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DELIGHTFUL RECEPTION

Mrs. W. J. Ferguson entertained informally in her home Tuesday evening, from 8:30 to 12:00, honoring her visiting nieces the Misses Ferguson of Floresville. The guests were received by Mesdames Ferguson, Ray Caldwell and Dave McLymont.

The reception rooms were tastefully decorated with cut flowers. Progressive Bunco was the diversion for the evening; Miss Alice Harrell and Carlton White winning high score. A puzzling, mock menu furnished further amusement.

Punch was served throughout the evening, Mrs. Caldwell presiding at the bowl; and at 11:30 a delicious course of pineapple ice and angel food cake was served.

The personnel of guests were as follows: Misses Bertha and Gladys Ferguson, Alice Harrell, Myrtle Harrell, Ruby Cochran, Elouise Lemons, Ruby Mansfield, Bethilda Eldridge, Inez Parley, Sybil and Myrl McKee, and Mrs. Vance McLymont; and the Messrs W. S. Estep, C. Griffith, C. C. Gee, Stanley Wheaton, Carlton White, Ross Martin, Hays Cavender, Lewis Lemons Marcey and Luther Martin, Carl Happle, G. J. Henshaw, Gayle Mussey and Clayton Williams.

Bitten by a Rattle Snake

Willie Savage was bitten by a rattle snake last Saturday night just as he was getting ready to open the yard gate at home. It was after dark and the snake got away. Dr. Robertson was immediately phoned and after proper treatment was administered Mr. Savage was able to be out Sunday, and no further trouble resulted.

Sunday evening Mrs. Flora Reeve discovered a snake in her pantry, and her screams attracted the attention of Fred Savage who grabbed up a hoe and ran over to Mrs. Reeve's and proceeded to give battle to the snake. After Fred had knocked down all the dishes in the pantry, his father came to Fred's assistance with a spade and killed the snake. It was a house snake and had probably crawled into the pantry after a mouse.

Rattle snakes seem to be more numerous this summer than ever before. Shirley Martin's concrete gang recently killed forty rattle snakes within a stone's throw of their camp out on the A. D. Brown ranch.

Wear a Madison made silk shirt and keep cool this summer, for sale at the Royal Tailor Shop, all sizes and prices.

Girls Organize Vacation Club

(From the Lindsburg, New Mexico, Liberal)

Last Saturday afternoon a group of girls met at the home of Mrs. Frank Coon in order to organize a Vacation Club. The girls in this club will meet every Saturday afternoon to receive instructions in fancy work. The next meeting will be held at Zena Whistler's.

Revival Closes

The Methodist revival which has been in progress here for the past two weeks, closed Wednesday night. The meeting was conducted by Rev. Vanderpool of El Paso, a very forceful and earnest speaker. The meetings were all well attended and there were several acquisitions to the church. A special sermon was delivered to the Masons and Odd Fellows, and Rev. Vanderpool closed the meeting Wednesday night with a sermon on the Klu Klux Klan. At the close of the sermon Sunday night Rev. Vanderpool was handed a letter containing \$25 in bills. The letter was signed by the Klu Klux Klan.

VAN ZANDT-STEPHENSON

On Tuesday, June 12th, at 12:30 p. m., at the First Methodist Church in Commerce, Texas, Miss Tulia Stephenson of that city, and Mr. L. M. Van Zandt of Sanderson, were united in marriage. Rev. J. A. Old officiated.

The bride, a young lady of refinement and culture, comes of a high and respected family. She was born and reared in Commerce, and has a host of friends who wish for her a successful and happy married life.

Mr. Van Zandt for several years has been an employee of the Southern Pacific Lines at this place. He is a man of sterling qualities, and his numerous friends are extending congratulations.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Van Zandt left for Dallas and San Antonio. After several days spent in these two cities they came on to Sanderson where they make their home.

The happy couple have been the recipient of many beautiful pieces of cut glass and silverware from their many friends.

Camp Fire News

The Minnie-Ha-Ha Camp Fire Girls held their regular business meeting Friday at their cottage and after transacting business they decided to have a Sewing Club to work for honors. Mrs. W. E. Lea and Mrs. Addie Lee Boling have consented to Chaperone during absence of their Guardian, Miss Stansell.

The Camp Fire Girl Sewing Club met with Louise and Novice White Wednesday, June 20th. Mrs. White directed the girls with their sewing. The hostess served delicious sandwiches and iced tea. Next meeting to be at Ruth Smith.

Lexie, Leiva and Wito-no-hi were hostesses to the Minnehaha Girls at a home meeting held at the home of Mrs. W. E. Lea. The girls spent a very enjoyable evening playing games. All were made glad by having Wito-no-hi with them again, after she having spent the past year in San Antonio.

Secretary.

Madison Made Silk Shirts can be bought from \$1.00 to \$15.00 and size 13 1/2 to 17 at the Royal Tailor Shop.

Rail Road Boys Play Ball

A rivalry has existed for some time between the employees of the G. H. & S. A. Railway here, and last Saturday the boys of the 4 p. m. shift and the midnight shift met on the base ball diamond at City League Park and fought out the first round, and after the smoke of battle had cleared away the midnight shift were victorious over the 4 p. m. shift by a score of 11 to 14.

Tuesday morning the day shift and the 4 p. m. shift met on the diamond to test their skill and the game resulted in a defeat for the day shift by a score of 16 to 7. Foreman McConnell and Willis Carter were on hand to pin blue ribbons on the winners, and Dr. Robertson was there with his air pump to revive the home-runners.

The championship has not yet been settled, and the clerks and switchmen are beginning to talk around that they can play baseball, so we may look for more games soon.

Willis Harrell, Herman Hallsell, Walter Stansell, and Clyde Boozer left Tuesday for Bosquillas Hot Spring on the Rio Grande river in Brewster county, where they will spend three weeks fishing and taking the hot baths.

DRYDEN NEWS

(From our regular correspondent)

Martin-Freeman

Mr. Hubert Martin of Del Rio and Miss Bulah Freeman of Dryden were united in marriage Tuesday and left for Langtry where they will make their future home. Friends here wish them joy and happiness.

Bartley-Ledwell

Mr. J. D. Bartley of Fort Worth and Miss Virginia Ledwell of Dryden were united in marriage last week. The happy couple will make their home in El Paso. The good wishes of their many friends follow them to their new home.

Baley-Latimer

Mr. Joe Baley of Del Rio and Miss Helen Latimer of Dryden were united in marriage last week and left for El Paso where they will make their future home. Their friends extend congratulations and best wishes.

Martha Thomas is spending a few days on the Banner ranch.

J. K. Fulton went to Sanderson Friday on business.

E. P. Peoples was in Dryden this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Chandler and children returned from San Angelo, Tuesday, where they have spent the last two weeks. They report a nice time having

A Reference

To those desirous of knowing the character of service this Bank renders, preparatory to opening a checking account here, we suggest they "Ask the man who has one."

SANDERSON STATE BANK

attended the encampment while in the city and also a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Luckie came in Monday from Del Rio.

Ray Parker of Sanderson spent Tuesday in Dryden.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dyer arrived in town Wednesday from New York City. Russell was discharged from the U. S. Navy recently, after completing his term of enlistment. Russell's many friends here extend a hearty welcome to him and his estimable wife.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Bobbie Lea entertained a number of his little friends on his 4th birthday, Thursday afternoon, the little youngsters enjoyed the different games dear to childhood. After a repast of cream and cake the hostess organized a ball team, all met on the diamond showing a promise of being Ty Cobb followers.

Mrs. A. D. Brown and children and Donald Duncan were in from the ranch Sunday to meet Mr. Brown who came in on No. 102 from El Paso.

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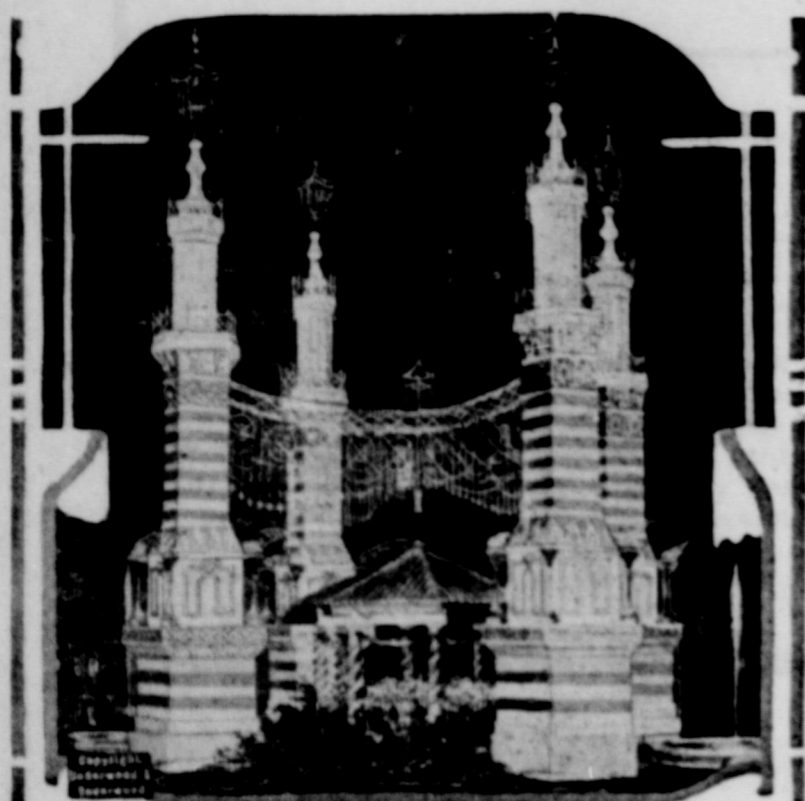
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Missouri Town Stages Contest of Fiddlers



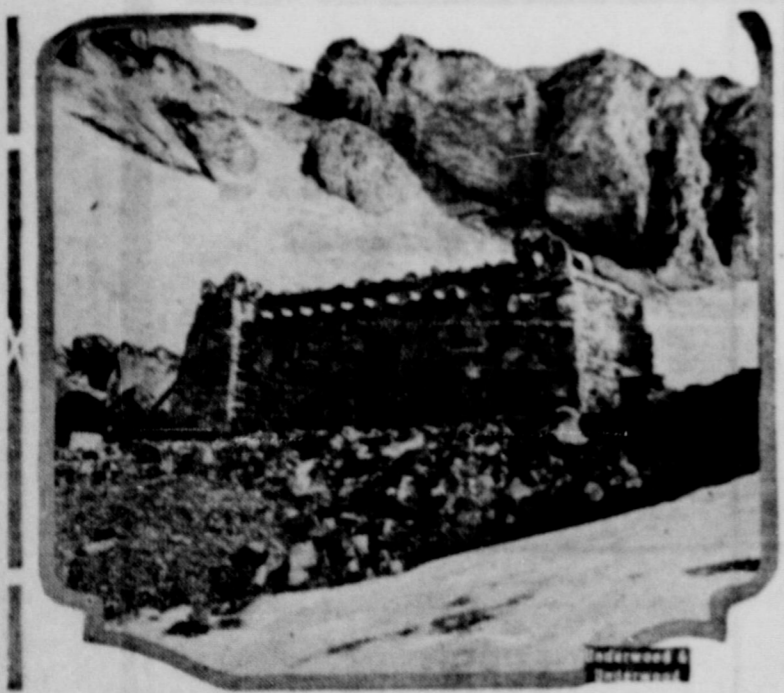
Recently the city of Paris, Mo., held an old-time fiddlers' contest and the musicians proved that the melodies of bygone days were still beautiful. The illustration shows the contest in progress, and Henry Taylor of Cairo, Mo., won first prize—the large cup he is holding.

Tower of Jewels for Cincinnati



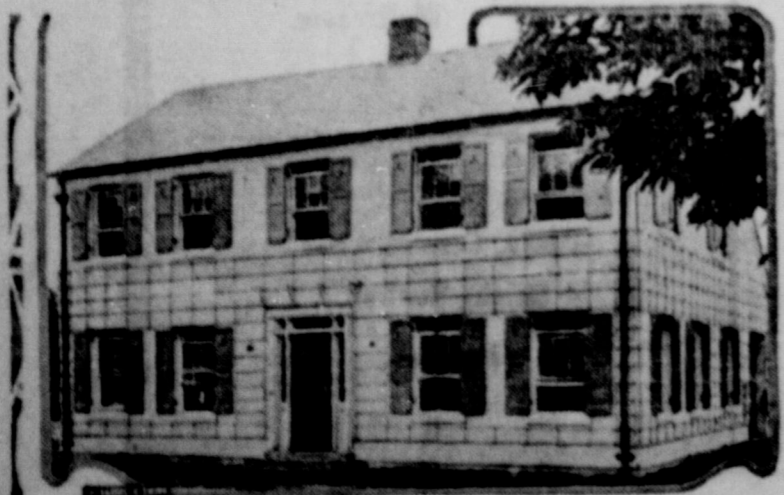
These jeweled minarets will form the center of a spectacular electrical illumination at the Cincinnati fall festival, August 25 to Sept. 8. The spires, each 90 feet high, will be festooned with 50,000 jewels. Forty searchlights, having a total of 450,000,000 beam candle power, will be used for the illumination.

Farthest Up of American Hotels



This is Camp Muir, nestling in a niche on the side of Mount Rainier, 10,200 feet altitude—the highest hotel in the country. It is built of volcanic rock plastered together with cement which was brought up, 100 pounds at a time, on the back of a burro. Those who negotiate the climb to the summit of Rainier each summer sleep here at night and arise at 4 a. m. for the final pull up to the peak, 14,448 feet high.

Washington Honors Payne's Memory



This is the replica of the boyhood home of John Howard Payne who wrote the lyric of "Home, Sweet Home." It has been built on the government parkway south of the treasury at Washington and was dedicated June 4 by President Harding, opening the "Better Homes Week." Miss Homer, famous contralto, sang "Home, Sweet Home" and the speakers included several cabinet officers. Later the home will be moved to a permanent site.

SOLONS WIND UP LEGISLATIVE WORK

Governor Neff Will Not Call Another Session of Legislature Till Next Fall.

Austin, Tex.—The third called session of the Texas legislature adjourned sine die Thursday night, the senate at 11:50 and the house at 11:55, after a message was read in both houses from the governor declaring the session failed either to provide adequate revenues or to bring appropriations within available revenues. No session will be called now, the governor said, declaring he did not "feel that we should at this time spend more of the people's money in marching up the legislative hill and down the legislative hill in a futile effort to do the thing that ought to be done but which it seems impossible for you to do."

"So often have I submitted the proposition of making revenue and appropriations meet," the governor declared, "that I have no hope that you would make 'tonce and buckle meet' should I again reconvene you for this purpose in another special session."

Appropriations made by the third called session of the thirty-eighth legislature which adjourned sine die Thursday totaled \$35,960,098, as compared with the aggregate of \$39,297,931 of bills of the preceding session, vetoed by the governor, a difference of only \$3,337,833. However, it is somewhat better than that, for there is included \$110,000 per diem and for contingent expenses of the session just closed, and the \$363,400 appropriated for the reclamation surveys.

The regular session appropriated \$600,000 for the reclamation surveys and it was cut to \$363,400. This, with the \$110,000 per diem makes \$473,400 not chargeable against the vetoed bills, and the net reduction of vetoed measures is \$3,721,232. This is contrasted with the governor's estimated deficiency under revenues in sight of \$8,000,000, and leaves, according to his figures, the state \$4,276,000 in the red at the end of two years, unless the new tax measures some way or other make it up.

It is estimated that the new tax bills will produce at least \$1,000,000 additional funds, being inheritance, additional oil, slot machine, delinquent and sulphur taxes.

Approximately \$1,000,000 can be subtracted from the aggregate, as that amount has been appropriated two years for the support of the state highway department and comes out of motor vehicle fees.

In his message of April 16 the governor said the appropriations of the regular session totaled \$4,914,500. The \$600,000 reclamation amount having been repealed, the net amount is \$4,314,500. This, added to the appropriations of this session, makes the grand total \$42,274,598; money authorized by the legislature to be expended during the next two years.

One of the last official acts of the house before adjournment Thursday was to defeat a resolution by Representative Maxwell proposing a legislative tax committee to investigate the present tax situation and report back to the thirty-ninth legislature. The resolution was defeated by a vote of 39 to 20.

The lower branch spent most of the last day of the session in adopting committee reports. Reports on the eleemosynary, educational, rural aid, emergency school aid, reclamation and departmental appropriation bills were adopted during the day.

A strong denunciation of the legislature's action in reducing the state ranger force from 75 to 59 and reducing other items in the departmental bill was entered by Representative Baker of Milam, when conference report on it was brought in. Baker moved that the report be rejected, but his motion was tabled by vote of 71 to 32, and the report adopted by a vote of 77 to 25. The bill shows a reduction over that vetoed by the governor of \$472,000.

Coroner Holds Mount Was Blain.

Chicago.—The coroner's jury investigating the death of Leighton Mount, Northwestern University student, whose skeleton was found under an Evanston pier six weeks ago, Thursday reached a verdict that Mount had come to his death at the hands of persons unknown and recommended that these persons be apprehended and brought before the grand jury.

Jackson County Rains.

Edna, Tex.—Beneficial rains fell over the greater part of Jackson County last week. In Edna proper the rainfall amounted to a little more than two inches. This rain will practically make the corn and will be for much benefit to the cotton as well as sorghum and potatoes. Grass in the pastures also will be helped. The farmers are now putting up hay for winter use.

New Orleans Rice Market.

New Orleans, La.—Prices were unchanged in the local rice market Friday. Fancy Blue Rose was quoted at 4 1/4 @ 4 1/2 cents a pound and choice at 3 3/4 @ 4 cents. Porto Rico continued to buy various grades of Blue Rose in a small way. In the domestic trade Northern market interests took on small amounts of fancy and choice grades, which continued to be offered only in limited lots. Receipts amounted to \$750 pockets of clean.

REPORT OF MARKETS

Price Range of Cotton, Grain Hay, Feed, Live Stock, Meats, Fruits, Etc.

Latest report of markets, issued by Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Fruits and Vegetables.—Carolina potatoes nearly steady for the week. Texas, Alabama and Louisiana stock lower. Prices at shipping points declining. Watermelon markets tend downward. Best tomatoes advance in city markets. Peaches and cantaloupes continue to decline. Prices reported June 14: South Carolina cobbler potatoes, \$5.00@5.75 per barrel in most cities; \$5.50@6.00 in Chicago and Cleveland; \$4.75@4.85 f.o.b. North Carolina cobbler, \$4.50@5.50 in city markets; \$4.25@4.75 f.o.b. North markets; \$4.75@4.85 f.o.b. California salmon; cantaloupes, standards, \$2.50@4.00; city markets, \$2.15@2.50; f.o.b. cash tracks, Georgia piak meats, flats, 30@35 Eastern market, Florida Tom Watson watermelons, 22-28 pounds, \$350@600 bulk per car in city markets; 22-24 pound melons, \$175@250 f.o.b. cash track to growers. Florida, fancy cobbler tomatoes, turning wrapped, \$1.50@4.00 per six-basket carriers; repacked stock \$6.00@8.50. South Carolina tomatoes, \$5.00@5.25. Texas fairs \$2.00@2.50 in city markets. Mississippi, green and turning wrapped, fairs, \$2.00@3.00 in consuming centers; \$1.50@1.60 f.o.b. Georgia Unseeded peaches, 6s, \$1.50@2.25 leading cities; \$1.35@1.60 f.o.b. North Carolina Mayflower, \$2.25@2.50 in Baltimore.

Live Stock and Meats.—Chicago hog prices declined 5 to 20 cents for the week. Beef steers 10 to 45 cents; butcher cows and heifers 15 to 40 cents; feeder steers 25 to 35 cents, and calf calves, 50 to 75 cents up. Fat lambs weak to 10 cents lower; spring lambs steady to 25 cents higher. On June 14 hogs mostly 10 cents higher than Wednesday's average. Beef steers, butcher cows and heifers 15 to 25 cents up; feeder steers and veal calves steady. Fat lambs and fat weas steady to strong. June 14 Chicago prices: Hogs, top, \$7.05, bulk of sales, \$6.60@6.90; medium and good beef steers, \$8.30@10.65; butcher cows and heifers, \$4.25@10.25; feeder steers, \$8.30@10.65; butcher cows and heifers, \$4.25@10.25; feeder steers, \$8.40@8.75; light and medium weight veal calves, \$8.25@11.00. Fat lambs \$12.00@14.75; spring lambs, \$13.75@16.25; yearlings, \$8.25@13.00; fat ewes, \$3.00@6.25. Stocker and feeder shipments from 11 important markets during the week ending June 9 were: Cattle and calves, 4,498; hogs, 11,533; sheep, 16,786. In Eastern wholesale meat markets, beef firm to 50 cents higher; veal, \$2 lower to \$1 higher; lamb, \$1 lower to \$1 up; mutton \$3 lower to \$1 up; light pork loins steady to 50 cents and heavy loins steady to \$1 higher for the week. On June 14 spring lamb was \$1 higher in Boston; mutton firm to \$1 higher and pork loins 50 cents to \$1 higher at New York. All classes dragsy at Philadelphia. June 14 prices good grade meats: Beef \$15.00@17.50; veal, \$15.00@16.00; lamb, \$24.00@30.00; mutton, \$11.00@15.00; light pork \$14.00@17.00, and heavy loins, \$10.00@14.00.

Feed.—Market weak. Considerable pressure to sell wheat feeds, especially bran for quick and prompt shipment. Other wheat feeds fairly steady, oil meals shade easier and in ample supply. Corn feeds easier and in moderate demand. Scarcely any demand for alfalfa meal with supplies exceeding present requirements. Receipts and movement good. Interior supplies ample. Quoted June 13: Bran, \$19; middlings, \$23; flour middlings, \$28; red dog, \$31; rye feed, \$24.50 Minneapolis; gluten feed, \$37.15 Chicago; white hominy feed, \$32.50 St. Louis, \$33.50 Chicago; 36 per cent cottonseed meal, \$35.50 Memphis, \$36.50 Atlanta; 32 per cent linseed meal, \$38.50 Minneapolis, \$40 Buffalo.

Grain.—Wheat prices fluctuated in narrow range during the week and closed fractionally higher. Trade was local and buying power limited, but firmness in Winnipeg and Liverpool and heavy rains in Southwest served to keep market on steady basis. Wheat prices higher on the 14th, influenced by dry weather reports from Northwest, unfavorable crop comment from Southwest and strength in Liverpool, but advance was more than lost at the close. July corn acted tight and not much pressure in deferred deliveries but market reacted from beat figures on late weakness in wheat and closed on a low note higher than yesterday. Closing prices in Chicago cash market: No. 2 red winter wheat, \$1.24; No. 2 hard winter wheat, \$1.12; No. 2 mixed corn, 84 cents; No. 2 yellow corn, 84 cents; No. 3 white oats, 44 cents. Average farm prices: No. 2 mixed corn in Central Iowa, 71 cents; No. 2 hard winter wheat in Central Kansas, 92 cents; No. 1 dark Northern wheat in Central North Dakota, 96 cents. Closing future prices: Chicago July wheat, \$1.19 1/2; Chicago July corn, 81 1/4 cents; Minneapolis July wheat, \$1.13 1/2; Kansas City July wheat, \$1.03 1/2; Winnipeg July wheat, \$1.17.

Cotton.—Spot cotton prices declined 31 points during the week. New York July future contracts, declined 63 points. Spot cotton closed at 28.29 cents per pound. New York July futures at \$27.15 cents.

Hay.—Light supplies causing continued firmness in hay prices with slight advances reported at several markets, including Chicago and Minneapolis. Market lower at Cincinnati because of smaller demand from South. Flood conditions restricting movement both and new alfalfa in Southwest. Prices holding firm. Quoted June 13: No. 1 Timothy, New York, \$27.50; Philadelphia, \$23; Cincinnati, \$19.50; Chicago, \$23.50; Minneapolis, \$17.50; St. Louis, \$24.50; Memphis, \$27. No. 1 alfalfa, Kansas City, \$25.25. No. 1 prairie, Kansas City, \$19.50.



EAGLE WAYS

"I want to tell you," said Daddy, "more about the Bald Eagles. They are the ones chosen as the American Birds of Freedom and, as you know, they do not get their white heads and tail feathers until they are three years of age."

"Now, Mrs. Eagle had her nest near the top of a very high tree. It was a very, very large nest, for she did not care to have any other kind of a home. She didn't like small nests, and neither did Mr. Eagle, and as they were the ones to be suited they had a big nest."

"I don't like these little bits of cottage nests," Mrs. Eagle said, and Mr. Eagle answered, "My love, I agree with you!"

"Now the Eagles like to keep the same home, too, for many years. They don't want to change their nests. And the same pair of Eagles will keep the same nest for years and years, if undisturbed."

"They are quite harmless and will do no one any harm, but they have been shot at a great deal for no special reason except that some people like to shoot for the sake of shooting, which seems a pretty wretched reason."

"Mrs. Eagle laid two dull white eggs in February, for she said to Mr. Eagle, 'I do not like to let the children leave the nest until they are several months old. And I am laying the eggs in good season, so that the birdlings will be several months old and strong enough when July comes.'

"You know July is the month of the year in which the day of the Fourth comes. Other months have a fourth in them, or however one would speak of it, but the Fourth of July is particularly important. It's an American holiday, you see, and so it would be nice to leave the little darlings ready for the great day. I wouldn't want them to leave the nest until they were able to fly and be quite safe."

"And Mr. Eagle agreed with Mrs. Eagle."

"When the young Eagles were hatched they were covered with a whitish down. Mrs. Eagle thought that was very adorable."

"Of course," she said, "I cannot let them go out of the nest that way, for they would be made fun of and called 'Mother Eagle's Baby Downy,' and I know they wouldn't like that. They are like little boys who want to have their curls cut so people won't tease them, and the mothers hate to see the curls go, for they hate to think their babies are growing up. They love to have them grow up, but they always hate to see them leave their babyhood behind."

"So I will let the little darlings go forth without the down. Then they will have brownish-blackish feathers. They will spread out their wings. Ah, yes, and they will leave the deep home nest and see the world."

"We will teach them to make the Fish Hawk drop his prey if we want it, so we can catch it."

"We'll tell them Eagle stories—of how Eagles are to be found in Mexico, too; of how there are Eagles in the zoo, but no baby Eagles."

"Ah, yes, we will teach them all of this."

"So in July the babies left the nest and flew about for a little over the country."

"So People Won't Tease."

"You're chosen as the birds of the country over which you are flying," said Mother Eagle proudly, and she taught them Eagle History. Then the young Eagles spread their wings and said, "Freedom, Mother Eagle, is a beautiful thing."

"And Mother Eagle said, 'You know your Eagle History and you love it. Mother Eagle is very proud of you.'"

Bees Big Business.

A novel form of harvest excursion to Manitoba is being investigated by the Agricultural college of that province. The proposition is to bring bees from the southern states and have them collect Manitoba honey all summer and let them die in the fall. No half-fare returns. Manitoba produced one pound of honey last year for every five pounds of butter. One Manitoba beehive last summer brought in 13 1/2 pounds of honey in one day in June.

Family of Clergymen.

EVIDENCE GIVEN BY MRS. WICKENS

Presents Convincing Proof of Tanlac's Power to Overcome Stomach Troubles.

"My very first bottle of Tanlac gave me an appetite, and by the time I had finished four bottles of the treatment my health was restored completely," declared Mrs. L. P. Wickens, residing at 1214 West Tenth St., Oklahoma City. "Before taking Tanlac I was suffering with stomach trouble, and the little I managed to eat gave me indigestion and caused so much gas around my heart that I could hardly breathe. I had awful headaches and dizzy spells, and was so nervous I could never get a good night's sleep. I simply felt miserable, and was losing time every week from my work."

"Nothing helped me until I commenced taking Tanlac, but this medicine has restored my health so perfectly that I have a splendid appetite, sleep soundly every night, and never lose any time from my work. I feel splendid in every way, and can recommend Tanlac to anyone suffering like I did."

Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Take no substitute. Over 37 million bottles sold.

Tanlac Vegetable Pills are nature's own remedy for constipation. Sold everywhere.—Advertisement.

Testing Brass Pipe.

One of the most interesting checks on the temper and chemical characteristics of brass pipe is the ability of the chemist to look inside the metal with the aid of a microscope and see the grain structure of the brass itself. To the experienced eye of the brass chemist the formation, size and color of the grain will tell many things about the metal. They will show the temper of the brass, and it is many times possible to detect dangerous stresses which leave a pipe liable to season cracks. The manufacture of brass pipe has made great progress since the old days when the metal was cast by the "I hope so" rather than the "I know why" process. Brass making is a scientific business and brass pipe is now produced constant in alloy, standard in temper, with dangerous stresses removed by scientific heat treatments.—Scientific American.

Not That Kind of Soldier.

"Don't this kind of injury hurt you when you attempt to run?" asked the examining surgeon of a candidate for enlistment.

"Course it does. If yer lookin' for soldiers what's goin' to run, jest count me out."

Rumor hath a thousand tongues, and most of them wag at once.

MOTHER! GIVE CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP

Child's Best Laxative To Clean the Bowels

Hurry, mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will thoroughly clean the little bowels and in a few hours you have a well, playful child again. Even if cross, feverish, bilious, constipated or full of cold, children love its "fruity" taste, and mothers can rest easy because it never fails to work all the souring food and nasty bile right out of the stomach and bowels without griping or upsetting the child.

"Tell your druggist you want only the genuine 'California Fig Syrup' which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother, you must say 'California.' Refuse any imitation fig syrup.

DAISY FLY KILLER PLACED ANYWHERE

BEST YET Lice, Mite and Roach Powder

Guaranteed to kill lice and mites on poultry. Also roaches, fleas, ticks, and all insects. For a limited time we are offering 2 1/2 lbs. for a limited time regular 1 lb. package, \$1.19, 5 lbs. for \$4.95. For 10 lbs. \$9.95. Directions on package.

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The Secret Adversary

By AGATHA CHRISTIE
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"BLACKMAIL, EH?"

SYNOPSIS—Realizing that she has a possible chance of being saved, as the Lusitania is sinking, a stranger gives a young American girl a package which she asks her to deliver to the American ambassador in England. She is saved in London, former Lieut. "Tommy" Beresford and Miss Prudence Cowley—"Tuppence"—discharged army nurse, form an organization, "The Young Adventurers, Ltd." They are both broke and consequently ready for unorthodox methods. They write out an advertisement.

CHAPTER I—Continued.

Mr. Whittington spoke again: "If you will call upon me tomorrow morning at eleven o'clock, I will lay the details of my proposition before you."

"At eleven o'clock," said Tuppence doubtfully.
"At eleven o'clock," Tuppence made up her mind. "Very well. I'll be there."

"Thank you. Good evening."
He raised his hat with a flourish, and walked away. Tuppence remained for some minutes gazing after him. Then she gave a curious movement of her shoulders, rather as a terrier shakes himself.

"The adventures have begun," she murmured to herself. "What does he want me to do, I wonder? There's something about you, Mr. Whittington, that I don't like at all. But, on the other hand, I'm not the least bit afraid of you. And as I've said before, and shall doubtless say again, little Tuppence can look after herself, thank you!"

And with a short, sharp nod of her head she walked briskly onward. As a result of further meditations, however, she turned aside from the direct route and entered a post office. Tuppence wrote rapidly: "Don't put in advertisement. Will explain tomorrow." She addressed it to Tommy at his club, from which in one short month he would have to resign, unless a kindly fortune permitted him to renew his subscription.

It wanted some five minutes to eleven when Tuppence reached the block of buildings in which the offices of the Esthonia Glassware company were situated. To arrive before the time would look overzealous. So Tuppence decided to walk to the end of the street and back again. She did so. On the stroke of eleven she plunged into the recesses of the building. The Esthonia Glassware company was on the top floor. Tuppence knocked. In response to a voice from within, she turned the handle and walked into a small rather dirty outer office.

A middle-aged clerk got down from a high stool at a desk near the window and came toward her inquiringly. "I have an appointment with Mr. Whittington," said Tuppence.

"Will you come this way, please?" He crossed to a partition door with "Private" on it, knocked, then opened the door and stood aside to let her pass in.

Mr. Whittington was seated behind a large desk covered with papers. Tuppence felt her previous judgment confirmed. There was something wrong about Mr. Whittington. The combination of his sleek prosperity and his shifty eye was not attractive. He looked up and nodded.
"So you're turned up, all right? That's good. Sit down, will you?" Tuppence sat meekly with downcast eyes whilst Mr. Whittington sorted

and rustled amongst his papers. Finally he pushed them away, and leaned over the desk.
"Now, my dear young lady, let us come to business." His large face broadened into a smile. "You want work? Well, I have work to offer you. What should you say now to £500 down, and all expenses paid?" Mr. Whittington leaned back in his chair, and thrust his thumbs into the armbolts of his waiolcoat.
Tuppence eyed him warily.
"And the nature of the work?" she demanded.

"Nominal—purely nominal. A pleasure trip, that is all."
"Where to?"
Mr. Whittington smiled again. "Paris."
"Oh!" said Tuppence thoughtfully. To herself she said: "Of course, if father heard that he would have a fit! But somehow I don't see Mr. Whittington in the role of the gay deceiver."
"Yes," continued Whittington. "What could be more delightful? To put the clock back a few years—a very few, I am sure—and re-enter one of those charming pensionnats de Jeunes filles with which Paris abounds—"

Tuppence interrupted him. "A pensionnat?"
"Exactly. Madame Colombier's in the Avenue de Neuilly."
Tuppence knew the name well. Nothing could have been more select. She had had several American friends there. She was more than ever puzzled.
"You want me to go to Madame Colombier's? For how long?"
"That depends. Possibly three months."

"And that is all? There are no other conditions?"
"None whatever. By the way, you are English, are you not?"
"Yes."
"Yet you speak with a slight American accent?"
"My great pal in hospital was a little American girl. I dare say I picked it up from her. I can soon get out of it again."

"On the contrary, it might be simpler for you to pass as an American. Details about your past life in England might be more difficult to sustain. Yes, I think that would be decidedly better. Then—"
"One moment, Mr. Whittington! You seem to be taking my consent for granted."
Whittington looked surprised.
"Surely you are not thinking of refusing. I can assure you that Madame Colombier's is a most high-class and orthodox establishment. And the terms are most liberal."
"Exactly," said Tuppence. "That's just it. The terms are almost too liberal, Mr. Whittington. I cannot see any way in which I can be worth that amount of money to you."

"No," said Whittington softly. "Well, I will tell you. I could doubtless obtain someone else for very much less. What I am willing to pay for is a young lady with sufficient intelligence and presence of mind to sustain her part well, and also one who will have sufficient discretion not to ask too many questions."
Tuppence smiled a little. She felt that Whittington had scored.
"There's another thing. So far there has been no mention of Mr. Beresford. Where does he come in?"
"Mr. Beresford?"
"My partner," said Tuppence with dignity. "You saw us together yesterday."
"Ah, yes. But I'm afraid we haven't required his services."
"Then it's off," Tuppence rose. "It's both or neither. Sorry—but that's how it is. Good morning, Mr. Whittington."

"Wait a minute. Let us see if something can't be managed. Sit down again, Miss—" He paused interrogatively.
Tuppence's conscience gave her a passing twinge as she remembered the archdeacon. She seized hurriedly on the first name that came into her head.
"Jane Finn," she said hastily; and then paused open-mouthed at the effect of those two simple words.
All the geniality had faded out of Whittington's face. It was purple with rage, and the veins stood out on his forehead. And behind it all there lurked a sort of incredulous dismay. He leaned forward and hissed savagely:
"So that's your little game, is it? Tuppence, though utterly taken aback, nevertheless kept her head. She had not the faintest comprehension of his meaning, but she was naturally quick-witted, and felt it imperative to "keep her end up," as she phrased it.

Whittington went on:
"Been playing with me, have you, all the time, like a cat and mouse? Knew all the time what I wanted you for, but kept up the comedy. Is that it, eh? He was cooling down. The red color was ebbing out of his face. He eyed her keenly. "Who's been blabbing? Rita?"
Tuppence shook her head. She was doubtful as to how long she could sustain this illusion, but she realized the importance of not dragging an unknown Rita into it.
"No," she replied with perfect truth. "Rita knows nothing about me."
"How much do you know?" he shot out.
"Very little indeed," answered Tuppence, and was pleased to note that Whittington's uneasiness was augmented instead of allayed.
"Anyway," he married, "you knew enough to come in here and plump out that name."
"It might be my own name," Tuppence pointed out.
"It's likely, isn't it, that there would be two girls with a name like that? Quit fooling! How much do you know? How much do you want?"
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fancy nightly, especially after a meager breakfast and a supper of buns the night before. She sat up and smiled with the air of one who has the situation thoroughly well in hand.
"My dear Mr. Whittington," she said, "let us by all means lay our cards upon the table. And pray do not be so angry. You heard me say yesterday that I proposed to live by my wits. It seems to me that I have now proved I have some wits to live by! I admit I have knowledge of a certain name, but perhaps my knowledge ends there."
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palpably impossible sum might awaken his suspicions. An idea flashed across his brain.
"Suppose we say a little something down, and a fuder discussion of the matter later?"
Whittington gave her an ugly glance. "Blackmail, eh?"
Tuppence smiled sweetly. "Oh, no! Shall we say payment of services in advance?"
Whittington grunted.
"You're about the limit, that's what you are," he growled, with a sort of unwilling admiration. "You took me in all right. Thought you were quite a meek little kid with just enough brains for my purpose. All the same, someone's been talking. You say it isn't Rita. Was it—? Oh, come in!"

The clerk followed his discreet knock into the room, and laid a paper at his master's elbow.
"Telephone message just come for you, sir."
Whittington snatched it up and read it. A frown gathered on his brow.
"That'll do, Brown. You can go."
The clerk withdrew. Whittington turned to Tuppence.
"Come tomorrow at the same time. I'm busy now. Here's fifty to go on with."
He rapidly sorted out some notes, and pushed them across the table to Tuppence.

The girl counted the notes, secured them in her handbag, and rose.
"Good morning, Mr. Whittington," she said politely. "At least, au revoir, I should say."
"Exactly. Au revoir, my clever and charming young lady."
Tuppence sped lightly down the stairs. A wild elation possessed her. "Let's give Tommy a surprise!" murmured Tuppence, and hailed a taxi.

The cab drew up outside the tube station. Tommy was just within the entrance. His eyes opened to their fullest extent as he hurried forward to assist Tuppence to alight. She smiled at him affectionately, and remarked in a slightly affected voice:
"Pray the thing, will you, old man? I've got nothing smaller than a five-pound note!"

CHAPTER II
A Setback.
The moment was not quite so triumphant as it ought to have been. To begin with the resources of Tommy's pockets were somewhat limited. In the end the fare was managed.
"Well," said Mr. Beresford, at length able to relieve his feelings, "what the dickens did you want to take a taxi for?"
"I was afraid I might be late and keep you waiting," said Tuppence gently. "And really and truly, I haven't got anything smaller than a five-pound note. Now let's go to lunch. How about the Savoy?"
Tommy grinned.
"How about the Rita?"
"Oh second thoughts, I prefer the Piccadilly. It's nearer. We shan't

LIVE STOCK NEWS

Selection of Breed for Good Flock of Sheep

In establishing a flock of sheep for the farm there are many advantages in the farmers of a community selecting the same breed. One important advantage is in changing rams so as to avoid inbreeding. A farmer with only a few ewes is likely to inbreed or use a poor sire, rather than introduce new blood through the purchase of a good ram. Sheep are divided into three general classes: 1, the fine wools, such as the American Merino, Delaine, and Rambouillet; 2, medium wools, such as the Oxford, Hampshire, Shropshire, Southdown, etc.; 3, the coarse wools, such as the Cotswolds, Leicester and Lincoln.

The first class of fine wools are especially desirable when run in large numbers on the ranges in mountainous regions, as they herd well together, retain the wool well and are protected by a close fleece, and probably do better than other breeds on coarse or more or less woody vegetation. Of the fine wools, the Rambouillet has the best mutton type and is the largest in size.

The second class, or medium wool sheep, are probably best for non-irrigated sections of the state but do well anywhere, as they are of a distinct meat type, mature early, and furnish a higher percentage of mutton than the fine wools. They are not as large as coarse wools, for the sheep mature earlier. Some of the breeds of this class are rather small, active and well adapted to grazing where the feed is sparse.

The Southdowns are the smallest and mature very early and rapidly, but shear only about six to eight pounds of wool. The Shropshire is the most popular farm sheep in America, giving a well-balanced yield of mutton and wool, and shearing 12 to 14 pounds under farm conditions. Hampshire and Oxford are larger than Shropshires, but are a little slower in maturing. Any one of these breeds will give satisfaction.—Extension Service, Colorado Agricultural College.

Some Reasons Why Hogs Are Popular Farm Animals
(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
What is the basis of the hog's popularity, which, in spite of his relatively small size, enables him to stand third in total value among all our domestic animals in the United States? The first place, of course, he produces toothsome meats which in some form or other combine well with most of our common vegetables, but, according to the Department of Agriculture, there are other reasons why the hog has become a favorite on more than three-fourths of our farms.

The hog converts much of our corn crop, 30 to 40 per cent annually, into a concentrated food, and in this work of concentration he is no waste. He is an efficient user of feed. It takes about six pounds of hay to produce a pound of lamb (live weight), ten pounds of hay and ten pounds of corn to make a pound of beef, and 5.6 pounds of corn for a pound of pork. Hogs are frequently used to "hog down" or harvest crops and in this way they save the labor of harvesting.

In this country pork and lard enter prominently into our food supply. The average annual consumption per capita for the last five years was 67.3 pounds of pork and 12.5 pounds of lard as compared with 600 pounds of beef.

Portable Concrete Safes.
Portable safes made of concrete without any iron or steel outside casing, are now in use in Germany, and are also being exported. These small safes are said to possess all the advantages in respect to their fireproof and insulating qualities that are possessed by large concrete vaults. Securely connected to an iron base are four upright corner pieces formed of rectangular iron plates stiffened with angle irons. These meet at the center of each side of the safe, and form continuous walls. Inside these walls similar corner pieces, secured to the base, form the interior lining of the safe. The space between these two iron walls is filled with reinforcing rods of various kinds. The concrete is poured so as to form a monolithic structure with outside concrete walls.

HAVE ODD TRYSTING PLACE

New York Museum of Art a Favorite Place for Lovers to Murmur "Sweet Nothings."

"Meet me outside Jerry's," says the downtown clerk to his innamorata of the moment. If he works uptown he specifies "Hackett's" or "Brown's" drug store as the trysting place. These substitutes for the hotel lobby serve most particularly the Saturday lunch and matinee crowd, the New York Sun states.

There is another spot, considerably off the beaten track of Times square, which is used by the higher brouh—the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Saturday afternoon at the museum is a busy time. It is a free day in two senses—a business half-holiday and a free admission day. The place swarms with parents and children, out-of-town visitors, foreigners from the lower East side and an occasional soldier or sailor. In this crowd the couple interested in each other is easily lost.

"Meet me at Fernab's tomb," says he of the flowing locks to she of the bobbed hair. The Egyptian room is extremely popular just now in view of the recent discoveries at Luxor. Sometimes the pair really look at the objects about them before strolling out to the avenue. She may admire a bit of antique jewelry and he, knowing himself safe by some thousands of years, joins in her admiration. Or she may ask him if he really thinks that the ancient Egyptian woman was more beautiful than the modern American girl. He is indeed a poor specimen of manhood if he does not rise to this bait.

Another popular place is the Rodin gallery. It is easily found, which cannot be said of every collection in the museum. Here our couple may stand before the "Hand of God" and imagine they are the commingling figures within. Anything can be imagined by the light of the divine spark.

What spot so fitting for a trysting place as the hall of chivalry? Here knights in full armor arrayed bestride gaily caparisoned steeds and couch their lances for their sweet ladies' sake. The hall is quiet and little frequented, and an earnest conversation can be carried on without much fear of interruption or eavesdroppers.

He and she may merely meet and depart together immediately, or they may wander about for a half hour or so. In either case they have done their share in gratifying the trustees. They have helped swell the number of annual visitors to the museum.

Fighting Frost in California.
Frost prevention is an ever-present problem with the orange growers of California. A dependable system of frost prevention would be of immense value to them. Recently a system has been developed which shows great promise. The plant consists of a central heating furnace. Oil is fed under pressure from a supply tank to the burners by a small motor. A thirty-horse power motor is attached to a blower which draws the air into the heating chamber and forces it out through the distributing pipes. These pipes are of concrete, varying in size from ten inches at the furnace down to three inches at the point of delivery. Vertical galvanized pipes with distributing caps deliver a stream of hot air directly under each group of four trees. The temperature of the air at the point of delivery is approximately 400 degrees Fahrenheit, and dampers control the amount of air delivered. The inventor claims that his equipment can displace the cold air in an orchard with warm air to a height of ten feet in about fifteen minutes.

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Baby Was Soon Playing With Daddy Again

"My baby cut two teeth at 4 1/2 months and cried so much I could hardly quiet her. Really I didn't know what to do till a friend said give her Teethina, which I did, and in a day or two she was laughing and playing with Daddy again. She has cut several teeth since and they never gave her a bit of trouble," writes Mrs. Charles H. Farman, 21 Shell Road, Mobile, Ala.

Many a distracted mother would find comfort and relief if she would give her baby Teethina all through its teething time. It soothes the inflamed gums and relieves every distressing symptom. Teethina is sold by leading druggists, or send 30c to the Moffett Laboratories, Columbus, Ga., and receive a full-size package and a free copy of Moffett's Illustrated Baby Book.—Advertisement.

A Current Event.
Gen. George A. Wingate said in New York the other day:
"Any man who maltreats our young war invalids deserves the fate of Mrs. Malaprop's daughter."
"Your daughter recites real well," the pastor's wife said to Mrs. Malaprop at a church social.
"Yes," said Mrs. Malaprop. "I'm going to give her a course of electrocution."
"Then she smiled and added:
"Sort of finish her off, ye know."

Cuticura for Pimply Faces.
To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura-Talcum. Advertisement.

Even for Small Boy.
Little Neal was sitting at the breakfast table when his mother asked him how many panaches he had eaten.
"Three," he answered.
"If you ate three more, how many would that make?" questioned his mother, as the little fellow is learning arithmetic.
"Well," replied Neal slowly, "I guess it would make a tummy-full."

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There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles. An Othine double strength is guaranteed to remove these humely spots.
Simply get an ounce of Othine from any drugstore and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is so simple that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful, clear complexion. Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

TCH!
Money back without question if HUNTER'S BALVE fails to relieve itching skin diseases. RINGWORM, TERTER or other itching skin diseases. Price 25c at druggists, or direct from U.S. Mails to the U.S. Mail.

London Mayors.
The new lord mayor, who was recently installed in office, is the 73rd mayor that London has had, for the first mayor of London was appointed in the year 1189. From time immemorial the holder of this office has been called "lord mayor," and since 1354 he has been a "right honorable." He ranks as an earl, and is the representative of royalty in the civil government of the city.

Prehistoric Cliff Dwellers.
Several skeletons of prehistoric beings estimated to be from 1,200 to 1,500 years old have been unearthed in the Ozark region of Missouri. These people were cliff dwellers, but they should not be confused with the cliff dwellers who lived high up on the faces of cliffs in Arizona and New Mexico. Many crude weapons and implements were found perfectly preserved in the dry mud under the overhanging cliffs.

Just go on with what you're doing now. Find Jane Finn.
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"I Think the Immigration Laws of the Future Should Be Wholly American"

By JAMES J. DAVIS, U. S. Secretary of Labor.

IN IMMIGRATION I propose that we establish strict but just tests of physical and mental health, and that we make these tests under the numerical restriction now placed upon immigration.

I am not in favor of compelling an individual to become a citizen. Compulsory citizenship is impossible.

I hold that whoever comes from abroad to degrade the American level of intelligence, of physical or mental or moral life, degrades every honest naturalized citizen.

It is a shortsighted policy to seek cheap labor through immigration. Cheap labor is expensive labor, both for the industry which employs it and the community which houses it.

I think the immigration laws of the future should be wholly American, drawn by Americans, enforced by Americans, for the benefit of America today and in the future.

Extraordinary Popular Enthusiasm Behind Policy of Premier Mussolini

By JULIUS H. BARNES, President U. S. Chamber of Commerce.

We were all most impressed with Italy as the most promising country of the world in the war. We found an extraordinary popular enthusiasm behind the policy of Premier Mussolini.

This will be granted an extraordinary statement when it is remembered that only two years ago the factories of Italy were in the hands of communistic workmen, and the statesman who made this declaration five years ago was the leading socialist editor of Italy.

This man has extraordinary power to realize his policies in Italy. Already, without disturbance and with hardly any local criticism, he has reduced the personnel of the state railways by 40,000; he has turned the parcel post service away from the government postal service to a private express company, and negotiations are well along for taking the telephone system out of the hands of the state.

In industrial competition Italy suffers from lack of natural resources, but there are offsetting advantages in hydro-electric development and in the native capital of a people naturally industrious.

"And It Is a Country Worth Living for, Fighting and Dying For"

By COL. P. E. HOLF, Chicago Lecturer.

Eight times America has gone to war under the Star-Spangled Banner, and not once have we taken an acre of ground or a dollar of money as a result of winning—that is the "American way."

When we wanted territory we purchased it. We didn't declare war on the country owning the property and take it as the spoils of conquest.

In spite of all this, however, the foreign nations look upon us as an imperialistic nation, and we have been called the "Shylock of nations" by those who cannot understand our principles, our "American way."

Modern Girl Is Best Thing Woman Has Turned Out Since Evolution Began

By MISS RACHEL COROTHERS, Author of "Nice People."

The modern girl is 25 per cent more honest and decent than her mother, just as her mother was 25 per cent more honest and decent than the generation that preceded her.

The woman is doing the same things she objects to the girl doing, and she is doing these things in a manner that has far more influence than the girl's actions.

Instead of asking yourselves what you are going to do about the younger generation, you might ask yourselves what the younger generation, as represented by the girl, thinks of you.

The modern girl is the best thing woman has turned out since evolution began. She is thinking for herself and refusing to follow the orthodox stuff that is handed out to her by the older generation.

'BRAINIEST BALL TEAM' DEFEATED BY COLLEGE STUDENTS



Students of Carleton college at Northfield, Minn., started their share of the Carleton \$1,000,000 campaign by getting up a ball game between the "World's Brainiest Baseball Team" and a team made up of college seniors.

Big Fights for Leonard



As long as he doesn't have to make weight, Benny Leonard, the lightweight champion, may engage in three or four big outdoor bouts this summer that might bring him close to \$500,000.

Baseball Notes

Baseball pool gratifiers cleaned up nearly \$1,000,000 last year in Chicago.

Art Wilson's Pittsfield team is in the rack and he is trying hard to rejuvenate it.

Wid Mathews, the Mack center fielder, is a tiny little fellow, but a fleet and fine fielder.

Pitcher Peck Williams, formerly of the Cotton States league, has been sent to Detroit.

The pitchers seem unable to stop Charley Grimm, the Pirate slugging first baseman.

There seems little letting up in the manner in which Harry Heilmann, Tiger outfielder, is hitting the ball.

James J. Corbett, former world's heavyweight boxing champion, is in the market for a major league ball club.

Catcher Truman Warwick has been sent to the Film club of the Mint league.

Philadelphia has a girls' public high school baseball league, composed of five teams.

The Little Rock Southern association team has sold outfielder Doc Silva to the Syracuse, International club.

The Vernon club announces the release of Ed Kenna, a recruit catcher, to Beaumont of the Texas league.

Patry Donovan is a big booster for Wally Simpson, who is doing some great hitting in the Eastern league.

New Orleans has shipped its only southpaw pitcher, Ralph Miller, to Vicksburg of the Cotton States league.

Pitcher Molly Meis is reported as having located himself with the Rockford team of the Three-I league.

The season has progressed to the point when the rookie with the team who was going to burn up the league is kind of wondering.

George Connolly, the former Toronto pitcher, has been released by the Chicago White Sox to the Galveston club of the Texas league.

News about baseball was first published in the old New York Sunday Mercury in 1858. Prior to that year, everything relating to the game was merely hearsay.

IMPORTANT WORK OF MAN BEHIND BATTER

Catcher Should Practice Getting Into Throwing Position.

(By CARL LUNDGREN, Baseball Coach, University of Illinois.)

The catcher should practice continually getting into throwing position rapidly, and the more practice you can get with your mask and protector on, the better it will be.

The throwing position should be assumed and the catcher should be alert to throw at all times with men on bases. Practice throwing to all bases from behind both right-handed and left-handed batters.

Fourth Sport Decoration Will Go to Rutgers Star

Rutgers has the one athlete among the present students at the eastern colleges who will probably finish the present collegiate year with four major sport letters.

Sacramento Rider Sets New Motorcycle Record

Arch Rife of Sacramento set what is said to be world record for endurance motorcycle riding when he completed his seventy-seventh hour of riding. Officials stopped the race.

Concentration Quite Important to Golfer

For a game of its size golf requires an unreasonable amount of concentration, and that's one thing they do not sell in the golf supply shops.

Altrock Recommends Pitcher to Griffith

Have you heard the one about Nick Altrock and the House of David pitcher?

Nick, comedian and scout of the Senators, was in Boston one day, and saw a youngster hurling fine ball for the long-haired and long-bearded nine.

It happened the House of David team ran out of pitchers, and had borrowed Curtis Fullerton from the Red Sox.

Two weeks later, the Red Sox played the Senators in Washington, and Altrock was amazed to see Fullerton pitching.

"When in Sam Hill," Altrock asked him, "did you get your whiskers cut off?"

INTERESTING SPORT NOTES

Frank Hanney of the Indiana university holds a record of hurling the javelin 175 feet.

The only time the Olympic games were held in the United States was in St. Louis, Mo., in 1904.

A bill has been submitted to the New York legislature to limit the price of admission to races to \$1.50.

Luis Firpo, South American heavyweight champion, is 6 feet 3 1/2 inches tall, and weighs 210 pounds.

Miss Martha Murdock of Saratoga, N. Y., is the champion woman discus thrower of the United States.

Senator George Wharton Pepper of Pennsylvania was a four-letter man at the University of Pennsylvania.

The average athlete is said to reach the height of his muscular power during his thirtieth and thirty-first years.

Jack Dempsey has gone into the coal business. He'll have to go some to hold the underweight championship.

A major "Y" is awarded by Yale to an undergraduate golf or tennis player who wins a national championship.

George Finlayson, coach of the Naval Academy lacrosse team for thirteen years, has signed a contract to return for another season.

Huggins Well Fortified



"Don't worry about the reserve strength of the Yankees in the infield," says Miller Huggins when asked what he'll do in case one of his four regulars, Pipp, Ward, Scott or Dugan, is hurt and Mike McNally has to jump in.

"I can shift Bob Meusel to first or third and put Elmer Smith in the outfield and still have a good defense. Or I can put Ruth on first, I can shift Ward to either short or third, and Dugan to either short or second. McNally can play any infield position. Sebring can play third and Elmer Smith can play first."

MISHAPS BLAMED ON PEDESTRIANS

Greatest Number of Victims of Accidents Are Children in Congested Centers.

"It may not be so far-fetched as it might at first appear, to say that since motorists enjoy the advantage of swift transportation as compared with the facilities enjoyed by the pedestrian, a good deal of the responsibility for instructing the pedestrian might properly become, if not exactly our duty, then at least a task of civility or good-fellowship, or whatever you chose to call it."

If an illustration were needed of the truth that very much depends on the point of view, you have only to remember that when you drive you are annoyed by and displeased with the pedestrian. But when it happens that you, yourself, travel about the city on foot, don't you frequently lose patience with the motorists who compel you to wait at street corners or splash mud on your immaculate spats?

Honest Indian, now, don't you often feel really and thoroughly peeved at them? An hour later you are yourself seated behind the steering wheel of your own machine and now it is again the pedestrian who comes in for your unkind thoughts, if not for audible refections.

In New York city, not long ago, the police department, in investigating 7,327 automobile accidents involving passenger automobiles driven either by their owners or by chauffeurs, ascertained that only in 450 cases was the driver to blame.

After this the department carried on an investigation of 1,200 accidents in which taxicabs were involved. Here the responsibility was placed on the driver in 51 cases, while in 437 cases the responsibility was traced to the injured person, while in 721 cases it was impossible to settle the question of responsibility.

One feature that renders the contemplation of the list of automobile accidents a particularly depressing affair is that, in the cities at least, by far the greatest number of victims of automobile mishaps are children who thus pay the penalty that life in congested centers exacts from the young.

Frank Hanney of the Indiana university holds a record of hurling the javelin 175 feet.

The only time the Olympic games were held in the United States was in St. Louis, Mo., in 1904.

A bill has been submitted to the New York legislature to limit the price of admission to races to \$1.50.

Luis Firpo, South American heavyweight champion, is 6 feet 3 1/2 inches tall, and weighs 210 pounds.

Miss Martha Murdock of Saratoga, N. Y., is the champion woman discus thrower of the United States.

Senator George Wharton Pepper of Pennsylvania was a four-letter man at the University of Pennsylvania.

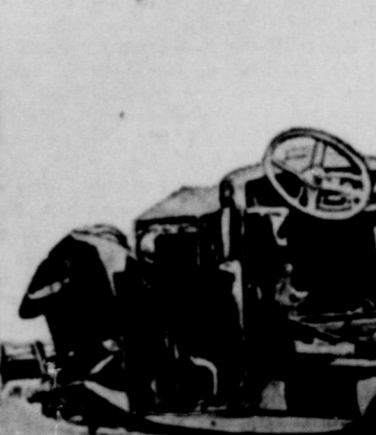
The average athlete is said to reach the height of his muscular power during his thirtieth and thirty-first years.

Jack Dempsey has gone into the coal business. He'll have to go some to hold the underweight championship.

A major "Y" is awarded by Yale to an undergraduate golf or tennis player who wins a national championship.

George Finlayson, coach of the Naval Academy lacrosse team for thirteen years, has signed a contract to return for another season.

Huggins Well Fortified



Traveling at a terrific speed, this new car, with four occupants, crashed against the side of a street car and three were killed instantly. The fourth was seriously injured. It is said that the steering wheel mechanism worked stiffly and failed to respond properly. It happened in Cincinnati recently.

BAD COMPRESSION IS HUGE THIEF OF FUEL

Faulty Running of Engine Wastes Much Gasoline.

Thousands of gallons of gasoline are wasted every day by motorists because of the inefficient operation of their engines.

An important detail to watch to keep the engine running efficiently is the compression. A motor with faulty compression may appear to run fairly well when the car is being driven at a reasonable speed or when it is working hard. Lost compression shows up when the car is being driven at a comparatively low speed.

Under either of these conditions the engine will run with an irregularity that makes the car jerk or jump instead of running steadily, as it should.

If an engine is not running well and a compression loss is suspected, the simplest way to detect it is to use the crank and turn the engine over by hand, and thus feel the compression on each individual cylinder.

You will nearly always find that some pistons will go over compression much more easily than others, and this means that, somewhere there is a leak in this cylinder.

The number of miles which a car should run without having the valves ground varies greatly, depending on oiling and other engine conditions.

With the average car under normal running conditions, however, it is probably wise to have the valves ground at least once every 5,000 to 10,000 miles, depending on the operating condition of the motor.

TRACE TROUBLE TO IGNITION

Efficient Performances Call for Removal and Cleaning of Distributor Head Monthly.

It has been stated that at least 80 per cent of motor trouble can be traced to ignition. For efficient performance, the distributor head should be removed and cleaned at least once every month.

As the rotor is in direct contact with the distributor points in some systems, it is a good plan to wipe these points with a thin film of vaseline after they have been cleaned.

Most distributors are equipped with oil holes or fittings, and as the distributor shaft revolves at a high rate of speed it is essential that you apply oil in these recesses at definite intervals.

AUTOMOBILE HINTS

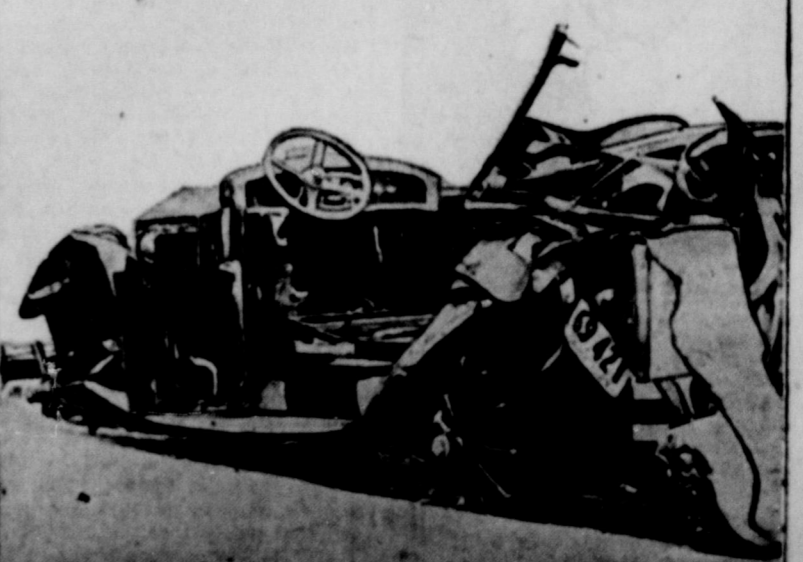
The gasoline bill can be reduced by never allowing the engine to run idle. A great deal more gasoline is used in this way than is suspected.

Slamming of doors on a car is a practice which should be avoided at all times. Persistent slamming racks the hinges and loosens the doors until they become wobbly and hang loosely.

When removing valves from an engine for any purpose, it is of the utmost importance to keep them separate and replace them in the identical seats from which they were removed.

Folding rain curtains so that the celluloid lights do not rub against each other and scratch is simply a matter of inserting sheets of newspaper between them.

HITTING IT UP IN THE NEW MACHINE



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Dairy Products' Use Increases

American Consumption Is Steadily Growing, Says Head of Dairy Congress.

Washington.—Only the healthy and growing condition of the American dairy industry has enabled it to withstand the drop in exports which came with the world readjustment. This also has been aided by a growing taste of the American people for dairy products, says Dr. H. E. Van Norman, president of the World's Dairy Congress association, which is preparing for its international meeting here in October.

"The United States has reached a point where the production and consumption of dairy products are almost equal," Dr. Van Norman said, "as is indicated by the fact that its exports and imports of dairy products nearly balance.

"The fact is that our dairy industry is in a healthy condition and it is kept so by our people's growing appreciation of dairy products. The fact that our consumption of dairy products today almost equals our production indicates a tremendously rapid growth in appreciation.

Foreign Market Active.

"While our foreign business in butter and cheese does not reach a great volume, our domestic markets are constantly influenced by the conditions that obtain in the world markets. The foreign business which we do carry on in dairy products also frequently has an importance out of all proportion to its size in the stabilizing of our domestic conditions. A few weeks ago, when our cheese market was particularly slow, an opening for cheese occurred in England. Our owners of stored cheese immediately 'unloaded' as much as they could on the English market. The deficit was caused by the failure of New Zealand, where the creameries are equipped to manufacture either butter or cheese, to pay the usual attention to cheese.

"That the American merchants grasped the opportunity just in the nick of time is evidenced by a cablegram from the American agricultural trade commissioner, stationed at London, recently received by our Department of Agriculture, stating that the American cheese now on storage in England amounts to 14,000 boxes, against about 31,000 boxes a year ago, and that the Australian cheese on storage amounted to 31,000 crates, against a trifle more than 75,000 crates a year ago; but that Australia had 122,000 crates of cheese adrift and bound for England, about 11,000 crates more than she had on the water at this time last year. If we had needed to unload butter on the English market we would not have had the same fortune, for the cablegram states that England has in storage 423,000 boxes of Australian butter, an increase of 33,000 for the year.

It is noteworthy that, in spite of increased production, the United States is shipping less butter today proportionately than it did in the five-year period before the war.

Biggest Market is at Home.

"While the American dairyman is finding a tremendously important market at home, a new group of dairy nations is rising to grasp the international markets. Equipped with a large proportion of American machinery and to a very great extent directed by graduates of American agricultural colleges, New Zealand, Australia, Argentine republic and Canada—all countries with small populations of milk consumers and large populations of dairy cattle—are proving themselves mighty competitors of the historic dairy countries of Europe. While these countries are in their youth, with unstimulated possibilities ahead, the older dairy countries have reached very nearly the line of their productivity."

Told of Crucifixion, Nails Baby to Floor

Erie, Pa.—The story of the Crucifixion told five-year-old Harold Munger is believed to have so impressed the lad that he nailed the hand of his two-year-old playmate, Billy Silemon, to the floor of the porch of the Silemon home.

Cries of little Billy brought his mother, Mrs. Michael Silemon, quickly to the child's side. A physician found the nail embedded in the flesh.

Find New Ore Beds in Sweden

Second Largest Copper Deposits in Europe Are Reported by Government.

Stockholm.—The largest deposits of sulphur ore and copper ore ever discovered in Sweden, and the second largest copper deposits in Europe, are the subject of an exhaustive report just published by Axel Gavelin, chief of the Swedish government's geological research department. This new wealth of ore, the presence of which was detected recently by the use of electrical instruments, lies in latitude 65 north, near Kustfors station. Tests already made by Mr. Gavelin show that the copper ore contains as high as 10 per cent of copper, the average run being estimated at 4 per cent, while the sulphur content of the sulphur ore is as high as 41 1/2 per cent. It is estimated that this new mining field will yield annually 1,500 tons of copper and 100,000 tons of sulphur ore. The possibility of getting

TEXAS PRIZE WINNER



Miss Sweetheart Jones of Houston, Tex., winner of first prize for the most elaborate costume at the annual bathing girl revue recently held at Galveston. Miss Jones has the enviable record of having won this coveted prize, for which the beauties of the Southwest compete, twice in succession. She will likely represent the Southwest in the annual bathing girl revue at Atlantic City in July.

In the fleshy part of one of the child's fingers, the head being almost lost to view, and no instrument could be used to pull out the nail without crushing the child's fingers. He was forced to tear the finger from the veranda.

COTTON CONFERENCE REACHES AGREEMENT

American Cotton Standards Are Acceptable to French Cotton Exchange

Washington.—The American cotton standards have been accepted by the Havre Cotton exchange, according to cable advices Saturday received by Pierre Du Pasquier, the French delegate to the recent world's cotton conference held in Washington. As indicated, consideration of the proposal by the Liverpool Cotton Association will await a return of the British delegates.

The agreement reached with the French exchange provides for adoption of American standards as universal for American grown cotton, with the understanding that the United States cotton standards set permits trading on the basis of millimeter designation, including strength and character in addition to length of staple.

The department of agriculture has agreed that in event changes become apparently desirable, provision will be made for a revision of the standards by representatives of foreign cotton exchanges in conference with representatives of foreign cotton exchanges in conference with representatives of the American cotton industry and the department of agriculture.

The secretary of agriculture also agreed to take such action as may be necessary under the act of congress to vest in members of the Havre arbitration appeals committee the authority to determine finally the true classification as to grade and color, in accordance with said standards of cotton grown and exported from the United States. This decision has been reached in order to avoid delays resulting if all appeals were referred to Washington.

Washington.—The international cotton conference reached an agreement last week for the adoption of the United States cotton standards as the basis for the world cotton trade. Signature to the agreement was withheld pending confirmation by cable from the various foreign cotton exchanges.

The conference adjourned until June 18 to await replies to the recommendations of the foreign delegates that the United States standards and other questions agreed upon be adopted and their signatures placed on the documents.

The members of the conference agreed upon the issuance of the following statement of its proceedings:

"It is hoped by all that a satisfactory solution of the difficulties considered has been attained. The main question under discussion was the adoption of universal standards, which standards the European delegates have agreed to recommend for adoption by the various foreign exchanges.

"The result of the deliberations of the conference is being cabled to the various foreign exchanges and it is hoped that within a few days confirmation of what has been agreed to at the conference will be received."

The conference was called by Secretary Wallace at the request of the British Cotton Association, which desired to present their views on the new cotton standards law before regulations for its enforcement finally were adopted. The new law provides that all sales and shipments of American cotton, interstate and foreign commerce, must be in accord with the United States official cotton standards. Heretofore much of the American cotton sold abroad has been on Liverpool standards.

DEPOSED BULGARIAN PREMIER IS KILLED BY SOLDIERS

Sofia.—Alexander Stamboulsky, the premier of Bulgaria from the time the peasant government was formed under his leadership in 1918 until he was overthrown last week by the Bulgarian army, was killed Friday in the village of Vitren, near his native town of Slavovitz. He was shot in the course of an attempt by a party of peasants to rescue him from guards who had captured him Thursday after a three-day pursuit.

Stamboulsky was brought from the village of Golak, where he was captured. He announced he had important documents at his Slavovitz home, and was permitted to set out for Slavovitz in an automobile surrounded by guards. On the outskirts of the village a party of peasants blocked the road. Under the fire of the peasants, the guards abandoned Stamboulsky and the peasants proceeded to escort him toward the village. En route a band of soldiers attacked the peasants with rifle fire. It was during the short, stiff fighting which followed that Stamboulsky was shot, virtually on the threshold of his birthplace. It was a peasant who arrested the former premier at Golak.

El Campo, Tex.—The following officers of the local branch of the American Rice Growers' Association have been elected for the coming year: L. P. Baker, J. L. Myatt, B. H. Socolofsky, George Haun and L. H. Lynner.

Dallas, Tex.—A quarterly dividend of one and one-quarter per cent on stock issued and outstanding of record June 23, payable July 8, has been declared by trustees of the Magnolia Petroleum Company.

NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS

Science Is Not the Foe of Religion

WASHINGTON.—A joint statement holding that there is no antagonism between science and religion is issued here as representing the conclusions of a group of 40 distinguished Americans on a subject which recently has aroused bitter and widespread controversy.

The names of two cabinet officers, Secretaries Hoover and Davis, three bishops and many others in positions of leadership in the political, business, scientific and religious worlds are attached to the declaration, which was prepared by R. A. Milliken, director of the Norman Bridge Laboratory of Physics at Pasadena, Cal.

"The purpose," said an accompanying explanation, "is to assist in correcting two erroneous impressions that seem to be current among certain groups of persons. The first is that religion today stands for medieval theology; the second that science is materialistic and irreligious." The statement follows:

"We, the undersigned, deeply regret that in recent controversies there has been a tendency to present science and religion as irreconcilable and antagonistic domains of thought, for in fact they meet distinct human needs, and in the rounding out of human life they supplement rather than displace or oppose each other.

"The purpose of science is to develop, without prejudice or preconception of any kind, a knowledge of the facts, the laws and the processes of nature. The even more important task of religion, on the other hand, is to develop the conscience, the ideals and the aspirations of mankind. Each of these two activities represents a deep and vital function of man, and both are necessary for the life, the progress and the happiness of the human race.

"It is a sublime conception of God which is furnished by science, and one wholly consonant with the highest ideals of religion, when it represents Him as revealing Himself through countless ages in the development of the earth as an abode for man, and in the age-long imbuing of life into its constituent matter, culminating in man with his spiritual nature and all his godlike powers."

Those whose names were attached to the statement included Bishops William Lawrence and William Thomas Manning of the Episcopal church, and Bishop Francis J. McConnell of the Methodist Episcopal church; Dr. Charles W. Walcott, president of the National Academy of Science; President Angell of Yale, President Burton of the University of Chicago, and Dr. W. T. Mayo.

Canada's Minister to United States

THE appointment of a Canadian minister plenipotentiary at Washington, which has been under advisement by succeeding Canadian governments for four years, is unlikely to be made until after the imperial conference in London in October. Such is the intimation in official circles both at Ottawa and Washington.

The proposition originated when Sir Robert Borden was prime minister and was the subject of prolonged negotiations with the British government. When London did not object to Canada having a representative at Washington, the British idea in the first instance was that such an officer should have only the status of a commissioner or glorified commercial agent.

Sir Robert Borden and his government maintained, on the other hand, that in view of Canada's part in the war and the increased constitutional status indicated by their dominion being a separate signatory to the treaty of Versailles, its representative at Washington should be vested with a standing in consonance with the newer conception of Canadian dignity.

Warship Still Backbone of U. S. Navy

FLOATING ships will continue to be the backbone of the United States navy and the airplane will serve as an adjunct, not as a substitute, for the dreadnaught. This is indicated finally by a series of statements issued semi-officially by the Navy News Service, forecasting with certainty the findings of the general board. The statements include opinions from Secretary Denby, Assistant Secretary Roosevelt and Admirals Coontz, Rodgers and Moffett. The general board, after weeks of research, will recommend that congress be asked to appropriate funds for building not less than twelve and not more than twenty in each type of 10,000-ton cruisers, mine-laying and scout submarines and six gunboats, next session.

The summary of the general board as to its findings of the importance of aircraft has not been made public, but aviation enthusiasts who believe that the airplane has eclipsed the battleship will find the deathknell of immediate hopes in Secretary Denby's sentence that "the battleship is still the strongest element in the nation's sea defense and will be so long as most of us now living are concerned with mundane affairs."

Motor Tourists Given Spice of Life

IF VARIETY is the spice of life, motor tourists get plenty of it when they undertake to inform themselves concerning the vehicular and traffic laws of different states and municipalities and to conform thereto. And if they are not nimble witted and quick to learn, they may find themselves with ample time to pursue their studies during a few days in jail or hospital, or an indefinite sojourn in that bourn where no traveler returns. For the law as applied to motors speaks a decidedly varied language.

Headlights that are approved in one state are taboo in another. You pass around to the right of the traffic officer in making a left-hand turn in one city, and if you try it in another the next thing you know you hear yourself saying, "Good morning, judge!"

In Pennsylvania you pass a trolley car, traveling in the same direction that you are going, on the left-hand side. Cross over into New Jersey and you must do exactly the opposite if you don't like trouble. The vehicle approaching from the right has the right of way at street

intersections in some places; in others, an effort to comply with that regulation may prove a short cut to the repair station and station house.

With due consideration for other traffic you may turn around any place in the streets of some cities; in others, you do your turning at corners only or you are out of luck. As to speed, in some states you can use your own judgment, provided it is good, while in others every little village has a limit all its own.

As standardization is the watchword of the hour in industry, so the same idea has been taken up with respect to traffic laws. Motor vehicle administrators from the states of Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont and Maine have formed a conference which is making a drive to secure uniformity in laws.

Strangely enough, one of the greatest obstacles in the way of this reform movement is to be found in the attitude taken by the motorists themselves in many instances. They do not seem to know what is good for them.

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SMALL BROTHER GOT BUSY

His Afternoon of Play Certainly Proved Embarrassing for Unfortunate Older Sister.

I was soon to be married, writes a correspondent of the Detroit Free Press, and spent a busy day among my collection of old letters, which I wanted to reread before destroying. When I took the large basket down to the basement to consign to the furnace, brother entered vigorous protest. He had just made a fresh fire and he argued that my papers would ruin it. He agreed to burn the letters that afternoon.

But slack and a-s-l, Small brother and some of his playmates discovered the basket a short time later, and one of them had a brilliant idea. They would play post office. So each took an armful and proceeded to distribute my love letters in the neighbors' post boxes.

We live in a suburb, where every one knows every one else, so I'll leave it to you to picture my embarrassment when the recipients began to return my property.

Righto. "I wish," said Duke, "I wish I could get a good look at all the fools in the world, just for once!" "Yes," said Blinks. "Well, old topper, all the fools in the world that would interest you, you can see. Just glance in the first mirror."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

BACK ACHY?

Lame and achy in the morning? Tortured with backache all day long? No wonder you feel worn out and discouraged! But have you given any thought to your kidneys? Weak kidneys cause just such troubles; and you are likely to have headaches, too, with dizziness, stinging pains and bladder irregularities. Don't risk neglect! Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Doan's have helped thousands. They should help you. Ask your neighbor!

A Texas Case

W. W. Underwood, 2805 S. Main St., Aledo, Texas, says: "I was a drawing-down pain would catch me in my back and when I stooped over to tie my shoes, my spine straightened up again. The kidney secretions passed too freely, especially at night, causing me to get up often. I bought a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and they entirely relieved me of the trouble."

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Shave, Bathe and Shampoo with one Soap.—Cuticura

Cuticura Soap is the favorite for safety razor shaving.

War Hospital Men Print Newspaper



Veterans of World War I at Hospital 51, New York City, are now printing their own newspaper, "Hospitality." It is edited and printed entirely by inmates of the hospital. This photograph shows the veterans at work in the typesetting department.

BLINDED IN THE WAR, HE'S BACK IN COLLEGE

U. of P. Students Extend Ovation and Honors to Hero.

Philadelphia.—Hundreds of enthusiastic University of Pennsylvania students gave a thundering ovation to Lieut. Frank Schoble, blinded war hero, who returned to the university after a lapse of 13 years to complete his college course and who was named a member of the Fraternity Senior society, one of the most coveted honors on the campus.

The ovation came during the annual Hey day exercises in Weightman hall, when the classes of the university officially "move up." The applause lasted for three minutes when Schoble's name was read and he was led to a seat near the platform with the other honored students. Membership in the Fraternity society is awarded to only the most popular members of the student body.

Lieut. Schoble left the university in 1909 in his junior year to enter business. When the war came he went to an officers' training camp, received a commission and was sent overseas. Five days before the armistice a shrapnel fragment struck him just in front of the temple as he was leading his men into action. The bit of shell tore out the back of both eyes.

After his return to this country he resolved to re-enter college to complete his course. He immediately started to learn the Braille system of reading for the blind and picked it up so rapidly that he is now able to take lecture notes with the ease of a student who can see. His record in the university is excellent. In many of the courses he has received the mark of "distinguished."

In addition to his scholastic work Schoble is a member of the university's debating team. He participated

Chinese War Lords Ask Prices on Poison Gas

China is asking for bids on "poison gas" and instructions for its use. The war lords of that country are anticipating a commission and was sent overseas.

The representative of an American firm, doing business in China, was recently approached and asked for prices on quantities of deadly gases for immediate delivery.

In all the intercollegiate contests this spring, including the victory over Vassar. He will graduate in June, 1924.

In appreciation of money sent to relieve the famine in Honan, China, a Chinese bell, 400 years old, has been sent to the Norwegian Lutheran Trinity church in Brooklyn.

SUMMER'S ALLURING HATS; BLOUSES IN NEW FABRICS

THE fashion reporter cannot generalize about millinery, because there is such diversity and variety in all the different kinds of hats. In trimmed hats, like those pictured here, there are almost as many different models as there are women to wear them; this in answer to a demand for individual styles. But the exacting feminine public seems to be of one mind in the matter of shapes, the descendants of the poke bonnet, the wide brimmed capeline and the cloche or bell-shaped hats, all immensely be-



GROUP OF FOUR PRETTY HATS

coming, have crowded nearly everything else off the parade ground of fashion.

There are many hats of crepe, crepe de chine and other fabrics and certain fine old favorites bear them company in the displays, including neapolitan, hair braids, leghorn and timbo straws. As for their trimmings "everything is good," say the milliners. One may choose flowers or laces, ribbon of tulle, embroidery of many kinds, veils and ornaments; the former contributes a graceful and flattering decoration. With so wide a field to draw from everyone can be pleased.

The group of four hats pictured, reveals favorite types and varied garnitures. Wide-brimmed crepe hats like that at the top of the group blossom, in more colors than the rose, in orchid, lavender and artichoke green, canary yellow, white and pink, with floral

Its popularity is merited—the overblouse is graceful, smart and disposes of the waistline becomingly. Two examples of it are shown, one of them a slip-over midly style of white crepe de chine, with bands of blue on the collar and cuffs. It is gathered into a snugly-fitted hip band, with tabs of blue crepe appearing at each side, and a diamond-shaped medallion of blue provides a background for a white monogram. Monograms are simulated in ready-monogrammed blouses. For this style of blouse a ribbon tie finishes the neck.

Printed silk, with plain crepe used for facing, makes the handsome costume blouse pictured. It is a conspicuous feature of this season's styles and as endlessly varied as printed silks and crepes are. These blouses are found in company with plaited skirts in plain colors. Many white blouses are



TWO EXAMPLES OF LATEST IN BLOUSES.

wreathes in tones of the same color, or in pastel colorings. Mallines in black and in tortoise shell tones, makes airy hats, or serves to trim transparent shapes, as in the hair braid hat with huge rosette of plaited mallines. Black canton crepe, in a small cloche, provides a background for a fan of lace across the back and demure blossom made of val lace posed at the side, where a streamer of lace falls from the brim. Finally a drooping-brimmed hat has a crown of folds of crepe and a drooping brim adorned with rows of plaited ribbon. Crepe, ribbon and beads fashion the rosettes at each side.

In the spring when feminine fancy lightly turns to thoughts of new clothes, blouses come in for first consideration. They are essentials that every one must have and they reflect constantly, whatever is now in styles and fabrics, serving to usher in the modes and lead in their development through each season. There is always something new at the waist shops.

For the present, overblouse styles have almost put all others in total eclipse. There are still some lingerie waists presented, to be worn with the classic coat-and-skirt suits, having a belted waistline, but they play a small part in the displays, which are given over to variations of the overblouse.

Julia Bottomley
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Ear Tag System Is Practical for Flocks

Especially Used for Identifying Each Individual.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

An ingenious and simple method of marking farm breeding animals has been used successfully with sheep for eight years by Cooper Curtice of the United States Department of Agriculture at the farm of the bureau of animal industry near Vienna, Va. The system is especially adapted for identifying quickly the extent of pure blood of individuals in herds and flocks being improved with purebred sires. Each animal is labeled with an aluminum tag bearing a number. Females are labeled on the right ear; males on the left. The number preceded by 1 (or by 10 if the dam's number is a digital number) if it is the first young born; preceded by 2 if the second born, and so on.

This system is quite practical for farm flocks of sheep of less than 100 head, and for cattle. If a purebred sire is being used to grade up a herd or flock of nondescript females, the system affords a very good ever-present record of the grade of animals obtained. For example: The first-born young of female No. 25 will be marked 125. Animal No. 125 is one-half grade. The young of 125 will be 1125, and will be a three-quarters grade. No. 1125 will be seven-eighths, and No. 11125, fifteen-sixteenths. To illustrate further: No. 3125 is the third young of the first young of 25 and a three-quarters grade.

When there is no longer space for additional figures on the label, the sixth or seventh generation may be marked with letters following the number of the original dam. Applied to female No. 25, the young of the sixth generation may be marked 25A; next generation, 25B, and so on. If desired, the sire number may be placed on the reverse side of the label.

This method of identifying animals may be used in conjunction with an ear-notching system, which further identifies them. A good ear-notching plan enables the owner to replace, with assurance as to correct identity, any ear tags that may be lost.

Eradicate Weed Plants by Preventing Growth

There is only one way to eradicate noxious perennial plants such as wild morning glories or pea vine growths, or whatever kind they may be; and that is to prevent them from making any leaf growth during the last half of summer, or after about July 1. Whatever method you find most convenient for doing this will be the most practical method for you to apply.

Some such plants can be eradicated by pasturing the last half of summer; other methods are to keep the land cultivated the last half of summer, or to keep them cut down with a hoe when in some cultivated crop, such as corn; another method is to smother with straw or by growing some rank growing crop; another is to keep the land mowed close to the ground frequently.

Lack of Cleanliness Is Cause of Calf Disorders

Nearly all disorders or diseases of calves, says the United States Department of Agriculture, are caused either directly or indirectly by lack of cleanliness. Filth, whether it is in feed, pens, bedding, or stalls and utensils, is dangerous to the health of the calf. To be on the safe side use nothing but clean milk (sweet or sour), scald the pails or sterilize them with steam, remove old feed from the boxes and clean them daily. Filth and dirt are the natural breeding places of many bacteria that will cause disturbances in the young animal's stomach. Freedom from filth usually means freedom from disease.

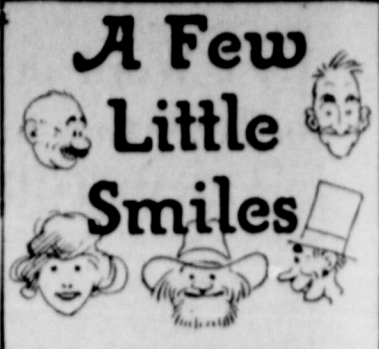
Best to Dehorn Calves When but Few Days Old

Dehorning young calves is best done when the calf is a few days old. Clip the hair with a pair of shears where the horn will appear. Rub the button with caustic potash until the dead layer of the skin comes off and it is about ready to bleed. The end of the stick of caustic potash that you apply to the horn should first be moistened and the stick held with a cloth so as not to burn the hand.

If for any reason the operation has been delayed for several weeks the button can be cut off with a sharp knife and the caustic potash applied to kill it. This will kill the horn, but it is better to do it before the calf is a few weeks old.

Pigs Are Benefited by Allowance of Charcoal

Pigs are always benefited by having frequent access to charcoal. The following method of preparing charcoal is very satisfactory: A mass of coals are raked together and set on fire. When the coals are burning briskly oats are poured over the fire until it is all but smothered. In a short time the oats will be well blackened. The fire should then be put out by scattering the burning coals. The coals may continue burning but the fire in the oats will quickly die out. When cold the pigs should be allowed free access to the burned oats. They will greedily search out every particle.



A Few Little Smiles

AUTONOMY

Son—What are revenues, papa? Papa—Those are the taxes that Uncle Sam collects. Son—What does Uncle Sam do with them, papa? Papa—He spends them to run the government, sonny. Silence, then "Daddy!" Papa—Yes, sonny? "Let's start a government."—Denver Telegram.

Hollywood Engagement. "Zaza and Rupert eye each other coldly as they pass by." "Why, they were engaged to be married. In fact, I received an invitation to their marriage." "Yes, and if you notice, it made her the headliner. As a star in his own right he couldn't stand for that."

Economic Exercise. "Ever do any sprinting, old man?" "Running into debt." "Any boxing?" "Sparring for time."

No Jay-Walker. "You should keep in the straight and narrow path, my son." "I know it, dad. If I don't I'll get into trouble with the traffic officer."

ABSOLUTELY SO



Customer—Are you sure that this milk is pure? I know that these bottles are hard to keep clean. Milkman—Why, madam, we use nothing but sterilized water.

Might Help Some. For better times we long. Of course we do. But then I think folks should get better, too.

Get Me Got His Fee. "Doctor, I wish you'd prescribe for my complexion." "Certainly, madam," returned the doctor, and he wrote: "Let it alone."

Nobody. "Why does Cupid go about unclad?" "He comes to the poor—but who would want to see him in patched clothes?"

Effective Treatment. "Did the doctor do anything to hasten your recovery?" "Oh, yes; he told me he was going to charge me \$10 a visit."

Those Foolish Questions. Hobbs—Where on earth did you get your cold, old man? Dubbs—What do you want to know for? Do you want one like it?

Discouraging. "The fools aren't all dead yet." "No, and the worst of it is most of them aren't even sick."

Betty's Conclusion. Betty stood gazing at her grandfather. "Well, dear, what is it?" he finally inquired. "What's in your mind?" "I was thinking, grandpa," replied Betty, "that if the good die young what an old rascal you must be."

A True Love Test. Mabel—I understand that Ethel's new beau is an ex-service man. Is he attached to her? George—Is he? I should say so. She had him to dinner several times and served salmon and he never said a word.

Probably Both. Blackstone—My lawyer advised me not to settle the case until he made a more thorough investigation. Webster—Of what—the case or your bank account?

A Suggestion. Wife—We need a new set of dishes, dear. This one is nearly gone. Hub—Why don't you wait until we get a new cook and start over?

In Old Age. "There's no fool like an old fool." "I've tried being all the other varieties."

Welly. "Glad I have something to look forward to." Almost Like New. Caller—Isn't that picture one of the old masters? Mrs. Newrich—I believe so, but my husband had it varnished and framed away that makes it look almost as if it were new.

Certified Seed Increases Yield

Favorable Results Obtained by Potato Growers Should Encourage General Use.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

While there has been an increasing tendency on the part of potato producers to use certified seed during the last few years, the favorable results that have been obtained from the use of such seeds should encourage a much more general use of certified seed, says the United States Department of Agriculture. A number of states are now producing certified seed and have records showing the comparative yield from certified fields with the average yield of the state. In New York state yields for ordinary fields averaged 108 bushels an acre, while the certified fields yielded 223 bushels an acre. In Minnesota the yield in favor of the certified seed, over that of the ordinary fields, was 60 bushels an acre, and in Pennsylvania certified fields yielded 398 bushels while the ordinary fields produced only 100 bushels an acre. Reports from other states show similar increase in yield from the certified fields in comparison to the average of the state.

Decided Improvement. Certified seed sent from Michigan to several corn belt states for experimental and demonstrational tests in 1921 showed a decided improvement in yield over the local seed. In Iowa the increase in yield secured from this Michigan certified seed was 61.2 bushels. In Indiana 21 fields showed an increase of 63 bushels, in Illinois 61 fields yielded 44 bushels increase, while in Ohio, where the great part of the acreage of the state is planted with certified seed, the increase due to the Michigan seed was only 2.6 bushels. In two tests conducted in Delaware the Michigan certified seed averaged 68 1/2 bushels more an acre than home-grown seed.

Good Season for Both. Last season was a good one for both producers and buyers of certified seed. The large production of certified seed has brought the price so low that although reports show that a premium of 50 to 150 per cent is being paid for certified stock the grower is at least getting a little profit out of his work, while the buyer is able to buy this seed at a reasonable cost.

Little to Be Gained by Cultivation of Alfalfa

So long as the stand is satisfactory and the plants are making good growth there is little to be gained by cultivating alfalfa, says the United States Department of Agriculture. A slight increase in yield is sometimes obtained by such treatment, but experiments have shown that it is not ordinarily enough to pay the additional cost, and the life of the stand is prolonged but little, if any.

Under certain conditions, however, cultivation of this crop may be worth while. Where irrigation waters leave a crust of salt on the fields the use of the harrow to break it up seems advisable. Also where irrigated alfalfa is pastured it is sometimes a good practice to use a harrow to loosen up the soil, especially if it is heavy-textured. When weeds and grass threaten to choke out the alfalfa the life of the stand may be profitably prolonged for a year or two by harrowing.

The best implement for this purpose is the alfalfa harrow, which is a modification of the spring-tooth harrow. The spike-tooth harrow may be used on the lighter soils, but is of little use on the heavy soils. The disk harrow is very liable to prove injurious.

Orchard Intercropping Secondard Proposition

From the year that an orchard is first set out, intercropping is a secondary proposition and should be treated as such—the trees come first. It has usually been considered desirable to make use of the land between the trees for the first few years from the standpoint of increased profit. Furthermore, a cultivated crop insures cultivation of the trees.

Legume Is Satisfactory Crop for Poultry Flock

One of the most satisfactory crops to grow on the ground where poultry ranges is the legume. Clover or alfalfa are ideal crops for this purpose. A half acre of ground seeded to either one of these legumes will furnish enough green feed for a hundred or more chickens.

Deep Corn Cultivation Will Cut Many of Roots

When the stalks of corn are 18 inches high, the roots have met across a three-and-one-half-foot row. Deep cultivation at this time will cut many of the roots and check the growth of the plants. A good rule to follow is to cultivate deep early in the season and shallow later when the plants are larger.

Broadcast Condition of Highways on Saturday

The condition of highways in Massachusetts and bordering states is broadcast by radio every Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock by the Automobile League association. This service gives motorists up-to-the-minute information on the condition of trunk line highways.



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Still Fighting. "There goes an old buddy of mine." Perkins remarked as a man passed. "Who is he?" asked Brown. "Bill Bristow—poor old Bill!" "Why 'poor old Bill'?" "Well, it's this way," Perkins explained. "When the war broke out I enlisted and Bill got married." "Yes, go on." "Well, can't you see? I got a discharge more than two years ago now."—Kansas City Star.

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Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer product prescribed by physicians over twenty-two years and proved safe by millions for

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No man is as dangerous as he thinks some woman thinks he is.

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Obedient Child.

Florence had been told many times not to swallow the seeds of different fruits. Having salmon for lunch not long ago, she was busily picking out all the small bones. Suddenly the four-year-old looked up at her mother and said: "Ma'mam, just look at the seeds I have taken out already!"

A critic is a person who is unable to do a thing the way he thinks it ought to be done.

Saved my baby

Zellor Springs, Fla. March 2, 1923

Anglo-American Drug Co., 215 Fulton St., New York.
Dear Sirs: I am using Mrs. Winslow's Syrup. It saved my baby from dying of colic which she had for three months. Some one advised me to get Mrs. Winslow's Syrup and I did. Yours truly, (Name on request)

Colic is quickly overcome by this pleasant, satisfactory remedy, which relieves diarrhoea, flatulency and constipation, keeping baby healthy and happy. Non-narcotic, non-alcoholic.

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RATTLE OF THE RAIL.

Fireman S. T. Campbell came down from El Paso Monday to work on the extra board here.

Two of the large new type passenger engines are now on this division, Nos. 622 and 623, they have 12,000 gallon water tanks and 4,000 gallon oil tanks.

Four special passenger trains passed through Sanderson the last few days going west.

H. J. McGovern is back firing passenger on the El Paso division.

L. Robey, H. L. Ketchum and W. H. Buchanan were out on a fishing trip a few day days, returning Monday night.

John Whistler's Hat is Still in the Ring

The Right Barber Shop moved this week from the St. Elmo Club to the Lordsburg Billiard Hall, Lordsburg, New Mexico, Liberal.

The proprietor of the barber shop referred to in the above news item is John Whistler, the famous Indian fighter and broncho rider, who ran a barber shop on Wall Street in Sanderson for several years.

How about a Madison made Silk Shirt to wear at the 4th of July celebration? Let us show them to you at the Royal Tailor Shop.

J. T. Farley, Ervia Grigsby, and Minton White left Wednesday for Dryden. They will spend several weeks in the eastern end of the county doing some work on the county road from Dryden to the Val Verde county line. This work is to give temporary assistance to the many tourists who are coming through here now via the new highway bridge recently completed across the Pecos river.

Rev. J. W. Bickley and family left Tuesday on No. 110, for Cherokee, San Saba county, Texas, after receiving a message stating that Mr. Bickley's mother was very ill at that place.

WANTED—Snakes, all kinds and sizes, 35c per lb. Write Dan E. Nagle, 161 George St., New Haven, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Prince Dishman and little son, Prince, Jr., came in Thursday overland from Bryan, Texas to visit Mrs. Dishman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nance.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Corder and children returned the first of the week from a visit to El Paso.

A. D. Brown returned Sunday from a business trip to El Paso.

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Death of Elizabeth Harral

Tuesday morning, June 12th, 1923, relatives and friends were saddened and deeply grieved, as the sorrowful tidings were conveyed, from one to another, of the death of little Elizabeth Harral, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Harral of this place.

The Messenger of Death came to little Elizabeth in Dallas where her devoted parents had taken her, some two months ago, in the hope that she might be restored to health, but all that medical skill and loving care could do was of no avail. For nearly four months the pain racked little body languished on a bed of suffering. Her going was a blessed deliverance to her but a heart breaking sorrow and crushing blow to her fond parents and loving sister, Patty, who cherished her so dearly, but the tender flower that was permitted to grow and bud in the earthly home, for but a season only, will blossom and flower in that home above, where pain, sorrow and parting are unknown.

Elizabeth Harral was born in Abilene, Texas, October 19, 1914, but most of her life was spent at the ranch home of her parents, thirty miles east of Fort Stockton. She was an unusual bright, cheery, attractive child, and endeared herself to all who knew her. She was a ray of sunshine in the home and radiated happiness wherever she went. The impressive funeral services of the Episcopal church were read, at Abilene, Wednesday morning, after which all that was mortal of precious little Elizabeth was tenderly laid to rest beside her paternal grandparents who had preceded her into the beautiful beyond.

Mr. and Mrs. Harral and Miss Patty have the sincere sympathy of their many friends in their great sorrow.—Fort Stockton Pioneer.

Mrs. L. W. Carter and children accompanied by her mother came in Tuesday from Marathon to visit Mr. J. E. Carter at the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mansfield were in from the ranch Wednesday on business.

Accordion, box and side plating; hemstitching 5c yd., pinking, braiding, buttons and buttonholes made. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas.

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Sanderson, Texas
Practice in All Courts

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is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing. Unless the inflammation can be reduced, your hearing may be destroyed forever.
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Sold by all druggists.
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Hy Laurence motored to Monahan, Texas last Saturday to meet Mrs. Laurence and daughter, Miss Sidney, who have been visiting friends and relatives in Arkansas.

Mrs. Alex. Mitchell returned from San Antonio Wednesday where she has been the past two weeks for medical treatment.

Come in the Royal Tailor Shop and us let show you how to keep cool at that 4th of July celebration by wearing one of our cool, classy, Palm Beach suits.

Mrs. C. F. Burling and children came in Tuesday from Dallas where she has been visiting relatives.

Fresh vegetables every Monday and Thursday. Barbecued meat every day.
Sanderson Market.

Mrs. Ed. Reeves came in Tuesday from El Paso to visit her sister, Mrs. Halley.

Mrs. Lawrence Erwin and children came in Thursday from Alpine to visit friends.

Your clothes will always look neat and clean if you have them pressed and cleaned at the Royal Tailor Shop. Phone No. 6, and we will call for your package and deliver when finished.

Little Miss Cereta Boyce of Del Rio is visiting Mrs. Flora Reeve.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robertson have purchased Jim Nance's Buick Roadster.



**FISK
TIRES**
FOR SALE BY
MUSSEY BROS.

CHURCH NEWS

Methodist meeting closed 19th with 14 converts for that church and 4 for the Baptist and Presbyterian. Dr. Vanderpool is an excellent and forceful expounder of the gospel; his sermons will be long remembered by all and they will be glad to welcome him to our midst again.

Rev. Bickley was called to the bedside of his mother who is at the point of death. He left on No. 110 Tuesday.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Chester Smith Tuesday evening. Talk on the life and good works of Miss Belle H. Bennet by Dr. Vanderpool and others; business and refreshments following. A profitable evening for all and much encouragement to continue in the good work here.

Presbyterian S. S. met at usual hour with 53 present; fairly good after closing of public school, so many leave town.

Next Sunday is Bro. Adams regular appointment; all cordially invited to all services.

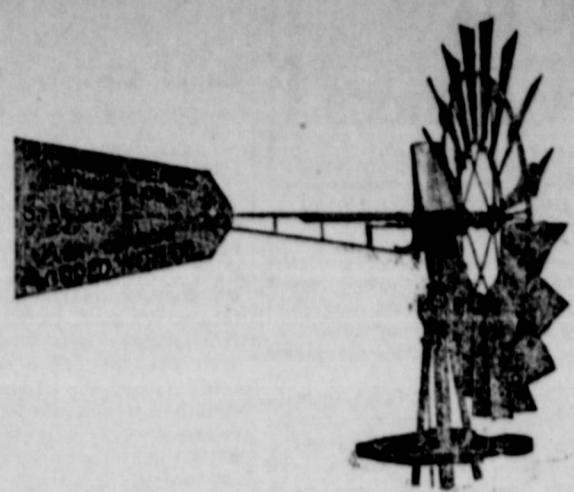
Bible reading and study this (Saturday) evening at 8:15 at

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IN the future someone may design a better windmill than the new AERMOTOR but there is nothing better on the market today.

SENSITIVE to the lightest breeze, balanced to the highest wind, it pumps more water than other windmills. It's self-oiling feature cuts repair expense to practically nothing.

A years supply of oil goes with each Aermotor. Pour this oil into the crank case, and the Aermotor runs itself for a year without further attention from you. To get everlasting windmill satisfaction, buy an Aermotor.



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Presbyterian church by our Baptist brethren, Mr. Stewart as leader. All invited to come.

The W. M. U. met at the home of Mrs. Tardy, Wednesday eve. Not many present; it was work day, many quilt blocks were made. The hostess served delicious cake and lemonade.

Very few ladies present Monday evening at Ladies Auxiliary. Hope to have more on the 25th. We miss those who do not come.

Next week (27th) being social and business day, will meet with Mrs. Strange. Members please do not forget the 25c packages for that day; each one try to bring some one else.

Cakes and pies for sale at Smith & Eldridges store today (Saturday 23rd), under the care of the Methodist W. M. S. special orders can be phoned to Mrs. Smith and Mrs. White.

For Sale—In Terrell County, 2 1/2 acre oil lease in Lot 36, Survey 35, Block Y; this lease runs until November 1st, 1923. For particulars write:
Mrs. F. L. Worthington,
3 1/2 Park Place,
Mystic, Conn.

House Joint Resolution No. 16.

Proposing an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which relates to taxation and revenues, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a, directing the Legislature to provide for the construction, operation and maintenance, under State control, of a State system of public highways; providing for an election for the ratification or rejection of amendment herein proposed, and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That there be submitted to the people of Texas, for ratification or rejection at a special election provided for herein an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending said Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a., which shall read as follows:

Section 9a. The Legislature is authorized and directed to provide for the creation, establishment, construction, maintenance and repair, of a system of improved highways throughout the State to be under the control of the State; and in order that the State may provide the means, revenues and instrumentalities the establishment and maintenance of such system of highways, the Legislature is em-

powered to levy and cause to be collected specific excise and ad valorem taxes, in addition to those permitted for other purposes in the Constitution, but such an ad valorem tax shall be imposed only for the purpose of retiring the bonds authorized by vote of the people of this State as provided for hereinafter in this Section.

When said system shall have been designated and taken over for the State as provided in Section A hereof, the Legislature is authorized to make provision for the equitable compensation to such counties for the value of such improvements as have been theretofore constructed by the Counties in the State.

Provided, also that save for the State highway system, in all other respects, Counties shall have the right to build, construct and maintain roads, turnpikes, and bridges within their respective boundaries and the Constitutional provisions relating thereto are not qualified or repealed by reason hereof.

The Legislature, at any Regular or Special Session, is authorized and directed to pass and enact all appropriate legislation necessary to carry out and effectuate the purpose and intent of these Articles.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to cause to be issued his necessary proclamation for an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1923, at which election this amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection and shall make the publication required by the Constitution and Laws of the State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State, and the ballots for said election shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the following words:

"OFFICIAL BALLOT": "For the amendment to Article 8, of

the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways." "Against the amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways."

Those voters who favor such amendment shall erase by marking a line through the words "Against the Amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways."

Those who oppose such amendment shall erase by marking a line through them, the words, "For the amendment to Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways." And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election.

Sec. 3. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of the proclamation and publication of this amendment and the election to be held hereunder.

S. L. STAPLES,
Secretary of State.

**GRAND AND GLORIOUS
4th JULY CELEBRATION**

The Times office is in receipt of an invitation from Fort Stockton stating: "Fort Stockton is arranging to have a great, big, grand and glorious old fashioned Fourth of July celebration and extends to the citizens of Sanderson and Terrell County and neighbors and everybody a cordial invitation to come and enjoy with us two big days."

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Federal Aid Highway Construction—Terrell County.**

Scaled proposals addressed to Judge G. J. Henshaw, County Judge of Terrell County, Texas, for the construction of the first of four sections of State Highway No. 12 in Terrell County, Texas, will be received at the office of the Terrell County Clerk at Sanderson, Texas, until 10 o'clock A. M., June 29th, 1923, and then publicly opened and read.

Description of Work.

Total length of Highway—60 miles—divided into four sections. Length of first section—13.07 miles.

Type of construction: Gravel surfacing, 18' wide, 8" deep; embankment, 26' wide; concrete bridges, culverts and pavement.

Item 4, light clearing, 212.00, 100' stations.

Item 4, light grubbing, 82.40, 100' stations.

Item 4, channel clearing, 7.90 acres.

Item 5, earth excavation, 54,427.40 cubic yards.

Item 5, solid rock excavation, 5,152.20 cubic yards.

Item 5, loose rock excavation, 969.10 cubic yards.

Item 5, borrow excavation, 49,452.50 cubic yards.

Item 5, overhaul excavation, 14,830.20 cubic yards.

Item 5, overhaul borrow, 7,109.90 cubic yards.

Item 5, grader work, scarifying and shaping, 31.00, 100' stations.

Item 10, native gravel surfacing, placing, 3,685.67 cubic yards.

Item 10, shaping, dragging, native gravel, 3,685.67 cubic yards.

Item 10, gravel pit stripping, etc., 20,000.00 cubic yards.

Item 10, gravel hauled first 1/4 mile, 27,747.58 cubic yards.

Item 10, gravel hauled second 1/4 mile, 9,355.80 cubic yards.

Item 10, gravel hauled third 1/4 mile, 5,727.33 cubic yards.

Item 10, gravel hauled fourth 1/4 mile, 2,448.00 cubic yards.

Item 10, gravel hauled fifth 1/4 mile, 1,188.00 cubic yards.

Item 10, gravel hauled sixth 1/4 mile, 520.65 cubic yards.

Item 10, screening gravel, top 4", 13,873.79 cubic yards.

Item 10, rolling gravel, 399.00 hours.

Item 10, sledging rock sub-base, 50.00, 100' stations.

Item 33, wooden guard fence, 8' sections, 4,350.00 Lin. ft.

Item 34, plain rip rap, one ft. thick, 426.70 square yards.

Item 14, reinforcing steel, 130,577.00 pounds.

Item 53, structural excavation, earth, dry, 2,286.00 cubic yards.

Item 54, concrete walls, 1-2 1/2 x 5, 400.41 cubic yards.

Item 54, concrete pavement, 1:2:3 1/2, 2,845.44 square yards.

Item 53, structural excavation, rock, 62.00 cubic yards.

Item 54, concrete bridges and culverts, 1:2:4, 1,094.40 cubic yards.

Item 62, concrete bridge railing, type C, 388.00 Lin. ft.

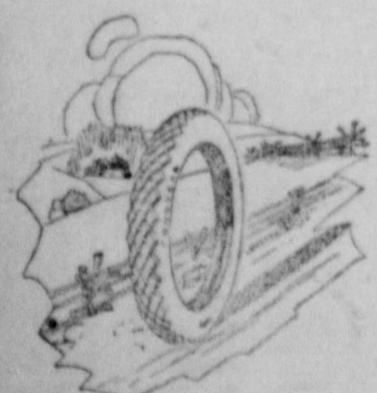
Bids will be received on the whole or on earth work and surfacing items separately from all concrete items.

Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination at the office of John Stovall, County Engineer, Sanderson, Texas.

A certified or Cashier's check for 5 per cent of the bid made payable without recourse to the order of G. J. Henshaw, County Judge of Terrell County, Texas, must accompany each bid or proposal, as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into a contract and make bond in accordance with the requirements of the specifications.

The right is reserved by Terrell county to reject any and all bids or proposals or waive all technicalities. Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked "Bids for the construction of the first section of State Highway No. 12 in Terrell County, Texas." Payment for the above work will be made in cash. All bids will be retained by the County.

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