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Miami Takes Three Games from Amarillo

A nice bunch of ball players from Amarillo invaded our city Thursday evening, full of vim and vigor for the National sport. The game was called at 4 p.m. and was very snappy from the start. Batteries for Amarillo Crotty and Buckingham, for Miami Moles and Jones.

The second game played Friday morning was lively and lasted twelve innings. In the ninth inning the game stood 4 to 4, in the eleventh both sides succeeded in scoring a run, then in the twelfth, with two men down and the bases full, "Chief" Jones doing the receiving act for Miami slapped one square in the face that sent the oldest Panhandle ball player, Dick Lewis, back deep in the green, and then scoring some twenty feet over him. When the dust cleared away, and all was calm, we could see the big Chief hitched over to the third hitting post. He was scored on a hit and Miami won 9 to 5. Batteries for Miami, Cook and Jones, for Amarillo Wharton and Buchingham.

The last game played Friday afternoon, was by far the best game of the series. It also went twelve innings with a final score of 4 to 3 for Miami. Batteries, Short and Stonerod for Miami, Almond and Heins for Amarillo.

Very few errors were made in the series.

Following is the score by innings.

First Game	
Miami	0 0 0 0 1 2 0 0 0
Amarillo	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1
Second Game	
Miami	0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 1 0 4
Amarillo	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0
Third Game	
Miami	2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
Ama	1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

The Miami Ball team is somewhat on the map this summer, having played 15 games, losing only two. They now claim the Championship of the Panhandle as every team they have met went down in defeat, yes even to the "Notorious, Shamrock Blassegame Colts".

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The Panhandle Baptist Association will hold its annual meeting in Miami, beginning tonight and continuing over to Sunday. We have failed to get the program of the meeting, and so far have failed to get the particulars more than the meeting will likely be at Presbyterian church

A Tragic Event

It was a town girl—and the same sad story that, alas, has often been told, and checkered many a young life which had its beginning in sunshine, surrounded by luxury and wealth of the world. Her eyes were wild and staring, her face was flushed and her hands were nervously working. She was deeply troubled, an injured woman, and we hear her saying: "Oh! cruel one, you have injured the very foundation of my being. Day by day you have tortured me and yet I could not bear to give you up. When we first met how your ease and polish attracted me! When you became my own how many friends invited me. But your understanding is too small for my large soul. You are opposed to advancing myself in society. If we had never met I might have walked in peace. So now be gone! We part forever. There was a moments contusive breathing, a gritting of teeth and a sharp sigh, it was all over. By a supreme effort she had pulled off her new shoe

Mobeetic News

Messers Anderson, W. L. Parton, M. R. Coffee and Pete Long attended the ball games at Miami.

F. P. Reid is threshing alfalfa this week.

Mr. Parton and family have rented the Leake residence.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Cox, a girl.

Mr. Darlington of Merry Flats had 500 acres of feed stuff hauled out last week.

Mr. Tom Masterson was visiting the Branch Anderson family last week.

G. R. Powell has returned from a prospecting trip to Colo. and N. M.

Chas. Hamilton of K.C. is here visiting his mother.

Mrs. Branch Anderson is visiting relatives in Miami.

J. R. Talley, J. W. Fultz, C. D. Trusty, N. A. Scribner, Messers Stande, Powers and Bell motored to Wichita Falls last week fishing.

J. V. Coffee, R. R. McGregor, L. G. Waggoner and family were Sunday visitors from Miami

Freak Laws

Despite the publicity given to freak laws and satirical comment passed upon them by thoughtful newspapers, legislators continue to make laws which are so absurd that their enforcement is impossible, and politicians bend the statutes to suit their own ends and personal advancement regardless of the good of the state. Wisconsin, which has been more or less in the limelight for freak laws, has passed a law making a person pay \$5 for a license to give cigarettes. People who bum cigarettes from friends cannot do so without laying that friend liable to a fine. Georgia's Legislature has passed a law preventing legislators from entering the hall in an intoxicated condition. Although Georgia is a dry state, no other state in the union has such a law. The "soft drink" men of Georgia are also up in the air over a bill forcing all soft drink stands to have to pay a license. All manufactures of syrups and other makings for soft drinks are taxed very heavily. Recently Texas steps into the light with a curious perversion of law for the purpose of reprisal. The wet and dry forces of Wichita Falls have been about equally divided. Recently the bartenders refused to vote for the candidates of the labor unions, and now the unions are going to get even, by voting out the saloons and depriving the bartenders of their jobs. Landlords in the business section of the town are going to be made to suffer also. They turned down recently a petition to reduce rents. Now these renters are going to vote out the saloons in order to have 27 vacant rooms on the market thus forcing down the rent. In Chicago a woman is urging the passage of an ordinance to force milkmen to wear rubber heels on their shoes

Over The Plains

Mr. C. W. Maston and Mrs. Grotcher of Claude were married there last week.

Mr. "Lynch" Dodson of Ochiltree and a Miss Lackey of Chicago were married in Chicago last week.

Messers Joe Mulkey and Theodore Green both of Clarendon died there Monday.

We noticed in the Higgins News of last week, a complete program for their 6th annual Fair to be had this fall, and it looks good to us.

From the McLean News we learn that the hobos on the Rock island have raked up the nerve to steal the push-cars and use them for transportation.

The Canyon ball team defeated the Amarillo Stars Thursday 6 to 5 making 6 straight games they have beat Amarillo.

Canadian will have a lyceum course this year made up of home entertainments, all home talent.

District court is grinding away at Canadian. The docket has not been heavy but some of the cases rather long.

The First State Bank of Claude will begin the erection of a new two-story brick building at once.

Evangelist Ed J. Phillips is conducting a revival at Wellington this week.

The Wheeler county singing convention met last week at Wheeler.

The Revival Meeting

Rev. M. J. Thompson and his singer Mr. Bledsoe are conducting a revival meeting at the Methodist church this week. The meeting began Friday night of last week, and the interest has increased continually. Services are held at 10:00 in the morning and 8:00 in the evening. Rev. Thompson held a very successful meeting in Miami three years ago. We trust that this meeting will be equally as good. All are invited to come and partake of the spiritual feast

Miss Bessie McLaren Marries

Word was received from Claude this week that Miss Bessie McLaren and Mr. J. W. Weeks of that place were married there last week.

Miss Bessie is a very fine young lady and has a host of friends in Miami who wish the young couple a happy life

The Gypsy Visit

A band of Gypsies visited us Monday for a short time, but finding Miami pretty well on to their kind of work, they soon found their way out of town, directed by City Marshall Wilson and Sheriff Hardin. They made several of the stores a call and the B. Z. Williams store was missing a diamond ring when they left town, however, they were closely searched the ring not being found.

The Weather

Climatic conditions in Roberts county have been unsettled this week. Heavy rains have visited the south plains and between here and Mobeetic in some places the rains were heavy while some were slighted. The north plains have not had much rain. Last night a severe electric storm visited us with a pretty good rain, which seems to have been pretty general over the country.

Canyon Defeats Miami

The Miami Ball team invaded the ranks at Canyon for three games. Mondays game was a two to two tie, 12 innings and was called on account of darkness. Tuesdays game resulted in a 4 to 5 victory for canyon and Wednesday was a 9 to 6 victory for Canyon. The home boys say that Canyon certainly has a fine bunch of ball players, and this with a few tricks of the trade some teams work on their home diamond resulted in their defeat. They report a very nice time and fine treatment while in the school city.

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Mr. Grace Patton left Wednesday for Anna, Texas where he will spend the winter with his mother.

Mrs. Mage Lard and daughter Ivy are spending the week with Mrs. Pursley.

Gerrond Ramsay and wife went to Miami Monday.

Bye Williams is building a new house on the place he purchased from Bud McCuistian.

Erve Black is fencing his land hog proof.

Mr. Jones Seitz and daughter, of Denton County are visiting at the J. E. Seitz home.

W. D. Christopher, H. Hoskins and families attended church in Miami Sunday.

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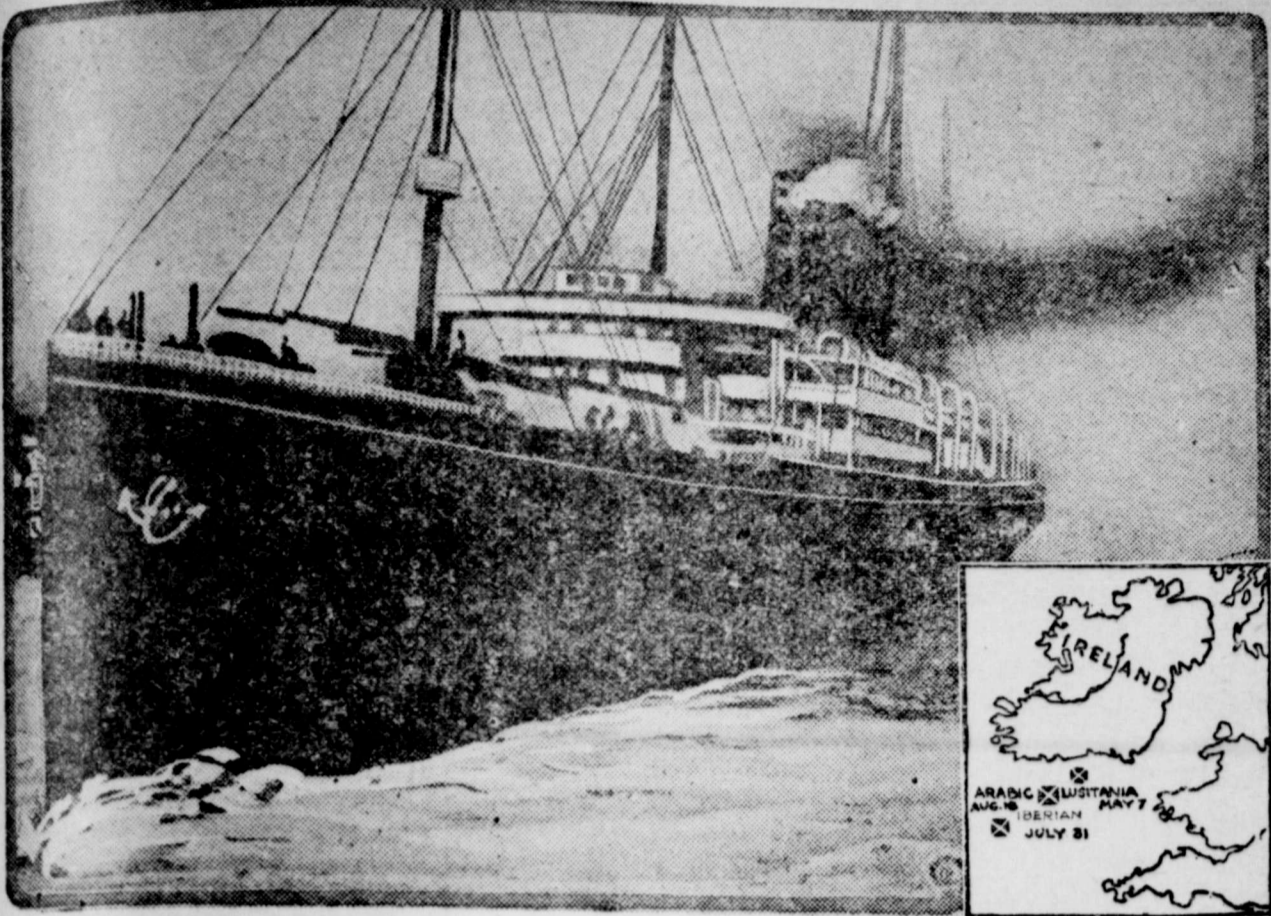
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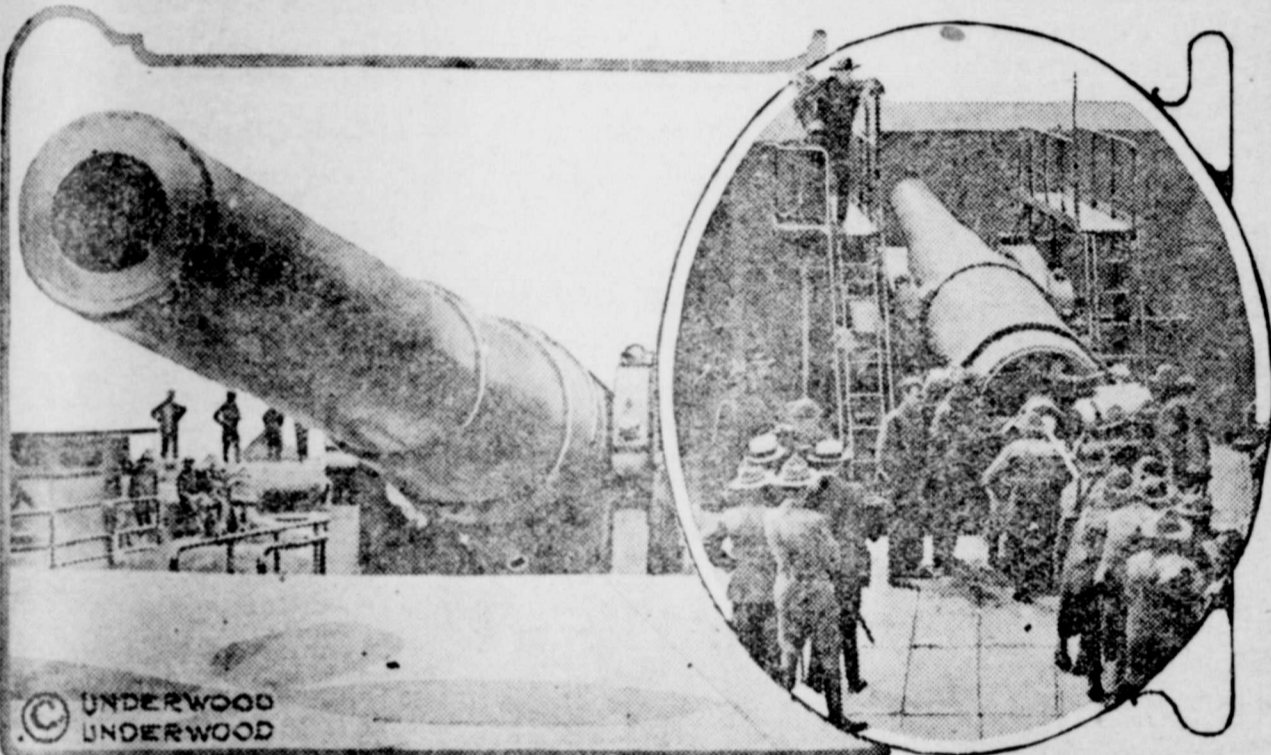
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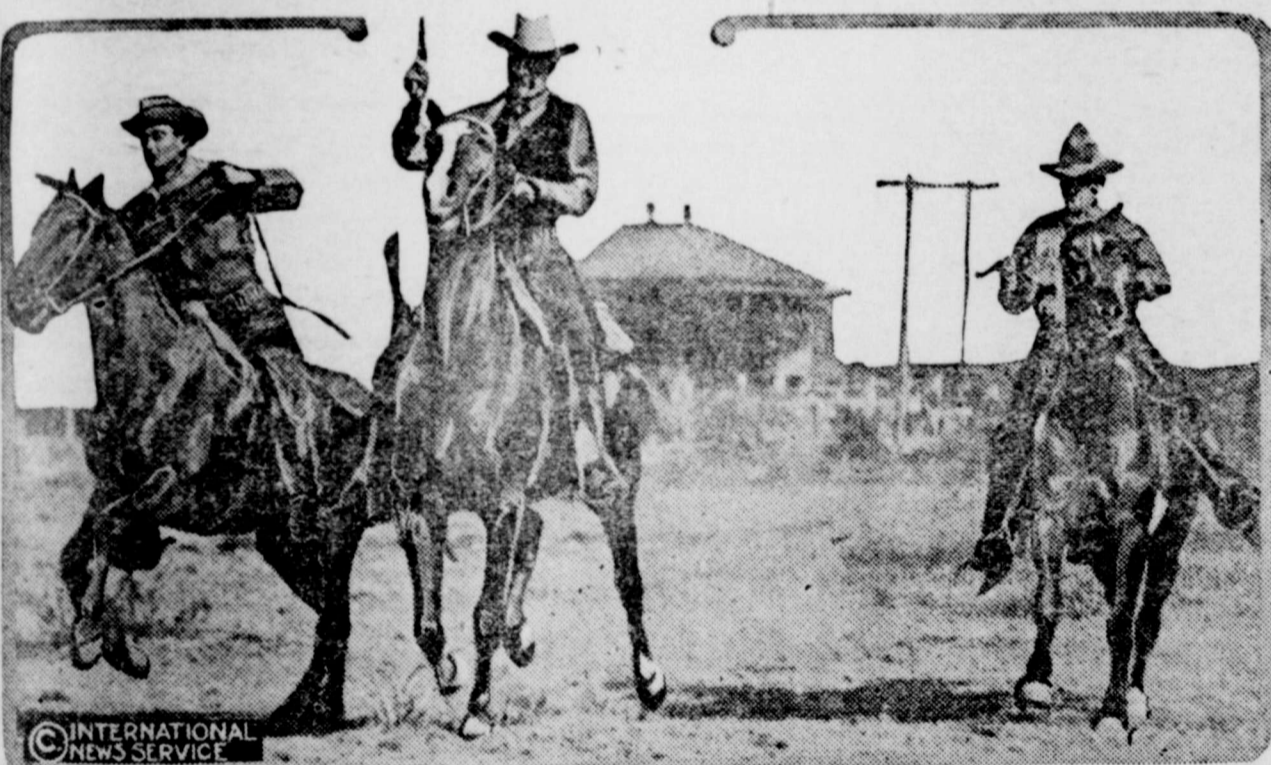
Steamer Arabic of the White Star line, torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine off the South coast of Ireland as she was on her way from Liverpool to Boston. Of the 423 persons aboard about twenty are missing, and two of these are Americans. The map shows where the Arabic lies, in relation to the location of the similar successful attacks on the Lusitania and the Iberian.

READY TO DEFEND THE ATLANTIC COAST



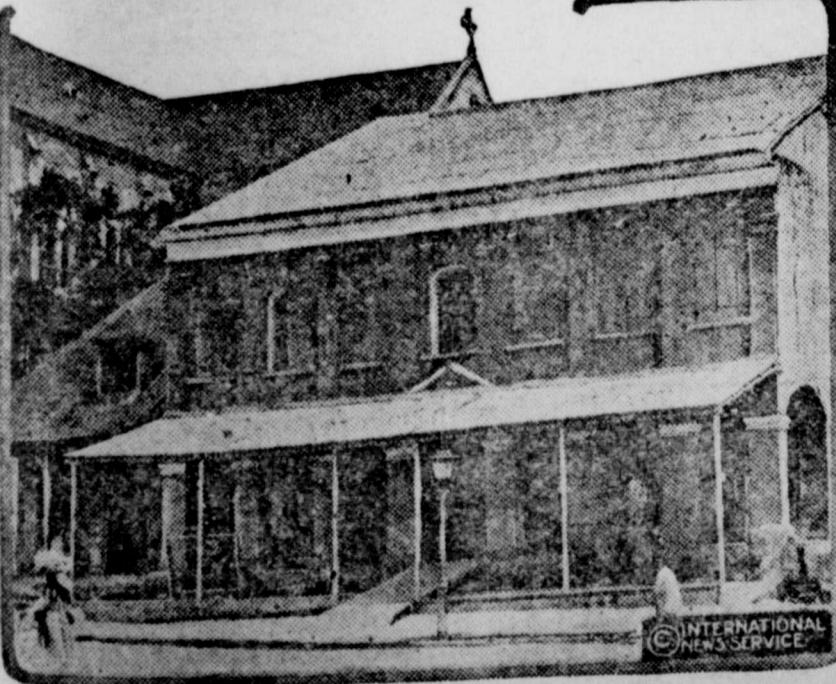
This is one of the many 12-inch disappearing coast defense guns in the forts along the Atlantic coast. It is at Fort Wright on Fisher's island, off New London, Conn. At the right the coast defense division of the National Guard is seen at practice with this gun.

TEXAN RANGERS CHARGING MEXICAN BANDITS



Texan rangers have been very active in the frequent fights with the Mexican bandits, who have been making raids on this side of the Rio Grande. Three of them are here seen in attack on the bandits north of Brownsville, Tex.

OLD JAIL AT PORT-AU-PRINCE



This is the antiquated jail at Port-au-Prince, Haiti, from which a large number of political prisoners were taken, lined up and shot by order of President Guillaume Sam, who was assassinated immediately afterward.

OLDEST BUDDHIST PRIEST



At the right in the photograph is Rt. Rev. Sri Nazzimandana, said to be the oldest living Buddhist priest. With him is the maharajah of Sikkim. In dia. They are among the Asiatics gathered in San Francisco for a convention of Buddhist priests.

DESERT AUTO IS NO CAMEL

These Men Forget to Provide Water for Their Desert Ride and One Dies.

Failure to think about evaporation in an automobile radiator brought death to one man and frightful tortures to two others, who arrived in Los Angeles from the desert and told of their sufferings. The trio—James S. Roche and John H. Welsh, attorneys, and James G. Clarke, a real estate dealer—left here Sunday in an automobile for El Centro, in the imperial valley.

Monday morning the car stopped in the sand. The radiator was empty and they had no water. Roche and Welsh started after a mirage which they believed was the Salton sea. Clarke waited a day, and then, believing them dead, made his way to Mineral Springs, where he was resuscitated after falling himself in a faint and organized a rescue party. They found Roche unconscious and Welsh dead. Roche said they drank lubricating oil. —Philadelphia Record.

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Nothing to Be Said.

Judge—You admit, then, that you stole the loaf of bread?

Woman Prisoner—Yes, your honor.

Judge—What have you to say for yourself?

Woman—Nothing, your honor. If it was lace or jewelry, I might plead kleptomaniac, but we can't try that when it's bread.

Good!

In that new banana which Burbank has evolved the skiddy skin is omitted. This may be a gain for the banana and the public, but it's a painful loss for the professional funmaker. —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Circumstantial Evidence.

"How did you know that man was a sporting fellow?"

"Because when I trod on his horns he let out a regular football yell."

One Left.

"The fog system is obsolete in schools now, isn't it?"

"Yes, except the brain fog."

Sympathetic Turn.

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Its Kind.
"I see where they have a little Thimble theater in New York. What kind of plays have they?"
"Oh, I dare say, they are sew, sew."

Safest Marriages.
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—Kansas City Star.

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"It was one of my duties to rush out and move on all street organs and things of that kind. Many a time in the morning, before he rose, I used to fill his pipe, the short clay he used in his bedroom, for him, and strike the match to light it. I always cut up his tobacco (he bought it in flat cakes), and kept his tin box regularly supplied. He was always so grateful for these little services."

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Our Foreign Relations
When all the more important nations of Europe are engaged in war, our position as the neutral nation of the world is indeed momentous.

While our relations with Germany are strained our prognostication is that even in the event that no satisfactory solution is reached by the exchange of diplomatic notes, that our Government will not go any further than to recall our Ambassador from Germany and hand passports to the German Ambassador.

To think of the U.S. doing any more than this, is indeed, preposterous. The cost of transporting an army across ocean, even if that were practical outside of the question of cost, would be so heavy as to render it almost impossible. Our most eminent authorities in such matters, tell us that it would be almost an impossibility to transport an army over 100,000 men across the ocean. This taken together with the necessary baggage and equipment, would require all, if not more, shipping facilities than this country possesses. Then too, of what service would 100,000 men be in the present struggle. Stop a moment and think of the gigantic armies that are now struggling for supremacy, composed of millions of soldiers, and you will realize the impotency of any force that this country would be capable of transporting across the ocean.

It seems to us that should diplomatic negotiations fail to accomplish the desired end, that our purpose could be accomplished with less suffering to the nation and with greater dignity to ourselves by serving diplomatic relations with the German Empire, and at the close of the war, when our position as the most influential neutral nation will be important in deed, to demand proper indemnity from the German Government for their ruthless disregard of neutral rights on the high seas.

Ludwig Held of Panhandle gave the Panhandle country a good advertisement in Kansas City the other day when he talked with the editor of the Drovers Telegram. Thirteen years ago Mr. Held sold an 800 acre farm in Illinois at \$137. an acre, and bought 6,400 a. near Panhandle at \$3. an acre. He now values his big ranch at \$20. an acre. This year Mr. Held threshed 31 bu of wheat per acre, testing 62 lbs. to the bu. All this he told the Drovers Telegram, and more.

We raise a variety of crops in the Panhandle, Mr. Held said, and have no more crop failures than do the farmers of Illinois. Many of our farmers have paid for their land with the crops of two seasons. We consider our investments most valuable from the dollar viewpoint, and in addition we

have a superior climate. This year the Panhandle is breaking all records. One of my neighbors raised 42 bu of wheat per acre. Feterita, kafir, Sudan grass and cane, all high grade feed for stock and sure crops. Kaffir making 40 bushels per acre, when ground or mixed with silage or cane will fatten cattle at far less expense than high priced feed in Illinois, giving us a great advantage over cattle feeders elsewhere in the corn belt. The rapid spread of stock farming in the Panhandle is soon going to make itself felt in the production of pork and beef. We need no longer to raise cattle to be sold as stockers to corn belt farmers to mature and finish. All this is going to be done right on our Panhandle farms.

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Luck is the silent partner of the man with brains and hustle

"Too tired to think" is a common expression. But then some people never do think.

Many a good politician was spoiled in the making of a poor preacher.

For its future growth and development this country must look largely to the marriage market.

Make a practice of saying "I can't" and you won't.

Keep your eyes to the front Success never grabs at your coat tails.

When nature made you she set a mark for you to reach, Are you there.

STRAYED
Two bay mares, about same size both having white hind feet, strayed from our pasture Wednesday, Aug. 4. One is 2 yr. old. blaze face, the other 4yr. old, with halter on, also wire cut on right front foot. Phone me if located and receive reward.
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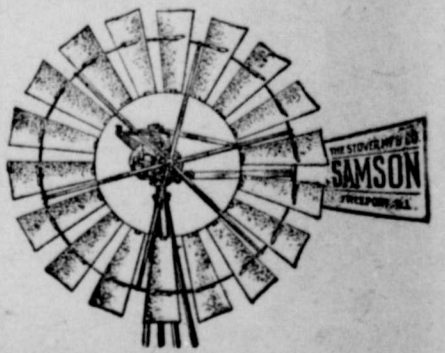
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A telegram from J. W. Wells states that his wife underwent an operation Tuesday and is getting along fine. They expect to start home in about two weeks.

Mesdames R. A. More and M. A. Wilson of Josiah are visiting at the J. P. Matthews home.

MATRONS AND DRUDGER

By Peter Redford.

The most serious enemies to country life are isolation and drudgery, and perhaps the worst of the two is isolation. It is the curse of the country. The hunger of young people for companionship has been disregarded and in various ways the social instincts have had their revenge. The fruits of modern inventive skill and enterprise have enriched country life and afforded the facilities of banishing forever the extreme isolation which used to vex the farm household of the past.

The telephone is a great social asset in the rural home; the rural free delivery brings the world's daily message to the door; the parcels post delivers ten million packages per annum at a half million homes and the automobile annihilates distance, making isolation a myth. The building of public highways has brought communities and farm homes closer together.

The Slave of Drudgery.

It is a dramatic moment on the farm when machinery emancipates the slave of drudgery. The evolution of farm machinery is a continued story of human ingenuity. One man now, by the aid of modern mechanical devices, can do as much as five or ten men used to perform and the work is less burdensome and more fascinating. The miracle of conquest will lift the curse of drudgery that has crushed the courage out of farm boys and caused them to retreat to the cities. There are many labor-saving devices for the homes that can relieve the wife of back-breaking tasks. Labor-saving machinery has wrought educational problems that have engaged the attention of the boys, relieved the housewife and added new economies and values to farming and has taken away self pity and given them a genuine pride in their calling. We need to take full advantage of these facilities.

Co-Operation the Key-Note.

One test of modern civilization is the capacity for co-operation. The selfish days of the independent farmer are rapidly passing and we are beginning to catch the vision and share the profits of organized efforts. There are many farm machines adapted to serving a community, but organization of farmers is required to purchase and operate them on a co-operative basis, and new laws are needed to permit these transactions.

New Tasks for the Rural Church

The rural church has been slow to adjust itself to the new order of things. The churches are discovering new opportunities for service, broader community usefulness and a greater social mission. The church must find itself for new tasks and under a new virile type of leadership undertake real community building with the modern church as the center of activity and source of inspiration and guidance. The triumph over isolation and the gradual emancipation from drudgery, the development of good roads, telephones, rural mail service and the wonderful evolution of farm machinery make for religious advancement. The increase in intelligence, new social consciousness, growing spirit of co-operation, added efficiency of rural institutions, character, home building and better rural morals afford opportunities for a community-serving church to demonstrate its power. The rural church to fulfill its mission must swing around it the influences for progress.

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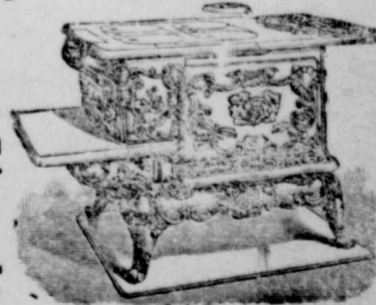
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T. M. Cunningham is riding around in a new Buick Six which he purchased from Duggan & Fisher, local agents.

A. M. Jones orders the Chief sent to his brother J. M. at Atwell. Taz Crowson renewed for the Chief this week. Taz says he will move to the farm soon.

Clifford Bernhardt is spending the week at the Coble home.

Fred Hill of Canadian is cutting meat at the Studer Market this week while H. C. Hill is on a business trip to Oklahoma.

Chris Chisum moved this week from the residence in front of the Presbyterian church and the Daniel Reese family moved to it.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Osborne came in Monday from their trip to Georgia. They report a splendid trip and came back feeling fine.

Chas. Patton this week put on 2 dray wagons in Miami and will conduct a dray business in our town. He has several teams and can handle a good lot of business.

Judge Willis of Canadian was in our city a short time Monday evening.

B. Z. Williams and family came in Monday from their trip to Oklahoma. Mr. Williams says their trip was made without trouble and they had a nice time.

H. E. Weckesser has the contract for building a sidewalk from Studders to the Dr. Gunn corner. The walk will be laid when the weather permits.

The old Baptist church was sold at public auction Saturday and Mr. C. Coffee bought it for \$270. The old building is being torn down and the new church will be erected at once.

Rev. Thompson and his singer, Mr. Biedsoe are conducting a great meeting this week at the Methodist Church.

A large number of town people attended the Pink Seitz auction yesterday.

L. L. Duncan has accepted a position as second truck operator here and began work Tuesday.

Work began this week on the new residence for Mrs. C. Hall. It is just east of her other house.

M. Sauls and wife left yesterday for Carlsbad, N.M. where they will spend two or three months looking after livestock interests. Before leaving Mr. Saul renewed the Chief.

C. C. Gillis was in Tuesday and renewed the Chief to himself and Mrs. Eller at Plemons.

J. C. Cook of Plainview came in yesterday and is visiting his cousin, Walter Cook.

J. C. Lewelling came in yesterday to look after land interests here.

Miss Doris Wincent of Higgins died Tuesday in a sanitarium in the east. She was a very fine young lady and had many friends in Higgins and Miami. She is a niece of Mrs. J. A. Meade of Miami.

Dick Craig left yesterday for his home in Wheeler county after a summers work in the G. M. Moon store.

Miss Roxie Scott left for her home at Wheeler after a two weeks visit in Miami.

Thos. Thompson has traded his Kansas quarter section to his brother for a half section south of town. Mr. Thompson says the Panhandle looks better than than Kansas to him.

Logan Coffees baby has been pretty sick this week, caused from a fall and bruise.

Information from a reliable source says the Santa Fe is going to build a brick sidewalk from their depot platform to the Cap Rock Theatre, which will be very much appreciated.

J. W. Eller of Pampa was in our city Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Berlin Parks is visiting this week at the Jim Gill home.

A few ears of wheat from Miami were in the Galveston storm, some being burned and others under the water.

Bob Ekins baby is reported very sick this morning.

John Dodson is spending this week in southwest Texas, prospecting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ewing went to Higgins last night to attend the funeral of Miss Doris Wincent.

Contractor Scott is nearing the completion of a new residence for Grandpa Christopher which is being built near the ball park.

Miss Aurelia Robertson is visiting in Amarillo this week.

Mrs. S. S. Lomax who has been visiting at the B. Z. Williams and H. M. Lomax homes left last week for Meridian.

Mr. Perkins and wife of Salina visited the Will Davis home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dearhart left Monday for Silana after a short visit at the Will Davis home.

Miss Myrtle Smith left yesterday for Southern Texas after spending the summer at the Grandpa J. I. Davis home.

The Misses Preslors are here this week visiting friends.

Mrs. A. H. Haggard left this week for a visit.

LOCAL YEOMAN LODGE Meets

Miami Homestead no. 1606 B. A. Y. meets in regular session Thursday night Aug 26th. All members are requested to attend as there is special business to be transacted, also some new candidates; for initiation, after which refreshments will be served.

Miss Eunice Herd left this week for her home at Memphis, after a visit in Miami.

The Misses Matthews attended an ice cream social at the P. K. Burum ranch Saturday night.

Miss Sallie Dickerson came in last week from a months visit at Plainview with her brother.

C. S. Seiber, John Short and Roy Lar3 went to Canyon with the ball team to witness the games.

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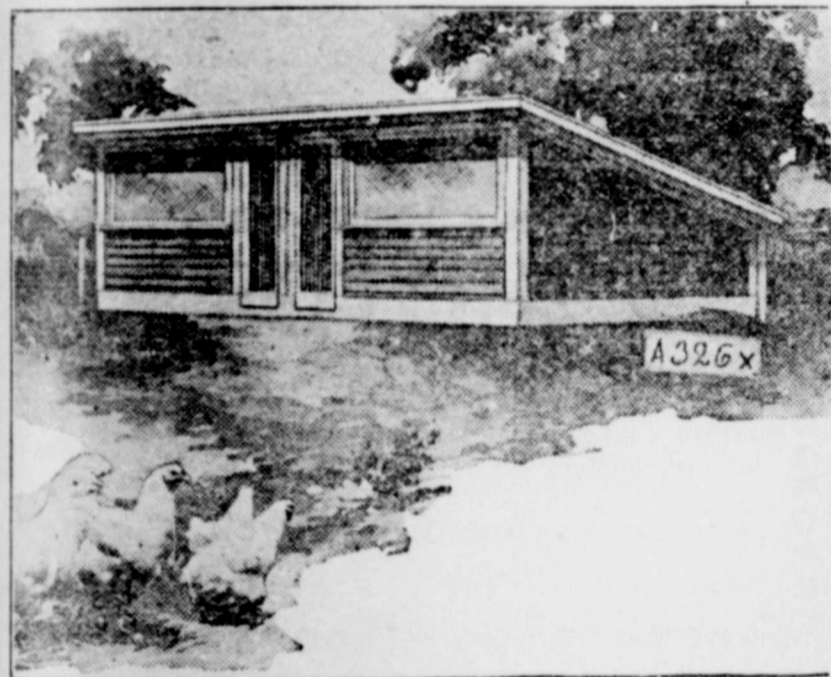
Present Design Has Proved Its Worth by Fifteen Years of Trial—Is Two-Family Apartment Building With Lime Floor and Concrete Underpinning.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD. Mr. William A. Radford was answer to questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building work on the farm, 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. 1327 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

The simplest form of a practical poultry house is built on the shed roof plan. It faces the south and has windows rather high up in front to admit sunshine clear back to the roosts.

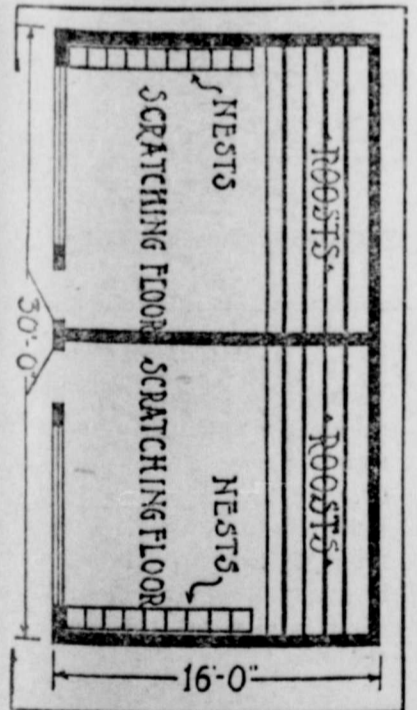
The design shown in the perspective and floor plan was worked out by the president of the Poultry Association of New York state some twelve or fifteen years ago. He wanted a poultry house sixteen feet from front to back. He was particular to have the ends and back of the building made air-tight by the use of building paper or felt roofing and matched ceiling inside of good quality put on with thick paint in the groove. He did not care much about the outside of the building, so long as the material was good and well put together, but the inside occupied his attention until he got a practical house that gave universal satisfaction.

Along with the shed roof design and scratching shed practice came the so-called curtain front. The size of the curtain front area must be regulated to suit the climate. Usually the front sash are hung from the top of the



opening. They are hinged to swing back and button up against the ceiling. In extreme cold weather, some of these glazed sash are made to close part of the curtain front opening, but the weather is never cold enough in New York state to close the opening entirely.

Other systems of ventilation were tried and discarded one after another, but experiments by using only thin cotton cloth over the window open-



ings finally won out as being not only the best, but the only plan whereby the poultry house could be properly ventilated in winter.

The scientific principles of this little poultry house are recognized as being the nearest approach to perfection of anything in the shape of a poultry house.

The roof is low at the back, some of these poultry houses being not more than three feet high at the north side and about seven feet in front. Old-fashioned poultry houses were built for the convenience of the attendant. Modern poultrymen have an idea that a poultry house should be built to accommodate the fowls and as they are not especially high headed,

a low ceiling will keep them warm and work out better in practice than when the building is constructed with more headroom. Poultry do not need a great amount of cubic air space but they do need frequent change of air.

It was in New York state that the lime floor was tried out, and is still in use in just such poultry houses as this. The whole ground space is covered with slacked lime instead of concrete, because lime is softer and wears the claws less, at the same time sanitary conditions are just as good. In a well-regulated poultry house straw is spread all over the floor to a depth of several inches; sometimes a foot deep if straw is plentiful. It is raked out every day and another layer of fresh straw is supplied. Every morning about daylight a feed of grain is scattered in the straw and the birds dig to uncover their breakfast, thereby getting their much needed exercise to keep them in good laying condition.

A lime floor will discourage rats and mice as well as concrete, it is easily kept clean and it is not much harder than a wooden floor. There is very little or no grit in pure lime. If the hens want more egg-shell material than they can get out of the ground oyster shell hopper feeder, they can dig up part of the floor and eat it. They often prefer to do so. It makes a change from the oyster shell, which is the common lime supply used in the eastern states.

Every good poultry house has a concrete foundation wall extending all the way around. Concrete is the only satisfactory underpinning for a poultry house for the reasons that it is permanent and it is a positive protection against rodents and vermin. Eposed concrete, the wall above ground should be whitewashed to fill all the little cracks and crevices. The whole interior of the house needs whitewashing at least twice a year; once a month is a good rule. There are many different kinds of poultry insects that it is absolutely necessary to treat the inside of the house with either lime or crude oil to hold them in check.

The plan of this poultry house provides two compartments about fifteen feet square each. An expert poultry man or woman will keep forty hens in each compartment through the winter and keep them in good laying condition. It is considered the most practical and satisfactory way of housing

poetry in the winter time in New York state climate.

It is customary to provide from three to five square feet of floor area per fowl. There are about 225 square feet of floor surface in each room, which divided by five gives a rated capacity of 45 fowls in each compartment. It is the ambition of many poultry raisers to start in the fall with about one hundred one-year-old hens and pullets. The number very often is reduced to about eighty or ninety before Christmas, so that the plan works out about right for a poultry business of this size.

Old hens are not profitable. Two years is about the limit of energetic egg production. All two-year-old hens should be marked with leg bands as candidates for "chicken" salad.

BEE CAUSES AUTO WRECK

Alights on Chauffeur's Neck, Then in Lady's Lap and Then, Crash!

A bee is responsible for the wreck of the handsome new touring car of George G. Sykes of Allentown, Pa.

Mrs. Sykes was returning home at night from a tour down country, with a party of ladies as guests, when the bee lighted on the neck of the chauffeur. He brushed it off, and it landed on the lap of the lady in the front seat beside him. She was afraid of the insect, and the driver, Charles Schultz, gave it a swipe. Through this act he lost control of the wheel, and the car collided with a bridge abutment.

All escaped injury but Mrs. Edward Ruhe, who was cut by broken glass, and Schultz, who is in bed.

On the Safe Side.

Girls—I've been reading, Harold, that kissing is hygienically unsafe, and think of the number of times you have kissed me!

Harold—Oh, well, there's safety in numbers, you know.—Life.

Professional Garb.

"There is an unpleasant suggestion in your friend, the surgeon's, attire."

"How do you mean?"

"I notice he is wearing a away coat."

WILL AEROPLANES STOP WAR

Orrville Wright Is Moved to Say He Likes to Think So, Anyhow.

Did you ever stop to think that there is a very definite reason why the present war in Europe has dragged along for a year with neither side gaining much advantage over the other? The reason, as I figure it out, is aeroplanes. Orrville Wright writes in Collier's. In consequence of the scouting work done by the flying machines, each side knows exactly what the opposition forces are doing.

There is little chance for one army to take another by surprise. Napoleon won wars by massing his troops at unexpected places. The aeroplane has made that impossible. It has equalized information. Each side has such complete knowledge of the other's movements that both sides are obliged to crawl into trenches and fight by means of slow, tedious routine rather than by quick, spectacular dashes.

My impression is that before the present war started the army experts expected it to be a matter of a few weeks or, at most, a few months. Today it looks as if it might run into years before one side can dictate terms. Now, a nation that may be willing to undertake a war lasting a few months may well hesitate after engaging in one that will occupy years.

The daily cost of a great war is of course stupendous. When this cost runs on for years the total is likely to be so great that the side which wins nevertheless loses. War will become prohibitively expensive. And the scouting work in flying machines will be the predominating factor, as it seems to me, in bringing this about. I like to think so, anyhow.

GOLD'S SIREN LURE FOR MEN

Hardship and Death Dared by Thousands That They May Gain Riches Quickly.

It was in 1898 that the rush of gold seekers to the Klondike reached its flood. The ninety-eighters probably never will know the fame of the forty-niners, but they have a place in the long history of the gold hunters, the men of all nations, ancient, medieval and modern. The book has a hundred chapters telling of failure and of death to every one lightened with the story of success.

H. M. Cadell recently visited the Klondike, and there made a study of present conditions. He describes them and adds an interesting account of the early day rush to the Northwest territory. The Smithsonian institution has put Mr. Cadell's report into print. It is an interesting document. Some of the happenings in the Klondike were duplicates of like happenings in California and Australia during the first years of the surface washing in those fields. These duplications show that human nature is unchanging.

Men went to the Klondike daring hardship and death that they might get rich quick. Some of the gold seekers were quickly successful. A large percentage of the successful ones almost literally threw their money away. Easy come, easy go. This sort of thing has marked gold mining in all ages. The Klondike is not what it was, but human nature stays the same. The discovery of gold at the North pole would start a northern migration that would take no account of the insuperable obstacles of distance and cold. The lure is irresistible.—Chicago Post.

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Books and Bangs.

John Kendrick Bangs, author of "A Houseboat on the Styx," and "Coffee and Repartee," who is spending the summer at his camp in Maine, said in an interview last week: "People should own and read books just as they should seek friendships, and try to understand their friends. A book that one has come to know, and to love, is one of the truest of friends. In my library in Maine are not many books, but none the less Lincoln walks there with me; Emerson is my friend; Balzac and Dumas are permanent dwellers at my side; I frolic with Mark Twain there; I travel with O. Henry, and I play boyish tricks with Aldrich and Penrod; I fence with Montaigne, and the great spirits of "The Spectator."

Probable. "Pa, who started the saying that a man's wife is his better half?" "Some man's wife, I reckon."

"A friendly interest" is often but another name for impudent curiosity.



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The Invitation.

"Hello, Mabel!" "Oh, hello, George!" "How are you, Mabel?" "Just fine! How're you, George?" "Same. Say, Mabel, let's go through the park this afternoon. What say?" "Well—ah-ah-ahem—I—I—ah—I'm kind of—well, I'm kind of tired, George."

"Then you won't go?" "I'm so sorry, but, George, you understand just how it is, don't you, George, dear?"

"Yes, I guess so. I suppose I'll have to ride with someone else, then." "Ride?" "Yes; my new eight-cylinder roadster came this morning."

"Oh, George! Did it really! Isn't that just splendid? Say—ah—George, I guess I'm not as tired as I thought I was."

"Well, I wouldn't take any chances if I were you, Mabel. It doesn't pay. I'll take someone else."

"But, really, dear, I'm not tired a bit. Honestly."

"It's sweet of you to say that, but I don't want to take advantage of your kindness. Good-by, Mabel!"

Mabel slammed the receiver viciously on the hoop. "Damn it!" she muttered. "Why didn't he say so in the first place?"—Michigan Gargoyle.

Transportation in Calcutta. To compete with Calcutta's present street railway system a company has been formed which will place 100 motor buses and 400 cars for freight in service within a year.

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Even after a man swears off he is apt to keep right on swearing.

A woman is apt to envy a parrot if it can talk faster than she can.

The Bonnie Conductor Lassie.

Edinburgh, Scotland, has two dozen women street car conductors who are a thorough success in the new line of work. Other tramways are already recruiting girls and training them to be conductors. It is said that girls working in the English cartridge factories are so fired with patriotism that some of them work thirty hours in a stretch without any rest. Miss Elizabeth Lister has been appointed a stationmaster in South Wales, the first woman to act in that capacity. In the north of England and in Scotland and Wales the men workers are being supplanted in the fields by women, who can be seen following the barrow or digging and hoeing.

A Matter of Surprise.

"Don't you think women ought to vote?" asked Mr. Meekton's wife. "Well, Henrietta, there's no doubt in my mind that you ought to vote. But if your opinion of some of the other women is correct, I don't see why you should want to intrust them with such a responsibility."

Baby's Eyes.

Do sound a warning to mothers about letting tiny babies lie flat, gazing straight at the sky. Unless a baby is sitting up in its carriage, the top should always be over its face.

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