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Thirty or forty representative business concerns of Crockett will make an automobile excursion of Houston County, boosting the resources of Crockett and its advantages as a trade center. All machines will be decorated, and each business firm will have souvenirs to hand out, and attractive literature. The excursionists will leave Crockett on the morning of June 10th, making the schedule as indicated below, and will be glad to meet as many people as possible at each designated stopping place, and will stop as long as five or ten minutes at any convenient place along any route if there is a gathering and it is desired that excursionists stop there in addition to regular stops. Following is the schedule:

TUESDAY, JUNE 10th.

Arrive at Latexo....8:45 a. m.
Leave Latexo.....9:00 a. m.
Arrive at Grapeland 9:45 a. m.
Leave Grapeland....10:15 a. m.
Arrive at Percilla..11:15 a. m.
Leave Percilla.....11:30 a. m.
Arrive at Augusta ..12:00 m.
Leave Augusta.....1:00 p. m.
Arrive at Weches.. 2:30 p. m.
Leave Weches.....3:00 p. m.
Arrive at Belott...5:00 p. m.
Leave Belott.....5:15 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11th

Arrive at Ratcliff..11:00 a. m.
Leave Ratcliff.....11:30 a. m.
Arrive at Kennard..12:15 p. m.
Leave Kennard.....1:15 p. m.
Arrive at Pennington 2:30 p. m.
Leave Pennington...3:00 p. m.
Arrive at Shady Grove 4:00 "
Leave Shady Grove 4:15 p. m.

THURSDAY, JUNE 12th

Arrive at Lovelady..9:30 a. m.
Leave Lovelady....10:00 a. m.
Arrive at Antioch..10:30 a. m.
Leave Antioch....10:45 a. m.
Arrive at Weldon...12:00 m.
Leave Weldon.....1:00 p. m.
Arrive at Volga....1:30 p. m.
Leave Volga.....2:00 p. m.

FRIDAY JUNE 13th

Arrive at P. Springs 10:00 a. m.
Leave P. Springs..10:30 a. m.
Arrive at Ash.....11:00 a. m.
Leave Ash.....11:15 a. m.
Arrive at Goodland 12:00 m.
Leave Goodland...1:00 p. m.
Arrive at Creek...2:30 p. m.
Leave Creek.....3:00 p. m.

It will be impossible to make every community in the county, but the business men expect to make a similar trip later, when they will cover the portions of the county not covered by this excursion.

The following firms will be represented in the excursion:

J W Young, Mayor of Crockett; Crockett State Bank, Jas. S. Shivers & Co., Crockett Dry Goods Co., Steinlein-Lively Co., T D Caaddock, Dan J Kennedy, Decuir-Bishop Drug Co., Chamberlain & Woodall, McLean Drug Co., McConnell Hardware Co., Dupree & Waller, J W Bennett, W W Latham, Jno D Morgan, Houston County Oil Mill & Mfg. Co., R H Evans (Ford Automobiles), Parsley-Paine Cotton Chopper Co., Jno. R Foster,

(Buggy Man) J D Sims, J. S. Cook, First National Bank, Daniel & Burton, Edmiston Bros., J C Millar, Swann Furniture Co., Dan McLean, Smith Hardware Co., H J Philipps, Smith Bros., Crockett Courier, Johnson Arledge, I W Sweet, B L Satterwhite, Waller Grocery Co., H A Fisher, H J Arledge (Insurance), Houston County Times.

HAYS SPRING NEWS ITEMS

May 11.—The health of our community is not so good at present, as there are some on the puny list. We are glad to report that Mrs. W. M. Brown is improving. We hope she will soon be able to again take her post in our Sunday school.

Mrs. W. T. Warner is in very poor health now, being afflicted with rheumatism, perhaps combined with other troubles, which at times almost renders her helpless. We hope all the sick will soon be enjoying the blessings of good health.

Everything in the way of farming seems to be moving along fairly well. Corn is small but well worked out and is growing nicely. Of course the late cold snaps kept corn from growing as fast as it should, but we think farmers should plant and raise more corn and not have to depend on buying so much every year; plant more corn and raise less cotton; corn will then be cheaper and cotton higher by so doing. You will help yourself and help to hold the price of cotton up to where it should be.

Miss Emerson's school closed here last Tuesday evening with a few speeches and songs rendered by the little fellows mostly.

Barnum Lively came in one day last week from Hall county to see his brother, Luther. Barnum lived in this community several years when he was a school boy, and it is needless to say that he has many warm friends here to welcome him.

JULIUS.

Picnic Party.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Darsey entertained a party of their Crockett friends with a picnic at Myrtle Lake last Thursday. The following were their guests for the day: Mesdames. A. A. Aldrich, Henry Arledge, Will Denny, George Denny, Bill McConnell, Dan McConnell, George Crook, Charles Edmiston, Charles Pruitt, John Ellis, Sid Murchison, Miss Hallie Ellis; Messrs. Charles Edmiston, George Crook, Will Denny, Henry Arledge.

John L. Guice, who has been attending a college of pharmacy in Mobile, Ala., will graduate May 22. He remembered us with an invitation to attend.

Dr. and Mrs. W. D. McCarty and children and little Miss Melba Brock left Monday for San Antonio on a pleasure and sight seeing trip.

TAKING SCHOLASTIC CENSUS

Esq. John A. Davis has been employed by the school board to take the scholastic census of the Grapeland Independent School District, and is now engaged in that arduous task. The work must be completed during the month of May, and it is very important that every child in the district be enumerated so our school will receive its full prorate of the state fund.

Under the law passed by the last legislature the free school age is raised to twenty-one, but no provision was made for enumerating children above seventeen, so the census will be taken in the same manner and covering the same ages as heretofore. However, children between the ages of seven and twenty-one will have the benefit of free tuition.

THREE TEACHERS WERE ELECTED

The school board held a meeting last Friday afternoon and elected the following teachers: Mrs. B. H. Logan, primary department; Miss Blanche Kennedy, third and fourth grades; Miss Addie Hill, seventh and eighth grades. One other teacher for the fifth and sixth grades is yet to be elected.

ESTABLISHING COUNTY LINE

A party of surveyors left Grapeland Monday for the county line on the north and will establish the line between Houston and Anderson counties. For many years the exact line between the two counties has not been definitely known and has been a source of much annoyance to people living along the line. The work will be in charge of John Ellis of this county and Mr. Lovett of Anderson county. The expenses will be evenly borne by both counties. It will take about sixty days to complete the job.

"Among the Breakers."

The above is the name of the play presented by the young people of Lovelady at the school auditorium last Friday night. A very good crowd witnessed the performance and it was well presented, every character doing excellent work. We were glad to have these young people with us and hope they will visit Grapeland again with other entertainments.

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KEEP THE SOIL WELL MULCHED

After a crop has been planted on well prepared soil the chief consideration in keeping it growing is the conservation of moisture. Proper efforts to prevent loss of the moisture that has been stored in the ground and in saving that that comes to the soil during the growth of the plant accomplish all that is necessary towards good cultivation. The two ways in which moisture escapes from the soil during dry weather is by being pumped through the plant and by evaporation from the surface of the soil. When it escapes through the plant it is performing its legitimate function and before escaping in this way has supplied the plant with what food it contains, but when moisture escapes from the surface soil it is a dead loss and the plants cannot derive any benefit therefrom. When the crop is small there is generally an abundance of moisture in the soil and the more moisture present the more rapid is the evaporation. As the soils dry out it becomes harder for the atmosphere to wring moisture from them. The earth, seeming to appreciate the importance of this subject, holds on to it harder and harder as it grows less. About the only practical way of preventing or lessening this loss by evaporation is by keeping a covering of loose soil over the whole surface of the land. This layer of loose, freshly stirred soil acts as a sponge to drink up and hold the moisture that is brought up by the capillary tubes. It should be remembered, however, that this is only a temporary action of loose soil, and if left undisturbed sooner or later the capillary tubes will be continued through the loose soil to the surface and then the loss of soil goes merrily on. The length of time that is required for the re-establishment of these tubes to the surface varies somewhat with the soil but is pretty well completed in all soils by the end of a week or ten days. If a shower of rain intervenes then it is established immediately. So to save the maximum amount of moisture it is well to make it a rule to stir the soil at least every ten days in the absence of rain and immediately succeeding a shower as promptly as the condition of the soil will permit. The best depth at which to

maintain this mulch varies somewhat with the soil and climatic conditions. In coarse grained soils and in the dryer sections it should be several times as deep as in other soils or sections. Remember also that the finer the soil particles of the mulch are, the more effective it will be; so every effort should be made to destroy even the smallest clods. The constant stirring of the soil to maintain this mulch will, of course, prevent the formation of the roots of the plants within this area and so force a deeper root development. Sometimes it is the practice to maintain a shallow mulch in the early part of the season when moisture is abundant and to deepen it later on as moisture becomes scarce. This method is bad, as it is manifestly impossible to follow it without destroying the roots of the plants. Learn the maximum depth that is necessary for the mulch to prevent evaporation during the driest weather and establish and maintain this depth from the very beginning of cultivation. By so doing the roots are already established deep down in the soil beyond the danger of injury and where they are assured of a maximum supply of moisture. This deep mulch does not mean deep cultivation. A three inch mulch or, in exceptional conditions, one of four inches, will be as deep as is ever necessary. What we wish to guard against is simply scratching the surface of the soil in the early stages of the plant life and then having to establish a mulch so much deeper that it is bound to destroy roots. With the mulch properly established and maintained from the beginning there will be no reason for the practice that is prevalent in some sections of cultivating only every other middle at a time. The reason given for this is that by so doing the roots of the plants are disturbed on but one side at a time; but the deep mulch from the beginning obviates this. Then every other middle cultivation only half does the job and while evaporation is checked from the middle that has been stirred it really goes on more rapidly from the one that has been undisturbed. To be most effective the mulch should be established and maintained over the whole surface. The dryer the weather the more important it is to keep the surface as flat as possible, as ridges serve to expose a greater surface to the evaporating effect of

the sun and air. Keep the soil as nearly level as possible and constantly stirred to the correct depth from the beginning and with the amount of rain that most sections have enjoyed this winter and spring there should be very little complaint about dry weather this crop season.—Texas Industrial Congress.

RAPID RISE

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PEBBLES FROM ROCK HILL

May 12.—Well, we are having some real spring weather at last, and farm work is being pushed along rapidly. Some cotton is being chopped.

Bro. Williams of Daly's preached for us yesterday. He delivered a very interesting sermon Sunday night too. He was called to fill out the rest of the year in Bro. C. A. Campbell's place. Bro. Campbell having his time taken up at other places, could not reach all.

Mr. Luther Warner of Hays Spring was up to church Sunday. Must be some attraction? But we are glad to have visitors, come again.

Miss Fannie Pridgen of Daly's attended church Sunday night. Mr. Charlie Streetman accompanied by Mr. Willie Willis, made a pleasant trip to Reynard Sunday. Charlie conducted the song service. They are thinking of having a music school at that place. There should be no hesitation of having a music school in any community where you haven't a good choir. In talking with our preachers they say that good singing is not found in every church. On some occasions no singing at all. Singing is the life of any church and community. When I say singing, I mean spiritual songs sung with an understanding. You know we are commanded to sing hymns of praise unto God, and to sing with understanding.

Our Sunday School is still progressing nicely. The time has been changed from 3 o'clock p. m., to 10 o'clock a. m.

Mr. A. U. Streetman is sick at this writing. Hope to see him out again soon.

Mr. C. M. Streetman lost one of his fine young mules last week. This is the fourth mule Mr. Streetman has lost in a little over twelve months. Mules are very costly to lose that way.

Messrs. Brooks, Patterson and Durnell made a trip to the river last week and report plenty of fish while there. When they don't get them they are not there to get.

Mr. Newton Streetman went to New Prospect Sunday. He likes to go up there, especially on Sunday. **LITTLE ITEMS**



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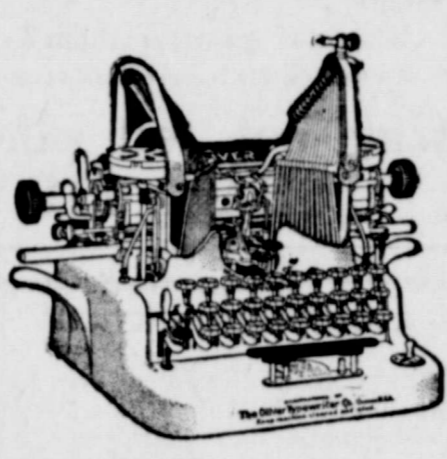
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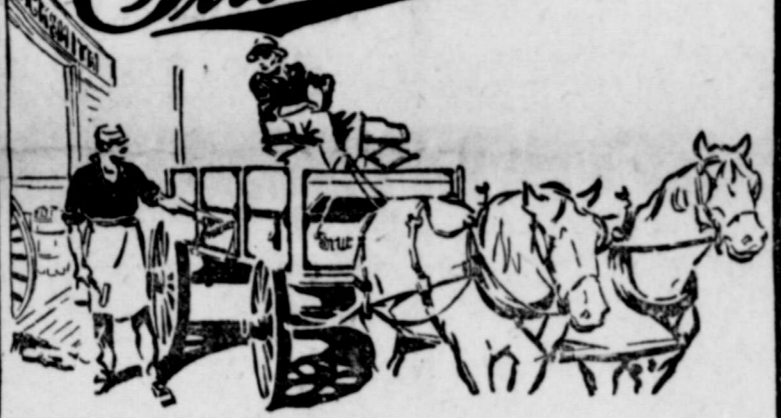
The greatest enemy of childhood is the tape worm and similar parasites. They are the direct cause of the loss of thousands of children who were so weakened by the pernicious action of these pests that they became easy victims of disease. The best protection against worms is to give the children an occasional dose of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It not only removes worms, but acts as a general tonic in the stomach and bowels.

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THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1913

Some gink said that all women are born free and equal—but they don't look it at the bathing beach.

Houston has about decided to abandon the No-Tsu-Oh Carnival. It never was anything except a large crowd and a big bunch of noise.

There will always be a town here because there will always be some who see the folly of spending their money somewhere else; but how much better and bigger town it would be if all of us would trade at home.

There will be something doing from now on in things pertaining to woman's suffrage in Texas. The Women's Press Association in recent convention at San Antonio endorsed the movement and pledged it their support.

Would you favor a special road tax, say 15c on the hundred dollars valuation, for the purpose of maintaining the sand-clay roads which have been constructed on the west side of the railroad? It is quite apparent that if some provision is not made to keep them up the bond money will have been wasted.

THREE WORDS

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For "Stop! Look! Listen!"

By HOLLAND.

WORDS are wonderful things. A Chicago publisher displays in his windows the legend, "Words are the only things that live forever."

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He's Going Away From Here



This man is evidently in a hurry. He is going away from here.

You never can get some men into action without a powerful stimulus. You can hardly say this man is having a bully time, although the bull may be. It is all in the point of view.

Anyway, the man is going, some, and THAT IS GOOD FOR HIM, or is it if he goes fast enough. He has developed a burst of speed for once in his life.

It is good to get into action.

It is good for the individual and even better for the community.

THIS TOWN WANTS TO GET INTO ACTION. That means we as individuals want to get into action for the town. We want to get a move on.

The census shows that this country is increasing in population at the rate of nearly 2,000,000 per year.

These people have to settle somewhere.

WHY NOT HERE?

We may not be able to get the whole 2,000,000, but even a fraction will help.

Why not go after them?

We believe this is a good town else we would not live here.

Why not tell others and let them
SHARE ITS BLESSINGS?

ABOUT HOME OWNING

Every man should strive to own his own home. It is a lofty ambition and one that can be soon realized if the proper management is pursued. We must spend money for necessities; we should spend it for investment; we may spend it for pleasure; when we spend it for a home we spend it for all three. Grapeland Messenger.

Any young man who is finding it difficult to save will do well to buy a home. It will be an incentive to set aside a part of the income every payday. In fact, it will make that very thing necessary. There are two kinds of debts that may be contracted by any man. One is the current bills—and it is a bad sort of indebtedness to carry. The other is an investment that requires regular payments. This is the best sort of a proposition and will lead to a competency. Any young man who is married will do well to get a home. Get it on the payment plan. The stimulus that will thus be afforded toward frugal habits will be the best sort of business training, as well as the beginning of a fortune. By all means, buy a home.—Galveston News.

Hogs are bringing good prices. It is said that a shoat in the pen is worth ten dollars in the pocket.

Pure water, if left to stand for any length of time, will become stale and stagnant. So it is with business. You must be constantly on the look-out for new ideas and new methods to keep the pace set by twentieth century living.

The idea has been suggested to us by one of our citizens, and it looks good to us, that our people go into berry raising. Blackberries and dewberries, when properly cultivated, make fine fruit and the flavor is delicious. So far as the Messenger knows, only three of our farmers attempt to raise these berries to any extent and they have pretty good success with them. One of them has in seven acres and ships a large amount of berries every season. The other two have small patches and confine

their sales to the local trade. Now, if we had enough berry patches to go in together and ship in large quantities every spring we believe financial results would be satisfactory. We hope some of our people will thoroughly investigate the matter with the view of increasing the berry acreage.

League Programs

Song service.
(Anniversary day) The great work ahead. John 5,20; 15, 12
Leader—John R. Owens.
Prayer.
Solo—Miss Baker.
Reading—Miss Maud McCarty
Quartette—Misses Owens and Kent; Messrs. Morris and Garland.
Paper on works of Jesus—
Esther Davis.
Song.
Benediction.

JUNIOR LEAGUE

Leader—Earl Howard.
Opening song by league.
Reading by Adelaide Selkirk.
Song—Rena Ross Richards,
Mary Lou Darsey, Mary White,
and Carrie Spence.
Recitation—Dorothy Clewis.
Prayer.
Song—Melba Brock, Bess Howard, Tom Richards, and Hadie Gilbert.
Reading by Paul Kent.
Roll Call.
Business session.
Closing song:
Benediction.

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When you have a bad cold you want a remedy that will not only give relief, but effect a prompt and permanent cure, a remedy that is pleasant to take, a remedy that contains nothing injurious. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all these requirements. It acts on nature's plan, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions and restores the system to a healthy condition. This remedy has a world wide sale and use, and can always be depended upon. For sale by all druggists.
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LETTER FROM ANTRIMITE

May 11.—Again we come forward with glad tidings of good open weather, growing crops and good health. So it seems like we are bountifully blessed with the toll we have when we stop in our onward rush after the necessities of life long enough to think of the poor people who have lost their home, property, loved ones and lives in the awful storms and floods which have swept this land and country since January 1st. Are you giving thanks to your creator for the preservation of your health and life and for the many blessings which you now enjoy and which he has power to take away at his will? Or are you dissatisfied and filled with grievances because you are not getting enough of this world's goods to satisfy your lusty ambition? Examine yourself closely and see if you belong to the last named class and if so be a man and get out of it and meet the world with a smile, and if you can't do that then don't frown.

Mrs. A. N. Edens, who has been visiting friends and relatives at this place returned home Saturday, going by way of Elkhart.

Aunt Savannah Martin is among us again, and seems to be enjoying herself.

G. L. Waddell and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Weisinger, also Messrs. Patterson and Stevenson. Guess no one suffered with cold feet as that trio would be warm inside an ice-berg.

Mesdames Ed Weisinger, J. L. Nichols and W. R. Durnell were the guests of Mrs. J. F. Martin Sunday evening.

Mr. J. F. Kiser of the Pleasant Hill community was in our midst Sunday to view the writer's Indian Runner ducks which are some ducks too. Some of these days we will tell the editor and readers how we raise them.

Mr. H. W. Beesom, Agricultural Agent of Houston County, was around with us last week talking better farming methods, and we believe he knows his business. It seems like the poor old farmer is in the middle of a bad fix, and finding no solution to his problem either. While the government and agricultural colleges are doing all they are able to do and spending vast sums of money in prizes trying to educate the farmer to a degree where he can get some returns for his labor, the Farmers Union, with Peter Radford at its head and other agricultural societies in the south are telling him that he is producing too much already and that it is impossible to find a market for the crops he now raises that will give him an adequate return for his produce. Now, how in the world do you suppose a farmer knows what to do in the face of two such arguments as these? One thing he does know, and that is, that he will have to work like "six bits" or else he will go defunct by a large majority and no provender for "Sallie and the kids."

Messrs. Brooks, Patterson, Loper and Durnell, spent a day or two on the river last week and reported a splendid catch. It makes a fellow have a longing for the tall uncut, but oh, you crab-grass. ANTRIMITE.

If you desire satisfactory work, carry your old clothes to Clewis. adv

Does Your Wardrobe NEED Replenishing ?

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OURS IS THE PLACE WHERE YOU GET THE Best Goods For The Lowest Price

Our stock of low quarter shoes, Clothing, Dress Goods, Furnishing Goods is still complete. Let us show them to you.

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LOCAL NEWS

Darsey buys eggs. adv

Doors and windows at Darsey's. adv

"GOLD BOND" Flour at Kennedy Bros. adv

Cultivator sweeps—all sizes at Kennedy Bros. adv

Blank notes and mortgages for sale at the Messenger office.

Ladies' work a specialty. adv Clewis, the Tailor.

Window glass, all sizes. Price right. T. H. Leaverton Lumber Co.

Men's work gloves at Darsey's. adv

Mattresses of all kinds at Kennedy Bros. adv

W. W. Sullivan of Percilla was here Monday.

Men's hats, shirts, collars, ties and hose at Darsey's. adv

I will have some fresh fish at Brooks' store Saturday. adv. J. J. COOK.

Mrs. W. V. Berry of Crockett is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Howard.

Bring us your chickens and eggs. Kennedy Bros. adv

Boys! See those soft hats at Darsey's. Only 50c. adv

A big shipment of Dr. Hess' Stock and Poultry Food just received at Porter's Drug Store, east side railroad. adv

Bear in mind that we handle the genuine Schwab Grain Crad. the best on the market. adv Kennedy Bros.

A. H. Luker left Wednesday at noon for San Antonio to attend the annual meeting of the Texas Press Association.

Remember the Old Wagon—the best—can be found at Kennedy Bros. adv

Ready made skirts at Darsey's. adv

See Darsey's line of summer novelties. adv

John Riley Hoe is the best—get one at Kennedy Bros. adv

Just as we go to press we learn that S. E. Howard has let the contract for two brick buildings. We will tell you more about it next week.

See Darsey's line of new dress goods. adv

Give us a chance at your furniture. We carry a full line. adv Kennedy Bros.

L. Q. Browning, E. W. Davis and D. N. Leaverton paid the hub a business visit Monday.

Just received a carload of Old Hickory Wagons at Kennedy Bros. adv

M. L. Clewis left Sunday for Houston with his little girl to have her eyes treated by a specialist.

Mrs. Maattie I. Hill of El Paso, Grand Matron of the Eastern Star of Texas, paid the Grapeland Chapter an official visit last Friday. She was the guest of Mrs. P. H. Stafford, Worthy Matron of this chapter.

New goods arriving all the time at Darsey's. adv

If you are ragged Clewis the tailor will clothe you. adv

New spring millinery at Darsey's. adv

You can now get blank mortgages at the Messenger office.

Tax Assessor John Ellis was up from Crockett Monday.

Chops, bran, oats and hay at Kennedy Bros. adv

Attorney Greenwood of Palestine was here on legal business last Friday.

A large, new line of dishes at Darsey's. adv

Let me write your life insurance. Ten and twenty year pay with the Amicable Life Insurance Co., Waco. J. J. Cook. adv

Mrs. Jim Ellis of Crockett is spending the week in Grapeland with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Spence.

Don't forget we are prepared to make you a nice frame for your picture.

T. H. Leaverton Lumber Co. adv.

W. D. Granberry, cashier of the F. & M. Bank, is in Galveston this week attending the State Bankers' Convention.

"Doctor" M. L. Clewis, Clothes Specialist. All troubles of any kind of wearing apparel carefully treated. Give him a trial. Advertisement

Little John Woodrow, thirteen months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arthur of Latexo, died Saturday morning and was buried in the city cemetery here in the afternoon.

The Messenger is requested to announce that Rev. B. H. Henderson will preach at Enon the second Sunday in June at 11 o'clock. An invitation is extended all to attend.

Thos. J. Welch, manager of the Houston County Times, was a business visitor to Grapeland last Friday.

Notice to Fruit Growers

The fruit growers of the Grapeland country are requested to meet at the courthouse Saturday, May 17th, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of ordering crates. B. R. EAVES.

Mr. Jim Keen died at his home north-west of Grapeland at an early hour Sunday morning after an illness covering several week's duration. Mr. Keen was an old and highly respected citizen of this community, having lived here many years. He was an ex-confederate soldier and a mason. He was buried in the Parker cemetery Sunday afternoon, the services being conducted by the Grapeland Masonic Lodge.

Great Meeting for Men

Perhaps the greatest meeting for men that has been held in Grapeland will be the one at the Methodist church next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p. m.

The meeting will be for men only and Evangelist W. H. Crum will speak. He is a man's preacher, and every man in the town and community should hear him. This will be the only service of the sort and everyone who fails to attend will miss a great service.

Farming tools and supplies at Darsey's. adv

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard announce the arrival of a son.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scarborough, a fine girl baby.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Black and children have returned to Grapeland from Dallas.

Take your chickens and eggs to Darsey. He will pay more for them. adv

A gasoline lighting system, consisting of four lights, has been installed in the Methodist church

Misses Elizabeth Gayle and Allie Murray of Lovelady were the guests of Miss Arline Howard a few days this week.

Notice To Public

We have a fine Jersey male for service at our livery barn. Service fee reasonable.

CALHOUN & LEAVERTON. (Advertisement)

Henry Richards left Sunday night for Corpus Christi to attend the K. of P. Grand Lodge. He is the official representative of Grapeland Lodge.

A full car of doors and windows, screen doors, wire screen, paints and wall paper, and we want to sell you.

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Notice

All persons holding claims against F. M. Tyer, deceased, will please file statement of same with the Guaranty State Bank of Grapeland, Texas, not later than June 1, 1913, as we wish to close up his business by this date. (Adv) J. E. TYER.

The Messenger received a pleasant call Saturday from Mr. J. C. Scarborough, one of Houston county's bright young men teachers. He has just closed a very successful term at Oakland, Texas.

C. E. Hayes, a real estate dealer of Crockett, was here Friday, having with him Mr. Simpson, a prospector from Uvalde county, who is a farmer on a large scale and is interested in East Texas. He stated to the Messenger that if he could find a desirable place he would move to Houston county and make it his permanent home.

Health a Factor in Success

The largest factor contributing to a man's success is undoubtedly health. It has been observed that a man is seldom sick when his bowels are regular—he is never well when they are constipated. For constipation you will find nothing quite so good as Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. They are sold by all dealers. adv

I am in touch with deals that are being made all over the country and if you are contemplating a change or want to make a trade of any kind see me and talk the matter over. I may have just what you are looking for, and if not, may be able to help you find it. This service will not cost you a cent unless I make the deal and in that case I will charge a small commission. List your property for sale with me and I will find a buyer for it.

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The Flying Man

Harry
Irving
Greene

Author of "The Lash of Circumstance,"
"Barbara of the Snows"

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—Professor Desmond of the Peak observatory causes a great sensation throughout the country by announcing that what appears to be a satellite is approaching at terrific speed. Destruction of the earth is feared.

CHAPTER II—Panic prevails everywhere. The satellite barely misses the earth. The atmospheric disturbance knocks people unconscious, but does no damage.

CHAPTER III—A leaf bearing a cabalistic design flutters down among the guests at a lawn party. It is identical in design with a curious ornament worn by Doris Fulton. A hideous man-like being with huge wings descends in the midst of the guests. He notices Doris' ornament and starts toward her.

CHAPTER IV—The men fear he intends some harm to Doris and a fierce battle ensues, in which Tolliver and March, suitors of Doris, and Prof. Desmond are injured. The flying man is wounded by a shot from Tolliver, but escapes by flying away.

CHAPTER V—A farmer reports that the flying man carried off his young daughter. People everywhere are terror-stricken at the possibilities for evil possessed by the monster. The governor offers a reward of \$500,000 for his capture, dead or alive.

CHAPTER VI—Putnam is the first of the aviators to respond. After a thrilling chase in the air he is thrown from his machine by the flying man and killed.

CHAPTER VII—Doris tells March of awakening in the night to see the face of the monster at her window. North and a score of aviators arrive to enter the campaign. The reward is increased to a million.

CHAPTER VIII—The aviators find themselves outdistanced and outmaneuvered by the flying man. Artillery proves futile.

CHAPTER IX.

The Story of North.

Some three hours later and by the early moonlight the planes began to straggle back. One by one, in twos and small companies, they arose over the crest again and settled softly upon the ground at the place from whence they had started, until all were accounted for with the exception of North and his big blue flyer. Those of the returned aviators who had stuck the longest in the chase reported that the last they had seen of the missing one he was still in pursuit of the fugitive, flying swiftly and steadily beneath the first pale moonlight and apparently still holding his own. As for themselves, they had at last realized the impossibility of overtaking the apparently exhaustless creature that night, and as their machines were beginning to suffer from divers complaints as a result of the long, gruelling run, they had deemed it advisable to return for repairs while yet they could, and also that they might hold a council of war as to what they should do next. In regard to North they expressed considerable concern, the fate of Putnam being still fresh in their minds. The dead man had been as skillful as the best of them, as well mounted, and had had the advantage of full daylight in his duel with the incomparable flying man-bird, yet the latter had at all times held him at his mercy. For North, therefore, to follow him alone through the uncertain shimmer of the moonlight with a machine that must be suffering for rest, oil and adjustment, and especially when it was known that his enemy had owl eyes by dark, was on every hand conceded to be foolhardiness even by these men whose daily business was the risking of their lives; a foolhardiness not consistent with the missing one's every-day level-headed judgment. It was generally conceded that in the excitement of the chase and dazzled by the size of the reward he had forgotten his ordinary good judgment and had been lured on by the flying devil to unequal combat, and it was promptly decided that if he had not returned by morning a scout should be made for him far and wide.

But return in the morning he did, fagged and weary eyed, and merely shaking his head in a negative reply as to whether he had had any luck he left his machine in the care of a mechanic and went straight to his hotel for breakfast and a nap. At eleven o'clock, however, he arose as fresh as ever and started back for the field. March's office happening to be upon his route, he stepped inside for a moment's chat with his old chum. Alan was delighted at his safe return.

"Tell me about it," he urged.

The aviator laughed carelessly. "Oh, I was compelled to give it up at last and come down on those mountain tops by moonlight. Say, they were not exactly designed for alighting

upon by an aeroplane, were they? Bad landing place, bad—shook things up quite a bit but escaped serious damage. Yes, I had quite a night of it." He suddenly seemed to think of something else, changed the subject and became enthusiastic. "By George, old fellow, that was a smashing pretty girl you had with you yesterday, that Miss Fulton. Yours?" March sighed and shook his head dolefully.

"No. The field is open so far as I know. Want to enter your name?"

North threw back his head and laughed, showing his perfect teeth.

"Fraid they'd scratch me as a ringer. Fact is, I am engaged to another one just about as pretty as she is and fully as sweet. That's the reason I am in this high flying business—not for love of it, I assure you, but for the coin of the realm that is to be made out of it. You see I would not be contented unless I could have Clare—that's her name, by the way—stepping along as high as the rest of them and wearing just as good things, and the only way I could think up whereby I could get the price in a short time was by skyscraping. She set up an awful holler when I told her what I was going to do, but I went at it just the same, because there was no way out of it. And if I land that million do you know the first thing I am going to do?"

"Get married, of course."

"Nope, that would be the second. First thing would be to buy an ax and chop that Blue Dragon of mine into slivers and then burn the slivers. I love the old girl all right, but she's a wanton and a devil when she gets to going and she'll lead me to destruction yet if I don't quit her cold first. So I'd take the ax and put temptation behind me with one fell swipe. Then I'd marry Clare in peace and live happily ever afterwards, and if I ever wanted any more excitement I'd learn submarine diving—I've had enough of being up high. But just because I'm engaged to a girl whom I would not trade for all the rest of them put together, that don't prevent me from appreciating some other thoroughbred high stepper when I see her. It is my innate love of the beautiful cropping out, you know, and besides that I am a normal human male animal. Hope I will meet her again before I leave or get killed." March nodded and turned to the telephone.

"Special 199," he called to the operator. North grew suspicious upon the instant.

"Now look here, March," he expostulated. "I am no Butinski, and if she is yours just say the word and—" "Keep still, you idiot. She is answering now." He faced the phone again and began speaking, evidently in reply.

"Yes, it is I and I am quite well, as usual. And, by the way, I have a friend here in the office this minute—one Mr. North, an alleged aviator. He returned safely this morning. I imagine he has a story to tell, but he will not unfold it to me. However, I think you might coax it out of him. He is quite sentimental about you, you know."

"Oh!" exclaimed Doris from her end of the wire.

"You pup," grieved North from his chair. All undisturbed, March continued maliciously:

"Yes, he is greatly taken. Says you remind him of the girl he is engaged to and wants to tell you about her."

"Ah!" breathed the girl in evident relief. "I shall be more than pleased to listen. Also, I want to hear about the case from him. You must bring him up."

"I will do so with all the resignation and misgivings of which I am capable. He is going back to the field right now and I have decided to accompany him and show him your house. He says he will stop in for a few moments on his way—with your permission."

"Liar," hissed the listener. "But I will, just to spite you. You can't bluff me that way."

Doris seemed genuinely pleased at the announcement. "By all means come—both of you. And if you hurry you will be just in time for lunch—light and cold, you know—just a few mouthfuls and a cup of tea. I am going to ring off now before you have a chance to decline. Goodby." The receiver clicked in the hook and she was gone. March turned to his friend with a grin.

"We are elected to go at once and have a few bites of lunch before you pass on to your machine. She hung up the receiver on me before I got a chance to consult you about it. So I suppose we might as well be on our way." He banged down his desk, put on his hat and left the office.

Doris met them at the door frankly pleased to see them, wonderfully

tempting in her soft morning gown that floated about her light as a summer cloud. Exceedingly dainty and pretty she was, but Alan was quick to notice the faint, dark half circles that underscored her eyes and which bespoke another night of ill rest. She led them directly to the light dining room with its plain, solid oak furniture, and seated them at the table at once. "I was afraid that Mr. North might be impatient to get back to his machine, so I thought we would have our luncheon first and our chat afterwards that he might not feel that I was delaying matters. I realize that he feels that he should be prepared to leave upon a minute's notice at all times. Anyway we can talk more or less as we nibble. Do you know?"—she turned the tea with a wrist so rounded and altogether fascinating that they watched it as if spellbound—"that I imagine I feel somewhat as the southern women did during our Civil war when their men folks were marching away to defend their homes? All houses were open to the soldiers then, and while you gentlemen of the air are here risking your lives for our protection, we women should be happy to do everything in our power to make your stay as pleasant as possible. I want you to come straight here whenever you feel inclined and bring any friends you may wish to with you. Now tell me about the chase." North laughed belittlingly.

"There isn't anything in particular to tell except that the creature we were after and myself sat it out together all night." He attacked his sandwich reminiscently.

"And what happened?" breathed the girl.

"I suppose I might as well tell the story at once and be through with it. You saw the first part of the chase when he led us around that big loop to see what kind of stuff was in us, so I need not go into that. It was just the same thing all the way around, anyway. Of course when that mortar sent him pinwheeling through the air we felt considerably encouraged, but he wasn't hurt a bit and kept on as fast as before, keeping his distance ahead of us almost to a rod and leaving us as much in doubt as ever as to whether he was doing his best or just flirting with us. Just as we got over the mountains some of the boys got discouraged and opened fire on him—you should have heard those peak echoes come back at us. He was so far ahead that it was merely wasting ammunition to shoot, yet there was a bare chance of landing him so the rest of us cut loose in order if somebody happened to drop him we could all have a claim on the reward, since nobody would be able to swear which bullet did the work. Of course we did not get him, so we kept on with the chase. It got dusk pretty soon after that, and for a while we had a hard time keeping him in sight, but presently the moon arose and that gave us light enough for all practical purposes. It certainly was an eerie sight to see that old bat-winged party ahead scudding through the moonlight like one of those funny things you sometimes dream about after a rarebit. For the first time in my life the creeps came along my back—felt like frozen footed caterpillars were crawling up and down me. Presently I looked around and saw



"They've Got Him! They've Got Him!"

that the rest of the fellows had turned back, but I thought I would go on for a little while longer just on a bare chance. So I did."

"It was altogether too reckless and I hope you will not take such a chance again," broke out the girl impatiently. North seized the opportunity to finish his sandwich.

"Well, perhaps so, but I certainly do need a good slice of that million. And I figured it that they having abandoned the chase for the night and turned him over to me, if I happened to be lucky enough to land him the larger portion if not all of the reward would be mine. So I kept on. The moon kept getting brighter as it grew darker and for half an hour more I coaxed the Dragon along by every trick I knew. It certainly was some sight when I looked down upon those mountain tops that we were skimming over. Never saw such grotesque shapes and shadows as those jumbled rock piles made—caves and grottoes and goblin palaces—while as for the canyons and valleys—well, some of them were moonlight bathed and I was willing to swear that I saw witches riding about on their broomsticks and gnomes dancing, although I suppose, of course, they were nothing but flying shadows. Others were as black as the mouth of the Pit itself, while ahead of me and always keeping his distance with infernal endurance was the most uncanny phantom of them all—the very spirit of the night." He stopped speaking to sip at his tea and the girl shivered.

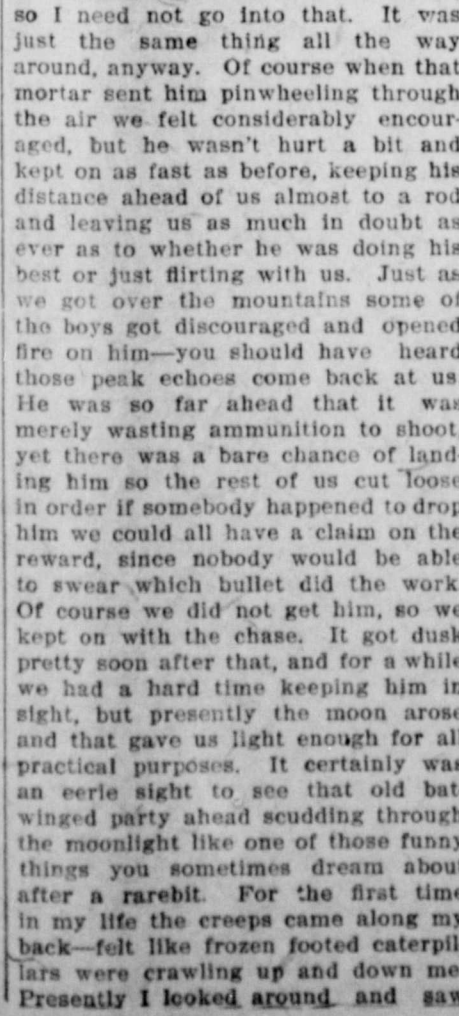
"Think of it!" she murmured in an awed voice. "The recklessness of it—the foolhardiness. You had no right to do it." He acquiesced.

"I will admit that for once I pushed discretion to the limit, and after I had left the others twenty-five or thirty miles behind I began to see it in that light. Well, my engine was beginning to act up a little by reason of getting a heated bearing, and I saw that I would have to come down, willy nilly. But it was no joke of a trick in that uncertain shimmer with those sharp rocks stabbing up all around, and I confess I was a little anxious. But presently I reached a valley that seemed to have a pretty level floor in places and I dove for it and managed to alight after quite a shake up. Then I looked up. The Flying Man had swung about, too, and was now circling back over me and things began promising to be real interesting. I did not like the lay of the land where I was particularly well, so I backed up against a rock, pulled my revolver, firmly placed one foot before and yelled:

"Come one, come all. This rock shall fly from its firm base as soon as I."

"I guess that scared him, for he screeched back, took a skim over me, saw that he could not get at me except from in front and then flapped across the valley and roosted on the edge of a rock about a quarter of a mile away where he could watch me. I was pretty tired and sat down, but of course I did not dare go to sleep. What I was most afraid of was that he would drop rocks on my machine and smash it, but for some reason he didn't. Maybe he did not happen to think of it just then, and maybe he was too tired to go carting boulders around and concluded to wait until morning when he was rested. Anyway, he certainly must have been pretty well played out, for I could see his head sink until it rested on his chest. He made me think of a condor roosting. I did not sleep a wink all night, but I guess he was snoozing most of the time; anyway when the sun came up I could tell that he was in a sound doze. I got my machine ready as quietly as I could and then

He Roosted on the Edge of a Rock About a Quarter of a Mile Away.



took another look at him. He had not moved and I decided to risk a shot. Of course he was so far away that it was a thousand to one that I would miss, but it was a chance all the same, so I steadied myself against a boulder and let drive. I did not hit him, but I made some shot at that, for I could see a chip of rock fly up from between his very feet. You ought to have seen him jump—straight up in the air, and his wings out as quick as you could snap a fan open. Then I started up the machine and managed to get afloat. He started in to try the rock game now and got hold of one as big as my head and commenced trying to get above me, but I gained on him so fast that he had to let drop and light out. I had barely enough gasoline left to carry me back, so there was nothing for me to do but give it up for that time. I made pretty fair time and arrived here about an hour after sun up. He did not follow me. The last I saw of him he was nothing but a speck in the southwest and still going. That is about all."

The luncheon had been finished for some little time and now North began to evidence signs of uneasiness. "Sorry to leave you so soon, but you will understand how necessary it is that I stick close to my machine. Most of us are going to roll up in our blankets and sleep beside our planes—they have furnished us with mattresses and we will be quite comfortable in the open. And now I had better be getting back to the field so as to be on hand in case he shows up again unexpectedly, as he seems to have a habit of doing. Thanks exceedingly for the luncheon, and I'll tell you about Clare some other time. She is a wonder. March, passing down the hall with him and the girl, was hoping that Doris by some sign might signify that he should remain, but at the door she bade them both goodby with no sign given, so there was nothing for him to do but bid her good afternoon also. Somewhat disappointed, he strode away by the side of the actively moving hero of the lone moonlight chase.

The week which followed was one of fruitless activity. From the moment when North had caught his last fleeting glimpse of the Flying Man disappearing into the southwest in the rays of the early morning sun, nothing had been heard or seen of him. Day by day the scouting air fleets ranged the mountain tops, whirled past precipitous cliffs, swooped down into valleys and gulches, alighted upon points of vantage that they might scan other heights with their powerful glasses, but all their efforts remained unrewarded. Either he was in close hiding somewhere amongst the recesses of those vast fastnesses, had met with some disaster remote from the abode of man or had taken himself far afield to haunts where his life was in less jeopardy than so close to the swift air crafts of his relentless hunters. Day by day the impatience of the eager aviators grew more and more chafing, and nothing but the colossal size of the reward prevented many from returning to fields which offered more certain if less dazzling prizes. But the immensity of the fortune that dangled before their eyes still held them and they remained to scour the country day after day in wide flights that each time grew more and more perfunctory. Then one morning, when some of them were actually preparing to leave for good, news came that caused them to prick up their ears a bit and decide to loiter a while longer, for from Quartzville, two hundred miles away, came the report that a citizen had seen roosting upon a far distant crag a strange, winged figure, half manlike, half birdlike, but whether it was the Flying Man or not the observer was not able to positively testify because of the great distance, although he was strongly inclined to the belief that it was no bird. Then from Lode City, not far from Quartzville, there also came a rumor. An old man awakened at night by the squealing of his pig, had lighted a lantern and, gun in hand, hastened to the pen with the thought that some wild creature of the mountains had descended in search of fresh meat, only to find the sty empty and no trace of the missing porker, yet a moment later he was sure he heard a faint squeal from far up in the air. From another place came the news that a belated traveler had heard a raucous cry from above and in a great fright threw himself behind a rock, from which, a moment afterwards, he heard through the darkness the whistle of powerful wings. But so unsatisfactory were the different rumors, so vague, and emanating from so many different quarters that the awaiting ones soon began to record them but little credence, a little later ceasing to place any confidence in them whatever. Then after several of the aviators had actually departed in disgust there came a seething message from Dentonville, two hundred miles to the westward, so full of horrible details that none who read even the expurgated report of the papers could doubt but that the Flying Man had again been located and had once more shed human blood, this time with a fiendishness of which he had

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heretofore been only suspected as being capable. The victim this time was a middle-aged negro woman who lived with her husband in a lonely place two miles beyond the town, the principal narrator being the negro himself, a rather simple minded and peaceable man of good repute, who made his living by doing odd jobs in his vicinity. His report of the occurrence as taken in shorthand by a newspaper reporter and after having been expurgated, read as follows:

"I done lef' de house early in de mawnin' fo' to done some wuk fo' Mistah Lewis, who am bulldin' a fence ovah on his place erbout two mile away. I done got finish' at foah er'clock and starts fo' home. When I gets up clus to de house I done notice dar's something dat ain't jes' right, fo' dar ain't no noise inside. Allers when I comes home befo' I can heah dat woman o' mine er meckin' er racket, a slingin' or whistlin' er slammin' dem dishes erbout lak she were gwine bust 'em up, but dis time it am so still I could heah my haht er beatin' lak a drum. I stan's dar for er minnit a-wonderin' what am de trubbl, an' den I tries de do'. It am locked. Den I tries de back do' an' dat am fasten' too. I tries to peek in de windows, but de curtains am down an' I begins to get suspicious, tho' I ain't nevah seen no tracks of any other man aroun' ma' place since we been married. But I is gettin' mad all ovah an' I poun's on de do' and I says, 'Woman, yo' open dat do' or I'se gwine bust it in wif a rock.' At dat I heahs a little soun' inside an' I picks up a big stone an' smashed de lock an' den I steps inside quick. Oh, Gord, what er sight! Dere a-settin' on de kitchin' table all hump up, war de debbl' hisself wif his wings folden ovah his haid an' his chin a-hangin' down an' a winkin' an' blinkin' at me wif eyes as big as ma' fis', an' dar on de flo'—Lawd, folks, I can't tole yo' what I sees. I jes' screech out a screech an' flies to de barn an' locks myself inside an' grabs de pitchfawk an' peeps out er crack. Well, pretty soon out comes dat ole debbl', still a-blinkin' an' looks eroun', but he doan' see nuffin' an' so he flaps his wings lak er rooster an' tries to fly. But he can't get offen de groun', an' bimeby he climbs up on de fence an' meks a little hop an' dis time off he goes poundin' up in de air slow an' heavy lak a tu'key buzzard. I waits until he am mos' out er sight an' den I goes a-shoutin' fo' help. So help me Lawd, dis am de truf ef I done get hanged fo' tellin' it."

The corroboration of his story by the whites who had hurried to the scene in response to his stuttered story had convinced all of the entire truthfulness of the narrative, and the wires had immediately spread the greswome news far and wide. Extra editions of the local press were upon the streets almost before the telegraph key had ceased clicking, and again a nameless horror and unspeakable rage filled the hearts of all who read. For although the papers suppressed the most greswome of the details, enough remained to make even the stoutest-hearted of those who read the story through shudder. Upon the field the aviators were giving their machines a last test with nervous haste, working silently, fiercely, horror and hatred stamped deeply upon their faces. Doris, rushing bareheaded across the block which separated the Fulton home from the little park where the airships rested, thrust a small package into North's hand just as he mounted his seat.

"I just heard the awful news and knew you would start immediately and without waiting for anything. So I just picked up the first things I could lay my hands on and hurried here," she panted. "Please take them—one can never tell when such things will be needed. It is almost nothing—just a couple of sandwiches and a small flask of brandy. Now go, and the blessings of humanity go with you." He accepted the package thankfully, smiling upon her with a gravness uncommon with him.

"I thank you sincerely, Miss Fulton. And you may rest assured that we will try as we never have before to rid the earth of this monster. Look at the faces of the boys! They have forgotten the reward now and have become soldiers to duty—a duty they owe to all mankind as well as their country. And you may depend upon their laying down their lives in this cause if self-sacrifice will accomplish the common good. For this fiend we seek

er until they vanished behind the chaotic masses that had been upheaved in the Titanic convulsions which attend the birth of a world.

Slow of foot and heavy of spirit Doris turned her face homeward, turning the letter over and over in her hands.

(To be continued.)

SAYS HUSBAND WAS ILL-CLAD

New York School Teacher Sues Rich Envelope Manufacturer for Divorce.

New York.—Mrs. Germaine Lewers, a teacher in public school 33, has brought suit in the supreme court asking for a separation from her husband, John G. Lewers, a wealthy envelope manufacturer on Pearl street, alleging that he does not dress properly or wear clean linen.

The Lewers couple were married by Rev. Dr. Ashley of St. artholomew's church on December 1, 1906, and have two children, Helen, five, and Marguerite, three years old. Her marital troubles, the complaint alleges, began in 1908, after Mrs. Lewers had made a visit to Cambridge, Mass. Upon her return to New York her husband, she says, accused her of flirting with an aged bachelor in Cambridge.

Answering his wife's application for alimony, Lewers states that not once in their married life did his wife lay out for him a freshly pressed suit or in any way seek to improve his wearing apparel and general appearance. He further states that his wife has developed a temper which makes their living together impossible. He charges that Mrs. Lewers gets a salary of \$60 a month and is well able to provide for herself.

In his affidavit Lewers states that he was married after engaging in business with his wife's mother at 102 West Fifty-sixth street.

He swears that he invested about \$1,500 in a millinery enterprise and because of "a mean business deal" he was compelled to give up the venture. Attached to his affidavit is a five-page letter written by Mrs. Lewers to him, in which she sums up their married life and decides that they are no longer compatible, and states her decision to separate. An application for alimony and counsel's fee had been made to Justice Page.

LOOK ON THE CHEERFUL SIDE

After All, What Is the Use of Letting Worry Get the Upper Hand in the Journey Through Life?

Did you ever cross a room while you were busy and worried and catch a sight of your face in the glass or window?

Nine times out of ten your jaws are set, your eyes are hard, and the expression of your face would discourage the most enthusiastic optimist in the world.

The next time you catch yourself looking like that, stop and ask yourself what under the shining sun are you sulking about.

Everybody has a sense of humor, or if they have not they should have; so call it into play at once and talk to yourself, and keep on talking until you begin to laugh at yourself and the great big trouble that made you look like a scowling dog. What will you talk to yourself about?

Oh, any merry little thing that once occurred in your life—some pleasant surprise, some happy day—anything will do.

This is no foolish advice I am giving you, for, seriously, there is more in this looking cheerful than you can dream of. It is not half as feeble minded as it sounds. Try it for a few weeks and prove it for yourself.

Don't overdo it, of course, but let your face express good will and cheer and comfort, and the first thing you know you will feel it.

You cannot entirely forget your cares; nor would it be right to do so. Every one has cares; they are good for us. The real God sent cares that test the strength of our souls—all of us have those, too; but let us meet them like real women.—Chicago Tribune.

Farmers to Co-Operate.

Officers of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative union, with the aid of other farmers' organizations and bankers, are working out a plan to eliminate middlemen in the famous Palouse country (immediately south of Spokane) by organizing a \$500,000 co-operative farmers' company to establish a chain of stores and banks. It is proposed to have all stock owned by men directly interested in agriculture.

Farmers and bankers have been quietly formulating the plan for two years, and are about prepared to proceed to organize by having 5,000 farmers take \$100 worth of stock. The success attained by Palouse farmers in conducting co-operative grain warehouses gives them confidence in launching the larger plan.

UNDERLINEN FOR YOUNG GIRL

Garments May Be Made at Home Much Cheaper Than They Can Be Purchased.

These patterns may be made up in cambric, or fine longcloth.

The nightdress has an Empire bodice composed of tucked material and insertion front and back, the full lower part being joined on by a wide beading, through which ribbon is threaded; the neck is outlined with insertion edged with lace. Ribbon threaded beading edged with lace frills finishes the sleeves.

Materials required: 4 1/2 yards 40 inches wide, 1 1/2 yard beading, 3 yards



ribbon, about 3 yards insertion, 3/4 yard narrow lace, 1 yard wide lace.

The Camisole and Combinations are very simple as to trimming, three tucks are made each side front, insertion and lace edging both neck and armholes.

The legs of the Combinations are gathered into beading, to which are attached deep frills that are edged with lace and two tucks above the lace.

Materials required for the camisole: 3/4 yard 40 inches wide, 2 1/2 yards insertion, 2 1/2 yards lace. For the combinations: 2 1/2 yards 40 inches wide, 3 yards insertion, 5 yards lace.

CARE OF THE CANDLE SHADE

Lace Covers May Easily Be Arranged So That Laundering Work Will Not Be Hard.

Keep the lace covers on candle shades separate from the lining so they can be laundered easily. They are quickly tacked to the linen or silk lining with bead fringe and mica lined, that comes in various shades of green, white, pink, blue, red and yellow and costs about 40 cents apiece, according to the New York Times.

Another cover for these linings is the lingerie one made of sheer white linen, embroidered in mercerized cotton in eyelet designs. A distinctive set has a fine buttonholed scallop at top and bottom, a bunch of conventional forget-me-nots at one side and on the other a medallion in eyelet work with the monogram of the owner done in raised satin stitch within.

A popular shade is made of overlapping silk petals with bead fringe. These come in green, yellow, red, old rose, blue and pink. The same shades can be found in the electric shade made to fit sixteen-candlepower bulbs.

FUR EDGING COMING BACK

Garniture That May Be Made Very Charming Is Returning to Popular Favor.

With our pretty round walking skirts fur edgings are coming very much to the fore again, although it must be owned that the fur is as often as not used with thin materials as it is with cloth and velvet.

For instance, there is a charming frock made of mousseline de sole in two tones, the top and upper part of the skirt which reaches half way to the knees, being carried out in rich emerald green, while the rest of the skirt is in snuff-colored mousseline de sole with a border of skunk. This is a very successful toilette, the color scheme being both original and pleasing, while the skunk lends it a special note of richness. In detail the gown is simplicity itself, the corsage joining neatly at the throat where there is a frill of fine lawn, while the sleeves are put into a seam just below the turn of the shoulders, and the fronts are fastened with crystal buttons set into little bows of dark brown velvet.

Celebrate Ninety-Fourth Birthday. Babylon, N. Y.—Samuel and Will Ham Muncy, regarded as the world's oldest twins, celebrated their ninety-fourth birthday recently.



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A WORK OF EDUCATION NEEDED

Excepting coffee, and possibly a few other necessities, the farmer can produce everything at home that he uses in the way of eatables. What he would have to expend for clothing and other things, outside of food, would be inconsiderable compared with what he now spends. And therein lies the secret of successful farming; that is, grow everything at home that can be grown so that the least possible expenditures may have to be made. No farmer can ever hope to succeed so long as he has more or less of his feed stuff, his bread, and many other eatables to buy, nor can rural life prosper so long as its life blood is sucked out by the vendors of life's necessities. Show me the farmer who is willing to quit cultivating his cotton to go to his corn or his truck patch or his garden or his melon acreage, and I will show you a man who does not depend upon foreign markets for his eatables.

A great work of education is needed in this connection, and why are not our moral and social leaders about it? Why is not crop diversification advocated from the pulpit, and why is it not taught by rural school teachers? Why do not merchants discourage this feed and bread traffic and exercise their energies to make rural life more profitable? It would pay them. Why do not commercial organizations take up the fight? M.C.B.

The revival meeting at the Methodist church is making satisfactory progress and will continue through the week, and possibly longer. Bro. Crum, conference evangelist, who has charge of the services, is doing some excellent preaching and is making his influence felt. He delivers his message in a plain, simple and direct way, and his hearers cannot help but catch his enthusiasm during the discourse. Two services are held daily, one in the afternoon at 3:30, the other at night at 8:00. All the business houses have agreed to close for the day service.

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This is a prescription prepared especially for **MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER**. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c

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Man Bought a Bottle of Dodson's Liver-Tone, Then Took it Back and Asked For His Money And Got It

A man recently tried out the guarantee which Porter's drug store gives with every bottle of Dodson's Liver-Tone. He bought a bottle and then went back to the drug store and said the medicine hadn't helped him.

This druggist just reached into his cash register and took out a half dollar, the price of the bottle of Liver-Tone, and handed it back to the gentleman. But he didn't take the money. He owned up that he was just trying the guarantee and, as a matter of fact, he had found Dodson's Liver-Tone the best remedy for constipation and biliousness he had ever tried. "Why," he said, "my wife wouldn't be without a bottle in the house for anything. It's the best thing in the world for the whole family, and the medicine that I prefer to take or to give to my children for a lazy liver."

Porter's drug store sells Dodson's Liver-Tone and guarantees it to start the liver without violence. It is taking the place of calomel everywhere. If you buy a bottle and don't find this pleasant-tasting vegetable liquid the best thing to start a lazy liver, he will hand your money back with a smile. adv.

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Darsey's Dry Goods D'pt

New Grocery Store

Mr. E. P. Lynch, formerly of Trinity, has opened a grocery store on second street in the Anthony building, and will carry a complete line of staple and fancy groceries.

Mr. Lynch is an experienced business man and has conducted stores in several large towns.

We wish for him a liberal share of the trade and hope he will meet with the best of success. Read his announcement on the local page in this issue.

Geo. Waller, a former resident of Houston county, but now located at Trinity in the wholesale grocery business, was in our town a day last week, coming through the country in a motor car. Aside from looking after a very lucrative business, which requires a great deal of his attention, Mr. Waller finds time to serve his little city as mayor, and from all accounts, makes a splendid executive.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured

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to be found in the state. In addition to purchasing the very best and most up-to-date fixtures, he has also made arrangements to install electric fans and a man was here this week and installed a gas lighting plant.

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