely to make itself felt again in our dress. Although these rumors have not been confirmed from all sides, here and there a costume appears highly suggestive of this period, so it will hardly be looking too far ahead to give it some consideration. Period styles keep recurring every little while, and for some time we have had no strain of the Directoire in our dress, so there will be little wonder if it should return very soon. And there will be



Reflecting the Directoire Style

little regret, too, for there is a certain dignity and stateliness about the costume of this period that makes it a favorite among women.

In the accompanying sketch is a dress which shows the Directoire influence very markedly. This type of dress strikes the eye at once as being very distinct from other styles. At first glance one might easily mistake it for a coat on account of the large collar rising high at the back of the neck, the equally large revers and the double-breasted effect of the short, fitted body. At this season of the year a dress in coat effect is especially desirable, and one of this type has many charms. The long tunic parted in front and attached to the rather short-waisted body can be worn to advantage by the woman of average proportions.

Tunics are quite fashionable this season and there is a large variety of different styles. A novelty seen very recently was in the form of a long tunic reaching to the hem of the skirt, but it was placed only across the back of the skirt, barely starting from the hips. The dress in question was made of soft navy

blue silk and the tunic was of very fine serge in a matching shade.

Collars, high in the back and open in front, on the order of the one in the illustration, are very good style. Even in separate collars to be worn with dresses and suits, the style that goes well up in the back and almost touches the hair is one of the very newest from Paris. Most collars continue to be very large, though some small ones are seen.



A Skirt of Many Gores

In the matter of separate skirts, there is a striking novelty which has made a strong appeal to many women. This is the fourteen-gored skirt, of which an illustration is shown here. Not even the number of gores has deterred them from taking a fancy to this skirt, the novelty and the effectiveness of it having far outweighed the task of making it. The most effective developments are in two materials, making the alternate gores of the different materials. Needless to say, in this lies the chief beauty of the skirt. One may use the same in two contrasting colors or contrasting materials in the same shade. These skirts are often made in two colors, New Gored Skirt with Simple Waist of serge, as black and white, or brown and white; or they are made in combinations of serge and satin, brotha-cloth and velvet, or taffeta and serge. Taffeta or corduroy in two colors is very often employed with good results also.

#### As to Separate Blouses

The waists to go with separate skirts or suits are, as a rule, very simple. White and pale flesh-colored blouses are still favored, though the fashion of having the blouse match in color the suit with which it is to be worn is again coming in. For this reason there are some dark blouses seen. Satin and Georgette are combined for waists that form part of the costume. The sleeves and upper part of the waist are generally of Georgette and the lower part which comes nearest the skirt is satin. Striped satin is also used for waists combined with Georgette or chiffon. A charming model for dressy wear was made of blue and white striped satin with white Georgette. It had a large cape-collared.

#### HEARD IN MEMPHIS

How Bad Backs Have Been Made Strong—Kidney Pills Corrected

All over Memphis you hear it. Doan's Kidney Pills are keeping up the good work. Memphis people are telling about it—telling of bad backs made sound again. You can believe the testimony of your own townpeople. They tell it for the benefit of you who are suffering. If your back aches, if you feel lame, sore and miserable, if the kidneys act too frequently or passages are painful scanty and off color, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that has helped so many of your friends and neighbors. Follow this Memphis citizen's advice and give Doan's a chance to do the same for you.

Mrs. J. C. Williams, 14th and Bradford Sts., Memphis says: "I had occasion to use a kidney medicine a couple of years ago and I heard so much about Doan's Kidney Pills, I got some. They proved satisfactory

relieving me. I gladly advise anyone to get a box at Tomlinson's Drug Store, if troubled with a weak back or any disorders of the kidneys."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Williams had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

#### OLDER BUT STRONGER

To be healthy at seventy, prepare at forty, is sound advice, because in the strength of middle life we too often forget that neglected colds, or careless treatment of slight aches and pains, simply undermine strength and bring chronic weakness for later years.

To be stronger when older, keep your blood pure and rich and active with the strength-building and blood-nourishing properties of Scott's Emulsion which is a food, a tonic and a medicine to keep your blood rich, alleviate rheumatism and avoid sickness. No alcohol in Scott's.

Scott & Bowne, New York, N. Y. Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System. The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, SCOTT'S EMULSION, such as this TONIC, drives out malaria, builds up the blood, and builds up the system. A few weeks. For names and addresses, see



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Good Terms; Low Rates; Quick

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Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Gove's. The Old Standard Gove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well-known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

So many good people are using Gove's as fitted by Dr. Shaffer with such good results, we earnestly insist upon you coming in and having your eyes examined. He will be with us these days only this trip, October, 5 & 7. Come to see us and bring your friends.



**A ONE-WAY STREET**  
 I used to live in Yesterday; a little sleepy town  
 That lay along a valley, where a river rippled down;  
 I used to lie and listen to the river's quiet song  
 And look beyond the tree tops, where the swallows  
 skimmed along.  
 And everything was tranquil then and all the world  
 was fair,  
 And days and months and years slipped by before I  
 was aware,  
 And fortune still was far from me and I was like to  
 die,  
 Before I ever found it in the town of By and By.  
 And so one day I journeyed forth along the leafy  
 road  
 To find the wondrous far-off town, where fortunes  
 are bestowed.  
 A grim and grimy town it was, a town of strife and  
 tears,  
 And in its crowded streets I toiled for long and  
 grievous years.  
 And fortune sometimes seemed at hand, and some-  
 times it would seem  
 To fly above the sooty roofs—a dim and distant  
 dream.  
 And when my shoulders stooped with care and when  
 my hair grew gray  
 I turned my weary footsteps back to seek for  
 Yesterday.  
 I dreamed along its valley as I took my way along,  
 I dreamed about its river, with its quiet, sleepy song.  
 "Though fortune is not mine," said I, "my town is  
 calm and fair  
 And I shall find it fonderful, for happiness is there,"  
 And then I found a tragic truth, which youth can  
 never learn:  
 A sign was set along the road beyond another turn,  
 A sign in blazing letters, serving warning to all men:  
 "Who Leaves the Town of Yesterday Shall Not Re-  
 turn Again." —New York American.

**Democrat Advertising Pays**

4-60c  
**When you come to the Fair**

Come to the Model Cafe and Candy Kitchen  
 Good place to eat; cold drinks, ice cream  
 candy. Prompt and polite service.

**Coming Coming!**

14-210  
**The Famous  
 Alabama Minstrels**

Genuine Southern Darkies the  
 Biggest and Best Negro Show  
 Minstrel on the Road Today

**BIG PARADE AT NOON**

Show at Night Only in The Big Tent  
**Tuesday, October 10th**

Memphis, Texas, 1 night only

**Good Sausage**

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 Our sausages are good not only in taste and  
 flavor but in quality of meat as well. And  
 they are made under absolutely sanitary  
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Whether you buy link or bulk sausage, you  
 can feel perfectly sure of obtaining the most  
 carefully selected meats and freshest spices  
 sausage that is made clean and kept clean.

**Huchton Meat Co.**

Economy hog and cattle powder,  
 on sale at S. S. Smithee's. Recom-  
 mended to free the hogs of worms,  
 tone the system and prevent diseases.  
 Notice your hogs. If they do not eat  
 regularly, look right or act right, call  
 on Smithee and purchase Economy  
 Stock Powder. Ask for directions. If

**Ball Closes Lubbock Fair**

A ball held in the exhibition hall  
 closed the Lubbock county fair here  
 Saturday night. There was a big  
 crowd present including the Chamber  
 of Commerce officials and represent-  
 ative cattlemen of this district, who  
 attended with their wives.

Final awards in all classes were an-  
 nounced Saturday afternoon. The fair  
 attendance was the largest of any  
 similar event in the history of the  
 county, despite a norther and harvest-  
 ing which kept many farmers from  
 the city.

**SALESMAN WANTED.**

Industrious man to give part time  
 to sale of lubricating oil and grease,  
 specialties and paint. Commission  
 basis until ability is established. Per-  
 manent position and wide field when  
 qualified, if desired.

Riverside Refining Co.  
 Cleveland, Ohio.

**Whisky Disguised as "Cake"**

Employees of the Planview post  
 office noticed a peculiarly pungent  
 odor from one of the mail bags. On  
 investigation it was found that from  
 a box labeled "cake" a liquid of strik-  
 ing familiar odor was flowing. When  
 the crushed box was examined it was  
 found that a pint bottle of whisky  
 had been concealed in the box lab-  
 eled "cake."

Investigation shows that there is a  
 penalty of a fine not to exceed \$1,000  
 or two years' imprisonment, or both,  
 for sending intoxicating liquors through  
 the mail.

**DO YOU KNOW THAT**

The Constitution of the United  
 States doesn't mention health?

Procrastination in sanitary reform  
 is the thief of health?

A book on "Exercise and Health"  
 may be had free for the asking from  
 the U. S. Public Health Service?

Not everybody can achieve great-  
 ness but everybody can be clean?

If you sow a hygienic habit you  
 reap health—reap health and you at-  
 tain longevity?

Railway cars would be sanitary if  
 it weren't for the people in them?

America's typhoid fever bill is more  
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Johnson of Hedley was

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ments and Toomstones  
together. 14-41  
Mrs. Frank Cox of Estelle

**Fresh Mackerel**—at Thrasher's 144  
Rev. R. B. Morgan of Goodnight was here Tuesday. He says arrangements are complete for the big buffalo hunt Thursday and that a large crowd is expected.

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er brother at Lonnie

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W. A. Caldwell and family of Estelline was here Saturday. Mr. Caldwell is president of the Hall County Farmers' Union and one of our most progressive and enterprising farmers.

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Professors W. A. McIntosh and G. C. Daniels, principals of the Parnell and Hulver schools, respectively, were here Friday and paid this office a pleasant call.

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**OSTEOPATH**.—Dr. W. H. Ballew graduate of American school of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo. Acute and chronic diseases. Office at Mrs. O. B. Spradlings. 12-11

S. A. Shaw, of Childress, was here Tuesday on his way to Hedley. Mr. Shaw is one of the pioneer cattle-buyers in this section. He says that he has handled but little cattle this season as the exporters for whom he has been buying for years are buying much less since the war conditions have made shipping so difficult.

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# 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea

BY JULES VERNE

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"Commander La Perouse set out Dec. 7, 1785, with his vessels La Boussole and the Astrolabe. He first cast anchor at Botany Bay, visited the Friendly Isles, New Caledonia, then directed his course toward Santa Cruz, and put into Namouka, one of the Hapai group. Then his vessels struck on the unknown reefs of Vanikoro. The Boussole, which went first ran aground on the southerly coast. The Astrolabe went to his help, and ran aground too. The first vessel was destroyed almost immediately. The second, stranded under the wind, resisted some days. The natives made the castaways welcome. They installed themselves in the island, and constructed a smaller boat with the debris of the two larger ones. Some sailors stayed willingly at Vanikoro, the others, weak and ill, set out with La Perouse. They directed their course towards the Solomon Isles, and there perished, with everything, on the westerly coast of the chief island of the group, between Capes Deception and Satisfaction."

"How do you know that?"  
"By this, that I found on the spot where was the last wreck." Capt. Nemo showed me a tin-plate box, stamped with the French arms, and corroded by the salt water. He opened it and I saw a bundle of papers, yellow, but still readable.

They were the instructions of the naval minister to Commander La Perouse, annotated in the margin in Louis XVI's handwriting.

"Ah! it is a fine death for a sailor!" said Capt. Nemo, at last. "A coral tomb makes a quiet grave; and I trust that I and my comrades will find no other."

## CHAPTER XIX Torres Straits.

During the night of the 27th or 28th of December, the Nautilus left the shores of Vanikoro with great speed. Her course was southwesterly, and in three days she had gone over the 750 leagues that separated it from La Perouse's group heading a south-east point of Dapua.

On Jan. 2, we had made 11,340 miles, or 5,250 French leagues, since our starting point in the Japan seas.

Two days after crossing the coral sea, Jan. 4, we sighted the Papuan coasts. On this occasion, Capt. Nemo informed me that his intention was

to get into the Indian Ocean by the Straits of Torres.

The Nautilus approached an island. Suddenly a shock overthrew me. The Nautilus just touched a rock and stayed immovable, laying lightly to port side.

When I rose I perceived Capt. Nemo and his Lieutenant on the platform. They were examining the situation of the vessel and exchanging words in their incomprehensible dialect.

She was situated thus: Two miles, on the starboard side, appeared Gilboa, stretched from north to west like an immense arm; toward the south and east some coral showed itself, left by the ebb. We had run aground, and in one of those seas where the tides are middling—a sorry matter for the floating of the Nautilus. However, the vessel had not suffered, for her keel was solidly joined. But if she could neither glide off nor move, she ran the risk of being forever fastened to these rocks, and then Capt. Nemo's submarine vessel would be done for.

I was reflecting—thus when the Captain, cool and calm, always master of himself, approached me.

"An accident?" I asked.

"No; an incident."

"But an incident that will oblige you perhaps to become an inhabitant of this land from which you flee?"

Capt. Nemo looked at me curiously and made a negative gesture. Then he said:

"Besides, M. Aronnax, the Nautilus is not lost; it will carry you yet into the midst of the marvels of the ocean. Our voyage is only begun, and I do not wish to be deprived so soon of the honor of your company. To-day is Jan. 4, and in five days the moon will be full. Now, I shall be very much astonished if that complaisant satellite does not raise these masses of water sufficiently, and render me a service that I should be indebted to her for."

"Sir," said Ned to me later, "you may believe me when I tell you that this piece of iron will navigate neither on nor under the sea again; it is only fit to be sold for its weight. I think, therefore, that the time has come to part company with Capt. Nemo."

"I can ask him, but he will refuse."

"Will master risk it?" asked Consell.

"and we shall know how to reply upon the captain's amiability."

To my great surprise Capt. Nemo

gave me the permission I asked for, and he gave it very agreeably, without even exacting from me a promise to return to the vessel; but flight across New Guinea might be very perilous, and I should not have counselled Ned Land to attempt it. Better to be a prisoner on board the Nautilus than to fall into the hands of the natives.

At 8 o'clock, armed with guns and hatchets, we got off the Nautilus. The sea was pretty calm; a slight breeze blew on land. Consell and I rowing we sped along quickly, and Ned steered in the straight passage that the breakers left between them.

Ned Land could not restrain his joy. He was like a prisoner that had escaped from prison, and knew not that it was necessary to re-enter it.

"Meat! We are going to eat some meat; and what meat!" he replied.

"Real game! no, bread, indeed."

At half past eight the Nautilus boat ran softly aground on a heavy sand, after having happily passed the coral reef that surrounds the Island of Gilboa.

## CHAPTER XX A Few Days on Land.

I was much impressed on touching land. In a few minutes we were with in musket shot of the coast. The whole horizon was hidden behind a beautiful curtain of forests. Enormous trees, the trunks of which attained a height of 200 feet, were tied to each other by garlands of bind-wood, real natural hammocks, which a light breeze rocked.

The Canadian discovered a cocoon tree, beat down some of the fruit, broke them, and we drank the milk and ate the nut with a satisfaction that protested against the ordinary food on the Nautilus.

"Excellent!" said Ned Land.

"Exquisite!" replied Consell.

"And I do not think," said the Canadian, "that he would object to our introducing a cargo of coconuts on board."

"I do not think he would, but he would not taste them."

"So much the worse for him," said Consell.

"And so much the better for us," replied Ned Land. "There will be more for us."

"One word only, Master Land," I said to the harpooner, who was beginning to ravage another cocoon tree. "Coconuts are good things, but

before filling the canoe with them it would be wise to reconnoitre and see if the island does not produce some substance not less useful. Fresh vegetables would be welcome on board the Nautilus.

Chance rewarded our search for eatables, and one of the most useful products of the tropical zones furnished us with precious food that we missed on board. I would speak of the bread-fruit tree, very abundant in the Island of Gilboa; and I remarked briefly the variety destitute of seeds, which bears in Malaya the name of "rima."

We returned through the forest and completed our collection by a raid upon the cabbage palms that we gathered from the tops of the trees, little beans that I recognized as the "abrou" of the Malays, and yams of a superior quality.

At last at 5 o'clock in the evening loaded with our riches we quitted the shore, and half an hour after we hailed the Nautilus. No one appeared on our arrival. The enormous iron-plated cylinder seemed deserted. The provisions embarked, I descended to my chamber, and after supper slept soundly.

The next day, Jan. 6, nothing new on board. Not a sound inside, not a sign of life. The boat rested along the edge in the same place in which we had left it. We resolved to return to the island.

After crossing a rather long prairie, we arrived at the skirts of the little wood that was enlivened by the songs and flight of a large number of birds.

After passing through a moderately thick copse, we found a plain obstructed with bushes. I saw then those magnificent birds, the disposition of whose long feathers obliges them to fly against the wind. Their undulating flight, graceful aerial curves, and the shading of their colors, attracted and charmed one's looks. I had no trouble in recognizing them. "Birds of Paradise!" I exclaimed.

About 11 o'clock in the morning, the first range of mountains that form the centre of the island was traversed, and we had killed nothing. Happily Consell brought down a white pigeon and a wood-pigeon, which were roasted before a fire of dead wood.

About 2 o'clock Ned Land brought down a magnificent hog, from the breed of those the natives call "bari-outang." The Canadian skinned and cleaned it properly, after having taken half a dozen cutlets, destined to furnish us with a grilled repast in the evening. Then the hunt was resumed, which was still more marked by Ned and Consell's exploits. Indeed, the two friends, beating the bushes, roused a herd of kangaroos, that fled and bounded along on their elastic paws. But these animals did not take flight so rapidly but what the elastic capsule could stop their course.

The dinner was excellent.

"Suppose we do not return to the Nautilus this evening?" said Consell.

"Suppose we never return?" added Ned Land.

Just then a stone fell at our feet and cut short the harpooner's proposition.

## CHAPTER XXI Capt. Nemo's Thunderbolt.

A second stone, carefully aimed, made a savory pigeon's leg fall from Consell's hand. We all three arose, shouldered our guns, and were ready to reply to any attack.

"Are they apes?" cried Ned Land.

"Very nearly—they are savages."

"To the boat!" I said, hurrying to sea.

It was indeed necessary to beat a retreat, for about twenty natives, armed with bows and slings, appeared on the skirts of a copse that masked the horizon to the right, hardly a hundred steps from us.

Our boat was moored about sixty feet from us. The savages approached us, not running, but making hostile demonstrations. Stones and arrows fell thickly.

Ned Land had not wished to leave his provisions; and, in spite of his imminent danger, his pig on one side, and kangaroos on the other, he went tolerably fast. In two minutes we were on the shore. To load the boat with provisions and arms, to push it out to sea, and slip the oars, was the work of an instant. We had not gone two cable-lengths when a hundred savages howling and gesticulating, entered the water up to their waists. I watch to see if their apparition would attract some men from the Nautilus to the platform. But no. The enormous machine, lying off was absolutely deserted.

Twenty minutes later we were on board. The panels were open. After making the boat fast, we entered into the interior of the Nautilus.

I descended to the drawing room, from whence I heard some chords. Capt. Nemo was there, bending over his organ and plunged in a musical ecstasy. "Captain!" He did not hear me. "Captain!" I said again touching his hand.

He started, and, turning around, said, "Ah! is it you, Professor? Well, have you had a good hunt? Have you obtained satisfactory?"  
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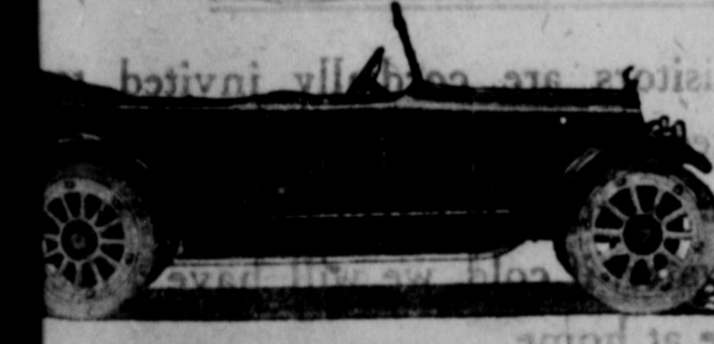


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son that they never wean them, but  
hover them at night and watch over  
them days until they are nearly  
grown. Many a poor little poult never  
comes to be a "beautiful Thanksgiv-  
ing bird" because he has not the right  
start in life. He does not require  
much, and that is just the point where  
we fail him. We want him to grow,  
and we stuff him until he gets indiges-  
tion, an enlarged liver and numerous  
other ills, and some fine morning we  
find him with his little toes pointed  
toward the North star. In the wild  
state little turkeys spend the first few  
weeks of their lives in the woods and  
live on insects and seeds. They have  
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point before, and few if any will ever  
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we were up to the hubs in sand then  
across bottomless sloughs a mile or  
more in width, where we were over  
the running board in liquid mud. The  
last pull up the mud volcano slope  
the car was warped and twisted as  
it first lifted one wheel over a three-  
foot mud hummock, only to plunge into  
and through a hole equally as deep.

"The mud volcanos cover a wide  
area where there are miniature geys-  
ers, black oozing mud being ejected  
above the surrounding surface, as  
though it were some gigantic caldron  
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"The surrounding air is full of  
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sets that the bravest thing they saw in  
the fighting line was the taking in, by  
a Sikh, of a regimental goat that had  
wandered out into the open and was  
being made a target of by the Ger-  
mans. Cheers greeted the return of  
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PREMIUM LIST

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Class No. I.

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- 122 Best 1-4 bushel of barley, any variety, prize \$1.00. 123 Best 1-4 bushel of rye, any variety, prize \$1.00. 124 Best 1-4 bushel of sorghum seed, prize \$1.00. 125 Best 1-4 bushel of millet seed, prize \$1.00. 126 Best 1-4 bushel of milo maize, prize \$1.00. 127 Best 1-4 bushel of kafir seed, prize \$1.00. 128 Best 1-4 bushel of Feterita

- chow, 50c. 187 Best pint jar tomato sauce 50c. 188 Best pint jar sweet pickles (peach) 50c. 189 Best pint jar sweet pickles (cucumbers) 50c. 190 Best assortment of pickles, not to consist of less than 10 kinds \$2.00

Preserves

- 191 Best pint jar plum preserves 75c. 192 Best pint jar peach preserves 75c. 193 Best pint jar apple preserves 75c. 194 Best pint jar grape preserves 75c. 195 Best pint jar tomato preserves 75c. 196 Best pint jar watermelon preserves, 75c. 197 Best pint jar pie melon preserves 75c. 198 Best general assortment of preserves and jellies to include not less than 12 kinds \$3.00.

Class No. XII.

- Poultry—Open To All. 199 Best half dozen fryers, \$1.00. 200 Best showing meat fowls any breed, \$1.00. 201 Best layers any breed, \$1.00. 202 Best showing all purpose fowls any breed, \$1.00.

Class No. XIII.

- PRODUCE. 203 Best pound farm butter \$1.00. 204 Best home made cheese (3 pound sample) \$1.00. 205 Best home made sausage \$1.00. 206 Best home cured ham, \$1.00.

Class No. XIV.

- Registered Hogs—Open To All. 207 Best registered Poland China boar, \$5.00. 208 Best registered Poland China brood sow, \$5.00. 209 Best Duroc registered boar, \$5.00. 210 Best Duroc brood sow, \$5.00. 211 Best sow and litter, any breed, \$5.00.

Class No. XV.

- Open To All. 212 Best mule colt not over one year old, \$5.00. 213 Best horse colt not over one year old, \$5.00. 214 Best all purpose stallion \$5.00. 215 Best jack any breed, \$5.00.

Class No. XVI.

- Decorations. 216 Best and most appropriately decorated automobile, \$5.00. 217 Best and most appropriately decorated wagon or float, \$5.00. 218 Best and most appropriately decorated buggy or surry, \$5.00. 219 Best and most attractive show window, \$5.00. 220 Most appropriately decorated store front, \$5.00. 221 Largest and handsomest bouquet, \$5.00.

To Pig Club Members

Below I give lists of prizes offered to the boys' and girls' Hall County Poland-China Pig Club. You will note that Pigs entered in this contest must be the ones given you by the Memphis Banks to start the club and that these pigs will not be allowed to enter any other class. But of course if you have another pig and you are a member of the pig club organized by Mr. Midkiff you may enter it. So get busy now and capture one of these prizes.

- Prize list of Hall County Boys' and Girls' Poland-China Pig Club: Best boar, 1st \$25.00 registered gilt given by Harry A. Nelson. 2nd \$15.00 cash given by Memphis Banks. 3rd \$10.00 cash given by Memphis Banks. 4th hog book given by H. A. Nelson. Best sow 1st \$25.00 registered

boar given by Harry A. Nelson. 2nd \$15.00 cash given by Memphis Banks. 3rd \$10.00 cash given by Memphis Banks. 4th swine book given by H. A. Nelson.

Entries for these prizes must be the pigs furnished the club members by the Memphis Banks and cannot be entered in any other class. The rules governing the fair must be complied with, and all animals must be on the ground not later than October 6th, 1916. No one except members of this club can enter this contest.

Four \$25.00 gilts given by "Swine-herd" for four largest lists of subscriptions raised 5, 6, and 7 of October. Also one \$25.00 gilt will be given to each one who secures as many as 25 subscribers. This is open only to the 30 members of the W.M. Co. Poland-China Pig Club.

Orr Bros., of Lodge, offer to club members, who purchased pigs of them \$10 for the best pig shows at the fair and \$25 to the one who wins first in its class with one of these pigs, at the Dallas Fair.

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