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STRIKE MAY CLOSE HALL COUNTY GINS; COAL SUPPLY NOW VERY LIMITED

PROPOSAL OF MINE WORKERS IS REJECTED BY OFFICIALS

Washington, Nov. 5.—Organizers' proposal for ending the strike through withdrawal of action proceeding against officers of the United Mine Workers America, was rejected today by the department of justice. The government answer to the suggestion, advanced by Mel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, given by Assistant Attorney General Ames, who declared the strike in itself was a violation of law and that as long as it continued only place to fight it out in court.

The restraining order issued by Federal Judge Anderson, at Indianapolis last week was made returnable on Saturday. Counsel for the miners will go into court that day and ask for dismissal of all proceedings.

One of two things will happen: The court, according to officials here, either will grant the plea of the miners or issue a permanent injunction, carrying with it a mandatory order to John L. Lewis acting president of the miners organization to call off the strike.

AROUND THE WORLD WITH THE AMERICAN RED CROSS. Public Health Nursing.



In the midst of its multifarious war duties the American Red Cross did not neglect its obligations to the civilian population at home. Throughout the conflict it maintained its Bureau of Public Health Nursing, instruction in first aid, home nursing and sanitation, and disaster relief. Particularly in their work for the babies was effort by public health nurses important. The accompanying photograph shows a Red Cross public health nurse instructing a mother in the proper preparation of the baby's diet.

EVERY EFFORT BEING MADE TO GET IMMEDIATE SUPPLY

Hall county ginners it is said have at present coal supply for about one week's ginning. All have coal in transit from the mines sufficient for immediate use but the recent order from Director Garfield permits the seizure of this by the railroads.

The matter has been taken up with the authorities at Washington, through Congressman Jones; also with regional director at Fort Worth, asking that the coal enroute to Memphis and other points

in the county be allowed to come on for the use of the gins.

A long telegram setting forth the facts was sent Congressman Jones who replied to Secretary Morgan saying that the matter would have immediate attention.

Failure to secure coal would necessitate a delay in ginning until the gins could be converted to burn oil and considering that the gins are now over crowded, while running night and day, it is feared that great loss of high-priced cotton would result.

NEW OIL LAND LEASES INDICATE NEW DEVELOPMENT

Territory North of Buck Creek Leased by Big Oil Operators.

Oil interests represented in Texas by Mr. G. E. K. Hixson recently acquired a solid of 18,000 acres in Donley county, a few miles north and slightly west of the Buck Creek well now drilling. It includes ranch of Messrs. Sam J. Hamilton and W. J. Ewen of this city, which includes the Turner ranch which a water well was drilled to a depth of 280 feet three weeks ago, at which depth an oil sand was encountered yielding both oil and gas in an unlimited quantity; during the following such discovery the well filled to the surface with salt water. Various persons have endeavored to secure a lease on this ranch; however, none of them secured Mr. Turner that were ready to begin the immediate development of the oil gas possibilities of the ranch. Hixson told a representative Democrat that the interests presented were undecided as to their next test well would be commenced on these lands or the Hughes, and Stout ranches north-east of this city, but that on the work of drilling the Ox-Bow ranch, by Virginia-Texas Oil Co., was in way, a test would be commenced on one of these ranches.

SENATORS TO ASK REPEAL OF THE ESPIONAGE ACT.

Washington, Nov. 3.—By unanimous vote the Senate Judiciary committee today declined to recommend repeal of the espionage laws. Repeal bills of Senators of Maryland and Poindexter of Washington, Republicans, were reported adversely. The committee decided it was not advisable to repeal the law but it included search warrant and other provisions necessary for enforcement of prohibition.

Join the American Red Cross

All you need is a dollar and a dollar. Success

TREATY EFFECTIVE 28

Supreme Council Decides to Hold First Meeting of League in Paris.

Paris, Nov. 5 (Havas Agency).—The treaty of Versailles and the peace settlement with Germany will become effective it is asserted in well informed circles in Paris, on Nov. 28. The signature of the protocol and the exchange of ratifications between Germany and such allied and associated powers as have then ratified the treaty will take place on that date, it is reported. The first meeting of the council of the League of Nations will be held in Paris, the supreme council decided today. It did not, however, fix a date for the gathering.

Seven-five pickers gathered twelve bales of cotton for W. C. Broome on his place near town Saturday. Many farmers are getting out from three to five bales per day now.

WITHDRAWAL OF INJUNCTION WILL RELIEVE SITUATION

Washington, Nov. 4.—Withdrawal of injunction obtained by the government will open way for settlement of coal strike, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor declared in a statement tonight.

AMERICAN CITIZENS IN MEXICO CAN NOT EXPECT PROTECTION

Policy of U. S. Not To Ask Reimbursement for Ransom Paid Kidnappers

Washington, Nov. 6.—Policy of the United States regarding kidnapping of Americans in Mexico and attacks upon Americans and their property in that country was set forth today in an official announcement that unless negligence on the part of the Mexican authorities can be shown, there will be no claim for damages made by this government.

The kidnapping of William O. Jenkins, American consular agent at Puebla, and the payment by his attorney of \$150,000 ransom for his liberty was discussed at length by a high official of the state department in outlining the policy of the United States.

Jenkins will have to effect his own reimbursement of the money paid to the Mexicans who kidnapped him it was stated, unless he can prove that the Mexican government was negligent in affording him protection.

The fact that he was an official of the United States government has no bearing on the matter in any way it was stated.

Americans in Mexico can expect no more or different protection than is afforded to Mexicans under the Mexican law.

RED CROSS ROLL CALL GETS SUPPORT

Ready Response Throughout the Country. Drive Closes November 11th.

Dallas, Texas, November 3.—Evidence of the support of the Red Cross Roll Call is reaching the State headquarters from all sections of Texas. Throughout the district chapters have reported since the opening of the campaign on Nov. 2 a ready response on the part of citizens when asked to renew their subscriptions of last season or become a member of the American Red Cross for One Dollar. The campaign will be concluded on November 11th.

No single dollar spent individually can accomplish a small percentage of the benefits that the Red Cross dollar does, because of its splendid organization and means of reaching those who are in need. It has come to the attention of Red Cross chapters every where that many people do their sole contributing through the Red Cross because of its means of reaching those actually in need.

The Red Cross is not asking contributions for 1920. It is asking in the furtherance of its peace time program nothing more than a heart and a dollar. It wants the support of its members as well as it does the membership fee for it realizes that without that cooperation its funds will avail nothing.

President Wilson, Secretary of State Lansing, Secretary of the Interior Lane, Vice President Marshall, Governor Hobby, the American Legion and countless thousands of others have given the Red Cross an indorsement. The work it contemplates at home is held to be equally as important as that rendered in war time.

Memberships can be secured through local chapters or Red Cross officials or from the State headquarters of the Red Cross in Dallas. W. H. Prather of Dallas is Roll Call Director.

GERMAN BUYING BOOSTS THE PRICE OF COTTON

Large German purchases of better grades of cotton (declares the Christian Science Monitor) have been one of the reasons for the recent advance in the price in southern markets, especially Texas, where spot cotton sold above 43 cents a pound for the first time since the civil war.

It is estimated by cotton men in New York that more than 500,000 bales of choice grade have been bought by Germans since Aug. 1, and of this, total probably more than 250,000 bales already have been exported.

ONLY TWO AMENDMENTS SUCCESSFUL

\$75,000,000 Road Bond Amendment Defeated By Vote of Two to One

Only two propositions voted on in Texas yesterday carried. These were the constitutional amendment to increase the Confederate pension tax from 5c to 7c on the \$100 and the amendment to authorize the city and county of Galveston to issue \$5,000,000 of bonds for grade raising and other protective works.

All of the other amendments were defeated, as also was the proposition to order a constitutional convention. The University amendment, which was expected to run strong, has a substantial majority against it, and the amendment to authorize \$75,000,000 of bonds for the State highway system was defeated by more than 2 to 1.

The vote was light everywhere probably the lightest that has been cast in a State-wide election in a quarter of a century. In many places no election was held.

The vote in Hall county was very light and returns have come from but few boxes so results are not known.

INJUNCTION AGAINST PHONE RATES GRANTED

Waco, Texas, Nov. 3.—Judge R. I. Munroe in the Fifty-Fourth District Court here this morning granted a permanent injunction, restraining the Texas Telephone Company of Waco from collecting an increase of 50c per month for business and residential phone service at Mart, eighteen miles southeast of Waco.

Notice of appeal was given by the defendant company.

SWEET POTATOES WILL BE FED TO HOGS

Mount Pleasant, Texas, Nov. 2.—The potato curing plants are refusing to buy sweet potatoes on account of the water and sap they contain, which makes curing very hazardous. The banks refuse to advance money on them, so the only chance to dispose of about 40,000 bushels is to feed them to hogs.

UNION PROTESTS AGAINST USE OF TROOPS IN STRIKE

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 3.—The local typographical union at its regular weekly meeting adopted a resolution protesting against the use of the military forces in the mine workers' strike as "an attempt to abridge the right of mankind."

EVENTS AT ESTELLINE

Brief Bits of News and Personal Items of Interest from the South Side Metropolis

The Estelline school closed last Friday and will probably remain closed during the month of Nov. so that the children may pick cotton.

E. O. Backshare and Billie Walker have both purchased homes in Memphis and will move there at once.

Walter Whaley, who is attending Clarendon College spent Saturday and Sunday with home-folk.

Miss Mary Vardy was down from Clarendon Saturday and Sunday visiting home-folk.

A large crowd attended the Halloween party at the school-house Friday night.

Lonnie Edmondson of Memphis is here this week picking cotton on his farm west of town.

O. K. Young has accepted a position with Johnston Hardware.

Miss Offie Gee who is clerking for the Childrens Dry Goods Co. spent Saturday night and Sunday at home.

The gin has put on a night crew and is still behind with the ginning.

Clifton Grundy has purchased a Traffic truck and is freighting from Parnell.

Miss Velma White who is attending school at Memphis was at home Sunday.

S. J. Bailey was here from Quanah Friday buying cotton.

Commissioner Weatherly returned last week with one of the Government trucks.

GOOD ROADS BONDS ARE DEFEATED IN LAKEVIEW PRECINCT

Small Vote Favors Issue But Two-Thirds Majority Necessary to Carry

Returns from the special election to issue \$75,000 in road bonds in Commissioners' Precinct No. 2 Lakeview district, show the vote to be 63 for and 53 against; which defeats the bonds as the law requires a two-thirds majority in precincts election, though a majority is sufficient where the county votes as a whole.

The condition of the roads in this section has been, and now is, bad and there has been considerable agitation for a bond issue. The proposed issue was to have been expended upon the three principal roads in the precinct.

Whitesboro Paper Changes Hands

Sherman, Texas, Nov. 2.—The Whitesboro News-Record, published at Whitesboro, Grayson County which has heretofore been owned by a stock company headed by George W. Acton of this city and his son, Sam Acton of Whitesboro, has been sold to A. J. Harris, until recently editor of the Pilot Point Post-Signal, and A. B. Ingram and C. D. Anderson, the later of Whitesboro. The new editors took charge with the last issue.

SIX NEGROES GIVEN DEATH SENTENCE FOR ARK RIOTS

Helena, Ark., Nov. 3.—Trial of cases growing out of recent race disturbances near Elaine, in the southern part of this county which resulted in the bringing of indictments against 122 persons, mostly negroes, proceeded rapidly today in Phillips county Circuit Court, juries returning verdicts of guilty of first degree murder in two cases thereby causing six negroes to be sentenced to death by electrocution. The six negroes sentenced are Frank Hicks, Frank More, Ed Hicks, J. E. Knox, Paul Hall and Ed Coleman.

TRADERS INCLINED TO WAIT OUTCOME OF K-M-A WELL

Excitement Over Well Subsides Opinion Withheld Until Further Tests Made

Wichita Falls, Nov. 6.—Oil is being swabbed from the Kemp-Munger-Allen well, and all trouble seems to have been overcome, as the packer is holding firmly. The swab started a flow by heads Tuesday and started also again the wild boom that characterized the earlier announcement that the former wildcat was making oil. Opinion as to just how good the well will be is varying at present, and the market is wavering, though it had recovered several hundred points over the slump which accompanied the water trouble, when the packer failed to hold. Acreage prices are firmer and higher, though there is not the frenzied rush to buy experienced before the water trouble commenced and a slump occurred. On the whole the attitude of the public seems to be to wait until the size of the well is definitely established.

Dr. Miller and Billie Walker, of Estelline were Memphis visitors Monday.

Will You Be One Of A Million Workers To Secure Members For The American Red Cross. Volunteer Now At Your Chapter Headquarters Third Red Cross Ball Call November 2-11

MICKIE SAYS

IF EVERYBODY KNEW HOW MANY OF THESE L'LL WANT ADS ARE MAKIN' GOOD, WE'D BE PRINTIN' MORE 'N WE DO. THEY AINT VERY BIG BUT JIMMINY! SOME OF 'EM ATTRACT MORE ATTENTION THAN A MAULE IN A TIN BARN



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SS GIVES ACCOUNTING

Tells How Millions by Public Were Used For Relief.

TASK IS DESCRIBED

Twenty Months \$154,000,000 Was Received and \$119,000,000 in the United States.

Washington, (Special).—Through a report of the work of the American Red Cross in the war by an Henry P. Davidson, on behalf of the war council, the organization's annual enrollment of members during the Third War Roll Call, November 2 to 10, rendered an accounting of the millions given it by the American people to help our fighting men and their families. The statement is, in brief, as follows:

The war council of the American Red Cross is now prepared to make an accounting to the American people of the money contributed and expended, as well as the work done by the American Red Cross during the war in which the war council was created. The war council was appointed May 19, 1919, and went out of existence February 1, 1920.

The practice of the war council was to give complete publicity to its activities and finances, but it is only at a picture of the war period which can be presented. It is in this summarized form should be directly to the public which of the money and gave the effect made the American Red Cross a success.

The statement of the American Red Cross effort and finances since the war council relinquished its control made to the public through a committee, and it is important, therefore, that the fact that it covers the period only until 1921, should be carefully noted. The following are certain round figures of American Red Cross participation in the war, as revealed by the war council's report:

Some Outstanding Figures.

Total received (material and money). \$400,000,000
Total members: 20,000,000

Total, 11,000,000	\$1,000,000
Red Cross workers	8,100,000
Articles produced	371,577,000
Articles distributed	371,577,000
Articles of comfort	500,000
Articles served by Red Cross	40,000,000
Articles enrolled for service	23,822
Articles of comfort	2,700
Articles given to hospitals	10,900,000
Articles of relief supplies	101,000
Articles in Red Cross operation	25
Days in Red Cross hospital in France	1,155,000
Hospital aid given	3,780
Supplies for American soldiers	294,000
Articles of comfort	4,340,000
Oxygen furnished to hospitals	15,376,000
Articles of comfort	1,725,000
Articles of comfort	3,110,000
Articles of comfort	148,000
Articles of comfort	155,000

The \$400,000,000 in money and material contributed to the American Red Cross during the twenty months of the war was in existence, 1,000 was allotted to national headquarters, while \$137,000,000 went to chapters to finance their activities. Expenditures in the twenty months totaled \$273,000,000, divided as follows: By national headquarters, \$87,000,000; elsewhere over \$4,000,000; in the United States, \$600; by chapters in the United States, \$45,000,000; cost of chapters, \$25,000,000; elsewhere over \$4,000,000; in the United States, \$600, making total expenditures over \$200,000,000; elsewhere over \$2,000,000; in the United States, \$3,000.

Join the American Red Cross

If you need it a dollar a month

COMFORT OF HOG MOST DESIRABLE

Well-Made Sanitary Wallow Is Like Coney Island Bathing Beach for Porkers.

CONCRETE TYPE IS POPULAR

Grower Faces Two Temperature Extremes in Many of Pork-Producing States—Many Farmers Neglect Proper Shelter.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It is as natural for the hog to wallow as it is for the small boy to scurry to the old swimming hole with the first breath of spring. Hot weather is hard on fat animals, the portly porker included. That is why a well-made, sanitary hog wallow is like a Coney Island bathing beach for the hogs. A popular and serviceable type of wallow advocated by the United States department of agriculture should be made of concrete about 12 inches in depth and large enough to accommodate the herd of hogs. The wallow should be supplied with a satisfactory intake and outlet so that it can be filled about two-thirds full of water and drained every few days, or as often as is necessary to keep the pool fresh and clean. At the present time a test is being made at the experimental farm of the department of agriculture at Beltsville, Md., to determine the value of the cement hog wallow as a comfort for hogs. The results of this investigation will be published upon completion early in the fall.

Temperature Extremes.

The hog grower in many of the leading pork-producing states faces two temperature extremes during the year. During the winter, unless he provides comfortable houses and warm quarters, his hogs are likely to suffer from the cold, while in the summer season he must handle the animals under conditions of extreme heat. Any animal as fat as the average hog which is to be marketed in the late summer or early fall suffers greatly during hot weather, and unfortunately many hog farmers neglect to provide shelter and protection for their hogs from the extreme



Some of Uncle Sam's Porkers at Beltsville, Md.

heat. During hot weather hogs need an abundance of shade—natural shade, such as is furnished by trees and bushes being the best.

Temporary Shelter.

Where natural shade and shelter are not available, the hog owner should put up a temporary shelter by building a framework about 4 feet high and thoroughly covering the top with brush, straw, grass, or hay. This inexpensive sunshade should be of sufficient size to protect a herd of hogs in comfort as they lie under it. As a rule, the ordinary hog house should not be used for shade purposes during the summer. Each year hog mortality is comparatively heavy due to "porker sunstroke" induced by maintaining the hogs in the open without sufficient protection from the ruddy glow of Old Sol's furnace.

APPLY MANURE IN ORCHARDS

Failure of Many Trees to Produce Fruit Is Due to Lack of Necessary Plant Food.

Undoubtedly the failure, or partial failure, of many fruit trees to bring forth a crop is due to lack of plant food. Professional orchardists look after this matter, but the average farmer who has a few trees, which he dignifies by the name of "orchard," gives scant heed to providing them with fertility. He may turn the sheep or the calves in among them but such fertility as they add is apt to be of slight value, comparatively speaking.

YOUNG ANIMALS NEED CARE

They Should Be Given Such Attention as Will Insure Them Most Favorable Start.

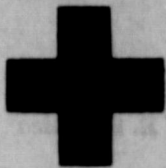
The young animals should require such care and attention as will give them a favorable start. Every practical animal husbandman knows that unless he is in a position to give his young animals plenty of the right kind of feed and protect them from cool rains and other animals they will not thrive. This is where a good beginning means a favorable ending.

RED HAIR

By IZOLA FORRESTER.

Keep on Smiling. Don't growl, the dog can do that; don't scold, the hen is good at that; don't scream, the parrot excels in that; Just smile; mankind has a monopoly on that.

Will You Be One Of A Million Workers To Secure Members for The American Red Cross



Volunteer Now At Your Chapter Headquarters Third Red Cross Roll Call November 2-11

All the way out to Glendale on the train Winifred ran over in her mind the delightful surprise she would spring on Olive. It had been hard to keep from phoning her at the station, but just one glimpse of her face when she opened the door would be worth it all.

It had been nearly four months since she had left Glendale. Before that there had been five years of life spent there with Olive after her early widowhood. Neither of them ever quite confessed what a relief that widowhood had been after Chester's deliberate bullying and worrying every one in the family half sick.

Olive always said she was glad there were no children where there had been no real love. So the years had passed restfully until Winifred's appointment at Washington and she had gone away.

Lewis had been the only person who objected.

"She needs you here. She's dependent on your companionship," answered Lewis doggedly. "And it isn't right or necessary for you to get out and hustle, Win."

"But I want to," protested Winifred. "I love it here, but I want to do something else, be somebody, can't you understand?"

But he had kept his own point of view, and only Danny seemed to get her idea right. Danny was nearer her own age, anyway, and not at all like his cousin.

"You know what Chester says about you, Win," he told her teasingly. "Says any girl with red hair is totally unreliable and prone to temperamental fits. Is your hair very red?"

"It is a chestnut," answered Winifred calmly. "If Lewis doesn't like it he may glance in the opposite direction whenever he is in my vicinity. Do you blame me for going, Dan?"

"I do not," he sang out cordially. "I'm going away myself. Government aviation service after the war. Fine stuff. Maybe I'll drop in on you at Washington some day and say hello."

He had dropped in, too, several times, and it had seemed as if two or three months of service had set the boy up as no other training could have done. He was better looking than Chester, and more companionable, she decided. Then he had gone away to one of the southern stations, and Winifred found herself lonely.

Olive had only mentioned him once in her letters to her. He had been transferred, and might go to some of the islands.

As the train drew up to the little station, Winifred leaned forward from the platform, wishing suddenly some one was there to meet her. She took one of the little jitney cars up to the bungalow.

She sent the car back at the curb and went up the veranda steps.

She sat down on the top step to ponder on just what window would be the best to break into, when there came the hum of a motor on the street and a car came swinging back at the wheel singing. She knew Dan's voice instantly, and sent out a glad hail to him.

"Great Scott! why don't you let people know you're coming?" he exclaimed joyfully, as he bounded up the steps to her side. "The honeymoon pair have been on their way two days now. Olive didn't want to tell you for fear it would disturb your plans in the spring."

"Is Olive married?" she demanded.

He nodded with a grin of amusement at her manner.

"We all said you'd be wild. That's why we didn't tell you. She's married old Chester. Chester was sweet on you last year, wasn't he, Win? Did you throw him down? I'll bet you did. Anyway, they're happily married and gone South. The bungalow is yours. Enter come home to mother, though, and be warned up. The furnace has been out two days."

But Winifred felt distinctly offended. "No I shall go straight back to Washington," she said coldly. If Olive and Chester did not care to notify her of their wedding she would not stay in Glendale at all.

"They're not going to live here. I'm going to," said Dan deliberately. "I've always liked this place. Don't you remember, Win, and Chester's going to stay South while and then live in town, so I've taken over the bungalow."

"For a clubhouse?" asked Winifred.

"For self and wife," he told her. "I'm twenty-three in June, Win, and it's time I settled down."

"I never dared to show you how much I cared for you, Win," he protested, "not with Chester and all the other fellows hanging around last year. You seemed way out of reach to me, but now it's different. You know how well I've been doing, and don't I honestly seem ever so much older to you?"

"Age," said Winifred gravely, her chin on one hand. "You've grown, too, Dan."

"Let's not go straight home," he pleaded. "It's a wonderful night. Let's take a whirl down along the shore road. Win, and then I'll bring you back to mother and we'll tell her. It is yes, isn't it?"

"Aren't you afraid to marry a girl with red hair?" Winifred asked. Dan rose and helped her down the steps.

"I'll tell you when we're in the car," he warned.

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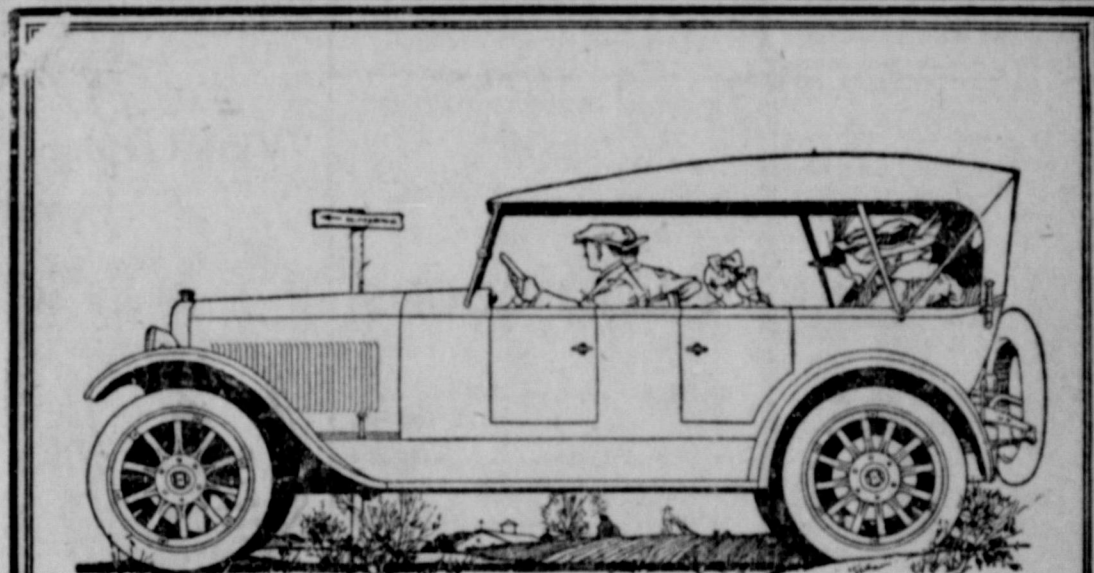
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Local and Personal News

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

Scott's Tin Shop, South-east corner of square. Phone 162.

L. M. Thornton recently returned from a visit to Georgia.

Cold Pressed cake, best feed for milchcows at City Feed Store.

Bran, Grain, Stock feeds of all kinds at the City Feed Store.

List your farms with me, I have the buyers. A. C. Hoffman.

For reliable tin work phone 162 Scott's Tin Shop.

For Sale—Good four-room house, close in, at a bargain. See L. M. Thornton.

Car-load of Dairy Feed—Cheapest and best, at the City Feed Store.

Let me sell your farm or ranch, I can bring the buyers. A. C. Hoffman.

Home-Made Candy—Absolutely pure. Wholesale prices on application. Spark's Lunch Room.

Phone 162 for good tin work at right prices. Chas. F. Scott.

See the Corpus Christi flood at the Dreamland Theatre, Lakeview, Saturday Nov. 1. Price 25 and 35c.

Cold-Pressed cottonseed cake, is fine feed for milchcows and it is economical. City Feed Store.

Loans, any size, larger the better. Long time low interest. T. B. NORWOOD

Many cotton pickers, from all parts of Texas and Oklahoma have come in this week and more are reported on the way.

Cow-Feed—If you want milk production try this blended feed, at the City Feed Store.

Doing business with us is like making love to a widow you can't over-do it! Barber's Sheet-Metal Works.

Mr. W. W. Fowler, who has been at Saysville, has returned here to look after his farm interests.

Mr. Albert Williams, of Resley California, spent several days here this week with friends.

T. B. Norwood returned Monday from a visit with his family at Dallas.

LOST—In Memphis or on road to Hedley traveling man's folio. Reward here at Station Tomlinson Memphis, Texas.

LOST—A bunch of keys. Deliver to Democrat office and receive reward.

I am again located in Memphis and may be found at any time by calling at my office in the Cagle building. Plenty of money to loan T. B. NORWOOD.

We solicit your orders for Home Made Ice Cream and Candies, Divinity Fuges, Taffy, Coconut, Peanut etc. Spark's Lunch Room.

Mr. Forkner has given up the agency for the Magnolia Oil Co; the business has been taken over by W. M. Fore & Sons who will handle Magnolia products at the Tourist Garage.

See the Corpus Christi flood at the Dreamland Theatre, Lakeview, Saturday Nov. 1. Prices 25 and 35c.

Look for the sign, "Scott's Tin Shop," for high-grade tin work. Phone 162.

If it is good tin work you want come see us. South-east corner square, Scott's Tin Shop. Phone 162.

Reports indicate that every gin in the county is far behind with ginning. Most of them have night crews and are running continuously.

White & Walker, ginner and cotton buyers, are in the market for cotton, it may pay you to see them before you buy.

Chicken Feed, "P. F. Craver" brand; a specially mixed feed that will bring the best results, at the City Feed Store.

Ed Pritchett came in Monday from De Moines, New Mexico where he visited his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Duncan. Mr. Pritchett said that he secured eight ex-Texans in that section to pick cotton, each of whom could pick over 500 pounds per day. He said that many white pickers from New Mexico were coming here.

Cheap money to loan on Farms and Ranches. Vendor's lien notes bought and extended. If you are interested it will pay you to see us. GRUNDY BROS.

See the Corpus Christi flood at the Dreamland Theatre, Lakeview, Saturday Nov. 1. Prices 25 and 35c. When in town, visiting or shopping, make our store your headquarters, you are welcome. Thornton & Owens.

Mr. Roberts, the Princess Theatre, informs us that he has secured the services of an expert operator, from Dallas, who will begin work tomorrow. Experienced men in picture show work are exceedingly difficult to get and Mr. Roberts is pleased that he has succeeded in getting an experienced man.

O. E. S. Notice

Eastern Star will meet Thursday evening Nov. 13, at 6:30 p. m. All members are urged to attend. VERA DICKEY, W. M. CHAS. WEBSTER, W. P. ELSIE BASS, Sec'y.

PAYS TO STAY IN SCHOOL

Fact Shown in Dollars and Cents by Figures Compiled by Bureau of Education.

The value of staying at school is stated in dollars and cents in figures recently compiled by the bureau of education and distributed to boys and girls throughout the country by the children's bureau.

From a study of a large number of actual cases it has been found that at twenty-five years of age the boy who remained in school until he was eighteen had received \$2,000 more salary than the boy who left school at fourteen, and that the better-educated youth was then receiving more than \$900 a year more in pay.

"This is equivalent to an investment of \$18,000 at 5 per cent," the statement said. "Can a boy increase his capital as fast in any other way?"

"From this time on the salary of the better-educated boy will rise still more rapidly, while the earnings of the boy who left school at fourteen will increase but little."

AROUND THE WORLD WITH THE AMERICAN RED CROSS



Wherever American soldiers went during the war and after, the American Red Cross. This policy carried Red Cross far corners of the globe and here they are seen near the rim of ice and snow in North Russia. Automobiles were used whenever on many journeys the reindeer pictured here proved most effective.

Rexall Modern Method of Advertising

ONE CENT SALE!

1 Cent Equals \$1.00

Leggett's Opeko Tea

Two Hundred Cups of Tea for One Cent

The Standard of Excellence

Standard Price per Half-Pound Packet 55c

This Sale Two Packets 56c

TOILET GOODS

- 60c Boquet Jeaniea Talcum..... 2 for 61c
- 25c Baby talcum..... 2 for 26c
- 60c Violet Dulce Comp Powder..... 2 for 61c
- 50c Intense Perfume..... 2 for 51c
- 30c Violet Dulce Cold Cream Tubes..... 2 for 31c
- 60c Violet Dulce Cold Cream Jars..... 2 for 61c
- 60c Dulce Vanishing Cream..... 2 for 61c
- 30c Violet Dulce Soap..... 2 for 31c
- 15c Rexall toilet soap..... 2 for 16c
- 30c Klenzo Tar Shampoo Soap..... 2 for 31c
- 30c Medicated Skin soap 2 for 31c
- 75c New England Toilet Water..... 2 for 76c
- 81.50c New England Toilet Water..... 2 for \$1.51c
- 75c Harmony toilet water 2 for 76c
- 50c Intense Violet Extract..... 2 for 51c
- 50c Harmony Extracts 2 for 61c
- \$1.00 Nacre Extract..... 2 for \$1.01c
- 35c Niac..... 2 for 35c

- \$2.75 American Beauty water bottle 2 for \$2.76
- \$2.65 Symbol Fountain Syringe..... 2 for \$2.66
- 15c Corn plasters, men's size..... 2 for 16c
- 15c Corn plasters, women's size..... 2 for 16c
- 10c first aid nipples, red and black..... 2 for 11c

CANDY

- 65c Lucia Candy..... 2 for 66c
- 6c Leggett's chewing gum 2 for 6c

Rexall Tooth Paste

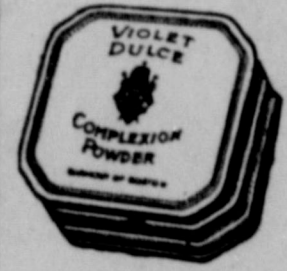
A perfect dentifrice, anti-septic and deodorant. Will clean and whiten the teeth. Comes out flat on brush. Standard Price 1 Tube 30c. This Sale 2 Tubes 31c

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday NOVEMBER 10, 11 and 12

THE PLAN—Pay us the regular price for any item here advertised and we will sell you another of the same kind for ONE CENT. PURPOSE—This sale was developed by the United Drug Company as an advertising plan. The Company sacrifices its profits and something besides, in order to get a larger distribution of its meritorious products, and you get the benefit. In order to keep faith with the public during this sale we agree to supply you with any of the merchandise advertised. If we are sold out or any item has failed to arrive we will gladly order them for you.

"Violet Dulce" Complexion Powder

The name stands for the highest quality being one of the famous Violet Dulce Complexion requisites. One of the best qualities of this complexion powder is that it does not "show" if properly used. Delightfully scented with the Violet Dulce odor, Brunette, White and Flesh tints. One Box 60c. This Sale 2 boxes 61c



Cascade Note Paper Pound Packages

Exceptionally good quality, white linen finish stock. Standard price 1 lb. 50c. This sale 2 lbs. 51c



Cascade Linen Envelopes Made to match Cascade Linen Pound Paper. Two packages 35c. This sale 4 packages 36c

STATIONERY

- 60c Modern Art Papeterie..... 2 for 61c
- 10c Drinking Cups..... 2 cartons 11c
- 15c Package Envelopes..... 2 for 16c
- 15c Visiting Cards..... 2 for 16c
- 5c Pencil Clip..... 2 for 6c
- 5c Pen Clip..... 2 for 6c
- 15c Glue..... 2 for 16c

Rubber Goods and Household Needs

- 30c Hand Brush..... 2 for 31c
- 15c Hand Brush..... 2 for 16c
- 25c Powder Puff..... 2 for 26c
- 40c Symonds Inn Vanilla..... 2 for 41c
- 40c Symonds Inn Lemon..... 2 for 41c

Ricker's Violet Witch Hazel

Ricker's Violet Witch Hazel is distilled from the finest Witch Hazel twigs, and is delightfully perfumed. This is one of the best numbers in the famous Riker line of Toilet Requisites. Standard Price 1 Bottle 50c. This Sale 2 Bottles 51c



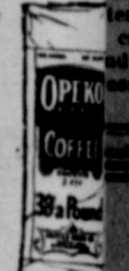
Rexall Cold Cream

An antiseptic and healing cold cream, especially recommended for chapping and roughness of the skin caused by exposure to the sun and wind. Standard price 1 Jar 35c. This sale 2 Jars 36c



Opeko Breakfast Coffee

1 pound of coffee for 1c. A fine blend, mild coffee. The acme of perfection. Standard price 1 Pound \$1.00. This Sale 2 Pounds \$1.01



HOUSEHOLD REMEDIES

- 50c Analgesic Balm..... 2
- 25c Aries Salve..... 2
- 30c Baby cough syrup..... 2
- 30c Blackberry Cordial..... 2
- 50c Blood tablets..... 2
- 15c Bronchial tablets..... 2
- 25c Carbolated Witch Hazel Ointment..... 2
- 25c Carbolated salve..... 2
- 25c Catarrh powder..... 2
- 30c Cleaning fluid..... 2
- 25c Cold tablets..... 2
- 25c Corn Solvent..... 2
- 50c Eczema Ointment..... 2
- 25c Foot bath tablets..... 2
- 25c Foot powder..... 2
- 25c Headache powders..... 2
- 50c Kidney pills..... 2
- 35c Mentholine Balm..... 2
- 25c Rat and Roach Paste..... 2
- 25c Red Cedar compound..... 2
- 35c Soothing syrup..... 2
- 81.25c of Hypophosphites..... 2 for 81.25c
- 15c Toothache Stopper..... 2
- 30c White Liniment..... 2
- \$1.25c Wine of Cod Liver Extract..... 2 for \$1.25c
- 30c Camphorated Cold Cream..... 2
- 25c Pearl Tooth powder..... 2
- 50c Senafix..... 2
- 15c Lozenge Cream Tartar and sulphur..... 2

FICKAS DRUG CO.

Number 1 and Number 2 "The Rexall Stores"

Memphis Texas

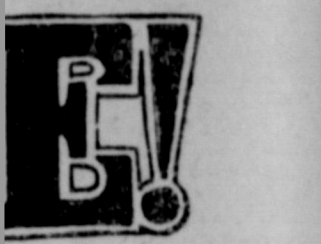
American Beauty Water Bottle

Full two-quart capacity, heavy gauge, all-rubber red water bottle. One that is guaranteed for one year, or your money back. Standard price 1 Bottle \$2.00. This Sale 2 Bottles \$2.01

THE WORLD WITH AN ARCTIC CROSS.



ent during the war and after this policy carried Red Cross automobiles were used wherever required here proved most effective.



BORN IN ITSELF

Hundred Rooms
of Ex-Emperor of Austria.

1,000 rooms in the city occupied by the ex-emperor, in Vienna. It is built with 100 kitchens and covers 25,000 meters. The columns at the entrance were constructed by the architect in 1821-24. Through the castle ward, a road led here in 1887-94. One of the Renaissance palaces and Haumann, and built in 1917. Further on, a square side of the ground, where stand two monuments, the largest in the city. The one on the left is the one of the Emperor, while that on the right is the Archduke Charles, and Napoleon at Aspern. An old rule of ancient date is the castle grounds. It is the rule of the Roman count is so dilapidated that or three of the portals others being nothing but stone. A tall arch is the roof part of the ruin. The ruin is a great remnant of the kind. The shed in gilt. The sides bear the history of Austria, the glorious Neptune fountain from Sebene Brunner (beautify) the castle grounds de-named, Schonbrunn.

UP SOIL IN ORCHARDS

All Weeds and Rubbish Un-
der and Mound About
Inks—Scatter Poison.

fall hoe away all weeds and under trees. Leave the soil well firmed from the trunk beyond the spread of the trunk. Scatter poisoned baits in ways, near entrances to bur-rowways, and in trash piles for mice.

SECT PESTS REDUCED

in, Thorough Cultivation
Attention to Pruning Are
Important.

Desirability of keeping in-
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and sulphur..... 2

American Beauty

Water Bottle

Full two-quart capacity,
safety gauge, all-rubber red
water bottle. One that is
warranted for one year, or
or money back.

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FREQUENCY OF FEED FOR CHICKEN FLOCK

Fowls in Confinement Must Be Given Good Attention.

Idle Birds Often Contract Pernicious Habits, Such as Feather Pulling and Egg Eating—Get Out of Condition.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Some poultrymen feed their flocks twice a day, while others feed them three times a day. The best plan is to feed fowls in confinement three times a day and those having free range in summer twice a day. When there is a very long interval between feeds it is difficult to keep fowls busy which are kept in confinement. Idle fowls often contract bad habits, such as feather pulling and egg eating, besides going out of condition from lack of exercise.

In case it is not convenient to feed three times a day, the moistened mash may be fed in the morning and at the same time the noon feed of grain may be scattered in the litter, which will keep the fowls busy a great part of the day.

For those who cannot conveniently feed their fowls early in the morning



Best Plan to Keep Confined Fowls Busy Scratching for Their Food.

a good plan is to scatter grain plentifully in the litter after the birds have gone to roost. This grain will furnish feed for the early morning.

Some poultry feeders can look after their fowls only once a day. If this is in the morning, moistened mash may be fed, followed by throwing grain in the litter to furnish feed for the remainder of the day. If it is in the evening, before dark, a moistened

PROPER PRUNING OF GRAPES

Best to Cut Away Old Fruiting Canes at or Near Where New Cane Has Started.

In pruning grapes one should keep in mind that the old wood that has borne fruit once never bears again, that the wood that is formed one season produces the next season, and that if all the new wood is left on the vines it will bear more clusters of fruit than can properly develop. With-out regard to the system of training followed, it has been found best to cut away the old fruiting canes at or near the point where the new cane started and cut away the laterals on the new cane.

BUILD SHED FOR MACHINERY

Implements Are Going Up Rapidly in Price and Are Worthy of Ample Protection.

Farm machinery costs from 50 to 100 per cent more than it did two years ago, and is still going up. How much of yours is standing out in the weather with only an apple tree for protection? Get it under shelter at once and watch out for our suggestions for overhauling and repairing it. Half a dozen posts, a few poles, a day's work for two men and a team, and a few loads of the straw you are burning or allowing to rot, will build as fine a machinery shed as anyone could ask.

Usefulness Gone.

"I hear there are many poisonous snakes in your part of the country."
"Not now. What's the use of them when every place is dry?"

BEST EQUIPMENT FOR GARDEN

No One Can Enjoy Work With Crude or Unsuitable Implements—Work is Made Easy.

Garden equipment is essential for best results in making a garden. No one can enjoy work with crude or unsuitable implements. All realize how easy hard work may be with the right kind of facilities for doing it. This is true in garden work. Garden implements cost so little in comparison to their value that no one can afford to get along without them. The same may be said of farm implements and needed equipment in general.

ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WELL?

Many Memphis People Know the Importance of Healthy Kidneys

The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. Well kidneys remove impurities. Weak kidneys allow impurities to multiply.

No kidney ail should be neglected. There is possible danger in delay. If you have backache or urinary troubles.

If you are nervous, dizzy or worn out. Begin treating your kidneys at once.

Use a proven kidney remedy. None endorsed like Doan's Kidney Pills.

Recommended by thousands. Proved by Memphis testimony. Mrs. C. R. Lemons, 8, Noel St., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are all that is claimed for them. I have used Doan's off and on for some time when my back has ached and has become sore and lame. At such times my kidneys would become out of order. But a short use of Doan's Kidney Pills has always given me good results. I have also given this medicine to a young member of our family with splendid benefit."

Priced 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Lemons had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Communal Kitchens.

The latest proposal for the elimination of waste in food and the supply of meals at minimum cost in England, includes, what for a better term is called, communal feeding. The communal kitchen has been proposed on several occasions but, save for a few spasmodic experiments, it has not been given a thorough trial. Lord Rhondda is interested in the new proposal and acting with a committee of social workers he is devising plans to give the scheme a real test. With so many women doing war work and with consequent neglect of household duties, some such plan as is proposed will have to be carried out if the rising generation is not to suffer seriously in health.

Bird Changeling Fly-Catcher.

The Wilson warbler is the champion fly-catcher of the United States. His method of getting most of his food is to dash out from the limb of a tree and snatch passing insects on the wing, says the American Forestry association, Washington. They catch other insects which are sitting about or sitting on the foliage or blossoms of the trees. You will often find these little birds in apple trees when in bloom. Their olive green and yellow plumage harmonizes with the green leaves of the tree. The male bird has a black crown patch on the top of its head, while on the female this cap is greenish like the back. This bird is found throughout the eastern United States, but winters in Central America.

Saturday

William Fox Presents

William Farnum

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A powerful story of love and high finance.

ALSO

A Two Reel Comedy

Special Orchestra Music

Majestic Theatre

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

Right now when you most need suits, dresses, skirts and coats, you will find our ready-to-wear department full of all the new things in every line.

You will not find a lot of garments rejected by the early buyers; but an array of new garments that have been received within the past ten days.

Our New York buyers are often able to pick-up genuine bargains in these lines and we can now show you the very latest style garments at savings under early fall prices.

Greene Dry Goods Company

"The Big Daylight Store" TEXAS

THE GHOST CHASER

By C. B. BROOKS.

"And they say—here the voice lowered to a fragile whisper. Three pairs of eyes—blue, brown, hazel—widened with fear.

Not so Claire Berkeley's. Had she not longed for excitement, adventure? It had been so lonely and monotonous, especially since Al Trevor had left without one word. Surely there must be some mistake. She had overheard his sister whispering that he had arrived from overseas.

"And they say," whispered Amy Trevor, "that late in the evening it is seen in the upper back room. The light it carries illumines its long, white form. I'd go in if Tom would go, too. It might be great fun."

The girl's eyes flashed their excitement.

"Tom go with you," sneered Claire Berkeley. "Why! I'd like nothing better than to go with our own girls. As if we depended on men for everything we undertake." And the pretty child tilted in the air.

The timid ones, inspired by Claire's brave assertion, promised to accompany the two girls on condition that they be allowed to follow in the rear. It was decided to investigate one evening and the following night to enter the haunted house.

Thus one dark evening found five weird, creeping forms silently tracing their way along the deserted road. Amy and Claire braved the way ahead, and the three timid ones followed quakingly.

"I—I saw a spook of light," trembled Sadie Deunforth. "O—oh, dear! I—I don't dare go on."

"I wish brother Bob were here," quaked Betty Seers.

Suddenly Amy slackened her gait. "Claire! I—I believe Sadie did see something. I do myself. Look!"

"A light! I don't see a thing but a firefly. What little cowards you are! Now listen. We'll go back now; but next time we shall enter. How many will promise? Are you afraid?"

"Why, of course I'll not back out, Claire," said Amy.

"And you three timid ones?" withered their leader quakingly.

"We—we—of course we'll go," they haltingly agreed.

"Have girls!" laughed Claire.

The next evening the three fearful girls followed their brave leaders to the very door of the haunted house. The long, black hedge seemed to congregate black, spooky slumps.

"I—don't dare go—at least, not into the back room. Would you mind, Claire?" began Amy.

"No, I wouldn't mind going in alone. I'm bound to chase that ghost. I'm not afraid," boasted the girl.

But even as she forged ahead the girl felt herself trouble. She would never give in—oh, no.

She groped her way to the opposite side of the room and began fumbling for the doorknob.

At every fumble faint groans issued from the corner where the girls stood huddled. When the branch of an old blue tree tapped the window the

groans deepened.

"Sh!" warned Claire.

"Claire's voice trembles, too," whispered one of the girls.

Amy nudged her into fearful silence. As Claire pushed wide the awful door, the girls saw a small bright light outlining a tall white form. Then the door closed on their friend.

The girls stood quaking, and with eyes covered.

It seemed hours before they dared to speak or to peer through the darkness.

Where was Claire so long—had anything happened to her?

Not one dared to move. Suddenly they heard peals of laughter, which frightened them still more.

Then the door opened, and a flashlight fell full upon them.

"It's all right, girls. I'm the ghost," laughed Al Trevor in a happy, tremulous voice. "You can all testify that Claire chased after me, in fact she fell right into my arms."

"Why—Al Trevor. You—"

"Yes, girls, I will confess. I overheard Amy tell of your ghostly trip. To punish this fair maid, who blamed me, I substituted for the ghost. By the way, where is the original spook?"

"Vanished, Al. It must have been my ghost of unhappiness," unblushingly admitted Claire.

"O—oh dear! let's get out of this gruesome, ghostly house," cried Amy Trevor.

"Gruesome!" chided Al.

"Gruesome!" echoed Claire.

They beamed at each other.

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Gold Beating is Ancient Art.

Pedestrians walking through Arch street near Summer street are often puzzled by a constant sullen pounding almost under their feet. Many are the questions asked of the men who do business in that vicinity, says the Boston Globe.

A similar noise probably was heard in Egypt more than 2,500 years before the advent of the Christian era and the Greeks are known to have been engaged in making noises very like it in 1400 B. C.

For the pounding is made by gold beaters, who are beating gold into thin sheets, much as it was done centuries ago by the Chinese and the Egyptians. It is one of the most unique trades carried on in Boston and the men who do the pounding are, many of them,

veterans of many years; some of them have done it and nothing else during all their entire business lives.

TOAD IS FRIEND OF FARMER

They Are Useful Guardians of Growing Plants and Vegetables—Devour Many Insects.

Despite its general unpopularity, the toad is a harmless, interesting and valuable creature. While the toad is often thought to be poisonous, the fluid which comes from a gland behind its eye is not harmful to human beings unless it comes in contact with a tender part of the body, such as the eye or lip. Toads change their skin periodically by splitting the old skin down the back, peeling it off like a jersey and swallowing it. They are also useful guardians of growing plants and vegetables since they eat all sorts of insects. Their chief weapon against their enemy, the snake, is their ability to inflate their bodies to twice their normal size, thus making it difficult for snakes to swallow them.

ATTENTION TO SANDY SOILS

Very Deficient in Organic Matter and Are Subject to Blowing—Straw Covering Helps.

Sandy soils are very deficient in organic matter and are subject quite seriously to blowing. If such fields are covered with straw it will prevent this damage to a great extent. It will also add considerable to the humus content by increasing the organic matter in the soil, and the soil will hold a much larger per cent of moisture. Consequently it will be far superior to a soil that is deficient in organic matter. The straw spreader is very practical.

GROWING HEALTHY CHICKENS

Among Other Things Shade, Fresh Water, Clean Coops and Ventilation Are Important.

Shade, clean, fresh water, clean coops and colony houses, and good ventilation and plenty of room during the night are of the greatest importance in growing healthy, strong, vigorous birds, whether they are for meat, eggs or breeding.



Send your list we'll fill and deliver it promptly and appreciate your trade. Phone 10

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Why be satisfied with a machine that reproduces music in a cold, mechanical way when you can have an instrument that RE-CREATES music which cannot be distinguished from the original?

You can't tell the difference between the living artist and the New Edison—but don't take our word for it. Just send for the booklet "What the Critics Say"—it proves that what we say is true. Here is a sample, "The ear could not tell when it was listening to the phonograph alone, and to actual voice and reproduction together. Only the eye could discover the truth by noting when the singer's mouth was open or closed."—New York Evening Mail.

No matter how skeptical you may be all doubt will be swept aside once you hear the marvelous New Edison at our store.

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See me; I will be glad to talk the matter over with you

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TABLE STAKES

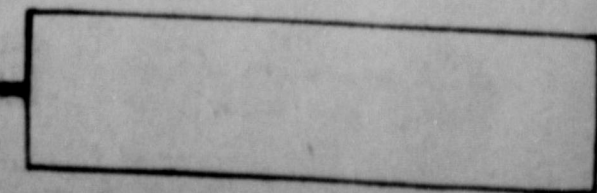
Be Stylishly Dressed

Don't be satisfied with a suit or an overcoat that merely gives you so many yards of cloth to cover your body. Think of your pride too, and you will demand a garment that will give you that comfortable feeling of being well dressed.

Society Brand Clothes

FOR YOUNG MEN AND MEN WHO STAY YOUNG

It is style, more than anything else, that makes the big difference in clothes. Creative designing plus painstaking methods in making gives these clothes a style that is as distinctive as it is clean-cut.



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accident.

De Witt Henry of New York

not long ago the teeth of a

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dentist's office carrying them

and.

World's Largest Vaults.

underground vaults of the

United States assay office, the

one of which was laid recently

York, can be stored more than

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the masonry of the structure are

several newspapers; a medal

which there is a portrait of the

king, and a bag containing a set

of United States coins ranging in value

from one cent to \$20, besides other

articles of interest and value. The

entire vault will cost over \$800,000.

Reduced His Conceit.

was eaten up with a mistaken

idea of his own importance.

One day he was making his speech in

the Lincoln memorial parliament he

heard of one of the local newspapers

was to be sketching him.

He hurried to the house and found the

artist.

"Give—aw—you were—aw—

me; isn't that so?" he in-

quired.

"Aw—would you tell me what

you—aw—represent?"

"I represent no newspaper," an-

swered the artist. "I design con-

ditions."—London Tit-Bits.

He Had Lost 39 Years.

clock and other articles were

found fifty-nine years ago from a

grave near Wokingham, Eng. where

the skeleton and marchioness of Down-

land had been buried. Recently a man

was protruding from the side

of a tree that had been

thinking this unusual, he

went to the stump and found the

clock, rusty but intact, and

photograph frames in filigree

on the thief's board. A local

historian identified the clock and

restored it.

Second Hand.

"A lovely Dutch landscape!"

exclaimed the admiring visitor.

"Seen to Holland, of course?"

"No," answered the artist, mod-

estly.

"How were you ever able to

paint a realistic picture?"

"The truth, I copied it off

the wall."—Birmingham Age-Her-

ald.

Saying No Favorites.

"Say—Is Miss Penchblow in?"

"No, sir; she's just gone

and she left word if any gentle-

man would call for me to say she

is especially to call again.

WORLD'S WEALTH OF SILVER

of Greed of Conquerors and
Only Sordid and Misery
to the People.

has produced a steady stream
ever since its conquest by
in 1519. But while the supply
inexhaustible, it brought more
than happiness to the nation,
opinion of the Salt Lake Trib-
because it afforded the incentive
conquerors to its shores to en-
the people.

Spaniards robbed and enslaved
to control the silver supply.
blotted out a semi-barbarous
tion that had built great irri-
systems, massive temples and
cities, and the once proud
people were placed under
for four centuries.

most uncanny gift in ferreting
big silver deposits was pos-
sible by the Spanish govern-
ment. The gunpowder was so high, though,
only the richest finds were
Only are that produced over
aces of silver to the ton was
it is said that the owner of
mine, in the Alamos dis-
trict, Alameda, on the mar-
riage of his daughter, lined the
of the palace with bars of
and paved the way to the church
metal.

profits are made from demoli-
tion of the old houses in the
district, and reducing the
in them for silver. The na-
tion built them used to use
the mine slag, in the absence of
building material, and much
of it went into the buildings.

**PURE SORGHUM SEED
BY ROGUEING PLATS**

**Go Over Field and Carefully
Remove Off-Type Plants.**

**Work Can Be Done Easily by Man on
Foot With Dwarf Varieties, While
With Taller Sorts It Is Prac-
tical to Use Horse.**

(Prepared by the United States Depart-
ment of Agriculture.)

In order to obtain pure sorghum
seed it is usually necessary to go over
the field carefully after it has headed
out and remove the rogues or off-type
plants. Every plant which does not
conform to the type which is desired
should be cut down, or, better, pulled
up so that there will be no danger of
the production of seed from tiller-
produced by the rogue.

In dwarf varieties the rogueing can
be done easily by a man on foot, but
in the taller growing sorts it is most
practical to ride through the field on
horseback so that the workers can see



Superior Sorghum Field.

over the top of the field and thus more
readily determine the position of the
rogues which must be removed. The
horse can be securely unbridled to pre-
vent injury other than that occasioned
by the tramping down of plants.

It is not profitable to rogue fields
which are intended for the production
of grain or forage, but in the produc-
ing of seed, either for home planting
or the market, careful rogueing gives
returns both in dollars and cents and
in the satisfaction of growing pure
seed. Sorghums being open-pollinated
are subject to almost endless hybridi-
zation if stray plants of other varieties
are allowed to mature in the field.
This intermixing of varieties results
in lack of uniformity in ripening as
well as in the size of the plants, thus
causing difficulty in harvesting and
marketing the crop. The use of pure
seed varieties which are known to be
adapted to the farmers' climatic condi-
tions will be rewarded in bigger and
better crops.

EXAMINE LAND FOR ALFALFA

Frequent Borings Should Be Made
With Auger to Determine Char-
acter of the Soil.

In examining a tract of land for alfalfa
frequent borings should be made
with a soil auger to determine the
character of the soil and subsoil as
well as the drainage conditions. This
instrument usually will be of greater
value in determining the adaptability
of a particular tract to alfalfa than a
chemical analysis of the soil. A com-
mon 1 1/2-inch auger with the shank
lengthened and a suitable crossbar for
a handle is practical for this use.

FULL-CROP YIELD OBTAINED

Sufficient Fertilization, Pure Seed and
Careful Cultivation Are of
Importance.

There are three agents that are
sometimes neglected, but through
which the full-crop yield can be ob-
tained. They are, sufficient fertiliza-
tion, pure seed and careful cultiva-
tion. The proper use of fertilizer will
make the stalks and stems stronger
and thus more impervious to the at-
tacks of vegetable parasites or the
spittle of insects. It will give weight,
color and size to the fruit and mat-
terially hasten maturity.

GOOD STRAWBERRY TILLAGE

Always Run Cultivator or Rake
Through Patch Same Way to Per-
mit Runners to Set.

Let the strawberry runners set at
will within the row. In tilling straw-
berries, always run the cultivator or
rake through the same way each time.
This allows runners to set which
would be uprooted by a reverse tilling.
But when a row is matted over two
feet deep, stretch a line and chop off
and hoe up all outsiders.

BURN DEAD WOOD IN ORCHARD

When Allowed to Lie in Heap It Fur-
nishes Breeding Place for Insects
and Rodents.

All dead wood should be burned at
once, preferably in the orchard. If it
is allowed to lie in a heap, it furnishes
not only a breeding place for vegetable
and insect pests, but a home for rab-
bits, mice and other animals.

Helpfulness of Criticism.

It is natural to resent criticism. We
dislike anything that shakes our self-
complacency or compels us to think.
Here and there a man has learned the
real service of criticism and usually
he is a man who has attained to more
than average success in life. We are
all more or less like the proverbial os-
trich. We like to convince ourselves
that our faults are really our virtues,
in that we are doing good work in the
world when in truth we are lagging far
behind our actual capacity and drifting
along rather than really liv-
ing.—William E. Towne.

Why Suffer?

Mrs. J. A. Cox, of Al-
derson, W. Va., writes:
"My daughter . . . suf-
fered terribly. She could
not turn in bed . . . the
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we brought her home to
die. She had suffered so
much at . . . time. Hav-
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STORAGE HOUSES IN DIFFERENT SECTIONS

Insulated Potato House Is Best Adapted to South.

Aroostook Type Is Distinctively a Product of Maine and Confined Largely to That State—West Uses Storage Cellars.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The insulated potato house is not used extensively, and as a rule is better adapted to southern than to northern climates. The construction feature of such a house is the thorough insulation of its walls, ceilings, doors and windows. In northern locations such a house must be heated by a stove.

The Aroostook type of storage house, with concrete or masonry walls and wooden superstructure, is distinctly a product of Maine and confined largely to that state. It is expensive and is always located on a side hill or knoll in order that advantage may be taken of a ground level entrance. The basements are usually from 8 to 12 feet deep, and most of them have a capacity of several thousand barrels. Generally the only provision for ventilation is by trapdoors in the floor through which the filling of the bins is completed. Occasionally a ventilator is found in the roof.

These houses, although practical in Maine, will never supersede the dug-out pit or storage cellar now used in the middle and far western states. Each of these types of storage has distinctive features which peculiarly adapt it to its own environment, but do not necessarily preclude use in other localities.

The artificially refrigerated potato storage house is confined practically to the storage of northern grown seed potatoes held in cold storage for second crop planting in the South. It is thought that community cold-storage plants of this type could be profitably used by the southern truck growers.

PREVENT WASTAGE ON FARMS

Among Other Things There May Be Spots That Wash, That Overflow or Are Poorly Drained.

Look out for the waste places on the farm. Some of these may be on fields that wash; some may be on the overflowed fields; some, the poorly drained places. The barnyard manure may be wasting; the implements being left out in the weather to deteriorate. The waste may be in trying to do with the hands what should be done with implements and machines. Look for wasted energy and wasted opportunity.

An Endless Chain.

"We're very unsettled in our flat," said the worried-looking man at the club.

"What's the trouble?" asked his friend.

"Well, our children keep the next-door neighbors awake, so they pass the time by playing the piano; that makes the pet dog next door to them bark, and that keeps the children next door awake, and there's so much noise through the building that there's no chance at all of our children going to sleep."

"AMERICA AT THE CROSS-ROADS OF THE WORLD."

The following report of a lecture recently delivered here by Rev. Ernest Mobley was made by Miss Patty Deaver as a part of her English exercises.

To consider American ability from the standpoint of organization it is safe to say that, in the world war, America surpassed all records of history in the creation of the most efficient organization in the shortest time. Within a very short time there were our million men in training in encampments and confrontations on this side. Behind the organization the people of America lined up and loyally promoted drive after drive for the Liberty Loan and for national welfare. Then the trained soldiers were transported across the seas and made up the American Expeditionary Force. The rapidity

with which they built bridges and encampments, and laid railroad track, over nearly all France was amazing. The S. O. S., or Service of Supply, did great work and showed great ability in supplying the A. E. F. with provisions, clothing and munitions. All of these forces united to form the American military organization, whose range of powers was almost incomprehensible.

When America declared war, Germany thought she had no cause to be alarmed because the Americans would not and could not fight. The English, also, chose to consider us inferior fighters, and France thought the Americans would make good reserves and perhaps help in a case of emergency. But, before the war ended, America had demonstrated, to the enemy as well as the allies, that she could organize, train and fight.

England must be given due credit for her contribution to the war. She aided in keeping the seas open for the transportation of our soldiers and also furnished ships in which one-half of our fighting force were carried overseas. England aided, too, in finances, and diplomacy, as well as in fighting, itself. In personal sacrifices she was not surpassed by any people. During the last days of the war, when a man in England ate a square meal he was violating the law.

France, also, did her part. The famous battle of Verdun is to her credit in the war. As evidence of their achievements, there are cannons grouped around the arch of triumph almost as far as the eye can reach. There are more than Napoleon saw in all his thirteen years of campaigns—more than America has ever owned or will ever own.

To little Belgium, also, is there credit due. In the first days of the war her people rallied bravely to the flag and held back the invaders until France could mobilize her forces.

However, it was America who turned the tide of the war. England's strength and resources were almost spent. France's soldiers were broken and weary of war. Belgium, too, had her back to the wall. America came into action at the psychological moment and infused new spirit into the struggle.

It was at the battle of Belleau Wood that the fighting spirit of the American soldiers was first shown. The limbs of the French were broken, and the Americans found themselves face to face with the enemy. It was a case of fighting or running, and running has never been in the American blood. Here the American Marines turned back the Germans and won the victory. As Pickett's charge at Gettysburg turned the tide of a civil war of one nation, so did the battle of Belleau Wood turn the tide of a world battle in the war of humanity.

Looking out over the country where so many great battles were staged, a scene of unspeakable ruin and devastation meets the eye. At Rheims where stood the sacred Cathedral, in which the coronation of many French kings has taken place, there is only a ruin. To go on to Fismes, halfway between Soissons and Rheims, there is not a tree left standing. Near here is the last resting place of 16,000 of those who made the supreme sacrifice. At Soissons the same devastation appears. For instance, the corrugated iron shutters over the shop windows are punctured like pepper boxes. In No Man's Land the desolation and wreck cannot be pictured in words. Many have said that this land which has been so completely upturned by shells is entirely useless for cultivation, now on the contrary it is really better for cultivation now than ever before.

The battle of San Mihiel, which marked the beginning of the great offensive, also tried the metal of the Americans. This great battle is one of the marvels of history.

The thing which really broke the German's nerve was the individual character of American fighting. The Americans did not use the rules and regulations of military science, simply because they were not trained in them well enough to overcome the individuality of their nature. There is so much natural individuality in the American that he can not be made into a machine. He did not know and did not care what the military regulations were. Probably it is well that they used their individuality to excess, because, as a fighting machine, the German soldier stands first. There is no one who knows more about military science

America ranks just as high in diplomacy as she does in fighting. Before this war other countries thought America had no statesmanship, but since Christmas in Paris, there is no room for doubt of the American diplomacy. The World's Conference held January 18, at Paris was a very informal affair. There was no applause when the great men of different countries entered. When the President of France entered, contrary to all expectations, he quietly walked down to the table where the foreign embassies were assembled, and very informally delivered his welcome address. The addresses of Lloyd George and Clemenceau were also very informal.

There were several things which distinguished this conference as unique. It met forty-eight years to the day, from the time the King of Prussia was pronounced Emperor of Germany. There was not a semblance of a crowned head among the number of delegates. This is the first conference of its kind of which this was true. There was only one person present who had any appearance of militarism, and this was Generalissimo Foch, who was present as an authority on military affairs.

In this Conference, for the first time in history, the American language was placed parallel with the French in diplomatic affairs. The speeches of the Americans were read in English, then in French. The speeches of the French were translated into English. The treaty itself, was written in both languages. By means of this conference, also, open diplomacy was brought to the world. This conference was even more open than our Congress, when nearly all the business is transacted by committees. The work of this meeting was carried on as body.

The second Conference of Feb-

ruary 14, was a Woodrow Wilson day. The only address was made by Wilson, in which he read the twenty-six articles of the treaty and made a plea for justice for small nations. The only thing which made this treaty any more binding than preceding treaties was the covenant of the League of Nations, which was promoted by Woodrow Wilson.

The first meeting of the German and Allied delegates together was on May 7. The elemental nature of the German was shown in the lack of courtesy and refinement in the actions and speech of the German delegates. The signature of the American delegates headed the column of names of the Allies, which shows the rank of America among her allies.

After the signing of the armistice more opportunity was afforded for the study of the real nature of the American boys. As a whole, the boys appeared to be very ambitious in respect to both history education, and play. They were a match for all opponents, and their sense of honor and love of fair play stood out prominently. The boys appeared to be morally clean. There was little drunkenness among them. Among six thousand boys, who passed through one social center, only one was seen drunk. Contrary to the beliefs of many, the boys were incurably religious. They did not want theory, but they loved plain talk about God, and home, and mother. The songs

they called for first were not classical, popular, songs, but were religious ones.

Even greater than the problem of the war, the task of reconstruction lies before us now. Europe will never completely recover from the effects of this war, but America, who is young and virile, should have great hope. The only way in which this task can be met, is to know God, intimately.

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