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Democratic Lead in House Reduced to 25

A Deflection of Thirteen Votes Will Change the Result on a Straight Party Vote

Washington, Nov. 15.—Not in years has Tammany occupied the position in national affairs that it will beginning with the Sixty-Fourth Congress, as sixteen of its members and those aligned with the McCooey organization of Brooklyn will sit in the House of Representatives. The new House line-up is: Democrats 229, Republicans 196, Progressives 6, Independents 1, Socialists 1, and one seat contested. The Democratic working majority is twenty-five, and a deflection of thirteen votes will change the result of a straight party vote, which gives Tammany a virtual control. The Democratic majority in the last House of Representatives was 150.

That the Wilson administration will be strengthened or weakened by results of the Sixty-Fourth Congress is not doubted, and the coming of Tammany with its controlling forces on the basis as indicated gives the approaching session a unique aspect from a party view-point. It is not assumed by those close to the Administration that the New Yorkers will lead an organized revolt against the policies of President Wilson, yet the close margin which must be relied upon to make safe a party program has occasioned a little uneasiness.

The new House of Representatives will present many changes—some eliminations and some comebacks. Oscar Underwood, last session's floor leader, goes to the Senate, having defeated Richmond P. Hobson in the Alabama primary election. Hobson is eliminated and will be succeeded by W. B. Oliver of Tuscaloosa, at one time dean of the the Alabama Law School. Succeeding Underwood is George Huddleston of Birmingham. Representative Stanley, who was defeated for the Senate by J. C. W. Beckham, was recently elected Governor of Kentucky. Robert F. Broussard of Louisiana is another member of the House who goes to the Senate, there succeeding John R. Thornton of Alexandria. Senator Broussard is succeeded in the House by W. P. Martin of Thibodaux, a Progressive.

Among the other House eliminations are Victor Murdock of Wichita, one of the leading Progressives, who made the race unsuccessfully for the Senate; George A. Neeley of Hutchinson, Democratic nominee for the Senate, defeated by Senator Charles Curtis, a Republican and a comeback; Representative Charles Burke, Republican, of South Dakota, and former chairman of the House Indian Affairs Committee, defeated for the Senate; Representative Willis of Ohio, now Governor of his State, and who a few days ago declined to become a candidate for President; Richard Bartholdt of St. Louis, voluntarily retired after twenty two

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think as fast as Charles F. Murphy of New York, now postmaster of the Hub; Jack Beall of Texas, who voluntarily retired to enter the practice of law in Dallas and a multitude of others.

No more illustrious among the comebacks is there than Uncle Joe Cannon of Illinois, who is best remembered as Speaker of the House and Czar while at it; another is Nicholas Longworth of Ohio, son-in-law of Ex-President Roosevelt, and William B. McKinley of Illinois. These three, and William A. Rodenburg and John A. Sterling of Illinois, were lame ducks who went out with the landslide in 1912.

In new talent Texas furnishes three: Jeff McLemore of Houston, Cyclone Davis of Sulphur Springs and Eugene Black of Clarksville. Hatton W. Sumners of Dallas, shifted from Congressman at Large to Representative of the Dallas district, succeeds Jack Beall.—Mark L. Goodwin, Special Correspondent, in Dallas News.

T. A. Amos returned Saturday from an extended trip to the counties south of here and to southeastern New Mexico. He did not like the New Mexico country but he happened on an unusual bargain in a farm nine miles south of Lamesa and he purchased the land. He will move to the land in January. Mr. Amos says he secured the land at almost the price of a mortgage, and he considers that he made a thousand dollars on the deal at the price he paid even if he sold the land at once. His many friends at Slaton will regret to learn of his intentions in moving away, but all will be glad to know that he is making a pr

Bell County Changes Over to Dry Column

Election There Saturday Results in a Decided Victory for the Pros Who Celebrate

Temple, Texas, Nov. 14.—Complete returns from the prohibition election held Saturday in Bell County show a pro majority of 443, which is so large as to preclude all talk of contest and finds the losing faction better satisfied to make the most of the result. The total vote cast from unofficial returns was 6,361, of which the pros received 3,402 and antis 2,959. The vote was a thousand short of the full strength of the county. The prohibition vote shows an increase of 168 over that cast in the election of 1912, of which number 135 were gains in Temple and Belton. Elsewhere the strength was about the same.

Complete returns show that the pros carried twenty-nine boxes, antis twenty-one and three tied. In Temple the vote was, pro 683, anti 785; anti majority 102. This is a loss of 96 votes since the last election, although the antis cast one more vote this year than then.

At Belton the pros received 324 votes and antis 352, a majority of 29, as compared with a majority of 53 last election. Holland gave the antis a majority of one, while Rogers returned a pro majority of 30. Killeen, a pro stronghold, gave that cause a majority of 37. The box voted 120 against the pros. Rogers voted 165 for the pros. The pros are celebrating their

victory tonight on the business streets and are overjoyed at their victory.

Governor Ferguson's Comment

Austin, Texas, Nov. 14.—Governor Ferguson has returned from Bell County and commenting on Saturday's election, which resulted in a victory for prohibition, said: "It appears we have lost. Bell County has gone dry three times in the last forty years and the result of Saturday's election does not signify that it is to remain dry permanently."

The Governor had no further comment to make.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the good people of Slaton for their many acts of kindness and assistance in our hours of sorrow, occasioned by the death of our husband and father, H. H. Foreman. Your sympathy will ever be remembered and cherished by us.

Mrs. H. H. Foreman and Family.

Post's Daughter To Get His Entire Estate

Big Fortune Built From \$750 of Her Money Saved From Bankruptcy Courts

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 12.—A special to the Detroit Free Press from Battle Creek says:

"It became known here today that the \$33,000,000 estate of C. W. Post, the food manufacturer who committed suicide a year and a half ago, will go to his daughter, Mrs. Edward Close of Greenwich, Conn., in spite of Post's will, which left the fortune to his widow.

"In a suit against the Post estate, started by the State of Michigan to establish the legal residence of C. W. Post and collect inheritance tax, there developed an incident in the affairs of Post that makes his only child and heiress, Marjorie, now Mrs. Edward Close of Greenwich, Conn., owner of the Postum Cereal Company and her father's entire fortune.

"Several years ago Post went through the bankruptcy court and in the testimony given at the time, Post stated that the Postum Cereal Company was founded and built up out of a small fund of \$750 which had been saved up by the original Mrs. Post and placed to the credit of their daughter, Marjorie. As part of the same testimony it is a matter of record that Mr. Post swore the company was the property of Marjorie and that he, C. W. Post, was her agent. This has never been corrected, according to the record, and Mrs. Close will become the sole owner of the Postum company."

Vaudeville at the Movie Theater

Don Churchill and Gretchen Rockwood appear at the Movie Theater tonight and Saturday night in their musical comedy acts in connection with the moving picture program. This is the third visit of this team of popular entertainers to Slaton, and they always draw full houses on their return engagements at every theater where they play. Don Churchill is a pianist of unusual ability and Gretchen Rockwood as a soloist has become a favorite on the vaudeville circuit. They give only the latest high class music and the newest comedy, with a change of program every time and an elaborate wardrobe. They have special programs for their visit to Slaton this time.

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 Col. E. Polk Johnson of Louisville, who fought for the Confederacy, read something in the dispatches from the front the other day that reminded him very much of what happened when

he was serving in the western army in the Civil war. "I remember it was a wet, cold, rainy night in the middle of winter," said the veteran, "when a long, lean chap in my regiment was ordered to go on picket duty. He

thought the situation over for a minute and then he turned to the sergeant who had brought the message. "You go right straight back whar you come from," he drawled, "and tell the cap'n I jest natchelly can't do it. I got a letter from Gir'ral Bragg this mawnin', and he said good men was gittin' almighty skeerce in this here army, and for me to take good care of mysef."

Always Spotless, the Animal Figures in Strong Contrast With Sheep on Australian Ranges.

Out on the Australian ranges among the dirty gray billows of sheep fleece the snowy forms of the Angora goats show up like beacon lights, for they are always spotless. They are cool and easy-mannered, and seemingly hold their wool-bearing companions somewhat in disdain.

When overcrowded in a press in the pen they will perch on the backs of the sheep or step over them to a more airy point of vantage, the top of the fence by preference.

The hours never hang heavily on the hands of a goat. Seemingly requiring but little grass nourishment as compared with the sheep, they find much leisure, which they spend in itching to wonder or in stirring up strife and mischief.

As with the salt-seeking cow, few things, provided they are novelties, come amiss to their palate. A healthy Angora will quit the most succulent herbage any time for a felt hat or a pocket edition of Shakespeare, and then proceed to hunt for a tin can for further sustenance.

For The MAN Who SHAVES



The man who shaves himself knows the importance of good soap, brushes, talcum powder, witch hazel, or toilet water. That's the kind of man we cater to in our men's toilet goods. Give our preparations a trial and you'll shave with comfort. Men who know will tell you so.

RED CROSS PHARMACY

How Lines Have Been Moved Back and Forth in Europe in Constant Series of Warfare.

A hundred years ago Napoleon Bonaparte, who had some plans for the rearranging of the map of Europe, went down in defeat before those plans were completed. Others rearranged the map of Europe, but not ultimately according to his notions. For half of the century after his Waterloo the process continued briskly. For the second half Europe was more settled. There could be no more effective review of the century than Prof. A. M. Wheeler's famous lecture on the battle of Waterloo.

Perhaps the centenary of the turning point in Napoleon's career would arrest little attention, were it not for the upheaval of Europe now in process. Napoleon exalted war, and his downfall but shifted the laurels to other brows, while the process of exaltation went on. That which is now in operation is a process of war's downfall. How much of alteration of the map will follow is uncertain, nor is it essential. It is probable that we have arrived near to the end of map changing, as such. And the chiefest reason for recognizing the downfall of Napoleon is its prophecy, about to be fulfilled after the lapse of a century.—New Haven Register.

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The Instrument.
"I'd like to hang practical jokers."
"Then I suppose you would do it with a guy rope."

Her Reason.
"What do you suppose made Fanny refuse that young real estate man who asked her to marry him the other day?"
"Oh, she got offended the way he proposed."
"Why, what did he say?"
"Oh, he asked her for a refusal of her hand."

Weather Signs.
"Fusks are very thick on the corn, and it looks as if we would have a long, cold winter," said the weather sharp.
"There's another sign which is more convincing to me than the thick cornhusks," replied his neighbor.
"And what is that?"
"The thin 'ing on my winter overcoat."

Defects of Childhood.
Physical defects of childhood are largely responsible for the retardation of children in their grades at school," says William L. Bodine, president of the National League of Compulsory Education Officials. "Many of our juvenile offenders are not normal children. Proper development of muscle and mind means the betterment of humanity in general. It should begin with the child. Health and the encouragement of fundamental principles that build up health mean a happy as well as a better citizenship now and in the future.—New York Herald.

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A Rival to Kelly.
"How did that baseball player ever get the nickname, 'Culebra'?"
"Because he slides so."

Exactly.
"It seems to be a bluff sort of man you're yelling at."
"He is. That's why I'm calling him."

Fine for Her.
"Of course, Mary, I might as well tell you we are vegetarians."
"That'll be fine, ma'am. I lost my last place for burning the meat."

Evidently Not Particular.
At a trial in the court of common pleas in Sandusky, O., in 1872, several citizens were subpoenaed to testify as to the character and habits of A—B—, defendant. Among the number was an ex-probate judge of grave demeanor. The state's attorney asked this gentleman if he was acquainted with the defendant, and he replied, "Yes."
"Are you sufficiently acquainted with the defendant to know his general habits?"
"Yes, sir."
"Are they good or bad?"
"Fair."
"Now, sir, do you before this court and jury testify that you are in the habit of associating with the same kind of company as this defendant?"
"Oh, yes; I associate with all grades of company, from lawyers up."

SOW ALFALFA IN FALL

Much Depends Upon Amount of Moisture in the Soil.

If Conditions Are Favorable Three Cuttings Can Generally Be Obtained Following Season—Much Seed Wasted.

A large number of our successful alfalfa growers are sowing their alfalfa in the fall. This fall seeding some years depends on the amount of moisture in the soil. In some localities during the last few years there has not been sufficient moisture in the ground to justify fall seeding.

If the alfalfa can be sown in the fall under favorable conditions, three good cuttings can generally be gotten the following season, says Twentieth Century Farmer. If this seeding is done on stubble ground, the disk is a splendid tool to be used in preparing the ground.

The amount of seed to be sown and the manure in which the seeding is to be done have a lot to do in the way of getting a stand. It is claimed that if one had a good, strong stalk of alfalfa every six inches square there would be a good stand. Do you know that if every seed would produce a plant and every plant was placed six inches from the next it would take a little less than a pound of seed per acre? If this is true, we are throwing away a lot of seed every year.

Of course, ideal conditions can't prevail, and a certain amount of seed is always lost. Some seed won't germinate; some of it starts and dies before making a plant just because, on account of insufficient moisture, it hasn't the strength to hold out. The usual amount of seed sown is from fifteen to twenty-five pounds an acre. One of the best stands of alfalfa we ever had was from seeding ten pounds per acre.

In considering the amount of seed to be sown, we must take into consideration the manner in which the seeding is to be done. If it is sown broadcast and harrowed in, more seed must necessarily be sown than if it is drilled in. We have always favored seeding with a drill. With the drill all the seed is covered, and it stands to reason that more of it will germinate and produce plants than if broadcasted and harrowed.

The ideal conditions would be to get this seed sown and covered, yet spread as evenly as possible, or, in other words, broadcasted under the surface. It is advisable sometimes to use a wheel behind the shoe in the drill and pack the soil slightly. Alfalfa seed sells at a good price. The man seeding a field must put on sufficient seed for a stand; at the same time he does not want to put on more than is necessary. He should investigate the different drills and methods of seeding and adopt such a plan as looks to him most advisable.

Drainage Neglected.
People usually appreciate the value of irrigation, but because they can grow crops of a sort, neglect drainage. Such people, if they have land with a surplus of water, should get a pamphlet from the United States department of agriculture on "The Economy of Farm Drainage."

Establishing Alfalfa.
The sowing of alfalfa in wide rows and giving cultivation between the rows has proved to be the most certain way of establishing this great crop in all the different areas.

Treatment for Wet Land.
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Infertile Eggs Best.
Infertile eggs produced by flocks in which there is no male bird are the only kind that can reach the consumer in good condition during the hot summer months.

Feed Is Most Essential.
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Cost of Chick Feed.
Ten cents should feed a chick ten weeks, and it should then weigh two pounds, if highly fed, the ten cents covering the greatest abundance of food.

What a Cow Is Doing.
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"U-m! Don't say so?"
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"Well, that's going some."
"And he's quit playing golf, too."
"That confirms the rumor that he's married."

Suddenly, as It Were.
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"Who saw him do it?"

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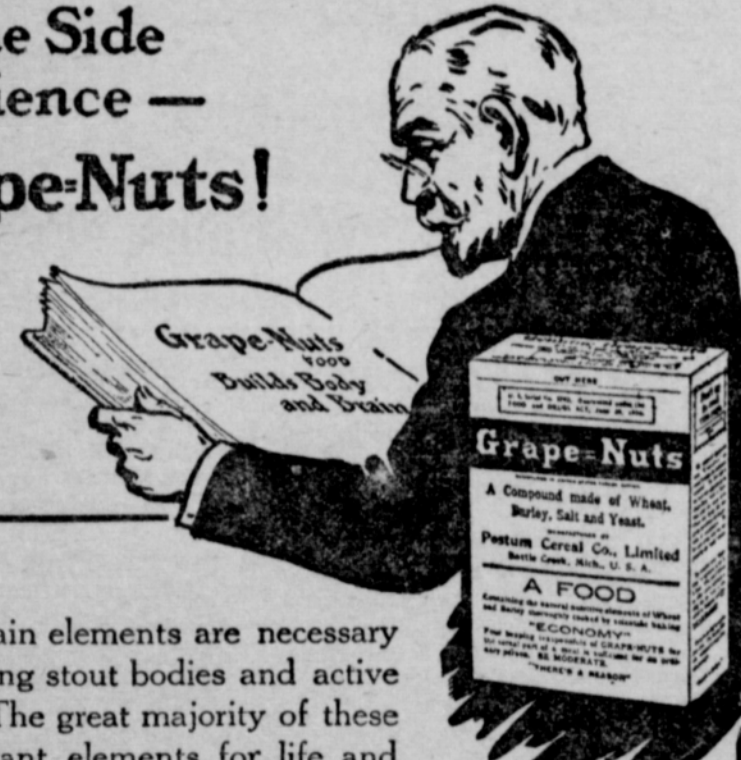
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When I was sick at each month, I had to stay in bed all the time, because my back would ache and my head would swim so that I would almost faint if I stood on my feet.

I endured this for about three years. Finally, I began to doctor with a doctor. He did not help me much. Then he recommended Cardui, and I began to take it. I took about one bottle and felt much better. I have taken a whole lot now, and feel just all right. I have no backache, headache, or dizziness now.

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Equatorial Michigan.

Representative Billy Wilson, who dwells in Chicago, found himself in the upper peninsula of Michigan doing some fishing and hunting. While there he conversed with the guide that he had hired in order to have somebody around to talk to.

"Must get mighty all-fired cold up here in winter," remarked Wilson one morning.

"Yes, it often gets away down to 45 below zero," replied the native.

"Don't see how you stand it," said the congressman.

"Oh, I always spend my winters in the South," explained the guide.

"Go South, eh? Well, well! That's enterprising. And where do you go?"

"Grand Rapids," said the guide.—Collier's Weekly.

What Mamma Said.

Little pitchers not only have long ears, but wide mouths sometimes. One of these is in Buffalo, and when the bell rang the other day, she went to the door, where she found some ladies.

"My dear," said one, "will you please tell your mother that we would like to see her?"

The child departed silently, and after a while returned, sat down and silently watched the callers.

"Well," said one, at length, "and what did mamma say?"

"She said, Oh, dear! I don't want to, but I s'pose I must."

HARD ON CHILDREN

When Teacher Has Coffee Habit.

"Best is best, and best will ever live." When a person feels this way about Postum they are glad to give testimony for the benefit of others.

A school teacher down in Miss. says: "I had been a coffee drinker since my childhood, and the last few years it had injured me seriously.

"One cup of coffee taken at breakfast would cause me to become so nervous that I could scarcely go through with the day's duties, and this nervousness was often accompanied by deep depression of spirits and heart palpitation.

"I am a teacher by profession, and when under the influence of coffee had to struggle against crossness when in the school room.

"When talking this over with my physician, he suggested that I try Postum, so I purchased a package and made it carefully according to directions; found it excellent of flavour, and nourishing.

"In a short time I noticed very gratifying effects. My nervousness disappeared, I was not irritated by my pupils, life seemed full of sunshine, and my heart troubled me no longer.

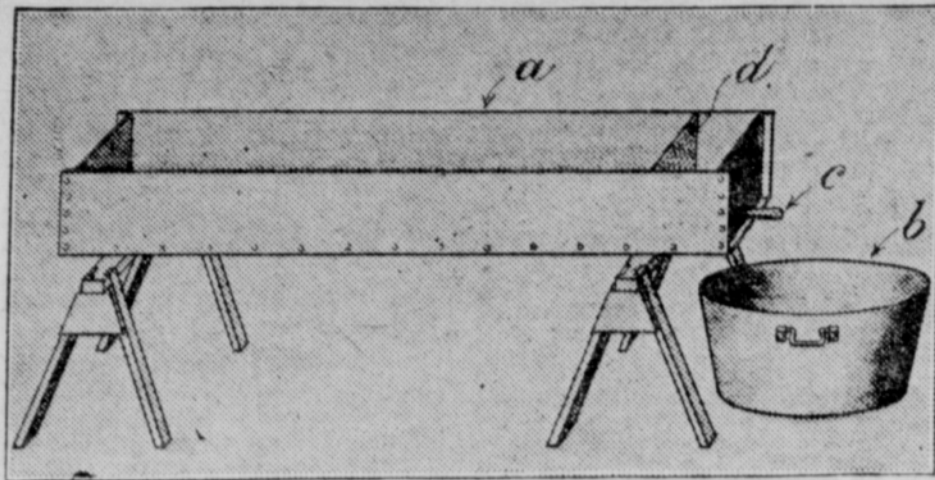
"I attribute my change in health and to Postum alone."

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Postum comes in two forms:—the original form—15c and 25c packages.

SA You Buy Coal powder—hot water Stoves & . . .

SMUT OF WHEAT IS PREVENTABLE DISEASE



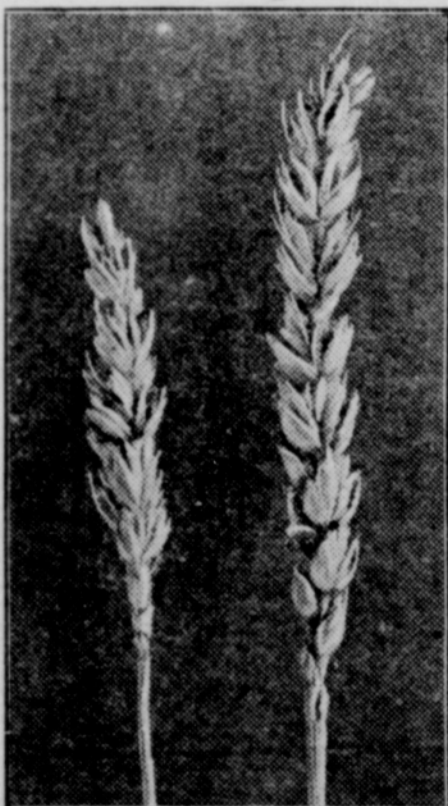
Simple Apparatus for the Formalin Treatment Consisting of Trough, Tub and Sawhorse—a, Trough; b, Tub; c, Pine Plug; d, Perforated Tin Plate.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Wheat growers in this country not infrequently experience serious losses caused by preventable diseases. Wheat is preyed upon by a number of parasitic fungi; three of which are classed as smuts. Two of these smuts are common pests in the wheatfields of North America, the other, commonly known as flag smut, is thus far unknown to this continent, though it is fairly common in Australia and certain other parts of the world where wheat culture has been in progress for centuries, says the department of agriculture.

Of the two smuts, bunt or covered smut of wheat, sometimes referred to as stinking smut is found wherever wheat is grown, sometimes resulting in losses to the farmers of the United States of \$20,000,000 or more annually. Not infrequently fields planted to untreated seed and giving promise of yielding 30 to 40 bushels per acre of good wheat, will produce a crop of covered smut amounting, in some cases, to as much as 40 to 60 per cent of the crop.

This smut disease is caused by a parasitic fungus which attacks the growing wheat plant before the first



Bunt or Stinking Smut of Wheat—Two Smutted Heads.

leaf appears above ground. Once inside the attacked seedling it continues its growth and by the time the wheat begins to head the diseased plants produce a crop of smut. If we examine the heads of such a plant we find instead of normal wheat grains only a lot of smut balls. In other words, the materials produced by the living plant for the purpose of building up sound wheat grains have been consumed by the parasite in forming its masses of smut spores which finally occupy the exact position in the wheat heads that would have been filled by the kernels

Damp Chicken Houses.

The continued wet weather of the present season has caused many damp chicken houses. If ventilation will not dry the damp poultry buildings, put about five pounds of calcium chloride in a tub or pan in each of them, covering the vessel to keep the fowls from wasting the material. The calcium chloride will absorb the moisture, and if it becomes moist it may be dried and used again. It costs about ten cents a pound.

Signs of Tuberculosis.

A cow that stays thin in spite of good feed and has a cough, shows pretty sure signs of tuberculosis. Let the veterinarian test her.

Don't Let Weeds Ripen.

Do not let any weeds ripen in the garden. One weed may produce enough to cover a large part of the garden.

Breeding Counts Little.

Now will not yield a large profit because she is well bred. She

had they been allowed to develop. These smut balls consist of nothing but millions of spores inclosed in each case by a thin enveloping membrane. When the smut balls are crushed the spores give off an odor not unlike that of herring brine. The liberated spores become attached to the seed, which, if planted without previous treatment, may produce another crop of smutted wheat.

Treat Seed With Formalin.

Bunt or covered smut of wheat is one of the most easily prevented of any of the cereal diseases. The following procedure is recommended: Run all seed wheat through a fanning mill in order to blow out the unbroken smut balls. This being done, the grain should be soaked ten minutes in a solution consisting of one pound of commercial formalin (obtainable at nearly all drug stores) added to 40 gallons of water. The seed thus treated is next allowed to drain and is then piled on the floor and stirred frequently until sufficiently dry to sow. If, during this process, the kernels have swollen very much, the drill should be set to sow a little thicker, else the quantity sown per acre will be less than was intended.

Rotation in Severe Cases.

Recent experiments have shown that in certain sections of the country the soil of a field producing a crop of smutted wheat this year may harbor enough smut spores to cause the appearance of smut in next year's crop if the field be reseeded to wheat. This sometimes occurs, where smut is very bad, in spite of the planting of treated seed, and shows that in such localities crop rotation should be practiced in addition to seed treatment. Bunt or covered smut of wheat attacks no other cereal crop, but other cereals have their own smut diseases.

The other wheat smut occurring in this country, known commonly as loose smut, is not so serious as bunt, although it probably produces an average loss of three-fourths of one per cent of the total wheat crop of the country. Loose smut may be prevented by treating the seed by the Jensen hot-water method or some modification of it.

The Jensen method consists in soaking the seed for ten to fifteen minutes in hot water at a temperature of 132 to 133 degrees, Fahrenheit. It is highly important that the water shall not rise over 135 degrees or fall below 130 degrees, Fahrenheit. A temperature below this will not kill the smut, while a temperature too high may affect the germination of the seed. The grain after treatment should be immediately spread out to dry. If it cannot be spread at once it should be dipped into cold water to cool at once, and spread as soon as possible.

Determine Value of Cow.

To determine the value of a cow it is necessary to measure her milk flow and also to test her milk for butterfat. A cow producing 40 pounds of 3 per cent milk and one producing 20 pounds of 6 per cent milk give equal amounts of butter.

Egg Production.

Produce the infertile egg. Infertile eggs are produced by hens having no male birds with them.

Removing the male bird has no influence on the number of eggs laid by the hens.

The hen's greatest profit-producing period is the first and second years, and unless a hen is an exceptionally good breeder she should be disposed of at the end of her second laying season and before starting to molt.

Immature Corn.

Short, immature corn should be allowed to stand until nearly dry before putting into the silo. That is, the leaves should be nearly dry; the stalk should be pretty well filled with sap. If the corn is put in while too green it may make sour silage.

Prevent Poultry Disease.

Cleanliness, disinfection and vigilance keep disease from poultry plant.

Cracked corn is far superior to whole corn for chick feeding.

CALOMEL IS MERCURY, IT SICKENS! STOP USING SALIVATING DRUG

Don't Lose a Day's Work! If Your Liver Is Sluggish or Bowels Constipated Take "Dodson's Liver Tone."—It's Fine!

You're bilious! Your liver is sluggish! You feel lazy, dizzy and all knocked out. Your head is dull, your tongue is coated; breath bad; stomach sour and bowels constipated. But don't take salivating calomel. It makes you sick, you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into sour bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping.

If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your

sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and your bowels regular. You will feel like working; you'll be cheerful; full of vigor and ambition.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and cannot salivate. Give it to your children! Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of calomel is almost stopped entirely here.

HAD A SUFFICIENT BURDEN

Son Saw Little Probability of Father Taking on a Duty That He Could Sidestep.

Down in the southwestern section of Texas a gentleman by the name of Patten was running for the state senate. His partner, being very much interested in the election, took an active part in the campaign. One day he met a young man from the forks of the creek and after inquiring about his father, mother and the rest of the family, discussing the weather, crops, stocks and things in general, said:

"Well, Bill, is the old man going to support Mr. Patten this fall?"

The young rustic scratched his head and after some little hesitation replied.

"Well, I don't know, sir, but I think not, sir; you see he's having a darn hard time supporting himself, sir!"—Mack's National Monthly.

A DRUGGIST'S FAVORITE KIDNEY REMEDY FIXED HIM

Fifteen years ago I had an attack of acute kidney trouble. I consulted a physician who gave me medicine which only relieved me for a time. After discontinuing his medicine my trouble returned as severe as before.

Having heard of Swamp-Root I gave it a trial and can honestly state that three dollar bottles cured me, never having any sickness in fifteen years. I have sold Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root as a druggist for many years and can give it the very best of recommendations at all times.

You are at liberty to use this statement any time you wish.

Respectfully,
W. C. SUMMERS,

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With Grand View Drug Co.
State of Kansas }
County of Wyandotte } ss.

On this 11th day of August, 1909, personally appeared before me, W. C. Summers, who subscribed to the within statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

CHARLES WILSON,
Notary Public.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention this paper. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

Kissing by Proxy.

A small boy of twelve loaned his knife one day in school to what he considered his best girl. After the girl had returned the knife he sent a note back to her reading as follows: "Dear Jane: I am sucking my knife because I know you had it in your mouth."

Sandwiched.

Knicker—Where does Smith live?
Bocker—Below his ideals and above his income.

Plain.

"Are you a plain cook?"
"I suppose I could be purtier, mum."
—Boston Transcript.

GIRL WAS NOT "FIBBING"

Very Good Reason Why Mrs. Adams Was Unable to Receive Call of Her Pastor.

Rev. Dr. Smith was acknowledged a great preacher and he was also a close student. But he was no pastor and had a horror of making pastoral calls. One day he heard an address which convinced the dear old man that by not visiting his parishioners he had not perhaps fulfilled his duties as a spiritual leader. So he determined to call on each member of his church, and taking the roster of the church he decided to do it alphabetically. The first name was Mrs. Adams, so to Mrs. Adams' house resolutely went the faithful pastor next afternoon. But Mrs. Adams was not at home, said the maid.

"Not at home?" echoed the pastor.

"N-n-o, sir," answered the somewhat embarrassed girl.

But the pastor, not knowing why she was embarrassed, thought perhaps the girl was "fibbing," so he persisted.

"When will Mrs. Adams return?" he asked.

"I really don't know," answered the maid.

"You don't know?" asked the pastor. "Have you no idea about when?"

"Well, not exactly, doctor," replied the maid. "She may return by five o'clock. You see, she's at the cemetery burying her husband."

The Quarrel.

"I had an awful headache today, so I got out a lot of your old letters and read them."

"Well, that surely didn't make it feel any better, did it?"

"Indeed it did. They acted as a counter-irritant, you know."

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.—Adv.

Isn't It So?

"Don't you think it strange that a man's good fortune so often turns his head?"

"No more strange than that his bad fortune usually turns the heads of his friends."

IMITATION IS SINCEREST FLATTERY but like counterfeit money the imitation has not the worth of the original. Insist on "La Creole" Hair Dressing—it's the original. Darkens your hair in the natural way, but contains no dye. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

Noncommittal.

She—Do you believe in church lotteries?

He—Well, I was married in church.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Always use Red Cross Ball Blue. Delights the laundress. At all good grocers. Adv.

If a man does wrong he thinks he's doing right to keep it a secret.

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Get rid of the stumps and grow big crops on cleared land. Now is the time to clean up your farm while products bring high prices. Blasting is quickest, cheapest and easiest with Low Freezing Du Pont Explosives. They work in cold weather.

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Coal? Phone Richey.
The best people of the city visit the Movie. Do you?
Compare a Hoffman pressed suit with the other. You'll see the difference.
SEWING MACHINE for sale at a very low price. Call at Slatonite office and examine it.
Tailoring that carries satisfaction with it. Expert workman in charge. DeLong's Tailor Shop.
Dr. S. H. Adams was in Amarillo last Friday on official business as Santa Fe physician at this place.
FOR SALE—150 acres land, newly improved. For particulars write the owner, Z. Jenkins, Wilson, Texas.

LOST, a dark gray overcoat, made by International Tailoring Company. A reward will be paid for its return to the Slatonite office.

HORSES AND MULES FOR SALE.—I have a pair of mules 3 years old for sale. Also six mares and one Percheron stallion.—T. A. Amos, at my barn in South Slaton.

The statement of the First State Bank as published in this paper shows the business of that institution to be growing and keeping up with the progress of the town. The bank takes pride in referring their patrons to the statement.

The Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will hold a bakery sale on Wednesday, Nov. 24th, at the Central Grocery Store. They will have for sale cakes, pies, sandwiches, etc. Buy your Thanksgiving Dinner extras from them.

Rev. Richardson and family, who have been residents of Glazier for two years, leave this week for Wilson Mission where Mr. Richardson will fill an appointment of the Methodist church.—Glazier Review. Mr. Richardson was in Slaton Saturday on his way to Wilson.

Nigger Head nut coal at the Richey Lumber Yard.

A trial means a steady customer. Try us. DeLong.

If you are not a regular visitor to the Movie you should be.

FOR SALE, wagon and good team. See G. L. Sledge, Slaton, Texas.

Suits cleaned and pressed at The Nobby for \$1.00. First class work guaranteed.

SMALL DOG WANTED for a small boy. Reward offered. Ask at Slatonite office.

Don't let the coal bin get empty before putting in your order. Phone us.—Richey Yard.

Made to Measure Clothes from houses that guarantee a fit. Let us take your measure. DeLong, the Tailor.

FOUND—The heavy 27-gauge stove pipe at Morgan's Tin Shop. Only 15 cents per joint. Something that's good and will last.

Elmer Crabb of Oklahoma is prospecting in Slaton this week. Mr. Crabb knows many Slatonites as he once lived at Clovis, N. M.

Mrs. A. J. Tucker, who has been sick for several days, underwent an operation Sunday, and has been improving rapidly since.

EYES TESTED and glasses fitted. Examination free. Special attention to the eye, ear, nose, and throat. Ten years experience. Dr. L. Wall.

LEASE FOR SALE.—I have a lease for sale, three sections all in one body; out range adjoining one school section. Good grass and plenty of water. Twenty-six miles northwest of Melrose, N. M.—Lee Tarpley, McAlister, N. M.

C. C. Hoffman moved to his new house just completed in West Slaton last week, giving possession of the rooming house property to L. P. Imboden who moved to it. W. R. Hampton moved into his residence vacated by Mr. Imboden.

The first man to be sent to the penitentiary from Terry County received his sentence at the last term of the district court held in Brownfield. Frank Haynes received a sentence of two years for horse stealing. Terry has been an organized county for eleven years.

W. L. Foreman and family of Temple, Texas, and G. V. Foreman of Guyman, Okla., have been in Slaton for several days with their mother, Mrs. H. H. Foreman. They were called here last week to attend the funeral of their father, who died very suddenly on Nov. 8th. Others of the family who attended the funeral but returned to their homes soon after the services were F. V. Foreman of Guyman, Okla.; Mrs. S. A. Alexander of Temple, Texas; Mrs. Joe Mills of Fort Worth, Texas; and Mrs. M. Whiteley of Georgetown, Texas, all children of the deceased. A brother, M. B. Foreman of Carriso, N. M., and a nephew Geo. Foreman of Roswell, N. M. attended the funeral. M. H. Foreman will probably make her home with her mother, Mrs. H. H. Foreman, at Temple this winter.

Maitland Colorado lump coal at the Richey Lumber Yard.

Those features once a week at the Movie are not excelled in the cities.

Suits pressed the Hoffman way at The Nobby for 50c. Cheaper and better than the hand iron.

WANTED—Men and teams to head maize, and some men without teams.—M. A. Pember, Slaton.

The Rev. W. H. Ingle moved to Estelline last week to accept the pastorate of the Baptist Church there. He resigned the pastorate of the First Baptist Church of Slaton.

Mrs. J. F. Street and baby of Wichita Falls, Texas, and Miss Maudie Baldree of Canadian, Texas, are visiting their sister, Mrs. A. J. Tucker, in Slaton. Mrs. Tucker has been very ill, but is now improving.

Mrs. Will Brown of Bells, Texas, and the children joined Mr. Brown at Slaton this week and the family is now at home on their farm near this city. Mr. Brown purchased the land this fall and has just completed a nice residence on it.

W. T. Knight received a letter last week from Harry Hollingsworth, who is now at Chicago, in which he stated that he is to undergo an operation this week. Harry had several X-Ray examinations made and the doctors found four bones in his back which had been broken and knitted together crooked. These bones have to be broken and sewed together with silver wire, and the situation of the bones requires two separate operations, one from the front and one from the back. Mr. Hollingsworth will be in the hospital about five weeks.

Windmills and Tanks at B. C. Morgan's. No trouble to figure your bill for windmills, pipe, tanks, etc. Call and get our prices.

Phone us and we will get your clothes. DeLong, the Tailor.

They show nothing but high class pictures at the Movie Theater.

We can supply you with either lump or nut coal. Phone us.—Richey Yard.

Are you seeing those good programs at the Movie? They certainly are classy.

Good bye, old hand pressed clothes; Hoffman has come to town. Meet Mr. Hoffman at The Nobby.

This week has been a week of real South Plains winter weather. It is very seldom we have this kind of weather so early in the winter.

T. J. Richardson of Delta County, Texas, was in Slaton this week prospecting, and he will probably purchase land here and make his home in the Slaton vicinity.

FIRST CLASS BEDS—I have lodging accommodations for about twelve people at my building just west of the Singleton hotel. Have first class beds and good rooms, and a separate apartment for ladies.—Mrs. Annie Higbee.



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We select our groceries with a view to suiting the careful purchaser, and have at your disposal everything of the best with full weight or measure guaranteed. We handle butter, eggs and chickens and pay highest market prices from.
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SIMMONS, M.

SLATON HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

The new pupils for the past week are Olen and J. C. Fennell and Joe Therman.

Bruce Pember, who has been absent for some time, caused from an operation, is now back in school.

Verner Vermillion has almost recovered from the injuries he received while playing basket ball at Tahoka.

Mesdames Stottlemire, Gottshall, Anderson and Miss Thelma Foreman were visitors at the school during the past week.

Mildred Silverthorne has been absent for the past few days. We hardly know whether she is physically sick or mentally (heart) sick.

The basket ball boys and girls are rehearsing a play which will be given sometime in the near future. The proceeds of which will go to pay their expenses.

The stoves flues, which have been giving some trouble, especially on windy days, have been repaired by being extended higher.

Reporter.

There's Many a Slip Twixt the Ball and the Lip.

BY CHECKERS

Oh, it's very painful
If perchance we should slip
In grabbing for a basket ball
And land upon our lip.
And if we are fond of grape juice,
Or soup we love to sip,
We should never get excited,
And chew upon our lip.
Then let the score be what it may
And let the dear ball rip,
We'll never put it thru the goal
By biting off our lip.

Team large mules for sale; Also one good all purpose horse; all for a bargain price.—See L. F. Purcell, Mgr. Southland Merc. Co., Southland.

Home Economic Club

The Home Economic Club and the Civic Improvement Club met in regular session at the home of Mrs. R. G. Shankle last week. Mrs. Shankle led the meeting and an interesting program was rendered. After the program a business session was held and before departing the members were served with delicious refreshments by the hostess. The next meeting will be Thursday, Nov. 26, at the home of Miss Hallie Dickerman. The lesson, "The Teeth," pages 603-615; led by Mrs. L. P. Loomis. Following is the program:

Roll Call.
The structure of the teeth and the importance of their being in excellent condition. Mrs. Adams.
Brushes and cleaning material for the teeth. Mrs. Simmons.

Effect of decayed teeth on the breath and whole system. Mrs. Joe Smith.

Discussion: Kinds of fillings and repairs best to make in the mouths of patients.

B. Y. P. U. Program

Sunday, Nov. 28.

Subject, "The Brotherhood of Man."

Leader, Mr. Cheatham.
Scripture Lesson, Psalm 19.
Introduction by leader.

A Common Origin, Mr. Stottlemire.

A Common Experience, Mrs. Hubbard.

Common Hopes, Mrs. Hower-ton.

A Common destiny, Mrs. Young.

A Common Redemption, Mr. Chavers.

A Common Message In the Gospel, Mr. Florence.

A New Commandment, John 13:34, Mrs. McCrite.

1 John 4:10-11, Mr. Farrell.

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That come from skilled hands. We represent such popular houses as LAMM & COMPANY, the ROYAL TAILORS, and M. BORN & COMPANY. We solicit your trade.

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The Missionary Society.

Program for Nov. 22:

Bible Lesson, John 18: 20-26,

Mrs. Davis.

Song.

Topic: Prayer.

The practice of prayer, Mrs. A. B. Robertson.

Duett, Mesdames Smith and Shankle.

The value of definite prayer, Mrs. Joe Smith.

Solo, Mrs. Johnnie Robertson.

The true channels for the energy of prayer, Mrs. Dr. Wall.

Song.

The prayer of the lonely woman in the city, Mrs. Worley.

Sentence prayers led by Mrs. Edwards.

Closing song.

Mizpah benediction.

Announcement.

Sunday, Nov. 21, 11 a. m.

Preaching at the Movie Theater by Dr. Graves. Morning subject, "So Near and Yet So Far."

Text: Mark 12:34.

7 p. m. Subject, "An Everlasting Love," Jer. 31:3.

Everybody invited. Come to these services and let's have an enjoyable time. Some breezy things will be said at the evening service. Young people from 6 to 80 years especially invited.

N. B. Graves, Pastor.

Messrs. Wyrick and DuBois, who sold 59 head of calves last week at \$30.00, made quite a handsome profit in cattle in one year's time. They bought 116 cows at \$48 per head, and these cows raised 100 calves. The calves were sold for \$30 a head and the gentlemen refused \$65 a head for the cows. When they paid \$48 per head for the cows some that they were losers, but they lack only \$5.00 a head of doubling their money this fall.

Get wise to the Hoffman way of pressing clothes. It's the only way. Clean and sanitary.—The Nobby.

You can't buy better coal than the Maitland Lump. Give us your order.—Richey Yard.

TYPEWRITER for sale very reasonable. Call at Slatonite office and examine machine.

Spend an hour of enjoyment at the Movie. It's a nice, clean place.

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We've been in business in this town a good long time. If, perchance, you have not dealt with us, we have both lost money. Please ask your neighbor about us and our methods. We are a bit proud of our record.

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Allison & Williams, Proprietors

Hindenburg's New Carpet.

A translation issued by the German Information service concerns the presentation of a remarkable carpet to Field Marshal von Hindenburg. It reads:

"The city of Konja, in Asia Minor, recently presented Field Marshal von Hindenburg with a magnificent carpet. On it is woven an exact map of East Prussia, the seat of the field marshal's great victory. In the left corner of the carpet, surrounded by a laurel wreath, is a portrait of Hindenburg, and below an inscription in German and Turkish containing the words: 'To his Excellency Gen. Field Marshal Paul von Benckendorff und von Hindenburg, to express thanks for the great victorious battles at the Masurian lakes, presented by the inhabitants of Konja, in Asia Minor.'"

Sell Your Products.

Sell your wool when the price is fairly good. Holding wool, or any other crop, very long is risky business.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

SANTA FE.

California and Gulf Coast Trains. Limited, daily.

No. 921 (west bound) from Galveston arrives in Slaton at 4.25 a. m.

Departs for all points west to California 4.35 a. m.

No. 922 (south bound) from California arrives in Slaton at 12.10 p. m.

Departs for central Texas and Galveston 12.35 p. m.

Slaton-Amarillo Trains, Eastern and Northern Points, daily.

No. 903 leaves Slaton for Amarillo at 6.40 a. m.

No. 904 from Amarillo arrives in Slaton at 11.55 a. m.

Slaton-Lamesa Local. Daily Except Sunday.

No. 908 from Lamesa arrives in Slaton at 11.15 a. m.

No. 907 departs from Slaton for Lamesa at 2.00 p. m.

LODGES.

I. O. O. F.

Slaton Lodge No. 861 I. O. O. F. meets every Monday at 8.00 p. m. Visiting brothers cordially welcome. J. L. Hoffman, N. G. L. P. Loomis, Secy.

A. F. AND A. M.

Slaton Lodge A. F. and A. M. meets every Thursday night on or before each full moon, at 7.30 o'clock. Joe H. Smith, W. M.

WOODMEN.

Slaton Camp No. 2871 W. O. W. meets 1st and 3rd Friday nights in the hall. C. Morgan, Clerk.

WOODMEN CIRCLE.

Slaton Grove Woodmen Circle No. 1320 meets on first and third Friday afternoons in the month at 3.30 o'clock in the MacRea hall. Visitors cordially welcomed. Mrs. Pearl Conway, Guardian. Mrs. Carrie Blackwell, Clerk.



The Brotherhood of American Yoemen meets every second and fourth Thursdays at 8.00 p. m. at the hall. C. W. Olive, Correspondent.

CHURCHES.

METHODIST CHURCH.

C. H. Ledger, Pastor.
Preaching services every second and fourth Sundays in the month at 11 o'clock a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School every Sunday at 9.45 a. m. C. C. Hoffman, Superintendent. N. A. Terrell, Asst. Supt.
Womans' Missionary Society meets every Monday at 3 p. m.
Union Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the Methodist church. Everyone welcome.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

W. H. Ingle, Pastor.
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. D. J. Hubbard, Supt.
Prayer meeting Wednesday nights.
Preaching services every first and third Sundays in the month at 11 a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.
Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday at 3 p. m.

SLATON BAPTIST CHURCH.

At Tabernacle. N. B. Graves, D. D., Pastor. Preaching services every first and third Sundays in each month at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Song service precedes preaching service.
Sunday Bible Study at 10 a. m. E. S. Brooks, Supt.
Ladies Missionary Society meets each Monday at 3 p. m. Mrs. J. W. Short, President.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

At the McRea Hall.
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Preaching services every second and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. J. F. Matthews, Pastor and Superintendent.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

The Church of Christ meets every Lord's Day evening at the First Baptist Church.
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The federal game warden at Snyder this week caught eight hunters shooting quail and it cost the men just \$1,000.00 for their sport. The open season doesn't start until Dec. 1. This should be sufficient warning for anyone who wants to start the season too early.

BANK STATEMENT.

Official statement of the financial condition of the FIRST STATE BANK at Slaton, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 10th day of November, 1915, published in the Slaton Slatonite, a newspaper printed and published at Slaton, State of Texas, on the 19th day of November, 1915.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral.....	\$43,915.03
Loans, real estate.....	3,595.37
Overdrafts.....	654.40
Real Estate (banking house).....	3,600.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	1,400.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agts., net.....	50,083.33
Due from other Banks and Bankers, Collection Account.....	7,898.41
Cash Items.....	218.00
Currency.....	4,775.00
Specie.....	980.50
Interest in Depositors Guarantee Fund.....	530.49
Other Resources as follows:	
Assessment for Guarantee Fund.....	62.46
Total.....	\$117,712.99

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in.....	\$15,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	900.00
Undivided profits, net.....	3,182.22
Individual Deposits, subject to check.....	89,353.43
Time Certificates of Deposit.....	2,500.00
Cashier's Checks.....	6,477.34
Total.....	\$117,712.99

State of Texas, County of Lubbock. We, J. S. Edwards, as president, and W. E. Olive, as assistant cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. S. EDWARDS, President.
W. E. OLIVE, A. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of November, A. D. 1915.

(SEAL) L. P. Loomis, J. P. and Ex-Officio Notary Public Lubbock County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
W. S. Posey
E. Shopbell
J. S. Edwards
Directors.

The Law On Exterminating Prairie Dogs

Requests have been made of the Slatonite for a copy of the "Prairie Dog Extermination" law, and we hereby give a syllabus of the entire act so that all may know its provisions.

In Section One prairie dogs are declared to be a public nuisance and the owners of lands in any county in the state on which prairie dogs exist shall within two years from June 3, 1915, kill or cause to be killed all such dogs living on the land.

In Section Two is made the duty of the County Commissioners to investigate and determine whether owners of land in their respective precincts have complied with the provisions of Section One; and it is the duty of the Commissioners to notify the sheriff of any failure to comply with the Act. The sheriff shall notify the owners of the land by registered mail to destroy the prairie dogs within thirty days from the date of mailing the notice. If the owner does not act in accordance with the notice the sheriff shall destroy the dogs.

After the time limit the sheriff shall immediately proceed to destroy the dogs, and to use the practical and economical methods in general use for that class of work. The sheriff reports his action, together with an itemized bill of expenses to the Commissioners' Court which shall pay the same, assess the amount to the owner, and enter it as a lien against the land. The sheriff shall receive \$5.00 per day for each day he performs actual service in supervising the destruction of prairie dogs.

If the owner of land against which the costs and expenses have been assessed fails to pay the same within thirty days after being notified to do so, the county attorney shall bring suit to enforce the payment of such costs and expenses, and the costs of the action shall be added to the assessment against the land. On the rendition of a judgment execution and order of sale shall issue.

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PREMIER OF CANADA



Sir Robert L. Borden, premier of Canada, recently visited Great Britain and France for the purpose of discussing with the authorities the cooperation of the Dominion in the war. Canada's finances and resources and the manufacture of munitions of war were among the subjects which received attention.

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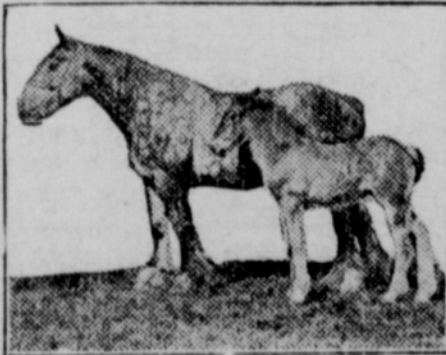
Wheat straw alone is worth \$3 per ton as fertilizer. Its value is much more when used for bedding the cow.

REQUISITES OF GOOD HORSE

Well-Bred Mare Is Splendid Investment for Any Farmer—Get Colts Only From Best Stock.

(By W. R. GILBERT)

Nowadays farmers are beginning to awaken to the fact that it takes strong horses to do good work on the farm. The fact that almost any horse can be made to do something at farm work is no valid excuse for men who profess to have their own interests at heart to persist in breeding horses



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**JUST BEFORE THE
SLAUGHTER STARTS**

Just before the slaughter of the innocents begins, the Record takes occasion to say a word in behalf of the predestined Bob White, which seem to be more than usually plentiful this fall. Next year the boll weevil will, without doubt, devastate our cotton fields. Aside from the ingenuity of man no other one natural thing is a greater and more efficient foe of the boll weevil than the shy and gentle quail. Its work among the cotton one season will forestall the damage of millions of the weevil the next. And remember this—that every Bob White slain by You, Pointer Pup and Automatic this winter condemns to destruction next fall at least one acre of cotton by the boll weevil. Check up your killings and compute the damage you have inflicted upon the farmers of this county. This is not hysterical talk, but conclusions of fact reached by long and careful investigations by the federal and state governments. — Colorado Record.

Those who predict a war between the United States and Japan in the next ten years will, we believe, learn that that war will come about in an entirely different way than they anticipate. The policy of the United States as directed toward Mexico is paving the way for an Oriental invasion. If the editor of the Slatonite were one of those who believe that such a war is destined to be, we would say that Japan will accept the first opportunity to declare war against Mexico and gain a foothold on the Western Continent by making a conquest of that nation. Then the Jap would be in a position to enter the United States without great preparation or hindrance.

The average of the state of Texas on corn is nearly twenty-five bushels per acre this year. The average in the Slaton country is from forty to fifty bushels. Sudan grass amounts to but an inconsiderable part of the hay crop this year and was grown in scattered patches only. This indicates that it is a Plains crop. The Plains counties of the state are the only ones to report crops of kafir, maize and feterita exceeding their own requirements. This is the report from Texas Industrial Congress Dallas which office also reports an increased volume of business and a large increase in hog production for this year.

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**WHAT IS THE MATTER
WITH TEXAS?**

The chairmanship of every important committee in the next house of representatives in Congress will be filled by a Southern Democrat. Kitchen of North Carolina heads the Ways and Means committee; Glass of Virginia the Banking and Currency committee; Flood of Virginia the Foreign Affairs committee; Adamson of Georgia the Interstate and Foreign Commerce committee; Webb of North Carolina the Judiciary committee; Hay of Virginia the Military Affairs committee; and Padgett of Tennessee the Naval Affairs committee.

Old Virginia furnished three and North Carolina two of these important chairmanships.

Texas, the largest of all Democratic states, North or South, does not furnish the head of a single important Congressional committee. Is our great and magnificent commonwealth wanting in strong, able, efficient congressional material? Or do the people listen and obey the siren voice of the demagogue? Or does our system of nominations by direct primaries prevent Texas, as from procuring the best and most capable men for office?

Have we no Mills, Welborns, or Dave Culbersons? Something must be the matter with Texas. —Cleburne Morning Review.

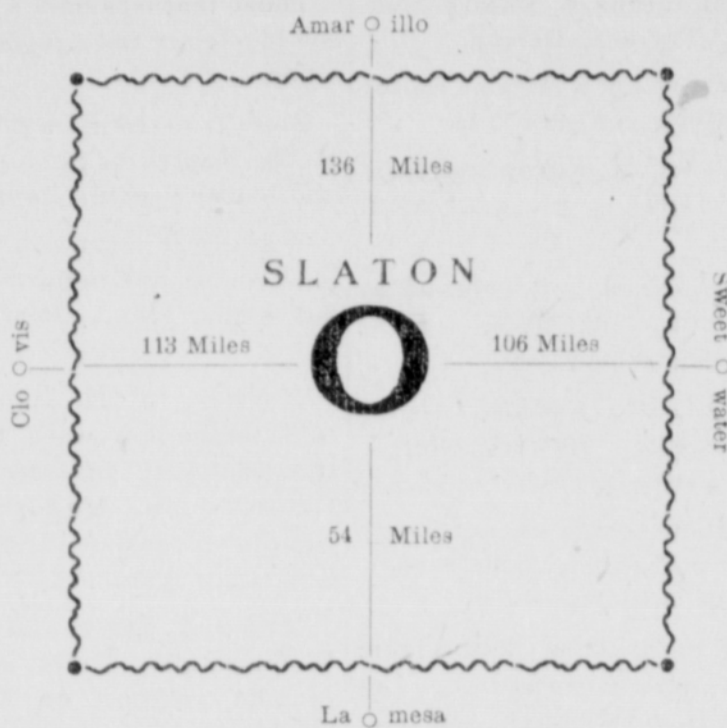
The Slatonite editor was scared out of a year's growth Saturday. A gentleman called and asked us who put a certain item of news in the paper, and as he was plenty big enough to whip several of our size we meekly told him that we did; and at the same time we measured the distance to the back door. We didn't know whether we would take a rear action voluntarily in what is termed a masterly retreat or whether we would be propelled in that direction in a manner unbecoming to our dignity and also calculated to muss up our hair and disturb the consanguinity of our countenance. We were thinking of calling for a truce in which we had visions of trying to interest some one else in the scrap in our behalf, when the gentleman threw some coin down on our desk and said: "Well that item was worth that much to me, and here's to the editor!" While a newspaper is printed primarily as a business proposition, yet an editor every week prints articles in the news columns that are complimentary and beneficial to individuals of the community, and as the editor is human and a creature of some degree of sentiment, an occasional acknowledgment helps us on to renewed efforts.

A recent ruling from the attorney general of the state holds that a contract between the trustees of a school district and a teacher is not valid until approved by the county superintendent. A contract without the approval of the county superintendent could be rescinded by a new board of trustees.

The Amarillo Daily News and the Daily Panhandle recently engaged in a spirited discussion as to the merits of their respective editors. We gravely fear the result of the discussion was disastrous. At least, it was at the Slatonite.

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Love in a Hurry

By GELETT BURGESS
Illustrated by Ray Walters
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CHAPTER I.

At nine o'clock in the morning, punctual to the second, Flodie Fisher unlocked the door marked "Hall Bonistelle, Artist-Photographer," and walked into the office.

The large light room was vacant. Flodie shook her head in sorrowful disappointment at her employer's tardiness, and shrugged her shoulders. "Oh, dear!" she muttered impatiently, "just what I expected." Then, with a shake of her head as one who says, "It must be done!" she walked in and listened outside Hall Bonistelle's bedroom door. For a moment she stood poised, awkwardly graceful—or rather gracefully awkward, perhaps, so quaint, so original was her attitude. She knocked with firmness. The summons was peremptory, yet it had the secret indulgence of a doting mother for her only child. The only answer was a not unmusical baritone growl.

She banged on the door again. This time she really meant it. "Mr. Bonistelle! You must get up immediately—come on now!"

"A wait—then the unwilling reply, 'All right!'"

Flodie walked back to the office, frowning, and sat down at her desk. A leaf from the calendar pad was ripped off, the desk top was dusted with a cloth; then she stopped suddenly. The elevator door had banged.

Almost immediately there entered to her the sad young janitor, Mr. Alfred Smallish. He gave a pathetic hopeless look at Flodie and hung at anchor in the doorway, meekly.

"Morning, Miss Fisher," he said, and grinned.

Flodie gave a glance at him, casually, then gazed with more interest. Pale blue eyes, a large Roman nose, wideopen ears and a quivering mouth had Alfred. His chin was that of a lizard, sloping back weakly to a prominent Adam's apple.

She fumbled over the photographs on the table behind her.

"Alfred," she said in the voice of a school ma'am, "did you see a picture of me I had here on the table the other day?"

He turned fire-red. "You—you didn't want that picture, did you, Miss Fisher?" His eyes implorred her wildly, vainly. "Well, I'll bring it back, if you say so; only, I thought, maybe—"

"Well, Alfred Smallish! I like that!" Flodie ejaculated.

"Oh, Miss Fisher—you see, well, I didn't quite dare to ask you, and—well, you know, I thought—it's just grand of you, Miss Fisher—I'd think the world of it, and—couldn't you possibly—"

"That's enough, Alfred! I don't dare to discuss it. You just walk that picture back immediately!" Flodie's voice was sharp, but . . . well, Flodie couldn't help pitying him. She, weakened. "Perhaps, I'll give you one, sometime. I'll see."

Mr. Smallish beamed with pleasure, but he had a talent for blunders. "Some folks mightn't think you was pretty, Miss Fisher, but I think—"

Flodie whipped out her watch. "Gracious sakes!" she cried, "where's Mr. Bonistelle's eggs?"

"I'll go down and see if they're ready, Miss Fisher." He turned heavily.

"Well, hurry up, then! If his breakfast isn't here when he comes, he's

nable to eat the tablecloth and go right back to bed. Quick now!"

"Yes'm!" Mr. Smallish left in dejection. Flodie walked swiftly into the studio and knocked again at her employer's door. "Mr. Bonistelle! Are you ready for breakfast?" she called. Flodie's tone had changed; decided as it was, it had softened; it was almost musical. Her face had changed, also. She stood as if awaiting a vision.

Footsteps were heard in Hall's bedroom. Now, there are two kinds of men: those who are shocked even unto mortification by being discovered in the act of shaving, and those who take a malicious delight in their outrageous condition. Hall Bonistelle opened the door and protruded his belathered face shamelessly, grinning.

Even disheveled as he was at present, scandalously tousled and bedaubed with soapsuds, his smile was disarming.

Flodie's adoration of him, though of the maternal order, did not lessen her firmness. "Do you realize how much you've got to do today, Mr. Bonistelle?"

"Nothing to do but work," he chanted gaily.

"You have an appointment at ten o'clock—and you know how you always poke over that old breakfast!"

"Speaking of which, wherefore not here?" He joyously chucked her under the chin.

Flodie loved it but dared not show. "It'll be here by the time you're fit to be seen. You wash that face of yours and hurry up with it, you big baby, you! I've got too much to do myself to talk to you!"

"All right, oh, fair assistant, I must obey!" Hall disappeared and Flodie marched back to the office.

Opening the letter box on the door, she took out a dozen or so envelopes. One set she inspected critically—they were all in feminine handwriting—and then rather unwillingly laid them aside. The others she tore briskly open, each received a keen, shrewd look. They were filed or thrown away.

Little and whimsical and odd, Flodie's appearance had something of the humor of a puppy, the sad wisdom of a monkey. The combination made her face pathetic. Crinkly, colorless hair and hazel eyes had Flodie. Her fine, regular teeth were her best asset, and when she smiled, her main relief from plainness. From her costume, which was careless, to her gestures, which were queer, Flodie Fisher was an original. She had charm and magnetism. Whether she made one laugh or weep, eccentric little Flodie was distinctly lovable.

Mr. Smallish now reappeared with a loaded breakfast tray.

"Put him on that table in the studio," Flodie commanded.

"Have those giddy green garlands come for tonight?" she asked.

"Why, yes, they're out in the hall, Miss Fisher. What time does the party begin?"

"One minute past ten."

"Will there be many here, Miss Fisher?"

"Oh, I don't know, Alfred, about twenty, I suppose—men, ladies and women. Especially women! They don't usually refuse Mr. Bonistelle's studio invitations, I notice! There'll be too many anyway. There won't be half of 'em come till the theaters are over, though. We've invited a squad of actresses."

Alfred stopped, his arms loaded with garlands. "What, real ones?"

"No, only half-ripe, I guess. Not nearly so real as the other women who'll be here, anyway. There are more good actresses off the stage than on, Alfred! It'll be good as a play for me!"

Alfred gazed longingly from the threshold, his eyes afixe. "Say, Miss Fisher, are you going to be dressed up like you was the last time?"

She dropped a fantastic courtesy. "Precisely the same, Alfred; our good old friend Crepe de Chine. Now you

gallop along with those evergreens before your eyes drop out, Mr. Smallish!"

Alfred left, with the love light unextinguished.

Flodie went into the studio and pounded at the chamber door again. "Mr. Bonistelle! Hurry up! Your breakfast is awfully impatient. Come along! That old coffee is swearing already!"

Hall opened the door, grinning. "And I suppose those eggs are feeling rotten about it," he offered jauntily.

Flodie giggled delightedly and hovered over the table, giving it a few final touches.

Hall Bonistelle was attired in a purple dressing-gown, too evidently the gift of a loving, tasteless female. He showed himself, now, as really handsome, even to that cleft chin which women seem to fancy, and most right-minded men to loathe. On his face was the touch of humor, carelessly joyous, rather than intellectual, and with his "artistic" temperament, it was easy enough to account for his popularity with women, popularity that gave him a spoiled air, was not offensive, and enabled him to do much forbidden to other men. Always excepting poor Flodie, who hugged a precious secret to her breast, women, it might be added, liked rather than loved him. The obvious proof might lie in the fact that, at twenty-seven, Hall had not yet been entangled in a serious affair of the heart. He considered that he knew too much about women to be seduced from his amus-

parrots! But that's no reason for keeping them waiting." Flodie ran her finger down the page. "Let's see—ten-thirty—Miss Dallys. Oh, no, I forgot! You took her yesterday."

"Carolyn's certain a fine girl," Hall murmured dreamily, lighting a cigarette and watching his assistant amusedly.

"Carolyn?" Flodie fairly spit it out. "Since how long?"

"Ever since I neglected to pay my dinner call on her, Flodie. I had to do something to soothe her ruffled feelings—so I began to call her Carolyn. What's the inevitable result? She's invited me for next Wednesday again. People always invite you again if you are rude enough, Flodie."

"You must have been pretty rude to Mrs. Royallon, then, by the way she runs after you! Why, she fairly clucks like a hen!"

"Oh, Mrs. Royallon! Ah, there I have another method! She's one of those women you can't possibly insult." Hall smiled with superiority. "Rena's got to the age, you know, when she prefers to be flattered."

"Don't all women like it?" Flodie demanded.

"No! You're too young, Flodie. You want compliments." Hall was triumphant. "It depends upon how you do it, you know. Rena wants it laid on thick. A woman doesn't demand subtlety, Flodie, after she gets to the thirty-five."

"Thirty-five! Mrs. Royallon is thirty-eight, if she's a day!"

"By the way, how old are you, Flodie? I forget."

"Me? Why, I'm only twenty-one!"

Hall laughed. "Plus five, makes twenty-six."

"I'm not!" she protested—but it was no use. He laughed at her till she flushed red and sought refuge in a bundle of bills. "There's a 'Please remit' from the Photo-Supply company," she announced, looking up. "What shall I do?"

"Oh, answer 'Necessity forbids!'" Hall shrugged his shoulders.

"Why, Mr. Bonistelle, don't you realize that we've simply got to pay that bill pretty soon, or they won't send us any more stuff? Oh, it's all very well for you to sit there in a red silk dressing gown and laugh and make aristocratic jokes! But I have to take all the kicks, and stand off the collectors!"

Hall applauded gracefully. "Say, Flodie, you've got your war boots on today, haven't you! What's the particular matter?"

"The matter!" Flodie looked down on him as from a mountain. "Where's the rent coming from, I'd like to know? Out of your cigarette smoke? Yes, you can smile and twist that silly mustache all you want, but that won't pay for hypo! Do you imagine we can run this business on epigrams and funny gestures? No, sir! Mr. Bonistelle,"—Flodie shook his shoulder—"you've simply got to wake up and make a whole load of money, quick!"

He rose and yawned artistically. "Lord, I know it! Think of a Bonistelle having to work for his living! Isn't that grotesque? Why, for all I know, I may be a millionaire this very minute. Fancy, Flodie—a millionaire!"

"Say"—Flodie grew serious. "When are they ever going to find out about that old will, anyway?"

"I wish to heaven I knew! If John B. Bonistelle had been anyone else's uncle, he would have filed his will with his attorneys, and his nephew would be driving a sixty-horsepower car by this time. But being mine, of course he has to hide the confounded document where it won't be found till the estate is settled. I've been on pins and needles ever since he died."

"Well, of course he'll leave you something. You'll get a booby consolation prize, anyway. He can't cut you out entirely!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

No man can ever gain a practical knowledge of the world by pursuing his studies in a rocking chair.

coffee and tea saccharin may be used, but it should be remembered that this is more than six hundred times as sweet as sugar, so a very minute quantity of it is enough.

Comforting.

The wife of the great botanist beamed at him across the supper table.

"But these," she exclaimed, pointing to the dish of mushrooms that had been set before her, "are not all for me, are they?"

"Yes, Mabel," he nodded. "I gathered them especially for you."

She beamed upon him gratefully. What a dear old husband he was! In five minutes she demolished the lot. At breakfast next morning he greeted her anxiously.

"Sleep all right?" he inquired.

"Splendidly," she smiled.

"Not sick at all—no pains?" he pressed.

"Why, of course not, Archie," she responded.

"Hurray, then," he exclaimed, "have discovered another mushroom, that isn't—"



Pounded at the Chamber Door Again.

ing occupation of merely studying them.

As to that, if one had asked Flodie, she would have smiled and changed the subject. Least of all, perhaps, if the truth were told, did he know the fond adorer who had voluntarily made herself his slave. He saw and took advantage of her cleverness and zeal; her attractive oddity refreshed him, but to her deep seriousness and the reserves of her temperament he was totally blind.

Flodie sat watching his long, slender hands engaged gracefully with fork and spoon. But, much as she loved to watch him, her conscience made her too uncomfortable. Reluctantly she withdrew her eager eyes.

"Well," she sighed, "now for business!"

She read aloud from the book. "At ten o'clock Mrs. Rena Royallon—"

She looked up. "And you won't be half ready! I'll have to entertain her—and you know how I hate that woman!"

"Can you name one woman, Flodie Fisher, whom you do not hate?"

"No, I can't. They're all cats. Cats and rats and hens and snakes and

WHAT DIABETICS SHOULD EAT

Famous Specialist Gives a Safe Diet for Persons With Tendency to That Disease.

Many folk ask what is a safe diet for a person suffering from a tendency to diabetes. Dr. Arnold Lorand of Carlsbad, a famous specialist in diabetes and author of a book on the subject, says that the following foods may be eaten: Milk rice eggs, green vegetables in large quantities, especially spinach; white fleshed fish, cakes made of buckwheat, from which the cellulose has been removed, macaroni, spaghetti, butter, small quantities of rye and graham bread, potatoes (fried or in the form of salad), oyster plant, cauliflower, salads, apples cooked or raw, strawberries, cranberries, huckleberries, orange fruits.

The same diet forbids the following: Sweet soups, lemonade, beer and other alcoholic beverages.

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JAPANESE INNS ARE QUEER

Guests Must Leave Their Footwear in the Vestibule When Going to Their Rooms.

The entrance to native inns in Japan is most always a roofed vestibule with a well-trodden earthen floor backed by a raised platform about twenty inches high, forming at once a seat and the outer extension of the first floor.

A scattered line of shoes, sandals and geta belonging to the guests usually lie along it, and at one side is a cupboard where umbrellas and footgear are deposited. A big drop octagon clock on the wall, a low desk, a hibachi and a pile of cushions generally complete the office equipment.

The traveler's jinrikī customarily deposits him in the vestibule, at the edge of the platform, beneath the overhang of the roof. Shouts of "O Kvakū san" (honorable visitors) apprise the masters and the guest is arriving.

As the traveler sits on the platform a servant removes his shoes and others divest him of his wraps. Shoes are seldom cleaned, and if they be wet or muddy they are left untouched. Habitual frequenters of inns often provide themselves with foot coverings to slip over shoes and thus be able to wear them to the apartment. Without them one must don the heeled slippers furnished or go to one's room unshod.—Kansas City Times.

Cleanliness and Cash.

"The day has passed," says the bulletin of the Chicago health department, "when a dealer in foodstuffs can keep a dirty, fly-infested store and hope to hold his trade. That this is true is due to the fact that today every housewife knows that flies carry unspeakable filth on their feet and that they leave it on whatever food they are permitted to come in contact with. And because this is true, the careful, intelligent housewife does not permit her household stores to be infested with flies. And, once a cleanliness counts."

WOMAN REFUSES OPERATION

Tells How She Was Saved by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Louisville, Ky.—"I think if more suffering women would take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound they would enjoy better health. I suffered from a female trouble, and the doctors decided I had a tumorous growth and would have to be operated upon, but I refused as I do not believe in operations. I had fainting spells, bloated, and could hardly stand the pain in my left side. My husband insisted that I try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am so thankful I did, for I am now a well woman. I sleep better, do all my housework and take long walks. I never fail to praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for my good health."—Mrs. J. M. RESCH, 1900 West Broadway, Louisville, Ky.



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A HINT TO WISE WOMEN. Don't suffer torture when all female troubles will vanish in thin air after using "Femina." Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

Half the people fear a crisis unless a certain thing is done; the other half fear a crisis if it is done.

Going It Too Hard

We are inclined nowadays to "go it too hard," to overwork, worry, eat and drink too much, and to neglect our rest and sleep. This fills the blood with uric acid. The kidneys weaken and then it's a siege of backache, dizzy, nervous spells, rheumatic pains and distressing urinary disorders. Don't wait for worse troubles. Strengthen the kidneys. Use Doan's Kidney Pills.

A Texas Case

C. W. Felid, Brazoria, Tex., says: "I was helpless with rheumatic pains and aches and finally dropsy developed. I often became helpless and had to have my hands rubbed to ease the pain. No one can imagine my suffering. Finally, I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they restored me to good health after I had almost given up hope of ever being well again."



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PRINCE LEOPOLD AND HIS STAFF



Prince Leopold of Bavaria, the conqueror of Warsaw, and his staff watching his troops during the fight to take the Polish capital.

DARING AIR FIGHT

British Aeroplane Eludes Six German Machines.

Where Seconds Spell Difference Between Success and Failure—Thrilling Episode Related by an Aeroplane Observer in France.

London.—This is an account of how a British aeroplane fought and eluded six German machines. It is taken from the journal of an aeroplane observer at the front. The Kipper and the Mound, pilot and observer of "the old cow," caused some anxiety at the aerodrome by being late in returning from a reconnaissance.

Here is the account of what actually happened, extracted from the Mound with considerable difficulty:

"By the time we had gone ten miles into the hostile country three German machines began following us at almost our own height. We were not worried, because they had a good four miles to make up.

"In a few minutes the Kipper shouted down the phone: 'Look out on your left. They are trying to head us off.' Far below us, but not far in front, two more machines were climbing towards us.

"I watched the machines below while the Kipper kept those behind in the corner of his eye. In about twenty minutes we had reached the end of our course and had completed our observations. All five enemy machines were now fairly close together in a rectangular formation, but had not gained on us.

"How we were to get back and outwit the enemy was now our problem. The Kipper swung 'the old cow' about twice to give the impression of hesitation. The enemy, although still about two or three miles astern, turned north on the assumption that we must return the way we came. Having diverted their course, we bore east again and gained a couple of miles while the enemy was determining what to do next. Keeping to their mass formation, they bore southeast, thinking they had us sure.

"Things happen quickly in the air. A few seconds mean hundreds of yards and the difference between success and failure. The Kipper tilted 'the old cow's' horns in the line the Germans were following. This lost us some ground. The Germans were so interested in this that they did not notice that we were edging off to the north, just enough to insure their crossing us on our flank. In about two

minutes they were almost level, but well to the right.

"The moment had come for a bold stroke. The Kipper leveled the machine, poised her at a terrific angle and made in a straight line for the nearest German. The whole five tipped in unison. We knew that they would take a good twenty seconds to get under way again. Like a flash the Kipper circled outwards and made off for the lines on a straight course. There was no one to bar the way for the moment. The Germans were outwitted, but started in pursuit. That twenty seconds meant half a mile to us.

"Suddenly above the roar of the engine there was the rattle of a machine gun close up, and a dull thudding tear as some shots found the planes. It was so misty it took us a few seconds to spot the new danger. It was an Albatross crossing us about 300 yards above. The Kipper keeled 'the old cow' out in an instant and we were soon on a level with the new enemy, who was laboring to pass our front again. We swung towards him and charged. The pilot, who thought he had us on the run, lost his nerve and went into a spinning dive and only came out 3,000 feet below.

"We resumed our homeward course without further incident."

MARRY AFTER FORTY YEARS

Old Sweethearts Meet in Indiana and in a Few Hours Are Engaged.

Evansville, Ind.—Joseph Parrott, age fifty, of Wichita, Kan., and Mrs. Penelope Riggs, age fifty, of this city, sweethearts forty years ago, were married at St. James M. E. church in the presence of a number of friends and relatives after a few days' courtship.

Several days ago Parrott came here to visit his old friends after an absence of forty years. He met Mrs. Riggs and in a few hours they were engaged.

After spending a few days here, Mr. and Mrs. Parrott will go to Wichita, where they will live.

IS 107; SHE WANTS TO VOTE

Glens Falls, N. Y.—"Of course, I haven't many years to live, but my one ambition is to live long enough to cast a vote, and I think I will."

These were the words of Mrs. Mary Sage, one hundred and seven years old, of Darrowville, a small hamlet near here, as she signed the yellow slip indorsing woman suffrage. Mrs. Sage is the oldest woman in northern New York.

FUNERAL FOR PET PARROT

Embalmed Bird, in Casket With Silver Plate, is Buried in Woman's Family Plot.

San Rafael, Cal.—Funeral services over the body of the late "Little Boy Blue," a pet parrot of Mrs. T. L. Crane, wife of a local garage owner, were held here and interment followed in the Crane family plot in Santa Rosa.

"Little Boy Blue" died at the Crane home after a lingering illness. Coroner F. E. Sawyer was called in to take charge of the body, which, followed by an automobile load of mourners, was taken to the morgue and embalmed. A special casket was constructed, lined with silk and fitted with a silver memorial plate.

The bird had been in the Crane family for nine years. Mrs. Crane is said to be ill as a result of its taking off.

FORTUNE FALLS TO FIANCEE

Pennsylvania Girl Inherits \$2,400,000 After Marrying Another Man.

Punxsutawney, Pa.—Mrs. Fred Smith of this city, formerly Miss Mary Hadden, has fallen heir to a fortune estimated at \$2,400,000. It was bequeathed her, together with his home, by Harry Riams of Buffalo, who died April 26, 1914.

Riams and Mrs. Smith, then Miss Hadden, were engaged to be married. The wedding was set for May 30, 1914, but Riams was then dying.

His will, which has just been made public, leaves the bulk of his estate to his former sweetheart, but she cannot get possession until she is twenty-three, three years from now.

MRS. M. B. HUMPHREY



Mrs. Humphrey is the wife of Lieutenant Humphrey of the United States marine corps, now on duty in Haiti. Mrs. Humphrey is a bride of a year, and makes her home in New York.

Cop Prefers Shovel.

Logansport, Ind.—"They can talk all they want about the job of a policeman being a soft thing, but I'll take a pick and shovel for mine instead of wielding a mace and walking slow around a beat." This was the declaration of Joseph Peters after four months' experience in the local police department. During that time he lost twenty-two pounds.

USE ABSINTHE IN EXPLOSIVE

French Are Now Utilizing Barred Drink in Manufacture of Gun cotton.

Paris.—Absinthe, placed under a ban for drinking purposes by the law passed early in the war, is being used in the manufacture of gun cotton. A co-operative distillery at Pontoise, which has been extracting alcohol from beet roots for the use of the government munition factories, found the supply of beet root insufficient and is now taking over the stocks of absinthe held in warehouses. Government inspectors watch the transformation of the absinthe into alcohol.

Girl of 19 Weds Man 89, Greenfield, Mo.—"Uncle Matt" McPherson, eighty-nine years old, and one of the pioneer citizens of Dade county, and Miss Clara Burns, nineteen years old, of Higginsville, Mo., were married at the courthouse here recently. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William Shaw of this city.

REVIVING LONG TUNIC

PARISIAN DRESSMAKERS WORK FOR ITS ADOPTION.

Charming Model Recently Seen in France is Described by Correspondent—Postillon Hat Sure to Be a Favorite.

Several notable Parisian dressmakers are reviving the long tunic. Some of the latest Callot models give this effect; Redfern also seems to favor the long, graceful tunic. But in all cases the underdress is quite as full as the tunic; indeed, the latter gives the effect of a double skirt, or immensely long flounce.

A Callot model, recently worn at Biarritz by the duchess de Arion, lady-in-waiting to the queen of Spain, had an underdress of black charmeuse and a very long tunic of old yellow lace. On the hips, under the lace tunic, there was a deep insertion of silver lace, worked over with tiny beads in various shades of red, blue and gray.

There were full lace sleeves, caught in at the wrist by bands of beaded silver lace, and a touch of rose pink was very cleverly introduced on the corsage. With this charming garden-party dress the duchessa wore a large, flat-brimmed hat, made of black chiffon and lined with black chip.

Lewis is showing many lovely hats and toques. At first sight these models are quite startling, because in almost all cases the crowns are high, some of them even exaggeratedly high. The very newest and most popular model is the "Postillon" hat in black silk beaver.

This is truly a quaint shape. Narrow in the brim and very high in the crown, with no trimming save a folded drapery drawn through a long diamond buckle; the latter being placed right in front of the hat. It is certain that this model will be one of the most fashionable novelties of the fall and winter seasons.

It is just the right hat to wear with a Cossack coat; or with a redingote costume which is finished with a jer-



An Early Winter Model by Redfern, a Long Cossack Coat With Full Skirt to Match of Tan Covert Coating, a Sash of Black-and-Tan Striped Silk Jersey.

sey silk sash. To women of regular features these postillon hats are infinitely becoming. Lewis is making his postillon shapes in many different materials, though those in black silk beaver are, perhaps, the best of all.—Paris Correspondence of the Boston Globe.

The Link-Button Idea.

Buttons are again to be featured in the autumn styles. Big ivory buttons are used on cloth one-piece frocks with striking results. The link-button idea is developed on some of the new frocks. Two large buttons are joined by a band of silk or a cord and are inserted through buttonholes in the collar that does not open at the chin and open at the wrist.

CRETONNE TOQUE



An Out-of-the-Ordinary Millinery Creation in a Season When Velvet and Hatter's Plush Predominate, is This Close-Fitting Toque. The Material Used is a Cretonne; This is Sewn on the Close-Fitting Frame, Which is Shaped to Form a Cone on the Left Side, and Dropped on the Right, Where It is Knotted and Left to Hang Loosely. A Band of Dyed Raccoon is the Only Trimming.

NEW GARMENT HAS CHARM

Corset Cover, Easily Made at Home, Will Be Source of Gratification to Its Wearer.

If you are tired of just underwaists and corset covers, the sleeveless, low-bust kind and the wee camisole, try making this quite new garment for wear under your blouse.

Buy one yard of white silk muslin at 25 cents a yard, one and one-fourth yards of narrow, stout lace and two skeins of white mercerized cotton. Make a waist by kimono pattern with very short sleeves, folding the goods crosswise. Cut the neck V shape in front and slightly rounded or equally V'd behind; have the fronts of the waist one-eighth inch longer than the back. Scallop the entire edge and ends of sleeves and do it in buttonhole stitch, preferably well padded. Then put a double row of French eyelets inside the buttonhole stitching. The seams are under the arms. Put these seams together with the lace; down the front put the lace also, tacking to one side; the other side may be fastened with tiny snaps or with wee gold pins. Turn up the bottom of the waist and fit by means of rubber band run through the hem made. This, by the way, is the easiest way to finish all blouses just now.

Lace blouses are usually lined with chiffon, and the chiffon shrinks when the blouse is washed, leaving a garment that has lost its loveliness. With the new corset cover chiffon linings can be removed before the first washing. No lining is needed with such an underwaist.

DESIGNED FOR YOUNG MISS

Many Attractive Features Have Been Provided—Belted Coats Are Among the Favored Ones.

The box coat for misses is very youthful and becoming. Another style for misses is the flare coat, the fullness starting from the shoulders and occasionally from a small yoke. This is also made quite short and jaunty. Sometimes these coats are made with a flare back and a more fitted front. Russian styles are well liked for young people. Some of them fasten at the side, while others button up the front.

Belted coats will also be worn to a great extent. Sometimes the belt appears only at the sides, while in others it appears only in back and front. Many times belts are placed at a low waist line. High collars are worn with almost all suits, frequently arranged so as to be worn either open or closed. Coat sleeves are in regulation style, set on at a low shoulder or in modified raglan effect. Flare and gauntlet cuffs are often used as a finishing touch and are frequently of fur or velvet.

Skirts are in various styles. Simple suits are in gored, modified, circular style or with plaits at sides, front or back.

Grenadine Again.

Grenadine, which a few years ago was so highly favored in the afternoon and evening community, is now reaching every one's eye and hand.

WILD GOOSE HIS WATCHDOG

Kansas Barber Found Pet Also Useful as Weather Guide and Decoy.

Junction City, Kan.—Ed Bickenhauser, a local barber, is mourning the death of his pet wild goose, which 18 years ago he caught while on a hunting trip.

The goose was a reliable weather prophet as well as a watchman. No stranger could enter the Bickenhauser yard without having his presence "I tell you know."

In addition, the goose was an exceptional decoy. His honking brought the ducks within shooting distance in long trips.

cooked, having been baked in the heat of the sun.

TOOK SEED FROM HEN'S CROP

Pioneers Rescued Precious Peas From Hungry Biddy in Middle of Last Century.

St. Paul, Minn.—A bunch of garden peas in the Cook County Agricultural exhibit at the recent state fair has a story behind it.

The variety is called Howenstine Pennsylvania Dutch. The peas were being brought from Pennsylvania by one of the Howenstine pioneers in the middle of the last century, when a hungry hen discovered the bags. Biddy had swallowed the last seed when the pioneer farmer came on the scene.

Off went the hen's neck and the seeds were rescued for the spring planting.

A Chicago inventor's burglarproof window sash is provided with bars that rise from within the window when the sash is lifted.

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