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Get Ready Now To Plant Wheat Early This Fall

Now is the time to think about planting some wheat or rye or both this fall. Any land well cultivated in cotton will be in good condition for drilling in wheat this fall.

Rotating cotton land with fall. Of course if the land was very dry then it might be advisable to not sow the wheat but the old idea is sow wheat in the dust and sow oats in the mud is considered good logic with some. We do not prefer either plan but prefer to have the land ready and sow as soon as there is in any season in the ground.

We think this section can be trusted to grow wheat and we would sow when the time came whether there was a season in the land or not. Those who trusted the county last fall and sowed wheat are now in fine shape and are not bothered about the flea on the wheat crop. More wheat should be our motto this fall.

Dodge Brothers Motor Cars Makes Splendid Sales Record in July

Retail deliveries of 7460 new motor cars and trucks by Dodge Brothers dealers in United States and Canada during the week ending July 17, have established a gain of 209 cars over the previous week. Compared with the week ending July 18 last year, when 4767 cars and trucks were sold, the gain is 2693 cars or 56.5 per cent.

The record of the best week last year, that ending April 11, when 6644 cars and trucks were sold, was surpassed by 816 cars or 12.3 per cent.

During the three weeks ending July 17 Dodge Brothers dealers in United States and Canada have placed 23,862 new cars and trucks in the hands of owners, a gain of 9150 or 62.4 per cent over the corresponding three weeks last year when 14,692 were sold.

"Weekly sales holding up to figures so near those attained during the peak of the spring selling season and averaging over 50 per cent ahead of the figures for the corresponding period last year," said D. O. Smith of the Smith's local Dodge Brothers dealer, "indicate how well the public recognizes the exceptional values represented by these cars."

Louisiana Folks Think Climate To Cool To Eat Ice Cream

Mrs. J. O. Tucker, Sr., of Bryan, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Tucker, Jr., of New Orleans, Louisiana and Miss Emma Gilstrap, of Dallas, Texas, arrived in Muleshoe last Friday to be the guests of their daughter, sister and niece, Mrs. L. S. Barron. Mr. and Mrs. Tucker, of New Orleans, have been touring the great State of Texas for the past month and are delighted with the fine climate of Bailey County. They say that it is too hot here at night to enjoy ice cream.

Miss Opal Johnson spent Sunday in Lubbock with her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Moore.

It's only \$1.50 per year

The Way They Voted Saturday In Bailey County

For Governor, Lynch Davidson 148; Miriam A. Ferguson 191; Kate Miller Johnston 47; Dan Moody 305; O. F. Zimmerman 12; Edith E. Wilms 1.

For District Judge, 64th Judicial District, Charles Clements 352; R. C. Joiner 250.

For District Attorney, 64th Judicial District, E. S. Rowe 184; W. E. Huffhines 115; C. D. Wright 79; Meade F. Griffin 197.

For District and County Clerk, 64th Judicial District, C. C. Mardis 633.

For County Judge and School Superintendent, J. J. Scribner 323; Wm. G. Kennedy 329.

For County Attorney, Robt. A. Sone 48.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector, H. A. Douglass 653.

For Tax Assessor, Mrs. W. C. Bucy 655.

For Treasurer, Irene A. Edmonds 650.

For County Chairman, K. K. Smith 644.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1, Wm. S. F. Matthiesen 147; A. J. Hicks 143, Joshua Blocher 18.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, S. A. Goodson 287.

For Constable, Precinct No. 1, J. E. Aldridge 4; C. L. Hangan 3.

For Committeeman, Precinct No. 1, E. R. Hart 316.

For Public Weigher, P. E. Wilemon 20; D. W. Winn 19.

For Hide and Animal Inspector, C. W. Milligan 311.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2, C. E. Dotson 64; Chas. M. West 37.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2, W. P. Curtis 7.

For Constable, Precinct No. 2, No one elected.

For Committeeman, Precinct No. 2, G. A. Anderson 98.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3, J. Rex Stegall 36; Harry E. Barber 40.

For Constable, Precinct No. 3, George Henderson 1.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 3, J. O. Chitwood 7.

For Committeeman, Precinct No. 3, T. G. Gaddy 64.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4, H. G. Harvey 58; J. M. Bell 59; V. E. Garner 49.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4, W. C. C. Elmore 67.

For Constable, Precinct No. 4, J. H. Damron 71.

For Committeeman, Precinct No. 4, J. H. Damron 164.

County Nurse Takes Children To Hospitals for Minor Corrections

Miss Wentland has been making various trips to hospitals with children from every community and has been having defects corrected before school starts, the children will be better able to take care of their schools work if they have their corrections made now and get well in time to begin with the first of the term, so parents make every effort to have your child ready to begin school and not only that but have them in condition to stay in school the whole year.

Mrs. W. T. Black is assisting at J. H. Johnson store, this week.

Mrs. J. R. Lawler returned from Dallas, Wednesday where she has been visiting relatives.

Muleshoe Annual Fair Dates Have Been Set For Sept. 24 and 25

At the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and the Muleshoe Fair Committee Tuesday noon at the Hotel James the Fair dates were set for Sept. 24th and 25th, Friday and Saturday.

The following is the officials and the Sub-Committees:

President—A. V. McCarty, Jr.

Secretary—Kathryn Neal.

Finance Committee—A. V. McCarty, Jr., E. R. Hart, J. E. Aldridge.

Publicity Committee—R. L. Brown, K. B. Boyle, J. D. Levrett.

Bldg. and Grounds Committee—Taylor White, L. C. Jones, I. W. Harden.

Premium List Committee—Wm. G. Kennedy, J. M. March, R. B. Boyle.

Farm Crop Supt.—D. B. Carles.

Live Stock Supt.—Geo. Nelson.

Poultry Supt.—P. E. Wilemon.

Womens Dept. Supt.—Mrs. A. P. Stone, (appoint 2 others.)

Fair Dates—Sept. 24th and 25th.

Fair Grounds; Block Street North of Court House and South one half Block 11.

C. of C. Met At Hotel James At Noon Tuesday

The Chamber of Commerce met at the Hotel James Tuesday at noon in regular session, with good attendance. A fine spirit of co-operation was manifested in every one present. Several good short talks were given. The main subject of discussion was the Muleshoe Annual Fair to be held on Sept. 24-25, Friday and Saturday.

Various committees were appointed and set to work. Elsewhere in this paper you will find the personal of the committees.

A committee was appointed to look after the road that leads to Baileyboro. This road must be placed in first class condition at once so the farmers can get in with their products.

County Singing Convention Meets Longview Aug. 8

We have been requested to announce that the Bailey County Singing Convention will meet at Longview on the 2nd, Sunday of August. All singers and lovers of song and music are requested to come and spend the day as dinner will be served to all. Come and bring someone with you.

The Finance Committee wishes to thank the Muleshoe people for their liberal contribution. Don't forget the date August 8th. Committee. 23-25-p

TO VOTERS OF COMMISSIONERS' PRECINCT NO. 1

I hereby express my appreciation to my supporters for their vote and influence in the primary election. While I did not receive sufficient votes to nominate me as their Commissioner, and hence it will become necessary for a run-off, I want to thank the voters in advance of the next election for their vote and influence, and shall make, if elected, the best commissioner of which I am capable.

Wm. S. F. Matthiesen.

Fair Warning

Every automobile and truck must have a License Number plate on both front and rear. Failure to do so will draw a fine.

H. A. Douglass,
Sheriff and Tax Collector.

The Outlook For The Crops On The Plains

We have taken great pains in trying to find out the real facts about the true condition of the crops on the South Plains. It is with great pleasure that we report conditions excellent throughout this territory. We have used only reliable methods in finding out the true conditions. It has not been with any desire to "boost," but to know the real facts about the conditions at present.

We have always held to the theory that the facts well told is all this section needs to place it in the front ranks as a farming section of Texas. We have been in Texas longer than most men and have studied Texas and her people and conditions and think we know how to find the facts on all agricultural questions.

With exception of a flea that is damaging the cotton seriously in some parts of the country, and which seems to be doing some damage in nearly all sections, the outlook is extremely good for cotton and most all other crops over the state.

There is some need of rain in some localities but there is a good underground season in about all parts of the state and with the proper cultivation it is possible to make fairly good crops in all sections of the state. The right kind of cultivation is the most important thing to be considered. Some farmers are disposed to depend too much on the rain, and if the necessary amount of rain fails to come then they suffer loss. Good cultivation and late cultivation will add materially to the yield of the yield of the crops, even without the desired amount of rain. The use of the harrow whenever it can be used, is very desirable.

TO THE VOTERS OF BAILEY COUNTY

I desire to express my sincere gratitude to my many friends and supporters for their loyalty and faithful support in the recent primary election. Without this help and assistance my success would have been impossible. Please accept my thanks.

Wm. G. Kennedy.

If you want Sally Ann bread, fresh every day, get it at Henington Cash Grocery. 23fc

Take the Journal for the news.

Moody Again Creeping Up To Majority

Dallas.—Dan Moody was slowly creeping up toward a majority over all other candidates in the gubernatorial race when returns from 248 counties out of 252 in the State had been compiled at 6 p. m. Thursday by the Texas election bureau. At that hour he lacked 760 of having a majority, his total vote being 383,520 out of a total of 767,799 counted. Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, incumbent and runner up, had 263,637 votes and Lynch Davidson, third in the running, had 115,165.

The vote for other gubernatorial candidates at 6 p. m. stood: Zimmerman 2,401, Johnston 1,727, Wilms 1,349. A total of 129 counties were complete.

Things That Make A Town Become Great

"A little more praise and a little less blame

A little more virtue and a little less shame

A little more thought for the other man's rights,

A little less self in our chase for delights:

A little more liking and a little less hate

Are all that is needed to make the town great.

"A little more boosting, a little less peering;

A little more trusting, a little less fearing;

A little more patience in trouble and pain;

A little more kindness worked into strife,

All of that are needed to glorify life.

"A little more kindness, a little less creed;

A little more giving, a little less greed.

A little more smile, a little less frown;

A little less kicking a man when he's down;

A little more laugh, and a little less cry;

A little more flowers on the pathway of life.

A fewer on graves at the end of strife.

"A little more honor, a little less greed;

A little more service, a little less creed;

A little more courage when the pathway is rough

A little more action, a little less bluff

A little more kindness by you and by me

And oh, what a wonderful town it would be!"—Ex.

The Bridge Club Entertains July 26th

The following members of the Kathnells Bridge Club enjoyed a very pleasant evening on Monday at the home of Mrs. Daniel on West Edward Avenue. Those present were Mesdames: W. C. Bucy, S. T. Lawdence, D. K. Smith, S. D. Waugh and Mrs. J. M. March, Misses Kathryn Smith, Dorothy Wentland and Wm. Daniels, M. P. Smith, J. M. March, J. J. Lacy and Robt. A. Sone.

For the evening Mrs. S. T. Lawrence won high score while Mrs. J. M. March received the Club Prize and Mrs. Bucy received a cut glass prize.

Mrs. J. D. Waugh will be hostess to the club on Monday night at eight thirty o'clock 2nd.

Drilling On Test At Bledsoe Will Begin Next Week

The rig for the Whicker No. 1 test in Cochran county is nearing completion and drilling will begin with in the next ten days, it is thought. This test is located three miles from the town of Bledsoe and oil men are watching the fill with much interest.

This is to be Cochran county's first test though it has been known for some time geological formations are good. There are a number of producing wells west of Bledsoe in New Mexico.

Chevrolet Uses Little Gasoline On Long Hot Drive

With a gasoline average of 25.71 miles per gallon, L. H. Lawrence, of Monterey Park, Los Angeles, driving his own Chevrolet coach, was an easy winner in the light car class at the first annual Lake Arrowhead Conservation contest held recently in California.

Entries were restricted to amateur drivers and privately-owned cars. Lawrence's gasoline average was the best turned in by any of the 13 drivers participating in the contest which promises to become one of the classics of the western motor car world.

Starting from the Automobile Club headquarters in Los Angeles, the run ended 90 miles away at Lake Arrowhead, a mile above sea-level, in the San Bernardino mountains.

Lawrence's Chevrolet covered the distance on exactly 3.5 gallons of gasoline. No less remarkable was the car's demonstration of cooling ability. The day was the hottest of the present season and the climb over the steep waterman Canyon switchbacks was under a noon sun. Despite these facts, inspection at the finish revealed that the radiator had used only four pints of water, a record unsurpassed by any other water-cooled car in the run.

Lawrence bought his Chevrolet last January. In preparation for the conservation contest he had the valves ground and, after thoroughly lubricating the car, he made a few mileage tests in the course of his daily driving.

"Dan's The Man"



NEXT GOVERNOR

Remember the Journal can do this done in a print shop. Do not do that job before you go out of town. We will appreciate giving you prices.

Mrs. Chas. West, of Westcamp, was in the city, Wednesday on business.

The Comic Strip
JUST FOOLISHNESS

A RUDE, CRUDE GUY IS ROLLO KIRBY! EVEN IN BED HE WEARS HIS DERBY!

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

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Shop Talk



THE FEATHERHEADS

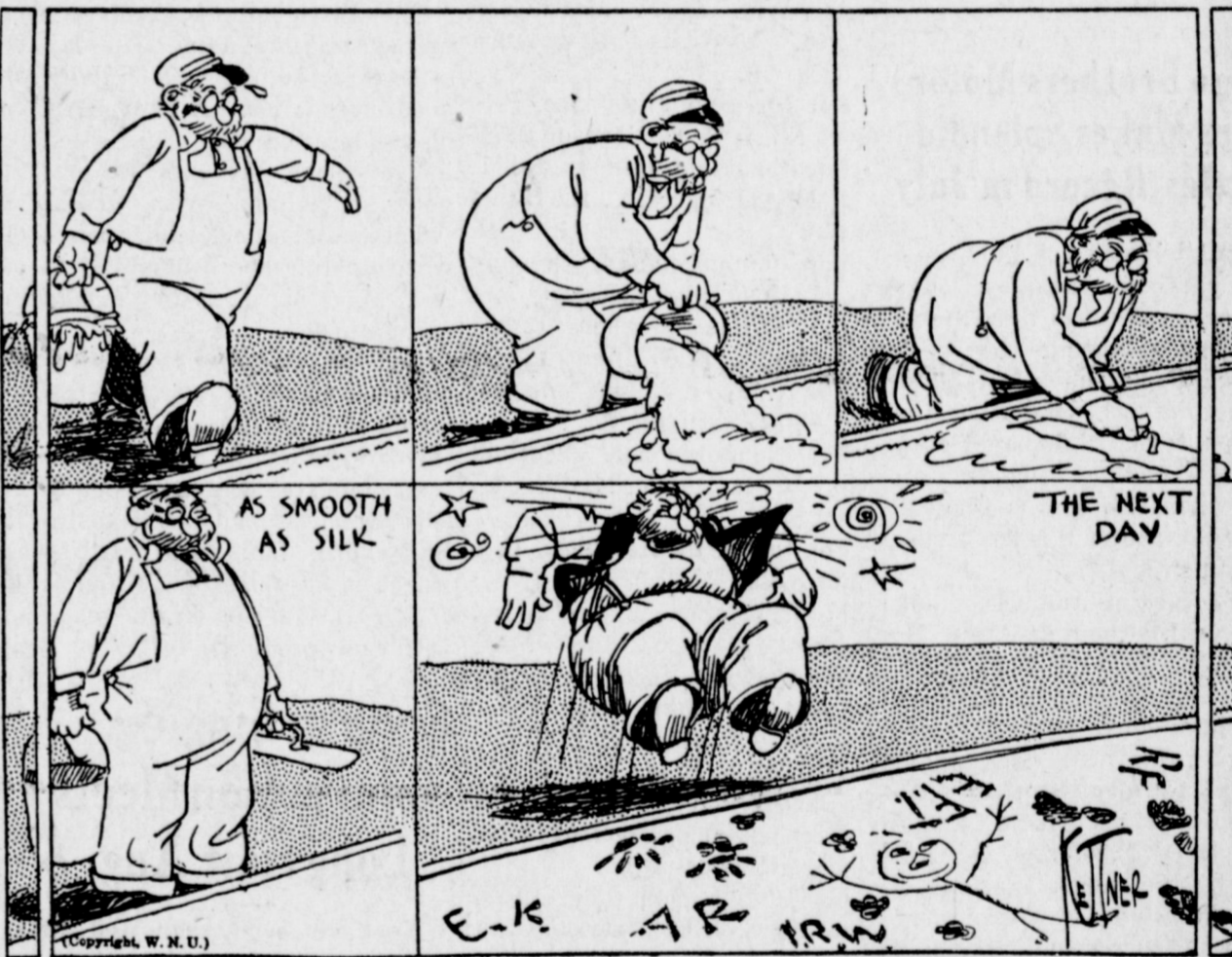
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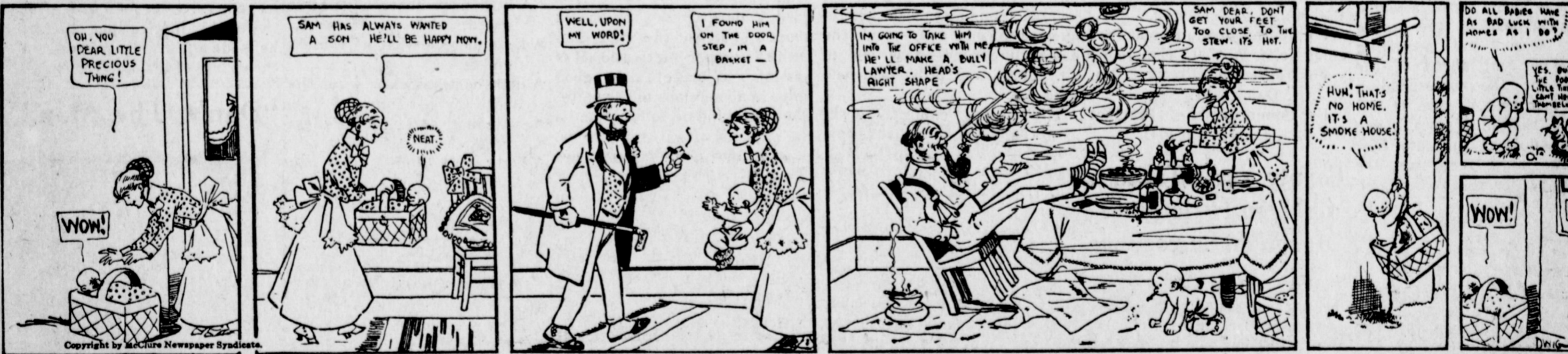


Famous Last Words

Our Pet Peeve



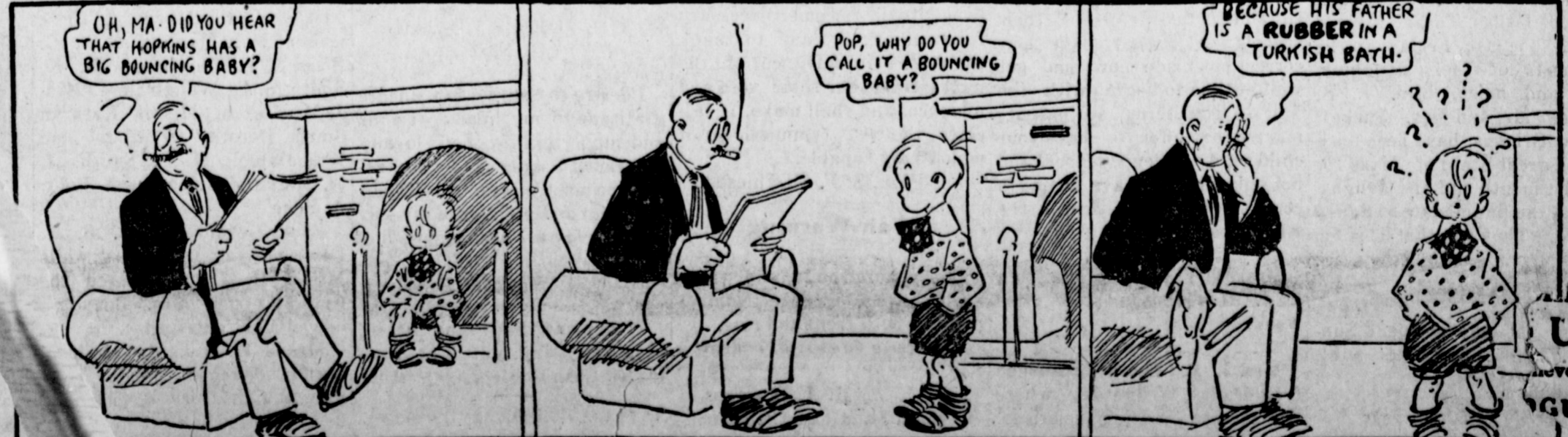
HOME WANTED FOR A BABY



The Clancy Kids

This is Stretching a Job Too Far

PERCY L. CROSBY



Up
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The Valley of Voices

By GEORGE MARSH

Author of

"Trailers of the Trail"
"The Whelps of the Wolf"

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CHAPTER XX

One bitter day in the middle of January six lean dogs, heads down, limped painfully across the clearing at Walling River. At the tail of the sled followed two men, whose haggard eyes and frost-cracked faces bore the scars of the barrage of the January blizzards.

"We have worried much, Michel and I," said the factor, as Steele and David thawed out before the trade-house stove. "You struck terrible weather. Did your rations hold out?"

"Yes, by cutting them in two," replied Steele with a grimace.

"We'll give you your fill as soon as it can be cooked. And your mission—it was successful?" hazarded the curious St. Onge, ignorant of the purpose of the six-hundred-mile midwinter journey.

"It was," and Steele handed the factor the oil-skin envelope. "Read that!"

St. Onge read the release in open-mouthed amazement.

"Man, man! How did you get it?" he gasped.

Steele described his meeting at Albany with Lascelles.

Unchecked tears slowly gathered in the eyes of the overjoyed old man. "My boy," he said brokenly. "It would be the proudest day of my life. You still care for her, don't you?" he demanded anxiously.

"You know I care for her," Steele gently answered, "but I went to Albany for her—not for myself. You must promise me that she hears nothing of this until I have left. She would think she had to pay—feel honor bound. I know her, monsieur. You must not tell her."

"But if she cares? I feel, in her heart, that she does," protested St. Onge.

"She must be a free agent," insisted Steele. "I go south as soon as the dogs are rested. I shall talk to her first."

"I'm sorry, but as you wish it, I shall not tell her."

That night, after what, to the hungry Steele, was a sumptuous meal, consisting largely of caribou, St. Onge left his guest and daughter alone.

During the meal the girl had furtively noted the frostbitten fingers of the American, the drawn cheeks, blackened and cracked by the wind of the Albany trail, the strained look in the gray eyes. Steele had warmed to the simplicity of her welcome, the evident pleasure in her greeting. Exhausted as he was, the days before his departure were too few to waste one evening by seeking rest, so he watched her with hungry eyes as they talked, wondering whether her heart had changed. But she gave no sign, and he was too proud to ask.

On the evening before he left with David for Nepigon, he again sat alone with the woman for whose welfare he had given the best that was in him—for whom he had toiled and planned, faced the sting of the norther and the pinch of the searing cold; the woman he loved too deeply to make himself the recipient of her gratitude.

"You have never told me, monsieur, why you took that terrible journey to Albany," she said, after a silence in which her black brows were drawn together in evident abstraction.

The man's eyes softened as they lingered on the clean lines of her profile, the masses of her dusky hair, for she had asked the question with averted face as if fearing his answer.

"I went to Albany," he said, "to test my judgment of human nature."

"And you found—?"

"I found—that I was a mind reader," he answered with a smile.

"Is it a very great secret?" she asked with a wistful look in the dark eyes that searched his.

"No, you will hear—tomorrow."

"But, tomorrow—you go?"

"Yes."

"And I am not to know until you have gone? So that is it?"

"You will understand—tomorrow," he put her off with.

For a long interval she sat gazing at the rug at her feet, then leaped to wrap him, her face glowing with feeling.

"What must you think of me?" she demanded. "You have planned and worked for us, my father and me—given—given—given! And we—we have sat with folded hands while you toiled—and won. Oh, I want you to know how fine you have been through it all—want you to sense my gratitude—before you go."

She had risen and was pacing the—restraint gone.

He been selfish—inhabitable," he cried, on her eyes avoiding his, want you to know that there—nothing which I will not prove my gratitude for what—done." She turned from him—knew by the convulsive move-

ment of her shoulders that she was weeping.

"There are some things without price," he said gently. "What I have done, I have not done—for reward. I know—that I have your gratitude—it is enough."

She turned swiftly upon him with: "But if you knew—"; seemingly confused, checked by a surge of emotion she could not control, she stood for an instant, inarticulate; then left him alone.

Late in February, long after the last of the fur cached at the Stopping had been traded with St. Onge, a dog-team driven by a strange Indian arrived at Walling River. To the surprised questions of the factor the driver answered that he had come from Nepigon station with a package and a letter addressed to Mademoiselle Denise St. Onge. The factor took the long, wooden box and the letter to his quarters where he found his daughter with Charlotte in the kitchen.

"A packet has arrived from Nepigon," announced the excited St. Onge, "with a box and a letter for you, my child."

"A letter for me?" she said, a wave of color sweeping her face, while St. Onge watched her curiously.

In the living room Denise St. Onge opened the letter, postmarked Kenora, and read:

"Mademoiselle St. Onge:
"Walling River.
"What I wrote you at Ogoke last autumn was a lie. I am sorry.
"Rose Bernard, formerly Laflamme."

The paper slowly slipped from the fingers of the numbed girl and fluttered to the floor.

"What is it? Who is it from?" demanded her father.

The face of Denise St. Onge was the color of chalk as she raised her hopeless eyes. "He went to Albany for



He Had Come From Nepigon Station With a Package and a Letter Addressed to Mademoiselle Denise St. Onge.

me," she said, as if to herself, "and would not tell me I was free, fearing my gratitude. And now—I receive this."

"But what is it?"

"Read for yourself, father," and the stunned girl walked to a window, and gazed with dry-eyed emorse out on the white valley.

"All I deserve—all," she said, turning from the window. "But you are wrong when you think I did not know why he went to Albany—I knew. And I knew I was free the night before he left, when—I tried to tell him that—I loved him. But he thought it was gratitude—thought I was trying to pay. He is proud—oh, so proud!"

"He is a gallant gentleman, and did not know you cared," murmured the old man. "But what is in this box?"

While the girl at the window gazed on the desolate hills as on the white ruin of her happiness, the factor opened the cover of the box. Removing the heavy wrappings of paper protecting the contents, he gasped in surprise.

"Mon Dieu, mon Dieu!"

The girl turned from her bitter retrospection. "What is it?"

"Come here!"

She joined him and bent over the box. In its wrappings lay the ebony case of a violin. On the lid of the case letters of gold spelled: "Nicolo Amati, Cremona."

"An Amati!" she cried in her joy. "A priceless Amati!" Then, brokenly, "Father, father! I am paying—I am paying!"

With feverish haste the key was found and the case opened. She tenderly lifted the rare handiwork of the world-famous maker from its bed of velvet and impulsively caressed it with her cheek.

"And he sends no word—no letter?" cried the perplexed St. Onge.

She smiled at his naive. "There is no word to send, father. He is sorry there, in his gay New York, for the lonely woman he once knew in the wilderness. This, and she held aloft the violin, "is his apology for the desolate—the symbol of his pity."

It was May, and Brent Steele had been hard at work at the museum for three months. In March he had received two letters brought from Walling River by the messenger sent with the violin. The letter from the factor was strained and self-conscious. Together with brief mention of the arrival of the fur from the Stopping, St. Onge had profusely thanked his friend for the costly gift which had

made the long evenings again bright with music. But of Denise he said little, except that she was well and played incessantly. So much had happened that the winter seemed unusually long—was, in fact, a bit on their nerves, and the spring would be most welcome. Some day, St. Onge suggested, it might be possible for Steele to revisit the valley of the Walling. He knew the way and his friends there would live for that day.

The other letter was shorter. It ran: "Dear Monsieur Steele:

"A violin—and a Nicolo Amati! Your generosity and your thought of me make these words but feeble things. You, to whom gratitude is distasteful, must yet endure my heartfelt thanks, not only for the rare gift, but for the journey you made for my peace of mind through that terrible wind and cold. The violin will ever be a living memory of one who came, a stranger, to two lonely and hopeless creatures, and left them, facing the future with courage."

"Denise St. Onge."

If only the letter had given him a sign that she wanted him—needed him, instead of dwelling on her gratitude. She was so proud and so brave. If only he had taken her in his arms that last night, and learned from her eyes, the blood in her face, the beat of her heart, whether she was paying a debt of honor or—loved him.

Then, late in May, came a letter—addressed by a hand unpossessed to the pen, and postmarked at Nepigon station on the Canadian Pacific. David doubtless had news and some one had written for him. Steele opened the envelope and read with increasing wonder and delight:

"Miseu Steele—

"If you weesh mamsel you burn up de trail to Walling Reeveer queek. All de long snow she have play an play de sad museec an cry on her bed. Wen we go on hill first tam she lift her arm to de sout an say, Cum bak to me. Dat mean you. You cum lak de win. Michel tak dis to de railroad, he an me get marry wen meensary cum in June. Charlotte."

It was from the faithful Ojibway woman who had for so long faithfully served Denise.

That night the Montreal sleeper out of New York carried a man whose gray eyes were strangely happy. A week later two friends were polling the nose of a canoe into the spring freshet of the Jackfish as if pursued by a Windigo. Farther on they recklessly ran in succession each white-water of the swollen Rouge. Down Ogoke, the measured churn-swish, churn-swish of lunging blades marked off the miles to the outlet. Then riding the flood water of the racing Walling, one afternoon the canoe slid into the beach of the post.

In the trade-house Steele and David found St. Onge and his head-man. There were surprised greetings, then: "I have come for her," announced the American. "Where is she?"

"She has gone to the ridge," answered St. Onge with shining eyes. "You will find her with her violin—alone."

At the edge of the scrub, below the bare brow of the hill, Steele stopped, with a heart which jared him with its beat. He wanted to watch her—listen to her playing—before making his coming known. With a shaking hand he parted the spruce and looked.

Silhouetted against the soft May sky, she stood with her violin, facing from him. Presently she tilted her head and drew the bow across the strings. Faintly drifted toward him the haunting minors of the "Elegie" he first heard at the rapids—the symbol of her fears and despair.

Then, of a sudden, the far call of errant Canadas broke in on the strains of the violin. The girl stopped short off and searched the sky for the wedge of geese. Out of the south she saw them coming and opened her arms. Then, as the violin changed its mood—broke into her own, "When Spring Comes North," he noiselessly approached her.

She finished, and as the last of the flock passed overhead, waved her bow. "Goodbye! goodbye!" she called, as the wanderers faded into the north.

"I have followed them back to you," spoke a low voice behind her.

The girl turned startled eyes on the man who stood smiling. Over her throat and face up to the dusky hair mounted the blood.

"You!" she faltered. "It's not a dream?"

"I have come back," he said, "for your gratitude?"

"My gratitude?" She smiled through mist-veiled eyes, as he stood beside her. "You ask no more?" And she was in his arms, his face buried in the raven hair.

"Denise! Denise!"

She raised her flaming face to his, and there on the hilltop they stood, oblivious of the world.

"Do you think this gratitude?" she murmured at length.

"No—paradise."

"At last—my spring—has come north," she sighed, "after the long snows."

[THE END]

No Mail for Him

The postal service is laughing at the story of a post-office inspector who went into the hills of Arkansas to check up a village post office. The neighbors said the P. M. had gone fishing. Finding him, the inspector asked, "Are you the postmaster?" After a minute the P. M. said, "Yep. What's your name?" "P. D. Smith." The P. M. reached into his back pocket, took out a bunch of letters and running over them for the addresses, said "Nope. Nothing for ye," and went on fishing.—Copper's Weekly.

Great Personages of the Bible

By REV. LEONARD A. BARRETT

Ruth

INTENSELY interesting are the circumstances associated with the character of Ruth. The city of Bethlehem is famine stricken. Elimelech and his wife, whose name was Naomi, together with their two sons immigrate, because of the famine, to the land of Moab. It was a very unusual occasion for an inhabitant of Bethlehem to move to foreign soil. It was not unlike going into a land of strange gods. In the land of Moab this immigrant family did not prosper. Elimelech died shortly after their arrival in the land of Moab, leaving Naomi a widow. Her two sons, whom they had taken with them on their migrating journey, married and offered no support to their widowed mother. The two sons subsequently died, leaving Naomi without husband or children. Her only relations in the new land were her two daughters-in-law, Orpah and Ruth. A very important decision on the part of Naomi to return to her native land led to a meeting of farewell with her two daughters-in-law. She told them that there was no future hope for her in the land of Moab, and that the wisest thing for her to do was to go back home, and under no circumstances were the daughters-in-law to go with her. They were both young and beautiful. Fortunes awaited them if they would remain in the land of Moab. A very unusual thing happened. Ruth, one of the daughters-in-law, voluntarily agreed not to remain in the land of Moab, but to return to Bethlehem with her mother-in-law. Naomi did not ask her to go with her. Ruth's decision was simple, direct, and entirely of her own free choice. It was a wonderful confession of loyalty. Being a daughter of foreign soil, it was a sacrifice for Ruth not only to give up her opportunities in Moab but also to return to a land she had never seen and where she would be regarded as a stranger of another land. The words in which Ruth expressed her loyalty to Naomi have become a choice passage in literature. "Entreat me not to leave thee nor to return from following after thee. Where thou goest, I will go, where thou lodgest, I will lodge. Thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God. Where thou diest I will die, and there will I be buried. The Lord do to me, and more also if I ought but death part thee and me." So Ruth went with Naomi to Bethlehem.

A decision in an important crisis in life is not difficult to make if one has the moral reserve strength sufficient for both the surrender and sacrifice. Ruth possessed this quality. The experience of her daily life was of such a character as developed those qualities which made her a strong, noble, and brave woman, a woman who possessed decision and poise.

She knew how to make up her mind and also to act upon her decision. Such a quality of character reaps its own reward. It was true in the career of Ruth. With Naomi she arrived in Bethlehem in the season of the barley harvest. In order that she might not become a burden to Naomi she gleaned in the fields of Boaz. The romance between Boaz and Ruth was beautifully tender. A rich owner of barley fields fell in love with a woman of the very poor class. The marriage of Boaz and Ruth not only brought supreme happiness to both, but also through their marriage they became direct ancestors of the Messiah. Ruth solved her life's problem not because she was beautiful or intellectually brilliant, or even clever. She won the victory in battling with the problems of life because she had the courage to act upon the conviction which her character was strong enough to make.

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Sanitation

Great as we are, and smart as we are, we Americans have not moved so fast, sanitarily speaking. It is only a hundred years since the first pumping station in this country started to pump. Chicago was our first city to have a real sewerage system, and that was not until 1855. We had no public baths until 1891. Even today some families think so little of their bathtubs that they use them for coal or vegetable bins.

The science of living, or sanitation—they mean the same—has to do with heat, light, water, cleanliness and ventilation. And these have to do with the five most important things of life—comfort, health, ambition, efficiency, happiness. Where sanitation is a stranger, sickness is a constant guest.—Exchange.

"Billingsgate"

Billings was the name of one of the gates at the east end of London. Why it was so called is unknown, but it was probably named after a man named Billings. Near this gate is a famous London fishmarket known as the Billingsgate market. Records show that this market existed even before the Norman conquest. "Billingsgate" came to be used as a synonym of coarse, vulgar and profane language because it was the most usual language used at the market by the fishmongers and their wives. As early as the Seventeenth century "billingsgate" was widely employed to signify foul or abusive language. There is still a fishmarket on Billingsgate quay and the language heard there is as notorious as ever for its vulgarity and profanity.—Exchange.



MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THE OLD QUILT

The old quilt had been up in the attic for a long, long time.

Moths had come and had had banquets right on the quilt. That was really a disgrace for the quilt to suffer.

Oh, there had been the time when the quilt never had to put up with anything like that.

There had been the time when during the summer, the quilt had been put away, and when moth balls and newspapers had been used to keep the quilt safe from moths and their banquets.

There had been the time when the quilt had been taken out as winter had approached, and had been greeted so affectionately.

Speeches like this the quilt had heard:

"Oh, the quilt will feel pretty good tonight."

"Oh, the quilt will be needed tonight."

"What a lovely warm thing the quilt is."

"How warm and yet how light it is!"

"We needed the quilt last night. Well, we will have it tonight."

Such had been some of the speeches the quilt had heard. And then the



Tucked Under Their Chins.

quilt had been tucked up under the chins of children.

The quilt was very old, oh, very, very old. But many a happy time, oh, many and many a happy time the quilt had had.

When the quilt was new it had been used to cover up two children who slept in a trundle bed. In the daytime the trundle bed had been put under the big bed in the mother's and father's bedroom.

Of course the children were out of the bed then!

The quilt had felt so proud and happy covering the children each night.

The quilt had loved being tucked under their chins. The quilt had felt their affection.

Then the children had grown up and the quilt had been used for a big, tall bed.

And then once more the quilt had been used for children—the children of those who had grown up.

And then the quilt had been used again for grownups.

Oh, the quilt had had a long, long life. You will hardly wonder that the quilt had had a proud and happy time for many, many years, when you hear that the quilt was now over a hundred years old.

But for the past ten years or so the quilt had been in the attic. The trundle bed was deserted. The children of the second group of children now slept in other beds.

The trundle bed was used sometimes on rainy days when the children played house in the attic.

But the poor old quilt with its moth-eaten holes, its dark blue covering faded and dusty and musty now, thought of the long life it had had and how now it was permitted to be used by moths for a moth banquet.

Nothing is a greater disgrace for a proud old quilt than to be used as the table for a moth banquet.

But all of a sudden the quilt knew a great change. The quilt was brought down from the attic and dusted and swept and made all nice and clean.

"It has a few moth holes in it," they said, "but it will do."

Once more the quilt received fine speeches and kind words. Once more they said how warm it was and how light in weight it was.

But what do you suppose the quilt was used for now? For covering the laps of members of the family when they went for rides in the automobile. Even an old quilt had to change and become modern and go dashing through the country. It was a change for the old quilt, but the old quilt really liked it and did not feel so old-fashioned as you might think.

Would Jimmie Fit?

Roger had not seen his little cousin for a year and he talked incessantly of Jimmie's coming visit. He wondered if Jimmie had grown as much as he had, and he expressed it thus: "I'm a long boy now; I wonder if Jimmie'll fit me."

Chicken, Anyhow

Bobbie's sister had bobbed her hair and now was carrying her comb around with her. Bobbie was vexed one evening, and said, "Nothing but old hens carry their combs around with them."

Improved Uniform International Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean of Day and Evening Schools, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for August 1

DELIVERANCE AT THE RED SEA

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 14:1-31.
GOLDEN TEXT—The Lord is my strength and song and he is become my salvation.

PRIMARY TOPIC—God Takes Care of the Children of Israel.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Israel Saved at the Red Sea.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How a Nation of Slaves Was Set Free.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Divine and Human Leadership.

I. Israel in Straitened Circumstances (vv. 1-12).

1. Going out of the land of Egypt (13:18).

The tenth stroke from the strong hand of the Almighty made Pharaoh willing to let Israel go. The Israelites went out from Egypt on their way to the promised land with a high hand. Through the land of the Philistines the journey would have been comparatively short, but God commanded them to turn from that way lest going through the land of the Philistines they would see war and desire to turn back to Egypt. The way of the wilderness was a longer route, but it had many valuable lessons for them. By this way they escaped the experiences of war which would have come to them at the hand of the Philistines, but they learned the crookedness and perverseness of their own hearts (Deut. 8:12).

2. Hemmed in (vv. 1-3).

At the Lord's direction they turned from their first course and were made to face a great difficulty. The Red sea was before them and mountains on either side. However, they should have been encouraged because the Lord went before them by day in a pillar of cloud to lead them the way and by night in a pillar of fire to give them light. He took not away the pillar of cloud by day, nor the pillar of fire by night (13:21, 22).

3. Pursued by Pharaoh (vv. 4-12).

The stricken Egyptians had never recovered from their sorrow, and perceiving the straitened circumstances of the Israelites they interpreted this to mean that Moses was unable to lead them out of their difficulty. Therefore they went in pursuit, hoping yet to prevent them from leaving the country.

4. The Miraculous Escape of the Israelites (vv. 13-22).

Though they were in a straitened condition they had no reason to fear, for the Lord had led them there. There seems to have been a twofold object in leading them into this particular place.

1. To strengthen the faith of the people. To be delivered from such circumstances would impress upon them anew the reality of the love and power of God. The people, as usual, displayed their unbelief and even censured Moses for leading them out of Egypt. Moses replied, "Fear ye not, stand still and see the salvation of the Lord." Standing still in such a trial is faith taking hold on God's promises. God said, "Wherefore criest thou unto Me? Speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward." The lifting up of the rod simply served as something tangible upon which their faith could act. They were to go forward a step at a time without raising any question as to the outcome, for from the source from which came the command, came the power to obey.

2. To lay a snare for the overthrow of the Egyptians.

Those who will not heed the warning judgments of God may be allowed to go to their destruction under the presumption that the Almighty is helping them.

III. The Overthrow of the Egyptians (vv. 23-27).

Having seen the Israelites go across the sea dry shod, Pharaoh and his people madly pursued them. They insanely thought that they in their unbelief could follow in the wake of God's children. The Lord looked forth from the cloud and wrought confusion among the Egyptians. He not only looked upon them but took off their chariot wheels, which caused them to realize that God was fighting against them! He then directed Moses to stretch forth his rod and bring destruction upon the Egyptians.

4. The Song of Triumph (15:1-21).

Standing on the other shore of the Red sea they could fittingly sing the song of triumph because of their miraculous deliverance and the overwhelming defeat of the Egyptians. They attributed it all to God. All self-consciousness and importance were left out. In a glad coming day, a similar but much larger company will sing the same song with an important addition, namely, the "Song of the Lamb." (Rev. 15:3).

The Deep Well of Life

Oh, ye poor, dry and dead souls, why will ye not come hither with your empty vessels and your empty souls, to this deep and sweet well of life, and fill your empty vessels.—S. Ruthford.

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The world was never meant to satisfy. It is man's business to do what he can to improve it; then he is to leave it and pass on to a higher life, to eternal joy.—W. Robertson Nicoll.

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We, the undersigned Jury of Freeholders, citizens of said Bailey County, Tex., heretofore duly appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Bailey County, Texas, to view and establish certain first class public roads as herein-after described, and having been duly sworn as the law directs, hereby give notice that we will, on the 14th day of August, 1926, assemble at the beginning point of said roads and thence proceed to survey, locate, view mark, out and establish said roads, described as follows:

A road beginning at the North boundary line of Bailey County, Texas, at a point where the Section line between Sections Nos. 68 and 85 crosses the same in Block Y; thence South on the Section line between Sections Nos. 68 and 85; 69 and 84; 70 and 83; 71 and 82; 72 and 81 and ending at Highway No. 28, at the common corner of Sections 72-73-80-81, Block Y, Precinct No. 1, Bailey County, Texas.

A road beginning at the North boundary line of Bailey County, Texas, at a point where the Section line between Sections Nos. 65 and 68 crosses the same; thence South on the Section line between Sections Nos. 65 and 68; 64 and 69; 63 and 70; 62 and 71; 61 and 72, all in Block Y, Precinct No. 1, Bailey County, Texas, and ending at Highway No. 28 at the common corner of Sections Nos. 60-61-72-73.

A road beginning at the East boundary line of Bailey County, Texas, at a point where the Section line between Sections Nos. 15 and 18 in Block W, crosses same; thence West on the Section line between Sections Nos. 15 and 18, 16 and 17 in said Block W, and continuing West on the Section line between Sections Nos. 88 and 89; 85 and 84; 68 and 69; 65 and 64; 48 and 49; 54 and 44. 28 and 29; 25 and 24 all in Block Y, Precinct No. 1, Bailey County, Texas, and ending at the S. W. corner of Section No. 25 and the N. W. corner of Section No. 24, both in Block Y.

A road beginning at the East boundary line of Bailey County, Texas, at a point where the Section line between Sections Nos. 18 and 31 in Block W, crosses the same; thence West on the Section line between Sections Nos. 18 and 31; 17 and 32 all in Block W, and continuing West on the Section line between Sections Nos. 89 and 90; 84 and 83; 69 and 70; 64 and 63; 49 and 50; 44 and 43; 29 and 30, all in Block

Y, Precinct No. 1, Bailey County, Texas, and ending at the common corner of Sections Nos. 23-24-29-30, Block Y.

A road beginning at a point on the Block line between Block Y and Block W, midway of the East line of Section No. 92; thence West on the half Section line, running through Sections Nos. 92, 81 and 72 all in Block Y, and ending at a point on the West side of Section No. 72, midway of said Section.

A road beginning at the North boundary line of Bailey County, Texas, at a point where the Block line between Block Y and Block W crosses same; thence South on the Block line on the East line of Sections Nos. 88, 89 and 90 Block Y, and ending at the Southeast corner of said Section No. 90.

A road beginning at the North boundary line of Bailey County, Texas, at a point where the Section line between Sections Nos. 85 and 88 in Block Y, crosses the same; thence South on the Section line between Sections Nos. 85 and 88; 84 and 89; 83 and 90; 82 and 91 all in Block Y, Precinct No. 1, Bailey County, Texas, and ending at the common corner of Sections Nos. 80-81-92-93 Block Y.

A road beginning at a point where the Section line between Sections Nos. 21 and 32, Block Y, crosses the P. & N. T. Railway, which said Section line is an established public road; said beginning point beginning at, and connecting with said public road on the North side of said Rail road; thence in a Southeast-erly direction parallel with and immediately adjoining the right-of-way of said rail road on the North side thereof, running through Sections Nos. 32, 33 and 40, in Block Y, Precinct No. 1, Bailey County, Texas, and ending at the City Limits of the City of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

And we do hereby notify E. K. Warren & Son, Chas. K. Warren, H. L. Dempster, F. M. Otto, D. J. Keller, S. G. Panter, R. C. Panter, Peter Nab, Henry King, J. T. Tidwell, S. D. Kennedy estate, F. F. Gully, J. W. Howell, I. Brenneman, Jennie Fiday, R. P. Findlay, W. A. Milroy, Laura B. Cox, Chas. Chandler, C. F. Dalrymple, Mc. D. Cantrall, D. R. Grush, L. E. Keller, W. F. Rantsma, Fairview Land & Cattle Co., E. J. Vance, S. L. Bowles, A. S. Tarpley, H. L. Clarke, W. R. Wilson, J. R. Lawler, Tom Ferris, Maud L. Gass, O. Milner, G. W. McKee, R. K. Lathy, G. F. Mount, D. F. Noll, Geo. Dodeon, W. T. Black, Laura Robison, E. H. Buhrmann, C. D. Buhrmann, I. F. Willman, E. C. Priboth, G. C. Priboth, W. A. Milroy, A. C. Gaede, Wilhelmina Gaede, W. H. Kistler, Clara Lindsey, Clara E. Willman, L. E. Kellar, W. West, W. F. Rantsma, Tom Elrod, Carl Elrod, W. T. Elrod, Byron Griffiths, W. D. Hamblin, C. H. Buzard, Ray Buzard, Dudley Buzard, Chas. Chandler, J. W. Howell, Ed Hupp, Blackwater Valley State Bank, W. M. Wilterding, Emma Wilterding, H. Bearden, and any all persons owning lands through which said road may run, that we will at the same time proceed to assess the damages incidental to the opening and establishment of said road, when they may, either in person or by agent or attorney, present to us a written statement of damages, if any, claimed by them.

Witness our hands, this 17th day of July, A. D. 1926.
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Local and Personal Mention

Mrs. H. A. Douglass and children left Wednesday for points in Southeast Texas and Oklahoma, where they will spend a few days vacation.

Vera and Onito Cunningham from Earth, visited in the Douglass home the first of the week.

Miss Mildred Dilahunty, of Angelo, is visiting home and friends here.

E. Cox and daughter, and Miss Katherine were in Clovis, Saturday.

Joe and Lesslie Jennings, of Canyon, were here the first of the week visiting old friends. They are the sons of the former owner of the famous Jennings Ranch.

In the show window of the firm of M. P. Smith you will find a display of the premiums given away with the S. & H. Green Discount stamps, given away at his store. This display is a beautiful sight, all articles in the window and hundreds of others are yours if you will save the Green Stamps. Ask the sales force to tell you about the Stamp saving habit.

W. K. Johnston D. D., of Lubbock, announced some time ago that he would hold a meeting at the Methodist Church about the second Sunday of August. This meeting has been moved up to some time in September, on account of Rev. Johnston being called to Memphis, Tenn.

A. V. McCarty, Jr., and W. T. Black were looking after business matters in Lubbock yesterday.

Free lunch at Gupton's Grocery, Saturday July 31st. Tell your friend and neighbors about it.

The young people of the Epworth League and the B. Y. P. U. had a moonlight picnic in the sandhills Tuesday night. A fine lunch was spread and an enjoyable evening was enjoyed by the youngfolks.

Mrs. J. D. Rankin and son, J. D. Jr., of Pleasant Hill, N. M., spent the week-end with relatives and her parents, D. A. Dodson and wife.

Mrs. Audie Sharkey State Manager for The Fagley Steam Cooker Co., will be here Saturday July 31st, is giving a demonstration and free lunch at Gupton's Grocery Saturday July 31st.

Wednesday night about 9:15 D. O. Smith, Ed Barton, Mrs. E. J. Vance and Miss Polly Alford, in a Ford Roadster had started to Lazbuddy to the dance happened to a near serious accident, when the car hit a culvert between the railroad and the Lawrence home. The car was smashed as it turned turtle. Barton received a broken rib, D. O. a cut chin and the ladies were badly bruised. They did not reach the dance.

Miss Wentland takes this opportunity to thank the women of the Y L Health Club and the women of the missionary societies of Muleshoe for the help they have given in preparing layettes for several babies and it is with great pleasure to announce the advent of one of the family and it was a big nine pound girl.

Less Dodson and L. C. Duncan, of Cisco, were here Tuesday visiting relatives and friends.

E. J. Vance left the first of the week for Lamesa, where he will be joined by his father, and from that point they will go to Dallas and Fort Worth to visit and look after business.

Miss Reta Lea Dodson was in Amarillo, the first of the week visiting friends and relatives.

J. L. Alsop was called to Kopperel, the first of the week to attend the funeral of his father. Brooks drove him thru in his car. They returned Wednesday.

That Steam Cooker you have wanted so long. Now at your door for only \$3.50, buy one at Gupton's Grocery Saturday July 31st.

Mrs. R. W. Moore was called to the bedside of her grandmother who is very ill and will also visit her mother, Mrs. Henslee, at Kanawo, Oklahoma.

Mrs. E. J. Vance and Sherman returned from Granite, Okla., Tuesday where they visited relatives.

Miss Helen Carles returned from a trip to Colorado, where she has spent the summer. She reports a fine time, and is ready for the coming school year.

Miss Zula Harding left Friday for Dallas where she will enter a business College.

John Williams and Miss Arleen Garth were married here Sunday afternoon. The happy young couple will make their home near Baileyboro.

The Famous Fagley Steam Cooker at Gupton's, Saturday July 31st, \$3.50, tell your neighbor about it. For information write Mrs. Audie Sharkey, Clovis, New Mexico.

John Burton and family, and Chas. Williams were in Canyon, Sunday where they visited Miss Ruth, who is attending school.

S. A. Goodson, Mrs. M. A. Goodson and daughter, Mary, returned from a trip to Colorado, Saturday night.

P. E. Wilemon is giving his home out about one mile north a good suit of sheet rock in all of the rooms. He is also adding a new roof on the house.

D. E. Keeny is progressing nicely on his new home in the Warren Addition.

Mr. Gidard and Lee Smart, of Anson, visited with their cousin, Mrs. R. J. Klump, Monday.

Elmer Hoskins is now in Amarillo where he has a position with the McKnight Transfer Company.

Mrs. Elmer Hoskins's brother, Allen Townsend, who has been visiting here with his sister for

the past two weeks has gone to Panhandle where he has secured a position. It is not known what line of business he is following. Mr. Townsend came here from Tuson, Arizona.

Shad Green who has been away on business for the last few days returned Saturday, so as to vote in the Primary Election. Shad is getting some gins rigged up for the ginning season this year, we understand at East Lubbock and Idalou.

W. H. Blackwell and wife, Clark Blackwell and wife were here last week from Mountain Park, Oklahoma, visiting the Good Brothers. Among the many things they admired of this country was the cool nights, and the way one can sleep in this country. They expect to sell their holding in Oklahoma and move here as soon as they can. The wonderful crops on every farm in this territory is one of the things they admired. You will have to go some when you find a climate that will surpass the summers on the Plains.

Base Ball Team Played Littlefield Last Sunday

The local ball team made a trip to Littlefield Sunday to cross bats with their fast team. Every thing was going fine and a close game was being played in the fourth inning when a rain came up and brought the game to a sudden close, with the score standing 4 to 3 in favor of Littlefield.

Epworth League Lesson For Sunday August 1st

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St. Paul, Minn.—"Here is a little advice I would like to have you put in the papers," Mrs. Jack Lorberter of 704 Dellwood Place wrote to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company. "If young women want to keep their health and strength for the next thirty years of their lives, it is best to start in right now and take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have tried the Compound myself and received fine results from its use." In describing her condition before taking the Compound, she writes, "I was afraid in my own house in broad daylight, I used to lock the doors and pull down the shades so that nobody could see me."

One day a booklet advertising the Vegetable Compound was left on her porch and she read it through. In so doing, she found a letter from a woman whose condition was similar to her own. "I bought Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound," Mrs. Lorberter continued, "and have had fine results. My condition made me a burden to my husband. Now I ask him, 'How is housekeeping?' and he says, 'It is just like being in Heaven! Are you on the Sunlit Road to Better Health?"

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"HI" TOO BASHFUL TO VISIT "CAL"

Uncle of President Has Same Yankee Reserve.

Welsh, La.—Farmer Hiram Moor is planning to visit in the East between now and autumn. His friends here are confident he will be accorded a hearty welcome when he arrives in Washington. They proudly point out that he is an uncle of President Coolidge.

It remains to be seen whether Mr. Moor will heed the advice of his neighbors. They not only insist that he "look up" the President, but urge that he "put up" in the White House.

Farmer Moor agrees that he should take a trip to the country's capital. Yet he is not enthusiastic over suggestions that he walk up to his distinguished nephew and slap him on the back.

There is no disputing the fact, however, he would enjoy a stay at the White House. Conditions there would contrast sharply with the surroundings to which the veteran tiller of the soil is accustomed. He concedes that guests of the Chief Executive are not required to prepare their own food and wash their own dishes, as is his habit.

That Mr. Moor is not so keen about taking any of Mr. Coolidge's time is probably because the same inherent reserve that is the President's is also his. "Hi" has not seen "Cal" in more than a half dozen years. The New Englander was then governor of Massachusetts.

Hiram Moor was born in Plymouth, Vt., in 1848. When a youth he went to Guthrie Center, Iowa, and purchased a small farm. Thirty-four years ago he migrated to this state, buying property near Welch. Natives of the rice belt now class him as a wealthy man.

Farmer Moor has a prominent nose and a high, rounded forehead. He has a large straight-line mouth and a protruding chin. He is six feet tall and weighs only 135 pounds.

Though two stories high, his home contains but four rooms, two up and a pair downstairs. It is of frame construction and has no porch.

In this house Farmer Moor is master and servant. He is the sole occupant and attends personally to all the household work.

General Added to British Group of "Bakespearians"

"Bakespearians" is the title London Truth has conferred on those who continue to proclaim from the house-tops that Bacon wrote Shakespearean plays.

Brig. Gen. S. A. E. Hickson is the latest writer to produce a book designed to prove that Bacon and no other could have written the dramas attributed to the poet of the Avon.

General Hickson not only claims the Shakespeare plays for Bacon, but also the work of Marlowe and other contemporary English dramatists. He even is willing to accept the opinion of a German professor that Bacon wrote Cervantes' "Don Quixote."

General Hickson calls his book "The Prince of Poets and Most Illustrious of Philosophers." He accepts the theory that Bacon was really the prince of Wales, son of Queen Elizabeth, and because of his high social position dared not acknowledge the authorship of practically all the masterpieces produced during the Elizabethan era.

Climbers on Mt. Rainier Witness Yawn of Glacier

Longmire, Wash.—The yawn of a living glacier was the unusual sight witnessed by a party of climbers on Mount Rainier. While traversing a portion of Nisqually glacier the guide interrupted progress by pointing to a three-inch crevasse about fifty feet in front of the trail. The crack gradually widened as the climbers retreated until it appeared nearly seventy-five feet across. The yawning was accompanied by tremendous explosions and roars as chunks of age-old ice hurtled down into the abyss, hundreds of feet deep.

Unable to withstand the massive pressure of the ice field pushing down the mountainside the crevasse with a great earth tremor closed, a terrific bang shooting splinters of ice, showers of snow and clouds of water high into the air. The guide explained the base of the glacier was apparently slipping over a very hard rock formation which broke its back.

Romanoff Coffins Rifled by Soviet

Berlin.—According to the Russian journal "Slovo" it has been learned that the Soviet government recently rifled the crypt in the church of St. Peter and St. Paul in Leningrad. The action was said to be an effort to obtain jewels and documents, from the caskets wherein were buried Peter the Great, Catherine the Great, and other members of the Romanoff family.

According to "Slovo," the coffin of Alexander the Great was found empty by the ransackers. This bears out the old legend that Alexander had not died as recorded in history, but for many years after his supposed death traveled throughout Russia distinguished as a pilgrim.

SON OF RED CHIEF IS MADE LITT. D.

Indian Is Given Honorary Degree by University.

Washington.—Because of his scholarly contributions to the study of the Omaha Indians of Nebraska, his own people, Francis La Flesche, Smithsonian ethnologist, has received the honorary degree of doctor of letters from the University of Nebraska.

La Flesche was born in a tepee of the tribe on the plains of Nebraska. He was the son of Joseph La Flesche, principal chief of the Omahas, a far-seeing and intelligent man, who recognized the fact that the white man had come to stay and that proper relations between his people and the whites should be established. In keeping with this belief the chief sent his son, Francis, to the mission school established by the Presbyterian board of missions on the Missouri river, near what is now Sioux City, Iowa, in 1857.

Writes of School Days.

La Flesche has given a delightful picture of this school in a book called "The Middle Five," which he published in 1900. The book, of course, presents a unique setting, but it reveals a boy nature as recognizable to all as that set forth in "Tom Brown at Rugby."

At the Mission La Flesche learned the language of the English and the three "R's." He arrived at manhood as well equipped as most Americans in the culture of the Europeans. For nearly thirty years he worked for the Indian bureau of the United States. During that time he followed the courses at the national university law school in Washington, receiving a degree in 1892. At an early period La Flesche became possessed of the desire to preserve, in written form, the history of his people as it was known to them, their music, the poetry of their rituals and the meaning of their social and religious ceremonies. Accordingly, during the years of his service with the Indian bureau he collaborated with Miss Alice E. Fletcher of the Peabody museum, Harvard university, in the collection of material on his tribe.

The results of this vast work appeared in the twenty-seventh annual report of the bureau of American ethnology for the year 1905-1906, an extraordinarily rich account of the Omaha tribe.

Joined Smithsonian in 1910.

In 1910 La Flesche became officially associated with the bureau of American ethnology under the Smithsonian institution. He has continued to specialize on the culture of the Omahas and on a related people, the Osage. He is at present engaged in an attempt to rescue the language of the Osage from oblivion by making up a written vocabulary. Since the young people of the tribe are using English almost exclusively, the Osage tongue is rapidly dying out.

The Smithsonian considers as one of the principal functions of its bureau of ethnology this rescuing and publishing of the fast-vanishing aboriginal Indian culture for the benefit of future generations, to whom the Indian as a race will be but a subject of historical record. Thanks to his almost unique combination of personal knowledge and experience of and in Indian customs with his scientific training, La Flesche has materially assisted the institution in this rescue work.

British Royalty Keeps Secret of Perfume

London.—One of the most carefully guarded secrets of the British royal family is the formula of a specially prepared perfume with which Buckingham palace is sprayed for the court presentations attended by men and women from all parts of the world.

The perfume is entirely original, suggestive of a tropical flower garden hidden away in the midst of a country setting which grows nothing but blossoms for miles around. The preparation has been used since the time of Queen Victoria, and its ingredients are known only to the king and queen and the manufacturers.

The scent was described by an American debutante as being the most delightful thing of its kind she had ever encountered. "It is just England," she said, "and there is nothing else like it in the world."

Use Steam Rollers in War on June Bug

Stolp, Pomerania, Germany.—Steam rollers have been used to exterminate June bugs in Pomerania and Mecklenburg.

The pests appeared by the billion and even the school children were mobilized for the "June bug war." The children, on holiday leave from school, collected the bugs in sacks, being paid one dollar a hundredweight. In the town of Dellisch alone 25 tons of the bugs were "bagged."

Immense damage has been caused by the bugs, and for miles all foliage is gone from the trees. The farmers complain that the plague is getting worse every year owing to the scarcity of artificial fertilizers. The insects breed in stable manure, which is now used almost exclusively instead of nitrate fertilizers.

His Finish

Rome, Italy.—Substitution of Irish potatoes for spaghetti in the national Italian diet is one of several radical innovations from which Premier Mussolini expects material results.

DREAMY MEXICO IS SHOWING SOME PEP

Grasps Boosting Spirit of United States.

Dallas.—Dreamy Mexico, land of manana, is waking up. The newest in intellectual and material things is delightfully blending with the habits and customs which keep Mexico peculiarly its own.

The boosting spirit of residents of the United States is one of the things being grasped and used by Mexican citizens with civic pride.

Particularly in those areas which are reached by railroads carrying a large portion of the travel from the United States is there a growing reaction to alien influence. Along these lines the traveler sees movies still shown in second-run houses north of the border. He is greeted by street placards announcing baseball games and prize fights, and he finds dodgers thrust into his hands urging him to attend.

The chamber of commerce has become a real part of Mexican civic life.

A typical special train, bound into Mexico, traveling along the west coast, may be taken as an example. Members of the party are advised that a certain community several hundred miles south plans a reception and the schedule permits a stop.

On arrival a Mexican orchestra of stringed instruments greets the tourists. After a concert the guests are conducted to carriages, perhaps rather dilapidated, but able to go. A ride over rough, unpaved streets, which seem to begin nowhere and end abruptly, winding past one-story adobe structures seemingly placed without definite plan, ends at the chamber of commerce.

Then comes the official welcome, brief but hearty. The speaker, his words interpreted sentence by sentence, quickly offers greetings and begins typical community boosting. It is good taste for the musicians to break in with an air when, in the director's opinion, the speaker has made an effective point.

When this is all over, the guests are escorted to the reception. The population is there, and formality of introduction is waived. Mexican girls, on the whole, are pretty. They are excellent dancers and the music is good. Usually a community belle gives an interpretation of a Mexican dance. Then, if she is a "modern," likely as not she will demonstrate the Charleston.

When the departing guests return to their train they find the orchestra of stringed instruments on hand. Usually it is late and the airs then played are peculiarly those of Mexico—soft, romantic and touched with the tragedy that rapidly disappearing centuries of peonism has implanted.

Young French Mechanic Invents Flying Bicycle

Paris.—A young French mechanic in a factory at Dijon has just invented a bicycle that flies.

According to a report received in Paris, the Frenchman had been working in a factory at Dijon since he had finally completed successful tests. The bicycle can be transformed immediately into a very small monoplane and fly to a height of 150 feet. Trials were conducted without mishap and the mechanic intends to present his unique invention to the public at the beginning of August.

The successful manufacture of the bicycle in large quantities will make flying within the means of all, in the opinion of the inventor.

California Has Increase in Number of Arrests

Sacramento, Calif.—Either California police departments are becoming more effective in snaring the elusive criminal or the criminal element in the state is materially on the increase. For the number of arrests on serious charges shows a gain of nearly 5,000 for the fiscal year just ended.

One in Every 71 in World Owns Motor Car

Washington.—The automobile has invaded every nook of the globe and in such quantity that an owner is to be found in every seventy-first person. On the basis of 1,748,000,000 world population for 1925, this means that more than 24,000,000 persons are automobile owners.

These figures, announced by the Commerce department, revealed that the United States leads with the highest ratio to population—one to every six persons. Hawaii has one to every eleven, and Canada one to thirteen.

In the lower ratios is Afghanistan, with one to 1,200,000 persons; India, with only four cars, or one for every 225,000; Abyssinia, 1 to 133,333, and China, 1 for every 31,871. The Solomon Islands, with 151,000 persons, has only two automobiles, while Liberia has 54, or one for every 54,259.

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Experience seems to indicate that people store up in their systems certain poisons that break out all at once in a series of boils. Sometimes they are fatal.

Willie Hapes says: "Ever since I grew up boils broke out on me just when the planting season began, and I had to lay up. Blood remedies were worthless. The only known remedy was calomel, but it seemed to turn my stomach inside out. This spring I got a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and I feel sure it put a new liver into me worth a fortune, for it cleared off the boils and for the first time in years they didn't come back."

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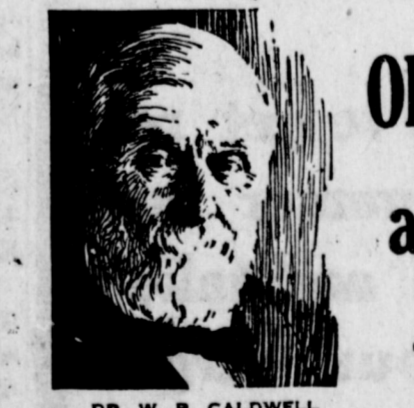
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The lion and the lamb that lie down together have nothing on the kid

Midsummer has brought out the sleeveless flannel suits for tennis, golf and street wear. The skirts have a group of plaits at the front, the jackets are double breasted and belted across the back. Practical square pockets are set each side at the front and white pearl buttons provide the trimming feature.

The mood of fashion in the matter of hats has undergone a change. Once again tailored modes of distinction find themselves making the strongest appeal to those women of discrimination who set the pace in fashions. This demand for fine tailored hats will put the art of the milliner to its severest test; for it takes the utmost in craftsmanship to



Some Sports Shoes.

when it comes to choosing strange company. Kid skin gambols with lizard, snake and alligator in sports and dressy shoes and masquerades, with strange markings and many colors, as reptilian. Its unequal pliability and strength keep it first in demand; nothing else is so comfortable. For afternoon and evening, kid slippers are shown in pink, blue green, parchment, navy and sauterne, as well as in the usual tan, gray and brown shades. It is often combined with lizard, and shoes of kid and lizard are especially effective in gray, tan or white. The combination of brown and white is a favorite for sports wear and a fine example is shown here of the brown and parchment shade. Alligator skin and parchment kid make the

turn out successful tailored things, either in hats or garments.

Here is a group of five beautiful tailored hats that give some idea of the variety of shapes and materials used and the trend of styles. It leads off with a wide-brimmed model of fine milan in black with a clever cut-out trim of long felt petals in sand color. This is mounted on the crown with a very handsome black pin, studded with rhinestones. These wide-brimmed milans and similar shapes in hair braid, sometimes with the simplest of ribbon trims, have such a record of success that wide-brimmed felts and velvets are likely to follow them when summer is gone. At the left is a shape of soft straw braid with a cleverly creased crown and trimming of

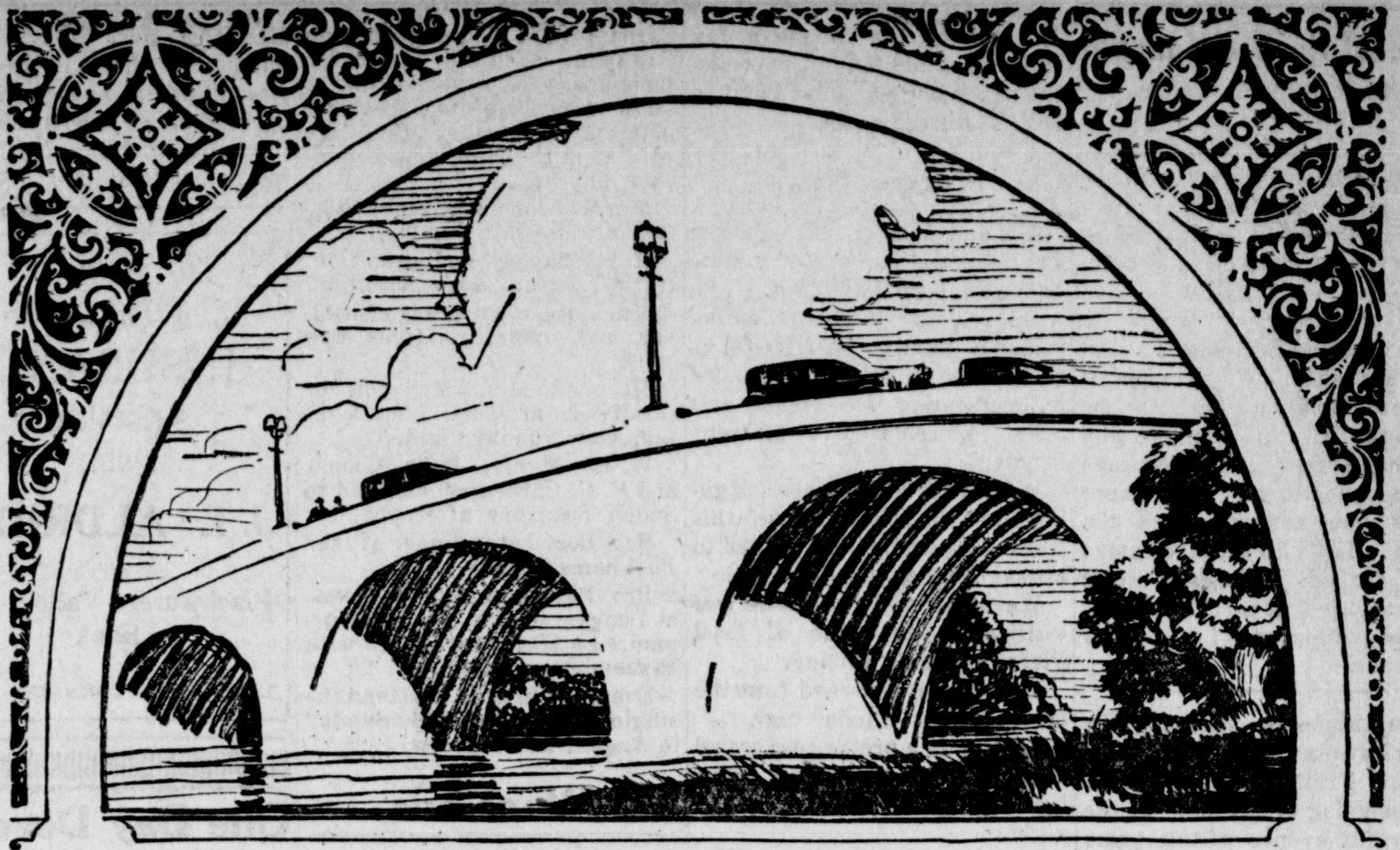


Group of Latest Hats.

handsome one-strap slippers at the bottom of the picture. Above these a white kid slipper, in the sandal style, is shown. It is trimmed with three rows of perforations. Single-strap slippers are worn with the clever sport frock pictured. This is made of white, radium silk with applique of blue radium silk for trimming.

velvet ribbon in two colors. Note that the brim is not narrowed at the back—which shows an increasing regard for brims. Their careers are not cut short anywhere. Below this is a sportish model made of apple-green bangkok and trimmed with folds of velvet about the crown in two colors—green and burgundy. It has a chou of velvet at the back and looks simple enough, but no amateur can manage it. At the right is a handsome black satin hat in a new shape. A coronet of finely plaited ribbon encircles it, pierced by a handsome jet pin. It is a model of much dignity, but there is nothing tame about it. The small milan shape that finishes the group shows clever management of double-faced ribbon, fallie on one side and satin on the other, in two shades. This is folded in such a way as to show the two surfaces and to change the contour of the shape a little. The rhinestone pin at the front has a double head.

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Moon Lopsided

Prof. E. W. Brown, of Yale university has, after many calculations, come to the conclusion that the moon is lopsided with quite a pronounced bulge at the top. He explains the irregularity by saying that the heavier materials of its substances are what appear to the eye at the bottom and that a bulging of the upper surface is required if the moon is to balance itself in space.

Modern Liberties

"Would you speak to a lady without being introduced?" "I do it every day. I'm a crossing cop."

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The Muleshoe Journal

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The second Primary will be held on the 24th, day of August. There will be little interest in this event, we are of the opinion.

The Journal is doing its best for Muleshoe. We wonder if you are doing your best for the Journal? If you are not why not begin now and encourage us in our efforts? The paper needs you and you need the paper. Let's fill these columns with fat ads and newsy items and the job department must not be overlooked. Let's grow together.

The Muleshoe Annual Fair dates have been set for Sept. 24-25. Friday and Saturday. This is going to be one of the important events of the year. Every farmer, poultry man or stock man should get his best stuff in readiness for this great annual show. Farmers living in the Muleshoe territory, comprised of Bailey, Parmer, Lamb and Castro counties are eligible to enter their products, poultry and live stock. As this is a Muleshoe fair, we want all the people in the territory to feel welcome to come and help us make this the greatest County Fair on the Great South Plains. We have the stuff, all we have to do is to get it here. The business men are going to offer some very attractive prizes. Watch for the premium list.

It has been suggested to us from one of our valuable readers, that a place be designated, for people in the county that had clothing and articles of value that they did not need, be placed and given out to the people in the county that are in need. Some people that have recently moved here from less fortunate communities, we understand are in need. This matter we believe comes under the work of the Civic League. It might be well for this organization to take up this matter. It is worth thinking about. Many valuable moves have been made in the Civic League. Securing of the County Nurse is one of the outstanding works of the organization.

Paris has discovered cornmeal pudding, and likes it. Paris chefs, of course, have to make it by a fussy process, and call it by a fancy name "Souffle Ascantio" is the term they use, and the stuff has to be mixed according to a mystic formula and "stirred quickly and constantly for one or two hours." Otherwise it's recognizable as a sort of cross between American corn meal mush and cornstarch pudding. Every little thing like this helps the American farmer, who raises more corn than anything else, and often doesn't know what to do with it. Europeans have been strangely slow in discovering the merits of this American grain, and the many palatable and nutritious dishes that can be made with it. Farm relief might well include a foreign corn publicity campaign.

The Muleshoe Journal is glad to receive news items and articles that will be of interest to the readers, from every one in the territory. It takes all the people to make a real good weekly paper. But we must have a closing time, in order to get the paper out on time. We have called the readers attention to the fact that Wednesday evening is the last day we take news as we must finish up our work and print the paper on Thursday, so you can get it on Friday morning mail. Many times we receive news on Thursday morning about something that happened on Sunday or Monday. This news could be sent to the

Journal office the following day and that would help us to make the paper better. Just a hint to help better the paper.

Progress News

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Parker are the proud parents of a new baby girl, born July 22nd.

John Gregory and wife entertained a number of friends at their home Sunday. We sure enjoyed eating ice cream and cake. All reported a pleasant evening.

We have a revival meeting going on at the school house this week. Every body is invited to attend these services.

Waldern Tucker and wife was visiting in the home of Fred Pierce and wife Sunday.

Earl Barger returned from the wheat harvest Sunday night.

There was a pretty good crowd at the dance in the new store building Saturday and Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scott, of Hurley, spent a very pleasant day at Hereford, last Sunday visiting the family of Roy Crosswhite. Mr. and Mrs. Crosswhite formerly lived at Hurley. They are very nicely situated in the beautiful city of Hereford and Miss Winnie and Alma say they like it there very much. We are expecting the young ladies here on a visit very soon. They found quite an improvement in the city as they are paving the streets and quite a number of new buildings are going up in Hereford. Mr. Crosswhite is in charge of some of the work there so of course they received some inside information about all the improvements that are going on but they will have to go some to beat our little city of Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Tide Young are visiting relatives in Wellington this week.

Longview Broadcasting

Bro. Booth filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Quite a few people from Fairview, Circleback and Baileyboro attended singing at the school house Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Bell and family ate Sunday dinner at the W. H. Myers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Serratt, of Sudan, attended church at Longview Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimbell, of Fairview and Miss Linnie Hulse ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Young.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pool has been on the sick list the last few days.

Mrs. Joe Essary spent Thursday night and Friday with Mrs. Carpenter.

Ryce Young spent Saturday night with Ford Carpenter.

Mrs. Moore's sister, from Dallas, is visiting her.

Mr. and Mrs. Odom spent Sunday at the Morrison home.

Pat Barnett and Lisman Harvey ate dinner with Babe Cooper Sunday.

Mrs. Dyer and sons, True and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Webb, Frank Robinson, Mr. Applin and Coffman, Mrs. Durham and son, Charlie, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan, F. C. and Ford Carpenter, Lois and Christine Young, Ruby Sterling, Darell Bell ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. Blaylock Sunday.

Charlie Holder, of Clay county, visited Leamon Carpenter Thursday. He was out here prospecting for land to buy.

We have prayer meeting here every Wednesday night and will be glad for all who can to attend.

Everyone have about caught up with their work in the crops in our community.

Verna Mae Bell's leg she cut on wire before school was out is giving her quite a bit of trouble again.

Vergie Webb and Leamon

Carpenter are planning a fishing trip soon. Well they may catch some fish, but we would like to know were prospects were never better for a bumper crop. We will say in the Longview community any way.

Mr. Johnson and family visited Mrs. Serratt Sunday.

H. E. Blaylock and grandson, Hurdis, was in Sudan Saturday.

Mrs. Jordan's uncle is visiting her and other relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, of Goodland, attended church at Longview Sunday night.

W. H. Myers, Babe Cooper and F. C. Carpenter motored to Sudan, Saturday afternoon.

Bro. Booth ate dinner at the Pool home Sunday.

Bro. Payne, of Muleshoe, was at Longview, July 11th and organized a Methodist church with 45 members present.

Everyone invited to attend the singing convention 2nd Sunday in August at Longview.

Want Ads

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Circleback Announcing

A wonderful sermon was preached by Bro. Booth last Sunday night at the school house.

Prayer meeting was held Wednesday night and singing was enjoyed by every one Friday night.

Mrs. Cecil Elmore and daughter, of Texhoma, Oklahoma and Missley Capheart, of Hurley, visited friends and relatives last week.

John Moore and children left last week for Southland, to visit relatives.

Mrs. Pearl Lee was real sick last week but is reported better at this writing.

Mrs. G. O. Sharmon, Mrs. N. A. Fimore and Mrs. Kent and Misses Willie Davis and Lucy Kent visited Grandma Garner, Monday afternoon. Mrs. Garner has been very sick but is improving.

Jerry, Bill and Otto Workman spent the week-end with their mother. They have been away at the harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis and family spent Sunday with Roy Kyzer and wife, of Bula.

Sarah Berry spent Saturday night with Zelma Reed and Zelma and Alta Bea Robb visited Sarah Sunday.

Several Circlebackians were at the speakings at Longview, Fairview and Muleshoe.

The Methodist meeting at Bula closed Sunday with one conversion.

Miss Ona Hall, of Hall county is visiting Miss Mattie Walker.

NOTICE--Mrs. D. E. Keeney announces she will open her class in piano music with the opening of the school term. If interested in Piano lessons see her before this time. 23-24-c

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