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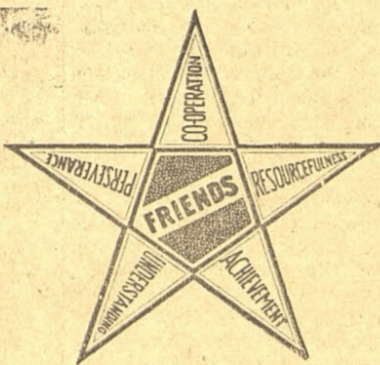
## 6 More Producers For Town-site; Many Drilling, Real Action

### The Farmer's Best Alley-

is the bank with which he does business.

We especially invite the accounts of farmers, and cordially extend them every service of this bank in handling their farm affairs.

Our farm customers will always find a welcome awaiting them inside the door of this bank.



## Farmers National Bank

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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

"A Bank of Personal Service"

### ESTIMATED 9,000 BALES WILL BE MARKETED IN CROSS PLAINS

To date about 6,500 bales of cotton have been marketed here, and it is estimated that probably 2,500 more bales will be marketed and shipped from here. This amount of cotton together with the additional revenue derived from the oil industry, places this section in stable financial condition, prosperity is every where evidenced. There is a wide field here for expansion in agricultural, oil, poultry and other industries, with great possibilities for business developments of all legitimate lines.

Mrs. Edna Mauldin and Miss Vernie Crabb will open a Beauty Parlor in the balcony of Deal's Drug Store, November the 20th. Mrs. Mauldin has just completed a course in that line at Fort Worth, and will be in charge of the parlor.

Mrs. Lacy and baby of Ballinger have been visiting with Mrs. W. J. Bryson and family.

### ARMISTICE DAY ENJOYED SPECIAL PROGRAM RENDERED

Most of the business houses closed here for Armistice day, and the day was well spent. A special program for the occasion was rendered at the school with impressive ceremonies.

A number attended foot ball game at Abilene and Cisco, others visited friends or spent the day in the country picnicing.

### 20th Century Club

One of the most interesting meetings of the 20th Century Club was held at home of Mrs. A. G. Crabb, Wednesday afternoon. The club is studying Texas History this year. There was a good attendance at the meeting with Mrs. Scott as leader. At the close of the lesson dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Harry Baker.

Ralph Odom made a business trip to Snyder, Wednesday.

Six more producers have been added to the townsite field, making total of 35 producers with several more completions scheduled for this week.

Warren & Seward on block 47 came in for 350 barrel well. Cranfill & Reynolds, block 68 completed for 140 barrels. Herbert oil Co. block 67, finished for 150 barrels. Cranfill & Reynolds, block 91, completed for 50 barrels, and Mitchell, Jones & May also completed their well on block 79 for small well.

Cowboy Evans missed the pay on block 4 Haley addition. Lewis & Reynolds also missed the pay on block 80, and the Mitchell, Jones & May well on block 9 Haley addition came in for a small gas well, but will be shot and may yet make producer. These nonproducers have reduced developments in that direction, and increased action northeast.

Canyon Oil & Gas Co. and T. B. Slick Barr No. 3, south of town was completed for 40 barrels.

In the shallow field southwest of town, about 25 wells have been completed since our last report on the Franke, Westerman and adjoining leases, with production of from 8 to 40 barrels. Operations continue active in that section.

The following is Wednesday's drilling report in townsite:

Richardson et al, block 59, Central addition, drilling at 1200

Fain, et al, block 65, drilling 650 Mook Texas Co Canyon O. & G. Co. pulling big pipe at 1407 on block 87-Mook Texas, Canyon Oil & Gas Co block 23, drilling at 1408 feet

Lowe, Dulaney & Carter, block 81, drilling in.

Lowe, Dulaney & Carter, block 78 drilling at 1200

Holden & Wilson, W. M. Adams No. 1, northeast part of town 1600 feet

Root Drilling Co. Wilson No. 1, just east of townsite, drilling at 1650 feet

Mitchell, Jones & May, block 50 drilling 1160

E. N. Schaffner, block 63, 1325 feet

Albrittan et al, block 51 drilling 900

Cranfill & Reynolds & O. M. Rector block 34, drilling 940

Cranfill & Reynolds block 1, Haley addition 1400 feet

Kirk & Brewer et al, block 22 930

Mitchell, Jones May block 52, 450

McCamey et al, block 7, rigging up tools

Brothers, et al, block 53, 720 feet

Nichols, et al, block 16, 600 feet

Weatherspoon Oil Co., block 48, drilling 1350

Bond & Jones, et al, block 2, Haley addition, 535 feet

Herbert Oil Co. block 30, rigging up

Cranfill & Reynolds, block 71, 730

Harris et al, block 12, drilling 810

Guffey, et al, block 21, 300 feet

Kirk & Brewer & Stone, et al, block 29, 800 feet.

Hornbeak Oil Co. et al, block 33, drilling at 350

Mitchell, Jones & May block 8 Mathis addition, drilling 1240

J. G. Weiler, block 35, 500 feet

Kirk & Brewer & Stone, et al, Smith No. 1, rigging up.

Mook Texas, Canyon O. & G. Co. & M. E. Wakefield, McDonough No. 3, drilling at 1401 feet; drilling 1350 on No. 4, and No. 5 spudding at 150

J. G. Weiler block 36, completing rig.

Mitchell, Jones & May, et al, block 20, rigging up.

Brannon & Murry, block 14, completed rig.

Brannon & Murry, block 23, 535.

Brannon & Murry, block 45, 375.

W. D. Riddle, et al, block 25, 660.

Shackelford, et al, block 43, spudding 225.

Cranfill & Reynolds, block 60, rigging up.

Mitchell, Jones & May, block 15, moving in maching.

Cranfill-Reynold. Compere No. 1, rigging up.

Cranfill & Reynolds and Canyon Oil & Gas Co., J. A. Barr No. 1, spudding.

Greenwood & Johnson, S. H. Westerman No. 1, wildcat, south of town drilling at 1325.

C. O. Moore et al, Franke No. 3 missed the shallow sand and drilling at 460.

Canyon Oil & Gas Co. and Cranfill & Reynolds, Crockett 12 completed for 10 barrels, 13 for 40 barrels, 14 for 10 barrels, 15 and 16 drilling.

W. M. Wilson, Trustee, Franke No. 13 completed for 15 barrels, and 15 drilling, 17 small well.

J. K. Hughes, Franke No. 9 drilling Pennant Oil & Gas Co., Franke No. 9 small well, 10 drilling.

T. & P. Westerman No. 5, small well, 6, 20 barrels, 7, 30 barrels.

Hensleit & Lacy, Crockett No. 2 15 barrels. No. 3, 18 barrels.

E. M. Curry, Rudloff No. 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 small wells from 8 to 12 barrels.

Root & Fheil, Arrowood No. 1, block 39 drilling, No. 1 block 40 drilling.

Bradstreet & McLester No. 2 on sand, No. 3 drilling.

Brooks, et al, Henderson No. 1, spudding.

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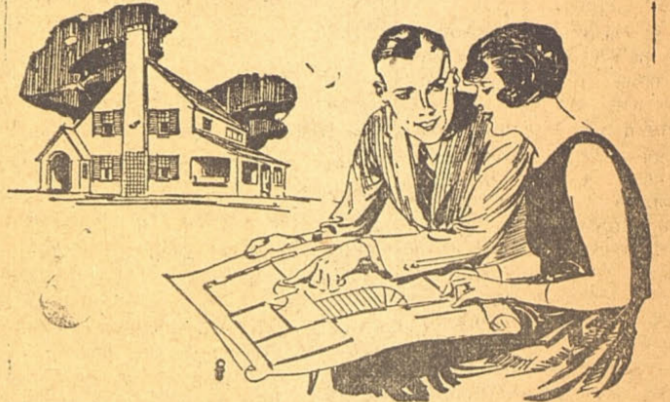
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## Make Her Happier Build a Home First

We have the Plans, Service and Lumber. Whata you say?

JOE H. SHACKELFORD'S Lumber, Paint and Hardware Store

### NEW POST OFFICE BUILDING COMPLETED, TO MOVE IN

The new postoffice building has been completed and if present plans materialize the postoffice will be moved into the new quarters Sunday or Monday, Mr. Barr, postmaster, states.

B. G. Lindley and family leave this week for their new home in Childress, we are very sorry to give up this estimate, family but wish them well in their new home.

The Review was delayed this week on account of closing for Armistice day, and we are also short of news, but will try to make up for it next week.

Buy it at home.

### Light on Biblical Authorship

An Egyptian tomb in western Thebes, it is said, has furnished evidence that the writer of the Book of Proverbs is indebted for some of his passages to an Egyptian named Amenemepel, who, according to records, lived hundreds of years earlier than the Bible author. A comparison of the two passages referred to follows that of Proverbs 1: "Incline thy ears and hear the words of wisdom and apply thy breast to my knowledge. For it is pleasant if thou keep them in thy breast; if they are ready, all of them on thy tongue." "Incline thy ears and hear my words and apply thy heart thereto to understand them. Good is it if thou dost set them in thy heart, but woe to him who transgresses them. Let them rest in thy breast, that they may be a key to thy heart. So may they be the key to thy tongue."—Family Herald.

### Her Affliction

Little Millie had achieved great success at her school, and was being moved to a higher grade. Needless to say, her parents were pleased with her and anxious to hear how she would get on in the new class. When she returned home at lunch time the first question her mother asked was this: "Well, darling," she said, "how did you like your new teacher?" "She seems very nice," replied Millie, "but I can't understand all she says." "How is that?" asked her mother. "Does she talk too quietly?" "Oh, no, mummy," returned Millie, "but"—with the air of one who knows—"I think she's got a predicament in her speech."

### Monk Man of Learning

The epithet "Admirable Doctor" was bestowed upon Roger Bacon (1214-1292), an English monk of the Franciscan order. He was without doubt the greatest philosopher of his time. His great work, the Opus Majus, was written about 1265, and first printed in 1733. It treats of nearly all the sciences. He was accused of practicing black magic; and in 1278 a council of the Franciscans, jealous of his superiority, condemned his writings and committed him to prison in Paris, where he remained for ten years. He died at Oxford about 1292.—Kansas City Times.

### IT'S EASY TO EDIT SOME COPY THAT COMES IN

Most any one can be an editor. All the editor has to do is to sit at a desk six days out of the week, four weeks out of the month, twelve months out of the year and edit such stuff as this: Mrs. X. Y. Jones of Cactus Creek, let a can opener slip last week and cut her self in the pantry. A mischievous lad in Pinktown threw a stone and struck Mr. Pike, in the alley last Tuesday. John Dee climbed to the roof of his house last week looking for a leak and fell, striking himself on the back porch, while Harrell Green was escorting Violet Wise from the social last Friday night a dog attacked them and bit Mr. Green several times on the public square. Isaiah Trimmer, of Running Creek was playing with a cat last Friday when it scratched him on veranda. Mr. Long while harnessing a broncho last Saturday was kicked just south of his corn patch. Yes it is a wonder they draw salaries for it. —Exchange.

Walton Reeder of Stanton, is visiting here this week.

### WEST TEXAS UTILITIES CO. HAVE OPENED OFFICE HERE

West Texas Utilities Co. have opened an office and ware house on main street between 9th and 10th, to provide complete facilities for handling their oilfield business.

This company is electrifying a major portion of the townsite wells and those in the Crockett pool three miles south of town. The office will make it easy for their patrons to get in communication with the manager field superintendent, and the employees.

They will also have for sale at their office all kinds of standard electrical appliances and they invite all their customers to visit them and look things over. The ladies are especially welcome, and the office secretary, Miss Opal Mitchell will take pleasure in showing them the stock, the Review is informed.

M. L. Benson and family visited relatives at Burkett, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Law visited relatives in Santa Anna, Sunday.

## The City Drug Store

### We Are Selling

More goods every day, so our customers must be pleased. We appreciate this patronage greatly and wish to invite others to join the great throng that visits our store daily.

### Courtesy is Our Motto

Member Texas Qualified Druggists' League

Read the League's messages in Farm and Ranch and Holland's Magazine

### Keep Your Money In Your Home Town Bank

U. B. Phrifty



Money deposited elsewhere subtracts from the resources of your home town. On the contrary loyalty to your home bank benefits the community and entitles the loyal man to demand all the services his bank has and the co-operation of his associates.

### A GUARANTY FUND BANK

The First Guaranty State Bank CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

M. E. Wakefield, President, Geo. B. Scott, Cashier  
J. A. Bar, vice-Pres. J. D. Conlee, Asst. cashier  
John Newton, E. I. Vestal, Noah Johnson, Tom Bryant and Paul V. Harrell, Director

## TO REPEAL INCOME TAX PUBLICITY CLAUSE IN TAX BILL

GIFTS TAX PROVISION IS STRICKEN OUT BY COMMITTEE.

### ESTATE LEVY TO BE CUT

All That Remains to Do is to Assemble New Provisions.

Washington.—Repeal of the income tax publicity law has been voted by the House Ways and Means Committee. This action was taken in the course of the committee's work in drafting a tax reduction bill.

It proposes to strike from the statute books the publicity clause which has caused more indignation and criticism than any act of Congress since the Volstead law. The chief complaint has been that it exposed the personal finances of individuals to salesmen, business rivals and curious persons without fulfilling its ostensible purpose of reducing tax evasion through publicity. Opponents insisted that because of the broad exemptions in the tax law, the size of the tax does not correspond with any irregularity to the size of the income.

The publicity clause was inserted in the present tax law in 1927 through the pressure of the La Follette insurgent group, which then held the balance of power in both houses of Congress.

They received Democratic support and the aid of some progressive Republicans. President Coolidge protested with much vehemence against this clause in signing the bill. With the Republicans safely in control in both houses, it is probable now that the repeal favored by the House committee will succeed.

In addition to the action, the committee also refused Secretary Mellon's request that estate taxes be abolished. It comprises by cutting the present 40 per cent maximum in half. Retention of this source of revenue was forecast when the committee raised the exemptions on the moderate tax-payer.

One other significant change was voted by the committee. The entire gifts tax provision was stricken out and a substitute inserted which subjects to the estate tax any property conveyed within two years of the death of the testator without receipt of any consideration.

The committee agreed that estates would be credited with up to 80 per cent of any estate taxes paid to States.

Tax excises were acted on, but the committee declined to reveal its decision until it had disposed of automobile and other excise taxes.

With the adjustment of the estate tax problem and the repeal of the publicity clause, the work of the Ways and Means Committee is near conclusion.

Chairman Green estimates that the bill's provisions will be completed within a week. Only the relatively simple work of piecing the bill together and putting it in finished shape for introduction into the House then will remain.

## PRESIDENT COOLIDGE SEES DEBT FUNDING

Settlement With Italy Expected at White House.

Washington.—A mutually satisfactory settlement of the Italian debt is expected by President Coolidge.

The executive's belief that Italy will fund its \$2,000,000,000 war obligations was expressed at the White House after the President had conferred with Secretary of the Treasury Mellon and Senator Smoot, member of the American Debt Funding Commission.

Both the United States and Italy are discussing the problem with "utmost candor," it was said in behalf of the President and where such questions are candidly discussed settlement is bound to come.

Secretary Mellon and Smoot are presumed to have laid before the President an informal proposal said to have been submitted by the Italian commission, together with informal conversations offered by the American commission.

President Coolidge was represented as being particularly pleased with the progress of the negotiations. Secretary Mellon and Senator Smoot told the chief executive that there is a determined disposition on the part of Count Volpi and his associates to reach an early agreement.

In spite of the optimism of the White House, Undersecretary of the Treasury Winston declared that the problem of settlement was still in a negotiation state.

### Advance \$125,000 for Killing Cattle

Houston, Texas.—Houston bankers will advance only \$125,000 of the \$500,000 necessary to cover the States expense in the slaughtering of cattle in the foot and mouth disease eradication campaign, it was decided at a meeting of the Houston Clearing House Association. The deficiency amounts, which were to be issued in \$2,000, bear no interest and payable until 1927, according to the opinion of the present

## LOOTERS BUSY IN DAMASCUS AS 1,500 FLEE

Uneasiness Is Reflected Among Foreigners in Trouble Center.

Damascus.—Looting continues in Damascus. So far 1,500 of the population have fled to Beirut to escape the conditions resulting from the French bombardment.

Three towns, including Nebk and Yabrood, are reported to have declared their independence after driving out the French troops and civilians.

Washington.—Two American destroyers, the Coghlan and the Lamson, have been sent from Alexandria, Egypt, to Beirut as a precautionary measure.

American Consul Paul Knabenshue cabled the State Department that he had sent a message to the destroyers to proceed to Beirut, although there was no immediate danger to Americans in Damascus or Beirut.

The destroyers were dispatched to Alexandria several days ago after the Consul had reported the possibility of danger to American lives and property in Syria. They had been held there in readiness to proceed to the Syrian port when necessary.

While the action of the Consul at Beirut in calling the destroyers was merely a precautionary measure it reflects the uneasiness among American and other foreign residents of Syria over the spread of disaffection among the native population since the Damascus bombardment by the French.

A majority of the Americans in Syria are resident in Beirut where the American University engages the services of some fifty instructors, nearly all of whom have their families with them. The university itself is a large establishment representing an investment of some \$2,000,000 and there is a natural apprehension among the Americans in Beirut over the possibility that the revolutionary disturbances aimed at the French mandatory authorities might spread to that port.

## CATTLE PLAGUE QUARANTINE IS LIFTED

Small Section Around Houston All That Is Left of Closed Area.

Houston.—The "protective" quarantine in force in nineteen counties surrounding Harris and parts of Galveston and Brazoria Counties for the last two months because of the foot and mouth disease has been lifted by order of government cattle plague authorities.

Free movement of all products will be permitted in and out of the former protective area, although the old regulations will continue to apply to Harris, Galveston and Brazoria Counties, which are in the closed area of the foot and mouth disease.

Dr. Marion Imes, Federal director of foot and mouth disease eradication work in Texas, said all States will accept Texas products from all points except the small area around Houston.

The foot and mouth disease has not broken out in several weeks and the eradication work will be completed probably in thirty days, at which time all quarantines will be removed.

Fort Worth, Texas.—Cattle shipments from nineteen counties forming the protective area around the foot and mouth disease area in Galveston, Harris and the eastern part of Brazoria Counties will be acceptable on the Fort Worth market following the lifting of the Federal quarantine of the buffer area, it was said here by A. G. Donovan, general manager of the Fort Worth Stockyards Company, which also has had an embargo against the area for the last few months.

No infection has appeared since Oct. 14, and this of only one animal in a previously diseased herd, according to Leo Callan, chairman of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas. The last infection of any real consequence was discovered on Oct. 1, and was speedily dealt with. The foot and mouth disease germ incubates in seven days; veterinarians say.

Marion Imes, of Washington, D. C., in charge of the campaign against the malady, and Dr. N. F. Williams, State Veterinarian, consider it now safe to release the buffer area.

### Normal Rates Reduced.

Washington.—In the proposed revenue bill of the House Ways and Means Committee the normal rates are reduced from 2 per cent to 1½ per cent on the first \$4,000 of taxable income, from 4 per cent to 3 per cent on the next \$4,000 and from 6 per cent to 5 per cent on taxable incomes in excess of \$8,000. The committee also voted to extend the \$400 exemption for dependents to apply to children who are in school up to 21 years of age. The present law provides for 18 years in all.

## INJUNCTION IN VALLEY RAIL CASE GRANTED

Believe M. P. Officials May Not Aid in Port Development.

Brownsville, Texas.—Widespread belief that Missouri Pacific Railroad officials may not aid in development of a port at Point Isabel has led to a temporary injunction restraining W. T. Eldridge Sr., and the Sugarland Industries, Sugarland, from selling or entering into any agreement to sell or otherwise convert control of the Rio Grande Railroad to the Missouri Pacific System. The injunction was granted in the Sixty-Third District Court at Brownsville.

The road is twenty-six miles long, connecting Brownsville and Point Isabel, Texas.

The suit was filed in the name of Charles Champion, A. L. Brooks, John Gregg, W. E. McDavitt et al., and names as defendants the Rio Grande Railway Company, the Sugarland Industries and W. T. Eldridge, Sr.

The injunction also prevents the consummation of any agreement made looking to the transfer of Mr. Eldridge's holdings in the Rio Grande Railway to the Missouri Pacific System.

Announcement was made on Oct. 4 by L. W. Baldwin, president of the Missouri Pacific, that his line "had agreed to purchase the Rio Grande road upon successful completion of certain negotiations which Mr. Eldridge has pending."

Plans of the Missouri Pacific to acquire this road are opposed by valley citizens and those interested in the line because of the widespread belief that Missouri Pacific officials will not aid in the development of a port at Point Isabel and that they might ever hinder such development. Steamers plying from the port would be in direct competition with the Gulf Coast Lines, which the Missouri Pacific recently acquired, it is pointed out.

No date has been set for the hearing for the injunction case.

The petitioners alleged failure of defendants to carry out certain agreements in connection with improvement of the property and acceptance by numerous individuals and firms of convertible debenture bonds in exchange for second mortgage bonds. The petitioners claim that payment of \$65,000 of outstanding first mortgage bonds gives the second mortgage bonds a standing as first lien on the property.

More than \$170,000 of the road's debenture bonds were accepted by citizens to assist in a refinancing program by the road. The petitioners allege that failure to carry out agreements voids acceptance of debenture bonds and entitles them to return of second mortgage bonds.

## COL. MITCHELL WINS POINT IN BATTLE

Court Decides He May Call Witnesses He Thinks Necessary.

Washington.—Prosecution and defense counsel battled to a tie Tuesday with the court-martial tribunal trying Col. William Mitchell on charges of conduct prejudicial to good order and military discipline sitting as umpire, and finally adjourning the contest until Monday.

The prosecution, headed by Col. Sherman Moreland, scored first when the court declined to free the air officer on a motion by Representative Frank R. Reid, civilian defense counsel, who contended that not a scintilla of evidence had been presented against the air officer. The defense then scored its victory, the court deciding it should be permitted to call what witnesses it believed necessary and directing the prosecution "to take immediate steps to proceed" with the summoning of a long list of witnesses and the production of voluminous records from Government files it had requested.

A compromise on the request to summon three Cabinet officers, Secretaries Davis of the War Department, Wilbur of the Navy and Jardine of Agriculture, was effected by the defense and prosecution attorneys at a conference called later in the day. It was agreed that the presence of the Cabinet members in court would be waived provided the records in their possession were produced by authorized agents.

Re-Elected for Ninth Term. Jamestown, N. Y.—Jamestown re-elected Samuel A. Carlson, Mayor for a ninth term by 967 majority over Albert M. G. Jackson in a non-partisan election. The whole Citizen's party ticket headed by Mayor Carlson was elected.

### City Fathers Outlaw Flirting.

Abilene, Texas.—Flirting and "go-go" eyes have been outlawed by the city fathers of Abilene. An ordinance just passed declares that offenders shall be fined not more than \$200. Whistling to attract the attention of a woman is also placed under the ban. A "flirt" or "masher" is defined by the ordinance to "include any person who by word, sign, or gesture, wink, facial expression or look shall seek to attract the attention of the opposite sex other than

## BEER FLOODS COUNTRY, SAYS PROHI CHIEF

Whisky \$2.50 in Washington and \$4 Here, Says Garner.

Washington.—Prohibition enforcement officials are seeking the aid of taxing power of the Government as a means of checking what they described as the "tremendous flood of high-powered beer sweeping the country."

A tax of 1c a gallon on cereal beverages was asked of the House Ways and Means Committee by Lincoln C. Andrews, Assistant Secretary in charge of prohibition enforcement. This would afford the Government a power of inspection of near beer distilleries.

Mr. Andrews said "high-powered beer" must be manufactured first by brewers in the process of making near beer, and the temptation was "very great not to cut down the alcoholic content."

The Assistant Secretary also said prohibition enforcement would be aided if a tax of \$2.20 a proof gallon on pure alcohol were cut in half and a tax of 1c a gallon on denatured alcohol were imposed.

"Where is all this beer coming from?" asked Representative Oldfield (Dem.), Arkansas.

"Chicago, Pennsylvania and New York State," the witness replied. "I have not heard so much complaint from St. Louis and other Western cities."

Mr. Andrews said also he favored the Government dealing directly in the sale of sacramental wines and medicinal whiskeys to consumers.

"It will cut out legalized traffic in liquor for a profit," he argued.

"It would give the government some profit, also," remarked Representative Garner (Dem.), Texas.

He said medicinal liquor sold for \$2.50 a pint in Washington and \$4 a pint in Texas.

There are 20,000,000 gallons of whisky in warehouses today, the committee was told, or 10,000,000 less than a few years ago. Part of the loss was attributed by Mr. Andrews to "shrinkage and evaporation."

"Is this shrinkage and evaporation largely pilfering?" Representative Hawley (Rep.), Oregon, asked.

"Pilfering is a minor factor in the shrinkage," Mr. Andrews replied.

## DISEASE FUND DEFICIENCIES ALLOWED

\$552,000 to Eradicate Hoof-Mouth Affliction Approved.

Austin, Texas.—Deficiencies aggregating \$552,000, to defray expenses of the State Live Stock Sanitary Commission in eradicating the hoof and mouth disease have been approved and allowed by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson and Leo Callan, chairman of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, filed the approved petition with the State Comptroller in order that deficiency warrants may be issued. Chairman Callahan, however, has not filed any accounts and no deficiency warrants have yet been drawn.

In allowing the deficiencies asked by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, the Governor followed the opinion of the Attorney General's Department that the issuance of deficiency warrants was the correct, legal method for providing for funds to fight the hoof and mouth disease. Galveston and Houston banks had offered to loan the State funds with which to meet the expense of continuing the hoof and mouth disease eradication work, but opinion was given by the Attorney General that the Governor was without authority to accept such a loan and that the Legislature would be without power to make appropriation to pay it. Even in the event the Legislature did make such appropriation, the opinion held that any taxpayer could bring court action and enjoin the payment of the debt.

Of the \$552,000 deficiencies granted, \$300,000 is to be used in reimbursing cattle owners for their losses in destruction of cattle. For traveling expenses there is allowed \$210,000 and \$36,000 for salaries of assistants to the State Veterinarian. Deficiencies of \$1,000 for office maintenance and \$5,000 for work against anthrax, hog cholera and other contagious diseases are also allowed.

### Gamblers and Bandits Fight

Newark, N. J.—Gamblers shot it out with bandits who raided their game at the Hill Top Pleasure Club here and after a fusillade of shots one gambler and one bandit was dead.

### Slayer Killed With Own Gun.

Muskegon, Mich.—The inexorable hand of the law has cut the last notch in the gun of the notorious George (Dutch) Anderson; and the notch stands for Anderson himself. Anderson, gunman-pal of the "supercriminal," Gerald Chapman, and the man whose face stares from thousands of "Wanted" placards in post-offices and jails across the continent, is dropped by a bullet from his own revolver, wrested from him by Detective Charles Hammond.

## CONDENSED AUSTIN NEWS

The Railroad Commission has postponed until Nov. 13 the issuance of its final order on the application of the Alamo Gas Company for a ratable share in the sale and production of natural gas in the Gas Ridge field, nine miles southwest of San Antonio.

The Commissioner of Agriculture is without authority to purchase automobiles for use in the service of the State and pay for them out of the traveling expense appropriation or from the contingent appropriation, according to a ruling given by Assistant Attorney General C. L. Stofe.

The recent report of the United States Department of Agriculture estimating the cotton crop at 15,225,000 bales is blamed by Commissioner of Agriculture George B. Terrell for the fall in the price of cotton below 20c. He declared there was no justification for the heavy decline in cotton prices.

Under special authority granted by the Railroad Commission carload shipments of butter originating at stations on the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway, routed via Sweetwater and Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railway, may be stored in transit at Houston and reshipped within twelve months to Beaumont or Galveston.

The few citrus inspectors now employed in the valley can not touch top, side or bottom of the work necessary to be done and which must be done if the industry is to be saved from utter destruction," according to the November issue of the State's marketing bulletin, published by the State Department of Agriculture under Commissioner George B. Terrell.

A charter has been granted to the International Press Club of San Antonio, no capital stock. It proposes to provide a place of meeting for newspaper men, magazine writers special feature writers and others engaged in literary and scientific work, and "incidentally to provide such method of amusement for members and their guests as the board of directors may desire from time to time."

When a person owning and operating a store habitually permits an elevator, designed originally to carry freight, to be used by his clerks or employees in conveying customers from one floor to another independent of any operation of the elevator for carrying freight at the time and merely for the convenience of the clerks and customers, it becomes a passenger elevator within the terms of the act of the last Legislature.

Deputies of the Game, Fish and Oyster Department have been warned in letters by Commissioner Turner E. Hubby that they must not confuse their duties with those of the peace officers in whose territory they are working. Particularly are they cautioned that they have no duties with reference to enforcement of the trespass law, which comes under the general statutes and not under the jurisdiction of the Game, Fish and Oyster Department.

Capt. Jerry Gray, who resigned last spring after long service in the State ranger force, has made good as a farmer, according to information reaching Austin. Capt. Gray before retiring from the ranger service, purchased a farm in Presidio County and planted it to cotton and alfalfa, all under irrigation. He has gathered fifty bales of cotton, raising two bales to the acre, and has cut 1,100 tons of alfalfa.

Captain S. M. Hankins, State adjutant of the American Legion has been called into service of the National Guard on a board of investigation with Capt. Joseph K. Johnson and Lieut. Col. Claude A. Adams of the Adjutant General's department to make a report next week on the fire at the National Guard armory, in El Paso, which was reported destroyed. Nothing sensational is expected and the investigation is routine work, it was said.

One cent gallonage tax on gasoline sold in Texas during September amounted to approximately \$415,000, which was about \$5,000 less than the August collections. Comptroller S. H. Terrell has received gasoline sales report on sales for the last month from the five largest companies as follows: Gulf, \$103,465, Texas, \$66,365, Humble \$20,391, Magnolia \$81,512 and the Pierce Oil Corporation \$33,958. The tax from these concerns constitutes the major part of the entire gasoline tax received.

The Texas Highway and Municipal Contractors' Association, without capital stock and with headquarters at Austin, has been granted a charter by the Secretary of State. It proposes "to organize the general contractors and constructors of Texas into an association; to acquire, preserve and disseminate valuable information; to adopt rules and regulations and standards which will promote the welfare of the profession, and to encourage sound business principles and tending to raise the standard of the contracting business."

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# The BLACK GANG

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## CHAPTER XIV

### In Which a Murderer Is Murdered at Maybrick Hall

"You appear to have a wonderful faculty for remaining alive, my young friend," remarked Peterson two minutes later, gazing benevolently at Drummond over his clerical collar.

"You can't imagine the unpleasant surprise it gave me," Peterson continued gently, "when your charming wife hailed my car. So unexpected: so delightful. And when I realized that you were running about in our grounds here instead of being drowned as that fool No. 10 told me over the telephone. . . . By the way, where is No. 10?"

He turned snarling on the Russian, but it was one of the men behind Drummond's chair who answered.

"He's dead. This guy threw him on the live wires."

"Do you mean to say," said the Russian in his harsh voice, "that it was only this man Drummond outside there?"

"You have guessed it, Adolph," answered Drummond, speaking mechanically. It had seemed to him, suddenly, that, unseen by the others, Phyllis was trying to convey some message. "Alone I did it, to say nothing of that squib-faced bird upstairs with the long arms. In fact, without wishing to exaggerate, I think the total bag is five."

What was she trying to make him understand?

And then suddenly she began to laugh hysterically, and he half rose from his seat, only to sit down again abruptly as he felt the cold ring of a revolver pressed into the nape of his neck.

"Three and two make five," said Phyllis, half laughing and half crying, "and one makes six. I worked it out tonight, and it all came right."

She went on aimlessly for a while in the same strain, till the Russian swung round on her with a snarl, and told her to shut her mouth. He was talking in low tones to Peterson, and with one searching look at Hugh, she relapsed into silence. There was no hysteria in that look, and his heart began to pound suddenly in his excitement. For 3256 Mayfair was the number of Peter Darrell's telephone, and she could only mean one thing—that she had got through to Peter before she stopped the car. And if that was so there was still hope, if only he could gain time.

First—how long did he want? Two hours at least: three if possible. To round up all the gang and get cars in the middle of the night would take time—two hours at the very least. Secondly—and there was the crux—how was he going to get such a respite? For this time he could not hope for another mistake. It was the end, and he knew it.

No trace of mercy showed in the faces of the three men opposite him. He caught occasional remarks, and after a while he realized what the matter under discussion was. Evidently the red-headed Russian was in favor of killing him violently, and at once—and it was Count Zadowa who was advocating caution, while Peterson sat between them listening impassively, with his eyes fixed on Drummond.

"I know the Black Gang," Zadowa was saying. "You don't. And they know me." Then he heard the word "accident" repeated several times, and at length Yulowski shrugged his shoulders and leaned back in his chair.

"Have it your own way," he remarked. "I don't care how they're killed, as long as they are killed. If you think it's necessary to pretend there has been an accident, we'll have an accident. The only point is what sort of an accident."

It was left to Carl Peterson to decide matters.

"Nothing is easier," he remarked suavely, and his eyes were still fixed on Drummond. "We are discussing, my young friend," he continued, raising his voice slightly, "the best way of getting rid of you and your charming wife. I regret that she must share your fate, but I see no way out of it. To keep her permanently about the premises would be too great an inconvenience; and since we can't let her go without involving ourselves in unpleasant notoriety, I fear—as I said—that she must join you. My friend Yulowski wishes to bayonet you both, and bury you in the grounds. He has done a lot of that sort of thing in his time, and I believe I am right in stating that his hand has not lost its cunning since leaving Russia. A little out of practice, perhaps: but the result is the same. On the other hand Count Zadowa, whom you know of old, quite rightly points out that there are the members of your ridiculous gang, who know about him, and might very easily find out about me. And when in a few days your motor car is hoisted out of the water, and is traced by the registration number as being yours, he fears that not only may he find things very awkward, but that a certain amount of unenviable and undesirable limelight may be thrown on this part of the country, and incidentally on this house. As my friend

Zadowa most justly observed—we want an accident: a real good bonafide accident, which will relieve the world of your presence and will bring no scorching glare of publicity upon this house or any of my confreres who remain in England. You may recall that that was my original idea, only you seem in the most extraordinary way to have escaped from being drowned. Still, as far as it goes, we have a very good foundation to build on. Your car—duly perceived by the gentleman of limited intelligence who works the bridge—went over the edge. You were duly perceived in it. Strangely enough, his eyesight must have been defective—or else he was so flustered by your amazing action that he was incapable of noticing everything at such a moment. Because he actually failed to see that your charming wife was seated beside you. In the moment of panic when she realized you had fainted, she leant forward—doubtless to try and throw out the clutch. Yes—his eyes, cold and expressionless, were turned momentarily on Phyllis—"I think that is what she must have done. That accounts for the not very intelligent gate-opener failing to see her. But that she was there is certain. Because, Captain Drummond, both bodies will be recovered from the river the day after tomorrow, shall we say? some two or three miles down-stream."

He was leaning forward, his elbows on the table—and for the first time Drummond understood something of



"You Appear to Have a Wonderful Faculty for Remaining Alive, My Young Friend," remarked Peterson.

the diabolical hatred which Peterson felt for him. He had never shown it before: he was far too big a man ever to betray his feeling unnecessarily. But now, as he sat facing him, gently rubbing his big white hands together, Drummond understood.

"Thank you a thousand times," he repeated in the same gentle voice. "And since you are so concerned about the matter, I will tell you my plan in some detail. I need hardly say that any suggestions you make on any points that may strike you will receive my most careful attention. When the car crashed into the water it carried you and your wife with it. You were both hurled out as the car plunged into the water, and somewhat naturally you were both thrown forward. Head foremost, you will note, Drummond, you left the car—and your heads struck the stonework of the opposite pier with sickening force, just before you reached the water. In fact, a marked feature of the case, when this dreadful accident is reported in the papers, will be the force with which you both struck that pier. Your two heads were terribly battered. In fact, I have but little doubt that the coroner will decide, when your bodies are recovered some few miles downstream—that you were not in reality drowned, but that the terrific impact on the stone pier killed you instantly. Do you think it's sound up to date?"

"I think it's d-d-unsound," remarked Drummond languidly. "If you propose to take me and endeavor to make my head impinge on a stone wall, someone is going to get a thick ear. Besides, the bridge isn't open, and even your pal, the not too intelligent gatekeeper, might stick in his toes a bit. Of course"—he added hopefully—"you might say you were doing it for the movies. Tell him you're Charlie Chaplin, but that you dressed in such a hurry you've forgotten your mustache."

The red-headed Russian was snarling venomously.

"Let me get at him, chief. He won't try being funny again."

The Russian half rose to his feet, his teeth bared, and Peterson pulled him back into his chair.

"You'll get your chance in a moment or two. Yulowski," he remarked savagely. Then he turned once more on

Drummond, and the genial look had vanished from his face. "Doubtless your humor appeals to some people; it does not to me. Moreover, I am in rather a hurry. I do not propose, Captain Drummond, to take you to the bridge and endeavor to make your head impinge on a wall, as you call it. There is another far simpler method of producing the same result. The impinging will take place in this house. As a soldier you should know the result of a blow over the head with the butt of a rifle. And I can assure you that there will be no bungling this time. Yulowski is an expert in such matters, and I shall stay personally to see that it is done."

Drummond passed his tongue over his lips, and despite himself his voice shook a little.

"Am I to understand," he said after a moment, "that you propose to let that man butcher us here—in this house—with a rifle?"

"Just so," answered Peterson. "That is exactly what you are to understand."

"You are going to let him bash my wife over the head with a rifle butt?" "I am going to order him to do so," said Peterson mildly. "And very shortly, at that. We must not have any mistakes over the length of time you've both been dead. I confess it sounds drastic, but I can assure you it will be quite sudden. Yulowski, as I told you, is an expert. He had a lot of experience in Russia."

"You inhuman devil!" muttered Drummond dazedly. "You can do what you like to me, but for Heaven's sake let her off!"

He was staring fascinated at the Russian, who had risen and crossed to a cupboard in the wall. There was something almost maniacal in the look on his face—the look of a savage brute beast, confronted with the prey it desires.

"Impossible, my dear young friend," murmured Peterson regretfully. "It affords me no pleasure to have her killed, but I have no alternative. To see you dead, I would cross two continents," he snarled suddenly, "but—and his voice became normal again—"only bitter necessity compels me to adopt such measures with Phyllis. You see, she knows too much."

Yulowski handled his rifle lovingly, and his teeth showed in a wolfish grin.

"Which shall I take first, chief?" he said carelessly.

"The point is immaterial," returned Peterson. "I think perhaps the woman."

Drummond tried to speak and failed. His tongue was clinging to the roof of his mouth: everything in the room was dancing before his eyes. Dimly he saw the red-headed brute Yulowski swinging his rifle to test it: dimly he saw Phyllis sitting bolt upright, with a calm, scornful expression on her face, while two men held her by the arms so that she could not move. And suddenly he croaked horribly.

Then he saw Yulowski put down the rifle and listen intently for a moment.

"What's the matter?" snapped Peterson irritably.

"Do you hear the different note to that dynamo?" said Yulowski.

"What the h—!s that got to do with it?" roared Peterson. "Get on with it, d—n you—and attend to the dynamo afterward."

Yulowski nodded, and picked up his rifle again.

"The last time," he said, turning on Drummond with a dreadful look of evil in his face, "that this rifle was used by me was in a cellar in Russia—on even more exalted people than you. I brought it specially with me as a memento, never thinking I should have the pleasure of using it again."

He swung it over his head, and Drummond shut his eyes—to open them again a moment later, as the door was flung open and a man distraught with terror dashed in.

"The Black Gang!" he shouted wildly. "Hundreds of them—all round the house. They've cut the wires."

With a fearful curse Peterson leaped to his feet, and the men holding Drummond, dumfounded at the sudden turning of the tables, let go his arms. Yulowski stood staring foolishly at the door, and what happened then was so quick that none of the stupefied onlookers raised a finger to prevent it.

With the howl of an enraged beast, Drummond hurled himself on the Russian—blind mad with fury. And when two seconds later a dozen black-cowled, black-headed figures came swarming in through the door, for one instant they paused in sheer horror.

Pinned to the wall with his own bayonet, which stuck out six inches beyond his back was a red-headed, red-bearded man gibbering horribly in a strange language; whilst creeping toward a benevolent-looking clergyman, who crouched in a corner, was a man who scarce recognized as their leader, so appalling was the look of malignant fury on his face.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

### Golf Ball Slices Bird

Driving off the first tee at Ray's golf course, near Cardiff, Wales, W. A. Evans hit a swallow with his ball and cut the bird in two

## Texas Items

Menard will ship 300,000 pounds of pecans and Kimble County will market 800,000 pounds, according to announcements of growers in those sections.

Valuations of Cameron County property on the tax rolls just completed are \$27,272,612, as compared with \$25,238,413 last year, an increase of almost \$2,000,000.

A. Waltonbarger, land owner of Red Branch, 25 miles northwest of Sherman, has discovered a vein of coal on his farm. It is 10 feet under the ground and ranges from 50 to 300 yards in width.

There has been ginned in Rusk county up to October 18, 44,802 bales of cotton as compared with 17,224 bales for the same date in 1924, making this year's crop almost three times as large as last year's.

An early and discriminative selection of farm seeds as one of the most important moves in preparation for next year's crops in East Texas is recommended by R. E. Carswell, Wood County agricultural agent.

The controversy between the cities of Schulenburg and Platonia over distribution of \$27,000 in highway surplus funds has been settled by Fayette County commissioners with the award of half the amount to each.

October, 1925, came near the record for October rainfall at Galveston with 17.34 inches. Only twice in 55 years has this been exceeded, with 17.78 inches in 1871 and 17.39 in 1877. In October, 1924, only a trace of rain fell.

The law requiring railroads in Texas to maintain comfort stations at stations was upheld recently by the supreme court when a writ of error was refused in the case of the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Company against the state of Texas from Clay County.

Mayors of 52 Texas towns have been advised by State Fair Marshal J. J. Timmins that the fire marshals of those towns are delinquent in making reports regularly of fires, and that unless these reports come with more regularity, a charge of 3 cents will be applied immediately to the key rate.

Immigration department officials in Fort Worth have been requested to assist the South Texas department heads in stopping the expected influx of Chinese coolies into the United States when a recent edict of President Calles of Mexico expelling the Orientals from the country goes into effect.

Assessed valuation of Freestone County this year is \$22,258,455, against \$10,107,940 for 1924, figures made public by the tax assessor at Fairfield show. The increase of \$12,150,515 is due to discovery one year ago of oil near Wortham and the bringing in of one of the best pools of the Balcones fault in Freestone County.

Only indigent confederate veterans are eligible to apply for pension. Controller S. H. Terrell was advised this week by Assistant Attorney General George C. Christian. The opinion, in answer to a query of the controller, stated that though a veteran be disabled, he was not entitled to receive the pension if he had any source of income.

In order to prevent the spread of the pink boll worms, rules requiring that all cotton lint from El Paso and Hudspeth counties be vacuum fumigated, has been promulgated by George B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture, effective November 10. The rules also require that all cotton lint shipped in from Donna Anna County, New Mexico, be vacuum fumigated.

Farmers and business men of Milano and vicinity have organized in Houston the Milano Watermelon Growers' Association. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: J. H. Burnet, president; R. J. Sloan, secretary; G. W. Butte, O. T. Bullock and S. E. McGregor, directors. It is estimated that between 750 and 1000 acres will be planted to watermelons by the association.

Thus far this year Texas has escaped an epidemic of dengue fever. In previous years Texas people have suffered in the fall seasons both physically and financially as a result of the fever, but only three cases have been reported this year. County and city health officers reported communicable diseases for October as follows: Tuberculosis, 155; chicken pox, 7; diphtheria, 78; dysentery, 2; influenza, 11; measles, 3; meningitis, 3; mumps, 8; pellagra, 2; poliomyelitis, 1; pneumonia, 1; scarlet fever, 46; smallpox, 1; typhoid fever, 68; trachoma 1, and whooping cough, 67.

Order permitting cotton being shipped on the Texas and Pacific railway from Monahans, Aroya, Puote, Quita and Barstow, stated to be compressed, may be fumigated and compressed at Pecos, Texas, without extra charge, has been issued by the Texas railroad commission.

### Uncle Eben

"Friendship ceases in a poker game," said Uncle Eben, "but it begins when you find you've got to borrow."—Washington Star.

## THE HAPPY HOME

By MARGARET BRUCE

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### Modern Lace Curtains

"Lace curtains!" What sort of picture does that phrase suggest to you, I wonder. To me, until a few weeks ago, it meant those dreary old draped-back lengths of a coarse material known as "Nottingham," and I would as soon have thought of having lace curtains in my home as I would of indulging in what-nots, tidies, or wax flowers under glass!

For a long time we women have been furnishing our windows with simpler materials. Plain nets, voiles, chintzes, drapery silks, and soft Japanese crepes have dropped their straight, pliable lines at either side of our windows, and there is no doubt that the interiors of our homes have been enormously improved in appearance by curtains which harmonized with the furnishings of our rooms. As to the exterior, perhaps the less said the better. Yellow silk in one window, flowered cretonne in another, pongee in a third, and ruffled muslin in a fourth is enough to make any house resemble a kaleidoscope. That the windows should be uniform in appearance is manifestly beautiful and harmonious, but few women wish to use in their living rooms the same curtains they have in their bedrooms.

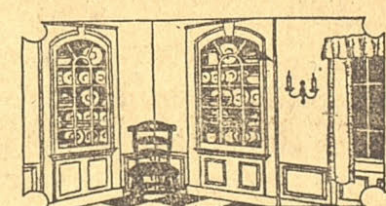
To meet this need of uniform exterior appearance combined with the dignity and appropriateness of different rooms, the new and lovely "lace" curtains have been evolved. In many cases they cover the sash flatly, without fullness, especially in rooms where privacy is desired. Fillet net woven in rich design is used for many purposes. French doors and windows, windows exposed to a city street, hall doors, and other openings at the front of the house are entirely covered, yet light and air are not excluded. Shadow nets, pattern screens, delicate voiles with drawn-work and inserts in simple designs, and marquisesettes are all attractive for bedroom casements, even when the more elaborate fillets are employed down stairs.

In the sketch today, living room windows opening directly on to a city street are covered with flat panels of fillet lace, with scalloped fringe at the bottom. Drawn tightly over the panes, the pattern shows at its best, handsome both from within and without. Over the lace panels hang side draperies which bring the windows into harmony with the furnishings of the room.

### Double Corner Cupboards

So many requests have come in for information concerning the ready-to-build-in-furniture, and especially for the china cupboards, that this convenient form of dining-room closet is shown today. In the room illustrated, one cupboard was inserted in the space formerly occupied by an ordinary corner cupboard and the other was placed in a space cut in the wall.

The value of this so-called "permanent furniture" is that it really becomes a permanent, fixed part of the house walls, and not separate pieces standing out into the room. It comes fully made, in designs originated by a famous firm of architects, and is placed by the local carpenter into a space cut in the walls, according to dimensions furnished by the makers of the furniture. It is a great comfort to many homemakers to be able to get beautiful ready-made doors, windows, porches,



window seats, bookcases, partitions, dining alcoves with pretty table and benches, kitchen cupboards, built-in tables, and a hundred other devices, all ready to insert into the growing house. The colonial designs are, to my mind, the most attractive. Two such quaint china closets as those shown are enough to make any dining room charming, and when a paneled wainscoting is added, pulling the cupboards and the windows into one harmonious whole, the room has a look of permanence and beauty that is rarely found in any but the most expensive homes.

The manufacturers of this ready-to-use furniture make sideboards to match every cupboard design, so that the entire room is truly built in.

### The Fast Thinker

During the World war one of the great steamships that was used as a transport for soldiers was on her way across when a torpedo boat was sighted. In anticipation of the danger they were in all on board were lined up on deck.

There was a deathly hush for an instant, when suddenly from down the deck a negro's voice rang out: "Is dar ennybody heah dat wants to buy a gold watch and chain?"—Everybody's Magazine.

## Tells Women to Avoid "Physics"



DR. CALDWELL AT AGE 63

To Dr. W. B. Caldwell, of Monticello, Ill., a practicing physician for 47 years, it seemed cruel that so many constipated women and girls had to be kept constantly "stirred up" and half sick by taking cathartic pills, tablets, salts, calomel and nasty oils.

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"I told her there was a fool in every family."

"What did she say?"

"She asked if I were an only son."

—Madrid Buen Humor.

## How Robert M. Koenig Found Remedy for Pimply Skin



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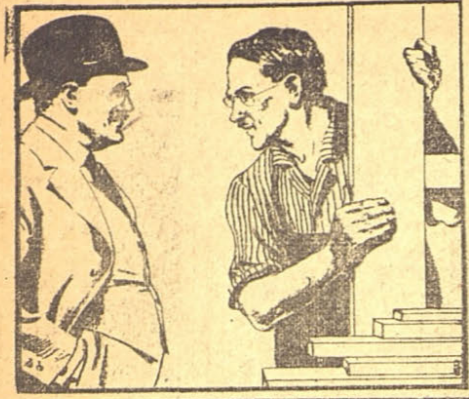
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**CORRECTION**—We got our dates wrong last week in the Electric Theatre's ad. They were advertising "A Son of His Father," a big film production, to be shown at the Electric Theatre Nov. 12-13-14, but through error the ad read Oct. 12-13-15, instead of November. The picture will be shown the last three days of this week.

The Coleman Democrat Voice says many people from Cross Plains are locating in Coleman and others are residing here "temporarily"—until they can find right kind of accommodations there. If they could find the "right kind of accommodations" here, there would be but few who would have a desire to make temporary living quarters in Coleman, or elsewhere. The only trouble is we just can't offer them accommodations now as all houses and apartments are full—But still they come.

Mrs. Walter Seward and Mother, Mrs. Lee, visited in Santa Anna last weekend.

Eli Neeb and family of Dressy were weekend visitors, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson.

Robert Stevens of Fort Worth visited his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Causey, last week.

S. L. Teague visited his sister in Fort Worth last week end.

Drew Hill who has been sick for some time is able to be on the streets again.

R. Steel and Miss Burks began their school at Burnt Branch last week.

Misses Christine McGowen and Pauline Bond were visitors in Burkett, Sunday.

Mrs. W. T. Wilson spent the weekend with Mrs. Lane Steel, at Dressy.

W. M. Wright and family were Sunday visitors here.

Will Duncan and Alvin Shipp, of Plainview are down on business this week.

Ollie Dennis and family of Abilene, spent weekend with home folk.

T. L. Booth of Dora Texas, was here last week visiting his mother Mrs. S. A. Booth and brother, B. Booth

Mrs. Edna Mauldin and Miss Vernie Crabb will open a Beauty Parlor in the Balcony of the Deal Drug Store on or about the 20th of November. Adv.

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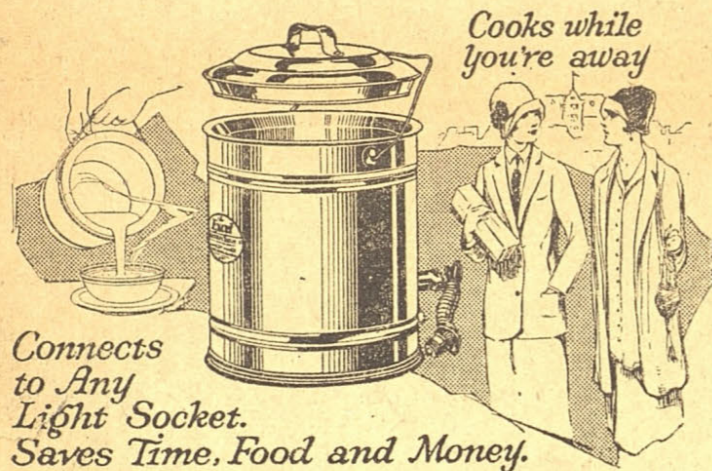
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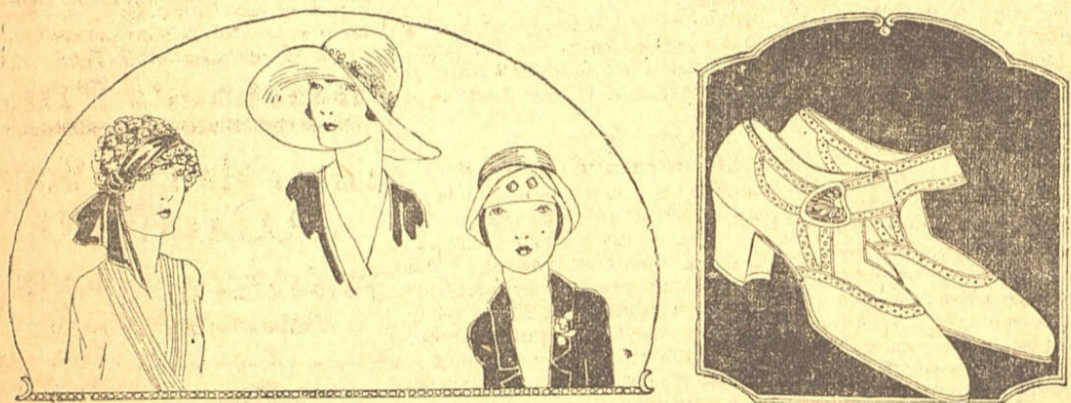
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A married couple were knocked down by a motorcar. The car dashed away. The police arrived and found the couple bursting with indignation. "Do you know the number of the car?" asked the policeman. "Yes," replied the husband: "by a strange coincidence the first two numbers formed my age and the second two the age of my wife."  
"John," said the wife, "we will let the matter drop at once."

**Groundless Fear**  
Some persons dread to take an anesthetic because they fear they will talk in their sleep. This is largely a myth, says Dr. Floyd Troutman Romberger, an anesthesiologist, who is a contributor to Hygeia, health magazine published by the American Medical Association. Under modern methods of inducing anesthetic sleep, consciousness is lost so rapidly that the patient does not have time to say anything. When he is coming to, he usually is so drowsy that he does not care to talk.

**Architectural Gems**  
Besides Wolsey's great hall and kitchen, Christ church, Oxford, boasts two of the finest English examples of the Gothic style of architecture, both built more than a century after Gothic became merely a historical term. One of these, the stairway to the hall, was designed in 1640 by a genius known only as "Smith of London."  
The other, Tom tower, carrying the Great Tom bell which every night rings 101 peals to announce the closing of college gates, was designed by Christopher Wren, architect of St. Paul's, in one of the few happy moments when he really sensed the feeling of medieval builders.

A reader asks whether we know which work of Voltaire it was that was found on Sargent's deathbed. We don't. But it may interest him and others to know that Tennyson died with his Shakespeare open at "Cymbeline"; Macaulay when he was found dead in his library had a number of the Cornhill magazine before him, open at the first chapter of Thackeray's "Lovel the Widower." Mark Twain with almost the last effort of his mind turned to Carlyle's "French Revolution."—W. Orton Tewson in the New York Evening Post.

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Mrs. Glen Adams returned Monday, from a week's visit in Fort Worth and Denton.

Miss Nova McCord and Vega Forbes who attend school in Abilene, spent weekend with home folk.

Bill Ogilvey of Rock Springs, was in town first of week.

Mrs. Jim Cross visited her mother, Mrs. Clark, of Cross Cut, Sunday.

Chris Parsons and family were in Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Gaines, of Cross Cut were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Tommie Morris past week end.

Mesdames Sam Moore and H. L. Breeding and daughters, of Cottonwood, were visiting in town Saturday.

Mrs. Walton Wagner has returned from a week's stay with her sister Mrs. West Moreland, who is in a sanitarium at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barr and left Monday for a week's stay near Oplin.

Tom Thorn and family of Paint Rock spent weekend with T. C. Thorn and family.

Mrs. J. H. Short of Dublin, visited her sister Mrs. R. E. Wilson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barber, of Dablia, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Gregory and children of De Leon visited her sister Mrs. Hester, last week.

Mesdames Will Adams and Jeff Clark, visited in Abilene last Thursday.

Rev. Brabham, Methodist Pastor, and R. P. Odom' left Tuesday for Canyon to attend the north west Texas Annual Conference of the M. E. Church South.

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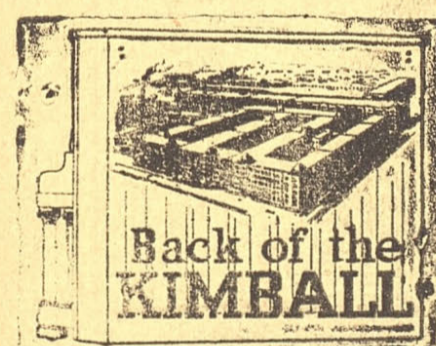
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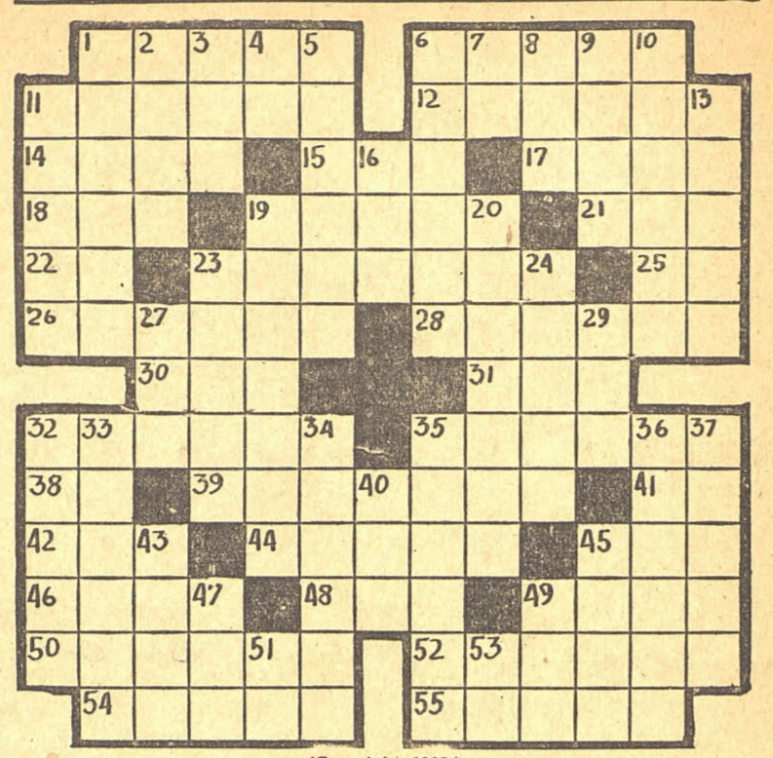
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# CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



- Horizontal.
- 1—A criminal
  - 6—Pertaining to the sun
  - 11—Uncerthly
  - 14—A kind of grass
  - 15—A mineral spring
  - 17—A prefix signifying "half"
  - 18—A girl's name
  - 19—Remaining mammals
  - 21—A male descendant
  - 22—A title for a doctor (abbr.)
  - 23—Young hens
  - 25—Tellurium (sym.)
  - 26—To take on
  - 28—A who drapes
  - 30—Part of the body
  - 31—To grow old
  - 35—To seize suddenly
  - 38—Therefore
  - 39—Small jobs
  - 42—To drink slowly
  - 45—A large body of water
  - 46—Measures, as of cloth
  - 48—Signifying the maiden name of a married woman
  - 49—A water vehicle
  - 50—Placing of an artificial mound
  - 52—Responds
  - 54—Inhabitants of Denmark
  - 55—Goes lower and lower
- Vertical.
- 2—Devilish people
  - 3—Level
  - 4—Upon
  - 5—Put on the stage
  - 7—Either
  - 8—A boy
  - 9—High cards
  - 10—Distant
  - 13—An eating car on a train
  - 16—A chum (slang)
  - 19—Certain seasons of the year
  - 12—Sketched
  - 13—A certain kind of thickened soup
  - 24—Scandinavian legends
  - 27—An East Indian timber tree
  - 29—To fondle
  - 32—Opposed to "libility"
  - 33—Made dirty
  - 34—Times
  - 36—Defrauds
  - 40—Part of the verb "to be"
  - 43—Entreaty
  - 44—A foot covering
  - 47—Transgression
  - 49—Anthem
  - 51—A point of the compass
  - 53—East Indies (abbr.)
  - 35—Gibes
  - 37—Warns

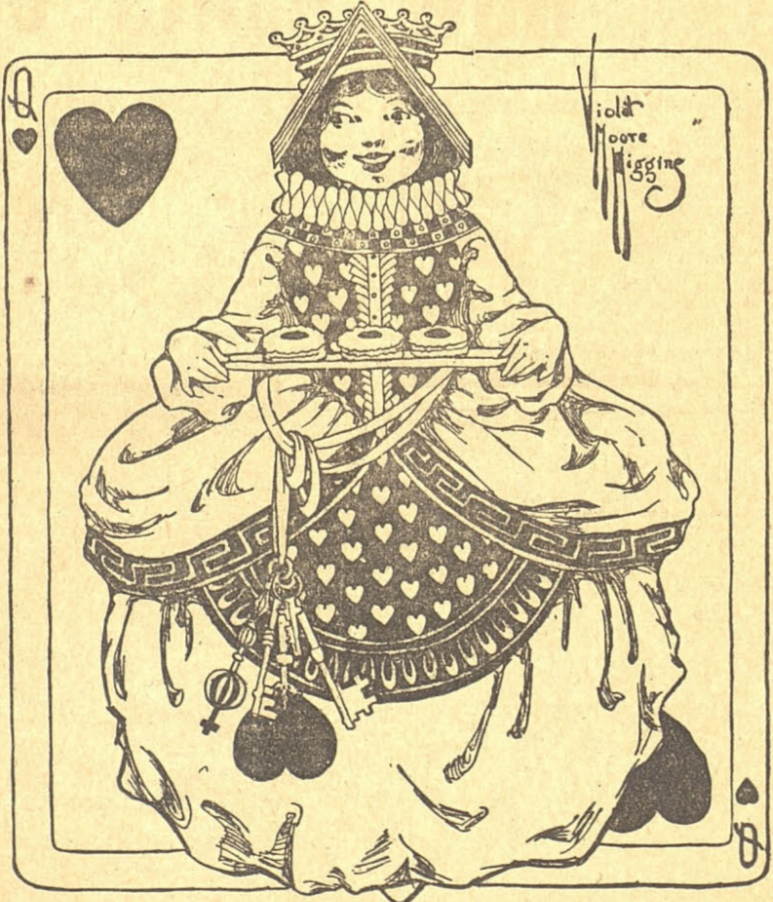
Solution of Last Week's Puzzle.

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UP RECOUNTED  
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AT ADJUSTER U  
ROW FEL LEWERS  
DOES TAR EDIT  
KEEP RAMROD

**HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE**

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

## NURSERY RHYME PUZZLE



**THE Queen of Hearts,**  
She made some tarts,  
For breakfast, lunch, and tea;  
Her family whined,  
But still they dined  
On tarts exclusively.

She never took  
A prize as cook  
Except in making tarts;—  
'Twas all she knew  
Just how to do,  
Poor silly Queen of Hearts.

Find three members of the royal family. In the folds of the left pannier. Edge of skirt. Nose made by slipper.

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL Sunday School Lesson

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean of the Evening School, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (©, 1925, Western Newspaper Union.)

November 15  
PAUL'S ARREST IN JERUSALEM

LESSON TEXT—Acts 21:18-23:22.  
GOLDEN TEXT—"If any man suffer as a Christian, let him not be ashamed."  
PRIMARY TOPIC—Paul Is Brave in Danger.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—Paul and the Jerusalem Mob.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Paul Faces a Mob.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Spirit of the Mob.

I. Paul's Vow (21:18-20).  
Upon Paul's arrival at Jerusalem representatives of the church there gave him a most cordial reception. In order that the brethren in Jerusalem might graciously receive him, it was proposed to him by the elders that he take a Jewish vow to prove that he was in no way opposed to the law. The effort was to remove prejudice. They recognized that such an act would in no way compromise or involve the Gentile brethren. Furthermore this would not compromise his own principles of action, viz., to the Jews he became a Jew, and to the Gentiles, a Gentile; all things to all men in order to gain them for Christ.

II. Paul's Arrest (21:27-40).  
How far this act conciliated the Jews we are not told, but it only enraged the unbelieving Jews, causing them to resort to mob law. These maddened Jews on the basis of a supposition seized him and dragged him from the temple and beat him mercilessly intending to put him to death. Paul was rescued from the mob by the Roman guard. The chief captain, not being able to get any information from the howling mob, bound Paul and started for the castle. In order to protect him from the murderous frenzy of the mob, the soldiers lifted him upon their shoulders and bore him up the stairs. Paul kept himself under control, and politely asked permission of the captain to speak to the people. When he addressed him in Greek and quoted his Roman citizenship, the captain granted his request.

III. Paul's Defense (22:1-27).  
Paul's chief concern was not his own safety. He used this opportunity to witness unto them of Christ.

1. His Claim for a Rightful Hearing (vv. 1-3).  
(1) His birth (v. 3).  
He was a Jew born in Tarsus, a city of no mean reputation.  
(2) His Education (v. 3).  
He was educated under Gamaliel and instructed "according to the perfect manner of the law of the fathers."  
(3) His Zeal (v. 3).  
He was as zealous toward God as those Jews who were trying to destroy him.

2. His Attitude Toward Jesus (vv. 4-5).  
"I persecuted this way unto the death," so that his attitude was one of hatred as was that of the Jews.  
3. How His Attitude Was Changed (vv. 6-16).  
While on his way to Damascus with authority to bind the Christians at Jerusalem, he was smitten to the ground by a light from heaven, and the voice of the Lord said, "Why persecutest thou me?" When Paul inquired what he was to do, he was told to go to Damascus where he would be told what to do.  
4. The Lord Commissioned Him to Go to the Gentiles (17-21).  
IV. Paul Before the Sanhedrin (23:1-10).  
The Roman officer, in order to learn why Paul was arrested, commanded the chief council to assemble, and brought Paul before them.

1. Paul's Earnest Look at the Council (vv. 1-2).  
This was a solicitation of their honor to give him a fair hearing, and also a look of conscious integrity and unflinching courage.  
2. Paul's Stern Rebuke of the Head of the Council (v. 3).  
"God shall smite thee, thou whited wall."  
3. Paul's Appeal to the Pharisees (vv. 6-10).  
Seeing that he could not get a fair hearing, and perceiving that the body before him was made up of Pharisees and Sadducees, he appealed to the Pharisees hoping to get their attention, for his preaching had something in common with their belief.  
V. The Lord Stood by Paul (v. 11).  
This assured him that his course was right, and thus comfort was brought to him.  
VI. The Conspiracy to Kill Paul (vv. 18-22).  
More than forty men placed themselves under a curse to abstain from eating and drinking until they had murdered him. God defeated their plan without a miracle.

**Darkness**  
The darkness which is the result of the absence of the light which others ought to shed is bad enough; but how great is the darkness of disbelief and unbelief into which some will voluntarily plunge!—The Mennonite.

**The Stream of Life**  
The stream of life for the broad-minded man flows steadily forward without rush and roar in ways of peace and good will.—Western Christian Advocate.

## Irish Hunter Saved by Intelligent Dog

For thirty-one hours an ex-soldier named Joseph Molloy, living in Ennis, County Claire, was pinned by a heavy stone in the mouth of a badger burrow and was almost dead when a search party was taken to his aid by his greyhound, says the London Mail. Molloy put his head into the burrow to reach a rabbit killed by a ferret and while he was in that position a big stone fell off a wall across his neck. Hour after hour he struggled between spells of unconsciousness, his dog scratching at the soil and whining at his helplessness. This continued throughout Wednesday night and up to a late hour on Thursday evening. At last the dog heard a search party in the fields some 200 yards away and ran to them. By running backward and forward and whining it led the party to the spot where Molloy lay. Molloy was seriously injured.

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**Last of the  
Whalers**

Charles W. Morgan  
Preserved as Relic



By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN

**L**AST of the whalers—the old-time square-rigged ships that sailed the Seven Seas for whale oil, whalebone, spermaceti and ambergris—is the Charles W. Morgan of New Bedford. Eighty-four years old, she's in her home port to stay. But she's no dismantled hulk, with which the elements will have their way. She's spick and span with fresh paint and a new suit of canvas and she lies in a concrete cradle on the waterfront of the estate of Col. E. H. R. Green at Round Hills. Henceforth her mission is that of object lesson of one of the country's greatest industries, of which she saw the rise, decline and fall. New Bedford sent out her first whaler in 1755. For many years she was the great whaling port of the world. Now the Morgan is as much a curiosity to most of her people as to the landsman visitor from the Middle West who thinks of a whale as "the big fish that swallowed Jonah."

Here's how Col. Edward Howland Robinson Green comes to be interested in the old whaler. She was named for Charles W. Morgan, her first owner. Her second owner was Edward Mott Robinson, father of Colonel Green's mother, the famous Hetty Green.

Capt. George Fred Tilton is the crowning touch. He's a veteran New Bedford whaling skipper who looks the part. And when he spins whaling yarns—why, the old days seem to live again.

Visitors? Well, rather. The old whaler has been alive with visitors all summer from all parts of the country. Most of them frankly admit complete ignorance on the subjects of whales and whaling and listen round-eyed. But lots of them have read "Moby Dick" or the "Cruise of the Cachalot" or "Stray Leaves from a Whaler's Log"—or all three. So they take on airs.

The Morgan's the real thing, all right. Old as she is, she was built to last. Jethro and Zachariah Hillman of New Bedford built her of live oak, with copper fastenings and sheathing. She has cruised over every whaling ground from the Arctic to the Antarctic. For twenty years or so she sailed out of San Francisco, until the steam whalers put her out of business. These steam whalers use modern methods and there's no adventure or romance in the business any more—it's just slaughter.

Here's about the way a whale was captured and handled on the Morgan in the old days: When the lookout at the masthead hails the deck with "There she blows!" the whaleboats are lowered. There are five or six boats, each requiring at least six men. The boats race for the whale. The first boat runs almost up against the huge bulk. The harpoon in the bow hurls the barbed weapon. The rowers back the boat frantically. The whale plunges down, sometimes to a depth of 200 fathoms. The line smokes out of the tubs. Finally the whale comes up to breathe, usually in twenty minutes or so. Other boats fix harpoons. Again the whale goes down and so on. Finally the whale is killed by lances. The boats then tow the carcass to the ship, where it is made fast to the chains so that it will not sink. Unless there are other whales in sight, the men then cut up the outer layer with "blubber-spades." Great cubical chunks are hoisted to the deck to be "tried out" in huge kettles, strained and stored in casks. But sometimes it doesn't happen just exactly this way. Suppose the live gets around a man—that's the end of him. Suppose the whale takes out all the line. The axman cuts—and that's the last of a thousand feet of line. Suppose in the dying furries the great tail—25 feet by 7—hits a boat—that's the end of that boat and maybe several of her crew. Suppose a toothed whale bites the boat into splinters—that's one boat less. Suppose a big sperm whale gets mad and rams the whaler itself—that

may be the end of the whaler. Now, all of these things used to happen in the old days. Once a whale smashed a boat and the crew floated all night on the carcass—that's a whaling classic. In J. T. Brown's book, "Stray Leaves from a Whaler's Log" is told in detail how Vera, the Portuguese boat steerer, uttered a cry and "the immense glistening lower jaw, armed with two rows of polished teeth, flashed from the water when the gigantic whale leaped into the air, carrying with it the head of the boat, which had snapped asunder, and the unfortunate Vera, whose head and long arms were suspended from the corners of the monster's mouth. . . . Two other men, the bow and midship oarsmen, were never seen again."

The Essex of Nantucket in 1819 met this fate: The captain and first mate being fast to a big sperm whale, Owen Chase, second mate, headed the ship toward them. The whale came to the surface and fiercely rammed the ship bow on, stopping her as if she had struck a rock. It passed under the ship, scraping her keel, and coming up astern. After snapping its jaws and thrashing the water with its tail, the monster rammed the second time, with its head half out of water. It struck the ship directly under the cathead and completely stove in her bows. It then went under the ship and disappeared to leeward. The Essex sank. After ninety days of horrifying experiences in two boats, the crew were picked up, the mate's boat by the brig India of London and the captain's by the whaler Dauphin.

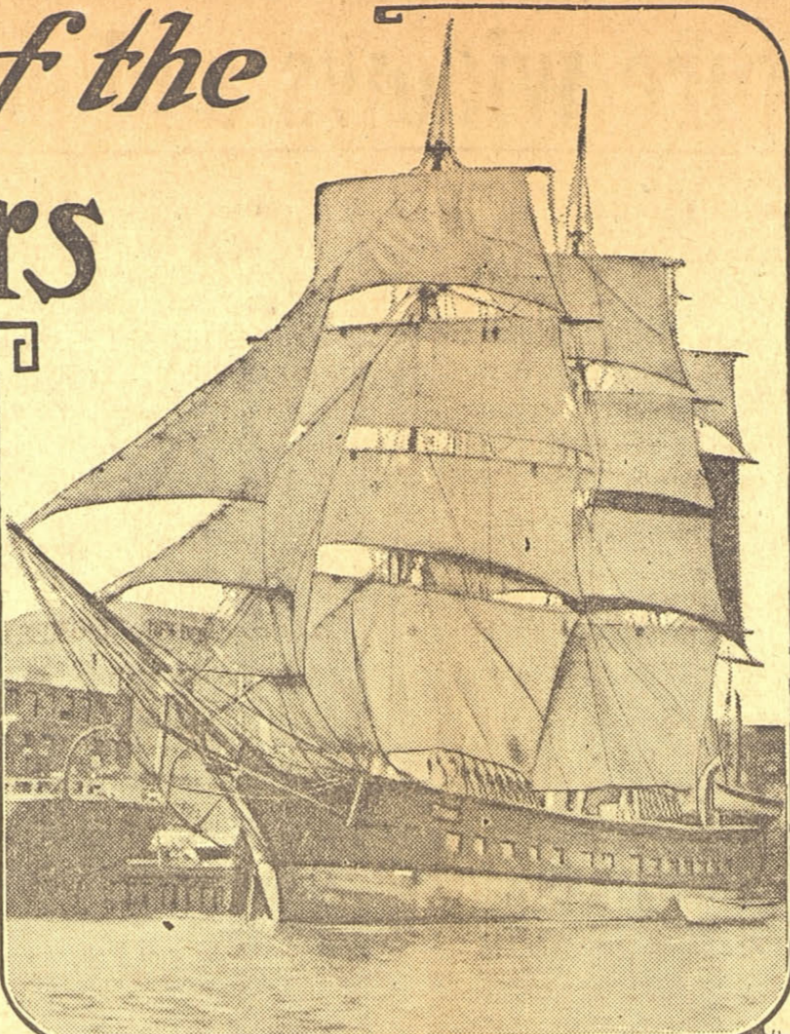
There's no chance for anything like this in modern steam whaling. The high-speed boat can run rings around the fastest whale. A big gun in the bow shoots a barbed harpoon carrying a bomb timed for three seconds. The explosion inside the whale kills instantly. The carcass is then pumped full of air. Ultimately the steamer tows its captures to its shore station where the oil is extracted and the meat canned by modern machinery.

And there's ice. In 1871 a fleet of forty-two whalers was caught in the Arctic and only one escaped. More than 1,200 men were shipwrecked, but escaped in boats. And New Bedford's loss was more than a million dollars.

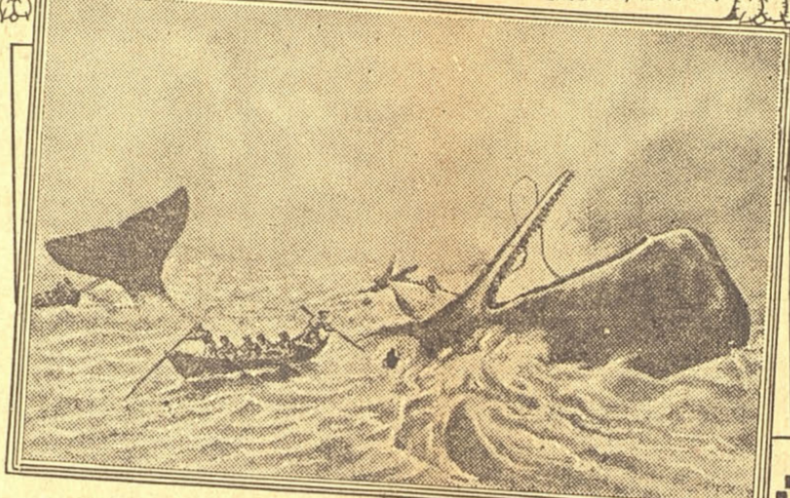
St. Peter, so goes the old story, peeked out through the Pearly Gates and asked, "Who knocks so loudly?" "John Smith, the famous fisherman," was the answer.

"Well, I can't keep you out for that, but go easy on your fish stories."

But John Smith told 'em, morning, noon and night, to admiring throngs. But always there was a man on the edge of the circle who sneered and



LAST OF THE WHALERS  
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BATTLE WITH WHALE OPENS  
From an Old Picture

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walked away. It got on John Smith's nerves and he asked St. Peter, "Who's that uppity chap who tries to queer my best fish stories?"

"Oh, that's Jonah," said St. Peter. Which raises the question, Has Jonah any right to take on airs? In other words, did the whale swallow Jonah?

Not wishing to be caught between the upper and nether millstones of the fundamentalists and modernists, this deponent further sayeth not. But as to whether the whale could have swallowed Jonah, why, bless you, that all depends upon the kind of whale it was. If Jonah's whale was like the one shown in the old print reproduced—why, one gulp could have done it.

For this is a toothed whale (cachalot, sperm whale, spermaceti whale). Its length often runs to sixty feet. Its head forms about one-half its bulk and extends more than one-third of its length. Its mouth is very large and wide and its throat is large enough to pass a man with ease.

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We ask the broad minded citizens to join with us in carrying their protection at cost. This is a business institution operating on safe and sane business principles, under experienced efficient management. Refer you to any bank in Abilene, Aird, Cross Plains, etc. Not an experiment but a proven success.

5,300 policy holders who are your neighbors make this institution possible. Our policy holders are grouped in groups of 1,000. NEITHER GROUP HAS COST OVER \$16 IN 33 MONTHS. If you are in good health you can join several groups with us.

We can find no record of a Mutual of the magnitude of Citizens ever failing in history; of course there are good and bad Mutuals like every thing else. Investigate before you join instead of after.

IMPORTANT: Our name is CITIZENS MUTUAL of Abilene, takes members within 50 miles (air line) and we have no branch offices.

If you are interested in your family's future protection, won't you drop us a card for full information?

H. O. Wooten, Pres.  
O. A. Hale, Vice-Pres

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J. C. DeBusk and family have moved to Baird, but will continue to read the Review.

John W. Palmer, band director made a business trip to Fort Worth, Thursday.

Misses Alice and Marie Bryson and Mesdames R. Lindley and Mosely, motored to Abilene last week to do some shopping.

Miss Mary Wood, of Ranger has accepted position with Joe Shackelford, as stenographer and assistant book-keeper.

Chas. Gatlin of Burnt Branch, left Monday for Dallas, to attend Barber school.

Rev. Brabham preached at Burnt Branch Sunday afternoon; a large collection was taken for church work.

### Card of Thanks

We take this opportunity to offer sincere thanks to all who so sweetly gave assistance and sympathy, during illness and death of our dear brother, J. M. Houston. We thank the many friends for the love token expressed, in the many lovely flowers. May God's richest blessings rest on each of you.  
Mrs. M. J. Stephens and family.  
Penn Houston and family.  
Mrs. Tom Houston and family.  
Mrs. J. M. Reed and family.  
Mrs. Alice Freeland and family.

The Intermediate Department rendered an interesting program at school auditorium Monday morning. Rev. Hear, e, new Baptist pastor, delivered a very helpful address, so the High School pupils report.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Doke Westerman, Miss Bennie Ervin and H. Vestal and family enjoyed a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Montgomery of Deer Plains, last week.

### Notice to Taxpayers

I will be at the places named below on dates indicated for the purpose of Collecting Taxes for the year 1925.

There has been no change in the law regarding the payment of poll and Ad-valorum Taxes:

Atwell, Monday November 16th.  
Cottonwood, Tuesday, Nov. 17th  
Dress, Wednesday Nov. 18th  
Denton, Monday Nov. 23rd  
Dudley, Tuesday Nov. 24th  
Eula, Wednesday Nov. 25th  
Cross Plains, Friday and Saturday, December 18th and 19th  
Putnum, Monday Dec. 21st  
Opin, Tuesday Dec. 22nd  
Clyde, Wednesday Dec. 23rd  
W. C. White  
TAX COLLECTOR, CALLAHAN COUNTY

### NOTICE

J. S. Kelley, of Brownwood, will speak here Sunday at the Church of Christ, at 11:00 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. He will also lecture at one of the other churches at three o'clock in the afternoon, it is stated, but at this writing, the place has not been announced. Mr. Kelley recently spoke here on the streets to a large and attentive audience. He is an exconvict who not only reformed, but is contributing in a great way to help others keep the right road. A large crowd is expected to hear him Sunday.

### NOTICE

All copy for publication in the Review, should be in this office not later than Wednesday noon. All matter received later than that hour in all probability will be placed on file for publication the following week. The forms are made up for press Wednesday afternoon, and the publishers will appreciate it very much if all copy will be placed in our hands Monday or Tuesday. Please give this your consideration, and accept our thanks for same. The Publishers.

FOR SALE--Texas Red Rust Proof Oats, free from Johnson grass. 75c per bushel.

J. B. Eubank, Cross Cut Texas, 4-p.

Mrs. Edna Mauldin and Miss Vernie Crabb will open a Beauty Parlor in the Balcony of the Deal Drug Store, on or about the 20 of November. Adv.

FOR SALE--A 3 room bungalow house, with two lots and good well of water, all under fence. Priced at \$1,000, half cash balance time.  
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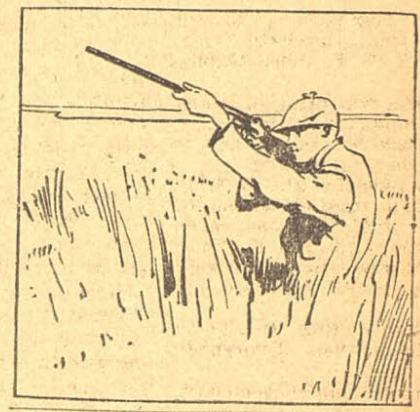
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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

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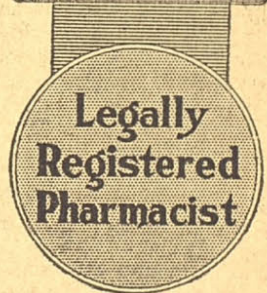
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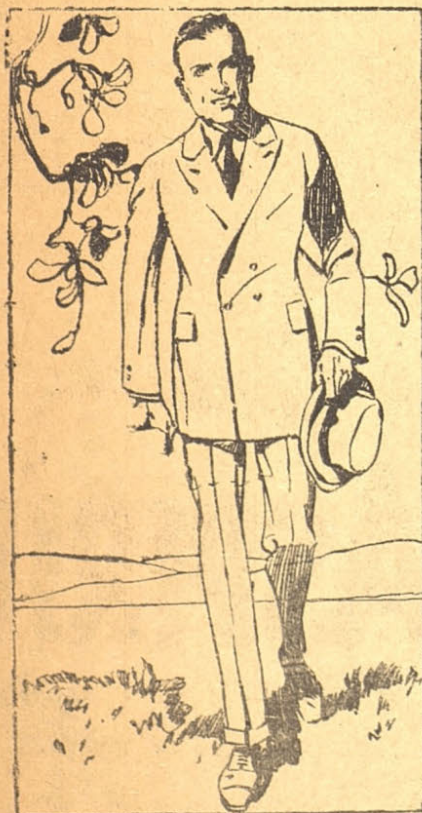
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