

"Building a City Where a City Belongs"

# THE SUDAN NEWS

Sudan's Slogan: "Boost or Move"

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## SPOILED EGG GRAFTERS BILKING MERCHANTS

## PAVING MOVEMENT SEEMS GAINING MOMENTUM DAILY

## TRAFFIC LAW MAKES STREET SIGNALS NECESSARY

### Paving Is Now On the Program of Sudan

Some Indians in Oklahoma were making preparations to move to a southern climate for the winter. Said one: "Let us go westward, and then south, for we will find more water for our stock."

Said another: "Let us go by Sudan for they always have plenty of water in the streets."

So they came by Sudan.

All of which brings home the acute fact that we need paving—and need it badly, both street and sidewalk. All the new residences which are being built in the residence section incorporate pavement in their building program, but our contention is the business section.

We have one class of men with us to the end—the car owners. They believe in pavements like the Indian does in Mataha, and that is some.

We leave it to you about sidewalks.

Sudan has now reached an era in her progress when the demand for paving in streets and sidewalks is getting acute as a city problem. Main Street needs it badly, as well as some of the residence district. Pavement does away with dust and germs, to say nothing of the fractures to a man's religion and his attire when he steps ankle deep in a mud hole on a dark night.

There is a movement gaining momentum daily to pave Sudan completely within the city limits, and The News is for the issue for all time. It costs little, when benefits are considered, and why can not Sudan, "The Queen of the Plains," be the foremost city in pavements throughout the limits of the city.

Why not every street a thoroughfare, instead of every street a mud gully?

Why? we ask.

W. H. Horn, a prosperous agriculturist who resides south of Sudan, was a visitor in the city Tuesday. Mr. Horn is one of Lamb County's foremost specialists in diversified farming, having on his expansive acres milk cows, chickens and turkeys, and raises the necessary feed as well as high-grade wheat. He says he always is enabled to find a first-class market for his produce because he raises high class stuff, and there is always a demand for this grade of farm product. He and Mrs. Horn enjoy their Sudan News each issue, and remarked, "It would be difficult to keep house without The Sudan News."

### Mr. Duffele Writes What He Thinks Of The News Now

Beverly, Ala.  
Dec. 1, 1928.

Sudan News,  
Sudan, Texas.

Gentlemen:

I have just finished reading the recent issue of your paper. It is a good one, full of good articles, and you pour it on where it does the most good.

That article by Carpenter was a good one and I enjoyed the ideas he conveyed; but what makes me read slowly so as to get the gist, is the school news. That's a new feature in a paper, and I have never seen it done before.

Your paper is good. Keep up the good work, and when I owe you for my subscription notify me promptly, for I must not miss an issue, and back comes my check.

May Sudan and The News and the schools and all grow and prosper.

Yours sincerely,  
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### LIST OF IMMORTALS

Our old friend, W. F. Lynch, a high-grade agriculturist, who lives close by Sudan and one of the "Boost" crew, was in this week and left a perfectly good check for his subscription. W. F. is our old friend, tried and true blue, and will admit that they are a rare bird. He is one of those rare specimens of humanity who digest an article thoroughly before they speak. He was loud in his praise of our article in last week's News concerning buying at home, and among other things said: "I went down town to get a hat for my daughter and a coat for my wife. I examined the local stocks and could find no hat to fit or a coat either. I was forced to go to Lubbock." He pleaded guilty, but we are with him to the bitter end for HE EXAMINED THE LOCAL STOCKS FIRST.

That is The News' contention—examine the local stocks first, then, and only then—journey on to Lubbock or some other foreign port, if the local merchant cannot satisfy you. But, please, give the Sudan merchant first inning.

Among other things that Mr. Lynch does other than raising a high standard of farm stock, is to use his head in his farming methods, and The News believes that is the key to it's old friend's success.

He will enjoy The News a long, long time for the subscription he paid.

H. D. Smith, you all know Mr. Smith, because he is in the forefront of standard White Leghorn breeders of Lamb County, he it was who entered the office with his genial smile and said: "Put me on for good. Your paper is well worth the money." Now, that was a nice, home-made remark, and it put new vim and vigor into the editor, and made him feel that with such assistance he could successfully combat the ravages of the shrinks and the deducts.

Our friend Smith lives south of Sudan on the Furneaux place, and has specialized in White Leghorns until he is an authority on their breeding. Mr. Smith is an example of what a man can do who has pluck and persistency. He has constructed one of the leading poultry farms of Lamb County, and is the enjoyer of a comfortable income from these mortgage lifters.

We appreciate Mr. Smith's visit and know that he will receive full value for the money he paid—unless the shrinks and the deducts get us first.

### The Shrink and the Deducts Ravage An Agriculturist Friend

A farmer came to town with a load of cotton. He took it to the gin and they ginned it. He yanked it up on the street and a cotton buyer gave a check for it. He took the check to the bank and was paid the money. He took the money home. His wife took half for the family grub bill, the son took a payment on his high-powered car, the daughter took enough for a new outfit, including silk undies.

The farmer took a hatchet and knocked his ear down. Next day we saw the farmer in town. We asked after his prosperity and good health. "Pretty well, physically, slightly indisposed mentally, loafing generally, and noncompoop financially," he replied.

"But your cotton crop," we inquired, startled, "you haven't gotten it all in yet, have you?"

"No, and I never will. The deducts and the shrinks have got me," he replied rather sadly. "You see," he continued when we looked querulous, "the deducts his me at the gin. The ginners deducted his ginning fee, the cotton buyer deducted his commission, the banker deducted his mortgage money, the family deducted their needs, and now I've shrunk up so my new suit does not fit and I have no other clothes, and I'm trying to find somebody to buy me a dinner and a coke to take up my shrinkage and deduct this brown taste from my mouth. You see these deducts, plus the shrinkage, are worse than the boll weevil, pink boll and army worm combined."

We bought the dinner and the coke as we deducted \$2.00 for a year's subscription to The News.

Oh, it's worse than that!

### PEDDLING SPOILED EGGS IS THE LOWEST BRAND OF THIEVERY BECAUSE IT WORKS ON THE BUYERS' CONFIDENCE

The man who markets spoiled eggs, intentionally, as has been done in Sudan recently, is the lowest type of thief.

The past few days, Sudan and its merchants have been the victims of unscrupulous spoiled egg peddlers, who, owing to the high price of that fruit just at present, are flooding the local stores and residences with spoiled eggs, some of which are of the vintage of at least 1927.

The methods of the peddlers are unique and modern, and savor of a "master mind."

The eggs are polished clean, and are attractively packed in cotton seed, and are offered to the merchants in trade or for cash, the easier way of disposal being always acceptable to the seller. At the residences it is cash in hand, the price being the bait.

Thousands of dozens of these bad eggs have been unloaded on Sudanites, at a low price, and a majority of the fruit is so old that it contains objectionable and unmentionable matter, savoring of a setting or of a year old nest egg.

The federal as well as the state laws place a heavy penalty on the seller of ruined eggs, and The News is in the mood to publish a list of names just at present, and will unless this nefarious imposition is abandoned at once.

No lower class of thievery was ever perpetrated upon an unsuspecting public than bad egg selling, intentionally. Its the lowest type of robbery, for it abuses the confidence of the purchase.

Merchants and others may protect themselves by testing the eggs offered them in a brine solution. All the eggs which float are stale and vice versa.

It will pay merchants as well as housewives to test all eggs before paying for them, and if found to be worthless, ring up the officer.

Protect yourself, the public and put an end to this nefarious practice.

### News Offers Prizes To School Kiddies For Their Efforts

The News wishes some assistance from the school kiddies, but it wishes to repay the lucky winner, so that he or she will have some nice Christmas cash.

This is the reason:

The News wants some real information regarding the new city motto, "Boost or Move."

For the best essay on this text—"Boost or Move,"—The News will pay \$3.00, cash in hand; for the second best, \$1.50; for the third best, 50c.

Rules

High School students barred. All other pupils eligible. Confine essay to 200 words. Use one side of paper only. Write with ink.

Contest ends Saturday week, and money will be paid promptly when judges declare winners. Bring all compositions to The Sudan News office, Sudan, Texas.

Subject

"Boost or Move."

The News wants some good reasons, and wants the kiddies to pour it on strong. Every letter will be published.

### News Renders Service To Advertiser And Receives Flowers

The News always strives to render service to its patrons. That is a conceded fact—but it is a rarity, scarcer than antediluvian guitars, when anybody ever gives it credit.

However, that progressive firm of Lumbermen, who are doing their part in making a city out of Sudan, appreciate a trivial co-incidence in the day's work, it puffs The News up with conceit—yes, pure conceit—not false, but sincere, and we take particular pride in publishing the following explanatory letter:

Sudan News,  
Sudan, Texas.

Gentlemen:

Thanks for the special Thanksgiving ad that you wrote for us in your Thanksgiving issue. As we were so busy and neglected it we are very grateful that you were kind enough to do it for us.

Best wishes for your success.  
Higginbotham-Bartlett Co.,  
By The Boys.

### W. O. Byerly Tells Us He Has Three Match Teams With Weight

W. O. Byerly, one of the fine stock fanciers and specialists of the Sudan territory, was in to see us Saturday, and had a nice order of butter wrappers printed. W. O. is now branching out in the dairy business and is manufacturing butter that is of as high grade as his other dairy products.

Besides this he says he has the finest matched teams in Lamb County. He has six head of horses, all blacks, perfectly matched with an aggregate weight of 7,500 lbs. That's a real rarity, and we are prone to congratulate our good friend on his prowess as a selector of fine stock. Thanks, W. O., and may you enjoy perusing The News with the same intensity of joy as we do sending it to you.

V. C. Nelson attended to business matters in Amarillo Tuesday, and reports everything progressing in that city.

The News likes to chronicle the transpirations in the building sections of the city. It is pleased to announce that Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Miller are building an addition to their cozy residence, and which will include a modern bath room.

### PATIENT IMPROVING

Reports to The Sudan News regarding the condition of Mrs. C. L. McKinley, who was operated on last week, are very encouraging.

The lady has recovered sufficiently to permit of her being removed to the Watson Boarding House, 1304 Avenue L. Lubbock, which was done Monday. Her host of friends who visit Lubbock will find her at the above address. Mr. McKinley states to the editor that it would probably be three weeks before she could be moved to her home in Sudan, but that she is recovering rapidly.

Muddy streets make muddy dispositions which is unSudan like.

### Postmaster Slate Wants Public To Give Him A Chance To Give Service On Your Christmas Mail—"Slow-Drags" Ruin Him

The "Slow-Drags" are causing all the trouble, it appears.

Every year, at this time, the "Slow-Drags" get in their malicious actions, and cause all the trouble in the local postoffice, according to Postmaster L. E. Slate.

You who have in mind the sending of Christmas remembrances to the old folks in the hills of Old Kentucky or the Plains of the Dakotas, will do well to rush your Christmas cards in RIGHT NOW, otherwise, when December 15th arrives and you are still delinquent, you will be classed as a "Slow-Drags," and that is worse than being worse.

Pity the poor post office employees, who have to do their work irrespective of season or length of time, for the rule of Uncle Sam's mail service is, "The mail must go on."

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### Ordinance Makes the Stop Signal Necessary

The traffic ordinance recently passed and now in full force and effect, and which has done much to curb the reckless driving within the city limits, is faulty in one way, and that is that no action has as yet been taken to place signals on the streets.

While a stop signal doesn't always stop, still it gives the local police a lever for prying the doors of the local jail open and filling it up; the absence of signals is an alibi.

The News still stands for the traffic law, every word and letter, but it is bound to mention the fact of the absence of signals and advocate the placing of them immediately.

This matter should receive immediate attention of the Commission, and thereafter the law should be rigorously enforced.

### BOX SUPPER

You all know what fun you can have at an old-fashioned Box Supper like the one that will be held at Jane's Tabernacle, 10 miles due south, next Friday, December 7, at 7:30 p. m. Those ladies who prefer not to be bothered with the fixing of a box can purchase one already packed with goodies at the scene of the supper at a nominal charge. The proceeds of the affair will be devoted to lower the indebtedness on a piano which has recently been installed, according to our good friend B. O. Byerly, who extends a cordial and urgent invitation from the Janes Tabernacle folks for everybody to attend.

### W. A. Locker, a properous and well known resident of Bula community, was a pleasant and appreciated caller at The News office Saturday. Mr. Locker is planning on a bigger farming year the ensuing year, and has some real good ideas anent his crop planting. We are always happy to know of our good friend's prosperity.

### THE LIARS' CLUB

Over the hill trailed a man behind a mule, drawing a "Dixie" plow. The clodhopper was "broadcasting."

"Bill, you are a mule, the son of a jackass, and I am a man, made in the image of God. Yet, here we work, hitched together year in and year out. I often wonder if you work for me or I for you. Sometimes I think this a partnership between a mule and a fool. For I surely work harder than you do. Poking here we cover the same distance, but you do it on four legs and I on two. So, mathematically speaking, I do twice as much as you do."

"Soon we'll be preparing for a corn crop. When the crop is harvested I give one-third to the landlord for being kind enough to let me use this corner of God's universe. The other third goes to you and what is left is my share. But while you consume all your third with the exception of a few obs, I divide my share among seven children—six hens, two ducks and a banker. Bill, you are getting the best of me; it isn't fair for a mule, the son of a jackass, to rob a man, lord of creation, of his substance. And come to think of it you only help to cultivate the ground. After that I cut, shock, and husk it, while you look at me over the pasture fence and "hee-haw" at me."

"All Fall and part of the Winter, the whole family, from granny on down to the baby, pick cotton to help raise money to buy you a new set of harness, and pay interest on the mortgage on you, and, by the way, what do you care about that mortgage? It does not worry you any. Not a darn bit. You leave that to me, you ungrateful, on-ery cuss."

"About the only time when I am your better is election day, for I can vote and you can't. But if I ever get any more out of politics than you do I can't see where it is."



Mother Appreciates What Milks Emulsion Did for Her Boy

"I am writing you in regard to our son, who is fifteen years old. I want to tell you how we have appreciated what Milks Emulsion has done for him. He hadn't been strong since he was nine years old, when he had whooping cough and scarlet fever at the same time, ending up with Bright's Disease.

"By doctoring with specialists he finally got rid of Bright's Disease, but he was bothered terribly with constipation. The only thing that would give relief was injections of warm water, and finally we used olive oil injections.

"Last August a lady told us to try Milks Emulsion. This we did, and after taking three bottles of Milks Emulsion he hasn't to this day had to have another injection. He goes to school every day, eats his Emulsion right along, and is gaining and doing fine.

"I felt that I must write and tell you what a grand medicine Milks Emulsion is and what it did for our boy, hoping some other boy or girl will know what a great medicine it is. There isn't too much praise I can say for it. Just refer anybody to us." MR. AND MRS. JIM WILLIAMS, Kellerton, Iowa, R. R. No. 3.

Sold by all druggists under a guarantee to give satisfaction or money refunded. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind.—Adv.

Anyway, Adam Bit.

I wonder what kind of apple it was Eve gave Adam?

"I'm not sure, but I'll bet it was a pippin."

STOP THAT ITCHING

Use Blue Star Soap, then apply Blue Star Remedy for Eczema, Itch, Tetter, Ringworm, Poison Oak, Dandruff, children's sores, cracked hands, sore feet and most forms of itching skin disease. It kills germs, stops itching, usually restores the skin to health. Soap, 25c; Blue Star Remedy, \$1.00. Ask your druggist.—Adv.

No popular writer is a genius to his stenographer.

Any Woman Can Look Stylish

By MAE MARTIN



Most stylish-looking women are just "good managers." They know simple ways to make last season's things conform to this season's styles.

Thousands of them have learned how easily they can transform a dress, or blouse, or coat by the quick magic of home tinting or dyeing. Anyone can do this successfully with true, fadeless Diamond Dyes. The "know-how" is in the eyes. They don't streak or spot like inferior dyes. New, fashionable tints appear like magic right over the out-of-style or faded colors. Only Diamond Dyes produce perfect results. Insist on them and save disappointment.

My new 64-page illustrated book, "Color Craft," gives hundreds of money-saving hints for renewing clothes and draperies. It's Free. Write for it now, to Mae Martin, Dept. E-143, Diamond Dyes, Burlington, Vermont.

Wireless Appeal Wins.

More than \$100,000 has been received by the London hospital authorities as the result of Lord Knutsford's wireless appeal, lasting only a few minutes.

There is nothing more satisfactory after a day of hard work than a line full of snowy-white clothes. For such results use Red Cross Ball Blue.—Adv.

In the cafeteria of life only the best of everything comes to the man who waits on himself.

Cultivating the will power is like building a dam that is always in danger of giving way.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

Makes the Body Strong. Makes the Blood Rich. It restores Energy and Vitality by creating new, healthy blood and fortifies the system against Malaria and Chills. Pleasant to take. 60c.

Constipated?

Take NR—NATURE'S REMEDY—tonight. Your eliminative organs will be functioning properly by morning and your constipation will end with a bowel action as free and easy as nature at her best—no pain, no griping. Try it.

Mild, safe, purely vegetable—



At Druggists—only 25c

DINSMORE'S FOLLY

By Crittenden Marriott Illustrations by Irwin Myers Copyright WNU Service

SYNOPSIS

That her grandfather left her the architectural monstrosity known as "Dinsmore's Folly" is, for esthetic reasons, by no means pleasing to Ethel Dinsmore, modern "dapper." She would refuse the bequest, but her father will not allow it. Edith visits the place, Perkins, the caretaker, is the victim of a matrimonial mishap, his wife having left him. Fred James, newspaper reporter, comes. Mr. Paul, Dinsmore's right-handed man, proposes to Edith and is rejected. He takes the rejection in a melodramatic manner. Edith sees a connection between Perkins' runaway wife and Mr. Paul. Riding with Fred James, Edith's horse bolts. The runaway is stopped by a stranger who does not give his name. Edith hereafter calls him M. P. (My Preserver). With her sister, Josephine, and Fred James, Edith attends a prize fight. Police raid the place. The girl is saved from the indignity of arrest by the same man who had stopped her runaway horse. She learns his name is Braxton, and allows him to think she is a poor relation of the Dinsmores. Telling her father she is in love with Fred James, the old gentleman arranges for Josephine and Edith to take a trip to Japan, with their Aunt Candice. On the pier, as the ship is about to sail, the girls hear newsboys calling "All About the Dinsmore Indictment." Excited, they allow the vessel to sail without them, but with Aunt Candice.

CHAPTER IV—Continued

My first idea, of course, was to go to Father's office. But on the way I changed my mind. We wouldn't find Father there, of course; and we would find shoals of reporters who would probably make a headline of us: "Darling daughters dart to the defense of their dad," or something of that sort, that would make Father mad. Father hated the newspapers, except when he wanted to use them. All we could do at the office would be to find out where Father had been taken; and we could, or so I thought, find that out just as well over the telephone. So I leaned forward and told the chauffeur to take us home.

Josephine looked up at this. Along about Thirty-fourth street she began to sniffle softly behind her veil, and I thought she had ceased to pay attention to anything. But my changing the orders roused her.

"Aren't we going to the jail?" she asked.

"The jail? Of course not," I exclaimed. "Why, Josephine Dinsmore! You know perfectly well that Father wouldn't stand for our coming to the jail. I never dreamed of going there. Besides, we don't know where the jail is—"

Josephine glanced around. "Can't we ask somebody?" she faltered. "The chauffeur looks as if he ought to know—"

"Shh. Don't let him hear. Do you want to get into Town Tattle? Besides, it doesn't matter. It would never do for us to go to jail. I did mean to go to the office, but I've thought it over, and I'm sure we'd better go home and telephone for me."

Josephine considered this for a moment. Then she brightened. We can send Father a bundle of underclothes and things and—

I bit my lips to keep from screaming. "Underclothes?" I gasped. "Underclothes. You talk of underclothes at a time like this. You—Stop the car—quick." I leaned forward and caught the chauffeur's arm. "We want to get out here."

Of course I oughtn't to have caught his arm! I know that perfectly well. But I wanted to get out and I didn't have time to think up any other way to stop him. And he needn't have gotten so mad. He didn't run into anybody. He came near it, of course; but a miss is as good as a mile. I don't think our chauffeur could have been very brave, for he turned quite white and didn't speak for a minute—not till he had brought the car up to the curb. "Get out!" he grated.

"What?" "Get out! You wanted to get out, didn't you? Well, then, get! And thank your stars you don't have to be carried."

"You—you—you—" I spluttered. I was so mad I couldn't talk. So I got instead.

Josephine followed more slowly. She handed the man a banknote. "I'm sorry," she said.

The man took the money. "Thank you, miss," he said. "No harm done after all. But if you'll excuse me saying so, you'd better keep an eye on the other young lady, Miss." He started before I could find my voice. And he didn't give Josephine any change.

Josephine seemed to understand how I felt, for she caught my arm hurriedly. "We came very fast, didn't we?" she asked. "But why did you stop a block from home, Edith?"

The question brought me back to earth. "Good gracious!" I exclaimed. "Can't you see? . . . Look?" I pointed.

A block away, in front of our house, the street was black with people. "Our dear neighbors have read the papers," I went on, "and have come to stare. I knew they would. Maybe we can get in without being noticed—much. We couldn't have if we'd arrived in a taxi."

Josephine looked at me, admiringly. I thought "I never would have thought of that," she murmured. "We were close in the house now and could see the people who were waiting. They did not look like neigh-

bors, unless neighbors include everybody in New York. They seemed angry, too. I dropped my veil and motioned to Josephine to do the same. "I don't know one of them," I whispered. "But some of them may know us."

Decidedly, the waiting people were angry—very angry. They were humming like bees. I could not understand it at first. "What the matter?" I asked a woman in a shawl who stood waiting.

She glared at me. "What's the matter?" she echoed. "What's the matter, is it? It's ruin and destruction, that's the matter, so it is. That thafe of the world Dinsmore has stolen every cent I had laid up for me old age, that's what's the matter."

"Mr. Dinsmore? Stolen? It's not true," I gasped.

"Not true, is it? It's me that wishes to God it wasn't true! He's stolen all me savings and run away with them." She thrust a newspaper beneath my nose.

It was another and apparently a later paper than the one I had bought on the steamer. That had been chiefly headlines and text that repeated the headlines; this I saw at a glance contained columns of detail. I snatched it from the woman's hands and ran my eye down it.

It was awful. The paper seemed to have thrown restraint to the winds. According to it, Father had done everything—wrecked railroads, robbed banks, gambled in stocks, ruined thousands of widows and children—and had then disappeared. But he would be found soon; the railroads and ferries were all watched and—

I read no more. At least Father wasn't in jail. I turned on the woman. "I don't believe a word of it," I cried. "Father—"

Josephine clutched my arm abruptly and I stopped. It was the first time in all her life that Josephine had done anything abruptly; and I stopped and turned to see what was the matter. I thought that perhaps she had seen Father approaching. I couldn't imagine her clutching me for any less startling cause.

"What's the matter?" I gasped. Josephine hesitated. "Don't you think—Don't you think—" she began. "That—that—"

I didn't know what she meant. But the woman was speaking and I turned back to her. "Father—" I began again.

But she did not allow me to finish. "An' what does your father know?" she broke in. "It is himself that knows more than the grand jury that indicted Dinsmore? It is himself that knows where Dinsmore got the money to build the fohne house yonder?" for himself and his two daughters? The hussies! It's tearing their clothes off'n their backs I'd like to be, so I would. I'd—"

"You—you," I spluttered. And again Josephine clutched my arm.

I knew what she meant now, but was too furious to listen. No one could call Father names in my presence without my speaking up. "You—you—" I raved. "You—"

"Whist!" The Irishwoman turned away. "Yonder they come. An' I hope they've got him." She turned toward the house.

My eyes followed hers, and for the first time that morning I really looked at the house. Then I gasped. I scarcely recognized it. The upper windows were all blanked by blinds that were pulled down to the very bottom; and the lower windows and the door were hidden behind the flat wooden frames that we always put up when we went away from town in the summer. Father had said nothing about putting them up; he had let us think that he was going to live at home while we were gone. And he must have set the servants to work on them as soon as we started for the boat.

But at the moment I had no time to think of that. The small door in the big entrance frame was open, and through it three men were coming. Two were policemen, and one was—was—Thank Heaven, it wasn't Father! It was Harker, the caretaker who always lived in the house while we were away. He peered out and then dodged back and closed the door.

The two policemen came down to the pavement and to the patrol wagon that was waiting at the curb. As the

Motto All Right, but Staff Went Too Far

Samuel Grindstone was a hustler of the modern school. He believed in the gospel of speeding up.

Over every desk in his office he placed a large printed notice, reading: "Do It Now!"

But a week later, with tired fingers and exhausted air, he tore them all down.

"Hello," said a friend, dashing in and seeing the ceremony of destruction. "What's up? Doesn't hustling pay? Going back to the old leisurely methods?"

"Yes, I am," snorted Grindstone. "Hustling doesn't pay. I gave ten cents each for those notices, thinking they'd spur my staff to hard work."

"Well?" "Well, the net result is that they've all acted on the motto. The cashier has bolted with the contents of the safe, my typist has eloped with my youngest son, four juniors came in yesterday to ask for a raise, and the office boy got a better job and has gone off to it."

second one climbed in he turned and spoke to a man who questioned him.

"Now!" he said gruffly. "There won't be nothin' doin'. Dinsmore ain't here; and it's a safe bet he won't be. His daughters have sailed for somewhere; and there's nobody here but a caretaker. There's no use waitin'."

He spoke to the one man, but his big voice boomed over the street so that everybody heard it. Then he jumped into the wagon and it clattered away.

The crowd seemed satisfied, for it began to disperse, drifting away by ones and twos till no one was left except Josephine and me and an officer, whom I had not noticed before, who stood watching at the corner of the alley just beyond the house. As soon as I saw him I guessed that he had been stationed there to arrest or follow anybody who came to the house, and I made up my mind that he should not see Josephine or me. If the papers and the police thought that Josephine and I had sailed for Japan I would not undeceive them. We could hide and wait till Father turned up. Perhaps I—even I—could do something toward clearing away the cloud that rested on Father's name.

I turned to Josephine. "Come!" I said, turning away from the house.

Josephine stared at me. "Come where?" she asked. "Aren't you going home?"

"No!" I said. "We can't." I explained why we couldn't. "We can't go home. We've got to go to Dinsmore's Folly."

Josephine looked so amazed that I did not wait for her to speak. "I don't wonder you're surprised," I said. "But we've got to go there. We've nowhere else to go. Perhaps you've forgotten—I had forgotten, too, and the fact made me a little sarcastic—perhaps you have forgotten that Aunt Candice carried the money and that you and I are nearly busted—unless we go to the office and give ourselves dead away."

Josephine considered this for a moment. "Then," she said, "we can't afford to take a taxi out to Dinsmore."

"That's nothing." I wasn't going to admit that I had forgotten anything. "We don't need any taxi. We'll go in the subway. Come on."

I started and Josephine followed. For three blocks she followed in silence. Then just at the subway entrance she halted. "I've been thinking," she began.

I stopped and faced her. I had great respect for the result of Josephine's thoughts—when she reached them. She was slow but she was sure—often painfully so. "Well?" I questioned.

Josephine opened her big eyes wider. "I believe Father is on board the steamer," she said. "I believe that was why he sent us on her. I believe he expected to meet us on her after she got to sea."

"Good Lord!" My eyes popped wide and my mouth fell open. "If—" But there was no time for "ifs" just then. "Come along," I cried, clutching Josephine's arm. "We'll talk all that over at Dinsmore."

CHAPTER V

"Oh! h—!" said the duchess, who till then had taken no part in the conversation.

Fred says that any story that is a story ought to start with some such expression as the above. I couldn't work anything of the kind in at the beginning of this story. But—if not at the beginning of a story, why not at the beginning of a chapter?

Not that there is any duchess in this chapter or even in this story. But the state of mind that the quotation connotes certainly does portray the feelings of pretty nearly everybody that appears in this chapter and of a lot of people who do not appear. At least, it portrays their feelings a little later when they heard of the events that took place in this chapter. And if eventually, why not now?

Anyway, it goes double for me! Josephine and I started for Dinsmore's Folly on the subway; anon we took a trolley car; some more anon we walked; and finally we arrived, after traveling for two hours without stopping, except for ten minutes that Josephine insisted on spending in a drug store at the end of the subway, while I stood beside a trolley car and begged the conductor not to start till my sister could join me. The conductor wouldn't promise, but he did wait. And then, after Josephine had come, he waited for a good five minutes longer. Brute!

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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POULTRY COMMON WINTER POULTRY ERRORS

In looking over the average poultry house in winter, the most common defects are as follows: Bare, damp floor, upon which the fowls stand and sometimes get rheumatism; broken windows, letting cold air blow upon the roosts or upon the fowls in daytime. Both the above will check laying, and are common causes of roup. Damp droppings left for weeks to heap under the roosts; lack of supply of water, obliging the hens to eat plenty of good, sharp grit, which alone is a sufficient cause of failure; lack of fresh meat and cut bone fed twice a week; overfeeding, overcrowding, and no inducement to scratch for a living. These are the most common and important mistakes, and those who wonder why their hens do not lay, will do well to go over the list.

See that your house is tight, so that on cold windy nights the fowls will not suffer any more than can be helped. A good plan is to keep a barrel in the building, and the coldest nights put in the birds that are liable to have their combs freeze, and cover the barrel. Above all, do not crowd the fowls. During the long winter months, when they cannot exercise out of doors, they will need at least seven or eight feet square per fowl. Scatter some hay around and throw the grain into it. This will make them exercise and will be what they need, and the eggs will hatch better in the spring. Avoid feeding stimulants to fowls you are going to breed from, and do not give them any more food than they will eat up clean. The rest is very apt to be left and become filthy.

Another thing is, pure, fresh water; do not fall in this. You may think snow will answer, but it is not good for poultry and will make them poor. Warm the water on cold days. Fowls are always thirsty, and a great deal of roup is brought on by allowing them to drink impure water.

Breeders Retain About Half of Old Chickens

According to a study of the Missouri demonstration farm flocks, the farmers retained 55 per cent of their hens from one year to the next. Breeders of light breeds retained 58.4 per cent as compared to 52 per cent for the breeders of heavy breeds. It is thus seen that nearly one-half of the flock is replaced by pullets. This is good management practice, for early developed pullets will lay more eggs, especially during the winter periods, than will the old hens. In the case of the light breeds one would probably cut one-half each year. Thus if one starts with a flock of 100 pullets, he will retain 50 as one-year-olds, 25 as two-year-olds, 12 as three-year-olds, and possibly 6 as four-year-olds. This means that with breeds such as Leghorns, one can well retain them regardless of age, so long as they show signs of having been productive in the past. However, with the heavier breeds practically all should be disposed of at the end of the second laying season, and a higher percentage will be removed at the end of the first.

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Variation in Brains.

The brain of man is usually heavier than that of woman, although at birth and at the age of fourteen the female brain is heavier. The average weight of the adult male's brain is about 45 ounces and of the female about 43 1/2 ounces.

Worth Knowing When Winter Cold Comes!

Did you ever hear of a five-hour remedy for colds? There is one, and it really does bring you out of it completely. Even if it's gripe, this method works, only takes longer. Pape's Cold Compound is in tablet form. Pleasant-tasting, but it surely has the "authority!"—Adv.

His Name for It.

"What is your job?" he inquisitively asked the lowly gentleman. "Floor walker in an angel-foundry," he answered. Later we learned that he was watching at a grade crossing.—Life.

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Judge: And what are your grounds for divorce?  
Young Bride: Harry snores.  
Judge: How long have you been married?  
Y. B.: Two weeks.  
Judge: Granted; he shouldn't snore.

Building permits from Snyder have already exceeded the \$300,000 mark up to December 1. The City Council is planning the installation of a sewerage plant.

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### L. J. KING BUILDS BRAND NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP

One of Sudan's true boosters and a friend of The Sudan News who is prospering, is L. J. King, who became a citizen of "The Queen of the Plains" some three years back. To give a visible demonstration of his success while in Sudan, he constructed, recently, a modern five room cottage in which his family and he are now comfortably domiciled.

Mr. King's new blacksmith shop is of new metal, 25x75 feet, and is located one block east of Sudan Auto Supply Company. In connection with this first-class smithy, our friend L. J. has installed his feed grinding business, and is now enabled to do better and faster work for his many patrons.

The Sudan News compliments Mr. King on his success, and hopes he will prosper in the future as he has in the past.

## \$1,500

Buys my equity in 177 acres of land, 2 room house, well. Also two mules, two cows, one brood sow, two wagons, plow tools. Who wants it?—J. D. HENLEY, 7 miles south, 4 west of Sudan. 22-4-tp

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### PATTERSON'S SHOE SHOP

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## SUDAN DRUG

# Shingles

The history of the shingle is interesting. Our first acquaintance with it was when Mother used it. The next, was when we learned how it was hewn by primitives from raw wood with a hand axe, rough and tough and ill formed. This shingle making was considered an art by many. Then machinery revolutionized the art, and in lieu of those hand-hewn, uncouth productions, we have the symmetrical, perfectly dimensioned, uniform product of today, cut by fast and accurate machines from choice wood, closely inspected for flaws, packed in handy bundles for your use. Shingles, today, are as closely chosen by the discriminating builder as his furniture.

Our stock of shingles is complete, and awaits your order, at a moderate price. Also, cement, brick, nails, or anything used in constructing a building, no matter of what dimensions.

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SUDAN, TEXAS

### Miller Wants Song Writer for Radio Set

Is there an Irving Berlin in Sudan?

The search for a budding song genius has been begun here by F. E. Miller, local Atwater Kent dealer. As a stimulant, a first prize of \$100.00 in gold, a second prize of \$50.00 in gold, a third prize of \$25.00 in gold, and twelve additional prizes of \$5.00 in gold each are being offered.

The winner in this contest—which is sponsored by the local Atwater Kent dealer, Radio Station WKY of Oklahoma City, and the Daily Oklahoman—is required to write words to fit a melody which will be broadcast from Station WKY at 7:45 p. m. on the nights of December 3, 5, 8, 10, 12, 15, 17 and 21st.

The winners will be announced on December 25—Christmas night—and the winning words will be sung and broadcast by WKY.

According to Mr. Miller, there are no restrictions as to entering the contest. There is no entry fee. It is not even necessary that the contestant own a radio set. All that is necessary is a talent for writing lyrics suitable to accompany the song melody broadcast by WKY on the above dates. Official entry blanks may be obtained by calling at the store of Mr. Miller, the Atwater Kent dealer.

### J. W. SIMMONS TO PUT IN FIRST-CLASS NURSERY HERE

That Sudan is being recognized as the logical trade center of this territory, is evinced by the removal here from Lubbock of J. W. Simmons with his fine line of nursery stock. Mr. Simmons is well versed in the nursery business, having had years of experience, and all who desire his line of wares will do well to patronize him.

Mr. Simmons incidentally remarked in conversation with The Sudan News editor, that The Sudan News was receiving very favorable comment among people in Lubbock, and that he considered it "a very classy paper." Thanks.

### BAPTISTS HOLD SERVICES

Rev. Matt. Harder, of Crosbyton, preached for the Baptist people, Sunday morning and night, in the Grammar School auditorium. Bro. Harder has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church here, but has not announced whether or not he will accept the call.

### DOMESTIC STUFF

Her Friend: Why don't you ask your husband's advice on the subject?  
Herself: I intend to, as soon as I decide just what I'm going to do.

### THAT QUESTION

George: Why hasn't daddy got much hair?  
Mother: Because he thinks a lot, darling.  
George: Then why have you got so much, mother?  
Mother: (pause) Go on with your breakfast.

### HE IS MARRIED, TOO

Medical Man: Your husband must have absolute quiet. Here is a sleeping draught.  
Patient's Wife: And when do I give it to him?  
You don't give it to him—you take it yourself.

### THAT GUILTY FEELING

Every husband trembles when his wife looks at him closely and says, "I want to talk to you about something."

### WASN'T MISSING ANYTHING

Mrs. Gleason (at seaside concert): She has quite a large repertoire hasn't she?  
Gleason: Yes, and that dress shows it off so well.

### JOKES calleryoJ

### TOO MUCH PROGRESS

Book agent to farmer: You ought to buy an encyclopedia, now your boy is going to school.  
Farmer: Not on your life. Let him walk, the same as I did.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. L. T. Hunt and three daughters, Misses Lillian, Katherine and Margaret, returned from Rule Sunday where they had been visiting relatives.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, of Big Springs, a baby girl on December 2 Mrs. Williams is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Holbert, five miles south of Sudan. Dr. Foote reports both mother and baby getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Black, who reside 12 miles southwest of Sudan, are the proud parents of a baby boy, born on November 24.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Barton, of Baileyboro, announce the birth of a boy on November 29.

Conrod Lam was confined to his room with a severe cold the latter part of last week, but is now convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Miller, of Amarillo, arrived Tuesday for a visit with their son, F. M. Miller and family.

Mrs. F. W. Dent and children, Miss Pauline and Jinks and Miss Mildred Hunt, returned Sunday from Duke, Oklahoma, where they visited with Mrs. Dent's daughter, Mrs. H. H. Vernon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Miller, of Amarillo, spent Tuesday with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Miller, of this city.

W. P. Blake, of Lubbock, an extensive land owner of the Plains country, was in Sudan Saturday, and says that he is well pleased with the result of his recent year's farm work on his farms near Baileyboro, but that his Levelland farms were almost a failure, the worms getting the bulk of his crop. Mr. Blake's many Sudan friends were greeting him continually, and congratulating him on his good health and prosperity.

### PIONEER TELLS OF DAYS IN THE INFANCY OF SUDAN

The Sudan is young, apparently, yet we have our pioneers, as witness Brooks Hale and son, Vic, of Plainview, who are here for a few days' visit to old friends and acquaintances. Mr. Brooks Hale was re-nascent today and told of his school days in Sudan, when all the students were in one large room irrespective of grade. They all recited their lessons in the same quarters, studied and played together, and as Mr. Hale so aptly termed the period, "It was the good old days."

The Hales, father and son, have always had a tender place in their hearts for Sudan, and have made a boasting account of her abroad, which is right and proper.

Sudanites are always happy to greet those who were pioneers in the city's history, and were lavish in their reception of the Hales.

### STILL OPERATING THE MINE

First Gold-Digger: How much is your new sugar daddy worth?  
Second Gold-Digger: I don't know; I haven't got it all yet.

### LOOKING UP

Hokus: That's a great chorus they have in the new show at the Hoity Toighty theatre!  
Pokus: I knew the piece would be a success before the curtain had gone up two feet.

### WILL SOON FLY

Do angels have wings, mother? Yes, they do, dear.  
Then why doesn't nurse fly? I heard daddy call her angel.  
She will fly in the morning, my darling.

### PAST EXPERIENCE

Johnny: I didn't bring an excuse for being absent yesterday because Ma was too busy to write one.  
Teacher: Then why didn't your father write one?  
Johnny: He's no good at making excuses. Ma catches him every time and you're smarter than she is.

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BIBLE THOUGHT

Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them that despitefully use you.—Matt. 5:24.

THE ENCROACHMENT OF THE CHAIN STORE

YOU WHO have kept close touch with the trend of events in the business world during the past few years, are prone to admit that the exit of the local merchant is at hand and the day of the chain store has come. Its an undisputable fact.

All over the world, not especially these United States, the chain store, of every class of merchandising, is encroaching upon the precincts of the local merchant, until it has him with his back to the wall and nearly out of wind, which plainly means his death.

The chain store, with its buying power, consequent reduced prices, same quality wares, is listening to the death rattle of the men who bulidied cities, improved them, and died, leaving nothing behind save a fragrant memory. They are going by hordes from the ranks of commerce, and it is but a matter of a few years until there will be no local merchant, as we know him now, but in his stead will be the huge chain store.

And the local merchant is helpless. He cannot fight back, because people are soaked with the idea of "bargains," and the chain store has them to give away.

The male portion of the race is not to blame for this condition, but the opposite. Homey men have more and more abandoned the buying for their homes and left this task to their wives. The wife is the real and only purchasing agent, for the male is too busy in the rapidly revolving business world, with keen and savage competition, to pay much attention to the home. He is the provider of the wherewith to provide, rather than the real provider.

The only last, final, and staunch lever or weapon which offers to the local merchant is the advertising columns of the local paper. This is his refuge—his last stand—on the battle line of merciless competition, ruthless buying and selling. If he uses this weapon intelligently he will last longer, prosper more, and may finally be enabled to stem the tide that is overwhelming him. This is his last resort. People believe what they read in advertisements, as witness the chain store's crowds today; so it is up to the man who is down to use the same weapon. The News offers the avenue for escape.

"BOOST OR MOVE"

"Boost or Move" is Sudan's slogan and it means what it says. The Hammer Brigade have laid their weapons down and now all you can hear is the sweet harmonic chorus of the carpenters' hammers as they construct new homes, business houses and other civic improvements.

A HINT TO THE WISE—

You boys who want to read \$2.00 worth of The Sudan News for the meager price of only \$1.50 had better get in the middle of the road pretty quickly. Remember The News hoists its price to two smackers soon—and it is worth it.

HOW'S THIS?

"I'd rather be late at the hospital than on time in town," remarked a bus driver when asked to speed up. He was right—supremely so—for the lives of his passengers were in his care and he was wise a "Get There" driver.

The season will soon be here when it will shower misfit socks, nickel handkerchiefs, cow-barn perfume in bottles held aloft by nude nymphs, neckties that a medicine show comedian would revel in, books that tell about Hell, Heaven and High Water or Hiawatha, cigars that would make an Anti-Tobacco preacher out of a snuff chower, and last, but not least, cigarets without a kick in a trainload. But we have this avenue of escape—we can cuss them out loud, for the doner is many miles away, and distance lends silence to the sound. God help the helpless!

The new traffic ordinance has made "Get There" drivers out of a host of these speed merchants. They may never decorate the pages of history; they may never put a nick in the world; they may never even be high-class policemen, but they are imbued with the idea that "Death is so permanent."

When we drive out over this rich, highly cultivated and prolific producing country and gaze upon the beautiful prairies which surround Sudan, we wonder why in the dickens any one would want to leave here, for a foreign port.

String a banner from the Commercial Club across the street in letters two feet high, with the slogan, "Boost or move," painted on it, so that prospective town maulers, as well as those already on hand, can read it and do as they please.

She could not dance Salome; she could out-point Work at bridge; she could name more dressmakers than Worth ever knew; she could drive any make car; she could dance the tango like a tangerine. All lost—she could not cook a biscuit.

Its not the intrinsic value of the Christmas gift, but the spirit in which it is given.

TRADING AT HOME

NEWSPAPERS, prophets, preachers, boosters, individuals and a countless legion of others have preached the Gospel of "Trade At Home" ever since this world was started spinning.

There is a much disputed point as to whom the honor of being the first city builder was, but to us there is no question, for the reason, that the man who went abroad and preached to his neighbors of the benefits of his home town was the first. And another, later, however, by a few years, was the man who placed one stone upon another for the purpose of protecting himself and his kiddies from the elements, was the first town builder, and his name is C. T. Structor. However, with the trend of time and the discovery of police courts, stop signals, lip sticks, bobbed hair, and other contrivances, in other words, as civilization increased in intensity, men have banded together to put their cities on the map, to like Sudan, "Build a City Where a City Belongs." They have given their time and finances freely for constructive purposes. They have been neither sung nor honored for their work, still the result of their effort is apparent on every hand.

Sudan is not unlike other cities. Its work of construction is cut out for it, and the local Business Mens' Association is the medium through which the ideal city will be attained. But you, and you, and your brother, must do your part. You must lift and boost. If you do not like your load or it becomes too heavy, lay it down, we'll pick it up and carry on. You who travel far and wide and back with bundles of wares purchased elsewhere in foreign ports, are the real knockers, city demoralizers, real human junk, unappreciative, divergent to your city's interests and do more to kill than enliven your city. For your acts, merchants and citizens suffer alike, for the real home buyer and booster has to take up your part of the civic load and carry it on with his. Your street building money is in some foreign port; your clothes are foreign purchased; your home should be a foreign address, to coincide with your views.

The best thing to do is to reform. Look the local merchants' stocks over first and if they cannot satisfy you, then all aboard for down the line. But give the home merchant first choice, and we wager that nine times out of eight, you will find what you wish. Think it over; subscribe and read The News, and if the remarks apply to you, reform over night.

Answer this one: If it takes an Eskimo three years to chew a seal's blubber, how long will it take a flapper to chew up a ton of gum?

WHY NOT SUDAN?

The country is now flooded with airplanes of all descriptions and speed, carrying capacity and devices for the convenience of passengers from one point to another. The plane is up in the air, some far and others nigh, but like passengers on our trains, those doing the flying have a hankering to know where they are at some particular moment. The only way they have of satisfying their desire is to look down. If the name of Sudan is painted in large and easily discerned lettering on the top of the depot, or other outstanding building, then one glance is sufficient, and transcontinental planes can light and the passengers partake of the delights of our locality for a few moments en flit from their landing point to their destination. This is a matter for the Business Mens' Association to take up and push strenuously to a successful issue.

An exchange has this to say regarding this subject: "We have a communication from Col. W. E. Easterwood, of Dallas, the man who made Orbit chewing gum famous, and who is also greatly interested in aviation, to the effect that most all the big railroad companies in Texas have granted permission of towns along their lines to paint the name of the town on the roof of their depots in order to guide aviators who may be in the air or lost and trying to locate their position.

"One can often see them circling over a town or city trying to find some mark to indicate the name of the town, but in view of the fact that they are too high in the air to read any signs, they are often at a loss to locate their position, as reading vertical signs is out of the question for them. A large sign on the roof of a depot, and depots are easily distinguishable because of their being generally surrounded by rail tracks, would be easy for them to read.

"Col. Easterwood did not state whether the Santa Fe was one of the roads granting this privilege or not, but we believe it would be advisable to take the matter up with the proper authorities."

We should, through the Business Mens' Association, paint the word "Sudan" on the top of the local depot in the largest lettering possible, and if possible an arrow pointing in the general direction of the landing field usually used here.

Think it over and step on the gas. Let us be the first one to do this.

If experience is the essence of wisdom, then some of us are sadly in need of the former.

When the bootlegger has no where else to hide, he might try "The Rock of Ages."

The shorter the skirt the longer the look.

When you boost the city you live in you impress people that you are a real person; but when you throw a monkey wrench into the Commercial Club's machinery of progress, you are regarded as one of those fillers for which Hades is famed.

Do you feel that you would like to spend one or more hours one evening in each month assisting in the advancement of this city and surrounding territory? Then join the Sudan Business Mens' Association

There may be better places to live in than Sudan. If there was not, what would the preachers preach about?

Even Santa Claus would stay in Sudan if he did not have other engagements.

No wonder the hamburger man grows continually. Look at his associates—Hot Dogs.

There would be fewer divorces; less crime; a minimum of public and private misery, if the family circle was extended to take in the hours of the evening, in lieu of after the evening.

LIST OF IMMORTALS

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says: "Send me The News for another term, for I enjoy it." That's "flowers for the living," for the merry jingle of the half against the dollar never ruined anybody's hearing. Mrs. Ormand takes particular pleasure in beautifying her place of abode, and the result of her handiwork can be seen in the cleanly premises and beautiful flowers and trees. We thank Mrs. Ormand sincerely for her trust and confidence in us, and sincerely anticipate her enjoying the future editions of The Sudan News as she has the past.

Another friend of The Sudan News who displayed his like for the paper this week was W. M. Slaughter, agent for the Continental Oil Company in Sudan. He is a constant reader of The Sudan News. To place Mr. Slaughter correctly one would say that he is also an agriculturist, for he farms two miles west of Sudan successfully. Mr. Slaughter came to Sudan from Collingsworth County, and remarks that he is perfectly satisfied that the Sudan country is the ideal place to live. We like to have this gentleman on our subscription lists, for he is progressing in his business methods, farming and the literature he has in his home. The News will visit your regularly and we anticipate a delightful period of reading when you receive your paper weekly.

The News likes to tell of people who do things, whether they be great or small. When The News speaks of J. W. Hammock it mentions a good farmer and an always booster, who does many big things, and all well. He owns a fine farm 2½ miles west of "The Queen of the Plains," and upon this beautiful tract of producing land he recently constructed a \$2,000 farm home, which shows conclusively that he has prospered. Besides being a good farmer, he devotes much of his time to the Farm Bureau and has placed that institution on the map, for he is its fieldman. His son, Rex, also should be mentioned here for he is the proprietor of a prize sow which is housed in a very modern pig-sty, with all conveniences pertaining to sow aristocracy. But we have two reasons for liking J. W. particularly this time, each of them being a year's subscription. He subscribed twice for The Sudan News, once now and once hence, which places him up two years. We hope he will find much to entertain him in The News and assure him we appreciate his subscription like a Ford owner appreciates a ride in a Cadillac.

Among the other good friends

who have come into the fold this week we are proud to enumerate R. E. Turner. Our good friend R. E. is farming southwest of Sudan, and his one of the most highly productive farms in this section of the blessed plains country. He farms on a scientific basis, uses nothing but modern tools, standard bred stock, chickens, etc., and says that with diversification and energy and brains, any agriculturist can make the grade. He is, parenthetically speaking and only in your good ear, ladies, a—what do you call 'em—bachelor or rather, single, and we will furnish gilt-edge references to any lady with intentions. We sincerely anticipate a pleasant and profitable year for R. E. with The Sudan News as company.

Another esteemed friend of The Sudan News who has entered the fold this week is Clyde Florence. Mr. Florence is one of the best salesmen of the high-powered corps which the Hutto Chevrolet Company employs, and this is evidenced by the large number of cars which Mr. Florence has placed with satisfied customers in this territory. Mr. Florence is a friend of The Sudan News as is demonstrated by his plunking the smack-er and its offspring, the half, on the mahogany, with the remark: "Send me The Sudan News; I need

it in my line of business." Need it is powerful language, when applied to a newspaper, but Mr. Florence seemed so sincere we took the words at their true value. The Sudan News is very glad of Mr. Florence's enrollment, and anticipates for him a pleasant year with his new friend.

COMMUNITY SINGING AT FRIENDSHIP DECEMBER 9th

You who love to sing with mixed voices and in congregational form, will have an opportunity to enjoy yourselves to the fullest on Sunday, December 9th, at Friendship, the hour of gathering being 2:30 p. m. Some of the best singers in Lamb and adjoining counties will be present, and you are cordially and urgently requested to lend your presence to this occasion. Be sure to be there on time as singing will start promptly at the appointed hour.

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NATURE'S STORE HOUSE

The treasures of nature are stored all around, Deep down in earth much mineral is found; It seems to be hidden so that we may Not waste it too much, let it get away. If we could have access to nature's whole store, It soon would be wasted, then we'd have no more. And so with things that you now possess You better store or you will have less. The First National Bank is a good place for you To begin storing. It is the thing to do.

First National Bank

of Sudan, Texas (Cor. 1915 Adam Bross Baster)

Place your order Now—  
The Outstanding Chevrolet  
of Chevrolet History  
—a Six in the price range of the four!

Since the announcement of The Outstanding Chevrolet of Chevrolet History, tens of thousands of people have already placed their orders for this sensational new car! Never before has any Chevrolet ever won such tremendous public acceptance in so short a period of time!

The great new six-cylinder valve-in-head motor is an engineering masterpiece. Not only does it develop 32% more power than any previous Chevrolet motor... not only does it offer a sensationally increased speed and faster acceleration—but it provides this amazing performance with such outstanding economy that it delivers an average of better than 20 miles to the gallon of gasoline!

This spectacular performance and economy have been achieved as a result of the greatest group of engine advancements that Chevrolet has ever announced—typified by a new and heavier crankshaft... new carburetor, with venturi choke and automatic accelerating pump... new camshaft... automatic rocker arm lubrication... new gasoline pump and filter... semi-automatic spark control... and hot spot manifold.

The marvelous new bodies by Fisher are designed for distinctive beauty and style as well as exceptional comfort and safety.

Come in and learn the full and significant story of this greatest of all Chevrolets!

The ROADSTER	\$525
The PHAETON	\$525
The COACH	\$595
The COUPE	\$595
The SEDAN	\$675
The Sport CABRIOLET	\$695
The Convertible LANDAU	\$725
SEDAN DELIVERY	\$595
LIGHT DELIVERY CHASSIS	\$400
1½ TON CHASSIS	\$545
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# A Customer Wrote This Ad for Us

(By J. A. HUTTO)

One of our old, old customers came in the other day. We hadn't seen him for some time.

"I'm going to confess," he said. "I fell for a sign two weeks ago that offered me a tire for \$13.60.

"Well, the man told me it was a regular \$22 tire. Day before yesterday it blew up. I took it back this morning. And guess what that slicker said!

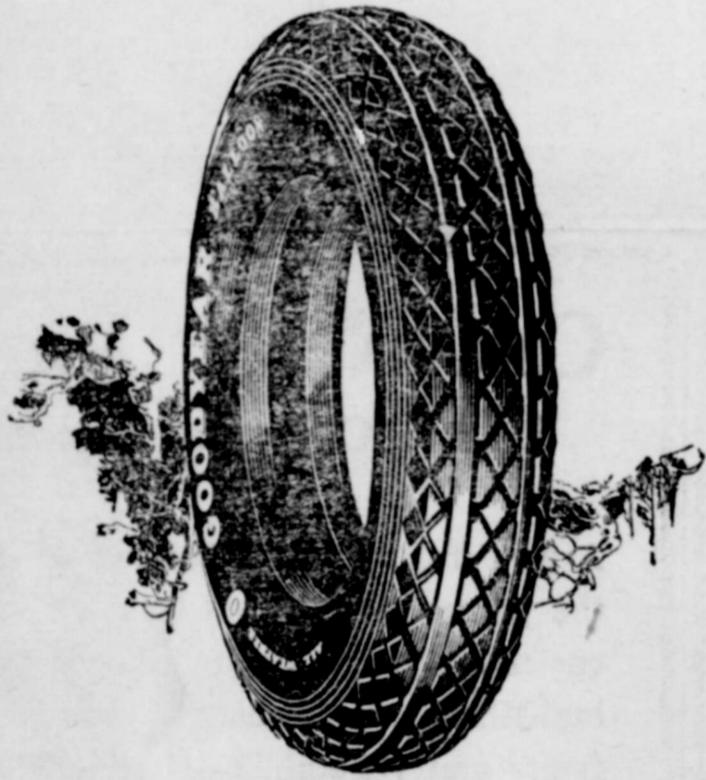
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"Sure I'll make it right," he told me. "I'll give you another tire just like that one."

"But I don't want another one like that," I said.

"Oh, you just happened to get a bad one," he said. "Here's another—now all you do is pay me the difference between the regular price and the bargain price—just \$8.40 and you get a brand new tire."

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Strange as it may seem, there are lots of folks who think they can get a \$22 tire for \$13.60.

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Our policy is to offer the best tires we know—Goodyear Tires—at fair prices. We don't have "bargain days" where we put "\$13.60" on a \$12 tire and try to make anybody believe it's really worth \$22.

We do business on the "up-and-up" every day in the week. And if an adjustment is necessary—which is darn seldom—we handle it on an honest, satisfactory basis.

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Remember that when you're tempted with a "bargain." Remember Goodyear Tire Service is FREE here, too. Come on over!

**Hutto** for Economical Transportation **Chevrolet** **Co**

## W. W. CARPENTER TELLS SOME NEWS

(By W. W. Carpenter, Secretary of the Sudan Business Mens' Association.)

Not many years ago people were not blessed with the educational facilities which we now enjoy. Boys were raised at hard manual labor, usually from sun-up until after dark. And when they had reached their twenty-first birthday they were usually declared by their fathers to be free, and turned out in the world to "root-hog-or-die" without an education or financial assistance of any kind. Dan and David, who had been reared in the same community, reached their majority at near the same time, started their life career as partners, and soon got a job of cutting cord-wood. Living in an improvised wood camp. This was, of course, quite a hard life, and Dave and Dan soon began to find fault with their neighbors, and most everyone with whom they came in contact. Each of them had something ugly to say about most every one. They had not been in camp very long before Dan came in one night with a couple of teeth knocked out, one eye closed and other bruises on his face and body. An investigation disclosed the fact that Old Bill Jones had taken revenge, because of the ugly things that the boys had been saying about him, and many of which were untrue. Not many days later Dave came in in a worse predicament than that in which Dan had appeared, so, this treatment caused the boys to begin to think seriously, and they resolved, then and there, that thereafter, when any one's name was mentioned, if they could not say something good about him, they would not comment at all. Cock-eyed Bill Jinkins was one of their neighbors, and was absolutely worthless, and a nuisance to any community, but whistled nearly all the time. So, one day Dave went out to the country store to purchase supplies, and on his return reported that Bill had died very suddenly. Dan, sorrow stricken, meditated

for a long time, trying to think of something complimentary that he might truthfully say. Finally he thought of Cock-Eye's whistling qualifications and said: "Well, I can say one thing for poor Bill, he was a good whistler as ever flopped a lip."

"There is so much good in the worst of us,"  
"And so much bad in the best of us."  
"That it ill behooves any of us, to talk about the rest of us."

One of our progressive real estate men recently approached a newly married young lady with the hope of selling her a home. After the usual complimentary conversation and a glowing description of the home, he proposed to sell, he paused for an answer, when the young lady replied: "A home? Why do I need a home? I was born in a hospital, educated in a college, courted in an automobile, and married in a church; I live out of the delicatessen and paper bags; I spend my mornings on the golf course, my afternoons at the bridge table, and my evenings in the movies, and when I die I am going to be buried at the undertaker's. All I need is a garage."

## SIMMONS MOVES HIS SHOP TO NEW LOCATION TODAY

The Simmons' Blacksmith Shop, that high class institution with modern machinery and modern methods, has now located on the lots east of the Hutto Chevrolet Co., where Mr. Simmons will be pleased to see his many patrons.

The shop was formerly located on the Higginbotham-Bartlett Co. property, but changed this week. Mr. Simmons is well known for his high-class workmanship, and all needing blacksmith work will not be disappointed in seeing him.

## DO YOU LIKE 'EM PRESERVED?

Is it true that statistics show that women live to be older than men?  
They ought to. Paint is a great preservative, you know.

## BEG PARDON

The Sudan News wishes to sincerely apologize to the Beasley Grain Company for the omission of its ad in the Thanksgiving issue.

We regret that the ad did not appear, and will strive assiduously in future to see that this progressive firm's announcements are in the columns of The Sudan News.

The Beasley Grain Company believes in "truth in advertising," as when it says "high quality" it means what it advertises.

The Beasley Grain Company located in Sudan the first of September, and its manager, Mr. E. C. Shuman has made a host of staunch friends for the company, which enjoys a good business.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST WILL BE INTERESTING ON SUNDAY

On next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Elder Kimmell will preach at the high school auditorium. He is a good reasoner and a strong Gospel preacher. Come and hear him. Everybody invited.

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas, God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to take from our midst, Mrs. Wilson our loyal laborer and friend, we the P. T. A. of Sudan, Texas, do hereby offer the following resolutions:

1. That we have suffered materially in efficiency and sympathy.
2. That the community feels greatly the loss of her ability and love.
3. That her place in the Association and the city will be difficult to fill.
4. And, finally, that one copy of these resolutions be filed among our records, one be sent to the bereaved husband, and one be sent to The Sudan News with a request for publication.

The Parent-Teacher Association, Sudan, Texas.  
(Given in regular session December 3, 1928.)

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore and family spent Sunday at Post with relatives.



We will sell at Public Auction at the Henry McCarty farm 4 miles South of Baileyboro, 16 miles West and 6 miles South of Sudan, 4 miles West and 6 miles North of Enochs, on

# Wednesday, December 12

Beginning at 10:00 a. m. Sharp. The following personal property, to wit:

### HORSES AND MULES

- 1 Gray Horse 8 years old, weight 1,300
- 1 Gray Mare, 8 years old, weight 1,300.
- 1 Span 8 year old Mare Mules, weight 1,000 each
- 1 Sorrel Horse, 10 years old, weight 1,200
- 1 Bay Horse, 10 years old, weight 1,200
- 1 Roan Mare, 9 years old, weight 1,000

### MILK COWS

- 1 Holstein Cow, 8 years old, fresh January 10, 5 gallon cow
- 1 Holstein and Jersey, 3 years old, giving milk, fresh in February
- 1 Fawn colored Jersey, 5 years old, calf by side
- 1 Jersey Heifer, 4 months old
- 1 Jersey cow, 5 years old, fresh in January
- 1 Jersey Heifer, 10 months old

### CHICKENS

- 40 Rhode Island Hens
- 20 Black Minorcas
- 40 Barred Rock Hens, about 12 mixed

### FARM IMPLEMENTS

- 1 one-row J. I. Case Lister Planter
- 1 one-row P & O Wiggie-tail cultivator
- 2 Go-Devis
- 1 70-Tooth 2 section Harrow
- 1 Wagon
- 2 Sets Chain Harness with Breaching

### HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- 2 dining tables, 2 kitchen tables, 7 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 milk cooler, 1 3-gallon Daisy churn, 1 5-gallon cream can, 3 8-gallon lard cans, 1 No. 2 McCormick-Deering Cream separator, good as new, 1 large meat box, 1 dresser, 1 center table, two bedsteads, 1 heating stove, 1 8-day clock, 1 pair bed springs and many other things too numerous to mention. ....

Free Lunch at Noon.

Bring Your Cups.

TERMS: Cash. No property to be removed until settled for.

G. H. JONES, W. D. CARNLEY, Owners

Col. Jack Rowan, Auctioneer. Joe D. West, Clerk.



**FRESHMEN POUR IT ON IN SCHOOL NEWS THIS WEEK**

(By the Freshmen.)

Many things of importance have taken place in connection with our affairs since last week. Among these are a two-day holiday, trips to various parts of the country by teachers and pupils, new equipment received at school, two new pupils, athletic supplies on hand, new visitor at our school, etc.

Thanksgiving was responsible for one holiday last Thursday. Friday was given because one day of a week after a holiday would not have helped much. Many pupils had work at home, and many others wanted to make Thanksgiving visits. There is one advantage for the school in making effort to get into the Southern College Association; every day lost by holiday must be made up next spring. We get the rest occasionally, and the time is not lost.

Mr. Wilkins visited Indian Gap, Pottsville, Stephenville, Albany and other points east of us on business during the holiday season. His family spent the time in Falls with Mrs. Wilkins' mother and in Lubbock with her daughter, Mrs. B. C. Wells and her son, George Wilkins. Mrs. Findley spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Hill, in Albany. J. M. Smallwood and family visited in Lubbock. Mrs. Fisher Franks also was a Lubbock visitor. R. J. Newton and wife visited his parents at Cross Cut. There was a goodly crowd of high school folks in Carlsbad, but we shall leave that to another section.

Mr. Brown took a certain fair lady to Carlsbad, going from Idalou. Strange to relate he was very ill while on his way to the caverns and Mr. Talbott is threatening not to permit him to call upon his friend any more until after May 24. Remembering Mr. Brown's goodness to us, we Freshmen ask that Mr. Talbott be not too hard on Coach, for Mr. Talbott used to be young, too.

Chapel program was rendered last Monday by Miss Thomas and her second grade folks. Their program was very short, and would have seemed entirely too short if it had not been for a minister's presence. Elder Hooten, pastor of the Methodist church, was the visitor. He holds the honor and distinction of being the first minister to register with the school this year, although different classes have urged others to visit us and help us in chapel programs. Elder Hooten is but newly moved into Sudan, and we folks in school expect him often, and shall be glad to have him make school his headquarters when ever he can. Both faculty and student body were glad to have a prayer offered by a minister of the Gospel.

The basketball teams have been made to rejoice by receipts of their equipment since last Wednesday. Both boys' groups have received their goals and nets. The girls have received their jerseys, and look fine in their black and old gold uniforms. The boys had already had their new uniforms and were proud of them. We notice that Coach Brown is sporting a brand new coach's uniform of old gold and black. He thinks it will help him to be a better coach.

The Home Economics girls and Mrs. Franks are wearing broad smiles. They have a dozen new dining chairs for their department. These chairs are nice indeed, and our superintendent and Mrs. Franks say they will make arrangements to pay for them without cost to the school. The new equipment for which we meant, equipment for which we boys and girls are trying to pay, together with collections on tuition, run over \$75.00. It is our understanding that the school is trying to help do its own equipping in both playground and indoor equipment to the value of nearly \$500. Let us hope that it can be done for over-burdened taxpayers will welcome needed improvements for which they would gladly pay if they were able. These movements for progress are worthy and all should support them.

Another item of this improvement mentioned in the last paragraph is the installation of libraries in the grammar school. Their libraries were received during the Thanksgiving season. Every room in the grammar school now has new equipment. The two first grade rooms have their portable phonograph while all the others have their libraries started. Of course, these are small, but they will grow. In addition to this, the low first grade room has its sand table equipped with new white sand from Muleshoe. Mr. Wilkins and Mr. Findley having gone up there last week and brot in a load of sand.

Following is a Freshman's report of his attempt to interview the Senior's trip to Carlsbad. The

**Dangerous Business**  
Our stomach and digestive systems are lined with membrane which is delicate, sensitive and easily injured. It is dangerous business, then, to use medicines containing harsh drugs, salts or minerals, when we are constipated. In addition to the possibility of injuring the linings of our digestive system, these medicines give only temporary relief and may prove habit forming. The safe way to relieve constipation is with Herbine, the cathartic that is made from herbs, and acts in the way nature intended. You can get Herbine at H. G. Ranby Drug Store.

**BENTON-HOOD**

W. H. Benton and Miss Alverita Hood were quietly married at Levelland Saturday evening at four o'clock. Brother Hughes, the pastor of the First Baptist Church of that place, conducted the ceremony.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Benton, and the bride is the loving daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hood. Both families are highly respected in the Jones community.

The newly weds are very popular young people, and are loved by all who know them. Their many friends wish them a prosperous and happy married life.

The Sudan News joins with the Jones community in offering congratulations to this happy couple.

**WEE WORN GARMENTS**

Below you will find a simple little verse of twelve lines more eloquent than volumes. We showed it to a friend of ours the other day who has a daughter in college. Tears came to his eyes as he exclaimed: "Yes, it's beautiful, but think of me. I'm down to the next to the last line."

"A Bible entry: 'Born a girl.' A knitted shoe, a golden curl. A woolly lamb, gaye olored blocks. Some wee worn garments in a box. Some dog-eared books, a pair of skates. Old photographs of her school-mates. Boarding school letters, full of jokes. And, 'love to all the dear home folks.' A glove, a program from a dance. A rose pressed in an old romance; A rain of rice along the hall—Tears on my cheeks, and that is all."

**LIFE**

This life is becoming a great game of checkers. It's your move.

**ALWAYS**

In the midst of life we are always in debt—for a Ford or some other brand.

**HE KNEW!**

Mark Twain sure knew his asparagus when it came to advertising. When he was editing a newspaper a subscriber wrote him that he had found a spider in his paper and wanted to know whether that was a sign of good or bad luck. Mark's reply is classical: "Old Subscriber: Finding a spider in your paper was neither good nor bad luck for you. The spider was merely looking over your paper to see which merchant is not advertising, so that he can go to that store, spin his web across the door and lead a life of undisturbed peace ever afterward."

**LOOKS BAD**

It looks like Texas is in for a hard winter. Some time ago a prominent democrat of this state said: "When Texas goes republican, hell will freeze over." Well, that very thing happened and we are telling you about it so that you can make your preparations accordingly.

**SURE**

Driver, we may now remind you, With your truck and 5-ton load. In the fall you leave behind you, Furrows on a gravel road.

**STRENGTH**

Show how strong you are by not noticing how weak the other fellow is.

**An Unpleasant Subject**

All of the functions of life are not pleasant to consider. Perhaps this is why some mothers refuse to think that such symptoms as restless sleep, loss of flesh, lack of appetite or itching nose and fingers in their children, can be caused by round or pin worms. Many mothers have proven, however, that a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge, that sure and harmless worm expellant, will make these symptoms disappear. You can get White's Cream Vermifuge for 25 cents per bottle from H. G. Ranby Drug Store.

**GIFT Furniture**

A Gift For the Home Is a Gift Indeed! Best Furniture at Low Prices

Some suggestions to bear in mind when Christmas shopping Living room suites, Bed room suites, Dining room suites, Rockers, Smoking stands, Floor lamps, Rugs, Foot stools, Fern stands, Portables, Breakfast suites, Magazine racks, Dressers, Fireside benches.

**DISCUSSIONS**

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**LOOKS BAD**

It looks like Texas is in for a hard winter. Some time ago a prominent democrat of this state said: "When Texas goes republican, hell will freeze over." Well, that very thing happened and we are telling you about it so that you can make your preparations accordingly.

**SURE**

Driver, we may now remind you, With your truck and 5-ton load. In the fall you leave behind you, Furrows on a gravel road.

**STRENGTH**

Show how strong you are by not noticing how weak the other fellow is.

**An Unpleasant Subject**

All of the functions of life are not pleasant to consider. Perhaps this is why some mothers refuse to think that such symptoms as restless sleep, loss of flesh, lack of appetite or itching nose and fingers in their children, can be caused by round or pin worms. Many mothers have proven, however, that a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge, that sure and harmless worm expellant, will make these symptoms disappear. You can get White's Cream Vermifuge for 25 cents per bottle from H. G. Ranby Drug Store.

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## FARM STOCK

### MANAGEMENT OF ANY BEEF HERD

Profitable beef production commercially depends upon the grade-cow herd and the use of a good, pure-bred bull, managed so that each generation of cows selected is an improvement upon the preceding one. In order that this may be true the best heifer calves should be kept each year to take the place of barren or shy-breeding cows. All other calves produced may be sold either as weaning calves at six to eight months old, as stockers or feeders at one or two years, or finished as baby beef at from sixteen to twenty months, or as fat steers at an older age.

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## LEADING RADIO PROGRAMS

(Time given is Eastern Standard; subtract one hour for Central and two hours for Mountain time.)

**N. B. C. RED NETWORK—Nov. 25.**  
1:30 p. m. Peerless Reproducers.  
4:00 p. m. Dr. S. Parkes Cadman.  
5:30 p. m. Acousticon Hour.  
6:00 p. m. Stetson Parade.  
7:00 p. m. Lehigh Coal & Nav. Co.  
7:30 p. m. Maj. Bowes' Family Party.  
9:00 p. m. David Lawrence.  
9:15 p. m. Atwater Kent.

**N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK**  
2:00 p. m. Roxy Stroll.  
3:30 p. m. Young People's Conference.  
5:30 p. m. Dr. Stephen S. Wise.  
5:30 p. m. Dr. Harry Fosdick.  
6:30 p. m. Anglo Persians.  
8:15 p. m. Collier's Radio Hour.

**N. B. C.—RED NETWORK—Nov. 26.**  
7:00 a. m. Tower Health Exercises.  
11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.  
6:30 p. m. A. C. Gilbert Co.  
7:00 p. m. Mutual Savings Hour.  
7:45 p. m. Physical Culture Prince.  
8:30 p. m. A. and P. Gypsies.  
9:30 p. m. General Motors Party.  
10:30 p. m. National Grand Opera.

**N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK**  
10:00 a. m. Copeland Hour.  
12:00 noon "Farm and Home Hour."  
12:15 p. m. U. S. Dept. Agriculture.  
12:30 p. m. "Farm and Home Hour."  
7:00 p. m. Cook's Tours.  
8:00 p. m. Roxy and His Gang.  
9:30 p. m. Real Folks.

**N. B. C. RED NETWORK—Nov. 27.**  
7:00 a. m. Tower Health Exercises.  
11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.  
4:30 p. m. Auction Bridge Games.  
9:00 p. m. Everyeady Hour.  
10:00 p. m. Clichet Club Eskimos.

**N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK**  
10:00 a. m. Copeland Hour.  
11:00 a. m. Forecast School of Cookery.  
12:00 noon "Farm and Home Hour."  
12:15 p. m. U. S. Dept. Agriculture.  
12:30 p. m. "Farm and Home Hour."  
8:00 p. m. Sealy Air Weavers.  
9:00 p. m. Three in One Theatre.  
9:30 p. m. Dutch Master Minstrels.  
10:00 p. m. Works of Great Composers

**N. B. C. RED NETWORK—Nov. 28.**  
7:00 a. m. Tower Health Exercises.  
10:00 a. m. National Home Hour.  
11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.  
7:30 p. m. "La Touraine Tableaux."  
12:15 p. m. U. S. Dept. Agriculture.  
9:00 p. m. Ipana Troubadours.

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12:30 p. m. "Farm and Home Hour."  
2:30 p. m. R. C. A. Demonstration Hr.  
7:00 p. m. Jeddo Highlanders.

7:45 p. m. Political Situation in Washington Tonight.

8:30 p. m. Sylvania Foresters.  
9:00 p. m. Smith Brothers.  
10:00 p. m. Chicago Civic Opera.

**N. B. C. RED NETWORK—Nov. 29.**  
7:00 a. m. Tower Health Exercises.  
11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.  
1:45 p. m. Cornell-Penn. Football.  
7:30 p. m. Coward Comfort Hour.  
8:00 p. m. The Song Shop.  
9:00 p. m. Selberling Singers.  
10:00 p. m. Halsey Stuart.

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12:15 p. m. U. S. Dept. Agriculture.  
12:30 p. m. "Farm and Home Hour."  
1:45 p. m. Penn. State-Union of Pittsburgh Football Game.  
8:30 p. m. Champion Sparkers.  
9:30 p. m. Maxwell House Hour.  
10:00 p. m. Michellin Hour.

**N. B. C. RED NETWORK—Nov. 30.**  
7:00 a. m. Tower Health Exercises.  
10:00 a. m. National Home Hour.  
11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.  
12:00 noon Teeth, Health & Happiness.  
7:00 p. m. M. Wonder Hour.  
8:00 p. m. Cities Service.  
10:00 p. m. Stromberg Carlson Sextette.

**N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK**  
11:00 a. m. R. C. A. Concerts.  
12:00 noon "Farm and Home Hour."  
12:15 p. m. U. S. Dept. Agriculture.  
12:30 p. m. "Farm and Home Hour."  
7:00 p. m. Great Moments in History.  
7:30 p. m. Dixie's Circus.  
8:00 p. m. Interwoven Stocking Co.  
8:30 p. m. Armstrong Quakers.  
9:00 p. m. Wrigley Review.

**N. B. C. RED NETWORK—Dec. 1.**  
7:00 a. m. Tower Health Exercises.  
10:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.  
10:00 p. m. Lucky Strike Orchestra.

**N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK**  
9:00 p. m. Philco Hour.  
The following is a list of stations carrying the above programs:

National Broadcasting company Red Network: WEAF, New York; WEEI, Boston; WTIC, Hartford; WJAR, Providence; WTAE, Worcester; WCHB, Portland, Me.; WLIT and WEL, Philadelphia; WRC, Washington; WGY, Schenectady; WOR, Buffalo; WCAE, Pittsburgh; WTAM and WEAR, Cleveland; WWJ, Detroit; WSAI, Cincinnati; WGIN and WJLB, Chicago; KSTP, St. Louis; WOC, Davenport; WHO, Des Moines; WOI, Omaha; WDAF, Kansas City; WCV, Wichita; WMIN, Minneapolis-St. Paul; WTMJ, Milwaukee; KOA, Denver; WHAS, Louisville; WSM, Nashville; WMC, Memphis; WSB, Atlanta; WTB, Charlotte; KVOO, Tulsa; WFAA, Dallas; KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; WBAF, Ft. Worth; WJAX, Jacksonville.

National Broadcasting company Blue Network: WJZ, New York; WBEA, Boston; WBZ, Springfield; WBAL, Baltimore; WHAM, Rochester; KDKA, Pittsburgh; WJR, Detroit; WLW, Cincinnati; KYW and WEBB, Chicago; KWK, St. Louis; WREN, Kansas City; WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul; WTMJ, Milwaukee; KOA, Denver; WHAS, Louisville; WSM, Nashville; WMC, Memphis; WSB, Atlanta; WTB, Charlotte; KVOO, Tulsa; WFAA, Dallas; KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; WBAF, Ft. Worth; WJAX, Jacksonville.



## Are Your Children Underweight?

ONE of America's greatest Child specialists states: "Karo Syrup is the ideal food for the underweight child. Karo can be added to the diet without spoiling the appetite for other foods—and Karo improves the taste for milk."

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Watch their weight improve!

**Tale of Two Tombstones.**  
Forgotten, two headstones such as are placed on graves stood in a North Atchison yard without causing much comment for years until they stirred the curiosity of Theodore Arensberg, relates the Atchison Globe. He inquired and learned the two tombstones had been there thirty-five years or more. They are no monument to the dead but to a deadbeat. The place was originally the home of a contractor who, at last, despairing of collecting a bill for work done accepted the two tombstones in payment and, not knowing what else to do with them at the time, had them set up on his front lawn.

**Some Guy.**  
Trade Boss—What the thunder did you buy a new safe for? Haven't you got one?  
New Clerk—Yes, sir; but I thought I would prevent a robbery by keeping the old safe in the new one.

**Passing Observation.**  
It is the girls who "are easy on the eyes" that are causing most of the eye-strain these days.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

If you know a man's past record you can judge his future with reasonable accuracy.

It ought to be some consolation to a widow to know that history repeats itself.

Plenty of men can be found who envy a man who has time to attend the matinee.

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# SHREDDED WHEAT



12 ounces full-size biscuits

As Made in Shredded Wheat Factories for 34 Years  
An unsalted, unsweetened whole wheat food, thoroughly baked—ready-to-serve—nourishing and strengthening.

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Millions of boys and girls all over the world, thousands of them right here in the West are being restored to health and strength by the purely vegetable tonic and laxative known as California Fig Syrup and endorsed by physicians for over 50 years. Children need no urging to take it. They love its rich, fruity flavor. Nothing can compete with it as a gentle, but certain laxative, and it goes further than this. It gives tone and strength to the stomach and bowels so these organs continue to act normally, of their own accord. It stimulates the appetite, helps digestion. A Kansas mother, Mrs. Dana Alligre, 610 Monroe St., Topeka, says: "Bonnie B. is absolutely the picture of health, now, with her rosy cheeks, bright eyes and plump but graceful little body and she stands at the top in every health test. Much of the credit for her perfect condition is due to California Fig Syrup. We have used it since babyhood to keep her bowels active during colds or any children's ailments and she has always had an easy time with them. She always responds to its gentle urging and is quickly back to normal." Ask your druggist for California Fig Syrup and look for the word "California" on the carton so you'll always get the genuine.

## BAD LEGS

Have You Varicose or Swollen Veins and Bunches Near Ankle or Knee?

To stop the misery, pain or soreness, help reduce the dangerous swollen veins and strengthen the legs, use Moore's Emerald Oil. This clean, powerful, penetrating yet safe anti-septic healing oil is obtainable at all first-class drug stores.

In hundreds of cases Moore's Emerald Oil has given broken relief. Splendid for Ulcers, Old Sores, Broken Veins, and Troublesome Cases of Eczema.

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Blue is used to see for your—Adv.

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appetites and even to become lame and emaciated. This trouble may be remedied cheaply and quickly by the use of sterile bonemeal, speck, bone-black mixed with equal parts of fine salt and kept before the cattle at all times. A daily feeding of one to two parts cottonseed meal or cottonseed cake also proves effective in the ration of cows.

### Lessen Danger of Flu Infection Among Hogs

Roomy sheds, open to the south, especially when they are deep enough so the hogs need not lie close to the opening, when properly bedded, are about as satisfactory as anything that can be supplied for hogs in the way of cheap shelter. Colony houses, if they are available, may be used to good advantage for brood sows and other hogs during the winter months. The point is, that when hogs are supplied with good shelter where they can keep dry and not be subjected to drafts and where plenty of bedding can be supplied, there will be much less danger of flu infection than where little or no attention is paid to the housing problem.

### Live Stock Hints

A good winter ration for fall pigs is one which supplies not only the essentials of a balanced ration, but also the elements which are obtained from direct sunlight and succulent pasture during the summer.

Wintering fall pigs successfully is a real art. Keeping them well bedded and comfortable so that none of them will be overlaid on cold nights and keeping them free from mange seems to be the most important part.

Plenty of fresh water at all times, and heated artificially if possible, will do much to simplify getting a good growth on the fall pig.

Cattle feeders have learned that great weight and a frame capable of putting on great weight are not wanted by the buyers of steers.

If one is so located with regard to neighboring farms that he can allow the fall pigs the free run of the place he is pretty sure to have a good lot of pigs when spring comes.



## L. C. Grissom, M Store Owner Celebrates First Business Anniversary With His Low Prices

The "M" System of stores are famous the world over for their high quality and low prices—the always understood assurance of every patron a satisfied customer. This combination is what has placed the "M" system of stores on their high pinnacle of national integrity.

L. C. Grissom, a leading booster in Sudan's mercantile clientele, is owner of the local "M" system store, and not for one moment in the year this week he has been conducting the establishment, has he deviated from the above rule of trading. The hundreds who visit his place of business weekly are living advertisements of his ability to serve each customer satisfactorily, and they come back with a smile when they wish to replenish their cupboards.

Mr. Grissom was formerly in the grocery business here in the old fashioned way, but his business foresight visioned the possibilities of an "M" system store for Sudan. That his judgment was sound is emphasized by the increment in business from month to month; that his nerve to venture in a virgin field of merchandising was unshaken, is evidenced by his now having what is conceded to be by all the most sanitary and model grocery house in Sudan, and there are other good ones here.

Below Mr. Grissom shows his appreciation of the public confidence which has been bestowed upon him, by offering some un-

usually bright bargains in current necessities (see ad below on this page.) You will do well to enjoy this hospitality on Mr. Grissom's part, and remember, that with his anniversary he has now acquired a deeper insight into the wants of his customer friends, and though he has served you well during his primary year, he believes he can do better—far better—during the ensuing year.

Read his ad closely, digest it, then act quickly, for there are a myriad of bargain hunters on the alert for such rare opportunities to purchase, and they may gobble up your share of these before you get started.

Mr. Grissom has also branched out recently. He has thoroughly remodeled his old stand, which he occupied before entering the "M" system chain, and has in transit a car of Purina feed, for which he is now the local representative.

This feed is known throughout the universe as the best that experience and machinery can produce, and with Mr. Grissom as the local agent, it looks to us like quite an addition to the business facilities of Sudan.

We take this opportunity of assuring Mr. Grissom of our belief that with his present business methods undisturbed, his businesses will receive the patronage they deserve during the ensuing year—and that is liberal patronage.

cure the meat on the farm, and sell this cured meat. This latter method of selling the surplus hogs has been used very satisfactorily in a great many places. In every case that I am aware of this latter method has proved more profitable than selling hogs on foot. In order to be able to sell this cured pork to advantage and to sell all that one can produce, it is necessary to cure the pork properly. If the proper method of curing has been used the finished product will be as good as any that can be bought. It is axiomatic that when a person produces a superior product he can always find a ready market for it. In all the cases that I have known of where a farmer or farmers have made a business of selling home cured meat, they have used the sugar cure process. Meat may be sugar cured either as a dry cure or as a brine cure. However, the majority of the farmers who are making a business of selling home cured meat are using the brine method.

**Curing Pork**  
The proper way of curing pork involves three things: First, curing the pork in a manner that is as safe as possible to prevent spoiling; second, cured pork in a manner that will make a product that is as good as the best that can be bought; third, curing the pork in a manner that will keep it tasting good during the whole year.

Curing pork in a safe manner so as to prevent spoiling involves four things: namely, (1) the curing agent, (2) length of time kept in the curing agent, (3) method of packing, and (4) weather conditions.

**The Curing Agent**  
There are two curing agents that are good if the other conditions are right. One is what is usually called the dry cure. To dry cure meat, pack the meat in a mixture of salt, sugar and saltpetre. Use these ingredients in the following proportions: Salt, 20 pounds, sugar, 5 pounds, and saltpetre, 5 ounces. The bacon should be kept packed in this mixture for four weeks and the hams and shoulders six weeks. The hams and shoulders should be packed skin side up so as to permit the joints to drain.

**The Brine Method**  
The other curing agent is what is termed the brine method. To make the brine, use 10 gallons of water, 20 pounds salt, 5 pounds of sugar, and 5 ounces of saltpetre. Bring the water to a boil then add the salt and stir until dissolved. Then add the sugar and saltpetre. Again stir until these are dissolved. Then allow to cool before using. This formula is for 100 lbs. of meat.

The meat should be packed in a clean barrel—hams and shoulders first and then the bacon on top. Place a weight on the meat to prevent it from floating out of the brine. Next, pour the brine on the meat and be sure that there is

enough brine to cover it. Leave the bacon in this brine for three weeks and the hams and shoulders for five weeks.

We prefer the brine method, due to the fact that it gives a better penetration of the sugar and saltpetre into the meat than is the case with the dry cure. The sugar and saltpetre are the ingredients that make the product more palatable, and that make it stay that way the greatest length of time. It has also been our experience that the brine cure will save meat under more adverse weather conditions than will the dry cure.

When using either method the meat should be cut up as soon as the hog has been gutted and cleaned, and then rubbed with salt. The meat should be left spread out with this salt on it over night so as to get the animal heat out of it. The next morning pack the meat in the curing agent desired. Leave the salt that has been rubbed on the evening before on the meat when packing. Be sure to use good salt both for rubbing on the meat and in making the curing agent. This is very important.

**Advised Brine Spoiling**  
In the case of the brine method be sure to examine the brine once a week. The brine will spoil sometimes due to an unclean barrel or adverse weather conditions. To ascertain if the brine is spoiling, look for gas bubbles on the brine, usually an indication of spoiling. Dip up a cup of brine and pour back in the barrel. If the brine poursropy or like syrup it is spoiling; if it pours like water it is all right. If it is found that the brine is spoiling, take out the meat and wash it with hot water. Pour out the brine and scald out the barrel. Re-pack the meat and pour on some new brine which should have been made the day before so as to have it cool.

**Smoking**  
After the meat has been in brine the required length of time, take it out and hang up to drip and to smoke. Most any of the hardwoods may be used to make the smoke. Corncocks can also be used. The length of time to smoke depends upon taste. We find that the majority of people prefer meat that has been smoked three days.

**Wrapping Important**  
After the meat has been smoked it should be wrapped. The wrappings are important if you expect the meat to stay good during the whole year. The meat should be wrapped first with paper (newspapers will do) and then with ducking. Old cotton sacks will do for this provided you use those parts that have no holes. The ducking should be sewed on with close stitches to prevent bugs and skippers from getting into the meat. A string should be sewed on the outside to hang the meat with. The meat should be hung in a dry, cool place. Meat wrapped in this

manner will very often mold in hot weather, but don't be alarmed for this doesn't hurt anything. The mold is on the outside of the meat and can be cut off or scalded off before using.

**Cold Storage Curing**  
Adverse weather conditions cause the greatest losses of meat in Texas in the process of curing. The best way to overcome this is to cure the meat in cold storage. The most of the cold storage plants in Texas are glad to give the farmers space for curing at a very reasonable charge. Use the same method of curing as outlined above, except that the bacon should be kept in the brine four weeks instead of three weeks and the hams and shoulders for six weeks instead of five weeks.

Curing in cold storage is not only safer but the pork may be cured any time of the year. Very often the farmer will have his hog fat and ready to kill and then

have to feed it for 30 days waiting for suitable weather. Then perhaps the weather proves not to be so suitable as first thought, and as a result some of the meat is lost.

The cold storage room should have a temperature of about 32 degrees for chilling meat before packing in the curing agent. It should be kept at a temperature of 35 or 40 degrees during curing.

**Home Curing**  
When curing meat at home, the weather hazard can be overcome to some extent by injecting some of the brine solution around the bone and joints by needle or by making an opening with a butcher knife and packing salt around the joints. What is still better when afraid of the weather is to take the bones out of the hams and shoulders. Of course, this method ruins the use of the hams and shoulders, but it is better to have the looks hurt than lose the meat.

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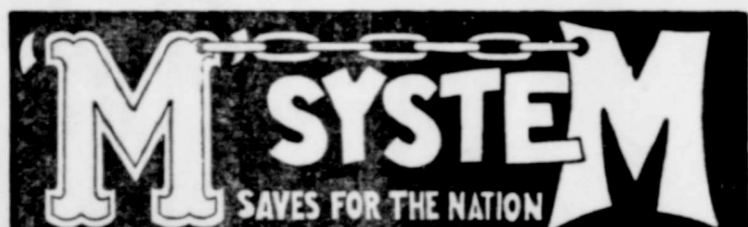
## Expert Gives Timely Advice Regarding the Curing and Storing of Winter Meat

Time Here To Think Of Winter Meat and How Best To Save It

THIS is the time of year when everybody is planning on killing and curing a hog or two for winter meat. In regard to this procedure The Sudan News offers the following expert advice from the pen of E. R. Eudaly, as it appears in Progressive Farmer: It so happens that about November each fall there is a break in

the price of hogs. The farmer with a few extra hogs that are ready for market either has to take a loss or make no money. Sometimes it is the case that the corn-hog ratio is still all right at this particular time, but the trouble is that the hogs were produced on corn during the summer when corn was higher than it usually is after corn is harvested. There are two ways of remedying this situation. One is to grow and fatten the hogs a little faster and thereby get them ready for the market before the break occurs. The other way is to kill these extra hogs,

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- Toilet Soap, per bar 7c
- K. C. Baking Powder, 25c Size for 19c
- K. C. Baking Powder, 50c size for 40c
- Gallon Apricots, per gallon 63c
- Honey, Extracted, per gallon \$1.43

- Honey, Comb, per gallon \$1.63
- PICKLES
- Sour Mix, Sky Hye, jar 29c
- Sweet Mix, Sky Hye, jar 39c
- Plain Sour, quart 29c
- Sweet Relish, Sky Hye, jar 39c
- Hot Relish, Sky Hye, jar 29c
- Blue Ribbon Peaches, 5 lb. Box 85c
- Prunes, 10 lb. Box 95c
- Del Monte Peaches, No. 2 1/2 23c
- Sweet Pickled Peaches, No. 2 1/2 35c
- Del Monte Apricots, No. 2 1/2 35c
- Blackberries, No. 2 15c

- Empson's Cut Beans, No. 2 14c
- Pork and Beans, No. 2 9c
- Tomatoes, No. 2 10c
- Corn, No. 2 11c
- Spinach, No. 2 1/2 19c
- Spinach, No. 2 15c
- Macaroni or Spaghetti 7c
- COFFEE
- Chief, 2 lb. \$1.13
- Pecos, 3 lb. \$1.37
- Maxwell House, 3 lb. \$1.48
- Peaberry, 3 lb. 89c
- Oranges, per dozen 25c
- Lettuce, per head 10c

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