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Victory Loan Campaign To Start Soon

Whatever spirit of "let own" that there followed the signing of the loan is rapidly disappearing and the country is awakening to the realization that the war is not over until the last of the American soldier is back home and every dollar of the war bill paid.

The fathers and mothers of the boys who went over seas or to camp, risked their lives for their country and many of them gave life or will not quit until the job is done, any more than the soldiers left over there.

The Government has recognized the assistance the women have rendered in the previous loans. Between seven and eight hundred thousand women sold bonds during the last loan.

The secretary of the Treasury says the National Womens Liberty Loan Committee has brought into existence an organization of women through the country which is one of the important factors in the success of the Liberty Loan.

Every person in the county will be asked to subscribe to this Loan beginning April 21, and we women want to cooperate with the men's committee in putting over the Victory Loan which will be the greatest test of American people have had in a long way.

The boys now are keeping watch on the Rhine and we must help them in some way to "Keep the World for Democracy."

W. Wells, County Chairman.

Following is a list of the Womens Liberty Loan Committee for Roberts County:

Ms. Hattie Osborne Wells, County Chairman.

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Committee, for Miami, Texas.

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Ms. Katie Joiner.

Ms. W. E. Stocker.

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H. A. TALLEY, Asst.

LETTER REGARDING DEATH OF ROY TROWBRIDGE

The following letter was received this week regarding the recent death of Former Mayor, Roy Trowbridge.

Fullerton, Calif., April 9, 1919
L. G. Christopher, Miami, Texas.

Regarding the death of Ero. Roy Trowbridge, will say that on April 1st he got up from the dinner table, and followed a little way by his children, started for his place of employment, which was the Dean Hardware Company, taking a short cut along the railroad track. After walking a block, he met the train coming from Los Angeles and stepping aside to let it pass he stepped in front of a San Diego train and was badly cut and skull broken. He was taken to the hospital and died at 6:30 p. m. Today at 2 p. m. we had the funeral at McAulys Undertaking Parlors and the body was taken to Sierra Madre for burial.

The family I understand will perhaps be left in destitute circumstances. Six children to be taken care of by a frail mother. I understand he carried \$1,000 insurance in the W. O. W. but his wife could not show a later receipt than Jan. 1st, 1919.

Yours in F. L. & T.
O. S. Compton, Sec'y.

The above is the letter received in answer to a telegram asking for details. Mr. Trowbridge carried \$2,000 in the W. O. W. and the local clerk, Tom Pursley states that he was in good standing in that lodge, but delinquent since Jan. 1st in the Yeoman. Mr. Trowbridge was also a member of our Mutual No. 1, carrying \$1,000 insurance.

POSTMASTER EXAMINATION

At the request of the Postmaster General the United State Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Canadian, Texas on May 21, 1919 for the position of postmaster at Miami. This office has an annual compensation of \$1500.

To be eligible for this examination an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must actually reside within the delivery of the office and have so resided at the time the present vacancy occurred.

Applicants must have received their twenty-fifth but not their sixty-fifth birthday on the date of the examination.

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FLAG AT HALF MAST

The flag on the city flag pole hung at half mast all day Sunday, as a respectful tribute to the memory of Private Roy Brennan who died in Germany, February 22, of pneumonia. He passed away on the birthday anniversary of George Washington, our country's first and greatest apostle of liberty.

Private Brennan was a distinguished young soldier and wore a number of bars on his sleeve testifying to his heroic service and the high esteem of the officers.

He was the first and only soldier born in Kiowa who died in the service.—The Kiowa Record, Kiowa, Kansas.

Private Brennan was a nephew of Ed Humphries and was in Miami about 12 years ago.

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To Grade Mobeetie Public Road

County Commissioner H. T. Gill stated to the Chief writer that a contract for grading the Mobeetie road had already been let, and that work would start on it as soon as the ground was dry enough and the weather permit.

Commissioner Gill stated further that the county was as present very short on funds, and that if the citizens could or would raise an additional \$1,000 for this work, it could be used to a great advantage.

The Public road business in any county is not only a matter of much importance, but one that requires a great deal of time and patriotic work from the citizens.

Results of City Election

The City election Tuesday resulted in the following officers for the City.

A. O. Pickens, Mayor.
L. G. Christopher, Alderman.
J. A. Mead, Alderman.
W. G. Duniven, Alderman.
C. H. Wilson, Marshall.

Seventy-three votes were cast. The above was the printed tickets. A few scattering votes were cast for others, but not enough to change the ticket. The New officers will qualify at once.

Mobeetie Soldier Boy Died Last Week.

Austin Haning, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Haning of near Mobeetie died last of last week in North Ca. and his remains shipped to Mobeetie for burial Thursday of this week. The family lived in Miami four years ago and Austin with other children attended school here. He was with the U. S. Boys in France when he took sick and was brought back to the United States only a few weeks ago and never improved any since his return. He had influenza while on the battle front with his Company, the 142 Ambulance Co., and Tuberculosis was discovered Dec. 22, and the parents were called to his bedside about four weeks ago and have been with him since.

Austin was 25 years old and graduated from the Miami Public School in 1915. He was a model young man and soldier, doing his best for his country and humanity when he took sick.

The remains were carried to Mobeetie this morning for burial this afternoon at that place.

April Showers Come And Bring Snow.

We have been visited this week with some real January and February weather. A light rain fell Tuesday afternoon, and when we awoke yesterday morning, the ground was covered with a nice large coat of snow. We failed to learn just what amount of moisture fell, but the ground is very muddy and covered with possibly an inch of snow. Whether or not the freeze will be sufficient to kill the fruit is left to be seen. No freezing weather has been registered so far, but appearances look very favorable that this spell which caused a very light crust to freeze on the ground will be sufficient to get a good portion of the fruit. The very bright sunshine of today is making the snow disappear very fast.

Heare-Reid Wedding

What was a very much surprise to Miami friends Sunday and the wedding of Mr. Ike Heare and Miss Olive Reid of Mobeetie, which took place at Pampa Sunday morning, young Rev. Huckabee performing the ceremony.

The bride was the last single daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reid of Mobeetie and a very fine young lady. Mr. Heare is a son of F. P. Heare of Miami an one of the highest respected young men that has ever lived in Miami. They will make their home at Pampa, where they have already began housekeeping, and we join with their host of friends at Miami, Mobeetie and Pampa in the many good wishes for a bright happy and prosperous married life.

The weather man seems to have called a halt in the Spring drive; threw on the emergency brake and shifted into reverse.

Mrs. W. Y. Reed came in last night from Cherokee, Okla., and will dispose of their household goods and return to Cherokee, where they expect to make their future home.

Aeroplane to Advertise Victory Loan.

A communication addressed to county Chairman T. M. Cunningham from the Federal Reserve Bank at Dallas was received this morning and stated that an Aeroplane demonstration could be had at Miami if we could prepare a landing 400 to 600 yards long which was level and marked with the proper markings. The demonstration will be held during the Liberty Loan Drive. Men are at the ball grounds this morning to measure and find a proper landing, and if it can be found, Judge Cunningham will wire our answer.

This would indeed be something of much interest to us all and will be of much advertising benefit to the coming Liberty Loan.

The Methodist Revival

Presiding Elder Story and Rev. Huckabee are conducting a revival meeting this week at the Methodist Church. Some good sermons and good good music are being given, but owing to the extremely bad weather the crowds have not been as large as are expected the balance of the meeting. There is a standing invitation to everyone to attend any and all services. Preaching every morning and every night.

SCHOOL NOTES

LABOR

The Senior history class have been working on the national problems of the day and was very much pleased when Rev. Hicks spoke to them Mar. 29th on Labor. A hort outline of his talk is as follows:

- Labor Question.
 - Labor deals with the employee and the employer.
 - Labor Organizations.
 - The employer's organizations
 - Boycott.
 - Public opinion.
 - Strike.
 - Employer's organization.
 - Meet to settle wages.
- Electric bargaining.
 - An agreement between employer and employer.
 - The different ways countries have settled labor problems.
 - France.
 - Tribunal to penalty.
 - New Zealand.
 - Courts.
 - Penalty.
 - United States.
 - Voluntary Arbitration.
 - Committee.
 - International Problems.
 - Compulsory education.
 - Prohibit night 'air and also Sunday labor.

SMITH IS RIGHT.

The burden placed on newspapers by Federal and State Bureaus, charitable societies of every description grows greater as the period of reconstruction advances. The average editor needs a private secretary to even open the mail much less to read and condense same. At times we dump the whole shooting-match into the waste basket and make no attempt to go through it. It looks like government officials have come to the point where they think they own the press of the country. Their gall is unlimited, their brass and nerve is unbounded. They are certainly riding a free horse to death, and in fact, have already ridden him until he is a bundle of bones and skin. Here is the list that came to the Beacon office on Monday's mail: Communications with request to publish full or in part, from, Texas Industrial Congress, Internal Revenue Office at Austin, National War Council, Treasurer Department, Board of Temperance, M. E. Church, Department of Commerce, Jewish War Relief Fund, State Tuberculosis Sanitarium, University of Texas, Texas Equal Suffrage League, besides others dumped into the stove and waste basket. What in the Sam Hill has gotten into the space grafters? Do they think we are rolling in wealth and can handle this stuff? Do they think Newspapers set type by magic, or printers work for the joy of labor, that print paper is given to publishers free, and that we have the money to produce a fractional part of the stuff sent us? The Beacon has been ridden and grafted on until it is getting sore on the whole bunch of space grafters. We think we will notify them to take our names off their lists, and sent no more of their dope. The request that come to this office weekly would make a hundred column of set matter. The fact of the business the Government has ridden the press in the name of

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Coming Programs at Pastime Theatre

Friday April 11. Triangle Program. 1 reel Comedy, Somebody's Wife and a Five reel Feature.

Old Love for New, Starring Wilson. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

SATURDAY, April 12, Lewis Program, 2 Reel Fatty Arbuckle Comedy, "A Small Town Bully." Gaumont Graphic.

No. 26. 1 Reel Christie Comedy, Almost Divorced.

2 Reel Wm. S. Hart feature, A square Deal.

MONDAY, April 14, "Why I would Not Marry." Matinee at 4 p. m., Admission 10-20 cents, second show starting at 8, Admission 15-30 cents, second night show starting at 9:30, Admission 15-30 cents.

TUESDAY, April 15, Third Episode, Lure of the Circus.

2 Reel L-KO Comedy and Screen Telegram. Matinee at 4 p. m., Admission 10 cents, night show starting at 8, Adm. 10-20c, second night show starting at 9:30, Adm. 10-20 cents.

FOR SALE. Five to six thousand bundles of well headed bright maize, at 12 1-2 cents per bundle. See or phone Roy Mathers. 42-4tc.

NOTICE. Parties selling goods and charging to my account, without my personal or written order, do so at their own risk, and I will pay no such accounts.

3t p. 42. N. A. Gray.

MICKIE SAYS

DAUBIN' SIGNS ON FENCES, AN' BARN' AN' SIDEWALKS, MAN HAVE BEEN CONSIDERED ADVERTISING FORE THEY WUZ ANY NEWSPAPERS, BUT THEY'S NO EXCUSE FER SUCH STUNTS ANY MORE, WITH THIS HERE GREAT FAMILY JOURNAL COMIN' OUT REGLAR! HEY, BOSS?

MICKIE! ARE YOU TRYING TO WORK ME FOR A RAISE?

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Here your money is safe from Thieves, from loss by fire and unnecessary expenditures. We offer your money the protection of fire proof vaults, burglar proof safe, \$400,000.00 individual responsibility and all under efficient management.

THE BANK OF MIAMI
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Roberts County Depository

The Thirteenth Commandment

By RUPERT HUGHES

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DAPHNE RESOLVES THAT SHE WILL NO LONGER BE DEPENDENT UPON ANY MAN.

Synopsis.—Clay Wimburn, a young New Yorker on a visit to Cleveland, meets pretty Daphne Kip, whose brother is in the same office with Clay in Wall street. After a whirlwind courtship they become engaged. Clay buys an engagement ring on credit and returns to New York. Daphne agrees to an early marriage, and after extracting from her money-worried father what she regards as a sufficient sum of money for the purpose she goes to New York with her mother to buy her trousseau. Daphne's brother, Bayard, has just married and left for Europe with his bride, Leila. Daphne and her mother install themselves in Bayard's flat. Wimburn introduces Daphne and her mother to luxuriously Bayard's flat. Daphne meets Tom Duane, man-about-town, who seems greatly attracted to her. Daphne accidentally discovers that Clay is penniless, except for his salary. Bayard and his wife return to New York unexpectedly. The three women set out on a shopping excursion and the two younger women buy expensive gowns, having them charged to Bayard.

CHAPTER VII—Continued.

Leila said nothing, but thought hard. Bayard was silent. Later the door-bell rang and a young sewing girl brought two big boxes from Dutilh's. They were so big that there was no concealing them. Leila made a timid effort to escape with hers, but Bayard was full of a cheerful curiosity: "What's all that, honey?" "Oh, it's just a—little thing I picked up today at Dutilh's." "What is it, a scarf or something? Give a fellow a look at it." He began to untie the knot. Sealed across the cord was an envelope, with a statement. Bayard tore it free. Leila snatched at it. Bayard laughed and dodged her. Leila pursued. It was a ghastly game of tag for her, and Daphne and her mother looked on in guilty dread. Bayard, whooping with laughter, dashed into his room and closed the door, held it fast while Leila pounded and pleaded with him. His laughter was quenched sharply. There was a silence. He opened the door and walked out, a sickly pallor at his lips, the statement in his hand: "This can't be right, honey: Bayard Kip to Dutilh, debtor. Peach-blow suit gown—two hundred and seventy-five dollars. The price is ridiculous, and I have no account there." "He—he insisted on my opening case." "But I don't want to open any accounts. I pay my bills in thirty days or discount them for cash. I can't pay in thirty days. Every penny I can see ahead of me is laid out." "I—I'm sorry," Leila faltered. "You said the times were getting better." "I thought they were. I hoped they were. But they've gone bad again. Besides, I was trying to cheer you up, to give you a happy honeymoon. And I bought you everything you saw abroad. And it wasn't enough! When will you get enough clothes!" Leila had stared incredulous at the calamitous result of her tender intimacy to beautify herself in his eyes. Then tears came gushing and she ran to her room and locked the door. Bayard did not follow her. He turned for comfort to his mother and Daphne. He noted the other box. Daphne had not dared to open it. Bayard ripped the envelope from its fold and read: "Bayard Kip to Dutilh, Dr. Parchment-toned gown, for Mrs. Daphne Kip, two hundred and seventy-five dollars."

He was parchment-toned himself as he shook the statement at Daphne, and whispered, huskily, "What's this?" Daphne could not muster any courtesy. She explained with craven reserve, "I saw a gown that I—needed here, and I—I—He offered to let it be your account till I could get the money." Bayard was choked with wrath and horror greater than hers. "I'll go to my office and work like a mad all day, and I come home to find my wife and my sister have run me into debt for—five hundred and fifty dollars. And the firm, the big firm I work for, had to extend a note for seven hundred and fifty because you wouldn't meet it!" His mother tried to stem the tide of Bayard's rage, to turn his wrath with soft answer: "I guess it's all my fault, honey. The dress looked so pretty on the girls I had them to take them. You ought to see how beautiful they are. Go put on your dress on, Daphne, and let your mother see how sweet you look in it." "Sweet! She looks sweet in it! It's beautiful! And that justifies anything, but what did you make 'em out of, my women?" Mrs. Kip nudged Daphne and whispered, "Go on, put the dress on; let me see you in it." She spoke with great caninism, but Daphne stared at her with derision. She edged away and spoke in a tone that edged as cold blue vitriol. "Put it on, mother! Do you think I'll wear the thing? I'll send it tomorrow morning at daybreak. I'll never take a thing that any man pays for as long as I live." Bayard roared at her over his shoulder. "You won't take anything that

land, and I am going to get married—but later, much later." "I hate conundrums," said Mrs. Kip. "Better tell me the answer, for I won't guess. What are you going to do?" "I'm going to lend a hand," said Daphne. "Do my share. Get a job and earn my board and keep." "Heaven help us! You've gone crazy!" Mrs. Kip exclaimed. "You get to bed and you'll feel better in the morning. I'll finish my letter." She added, unbeknownst to Daphne, a postscript as long as the letter, contradicting all she had just written and urging her husband to come East at once and take charge of his unruly daughter. She dropped it in the mail chute, and it fell into a bottomless pit, along with her other hopes. Daphne and her mother were uneasy at the prospect of the breakfast encounter with the bridal couple. There had been a sense of strain the first morning. But now a bitter quarrel had intervened—that first ugly quarrel when the wedge of finance is driven between united hearts.

Bayard and Leila, however, arrived at the table all smiles, more amorous than ever. Leila wore a triumphant smile, such as Leila must have worn the second time she went out walking with her big bay. It was plain to the anxious eyes of Mrs. Kip and Daphne that Leila had emerged from the quarrel with all the loot and aggravated power. She had taken advantage of her husband's trust and abused his generosity recklessly, with no more alibi motive, indeed, than the wish to beautify herself in his honor, and yet with recklessness. It was not altogether Leila's fault if the lesson she learned, perhaps unconsciously, from the combat was something like this: "I ran my husband into debt without consulting him. His listless love woke from its torpor and enchanted me with a first-class demonstration of his energy. He stormed, I wept thrillingly. He apologized, begged to be permitted to bring me some more nice

things. Ergo, when home life grows dull, I can always stir up the fire by buying something we can't afford. When I want anything I must get it. I shall be scolded, then kissed and treated with awe. If I hadn't bought it I wouldn't have had it, nor the bonus that goes with it. If we had not quarreled we should have missed the rapture of 'making up.'"

This is one of the first lessons that certain sorts of husbands teach to certain sorts of wives. When the man of the house had departed for his office, and the waiter had carried off the breakfast relics, the three women were left alone in a completely feminine conclave. They faced life like three Norns: the old mother, the new wife, and the deferred wife, each from her cogn of disadvantage.

The two married women turned on the maid, with common resentment. They were married and dependent and she had her independence. They were Tories and she a Whig. It was their privilege to rail at things as they were, but it was their religion to frown on changing them. Mrs. Kip senior spoke for Mrs. Kip junior.

"Now, Daphne, tell us what is this new foolishness all about?" Daphne answered, stoutly: "It's not foolishness. It's the first glimmer of sense I've ever had. I'm sick of the idea of always living on the mercy of some man, taking his charity or his extravagance. I've always been a drag on poor daddy, and I was getting ready to shift my weight over to poor Clay's back. But I don't think a woman ought to be dependent on a man. I think she ought to bear her share of the burden." "As if she didn't!" Mrs. Kip broke

"As if the home weren't just as much labor as the office." Leila attacked her from another direction. "For goodness' sake, Daphne, don't lose your head. Don't you imagine for a moment that a husband will be happier and love his wife better because she earns wages. The harder you work for men, the better they like somebody else. The harder a man works for you the better he likes you. Best of all, he loves the woman that tries to break him."

Daphne's answer was a snappy: "I don't believe it! I'd despise a man that felt that way." The three women wrangled with wise saws and modern instances, and they were in a perilous state of disension when the telephone rang. Leila answered it and her outcries of indignation alarmed Mrs. Kip and Daphne till they learned the cause. Bayard had called up to say that the luncheon party must be postponed. Outrageous business had made another insidious attack on love.

Daphne's heart was beating excitedly while she waited for him and she began to feel that she had put herself in a wrong light. When Duane arrived and the maid showed him into the living room Daphne tried to redeem herself by a businesslike directness. "Mr. Duane, you must think it very peculiar of me to drag you up here." "I think it's mighty kind of you." "You say that before you hear what I'm going to ask you. I'm going to ask you to do me a tremendous favor." "That will be doing me a tremendous favor," he said. "Then she amazed him with her request: 'You offered yesterday—of course I know you didn't mean it—but you offered to get me a job with a theatrical manager.' Duane's hospitable smile hardened into a grimace of anxiety. He mumbled, 'Oh, yes.' 'You know Mr. Ravee—or whatever his name is—very well, don't you?' 'Mr. Ravee—oh, yes—yes, I know him fairly well.' 'I want to go on the stage. Would you dare introduce me to Mr. Ravee?' 'Indeed I will, and proud to do it.' 'Do you think he'll give me a— a job?' 'I'll make him.' 'How can I ever repay you?' Her hand went out to him and he took it and squeezed it, and it squeezed back gratefully. But he did not let go. Duane seemed to be excited suddenly. Daphne drew her hand back, but his came with it, and he followed close upon. There was a look in his eyes that made her uneasy. His voice was uncertain as he said: 'You can repay me easily enough, if you want to.' 'I do. But how? How?' she asked anxiously, not quite daring to wrench her hand free. 'By—by being—by being kind to me.' 'Kind? How?' He did not answer with words, but he lifted her hand with both of his to his lips. It was an act of old-fashioned gallantry that could hardly be resented. But, manlike, having made a formal surrender, he tried to take command. One hand held hers, the other swept round her shoulders and pressed her against him, without roughness yet with strength. His lips moved now, not toward her hand, but toward the sacredness of her mouth.

The future seems bright to Daphne as she is given what she believes is the opportunity to realize her ambition. So few difficulties are in the way at the beginning that she cannot see those that may loom up in the future.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Impress Left by Romans. The old Romans and still older Celts have left their traces thickly strewn in the place-names of the country through which the victorious allied armies advanced during the latter part of the war. Valenciennes was named after the Roman emperor, Valentinian, just as Orleans was named after Emperor Aurelian. The mark of the Celt is seen in the dun, or fortress, of the ever-famous Verdun, and, though now contracted out of existence, in the towering old city of Laon, the stronghold of the Merovingians. The River Meuse, perhaps the river most connected with war, has the most peaceful of names, Meuse being Celtic for the River of Meadows.

Shun Heedlessness. The nerve-racking chase after self-gratification or material gain often blinds to the nobler sentiments; and the cold, perhaps unintentional, slight, inattention or rude, though thoughtful, rebuff wounds still further an already sore and bleeding soul whose flagging and dejected spirits might have, with a sympathetic glance, a smile of approval, or a welcoming gesture, been set all atone, the harmony to be passed along.—Great Thoughts,



She Went to Her Room and Found Her Mother There, Dismally Engaged in Writing a Letter to Her Father.

FRANTIC WITH PAIN

Long Suffering From Kidney Trouble More Than Words Can Describe. Doan's Brought Health and Happiness.

Mrs. Anna Thorson, 299 South St., Stamford, Conn., says "I hadn't any more strength than a child, and after sweeping my back hurt me more and more. My headaches were so bad it seemed as though my skull were being torn into shreds and I would finally lose track of everything and lie in a stupor for hours. I felt I had to keep going or lose my mind and I kept up often when I trembled all over with weakness. My feet were swollen and every bone in my body seemed to ache.



My fingers got almost as rigid as pieces of wood and the knuckles swelled. The kidney secretions were dark colored, scanty and terribly burning. I suffered more than words can describe. I finally began using Doan's Kidney Pills and I believe with all my heart that they kept me out of the grave. I am well and happy after going through enough pain to drive me frantic. Doan's saved my life." Storm to before me this 15th day of Sept., 1915.

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W. N. U., WICHITA, NO. 11-1919.

No Posing for Josh. "Your boy has proved a wonderful, industrious chap." "Yes," replied Farmer Cortosell. "He never would let us have our own way. Now that his mother would be perfectly willing to have him do nothing but visit all tell stories, he insists on being out where the real work is going on." Freshen a Heavy Skin With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented convenient, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumery superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv. Had Heard Her Before. "Doesn't her singing move you?" "It did once, when I lived in the adjoining flat." When Baby is Teething GROVE'S BABY SOOTHING MEDICINE will correct the trouble. It is perfectly harmless. See directions on the bottle.

The man who considers his own faults has but little to say concerning the faults of others.

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To be up to date nowadays you've gotta be about ten years ahead of the times.

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 Protect your property against fire and Tornado.
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 To be at his best a man must have sound, refreshing sleep. When wakeful and restless at night he is in no condition for work or business during the day. Wakefulness is often caused by indigestion and constipation, and is quickly relieved by Chamberlain's Tablets. Try a dose of these tablets and see how much better you feel with a clear head and good digestion.



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Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds and croup.
 Chamberlain's Liniment for sprains, bruises and rheumatic pains.

By having these articles at hand it would often save the trouble of a trip to town in the busiest season or in the night, and would enable me to treat slight ailments as soon as they appear, and thereby avoid the more serious diseases that so often follow.

TAKEN UP NOTICE. I have three dark bay colts about two years old in my pasture. They have been there about three months and the owner will please call for same and pay the feed bill and for this advertisement.
 4 t p c. W. I. Gum.

FOR SALE in Clarendon, Texas a good Drug Store or trade for Plains land.
 42 4tp
 Dr. G. N. Powell

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 STANDARD MOUNTAIN TIME
WEST BOUND
 No. 117 6:03 p. m.
 No. 113 3:45 a. m.
EAST BOUND.
 No. 118 1:24 p. m.
 No. 114 7:58 p. m.

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 The Morality play, "Why I Would Not Marry," to be presented by William Fox at the Pastime Theatre for one day. Motives and right is based on the idea that a young and cautious girl has one hour in which to decide which of four suitors she will accept.
 In her dilemma she is assisted by a mystic power which reveals the future and saves her from a life of misery. She rejects all four, and comes to fear every man. Instead of marrying, she goes into business and there finds the solution for troubles.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS
 The undersigned having been duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of Jessie Parker Cunningham Swain, deceased, on the 7th day of April 1919 by the Probate Court of Roberts County, Texas, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence, near Alanreed, Gray County, Texas, where he receives his mail.
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Fancy Foulards in both cotton and silk materials for dresses.
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Have you capitalized yourself? If so, are you a profitable investment? It's all a very simple affair. By a few easy calculations you can figure out what you are worth to yourself and whether you are a money-losing proposition.
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The Ford Factory has not yet reached normal production. It will take some time, after being entirely given over to war work. We are getting a few cars right along, and suggest that you leave your order with us as soon as possible and we will deliver as soon as possible. Runabout, \$500; Touring Car, \$525; Coupe, \$550; Sedan, \$775; One Ton Truck Chassis, \$550. These prices f. o. b. Detroit. Don't forget the service we give in our shops, genuine Ford Parts, Ford skill and Ford prices.

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Protect Yourself from Scratch

Your System Be Weakened by Ills

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With Headquarters at
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A HOME INSTITUTION ORGANIZED FOR THE PURPOSE OF FURNISHING TO ITS MEMBERS LIFE INSURANCE AT COST

PURPOSE

By eliminating all unnecessary expenses and limiting our membership to the healthiest persons in this healthy country, we propose to furnish the cheapest and best home protection that can be devised.

NO SALARIES

There are no salaried officers to be paid. The Directors serve without charge. The initiation fee of \$3.00 will pay the cost of organizing, soliciting applications, securing health certificates, issuing Policies etc. The running expenses, cost of printing and mailing notices, advertising, receiving payments and keeping the records are paid for out of the \$1.00 per year Annual Dues paid by each member on or before September 1st each year.

COST OF INSURANCE

On joining, each member pays an initiation fee of \$3.00, Annual Dues \$1.00 and \$1.00 to the Beneficiary Fund, making a total cost of \$5.00 for membership fee. Upon the death of a member, an amount equal to \$1.00 for each member is immediately paid to the Beneficiary, and the Secretary immediately notifies each member of the death and an assessment of \$1.00 which must be paid within 15 days under penalty of suspension. This is repeated each time a death occurs and there can be no other money assessed or collected, except the \$1.00 a year Annual Dues.

MEMBERSHIP

The membership of this Association is limited to 1000 and the maximum insurance to each member is \$1000.00. Any white person male or female, between the ages of 16 and 50 inclusive, of good moral standing and in good health may become a member. While no regular medical examination is required the Secretary must obtain a written health certificate from applicant's physician before the application will be considered. If an application is finally rejected, for any reason whatever, the membership fee will be returned immediately.

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Our main object is to carry Life Insurance Protection at actual death-rate cost here in this healthy country; to keep the money at home and make every dollar operate for our mutual benefit. The Beneficiary Money shall be deposited in the First State Bank of Miami, Texas, and can be paid out only on the death of a member, by order of the Board of Directors, signed by the proper officers of the Association. The Secretary-Treasurer shall furnish adequate bond and shall make full annual report to the Directors as well as to the State Commissioner of insurance and banking.

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This Association is entirely independent of similar Associations elsewhere and is entirely separate from Class 1 here which was filled out five years ago. It is under the Supervision of The State Commissioner of Insurance and Banking. Its membership is to be composed of only the healthiest individuals in this part of the Panhandle. Others need not apply.

SIMILAR ASSOCIATIONS

Doubtless many are already familiar with the successful operation of similar Associations in other parts of the State.

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OUR RECORD

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OFFICERS

The Officers are all good men of established reputation, whose ability and integrity is a Guarantee of the successful Administration of the Association's business.

FRANK JACKSON
President

JUDGE WOODS COFFEY
Vice President

B. W. TALLEY

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LEE LEDRICK

J. R. DURRETT
Secretary-Treasurer

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Daughette left Tuesday for Hansford county where they will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Eslinger of near Mobeetie were trading in Miami Monday of this week.

County court was in session first of this week, disposing of some administration matters.

The County Commissioners will be in regular session Monday of next week.

Homer Allen received information last week that his brother Wilton had been discharged from the army and will remain with homefolks in North Carolina a few weeks before returning to Miami. Homer expects to go back for a few weeks visit, starting in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Payne were in from their ranch Monday.

Thos. E. Durham of Amarillo was in the city Saturday afternoon a short while. Mr. Durham recently recovered from a severe spell of sickness.

Mrs. V. B. Tillman underwent an operation at Amarillo last week and is getting along nicely since.

Mrs. Chas. F. Carter and daughter, Myra of Dalworth Park came in Monday and is visiting the Christophers.

Mrs. N. S. Locke and Mrs. Dan Kivlehen were shoppers in Amarillo Saturday of last week.

Miss Modena Burk of Amarillo visited Miami friends first of the week.

Miss Lula Byrd of Panhandle visited the J. K. McKenzie home Sunday.

Carpenters are this week completing a nice improvement to the Dan Kivlehen residence. The roof has been rearranged and raised, some new porches added, etc.

District court will open next Monday in Ochiltree for the first time in a year. Influenza caused them to have no fall term.

In the list of the executive Committee of our County Liberty Loan organization last week appeared the name of Mrs. Jim Gill, the name should have been Mrs. Jim Wells.

Mrs. Otto Yokley of Mendota visited Mrs. G. M. Moon this week.

Miss Carrie Gatlin is a visitor this week with the Misses Dial.

R. D. Duniven returned from El Paso last week and states that he left his son Ollie in the Hospital at that place and that he was improving some.

A letter from Leo Fitzgerald this week states that he expects to receive a discharge in the next few or week or so. Also that Happy Casey, Earl Chisum, Ran Patton, Larry Counts and "Kib" Crocker are happily looking for one soon.

W. E. Lutz has been making some improvements in the City Market this week. The old barbershop room has been removed, giving Mr. Lutz the entire building for his market which he is dressing up very much.

The Advisory Committee of the Woman's Liberty Loan organization will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 at the old Osborne store building.

"Bob" Towns came in this week from France where he has been the past seven months. Bob worked at the Pickens & Dial garage prior to entering the service and he appears very happy to get back home.

Mrs. N. S. and Mrs. Clarence Locke and Miss Bessie Roach made the round trip too Goodnight Tuesday.

FURNITURE FOR SALE. I will be in Miami for a few days only and wish to dispose of the following furniture: 2 Iron bedsteads; 1 Davenport; 2 Rocking chairs; Some Dining chairs; 1 kitchen cabinet; 1 dining table; 1 stand table; and a few other articles. See me or phone the Bank of Miami
Mrs. W. Y. Reed

WANTED, a girl for general housework. Mrs. Thos. O'Loughlin.

WANTED—Married man for general farm work.
Harry A. Nelson.

VEGETABLE PLANTS FOR SALE Sweet Potato, Cabbage, Tomatoes and other plants. Write for circular. 41 p4 t.
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Clarendon, Texas.

NOTICE. Hunting and trespassing on or in my pasture is positively forbidden. This applies to all. Please take notice.
Joe Cunningham.

MR. FARMER, how about repairing that broken down gate with one of our new CAN'T SAG gates, then your gate troubles will be over.
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TRANSFER LINE
YOUR WORK SOLICITED
All work Promptly Done and SATISFACTION GUARANTEED
Miami Texas.

Rose Comb Brown Leghorn eggs \$1.00 per 15, \$6.00 per hundred. For layers they are 2nd to none regardless of breed.
A. N. Wilson
304p
Phone No. 45 R3

NOTICE. Anyone selling anything to anyone and charging to me unless by my written or verbal order, will NOT get their money.
John Cunningham.

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The Chief \$1.50 Per Year.

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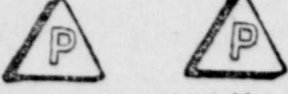
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The moment you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapepsin all the indigestion pain and dyspepsia distress stops.

Your disordered stomach will feel fine at once.

These pleasant, harmless tablets of Pape's Diapepsin never fail and cost very little at drug stores. Adv.

Or Going Therefrom.

"Brethren and sisters," remarked the visiting presiding elder, "looking at the evolution that has taken place among us, considering the social upheaval that we see on every side, taking note of the turmoil that exists on every hand, I ask, brethren and sisters, what is this world coming to?"

"I don't know," responded the regular minister, "but a large part of it is not coming to this church."

The Idea.

"What is running in Jimps' magazine just now?"

"I think, too much fugitive poetry."

A Cough That Lasts

And will not yield to ordinary remedies must have special treatment.

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**Stops The Tickle
Heals The Throat
Cures The Cough**

Wonderfully effective in the treatment of Coughs, but if the Cough is deep-seated and the Head or Chest is sore, a penetrating salve should be applied. This greatly helps any cough syrup in curing Coughs and Colds.

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FROST PROOF CABBAGE PLANTS—Any Variety—30c. 50c. 75c. 1.00. 1.25. 1.50. 2.00. 2.50. 3.00. 4.00. 5.00. 6.00. 8.00. 10.00. J. A. CLIFTON, Russellville, Arkansas

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THE CAT'S COMPLAINT.

"I like the country better than I do the city and I like the summer better than I do the winter," said Tommy Cat.

"Then you can't be very happy now," said Teddy Cat.

"I wouldn't say that," said Tommy Cat.

"Well, you almost said it a moment ago. For it's the winter time now and you're in the city and not in the country. You said you like the country and summer."

"That is true," said Tommy Cat. "I said just what you heard. Your ears are good. But I didn't say that I was unhappy in the city, nor did I say that I was unhappy in the winter."

"Ah," said Teddy Cat, "now I see."

"What do you mean by saying such a childish thing?" asked Tommy Cat.

"Whatever do you mean?" asked Teddy Cat. "I am very much puzzled. Is it childish to understand anything? And besides I think children often understand things which grownups don't. They often understand animals better for instance, and they understand how to be very happy and how to have good times."

"I didn't mean," said Tommy Cat, "that you were childish like a child. I meant that you were childish like a kitten. You said, as you remember, 'Now I see.' Of course you meant that you understood. But when you said that now you could see it sounded as though you hadn't been able to see before and as though you had just been a baby kitten with your eyes tight shut as all baby kittens are for the first week and a half of their lives."

"Well, did I ever!" said Teddy Cat. "I must be very particular when I speak to you, I mustn't say the wrong word in the wrong place, but I must say the right word in the right place."

"I will have to buy myself a reader and a speller and a dictionary. Then I will have to get a pair of glasses and have a pencil fastened to my collar."

"Not a bit of it," said Tommy Cat. "You simply have to say what you mean."

"That sounds simple but it is often very hard," said Teddy Cat. "Please don't be so fussy."

"All right," said Tommy Cat. "I won't be, for if I were, you would find me making as many mistakes as you would be making. And we're such good friends. We go back and forth from the city to the country and from the country to the city. From summer to winter and from winter to summer and we always go together, we do."

"We do," agreed Teddy Cat. "But now that you are speaking once more of the city and the country and the summer and the winter you tell me why you like the country and the summer so much?"

"I will tell you," said Tommy Cat, "but you mustn't think I am unhappy, for I am not. Sometimes I have thought I would like to be a cat living in the country all the year and then again I have thought I would like to be a cat living in the city all the year."

"But when I have thought hard enough about the whole matter I have decided that I'm a very happy, purring cat all of the time, but that the summer and the country are my delights."

"For, listen, Teddy,"

And Teddy drew nearer.

"I used to go into the kitchen yard and so did you, and we took the top off the garbage pail and we had a feast. Night after night we had a feast, and our mistress would say, 'Some strange animal came again in the kitchen yard last night and knocked off the top of the garbage pail.'"

"She didn't know we two were the strange animals. Of course I used to complain that they didn't take the cover off for us, but I suppose they thought we were so well fed we didn't need such treats."

"We were fed well, too, but ah, a garbage pail is a garbage pail no matter how we are fed!"

"So I like the summer when the garbage pails are kept in the kitchen yards and where we can get to one easily. Here in the city they keep them tucked away in little places made for them where cats, no matter how clever, can't get at them."

"We can sometimes get a delicacy from a barrel on a street, but oh, I love the country and garbage pails in kitchen yards."

"So do I," said Teddy Cat, "but most creatures when they speak of loving the country speak of loving flowers and fields! We most certainly are not like other creatures. Purr, purr."

Premeditated.

"I've just licked you because you played truant. Don't you ever let it happen again."

"Aw, it didn't happen. I did it on a purpose."

Too Much Water.

His Aunt (on a visit)—Heavens! but you are growing fast, Willie.

Willie (aged seven)—Yes; I'm afraid nurse waters me too much. She gives me a bath every day.

Dignified Wraps for Spring



We are constrained to give many of the dignified wraps for spring the indefinite title of "outer garment." They are toga-like affairs which manage to combine the convenience and warmth of coats with the grace and style of capes; part coat and part cape. Designers have employed a world of ingenuity in making them, sometimes joining a regulation cape to a short coat and sometimes merging two garments into one, but always contriving to keep the suggestion of the cape very much in evidence.

In the wrap shown it is the sleeve that turns the trick of converting a long coat into the semblance of a cape. This is the smartest of models, made of velours in marine blue, with an ample dolman sleeve. A soft printed silk in the same color with white figures lines the whole garment and makes an overlay on the wide shawl collar. It is glimpsed in the sleeves

and makes this a very spring-song of a wrap. The long, narrow sash is made of the material and folds over at the front.

Cherries on Spring Hats.

Cherries trim quite a number of the new spring models of hats, according to the bulletin of the Retail Millinery Association of America. These are used in the same shade as the hat, in natural shades or in a combination of different shades. One very smart little Milan hat in cherry red has a cluster of grapes dangling over the side brim. The facing and draped band of this model are of faille taffeta.

Bone Sweater Belt Fastenings.

One of the new sweater coats of silk is made with a bone ring on one end of the belt, and a bone pin on the other—that is, a dumb-bell-shaped piece of bone. This slides through the ring, and when twisted around in position keeps the belt end from slipping.

To Take the Place of Petticoats



From top to toe, everything in apparel is more or less influenced by the new and narrow skirt. Many of them are draped and some of them are cut so that they hang in; that is, they narrow about the ankles. Often they are folded over, or slashed, at the bottom so that they allow a free stride but maintain their narrowness. Since their adoption even huts have been modified to harmonize with the long lines of the new silhouette.

Under the new skirts there is no abundance of room for frilly silk petticoats, so petticoats of satin have appeared to take their place. They are long and soft, with plaited frills at the bottom that almost reach the instep. Where the frill is joined to the pantalette a casing is stitched with an elastic cord run in it, that holds the pantalette snugly to the leg. They are a better protection against dust than petticoats and the most sensible of garments for walking. What fullness is necessary is gathered in at the waistline over an elastic cord. The pantalettes are made in wash satins and in silk, and they are not always in light colors. Probably before summer arrives they may be bought in almost as great a variety of colors as petticoats.

The demand for bloomers is increasing since the advent of narrow skirts, and these are made in wash silks and satins, and in batiste and sateen, in white and pink. Elastic bands hold them to the leg below the knees where they are finished with a narrow frill. As in other undergarments the materials used for them are light in weight, but durable. Very dainty petticoats of batiste, with lace rather sparingly used for trimming them, are presented for wear with thin summer dresses, and the silk underslip is an essential item in the summer wardrobe.

Julia Bottomley

America's Victory Colors.

Those in America who choose the seasonal colors for the dyers and dressmakers, have united upon a rich, deep blue and a bright cherry as the victory colors for 1919. It is not the red that we associate with conquerors, observes a correspondent, it is too light and thin in its tones; but it will undoubtedly prove a success, as it is an excellent contrast to the victory blue.

The choice of these colors is confined to America. We do not know that France will launch victory colors, but it is to be supposed that if she does, she will use the horizon blue of the French uniform or the blue of the French flag. She is not much given to this kind of work. It may be that she will not celebrate victory through fabrics.

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A Natural Question.

"When I was a little lad," self-satisfiedly said the portly plutocrat, "my good mother used often to say to me, 'Cy-rus, be honest and save your money.'" "Ah, yes!" returned old Festus Pester. "And which did you do?"—Kansas City Star.

Or a Comic Artist

Mother—Albert, Albert, come here quick. Algernon has swallowed half a can of green paint.

Father—Aw, that's nothing to worry about. He's probably goin' to be an interior decorator.

About all you can do for a boy, worth while, is to give him something good to remember.

Its Drawback.

"Madam you had better that hat much in this dry weather, not the location here."

"What has that to do with you?"

"I notice it is full of color."

RECIPE FOR GRAY

To half pint of water add 1 a small box of Barbo Compound, of glycerine. Any druggist will give you the directions for its use. Full directions for use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is easy to use, and does not rub off.

How blindly we talk of trifles.—Mrs. Craik.

WEAK KIDNEYS MEAN A WEAK BODY

When you're fifty, your body begins to creak a little at the hinges. Motion is more slow and deliberate. "Not so young as I used to be" is a frequent and unwelcome thought. Certain bodily functions upon which good health and good spirits so much depend, are impaired. The weak spot is generally the bladder. Painful and annoying complications in other organs arise. This is particularly true with elderly people. If you only know how, this trouble can be obviated.

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You feel that retail meat prices are too high. Your retailer says he has to pay higher prices to the packers.

Swift & Company prove that out of every dollar the retailer pays to the packers for meat, 2 cents is for packers' profit, 13 cents is for operating expenses, and 85 cents goes to the stock raiser; and that the prices of live stock and meat move up and down together.

The live-stock raiser points to rising costs of raising live stock.

Labor reminds us that higher wages must go hand in hand with the new cost of living.

No one, apparently, is responsible. No one, apparently, is benefited by higher prices and higher income.

We are all living on a high-priced scale. One trouble is, that the number of dollars has multiplied faster than the quantity of goods, so that each dollar buys less than formerly.

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HOME TOWN HELPS

PLAN CITY FROM THE START

Will Cost Less and Give Better Results When Proper Plans Are Made for the Future.

To have any plans for the whole city on which all its people may unite is a great gain. We can hardly conceive of any citizen's starting to build a house without any plan for the building. But it never seems to occur to all the citizens in starting or developing any town or city to have a plan worthy of that larger home which every town and city is, on which to lay it out or build it up. So towns and cities are built in a go-as-you-please way. They seem to be thrown together at the start and run up haphazard as they grow. Their future seems to be always out of sight and out of mind. Buildings are crowded together without space for sunlight and fresh air to keep their people well. Scant spaces if any are left for the children's play and the people's recreation, for thoroughfares or parks, for residence purposes reserved from the invasion of factories, railway tracks and yards, much less for any green grass or flowers or trees. Provisions for such common conveniences, conveniences, comforts, healthfulness and pleasure are generally afterthoughts, which cost enormously more than to provide them by planning far ahead. This planlessness is well characterized as "a crazy quilt."

LOOKING TO CITY'S FUTURE

When Remolding is in Order, People Should Profit From Mistakes Made in the Past.

The city of the future will do more, control more, and forbid more than the city of today; and precisely because it will be larger and more complicated, its government will have to be organized in a more orderly and compact fashion. Nearly all the recent charter changes concentrate authority, either in the hands of the mayor or of the so-called governing commissions.

It may be that the city of the future will become too large and attempt too much. Some think this point has been reached already. The American cities, flexible in their methods, should always be free to adopt any measures, within the limits of law and justice, that promise to benefit their inhabitants. A while ago the fashion was to shrug our shoulders and turn our backs on the problem of municipal government. Today we are beginning to see in the remolding of our cities a great and golden opportunity.

Victory Gardening Encouraged.

Victory gardening is to be encouraged by every means possible. The United States railroad administration already has started to spread the message along many of the lines under its control. Through J. L. Edwards, director of the agricultural section, the divisional agents have been instructed to do what they can to promote the garden movement throughout the country. Posters have been sent by the commission to these agricultural supervisors in many places throughout the South. Many railroads in the United States last season stimulated gardening by furnishing land along rights of way to their employees, providing them with garden booklets and putting up posters in stations and other conspicuous locations. They will do the same in 1919.

Planting Nut Trees.

Most farms have a little rough ground along the bank of a creek, or some other place, that cannot be cultivated. Hickory and black walnut timber is getting scarce and high; and such trees do well in those locations. If when the ground is soft in the winter or spring a boy will take a broom stick and punch a hole here and there two or three inches deep and drop in a hickory nut or black walnut and press down the dirt with his foot. In a few years those unsightly places will be covered with an attractive grove, which quite a while later will be valuable timber.

Things Making for Prosperity.

A well-balanced city means a city in which business can be most economically and successfully conducted. Planning for good public health, long life and more leisure and contentment for all is necessary. Beautiful parks, fine monuments, well-lit-out streets, relief from noise, dirt and confusion—all these things and many others—are agencies that make not only for the future greatness of the city, but for the happiness and prosperity of its people.

Shorter Cut Across Adriatic.

At Varano Garganico, province of Foggia, a new harbor is being constructed to shorten the distance across the Adriatic sea to Dalmatia. The new harbor will be connected by rail with the interior of Italy. A branch line from Varano to Apricena is being pushed to completion. The work for the harbor construction and the railway will also stamp out malaria in a large district. — Italian-American News Bureau.

One on the News.

This little story comes from Salem, Little Martha M—, who is in the first grade at school, but who strenuously attempted to amuse herself at home during the long-continued "flu" ban, came up to her father and said: "Daddy, I do think the Indianapolis News is the nicest paper. Why don't you get it two times a day?"

"I'm afraid things are not happening quite fast enough for that," her father told her. "But you are such a little girl. Don't you think you are too little to read the newspaper?"

"Oh, my, daddy," she said, "of course I don't read it. But the News does have the nicest paper dolls!" — Indianapolis News.

Not for the Ailing.

"I am strong for this chafing dish stuff."

"Well, a fellow has to be strong for that."

SAGE TEA BEAUTIFIES AND DARKENS HAIR

Don't Stay Gray! It Darkens So Naturally that Nobody can Tell.

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.—Adv.

No Hope.

The fair young thing who was entertaining some returned soldiers at tea time thought she'd give a little lesson, in manners to one doughboy who poured his tea into his saucer before he drank it.

"It's really not so very hot," she told him condescendingly. "You could drink it out of your cup."

"It ain't the heat, miss," he replied; "if I use the cup, the spoon gets in me eye."

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How to Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

County fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable. Relief is sure.—Adv.

Respecting gray hairs is fair enough but not when you find one in the butter.

A little learning is a dangerous thing for the amateur skater.

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A good many people long to be rich who don't know how to spend what they have properly.

There is no rhyme for silver, but it jingles with gold very nicely.

The successful bird is the one who makes all his mistakes when no one is looking.

It is better to be up with the lark than down with the messies.



"Your Nose Knows"

All smoking tobaccos use some flavoring. The Encyclopaedia Britannica says about the manufacture of smoking tobacco, "... on the Continent and in America certain 'sauces' are employed ... the use of the 'sauces' is to improve the flavour and burning qualities of the leaves."

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which greeted an address by Marion Harland, the audience, a remark of an elder in the church, and when his youngest child's funeral services he expressed his appreciation thus: "You've all been real kind in your tribulation. I want to thank you all for all you've done. I'm sure you'll all be glad to see me again."

Evidence.
He was a cadet aviator, and his people were asking him what it felt like to fly upside down.
"You can't tell you are upside down at all," said he.
"We can't believe that!" chorused his hearers.
"I couldn't believe it myself," he explained; "but when my pipe rose right out of my mouth and went sailing up past my head, then I realized I must be upside down."

No Tightwad, Anyhow.
"I shouldn't marry a young man of his type, if I were you."
"Why not?"
"They say he's gone through two fortunes already."
"What of that? I should think it very nice to be married to a man who is such a liberal spender."

The Opposite Aim.
"Our doctor is making a specialty of reducing people's flesh."
"Then I bet he's got a fat job."

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"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them." — Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 6th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

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How, then, are you showing your appreciation? Are you holding your War Savings Stamps and Liberty Bonds? Are you saving your money and lending it to your Government through the purchase of 1919 War Savings Stamps in order that the victory bill may be paid and the boys brought home?

Every time a War Savings Stamp is cashed that much money is drawn directly out of the United States Treasury—money that the Government had counted on using to pay the victory bill—a bill contracted in order that this would be a safe country for you to live in—money that it expected to use in feeding a soldier or sailor and bringing him back to the home-folks in Texas, Louisiana, New Mexico or Oklahoma.

A wise Government has made it possible for the owners of War Savings Stamps to cash their War Savings Stamps at the postoffice after giving ten days' notice. If one has had misfortune and has urgent need of his money all he has to do is ask the Government for it and back his money will come with interest for every day it has been left to the Government.

As an American, a patriot, one who loves his country, do you think the person is a real patriot, a sur-enough American, who at this time of the Government's great need casts his War Savings Stamps if it is possible for him to hold them? Do you think he shows the proper appreciation of victory?

It was easy to be patriotic when the boys were in the thick of the fight, when the drums were booming the battle call, but the real test of patriotism is what one does now.

Every person who can should hold his War Savings Stamps until the maturity date. Do you think a real American would cash his War Savings Stamps unless he was in dire need of the money?

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**CANADIAN AVIATORS
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When the members of the Royal Flying Corps, who trained in the Eleventh Federal War Savings District, returned to Canada, many of them had become enthusiastic buyers of War Savings Stamps. Having been given a taste of buying Government securities for small amounts, they became so insistent that the Canadian Government inaugurate a system of War Savings Stamps, similar to that in the United States.

"The leading men of the world today," recently declared a Canadian financier, "those charged with directing its affairs, realize that the exercise of thrift is absolutely necessary for the restoration of normal conditions in all countries."

"It is to be observed also that these men consider it as necessary for the people of the United States and Canada—countries undamaged by the war—to save as it is for those of France and Belgium to do so. It is the condition on which financial and industrial recovery is based."

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**ALL WAR SAVINGS
SOCIETIES URGED
TO KEEP WORKING**

"Official statistics show that there are more than 164,000 War Savings Societies in this country and 17,509 of these are in our district," says Frank M. Smith, Federal District Director for the Eleventh Federal War Savings District, in discussing the nation-wide thrift movement.

"These Government War Savings Societies have well proved their usefulness under war conditions in the marketing of War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps. Their mission is just as important now, and will therefore be permanently continued in order to push and extend the sale of War Savings Stamps. Thrift is power. When we save, we succeed."

"We have learned that thrift is not hoarding. It doesn't mean cutting down expenses foolishly, but it does mean cutting out foolish expenses. It means spending thought before spending money. It does not require expert knowledge of the laws of finance; all it requires is common sense."

"War Savings Stamps are within the reach of anyone, no matter how small the opportunities for saving. A quarter buys a Thrift Stamp. A War Savings Stamp costs \$4.14 during March and one cent a month additional till December, when the price will be \$4.23. Each War Savings Stamp bought now will bring the owner \$5 on January 1, 1924. The rate of interest is the highest for any Government security ever issued."

"I hope every community in the district will maintain its War Savings Societies and add to their number. Everyone who is concerned in the business of living is vitally interested in Thrift and the Savings Campaign and should be a member of a War Savings Society."

"None is too poor to have a part. None so well off he can be indifferent. Thrift is good management of the business of living. The man, woman or child who has mastered Thrift is master of his fate. The people who acquire the Thrift habit are on the high road to success."

"One of the best ways to practice thrift is to practice intelligent buying. We should buy, not what we think we want, but what we know we need. This kind of buying is far from miserliness. The business man will appreciate it for it means frequent turnover in staples on which they can calculate accurately the demand in advance, rather than hazardous stocking up with the opposite kind of goods."

"We must save for ourselves and for our country's sake. We have saved enormously under the pressure of war, but our work is not over. We have great saving still to do. It is a certainty we can do it if, individually and nationally, we back up the Government and take an active part in 'getting ahead' by following the War Savings plan."

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Why you should be interested in assisting building up of a Mutual Grain Insurance company in the Panhandle of Texas. The extra high rate charged for insurance of grain crop old line companies make it just a matter of business to obviate this as for as possible Planter's Mutual Hail Insurance Company seven years of business as a Mutual Insurance Company decided at its last annual meeting place the company on a sound and secure foundation by adopting (unanimously) a sliding of assessments for the purpose of creating a reserve fund of sufficient amount to take care of all damages sustained in any year. The Board Directors selected for the ensuing year are warranted in saying to one and all of the raisers on plains land in Carson, Gray and other Counties that the plan adopted will full every dollar of damage for 1919 and same time provide a good part of the reserve to be raised. They are justified in saying that a period of ten years of insurance with Planter's Mutual Hail Insurance Company not cost over an average rate of 56 per cent premiums. This assumption of cost is based on absolute figures for the seven years life of the Company. This saving to planters is self evident to the Directors. This alone should be sufficient inducement for you to join this Company nothing of the advantage of keeping your money at home and the interest to be derived from a reserve fund in local banks.

All Solicitors for the Company will explain to you the method by which the Company expects to secure a reserve fund. They are P. Russ, W. H. Miller, J. S. Carter and J. W. Panhandle, E. H. Grimes, W. A. Taylor, Banks at White Deer and Groom. Chas. W. A. Taylor and Banks at Pampa. Severtson, J. R. Durrett and Banks at Miami. T. Crawford Secretary can be found in Miami at all times and will take pleasure in answering all questions either by mail or in person.