

Two bit pipes...Cunningham and Phillips.

Stanley J. Williams was in Monday after lumber and other supplies.

SWEET SLEEP MOSQUITO LOTION KEEPS THEM OFF...CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

We would certainly like to trade some of these spotted showers for a good old general rain.

A merry row is now on in the legislature relative to the cut in salaries of the University of Texas.

DON'T BUY A FOUNTAIN PEN UNTIL YOU HAVE SEEN OUR STOCK...CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

A drive to raise funds to prevent millions of Russians from starving will be the next call for Americans to respond to.

To listen to the howl some folks are making a visitor from Mars might come to the conclusion that we are in as bad shape as is Russia.

Eighty-five men were put to work in the T. & P. shops at Marshall, Monday and it is expected that eighty-three men will be put to work in the car shops.

Bath soap at reasonable prices...Cunningham & Phillips.

Ed Hatch left Monday evening for a business trip to Houston.

Kodaks and films. We keep a full stock...Cunningham & Phillips.

J. B. Neel and family left Monday for a visit with relatives and friends at Comanche.

THE CROWDS GATHER IN A COOL PLACE...WATCH CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS STORE

Misses Margaret, Mary and Catherine Hoppel returned Monday evening from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Pecos.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Garrett left Saturday evening for St. Louis to purchase a stock of fall and winter goods for Garrett's Style Shop.

Miller's Studio will give absolutely free a large Portrait (8x10) with every dozen Cabinet Photographs August 5th to September 1st. 46-4p

The big Wichita truck was here Monday loading out with supplies for the Cox Realization Company to be used by the crew at their test well on the Wolcott ranch.

Bathing suits and caps...Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Teele of Garden City were shopping in Big Spring Monday.

R. V. Guthrie and B. F. Logan of Coahoma were business visitors here last Saturday.

Miss Grace Sullivan returned last week from a visit with relatives and friends in Fort Worth.

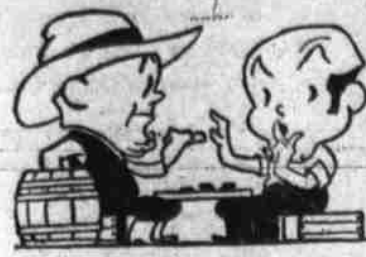
Wall paper. You can't make any money by ordering. If you expect the colors to hold...Cunningham & Phillips.

Miss Cora Martin returned Sunday from an extended visit in Fort Worth, Masca and other points in that section of the state.

E. E. Fahrenkamp left Monday morning for a visit with relatives in El Paso, and from there will go to points in California, Oregon and Washington.

W. L. McCollister returned Sunday from San Antonio where he had been to secure a new Chalmers roadster which he recently sold to Roy Mesmer. The new car is certainly a "classy" article and one the owner may well feel proud of.

Don't stick with the prunes



MY DAD'S favorite yarn. WAS THE one about. THE OLD storekeeper. WHO WAS playing checkers. IN THE back of the store. AMONG THE coal oil. AND THE prunes. WHEN THE sheriff. WHO HAD just jumped his king. SAID "Si there's a customer. WAITIN' OUT front." AND Si said "Sh-h-h! IF YOU'LL keep quiet. MEBBE HE'LL go away." NOW HERE'S the big idea. WHEN A good thing. HAPPENS ALONG. DON'T LEAVE it to George. TO GRAB the gravy. FRINSTANCE IF.

YOU HEAR of a smoke. OR READ about a smoke. THAT REALLY does more. THAN PLEASE the taste. THERE ARE no hooks on you. THERE'S NO law against. YOUR STEPPING up. WITH THE other live ones. AND SAYING right out. IN A loud, clear voice. "GIMME A pack of. THOSE CIGARETTES. THAT SATISFY."

YOU'LL say you never tasted such flavor, such mild but full-bodied tobacco goodness. You're right, too, because they don't make other cigarettes like Chesterfields. The Chesterfield blend can't be copied. Have you seen the new AIR-TIGHT time of 50?

They Satisfy Chesterfield CIGARETTES

LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.

MARY PICKFORD

IN HER LATEST PRODUCTION

"Through the Back Door!"

Will Be the Great Attraction at the



Wednesday and Thursday

August 10th and 11th

You Must See This!



MARY PICKFORD

It's as wholesome as a healthy child and as charming as a burst of glorious sunshine—a picture that will long be remembered in which Miss Pickford brings a message of unusual happiness.

Mary Pickford can no more grow up than Peter Pan and that is why her latest production—"Through the Back Door" is just the type of charming picture that you want to see—the kind that made her famous—brimful of heart interest, intensely effective.

It vividly recalls to us how warm and real and lovable and divine a thing it is to be just human and happy.

The World Needs More Such Messages These Days. Don't Miss It if You Wish to Banish a Grouch!

ALSO

AL St. JOHN in "The Big Secret"

Scholarships Offered Through Texas Federation of Women's Clubs

Howard-Payne College: (1) To valedictorian of an affiliated high school.

Texas Woman's College: (2) Tuition in academic department (\$120).

Metropolitan Business College: Three months stenographic course.

Simmons College: (2) Tuition in academic department (\$90).

John Tarleton Agricultural College: (2) Registration fees.

Baylor Woman's College: (2) (To new students only) Tuition academic department (\$100).

Southwestern University: (1) Tuition in academic department (\$75).

Daniel Baker College: (1) Tuition in academic department (\$70).

College of Industrial Arts: (6) \$20 each.

Grubbs Vocational School: (1) \$50.

Terrill School: (1) Tuition (\$250).

Send applications to Mrs. Alex W. Spence, 3820 Congress Avenue, Dallas, Texas.

Scholarships in Music

Simmons University, Abilene, Plano.

Baylor University, Belton, Plano and Voice.

College Industrial Arts, Denton, Plano, Voice. Violin.

Trinity University, Waxahachie, Voice.

Mrs. Roland Harrison, Waxahachie, Organ.

Miss Elizabeth Jones, Dallas, Plano.

Miss Martha Rhea Little, Dallas, Plano.

Grace Switzer School of Music, Dallas, Plano.

Gilbert Schramm, San Antonio, Voice.

Theo. Lindberg, San Antonio, Violin.

Hector Gorjux, San Antonio, Voice, two pupils.

Walter Romberg, San Antonio, Violin.

Mrs. Clara Duggan-Madison, San Antonio, Plano, Two pupils.

Miss Elsie Sternsdorff, San Antonio, Plano.

Kidd-Key Conservatory, Sherman, Plano, and all expenses.

Dr. George F. Brierley, Waco, Voice.

Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Voice.

E. Clyde Whitlock, Fort Worth, Violin.

Guy R. Pitner, Fort Worth, Plano.

San Marcos Academy, San Marcos, Plano and Voice.

Texas Presbyterian College, Milford, Plano.

Mrs. N. P. Turner, Marshall, Voice.

Mrs. Eugene McNutt, Waco, Plano.

Mrs. Helen Fouts-Cahoon, Fort Worth, Voice.

Mrs. Virginia Ryan, Waco, Plano.

Miss Zuma Wallace, Waco, Voice.

Miss Beulah Duncan, Waco, Voice.

Mrs. W. F. Senor, Corsicana, Plano. Send application to Mrs. James Hambrick, Tyler, Texas.

Don't Use Big Words

In promulgating esoteric cogitations or articulating superficial sentimentalities, amiable, philosophical or psychological observations, beware of platitudinous ponderosity.

Let your conversational communications possess a clarified conciseness, a compact comprehensibility, coalescent consistency, and concentrated cogency. Eschew conglomerations of fatulent garagality jejune babblement and asinine affectation.

Let your extemporaneous descanting and unprecedented expiations have intelligibility and voracious vivacity, without rhodomontade or thraoonical bombast.

Sedulously avoid all polysyllabic profundity, pompous prolixity, peitaceous vacuity, ventriloquial verbosity, and ventriloquent rapidity.

Shun double entendres, prurient porosity and pettiforous profanity, obscure or apparent.

In other words, talk plainly, briefly, naturally, sensibly. Say what you mean, mean what you say, and "don't use big words."—Pythian Journal.

Thousands of inhabitants of the famine-stricken area of Russia are trying to live on a diet of grass, acorns, and field mice and the death rate is terrible. Cholera is now adding to the horrors of starvation. One district reports that ninety per cent of the population have cholera.

They are predicting that the redistricting bill has but little chance of getting thru the present session of the legislature. Well we've waited twenty years and suspect we may have to wait twenty more. Since the pay for the legislators was not increased, it seems as though they wouldn't be so afraid of being defeated by having their district cut to suit the people.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thixton returned last Friday evening from a trip to points in California and Colorado. They report a delightful trip. They went from here to El Paso in their auto and completed the trip by rail.

Nothing pleases the camper who had gone to the mountains for a month "just to get absolute solitude" more than to find a week old home newspaper.—El Paso Herald.

YOUR DENTIST CAN IMPROVE YOUR HEALTH AND YOUR LOOKS. WE KEEP THEM IMPROVED WITH OUR DENTAL SUPPLIES...CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

A campaign in behalf of a proposed bond issue of \$7,500,000 for good roads in McLennan County was begun at Waco this week. The election will be held August 20th.

Every animal we have talked with, except a few of the human variety,

Texas Verging on Anarchy, Is

Of Judge Robinson, Houston, Texas, Aug. 1.—That "we are facing a condition on anarchy worse than in Russia, felt," and branding practices of men out without giving them a trial and subjecting them to indignities as "damable, cowardly gross." Judge C. Robinson, in criminal court today, charged the new grand jury investigate "unlawful transactions this county."

He is presumed to have also remarks at the activities of men in the state in taking women from their homes and violating them or tarring and feathering.

Pure apple vinegar from the POOL-REED CO.

Magazines: Your favorite from Cunningham & Phillips.

our chill and be conured. ROBINSON'S LUNCH ROOM

H. R. Debenport made a trip to Fort Worth the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Chas. Eberley returned morning from a visit with relatives Sweetwater.

We're at your service with things to eat. Try us. ROBINSON'S LUNCH ROOM.

Miss Bonnie Anderson of Okla., is here on a visit to her Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Anderson.

It seems that England is to make a Harvey out of Lord Bess at least they don't want to be one-half the dope he puts out.

It is to be hoped that this ment conference at Washington November completes some of the items the League of Nations ed to solve.

Do you know you can roll 50 good cigarettes for 10 cts from one bag of



Do you know why it's toasted?
To seal in the delicious Burley flavor.
It's toasted.

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West Texas Potash Beds Are of World's Economical Supremacy

"German Potash syndicate reports good business. Orders to extent of 11,000,000 marks booked in a single day."—Wall Street Journal.
The above taken from the Wall Street Journal tells in brief the story of a tremendous business which today Germany controls. Out in West Texas, so government geological experts tell us, is a great bed of potash salts. From time to time the National Oil Journal has had something to say about the recent discoveries there. Below is a report received in this office from a correspondent on the ground in Martin county.

Early in the great war, when Germany was flaunting her defiance in the face of the entire world, one of her proud statesmen made the equally proud boast that if for no other reason, Germany at the termination of hostilities would hold the economical future of the entire globe in the hollow of her hand due to her supposedly supreme control of the world's great supply of potash! How typically German! And now, with American potash a certainty, how entirely absurd! Yet, after calm deliberation, can one honestly say that the escape from such a horrible calamity has not been most uncomfortably and dangerously close!

First, let us consider potash, its multitudinous uses and its very necessity as one of the most important factors in our national structure. A comparatively unknown substance, and yet the very lifeblood of the nation! Without it, the vast cotton resources of our southeastern states would shrivel, our tremendous chemical industries would be stunted, and the very safety of the nation would be at stake for potash is one of our most important essentials in time of war. It is absolutely necessary to the success of our great cotton, potato and garden truck crops. It is used in the form of refined potassium salts, in the manufacture of soap, glass, medicines, matches, for extracting gold from its ores, in dyeing, tanning, electroplating, photography and as chemical reagents. Last, but of tremendous importance, is its vital use in explosives—without it the shrapnel used by our valiant boys in France would have been powerless in stopping the sweeping Hun offensive at Chateau-Thierry, our airplanes would have wandered blindly with no pyrotechnics for signalling the combat troops, our high explosive shells, which created such untold havoc among the onrushing gray hordes, would have fallen harmlessly with no time fuses to detonate them, and our very rifle ammunition would have been seriously impaired.

Potassium nitrate, one of the potash salts, is vital to the safety of the nation—without it we are at the mercy of the foreign invader—and, for that reason alone an American supply of potash must be created! Without our own economical potash resources of large proportions, our homes and fire-sides are absolutely at the mercy of any foreign power able to cut us off by sea from the German, Alsatian and Chilean potash beds. Can one not easily visualize the immediate and vital emergency with which we are threatened?

We Must Have Economical American Potash—This point was hammered

home with terrific emphasis to our government officials during the recent war. Every known supply in the United States has developed to the greatest extent—the alkali lakes of Nebraska and California were exploited, seaweed was burned and what little potash left in the ashes was utilized, alunite ores were investigated, and the very dust from blast furnaces and cement mills was searched for the vital substances. The waste liquors from molasses distilleries and from beet sugar factories were evaporated in the frantic effort to safeguard the nation—but all of these methods we must admit to be insignificant compared to tremendous natural potash—salt beds of Germany, Alsace and Chile. The race was not yet won! In fact, it had hardly started, and the government, through the United States Geological Survey and the Bureau of Economic Geology of the University of Texas has energetically continued its search for possible natural potash-salt beds in our continent.

Nor has their search been fruitless. For in West Texas, on both sides of the 45,000-acre lease of the Cox Realization Company, representatives of the United States Geological Survey have found layers of potash rich salts in beds three hundred and more feet in thickness, which have been unearthed in an effort to find oil.

Again, the tireless and courageous pioneering of S. E. J. Cox has been rewarded—and again vast fortunes will be made in these latest "Hidden Millions."

The nation's safeguard is in sight—although it will require hundreds of thousands to conquer these virgin fields, years of patient and unflinching effort, and above all, two things—Vision and Faith!—National Oil Journal.

Good Health

Good health is a duty none of us can afford to shirk. We owe it to our friends, our families, and most of all to ourselves, to keep constantly in fighting trim for the big game of life. We are worth as much as our health is worth, and no more. Health is our priceless treasure, our capital stock, our endowment from our Creator.

Plenty of sleep, wholesome food, fresh air, physical and mental exercise, regularity of habits, a clear conscience—we must have all these things if we want health to abide in our bodies.

Healthy of body creates contentment of mind, and the combination spells Happiness.—C. C. L.

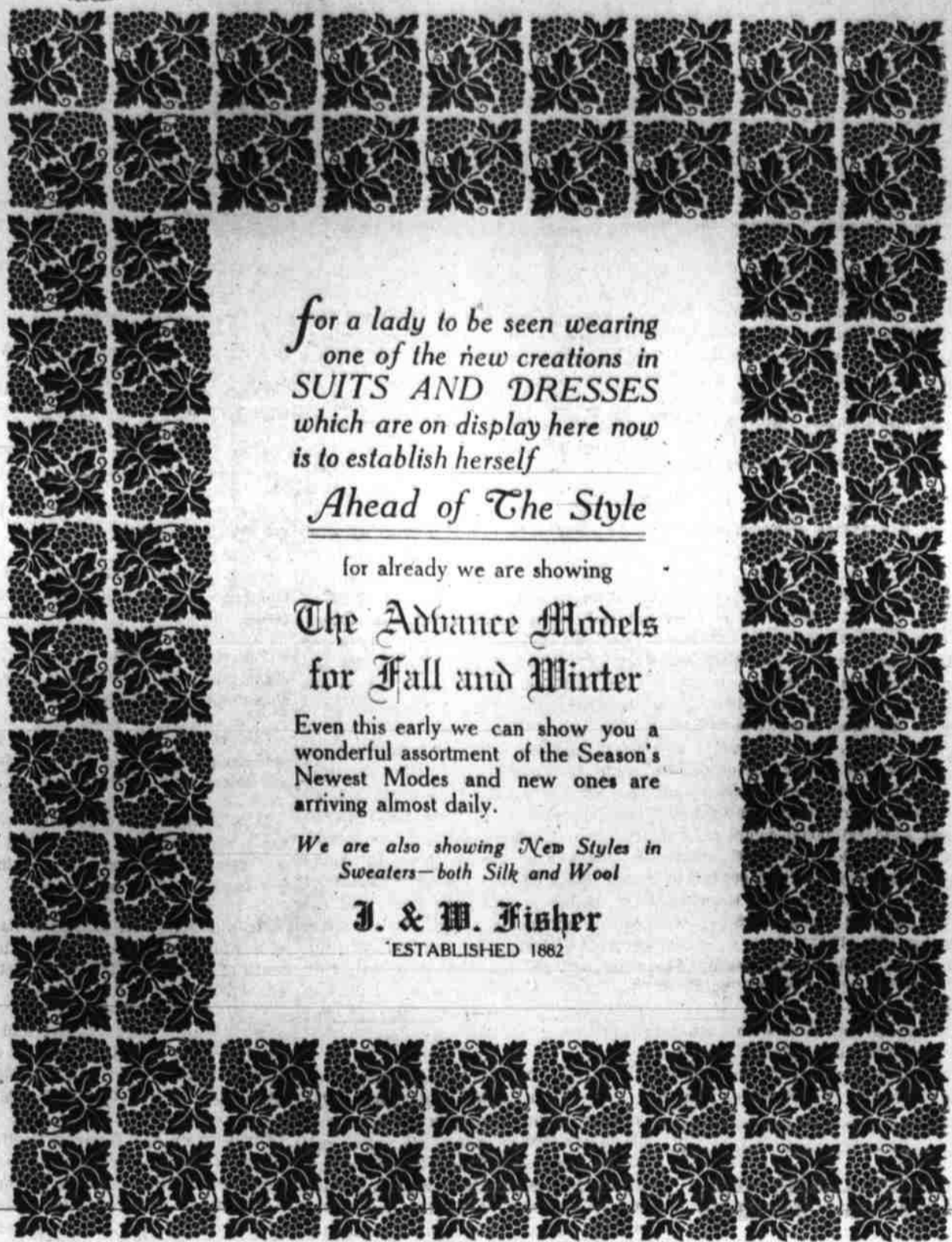
Character Building

Roger W. Babson, the famous statistician, author of the widely read book, "Foundations of Prosperity" has said: "The great need at the present time is not for more railroads, or for more steamships or more factories or more cities, but for more character."

"To develop the character, we must start in the home, school and church when the children are young." Eversharp pencils will start the kids off to school right...Cunningham & Phillips.

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Instructions: How to paint your old Jitney and when...Cunningham & Phillips.



for a lady to be seen wearing one of the new creations in SUITS AND DRESSES which are on display here now is to establish herself

Ahead of The Style

for already we are showing

The Advance Models for Fall and Winter

Even this early we can show you a wonderful assortment of the Season's Newest Modes and new ones are arriving almost daily.

We are also showing New Styles in Sweaters—both Silk and Wool

J. & M. Fisher

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American Dust Storm Felt By Vessel in Yellow Sea

In connection with its marine service, the Weather Bureau, in the United States Department of Agriculture, receives constant reports from vessels over the world. There are over 100 vessels of various nationalities on the list from whose reports valuable information is gleaned as to weather conditions and natural phenomena. Sometimes this data serves to chart the course of storms or air currents, sometimes it is useful as a matter of record, and sometimes it serves to verify information from other sources and to give the extent of the area affected by some atmospheric or other disturbance.

Recently one of our American merchant vessels, the "Santa Rosalia," sent three successive reports on its trip from Karatsu Japan, to Taku, China, thence to Shanghai, enroute to Port Townsend. Accompanying its May report was a small envelope full of a fine bluish gray dust, gathered up from the decks where it had fallen. A note on the subject explained that the air was so full of the dust that sailing was hazardous, owing to impaired visibility. This was on April 13, in latitude 37 25 N., longitude 122 E., a point in the Yellow Sea near Port Arthur, on the peninsula now called Korea, formerly Korea.

Investigation revealed that the same dust had been a violent continental cyclone or dust storm, many miles to the north in Mongolia, on the side of Siberia. Corroboration of the fact that quantities of this dust, sufficient to impede vessels, could be seen as far south as the East China and Yellow Seas was valuable and interesting to scientific workers in this field, all over the world.

Did you know you could get better coffee for less money, by using the Royal freshly roasted coffee. The Royal Coffee Co. 113 Main St. Phone 614.

Mr. W. A. Bowen and family and Misses Jennings of Lubbock enroute for a camping trip at Palacios on the Gulf were here Monday evening.



Another Reduction in Ford Cars

"Another reduction has been made in the list price of all types of Ford cars and the Ford Truck to take effect immediately. The list price, f. o. b. Detroit, are now as follows:

TOURING CAR.....	\$415.00
RUNABOUT.....	\$370.00
COUPE.....	\$695.00
SEDAN.....	\$780.00
CHASSIS.....	\$445.00
TRUCK-CHASSIS.....	\$495.00
TRACTOR.....	\$225.00

"The big reductions last fall were made in anticipation of low material costs which we are now getting the benefit of, and this fact together with increased manufacturing efficiency and the unprecedented demand for Ford cars, particularly during the past three months permitting maximum production, have made another price reduction possible immediately.

"Ford business for April and May 1921 was greater by 56,433 cars than for the same two months in 1920; in fact, the demand has been even greater than the supply, so that our output has been limited not by unfilled orders but by manufacturing facilities.

"During May we produced 161,424 Ford cars and trucks for sale in the United States alone—the biggest month in the history of our company—and our factories and assembly plants are now working on a 6000 car daily schedule for June.

"The Fordson tractor is still being sold at less than the cost to produce on account of the recent big price reductions, and it is impossible, therefore, to make any further cut in the price of the tractor." Can you afford to go without a car any longer when Fords are selling at these new low prices? There is no reason now why you should delay purchasing a Ford car, Ford truck, or Fordson tractor.

We will gladly advise you concerning the delivery of a Fordson tractor or the particular type of car in which you are interested. Just phone us or drop us a card.

STOKES-MOTOR CO.
Big Spring, Texas

The Imaginative Time

By Anna Mae Brady

Mothers, did you ever stop to realize the importance of that period in your child's development when his little mind is free to wander over the hills of fancy and he is finding so much difficulty in linking up the real and the unreal? It is the opportunity time of life and every one of us to whom is entrusted the care and development of a little child needs to study and understand it in order that we may make the most of it.

All of us are dreamers of dreams, and it is well that it is so, for every worthwhile act that has been given to the world was first a dream in the mind of some person. Every book that was ever written, every picture painted, every field cultivated, was first just a flight of imaginative fancy. All of us go this far, but it is not enough to dream; we must do as well. The successful person is the one who thinks over his dream and organizes his thinking until finally it is no longer a dream but a reality.

We grown-ups would give the gold of Midas, were it possible, if we might have developed in us the power of vision, the power to see life imaginatively. Yet our little tots from three to six have this power to the nth degree, and instead of fostering and organizing it we do our best to stifle it as a trait not to be desired. The seed of genius lies in many of our children, and parents and teachers who do not understand, do their utmost to crush out the very thing which later they wish them to have.

"But," you say, "if I encourage this, will it not make my child untruthful? Already he juggles the truth in most leaders of children, we must be able to leaded of children, we must be able to distinguish between a flight of fancy and a deliberate attempt to deceive. Fortunately for us the latter cases are very rare. If in doubt ask the child; if it is a flight of fancy he will tell you so.

What we need to do is to help the child see his vision clearly and then furnish him with some plastic material with which he can make his dreams come true. Fairy tales are excellent for the imaginative child. He is living in their world and they help explain for him that almost inexplicable thing called life. Free hand cutting, clay modeling and the sand table furnish material which will enable him not only to see the picture more clearly, but will also lead him to be a doer as well as a dreamer, both of which are necessary.

The imaginative period, the opportunity time, comes but once, so let us make the most of it.

Flash light supplies...Cunningham & Phillips.



UPSON-BOARD

makes old homes new!

WHEN plastered ceilings begin to crack and sag—it is time to make them new with Upson Board!

Upson Board is the nearest perfect lining! It makes walls and ceilings that should last as long as the building. It is "refined lumber," being simply shredded wood fibre compressed into big, sturdy panels.

Upson Board is not like other wall-boards—it is nearly twice as strong, stiffer, easier to cut and handle. That is why we recommend it and put our own good name behind every panel.

It's not expensive!

For Sale By

Burton-Lingo Co.
LUMBER

BIG SPRING

COAHOMA

BOOST

Boost your city, boost your friend; Boost the church that you attend; Boost the street on which you're dwelling. Boost the goods that you are selling; Boost the people round about you—They can get along without you, But success will quicker find them If they know that you're behind them. Boost for every forward movement; Boost for every new improvement; Boost the man for whom you labor; Boost the stranger and the neighbor; Cease to be a chronic knocker; Cease to be a progress blocker; If you'd make your city better, Boost it to the final letter.

THE BEST MILK, CREAM, BUTTER, AND BUTTERMILK—DELIVERED AT YOUR DOOR

Deliveries made twice each day. Get the best dairy products and satisfactory service by patronizing the BIG SPRING DAIRY, Phone 389. (40-25t-Pd.—Advertisement.)

Services At Catholic Church
Mass will be held at the Catholic church on the second, third and fourth Sunday of every month, at 10:00 o'clock. S. KISTNER, Pastor.

You will find our prices are right and all work is neatly done at the HOME LAUNDRY. Work called for and delivered. Phone 612. (Advertisement.)

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KIE SAYS—
 TO PARALYZE
 TO QUIT RUNNING
 AND START TELLING
 THE ROTTEN BUSINESS
 THEY WILL FEEL
 TO QUIT BUYING

W. W. Inkman and
 home last Saturday
 Inkman and daughter
 relatives in Fort
 Inkman attended a
 Million Dollar Club of
 Life Insurance Co., at
 He also visited in Wash-
 New York, Atlantic City,
 Cleveland. He reports
 weather prevailing in

C. W. Cunningham,
 W. W. Rix, Mr and Mrs
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W.
 and Mrs. Shine Phillips
 Mrs. E. O. Ellington
 the City Park Tuesday
 they enjoyed a feast of
 and trimmings; and
 was one of complete en-

members of the Chicago
 hall team were acquit-
 of conspiracy to throw
 series to Cincinnati.
 lands, high commissioner
 that these men will
 organized baseball again
 the verdict.

the Cutbirth and Mable
 held are here this week
 with Mrs. G. I. Phillips.
 is a sister of Mrs.

and Ira Thurman spent
 Sterling City on a visit to
 who is there for medical

Mrs. Sam Thurman of Coleman after a few days visit with her sons John W. and Ira Thurman left Wednesday for Sterling City.

The longest word in the English language is now said to be honorificabilitudinitas meaning honorableness. But anthropomorphologically contains one more letter: twenty three.

Tom Hutto of the Coahoma community who is at Mercy Hospital here since undergoing an operation for appendicitis some three weeks ago has had a hard tussle but is now getting along nicely.

The unions have asked the railway management for a statement as to their attitude as to further wage decreases and the elimination of time and one-half for overtime, and their answer will be communicated to the four big railroad brotherhoods and the switchmen's union, next week.

Bob Austin and B. O. Jones are considering themselves quite lucky since drillers inform them that a good well of water has been secured on their one hundred and sixty acre farm in the Center Point community. Their tract of land was supposed to be in the dry belt but they happened to have a well drilled in the right spot.

First Aid Don'ts

- Don't touch a wound with your finger
- Don't put an unclean dressing over a wound.
- Don't move patient unnecessarily.
- Don't allow a patient with a fracture to be moved until splints have been applied.
- Don't fail to put plenty of padding between splints and the limb.
- Don't neglect shock.
- Don't fall to remove false teeth or other things from the mouth of an unconscious person.
- Don't wash wounds.
- Don't have a tourniquet on over twenty minutes without loosening.

Opens Blacksmith Shop

J. M. Hayley has opened a blacksmith shop on West First street and is prepared to do all kinds of blacksmithing. He is also prepared to do ox-welding. Give him a trial. (Advertisement)

Notice; Hemstitching

I have bought Mrs. Templeton's hemstitcher and will appreciate your work when you need hemstitching. MRS. J. M. BARLEY, at residence, 111 Beal St. Phone 247. 44-4t-p

Notice

Our Meat Market is open until 6:30 p. m. POOL-REED CO.

A bouncing boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ford Thursday mornning

Herald Want Ads get big results.

Our School

In the last issue of The Herald appeared an article concerning our schools and recommendations suggested for future betterments.

Among the departments which should be encouraged and added to, we believe the home economics and commercial departments take first rank.

As stated in the article referred to— with state and federal aid it will be possible to secure two additional credits for our school in the home economics department. The state is offering to pay one-half the salaries of two teachers, so we can secure one more teacher in the home economics department with but little or no additional expense.

If the commercial department can be added our school will be accorded three or four additional credits, and we are firmly convinced that this new department will awaken new interest and effort on the part of the student body. The elimination of such studies as Latin, solid geometry, and trigonometry will work no hardship on ninety per cent of the pupils, whereas the studies to be substituted will have a practical value for the majority. Take commercial geography, commercial arithmetic, stenography, typewriting and bookkeeping and we have studies that will retain the interest of the pupils and prepare them for real work when they complete their school work. It has always appeared to us that the higher grades of our schools were planned for the benefit of the few who were to enter college after graduation rather than for the ninety per cent or more who do not, and for that reason we approve of commercial and a home economic department.

We would like to hear from others on this subject.

Joy Class Has Outing on Concho

The Joy Class of the First Christian church went to the Concho river Saturday for an outing and a thoroughly delightful time was reported by everyone in the party. The following members of the class attended: Misses Katherine Bainbridge, Dorothy Wasson, Dorothy Brown, Ida Mae Haller, Marlan Kennedy, Gladys Lloyd, Helen Creath, Helen Wolcott, Georgie Billingsley and Oma Maxfield. The invited guests were Frances Anderson of El Paso, Helen Puckett of Louisiana; Anna Agnell, Opal Pittman, Josephine Smith, Cloveland Brown, Mattie Lou Brown, Bernice Johnson, Maxine Padgett. The chaperones were the teacher, Mrs. J. Thos Brown and Mrs. W. E. Brown

M. H. Williamson was here Thursday from his ranch in Glasscock County and reports the showers few and far between out his way

Major E. C. Popp and F. H. Etheridge made a business trip to Midland Wednesday

Buy from an Independent

What Has the Independent Oil Jobbers and Refiners Done for You?

- What would be the price of Gasoline and Kerosene had it not been for the Independent?
- What would the price be tomorrow should the big companies succeed in putting the Independent concerns out of business?

You Had Better Think It Over Patronize People That Help You

—We are Independent dealers and sell the best Gasoline, Kerosene, Lubricating Oils and Greases of all kinds.

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Hall Tire & Top Co.

Independent Wholesale Oil Station
 BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Report of Prayer Circles

Wednesday, August 3, 1921.

Circle 4A. Met with Mrs. Williamson. Mrs. Hardy was the leader, and 13 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Spears, and Mrs. Miller will be the leader.

Circle 4B. Met with Mrs. Stewart. Mrs. Ervin was the leader, and 11 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Prichard, and Mrs. Ervin will lead again.

Circle 4C. Met with Mrs. Burkham. Mrs. Dr. Barnett was the leader, and 11 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Crawford and Miss Vena Lynch will be the leader.

Circle 6. Met with Mrs. Rickard. Mrs. Verbena Barnes was the leader, and 5 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Smith, 507 Jack St., and Mrs. Anderson will be the leader.

Circle 8. Met with Mrs. Wilson. Mrs. Sholte was the leader, and 12 were present. Will meet with Mrs. Rogers, 300 Cedar St., and Mrs. Franklin will be the leader.

The Chairman would make apologies for not reporting for the last two weeks, having been busy with other things, but he will endeavor to see that this does not happen again. Three more weeks will bring the first anniversary of the organization of our Prayer Circles, and the faithful manner in which the work has been carried on should command attention and praise. The Circles which have not been meeting should resume their work again as the folks begin to return home, and as the fall months are coming on.

J. W. Harrison, Chairman
 Phone 134

Colorado Votes For Water Works

The election Tuesday resulted in the citizens of Colorado authorizing the city council to issue one hundred twenty thousand dollars in bonds to dam Lonewolf creek and create a lake of water sufficient to supply the demands of the town, also to put in a complete sewer system throughout the entire town and extend water mains.

The vote was 186 for and 26 against.

Union Preaching Services Sunday Evening

The Union services each Sunday evening, engaged in by the Methodist, Christian, and Presbyterian congregations, are going along splendidly, and the attendance has been good. Next Sunday evening the services will be held in the Christian church, the hour for meeting is 8:00 o'clock. Special music will be rendered; and Rev. Ben Hardy will preach the sermon. Let all the folks come and worship together for an hour. Everybody welcome, the services are yours.

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Successful Meeting at Salem

Five people were baptised as a result of the revival meeting which has been in progress at the Salem church. The services have been conducted by the pastor Rev. A. D. Leach assisted by Rev. S. W. Kendrick, pastor of the First Baptist church of Big Spring. A meeting in that community will be continued for the next few days.

The new opera chairs for the Elks

Hall arrived this week and are now being installed. These chairs are the latest improved upholstered chairs and they will add considerable to the appearance of the hall as they are in keeping with other furnishings of the B. P. O. E. lodge and club rooms.

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Mrs. W. F. Fahrenkamp Jr. left Monday for a visit with relatives in Roswell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mittel and baby returned Wednesday morning from a visit in Dallas.

W. W. Satterwhite was in Wednesday and states he had a nice shower in his section Tuesday.

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Judge and Mrs. J. T. Brooks and Mrs. Blanche Richardson left last week for an auto trip to Austin and other points in South and East Texas.

B. C. Girdley, formerly cashier of a bank in Midland, was arrested Monday afternoon, on a ranch five miles from Berclair, Gollad County, on a charge of embezzlement of the bank's funds in the sum of \$15,000.

Watch closely for mites in hot weather. Make your poultry produce meat, not mites. Read up on insecticides and disinfection and sprays, and follow up what you learn. There is no other way to have clean, healthy poultry.

Will Hansen was here Wednesday from his ranch in Glasscock County and reports a whopping big rain south of Garden City. He also states that the rainfall from Lees to within a few miles of Big Spring seemed to be quite heavy.

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"The Stars and Stripes are on the Seven Seas," is the headline of a full-page advertisement the United States Shipping board is running. And then Mr. Lasker shocks the President by showing him that this accomplishment cost no less than \$350,000,000 in the last fiscal year. That is what the country pays to enable some men to dangle the idea of an "American merchant marine" before the delight-eyes of the people. Both parties are involved in this. The ships were built as a war measure, and they served their valuable purpose. When the war ended the ships on hand should have been disposed of for whatever could be got for them, and the government should have taken itself out of the shipping business. With the government paying all the expenses, and private interests taking the profits when there happen to be any, and more than 700 steamers tied up for lack of employment, the enormous bill of costs is inevitable.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Sheepmen Notice

Cheap marking paint for branding sheep, \$2.50 per gallon. Phone 87. Biles Drug Store.

Brains By The Hour

Some members of the Legislature seem to have a rather sketchy notion of the University of Texas. In so far as this is due to the lack of opportunities which others have been blessed with, it is not a matter to be made sport of. But in so far as it is made the basis of remarks by legislators tending to cripple the usefulness of the institution, it is a fit subject for comment and even for a little fun at the expense of entertainers of these notions. Of course the suggestion that a sociologist is a teacher of Socialism is not original with the present Legislature. It has been urged with equal earnestness by members of preceding Legislatures. Nor is the idea that adjunct professors work but three hours and a half a day a new one, though Senator Burkett of Eastland is given credit for having presented it again of late with all the zeal of one who feels that he has uncovered a great graft.

It probably never occurred to Senator Burkett that an adjunct professor who sat in his classroom every day and talked for three hours and a half on a highly technical subject might have to spend six or seven hours thereafter in study and preparation for the grind of the following day. But though that may not have occurred to the Senator, he is certainly aware that if the spigot of a barrel is left open for an appreciable length of time the bung-hole is to have replenishment or else it won't do any good to open the spigot on the morrow. Even if that homely illustration appear to the Senator as far-fetched, he certainly ought to know whether it would be wise to pay State Senators on the basis of the average number of hours they talk each day. If the Senator from Eastland, for example, had had more leisure to look into the work of adjunct professors he might never have made his speech at all. And yet, his silence would have better served the State than his remarks delivered without the opportunity of investigating.

The feeling that brains ought to be put on some sort of hour basis is not uncommon. Undoubtedly something akin to this feeling was back of the movement to reduce the salaries of the instruction force at the University. Faculty members at Austin probably appear to the weary legislators as lilies of the field which neither toil nor spin. Some of the faculty men even look like they would have difficulty in earning their bread in the cotton field or the blacksmith's shop. How natural then to feel that they should at least equal union hours and be content with proletarian wages. The money that these men have spent on their own educational preparation for the work in which they have specialized does not show to the casual glance. Nor is the amount of money which goes from their private purses to build up private libraries necessary to their professional effectiveness indicated on their pay vouchers.

In the main it would probably be wisest for the Legislature to turn the

details of handling the University over to those charged with that responsibility. As long as the results obtained are satisfactory, the methods may safely be left to those who have made a specialty of that sort of work. The per capita cost of educating students at the University of Texas is among the lowest in the list of State universities in America. After all, the per capita cost of turning out a student is really the unit of economy and not the salary per professor. A first-class institution with third-class salaries is conceivable, but scarcely probable. One reason the University of Texas has had trouble getting and holding the brightest minds in the country on its faculty rolls is because these men have been able to get much higher remuneration elsewhere. Cheap wages tend to the hiring of cheap men, as a rule. And cheap men are an extravagance in any big work. Incidentally, a man who can say as much in three hours and a half as another man can say in ten hours is worth several times as much as the ten-hour orator. This might be held applicable even to the Legislature.—Dallas News.

Farmers Offer Rain-Maker \$3000 an Inch for a Shower

Milwaukee, July 26.—Edward C. Pomeroy, President of the Wisconsin Society of Equity, on Tuesday telegraphed F. F. Ratcliffe of Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada, to "make it rain in Wisconsin and we will pay \$3000 an inch for the use of your rain-maker." The society represents 3,500 Wisconsin farmers. Ratcliffe, Secretary of the Medicine Hat Agricultural Association, induced C. M. Hatfield, rain-maker of California, to go to the Medicine Hat district, where the farmers were badly in need of rain. They offered him \$2,000 an inch if it would pour within a specified period. Hatfield made \$8000 when 4.24 inches fell.

Hatfield has made rain for the farmers in three counties in Washington State, where he was paid \$3000 an inch. His rain-making equipment consists of a huge tank 20 feet high in which Hatfield brews a mystic chemical mixture, which, he says, opens up the clouds.

The learned legislators who are worried because some of the university professors only teach a few hours a day have overlooked the fact that the savants probably have to study long hours in order to be ready to impart reliable information to their classes. If some of the representatives in the legislature spent more time in preparation and less in oration Texas would be a happier state.—Fort Worth Record.

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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$481,834.34	Capital	
Cotton Acceptances.....	11,000.88	Certified Surplus Earned.....	
U. S. Bonds.....	16,814.97	Undivided Profits.....	
Banking House.....	7,000.00	Dividend Payable June 30.....	
Interest & Assets in Guaranty Fund.....	8,518.79	Borrowed Money	
CASH	309,286.17	DEPOSITS	
	\$785,142.05		

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Hula-Hula

Schulenberg Sticker: The Press Congress of the World is to be held in Hawaii at Honolulu next October. We had just about decided that we couldn't afford to make the trip, but they are advertising that the native girls are going to dance the hula-hula, and now we've about decided that we can't afford to miss it.

Oh, if the hula-hula dance is all that is beckoning you to Hawaii, forego the trip. State Press is a delegate to that press convention, an honor he acquired through political pull, but since learning that there is to be a hula-hula dance he doubts if he will attend. The hula-hula dance consists of a bevy of distinctive brunettes, dressed in seagrass skirts and a cravat around the chest, doing muscular contortions to the sound of crude musical instruments, in the hands of crude musical instrumentalists. The human is the only member of the biological family that cheapens itself by practicing bodily perversions for conspicuous audiences. It is the nature of thoughtful humans, therefore, to feel ashamed in the witness of such a performance. This may be a wrong interpretation of the hula-hula dance. If so, State Press begs Hawaii's pardon. His information concerning the various semi-barbaric dances is meager, and it is possible that in this case the hula-hula has been confused with the so-called Oriental or muscle dance, which got its great start in this country at the Chicago Exposition. Many nice girls have danced or tried to dance the "shimmy," or have applauded and approved the dancing of it by others, without knowing, perhaps, that its antecedents are too vulgar for words. And so if S. P. should attend the International Press Congress at Honolulu he will ignore the hula-hula dance. He will listen to the speeches if he can't find anything else to occupy his time.—State Press in Dallas News.

The Merchants' association of New York city reports that there are 300,000 unemployed workers in the nation's largest city. Some of these men don't care whether they ever work again or not. But the very great majority of them see that society is organized on a basis of labor and are willing to accept almost any sort of work. In this respect they are all like the other hundreds of thousands of workers in the country who are not allowed to earn their living. Men who have good positions and who feel secure of their value to employers do not quite understand what such unemployment means. The smug citizen of New York says it's "too bad" there is so much unemployment this summer, and that it is increasing; but it isn't nearly so convincing to him as the fall of snow was last winter—when a blizzard stopped all traffic for several days and caused the business men to lose millions of dollars. He complained bitterly then against the street department and the whole city administration; and he is still much more interested in seeing that the streets are not blocked again with snow than in preventing the street corners from being crowded with unemployed human beings. It is unfortunate that things should be like this. It is also a fact. The people of New York never try to convince themselves that snow in the streets is occasionally good and can be justified as restoring some sort of equilibrium to the fortune that gives them heat in summer and cold in winter. But they will stand aside, however, and say that

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Come in and let us show you some seasonable things in Oil Stoves, Refrigerators, Ice Cream Freezers, Etc.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Aaron, and Mrs. J. W. Herbert and Howard, day morning from a day to points in New Mexico, White Mountains, Gorda, Las Cruces, Dan, the Indian reservation. They report they are glad to be back here better satisfied than they were in Howard county and the best place in the world the 8th until Monday roads and raily wheels daily getting out of they reached Odessa.

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should not be worn on the streets. The
afternoon shopping district parade is a
disgrace."

In this manner, "America's sweet-
heart," Mary Pickford recently scored
dame fashion and her latest decrees.

"Present day styles destroy illusions
and kill romance," said 'Little Mary.'

"The average girl of today has not
the shapely ankle or foot that is be-
coming with short skirts. In fact, it
seems they have weak ankles. The
styles of 1850 and 1860 were much more
dainty, attractive and even practical
than those of today. And I make no
exception to the old hoop skirt, either.

"Shop and school girls make a mis-
take in trying to dress like women of
wealth. To do this they have to buy
cheaper and tawdry materials. 'Silks'
should not be worn on the streets ex-
cept by middle aged women. Lisle
or woolen stockings and simple frocks
should be good enough for any one.
Evening dresses should always have
sleeves. Every evening dress I have
has sleeves of some kind. Women
should dress according to what makes
them appear best. By no means should
they allow dame fashion to tell them
what to wear."

Mary did not know she was to dis-
cuss "fashion" when interviewed, but
appeared in a neat, dark blue serge
dress, that was neither short or cut
"low." She also expressed ideas on
other matters, such as American life,
politics, motion picture censorship and
life in foreign countries.

"I do not know a whole lot about
politics—except that of the motion
picture world—but am making it my
business to study it," she declared.
"Give woman power and she will de-
velop responsibility and results.

"American people take their work
too seriously. They forget the greatest
thing in life is the social side of it and
many lose it in their work. They are
not pleasure seekers enough and do not
indulge in enough relaxation. Another
thing, they do not take enough exercise.

If some of the young girls would walk
more they would have less use for
rouge. Real American life is not
found in the cosmopolitan cities. Every
large city in Europe is just the same
as the ones in this country. America
is like all other countries, the real life
of the people is found in the small
villages and hamlets," said Mary.

Asked about censoring the movies,
Miss Pickford had little to say

"There are too many reformers to-
day," she said. "I guess pretty soon
they will start reforming the Bible and
Shakespeare. American people can
think for themselves and do not need
a small body of men to tell them what
they should or should not see at the
movie house."

"Women are slaves to style, and
they dress without regard to the
adaptability of their figures to the par-
ticular mode in vogue," said Mary.
"That is why we see so many grotes-
que figures—of women on the streets.
Hence all cannot be dressed becoming-
ly, for certainly a short, stout woman
cannot wear long lined gowns. Why,
the styles of the past generation were
much more becoming and not destruc-
tive to the illusion around women
which we should have.

"But there can be no illusion if all
the charms of women are flaunted on
the streets. But every ankle is shown,
every woman wears silk stockings and
the short dress, regardless of whether
they make a perfect ensemble in dress
and figure.

"I am a firm believer in the long
skirt, made according to the particu-
lar need of the individual style of the
woman who wears it—not according to
the dictates of a dressmaker in France.

"There is no purpose or need for
the display of the ankle, emphasized
by the silk stocking, and the short
skirt, and certainly no 14-year-old girl
of mine would be wearing silk stock-
ings. Now every high school girl
wears them—and most of their parents
certainly can not afford to buy silk
stockings and present day clothing.

"In fact, most women who live up
to the minute in style can not afford
to spend the money they do for clothes.
The result is that we have only cheap
imitations on the streets—a majority
of women aping those who are the sup-
posed leaders of style—a rather doubt-
ful honor and title.

"Simple lisle stockings and plain
frocks are, and should be, good enough
for anyone. They are simple, neat,
unostentatious and not designed, as
are modern gowns, to attract attention
to the wearer. Why, the women
not seem to dress to clothe themselves,
but to attract both men and women to
their figures, and their clothing. Most
of them seem to have only this aim in
life.

"For the opera, the ball or some
other more formal occasion I believe in
more elaborate dress. It is a time for
women and men, too, to look their best
in clothes and manner. But for women
to be continuously on display, on
parade, is disgusting and disgraceful."

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In Her Latest Production, "Through
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In "Through the Back Door," Mary
Pickford's forthcoming United Artists' re-
lease, this clever little artist will be
afforded an opportunity for the display
of talent equalled only in such pre-
vious productions as "Pollyanna" and
"Daddy Long Legs." Arrangements
were recently completed by Manager
Robb of the R. & R. Lyric Theatre to
show this production Wednesday and
Thursday, August 10 and 11.

It is the first picture in which Little
Mary ever worked under the guidance
of two directors. Alfred E. Green and
Mary's brother Jack sponsored this
production, and the result of their com-
bined efforts is said to prove further
the truth of the old adage, "Two heads
are better than one."

The outstanding feature of "Through
the Back Door" is the delightful com-
edy sequences scattered throughout the
picture. In a little girl role Miss Pick-
ford has a chance to become involved
in innumerable complications all pro-
vocative of mirth, yet touched with
that pathos which stamps this greatest
of all ingenues as mistress of her art.

In addition to the clean, wholesome
fun with which this feature abounds,
there is found running through it a
counterplot of gripping drama in which
filial devotion becomes a dominant fac-
tor. The struggle of a child to win
recognition from her mother and the
seemingly insurmountable obstacles
that intervene furnish the motivating
impulse for the story. Professional
blackmailers, a designing "other wom-
an," a "misunderstood" husband and an
"abused" wife all play their respective
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confectionery.

Reward For Lost Bedding

A roll of bedding was lost between
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