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#### HEDLEY BOXS EXAMINED FOR ARMY SERVICE

All of the Hedley boys who en listed in the National Guard have been in Clarendon this weak for examination. The Clarendon company has been designated Co. B., Seventh Texas Regiment. They will be mustered into actual service August 5th, according to the latest announcement, and we understand they have been assur ed of service at the front, proba- to sixteen years of age may be mules to a lister and began lay ments, such as fishing, swimbly in France.

The Hedley boys, with two ex ceptions, W. S Sibley and W. C. Benton, passed excellent examinations, some of them making 100 points Mr. Sibley is having bad luck in joining the colors. this being his third attempt to get in the service. J. Ketchersid and A. F. Bond were refused, we understand, because they are married and it was thought best for them to stay here until the need of them became more urgent on the battle front

Thus Pother fifteen of Hed ley's fire young men will go gentlemen. forth to do battle for their country, for right and justice and humanity. All honor to them, and to the boys left here who made an earnest effort to go. They should not feel discouraged, for they have done their duty, and besides they can do just as important service here with the "home guard." The duties at home, while probably less dangerous, will be just as strenuous that Miss Della Leonard, young and fully as important.

With those who are already under training in various depart her best young men to the war demon, which is a record probaa community of this size.

to this editor that it would be fit ting for Hedley citizens to arrange some sort of a "farewell! before they leave. The time is the sorrowing family. short; let's make them know how proud we are of them, because it is barely possible that every- expert who makes this territory one of them won't come back We regularly every year, asks us to hope they will, but life is uncer- announce that he is now in Clartain at best And even if they endon and will be in Hedley soon. should never have to go within He wants to do your Tuning or a thousand miles of a battle line, any kind of piano work. Wait it wouldn't be a bit amiss to for him. show our appreciation of them. What say you?

#### KNIGHTS AND LA-DIES OF SECURITY

Mr and Mrs. Jno. W. Wright are in Hedley for the purpose of organizing a lodge of the Knights and Ladies of Security.

This is an old order but has on Red River. not been operating in Texas un recently. They are having erected at Topeka, Kans., a home and sanitarium for old folks, or phans and invalids. The K and L. of S. was one of the first lodges equal basis. Children from one

Have your Tailor work done in mile maize. with Clarke, the Tailor, who knows how.

County Commissioners H. C. Brumley and T. L. Naylor were business visitors in Hedley last Saturday. Both are splendid citizens and fine officials. Mr. Brumley, Commissioner J. G. McDougal, Bond W, Johnson and others were active in Hedleys behalf at the Ozark Trail Convention in Amarillo. Come again and often.

Lost-Mouse colored mare mule. Scar on hind foot. Finder notify W. F. Dubbs, Clarendon,

#### FORMER CLAREN-DON GIRL IS DEAD

News reached here this week est daugiter of Van Leonard,

It is the supposition here that bly unexcelled in this country in heart failure caused the young lady's death, as she appeared in excellent health and spirits the And just a suggestion: It seems previous day, attending a picuic and apparently enjoying the occasion very much.

Hedley people will join us in program" in honor of our boys extending sincere sympathy to

Charley Daughtry, the piano

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#### HE BEAT THE DRY WEATHER

he never gave up!

was untouched.

ing off rows, following immediate

corn was planted.

The work finished in three or four days.

When he planted these things the earth was dry; there wasn't ing for you. Yours truly, a shadow of a chance for a seed to come up until rain.

Rain fell in about one week after the last seed was sown in the dry earth.

The cane, the mile maize and the June corn made fine yields Early frost nipped the corn just a bit, causing it to appear shrunken, but it weighed out 25 bushels to the acre!

Cane was cut with a wheat binder; maize with a row binder.

The farmer fattened ten head of hogs and fed twelve head over until next year's crop was made. MORAL: Never give up. One victory is recompense for a thousand defeats.

The corn crop of Texas is 27th, 1851. was found dead in bed at the nearly nothing this year. Large On February 16th, 1871, she family home in Floydada Sunday areas are barned up so far as was married to W. E. Ayers, who has now given about thirty of Clarendon to Floydada only a stubble land should be planted Mrs. Ayers has lived in Texas to food and feed crops.

Take a chance! Remember that the world belongs to those who never quit.

see to it that no farmer in their of her death. locality fails to plant fall crops by reason of lack of funds to purchase seed. Secretaries of cham | member of the Christian church, bers of commerce and executive active in the Master's service, zations should take steps to life, a dependable friend and day of this week. He is a represecure seed for their various generous neighbor-truly, a good

following a dry winter and spring all who have come in contact with in Texas. "Buy it made in Texas" Have seen it more than once. We her in the years gone by. may see it this year.

peanuts and soy beans will make with all her children. She spent 75 days; New Era, or hay pea whose ranch is six miles from (blue speckled), 65 days; black. Hedley. But here her earthly eyed and whipporwill peas. 75 journey ended, for God called days; butter beans, small variety her to that home not made with 75 days. These crops can be hands. grown practically anywhere in Texas if they are up by the end endon, where Mrs. Ayers lived of the first week in August. Only for eight years and was dearly a little rain on them is needed. loved for her good deeds and Some have been grown when up strong, Christian character. even later.

Plant, Plant, Plant. STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Fred W. Davis, Commissioner

#### BOB BARKER WEDS MEMPHIS TEACHER

Mrs. Nora J. Barker, highl esteemed Memphis young lady, was married last weet to Bob esting by having a good attend-Barker, well known Texas politician and chief clerk of the House of Representatives. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones of Memphis. The newly weds will honey moon in the North and East.

#### TO DONLEY **COUNTY BOYS**

Williams, State Agent of the be defeated. His wheat and oat stubble land Boys' Clubs, and Mr. French, State Manager of the Pig Clubs provided our great waste and ex On the same day he put four club work, also some amuse every person. L. A Kennedy, County Agent.

> We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors, far and near, who were so kind and helpful in the any task. recent sorrow through which we to the heavenly home. May a

to you in your dark hours. W. E. Ayers and children.

#### OBITUARY

all her life until about three years staying there about eight months. and then moving to California, Bankers and merchants should which was her home at the time

> For forty years Mrs. Ayers has been a faithful, devoted

The 29th of last April Mrs. as" June corn, milo maize, Spanish Ayers left California for a visit a crop in about 100 days. Other one menth with a son in Tucson, crops mature about as follows: Arizonia, then came on here for Sundan grass, 65 days; feterita, a visit with her son, W. B. Ayers,

Interment was made in Clar

#### B. W. M. W.

Meets at the First Baptist Church, Wednesday, July 18 at

Lesson in the four Gospels beginning with question (874) to (897) Every member is urged to be present. Make our Aid interance and good lessons.

Visitors always welcome. Press Reporter.

Your prescriptions receive careful attention at Hedley Drug Store.

#### FALSE ECONOMY IS DANGEROUS

Worse, if possible, than extra He lived on the black, waxy This is to advise you that some vagance just at this time would prairie land almost due north of time during August we expect to be a false idea of economy. If the Dallas, in a county that bordered have a two days encampment of people become hysterical over the boys in the club work, and the matter of conservation the His corn failed completely, but you are urged to attend. Mr. very ends aimed at will surely

We should bear in mind that, On the 20th day of July he will be with us. We will select travagance is eliminated, there started his wheat drill over the some suitable place in the county | will be plenty of food in the counto admit men and women on an stubble, putting in sorghum cane. and will have lectures on the try to supply the necessities of

> There is now no call, and pro ming, rabbit drives and other bably will not be, for any person ly behind with a planter, putting things too numerous to mention. to deny himself or herself suffi-When the details of this encamp- clent good nourishing food. On After the maize was in, June ment have been arranged fully I the contrary, all should strive to will notify you and shall expect keep themselves up to their best each member to attend. You will Eat plenty, and the best you can is doing valiant service in all lines be benefitted by this meeting as afford, then you will be able to and with his earnest, faithful we will have something interest- do your full share of the work work is further endearing himthat is before us.

> > Napoleon wisely said that "an army travels on its stomach.' And it is equally true that we work on our stomachs. A hungry man or woman is incompetent for

And it will be all too easy for have passed when our dear wife us to develop a false economy in and mother was called from us other lines. Miserliness and hoarding of means would be most kind Providence deal gently with dangerous to business conditions. you and bring such good friends Anything that checks the nor mal volume of exchange unsettles the markets and tends to promote panics. Money becomes a little scarce, and we at once imagins that if we turn loose the dollar we have we will never see Susan Josephine Webster was another. Millions of other people born in East Texas December imbibe the same idea. You know DISTRICT COURT the result.

The sensible economy and the true patriotism is for each to exments of the U. S forces, Hedley morning. The family moved from corn is concerned. Every acre of with six children survives her. ert himself to keep the business Court for Donley county conof the country normal. Buy and venes at Clarendon next Monday, sell, earn and spend, as only by ago, when she moved to Oregon, such a course can business be Hedley citizens will attend as jukept healthy and on the up grade rors, witnesses and spectators. Be economical and prudent, but DON'T be a miser.

#### TEXAS-MADE GOODS

H. Grubbs of Dallas was a officers of other business organi gentle and loving in her home business visitor in Hedley Tuessentatixe of the Texas Motor Car woman has gone to her eternal Association, a Co operative organ-We have all seen plenty of rain reward She will be sorely miss- ization of Texas people to build in July, August and September ed, not only by her family but by automobiles, tractors and trucks and "Keep Texas Money in Tex-

The Informer, \$1.00 per year. visitor at the Informer office.

#### METHODIST RE-VIVALIS GROW-ING IN INTEREST

The revival meeting at the Methodist church is now under full headway, with services twice each day in the church building. Rev. J. W. Story, pastor of the Clarendon Methodist church, is doing the preaching. Brother Story is a strong and eloquent speaker. He has a message to deliver and knows how to deliver

it. As a revivalist he has been eminently successful, and our people may congratulate themselves on this opportunity to hear him in a series of sermons. Pastor Hicks of the local church self to the peoble of Hedley.

One of the most pleasing features of each service is the sing ing and music. This of itself is inspiring in large degree, for the person is calloused indeed who is unmoved by sacred music well rendered.

Another feature is an afternoon prayer meeting at 4 o'clock each day at the Pleasant Hour

It is the desire of Brothers Hicks and Story that all Hedley people co operate in the meeting. If this is done great and lasting good will result therefrom.

Services each day at 10 a.m. and 8 p. m.

## MEETS MONDAY

The July term of the District the 16th. Quite a number of

We have no specific information as to the docket for this term, but understand that it is not a heavy one. However, 4 case or two of more than ordinar importance will come up for at tention during tho term.

#### COLLEGE MEN HERE

Profs. S. H. Condron and L. E. Gribble of Clarendon College were in Hedley last Friday in the interest of Their institution, going from here to Wellington. These young men are doing some splendid advertising work during vacation. Mr. Gribble was a

## Your Service

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Although there are hundreds of preparations advertised, there is only one that really stands out pre-eminent as a remedy for diseases of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recom-nended for worything. A sworn control of the control of th

#### WILLOWS TO SAVE THE CANAL

Roots Will Form Web, Says Inventor, and Prevent Landslides at Panama.

E. Moody Boynton, inventor of the monorail system of transportation. is convinced that willow trees can be made to stop the Panama canal landslides. He has written President Wilson what he thinks should be done and his letter has been forwarded to the isthmian officials.

Mr. Boynton proposes that willow piles be driven close together along both sides of the canal where slides occur. These willows will grow. He says that the roots of each will spread out as far as 100 feet, all forming together a web which would hold earth

#### THICK LOVELY HAIR

Because Free From Dandruff, Itching, Irritation and Dryness.

May be brought about by shampoos with Cuticura Soap preceded by touches of Cuticura Ointment to spots of dandruff, itching and irritation. A clean, healthy scalp means good hair. Try these supercreamy emollients if you have any hair or scalp trouble.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere.-Adv.

A Good Sport.

The whole family was downstairs watching a magnificent thunderstorm when the mother suddenly remembered about little Marie, who was aione in the nursery and might have awakened and became frightened. She slipped away to quiet her.

At the door she paused, and a vivid flash of lightning illuminated the whole room. Little Marie, who had been to the ball game that day with her big to breed them. brother, was sitting up in bed clapping her hands with excitement and

"Atta boy, God; atta boy! Bang it again; Bang it again! Atta boy!"

#### LADIES!

#### -Take CAPUDINE-

IT IS NOT A NARCOTIC OR DOPE-

Gives quick relief-Try it.-Adv.

Her Preference. Sunday School Teacher-You must grow up to be good. Don't you want

Little Emma Wavup-No: I'd rather be looked around at .- Judge.

THAT GRIM WHITE SPECTRE,

to be looked up to?

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females of the species MRS. THOMSON

## TELLS WOMEN How She Was Helped During

Change of Life by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Philadelphia, Pa.-"I am just 52 ye of age and during Change of Life I se.



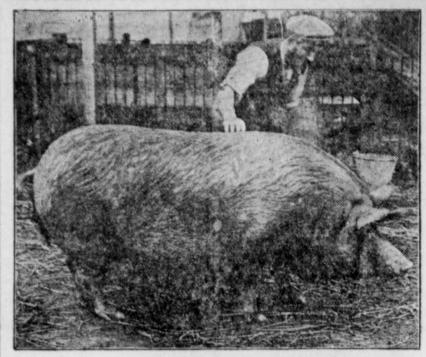
fered for six years terribly. I tried several doctors but none eemed to give me any relief. Every month the painswere intense in both sides, and made me so weak that I had to go to bed. At last a friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable

Compound to me and I tried it at once and found much relief. After that I had no pains at all and could do my housework and shopping the same as always. For years I have praised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for what it has done for me, and shall always recommend it as a woman's friend. You are at liberty to use my letter in any way."—Mrs. Thomson, 649 W. Russell St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Change of Life is one of the most critical periods of a woman's existence. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remidy known to carry women so successfully through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman

#### HOLD ON TO THE GOOD BREEDING ANIMALS



Prize-Winning Tamworth Sow.

(By R. G. WEATHERSTONE.) It is well known that the progeny from mature parents are superior to those descended from young progeni-

sows, for breeding, should be kept in The writer has always been troubled | breeder. to keep his breeding sows from becoming too fat, and consequently farrowing a small number of scrawny

I once took a large sow to fatten for one-half the pork. I did not know she was with pig and fed her all the cornmeal and wheat middlings she would eat.

Imagine my disappointment and vexation when she had three little, did not stick to the ribs." dwarfed pigs-not only smaller than

but emaciated. fed on corn, but kept in a pasture by is preferred. themselves and given a plentiful

bran. Most young sows will breed when three months old, if allowed to run months is as young as it is judicious

Not only this, but it stunts or things permanently, and they never breeding purposes, should ever be winattain good size.

sows will be more in number, and to the pigs' ribs. -and will frequently weigh 50 per plumpest.

**ENSILAGE RELISHED** 

for the Dairy Cows-Beef

Cattle Also Like It.

some cases omitted.

fore feeding.

nest in light.

high as five or six pounds.

pasture. Hogs like a little ensilage

silage that has been frozen, though

with other stock it seems to be all

right provided it is thawed out be-

SUPPLY DARK NESTS

Dakota experiment station.

Three silos are in use at the North

FOR LAYING FOWLS

Hens Will Dig Through Hay to

Bottom of Manger Rather

Than Use One in Light.

manger rather than use a ready-made

tions of four nests, twelve inches high

and 14x14, with just room enough be-

tween the nests and the wall for the

hen to enter. The top can be made all

so that it can be lifted up when eggs

are gathered, but a better way is to

lay the top on loosely so that it can

of all the nests dumped out at once.

The nests should be fumigated with

sulphur and also sprayed with kero-

sene at least once a month.

taken off and the entire contents

one piece, hinged at the inner edge

A good style of nest is made in sec-

cent more at a year old. A neighbor of mine last year bought an old sow in the spring for \$10. She had ten fine pigs in April, which were tors, not fully developed. Boars and fattened and sold to a butcher in the fall of the same year, bringing him a good, thrifty condition, but not fat. \$115, and he still has the sow for a

Sows should be kept for a number of years until their places can be filled with younger ones which have

proved to be good breeders. Formerly, heavy pork from hogs 12 to 24 months old (and the fatter the better) was demanded. Men who worked hard in the open air said there was a wasting quality about pigpork-that it shrunk in the pot "and

Fortunately, this call for heavy pork pigs usually are when first farrowed, is decreasing. In the farmer's family, and with people generally employed Sows for breeding should not be al- in indoor occupations in the towns lowed to run with the fattening hogs and cities, pork from younger Logs

This pork is not only the best, being supply of slop, made of equal parts the tenderest and sweetest, but it is of wheat shorts, cornmeal and wheat the quickest produced, at a lower cost and at better profit to the producer.

Young animals grow faster and with less food than when they bewith a boar, but eight or twelve come older, and pork from a hog less than a year old does not cost so much to produce as the pork from old hogs. To make the most money from dwarfs the growth of such young hogs, none, except those kept for

tered over. The pigs from large-bodied, old A little alfalfa makes the corn stick

frequently double the size of pigs The well-fed litter of pigs must from young sows when farrowed- have an opportunity to exercise, or and this with the same feed and care else thumps are liable to claim the

#### SILAGE INCREASES BY FARM ANIMALS PROFITS IN LAMBS

Greatest Use of Feed Has Been Addition of Shelled Corn and Clover Hay Reduced Cost of Gain at Purdue.

Ensilage is relished by most farm The addition of corn silage to a animals. The greatest use made of it ration of shelled corn and clover hay has been for dairy cows, thirty to fifty reduced the cost of gain on a lot of pounds being fed each cow daily at the lambs fed at the Purdue station 49 North Dakota experiment station. It cents per hundred pounds. It also can be fed to beef cattle too, but they slightly increased the selling value of should be fed about half as much as the lambs, and increased the profit the dairy cattle. Young stock can be | 22 cents per lamb. When the corn fed ensilage in proportion to their size. silage was added to the ration, it was Some grain and hay should be fed found that slightly less of the shelled with ensilage. If the hay is alfalfa, corn was eaten, and at the same time, the grain can be decreased and in the rate of gain on the lambs was slightly decreased. The amount of Sheep relish a small amount of en- hay consumed by the lambs also was silage, two to three pounds a day is reduced when silage was added, 121 a good amount. Some feeders give as pounds of the silage reducing the hay consumption 0.72 pound daily per Horses can be fed ten to fifteen lamb. pounds of ensilage a day. It has a good deal the same effect on them as

Without silage, the ration of shelled corn and clover hay produced gain on proportionately the same quantity and especially so if it contains a good of grain as did the same ration with deal of corn. Ensilage is a bulky food, silage added. Considerable hay was a good deal-like pasture in its effect saved, however, as it was found that on the animal. It is important that it | 363 pounds of silage reduced the quanbe free from mold, as this causes tity of clover hay consumed in maktrouble. Horses should not be fed en- ing 100 pounds of gain by 199 pounds.

#### LITTLE THINGS FOR SUCCESS WITH HENS

Fowls Must Be Kept in Good Health and Well Fed for Development.

A poultryman to be successful Keep his hers in good health, pro-

viding coops that are clean and well entilated, and allowing the chickens Hens always prefer a dark nest to the run of orclard or pasture through one exposed to light and will dig through hay to the bottom of the Feed his hens well for growth and

> grains, after returning from the range and plenty of skim milk and water should be available through the day. See that his hens have shade in which to rest. If trees and shrubs are not plentiful, burlap or gunny sack shades should be put up.

> development. They should go to roost

with crops well filled with wholesome

Keep his broody hens in airy coops and feed and water them well. They will recover from their proodiness in five or ten days.

Gather his eggs daily and market them at least twice a week.



#### PROPER CARE OF THE UDDER

Cold Cement Floor, Bruising, Sudden Chills, Etc., Are Some of External Causes of Trouble.

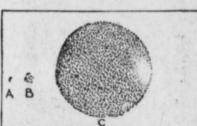
Many good cows are lost to a useful life on the dairy farm by the neglect of a little necessary care at a critical time. This is particularly true of heifers and extra heavy milkers. Sometimes it is true of mediocre cows that have been fed too stimulating foods for a time prior to freshening, writes l. B. Henderson in Farm, Stock and Home. Under normal conditions the udder of the cow should not require special attention, but the farther we get from natural conditions and the more we incline to forced production the greater the likelihood of trouble.

A cold cement floor, cold ground, bruising of the udder, sudden chills, etc., are some of the external causes of udder trouble. The preventive remedies can be easily applied. But should the udder become congested or inflamed just before or after calving. immediate steps should be taken to effect a cure. Fomentations with hot water several times a day, a gentle Times. massage with the fingers, and the application of warm lard will help to alleviate the trouble. The rubbing should be toward the milk veins so as to get the blood away from the udder if possible. A dram or two of saltpeter once or twice daily is also said to assist. In very severe cases, of course, the veterinary should be called, as it is poor economy to risk ducer. For mild cases of udder trouble the average dairyman should be competent to treat and with a little observation it should be possible to develop a little skill in treating such troubles.

#### EFFECT OF COOLING ON MILK

Illustration Given Herewith Shows What a Difference 20 Degrees in Temperature Will Make.

The cut is a graphical representation of the effect of cooling on milk. A is a single bacterium; B shows bacterial growth in 24 hours with milk kept at 50 degrees. At C is the family of a single bacterium after 24 hours



Milk-Cooling Effect.

at 70 degrees. It is easy to see what a difference 20 degrees in temperature makes. At 50 degrees the multiplication is five-fold, at 70 degrees

#### TO DISINFECT COW STABLES

In Case of Contagious Abortion Any of the Standard Coal Tar Mixtures Will Be Found Good.

For a disinfectant in cases of contagious abortion in cows, any of the standard coal tar disinfectants are good. Crude carbolic and bichloride of mercury are two good ones. Contagious abortion of cows is a

serious trouble and must be handled with extreme care if it is to be suppressed. The proper disinfection of the cow stables and the entire premises that may become infected is very important. Under ordinary farm conditions the infected animals should be separated from the rest of the herd and kept where there is no chance for the infection to spread. If it is found that they cannot be cured they should be disposed of.

#### MILK PRODUCER MUST KNOW

Many Dairymen Attempt to Make Business Without System-Records Ought to Be Kept.

The chief obstacle to progressive dairying is carrying it on in a slipshod manner without the application of business principles. The milk producer must stop guessing, and know for sure what the results will be of the different operations conducted in different ways, and in each case adopt the one that will return the most profit. It is the net result from a cow that tells whether she is making a profit or not. We cannot know what that net result is if we do not keep

Getting Returns From Cow. If the cow eats just a little more than is required to keep her alive her yield will be small and the cost high while if she eats a large quantity above what is required to maintain her body, she will give returns from a larger proportion of her feed.

Ideal Straw Shed.

The old thick-walled straw shed for any kind of farm stock is about ideal, after all that is said to the contrary. The thick walls keep out cold and prevent drafts and still grant an ideal ventilation. You never find any frost ed inside walls in the straw shed.

Industrious Safe Blowers Found Only Interesting Note Instead of Riches They Expected.

Burglars have been so busy cracking safes on the upper East side with their strong boxes, they are filling them up with coal and other uncom mon things. A clerk in a hat stor in that section of town, after remo ing the money from the safe at clo ing time, left a note inside of it. A It is assumed that the subsequent con- alone.—Emerson. versation was enough to explode the surplus nitroglycerin, but one of the annoyed felons took his indelible pencil in band and wrote as follows: -, you can - furthermore. considering what their feelings were, was putting it mildly.-New York A neighbor saddled one of those fa-

Mixed Adjectives. a day this summer a young man from Kansas City as a boarder," stated honest Neighbor Hornbeak. "He came with the expectation of staying two thoroughbred old Monk and raced weeks, and just nacherly hungered and thirsted for the simple life, as he called it. And then about the the life of usefulness of a good pro- first thing he did was to seek to pick a sandburr off from the left hind fetlock of one of the mules. This sorter led me to believe that he thought 'simple' and 'idiotic' were synonymous and simultaneous terms."-Kansas City minutes was upon the operating table

> Different. "Why don't you get married, old man? You know two can live cheaper

"Not when the lady refuses to keep house and insists on living at ho-

It takes a smart woman to listen

PUT ONE OVER ON BURGLARS SET ADRIFT BY ILLUSIONS

Young Mortal Allows Himself to Be Swayed by Conditions That Surround Him.

There is no chance and no anarchy in the universe. Every god is there dynamite, nitroglycerin and lyddite sitting in his sphere. The young morthat it is impossible for flat dwell | tal enters the hall of the firmament; ers in that vicinity to keep pictures there he is alone with them alone; straight on the walls. The storekeep- they youring on him benedictions and ers have been touched so often that gifty, and beckoning op to their they are beginning to get wise. In thyones. On the instant, and incesstead of leaving the day's cash in antly, fall snowstorms of illusions, He fancies himself in a vast crowd, which sways this way and that, and whose movements and doings he must obey; he fancies himself poor, orphaned, insignificant. The mad crowd drives him hither and thither, now fupair of burglars spent a busy set of riously commanding this thing to be hours in the hat store, using section- done, now that. What is he that he al jimmies, "can openers" and every should resist their will and think on known device for successfully ap- himself? Every moment new changes proaching the interior of the safe. and new showers of deceptions to baf-When they had reduced the strong fle and distract him. And when, by box to a shredded iron biscuit they and by, for an instant, the air clears looked into its riddled heart and found and the cloud lifts a little, there are this note: "Well, what's the idea?" the gods still sitting around him on That was all there was in the safe, their thrones-they alone with him

Getting the Doctor.

Ira Collins calls to our attention the difference that forty years has made in the old time run for the doctor. Forty years ago a runaway team injured a man on the Nemeha bottom. mous race horses bred by the Smiths, Mormets and Wittwers and raced him to Sabetha, 18 miles away, for old Doc-"We had at our house for about half tor Irwin. When he turned in the head of Main street he commenced to shout, "Oh, doc, oh, doc, d-o-c," and the doctor was on the spot with his away on the last lap for the life of the Nebraskan. It took two hours and thirty minutes to pace that 36 miles. A short time ago a hay fork jumped from the roof of a big barn near Whiting and stabbed the operator twice in the chest. The injured man was bundled into the farmer's auto and in 38 in Sabetha, 26 miles away.-Leaven-

Getting Even.

Husband-You have robbed me of my trousers. Wife-That is what you get for hooking my clothes.-Judge.

Jamaica has established several public quinine depots to enable poor per-



## When Health is Wrong The Pay is Short

Getting ahead in this world calls for mental and physical forces kept upbuilt and in trim.

Often the food one eats "makes" or "breaks"-it depends upon the kind of food. In many cases the daily dietary lacks certain essential elements for keeping brain and body at their best.

Over 18 years ago a food was perfected to offset this lack -

# Grape-Nuts

-and it has stood the test of the years.

Made of whole wheat and malted barley this famous pure food supplies all the nutriment of the grains including their mineral salts-Phosphate of Potash, etc.—necessary for building brain, nerve and muscle.

Grape-Nuts has a delicious nut-like flavour; is always ready to eat-fresh, and crisp from the package: so thoroughly baked it is partially predigested.

Thousands "on the job" every day know

"There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts

-sold by Grocers everywhere.

#### ATTACKED BY AN ALLIGATOR

New Maid in Home Which Shelters a Pampered Pet Dog Has a Most Exciting Experience.

There are no children in this house in North Alabama street. They have ners do their own housekeeping and grown up, married and gone away. laundering. To accomplish the latter Their absence is partly relieved by a | they use as a substitute for the washsmall dog, a lively little terrier. This | board and tub a device made of an old dog, as he is not permitted to associate with the rude dogs of the street, has playthings of different kinds, much like those that in other households, are bought for small boys and girls, says of the same diameter as the head of the Indianapolis News.

the house. She was tidying up the liv- der is left open, and the head of the ong room, and when drawing her broom churn is fastened to the open end. The from under a couch she gave a shriek of terror and ran into the yard, where the churn, and the churn-bearings fastsome carpenters were at work.

"There's some kind of a beast in them water-tight. there," she said, "and I'm scared almost to death.

scantling and went in.

strike. The new domestic, looking der. through a window, begged him to be careful and take no chances. "It two screens. The water surges back jumped at me," said she, "when I hit and forth through them until they are it with the broom and it made an awfut clean, or as long as the churn is in

been so fortunate as to cover the beast | power. with the board and was standing on the scantling. When he had stood on MOON'S EFFECTS NOT KNOWN it for five minutes and thought life must certainly be extinct, he stepped off and removed the board.

As he did so there was a strange noise from the animal which jumped at the carpenter, who ran out to get assistance. By this time the mistress of the house had returned with the

"For goodness sakes," she said, all this excitement?" Before the question was answered the black-and-tan terrier ran into the house and out into the yard.

In his mouth was the beast. It was one of his playthings, an India rubber alligator about eight inches long.

"Land sakes!" said the new maid. But the gallant young carpenter said

#### Worthy of His Rank.

The recruit was having his first turn on sentry duty.

something different.

"Now, remember your salutes," the arms. For a captain with three stars late life may be found in moon-lore. slope arms also. The major has a crown on his straps, and you present arms. For the colonel, who has stars and a crown, you present arms and

then turn out the guard." When he was left alone the recruit

Suddenly his musing was interrupted know what to do for him. "An' what might you be?" he asked

bluntly, unable to recognize the badge of the officer's rank. "I'm the general," replied the officer,

"Sure how, and are ye?" exclaimed the recruit in consternation. "Then if I give ye a bayonet exercise?"

#### A Predicament.

It was the night of nights. Isabella had said "yes." Isabella's father had said "yes," and Isabella's "young man" was happy. So was Isabella. Minutes ticked away as they sat

hand-in-hand, not caring for conversation, blissfully content to sit and sit and sit in each other's proximity. But suddenly Isabella's young man grew restless. He began to twitch and pull fearsome faces. His facial contortions got worse and worse, till at eyes have seen"-yes, that is a fine last Isabella got scared and cried: "What is it, beloved? Tell your Isa-

bella! Are you subject to fits?" "No, no, of course not," said the young man soothingly. "My eyeglasses. are falling off and I don't want to let go of your lovely hands."

#### Gurgies!-London Answers. Why Was Starling Introduced?

Nobody seems to know what the starling was introduced into the United States for. It may have been thought that as a picturesque bird of marked personality and a classical inhabitant of the bowers of literature he would be a pleasing addition to our avi fauna. Attempts have been made to introduce the skylark and the European goldfinch, the latter with some success, the former without. They are songbirds, Except in a technical sense, the starling isn't, though occasional sweet pipings do vary his jarring cries, and he does surprising things as a mimic of other species.

#### Taller in Morning.

The very wise smile knowingly when someone offers the "foolish" assertion that a person is taller in the morning than in the evening. But just try it. Between the 24 vertebrae of the backbone are little disks of cartilage, and these during the course of the day are considerably compressed by the weight of the body, expanding again when the body is in a recumbent position. In the case of a heavy man of good average height, the difference in his height at morning and evening is generally about half an inch.

HOMEMADE WASHING MACHINE

Miners in Alaska Construct Ingenious Device to Take the Place of Washboard and Tub.

In parts of Alaska many of the mibarrel-churn mounted on runners so that the miner can take it along to his

A cylinder about 30 inches long and the churn is first constructed of heavy The other day a new maid came into galvanized iron. One end of this cylincylinder is then carefully balanced in ened with rivets and solder to make

Two screens are made of galvanized wire of one-inch mesh. One of them is A gallant young carpenter offered to suspended from the movable head by go in and tackle the animal in its lair. one-quarter-inch galvanized iron rods, He armed himself with a strip of and the other is fastened to the cylinder, so that the two are about ten A moment later he was heard to inches apart in the middle of the cylin-

The clothes are confined between the motion. A large pinwheel attached to The gallant young carpenter had the bearings furnishes the turning

May Be Key to Sleep Walking and Kindred Disorders, Declares Writer in Medical Journal.

All persons in all times have seen an intimate connection between the moon and fruitfulness, both animal and vegetable.

"what on earth is the matter? Why Medical Journal, "the onions which "Even now," says the New York come to our city market owe their excellence to the farmer's careful conjunction of planting time with the phases of the moon."

Such ideas have been so universal that man's unconscious mind still preserves them, though his judgment may scorn them as absurd.

Doctor Sadger of Vienna cites cases of somnambulists who "under the influence of moonlight are recalled to times and scenes of active childish wishes. The moon calls them in deep sleep to act out dream wishes."

The Medical Journal suggests that corporal warned him. "If you see a the key to sleep walking and other lieutenant wearing one star, slope kindred disorders of childhood and

Costly Living. Most of the high cost of living comes from buying things we don't need. If it wasn't for that we would all live off the fat of the land, and the went over these orders again and rich and well-to-do would have enough left to help other people and boost the by the approach of an officer. This that society throws away on idle pleaswas a general, and the recruit did not ures and needless things were redistributed equitably among the people, everybody would be living on lamb chops, limá beans and pound cake; and the reflex action of such a situation would compensate the well-off for the loss of their joyless pleasures. But the old ideal of the university seems still to influence the people-"never to ye'll want something big. How'd it do tex at the land's ridiculous misuse." It wouldn't cost a cent to have it otherwise, as long as our money goes into pleasures and triffes. But take each individual life and cut off the foolish and needless things, and such a one would occupy the proud eminence of a champion of nobler things,-Ohio State Journal.

#### Hero's Your Hat, Stay Awhile.

It is the Nunc Dimittis-the art of the peaceful departure. To know when to go, and how to let go after "mine art, indeed. Learn the art of terminal facility and save a world of apologies and regrets afterward. Learn not to linger over anything-even a telephone. Long conversations, long explanations, long letters, long farewells, long prayers in public, sermons or speeches, and long-spun-out stories -pray avoid them. Come to the point on time. Depart gracefully. Peace will then pursue you. Leave a wish and longing because you have gone. Learn to let go of little things today and you will be ready to decide quickly at tomorrow's crisis, and to depart in peace-Christian Advocate.

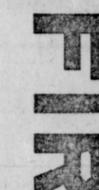
#### Turtle Fishing Chief Industry.

Grand Cayman is one of the out-ofthe-way islands of the West Indies, a small and isolated outpost of the British empire. It is the island nearest to the Central American coast among those of any size. As a result of this proximity, the leading industries of the island are turtle fishing and coconut shipping, both of which products come from the Mosquito coast of Honduras and Nicaragua. Grand Cayman is a base of operations, a half-way station in the trade. The island has an atmosphere of prosperous leisure, be-eause all this work is done away from

Reformed Churches in United States. Of the four reformed denominations in the United States, the Reformed church in America (Dutch Reformed) is the oldest; it has more than 700 churches. The Reformed church in the United States (German Reformed) is the largest, with about 1,800 churches.

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#### KOBE HAS WESTERN FLAVOR

Big Bustling Japanese City Seems Proud of Having Occidental Rather Than Oriental Appearance.

When you arrive at the hotel in Kobe the management informs you proudly that they have the biggest dining room between Calcutta and San Francisco. This is a foretaste of a string of disappointments that await the tourist who is in search of the real Japanese flavor. Kobe is a big, bustling prosperous city, but it is proud of being up-to-date and Western rather than being curious and Oriental. The hotel is full of European travelers and business men, the streets are full of people in Western costumes, and on the whole you are likely to decide that you might have stayed in Eansas City.

If you refuse to be disappointed, however, and extend your explorations, you will find that the characteristically Japanese quarters of Kobe are the biggest part of the city and it is still going about its affairs in the Japanese way. Here are the narrow crowded streets, the bounding rickshaw men who pull up and grin good naturedly at each other after averting a fatal collision by a hair's breadth, the rows on rows of little low shops with their big, incomprehensible signs, and the incongruous groves and forests of telegraph poles.

The telegraph and telephone pole today is really more a feature of the Japanese landscape than Fujiyama, the sacred mountain. The modern Japancse fan should show a line of conventionalized telegraph poles disappearing in impossible perspective rather than the cherry blossoms and fan-wielding maidens who belong to a past age. For some reason Japan has proved a fertile soil for the telegraph pelc. The wires run underground and apparently more poles are used than there is any necessity for. The poles are the most conspicuous feature of the Kobe landscape.

#### FOODS THAT CAUSE RICKETS

Disease Is Due to Too Little Animal Fat, Protoin and Lime Salts in Dietary, Says Doctor.

"Reware of giving young children too much pasteurized milk, proprietary food, or even cereals, to the exclusion of brown bread and butter, stewed fruit or reasted apple, and a little meat once a day," writes Dr. Beverley Robinson of New York in giving a warning note about rickets in the New York Medical Journal.

He adds that he is "considering especially children two or three years old, who are healthy and vigorous unless rickets develops unawares by resson of faulty dietary." And he quotes the following from Osler:

"Like scurvy, rickets may be found in the families of the wealthy under perfect hygienic conditions. It is most common in children fed on condensed milk, the various proprietary foods, cow's milk and food rich in starches."

Rickets is the cause of knock-knees and bow legs. It is due to too little animal fat and protein in the dietary, together with too little lime salts.

#### De Soto's Romance.

Fernando De Soto, the Spanish explerer, is associated with much of the early history of this country. He is best remembered as having been the first European to look upon the Mississippl.

At an early age he fell in love with the daughter of his patron, Dom Pedro de Avila. To prevent the marriage, De Avila induced De Soto to accompany him to America, where he had been recently appointed governor of Spanish possessions in the western hemisphere. This was in 1519. In 1527 De Soto served in the expe-

dition to Nicaragua under Fernandez. and in 1528 he withdrew entirely from the service of his patron. In 1537 he returned to Spain and married Isabella, who for more than fifteen years had waited faithfully for him.

Orange Popular in Tropics. In the tropics the orange is even more appreciated than farther north because of its wonderful thirstquenching qualities, and the enting of it is a more highly developed art. In the Porto Rican cities oranges are sold on the streets by push-cart merchants for a cent apiece. The vender deftly peels each orange with a sharp knife in such a way that the outer yellow skin is removed and a thin white coating of uniform thickness remains, with a small hole at the top. So treated, the orange may be sucked to the last drop without the least danger that it will break and soil the fingers; but it takes a genuine artist to peel the fruit in the right way.

Bubble Background of Photos. Professor Boys of England, experimenting with bubbles, obtained some very large ones, which in the sunshine changed colors so beautifully that be conceived the idea of using them as

backgrounds for photographs. The large bubbles were blown with an ordinary bellows, says the Popular Science Monthly. The soap solution was heated and a large-mouthed funnel was dipped into it. The bellows, connecting with the funnel, was then worked very gently. Bubbles with as great a circumference as two and a half feet were easily obtained.

### ABOUT SOME GUYS

Fastidious One Learns English "As She Is Spoke."

Adds New Word to His Vocabulary in Course of His Conversation With Two Business Men.

The elderly gentleman with the silk hat and the white waistcoat approached the intelligent-looking, neatly clad young man and addressed him with an air of courtly grace.

"I beg your pardon," said he, "but this is my first visit to this town in many years. Would you be kind enough to tell me the name of the gentleman across the street? His face looks vaguely familiar; and it is barely possible that I knew him in the years before I went abroad to live."

The young man shot an alert look at the elderly gentleman, and then smiled sympathetically. "Do you mean that guy in the brown derby?" he asked. "That's my old man-Judge Smith."

The elderly gentleman drew back slightly. "I didn't refer to that-er-" He paused and brushed his hand over his eyes. "Did you refer to him as 'guy'?" he continued.

"Sure," replied the young man, with a somewhat puzzled air. "Was that the guy you meant?"

"No! No!" declared the elderly gentleman hurriedly. "I referred to the —er—guy with the white goatee."

"Oh, that guy!" exclaimed the young man. "I don't know that guy. He came to town yesterday to do some kind of business with the guy that runs the movie. Some of these guys around here ought to know who he is, The young man whistled shrilly, and

beckened imperatively to another prosperous-looking young business man who stood conversing with friends op the opposite curb. In response to the signal, the second young man crossed the street and questioned the first young man with lifted eyebrows.

"Listen, Ed," said the first young man, "who is the guy with the white goatee across the street? Hasn't he got something to do with the guy that started the movie show?"

"Search me, Jack," replied the second young man. "I never saw that guy before."

Closing his eyes as though in deep pain, the elderly gentleman stumbled off down the street, murmuring nough save the words: "Thank you, guys." "Who's the old guy?" asked the second young man curiously.

"Some crazy guy, I guess," replied the first young man, shrugging his shoulders .- "Two Guys and a Guy," in

#### Ripe Bananas Not Harmful.

The unripe banana consists largely of starch; this starch changes into sugar as the fruit ripens, and to sugar \* in its most easily assimilated forms.

"The composition of the banana and the potato," says a report, "shows an interesting similarity both as regards total carbohydrate and the amount of the different mineral con tituents While the banana can hardly be regarded as a potato substitute, the fact that it has practically the same caloric value as the potato is worthy of note." The doctors who made these experi-

ments express the belief that whenever indigestion follows eating bananas it is to be assumed that the fruit was not ripe, for "no ill effects, discomfort or distaste were noted even after the consumption of large quantities of ripe fruit for several days."-Journal of American Medical Association.

#### Glug!

"Yes," said a traveling man, "I was once out of sight of land on the Atlantic ocean twenty-one days."

Another man spoke up: "On the Pacific ocean one time I didn't see land for twenty-nine days." A bald man knocked the ashes from

his clgar and contributed his bit: "I started across the Kaw river at Topeka in a skiff once," he said, "and was out of sight of land before I reached the other side.' "What!" demanded the man who

had spun the first yarn. "The Kaw is not more than 300 feet wide at Topeka." "Quite true," said the bald man

quietly. "The skiff turned over and I sank twice."

#### Too Much Talk. The French think the English people

somewhat slow and serious. It is all a matter of comparison. A sour, taciturn Scott-a house painter, by the by -had been to England and returned to his native town. The lady of the house where he was working tried to get him to talk. "You have been to England, they tell me, Alec."

"Aye." "Were you there long?"

"Fower year." "Well, what do you think of the

English?" "Gas bags"—solemnly, without the twitch of a muscle. The "conversation" ended there.

Poor Spongely. Duffer—Say, young Spongely surely likes his cigarettes, doesn't he? Puffer-Don't know for sure, but he

#### Making Good Use of Leisure Hours By G. F. WILSON, Chicago

There are some men and women whose work is so engrossing that they have no leisure. Such people are relatively few in number and they are, as a rule, at the head of great enter-

prises. Virtually all young men and women have some hours from work which need not be devoted to exercise and sleep, two things which ought never to be overlooked or neglected. These unoccupied hours are of priceless worth, if they are wisely used. They determine the value of the working hours, because they educate a man to use and enjoy that which the working hours bring him, for a man's ability to enjoy success depends on his intelligence, his tastes and the variety of his interests.

Many of the most successful business men have so many interests outside of their business that they can always give themselves the rest or a change of occupation and can get pleasure and profit out of any form of leisure. They understand that, in order to use wealth with judgment and to get satisfaction and happiness out of it, a man must grow rich in mind as fast as he grows rich in pocket.

It is the use of leisure hours that equips a man to use wisely what the working hours bring him. The working hours develop his character, if his principles are good, while they increase his fortune. But they do not give him broad views of life, knowledge and love of the best things. These are the gifts and fruits of the leisure hours, for the leisure hours embrace a man's educational opportunities. No man who has a few hours each week which can be used as he pleases should remain uneducated. Education is not a matter of schools, colleges and universities. These are valuable instruments and aids to education, but they are not so essential that the man who cannot command their privileges need remain uneducated.

#### Sleep and Bathing for Schoolchildren By Mrs. C. J. Ladman, Marion, Mo.

The mother who has children attending school may not be able to help with lessons, but there is one thing she can do for them which will benefit more, and that is to see that they get

enough sleep and frequent bathing, which promotes purity of mind. Insufficient sleep affects the nerves, the temper, the digestion, the mental quickness and even the morals of children. The child who gets enough sleep is the one who grows normally and well, who eats properly and who is not peevish and irritable. Many of the little, whining, nervous children are simply suffering from lack of sleep.

So many mothers notice such a difference in the behavior of children when they have started to school and are at a loss to understand the reason. It is because the daily nap has been given up.

Try giving the schoolchildren an early, nourishing and easily Corduroy in a good quality is about digested supper. They should retire early and sleep in a well-ventilated the best choice one can make among bedroom and let them have ten or eleven full hours of slumber and they materials designed for coats for genwill wake up bright, healthy and good.

Clean skin and clean clothes improve not only the physical but also ranks of the little animal, whose fine the moral condition of children.

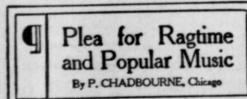
#### New Style Whiskers style of whiskers, if we congowns. to Follow War By H. A. Zorling, Washington, D. C.

tinue to follow the styles of | Lining member that while I was

living in Kentucky the late Proctor Knott said on one occasion that the fashion of wearing beards was the result of the Mexican war. He explained that when the boys went into that war they were clean-shaven, for always at home there was a barber to shave them. In Mexico, however, it was different, and the soldiers had to let their beards grow. When the war was over they started the style of having the beard trimmed, and thus the practice came into general use.

The first governor of Kentucky to wear a beard was Lazarus W. Powell, who was governor from 1851 to 1855, and the first president to be so adorned was Abraham Lincoln, a Kentuckian by birth. Grant, Hayes, Garfield and Harrison, who followed, all wore beards, and Arthur wore side whiskers.

Reports from the trenches and the war fronts are that the soldiers haven't much time to shave, and when the struggle is over we may expect whiskers to come into fashion again in Europe, and it will not be long after that, I presume, until the American catches the habit.



time and popular music has aroused my intense interest. I have played the piano in theaters for the last ten years. I have played in some of the best in the country and if I could not play ragtime or popular music I would have

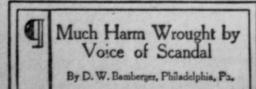
The discussion of rag-

had a hard time finding a position. No one in the world loves good music better than I do, but I also like a popular piece once in a while.

Some contributor went so far as to say that ragtime masic is harmful to children. What is worse for children than seeing women dressed as they are on the street? The sights children see in the city parts are worse than any popular song.

Another contributor said that vulgar words were sung to popular songs. There is a class of people who will sing vulgar words to church

People who object to a popular song should remember that we are not living in the old Quaker days. They should also remember that piano players have to make a living.



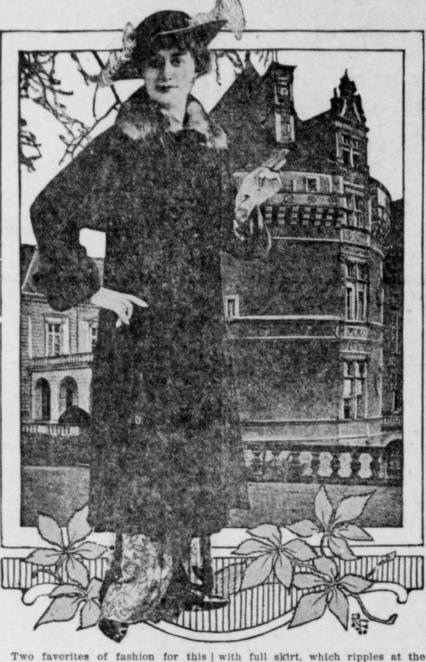
Scandalmongers have habit of purveying pasts for women while you wait. The following incident is one of

is gone the hostess is asked how she can entertain "a woman of that kind." The spokesman of the party vouchsafes the information that Mrs. X. has figured in a shooting scrape, fully exploited in all the newspapers. The hostess is nonplused, but keeps her counsel, as she has found

Mrs. X. to be a gentlewoman in every sense of the word. Later, when they become better acquainted, Mrs. X. tells of her unhappy marriage. feathers.

Thus cruelly and wantonly are facts distorted by thoughtless, careless women, who never stop to think what consequences their senseless garrulity may have for another person

#### Handsome and Practical Corduroy Coat



season enter into the composition of this handsome coat; they are the corduroy velvet of which it is made, and the opossum fur on the collar. eral wear, and the high favor of opossum fur threatens to thin the markings have lately sprung into unprecedented favor.

The coat is long, ample and grace-After this war in Europe ful. It is cut with the long arm'sis over we may expect a new eye and easy adjustment which makes it practical for wear over evening

good lines about the figure. It is cut signed for much wear.

bottom, and is provided with a shaped belt and sash ends of the corduroy, also lined with silk. Machine stitching makes the finish, and the elegance of the coat is still further enhanced by the lack of any other trim-

The model is doable-breasted, fastening at the throat with a single large and ornamental button. A similar button in a smaller size appears on each cuff. The collar is made so that it may be rolled up about the neck and fastened with hook and eye in a high turnover.

Although pictured as worn over an evening gown, this coat is appropriate for all sorts of wear. The material is very serviceable, but its rich Paris, as we have done for kind are of thin, supple silk or crepe, luster places it in the class of dressy a great many years. I re- in order that the coat may fall in coats as well as among those de-

#### Beautiful Types of Picture Hats



mend them that their welcome is al- feathers. ways assured.

The hat at the left is made of black velvet or of one of the dark shades which are fashionable in colors. The

it remained for this season to show look just as well.

The bat at the right is a widebrimmed French sailor made of vel- piece effect. Sometimes it is worn vet faced with striped plush. Its color at the real waist line, or it may go possibilities are worth considering. in inch above. It has a round crown and, for trimming, another masterpiece in fancy

the kind of feather which those clever silver braid. Another pretty decoraopie who work in them convert into tion consists of bowknots of silver ribthe things of beauty that adorn so bon.

Two of the most beautiful hats of | much of the season's millinery. But the season are portrayed here, and some feathers, like those of the bird they belong to those types that with of paradise, are too beautiful in their little variation reappear with each sea- natural state to be improved upon. son. They are picture hats on such while others are vastly changed and good lines and with so much to recom- beautified by the makers of fancy

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

Four-inch belts of soft kid in light crown is round. The wide brim is and medium colors are bound with flexible and cut with a straight edge black or white silk braid. Black ribat the right side. At the left it turns | bon lacings through black eyelets are up and is bent toward the crown, seen on smart models. Ornaments showing, altogether, the influence of and buckles to match are used on the season's tendency toward eccen belts, the former being placed at the tric brims. Its lines are wonderfully back. Buckles are also made of jet, gilt, pearl, galalith, silver, beads, etc. A very military-looking belt of kid just what beautiful effects can be or leather has for a fastening a buckle wrought by the artist whose medium | imitating four cartridges made of gilt, of expression is the fancy feather. nickel gun metal or a combination of Mrs. X. is a guest at a This hat is trimmed with fancy os two metals. Embroidered belts are luncheon. The minute she trich. It seems that nothing else could used of satin, ribbon, soft kid or panne disappeared under the side of the one-

> White Net Gown. A charming gown is of white net

## ONE OF THE BEST HOUSE DESIGNS

Square-Built Two-Story Structures Deserve the Popularity They Enjoy.

Such an Abode Also Has a Prosperous Look, Which Is in Many Ways Desirable-Floor Plans of This . House Have Been Carefully Laid Out.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.

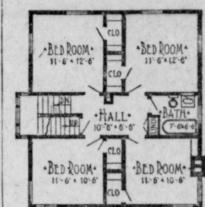
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Probably the most economical house design for the nothern sections of the country is a square-built two-story house with a good basement. It is a good sensible way to build and it solves the heating problem in winter with greater satisfaction than any other style of house known to the American builder.

The principle of the circulation of and is sent through the furnace to the of the house. rooms on the first floor during the a warm air furnace in mind. The same the part of an architect. principle applies to a certain extent when the hot water system of heating is employed.

For this reason the buffet sideboard is built against the back end of the dining room to avoid any unnecessary obstruction in the main part of the room. The living room and dining room are both made especially light and airy by two triple windows and three single windows. The present fashion is to have plenty of light in the living rooms, and it is a good fashion that should remain in vogue for the next thousand years. The history of house windows reads wider with each century. .

An interesting feature of this house is the manner in which the stairway is NOT HARD TO KEEP HEATED built. To commence with, there is a grade entrance at the side of the house which leads down into the cellar and up into the kitchen, a combination that is used in a great many modern houses. The same economy of space and travel is employed in the stairway to the second floor and to the attic. It doubles back from a landing halfway between floors. The landing is provided for by an extension built as a



Second Floor Plan.

warm air applies splendidly in a com- space saver to give plenty of length pact two-story house. The tendency of stair run with wide treads and easy of hot air is to rise, because hot air risers. The extension also contains is lighter than cold air. In applying windows to light the stairway, and as this principle the cold air is taken in it is artistically designed it adds to from outside through the cold air boxes | the general appearance of this side

A study of the second-floor plan will whole 24 hours. The upstairs regis- show that every square foot of floor ters usually are closed during the space works to advantage. There are daytime in cold weather because the four bedrooms and four clothes closets surplus heat from the first floor finds all arranged on straight lines without its way to the upper rooms through shutting the light from any window the stairway. The upper rooms are and without any useless corners. Such also warmed to a certain degree a splendid arrangement of rooms is through the floors. This is written with considered quite a triumph of skill on

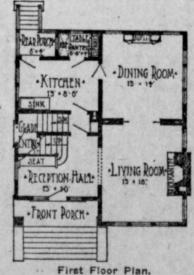
There is practically no wall space in the upper hallway; it is all taken up by the necessary doors. Even the The house shown in this design is linen closet is filched from the bath-



set well up on a concrete wall in a way | room, although the two small linen to make a splendid basement that is closet doors open into the hallway. light and airy because of the large basement windows.

The front porch and front entrance house rather a prosperous look as seen from the street.

The tendency the last few years has been to make wider front walks and wider steps, as though house owners were growing broader in their views of



The front steps here shown are ten feet wide in the clear between the ramps, and the front door is built in proportion. The door is four feet six and burying an army. The stature in width and is flanked on both sides with the old-fashioned front door sidelights. Such front entrance doors used to be plentiful, but they went out of fashion 20 years or 30 years ago. They velvet. With princess fronts the beit are now coming back into use because

The floor plans of this house are just as interesting as the perspective. There are three living rooms and a re ception hall on the first floor and there are four good square bedrooms and a bathroom on the second floor. The it is not always easy to recognize with blossoms hung from the tabs of living room and dining room are con-

nected by an archway wide enough so the two rooms may be made into aning both doors clear back.

The attic is of use only for storage purposes and for the drying of clothes on stormy washdays. For this reason show moderately massive construction | there is a sensible stairway leading up which taken together with the gen- to the attic and a door at the foot eral clean-cut appearance gives the which closes it off from the rest of the house.

It is necessary to have a good wide lot for a house built after this design to show it to advantage. On general principles a full two-story square house may be put on a smaller lot than life and more generous in hospitality. a wide spreading or squatty building, but any good dwelling deserves room enough to look right. When buying a lot for a home or planning a house for a lot already purchased it is well to keep in mind that any house looks

best when it fits the lot. The lawn around a good full twostory house requires different treatment from a low dwelling with an overhanging roof. Shrubbery and vines are needed for the proper finish of any dwelling and room for these should be provided for when the plans are being drawn and the lot purchased.

Prehistoric Trenches.

The Prehistoric society of East Anglia has issued a report that deals with Grimes' Graves, Norfolk. These depressions in the ground are of unknown age, and, it has been said, were great flint quarries-the Neolithic arsenal of Great Britain's stone age. The society's report now likens them to prehistoric trenches. They were capable of receiving, concealing, of the prehistoric girl whose partial remains were preserved in the chalk of Grimes' Graves was about four feet. Part of a man's skull was found. It had a brain capacity greater than that of modern Englishmen. The skull bones were thicker. But science says that brain capacity is indicated by quality, not quantity.

"Gadspur is a man who prides himself on doing things." "True. But I had to disappoint him the other day."

"How so?" "He wanted to do me."

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Its Case.

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and trained in their care. Many years ago it was a practice in Texas to take a puppy from its dam before the eyes had opened and place it with a ewe, let her nurse it and allow the puppy to grow up with



Splendid Sheep Dog.

the sheep and be with them night and day. Then the dog would become the natural defender of the flock against all dangers and foes, stay with them all of the time and possess their confidence. It was also stated that a dog so raised would bring in the flock at a given hour, when accustomed to be fed at that time

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#### HORSES IN UNITED STATES

According to Estimate of Department of Agriculture There Were 21,-195,000 on January 1.

The United States department of agriculture estimates the number of horses in the United States on January 1st of each year, except 1910, when the April census figures are used, as follows: 1910, 19,833,000; 1911, 20,-277,000; 1912, 20,509,000; 1913, 20,567,

000; 1914, 20,962,000; 1915, 21,195,000. In spite of automobiles and everything else it can be seen that the horse is gradually gaining in numbers. In spite of the heavy exportation of horses on account of the war, the total amount available is so great that the exports are not materially reducing the supply. It is doubtful also if the war will affect American horseraising very greatly. In the western fighting everything appears to ba trench warfare, where cavalry is of little use and the slaughter of artillery horses must be moderate, while on the eastern front Russia has millions of horses and would not need to call on America, even if shipments would be possible. One of the ways America is hardest hit is in the supply of imported draft stallions.

#### VENTILATION FOR THE BARN

All Stables Should Be Fairly Lofty, Because Horses Need Abundance of Good Fresh Air.

The horse is very susceptible to cold; and the horses that are stabled when not being worked or exercised feel the changes of weather quite as readily as do those enjoying a more free life.

All stables should be fairly lofty, be cause horses need plenty of fresh air, and this can only be properly given during intense cold when ventilation can be given above the heads of the animals so far as elevation is concerned, the position of the ventilators mattering little so long as they are at a good height and placed with

judgment. The stable should feel cozy upon going in, but not stuffy, otherwise the horses will feel chilly upon coming out.

Autumn Care of Colts. Look out for the weanlings and colts as cold weather approaches. Be sure

that they go into winter quarters in the pink of condition, for there is where the profit comes in.

Keep Sows in Condition. It is not wise to allow young sows to become too fat, as they never make as good breeders as those with more

development of muscle.

#### PERSIMMON IS FRUIT MUCH NEGLECTED



A Persimmon Tree Which Has a Drooping Habit of Growth and Produces Fruit of the Oblong Type.

ment of Agriculture.)

Despite the fact that the only fruit value is the date, many persons who made to develop the trees commercially. In a new bulletin, Farmers' Bulletin No. 685 of the United States department of agriculture, some of the many uses to which the fruit can be put are described and methods of propagating the trees discussed.

The persimmon is found in large ter of the United States and in some places as far west as Iowa and eastern Nebraska, and as far north as Rhode Island, New York and Michigan. The real persimmon belt, how-Maryland, Virginia and the Carolinas westward through Missouri and Arkansas. Where the tree is most abundant there is considerable prejudice against it because of the persistency of the puckering astringent effect of that persimmons are "good for dogs, hogs and 'possums," but this is unjust to a product which can be made very

useful to man. also be sometimes purchased during the autumn and early winter. A number of nurserymen also sell seedling trees for ornamental planting, for for the production of the fruit.

One obstacle to the more general use of persimmons is the mistaken idea that they are not fit to eat until they have been touched by frost. In frost comes are allowed to go to waste. As a matter of fact, it may be said in general that the best varieties are those which ripen just before the trees shed their leaves. If a persimmon is not edible before frost, it is simply because the variety happens to be a late one and the fruit is not ripe. In are in considerable demand for shade order to be on the safe side, however. it is recommended in the bulletin al- thority states that as a shade tree on ready mentioned that housewives who private grounds the persimmon comare using persimmon pulp in the prep pares favorably with any of the other aration of bread, cakes and other species in this country.

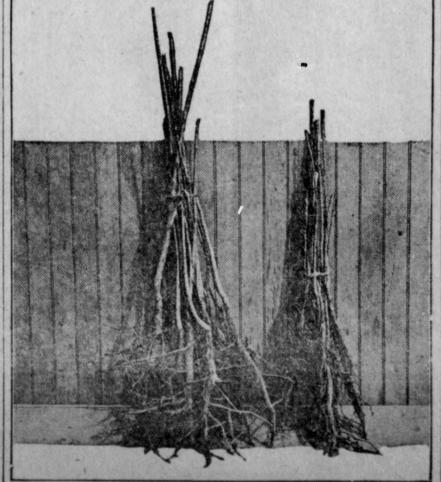
Prepared by the United States Depart- | dishes, add one-half teaspoonful of baking soda to each cupful of pulp in all recipes in which the pulp is heatwhich equals the persimmon in food ed. This removes whatever astringency there may be in the fruit and have persimmon trees on their land does away with all risk of a puckered has been comparatively little effort calling for the use of persimmon pulp are contained in the bulletin.

In the propagation of the persimmon, certain precautions that are necessary in the case of the other fruits should be observed. Seeds gathered for propagating purposes should be stratified at once. If they are allowed to dry out it is often necessary to numbers over the southeastern quar- soak them for two or three days before they are planted, boiling water being used for the purpose. The seed bed in which the seedlings are grown should be well drained with rather light soil and a good supply of humus. ever, may be said to extend from The ground should be deep plowed in order to permit the penetration of the long taproots which are characteristic of the tree.

The roots of persimmon trees sprout readily when the top is removed and with which the young sprouts come up this accounts for the persistence at in cultivated fields, and also because times of clumps of sprouts in fields where they are not wanted. It also the unripe fruit. There is a saying enables small pieces of roots six or eight inches long to be used for propagating. The ends of the roots should be sealed with grafting wax or pitch in order to prevent decay, and the pieces At the present time a few growers buried in sand through the winter. It in the persimmon belt who have easy the moisture supply is plentiful they access to markets in large cities have will then grow readily the following built up quite a considerable demand spring. Cuttings of branches may be for persimmons, and the wild fruit can used in the same way as the root cuttings.

In cases where is is desirable to graft, the operation is usually most successful if it is put off until the trees which they are very effective, and a have definitely started into new few have special varieties developed growth. It is also of the utmost importance that the cut surface of both bark and wood be protected with as little delay as possible from exposure to the air. Grafting wax, waxed cloth or similar devices are used to afford consequence many persimmons which the necessary protection. The various ripen and fall to the ground before methods of grafting are discussed in some detail in the new bulletin.

In addition to the value of the fruit for household purposes, persimmon wood is used to a large extent by manufacturers of cotton mill supplies, who make bobbins from it. It is also used for shoe lasts. The live trees and ornamental purposes and one au-



ersimmon Trees After Making One Season's Growth in the Nursery-These Trees Are Propagated by Grafting on the Seedling Stocks-The Bundle on the Left is the Golden Gem Variety; on the Right the Miller —The Largest Trees Are Four to Five Feet Tall—The Difference in the Size of the Trees in the Two Bundles Is Due to the Difference in the Natural Viger of Growth of These Two Sorts.

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Misunderstood.

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in France, more on the way and it very seldom pays to defy the neutrals are now cut off; alien more thorough training, in half still others to be available short law, and it is surprising that trouble makers are being deport the time and at half the usual works wenders in the growing charly, the allies have taken on new talented, intelligent people will ed or imprisoned; women are or cost of a course in other schools life and are bringing things to persist in openly teaching and ganizing over the nation for the teaching other systems. This is pass. Especially is this true of preaching such rank doctrine. work of food conserva ion; and conclusively proven by the in there is little danger of his forsaking Russia, which country had prac These two particular offenders many other war measures are dorsements in our catalogue them entirely in a later life. tically quit until a few days ago. are now where they have belong. going into effect daily. Indica from those who bave attended England and France now feel ed for many years. sure that victory for them is only a matter of time

trotter," this writer has "been you can, but don't merit the reparound a fittle" and has never utation of a real "Cheap John." seen a better foundation for a good town than is laid right here in this community. This in men the end of the world. They had Irishman who was confident his in helping to make up their mind test than that! The idea of thrift is tioned solely in the interest of better worry about themselves- horse would have won the race as to the school to patronize, the truth and veracity.

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CHAPTER XXIV-Continued.

name called softly from the depths of erty be entrusted to a picked squad of one of the great wicker lounging the ex-employees themselves. chairs half hidden in the veranda During these days of turmoil and dropping into it wearily.

"I saw you at the gate," she said. "The men are still holding out?" "We are holding out. The plant is

we can get another force of work-

"There will be lots of suffering," she ventured.

appeal to."

"There was yesterday, or the day before," she suggested. "Perhaps. But yesterday was yesterday, and today is today. As I told

Raymer a little while ago, I've changed my mind." "No," she denied, "you only think to tell me that?"

tion. How is Mr. Galbraith?" "He is a very sick man."

You mean that there is a chance that he may not recover?"

'More than a chance, I'm afraid." said. "I did my best; you know I did ment was a questioning, "Well?" my best?"

Her answer puzzled him a little. to hate you if you hadn't."

Silence again, broken only by the whispering of the summer night plant last night?" breeze rustling the leaves of the lawn s and the lappings of tiny waves on the lake beach. At the end of it, fixed; a pile of kindlings laid in the Griswold got up and groped for his corner back of the mackine shop an-

"I'm going home," he said. "It has with kerosene." been a pretty strenuous day, and there thing. Will you let me know imme- restrial cataclysm can evoke a thrill. diately, by phone or messenger, if Mr. Galbraith takes a turn for the better?"

her many poses, and not the least al- the pile of kindlings." luring one. "Do you believe in God, Griswold took up the letter from

surprise, but he made shift to answer it with becoming seriousness.

"I suppose I do. Why?" said softly; "to pray very earnestly the sidewalk pools to the plant from that Mr. Galbraith's life may be upper Shawnee street. spared."

He could not let that stand. "Why should I concern myself, spe-

cially?" he asked, adding: "Of course, I'm sorry, and all that, but-" she left her chair to walk beside him | chair. to the steps. "I've had a hard day,

too, Kenneth, boy, and I-I guess it has about that at this stage of the game. got on my nerves. But, a., the same, the better it will be for both of us!" you ought to do it, you know."

the eyes whose depths he could never wholly fathom. "Why don't you do it?" he demand-

"I? oh, God doesn't know me; and, besides, I thought-oh, well, it doesn't matter what I thought. Good-night." And before he could return the

leave-taking word, she was gone.

. . . . . . . trouble would begin when the attempt | will vanish. We both know that." should be made to start the plant with imported workmen was amply fulfilled | receivership," was Raymer's gloomy | least little bit-with you sitting right during the militant week which fol- decision. lowed the opening of hostilities. Each succeeding day saw the inevitable in- admitted. "And the day of miracles is crease of lawlessness. From taunts past." ed grew like the returns from a bat- a miracle at that moment in the pretle. By the middle of the week Ray- liminary stage of its outworking. mer and Griswold were asking for a sheriff's posse to maintain peace in place a grottolike summer house on the neighborhood of the plant; and the Mereside lawn. The miracle workwere getting their first definite hint ers were two: Margery Grierson, radithat someone higher up was playing ant in the daintiest of morning housethe game of politics against them.

law requires and a little more," was ously examining a photographic print; the sheriff's response to the plea for the better protection.

"In other words, Mr. Bradford, an you've got your orders from the men Aga higher up, have you?" rasped Gris- ing: wold, who was by this time lost to ly: all sense of expediency.

"I don't have to reply to any such up charge as that," said the chief peace of cam ficer, turning back to his desk; and so tak

the brittle little conference ended. "All of which means that we shall tlin lose the plant guard of deputies that sud Bradford has been maintaining," com- bac mented Raymer, as they were descending ( courthouse stairs; and gize again his prediction came true. Later to a in the day the guard was withdrawn; 'hu and Griswold, savagely reluctant, was

forced to make a concession repeatedly urged and argued for by the older He had climbed the steps of the men among the strikers, namely, that broad veranda when he heard his the guarding of the company's prop-

shadows. In a moment he had placed rioting the transformed idealist passed another of the chairs for himself, through many stages of the journey down a certain dark and mephitic valley not of amelioration. Fairness was gone, and in its place stood angry resentment, ready to rend and tear. Pity closed, and it will stay closed until and truth were going; the daily report from Margery told of the lessening chance of life for Andrew Galbraith, and the stirrings evoked were fine timber, but it happened to be on ently. neither regretful nor compassionate. "It's no use," he said, answering her On the contrary, he knew very well thought. "There is nothing in me to that the news of Galbraith's death would be a relief for which, in his heart of hearts, he was secretly thirst-

#### CHAPTER XXV.

Margery's Answer.

"Well, it has come at last," said you have. But you didn't come here Raymer next morning, passing a newly opened letter of the morning de-"No; I came to ask a single ques- livery over to Griswold. "The railroad people are taking their work away from us. I've been looking for that in every mail."

Griswold glanced at the letter and handed it back. The burden was lying After a moment of silence Griswold heavily upon him, and his only com-

At this, Raymer let go again. "What's the use?" he said deject-"I could almost find it in my heart edly. "We're down, and everything we do merely prolongs the agony. Do you know that they tried to burn the "No; I hadn't heard."

"They did. They had everything nex and the whole thing saturated

"Well, why didn't they do it?" is another one coming. But before I queried Griswold, half-heartedly. After go I want you to promise me one the heavens have fallen, no mere ter-

"That's a mystery. Something happened; just what, the watchman who "Certainly," she said; and she let had the machine shop beat couldn't what?" him say good-night and get as far as tell. He says there was a flash of light the steps before she called him back | bright enough to blind him, and then a There was another thing," she be- scrap of some kind. When he got out with the sober gravity that he of the shop and around to the place, could never be sure was not one or there was no one there; nothing but

the railway people and read it again. The query took him altogether by When he faced it down on Raymer's desk, he had closed with the conclusion which had been thrusting itself pon him since the early morning hour "It is a time to pray to him," she when he had picked his way among

"You can still save yourself, Edward," he said, still with the colorless note in his voice. And he added:

"You know the way." Raymer jerked his head out of his "Never mind," she interposed, and desk and swung around in the pivot-

"See here, Griswold: the less said he exploded. "I'm going to do as I He stopped and looked down into said I should, but not until this fight is settled, one way or the other!"

Griswold did not retort in kind. "The condition has already expired by limitation; the fight is as good as settled now," he said, placably. "We are only making a hopeless bluff. We can hold our forty or fifty tramp workmen just as long as we pay their board over in town, and don't ask them to re- Miss Grierson Was Curiously Examinport for work. But the day the shop Raymer's prediction that the real whistle is blown, four out of every five

"Not without a miracle," Griswold

and abuse the insurrectionaries passed | Thus the idealist, out of a depth of at the beginning of the interview. easily to violence. Street fights, when wretchedness and self-exprobration the trampish place-takers came in any hitherto unplumbed. But if he could considerable numbers, were of daily have had even a momentary gift of occurrence, and the tale of the wound- telepathic vision he might have seen has got to get up before sun in the phone set aside when Margery crossed

The time was half-past nine: the gowns, and the man who had taken "No, gentlemen; I've done all the her retainer. Miss Grierson was curi-

complish by setting fire to the works?"

ured out that the fire'd be charged up locked-out men and a watchman inside out heat and without restraint, he to the owners, themselves."

Miss Grierson was still examining prints?" she asked.

"Yes; here's the other one—and the film. "And you have the papers to make

them effective?" Broffin handed her a large envelope, unsealed. "You'll find 'em in there. That part of it was a cinch. Your governor ought to fire that man Murray.

He was payin' Clancy in checks!"

Again Miss Grierson nodded. "About the other matter?" she inquired. "Have you heard from your Where is Mr. Griswold?"

messenger?" Broffin produced another envelope. It had been through the mails and bore back."

the Duluth postmark. "Affidavits was the best we could it to go with MacFarland as the driver of the rig. They saw some mighty the wrong side of the St. Louis county line. He's a tolerably careful man,

and he verified the landmarks." "Affidavits will do," was the eventoned rejoinder. Then: "These pa- with me." She took a sealed envelope trouble, and let Mr. Raymer settle acle?"

pers are all in duplicate?" "Everything in pairs-just as you or

Miss Grierson took an embroidered bosom and began to open it. Broffin are no signs of improvement in the with Mr. Galbraith as a friend, and ference does it make so long as you raised his hand. "Not any more," he objected. "You

of the Winnebago." "You needn't hesitate," she urged.

'It's my own money." "I've had a-plenty." "Then I can only thank you," she

said, rising. He knew that he was being dismissed, but the one chance in a thou-

sand had yet to be tested. "Just a minute, Miss Grierson," he begged. "I've done you right in this heart of gold, Margery, and I—" business, haven't I?"

"You have." "I said I didn't want any more money, and don't. But there's one here in this little jay town of yours for?"

"Yes; I have known it for a long time.'

"I thought so. You knew it that day out at the De Soto, when you was tellin' Mr. Raymer a little story that was partly true and partly made up-"Every word of the story about Mr.

Griswold-the story that you over-



ing a Photographic Print.

gle word of it. Do you suppose I "Then there is nothing for it but a should have dared to embroider it the there at my back?"

Broffin got up and took a half-burned cigar from the ledge of the summer house where he had carefully laid it

"You've got me down," he confessed. | tered. with a good-natured grin. "The man that plays a winnin' hand against you morning and hold all trumps, Miss the room swiftly and placed an en-Grierson-to say nothin' of being a velope, the counterpart of the one left mighty good bluffer, on the side." Then he switched suddenly, "How's Mr.

Galbraith this morning?" "He is very low, but he is conscious again. He has asked us to wire for the cashier of his bank to come up." Broffin's eyes narrowed.

"The cashier is sick and can't come."

'ell, someone in authority will , I suppose."

should be the one to come to aska . . you haven't anything else for me ly, and forthwith made his es-The telegraph office was a good ninutes' walk from the lake front, in the light of what Miss Grierson

mething less than a half-hour aft-

just told him, the minutes were

him in the very act, didn't you?" she fares into the street upon which the said coolly. "What did he hope to ac- Raymer property fronted. Smoke was copies: the originals are in a sealed pouring from the tall central stack of envelope in Mr. Raymer's safe. If you "It was a frameup to capture public the plant, and it had evidently pro- haven't taken your hands off of Mr. be a mix-up." sympathy. There's been a report cir- voked a sudden and wrathful gather- Raymer's throat by three o'clock this culating 'round that Raymer and Gris- ing of the clans. The sidewalks were afternoon, the envelope will be wold was goin' to put some o' the ring- filled with angry workmen, and an ex- opened." leaders in jail, if they had to make a cited argument was going forward at Jasper Grierson's teeth met in the case against 'em. Clancy had it fig. one of the barred gates between the marrow of the fat cigar. Equally with railroad yards was pushing in a car

of the yard. the picture. "You made two of these hindrance. Though it was the first epithets and vile names garnished der his window and calmly made time she had been in the new offices, with bitter, brutal oaths. She shrank hitching post of the clerk who went she seemed to know where to find from the crude and savage upbraid out to see what she wanted. A mowhat she sought; and when Raymer ings as if the words had been hot frons ment later she came down the corritook his face out of his desk, she was to touch the bare flesh, but at the end dor to stand in the open doorway of standing on the threshold of the open of it she was still facing him hardily. the manager's room. door and smiling across at him.

and I wish to goodness he'd come any time, you know."

"You have been having a great deal do there," he said. "My man worked sympathetically. "I'm sorry, and I've come to help you cure it." Raymer shook his head despond-

"I'm afraid it has gone past the cur-

ing point," he said. "Oh, no, it hasn't. I have discovcoat and laid it on the desk before him | and fair dealing." "I'm going to ask you to lock that up in your office safe for a little while, chamois-skin money book from her just as it is," she went on. "If there sick situation by three o'clock, you are I'm not going to let you be worse than to open it-you and Mr. Griswold-and an Arab." overpaid me that first evening in front read the contents. Then you will know exactly what to do, and how to go about it."

Her lips were trembling when she got through, and he saw it. She was shut the door and put his back against

"I don't know what you have done. but I can guess," he said, lost now to everything save the intoxicating joy of the barrier-breakers. "You have a "Please don't," she said, trying to

stop him; but he would not listen. "No; before that envelope is opened, other thing. Do you know what I'm tains, I'm going to ask you one quesbefore I can possibly know what it contion in spite of your prohibition; and I'm going to ask it now because, afterward, I may not-you may not-that is, perhaps it won't be possible for me

to ask, or for you to listen. I love

you, Margery; I-" She was looking up at him with the faintest shadow of a smile lurking in the depths of the alluring eyes. And her lips were no longer tremulous when she said: "Oh, no, you don't. heard, you know—was true; every sin- If I were as mean as some people think I am, I might take advantage of all this, mightn't I? But I sha'n't. Won't you open the door and let me go? It buy in with him!"

you-I need you!"

This time she laughed outright. Then she grew suddenly grave.

"My dear friend, you don't know what you are saying. The gate that damned crook." you are trying to break down opens upon nothing but misery and wretchedness. If I loved you as a woman ought to love her lover, for your sake and for my own I should still say no-a skillfully assumed. thousand times no! Now will you open the door and let me go?"

He opened the door and she slipped him." past him. But in the corridor she turned and laughed at him again.

"I am going to cure you-you, personally, as well as the sick situation- hate him. About this other matter-Mr. Raymer," she said flippantly. child might have done: "I might pos- mer. If he tells me that his troubles way-after a while. But I could never, get the papers." never, never learn to love your mother

and your sister."

CHAPTER XXVI.

The Gray Wolf. As it chanced, Jasper Grierson was parently satisfactory telephone conversation with his agent in Duluth at the moment when the door of his private room opened and his daughter en-

He hung the receiver on its hook and was pushing the bracketed tele

with Raymer, on the desk. "There is your notice to quit," she said calmly. "You threw me down and gave me the double-cross the other day, and now I've come back at you."

Another man might have hastened found his box of cigars, and had leis of speed. Johnson, the paying fat black monstrosities. When he tore print fell out, and he studied it carefully for many seconds before he read | young iron-molder. the accompanying documents. For a lito, I reckon I'll be going," he said, the time after he had tossed the papers aside there was a silence that bit. Then he said, slowly:

"So that's your raise, is it? Where does the game stand, right now?" "You stand to lose."

Again the biting silence; and then: "You don't think I'm fool enough to bffin's hurried departure, Miss give you back your ammunition so on drove by quietar thorough that you can use it on me, de you?"

"Those papers and that picture are

stripped her of all that was womanly, the trouble flood was abating. The crowd let the trap pass without pouring out upon her a flood of foul

"Calling me bad names doesn't "May I come in?" she asked; and change anything," she pointed out, and when he fairly bubbled over in the ef- her tone reflected something of his fort to make her understand how wel- own elemental contempt for the eu- become of him. come she was: "No; I mustn't sit phemisms. "You have five hours in down, because if I do, I shall stay too which to make Mr. Raymer under- to be settled?" long-and this is a business call. stand that you have stopped trying to smash him. Wouldn't it be better to through his hair as one still puzzled "He went up town a little while ago, begin on that? You can curse me out and bewildered. "Some sort of a mir-

mud-volcano manifestation of it, talk over terms of surrender. It of trouble, haven't you?" she said, passed as suddenly as it had broken seems that the whole thing was the out. Swinging heavily in his chair he result of a-of a mistake." took up the papers again, reread them thoughtfully, and then swung slowly to face the situation.

"Let's see what you want-show up

your hand." ered the remedy and I've brought it your backing from behind this labor stand it. How did you work the mirfrom the inside pocket of her driving with his men on a basis of good-will

"Is that all?" "No. You must cancel this pineland deal. You have broken bread toss of the pretty head. "What dif-

Grierson's shaggy brows met in a reflective frown, and when he spoke the bestial temper was rising again. "When this is all over, and you've gone to live with Raymer, I'll kill him,"

going then, but he got before her and he said, with an outthrust of the hard jaw; adding: "You know me, Madge." "I thought I did," was the swift retort. "But it was a mistake. And as for taking it out on Mr. Raymer, you'd better wait until I go 'to live with him,' as you put it. Besides, this isn't Yellow

Dog gulch. They hang people here." "You little she-devil! If you push me into this thing, you'd better get Raymer, or somebody, to take you in.

You'll be out in the street!" "I have thought of that, too," she said, coolly; "about quitting you. I'm sick of it all—the getting and the spending and the crookedness. I'd put the money-yours and mine-in a pile and set fire to it, if some decent man would give me a calico dress and a chance to cook for two.' "Raymer, for instance?" the father

cut in, in heavy mockery. "Mr. Raymer has asked me to marry him, if you care to know," she

struck back "Oho! So that's the milk in the cocoanut, is it? You sold me out to

"You may put it that way, if you like; I don't care." She was drawing are out of the deep water and in a "Heavens, Margery! Don't make a on her driving gloves methodically place where you can wade ashore?" joke of it!" he burst out. "Can't you and working the fingers into place. You can wade ashore now, can't you? see that I mean it? Girl, girl, I want and there were sullen fires in the

brooding eyes. one—the book writer," said the father. and handed her a letter to which was Then, without warning: "He's a pinned a telegram less than an hour

The daughter went on smoothing the wrinkles out of the fingers of her gloves. "What makes you think so?" she inquired, with indifference, real or

straight. I've been keeping cases on smaller plotter returned the corre-

suppose that is enough to make you she had dared hope. ten minutes before three o'clock this Then, mimicking him as a spoiled afternoon I shall go back to Mr. Raysibly learn to-think of you-in that are straightening themselves out, I'll

"You'll bring 'em here to me?" "Some day; after I'm sure that you And with that spiteful thrust she left have broken off the deal with Mr. Galbraith."

Jasper Grierson let his daughter get as far as the door before he stopped her with a blunt-pointed arrow of contempt.

"I suppose you've fixed it up to in the act of concluding a long and ap marry that college-sharp dub so that his mother and sister can rub it into you right?" he sneered.

"You can suppose again," she returned, shortly. "If I should marry him, it would be out of pure spite to those women. Because, when he asked me, I told him No. You weren't counting on that, were you?" And having fired this final shot of contradiction she departed.

After Miss Grierson had driven home from the bank between ten and eleven in the morning, an admiring public saw her no more until just its walls your life is not worth twelve before bank-closing hours in the afternoon. As she passed in the basket to meet the crisis. But the gray wolf phaeton between half-past two and was of a different mettle. He let the three through the overcrossing suburb envelope lie untouched urtil after he there were signs of an armistice aphad pulled out a drawer to the desk, parent, even before the battlefield was ards of existence had not changed for reached. Pottery Flat was populated a century. ce more Broffin was thinking in surely selected and lighted one of the again, and the groups of men bunched on the street corners arguing peacewas next in rank to the cashier. the envelope across, the photographic fully. Miss Grierson pulled up at one spoiled darling of an intricate organiof the corners and beckoned to a

"Anything new, Malcolm?" she

"You bet your sweet life!" said the

young molder, meeting her, as most men did, on a plane of perfect equality and frankness. "We was hoodooed to can be expected and required to keep beat the band, and Mr. Raymer's got their playthin a in the tent when the us, comin' and goin'. There wasn't no are told that it is their exclusive orders from the big federation, at all; playroom and that they must confis and that crooked guy, Clancy, was a

"He'd better be. If he shows him self 'round here again, there's goin'

Miss Grierson drove on, and at the iron works there were more of the peaceful indications. The gates were open, and a switching engine from the load of furnace coal. By all the signs

Raymer saw her when she drove

"You are still alone?" she asked. "Yes; Griswold hasn't shown up since morning. I don't know what has

"And the labor trouble, is that going

He looked away and ran his fingers acle has been wrought," he said. "A Jasper Grierson's rage fit, or the little while ago a committee came to

"Yes," she returned quietly, "it was just that-a mistake." And then: "You are going to take them back?"

"Certainly. The plant will start up again in the morning." Then his cu "I have shown it. Take the prop of riosity broke bounds. "I can't under-

"Perhaps I didn't work it." "I know well enough you did, in

some way." She dismissed the matter with



"You Can Wade Ashore Now, Can't You?"

He nodded. "This morning I should have said that we couldn't: but "I've been thinking it was the other now-" he reached over to his desk

She read the letter first. It was curt announcement of the withdrawal of the Pineboro railroad's repair work. The telegram was still briefer: "Disregard my letter of yesterday;" this, "He's got too much money to be and the signature, "Atherton." The spondence with a little sigh of relief. "Never mind Mr. Griswold," she in- It had been worse than she had terposed. "He is my friend, and I thought, and it was now better than

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#### THANK YOU

I also want to take advantage of this opportunity to express my thanks to the good people of Hedley for the liberal patronage accorded me since I started in business here. I appreciate your business and your friendship very much.

## T.M. Little

#### Locals

\* \* \* Gall Cure at Kendall's.

Little Jaynes Cloniger is on be sick list this week.

Lots of cigars at the Hedley Drug Co.

Miss Olga Marsalis is spending the week with Miss Lois Cox.

Have a fit with Clarke, the Tailor, who knows how.

Mrs. Ida Parr of Memphis is

visiting in the A. L. Allen home

Best eight inch Cotton Hoes at Kendall's. 60 cents.

this week.

C. W. Lane went to Memphis

Get your creams, face powder, powder (big can for 25c), Hedley Drug Co.

removed from his eye.

Mrs. Roy Lane and children are spending the week with her parents in Windy Valley.

#### DELCO-LIGHT

burnet, is here spending the office while here. week with her brother, S. C. Richerson.

Herman Horschler and D. C. reported seriously ill at his home Moore visited in Amarillo Sun

Jar Rubbers at Kendall's.

Miss Sallie Page of Tolbert is here visiting her sister, Mrs. R.

Get toilet articles from the Hedley Drug Store

W. Nippert attended to business in Lelia Lake and vicinity last Saturday.

same old stand in the same old she will visit awhile. Caraway Co.

was a visitor in Hedley Wednesday afternoon.

All those who have not paid will please do so at once, as the and are visiting her parents, Mr secretary and treasurer have a and Mrs. R. H. Jones. Tuesday to have a piece of steel living to make and haven't time to see each one personally.

J. C. Wells, Sec.

Miss Maude Crowder, of Tolbert is here visiting in the R. E Newman home.

Sporting goods, such as base ball, tennis etc., at the Hedley Drug Co.

W. B. Ayers was in Hedley Wednesday from his ranch a few miles out of town. He was a Mrs. Geo. Holcomb of Burk. pleasant caller at the Informer

A. W. Read, the well known Memphis Commercial Club sec Zeb Moore, J. M. Whittington, retary and good roads man, is

The Informer, \$1.00 per year, atives.

Mrs. Josie McBride, Private Nursing.

ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. sham. R. H. Jones, this week.

Clarke, the Tailor.

Mrs. Homer Bridges left Mon-We are doing business at the day night for East Texas, where

When in need of drugs, toilet George Taylor of Clarendon articles, cigars, tobacco, candy, Dalhart, are here visiting rel stationery, cold drinks, call at atives and friends this week. Hedley Drug Store.

their Red Cross subscriptions of Dallas came in Sunday night Williams and wife.

I have the agency for the Chevrolet cars and will be glad to figure with any who wish to buy a good auto.

B. L. Kinsey.

D. M. Ferebee, Clarendon gro cery merchant and mighty good man, was a visitor in Hedley Tuesthis office.

All kinds of Dr. Hess' stock powder and tonics, worm powders, poultry powders and pana ceas, stock dip.

Hedley Drug Co.

Mrs. Annie Porter and Mrs. Adrian Madison, of Amarillo, was here Monday visiting rel

#### FOR SALE

I have a good second hand bug y, two sets of harness, double and single, for sale cheap. I also keep second hand polls and

ing relatives and friends.

Bring your Poultry, Eggs and Butter to R. S. Smith. Highest cash prices. Will be located in anything in the produce line between now and that time.

Editor Joe M. Warren, of the Clarendon News, was an appreciated visitor in the Informer office Tuesday. He was enroute to Mc Knight on a business mission.

Let J. L. Tims and son fill your il barrels and cans from the filling station in front of our

business man and Memphis citi zen, has bought the handsome J. A. Montgomery home in the Hall county capital, furnished, and will occupy same at once.

Candy, Tobacco and Cigars, fresh and fine at Hedley Drug Store.

O. D. Liesburg, S. D. Parks, W. O. Woody and Sam Williams Jr were here from Clarendon last Friday, going on to Memphis. We are indebted to them for a "lift" on the return trip to Clar

Mr, and Mrs. B. T. Lane, of larenden visited their sons and with them to visit a while.

The party who has my slush Mrs. Tom Shelton and child- bucket will please return it at ren of Fort Worth are here visit- once, as I need it. A. W. Wor-

Misses Carrie and Leah Dyer Suits made to measure, with Ruth Dorherty, Mr. and Mrs. Clarke the Tailor who knows how. Speed and Carlton Chapman, visited in Clarendon Monday evening.

> A nice lot of jewelry always in stock. Hedley Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Lynn of

Cecil Williams, of Claude, is Mrs. Lyman McCan and baby here visiting his parents, D. W.

> Miss Calloway, of Ft. Worth, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. U. J. Boston, this week.

John Montgomery, popular feast. traveling salesman, was interviewing Hedley grocers Tuesday.

day. He was a pleasant caller at Clarendon from Young County, principal. where they they made an extended visit to relatives and friends

> William Webb Cox and Miss Genebeth Wilborn were married in Amarillo this week. The bride former y lived at Memphis.

> John Lott of Clarendon was in Hedley Tuesday.

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#### SERVICE FOR SOLDIER BOYS

There will be a special service shafts. If interested, see J. for the soldier boys held at the Methodist church next Sunday night. There will be special music. The church will be appro-Miss Dessie McFarland and priately decorated it is hoped Mrs M. O. Barnett, left Sunday that the boys who have volunteernight for Tupelo, Miss., where ed will come in their soldier unithey will spend a few weeks visit form and seated together. Subject of sermon will be: "A Life

> for a Cause.' John Hicks. Pastor

Let J. L. Tims & Son fill your rear of Chas Boles old stand af oil barrels and cans from the ter July 15th, but will handle filling station in front of our

#### LELIA LAKE BOY IN VIRGINIA CAMP

Paul Dunkle, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Dunkle of Lelia Lake, has left the officers training camp at Leon Springs and is now in the officers training camp of the coast artillery at Fortress Monroe, Virginia. He is well pleased with his duties, though they are arduous, and will make an ideal soldier and officer. He's Dr. J. F. Tomlinson, Hedley built that way, and "fattens on obstacles."

> Commissioner J. G. McDougal attended to business in Clarendon Monday

Tohn Caraway was a business visitor in Clarendon Monday.

Miss Myrtle Reeves was visitor in Clarendon the past

Misses Mae and Alice Johnson of Hedley spent Sunday in Clarendon visiting their sister, Miss on Dry Goods and Shoes will Lelia Johnson. - Clarendon News

We notice in the papers that families, J. W. and C. W., Sun the time limit for registering day. Flora Lane returned home autos in Texas has been extended from July 1 to 15.

> County Surveyor Jack Killough was here from Clarendon Jast Saturday on official business.

Talma L Smith came down from Clarendon last Saturday to spend the day with his sister, Mrs J B. LeCompte.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells moved in the R. H. Jones house

in East Hedley, the first part of

The Informer, \$1.00 per year.

Miss Johnita Wright, came in Sunday morning to be with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright during their month stay.

Citizens of Claude are planning to pull off a big picnic Aug. 9th Among other things, they will prepare twelve beeves and ten sheep for a monster barbecue

Prof. C C. Minetra of Miles has been elected superintendent A. B. Long and family were in of Claude public schools, and Hedley last week, en route to Prof. Gerreald of Goodnight is

## THE DIXIE'S

## Three Big Grocery Days: Friday, Saturday, Monday

#### Our Last Days to Sell You Groceries

If you don't take advantage of this chance and save some money, it is your fault. We guarantee you \$1 to \$2 on a bill amounting to \$10.

Belle of Wichita	\$3.00
Nice Cal. Potatoes	DC
Nice Cal, Onions	50
Mexican beans speckled	150
7 cans good corn	1.00
6 cans pink salmon	1 00
6 cans good Cal peaches	1.00
1 gal. can apples	350
7 cans good tomatoes	
8 lb. nice peaches	
5 lb. good coffee	100
6 cans nice peas	1 00
6 bars best white soap	250
6 washing powder	
1 doz nice lemons	
2 cans Texas blackberries	
3 cans Pork and Beans	
1 large pkg. crackers	
Large can Coopers Best cof	

5c reduction on all one pound sale of Tobaccos

Many other things to offer you the same way. Hundreds of dollars have been spent for nice fresh goods to help out this sale. Many have profited by it You should buy a month's supplies.

#### Our July Clearance Sale

continue another week.

Monday last day on Groceries.

#### O. N. Stallsworth

L. L. Amason, N. C. Duggins and Lester Muncie were visitors in Clarendon Monday, going up on business. They are due our thanks for a seat in their auto on the return trip.

#### FRESH MEAT

Beginning next Saturday, July 14th, I will be here every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday with nice fresh meat for sale. Delivered at your home. See me. M. W. Mosely.

Sam Williams Jr. was in Hedley a couple of days this week, going up to Clarendon Wednesday evening.

#### SCIENTIFIC MASSEUR

Scientific masseuring has help ed many of the best citizens of this town and community and it may be just what will help We would be pleased to talk the matter over with anyone who may wish to have our services

I am not a surgeon nor a phy sician, but if you want scientific masseuring, call and see me. Dr. H. S. Dowda,

Scientific Masseur. Clarendoo, Texas.

V.O. Cooke and Miss May Absher, popular McLean young people, were united in marriage one day last week.

DR. G. S. JACKSON Graduate VETERINARIAN Professional Calls Answered Promptly

Clarendon, lexas.