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colate land, fairly well on which cotton was

Winning Cotton Crop.

was grown by T. M.
Bob Jones place west of
lead of eight acres being
on, as required by the

nued on Page 8.)

The Memphis Democrat

MEMPHIS, TEXAS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1922

EALTH WEEK, MARCH 5-11. PROCLAMATIONS BY GOVERNOR AND MAYOR

LE OF LIGHT PLANT THOUGHT BEST BY THE CITY COUNCILMEN

Which Was Forced Into Ownership, Now as Opportunity to Get out With Profit. Can Not Use Bond Money for Ice Plant.

following statement sets forth: Bond money not expended \$13,500 Cash on hand 8,000 Cash on hand 50,000 Council in its decision to submit le of the city light and power to the voters of Memphis:

to the voters of Memphis:

City did not voluntarily go inbusines; but was forced to do
the failure of the company ownthe franchise. There was no
the fine the city had to furnish
and power or do without. The
in bonds were sold on a low
that a discount of \$10,000. The
the mere purchased was bought at
eak of high prices, and could
the replaced at a lesser price.
The fire, be bought at a cost of about
the went through the fire,
be bought at a cost of about
the the bonds issued for
glant is doubtful. The money
the for the bonds issued for
glant under the law; so a plant
ill by the city would have to
ught on credit and paid for out
rofts upon ice sales. It is
ful if this could be done.
mmarized, the situation is as

This leaves, if the sale is made,
a profit to the city of \$6,500. The
money received for the plant can
not be used for any other purpose
other than paying off the \$65,000 in a
bonds. If possible these bonds will
be retired, if this is not praticable,
the money will be invested in bonds
drawing the same interest and maturing before the Memphis bonds are
due.

The agreement with the company
offering to purchase provides for a
slight reduction in rates, amounting
to about \$3,000 annually, and provides for the erection of an ice plant
in time for service this season.

The plant under municipal management shows a cash balance of \$8,000
with no charge for depreciation or
decline in value of machinery; both
of these charges would, of course,
have to be met in time; and, in the
judgement of the members of the
Council, the opportunity for the City
to get out with a profit should be
taken advantage of; hence their recommendation of the sale to the
Memphis voters.

100 Prizes Were Grown.

CROP GROWING CONTEST

Grown in Co-Operation With

special premiums of \$100

ere offered through the Hall

ffer was as follows, as given

y Fair last year for best acre

tres Yam S. Potatoes 100

& M. Extension Department

Inder County Farm Agent.

acres Milo Maize

fair catalog:

2 Prizes to 1 Man.

DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP R PREMIUM BASKET BALL GAME TO BE HALL COUNTY PLAYED TOMORROW EVE FARM CROPS

Estelline, Champion of District 3, and Clara, Ch-moion of District 4, Will Play at Estelline at 4. s of How Crops That Won

A baskeball game for the Inter-scholastic Bi-District Championship, will be played at Estelline tomorrow

The contesting teams are, Estel-ine, winner of the championship in this district and Clara, winner of the chapionship in District 4. The game will be staged at the High School grounds at Estelline and a large crowd from both districts is ex-

The winner of this contest will be The winner of this contest will be elligible to go to Austin and contest for the State championship.

The winning of these teams in their respective districts was a surprise, both being small—twon teams and winning from teams thought to be invincible.

A big crowd from Memphis is ex-pected to go down and root for the Hall county team, which has a good

chance to win. If you enjoy seeing a well-fought contest by good players don't mist this game tomorrow evening, you will find it enjoyable and the Estelline boys deserve the encouragement.

Ranch Headquarters Burned

The headquarters house of the Lett's ranch on Cottonwood, burned Tuesday night. The origin of the fire and the amount of the loss are un-

Turkey Band Give Box-Supper

res Yam S. Potatoes 100

re premiums were contributative. P. Dial, P. F. Craver, Hall National Bank, First Nation-Citizens State Bank Memton Oil Company, White & Gin, E. T. Rosamond Gin y, Seago & Simmons Gin y, Williams & Miller Gin y, M. L. Kelly Cotton Comarmers' Union Gin Company, arrison, Arthur Whaley.

on seed to be furnished to all on cotton with the underetthat the one entering the return to the Hall County anager two bushels of the ind of pure seed for every received at planting time.

premiums on the above crops awarded Jan. 1st., 1922, at indeer reports must be made to mager of the Fair Association.

Prizes will be awarded on the globals: A box-supper for the purpose of raising funds for the Turkey band will be held at the Methodist church at Turkey tomorrow night.
The band has been organized but
a few weeeks and is reported to be

making good progress. The Farmer's Plight.

Best exhibit at fair, 20
Best written history of ade My Crop", 10 per cent. Trops were grown in co-with the Extension Service icultural College of Texas supervision of County M. Thompson, each farmting keeping a record on mished by the A. & M. Department.

The following table has been prepared by a Nebraska farmer of a statistical turn of mind, and shows the amount of taxes, in terms of corn, his farm has paid for 10 years, the market price taken for a basis that quoted by the Department of Agriculture for December 1 of each year. The figures speak eloquently of the real trouble with agriculture.

State Price Bushels

It took more corn to pay taxes in 1921 than for all the five preseding years. The table also shows the increase of the tax levy in dol-

Perhaps the foregoing reveals why the farmer hearkens to the call of organization.—The Dearborn Inde-pendent.

W. F. Holland of Esteline was

Proclamation

WHEREAS, smallpox is raging to the North of us, and is being transmitted promiscuously over the State, and

WHEREAS, our sister Republic to the South is reporting yelfever, typus, and bubonic plague, and WHEREAS, plague infected rats are being trapped in Texas,

WHEREAS, typhoid fever continues to take its toll in unusual

numbers, and WHEREAS, diptheria, pneumonia and influenza are on the increase in this state, and

WHEREAS, malaria infected over two hundred thousand Texans last year, impairing their productiveness and causing an econom- of here, Monday evening. ic loss of millions, and

WHEREAS, the death rate of infants exceeds the normal ratio.

WHEREAS, contaminated foods and drinks are being dispensed in many places in this state, and

WHEREAS, the capacity of State Institutions for the blind, feeble-minded and insane are being over-taxed, and

WHEREAS, tuberculosis still continues to lead the list of causes WHEREAS, the sanitary conditions of some of our communities

have become almost intolerable, and

WHEREAS, quarantine laws are being violated, and WHEREAS, an indifference is being shown in the enforcement

of health and sanitary laws, and WHEREAS, heroic measures are necessary to stop this preven-

table human loss of 14,000 per annum, and WHEREAS, the welfare and happiness of our Texas citizenis largely dependent upon health.

NOW. THEREFORE, I, Pat M. Neff, Governor of Texas, at the request of the State Health Officer, do hereby proclaim the week beginning Sunday, March 5th, 1922, as

HEALTH WEEK

Designating:

Sunday, March 5th-Health and Welfare Sunday. Monday, March 6th-Health Appraisal Day. Tuesday, March 7th-Clean-up Day. Wednesday, March 8th-Day of War on Insects, Rodents and Disease Carriers.

Thursday, March 9th-School Health Day. Friday March 10th-Pure Food Day. Saturday, March 11th-Education and Child Welfare day.

To be observed by every individual, schools, churches, clubs,

organizations, and officials of municipalities. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto sign my name and

have the Seal of the State to be affixed at the City of Austin, this 15th day of February, A. D. 1922.

PAT M. NEFF. Governor of Texas.

By the Governor

(Signed) S. L. STAPLES, Secretary of State

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Governor of Texas has, for the good and sufficient reasons above set forth, designated the above week as "health week," to be observed as indicated

I. Henry Baldwin, Mayor of Memphis, herewith proclaim, and recommend, observance by the citizens of Memphis.

HENRY BALDWIN

Mayor of Memphis.

In complaince with the above I, as City Health Officer, urge that "clean-up day" be made the beginning of a campaign to througly clean up Memphis. This work is imperative for the preservation of health and the sanitary regulations will be strictly enforced

J. A. ODOM,

City Health Officer.

News Around the County Court House

Court Doings, Official Acts and the Happenings In General About the County Capitol.



week and several civil cases are set for trial; the court will continue two more weeks after this week.

An auditing committee of three, R.
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Read, appointed by Judge Nabers to
audit the books of the county officers, will begin its work soon; the
work will review several years and
take considerable time for its com-

In order to better co-ordinate the work, and divide the cost, an agreement was made between the commissioners' court and the city council to employ the same man as health officer. Dr. Odom was employed un-

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der this agreement at a salary of \$1,200 per year, the county to pay \$1,200 per year, the county of both the health laws and sanitary regulations as well as medical services to county and city patients. He announces that a strict observance of the laws and regulations will be exacted—which means a clean-up in Memphis, and, perhaps, in each of the other towns of the county of both the health laws and sanitary regulations as well as medical services to county and city patients. He announces that a strict observance of the laws and regulations will be exacted—which means a clean-up in Memphis, and, perhaps, in each of the other towns of the county of both the health laws and sanitary regulations as well as medical services to county and city patients.

Marriage Licenses.

S. K. Jones and Mrs. Carrie Clif-on; Paul Robertson and Miss Min-ie Wallace; Arvin Srygley and Miss thel Wallace.

LAKEVIEW AGAIN SWEPT BY FIRE: EIGHT BUSINESS HOUSES BURNED

Little City of Lakeview Almost Wiped Out By Fire Orignating from Explosion of Lamp In Odd Fellows Lodge Room.

Eight business houses, with a loss [estimated at \$30,000, to \$40,000, was the toll exacted by the fire de mon at Lakeview, fifteen miles west

mon at Lakeview, fifteen miles west of here, Monday evening.

The fire originated from the explosion of a gasoline lamp in the lodge room of the the I. O. O. F. hall at about 7:40 o'clock.

Heroic efforts by willing workers failed to stop the progress of the fire, which was fanned by a brisk south wind.

The Eddleman hotel, across a street, was saved with difficulty, and the heat was so intense that the glass fit the front of the Middleton store, across the street to the west, was broken.

The businesses burned were: Odd Fellow hall; M. A. Mullis, market and grocery; D. N. Bevers, blacksmith shop; Boren & Son, grocery; Monnig Dry Goods Company and the post office in the same building; Meacham Drug Company; J. N. Cypert, barber shop; R. C. Bruce, restruant.

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This fire, following as it does, a similar conflagration, several months ago on the west side, is a serious blow to this progresive little town

and may prove a temporary embar-

FARM BUREAU PRESIDENT JOHN T. ORR, WILL SPEAK TOMORROW AFTERNOON

President of Farm Bureau Will Close Speaking Tour Here Tomorrow Afternoon at 3, O'clock.

John T. Orr, president of the Tex-as Farm Bureau Federation of Texas, will deliver an addresas here tomor row afternoon at the court house.

Mr. Orr is said to be a pleasing speaker, and has a message of cheer for the Bureau membership. The operations of the cotton marketing association, the first great undertaking of the organization, is now assured of success, an assurance that means much, not only to Bureau members, but to all cotton growers and all interested in the success of the industry.

Advertising announcing the speak-ing has been distributed throughout the county and it is expected that a the county and it is expected that a good sized crowd will be here to hear the speaker.

The Farm Bureau has a large membership in Hall county, nearly 6,000 bales of cotton having been shipped through the organization by Hall county farmers during the past sea-

Entertainer Detained.

Pitt Parker, the commedian, who was advertised to appear here Tuesdaynight, was unavoidably detained at Dalhart could not get here. He will, however, appear here at a later date.

later date.
"The Chinaman," the next Lyceum number, will be here Monday night.

Words of Wise Men.

If you have a minute to spare, on't worry a man who hasn't. Palm oil is being used as steamer fuel in the Congo with good results.

Prudent persons are like pins-their heads prevent them from go-ing to far. Cement is being used as a subsi-tuteforlead in jioning cast-iron water

Your kindest friend is the alert enemywho keeps you anxious to make no mistakes.

Truth is elastic, but don't stretch it unless you want it to fly back and

sting you.

The unwise man who spends much time in getting even has that much less time to spend in getting ahead.

If you will pretend to be cheerful, you will be astonished to find how quickly pretence becomes reality.

These three things are useless: To think without working to speak without doing, to wish without willing.

The mail order houses are now flooding the country with their spring and summer catalogs. It behooves the dry goods men to begin to advertise so as to keep this trade at home. It can be done if the merchants will give their attention to advertising and use the means to reach the farmers and others. The expense of the catalogs sent to Childress county is greater than the advertising by the home people, which is responsible for the large trade the mail order houses have in this territory. Just think this over and see if you cannot get a little more of the trade by going after it through advertising.—Childress Index.

CHICKEN MONEY

IS BIG MONEY

Poultry Products Are Worth As Much As All Cotton That Is Produced.

IN AGGREGATE

EARLY BIRDS MORE PROFITABLE

It Will Pay to Hatch Every Chicken Possible During February and March-Act at Once.

By F. W. Kazmier, Poultry Husbandman, Extension Service, Texas

bandman, Extension Service, Texas

A. & M. College.

This article is writen especially for those men folks who consider the farm poultry flock a necessary evil and an occupation for "old women and kids." Read it carefully—deny it if you wish—smile or frown at it, do as you please, and it will not change the truthfulness of these statements one iota. Some of you farmers glance at the following facts and digest them. Those of you who consider the chicken business as a side line, stop just long enough to study these statements and facts, and then draw your conclusions.

The chickens and eggs sold during the year of 1919 in the United States brought \$1,048,000,000. This was 39 per cent of the total value of all live stock products, including beef cattle, dairy cattle, hogs, horses, mules, goats and sheep. The poultry business is a billion dollar industry.

Paultry raising may be a side line

Poultry raising may be a side line but when you realize that we had 360,000,000 chickens in the United States in 1920, one must at least admit it is a very good side line. The side lines sometimes keep bank-ruptcy from surrounding the main lines.

ruptcy from surrounding the main lines.

In the year 1920 the chickens of the United States laid 1,656,000,000 dozens of eggs. This does not sound like a "kids" job, does it?

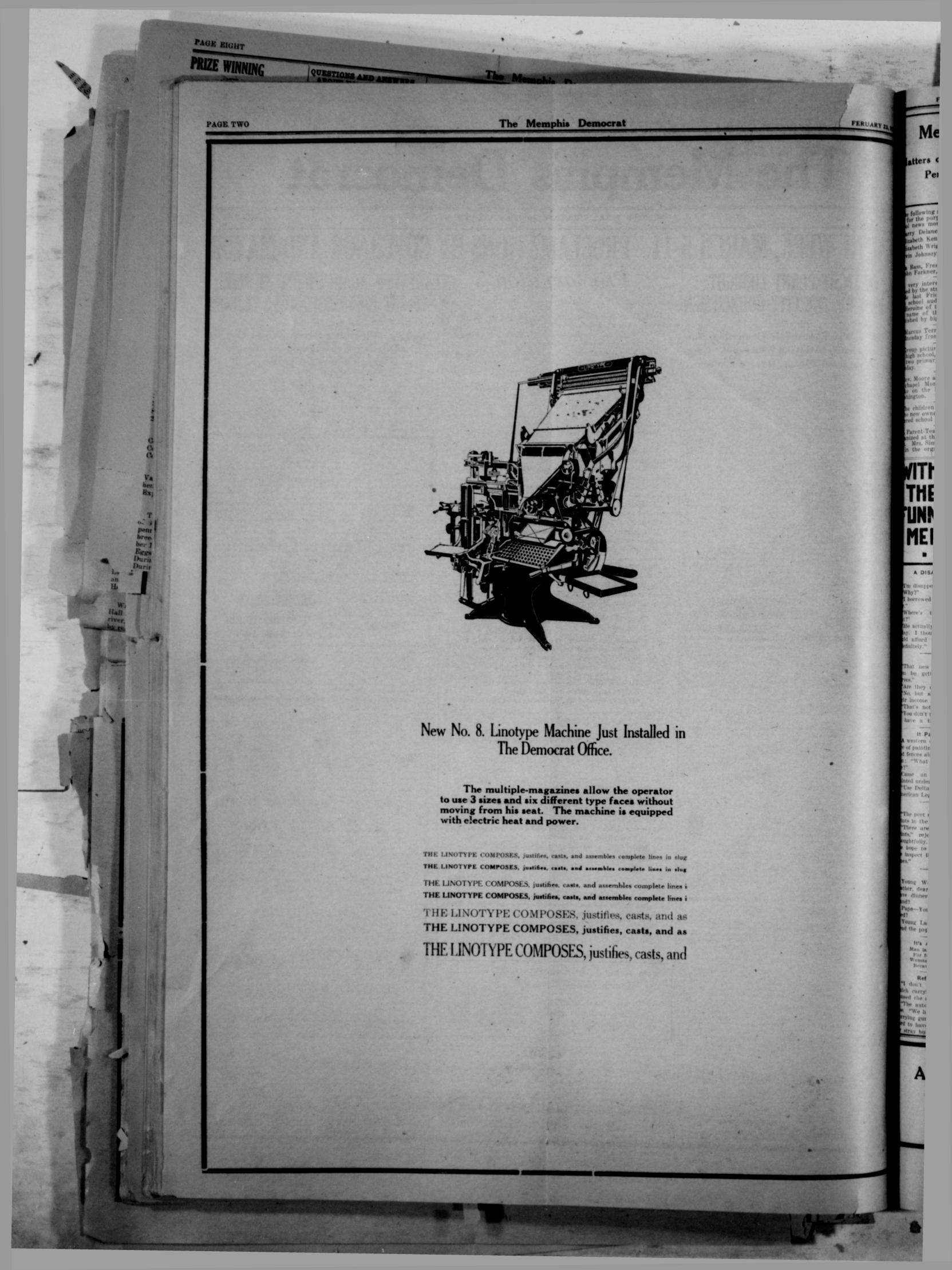
You cotton farmers listen to this: Poultry producers are worth as muck as all the cotton produced. Yet some of you think that cotton is the only crop.

In Texas the poultry products are worth more than \$10,000,000 more than all the dairy products. Remember these are facts and you can not alter them.

statement that a farm poultry flock does more to add comforts in a home, buy labor-saving conveninces, clothe the boys and girls, and build up the prosperity of the community, as well as finance boys and girls to get an education, than all the cotton raised, or all the corn and wheat grown. We are prepared to back up this statement.

Take the money received from poultry products out of a town and the merchants will i mmediately wonder what has happened.

Farm poultry keeping in Texas is rapidly advancing to the front. The interest in farm poultry keeping, at the present time, is very great. This is indicated by the fact that at tem meetings in West Texas, on the Fort Worth & Denver Railway recently. (Continued on Page 8.)



Lifelong Friendship Between Two of the Brainlest Men the United

States Has Produced.

nearly every other prominent Ameri-

can literary worker of his day, and

related many anecdotes that resulted

from this friendship. Mark Twain's

"Once in London I was living with

my family at 103 Mount street. Be-

tween 103 and 102 there was the

parochial workhouse, quite a long and

imposing edifice," Mr. Watterson re-

lates in his autobiography. "Que eve-

ning, upon coming in from an outing, I found a letter he had written on

the sitting room table. He had left

it with his eard. He spoke of the

shock he had received upon finding

that next to 102-presumably 103-

was the workhouse. He had loved me,

but had always feared I would end by

disgracing the family-being hanged

or something-but the 'work'us,' that

was beyond him; he had not thought

it would come to that. And so on

through pages of horseplay; his re-

lief on ascertaining the truth and

learning his mistake, his regret at

not finding me at home, closing with

"It was at Geneva, Switzerland, that

full of flamboyant oddities, written

from London. Two or three hours

later came a telegram. "Burn letter.

Blot it from your memory. Susie is

mind turned ever to the droll.

FERUARY 23

Memphis School News

atters of Public Interest and News Items Pertaining to the Public Schools of Memphis.

following staff has been organ-or the purpose of handling the news more efficiently: ry Delaney, Editor.

sabeth Kennedy, Assistant. beth Wright, Junior Reporter. in Johnsey, Sophomore Repor

Bass, Freshman Reporter. In Forkner, Athletics.

very interesting play was preshot by the students of the seventh last Friday evening at the school auditorium. "The Litteroine of the Revolution." Was name of the play. Music was shed by high school talent.

reus Terry returned to school esday from a visit to Dallas.

up pictures of the students of school, grammar school and primary schools were taken

served by the Home Economics girls.

Inter-class debates are to be held next week, in order to determine who shall represent M. H. S. in the Inter-scholastic League Meet to be held here about the first of April.

Supt. Hibbits went to Clarendon Tuesday night to act as a Judge in a college debate.

Six seventh grade boys repeated a song given in the play Friday night at chapel Wednesday. Elizabeth Kennedy read two selections.

The superintendent received the grades of Elizabeth Boykin, who graduated from Memphis high school last year, from Colorado University last week. She is making a creditable showing in her freshman year.

The boys are taking a great deal of interest in the track team. We have a fine assortment of material from which to pick our contestants ev. Moore addressed the students thapel Monday morning. He can the lives of Lincoln and hington. the children of Mr. Morgan, who shot and discuss were received this week. Those who intend to enter these contests are giving much of their time to prove the time to prove the time to prove the time to prov

Parent-Teachers Association was sized at the high cshool auditor-Mrs. Simms of Clarendon help the organization. Tea was a high school baseball team this year.

The Laws and the Lawyers.

"I don't undertake to say as to mor-



'm disappointed in that man." orrowed \$10 from him the other

here's the disappointment in

A DISAPPOINTMENT.

fe actually asked me to return it I thought he was a man who afford to lend me that much

All at Sea.

new family next door will be getting on Mrs. Jibway's ire they disagreeable?"

but she can't find out what ncome is." that's nothing to worry about." ve a talking point."

It Pays to Advertise.

stern evangelist makes a pracpainting religious lines on rocks nces along public highways. One What will you do when you

an advertising man and ed under it: Use Delta oil. Good for burns."can Legion Weekly.

Footprints.

The poet says great men leave foot-In the sands of time." ere are different kinds of footrejoined Senator Sorghum, ully. "Some we observe in ope to follow them, and others ct like detectives looking for

In This Age.

ung Woman (entering office)dinner with me and my hus- are mine. apa-Your husband? Are you mar-

ng Lady-Why, yes. Don't you he paper, papa.-London Mall.

It's All in the Leader. Man laughs at woman
For following Fashion's lure,
Woman laughs at man
Because he follows her.

Reforming Influence. don't see anybody in Crimson carrying weapons. What has

e automobile," answered Cactus We had to make everybody quit ing guns because we couldn't af-to have so many tires punctured

"Do you think that constantly making more laws improves men's mor-

als," replied Senator Sorghum; "but of it. it sharpens their minds. The more laws we make the smarter the lawyers



AGREED FOR ONCE Mrs. Pester-In matters of importance the wisest men are the best

Her Husband-Sure! I've noticed it at weddings the best man is the wisest guy.

"I noticed you following that pretty girl with your eyes. Be careful," "I was careful. It's permissible to follow a pretty girl with your eyes, If you exercise proper control of your



your children are muwe are living in an ukulele

Nowhere, Is Right. Tis lovely to live in a flat, You never can mislay your hat: You wear it always on your cr There's no place to lay it down.

"Darling, those little hands shall dear, can't you come over to never toil over the washtub when you

"I never will stay out nights without your consent, sweetle." "You precious, your mother will be

just as welcome in our home as if she were my own. "And remember, dear, that I

didn't have a cent as I do with your

half million dollars." Tactful Reminder.

"Why do you always switch the conversation around to the theory of relativity every time our boy Josh starts talking?" said Mrs. Corntossel. "Because," replied the farmer, think mebbe it's for his own good to keep Josh reminded that there are a few things in the universe that he doesn't know all about."

SCHEME WORKED OUT WELL How Host Made Pretty Sure That Unwelcome Guest Would Not

a dinner invitation.

dead."

The problem was how to invite a certain young woman to the engagement party and still be certain that she would decline to attend. She was known to be a killjoy, but if for." she were not invited she would talk

Attend Engagement Party.

About two weeks prior to the party the couple managed to bring together the young woman and a masculine acquaintance of theirs. After the proper introduction the innocent young man and the young wo-

The following week the young man received two theater tickets from his acquaintance who was to be engaged, who said he would not be able to use them himself. Three days later the young woman received an invitation to the party.

"He's a nice fellow," ran part of the letter in answer to the engagement party invitation, "and he has asked me to accompany him to the theater on the very evening of your party. I would like to come to your party, but I gave him my promise before I received your invitation, so you see how it is: I do hope you will excuse me."-New York Sun.

Giants.

From Nature we learn of a recent meeting of the British association, wherein it was brought out that the popular conception is untrue regarding power of glants and the magnificent types of masculinity which they are supposed to be. Statistics we're presented to show that giants were relatively feeble, usually short lived, and, in the majority of cases, devold of those features peculiar to masculinity. Giganticism was said to be identified with abnormal conditions of two small organs located at the base of the brain-the thyroid gland and the pituitary body. The overactivity of these, preceding or near the period of birth, is the primary cause. Sometimes, however, their overactivity comes into play after the individual has attained his full growth, and, as a result, an overgrowth of the extremities takes place,

Women Have Changed Little, Women who danced for and with

the Pharaohs put on the war paint just as enthusiastically as the lady of today.

A collection of the vanity pots of an Egyptian lady of quality, rescued from the tomb which held her mum mified corpse, has just been brought to London. In it, wonderfully blown glass took the place of the silver tollet accessory of the present time.

Some of the glass pots are beautifully iridescent-due to the inroads would love you just as much if you made on the pots by the acid in the stibium with which they were filled, and with which the Egyptian beauty painted her eyelids, and eyebrows.

The collection included a henna pot still containing traces of the dye with which feminine Egypt of the period hennaed her finger nails-as London's smart set is doing this season,

Write Served at Church Door. Until the middle of the Seventeenth century a familiar figure at a Virginia

MARK TWAIN AND WATTERSON | church door on a Sunday morning was the county sheriff. The law requiring attendance at divine worship was of great assistance to him. It rounded up the planters and small farmers ote corners and enabled him with a minimum of effort to serve The late Henry Watterson was long-time friend of Mark Twain, as of

writs, warrants, summonses, execu-tions and similar official papers.

This practical method disturbed the planters who did not fancy official intrusion on such an occasion. 1658, they passed a law prohibiting the service of official papers on Sunday, at the parish church or elsewhere and the sheriff was sent off on his web of trails the other six days to do as well as be might.

No Deception. "Have you never been deceived by men who pretended to be your

"Very seldom," replied Senator Sor-"A false friend is generally a bad actor, and the fact that he feels obliged to dissimulate is a tribute to the power of the fellow he's after."

"I saw three men lift a great ladle of molten pig-iren," said the man who had just visited the foundry. "After a long process this is made into hair

springs for watches." "Using the hair that the pig-iron moulted, I suppose," remarked the I received a long, overflowing letter, wit, thoughtfully,

> An Aching Void. "Mrs. Gadder says ber soul is

starved." "What is she going to do about it?" "She has taken up synthetic psychology. If that doesn't give her soul the nourishment it needs I'm afraid picture star, because he has a dimple her case is hopeless."

The Only One. "Did she marry him for his

money?" "I wouldn't want to say that exactly, and yet I can't think of any other reason one would marry him

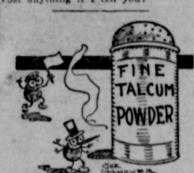
Of Primary Importance. Proprietor-Money is a secondary

matter to me. Electrician-What's primary then? Proprietor-My wife Electrician-How's that?

Proprietor-She spends all my sec

ondary .- The Scotsman. Had Experience. Doctor Chargem (meeting former patient)—Ah, good morning, Mr

Binks. How are you feeling this Binks (cautiously)-Doctor, does if cost anything if I tell you?



DANGEROUS

Bug Watchman-Hey, you Idlot, don't smoke around that powder can!

Encouragement.

It helps you to your journey's end By easy leaps of joy If now and then some kindly friend Exclaims, "Well done, my boy!"

Not Everything to Be Expected. "Congratulate me, Jim, I am engaged o Betty Flyrte."

"I'm awfully sorry, old man, but 1 can't conscientiously do it. I'm enraged to Betty myself."

Get Back Your Health

tired, and lame mornings—subject to headaches, dizzy spells, and sharp, stabbing pains. Then there's surely stabbing pains. Then there's surely something wrong. Probably it's kidney weakness! Don't wait for more serious kidney trouble. Get back your health and keep it. For quick relief get plenty sleep and exercise and use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands. Ask your neighbor! A MEMPHIS CASE



J. M. Norala, farmer, S. 7th St., says: "My back ached with a steady

Mr. Pester—Yes, I heard that story about Mrs. Flitters, but I never pay any attention to idle rumor. His Wife-Where do you get that idle rumor stuff? That story went the rounds of our set in half a day, and it's running all over town now. Idle rumor, nothing! It's the busiest



Chollie (nervously): O-o-o-aw-that cow was coming right for me, doncher know! Miss Cutting: Probably mistook

ALL SETTLED

"The stork has delivered a tenpound boy at my house," said a caller at the office of the Chiggersville Clarion. "I want you to put a piece about it in your paper."

"All right," said the editor. "Til write a scuppy headline for the announcement and call him a future President of the United States."

"You needn't bother about that, His mother and her relations have already decided that he's going to be a motion in his chin.'

Indigestion

prompt treatment of indiges-tion is important. "The only medicine I have needed has been something to aid diges-tion and clean the liver-writes Mr. Fred Ashby, a McKinney, Texas, farmer."My medicine is

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for indigestion and stomach trouble of any kind. I have never found anything that touches the spot, like Black-Draught. I take it in broken doses after meals. For a long time I tried pills, which grip-ed and didn't give the good results. Black-Draught liver medicine is easy to take, easy to keep, inexpensive."

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CHURCH NOTES Local and Personal News

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

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

Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson and son, Jack, of Estelline were here Monday.

Two furnished rooms for light-housekeeping. Phone 238. 1-* Walter Whaley of Estelline was here Tuesday.

FOR SALE-Piano in good condition apply at Democrat office. Miss Mary Whaley of Estelline is here this week visiting relatives.

Poultry and Stock remedy and Tankage, City Feed Store.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert King, a girl, Monday.

Aladdlin Lamp supplies. Clark & Wiliams Drug Co.

Staf Grocery for Irish Cobbler Seed Potatoes. Phone 264. G. Tunnell visited his farm at Quit-

Frank Trapp, of Childress, visited his family here Saturday.

N. R. Stroud was a business visitor at Dallas this week.

Aladdlin Lamp supplies. Clark & Wiliams Drug Co.

John Russell of Estelline was a business visitor here Monday.

Chicken feed, Oyster Shell, Con-key's Poultry Tonic. City Feed

W. N. Cohen is in Chicago this week, purchasing spring goods.

Dark Cornish Indain Game, cockerls, \$5., Pullets, \$3.50. Mrs. T. B. Roberts, Box 825. 29-6-*

Poultry and Stock remedy and Tankage, City Feed Store.

Mrs. Stephenson of Childress, visited her mother Mrs. Lock Tuesday. Get your tubs wash boards from Guinn & Tunnell, Phone 113.

D. Yarnett, of Wichita Falls, was here Monday looking over the oil

Chicken feed, Oyster Shell, Con-key's Poultry Tonic. City Feed Store.

Seed Potatoes. Phone 264.

Judge McIntosh and J. L. Walker visited Lakeview Tuesday morning to survey the fire devastation.

Jones' "Filling Station" for lunches, Chilli, Hamburgers, Coffee and Smokes. West Side. —12 For carpentering or building of any kind see H. S. Parnell, Plaska, Texas, —31-3

syrup, per bucket, \$1.00 Phone 113

Sherif Pressley left for Boston, Bowie county, Monday night to take witnesses for a murder trial. Don't forget the best flour you can get is Majesty. Guinn & Tunnell. We have home-made ribbon cane

New car of fresh "Smiths Best" flour—best in name and best in fact—try a sack under our guarantee.—135 Berry's Cash Grocery.

V. R. Jones returned Sunday night from a trip to Corpus Chiristi and other South Texas points.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Gilmore are bere this week visiting Mrs. Gilmores mother Mrs. L. F. Jones.

Diarmaid, and no king after him, even when called king of Tara, ever dwelt upon "the beautiful bill."

Elder A. D. Rogers will preach at Salisbury Sunday afternoon.

Shelby county home made ribbon cane. City Feed Store.

When in a hurry call 113 for gro-ceries and quick delivery. Guinn & for Tunnell.

Mrs. E. A. Ericson returned to her home after a weeks visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allen. Our prescription department is presided over by a registered pharmacist and our drugs are the purest that the market can afford. Tomlin-

This is the season when more fresh vegetables should be eaten—we receive frequent shipments and get them to you while they are fresh—phones 147—269.

Church of Christ, Seventh and Brice.

Preaching on every first and third Sundays.

son-Rushing Drug Company. 24-78

Officers Snow and Harris went to McLean Monday after a woman accused of pasing a worthless check on a Memphis merchant.

Bible classes Sunday.

Communion after the classes.

Prayer meeting

week.

We want your grocery account and will try to prove to you that it will be to your interest to trade here if you will give us an oppoortunity—phones 147 or 269.

Berry's Cash Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Management of the provided the song service at both the morning and evening services.

The public is invited to he was you will feel was a service with a services were well attended last Lord's Day.

The minister preached both morning and evening.

We enjoyed the presence of Prof. S. L. Cox, of Elk City, Oklahoma. He conducted the song service at both the morning and evening services.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert McMurry came Monday from Sulphur, Okla., where they have been for some few

We serve all the popular drinks in a clean, sanitary way. Nothing but the purest ice creams and freshest fruits used. Tomlinson - Rushing Drug Company. 24-78

FOR SALE-White Leghorn'eggs, from choice strain, prize-winners at Dallas and Hall Counay fair, \$1.50 L. M. Thompson, Memphis, Tex.

Sleep-Easy. If you are in need of a mattress I have them from \$6,50 up. Long staple mattress \$10,00 and \$11.00. I also renovate old beds and make them good as new. The mattress factory is at the old fire station. 34-4-* W. H. Hawthorn.

Mrs. Tot Jamison of Dallas, is here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bryant.

Mrs. C. H. Smith of Duncan, Okla., came in Sunday to be with her mother Mrs. B. F. King who is very

Get your Onion sets, while they are to be had. Guinn & Tunnell, phone 113.

Judge McIntosh and J. L. Walker

If you have been getting our fresh roasted coffees you know that they are better and more economical than other kinds—if you have not tried them you should.

Berry's Cash Grocery

From the coming of Heremon, hus-band of Tea, to the desolation of Tara in the Sixteenth century, 120 kings of the Scotic or Milesian stock ruled from their palace on the famous hill. In the annals of the Four Masters we read of the fortieth in the list of Irish kings, the renowned Ollav Fola, who instituted the Feis or assembly of Tara. His real name was Eochy, the title Ollav Fola, or Doctor of Erin, being given him because of his extraordinary learning. The "feis tara" was the national parliament of the Ireland of its day, and met triennially for one week at the period known as Samhaintide (three days before and three days after November day). The meeting was held in the open air in fine weath-This hall was 800 feet long and from 60 to 80 feet wide, and had six or

seven large entrances on either side, The site can still be traced. The last king to reign at Tara was Diarmaid, and no king after him, even Odom, leader upon "the beautiful hill,"

First Presbyterian Church

A congregational meeting has been called by the session for the first Sunday morning in March after the sermon. It will take only a few minutes to transact the matter in hand. Every member is notified to

hand. Every member is notified to be present.

The "Every Member Canvass" for 1922-23 will be made during the afternoon of March 12, under the supervision of S. S. Montgomery.

Services next Sunday.

10, a. m., Sunday school. The effort at merging the Sunday school and preaching services without an intermission succeeded quite well last Sunday because of the extra help in ushering the people.

Acts, 17: 14-34 will be the lesson for the Friendly Bible Class.

11, a. m., sermon by the pastor. Theme: "The Owner."

6:30, p. m., Intermediate C. E. Mrs. Kittinger, Superintendent.

4, p. m., Junior C. E., Mrs. Kuntz, Superintendent.

7:30, p. m., sermon by the pastor. Theme: "The Paramount Question."

The public is cordially invited to all the services of this church.

Eugene B. Kuntz, D. D. Pastor.

We were delighted with all the services Sunday. We had two large congregations and one of the largest Sunday school attendances we have yet had. There were 8 additions to the church Sunday. Four Baptised, three proffessions. Come next Sunday if you want to enjoy a good spiritual service. Come for the Sunday school a splendid attendance at the Band room of the young ladies and young men.

s. S., 9:45. Preaching 11, a. m., morning subject: "The Spirit that Wins." Evening 7:15, subject: "Why Doesn't God Kill the Devil?"

Mr. J. M. Johnson of Oklahoma
City is here this week visiting his
Aunt Mrs. Lock.

We handle the most complete stock
of Drugs and Sundries in town at
prices that are surprisingly low. Let
us prove it to you. Tomlinsen-Rushing Drug Company.

Yhy Docsn't God Kill the Devil?"
Sunbeams 3, p. m., Mr. and Mrs.
Junior B. Y. P. U., 3, p. m., Mr.
and Mrs. Hamilton, leaders.
Intermediate B. Y. P. U., 5:30,
Mrs. Whaley and Rev. Dyer, leaders.
W. M. S. meet Monday 3, p. m.
at Mrs. S. T. Harrison's.
Choir pratice Thursday 7:15, p. m.
Chas.T. Whaley, Pastor.

First Methodist Church.

Looking to our revival to begin April 9, every interest of the church should command our very best attention and thought. Patriotic Day last Sunday was a good one with new pupils in the Sunday school and additions to the church.

Every parent in our church is anted next Sunday to hear another

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.
Intermediate League, 2:15.
Junior League, 3:00 p. m.
Senior League 6:00 p. m.
Preaching, 7:15 p. m.
You are invited to attend these services. Good music and a warm

welcome await you. A. L. MOORE.

Main Street Church of Christ.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. 223 present last Sunday, aim for 1922 average attendance 300. Reds are moving but they must move a little faster.

Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Morning Subject: "The 7th Ordinance of the Church."

Evening subject: "The Value of the Church." This wil be the 5th in the series, "What We Teach and Why We Teach It."

The "Win One" campaign is increasing in interest. Five additions last Sunday. Family Day next Sunday. Each family in the church is urged to attend Sunday school and church. The largest family present will receive the prize.

Miss Beatrice Pierce spent last week-end with her sister at Memphis, Mrs. A. T. Lokey.

Mr. B. Rushing is again at his work in the bank, after several days of absence, due to being vaccinated. Mr. M. E. McNally visited the school at Newlin Friday.

William Bryan and Bob Erwin were Newlin visitors last Friday evening.

A prize of ten dollars has been

Prayermeeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Hedley Happenings S. D. Meyers was in Memphis Fri-

J. L. Bain, of Clarendon, was in Hedley one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mann are the proud parents of ababy girl. Mrs. K. W. Howell, of Brownfield, has been visiting in Hedley.

Tom Owens has been here from

Dan Crouch and Cecil Thomas were in Clarendon Saturday after-

Saturday night the Hedley boys re-turned from Canyon, where they played two interesting games of bas-ket ball; winning one and losing one.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adamson went to Memphis Monday.

Deep Lake Doings

Dreaching on every first and third Sundays.

Bible classes at 10, a. m. each Sunday.

Communion service imediately after the classes.

Prayer meeting and Bible study on each Wednesday night.

All services were well attended last Lord's Day.

The minister preached both ming and even ing and

Miss Beulah Evans spent last Sat-urday and Sunday with home-folk near Memphis.

W. W. Wiggins was initiated in the third degree of Masonry at Memphis last Friday night.

The trustees have decided they will postpone building the new school room at present.

Miss Pearl Bevers gave a singing Sunday night. Quite a few were present and a good singing was had.

Deep Lake basket ball boys and Lakeview team were to play Friday afternoon but for some reason Lake-Quite a number of people are kill-

ing ducks as they come over into We had preaching at Deep Lake once again, quite a number present.

Mr. Vandevinter whose house burned some time ago, is rebuilding.

This reporter went to Lakeview last Monday night when the east side of town burned up. The fire started when a gasoline lamp exploded in the I. O. O. F. hall. Some things were saved from some of the buildings. It is terrible as Lakeview is almost gone.

Newlin News

The boys basket ball team of Newlin played one of the Estelline teams last Tuesday evening. Newlin being victorious by a number of scores.

message on Home, Religion and Authority.

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.

Preaching, 11:00 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann of Newlin are rejoicing over the arrival of a son at their home last Monday.

Mrs. Kellison and daughter were Memphis visitors last Saturday even-ing.

Rogers Brothers have moved into their new building and are now ready to accommdate their trade. Miss Gladys Leary has been real sick with an attack of pneumonia.

will receive the prize.

Junior C. E. 3:00 p. m., Alice offered to the citizens of Newlin by Ogden, leader.

Senior C. E., 6:45 p. m., Versa cleanest premises by March the first.

Miss Edna Bryan of Memphis was a Newlin visitors Saturday afternoon.

FIGURES OF SPEECH ANNOY

Imaginative Writer Portrays Indignation Meetings to Protect Against
Certain Comparisons.

New York-Officers of the United States navy took concerted action to-day in protest of authors and public speakers who use the expression "spend money like a drunken sailor." Philadelphia—An indignation meet-

ing was held today in Independence hall by the Society for the Protection of Hatmakers, who protested the use by writers and public speakers of the expression "as mad as a hatter." Chicago-The Independent Order of

Taxicab Drivers will meet tonight at the Blackstone to protest the indiscriminate use of the characterization "n former member of the James gang now driving a taxi," and similar terms of opprobrium they say have been heaped upon chauffeurs who drive cars Omaha-The local union of jackrab-

bit hunters at a meeting today decided to petition congress for a bill prohibiting writers and public speakers using the simile "as wild as a March hare." They say such language is discouraging to those who hunt such

San Antonio - The International League of Crutch Makers went on strike today in protest of several vaudeville comedians who recently used the expression "as funny as a crutch" in local playhouses .- Kansa City Star.

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You are given one pair of eyes in a lifetime-therefore t behooves you to look ofter them promptly and properly at the first hint of trouble. If your eyes hurt, smart, burn, feel tire! after using them for any length of time in your work or reading, see an OPTOMETRIST at once.

Some people put off having their eyes attended to for fear glasses will spoil their appearance. Properly fitted glasses do not-often they improve the looks.

As you value your eyesight-God's best gift to man-pay is

V. R. JONES, Optometrist. Office Over the Princess Theatre.

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We will pay cash for chickens and eggs.

Let us have a share of your grocery business.

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Hats For Spring

Neat, attractive and specially designed Millinery always show evidence of carefulness in dress. Any of the hats we are now showing will bear that distinction. For early Spring wear new shapes and bright constrasting colors are in prominence. Many of the brilliant colored hats are set off more decidedly by trimmings of equal brilliancy.

We are showing pattern hats from Levis, Fisk, Samuel Ach, Frankel, Lichenstins and Barons, as well as quite a lot of new creations from our own work room.

Greene Dry Goods Company



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By AGNES G. BROGAN

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I have to be very careful in describ

ing it, for this is part of the story. Our new professor at college is al

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cess. Well, my thinking of carrying

the blue umbrella that day when It

looked like rain, wasn't any advantage

to my success; but that begins the

Mother sent me down to Baille's

for some taffeta to match the dress

she was going to wear to the reception

noted professor; I hurried along, pre

and I was just wild to see him. She

said that he looked like anyone's

favorite movie actor, and was an idol

with the women wherever he west

But Nan sald he was stern, too, and

would not stand for nonsense or

familiarity from his pupils, and we

had better impress him with our dig

Nan isn't very dignified herself, but

I can be, on occasion. So as I walked

the rest of the way alone to Baille's

I decided that I would ask mother to

let me wear the plain navy blue dress

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to save trouble and publicity, I ran

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are trying to steal, you're a thief. And

by and by when I'd got on my

second best dress, I started down the

stair. Aunt Betty was going to have

one of her friends in to dinner. And

then I stood stock-still on the stair

For she was talking to her friend in

the hall that minute, and he was my

umbrella man, Yes, really, And I

couldn't help hearing him apologize

to her for not bringing back an um-

brella she'd loaned him, and which

he insisted, had been pulled right out

from under his arm in a store. And

all at once I felt chilly; for the reason that Janet had given me a blue silk

umbrella for Christmas was because

I had so admired Aunt Betty's, and

So there I stood, mystified, yet be

with me to Bnille's store, which upon

later investigation proved to be true

white bracelets stood side by side in

guiltily into the dining room, you may

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sto Mr. Laidlaw, the new college pro-

Well, I don't know how I ever should have come out if it had not

blessedly happened that Professor

Laidlaw is to be one of our family

He's engaged to Aunt Betty. And he

really was a good sport, and left me

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able later to return Aunt Betty? property. But, as Nan says, it was all perfectly thrilling.

sterling character."

B; my name begins with B." The man stood still and stared at me dis

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BLOUSES SIMPLE STYLES ARE JUST NOW IN DEMAND



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Falun, Sweden, Has Been De-Up Its Riches Since the Year 1225.

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I) the scenes, waiting their | One of them, cut in kimono style, is to enter, are the blouses of made of navy blue crepe de chine and contents itself with such naive decoration as navy satin ribbon, having a bright green edge, and a tiny silk braid that outlines the neck. Its girdle is made of the crepe de chine and set loosely below the waistline. Girdles

on blouses are inconspicuous. The companion blouse, of benna crepe, employs black and white bends olors are liked best. Navy for trimming in a design that is modest but distinctive. It has set in sleeves. The crepe de chine blouse does not belong to one but to all seasons of the year and this would insure it consideration, even if this beautiful fabric were not a pereantal favor-

> Lingerie walsts of batiste and voile are among the staple things that change little in style and they may

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Swedish crown and scepter, and it has provided most of the metal for "I certainly know my own blue silk the gold coinage of that country.

Devaux-Charbonnel, the French concertingly, example for buman kind scientist, has photographed the variad by "Pat" an Airedale tion of current in a microphonic cirnt Pleasant, W. Va., says cuit by the aid of a Blondal oscillo- umbrella is mine." hound owned by Bert ductions of the syllables pronounced The story of the four-footed by a human voice, and it is expected that they will be of use in the solufion of various problems in telephony. et keeps his hound, "Jack," In studying the impression made by back yard. Thereas' Airedale, syllables the experimenter found that as the untrammeled liberty each syllable is composed of 30 to 40 American dog and makes complete vibrations. The begining and fare that I took time to realize how it. He is a good forager the end of the syllables are modified brazen that man had been. And he the location and probable by the impressions of the consonants. every garbage can in the but the modifications cover only four Mrs. Shiflet feeds Jack or five periods, so that each syllable and not infrequently the has 20 to 30 regular vibrations corresan appetizing bone, but ponding to its vowel. The method permits the study of the higher harmonles, which give character to words.

Codfish is said to be the world's most important-which means the most eaten-fish. Few fish are more bark a message of good most eaten his. Few his ate most cate playfully about for a project. It has been asserted that one most been asserted that one most been asserted that one weighing 75 pounds will contain over 8,000,000 eggs. Perhaps the tarpon is one of them, for it is a large fish with a very fine roe. The cod is practically omnivorous, finding means to supply great schools wherever food of any sort is found. It is found in many parts of the world other than the North American "banks" and it is said INE STILL PRODUCING that it has been fished for by fishermen of northern Europe since the beginning of recorded history and of course for unaccountable centuries before man began to make written rec-

Cord Tire Facts. A 30 by 31/2 cord tire contains al- Aunt Betty Baisley's name, naturally most 5,000 feet of cord or over a mile | begins with a B. and a half. A 35 by 5 has over \$0,000 feet of cord or over 51/2 miles. The ginning uncomfortably to see daylight. cord, similar to medium-weight fishing | For it occurred to me that perhaps fine, is made of long fiber cotton, of I had forgotten to take my umbrelle for better grade than used in ordinary cotton goods. Each cord, insulated in ubber, is separated from the next by The two slik umbrellas with their n layer of rubber insulating, which You will find no gives additional strength. A standard my clothespress. And when I came make five-inch cord tire has 20 to 24 s machinery, no cage that backe five inch and a strength in fabric lightning speed into the cords per inch and a strength in fabric carcass alone in excess of 2,400 nounds to the square inch, irrespective

> Requested Pauper's Burial. "Bury me among the beggars in the potter's field." was the request left by Baron Dagalmar de Linden, former chamberiain of the Russian imperial cours under Czar Nicholas, who com-mitted suicide at Marsellies. The baron had less than \$400 left out of

ASH IS NOT GENUINE TEST A BLUE UMBRELLA

Merely Shows That Cigar Is Well Made, Not That its Quality Is of the Highest.

Can the quality of a cigar be told It was a blue silk umbrelia, with a lovely white bracelet handle, and I Blue B engraved on the white knob ters way through with the ash in

to realize is that this is the test of a well-manufactured cigar and not nec essarily of the tobacco in it. It de that the faculty were giving for our flicked off. The glowing point should be owes Uncle Sam. be sharp. The sharper the point the

ferring to walk the short distance better the cigar. and when I met Nan Paige on the way As regards the ash, it is a common we stopped first, and had a soda. And fallacy that white ash is a sign of a It won't be necessary to try this case. Nan told me of the books this Pro fine, and dark ash the sign of an infessor Laidlaw had written on the ferior, leaf. The real truth is that you to defend me, didn't 1?" deepest subjects, and how his picture the color depends upon the strength of had been in magazines, and everything the tobacco.

give a pure white ash. The finest make a speech." Havana of ripe strength produces a blackish ash. It does not follow that a cigar which burns imperfectly is bad tobacco. You may have lighted It badly or it may be clumsily made .--Brooklyn Eagle.

ELOQUENT TRIBUTE TO TREES

Writer Beautifully Expresses What Every Lover of Nature Must Have at Some Time Felt. 1

Trees are the arms of Mother are concerned, and is always asking Earth lifted up in worship of her makers; where they are, beauty dwells. Trees are the shelter of man, beast and bird; they furnish the roof Janet has plenty of beaus, And above us, the shade about us, and the mother says that Aunt Betty might nesting places of love and song. They have married times over, if she had call children out to play; they entice not been so particular. Aunt Betty is sweethearts into leafy coverts to seal awfully pretty and Jolly. But there their vows with fond caresses; they I stood waiting for that taffets to be console and gratefully reward old age. outside the street grew suddenly dark, wealth and the inalienable possession of the poor, who can enjoy them without having title to them. They are culty from before a man who stood the masts that fly the flags of all nations and the sails of all seas; they are the timbers that bridge forbidding streams; they bear the wires of the world's intelligence; they hold the rails that carry the traffic of the continents; they are the carved and polof claiming the umbrella, or trying to Ished furnishings of the home; they claim it, for I certainly did not give cradle the young and coffin the dead. if up to him. "Beg pardon," he began Trees herald the spring with glorious "you have taken my umbrella, under a banners of leaf and bloom; they clothe the autumn in garments of gold and royal purple; bared to the winter's cold, they are the harp of the winds, and they whisper the music of the in umbrella. You will notice the letter finite spaces.-Clarence Ousley.

Useful Oil.

Few industries have grown so rapname beginning with E," he said, "the ldly as the manufacture of cottonseed oil. In 1867 there were only four coted oil milis in the United States In 1902 there were 618, and by 1920 ucts of it were estimated to be \$125, steady increase in the production

out of the store, and down the The increased consumption of cot street and on to a street car; and tonseed oil is due largely to the great It was not until I had handed in my variety of uses found for it. It enters into the manufacture of lard compounds, butterine and other substiwas a nice looking man too, with fine features that any physiognomist would tutes for butter; is used in packing and preserving fish, in making salad When I took the taffeta into mother, olls, and in the manufacture of so-Aunt Betty was there, and Japet, and called "olive oil." The crude oil is used in medicine, in the preparation they were all talking excitedly about the evening's guest of honor, whom of cosmetics, liniments and emulsions; Aunt Betty called "a young man of as an illuminating of in miners' lamps, for rough painting, and for tempering Nan had spoken more concerning edged tools; and as soap stock, in his eyes. Which reminded me of which field of usefulness, after treatwhat very nice eyes the thief had ment with certain alkalis, it yields soap, washing powder and glycerin. For even if it's only an umbrella you

House Cat Played With Foxes.

A Weish farmer sitting in his garden, was surprised, he says, to see "our large white tomest playing in the field adjoining with two well-grown fox cubs. They ran after each

by the ash? To a certain extent it other in turns, dodging and jumping can. Many smokers take a great de light in seeing how long the ash will "touch." Meanwhile the vixen was stay on. It is often possible to smoke lying close by in the grass watching a big Havana cigar half or three-quare the fun, which continued for quite half an hour. She then retired with the cubs into the wood, and our tom But what most cigar smokers fail strolled back to the house."

Somewhat Odd "Cash Register." pends upon the length and neat ar taxes on soft drinks, a Portland (Me.) rangement of the filling leaf. A well dauggist uses an old trolley car regismade, compact elgar has greater con ter. Every time he sells a soda he sistency than a badly put together one pulls the cord-as the conductor did But it does not follow that the tobac when collecting a fare-and at the end co is better, a tobacco expert writes, of the day all he has to do is to read A surer test is when the ash is the register to find out just how much

"You certainly did."

inquired Mr. Meekton's wife.

Observing the Law. Mrs. Multikids-I wish you'd round up all the children and take them out

parade without a permit.

Blackstone-Heard you had an acci-

Webster-No such luck! The best I They are the fittest ornaments of could get from the insurance people was a new coat of paint,-New York

In computing the amount of his

"Your honor, my client pleads guilty. "Hold on," said the client. "I paid

"Well, you are not going to get off A very mild and cheap cigar will as easily as that. You go ahead and

> Joyous Opportunity. "Are you going to hear my speech?"

the pleasure I will derive from hearing you make a good long talk which will permit me to applaud instead of ompelling me to apologize."

for a walk. I need a rest. Her Husband-But I don't dare take all those kids out on the street. The police'll think I'm leading a street

dent with your car. Was it damaged

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FRIDAY SATURDAY

inquired Mr. Meckton's wife.

"I certainly will, Henrietta," replied sell in "The Roof Tree" with the her husband. "You have no idea of 4th chapter of the "Winners of the

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THE SERVICE

By JULIA A. ROBINSON

ervice of prayer. The shops down a gorgeous display of Christman ere thronged with buyers, bur bustling, jostling against on ther in their eagerness to find the est bargains and the latest novelties busy shoppers did not hear.

The minister entered the chance and bowed his head in prayer, then sank-a few women scattered here On a seat in front a child, with dirty a symbol of trade. The picturesque how she had happened to stray in, then she passed out of his mind as he cast a troubled thought on the

The organ played more softly and gan the responsive readings, but the responses were scarcely audible. Then he offered prayer and read the Scripture lesson. Again the organ played, sending out rich peals of music, rolling away among the rafters, then slowly falling away into silence. The minister rose to speak the message of comfort he had prepared, but his heart was faint and sad. The words came slowly. Would that there were more resent to hear the message he had to ring. It was the Christmas though of love and hope. In a few simple words he told of the peace and joy that comes from the Christ Child, ther warming into earnestness with his theme, he told of salvation and of the ome above where the Heavenly Child, redeemed. He paused and the organ played again, swelling and dying away as the few who had listened passed

out into the gathering darkness. "It is no use to keep up the service longer," said the young minister that evening to one of his helpers. "We have tried; the people do not come; they do not want it. We might as

It was two days later. The minister sat in his study writing; he must have a strong sermon for the next Sabbath, there would be many pres ent; the church was always full on

understood that he was not to be called while writing his sermon.

"I'm sorry to disturb you," said his wife, pushing the door open, "but really I couldn't help it, the case seemed se urgent."

"You know I can't stop for anything now, May," he returned. was about to develop a thought and must not be interrupted."

have disturbed you etherwise

"What is it?" he asked. "It is a child-there was an accident. She was run down by an auto and they took her to the hospital. They say she cannot last long, she may die any moment. She says she can't die tiil she has seen you-the minister who preached at the church on Tuesday, she sald, and she will not be put off. Do go, Carl,"

"Why, it must be the little girl whe set on the front scat-I had forgotten -she was in rags, but kept her great eyes on me all through the service I'll go, May."

He accompanied the messenger to the hospital. His face was troubled as he approached the cot where the Hitle sufferer lay dying. He bent over

her and took her hand. "My child," he whispered, "do you hear me-I have come."

She opened her eyes, looked up into his face and tried to smile

"Oh!" she gasped, "tell me more about Him-the Christ child-will He take me there? I asked Him that day ---when you told about--it in the church-it seemed to me He said yes -and when the organ played 'twas fike the angels singing. I never knew before-about the child. Will He take me sure for I'm going

Tenderly the minister told the story again, holding the frail hand in his. The big, blue eyes of the child were fixed on his face and into them there came a light that was not of this

"I'm so happy!" came the faint cry from her lips, "and I never should o' known—If I hadn't seen the lights— In the church—and heard the bells— I was cold-I wanted to get warm and hear the music-Fil tell Him about you-when I see Him-up there-"

"And I thought it didn't pay-the the tears streaming down his "That little child was worth

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offended the eye on the tops of build-ings ultimately will be removed sim-ply for the reason of public safety. Boards of fire underwriters object that osty air, calling to the midweek the flames, but greatly hinder the fireman's work. One might wish that the mandate included all the encroach-Kansas City Star.

Man diligently advertised his wares even before the day of the frescoed goat over the Pompelian dairy. But Still the bells pealed forth and the in those old days the desire for custom was tempered by a zest for art. The floating cupid, pictured in front of an ancient sandal makers' shop, bal- tion of said property; such tax if glanced about the church. His heart ancing one sandal on the curly head and waving the mate in his chubby hand, is a thing of beauty as well as swinging boards of some generations of armorial bearings and heraldic

> not scorn to try a prentice hand on such signs. The "Mule and Muleteer," an early work of Correggio, was originally painted for an inn. Many a royal academician has given the public a lion or a unicorn. The age of artistic sign painting received its head of "street nuisances."

ADVANTAGE IN "AUBURN" HAIR

According to This, It Gives Its Pos sessor a Distinct Start in Matrimonial Race.

If you are a girl and have red halr, pay no attention to those who nickne you "Carrots." It will not be sign of their disrespect, but of their jealously, asserts London As-

pressed the opinion that the red-haired bermuda onion plants, tomato, woman has a distinct advantage over sweet potato and pepper plants. Man is attracted by the subtle shades of copper and red in a girl's hair, Clarendon, Texas. and this explains why "henna" dye is so popular. The girl who calls you "Carrots" the loudest will be the first to try the effect of "henna" herself.

To complete the conquest, a buttermay be hope for you if you give up flesh food and become a vegetarian, tiving on fruits, cream, salads, raisins,

Robin Native in Three Continents. carned the name by its tameness; and there is a touch of the same friendly nature in the Chinese bird

guished by a human nickname; tom tit, jackdaw, magple, jenny wren and even philip sparrow. But only the robin redbreast has made friends so thoroughly with man that its full name is almost forgotten, while its nickname is coextensive with the English language.

Several English birds are distin-

Big Tree as Reservoir.

bab tree, whose trunk sometimes at District. tains a diameter of 40 feet, often serves as a natural distern, retaining rainwater in large quantities in a cavity formed at the top of the broad

Taking the hint thus afforded by nature, the Arabs artificially hollow the dry seasons.

twenty feet in height and eight or ten Tax in Payment Thereof. feet in diameter. The water is used both for drinking and for irrigating meion patches.

Babes Buried in Sand.

An infant in Guinea is usually uried in sand up to its waist whenever the mother is busy, and this is the only cradle it ever knows,

The little Lapp, on the other hand usly in its mo shoe. These Lapp shoes are big affairs of skin stuffed with soft moss, and can be hung on a peg or tree branch

The Chinese baby is tied to the back of an older child, who goes about its

A Sporting Judg hirty days in the work

Tax Election Order.

Be it ordered by the board of trusteess of Turkey Independent School District that an election be held at The First National Bank in the town of Turkey in said Turkey Independent School District on the 4th day of March 1922 to determine whether the Board of Trustees of said district shall have power to annually levy and collect a tax upon all taxable property in said district, for the support and maintenance of public free schools in said Turkey Independent School District of and at the rate of not to exceed 100 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuavoted to be levied and collected for the year 1922 and annually thereafter unless it be discontinued as provided by law.
Tom Colvin is hereby appointed

select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same. None but property taxpayers who are qualified voters in said the same and now owned by the

triet shall vote at said election.

A copy of this order signed by the president and attested by the and declaring an emergence secretary of this board shall serve death blow in the reign of George II as proper notice of said election, when such erections fell under the and the president shall cause no. of Memphis, Texas, that an electice of said election to be given tion be held within the limits of in accordance with law.

Dated this 31st day of January,

J. W. Meacham.

President of Board of Trustees of said District. Seal) Attest

John H. Young. Secretary of Board of Trustees of said District.

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Notice of Bond Election.

Notice that an election will be held at The First National Bank you do not possess one naturally, there in the town of Turkey, within the Turkey Independent School Dis- al Election Laws of the State of triet on the 4th day of March, Texas governing City Elections; 1922, to determine whether the and all voters voting at said elec-But, remember this-a woman's bonds of said district shall be is graces must be natural, or they will sued to the amount of \$20,000.00, not outlive the glamor of courtship. payable forty years from their No self-respecting man will like to date and bearing interest at the feel that his love has been captured rate of six per cent per annum, by dyes and diet. And no self-re- payable annually, for the purpose longing thereto now owned by the specting girl will try thus to capture of constructing and equipping a him.

| Day and constructing and equipping a City of Memphs, Texas, to Texas public free school building of brick Central Power Company for a cash. and concrete or tile and concrete consideration of \$50,000.00. But, Carl," insisted his wife, "it is English robins have namesakes in therefor within said district, and three continents, for in China and whether there shall be annually ty belonging thereto now owned New Zealand as well as in America, levied, assessed and collected on by the City of Memphis, Texas, to settlers from England gave the la-miliar name to a native bird. The all the taxable property in said Texas Central Power Company for American migratory thrush recalls by district, for the current year and its reddish breast the brighter gorget annually thereafter while said | 00. of the English species. Though duller bonds, or any of them, are outof plumage, the New Zealand robin standing, a tax sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund suffi- to the said Texas Central Power cient to pay the principal at mat- Company far the sum of \$50,000.00

John Kelley has been appointed manager of said election, which shall be held as nearly as may be the words, "For the sale, etc." possible in conformity with the general election laws of the State. by the Mayor of said City and

No person shall vote at said el- countersigned by the City Secreection unless he be a qualified voter under the Constitution and of said election and the Mayor is Laws of this State, and a taxpayer is directed to cause notice of said In central Africa the gigantic bao in said Turkey Independent School election to be published in The

of the said bonds and the levy- County, Texas, published in the ing of the tax shall write or print City of Memphis in said County, on their ballots "For the Issuance for four consecutive weeks next of the Bonds and the Levying of preceeding the date of said electhe Tax in Payment Thereof."; tion, the first publication of which out the trunks of large baobabs and and those against the issuance of shall be more than thirty days prefill them with water during the preva- the bonds and the levying of the ceeding the date of said election, sence of rains as a provision against tax shall write or print on their and in addition thereto shall cause ballots "Against the Issuance of notice of said election to be posted These cisterns are in some cases the Bonds and the Levying of the at three public places within said

> Said election was ordered by the the date of said election. board of trustees of said Turkey Independent School District by agreement between the City of order possed on the 31 day of Jan- Memphis and the Texas Central pary, 1922, and this notice is issued Power Company as to the sale and pursuant to said order.

J. W. Meacham,

President of Board of Trustees of said District. (Seal of District).

Attest: John H. Young. said District.

Constable's Sale.

JUSTICE'S COURT, Precinct No. One of Hall County. Texas. E. N. Henson vs. Everett

By Virtue of an order of sale to ne directed in the above cause, from the Justice'e Court of Pre-

ty of Hall in the State of Texas, dated the 9 day of February 1922, and numbered 1238 I have levied apon and will sell for cash, with inet No. One. in and for the Coun of February 1922, at the court house door at Memphis in the County of Hall between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described personal property, to wit: One Ford roadster automobile.

E. A. Thomas, Constable. Precinct No. One, Hall County.

ELECTION NOTICE

Ordinance No. 170.

AN ORDINANCE ORDERING THAT AN ELECTION BE HELD IN THE CITY OF MEMPHIS, TEXAS, ON THE 20TH DAY of March, A. D. 1922, for the purpos of determining whether the City nanager of said election, and shall Council of the City of Memphis will be authorized to make sale of the City Light & Ice Plant togeth er with all property belonging to Turkey Independent School Dis- City of Memphis, Texas, to the Texas Central Power Company for a eash consideration of \$50,000.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY said City on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1922, at which election there shall be submitted to he qualified voters the following roposition :

Shall the City Council of the City of Memphis be authorized to make sale of the City Light & Ice Plant together with all property belonging to the same and now owned by the City of Memphis, Texas, to the Texas Central Power Company for the sum of \$50,000,

Said election shall be held at the City Hall in said City and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said

Judge; T. M. McMurry, Judge Geo. E. Forgy, Clerk; S. G. Alexander, Clerk.

Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the Genertion shall have written or printed on their ballots the following

"For the sale of the City Light & Ice Plant and all property be-

eash consideration of \$50,000 .-

So that all voters desiring to support the proposition for the sale of said City Light & Ice Plant eash, shall strike out the words, 'Against the sale, etc'; and those opposed to the sale shall strike out 'A copy of this Ordiance signed

Memphis Democrat, a newspaper Those in favor of the issuance of general circulation in Hall City at least thirty days prior to

Time being the essence of the purchase of said Light & Ice Plant. Dated this 31 day of January, and the further fact that if the said City retains the plant it will require immediate expenditure of large sums of money for its repair, equipment and extention creates an emergency requiring that the rule that ordinances be John H. Young, Secretary of Board of Trustees of the City Council be suspended and said rule is hereby suspended and this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its

Passed this the 10th day of Feb. ruary, A. D., 1922. Approved this the 10th day of February, A. D., 1922

H. Baldwin, Mayor. Countersigned : D. L. C. Kinard City Secretary. City of Memphi

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Estelline News

penings of Interest and Personal Menion Pertaining to the Hall County Metropolis South of Red River.

Resolutions of Respect.

T. N. COPELAND, H. M. FAULKNER, R. H. WHALEY.

Doctor (to messenger)-Why didn't

on give me that message before? Now

Messenger Boy-Why? Did the pa-

Probably a Dry Discourse.

Professor (to student)-You dis turbed me yesterday by talking out

Student-Impossible, professor! Im-

possible! I must have been talking in

A Mere Nothing!

First Film Star-Got anything spe-

Second Ditto-Nope-only a race against death and a leap for life .-

Miss Oldun-I know that age is be

Miss Pert-Yes, dear, but you

needn't mind so very much. It isn't

Speeding Up.
"John, did you kill that reach?"

"No, he was too speedy for me."

A Business Fallure.

"Why, he was just poking around."
"But it didn't take him long to

Doctor-No, he got well again

loud during my lecture.

cial on today, Cyrus?

telling the whole truth.

change gears."

London Bystander.

my sleep, then.

it's too late.

tient die?

CITIZEN; INENT COWMAN ANHANDLE, DIES

Cowman of Pan-Dies; Long Illness.

pen, a citizen of Hall counters and head of one of ranches in the Panhanath his home at Estelline gillness following a stoke is last August.

Treen, as he was known the Panhandle, came to in in 1887, taking charge ll-Iron ranch for the Condand & Cattle Co., Col Williams chief owner.

In the Panhandle came to in in the Panhandle, came to in in the Panhandle charge ll-Iron ranch for the Condand & Cattle Co., Col Williams chief owner.

In the Panhand devoted husband and father.

Brother Duncan had been a member of the Estelline Lodge for eleven years, and his life has been a shining light in honor to God; to Masonry; and to the world.

Be it Resolved futhermore, that we extend to the bereaved family, our sympathy. That we spread a copy of these resolutions on the minutes of the Lodge, that we send a copy of the same to the family of the deceased brother, and one to each of the Hall county papers.

Signed:

Hash-Knife ranch both having served as range and in Baylor county. cos ranch was exchang-Mill-Iron, with headquar-Northfield. The company number small ranches t a number small ranches
"62", "H. W.", "H. W.
r", Bridle-Bit" and others.
took charge of the ranch as
taking his headquarters at
t, just south of Estelline,
company moved its headto Estelline where a comwas established.
The was a good cowman and
the manager and the Milldunder his control, graddunder his control, gradting more land and more
til it became one of the

wed under his control, graduiring more land and more
stil it became one of the
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r Bob Green, and none who
him that will not learn of
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san, with all of the bigness
and freedom of thought that
life in the big "out-doors"
a naturally big man.
wes a wife, two daughters,
F. Heland and Mrs. R. A.
a, and a son, Curry Green,
stelline to whom, we, with
of the friends of the destelline to whom, we, with

Duncan, a life-time resident county and a member of t pioneer family, died at Estelline Friday of last a lingering illness with of the lungs.

H. L. Chandoin.

TEN YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY, 24, 1912 .-

Sam Harle has moved to the Mc-Collum residence.

Tax-Collector Jonnie Williams of Vernon was here Monday.

Tom Cope and son J. Warner were ere from Mesquite Monday.

J. L. McCollum moved his family to his farm south of town Monday.

Miss Amelia Curlee spent a few days at Hulver visiting friends this

To the Worshipful Master, Wardens, and Brethern, of Estelline Lodge Number 823, A. F. & A. M.

We, your committee, appointed to draft resolutions ded icated to the memory of our deceased Brother, J. E. Duncan; and beg to submit the following:

following:
Resolved, that in the death of
Brother Duncan, the Lodge has lost
a true Mason: The community in
which he lived, an honest and upright citizen; The wife and daughter,
a loving and devoted husband and
father. Mr. and Mrs. Harle and children spent the day at their farm west of Giles Sunday.

To the People of Estelline and Community:

Announcement

We have purchased the grocery store formerly owned by E. O. Blackshare and expect to earry a full line of staple and fancy groceries.

We are Hall county boys our honesty, character and fair dealing stands for itself.

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ery, business, which we as-

sure you will be appreciated. J. Elmer White C. Alvin White

Judge Bird of Memphis went out to Hulver Thursday and delivered an address to the school children who rendered a program in commemra-tion of Washington's birthday.

Want Land's Land.

A few isues past The Index made sention of an oil man visiting Jim Land's farm near Tell where surface oil can be found in abundance The gentleman left Childress without making Mr. Land any proposition but Saturday Mr. Land received a Sanders Eddins came in home this week after an absense of several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Harle and children spent the day at their form west of several spent the day at their form west of several series.

Land has been holding on his section.

Childress Index.

Interested In Oil Prospects.

Soundary here with Mrs. Laura Edmonson.

Mrs. Joe Birchfield and children from Dodsonville came in Sunday night on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Carl Stout and son Jack returned this week to their home at Hollis after spending several days here visiting relatives.

Considerable interest is being manifested at Childress, in the prospect of developing an oil field in that vicinity. The Childress Post says:

"Oil well interest continues to grow in Childress and rospects are now very promising for boring two test wells several miles apart before many months shall have passed.

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Oklahoms, came in Sunday and spent several—days visiting friends and looking after business matters.

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

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FOUR PREMIUM

HALL COUNTY **FARM CROPS**

(Continued from First Page) May 20, knifed with go-devil.
me 3, plowed. June 23-25, plowed;
jy 1, plowed; July 5 chopped;
dy 15, plowed.
A total of 74 hours for one man
d 132 hours for team (based on
urs for one horse.)

Cost of labor, at 20e hr. \$14.80
Cost of team, 10e pr hour 13.20
Cost of seed 10.50
Rent (\$5 per acre) 50.00
Cost of picking 86.10

Total Cost of P'duction \$176.60 ed cotton produced 10,130 lbs.
nt cotton 4,049 lbs.
secived for crop \$982 89
et profit 808.29

rings. Crop was damaged by

Prize Winning Maise Crop. This crop was grown by Lee Guth-near Newiin. His report fol-

Cost of labor, at 20c hr. \$14.80 Cost of team, at 10c hr. 20.00 Rent (\$5.00 per acre) _ 50.00

Total cost of producing, \$84.80 Number lbs. produced 48,440 Value crop, market p. \$205.87 Net profit \$121.07 This crop was kpet on farm for

Prize Winning Kaffir Crop.
This crop was also made by Mr.
Guthrie on the same farm. He says:
"Listed my land April 4, about 5
inches deep. Planted May 25, same
as maize except about 10 inches
apart in row. Cultivated with knife
go-devil June 27. Plowed with
sweeps on July 6. Hoed July 28.
Variety was dwarf white.
Labor for man, 74 hours; for team,
(based on one horse) 160 hours.
Cost of labor, at 20c hr. \$14.80

Cost of labor, at 20c hr. \$14.80 Cost of team, at 10c hr. 16.00 (Rent \$5.00 per acre) 50.000

Number of lbs. produced 62,150 Value crop, at market \$352.18 Net profit \$271.58 Prize Winnig Sweet Potato Crop

This crop, consisting of two acres, was grown by B. F. Ellerd, 5½ miles northwest of Memphis. Mr. Ellerd's story of the production of the crop

foilows:

Mixed soil, with good drainage was selected for this crop, the land had been planted in cotton the year previous and had been in cultivation tweive years. Breaking was done March 5, with a lister and re-listed in April, which was run about 7 inches deep. Plants were set May 7 to 30, the Nancy Hall variety being used. Rows were 3 ½ feet apart with plants 2 feet apart in drill. Plants were cultivated three times with sweeps; on June 8, June 2 and July 26. Last cultivating was done with 14

on June 8, June 2 and July 26.
Last cultivating was done with 14 inch sweep run in center of middles.

A total of 39 hours for one man and 39 hours for one horse was the time taken for making the cro.

Cost of labor, at 29c hr. \$ 7.80
Cost of team, at 10c hr. \$ 3.90
Cost of seed 18.00
Rent (\$5 per acre) 10.00
Cost of digging 30.00

Total cost. \$69.70 Total No. lbs. produced 18,807 Total value of product \$435.40 Net profit _____\$365.70 Seed were saved from this crop for

CHICKEN MONEY IN AGGREGATE

(Continued from First Page) more than 5,500 people came out to attend one-day poultry schools. The ening to the great money-making possibilities of farm poultry keeping. Hard times are partly responsible for this. At times of money

chickens.

Early hatching is the secret to profitable winter egg production and broiler raising. In hatching chickens it is well to remember that as a rule one-half of the chickens raised are cockerels and must be disposed of on the market. The early cockerel makes a good broiler in time for fancy prices.

The last year an early-hatched cockerel sold for 75c each as a broiler in April and May, while the latehatched cockerel brought only 35c each in June and July. It cost at least 35c to produce the late-hatched cockerel.

Eggs laid next year. Hatched- March 1 March 1

May ______114 20c 65c each

We have found that early-hatched
pullets that lay four or five dozen
before March 1 are the best layers.

Experienced poultry raisers start
hatching in January and keep it up
through April. The May hatched
chicks are not as profitable as earlier hatched chicks.

May-hatched chicks are much
weaker. The temperature and vermin at that time all have a tendency
to check the development of chicks.
the belief of many people that Mayhatched chicks die of a "sleepy disease" is caused by the fact that the
chicke are weakened before they are
hatched, and as a result are very
hard to raise. Late-hatched chicks
are hatched from eggs weakened by
a long laying season.

oh! how good the Salvation Army has been home. Mother is going to our home in Canadian, Texas. Oh! how good I hope she will be as she is now. I am in the good old Salvation Army and with you Christian people, I am going to stay, bless the Lord.

Oh! dear sinners get right with

the Lord.
Oh! dear sinners get right with God you don't know what it means. I am saved and glad of it, and may God bless this town and may he bless Mr. Hoffman and Mr. J. Y.

Written by Blanche Melugin; ne Blanche Alee.

Card of Thanks.

We the Salvation Army of Canadian, Texas, wish to thank the Lord for the Memphis Democrat, as well as the other paper, and for the courtesy shown us by the good people of Memphis. We are willing to do anything, or take up anything, for suffering humanity. We ask the answers to the prayers of the good people of Memphis. We feed from one to seven hungry boys, as well as children, each day. Any one can get us at Canadian, Texas. 1-*
Envoy J. D. Rowland.

A Statement.

I have found that there is a gener-I have found that there is a general impression that the company operating the Clarendon and Childress Ice & Light properties (The Company who has contracted with the city council at Memphis for the purchase of the light plant) is the same company that formerly owned the Memphis Ice & Light plant. I wish to correct this impression.

The former owner of the Memphis Plant was the Texas Gas and Electric Company, a Boston concern, with

Company, a Boston concern, with Texas headquarters at Houston, Tex-as. The controlling stock was owned by Merrill, Sweeny & Co., of Boston,

The owner who has signed the purchase contract with the city council at Memphis is the TEXAS CENTR-AL POWER COMPANY of San An-

sible for this. At times of money scaracity many farmers turn to the little hen to help them out.

We need more and better poultry on our farms. We need to raise the average egg preduction of our farm hens from 60 to 120, or double at least. To accomplish this it is neecessary for our farmers first to give more consideration to the kind of chickens they keep. The scrub hen will never produce more than sixty or seventy eggs per year. The first step is to get standard-bred poultry. It is well to remember the statement of a successful poultry raiser: "Breed eers into a chicken and feed them out." Many of our farmers are trying to feed eggs into a chicken are trying to feed eggs into a chicken.

Many people are still in doubt as to when is the best time to hatch chickens.

The fancier hatches his chickens in time to get them in good plumage for the shows. This is important because birds in good plumage for the shows. This is important because birds in good plumage for the shows. This is important because birds in good plumage for the shows. This is important because birds in good plumage are in much better position to capture the prizes. It is not our purpose, however, to discuss this phase of the subject in this article. We are more interested in farm poultry keeping because they need the most help.

In Texas the general practice is to hatch too late. This practice is responsible for many unprofitable chickens.

Early hatching is the secret to profitable winter egg production and broiler raising. In hatching chickens.

FRANK HOUSTON.

FRANK HOUSTON. A diminutive chain of habit is scarcely heavy enough to be felt till it is too strong to be broken.

Sincerity, a deep, genuine sincerity, is the first characteristic of all men in any way heroic.

A man is never safe in rebuking another if it does not cost him some-thing to have to do it.

The faults and weaknesses of others, instead of being woven into gossip, scandal and useless critism, should be used as danger signals to warn us away from the paths which have led to them.

HELLO GIRLS DISCUSS DAILY EXPERIENCE

Also Some Amusing Incidents. Most People Reasonable.

car behind two "hello girls," operators of the local telephone company. He was interested in their conversation and could not resist jotting down

riety. This is the last call; better act before it is too late.

I am so glad for the Salvation Army. Oh! how dear they are to me, but God is still dearer for I am saved and so glad, bless the Lord.

I was sinking so deep in sin when Brother Rowl and wife and dear sweet Ida Edwards and Jewell Hammonds came into my home and brought my blessed Savior with them. We are thanking the Lord for dear Brother Hoffman for hewas a friend to me I know and dear Mr. J. Y. Snow, may God bless them for they were friends to Bobbie when no one else was.

Oh! how good the Salvation Army has been home. Mother is going

"They certainly do keer some of those lines busy, don't they? Aunt Jane says that at least six neighbors come in and ask to use her telephone regularly. She says she feels some-times like asking them why they don't get telephones of their own instead of using lines that other folks are paying for. She says she's glad they can't borrow her gas or electricity."

glad they can't borrow her gas or electricity."

Here the reporter ventured to ask if telephone operators never make mistakes, and was answered: "Yes, of course, we do. Everybody makes mistakes. And just now it is hard to remember all the changes caused by people moving this spring. Over a hundred subscribers have different numbers than are in the directory, just because they moved, and we're supposed to remember every one and not make a mistake. I'd like to see anybody that could do that! They say the new directory will be out soon and it will be a relief to us."

"I suppose you have a good many

Many Vexations In the Daily Grind;

calls in a day," remarked the report-er, and was suprised to hear that some days more than 18,000 calls are answered. The calls are counted automatically so it is not guesswork.

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"Lots of funny things happen,"
one girl said. "One man called for
1035 and when told there was no
such number, said: 'Oh excuse me, I
was just looking at the clock.' Another party called for 169 and when
told that it was a party line, said:
Well, what of it? Give it to me anyway.' It took some explaining to
convince the party that 169 belonged
to several people who could not be
called at the same itme, each having
an individual ring. So, after abuaing the operator, the irate subscriber
looked at the directory again and
found that number desired was 196.

"If you are going to print this,"
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The successful poultry raiser hatches early long before the average farmer both deems it possible and advisable to hatch chicks.

The medium-weight breeds should be hatched earlier than the small breeds. Everybody should make a special effort to get all the chicks they can hatch in February and March, irrespective of breed or variety. This is the last call; better act before it is too late.

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