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OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS "A Bank of Personal Service"

SAFE BURGLARS OPERATE AT DEPOT TUESDAY NIGHT

Tueaday night burglars entered the wrecked the combination lock on anportance when a check up was made early Wednesday morning.

W. C. Wilkinson, agent, opened up at four o'clock Wednesday morning, and upon discovering the robbery, notified City Marshal, Jim McMillian, at once, and he went to work immediately, wiring officers in nearby counties to be on look out for men. It is stated that a car was seen to leave the depot ing to drill deep test. at 10:30 of the night of the robbery, long after business hours, which is thought to have been the car used by

the men who did the work. There were two suspicious characters Recently safes have been burglarized in Brown and Coleman counties, and officers think probably it is all the work of the same party or

Eunie Marsh of Carbon, has accepted position with the Cross Piains Motor Co. He is a brother to Tom Marsh, who has been with the company for some time.

GOOD WELL AT CROSS

Moore and Wilson's well on the A. depot here and opened one safe and B. Teston tract, came in since last report, with an estimated production of other in an attempt to open it. The 50 barrels. This well was brought in that the grand total of bales produced money was in the safe they failed to on new territory and extends the field here will reach somewhere between open. Twenty domestic money orders about a mile east, which will in all were all that was missing of any im- probability cause increased activity. to pick yet. On their Williams No. 1, they are setdrill in today.

M. E. Wakefield is rigging up on the Gun No. 2.

ed underreaming at 1600 feet, prepar-

Mahlstedt Mook Oil Co have deepen-

Conway & Curry have also deepened

the Cross Cut field in new territory.

The Pennant Oil & Gas and Pope and Wilson, are still fishing for tools on their west Bryson No. 4 east of town.

visiting in Marshall for several weeks, ler. returned home, Saturday.

Why wait?

ting 5 inch casing and will probably

Elsberry west of Cross Cut two miles. Stone & Co, are spudding in on their their cotton.

T. B. Slick's Chambers No. 1, report

creased production from 75 to 250 barrels.

n town the afternoon preceding the their Chambers No. 1, and increased production from 30 to 75 barrels.

Williams, et al, are rigging up on H.

MEETING: MUCH INTEREST At the C. of C. meeting Tuesday

C. OF C. HAS IMPORTANT

brought under consideration.

Monday night to take up the water under construction in few days.

from delinquent members.

and continue to support the C. of C. make your home.

It was also decided to change the C of C fiscal year from Feb. 20 to Jan. 1. A third committee was then appointed to confer with Shackelford county and a committee was appointed to

make plans and arrangements, which

will be announced later. At the next regular meeting, a banquet will be spread for the membership At this meeting officials for the comcommittee was appointed Tuesday out to see the match.

OVER 4,000 BALES HAVE

J. W. Payne, public weigher, has weighed 4,050 bales, he states. And day night. many bales have been hauled home, waiting for higher market. In addition to this number, several hundred Farm Bureau bales have been shipped out and probably 1,200 round bales, all of which have not been weighed here. Figure up the totals and you will find 5,000 and 6,000 bales, with some cotton

Both gins are still running, and cotton continues to come in-from some where, but it will soon be gathered. Farmers have been fortunate in having an exceptionly good fall for gathering

W. M. S.

The Womans Missionary Society of ed their Newton No. 1 5 feet and in- the Methodist Episcopal church, will well. render the following program Nov. 23, at the home of Mrs. R. E. Wilson.

Topic: China's Day of Advance. Hymn, "Go Ye Messenger of God' Business: Minutes.

Roll Call, Answer with verse of A. Newton tract one mile south of scripture voicing Thanksgiving and

Report of officers and committees. Missionary Bulletin, by five Ladies.

Devotional Bible Lesson. "The Steward and the World" Acts Mrs. Glen Adams, who has been X,9-16 Matt. 28-19-20, by Mrs. Chand-

Missionary Topic,

"Radio Messages from China" by ight Ladies. Five minute Talk, China's Expanding

Church, by Mrs. Sherman Gehrett. Hymn. Prayer.

Notice

The Review is requested to announce that the Parent-Teachers will have a call meeting at the school house Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Each member urged to be present.

The Lyceum

The second number of the White & Brown Lyceum course, was given here the C. of C. Band, featuring Miss Young, Sunday. Guila Adams, with duets, and quartets by local young ladies, and special music | Merryman were Cross Plains visitors by the orchestra. A packed house enjoyed the program. The next number 'Cappy Ricks'' will be given on Dec. 12. This will probably be the best number of the entire course.

Pounding

The Methodist Ladies, representing the entire membership, gave their pastor, Rev. Brabham, and family, a Star Saturday. pounding, last Thursday evening. It was a surprise-and a very agreeable | Coleman Saturday.

Wagon bows and sheets. Joe H.

CRRSS PLAINS GOING FOR-WARD: BUILDING BOOM ON

The new home of the Morgan-Gray night, several important matters were | Motor Co. has just been completed. And this week work was started on the A committe from the C of C was ap- service station for Little & Bachus. pointed to meet with the City Council while the new Methodist church will be

The Baptist expect to start their new A second committee was appointed to church building in the very near future, raise balance of budget for this year while other buildings are being considered. Let the good work go on. The body voted unanimously to re- Come to Cross Plains-The small city tain Bruce MacQuaide as band director with a big future-a good place to

Interesting Wrestling Match

Last Thursday night Abe Caplan, officials relative to designation of Coleman's undefeated mat artist, met highway north. It was then decided to Ray Zimmer, noted grappler of Kansas have poultry show in the near future City, in a hard fought match here. Zimmer won the first fall in eleven minutes with the Japanese arm lock, and Caplan took the second fall in 35 minutes with his famous "flying mare". Zimmer was not in condition to return for the third fall, so Caplan was coning year will be elected. A nominating ceeded one victor. A large crowd was

> This Thursday night these men wil! meet again here for a finish match. with no time limit, it is stated. It is advertised that Caplan and Zimmer tip the scales at 180 each. This is expected to be one of the best bouts ever staged in this section,

Ray Zimmer and Kalil Pasha Wrestled to a draw at Brownwood last Fri-

Babe Wood has resigned his position with the Cross Plains Motor Co. and will join his mother at Carbon. His father just recently died, and he is going to take charge of his mother's property, for her. Babe is a splendid young business man. We will regret to lose him and his splendid wife, but wish them well where they go.

Deer Plains News

Our school opened Nov. 3, with Mr. Grubb of Eastland, as assistant. We will be next to build. are hoping for a good school this term. The trustees have a large pile of ready wood on the school ground. They have erected a nice little house over the

Most of the farmers have some cot-

Mr. Price and wife, Miss Ethel Pierce church at Sabanno Sunday night.

Miss Gladys Erwin of Sabanno spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Loma Irvin.

Mr. Elbert Pierce and family visited in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Tuesday morning about 3:30 or 4 o'clock some hounds ran up to Burris Irvin's barn where they were turned back by some yard dogs, and after the hounds were gone the barn was searched and the wolf was found parked in the north shed under a double disc, cultivators and other implements. The gate-way was barred, and a small white Bull dog that trys to be a sport, was set over in the shed. He went back and measured himself with the wolf. Double Disc, wheels, single trees, cultivators, beams, hens nests, Turkey feathers and smoke was so thick you could hardly see what was taking place by lantern light, but I don't think any of the implements were damaged so they can't be repaired and used next

Note: This news received too late for publication last week.

Victoria News

Misses Vada and Ada Smith and Monday night, under the auspices of Fanny Baum, called on Miss Winona

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gould and Craig

Several cases of the flu have been reported from this vicinity. Quite a number from this vicinity at-

tended Trades Day at Cross Plains, The attendance at the Methodist

Sunday School has been increasing re-Henry Prestridge motored to Rising

Dick Merryman was shopping in

-Prairie Rose

Mesdames Willis and Eubank of Shackelford's Lumber & Hardware Cross Cut sold a Missionary bale of cotton here Tuesday, for 25 1-4.

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ANOTHER BUILDING GOES UP; PROSPERITY EVIDENT

Little & Bachus have torn down their old frame garage building on South Main Street, and have started work on an up-to-date filling station, to be constructed at an estimated cost of \$3000. The building will be a stucco veneer and will cover two lots on corner where off the honors by score of 37 to 7, they have been operating garage. This new structure will materially improve the appearance of South Main. There are several other good business for having a strong well organized Price as principal and Miss Rae V. locations on main street-wonder who

Banquet

The Morgan-Gray Motor Co. opened score would have been different. their new Chevrolet headquarters Wednesday evening with big banquet. Some fifty guests enjoyed the occasion and Bailey Wilson. nd Miss Alice Flowers attended A number of special musical selections were rendered by Bruce MacQuaid, Mrs. Brabham and Maxine Gwin. A very sumptuous repast was followed by a number of after dinner talks. Ed Morgan of the firm, as toastmaster made the opening address, followed by V. V. Hart, F. M. Gwin and Rev Brabham, city; Rev. Stutts of Abilene, and Mr. Gray of Rising Star, a member

Areyou supporting the Review?

FOOT BALL DOUBLE HEADER

Last Friday afternoon Cross Plains high school foot ball eleven played both Baird and Carbon on the local grounds. They took Baird on first and defeated them by score of 13 to 3. The Carbon huskies then came on the field and took proving that two games in one afternoon was too much sugar for a dime.

However Carbon must be given credit eleven. Baird also put up a stiff fight but failed to make much headway against the stubborn resistance of the Cross Plains boys. Had Carbon entered the contest first, instead of Baird, while the local eleven were fresh, the

Cross Plains boys who made touch downs, were: Geo. Swan, Dave Lee

Gold Winners

Those who won the gold prizes in the big drawing here Saturday, were:

W. E. Lusk, \$25.00. Dave Lee, \$15.00.

Volley McDonough, \$10.00.

These prizes will be given away here each Saturday, until January 3rd, at which time \$200.00 in gold will be given away, it is stated.

U.B. Thrifty

Ears and Years The ears of youth are impatient, more or less, with the advise and

warning that come from those whom the years have given to KNOW by experience. Yet there is nothing to do but

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Lesson for November 23

THE TRANSFIGURATION

LESSON TEXT—Luke 9:28-36.
GOLDEN TEXT—This is my beloved son; hear Him.—Luke 9:35.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Shows His

JUNIOR TOPIC-Beholding Christ's

Glory.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOP-IC—The Glory of Jesus Christ. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOP-IC—The Transfiguration a Preparation for the Cross.

While it is true that in this lesson the disciples are witnesses of Christ's glory, the full truth is that the manifestation of Christ in glory was to give to the discouraged disciples a foregleam of the Messianic Kingdom. The hopes of the disciples were crushed when Christ announced His death on the cross. They were unable to see how victory could issue from death.

Jesus took with Him Peter, James and John and went into the mountain to pray. His chief aim in retirement was to get the disciples apart and into a state of receptivity so that He might show them the method of the kingdom. Before going to the mountain He declared that there were some standing in His presence who would not taste of death till they should see the Son of Man coming in His kingdom (Luke 9:27; Matt. 16:28). That their drooping spirits might be revived and their confidence restored, He is transfigured before them. Two men from the upper world are sent to converse with Him about his approaching death in Jerusalem (v. 31)—the very thing about which the disciples refused to talk. Then, too, God's own voice was heard in words of approval of Christ's course, directing them to hear the Master. Surely they cannot doubt His ability now to carry into execution His kingdom plans. The purpose, then, of the transfiguration is to give the disciples a foregleam of the coming kingdom, to enable them to see the kingdom in embryo. That this is true is not only shown by the context. and circumstances, but by the inspired interpretation of one who was with Him and knew all that transpired (II Peter 1:16-19 R. V.). Note the outstanding features of the kingdom as displayed in the transfiguration:

I. Jesus Christ the Glorified King on Mt. Zion (v. 29).

The glorified king on this mount was Intended to symbolize the Messianic kingdom when Christ returns to the Mount of Olives in Jerusalem (Zech. 14:4-17). This is still in the future, and will be literally fulfilled.

II. The Glorified Saints With Christ (vv 30-31).

(1) Moses, who was once denied an entrance into Palestine, appears now In story, representing the redeemed of the Lord who shall pass-through death into the kingdom. Many thousands of the redeemed have fallen asleep and at the coming of the Lord shall be awakened to pass into the kingdom.

(2) Elijah, now glorified, represents the redeemed who shall pass into the kingdom through translation. Many shall be living upon the earth when the Lord shall come, and shall without dying he changed, and thus pass into the kingdom (I Cor. 15:50-53; I Theses. 4:14-18).

(3) They talk of the very thing which the disciples refused to believe, namely, the death of Christ.

III. Israel, in the Flesh, in Connection With the Kingdom, Represented by Peter, James and John (v. 28).

Israel shall be called from their hiding place among all nations of the earth and shall be guthered to Jesus Christ the King, as the central people in the kingdom (Ezek. 37:21-27).

(1) Peter proposes to build three tabernacles (v. 33). The Feast of Tabernacles looked forward to the glorious reign of Christ. Peter caught a glimpse of the significance of the transfiguration. His proposition showed that he thought of the Feast of Tabernacles, and therefore of the Millennium.

(2) The divine voice (v. 35). At this time God Himself uttered His words, assuring them that this One in

glory was His Son Jesus Christ. IV. The Multitude at the Foot of

the Mountain (vv. 37-43). This is representative of the nations which shall be brought into the kingdom which shall be established over Israel. See Isaiah 11:10-12. The people here were grievously oppressed by the devil. About the time of Christ's first coming he did his best to harass men. Just before Christ's coming again he will be especially active, for he knows that his time is short.

Life

Life in itself is neither good nor evil! It is the theater of good and evil as you make it.

Our Qualities

The qualities we have do not make s so ridiculous as those which we affect to have.-La Rouchefoucauld.

Repentance

Especially, repentance means a definite refusal to ablde any longer in sin.—George Hodges.

Falsehood Has No Future Falsehood may have its hour, but if has no future.—Pressense.

TAILORED AND COAT FROCKS; CROWNS REACH NEW HEIGHTS

S O FAR as the modes are concerned for the different types of hats. These the business girl of today finds adornments in tailored millinery are herself in a satisfying position. It simple—but often intricately made happens that the sort of frocks which of feathers, ribbon, metal or composiare appropriate for her everyday use tion. are just the type that is most fashionable for daytime wear.

Paris caps the climax of winter millinery with very high crowns-going This simplicity would become mo- to extremes that may or may not be notonous if it were not for two followed in America. Certain of the things-the great variety of fabrics great designers appear to have become and the ingenuity of designers who a little reckless and they have presentvary the straight-line models by an ed hats of ombre felts having high, infinity of small details in construc- | conical crowns topped by a big silk



Frock of Dark Blue Twill.

tion and trimmings. Fabrics include pompon. If such great names were tailored mode.

olain materials, or a little vivid em- metallic ornaments as its outstanding

combinations. Tunics and plaitings,

scarf collars or high necks and above

dations for the adornments approved

on tailored frocks.

silks as well as cotton goods, fibre not behind them they might be called silks also, all in many different pat- grotesque and they will be much moditerns. The family of flannels boasts fied before other than Parisiennes many beautiful cross-bar, plaid and will adopt them. No representation is triped patterns, fibre silks include the given these eccentric hats in the group knitted weaves, and silks many crepe of beautiful models pictured. It inmaterials and crepe satin. Twills, cludes two smart tailored hats at the kasha cloth and other woolens play top-one of felt with a band of plaited their usual important roles in the ribbon about the crown and a pretty feather fancy at the front. The felt Striped, plaid and cross-bar pat- hat is an all-the-year-round item in terns are made up in the simplest millinery which is good style at any manner on the lines of the frock pic- season and the shape pictured is above tured. The gilet and front panels of reproach. A tall-crowned hat with 3lk, in contrasting color, enliven the graceful brim displays one of the new



Group of Paris Hats.

all buttons, help out in giving the individual touches that are sought for style note. The hat may be in velvet satin, visca or faille and is adaptable to any daytime wear. The lovely wide The fascinating story of winter brimmed model at the left is of gold millinery has reached its climax in lace with rich brown fur as a trimbrilliant headwear, designed for wear ming and is suitable for afternoon or during the strenuous hours of the dinner wear. It is rivaled for these social season. It is a story of luxuses by the soft velvet hat next it in urious fabrics and trimmings. Velvet, hatters' plush, metallic cloths and in orchid and fuchsia tones for trim fuchsia velvet with huge ostrich fancy laces, felts and satins, supplemented by ming, malines and chiffons, make the foun-

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

Nice Things for Christmas Gifts

Rich Chenille Bag



A gift that is sure to be cherished is shown in the rich shopping bag pictured. It is crocheted of brown chenille with gay flowers introduced on one side. The band and handles at the top are of brown suede leather, and the bag is lined with brown silk. Sllk cords slip through slashes in the suede band, to close the bag, and the handle ends are concealed under little triangles of leather.

Painted Tally Cards



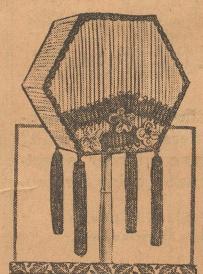
Among the delightful gifts that even an amateur artist can make are tally and score cards. Every hostess who receives them will be twice pleased, for no gifts are so cherished as those made by the donor. A graceful decorative design is shown in the illustration, simply as a suggestion—for there is no end to the ways in which the characters on playing cards are introduced in decorations.

Dainty Gift Lingerie



This dainty lingerie set is going to make some lucky lady happy at Christmas time-if a hint to the wise is enough. A step-in and chemise are made of fine, light-colored voile and decorated with disks of voile, the size of a silver dollar, in three pretty colors. They are set on with hemstitching in colored threads.

Christmas Lampshades



Happy is the home-maker who receives pretty lamp or candle shades at Christmas time-nothing helps more to deck out the house and make it cheerful. Here is a new shade made of thin silk, or fine crepe paper. in two colors, rose and light blue. A wire frame is first covered with the rose color, put in plain, and over this the light blue is plaited. Gold lace, silk or paper roses and four tassels finish off this novelty in shades.

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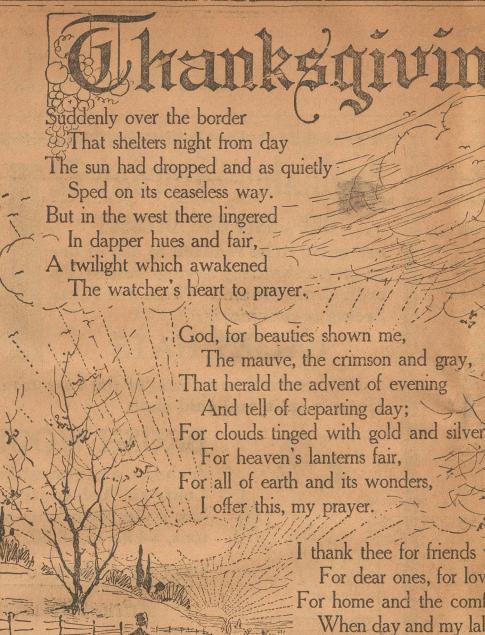




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> > For strength of my body of clay,

And hope—for the coming day.

For peace in our land of freedom,

-Chicago Tribune.

Thanksgiving Reveries and Queries

Thanksgiving is the first of America's own holidays. As the earliest to be set apart its observance runs through the whole history of the nation. Like most other distinctive features of our American order of life it sprang up out of the local soil. It was at first and for many years colonial. It became national only as its observance spread from town to town, from colony to colony, from state to

While it has a historical interest all It recalls no single act, as does "Independence day." It commemorates the name and service of no man, as do the birthdays of Washington and Lincoln. It is not shared with other peoples as are Christmas and New Years.

Day Identified With All. The American Thanksgiving day is identified with the soil we till, for whose harvest we give thanks. It is, therefore, identified with the toil and the toilers whose tillage and productive labor, inventive skill, constructive and distributive enterprise feed, clothe, shelter and develop our own people and many of their kith and kin in the old fatherlands across the seas. "Thanksgiving" is another and greater Labor day. It recalls and calls forth all kinds of effort by all classes of people. It merges the common product of the common toil, for the national possession of which the President and governors of the whole people call upon them to thank their Father-Creator and the good providence of the Great Provider. In thus reminding us that our harvests are the joint product of Mother Nature, the children of men and Father God, Thanksgiving is first of all the American people's expression of grateful appreciation for their "country"-its land and waters, its fertility and beauty; yor our great out-of-doors nature, its response to human effort, to man's discovery and his working with natural Thanksgiving is, therefore, nature's harvest-nome holiday.

Celebrates Entire Year.

And yet it celebrates the full round year. While held after harvest, Thanksgiving does not let us forget the seed and sowing of the springtime, the plowing and weeding of the summer as vital to the all-inclusive process of reaping. Moreover, and above all, in this linking soil and skies, earth and the heavens, it is the Day of Remembrance of the Father of us all, as the great giver not only but as the greatest worker, with whom we may work and who works with all for the common good. "My father worketh hitherto and I work," said the greatest of the sons of God and the children of men.

These reveries awaken queries, also Fraham Taylor declares, in the Chieago Daily News. They spring from the sincerest recognition and most appreciative asknowledgment that the American people are and always have been, a composite race, and that adopt-

very much to make America what it is. The early history of the United States interweaves fine, strong strands of English, Scotch, Celtic, French, Spanish and Jewish life, with not few or feeble negro traits, and toils, and some relics of Indian and old Mexican civilization. The human conquest and amazing development of this new continent cannot be accounted for without crediting much to the toil and many other enrichments of the Latin, Slavic and southeastern European immigrants. Contributions to our culture in art and philosophy and to our cultivation of the land and our commerce of the sea come from the older civilizations of China, India and Japan.

Founders of Country's Faith.

Foundations of America's faith were aid by pilgrims and cavaliers, Catholics and Protestants, each in its own way, yet all to the same great end.

They are merely listed here as its own, Thanksgiving is identified queries raised by our Thanksgiving with no single event, no special occa- reveries, their discussion being resion, no definite date in our history. served for timely opportunity. Their mere statement, however, makes bold the undoubting faith and hope that these, and all other problems of American life, can all and only be solved and settled by the spirit inspiring Katherine Lee Bates' great patriotic hymn that breathes the soul of our American Thanksgiving:

O, beautiful for spacious skies, For amber waves of grain.
For purple mountain majesties
Above the fruited plain.

America, America.
God send His grace-on thee,
And crown thy good with brother-From sea to shining sea.

O, beautiful for heroes proved In liberating strife,
Who more than self their country loved And mercy more than life.

And mercy flore than life.
America, America.
May God thy gold refine,
'Till all success be nobleness
And every grain divine.

Holiday of the Home. Toanksgiving is a day sacred to the home. More of it is spent at home

OCCASIONS FOR THANKSGIVING

HAT we have bread enough and to spare for the hungry of the earth. That our ancient order of obedience and orderly change stands fast.

For the hope of better social understanding and just dealings.

That our great opportunities of worldwide helpfulness remain.

That the idea of brotherhood among

the nations has taken root. For the true men and women who are giving lives of service.

For leaders raised up and the opportunity of following them.

For the open door of knowledge and the desire for truth awake in men. For joys of simple living and the un-

For work and rest, the patience that

continues, the ideals that soar. For the love of home in all of us, and its satisfaction when it comes.

That the world is bigger than we, and the joy of adventure which it brings. - Congregationalist and Advance

ed citizens from many lands have done I than at church, in family reunions than in public assemblies, in serving the needy, the lonely, and the homeless than in formal services of worship. Its sanctuary is the thoughtful, thankful heart more than the house of worsnip. Who that has lived in any of our oldest colonial states, especially in New England, can ever forget, or fail to have a glow of heart at every remembrance of the real home Thanksgiving day as observed on the soil from which it sprang? At the very mention of it, what visions reappear, of the long preceding preparations for it at the old family homestead; of the letters flying forth and back between the old folks at home and the scattered young folks in their new homes. or transient abodes: of the railway station platforms and cars thronged by merry home-bound children-of-anolder-growth, and children's children: of greetings at the threshold of the old farm house or village home, mingling the smiles and laughter of the living with tears or silent, sorrowing, undying yearning for "the touch of a vanthat is still"; of the bountifully laden, beautifully decorated family table. with America's fatted turkey as a 'welcome home," instead of the "fatted calf" of ancient days.

National Development,

In the truest American homes the Thanksgiving family reunion is all that Robert Burns sang of "The Cotter's Saturday Night," and still more for being more joyous, though no less religious for all that. And there are Americans, not a few, who feel deep down in their nearts for their own country what the Scotch singer sang of his: "From scenes like these old Scotla's grandeur springs."

Out of this population more wonderfully composite than constitutes the citizenship of any other nation, a very distinctive national development has evolved. It is recognized by ourselves and other peoples as distinctively our own. As such, and as a distinct contribution to the world's possessions and to the heritage of mankind, it is here and now being considered, without any comparison with the characteristics of other nations, as better or worse.

This life-spirit of the American people is a fact, and a fact that raises these two queries at least: Is this Aggerican life or spirit distinct and valuable enough to be conserved, developed and perpetuated? If so, how can it maintain its distinct identity and value, enriched by the accessions from abroad which are appreciated and welcomed, without being transformed, diluted, or deteriorated? These are not only fair questions, but are queries that are forcing themselves upon the more or less strained attention of our people.

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Thankfulness and Hope

Thanksgiving is not, at its best, what anybody says or does, but rather what he feels. And so it is, that all of us, equal members in a free democracy, are privileged to draw our inventories together, to total up the credit side of our ledger of life as one united people, and to join together in a festival of good cheer and heart; thanks for what the past has yielded; to face the future with a mutual hope fulness in what it holds in store.-Farm and Ranch.



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Ellen-"What became of Ann after she married the coast guard?" Nell-"Oh, they're lighthousekeeping now.

Important to All Women Readers of This Paper

Swamp-Root a Fine Medicine

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be

nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition they may cause the other organs

to become diseased. You may suffer pain in the back, head-ache and loss of ambition.

Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be despondent; it makes any

But hundreds of women claim that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, by restoring health to the kidneys, proved to be just the remedy needed to overcome such condi-

Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine will do for them. By enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may receive sample size bottle by parcel post. You can purchase medium and large size bottles at all drug stores.-Advertisement.

The first baby buggy is reported to nave been built by a coachmaker in 1870 for the daughter of an English

Try Them Buttered Willie-Dad, why is an after-dinner speech called a toast?

my son.—London Tit-Bits. One who feels diffident might try dressing in the height of the fashion and see if that helps.

Dad-Because it is usually so dry,

Don't Let That Cold Turn Into "Flu"

Rub on Good Old Musterole That cold may turn into "Flu,"
Grippe or, even worse, Pneumonia,
unless you take care of it at once.
Rub good old Musterole on the con-

gested parts and see how quickly it brings relief. Colds are merely congestion. Musterole, made from pure oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other simple ingredients, is a counter-irritant which stimulates circulation and helps break up the cold.

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You will feel a warm tingle as it enters the pores, then a cooling sensation that brings welcome relief.

To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

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Better than a mustard plaster

Get rid of constipation by internal cleanliness

EADACHES, biliousness, sleepless nights, heaviness, are Nature's warning that intestinal poisons are flooding your system. If this is allowed to continue, you may become a victim of serious organic disease.

Laxatives and cathartics do not overcome constipation, says a noted authority, but by their continued use tend only to aggravate the condition and often lead to permanent injury.

Why Physicians Favour Lubrication

Medical science has found at last in lubrication a means of overcoming constipation. The gentle lubricant, Nujol, penetrates and softens the hard food waste and thus hastens its passage through and ou of the body. Thus, Nujol brings internal cleanliness.

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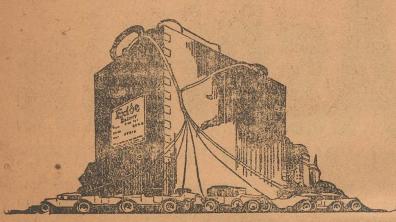
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—100 bottles—1 bottle to each lady who calls. Don't send the men or children. No telephone call, no phone calls No oil put up.
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We have installed the latest equipment for charging & repairing

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We are here, not merely to sell Exide, the long life battery, but to give practical aid in prolonging the life of every man's present battery, no matter what make it is.

All makes of generators and starters repaired at reasonable cost.

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PACE MOTOR CO.

We carry at all times a full stock of Exide Batteries for all makes of cars.

Christian Endeavor

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will render the following program Sunday evening, Nov. 23, at 6:30.

Topic: Stewardship; Our Time and Service for Christ; Leader, Olney Walker; Scripture Reading, Jer. 1:6-10; Matt. 4:18-19; Seaborn Collins; Song; Heart Service, Eldon Walker; Our "Spiritual Service" Oren Barr; Long Lines and Short Ones, Ara Eager; Prayer, Merlin Garrett; God Knows, Mrs. Bryant: Begin Today, Mrs. Hemphill; Whose I am, Aleta Walker; Faith in Time, Mayola Garrett; Christian Relations, Brother Collins; Solo, Mr. Hemphill; Song; Announcements, Mizpah Benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Montgomery,
Doke Westerman and wife and Loyd
Montgomery and family spent week
end with Claud Montgomery, at Albany.

Mesdames Sam Moore and Brownlee of Cottonwood Were visiting here Monday.

Price Odom and family visited in town first of week.

Bo Baum and Macon Freeman made a business trip to West Texas the first of week.

Dee Barr and family are moving to Plainview this week. The Review join in wishing them much success in their new home.

Chris Parsons and family of Burkett, were trading here Monday. Mrs. Parsons also shipped car load of cattle to Fort Worth market.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young and children visited with D. C. Hargrove and family, Sunday.

Mesdames Luke and Doke Westerman motored to Rising Star, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Triplett of Cross Cut are visiting family connection in Rio Grande Valley.

K Beginning Saturday 22 N 13 E SANTON I

Our Coats and Dresses

are going to be reduced to one of one of greatest money saving values ever in Cross Plains. These are Facts. Seeing is convincing.

LALIES' HATS

Just received two dozen of the very latest creation in Ladies' Hats, in satin and gold cloth.

BRUSH WOOL SWEATERS

A choice assortment in brush wool Chappie Coats and bob coats, in Mandarin and Balkan styles with loose sleeves and front buttons, \$4.98 to \$8.50.

Sweaters, Underwear and Shoes for the family

Prices Within Reach of All.

SHOES \$1.50

Don't Overlook our bargain Counter of Shoes, \$1.50

Don't forget our Grocery Department and Meat Market

B.L. BOYDSTUN

"Where it Pays to Trade"

Notice

The Dramatic Club of Baird High School, will stage "Amazon Isle" a three act comedy, at the school house Saturday night.

Guaranteed Hosiery, samples your size free to agents. Write for proposition paying \$75.00 weekly full time \$1.50 an hour spare time, selling guaranteed hosiery to wearer; must wear or replaced free. Quick sales, repeat orders. INTERNATIONAL STOCKING MILL S, 6790, Norristown, Pa.

For Rent

500 acres farm of A. McGraw's, located three miles south east of town, 120 acres in cultivation. For imformation, write Mrs. Mamie Hunter, 5733 Rusk St. Marshall, Texas.

For Sale

White Leghorn Cockerels, M. Johnson Strain, \$1.50 each. L. F. Neeb.

Notice

I have purchased Mrs. Orr's Hemstitching machine, and will do hemstitching at my home in west part of town. Your patronage will be appreciated. Mrs. Murman McGown.

Notice

After December 15th my Dental office in Cross Plains will be open only two days in the week, (Mondays and Tuesdays) until I am able to get a good man to take charge. I am opening an office in Baird, however am keeping my office here.

If you are contemplating having work done by me before I move, it would be well for you to call at once, as we are very busy, but want to look after you before we go. E. I. Thomason.

For Sale

Farm lands out of Spade ranch, near Littlefield. Any size tract, easy payments, only 6 per cent interest. Transportation to prospective buyers.

J. T. Jobe, Tahoka, Texas.

Locally represented by L. W. Jobe, Gorman Texas, Box 402. 4t-p

\$1.00 each—Good Axes. Shackelford's Lumber and Hardware Store.

For Sale

1923 Ford Touring car, in first class condition. See Merlin Garrett at Garrett Motor Co.

2t-p

For Sale—150 acre farm. 75 acres in cultivation, one mile and half south of town. Reasonable terms. Review subscription and subscribed for his daughter, Mrs. H. K. Sadler, of Loraine, Texas. Leroy Butler has accepted position

Tacks, Rubber Roofing etc. Shackel- Monday. While here he renewed his

Leroy Butler has accepted position with the Cross Plains Drug Store.

MASSEUR

Prof. J. H. Surles of Cisco, Texas, will be in Cross Plains for a short time, beginning with Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 19th.

He will be located at the Kemper Hotel and will be glad to meet all Chronic suffers.

Extra Special

For 2 Weeks-Nov. 15 to 29 on All Hats-

Some real bargains from \$1 to \$3 45, some of which are 8.50 to \$10 Hats Also new mid-winter hats.

—Ladies and Misses Sweaters in white and many good colors, from 98c to \$8.50, in brushed wool, shaker knit and other fancy striped effected. Infant sweater and caps, sweaters from \$1 to 2.50: Caps, from 35c, 50c, 65c to \$1.

Ladies' and Misses Hose

—in sport silk and wool and all silk prices ranging from 25c, 35c 50c, 65c, 85c, \$1, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2. Children's and Infants Hose, 25c to 50c.

New Novelties, Notions and Gifts for all Occasions

Mrs. Corrie D. Wesi

A Slash Down Price

At The Model Store

Our store is packed chuck full with Merchandise. And this merchandise must move and move fast, regardless of cost or replacement. A visit to our store will convince you. We will mention a few prices:

High grade Zephyr Ginghams, 6 yards for 830	
Outing heavy grade, per yard 17 1.20	
Men's heavy weight Union Suits \$1.38	
Men's Overalls and a good one, too1.29	
Shipment of Coats, 36 in. long9.4	5
Leather Vests. worth 12.50, now9.4	5
Men's Suits, Boys Suits, all at a reduced price.	
Big reduction on Stetson Hats.	
Florsheim dress Shoes, special 8.4	5
Work Shoes, Dress Shoes, Work Bootees, and dress	
Bootees, all going at ridiculous low prices.	

Sale Starts Friday, Nov. 21

The Model Store

Cross Plains "Sels"

"Sels for Less"

cross Plains

In our Toy Land and Gift Department, you will find all kinds of Toys for the Children and many appropriate Gifts for the older ones. When in town call in and let us show you through Toy Land. You will find gitts that will PLEASE at very moderate prices. Be sure and bring the children, and find out just what they want Santa Claus to bring them.

Raw Timber and Finished Product

—In order to get the Best in a finshed product the best raw material is required. We buy from the Lumber dealers who keep this fact in mind, and as



a result, we give you QUALITY in your Lumber and other building material purchased here.

W. W. PRYOR

Rev. and Mrs. Littleton, Mrs. Jeff, Clark and Mrs. Geo. B. Scott of Cross Brown and Jim Bachus enjoyed a hunt-Plains, and Rev. Andy Foster of Dressy. left early Monday morning to attend last week. Mr. Bachus brought down the general Baptist Convention at Dallas. They will return the last of this week.

Bryan Edwards of Brownwood has accepted position with the Cross Plains Motor Co. He is moving here with his family. They come to us highly commended by many who have known them perity in their new home. They will will be highly appreciated. We are for years. Glad to have you.

ing trip in Mason and adjaining counties,

greater part of last week misiting their old home at Brady

Joe Pierce and family Seft Monday or Plainview to make their home. We all parties, club meetings and social wish them health, happiness and pros- functions reported. Your co-operation continue to read the Review.

For You to Read

Those who are norating around that I have left Cross Plains, I certainly do thank you.

If boy cotting is your purpose, you will find a better way to get rid of meis to buy me out.

I know who you are. When you urday. learn to attend to your own affairs strictly, and let the other fellow's alone parents, in Brownwood. then you will have learned an "A 1" and am liable to be here several more sister, Mrs. J. L. Smith. tens. When I need you to run my services at Burnt Branch Sunday. business I'll phone you. Morever when I'm ready to leave Cross Plains I shall let it be known through the Review.

Hoping you will rise on "higher ground" and not spend your precious time in slinging mud pies (d-i-r-t.)

Mrs. Mary L Shelman, Dentist.

A Missing Printer

And the furniture store proprietor s still looking for the printer who set No trace of his whereabouts has yet been received. - Bryan Eagle.

is told that while trying to sell a bed room suite to an old maid, stressingly E. W. Snearly and family spent the told her. "We stand behind all the beds we sell. She didn't buy and hasn't with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon spoken to him since. - Mineral Wells

> The Review would be pleased to have glad to report all such events.

victoria News

A light rain fell over this vicinity Friday morning. The rain was appreciated very much.

O. T. Merryman, G. T. Baum and family and others from this vicinity attended the Gollmar Bros. Circus Sat-

Prof. Smith spent the week end with

J. A. Wilson of Canyon, enroute to lesson your daddy never taught you. Fort Worth and Oklahoma points, came I have lived in Cross Plains ten years over from Abilene Sunday to visit his

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Baum attended

-Prairie Rose. Note: Received too late for publication last week.

Mrs. Cathey of Pioneer, has been visiting her children at Lubbock the

A. W. Orrell and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Oliver of Pioneer

W. E. Lusk, principal of Pioneer school was week end visitor in Cross

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Austin and children Still that furniture dealer isn't in as who live west of town, visited with W. bad as one who lives here of whom it T. Austin and family of this place

> Mrs. James Ross of Baird visited Haley, last week.

Ode Davidson and family and Mrs. Harve Kellar visited friends and relatives in Abilene, last week.

Nice rooms for rent cheap, furnished or unfurnished. Mrs. C. B. Baum.

Mrs. C. B. Baum and Mrs. Daisy Caum, visited relatives in Coleman,

T. S. Walker, J. B. Elder and H. F. Phillips of Rowden were trading here the past week end.

Mrs. L. J. Roberts of Memphis, Texas, is visiting Mrs. Lamar.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baum visited in Eastland the past week end.

Mesdames A. Ogilvy, Fred Stacy Monroe McDaniels and Nolan Duncan were Tuesday visitors here.

The 20th Century Club meets Nov.

Roll Call: Inovation, from Riley. 1 Biograph of Riley, Mrs. Bryant. II American Indian, Mrs. Shackelford III Womans Handicap in citizenship nd how to evercome, Mrs. Nicholson. IV Piano Solo, Elizabeth Pace.

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We will be glad to demonstrate at your convenience.

X Plains Hdwe. Co. A Good Place to Trade

A few Breeching at half price-see them. Shackelford's Lumber & Hardware Store.

Rev. Stutts of Abilene, former pastor of the Methodist church here, was back on a visit this week

Mrs. Murman McGowen and children spent last week in Breckenridge, with her sister, who was operated on, the past week.

Friday Nov. 21

As it will be more convenient for the public, I will fit glasses one Friday each month at my office in Cross Plains commencing Friday, Nov. 21. Special prices on these dates. Cut this ad out and get credit for \$1,00 on new pair of

Dr. Henderson

We want 25 cases of eggs Saturday See us before you sell.

Clark's Grocery.

Choice Plains Land

We have some choice Farms on the Spade ranch, on the plains of Texas.

Buy a home on crop payment at 6 per cent interest.

We are also agents for the O-O lands in Kent and Garza Counties.

Come in and let us tell you about these fine lands.

Tom Bryant, Agent

Over Farmers National Bank

Buy a Ford and you will never sorry.

Saturday 22nd

is the day to buy your used car--Special prices on this date.

CROSS PLAINS MOTOR

Sells for Cash or Terms

SAYS LABOR FARED WELL IN ELECTION

GOMPERS SAYS HE IS PLEASED WITH RESULTS OF NOV. 4 BALLOTING.

WILL DO THEIR VERY BEST

Reaction, Drunk With Victory, May Soon Find Itself Intoxicated Upon Imaginary Wine.

El Paso, Texas.—Labor fared "almost phenomenally well" in the general elections, Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation of Labor, said in a public statement, commenting on the results of the Nov. 4 bal-

"In the face of the tremendous Coolidge landslide there were elected to the new House of Representatives more members having labor's endorsement than are to be found in the present House," Mr. Gompers as-

"The new Congress is not likely to pass any measure greatly detrimental to the interests of the workers and our people generally," the statement continued.

The election comment was combined with an outline of the fortyfourth annual convention of the fed-

'The delegates," he said, "will do their best to act wisely for the good of the workers and for the common good of our Republic.

"While I have no desire to discuss specific questions in advance of the action of the convention, there is one important fact to which I may call attention, because it is already achieved, and can not be changed. It has been said by many writers in many publications that labor fared badly in the recent election. That is not true. Labor fared well--almost county. phenomenally well.

"In the face of the tremendous Coolidge landslide, there were elected to the new House of Representaties more members having labor's endorsement than are to be found in the present House. In the present House there are 170 such members. have not the exact figures as to Appellate Tribunal Passes on Suit the new House, but the number of members elected with labor's indorsement will exceed that figure. Among these are Republicans, Democrats, and Farmer-Labor party members.

The new Congress is not likely to pass any measure greatly detrimental to the interests of the workers and our people generally. This is one of the most hopeful facts of the day Charles M. Dickson against Secreand one which to us is encouraging and reassuring. Reaction, seemingly drunk with victory, may soon find intoxicated upon imaginary

TEACHERS SHOULD BE **ENCOURAGED TO MARRY**

State Secretary Opposes Rule-Board Sustains Marrs in Dismissal.

that when a female teacher marries the litigation by affirming the during the term she automatically judgment refusing the injunction and forfeits her contract and ceases to then dismissing the cause. be a teacher was voiced by one member of the Board of Education, but Pro Agent Captures Rum Runners. the board as a whole did not pass upon the rule

policy. He would encourage marriage rather than discourage it.

This developed at the hearing beappeal of Mrs. O. L. Smith, former Yoakum public school teacher, who 000. had been dismissed by the trustees because of her marriage during the Christmas holidays last year. The trustees, in dismissing Mrs. Smith, of Judge Morris A. Soper of Baltiasserted that she was cognizant of more that fruit juices may be made the rule because she had succeeded for home consumption regardless of in near-ry cities. The average price a teacher who had stopped teaching the alcoholic content is "old stuff," because of her marriage before ex-

piration of her contract. Mrs. Smith lost in the appeal, but the decision was not made on the particular point of violation of the Volstead. anti-marriage rule. When State Superintendent Marrs some time ago sustained the order of dismissal it was on the grounds that Mrs. Smith the new Conservative administration had no claim on the trustees for of the British Government is expectpayment of her full salary which she ed to be the re-opening of a complete contended for. In the opinion of the investigation of the relations be-State Superintendent, Mrs. Smith tween Great Britain and Mexico. waied her rights when she abandoned her contract and entered into a new one to teach from the date of her dismissal until the close of the examination period. She later attacked the validity of the anti-marriage restriction.

Morris Sheppard Spent No Money, Austin, Texas.—United States Senator Morris Sheppard spen' no money to be elected to the United States Senate, according to his sworn statement filed with the Secretary of State. He avers that he spent \$3,720 to win the Democratic nomination in the first primary, but nothing after that. T. M. Kennerly of Houston, his Republican opponent, also avers that he had spent nothing. D. S. Davenport of San Antonio Democratic nominee for Congress. totaled only \$260.

TO SURVEY FOR BIG IRRIGATION PROJECT

Will Consider Proposal Tarrant County Reservoir for Flood Control.

Austin, Texas.-The State Board of Water Engineers has announced that forces will be sent to the Pecos

from the boundary, and that some tenced to two years. of the backwater will fill the channel in New Mexico, but not for any pint of whiskey in his pocket. He great distance. The exact dam site said it was given to him by a negro will be determined following the in the town of Milano and he had completion of the surveys.

districts. All of these are to be com- Legislature having given him the

permont and Rotan.

water Board, is in Fort Worth for a by the Thirty-Seventh and Thirtytion of Tarrant County into one mitting possession of liquor except plates three large storage reservoirs ter providing that in all cases where

The consolidated whole county district is said to be a certainty.

FERGUSON WRIT IS **DISMISSED IN COURT**

Based on Supreme Court

Austin, Texas-The final court thapter in the case involving Mrs. Ferguson's eligibility to serve as Governor was written when the Third Court of Civil Appeals affirmthe proceedings brought by tary of State Strickland and others and then dismissed the cause. This action was in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court when it answered certified questions in the case, as tendered by the appellate court, which were all decided in favor of Mrs. Ferguson and held her eligible without reservation.

The Travis County District Court had refused Dickson's plea for an injunction to prevent Mrs. Ferguson's name going on the ticket and when Dickson's plea reached the appellate court that tribunal related the issues to Supreme Court in a certificate. Austin. Texas.—Opposition to the The answers sustained the trial rule or custom followed by the trus- court and now the appeliate court tees of certain public schools of Texas makes that decision final and ends

New York.-Armed only with a small monkey wrench, a prohibition Secretary of State J. J. Strickland, agent recently pursued and captured, is the member who would not have single-handed, three rum runners restrictions placed against marriage and the \$15,000 cargo of whiskey of female school teachers. Such a which they had attempted to smugrule, he said, is against the public gle up the North River. Just a few minutes before, the agent, inspector Michael Sweeney, with two coast guards, had captured a companion fore the Board of Education of the speed boat with a crew of three and a similar cargo valued also at \$15,-

"Old Stuff," Says Volstead.

Granite Falls, Minn.—The opinion Andrew J. Volstead, father of the prohibition act, declared. Judge Hand held the same opinion in New York a long time ago, according to Mr.

To Consider Mexico. London.—One of the first acts of

Mac Donald May Visit U. S. London.—Ramsay MacDonald is contemplating a visit to America on tude of approximately 1,000 feet. The a holiday after his hard grind of tragedy took place near Pumpkin nearly a year as Great Britain's first Center, between Tulsa and Drum-Labor Premier.

Approves Election of Coolidge. Dortmund, Germany.—Approval of the election in the United States of Special train from the Gulf Coast President Coolidge was freely ex- counties, Can Patricio, Nueces, Jim pressed by Foreign Minister Strese- Wells and Kleberg, arrived one hour mann in the course of a significant behind schedule time. One hundred of Texas. campaign speech before the conven- and fifty people were in the party. tion of the German People's party accompanied by the Twentieth Inhere. The Foreign Minister's utter fantry Band. It is a twelve-car train ances constituted a sturdy defense by the present Government, especial- tables. The special was met by a ly in connection with the nation's large number of West people, who commander of the American Legion. foreign affairs.

CARRYING LIQUOR IN ANY QUANTITY

Defendant's Claim He Had Right to Liquor for Medicinal Purposes Overruled.

Austin, Texas.-Carrying on the within three weeks engineering person of any quantity of intoxicating liquor less than one quart and River to make the surveys of top- even as small amount as a drink, an ographic maps for the large irriga- ounce, half a pint or pint, which is tion project near Red Bluff, which to be used as a beverage, constitutes contemplates watering 200 600 acres. transporting of liquor and therefore A. H. Dunlap, member of the a violation of law, the Court of Crimwater board, said the dam will be inal Appeals held in a divided opinbuilt in Texas some twenty-two ion rendered in affirming the case of miles by the meanderings of the A Gandy, on appeal from Milam river below the New Mexico line County, where he had been convicted and about fifteen miles by air line of transportion of liquor and sen-

Gardy, when arrested, had a halfcarried it home, traveling along a A small part of the 200,000 acres public road for a distance of about is now under irrigation in several twelve miles. He contended that the bined into one large reclamation dis- right to possess intoxicating liquor for purposes other than for sale, Another announcement made by he would have the right to accept the water board was that parties the bottle, which he said was given sent to the Upper Brazos are running him by a bootlegger and to carry it levels or engaged in control work about his person. Gandy claimed that in the Asperment teritory. One party he had gotten the liquor for medicinis on the Salt Fork of the Brazos al purposes and not for sale or to near Asperment and the other in the be used as a beverage. He claimed Double Mountain Fork between As- to have had the right to possess and transport it under amendments to John A. Norris, chairman of the the Dean prohibition law enacted conference regarding the organiza- Eighth Legislatures, the former perreclamation district, which contem- for the purpose of sale, and the latfor flood control, these to be on the the possession of intoxicating liquor Trinity. In this maner it is proposed for the purpose of sale is made unto end disastrous flood in that lawful, proof of the possession of more than one quart of such liquor shall be prima facie evidence of guilt, which may be rebutted by evidence showing that the possession was not prohibited.

In majority opinion written by Judge O. S. Lattimore and concurred in by Judge H. L. Hawkins, who also wrote an opinion, it was held that the contention set up by Gandy is not the law.

Presiding Judge W. C. Morrow took a different view and dissented from the majority opinion.

He also wrote an opinion, declaring that "the mere act of possessing less than a quart of intoxicating liquor may be identical with that of carrying such quantities of liquor upon the person and there is no express language in the statute declaring that it shall not be carried on the person when not illegally possessed. where the law expressly states that there is no unlawful intent coming from the possession of less than a quart of liquor, the inference should be, in the absence of proof to the contrary, in favor of innocence rather than guilt. Under such circumstances, the implication would be one of lawful possession rather than unlawful transportation.'

The Legislature, according to the opinion of the majority of the court, is without power to enact laws in derogation of or opposition to the purposes of the eighteenth amendment to the Federal Constitution, "and we take it," says the opinion, 'that any law whose construction would make its operation a hindrance to or in opposition to the prevention of manufacture, sale or transportation of such liquor for beverage purposes, should be held unconstitutional and as violative of the forbiddance of both State and Federal Constitutions."

The transportation of the half-pint of whiskey, admitted by Gandy to have been carried by him twelve miles along a public road and found on his person by arresting officers, makes him amenable to the law forbidding transportation of intoxicat ing liquors.

Turkey Crop Moving

Smithville, 'Sexas. - The turkey crop of the secon began to move here last week when several large shipments left for dressing plants paid was 15c a pound. The crop is not as large as last season.

Set Cace for Submission. Supreme Austin, Texas.—The Court has set for submission on Nov. 26 the case of J. A. Herring et al vs. Houston National Exchange Bank, from Harris County, growing out of the putchase by the State Prison Commission of the Richmond Cotton

Stunt Aviator Dies in Fall. Tulsa, Ok.—Cyle Harchem, stunt aviator, formerly of Wichita, Kan., was killed when he fell from an altiright.

Train Visits West.

West, Texas.—The Black Land with four cars of exhibits, composed of the policies enacted and pursued of cotton, feedstuffs, fruits and vegewere interested in the exhibits.

E. B. Walthall, member of the State Board of Control, left recently for an inspection of eleemosynary institutions in North Texas.

The Texas Public Health Association has announced the appointment of Lewis E. Bracy as cirector of the 1924 tuberculosis seal sale in Texas. 市 市 市

In observance of Armistice Day all departments in the State Capitol were closd Tuesday and all business in the city of Austin was suspended.

S. L. Staples, State Treasurer, made a call to pay 3,000 State warrants, up to and including No. 7056 and representing \$403,566. This left the net deficit at \$1,621,961. No. 7050 was issued Sept. 29.

Report that Joseph S. Mevers will resign as State Labor Commissioner early in December to become associated with publication of labor papers at San Antonio and Houston, could not be confirmed.

* * * Curiosity of the public is netting the State penitentiary system an average of \$25 a day, according to Mrs. J. E. King, member of the prison advisory commission. charge of 25c recently was established as an admittance fee for visitors at the Huntsville penitentiary. Visitors are so numerous the prison is making a material profit, Mrs. King

Assingnment has been made by torney General W. A. Keeling of Assistant General C. A. Wheeler to assist in the defense of Ranger Captain B. C. Baldwin at San Antonio, in cases resulting from four indictments returned by the Bexar County grand jury, charging Baldwin with having failed to make an accounting to the Sheriff of liquor seized by him and his men in raids.

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The amount of crude oil gathered by pipe lines in Texas in September was 9,382,363 barrels, decrease of 726,774 barrels compared with gatherings during the previous month, according to the monthly statement issued by the oil and gas division of the Railroad Commission. Navarro County fields again headed the list, reporting 2,116,032 barrels as having been gathered in September.

Gov. Pat M. Neff, accompanied by D. E. Colp of San Antonio, chairman of the State Park Board, left Austin last week on a ten-day automobile trip through West Texas and the Panhandle country. The Governor, in addition to delivering the principal address at the laying of the cornerstone of the new Texas Technological College at Lubbock on Tuesday, Armistice Day, made a number of speeches on State parks in the different sections he visited.

An opinion of the highest importance to the departments and institutions of Texas was written when Assistant Attorney General Sutton advised the State Board of Control that the State Highway Commission has the legal right to designate the kind and class of machinery it needs for the conduct of its work, the only concern of the control board being to buy it at the least possible cost to the State.

An invitation to the nurses over the State to attend the institute for public health nurses to be held at Austin Nov. 17-29 is extended by the bureau of child hygiene, State Board of Health. Lectures on sanitation and public health administration wiil be given by Dr. Malone Duggan, State Health Officer; Dr. H. Garst. director of the Lureau of Thild hygiene, and V. M. Ehlers, bureau of sanitary engineering.

The State Highway Department is now shipping out the various printed supplies, chauffeur's badges, dealers' plates, etc., to the County Tax Collectors throughout the State. Motor vehicle and commercial motor vehicle plates are being shipped by the contractor direct to Tax Collectors. The department is sure that all supplies will be in the hands of Tax Collectors so that they can begin the collection of 1925 revenue by Dec. 1.

The Texas Educational Survey Commission has been called by Gov. Neff to meet in Austin on Nov. 24 to take final action on the report of Dr. George A. Works, Cornell University, who directed the survey. The in Fort Worth November 17, but the Governor changed the place and date of the meeting in order to accommobe unable to attend a meeting for an earlier date than Nov. 24.

on the State Capitol Wednesday out of respect to the memory of John L. Wortham who died at Houston. Mr. Wortham had served as Railroad Commissioner and Secretary of State

The Texas Capitol observed Armistice Day with a parade and ceremonies, the prircipal feature of which was an address by Alvin M. Owsley of Denton, former national

Japany Evolution



Setting Rice in Japan.

(Prepared by the National Geographic So guages, with their grammars and dieciety, Washington, D. C.) There is a marked background of American influence in the rise of Japan -one of the most rapid and striking

national developments recorded in his-In half a century Japan's populaion has more than doubled, her wealth pas increased twenty-fold, and she has been transformed from an almost forgotten hermit nation into a world power, a leader in industry and commerce, with an ambition to be second to none in capturing the markets of

For Japan's development, there are reasons both internal and external. First and greatest of all was the new mind created long ago by the Oyomei philosophy, which threw the reactionary Confucian cult into comparative shadow.

the world.

In this mental discipline it should be noted that every one, without exception, of "the fifty-five creators" of the New Japan was trained, and some proved to be past masters. Without this element, the Japan we now know would not, could not, have been. Introduced from China, in the Seventeenth century, the philosophy of Wang Yang-ming (Oyomei in Japanese) was developed and taught by books and expounders in fifty different centers.

Two hundred and fifty years of peace sufficed for the accumulation of the nation's potencies in preparation for emergence, when the opportunity should come.

During all this period there was unbroken contact with Europe through the Dutch at Nagasaki. Even the Portuguese and Spanish contacts of seventy years, with merchants, military men, and engineers, had left their mark on the Japanese language, architecture, music, military science, and dietetics. Then, from the Dutch, with their mechanics, physicians, language, books, apparatus, and hospitals, such wonderful results were wrought in art, science, invention and trade, in ideas and commodities, that Swift, through his knowledge of Holland, was able to pen his extravaganza, "Gulliver's Travels." Dutch culture had been like seed sown everywhere.

A thousand spots of light foretold the comies; dawn of a long bright day. Hundreds of native physicians read the noble Dutch language and in a measure practiced European medicine. At Nagasaki, Dr. Pompe van Merdervoort had established a hospital and trained physicians, while Dutch mechanics. with the aid of Japanese workmen, had built a steam vacht.

"Black Ships" From America

In a word, Japan was as a rich clover field already pollenized from All erudition was in the hieroglyphics the Occident. Like a steady line of bees, the Dutch ships had been bring- tackling the Japanese script and style large scale, were the "black ships" of in their waters. What the islanders learned both from honestly shipwrecked sailors and from the volantary waifs (chiefly mutineers) quickened the national temperament.

President Fillmore's fleet, which was ordered to sail for the East in 1852 on the same day that Japan's greatest emporer, Mutsuhito, was born, consisted largely of store ships, which and products.

pleted his treaty-making, there was held in 1854 on the strand at Yokohama, Japan's first industrial exposition. In 1872 the more ornamental commission had been called to meet presents were in a storehouse at Shizuoka, the place of the last shocopied, especially in that new part of paralleled record, even in the Occident. the empire galled the Hokkaido (Yezo), which throughout bears a In Old Japan man was too much like The Texas flag was at half mast very American aspect; and the reason | a beast, while the beast was too much of this is clear. A commission of scientific and practical men, sent out facts. For ages, and even until tofrom Washington, was active in the day, Japan has suffered from too much island between 1870 and 1880.

and equipment of at least five of the to uplift her men and women. first American missionaries. Three, spanning the gulf between the two lan- the commonwealth.

tionaries. They also trained the intellectuals, and introduced likewise photography and the finer arts.

The third, G. F. Verbeck, was a marine engineer and master of seven or eight languages. For years, when the Gospel was still unpalatable, he taught the Japanese everything they wished to know. Then he organized their university, taught them the spirit of occidental law and custom, explained the freedom of the press and how church trustees held property. He also proposed the great embassy of 1872-4 around the world to study the details of Western civilization, half the personnel being chosen from his pupils.

Quick to Follow Their Guides.

Back of all was the nation's youth, with its vigor, its innate capacity to select, adopt, adapt, and become adepts. Both geologically and in human history, Japan is the youngest country in Asia.

From 1859 to 1868 not a few foreign helpers on the soil gave their time and talents to aid Japan; but after 1870 and until 1900 and later, Argonauts from the West came in fleets to cover Japan with a golden fleece. No fewer than 5,000 yatoi (salaried foreigners), experts in every line and field of human endeavor, were called out and employed. These men started the first railways, telegraphs. lighthouses, navy yards, foundries, mercantile projects, mechanical inven-

tions, appliances, and agencies. Yet the Japanese already had the capacity and ambition. The aliens were only the guides, helpers, and servants. An American missionary Jonathan Goble, invented the jinriki sha, that has rolled round the world. Nevertheless the yatoi did but teach the rudiments and point the way. It was the Japanese who made the New

When feudalism had been abolished. in 1871, and the once-despised merchant was given honor and opportunity, he unfolded the pinions of a towering ambition and looked abroad to capture the markets of Asia. It was "like giving wings to a tiger."

As early been sent to Holland for naval education: but it was under British officers that the imperial navy was reconstructed, while French first, and then Germans, recreated the military system. (Admiral Togo was for 12 years under British naval instruction). To Americans was given the task of national education, methods of finance being borrowed from Belgium.

Only the learned Japanese, in 1870, could by ear or eye read anything higher than shop accounts or fiction. of China. It was said by aliens first ing the vitalizing influences for more of speech that there were seven disthan two centuries. Yet to the Jap- tinct languages in one. At times Japanese, the modern revelations, on a lanese gentlemen in conversation seemed to have graduated from an oldthe American whalers that gathered time school for the deaf, for they used their fingers and the palms of their hands most industriously to show just what ideographs they were using or the meaning they wished to convey.

Their New Education.

A reform in this direction meant the uplift of humanity and the manifold increase of the nation's resources through productive individual ability. These facts seem to explain the nawere loaded with American inventions tional renaissance better than official statistics, imposing as these figures of After Commodore Perry had com- millions are, or even the present-day reports of trained alien journalists. The new education uplifted a whole nation. Almost every village and hamlet pulses with new life. The victories, both over China and Russia and in the world's markets, were won first in gun's banishment. The things of use, Japan's public schools. In 1920 these in agriculture and the arts, had al- numbered 25,644, with 178,450 teachdate Dr. Works, who said he would ready been widely distributed and ers and 8,362,992 pupils—an almost un-

> In all this there is a living parable. like a man. Herein are the parent hand labor. She needs more live ani-Even more impressive to the student | mals at the plow and in the fields, the of Japan's evolution were the personnel streets and the mills, while she needs

> What has really made the New besides being mature in experience, Japan is this emergence in social life had been long before in China, or of the new spirit of personality and of were men of science and technical individuality. The old civilization was ability. Dr. J. C. Hepburn opened a communal. The new national life is hospital and dispensary and trained based, in the main, on the assertion the first surgeons and physicians, and of the inherent powers of the indihe and S. R. Brown built the bridges | vidual, yet in unity of purpose with

Judith of Blue Lake Ranch

By JACKSON GREGORY

DAVID BURRILL LEE

SYNOPSIS .- Bud Lee, foreman of the Blue Lake ranch, convinced Bayne Trevors, manager, is deliberately wrecking the property owned by Judith Sanford, a young woman; her cousin, Pollock Hampton, and Timothy Gray, decides to throw up his job. Judith arrives and announces she has bought Gray's share in the ranch and will run it. She discharges Trevors, after shooting him twice in self-de-The men on the ranch dislike taking orders from a girl, but by subduing a vicious horse and proving her thorough knowledge of ranch life, Judith wins the best of them over. decides to stay, for a while at least. Judith becomes convinced that her veterinarian, Bill Crow-dy, is treacherous. She discharges him and gets back Doc Tripp.
her dead father's man. Pollock
Hampton, part owner, comes to
stay "for good." Trevors accepts
Hampton's invitation to visit the
ranch, Judith's messenger is held up and robbed of the monthly pay roll. Bud Lee goes to the city for more money, getting back safely with it, though his horse is killed under him. Both and Judith see Trevors' hand

CHAPTER V—Continued

In the clump of brush, close to the outer fringe, behind a low, broad boulder, a man had lain on his belly no longer ago than yesterday. Broken twigs showed it, a small brush crushed down told of it, the marks of his toes in some of the softer soil find that trail." proclaimed it eloquently. And, had other signs been required, there they were: two empty brass cartridges thrown them several feet away.

While Judith visualized just what had occurred, saw the tall manhe must have been tall for his boot toes to scratch the earth vonder while his rifle-barrel lay for support across the boulder in front-resting his gun and firing down into the canyon-Lee was back at her side, saying shortly:

"What do you think? There's a plain trail up here, old as the hills, but tip-top for speedy going."

"And," said Judith without looking up, "It runs down into the next saddle, to the north of that ridge, curves up again and with monuments all along the way, runs straight to the Upper End and comes down to the northeast to the lake. It's the old Indian trail. If the man we want turned east, then he went right on to the lake before he stopped putting one foot in front of the other. Unless he hid out all night, which I don't be-

"What makes you think he went "There's no other trail up here that

to your horse, take the road, make time getting to the Upper End and see what you can see there!" Hurrying back to their horses

they rode to the ranch-house where Judith, with no word of adieu, left Lee to go to the house. Lee made a late lunch, saddled another horse, and when the bunk-house clock stood at a quarter of four, started for the Upper End.

"That girl's got the savvy," was his one remark to himself.

CHAPTER VI

Under Fire

Lee, coming to the water's edge sought to guess where the old Indian trail come down. And here again, startling him for a second time, Judith rode up.

She, too, had a fresh horse; she too now carried a rifle across her arm. Bud Lee frowned.

"One of us," he said calmly, looking her straight in the eyes, "is

going back. Which one?"
"Nelther!" she retorted promptly. She even smiled confidently at him.

"For I won't. And you won't." "Do you need to be told," he asked her cooliy, "that this is no sort of job

for a girl? You'd only be in the way." "If you want glittering generalities," she jeered at him, "then listen to this: A man's job, first, last, and all time, is to be chivalrous to a woman!

And not a bumptious boor!" With that she spurred by him, taking the trail which led off to the right | ter and clean out of the country." and so under the cliffs and to the mouth of a great, ragged chasm. In spite of him. Bud Lee grinned after

be turned back, he followed. They left their horses and followed the old footpath, made their way into tle by little climbed upward. The climb was less difficult than it looked, rifle and something to eat and I'll de- ment ago. She was not there. and fifteen minutes brought them to the upland plateau and to the door of en old cabin, made of logs, set back in a tiny grove of cedars.

"I haven't been here for a year," cried the girl, forgetful of the constraint which bad held them until non "It's like getting back home for

the time! I love it." "as in i" Lee said within himself. girls as some men think, they could shots to answer.

one has been repairing the old cabin! ford out of the country." He's made a bench yonder under the big tree, too. And he has walled in the spring with rocks, and Who in the world can it be? There's even a little garden of wild flowers!"

Bud Lee, for no reason clear to himself, flushed. He offered no explanation at first. Here he spent many an hour when the time was his for idling; here upon many a Sunday, when work was slack, did he come to smoke alone, loaf alone, read from the few books on the cabin's shelves.

"Maybe," he suggested at last, when it was clear that Judith was going straight to the door, "this is where our stick-up gents hang out. Choice place for a cuttbroat to hibernate,

"I don't believe it," answered Judith positively. "The man who made his hermitage here has a soul! I'd rather own this cabin and live here. than have a palace on Fifth avenue!"

She knocked at the door, knowing that silence would arover her, but hoping to have a man, calm-eved, gentle-voiced a romantic hermit in all of his picturesqueness, come to the

"Going in?" asked Lee in well-simulated carelessness.

"No," she told him freezingly. "Why should 1? Would you want people poking shout into your home just because & was in the heart of a wilderness and you weren's there to drive them out?"

"No," armwered Bud gravely, "Now that you ask me. I wouldn't! Let's go

"But," continued Judith, "not being a fool, and realizing that one of the men we want might possibly be in where the automatic ejector had hiding in here, I am going to peek

> "Not being a fool," he repeated after her, adding gently, "and being a girl, which means filled with cu-

A disdainful shoulder gave him his answer. The door was unlocked, after immemorial western custom, and Judith opened it. Lee heard her little gasp of pure delight.

"He's a dear, the man who lives here!" she announced positively. "You can just tell by looking at his home.

Looking in over her shoulder, Bud Lee wondered just what in his oneroom shanty had caught her enthusiasm. There was the rock fireplace with an iron hook progruding from each side for coffee-pot and stew-pot: a bunk with a blanket smoothed over cedar boughs; a shelf with a dozen books; little else, so far as he could see or remember, to catch at Judith's delight. Yet she, looking through woman's eyes, read in one quick "peek" the character of the dweller in this abode. One who was content gets anywhere. Now," and she rose with little, who loved a clean, outdoor swiftly, confronting him, "the thing life, and who was tranquilly above the for you to do, Bud Lee, is to get back pettiness of humanity. Judith closed the door softly. Going straight across the plateau.

she showed him where one could clamber up a steep way to the ridge. Once up there, it was but ten minutes until, in a hollow, they found the monument marking a trail, a stone set upon a boulder.

It was after five o'clock. When, winding along the side of the ridge, they found the signs they sought, it was fast growing dark. But there, in off." Bang! Bang! a narrow defile where loose soil had filtered down, were tracks left by a hands and knees to study them in the dusk. He got up with a little grunt the sharp slope to the plateau, putting and moved down the trail. Again he found tracks, this time more clearly defined. So dark was it now that they had lighted several matches.

"Two men," he announced wonderingly. "Fresh tracks, too. Made this morning or last night, I'll bet. One coming east from Indian Head. The other coming west from the plateau Lee had felt a stinging pain as though come from?"

"He's the second of the two men who shot at you," said Judith quickly. "Don't I know every trail in this neck of the woods, Bud Lee? He followed cabin. another old, worn-out trail on the south side of the ranch. They met | And now what? I want to know." here just as I knew they would!"

the darkness at her eager face, "What sat with his back against the rocks would they want to get together for? while he gave swift first aid to his in Crowdy's chest, high up near the If they had any sense they would scat-

"Unless," Judith reminded him, "they don't intend to clean out at all! Unless they mean to stick to the cliffs her. And, seeing that she was not to and try their hands again at their sort of game. They'll figure that we will expect them to be a long way of blood from It." from here by now, won't they? Then the chasm deeper and deeper and lit- where would they be safer than right here in these mountains? Give me a fy an army getting me out of here And think of it: If this is Trevors' work, if he means business, think what two gunmen on these heights Fainted, most likely." could do to us. They could pick off a three-thousand-dollar stallion down rock wall, seeking ber. A spurt of tonight's play," he said, holding up the in the pens; they could drop more flame from the east corner of the bag to Judith, lifting his eyes to her than one prize bull or cow; and" she cabin drew his eyes away from his face.

"Look!" exclaimed Judith. "Some | take a chance on scaring Judith San-

Lee stared at her a long time in silence.

"I wouldn't have said." he offered finally, "that Bayne Trevors would make quite so strong a play as that."

"You wouldn't! Then look him in the eye! And where's his risk, if he's picked the right men, if he sees them through, keeping the back door open when they want to run for it? You just gamble your boots, Bud Lee, that Barne Trevors .

Without warning, without a sound of explosion came a wiry whine into the still air, a little venomous ping, and a bullet sped by just over their heads. But, through the gloom, they both saw the flash of the gun as It spat fire and lead, and, as though one impulse commanded them Judith's rifle and Bud Lee's went to their shoulders and two reverberating reports rang out in answer.

"Lie down, d-n it!" cried Bud Lee to the girl at his side, as again there came the flash from the cliffs off to the right and as again he answered it with his rifle.

"Lie down yourself!" snapped Judith. And once more her rifle spoke with his.

For one instant, framed against the darkening sky along the cliff edge five hundred vards away to the right, they saw a silhouette of a man, leaping from one boulder to another, a man who looked gigantically big in the uncertain light. They fired; he jumped again and passed out of sight.

"Got his nerve," grunted Lee as he pumped lead at the running figure. As an answer there came the third flash, the bullet striking the trail in front of them. And then the fourth flash, from a point a hundred yards to the left of the other.

"That's Number Two," muttered "They've got us in the open,



Between Them-a Man Lay Helplessly.

Judith. Let's beat It back to the cabin."

"I'm with you," said Judith, befollowing the trail back and forth in its tween shots. "It's just foolishness" .. bang! ... "sticking out here" bang! . . .

They ran then, Bud slipping in they know how." front of her, his tall body looming large' boot. Lee went down on his darkly between her and the cliffs whence the shots came. He slid along out his arms toward her. And as she had been another flash out of the was a candle thickening night, this one from the refuge toward which they were runbehind us. Who's he? Where'd he a hot iron had scorched its way along Rocky Bend. the side of his leg.

"Hurt much?" asked Judith quickly. Without waiting for an answer, she pumped two shots at the flash by the

"No," grunted Lee. "Just scared. Bud Lee, in the thicker darkness "What for?" Lee frowned through lying along the edge of the plateau, wound. He brought into requisition the knotted handkerchief from his At first that seemed the only wound. throat, bound it tightly around the But in a second Lee had found ancalf of his leg and said lightly to other. This was in the leg, and this,

"Just a fool scratch, you know. But I've no hankering to dribble out a lot

Judith made no answer. Lee took up his rifle and turned to the spot where she had been standing a mo-"Gone!" he grunted, frowning into

He got up and moved along the low

added sharply, "If they thought about search and he pumped three quick

Again he sought Judith, calling softly. There was no answer. Once more came the spurt of flame from the shelter of the cabin wall. Then fifty yards off to Lee's right, some fifty

yards nearer the cabin, another shot. The first suspicion that one of the men from the cliffs had made his way down to join issue at close quarters, was gone in a clear understanding. That was the bark of Judith's rifle; she had slipped away from him without an instant's delay and was creeping closer and closer to the cabin.

"I)-n the girl!" cried Lee angrily. "She'll get her fool self killed!"

But as he ran forward to join her he realized that she was doing the right thing-the only thing if they did not want to lie out here all night for the men on the cliffs to pick off in the morning light. He knew that she could shoot; it seemed that she could do everything that was a man's work and which a woman should know nothing about.

Frowning into the night, he thought that he could make out the dim blur of Judith's form. The girl was standing erect; shooting, too, for again the duel of red spurts of flame told where she and her quarry stood.

Meanwhile Lee ran on, changing his original purpose, swerving out from where Judith was moving forward. turning to the left, hopeful to come to close quarters with their assailant before she could go down under that sharp rifle-fire or could bring down the other. For certainly, if she kept on that way, the time would come when some one would stop hot lead.

Lee shifted his rifle to his left hand, taking his revolver into his right. From the cliffs came a shot and he grunted at it contemptuously. It could do nothing but assure those below that there was still some one up there.

"Three of them to our two," he estimated, "counting the two jaspers on the cliff. Two of us to their one, counting what's down here. that's all that counts right this

A shot from Judith; a shot from the cabin; two shots from the cliffs. The two shots from above brought fresh news; not only were they closer together, but they indicated the men up yonder were coming down. Lee

made out the faint outline of that which he sought. Close to the cabin, low down, evidently on his knees was the most important factor to be considered now. Still Lee was too far away to be certain of a hit and he meant with all of the grim determination in him to hit something at last. He ran on, drawing the fire away from Judith. A rifle ball sank close to his side, another and another. He lost the dim shape of the kneeling man, who, he thought, had risen from his knees and was standing, his body tightpressed to the cabin.

"Why the devil doesn't he run for

it?" wondered Lee. But evidently, be the reason what it might, the man had no intention of running. A bullet cut through Lee's sleeve. At last Lee answered. He ran in closer as he fired and, running emptied his revolver, jammed it into his waistband clubbed his rifle and realized with something of a shock that there were but two rifles on the cliffs to take into consideration. That other rifle, at the cabin, was still. Out of ammunition? Or plugged? Or play-

ing 'possum?' Which? "Stop shooting!" he shouted to

"I'm coming!" she cried back to him.

Almost at the same instant, their two rifles ready, they came to the cabin. Between them on the ground a man lay at the corner, moving helplessly, groping for his fallen gun, fall-

"Open the door," said Bud, "I'll get him inside and we'll see who he is . "for them to pop us Hurry. Judith; those other jaspers are working down this way as fast as

Judith, taking time to snatch up the fallen rifle, ran around to the door. Lee slipped his hands under the armpits of the wounded man and dragged him in Judith's wake. In the cabin, came down, Bud Lee grunted and the door shut, Lee struck a match cursed under his breath. For there and went to a little shelf where there

"Bill Crowdy!" gasped Judith. Almost before Lee saw the man's ning. A third man was shooting from | face he saw the canvas bag tied to his the shelter of the cabin walls. And belt, a bag identical with the one he himself had brought from the bank at

> "The man that stuck up Charlie Miller." he said slowly. "And there's your thousand bucks, or I'm a liar, I get something of their play now: those two fellows up there were waiting to meet him and split the swag three ways. And I've got the guess they'll be asking a look-in yet!"

> Lee knelt and with quick fingers sought the wound. There was a hole throat, that was bleeding profusely. like Lee's was bound tightly with a handkerchief.

> "Got that, first rattle out of the box!" commented Lee. That's why he stuck on the job and didn't try to run for it. Looks like a rifle ball had smashed the bone." He didn't look up. His fingers, busy

with the string at Crowdy's belt, the blackness hemming him in. "Now, brought away the canvas bag. There what do you suppose she's up to? was blood on it; it was heavy and gave forth the mellow jangle of gold. "You win back your thousand on

reide with horser.

But Judith shrank back, her eyes

"I don't want it! I can never touch it!" she whispered.

Suddenly she was shaking from head to foot, her eyes fixed in terrible fascination upon Crowdy's face. Lee tossed the bag to the bunk across the room, whence it fell clanking to the

"Now she's going to faint," was him thought. "Well, I won't blame her so d-n much. Poor little kid!"

But he did not look at her again. He tore away Crowdy's shirt to discover just how serious the wound in the chest was. Unless Bill Crowdy oled to death, he stood an excellent chance to doing time in the penitentiary. Lee stanched the flow of blood, made a rude bandage, and then, lifting the body gently, carried it to the

"Now," said Lee, speaking bluntly, afraid that a tone of sympathy might merely aid the girl to "shake to pieces," "we've got a chance to be on our way before Number Two and Number Three get into the game, Let's run for it. Judith."

Judith shook her head. "We'll stay here until morning," she said finally, her voice surprising Lee, who had looked for a sign of weakness to accord with her sudden pallor and visible trembling.

"What for?" he wanted to know. 'We'll have another fight on our hands if we do. Those fellows, this deep in it, are not going to quit while they know that there's all that mency in the shack!" "I don't care," said Judith firmly.

'I won't run from them or anybody else I know! And, besides, Bud Lee, I am not going to give them the chance to get Crowdy away. . . Do you think he is going to die?"

"No. I don't. Doc Tripp will fix

"Then here I stay, for one. When I go, Bill Crowdy goes with me! He's going to talk, and he's going to help me send Bayne Trevors to the pen."

Rud Lee expressed all he had to say in a silent whistle. He'd made another mistake, that was all. Judith wasa't going to faint for him tonight.

"Then," he said presently, setting her the example, slip some fresh cartridges into your rifle and get ready for more shooting. I'll put out the light and we'll wait for what's next."

Judith replenished the magazine of her rifle. Lee, watching from under the low-drawn brim of his hat, noted that her fingers were steady now. Crowdy moved in his bunk, lifted a hand weakly, groaned and grew still. Lee rearranged his bandage.

"Put out the light now?" he asked

"No," she answered. "Since we're got to spend the night with a man in Crowdy's shape, it will be more cossy, won't it, with the light on?"

She even put out her hand to one of the books on the shelves which the could reach from her bench. "And now." she added, "I'm sure

that our hermit won't mind if we peep into his library, will he?"

"No," answered Lee gravely. "Most likely he'll be proud."

Lee found time to muse that life is made of incongruities, woman of inconsistencies. Here with a badly hart man lying ten feet from her, with every likelihood of the night stillness being ripped in two by a rifle-shot, Judith sat and turned the pages of a book. Bud Lee flushed as he watched her. She turned the pages slowly, came back to the fly-leaf page, read the name scrawled there and, turning swiftly to Lee, said accusingly:

"David Burrill Lee, you are a hum-

"Wrong again," grinned Lee. hermit, you mean! 'A man with a soul'-

"Scat!" answered Judith. But, under Bud Lee's teasing eyes, the color began to come back into her cheeks. She had been a wee bit enthusiastic over her hermit, making of him a picturesque ideal. She had visioned him, even to the calm eyes, gentle voice. A quick little frown touched her brows as she realized that the eyes and voice which her fancy had bestowed upon the hermit were in actuality the eyes and voice of Bud Lee, But she had called him a dear. And Lee had been laughing at her all the time-had not told her, would never have told her. The thought came to her that she would like to slap Bud Lee's face for him. And she had told Tripp she would like to slap Pollock Hampton's. Good and hard!

She had called him a dear. And now she wants to slap his face. Well, well! What next?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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All matter for publication in the Review, whether news or advertisements, should be in this office not later than Wednesday noon. Last week a number of advertisments and news articles arrived too late for publication. It is much better to have all matter for publication in this office on Monday or

False Rumor

A rumor reached the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce to to the effect that the terminal of the M. K. & T. branch line here would be changed to DeLeon. Immediately upon receipt of the rumor he wired the superintendent of the road, and received a prompt reply stating that the rumor was without foundation, and added that such a change had never been contemplated or

S. N. Strahan of Cottonwood was a ousiness visitor here Tuesday.

Owen Baum and family thoved to Denton in west part of county, this

Misses King and Arvin of Cotton wood, were Monday shoppers here.

Born to and Mrs. J. W. Flippen, of Pioneer, a boy, on Nov. 17.

Notice to Stock Owners

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Social Event

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Lindley enterdelicious luncheon Monday noon. The ments, permitting traffic to be resum- church Sunday, after which further antained a number of their friends at a scheme of yellow and white being of the road now is in much better condition, as those "ocean waves" have

Those who enjoyed the luncheon were: Mesdames, W. C. Wilkinson, Ethel Carson and W. A. Harder. Misses Harder, J. D. Conlee, N. C. Mitchell state. and Vincent Hart.

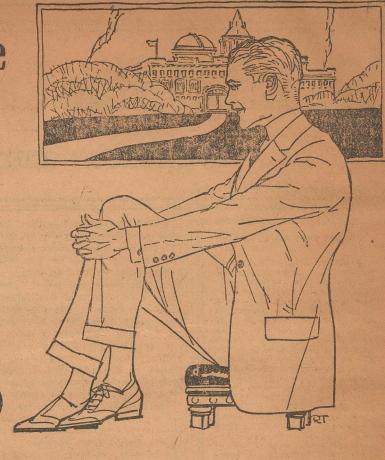
Church of Christ

Elder J. M. Harlow will preach at the Church of Christ next Sunday at eleven, by the clock. Text: Philipians 2:12-13. You are invited.

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recently put in three concrete culverts building committee appointed by the on the highway between here and Baptist church to work out plans for Pioneer, went back this week and pull- a new church building, have plans ed the dirt up and leveled up the abut- drawn up which will be presented to the house was beautifully decorated with ed without detouring, which has been nouncements will be authorized. The chrysanthemums and roses, a color necessary for several days. That end church is expected to take definite visiting relatives at Burkett, returned been eliminated.

A. F. Tate and sons, Arthur and Marian, left Tuesday for New Mexico W. C. Wilkinson, Taylor Bond, W. A. to participate in a big hunt in that

> E. R. Wilson and Joe Burris, oil operators, of Oklahoma, are business visitors here this week. They have holdings in the local fields.

Martin Jones and R. D. Baum are spending the week in Cisco, taking special treatment.

Henry Orr and wife are on business trip to Stanton, this week.

Mrs. Geo. Cunningham and children, Cisco Loboes defeated the Indians 28 who are in Cisco for the school term, to 0. Quite a number of Cross Plains spent past week end here with husband and father, Geo. Cunningham.

Commissioner, George Clifton, who The Review is informed that the

motored over to Coleman last Friday night to attend the big Chamber of Commerce banquet. It was ad elaborate affair, they report.

Mrs. Helms of Rotan who has been home this week

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