

The Miami Chief.

MIAMI, Roberts County, TEXAS, MAY 17, 1913.

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Philpotts Elevator

Commencement.

The entertainments up to present time have been attended by large and appreciative audiences. The scholars made creditable showings and it was evident at all times that they had received careful and diligent training. The graduating exercises tonight, at which ten students will receive diplomas, is the most commencement entertainment, and all who have attended the other exercises anticipate a rare treat.

The recent rains have put the ground in A—No. 1 condition and wheat looks fine.

Messrs. John Kuhn and Thos. O'Laughlin left Wednesday for Patnam, Texas.

John Gilliland, of Hereford, is acting as relief operator during Ryan's vacation.

The Misses Baird, of Pampa, are visiting at the home of A. B. McAfee this week.

The Baptist Ladies will serve Ice Cream and Lemonade at the "Moonlight Box Supper" on B. F. Talley's lawn Tuesday May 20, from 7:00 to 10:00 p. m. Don't fail to attend. Bring your boxes.

New Brick Block.

Messrs. Smith and Burum have let the contract for their new brick block, to be erected between the Miami Drug Co. and Elliott's Blacksmith Shop to Bone & Parr, the court house contractors, for \$4,000. The building is to be a two-story brick, twenty-four by eighty feet. The first story is to be used for a store room, and the second for offices and lodge rooms.

The ceilings are to be of metal, finished in a first-class manner, and will be practically fire-proof.

The first story will have a concrete floor and a small basement. The front of the building will be finished with plate glass and face brick and the entire building will be strictly modern.

Ground was broken last Tuesday on this building and the excavation work on the basement is now completed. Work on the building will be pushed to completion and will be finished at an early date.

The construction work on the court house is progressing nicely. The brick layers have the course of dark mottled brick laid the height of the basement story. A belt of stone will be laid around the building on top of this brick and the light buff brick will be used on the face of the remaining stories of the building.

Some improvements are to be made on the Methodist Parsonage in the near future. It is reported that sufficient funds have been raised for this undertaking.

B. F. Jackson is having his home remodeled in the way of the addition of another story, which, when completed will greatly enhance the beauty of his home.

Mrs. A. L. Carter is having some improvements made on her residence.

Rev. J. P. Lowry will preach the commencement Sermon on Sunday at 11:00 a. m.

The local agents for the Big 4 Gas Tractor, by way of demonstration, have done considerable grading on Main st. this week.

Oscar Ryan, the popular 1st trick operator for the Santa Fe at this place, left Monday for a month's visit with relatives in Owensboro, Ky. He was followed Tuesday by Mrs. Ryan.

A. L. Liske, of Canadian, was transacting business here Tuesday.

A. T. Parton, editor of the Mobestie News, came over, together with a car of other Mobestie citizens, to attend the funeral of Wm. Wilson.

John Hamilton, of Pampa, spent Sunday in Miami.

Mortuary.

Wm. Wilson, a single man about thirty seven years of age died at the Amarillo sanitarium last Saturday evening. The deceased came to this country about twelve years ago with the Christopher Brothers to operate their well drill as he was a driller by trade. He taken pneumonia about three weeks ago while at work on a well for Mr. L. C. Heare, and was brought to town about a week later.

The K. P. Lodge hired a nurse for him and kept him in the home of Mr. John Kuhn until a few days before he died when they sent him to the sanitarium at Amarillo hoping they would be able to restore him to health there.

After death the K. P.'s had the body embalmed and shipped here for burial as none of his people are in this country, and a communication from an uncle in Cooke County instructed to this effect. The K. P. Lodge at Amarillo sent a beautiful tribute of flowers to be used at the interment.

By request of the Lodge the funeral service was conducted at the Methodist church by its Pastor Rev. J. P. Lowry, Tuesday evening in the presence of a well filled house. He was a very agreeable man and had many friends, and many were out to show him the last tribute of respect.

After the funeral service the body was taken in charge by the Lodge and laid to rest in the Miami Cemetery.

A Great Revival.

We closed last Monday night the greatest revival in the history of this town and community. We began Sunday, April 27th, under the leadership of Judge M. J. Thompson, of Stephenville, Texas, and Ed G. Philips, of Siloam Springs, Ark., and for two weeks the battle raged, and when the smoke of the battle cleared away, we found that two hundred and ten or twelve souls had surrendered to the King of Kings. We have received 74 into the Methodist church, and have the names of 15 others to receive. Thirty-six gave their names for membership in the Baptist Church; Four for membership in the Christian Church; and three for membership in the Presbyterian Church.

Bros. Thompson and Philips make a great team. Judge Thompson is plain, practical, forceful and earnest, a man of great faith, and sweet spirited. He uses no "clap trap" methods, neither does he indulge in anything that is low and vulgar. Philips gets all the people to sing, and is a splendid personal worker.

There were something like one-fifth of the population of the county converted in the meeting. We paid the evangelists \$412.18 for their services and did it easily and gladly.

May God bless these men wherever they may go.

J. P. Lowry, Pastor.

Hail Insurance.

I represent the St. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance Co. and the St. Paul Mutual Insurance Co. Save your hail insurance until I call.

W. M. Cotton,
Miami, Texas.

Notice.

The petition for the incorporation of the town of Miami has been filed by the undersigned and notice is hereby given for a public hearing on same at the Odd Fellows hall in the Philpott building Tuesday, May 20 at 2:00 P. M.

J. E. Kinney,
County Judge.

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MIAMI : : : TEXAS

But baseball is such a strain on the voice!

Thunder and lightning! Seems rather familiar.

"Swat the fly." Yes, swat it way out into the outfield.

About the only croaking one hears these days is done by the frogs.

Many persons do not like the cabaret, preferring to know what they eat.

St. Louis boy swallowed a whole crawfish. Fortunately, it wasn't an eel.

Tombstone cutters are on strike—an added argument for the lower cost of decease.

About this time, the preliminary step is taken in the formation of June brides.

Only two per cent. of musicians are bald, but it is too late for many men to join a band.

As soon as all women wear fenders on their hatpins the men can quit carrying nippers.

The farmer ought to be a happy man about these times. Everybody wants to help him.

Our opinion is that the world will survive despite incomprehensible pictures and slit skirts.

However, the kind of umbrella that you cannot lose is not much good for keeping out the rain.

One trouble with simplified spelling is that the authorities still foolishly insist upon regular rules.

Experts tell us how to achieve a ripe old age, when what one wants is to retain one's verdant youth.

While adopting those dinky little hats the dear women cling obstinately to the old long range hatpins.

There is a peculiar fascination in the accoutrements of angling now displayed in certain shop windows.

Some persons do not like the pleasant chorus of the frogs, but some persons have no music in their souls.

A German banking house has failed and its chiefs have fled. The examiner over there has a fierce mustache.

A German banker named Puppe has fled, leaving debts of \$7,500,000. Sort of going to the dogs, so to speak.

For the cure of cancer \$2,500 worth of radium was applied. At this rate few people will be able to afford to have one.

Have you heard the wail of those who are humiliated because the luxury of paying an income tax is denied them?

Is the wearing of a green hat with a neat little bow in the rear an indication that the wearer possesses temperament?

A Boston chiropodist has been arrested for bigamy. Possibly he has been throwing himself at the feet of too many women.

Then there is that morbid form of self-conceit that leads a man to consider himself a hoodoo because the home team always loses when he attends a ball game.

Climbing 200 steps after breakfast took superfluous weight from a woman. It probably would have the same effect upon a horse.

The fact that some women can be induced to resent bitterly the charge of being too well dressed shows that feminism is marching.

And after it has taken us all these long years to learn to spell, why inflict misery through being compelled to learn all over again?

Baseball becomes more scientific every year. Expert fans now have telephone calls arranged in advance to summon them from their work.

Only one child was born to every thirty families in Paris last year, which city would not be a desirable place for a baby carriage factory.

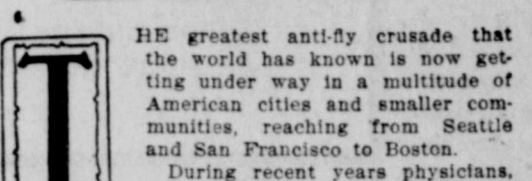
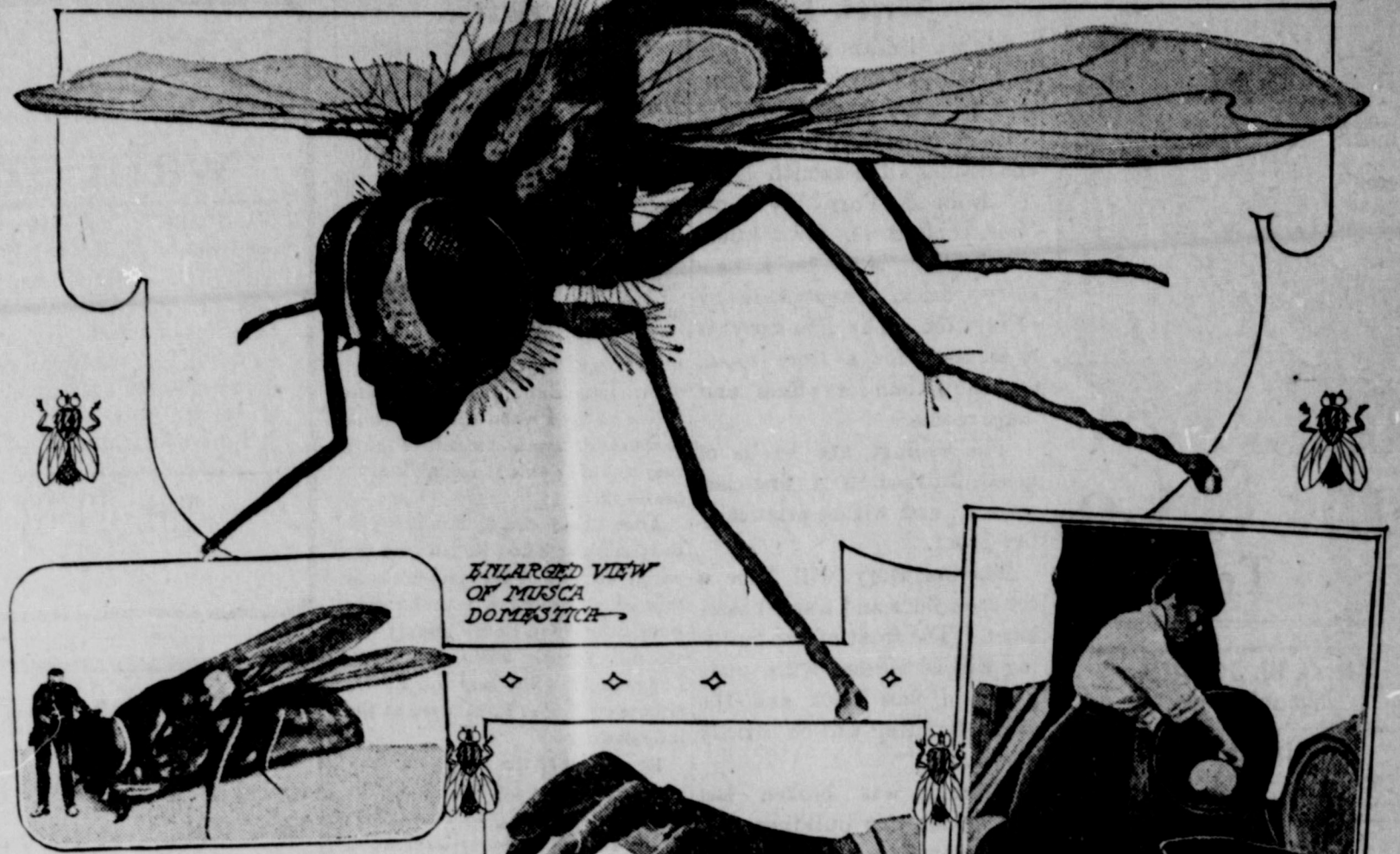
That Seattle judge who made a prospective bride and bridegroom listen while he tried a divorce case certainly doesn't cater to the marrying trade.

Influences of the season are shown to be affecting our courts, one headline chronicling the fact that a "juror was taken out of the box."

A man's throat was cut in a barbershop when a bomb exploded. He complained bitterly because he was not having his shoes shined.

On the latest and greatest steamship just launched there are lifeboats for 5,250 persons. Still, the proper thing for a ship to do with lifeboats is not to need them.

GREAT ANTI-FLY CRUSADE BEGINS



THE greatest anti-fly crusade that the world has known is now getting under way in a multitude of American cities and smaller communities, reaching from Seattle and San Francisco to Boston.

During recent years physicians, bacteriologists, sanitary engineers, and others concerned with questions of public health, have made ceaseless effort to arouse the American people concerning disease and death traveling in the tracks of the common housefly, or "typhoid fly," as the United States government does not hesitate to call it in its official printed documents.

Little by little the country has become acquainted with the danger, and now entire communities—hamlets, villages, cities alike—are undertaking systematic and complete extermination of the insect. The fly has been recognized as a carrier of disease for many generations, and some authorities, like Jean Dawson, the Cleveland biologist, feel satisfied that it was so recognized even in Bible times. But never before has practically an entire nation awakened to the absolute necessity of fighting the fly to the death; of driving it out of existence.

Moreover, it was left for a New York pathologist, Dr. Ferdinand M. Jeffreys of the Polyclinic Medical school and hospital, to formulate a reply to the old question, "Of what use is the fly?" According to Dr. Jeffreys it has a very important use in acting as a danger signal which cannot be disregarded with impunity.

"Wherever you find the fly," he says, "you also find filth. And where you find filth, you find disease."

Not merely typhoid, but other highly dangerous intestinal diseases are now known to be spread by flies, and germs of tuberculosis, cholera infantum, spinal meningitis, infantile paralysis, are likewise carried far and wide by the same little pests. State boards of health, county commissions, municipal health departments, private organizations of men and women in all stations of life are printing and distributing pamphlets on the subject, having lectures delivered before audiences of children as well as of adults, explaining various methods of poisoning, trapping, and "swatting" flies. In many cities prizes of money have been offered for the largest number of flies killed in a given period. In other cities and towns prizes are offered for the best essays written by school children as to the dangers of flies and how to get rid of them.

North Dakota has issued two important health department bulletins, spread broadcast throughout the state, one entitled "Fly Habits" and the other "A Fly Catechism," in which are answered in simple language questions concerning flies which the youngest child may understand.

The United States government, through its Farmer's Bulletin No. 412, makes out a complete case against what it terms "the typhoid or house fly."

Virginia's state board of health has issued at least three bulletins and circulars devoted wholly or in part to the subject.

In addition to quarterly publications, one well illustrated, Iowa issues shorter folders telling just how to deal with the fly nuisance.

The Chicago board of health, through its school of sanitary instruction, publishes and distributes articles and cartoons on the subject, as well as a concise list of "Hints to Householders."

The Ohio state board of health has also been busy in the matter and has reprinted large numbers of Dr. C. O. Probst's practical paper, "The Fly as a Disease Carrier."

Michigan's state board has come out with an important quarterly document on "The Anti-Fly Crusade."

Pennsylvania devotes an entire issue of its large Health Bulletin to an essay easily understood, which is called "The Common Fly: How It Develops, Why It Must Be Destroyed, and How to Destroy It."

South Carolina, Texas, and almost all the other states in the Union have been doing their utmost to educate the public concerning the dangers of permitting flies to exist. But with the exception of a single four-page circular the state of New York has done nothing in the matter that has been pressed so vigorously by the country generally. This circular is a brief document entitled "The Filthy Fly," and is issued by the Publicity and Education Department of the State Board of Health.

It is said that by means of a red powder scattered over piles of garbage and other filth flies

have been traced in many cases directly into sick rooms, as well as to markets and fruit stalls where foodstuffs were displayed, without being screened. By such means as this flies were traced during an outbreak of typhoid fever in Plattsburgh, N. Y. The local authorities thought that drinking water, or milk, or some like supply was infected, but an investigator from New York went to the Saranac river, into which the sewage of Plattsburgh was carried, and from there he traced flies as they went into a moving picture show attended by a large audience, and he traced the flies as they went from the "movies" back to the river.

Countless instances of the spread of various diseases have been recorded all over the country, and as a result, instead of being regarded merely as a harmless, though annoying little pest, the house fly is today considered one of the deadliest enemies man has to contend with. Far more dangerous than war, for the fly is everywhere every summer, excepting in enlightened communities, like Cleveland, Ohio, which is rapidly becoming nearly a flyless city.

Last year experiments were undertaken in a number of places to exterminate flies. Newspapers of Worcester, Mass., offered money prizes for the largest quantity of flies caught, and the results were astonishing. One enterprising lad of twelve years won the first prize of \$100 when he delivered ninety-five quarts of flies. But it was found out later that in order to succeed he had actually gone into the business of breeding flies in heaps of fish offal. Altogether the city of Worcester caught and killed forty bushels of flies in a few weeks. For obvious reasons those interested in fly extermination are not offering prizes in the same way this year for dead flies. In a good many communities prizes are offered for flyless blocks of houses or for farms or barns that have no flies on or in them.

Organizations like the Woman's Municipal League of Boston are paying for stereoscopic lectures delivered before all sorts of audiences, and are getting Boy Scouts, District Nursing associations, school children, and others at work in the effort. One of the scientists most actively interested is C. F. Hodge, professor of biology at Clark university, who has accomplished, remarkable results by screening houses to keep flies on the outside, by killing winter flies when they awake in early spring and crawl out of cracks, picture moldings, and other dark places where they spend the cold weather, and by catching in traps of his own design millions of young flies before they can get to kitchen, dining-room or restaurant.

One of the most effective steps taken in the campaign of education is due to Mr. Hatch, who sent a man to London, at his own expense, and there had made microscopic photographs of flies and their dangerous activities from which a moving picture film was constructed. The film, shown all over the country, is believed to have done more than any other one thing to bring millions of people to realize how great is the danger from flies, and how necessary to remove it.

One of the most ingenious methods for teaching children facts regarding flies is seen in a small pamphlet prepared by Jean Dawson of the Cleveland Normal school, who has adopted the question and answer plan of instruction. After explaining, in this way, why flies are dangerous, how they spread disease, where they spend the winter and what they do in spring, the little book tells about their breeding, their food, and how they carry dirt as well as disease.

The closing questions and answers are as follows:

20. Can a family escape the dangers from flies by screening them out of the house?
No, not if they use food over which flies have swarmed or fallen into.

21. Do flies carry sickness and death to many people in the United States?
There are nearly five hundred thousand cases of typhoid fever yearly in the United States, and nearly 50,000 deaths. Much of this distributed by flies. Forty-nine thousand infants die annually of enteritis or summer complaint, the germs of which are probably all carried to the milk by flies. Flies are now known to be the most deadly enemy of man. They kill more peo-

ple than all the lions, tigers, snakes, and even wars.

22. Have flies always been such an enemy to mankind?
Yes, but a great many have died. About four out of five children in Cleveland live to be five years old. Many of these deaths are due to flies carrying disease germs to their food.

24. How is it possible to protect ourselves more from flies than we already have?
When we thought flies were merely annoying, we could afford to hide ourselves behind screens; now that they have been proved to be our deadly enemy, we must come out and fight them in the open.

25. How can this be done?
In three ways:

(a) By killing all the winter flies that have been hiding in buildings as fast as they come out.

(b) By cleaning up all manure and filth in which flies may breed.

(c) By keeping traps set in covers of garbage cans and on porches where the flies are thickest to catch them before they can enter our homes.

26. What particular good would come from killing winter flies?
Killing the flies that live over winter means killing the mother flies before they can lay eggs in the spring.

27. If we did clean up all the manure and filth from the neighborhood would not flies swarm in from other parts?
A fly seldom travels over 500 yards from its breeding place.

28. With what are the traps baited?
If used in the cover of a garbage can the garbage is the bait. If used otherwise, bread and milk is an attractive bait.

29. Will all the flies go into the trap?
Yes, if there is no other food about.

30. Has any one ever succeeded in keeping his house free from flies without screens?
Yes, a number of people have used the method above indicated, and have done away with screen windows and doors.

31. Will the city of Cleveland ever be free from flies?
Yes, just as soon as every one does his part in his own house and yard Cleveland will be a city of flyless stores, markets and homes.

One of the most interesting experiments made last summer was a highly successful effort to teach children the truth about the necessity of exterminating the typhoid fly.

Among those furthering this specific plan of education was Mr. Hatch, who offered two sets of prizes in each of a number of cities, including New York, Milwaukee, Kalamazoo, Salem, Mass.; Wichita, Kansas City, Kan.; Memphis and St. Louis. To children in the seventh and eighth grades of public schools he offered a prize of \$10 and to pupils in the fifth and sixth grades he offered a first prize of \$5 and a second prize of \$3. In the aggregate he spent in this way some \$700, many thousands competing. One result is that an army of children have acquainted themselves with the fly and what it does to man. This, of course, was the main object sought. Secondly, the fact that a New Yorker was offering his own money in this campaign, and succeeded in arousing the spirit manifested among children all over the country, caused local newspapers, health bodies, educational institutions, and other individuals in many places to go into the matter of their own responsibility. This year it is not necessary for Mr. Hatch or any one else to offer prizes to the country in general. The leaders of public opinion and public spirit in one city after another are offering prizes themselves.

As a result of all the agitation, this year sees a fly crusade throughout the land such as was probably never seen before in the history of the world.

KANSAS WHO

From Head Dizziness Restored Lydia E. Vegetable



I feel better than I recommend Lydia E. Vegetable Compound to did. Mrs. M. Z. Lawrence, 1234 Broadway Street, Lawrence, Kan. suffering from a

Militant Sp... We were lined up... office window, taking... front of me was a... went well until a wo... line and planked her... front of the burly ma... swept it aside. "I've... my wife," he said, "to... gentlemen." "I'm very... your wife," said the wo... in front of me took h... said, as he moved on, the adv... precaution some years... Chronicle.

Our Wonderful E... Andre de Pouquiere... clety lionized during the... season, praised on his... Paris the wonderful ene... American business man... "I once asked an Am... ness man," he said: "Do you know what 'means'?" "Why, to be sure, I d... ness man replied. "Le... time that can be de... irean job of work."

Neighborly... Not long since a man... a certain village. After... a friend called on him... how he liked his new ho... "Pretty well," he said... "Have you called on your... yet?" "No," he replied; "but I'm... if any more of my wood is

Queer Trouble... "We are having a hard ti... that smoke." "A hard time? That's od... from soft coal."

Considerate... "A cubist has asked me to su... nam for his latest picture." "Are you going to do it?" "No, I'd hate to hurt his feel...

In accord with the eternal sit... things, a man who stole a... wound up in jail.

IT'S HARD TO WORK

It's torture to work with a lame, ach... back. Get rid of it. Attack the ca... Probably it's weak kidneys.

Heavy or conking work is hard... the kidneys, anyway, and once the k... neys become inflamed and congest... the trouble keeps getting worse. The... danger of running into grav... dropy or Bright's disease is serio... Use Doan's Kidney Pills, a fine reme... for backache or bad kidneys.

A Washington Case... H. R. Hatch, 215 Cedar St., Everett, Wash., says: "Soreness pains in my back made me miserable. The kidney secretions burned in passing. My back got so bad I could hardly work. After specialists failed Doan's Kidney Pills completely cured me."

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GENERALS SAID DESERTING HUERTA

... AND RABAGO DECLARED TO BE ON SIDE OF MEXICAN REBELS.

TO ATTACK CAPITAL

... Declares That Within Two Weeks Six Thousand Rebels Will Move on City.

... of Mexico.—Gen. Tracy Aubert, commander of the campaign against Huerta rebels, and Gen. Rabago, headquarters at Chihuahua, have reported in many quarters here, however, is denied at the National palace.

... only concrete fact admitted by government affecting the status of the recall of Gen. Aubert, reason for this is assigned, but understood the government is satisfied with the manner in which was conducted the campaign.

... support of the rumor of the desertion of these generals, is the fact orders have been issued for the evacuation of troops at Chihuahua, it is conceded that this is equivalent to the surrender of a part of an act not probable, even in a desperate campaign.

... Truck Aubert has been criticized by the public for his comparative inaction, and it has long been known that his sympathies are with Huerta. If it develops that this is true, the impetus given to the rebel movement will be great, both at Monterey and Chihuahua, there are large supplies of ammunition.

... latest center of rebel activities the state of Zacatecas, where the rebels have recently gained control of towns, including Sombrerete.

... part of the republic has the element assumed marked aggressiveness, the garrisons being forced to maintain the defensive. In the case of Morelos, Gen. Robles is being a campaign of conscription, although even there adherents of Zapata are carrying out to him in most cases.

... conditions on the west coast are not as sufficiently serious as American ambassador to impel to suggest to the state department the advisability of the dispatch of a warship to Mazatlan.

... spite of reports to the contrary, Huerta and Gen. Felix Diaz are working in thorough cooperation.

NEW SHAKEN BY BOILER EXPLOSION

... view, Texas.—A terrific boiler explosion occurred at the Castleberry-Cullen Company's plant, located on the edge of the city, Thursday, which shook the entire city. Boys and another man were seriously injured, being blown about 20 feet and covered by debris. The engine room was demolished and the boiler blown over the large planer, some hundred feet away. A box car on a sidetrack, 20 feet from the boiler was blown 20 feet in another direction and said. No reason could be learned for the explosion.

STRIKES HONEY GROVE

... Person Hurt and Damage to Property May Reach \$10,000. Honey Grove, Texas.—A storm struck the eastern part of the city yesterday afternoon, doing considerable damage, but so far as learned by one who was hurt.

... storm formed one mile south of town, and struck the compress tearing off a portion of the roof, it took the covering from the tank at the oil mill and, striking the main building, tore the smokestack down, damaging the northeast corner of the building, which is of brick. Next it struck the seed house demolished the northeast corner of the building.

... residence of Miss Martha Bryson, Jim Leach and Will Owens were aged off their blocks and otherwise damaged.

... M. E. Erwin narrowly escaped death, as the room she occupied was struck. The four walls were twisted apart and thrown into the street, the floor was turned upside down and the wreckage. Mrs. Erwin was thrown into the street and considerably bruised. She is aged and the shock may prove serious. Property damage may reach \$10,000.

BANKS SHOW DECREASED DEPOSITS

... Oklahoma City, Okla.—Individual deposits in state banks ending April 4, show a decrease of \$571,898.44. On April 4 the total deposits were \$43,201,374.89, on April 4 they amounted to \$42,629,476.45.

Haytian Riots Suppressed

... au Prince, Haiti.—Michael Darda, new president of Haiti, elected Sunday, already has displayed his energy in the suppression of disorder. He declares he will maintain peace with a strong hand. Gen. ... governor of the city, who attended the parliamentary building, the voting for the president is regulated by regular troops commanded by Gen. Fetterien. Gen. Defoek refuge in the Cuban legation.

SECRETARY STATE RESIGNS

Gov. Colquitt Appoints Senator F. C. Weinert, Effective June 1.

Austin, Texas.—Announcement has been made by Gov. Colquitt of the resignation of John L. Wortham as secretary of state, effective June 1, and the appointment of Senator F. C. Weinert of Seguin to fill the vacancy. The governor has been officially notified by Senator Weinert of his acceptance of the appointment.

The resignation of Mr. Wortham was unexpected. It was accepted by the governor with regret. Mr. Wortham has been secretary of state since last January. Prior to that he served one term as railroad commissioner. When C. C. McDonald resigned as secretary of state last fall the governor appointed J. T. Bowman, his private secretary, to the vacancy to fill it until Wortham's term as railroad commissioner expired.

Mr. Wortham, it was stated by friends, had resigned in order to devote all his time to private affairs. Senator Weinert, who has been selected to head the state department, has been prominent in state politics a number of years, serving several terms in the legislature, both in the senate and house. He is the author of several laws, most referring to prison reform.

ALAMO CASE FAVORS COLQUITT

Supreme Court Rules Injunction of Daughters is Invalid.

Austin, Texas.—The supreme court in a unanimous opinion has sustained Gov. Colquitt in the controversy over the restoration of the Alamo and held that the injunction given the Daughters of the Republic restraining Dr. A. B. Conley, state superintendent of public buildings and grounds, from proceeding with the work of remodeling the Alamo property along plans made by the governor was improperly granted.

It is ordered that the injunction be dissolved and that judgment be entered that the plaintiff, the corporation, the Daughters of the Republic, take nothing by this suit, and that plaintiff in error go hence without day and recover of the Daughters of the Republic all costs of the several courts. The effect of the decision of the highest court in Texas is that the governor may proceed with the work of restoring the Alamo property according to his plans.

TREASURY REPORT MADE

Deficiency of \$3,654,000 for Month of April—Receipts \$53,452,000.

Washington.—In footing up accounts Uncle Sam found a deficiency of \$3,654,000 for the month of April. Exclusive of Panama canal and public transactions, the receipts for April amounted to \$53,452,000, while disbursement reached \$57,106,000.

Up to date for the current fiscal year, however, there is a surplus of ordinary receipts over ordinary disbursements of \$8,966,000, against a deficit a year ago of \$12,580,000. Customs receipts for last month fell off \$2,500,000 as compared with April, 1912, while internal revenue receipts increased \$2,000,000. A big factor in the increased expenditures for the month just closed was the pension payments under the new law. These exceeded the pension disbursements of April, 1912, by \$3,217,000.

The total balance in the general fund was \$141,333,000, including a working balance for the government of \$73,077,000, which, it is expected, will soon be decreased by \$10,000,000 under Secretary McAdoo's authorization for additional deposits in the National banks. Trust funds in the treasury now included \$1,075,198,000 in gold coin and bullion. The mints during April coined \$4,250,000 in gold. The circulation of the 7,460 National banks amounted to \$731,044,591.

FORMAL PROTEST BY JAPAN

Alien Land Bill Enacted in California Awaits Signature of Governor.

New York.—A cablegram from Tokio to the Japanese-American, a Japanese daily paper of this city, states that the Japanese government cabled instructions to Baron Chinda, Japanese ambassador at Washington, to make formal protest against the alien land bill enacted by the California legislature and now awaiting Gov. Johnson's signature.

The message adds that the position taken by the Japanese government is that the United States government is responsible for the finding of a satisfactory solution of the situation in California under its treaty obligations to Japan.

Describing the receipt of the news from Sacramento that the bill had passed both houses of the legislature, the message says: "When the Japanese people received the report that the alien land bill had passed the California legislature and the people were deeply disappointed."

Recognized by Great Britain

Mexico City.—President Huerta is formally notified of the recognition of his government by Great Britain. The British minister, Francis W. Stronge, with due ceremony presented the king's autograph letter replying to that of President Huerta. The minister expressed the name of his government good wishes for the welfare of the Mexican government. In reply the president expressed his appreciation of Great Britain's attitude.

TEXAS BREVITIES

A new creamery company has been organized at Roanoke, Denton county, with a capital stock of \$5,000.

Petitions are being circulated for a \$125,000 road bond issue election for Pilot Point, in Denton county.

Parties from Hillsboro have leased 5,000 acres of land in Hill county and are now planning to sink two test wells for oil.

A new 5-70 saw gin is being constructed at Chillicothe, giving that place three modern gins.

The First State Bank and Trust Company of Abilene has increased its capital from \$100,000 to \$200,000.

Elberta peaches are selling at Mount Vernon for 80 cents a bushel for northern markets.

Parties from Indiana are erecting a gas plant at Waxahachie, which is expected to be completed by August 1.

The Southern Baptist convention will meet in St. Louis, Mo., on May 14.

An electric light and water company has secured a permit to operate under the Texas law at Edna. The capital is \$20,000.

The First State Bank and Trust Company of Fort Worth has increased their capital stock from \$150,000 to \$210,000.

The Pecos Irrigation Company was recently granted a permit to operate in Reeves county. The capital stock is \$25,000.

The Cleburne Peanut and Products Company has secured a charter to do business at Cleburne with a capital of \$25,000.

April was the largest building record at Wichita Falls in the history of that place, about \$170,000 in permits were issued there during the month.

Shipments of cattle in and around Lubbock have been unusually heavy recently, one party having shipped more than 4,000 head within the past two weeks.

Work has been started on a new oil mill at Mineola, which is to cost \$85,000 and be of a sixty-ton, three press mill, capacity. All all-steel seed house is to be built, the first one in East Texas.

Dallas is making extensive preparations for the meeting of the Shriners, who will convene the National order at that place beginning Monday, May 12. A fund of about \$100,000 was raised for the entertainment of the guests, which promises to be in the neighborhood of 15,000.

Dallas has passed a chicken ordinance, which requires all parties owning or controlling fowls of any class to keep them confined on their own premises and violations of the act are punishable by fine not exceeding \$5-\$10 and \$50 for the first, second and third offenses.

A five-year-old boy, son of a farmer living near Rome, Texas, picked up a shot gun and pointed it at his baby sister, four months old. The gun was discharged, killing the infant instantly, the contents of the gun passing through the body.

The Rankin Telephone Company of Mission, Hidalgo county, has been chartered with a capital stock of \$16,000.

The Dallas Electric Company has filed a certificate of organization in August, Me., to do a general lighting, heating and street railways business. The capital is \$7,000,000.

Miss Elsie Brown, a 17-year-old girl, who was struck by an automobile recently succumbed to the injuries after having lingered in a state of unconsciousness from Sunday until Friday night. She and her parents were leaving a church when the accident occurred in Dallas.

The Sherman Gas, Light and Fuel Company, a corporation operating and a Maine laws, was granted a permit to do business in Texas last week at Austin. The capital stock is \$200,000.

The legislative investigation committee looking into the financial status of the prison system have about finished their work and it is expected that they will recommend an entirely new prison plant with some radical changes in the present system.

Houston has a plan to take care of her finances by a temporary bond issue of \$1,200,000, which it is understood local bankers will take care of.

The Texans in the parade at the National Advertising league that will meet in Baltimore in a few days, will carry six different flags, representing the six different periods of history through which the state has passed. Six members of the Dallas ad league will be dressed in vogue with the six periods.

IDEAS for HOME BUILDERS

Mr. William A. Radford was asked questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 178 West Jackson boulevard, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose two-cent stamp for reply.

There is more solid comfort in a house that is "just big enough, and no more," than there is in the most elaborate mansion which is far beyond the requirements of its occupants. In all house planning, economy is the part of wisdom; and the size of a man's house is sometimes an indication of his good or poor judgment. For a young couple starting out in life, or for an older couple for whom the flight of years has called their children away to other homes of their own, a five-room cottage like the one here illustrated is "plenty big enough." It costs little to build and keep up, and the daily housework is not over-heavy.

A five-room cottage, however, that is convenient and that looks neat and comfortable, is not easily planned. There are many difficulties in the way of laying out living rooms and bedrooms on one floor. Cottage house plans have brought gray hairs to the heads of many architects, and a good deal of comfort to the owners after they are built and paid for.

Formerly families were not so hard to please as they are at the present time. In fact, a hundred years ago the most fastidious and exclusive of our forefathers thought they were quite comfortable in a log cottage having two rooms and a loft. The front room answered for parlor, sitting-room, bedroom and general living room; while the kitchen did service for general work, comprising cooking and washing, as well as storage for wood, vegetables and many other things. A little round-bottom table in one corner did service for a dining table.

Nothing but nicely mown grass has any business in the main lawn. There may be borders of plants and borders of flowers next to the house and along the fences. There may be fruit bushes and fruit trees, if the lot is big enough—the more the better until they crowd one another; but there should be system in it all. On a large town or village lot a great deal of fruit and vegetables can be grown in the back garden. It helps the general appearance of the home to have the fruit or vegetable garden definitely marked off by a low hedge. The hedge may be permanent, or it may be of annual plants, flowering shrubs, or such flowers as the salvia, dahlia, chrysanthemum, etc. A screen covered with climbing cucumber (the greenhouse sort), scarlet runners, sweet peas, morning glories, moon flowers, etc., is useful in some places, and pretty, too. When people get interested in growing vines, shrubs and flowers they find a great many varieties suitable for one place or another in the garden, in such a way as to conform readily to a general plan. A little house like this, finished up in such a complete manner, shows comfort; and it feels just as good as it looks.



This table often was made by splitting a log in the middle and inserting lengths cut from saplings for legs in the rounded side.

Since the "good old times," however, cottage houses have passed through a wonderful evolution. A little improvement can be traced through each generation, until the present plans offer almost as much comfort and privacy as a two-story house. Our grandfathers had an open fireplace; and it has pleased the present generation to retain this idea, although in a greatly modified form. We haven't so much room to spend on brickwork; nor do we need such a wide opening, because we do not cook in the fireplace any more, and we have no logs or cord-

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Tolstoy's Last Wishes. The last wishes of Count Tolstoy regarding his estate have finally, owing to the devotion of his daughter, the Countess Alexandra, been complied with. Three-fourths of the estate of Jasnaja has been legally settled on the peasants who occupied the land, the other fourth, with the dwelling house and the tomb of the renowned author, remaining in possession of the family. The mother and brother of this daughter opposed the alienation of the property, but the Countess Alexandra paid them 400,000 rubles which she received from the sale of her father's rights of authorship and thus became owner of the land which she gave over to the peasants.

Time to Surrender. Wife—Do you mean to tell me you lost \$2 at cards? Husband—I don't mean to tell you, but I may as well—you'll find out anyway.

Explaining the Game. At a baseball game in Downs last fall a young woman asked her escort: "Why does that man behind the batter wear such a big bib?" He explained to her that it was to keep the catcher's shirt from getting mused when the ball knocked his teeth out.—Kansas City Times.

Appetite and Digestion Busy? Then you possess the real secret of good health. Guard it carefully and at the first sign of distress or weakness take **HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS**. It promotes and maintains health. Get a bottle. It will help you.

ALBERTA THE PRICE OF BEEF IS HIGH AND SO IS THE PRICE OF CATTLE. For years the Province of Alberta (Western Canada) was the Big Hatching Country. Many of these flocks today are immense grain flocks and the cattle given place to the cultivation of wheat, oats, barley and flax. The change has made many thousands of Americans, settled on these plains, wealthy, but it has increased the price of live stock. There is splendid opportunity now to get a **Free Homestead** of 160 acres (and another as a pre-emption) in the newer districts and produce either cattle or grain. The crops are always good, the climate is excellent, schools and churches are convenient, markets plentiful, and the Dominion of Alberta, the latest information, railway rates, etc., to **G. A. COOK,** 125 W. 9th Street, Kansas City, Mo., or address Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada.

Very Plain Criticism. Children are not always grateful beings, and they are notably hard to entertain. At a birthday party a kindly natured adult had tolled hard in the effort to amuse the children by means of parlor magic, ventriloquism, burlesque dancing and the like. The other adults present were highly amused, and some of the children deigned to chuckle mildly. The mother of the hostess, however, felt that full justice had not been rendered, so before announcing refreshments she took pains to thank the entertainer, and to call the attention of the youngsters to his gifts. "Mr. Blank is very funny, isn't he, children?" she concluded. From the rear of the room came a small, shrill voice: "Yessum, but not so funny as he thinks he is!"

Young Financier. Freddie came into the house one day and said that the woman next door had offered him a penny if he would tell what his mother had said about her. "I'm so glad you didn't tell," remarked his mother. "I wouldn't have her know for anything that I even mention her. You're a wise little boy, my dear." "You bet, I am," returned Freddie. "When she offered me the penny I told her that what you said was something awful and it was worth half a dollar."

CLEARED AWAY Proper Food Put the Troubles Away. Our own troubles always seem more severe than any others. But when a man is unable to eat even a light breakfast, for years, without severe distress, he has trouble enough. It is small wonder he likes to tell of food which cleared away the troubles. "I am glad of the opportunity to tell of the good Grape-Nuts has done for me," writes a N. H. man. "For many years I was unable to eat even a light breakfast without great suffering. "After eating I would suddenly be seized with an attack of colic and vomiting. This would be followed by headache and misery that would sometimes last a week or more, leaving me so weak I could hardly sit up or walk. "Since I began to eat Grape-Nuts I have been free from the old troubles. I usually eat Grape-Nuts one or more times a day, taking it at the beginning of the meal. Now I can eat almost anything I want without trouble. "When I began to use Grape-Nuts I was way under my usual weight, now I weigh 30 pounds more than I ever weighed in my life, and I am glad to speak of the food that has worked the change." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little booklet, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason." Every read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are sensation, true, and full of human interest.

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Some much of their bargains talk
 Much long and very, very loud;
 But never deliver the chalk,
 Neither do they fool the crowd.
 If bargains you wish to meet
 Just follow the procession grand,
 And they will lead on either street,
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 Our "Motto" to one and all
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 Misrepresent in what we tell.
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Valley Fork, W. Va.—"I was so weak," writes Mrs. W. A. Thomas, of Valley Fork, "that I could hardly get around in the house. I used Cardui, and now I feel better, and my friends say I look better, than I have for a long time.

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Rev. Dan'l Rees left last Tuesday for St. Louis to attend the Southern Baptist church convention which convenes there this week.

Lost—A barbed pin, filled with brilliants and one emerald set. Finder return to this office and receive reward.

Miss Carrie Bell, of Salina, Kans., has accepted a position as stenographer for attys. Loring & Dial.

Born—Last Tuesday night to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Coffey, an 11 lb. boy. Logan says he thinks he (Logan) will recover.

The following have received new Ford autos recently: Sam Seiber, John Graham and Henry Gill.

Mrs. Earl and Miss Bessie Rhodes left Thursday night for Oklahoma City.

Payette Yokley was transacting business in Miami one day this week.

Get busy and think over the proposition of the incorporation of Miami. The last count on the population is 10,000. We have 1,023.

Cupid at Vassar

The Philathea Class of the Baptist day School have pledged \$200.00 construction of the new \$5,000.00 Church, at Miami, and this Plan given under their auspices to raise amount.

Caste of Characters.

- John Willett, a young architect
 Ames North, of North & Sons, Bankers
 Shiny; a lazy darkey
 Hank Gubbin, the hired man
 Mrs. Newton, of Great Falls, Va.
 Kate, her daughter
 Wanda, Kate's half-sister
 Miss Page
 Sally Webb
 Matty Hart
 Alice Worth
 Patty Snow
 Helen Conway
 College Girls at Vassar College.

Thursday, May 23
 At the Auditorium, 8:30 p. m.
 ADMISSION 15c and 25c

H. A. Talley spent Sunday in Panama.

Miss Fay Bennett, of Panama, was visiting friends in Miami last Sunday.

Miss Genevieve Livingston, of San Diego, Cal., is visiting with Miss Imogene Grigsby. Miss Livingston will next visit with her mother, Mrs. John Palmer, of Mobeetie, Tex.

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M. I. O. F.
Miami Lodge No. 48, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, meet in their own Hall each Tuesday night.
Roy Trowbridge, N. G.
L. G. Christopher, Secy.

Miami Lodge No 805, A F & A M, meets night of First Friday of each month
Dan Kivlehen, W. M.
M. W. Sullivan, Sec.

Royal Arch Chapter, 265, meet night of Third Friday in each month.
H. E. Baird, H. P.
W. S. Tolbert, Sec.

Red Deer Camp, M. W. A. No. 13193
Meet 4th Thursday night of each month
Oscar Ryan, V. C.
T. F. Mashburn, Clerk

Miami Homestead No. 1606
Brotherhood of American Yeomen.
Meet on Every 1st Friday Night.
J. M. GRIGSBY, Foreman.
ROY TROWBRIDGE, Correspondent.

Miami Lodge No. 336 K of P. meet the night of the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month.
D. K. Hickman, C. C.
N. S. Locke, K. of R. & S.

Miami Camp W O W No. 900
Meets 4th Saturday night of each month.
H. M. Anderson, C. C.
A. R. Trowbridge, Clerk.

Miami Council No. 1783 OF
Knights & Ladies SECURITY
Meet on Every 3rd Saturday night.
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To suffer from Skin Diseases, Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, etc., when one 50c box of "Hunt's Cure" is positively guaranteed to cure or your money promptly refunded. Every retail drug gist in the State stands behind this guarantee. Ask your druggist and see the guarantee with each box. You don't risk anything in giving it a trial.

For Sale.
Two Durham milch-cows, fresh, at my place 14 miles south of Miami.
89, 44p B. O. Bertrand.

Pavement Paragraphs

The Comings and Goings of You and Your Neighbors

We have just unloaded the best lot of Red Cedar posts that ever come to Miami. Come to see us before you buy post. We have all kinds. Panhandle Lumber Co.

We handle nails by the car load. Here is the place to buy your nails. Panhandle Lumber Co.

For any kind of hauling phone No. 66.

Try Christopher Bros, new mixed Feed. For sale at Locke's.

If you want your clothes cleaned and pressed right bring them to the City Pantitorium. 40

The City Pantitorium has a nice line of suit samples. Call around and look at them. 40

You had better see the Panhandle Lumber Co., about your lumber bill, you might miss something. Our lumber can not be surpassed anywhere.

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Go to the White House and get screens for the house. Keep out the flies and avoid sickness.

Mrs. Theron U. Alverson returned to Miami Friday afternoon after a ten days' visit in Mobeetie.—Mobeetie News.

Ben Tolley, of Amarillo, was in Miami this week and made a trip to Mobeetie Wednesday with T. H. Philpott.

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One 12-ft. Deering header. One gang plow with sod attachment. One walking sod plow, and other second hand farming implements.
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Do you need any trees, shrubs or flowers. If so call at the Chief office.

To sell Vendor Lien notes or farm loans, see or write, S. D. Park, Mobeetie, Texas. 26 tf

Henry Weckesser and other carpenters, of Miami, were through here Thursday enroute to A. Fisterwald's to build a dwelling.—Mobeetie News.

For disinfecting the premises go to the White House and get a sack of hydrated lime. Scatter around the pig pen, barn lots, etc., and keep away flies and sickness.

Notice.

Anyone leaving gates open on the road running west through the Cunningham pasture will be prosecuted.

R. H. ELKINS,
Miami, Texas.
40-4t

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I will stand my sorrel English Shire Stallion, Prince, weight 1,400 lbs., on my place 10 mi. south of Miami. Terms to insure living colt, \$6.00. W. C. Christopher,
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Hail Insurance.

I represent several Mutual Hail Insurance companies, and, after investigating them, I think they are safe. L. B. Robertson,
41 tf Miami, Texas.

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This fact, in connection with their well known custom of a SQUARE DEAL FOR EVERYONE, and their courteous and honorable treatment of their customers should result in an increase in their already large business.

The Baptist Ladies will serve Ice Cream and Lemonade at the "Moonlight Box Supper" on B. F. Talley's lawn Tuesday May 20, from 7:00 to 10:00 p. m. Don't fail to attend. Bring your boxes.

Mrs. John Short is visiting relatives in Mobeetie this week.

The following attended the Masonic lodge at Mobeetie Thursday night: Dan Kivlehen, John Short, M. M. Craig.

Misses Fannie and Laura Lee are visiting in Miami.

W. B. Dunn, R. R. McGregor and E. A. Dunn, of Mobeetie, attended the funeral of Wm. Wilson here this week.

Archie King and son, Woods, are trading in Miami today.

A. C. Chilton came over from Mobeetie Wednesday.

Judge L. C. Heare went over to Mobeetie Wednesday and purchased a fine bunch of hogs from J. J. Long.

Bro. J. W. Whatley will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday night. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Preaching at 11 o'clock every 1st and 3rd Sundays; Sunday School at 10 every Sunday; prayer-meeting every Wednesday night.—Daniel Rees, Pastor.
Business meeting Wed. night after first Sunday of each month.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Bible School meets promptly at 10 o'clock every Lord's Day; suitable classes for all ages. You are invited to attend.—Geo. Wilks, Supt.
Preaching every 2nd Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.—S. A. McPherson, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH—Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday at eleven o'clock. Sunday School at 10 o'clock.
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and be sure to let me figure on the job. I have just received some new sample books and can please you.

Claude Weckesser
MIAMI, -:- TEXAS

Dr. C. W. Jones made his regular weekly professional visit to Miami Wednesday and Thursday. The doctor will be here again next week on the above named days.

Keep posted—read the Chief.
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W. H. Elliott,
Miami, -:- Texas

See the "Porosknit" display in the window of S. C. Osborne & Co. This is "Porosknit" week all over the United States and Osbornes are the local representatives. Get the Genuine from S. C. Osborne & Co.

Hail Insurance.

In the old reliable Ss. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance Co. This is not a mutual company. See J. E. Kinney,
42, 6t Miami, Texas.

The Ladies of the Baptist church will give a Moonlight Box Supper on B. F. Talley's lawn Tuesday, May 20, 7:00 to 10:00 p. m. Everybody welcome. Ladies requested to bring boxes. Music furnished by High School Band.

The following people from neighboring city Pampa attended the Thomson-Phillips revival Sunday. West Gordon and Baird and wife, Mrs. Herghter, Miss Texas and names we fail to get

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WATER MOST VALUABLE AGRICULTURAL ASSET.

Enough Wasted Annually to Supply 6,000,000 Acres. Conservation Urged.

The cry of water arising from the arid regions of Texas has caused the Texas Welfare Commission to investigate the subject of irrigation.

The report of the commission shows that we now have 425,000 acres of land under irrigation in Texas today, and of this area 275,000 acres are in rice and 150,000 in general crops and the land is the most valuable in the state.

The report further states that water is our most valuable agricultural asset. According to the report of the division of irrigation investigations of the United States Department of Agriculture, there is wasted into the Gulf of Mexico through the ordinary flow of the Trinity river each year upwards of four million acre feet of water, through the Brazos two million acre feet; through the Colorado one and one-half million acre feet through the Rio Grande five million acre feet, one-half of which we claim. Through these four streams at least ten million acre feet of water is each year lost to Texas which, if conserved, would serve as a supplemental supply of water to at least six million acres of land.

The commission finds millions of acres of fertile soil in southwest and west Texas land without an artificial supply of water that has very little value, and there is no section of the state in which the productive power of the soil will not be immensely increased if, when periods of scant rainfall occur, a supplementary water supply is available and applied. The area to be irrigated is only limited by the extent of the water supply. This supply may be drawn from the natural flow of streams, from their flood discharges by impounding in reservoirs, from artesian and from shallow wells.

The commission suggests a unity of effort between the federal and state governments in the solution of our irrigation problems. The federal government stands ready to spend dollar for dollar in this cooperative work with the state. It is hoped that a co-operative bill along this line may be enacted at the opening session of the legislature.

Give Money to Domestic.
Among the celebrations connected with the "same day" of Francis Joseph, of Austria, is the giving of money to servants long in the service of one family. Eleven women receive \$62.50 each, and others \$41.50.

FARM LIFE COMMISSION

Texas Secretaries Study Farm Life Conditions—Head of Farmers' Union to Manage Bureau.

The Texas Farm Life Commission is going to inaugurate a movement to "keep the boys on the farm" and they propose to do this by making farm life more attractive and the business of farming more remunerative. Many of the youngsters, attracted by the glare of the city, leave the farm before realizing the wonderful possibilities that surround them in their country homes. Then there are problems in production and marketing that must be solved through organized effort.

The commission will study every phase of agriculture and will endeavor to provide the machinery for taking out the waste in methods of producing and marketing farm products.

The commission was organized by the Texas Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association and is composed of fifteen members. Mr. S. A. Lindsey of Tyler is chairman of the commission and Peter Radford of Fort Worth manager. The following are the commissioners: H. Lass, Brookshire; S. D. Steedman, Hagerman; J. T. S. Gant, Archer City; Geo. B. Dealey, Dallas; W. F. Proctor, Tyler; E. W. Knox, San Antonio; Joe Hirsch, Corpus Christi; Mrs. E. P. Turner, Dallas; A. Caswell Ellis, Austin; E. J. Kyle, College Station; Edwin Chamberlain, San Antonio; E. W. Kirkpatrick, McKinney; C. W. Post, Post City, and R. J. Kleberg, Kingsville.

The commission will hold a meeting at an early date to outline the work and appoint sub-committees and otherwise organize its forces for aggressive work in every county in Texas.

Mr. Peter Radford, manager of the commission, is president of the Farmers' union, and his general knowledge of agricultural conditions in the state and wide personal acquaintance among the farmers well qualifies him for the work. Mr. Radford will spend most of his time on the road in the interest of the movement. The state headquarters of the organization will be in Fort Worth.

Wouldn't Play Second Fiddle.
Here is a story a Kansas Irishman tells on hash. An Irishman who arrived in this country only a few days before, was offered some hash. He refused it. "Let them that chewed it eat it," he said.—Kansas City Journal.

COMMISSION SUGGESTS WORKMAN'S COMPENSATION ACT.

Present Method Wasteful—Elimination of Middlemen Suggested As Solution.

Houston, Texas.—A workman's compensation act along the lines suggested by the Texas Welfare Commission contemplates the practical elimination of the middlemen, who are largely the cause of mauling the employer and defeating the injured employe of his just dues. This it does by accepting the broad principle that all workmen injured in the course of the industry in which they were engaged when injured.

The extent of the waste resulting from our present system is indicated by a statement by the committee of the Wisconsin Legislature. It said that for an employer to pay about \$18 to an injured employe on account of injury, it requires \$82 to carry the \$18 to him.

Mr. R. S. Lovett, executive head of the Harriman lines, in discussing this subject, said in part:

"A man suffers an injury that may justify perhaps a verdict for twenty or thirty thousand dollars. The lawyer makes a contract with him, usually by which the lawyer gets fifty per cent of the recovery and by which the injured person is precluded from settling his own claim. This is money out of pocket for the railroad and it is not money in the pocket of the injured employe. For that reason the system is vicious and it can be, and ought to be, remedied. My own judgment is that the best remedy would be a statute that would prohibit lawyer's fees in any personal injury case of more than five hundred dollars. I think that would be ample compensation. Having practiced law myself, I know something of the value of legal services and I hope I do not depreciate them; but railroad companies employ lawyers to defend such suits and at the time I lived in Texas—I do not know what the scale is now—the very best lawyers in the state would take and defend such cases for \$250 or \$300 per case."

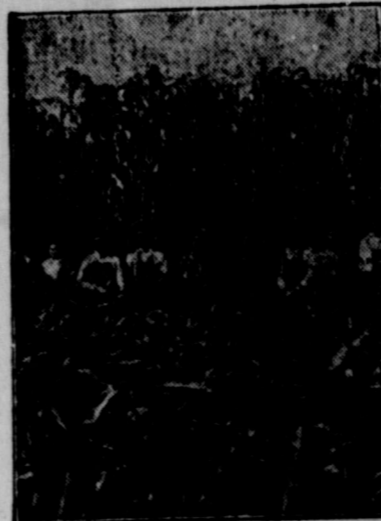
Mr. E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe, said in part:

"Our loss and damage claims per mile were about three times as much as the average of our entire railroad in fourteen states. I suppose everybody knows about the loss and damage industry in Texas; it is an industry; that is the correct name to give it. It may be felonious, but it is an industry."

Irony of Fate.
Gen. Kokstourov, running upstairs to thank the minister of war for ordering him to the front (he begged to be allowed to die a soldier's death), was claimed by heart disease on the top step.

BROOM CORN CULTIVATION

Discussions by Men Experienced in Growing This Valuable Crop



A field of Broom Corn on Coles County Seed Farm.

PREFERS BROOM CORN TO ANY OTHER CROP.

(By John Furness, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 25, Sullivan, Illinois.)

My experience in broom corn dates back to 1886, when we used the old hand cylinder, round poles for slates, old fashioned racks, and had to bald the corn old fashioned hand balers. I differ from most growers, as I would rather raise and take care of a crop of broom corn than any other crop raised on the farm. Money can be made raising broom corn if managed right, as I have cleared as much as \$100.00 to one acre, with the brush and seed.

Beginners should not plant too large a crop the first year.

Beginning with the seed, we raise our own, and for several years secured the best I could secure, and then used the seed on the very nicest and finest heads. This is given my personal attention, as broom corn runs out very easily. By using the best of care in the bad season, we are likely to have some inferior corn, but if we do not use care, it will all be inferior. Like raising stock, select the best sires, and you will have scrubs enough. The seed planted should all be subjected to treatment, and use one pound Formaldehyde to thirty gallons of water, wet thoroughly, stir until dry. This treatment kills the smut germ.

For nice color, broom corn should be cut as soon as the seed is well out of the dough, and when the stem is tough at the first joint and will not snap off. If the weather is settled, it should be seeded the next day. The corn is carried from the seeders to the shelves, and shelved at once; about three inches deep, more or less according to the conditions, dry or wet, and should be left on the shelves until the sap is all out, which requires from one to two weeks.

Do not believe there is any variety of broom corn better than the Austrian. Have an improved Evergreen that is about three weeks earlier than the Austrian, but the quality, while better than the old Evergreen, is not as good as the Austrian.

CAN AFFORD TO PAY TOP PRICES FOR BROOMCORN.

(By C. C. Carson of Central Broom Co., Jefferson City, Mo.)

Regardless of all other conditions, pure broomcorn seed is the most important, and too much attention cannot be given to broomcorn growing. There is not a broom manufacturer who is not attracted by and will pay the top price for broomcorn that has a smooth fiber, fair length, green color, well seeded, and nicely baled. Two cross wires fastened to the top and bottom wires on each bale is a matter of insurance that the bales will remain in good condition, and we can afford to pay the top price for such corn, because there is no waste and no expense for rebaling. The farmer who has such broomcorn will always get a lot more than the top of the market.

During the last few years, generally speaking, the quality of broomcorn has been poor, and it is absolutely necessary for the farmers in the country to take some measures to insure a better quality and better handling of this crop. It will pay them as it is evidenced by the high price that is secured by the grower who uses pure seed, handles his corn properly, has it well seeded and baled.

During the 1910 crop when prices were lower there was never a time when good broomcorn did not bring a good price; as manufacturers are only too glad to avail themselves of the opportunity of securing brush of this kind.

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