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## Notes From the Court House

### DISTRICT COURT IN SESSION

Hon. Judge W. R. Ewing, Attorney E. J. Pickens and Stenographer Dennis Reynolds and by county officials opened the term of district court Monday morning. Judge Ewing gave the jury a very impressive talk on enforcement and violations, and were busy up to yesterday morning according to the report in place in the Chief, found no bills of indictment and adjourn-

ment was selected Tuesday morning in the case of E. M. McCracken, A. Rodgers, suit for slander, to trial which lasted throughout yesterday and went to the late in the evening.

Several more cases are left on the docket to be tried this week, and it is very likely that the entire docket will be cleared by Saturday.

### COMMISSIONERS COURT

The Commissioners were in regular session Monday and Tuesday. Bank of Miami was selected as depository for the next two months adding 6 1/2 per cent on the money. A general run of business was allowed and the Commissioners will meet again Saturday to consider the bond of the County depository.

### REPORT OF THE GRAND JURY

Miami, Texas, Feb. 12, 1919. Hon. W. R. Ewing, Judge of the District Court of Roberts County, Your Grand Jury for the term ending, 1919, having finished their labors beg to submit this report: We have diligently inquired into alleged violations of the law that have been brought to our attention, and have exhausted all means at our command to the end that alleged perpetrators of offenses might be held to justice. We find the county in a splendid condition in regard to law enforcement. We bring no further business we refer to be discharged.

### THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

School 10: a. m. Teaching 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Teaching at Laketon at 3: p. m. We are cordially invited to attend our services.

O. M. Reynolds, Minister

**COULD YOU HAVE YOUR ASTROSCOPE?**



**FAST SUCCESS**

The reading is clear, there is no doubt but you must start your bank account today. We offer every convenience and accommodation to bank with us. Your account, large or small will be appreciated.

## THE FIRST STATE BANK



B. F. TALLEY, Pres.  
W. L. MATHERS, V-Pres.  
H. E. BAIRD, Cashier.  
H. A. TALLEY, Asst.

## Health Tournament in Texas

### Miss Elenton Commends Modern Health Crusade.

The American Red Cross and the National Tuberculosis Association are announcing a Tournament of the Modern Health Crusade which shall begin February 9th and continue until May 24, 1919. During the same time the Texas Public Health Association and the Southwestern Division of the Junior Red Cross are planning to conduct a similar contest in our State. The Modern Health Crusade Organization is Nation-wide in its membership, thousands of whom reside in the State of Texas. This children's health organization is greatly desired by children who have come to know of its purpose.

The Chapter School Committee of the County Chapter has full information regarding this Crusade and the two tournaments mentioned. School teachers are particularly interested in these contests. A letter from Blanton, addressed to the school teachers of Texas, contains the following paragraph: "In view of the alarming health conditions of the past few months, I feel it important that every teacher of the State should aid in the plans of the Junior Red Cross and the Texas Public Health Association, for the organization of a Modern Health Crusade. In this warfare against disease none of us can afford to become 'slackers'."

Additional information may be secured by writing Miss Louise Hunter, Texas Crusade Director, Texas Public Health Association, 616 Littlefield, Austin.

## Good Roads Profitable

Three necessary factors in successful farming are: (1) The greatest possible yields at the lowest possible cost; (2) The opportunity to sell at a profit over cost of production; (3) Roads in such condition and such railway facilities as will enable the grower to place his product in the hands of the buyer at a reasonable hauling cost.

If any one of these factors is lacking, or is even poor, farming will decline, trade languish, and social, educational and religious life will be restricted. Colonel Henry Exall used to say that no man is so far from market as the farmer who has nothing to sell, and all farmers have experienced the disappointment of selling their products under the cost of production. A community with bad roads does not realize that handicap it suffers, because it has never known what good roads means, and for this reason farmers often stand in their own light in the matter of road improvement. Everybody likes good roads, but no one likes the added tax required to build and keep them in good condition.

The total value of the farm lands of the United States in 1900 was thirteen billion dollars; in 1905, 28 and a half billion dollars. No more food was grown on the average acre in those ten years but there were fifteen million more people to be fed in 1910 than in 1900; thus the increase in total value of \$936.80 for each person added to the population, or the doubling of the acre's value, has come from the greater use that must be made of the land. Greater use of the land can only be made of the land. Greater use of the land can only be made by getting its products more quickly and easily to the shipping point.

It has been said that it costs seven-eighths of a cent to move a ton of freight over one mile of railroad; twenty three cents to haul it one mile over the average dirt road in the United States, and forty three cents to haul it one mile over the average dirt road in Texas. These figures are several years old and therefore do not closely approximate the haulage cost at this time, but they serve to show where the greatest improvement can be made, and where a good part of the fifteen and a half billion dollars came from that were added in ten years to the value of land that grew no more food stuffs in 1910 than in 1900.

### TO PARENTS

By instruction of City Council, for the safety of the children. I am ordered to keep all bicycles and roller skates off the streets in the business district viz, within the space enclosed by the turning posts.

Jack Wilson, City Marshal.

## COUNT YOUR HOURS GIVEN THE RED CROSS.

Certificates in recognition of loyal service to the nation through the Red Cross will be awarded to all persons who have given eight hundred hours of service. These certificates will give them the right to wear the Red Cross service badge.

Work done in drives and other activities is counted as well as garment making, knitting and surgical dressings.

Work done on garments and knitting shall be estimated on a piece basis.

The following schedule has been made out for a guide in counting hours; the numbers representing hours counted.

Knitting-Sweaters, 30; Socks, (pair) 24; Helmet, 12; Wristlets, 8; Mufflers, 24.

Hospital garment—Helpless case shirts, 6; bed shirts, 2; pajamas, 16; convalescent robes, 8; operating gowns, 6;

Refugee garments—pinafiores, 16; Childs dresses, 4; boys suits 16.

Only service done after April 6th 1917 and up to and including Dec. 24th 1918 shall be considered.

Womens badges cost \$1.00 and Mens buttons 75 cents.

All persons who desire these certificates are asked to count their hours in all Red Cross work they have done as nearly as possible and report to Mrs. Jno. Newman, Secretary of the Committee by noon next Tuesday.

## LIGHT PLANT IMPROVEMENTS

The City Light and Water plant have been making some improvements in the water service this week. A settling basin twelve feet deep and about that wide has been dug and cemented. Into it will be pumped the water from the three wells and then it will be pumped into the water mains. A windmill has been erected over two of the wells, and the motor will pump from the third one. This it is thought will add to its supply and furnish sufficient water for the present demands.

## ORGANIZING FOR NEXT LIBERTY LOAN.

County Chairman, T. M. Cunningham to the Roberts County Liberty Loan has been doing some preliminary work the past few days to get ready for the next big drive for the Liberty Loan, or which will be the Victory Loan.

The following appointments have been made by him as confirmed by the Federal Reserve Bank at Dallas. W. E. Stocker, Vice-Chairman Publicity Committee.

L. G. Waggoner, Rev. J. H. Hicks, Rev. E. G. Pennington, Rev. Chas. E. Pitts, Atty. J. A. Holcomb.

Other committees and salesmen will be appointed and further details worked out as the time for the campaign approaches.

## METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 10:00 Four classes had twenty-three new pupils last Sunday. Higgins surpassed us in number present by eight. Supt. McKenzie is counting on each class to do its best. Personal work will win. The Young Men organized a class, with J. M. Keffer as teacher, at the Odd Fellows Hall with fourteen present. This Hall will be open at 9:30 each Sunday. A warm fire, a hearty welcome, and a fine fellowship for young men. Be present in time to help sing.

Preaching at 11:00 and 6:30. The pastor will begin a new series at the morning hour. The four-minute speaker will be J. R. Durrett. He will bring a splendid and vital message. These Centenary speakers furnish an excellent opportunity to know the great Centenary movement.

John H. Hicks, Pastor

STRAYED. one Whiteface bull, branded 409 on left hip and C. on right hip. Any information will be appreciated.

W. C. Christopher.

## The Chief \$1.50 Per Year.

NOTICE. My Holstien male is at the Wagon Yard and will be kept there during the spring months, under the care of J. F. Johnston.

## THE TEST OF GOOD ROADS

Texas Industrial Congress—The essentials of a good road are permanency, a hard surface, the easiest possible grades and the shortest length.

Roads are surfaced with sand mixed clay, with gravel, brick, crushed stone, concrete or other like material. The sand clay is the least expensive, costing from \$2.00 to \$12. per mile; the gravel road costs from \$1,500 to \$3,500; the macadamized road, costing from \$2,000 to \$10,000 per mile, is most expensive but when well built it is both satisfactory and permanent. One of the most necessary requirements in any form of road is drainage to take the water from the surface as quickly as it falls.

Reduction of grade is an extremely important consideration. The steepest grade determines the sizes of the load that can be taken over the road. A 1200-pound horse with a 120-pound pull can draw a ton load on a level earth road; the same pull would draw continuously about 1,000 lbs. on a five per cent grade, or one that raises one foot in twenty; and 750 pounds on a ten per cent grade, or one that raises one foot in ten. No grade should be greater than six feet in one hundred, but many roads that cross creeks with high banks or run through hilly sections of country ascend grades of one foot in two for considerable distances. The better the road the more detrimental is the amount of the road.

Shortening distance is another essential. The disadvantage of cutting down the length of haul is too evident to need any discussion, but it should be noted that the gain in distance in passing over hill instead of around it is often very slight. Taking into consideration the comparative efforts exerted in hauling over and around the hill, measurable in the load limit possible for the road, it will be found that the distance around instead of over the hill is in effect shorter.

The test of a road is the amount of work that can be done on it,—the time and labor required in hauling. Any improvement, whether in hardening the surface, easing the grade, or shortening the distance reduces the time and effort of getting to market and brings the farm nearer to town by as much as the improvement saves in work.

Texas wants better roads.

## POULTRY. I have for sale some extra fine Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels at \$2.00 each. Also eggs at \$1.25 per setting of fifteen.

Mrs. Flora Hofer.

## CENTENARY OIL COMPANY

There is nothing that pays dividends as quickly as an oil well.

THE CENTENARY OIL CO. is located on Block 62, in the Burkburnett field, and is putting on Ten acres on the east side of the Southwest quarter of the block.

THIS IS NO WILD CAT SCHEME but handled by Bankers and business men of Northwest Texas, some of them that are no doubt known to you. The Company is capitalized at \$50,000 divided in Twelve Hundred shares at the par value of \$50. each, NON-ASSESSABLE.

There is absolutely NO CINCH, that any well will produce oil, until it has actually been drilled in, but from the surrounding oil field we are as sure of good production as one could be.

The Humble Well, just S. E. of our tract produced 1000 barrels in 11 hours, the Fish is already in, The Mystery well is in, these wells are on blocks 57 and 58, just S. E. of our land.

North and Northeast of us are wells, on block 82, producing 1400 barrels per day, and the well on 84 which is spouting GAS and OIL, all over the hill.

The Clara Well is still west of us, which with the others put us in proven territory.

THE OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF THE COMPANY, ARE J. B. McCARLEY, PRES, Wheeler, Texas, D. E. HOLT, SEC., BANKER, Wheeler, Texas, F. G. Ford, OIL OPERATOR, Burkburnett, Texas, J. S. MANS, CAPITALIST, Ft. Worth, Texas, Geo. C. BISHOP, ABSTRACTOR, Abilene, Texas, JUDGE OCIE SPEAR GENERAL COUNCIL, Ft. Worth, Texas.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED SEND IN FOR AS MANY SHARES AS YOU WANT, FOR WE GUARANTEE YOU A SQUARE DEAL. CENTENARY OIL COMPANY HOME OFFICE, WHEELER, TEXAS

## YOU HIT IT ON THE HEAD.

When you decided to come to us for YOUR GROCERIES Our foodstuffs are high class to coincide with your taste. TRY OUR Fresh Butter and Eggs, Finest Distinctive Blend Coffees Seasonable Canned Goods, Pickles, Spices, Cheese and etc. You'll become convinced that you've been missing a good thing—or Several Good things

LET US BE YOUR GROCER

### MIAMI PRODUCE CO.

J. H. DIAL, PROP.

### MICKIE SAYS

(VOICE) PLEASE TAKE OUT THAT "FOR SALE" AD OF MINE RIGHT AWAY! I SOLD THE REFRIGERATOR BEFORE THE PAPER HAD BEEN OUT TWO HOURS, BUT PEOPLE KEEP CALLING UP ON THE TELEPHONE OR RINGING THE DOOR BELL AND I WISH TO GOODNESS I KNEW SOME WAY TO STOP THEM



PULL DOWN ALL THE SHADES, LOCK THE DOOR AND DON'T ANSWER THE PHONE 'N AFTER WHILE THEY WILL QUIT THEM LIL ADS OF OURS ARE EASY TO START, BUT THEY AINT NO WAY OF STOPPING 'EM

### NOTICE

SCHOOL PATRONS. I have a nice line of school supplies Fountain pens, pencils, tablets, inks etc. I handle a high grade of goods and my prices are absolutely right. I will ask parents to make satisfactory arrangements before sending your children to have school supplies charged. My terms are cash. Yours respectfully, A. M. Jones Drug Co. THE CAREFUL DRUGGIST

## IN THE BUSINESS WORLD

THE MAN WHO DOES NOT KEEP A BANK ACCOUNT IS AN UNKNOWN QUANTITY. IT IS THE ONE CREDENTIAL DEMAND ED ABOVE ALL OTHERS. A BANK BOOK IS AN EASY THING TO POSSESS. WHY NOT MAKE YOUR BUSINESS SUCCESS A SURE THING BY POSSESSING ONE? COME IN AND TALK THE MATTER OVER WITH US. A BANK BOOK IS THE ONLY BOOK YOU GET FREE OF CHARGE AND YET, NEXT TO THE BIBLE, IT IS THE MOST VALUABLE.

### THE BANK OF MIAMI

(unincorporated) Roberts County Depository







LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISSONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.



Look at the tongue, mother! If it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, mouth bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhea, full of cold, give a spoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, undigested waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to eat this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it makes them feel splendid.

Cuticura Soothes Itching Scalp. Gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make your every-day toilet preparations with Cuticura.

Wichita Directory. Don't Plant Dirty Seed. Don't sell dirty grain—Buy a Watkins Grain Grader.

Back Lane and Achy? Here's little peace when your kidneys are weak and while at first there is nothing more serious than dull aches, sharp, stabbing pains, headache, dizzy spells and kidney trouble, you must act quickly to avoid more serious trouble, dropsy, gravel, disease, Bright's disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that is warmly recommended everywhere.

An Oklahoma Case. I, H. Miller, R. D. No. 3, Newkirk, Okla., says: "I was almost down with my back and suffered severely, especially in the morning. I had other symptoms of kidney trouble. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they relieved the pains in my back and the other symptoms of kidney trouble. I usually keep Doan's Kidney Pills in hand and when my kidneys are, they never fail to give relief."

Handicap. I'd my barrier to my health. I'm a cripple. I'm a cripple. I'm a cripple.

Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box. DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. W. L. DOAN, BUFFALO, N. Y.

After meals eat one ATONIC. FOR YOUR STOMACH'S SAKE. Heartburn, indigestion, that full, almost instantly, drives gas out of the stomach with it. All Druggists.

Half Enemies. WHITE SCOURS. BACKLEGG. Veterinarian can stamp out with Cutter's Anti-Calf Serum and Cutter's Germ Backing Filtrate and Aggressin, Cutter's Blackleg Pills.

Yes Need Eye Remedy. Cutter Laboratory, Chicago, Ill.

Wraps That Are Distinctive



The very next thing that every one thought about, as soon as the noise of the peace jubilee died down, was something new to wear. There was an immediate reaction in the matter of dress, from the economizing that the war inspired, from the rather sedate colors and plain styles—from doing without—just the other things. Dressmakers are overwhelmed with work and all women with one accord want some new and pretty clothes. This is the most natural feeling in the world since clothes are our universal means of expression and we must dress up to the joyousness of having our victorious soldiers home again.

Wraps and coats of cloth or fur, or both combined, have been made in a great variety of styles this season. Originality in design has been a feature of the styles so that a newcomer among them must be of superior quality and very unusual design to meet the high standards already set. Here's a new wrap, a unique combination of coat and cape that invites comparisons. It appears to be of a heavy Jersey cloth but one can visualize it in other soft coatings as velours or pompon cloth. It is a sleeveless short coat hanging straight from the shoulders. It is turned up about the bottom and forms two deep

pockets at the front fastened with bone buttons and buttonholes. There is a narrow belt of the material across the front of the coat with a button at each end. Only one button appears to fasten the front, but its responsibilities are lightened by the nature of the cloth which has a way of clinging together. Possibly a few little snap fasteners help out.

The coat makes a support for a cape much longer, that covers the arms and is beautifully joined to the underwrap at the sides. A narrow collar of the same material supports a turnover collar of velvet in a dark shade. The hat worn with this cap is wonderfully well suited to it. It is a tam but contrives to be dignified and its decoration of daisies makes it youthful.

Natural Nutria. Natural nutria is much used on childish costumes this season. It is a pretty fur, something like natural beaver, but not nearly as expensive. It is made up into fetching little cravats, collars and caps with round childish muffs to match, of course. A muff is just the indispensable completing touch to any wee maid's winter costume. Little caps in the rakish fore and aft shape of the overseas army service cap are made of nutria and rimmed with collars and muffs.

WHAT CAN WE DO?

In an official announcement issued to the 3,854 chapters and 22,000,000 members, Mr. Davison says: "We must labor in co-operation with the National Red Cross and relief societies of other nations to the end that not alone the heart of America, but the heart of all mankind, may become mobilized on behalf of suffering humanity."

"While, therefore, the plans of the American Red Cross in this direction should be formulated specifically in advance of the general relief program of the allied governments, the American Red Cross is nevertheless planning to develop its permanent organization in this country upon a scale never before contemplated in time of peace."

"Study is being given by the national organization, not alone to problems of international relief, but to plans in this country for enlarged home service, the promotion of public health education, development of nursing, the care and prevention of accidents and other correlated lines which may contribute to the health and happiness of men, women and children."

"For the completion of its war work and for the institution of its peace program, the Red Cross is fortunately in a healthy financial condition. What the American Red Cross needs now is not so much contributions of money, as the continued devotion and loyalty of its members."

In the last sentence was the keynote of the Red Cross Christmas Roll Call—an appeal for continued support through membership rather than a call for funds.

The end of the fighting found about 7,000 Red Cross men and women in France, where, of course, there was an immediate decrease of personnel when the French government assumed charge of the anti-tuberculosis campaign, the feeding and clothing of refugees, and other relief affecting the French people. The American work-

Julia Potomsky

Fur Coatee. There are numerous cape models entirely made of fur, and the long fur cape is certainly a luxurious affair. It usually has a large shawl collar.

HOME TOWN HELPS

TO BUILD ON MODERN LINES

Australian Authorities Recognize Necessity of Town Construction Along the Latest Ideas.

The great mind of France, renaissance, is manifesting itself in the field of town planning. She has a central town-planning commission with sub-agencies throughout France, for the rebuilding and replanning of not only the cities destroyed by the guns, but also the others outside the war zone.

Belgium's parliament, sitting in France today, has passed a city-planning law, in readiness for the peace which will restore her to a place in the sun. What an example, and an inspiration for us who sit here in peace and security.

America has shown us a splendid example in the organization of her military towns. The town planners were mobilized under Mr. Olmstead's leadership and they co-operated with the military and engineering experts in building training camps for millions of soldiers. She has spent \$25,000,000 on 16 model military cities on the most modern lines. Housing and planning are going hand in hand under the United States government's encouragement and supervision.

PLAN THE WAR GARDEN NOW

More Food Than Ever Before Should Be Raised by Amateur Growers This Year.

The ending of the war has placed additional obligations on the American people. We have not only our friends the allies to feed, but our former enemies must also be kept from starvation.

The larger part of the people of the evacuated regions are destitute; they must have food and this country is the only place it may be had in sufficient quantities. This means that we will be asked to get along with less meats, fats, grains and sugar and make up the difference with things we can grow in our own gardens.

Potatoes, beets, carrots, peas, corn and tomatoes are among the most important garden crops from a food standpoint. Radishes, lettuce, onions, cucumbers, turnips, squash, cabbage, cauliflower, spinach, parsnips, eggplants, peppers, etc., add to the variety.

Potatoes, peas, beets and carrots can be planted almost as soon as the frost is out of the ground, and then can be followed by the more tender crops as soon as the ground has become reasonably warm.

When there is sufficient room an asparagus bed should be planted, also rhubarb and the small fruits, particularly raspberries.

Larger grounds afford room for grapes, blackberries, currants, gooseberries, strawberries and possibly a few apples, peaches, pears, cherries and plums—and the children especially enjoy and thrive on plenty of fresh fruit.

Preventing Cracks in Pavements.

At a recent meeting of the American Society for Municipal Improvements held at Buffalo, an interesting paper was read on frost-proof foundations for hard-surfaced pavements, in which it was suggested that the sub-grade should be laid with a course of hollow tile of say four-inch height, overlaid with a foundation of two to four inches of concrete. On this, the paving material may be laid. The tile acts as a non-conductor of heat, preventing the frost from penetrating to the sub-grade and also acts as a drain for moisture. Should frost reach the sub-grade, the tile will break under the pressure and to insure its breaking, the tile may be scored at the bottom. The overlying concrete will bridge the breaks in the hollow tile. This will prevent upheavals of the pavement.—Scientific American.

Prepares Dwelling and Storage Models. Working drawings for farmhouses and bunkhouses, designed to meet conditions in various sections of the country and assist in obtaining additional labor for farms, have been prepared by the bureau of public roads of the United States department of agriculture. Working drawings have been prepared also for storage houses for small grains, corn, combined grain and corn and other crops. Copies of these plans will be sent free on application to the division of rural engineering of the bureau.

Kentucky = The Home of Attractive Women

Looking their Best all the Time is the Chief Business of the Blue Grass Belles.

The Secret of Their Beauty

It is health, robust health, that is responsible for the Kentucky girl's good looks. If she gets sick, she proceeds to get well. Possessed of health, she knows that personal charm and attractiveness need not worry. They are hers. That is the secret.



HERE is an offer backed by one of your personal friends—a man whom you have known for a long time, and in whose honesty you have implicit confidence. This man is your local druggist. He will tell you that he has been selling Hunt's Salve, formerly called Hunt's Cure ever since he has been in business, under the strict guarantee to promptly refund the purchase price to any dissatisfied user.

He will say to you "Take home a box of Hunt's Salve and if it is not successful in the treatment of itching skin diseases, I will promptly refund to you your 75 cents."

Hunt's Salve is especially compounded for the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter, and other itching skin diseases.

Thousands of such letters have been received, testifying as to the curative merits of this wonderful remedy.

Don't fail to ask your druggist about Hunt's Salve, formerly called Hunt's Cure. Show him this ad, and ask him if the statements herein made are not correct.

Sold by all reputable druggists everywhere at 75 cents per box, or sent direct on receipt of stamps or money order.

A. B. RICHARDS MEDICINE CO., Sherman, Texas

Pythagoras, when he was asked what time was, answered that it was the soul of this world.—Platonic Questions.

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Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Sold in all civilized countries. Give it a trial.—Adv.

All doctors are glad to welcome those who do not come well.

Failure is the one thing that is spoiled by success.

Plenty of exercise, fresh air, regular hours—is all the prescription you need to avoid influenza—unless through neglect or otherwise, a cold gets you. Then take—at once

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

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THE MERIDEN CREAMERY CO., 21st and Central Sts., Kansas City, Mo.

Deep-Seated Colds

Develop serious complications if neglected. Use an old and time-tried remedy that has given satisfaction for more than fifty years

PISO'S

Cuticura For Baby's Itchy Skin. All druggists. Soap 25c. Ointment 25c. and 50c. Talcum 25c. Sold by all druggists.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM. A toilet preparation of merit. For restoring color and beauty to gray or faded hair. 50c. and 75c. per bottle.

Wichita Directory. Don't Plant Dirty Seed. Don't sell dirty grain—Buy a Watkins Grain Grader.

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Make \$54 to \$180 in home community in 30 days by our guaranteed plan. Send \$1.00. Will show you and give contract for future. Shurtzess Mfg. Co., Pawnee, Okla.

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W. N. U., WICHITA, NO. 4-1918.



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 Complete Abstract of land in Roberts county.  
 Protect your property against fire and Tornado.  
**AGENT FOR**  
 Leading fire insurance Companies.  
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 This is a good time to give us your order for those needed windmill repairs. We can get you anything you need from the heavy tower timber on up. Don't let the old mill break down before ordering.  
 Parhandle Lumber Co.

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 (Dr. J. M. Hyden)

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**We Are Going to Save, Too.**  
 because we have found out that it is just the grandest thing in the world for us, mentally and physically. We are going to save because it brings us a solid satisfaction and peace of mind.

The fighting has ceased, the bands do not play or the flags wave now, but the earnest purpose behind our effort in the great world war remains yet to be accomplished. Much effort and billions of dollars have yet to be spent before this objective is attained. Millions of lives, the agony and sweat of countless thousands has been the cost of victory. It is for us to see that this priceless purchase is not thrown away. In such a task we cannot, dare not, do less than our very best.  
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The J. R. Webster family and Mrs. Jno. Webster spent Sunday with the A. B. Smith family near Mobeetie. Mrs. C. R. Cowan left last week for Mineral Wells where she will spend several weeks, trying to improve her health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wells went to White Deer and returned first of the week.

"Dock" Pursley's new song, "We are Coming Back To You, America" sung for the first time at the Pastime Saturday night made quite a big hit. The Theatre was crowded beyond capacity for two full shows and Mr. Pursley has received many compliments on his song. He expects to have the first edition out by the last of next week.

Miss Beulah Lee of Mobeetie visited Miami friends and relatives Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Thos. Thompson of Fairview, Oklahoma spent Saturday to Monday with Miami friends.

John Moore had his name added to our mailing list this week.

Samuel Edge spent first of the week in town attending court.

Homer Tolbert and Rodger Ghist of Littlefield spent last of last week and first of this at Miami. Mr. Tolbert has been looking after a feed crop on his section at Codman.

Newt S. Locke, Joe Kubik and Ernest Black spent last week in Lockney, invoicing a large stock of general merchandise which Locke Bros. have recently purchased.

J. A. Rodgers came in Monday and has been attending court this week. He has been located in Arizona the past few months.

Pie Social and program at Farrington school house the night of Feb. 22nd. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hogan visited Miami relatives this week while he was attending court.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Willis of Canadian have been visiting Miami relatives this week.

We note from the Wheeler Sun that Wilson (Dock) McCauley has been discharged from the army and is back home.

Mrs. C. F. Burnett left first of the week for a visit with relatives in Kansas City.

Mrs. Claude Locke of near Pampa entertained the Locke relationship Sunday with a big turkey dinner. The four families of Miami went out.

Miss Laura Talley spent last week at White Deer and Pampa with friends and relatives.

J. H. Worthington of near Mobeetie was in our city yesterday.

S. D. Park, M. R. Coffee and S. P. Cox of Mobeetie spent yesterday in our city looking after business interests.

Sergeant Dave Keen came in Tuesday with his discharge from the army and he and his bride will be citizens of our county from now on.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

It is important that every member of the church and congregation should be present at the services next Sunday morning. We are hoping to have all present and to have such a service as will contribute to the future success of the church and Kingdom of our Lord.  
Chas. E. Pitts, Pastor.

### COUNTY LINE COUNTS.

Miss Inis Russell spent Tuesday evening with Miss Susie Ehman.

Miss Leitha Cunningham visited with Miss Daisy Lowery Monday evening.

G. C. Springer has gone to Tennessee, where he was summoned on account of the illness of his father.

Miss Daisy Lowery spent Thursday evening with Miss Leitha Cunningham.

The Robertson sisters visited Miss Nola Alexander Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Chisum and family returned home Sunday, from Gem City, where they have been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lowery spent Tuesday with friends in Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Ehman visited with the H. Russel family Tuesday.  
Reporter

### At The Pastime Friday and Saturday

TODAY—That ever interesting picture, QUO VADIS, eight reels three complete shows, starting at 4, 6:30 and 8:30. Matinee. Admission 10 and 20 cents. Night admission 15 and 25 cents.

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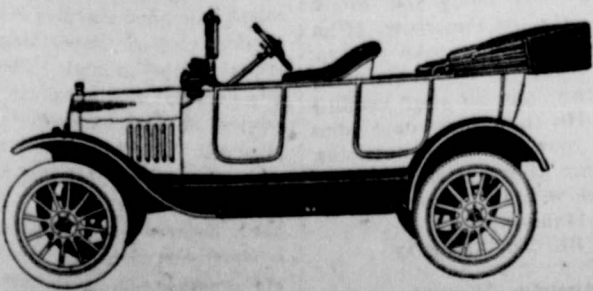


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In spite of the long casualty lists of the present war, fought with all the fiendish contrivances of modern science, the destruction of life is not so great in proportion to earlier wars when soldiers fought hand-to-hand. The most deadly of all weapons was the Roman short sword. Caesar reported that, at the battle he fought near Namur, his soldiers slew 60,000 of the Nervii. There were no wounded when the weapon was the short sword. As men began to fight at longer range, the death lists grew shorter. It is an axiom of modern war that it costs a marksman his own weight in lead to kill one of the enemy.—People's Home Journal.

**Ungrateful Client.**  
Very unsatisfactory was the product of a young lawyer's first brief. When the verdict had been given in his favor his client asked his eloquent advocate how much he owed him.  
"Oh, say \$25," was the answer.  
"Twenty-five dollars," exclaimed the ingrate, "that's very high. Won't you let me off with five?"  
"No; \$25 or nothing," was the counsel's ultimatum.  
"Well, then," said his client, "I would rather pay nothing," and, with a deep bow he left the lawyer to his reflections.

**For Hygienic Reasons.**  
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Ex-Gunner and Chief Petty Officer, U. S. Navy  
Member of the Foreign Legion of France  
Captain Gun Turret, French Battleship Cassard  
Winner of the Croix de Guerre

## CHAPTER XXII—Continued.

The day we were transferred to the regular prison barracks four hundred Russians and Belgians were buried. Most of them had died from cholera, typhoid and inoculations. We heard from the prisoners there before us that the Germans had come through the camps with word that there was an epidemic of black typhus and cholera and that the only thing for the men to do was to take the serum treatment to avoid catching these diseases. Most of the four hundred men had died from the inoculations. They had taken the Germans' word, had been inoculated and had died within nine hours. Which shows how foolish it is to believe a German. None of us had any doubt but what the serum was poisonous.

The second day that we were in the regular camp the Germans strung barbed wire all around our barracks. They told us we had a case of black typhus among us. This was nothing more nor less than a bluff, for not one of us had typhus, but they put up the wire, nevertheless, and we were not allowed to go out.

One day when I was loafing around our barracks door and not having anything particularly important to do, I packed a nice hard snowball and landed it neatly behind the ear of a little sentry not far away. When he looked around he did not blow his whistle but began hunting for the thrower. This was strange in a German sentry and I thought he must be pretty good stuff. When he looked around, however, all he saw was a man staggering around as if he were drunk. The man was the one who had done the throwing, all right, but the sentry could not be sure of it, for surely no men would stay out in the open and invite accidents like that. But still, who had done it?

So I just kept staggering around, and the sentry came up to me and looked me over pretty hard. Then I thought for the first time that things might go hard on me, but I figured that if I quit the play acting it would be all over. So I staggered right up to the sentry and looked at him drunkenly, expecting every moment to get one from the bayonet.

But he was so surprised that all he could do was stare. So I stared back, pretending that I saw two of him, and otherwise acting foolish. Then I guess he realized for the first time that the chances of anybody being drunk in that camp were small—at least for the prisoners. He was rubbing his ear all the time, but finally the thought seeped through the ivory and he began to laugh. I laughed, too, and the first thing you know he had me doing it again—that is, the imitation. One snowball was enough, I figured.

I used to talk to him quite often after that. We had no particular love for each other, but he was gamier than the other sentries, and he did not call me schweinhund every time he saw me, so we got on very well together. His name must have been Schwartz, I guess, but it sounded like "Swatts" to me, so Swatts he was, and I was "Chink" to him, as everybody else called me that.

One day he asked me if I could speak French, and I said yes. Italian; yes. Russian; yes. No matter what language he might have mentioned I would have said yes, because I could smell something in the wind, and I was curious. Then he told me that if I went to the hospital and worked there, I might get better meals and would not have to go so far for them, and that my knowing all the languages I said I did would help me a great ways toward getting the job.

Evidently he had been told to get a man for the place, because he appointed me to it then and there. He put me to work right away. We went over to one of the barracks, where a case of sickness had been reported, and found that the invalid was a big Barbadoes negro named Jim, a fireman from the Voltaire. At one time Jim must have weighed 250 pounds, but by this time he was about two pounds lighter than a straw hat, but still black and full of pep. Light as he was, I was no "white hope," and it was all I could do to carry him to the hospital. Swatts kept right along behind me, and every time I would stop to rest, he would poke me with a broom—the only broom I saw in Germany—and laugh and point to his ear.

Then I thought it was a frame-up and that he was getting even with me, but I was in for it then, and the best I could do was to go through with it. But I was all in when we reached the hospital. The first thing I saw when we got in the door was another negro, also from Barbadoes, and as tall and thin as Jim had once been short and fat. This black boy and I made a great team, but I never knew what his name was. I always called him Kate, because night and day he was whistling the old song, "Kate, Kate, Meet Me at the Garden Gate," or words to that effect. I have waked up many a night and heard that whistle just about at the same place as when I had fallen asleep. It would not have been so bad if he had known all of it.

I took Swatts' broom and cleaned up, and then asked where the coal or wood was. This got a great laugh. It was quite humorous to the men who

had shivered there for weeks, maybe, but to me it was about as funny as a cry for help. I got wood though, before I had been there long.

There was a great big cupboard that looked more like a small house, built against the wall of the hospital barracks in one corner of the room, and not far from the stove. Kate was the only patient able to be on his feet, so I thought he would have to be my chief cook and bottle washer for a while; and, besides, there was something about him that made him look pretty valuable. I had not recognized his whistling yet, so Slim looked to be the right name for him.

"Slim, what's that big cupboard for?"

"How'd I know? Nuthin' in it."

"Slim, that would make a fine box for coal or wood, wouldn't it?"

"Um. Whar de coal an' wood?"

"I'm going out and take observations, Slim. Take the wheel while I'm gone, and keep your eye peeled for U-boats." So I sneaked out the door and began looking around.

If you look at the sketch I have made, it will not take you long to see that next to us was a vacated Russian barracks. And it did not take me much longer to see it, too. Back to the hospital and Slim.

"Slim, what barracks are next to us?"

"Russian burrucks, only dey ain't dere now. Been sick."

"And you mean to tell me you don't know where to get wood?"

"Sick men been in dem burrucks."

"Sick men here, aren't there? Let's go."

That did the trick. The black boy would watch from the hospital windows until he saw the coast was clear, then we would slip into the barracks next door, and he would watch again. When there was no sentry near enough to hear us, crash! and out would come a dividing board from the bunks. When we had an armful apiece, and had broken them up to the right lengths, all we needed was a little more watching, and then back to the hospital and the big cupboard. Later on, our men told me they used to watch the smoke that poured from the hospital chimney all the time and wonder where on earth we got the wood.

We got the same kind of food in the hospital that was served in the other barracks, and I used to, except that sometimes some of the twenty-six patients could not eat their share, and then, of course, it was mine. One day, though, we all had extra rations.

Two Russian doctors came to visit us each day, and once they were foolish enough, or kind enough, to ask if we had received our rations—we had received them earlier than usual and they were finished at the time. Of course, I said no, so they ordered the Russian in the kitchen to deliver twenty-eight rations to us, which was not quite three loaves of bread. We were that much ahead that day, but it would not work when I tried the trick again.

One day a German doctor came to the hospital barracks. He would not touch anything while he was there—not even open the door. All of the patients had little cards attached to their beds—charts of their condition. When the German wanted to see these charts the Russian doctors had to hold them for him.

I was having a great time at the hospital, wrecking the barracks next door each day for wood, along with Kate, and getting a little more food sometimes, and was always nice and warm. I thought myself quite a pet. Compared to what I had been up against, it seemed like real comfort. But the more food I got, the more I wanted. And it was food that brought me down, after all.

Across from us was a barracks in which there were English officers, and somehow it seemed to me that they must have had a drag. Every once in a while I saw what looked like vegetables and bags of something that was a dead ringer for brown flour. So I told Slim, or Kate, as I was calling him by then, and with him on guard, I sneaked out.

After two or three false starts, I got over our barbed wire and their barbed wire, and in through a window.

There I saw carrots! And graham flour!

I took all I could carry, to divide up with Kate, and then started eating, so as not to waste anything. It was certainly some feast—the only thing besides mud bread and barley coffee and "shadow" soup that I had to eat in Germany. Then I started back to the hospital. I got over their barbed wire all right, and Kate gave me the go-ahead for our entanglements, but just as I was going over them a sentry nabbed me. At first I thought Kate had turned traitor, because we had had a little argument a short time before.

But later on I figured that he would not have done a trick like that, and besides, he knew I was bringing him something to eat. So the sentry must have sneaked up without Kate seeing him. Who got the carrots and graham flour that I was carrying I do not

know. The sentries booted me all the way back to my old barracks.

## CHAPTER XXIII.

**Despair—and Freedom.**  
While I was working at the hospital conditions at my old barracks had been getting worse and worse. Very few of the men were absolutely right in the head, I guess, and almost all had given up hope of ever getting out alive. Though they put up a good front to the Huns, they really did not care a great deal what happened to them. The only thing to think about was the minute they were living in.

The day I came back two Englishmen, who had suddenly gone mad, commenced to fight each other. It was the most terrible fight I have ever seen. It was some time before the rest of us could make them quit, because at first we did not know they were crazy. When we had them down, however, they were scratched and bitten and pounded from head to foot. Both of them bled from the nose all that night, and toward morning one of them became sane for a few minutes and then died. The other was taken away by the Germans, still crazy.

Another time an Australian came into our barracks and very seriously told us that he had a drag with the German officers and that he had been to dinner with them, and had had turkey, potatoes, coffee, butter, eggs, sugar in his coffee, and all the luxuries you could think of. We just sat and stared at him. It seemed impossible that any of our own men would have the gall to torture us like that, and yet we could not possibly believe that it had really happened. Finally, one fellow could not stand it any longer. He was nothing but skin and bones.



One Man Would Trade His Whole Ration for the Next Day for Half a Ration Today.

but he grabbed a dividing board and there were just two wallops: the board hit the Australian's head and the head hit the floor. Then half a dozen more pounced onto him and gave him a real licking. When he came to he had forgotten all about the wonderful dinner he did not have.

Not long after this the Russian doctors proved to the Germans that there was no black typhus in our barracks and we were allowed the freedom of the camp except that we could not visit the Russian barracks. That was no hardship to me nor to the rest of us, except one chap from the Cambrian Range, who had a special pal among the Russians that he wanted to see. And, of course, when he was verboten, he wanted to see him all the more.

A day or two after the order I was standing outside the barracks door when I saw this fellow come out with a dividing board in his hand. I thought he was going to smash somebody with it, so I stood by. But he stooped over and jammed one end of the board against the threshold of the door, scratched it the ground with the farther end of the board and measured again. He kept this up, length by length, in the direction of the Russian barracks. The sentry in the yard stopped and stared at him, but the fellow kept right on, paying no attention to anybody. Pretty soon he was right by the sentry's feet and I thought any minute the sentry would give him the butt, but he just stared a while and let him pass. That had measured the whole distance to the Russian barracks, went inside, stayed a while and calmly strolled back with the board under his arm. When he reached our barracks again he told us he had found a vino mine. What he had found was something not so unusual—a boneheaded German.

There was a lot of bamboo near the Russian barracks and the Russians made baskets out of it and turned them in to the Germans. For this they had the good jobs in the kitchen end. But they were treated like dogs—that is, all except the few Cossacks

that were in the bunch. The Huns knew that a Cossack never forgets and will get revenge for the slightest mistreatment, even if it means his death. I have seen sentries turn aside from the beat they were walking and get out of the way when they saw a Cossack coming. There were very few Cossacks there, however. I do not think they let themselves get captured very often.

We had roll call every morning, of course, and were always mustered in front of our barracks, the middle of the line being right at the barracks door. Sometimes when the cold got too much for them, the men nearest the door would duck into the barracks. As they left the ranks the other men would close up and this kept the line even, with the center still opposite the barracks door. Finally almost all of the men would be in the barracks and by the time the roll was over not one remained outside. This seemed to peeve the German officers a great deal, but they did not punish us for it until we had been doing it for some time.

For several days I had noticed that someone else answered for two men who had disappeared; at least I had not seen them for some time. I did not think much about it, or ask any questions, and I did not hear anyone else talk about it, but I was pretty sure the two men, a Russian and a Britisher, had escaped. But they were marked present at roll call and all accounted for. Everything went along very well until one day when the name "Fontaine" got by without being answered. Fontaine was a French fireman from the Cambrian Range and that was the first time he had not been present. We saw what was coming and we began to get pretty sore at Fontaine for not telling us, so we could answer for him and keep the escape covered.

The minute they found our count one short they blew two whistles and a squad of sentries came up as an extra guard. They counted us again, but by sneaking back of the line and closing up again we made the count all right except for one man—Fontaine. We would have tried to cover up for him, except that they had already discovered his absence. Now, we thought, they will nab Fontaine but will not discover the escape of the others.

But evidently they suspected something, for soon they brought over a petty officer from H. M. S. Nomad, who had not been with us before, and forced him to call the roll from the mustering papers, while they watched the men as they answered. Then they discovered that two more besides Fontaine were missing and began to search for them.

The other two spoke German and had been missing for at least three days and, I think, had escaped by this time. They were not returned while I was at Brandenburg.

This was about 7 a. m. They drilled us down to the little lake, where the cold was much greater, and kept us there until 5 p. m., without food or drink. At about eight that morning they found Fontaine in a French barracks and kicked him all the way to the lake where we were.

All day long we stood there falling one by one and getting kicked if beaten each time until we dragged ourselves up again. Two or three died—I do not know the exact number. But we had enough strength, when ordered back to the barracks, to kick Fontaine ahead of us all the way. We did not get anything to eat until seven the next morning—twenty-four hours without food and water, ten of which were spent in the snow without any protection from the cold and wind. No wonder we kicked Fontaine for bringing this punishment on us and endangering the two who had escaped—he had simply strolled over to the French barracks and forgot to return.

Now, the food received was just about enough to keep us alive. I suppose, with true kultur, the Huns had figured out just how much it would take to keep a man on this side-of-the-starvation line and gave us that much and no more. So we were always famished—always hungrier than you times when we were ravenously hungry and could not hold out any longer we would trade rations.

One man would trade his whole ration for the next day for a half ration today. That is, if you were so hungry that you thought you could not last out the day on your regular share, you would tell someone else that if he gave you half his share today you would give him all of yours tomorrow. If he was a gambler he would take you up. That is, he would gamble on his being alive tomorrow, not on your keeping your word. He knew you would come across with your ration the next day and like as not, if you tried to keep it from him, he would kick you, and no body would blame him.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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The proof of a woman's temper is the arrival of an unexpected guest for dinner.

Large scandals often grow from small talk.

## Weekly Health Talk

### What Doctor Pierce Has Done for Humanity

BY DOCTOR CHIPPES.

It has always seemed to me that Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., should be placed near the top when a list of American great benefactors is written. He studied and conquered human diseases to a degree that few realize. Whenever he found a remedy that overcame disease, he once announced it in the newspapers and told where it could be bought at a small price. He did not follow the usual custom of keeping the ingredients secret, so that the rich only could afford to buy the medicine, but openly printed the name of each root and herb he used. And so the names of Dr. Pierce and his medicines are widely known, and they stand for better health and better citizenship.

One of this great physician's most successful remedies is known as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. These are little, sugar-coated pills, composed of Myrtle, lemon, aloë, root of jalap—things that Nature grows in the ground. These Pellets are safe because they move the bowels gently, leaving no bad after-effects, as so many pills do. Very often they make a person who takes them feel like a new man or woman, for they cleanse the intestine of hard, decayed and poisonous matter that accumulates when one is constive. If you are constipated, by all means go to your druggist and get some of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They may prove to be the very thing your system requires to make you well and happy.



# His Earliest Lesson



## FAMILY SEAT 1732--Washington--1799 AT VALLEY FORGE

English Home of Washingtons, Manor of Sulgrave.

ALTHOUGH Warton, in Lancashire, can claim to be the earliest of the discovered English homes of the Washingtons, it is the family settled at Sulgrave, Northamptonshire, that they definitely trace to history. Even the restriction of the story is carried to the sixteenth century, and we are taken to the Lawrence Washingtons whose curious brass effigy is



House at Brington, Now the Washington House.

of treasure of Sulgrave church. received a grant of Sulgrave from Henry VIII, and on a pile of completion that manor house which the American pilgrim now seeks with affectionate interest. Partly, this picturesque building is the shell of an old structure, the main it stands today as remodelled by its most famous

at Sulgrave, so at Brington, it is village church that the memory of Washington's English ancestors to be seen in richest abundance. The most notable of these is a stone slab. In the chancel floor, which is carefully protected by a wooden cover. This is to the glory of that Lawrence Washington who was the uncle of the great American ancestor. Here in the Washington shield, but many arms are impaled with the Butler family, one of the members became Lawrence Washington's wife.

### AS SWIFT RUNNER

When Washington Was in Prime, Could Successfully Compete With Him.

"The picture shows a new statue of George Washington which has been placed on a pedestal which has long been vacant in Washington arch. Mount Vernon Unchanged. Mount Vernon stands today exactly as it was when General Washington was living; and the trees a little larger grown, but the gardens and the houses and barns and stables and the great vistas precisely as he would have had them, and it might well be imagined that his spirit broods over these scenes of his earthly happiness with fine approval of the devoted service of his countrywomen in keeping alive here the lamp of chivalry in the souls of men.

**THE defender of his country—the founder of liberty—the friend of man. History and tradition are explored in vain for a parallel to his character.**

**In the annals of modern greatness he stands alone; and the noblest names of antiquity lose their luster in his presence. Born the benefactor of mankind, he united all the qualities necessary to an illustrious career.**

**Nature made him great; he made himself virtuous.**

**Called by his country to the defense of her liberties, he triumphantly vindicated the rights of humanity, and on the pillars of national independence laid the foundations of a great republic.**

**Twice invested with Supreme Magistracy by the unanimous vote of a free people, he surpassed in the Cabinet the glories of the field, and, voluntarily resigning the scepter and the sword, retired to the shades of private life.**

**A spectacle so new and so sublime was contemplated with the profound admiration, and the name of Washington, adding new luster to humanity, resounded to the remotest regions of the earth.**

**Magnanimous in youth, glorious through life, great in death. His highest ambition, the happiness of mankind. His noblest victory, the conquest of himself.**

**Bequeathing to posterity the inheritance of his fame, and building his monument in the hearts of his countrymen, he lived the ornament of the eighteenth century; he died regretted by a mourning world.**

### NEW WASHINGTON STATUE



The picture shows a new statue of George Washington which has been placed on a pedestal which has long been vacant in Washington arch.

Washington's Signet Ring. The signet ring of George Washington has been found. This ring, which the Father of His Country wore all his life, is in the possession of a Washington woman, whose name and claim to it are not made public. The ring bears the crest of the family of General Washington's grandmother, that of the Montvuto, which was converted colloquially into Montague. Her first husband was a Captain Johnson, and by her second husband, Capt. Joseph Ball, she had a daughter, Mary Ball, George Washington's mother.

## DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

### ELEPHANT'S TOOTHACHE.

"An elephant in the zoo," said Daddy. "had had a tooth ache for two weeks." "That sounds strange," said Nancy. "It's true, though," said Daddy. "I know it must be," said Nancy. "for you never tell us stories about animals which aren't true. But somehow I had never thought of an elephant having a tooth ache. Tooth ache seems to belong to children." "They don't want it to belong to them, though," said Nick. "And it belongs to grown-ups too," said Daddy. "I've had a tooth ache myself."

"Nancy speaks," said Nick. "as though tooth aches were something one were proud to own, such as having toys belong to us." "I don't mean that," said Nancy. "but I was thinking that only the other day I had a tooth ache and had to go to the dentist. And when I think of elephants I think of them as eating peanuts and doing tricks." "Well, this poor elephant had a tooth ache," said Daddy. "He was very brave about the pain and didn't make any fuss, but he simply couldn't eat. He hardly ate a thing for two whole weeks."

"The tooth hurt him all this time, and to have a tooth ache for two weeks is pretty bad, for everyone knows that an hour of a tooth ache is far from pleasant."

Nancy nodded her head. "Well, the keeper didn't know at first what could be the matter with the elephant."

"Poor old Gogo," he said, "you don't seem to enjoy your food any more. You must have indigestion. Your food doesn't tempt you any more. I'll try to see if I can't give you something which will make you feel like eating."

"So the keeper gave the elephant a tonic and put some medicine in his food—so he wouldn't notice it—but so it would do him good."

"But the medicine didn't do the elephant any good and still he just played with his food. Then the keeper called in the doctor and the doctor said, 'We'd better call in the zoo dentist, for he may have something the matter with his teeth. He tries to eat, I notice, and it seems to hurt him.'"

"But he doesn't groan or moan," said the keeper. "Surely if he had tooth ache we would notice it."

"Animals often don't make any fuss about pain," said the doctor. "I know that," said the keeper. "I may be wrong," said the zoo doctor, "but somehow I have an idea it is his teeth."

"So they called the zoo dentist and he opened the elephant's mouth. Then they knew that the elephant had something the matter with his teeth for it was all he could do to open his mouth. "He tried very hard and was as pa-



Poor Old Gogo!

tient as could be. His poor mouth was very much swollen inside and the zoo dentist said, 'He has a very bad tooth. His mouth is so swollen that he hasn't been able to eat—that has been the trouble.'

"And the keeper looked at the elephant and said, 'Brave Gogo. For two weeks you've had a tooth ache and you haven't moaned once. It's more than I could have done.'

"We'll fix this right away, so he won't have any more pain," said the zoo dentist.

"So they put something in the tooth and all around it so, the elephant wouldn't feel any pain at all. It made it feel quite dull and the throbbing which he had felt for two weeks went away."

"In a very few minutes, with the help of an instrument which made the elephant shake a little nervously as he saw it (for he couldn't imagine what it might be), out came the tooth."

"There," said the zoo dentist, "you will have no more pain."

"In a few days Gogo was himself again. The soreness had all gone away and he was eating once more—and eating the most delicious of dishes for the keeper said:

"I want to reward you all I can, as you're the bravest creature I've ever known."

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## THE KITCHEN CABINET

For thy sake breathe the woven arches of her forests Perpetual anthems, and the blue skies smile Between, to heal thee with their infinite hope.

### SEASONABLE DISHES.

Carrots are so commonly ignored and are such a good, wholesome vegetable that we should give them more attention and serve them at least once a week on our tables.

**Flemish Carrots.**—Cut the carrots in thin, narrow strips, using a vegetable cutter so that they will be of uniform thickness. Letting them stand, if at all wilted, in cold water for a time will make them crisp and fresh. For a pint of carrots melt a tablespoonful of butter or substitute in a saucepan, add one-fourth of a cup of chopped onion and half a teaspoonful of sugar. Cover and let cook very slowly, using care not to scorch them; when the onion is yellow add one cupful of beef broth and simmer until the onion is tender, then the cooked carrots; sprinkle with chopped parsley and serve at once.

**Maple Rice Pudding.**—Boil one-fourth of a cupful of rice until soft; scald two cupfuls of milk in a double boiler; stir a tablespoonful and a half of cornstarch in half a cupful of maple sirup and stir into the hot milk; when the mixture thickens, cover and let cook 15 minutes; add the rice well dried, with the grains distinct, and beat in the yolks of the two eggs, beaten light. Turn into a baking dish. Beat the whites of two eggs very light, then beat in slowly one-fourth of a cupful of maple sirup and spread over the pudding; let it cook about 12 minutes in a moderate oven.

**Maple Sirup Frosting.**—Put two-thirds of a cupful of maple sirup and the white of an egg into a double boiler. When the water is rapidly boiling in the lower part set in the sirup and egg; beat and cook, stirring continuously for eight minutes. Remove from the water and beat until cool enough to spread. Corn sirup may be used instead of maple sirup, adding chopped figs or dates and a teaspoonful of vanilla. Honey may also be used as above, using one tablespoonful less of honey.

True there are neighbors with notes in their eyes, and not criticize, True there be many afflicted with flaws; But let's not judge them, because—well because.

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE. It will be years, and perhaps longer, before we will feel the freedom of the old days in regard to foods of various kinds. We have learned to sacrifice much that we thought indispensable but which has proven a blessing in results, as we feel better, work better, and will live longer because of the giving up the "overeating habit." Plain foods, well served and not too great a variety at any meal, is the order of the day.

**Chili Con Carne.**—This dish may be made with green beans, dried or canned. Canned kidney beans are especially good. Take a pint of beans without the liquid. Cut one pound of round steak in strips an inch long and one-fourth inch wide. Let brown in a frying pan. Skim out the meat, add to the fat two fair-sized onions cut fine and cooked until yellow. Add a can of tomatoes and heat to the boiling point; add the beans, a teaspoonful of salt and half a teaspoonful of paprika and pour over the meat. Simmer gently in an earthen dish or casserole. Simmer gently three hours. Twenty minutes before serving, add one-half a green pepper cut in shreds and more salt and pepper if needed. Serve in a dish with a border of boiled rice or of mashed potato.

**Poultry With Vegetables.**—Dredge a fowl with rye or oat flour, put four tablespoonfuls of fat in a roaster, set in the fowl, cover and cook, turning often to see that it browns evenly. When well browned add a cupful of boiling water and six parboiled onions; cover and cook, adding more water if needed. Turn the chicken several times and when it is nearly tender add a cauliflower, broken in flowerets, and two or three carrots cut in cubes. Cook until the vegetables are tender. Serve the fowl in the center of a platter with the vegetables around it. Make a gravy from the broth in the pan.

**Cider Apple Sauce.**—Cook quartered sweet apples in thick boiled cider until tender. The addition of sugar will not be necessary if the apples are very sweet.

**Fruit Apples.**—Wash, dry, stone and put through the meat chopper two cupfuls of dates, add one cupful of peanut butter, one teaspoonful of salt, candied orange and lemon peel. Mix and form into small balls, roll in sugar and place a clove in the blossom end, and for the stem insert a small piece of candied peel.

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## STOMACH UPSET?

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN AT ONCE ENDS SOURNESS, GASES, ACIDITY, INDIGESTION.

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Oh, H-m-m. Nibbs—How didja come out with your Christmas presents, old chap? Broke even, I suppose. Nobbs—Not even—just broke.

When Baby Is Teething GROVER'S BABY RHEUM MEDICINE will soothe the stomach and bowels. Perfectly harmless. See directions on the bottle.

What Happened. Out West a would-be highwayman "held up" a profiteer. The highwayman lost his overcoat, boots and \$8.

## RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

His Guess. Bix—"Are you familiar with that song 'Sweet and Low'?" Dix—"No; but I'll bet it isn't about sugar."

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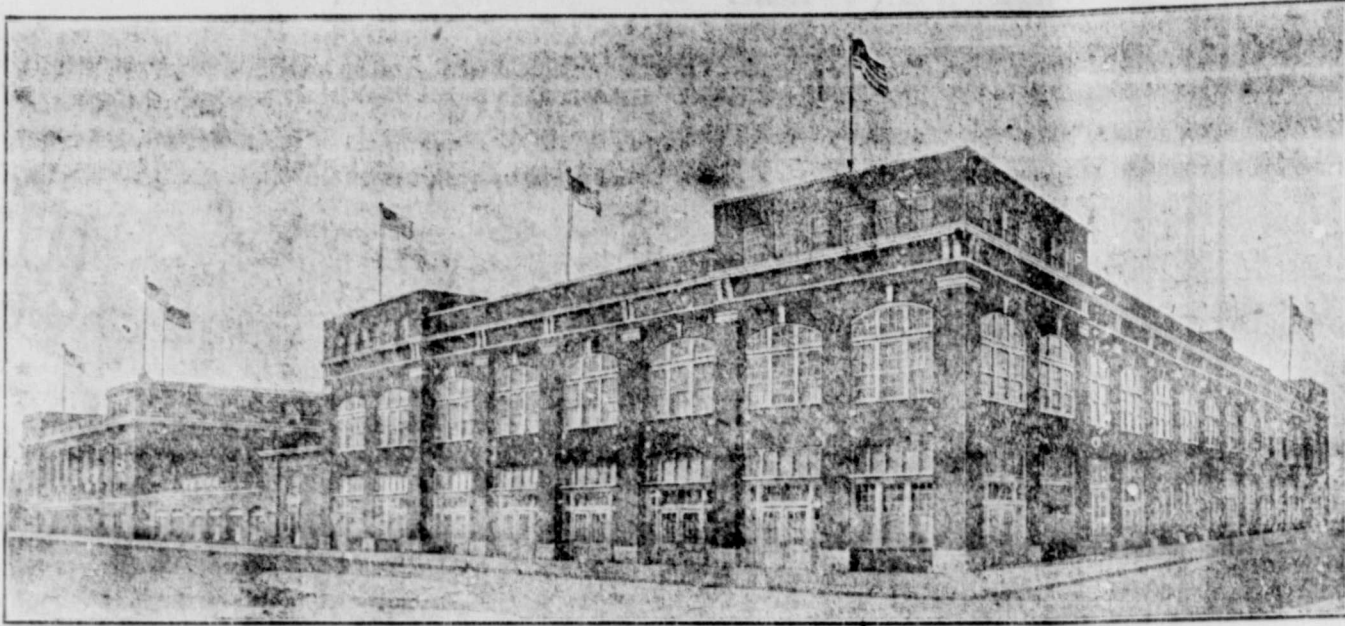
Those who dodge work are apt to be dodged by the reward.

Borrowed trouble is always the most burdensome.

Nellie Maxwell



## Southwest Owns the World's Finest Exposition Plant



For many years Chicago has boasted of its Coliseum and New York has been able to brag about the Madison Square Garden, in both of which places it was possible to hold conventions and gatherings of the largest kinds.

The Southwest, however, has suddenly leaped into the front rank, with the completion of the Exposition wing of the great Forum group of buildings at Wichita. The Forum proper seating 5,000 persons, was built about eight years ago. Two years later a temporary annex was constructed. Last fall the group was completed by the addition of the steel and concrete

Exposition building and now this plant lays claim to being the largest in the United States, if not in the world.

The Kansas National Live Stock Exposition and Victory Horse Show will be held in this group, Feb. 24 to March 1. In the Forum proper which will be equipped with an immense arena, there will be held daily sales of the best blooded live stock that can be gathered from all parts of the United States. The object of the Exposition is first to educate the farmers into a knowledge of what is best and to show them the actual champions of the various breeds, so

that the embryo stock man may see for himself and choose for himself. Then when he has made up his mind what he wants, he may buy just the type of animal he chooses, for these sales will supply every demand. Each day, in the arena the stockman may see the different classes judged and may thus learn what points to look for in the selection of cattle.

In the evening the arena will be given over to the Horse Show, for which a program, to include ten classes a night has been arranged. The management claims that this program will be the equal of any offered at the International Horse Show

in Chicago in the last ten years. Many famous stables will be represented and the competition will be keen.

The annex will be used for the show horses and some of the draft horses on exhibition. The Exposition building, both floors, will be filled with the cattle, sheep, hogs, heavy horses and the poultry and pet stock.

It is predicted that as a result of the forthcoming show more than 1,000 of the finest stock in America will be drawn from the older stock raising communities to Kansas and Oklahoma farms to aid in upbuilding the live stock industry

One of the interesting features of the coming Kansas Live Stock Exposition will be the student's live stock judging contest which will be open to teams of three high school students doing one or more years of work in high schools, provided that they are now doing such high school work.

Four classes will be judged—dairy cows, beef cattle, horses and hogs. Four animals shall constitute a class. These will be marked by the committee with letters A, B, C and D and shall be placed by the students as first, second, third and fourth.

The essential reasons for placing first above second, second above third, third above fourth shall be written and these reasons handed to the judges.

Fifty per cent will be allowed for correct placing and fifty per cent for reasons given, which must be written.

Each school entering a team must send entries to E. J. Tracy, County agent, Wichita, Kansas, on or before Feb. 10 and they shall send the name of each member of the team and their addresses. If substitutes are named, their addresses must also be furnished.

The largest collection of pet rabbits, canaries, pigeons and fur bearing animals ever shown in the southwest will be exhibited at the Kansas National Live Stock Show at Wichita Feb. 24 to March 1. Among the novelties will be silver grey, black and red foxes, raccoons, ground hogs, opossums, mink, marten and ferrets. Premium lists may be obtained free by addressing F. S. Kirk, Live Stock Exchange Building, Wichita, Kan.

And as practically every farmer and stockman has come to the point where he is no longer satisfied with "scrubs," the Association will bring to its Live Stock Exposition in Wichita, Feb. 24 to Mar. 1, thousands of head of pure bred cattle, horses, swine and sheep not only for exhibition, but for sale as well. The middle west has been scoured for this purpose and the entries will represent states as far apart as Wyoming and Alabama.

The sales of blooded stock will be held daily under the auspices of the Association itself and not by private parties and each sale will be supervised by one of the registry associations, insuring a square deal for every purchaser, large and small.

The residents of this section will never have a better opportunity to add good live stock to their herds and flocks and it is to be hoped that a goodly number of these fine animals will find their way to this county.

### FIRST TO COMMENCE RECONSTRUCTION WORK

Kansas National Live Stock Association Takes "Bull by the Horns."

About the first actual reconstruction work to be taken up since the end of the war is that being done by the Kansas National Live Stock Association, which is making a strong effort to re-stock the farms of Kansas and Oklahoma, depleted of their horses and cattle by the war.

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and you get up as tired as when you went to bed, it is a sure sign that your nerves are out of tune. If this continues long, a nervous breakdown and a train of ills are bound to follow.

The experience of Mrs. H. L. Redman, of New Haven, Conn., will interest you. She says:

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### They've Grown up Together

#### Boy Sure Sheep Has No Equal

Despite the international shortage of meat and wool, there are less sheep in America now than at any time since 1905. In fact, there are 55,000,000 less sheep in the world than when the Great War opened in 1914. For these reasons unusual interest is being taken in the sheep show to be held at the Kansas National Live Stock and Horse Show, Wichita, Feb. 24 to March 1.

Mutton and lamb have been rising in value by leaps and bounds in the last few years, due not only to a smaller world supply but a greater demand. The value of a sheep is now more than double its value five years ago. In fact, sheep are now worth more than at any time in the history of America. It is believed that unusually high prices will prevail for many years.

Wool, too, is higher in price than at any time since the Civil War, and a quotation of one dollar a

pound is predicted by many. The average fleece weighs from seven to eight pounds, and represents quite an income.

**Sheep Profitable.**

A small flock of sheep will convert much of the roughage of the farm into meat and wool. It will attack weeds with vigor. Sheep will do well on the millions of acres of hilly, rocky ground in America, all of which is unsuited for other kinds of agriculture. A sheep will produce a fleece in the spring worth from \$3.00 to \$4.00, and a lamb crop in the fall worth from \$12.00 to \$25.00. Sheep can be fattened on a bigger percentage of roughage than any other animal, and little grain and shelter is needed to keep a flock of sheep in good condition.

These are the principal reasons why such large premiums are to be awarded at the show to interest farmers in this locality in the raising of more sheep.—Copyrighted.

### WILL PROVE A GREAT EDUCATION

To Kansas and Oklahoma Breeders of Registered Live Stock

Every breeder of registered live stock in Kansas and Oklahoma, large or small, is invited to make an exhibit at the coming Kansas National Live Stock Exposition and Horse Show, which will be held at Wichita, Feb. 24 to Mar. 1. Over \$20,000 has been set aside by the business men of Wichita to assist in educating our residents in both states to the great advantages to be derived from raising more and better live stock. This money is spent in bringing to this territory all the best specimens that can be obtained, exhibiting and judging them for the public benefit and paying the liberal premiums on the various classes.

From all parts of the country choice specimens of registered animals will be brought there for public sale, the idea being to distribute these good cattle, swine, sheep and horses through this part of Kansas and Oklahoma.

### FREE ENTRIES FOR EXHIBITS

Free entries and free admission to exhibitors are two of the attractive features of the coming Kansas National Live Stock Exposition, at Wichita, Feb. 24 to March 1. These liberal terms are provided so as to make it attractive to the beginner. With free return of cattle, sheep and hogs by the railways the expense is cut to the limit and the premiums made profitable.

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