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# MEMPHIS DEMOCRAT

A Wednesday Publication in the interest of Memphis and Hall Co.

## Eastern Star Chapter Organized at Hedley.

Mrs. Effie Houghton, Deputy Grand Matron, took the Memphis Chapter of the order of the Eastern Star and went up to Hedley Monday, and organized Hedley Chapter O. E. S. The Memphis officers filled all the stations as follows:

D. A. Neely, Worthy Patron; Mrs. B. W. Dodson, Worthy Matron; Mrs. W. D. Morgan, Associate Matron; Mrs. Clarence Powell, Conductress; Mrs. Chas. Webster, Associate Conductress; Mrs. James Mosely, Secretary; Mrs. L. D. Stout, Treasurer; Mrs. C. A. Crozier, Ada; Mrs. J. T. Clagett, Ruth; Miss Maude Millam, Esther; Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Martha; Miss Annie Thompson, Electa; Miss Anna Moores, Marshal; Mrs. Cherry, Wardens; Mrs. Effie Houghton, Chaplain; John J. McMicken, Sentinel.

Fifteen candidates were initiated and the Hedley Chapter starts off with fine prospects.

After the initiation delightful refreshments were served and a great time is reported by all the Memphis visitors.

Memphis Chapter O. E. S. will go to Childress on April 17 to exemplify the work. A school of instruction will be held at Childress at this time and several adjoining towns will send a number of visitors. A great time is expected. Mrs. Effie Houghton, Deputy Grand Matron, is certainly pushing the Order of the Eastern Star in this part of the State and she is one of the very best posted workers in the entire State.

## Preaching and Singing.

We are authorized to announce that there will be preaching and singing at the Friendship church next Sunday. Rev. J. W. Hembree will preach and Prof. E. E. Walker will conduct the singing. Dinner will be spread on the ground and a general good time is promised to all. Everybody invited to be out and enjoy the day's services.

## Gibbs & Pope Sell.

A deal was consummated this week by which Joe J. Mickle, of Memphis purchased the Gibbs & Pope stock of merchandise here and wagons were loaded out Monday with the goods were moved to Memphis. Mr. Gibbs and Pope impressed us with being mighty nice and enterprising people and we truly regret to learn that they will move back to Memphis to make their home.—Wellington Leader.

## Orcutt-Grundy.

On last Thursday evening at the Methodist parsonage here in Memphis occurred the marriage of Mr. Dave Orcutt and Miss Lara Grundy both of Estelline in this county. Rev. Hawkins pronouncing the woes that united this couple in holy wedlock. Misses Dell and Gladys Holland and Messrs. Minor Kreamer and Ewell Grundy accompanied them to Memphis. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grundy of Estelline and a cousin of I. E. Grundy of this city. The groom is the son of the late Col. A. D. Orcutt. These young people will make their future home in Oklahoma.

## Christian Church Services.

Old D. A. Leak will fill his pulpit next Sunday at 11 a. m. His subject will be "Lessons from the Resurrection of Christ." Everybody cordially invited.

## Missionary Society Entertains.

On Monday, March 30th the Missionary Society and ladies of the M. E. church were royally entertained at the hospitable home of Mrs. W. W. Clower by Circle No. 3 of the Society. After a Piano solo by Miss Enid McCarroll the guests were favored with a Reading by Miss Ethel Stephens. Mrs. C. A. Crozier then conducted a round table with the latest news from our Missionary bulletin on the work of the Home Department. After which slips of paper were distributed which when correctly matched, was the name of some old song. Each one was to render the selection which she succeeded in matching. This caused a great deal of merriment and a real musical treat was indulged in to the delight of all present.

While the hostess and the members of her circle served the guests with ice cream and cake they were entertained with selections on the Piano by Misses Vena Allen and Willie L. Clower and Miss Clarice Crozier. There were fifty-five guests present and the afternoon was one delightful entertainment.

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## Busy Bees Entertained.

Mrs. W. B. Scott, president of Circle B of the Baptist Ladies Missionary Society, entertained the "Busy Bees" at her hospitable home, April 1st, at 3 p. m. complimentary to Mrs. Cal. Wyatt and Mrs. W. K. Hollifield who will soon leave Memphis for their future home in New Mexico.

Time fled swiftly in social converse and contests. One consisted in working button holes. Mrs. W. K. Hollifield winning the prize which was a nice pair of scissors for her manipulations of the needle and dainty work. Mrs. Wyatt the booby, a thimble. The genial hostess told us to imagine an April bird had entered her home that a. m. and deposited tiny saccharine eggs in various places, and to find them. "Older people being only children older grown" eagerly began the quest. They were cunningly concealed but were found after persistent searching. Mrs. Garrott finding the greatest number was awarded the timid bunny for her efforts in egg hunting.

The amiable hostess served luscious ice cream and delicious cake which was highly enjoyed.

Brother Morgan in a tender address, expressed the sentiments of the "Bees" of the high esteem and love that were cherished by them for our departing members and their fidelity in our Masters work with many good wishes for their future usefulness and happiness in their new home. He presented them booklets in which each member of the Circle had inscribed a token of loving remembrance to which Mrs. Hollifield with tearful eyes responded. In fact all our visions were tear dimmed. All joined in singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" and closed the meeting in which joy and sadness were mutually blended.

When the coming future wreaths,  
With gray the locks of time,  
May our Circle bear life's garnered sheaves,  
To you celestial elime.

PRESS REPORTER.

C. H. Buchanan received a fine Poland China hog Saturday morning from Maj. Duffel at Claude.

## Fine Rain in the Panhandle.

On last Thursday evening the rain began to fall and we received one of the finest rains that ever fell in Hall county. "Couldn't have fell nicer if it had been ordered" was the common expression used on the streets next day. It rained a slow steady rain all Thursday night and continued all day Friday until late Friday evening. The rain gauge at the First National Bank indicated that about two and six-tenths inches had fallen. The rain extended over a considerable scope of country covering almost the entire Panhandle, and very little if any run off, most of it soaking into the ground where it fell. While we had had no rain for a long time the ground here was not dry by any means and grass had begun to grow. With a little warm weather vegetation will grow off very fast. This gives us one of the finest seasons in the ground that Hall county ever had at this time of the year, and will last until after the planting season.

## Estelline Has Fire.

On last Thursday night a very destructive fire visited Estelline. The fire consumed three frame buildings the west side of the square occupied by Clark's drug store, Green's restaurant, Thompson's restaurant and Kimmel's tailor shop. At the same time the Christian church two blocks away was burning. Only a small amount of insurance was carried and the church was a total loss. We have not been able to learn the origin of the fires. Had the fires got started before the rains it is likely the loss would have been much greater.

The Womans Culture Club met with Mrs. W. L. Wheat April 1st. Fifteen members responded to roll call with lines exposing some trait in Meranda. After the business meeting the following program was rendered.

The Tempest, Act 2, Scene 2—Mrs. Wm. H. Craven.

Compulsory Education—Mrs. E. H. Randal.

Discussion: What more should our schools teach?—Mrs. E. L. Houghton.

Reading—Mrs. G. W. Sexauer. At the close of the program the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Baskerville, entertained the Club very pleasantly for an hour with contests and Easter games. A delicious ice course was then served. The Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. E. H. Randal at the home of Mrs. J. H. Read April 15th.

REPORTER.

## Mrs. W. T. Howard's Mother Dead.

Mrs. W. T. Howard was called to Amarillo on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. S. B. Smith, last Thursday. Mrs. Smith passed away at 2:40 Saturday afternoon, at the ripe old age of 80 years. Mrs. Smith's home was in Clarendon but had been living in Amarillo the last six months with her son, J. A. Smith. The remains were shipped to Clarendon Saturday and buried at that place. She leaves two children J. A. Smith of Amarillo, and Mrs. W. T. Howard of this place, to mourn her loss. The Democrat extends the deepest sympathy to them in the loss of their mother.

C. O. Goodpasture returned Saturday morning from a business trip to Miami.

## An Exciting Experience.

W. H. Bowerman had a rather exciting time last Thursday while out on his ranch branding cattle. A bull became enraged and rushed upon him knocking him down and made several unsuccessful attempts to gore him. Mr. Bowerman says the reason he escaped serious injury lays in the fact that the animals horns extend out sideways from the head. As it was he was bruised up considerably, being struck on the breast, thigh and in the groin, and once as he lay on the ground the animals horn just grazed his neck cutting his collar in two. It was very fortunate that aid was close at hand and came to his assistance or the results might have been much more serious. Mr. Bowerman says the wealth of a Rockefeller would not induce him to go through the same experience again.

## Purity Sunday.

All pastors of the M. E. Church in Texas are earnestly requested to preach a special sermon and present the cause of "The Virginia K. Johnson," Home Dallas. Giving an opportunity to our people to make an offering, to help liquidate the debt on the new Home, which is located in Oak Cliff. This "Rescue Home," for the fallen woman is a work which should receive the commendation of all our people for it is Christ's own work, as He said to the outcast, "Neither do I condemn thee, Go and sin no more." This is a Training School which offers 2 years in all branches of Industrial Training and places the inmates on a higher plane of pure living. They leave the "Home," to take up life anew having done all in their power to make amends for the false step. "Mother Johnson," for whom the home is named is indeed and in truth the "Mother" of these girls who come and go, and she is also financial Agent of the Home. With the help of God and the M. E. Church South, she has lived to see her fondest hopes realized as she can now offer the best of everything to all who enter the home for the blessed privilege of being made anew "In His Name." This great work and all it represents will be presented by our Pastor, at the morning service, Easter Sunday. Come and learn of this wonderful work of helping the outcast to a pure and upright life, which is a part of the great connectional missionary work of our Auxiliary. "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

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## Market Social.

The members of the Intermediate league of the Methodist church will give a market social in the basement of the Methodist church next Friday evening from 3 to 5. They will have on sale popcorn, crackerjacks, home made candies, etc. The object in giving this social is to raise money to send to a missionary now in China. Everybody invited to come out and assist and encourage these young people in their efforts in well doing and spend a very pleasant evening.

Mrs. S. A. Bryant and Mrs. W. H. Roberts returned Monday morning from Eastland where they had been called on account of the serious illness of their father. They left there Saturday and report him as improving at that time. We hope he will soon recover his usual health.

## A Good Man Has Gone.

The funeral of Guss Johnson was held at the First Baptist church in Clarendon Friday, March 27th, at 2 p. m. The procession left the house shortly before two o'clock, the body under the care of the Odd Fellows and followed by a long company of relatives and friends. The church was almost filled before the arrival of the funeral cortege.

At the church a service of unusual interest and appreciation was held. The pastors of the city spoke one after another in the kindest and most loyal way of Mr. Johnson as a friend, a citizen, and a Christian gentleman. The funeral message was spoken by Rev. R. B. Morgan of Memphis, who offered the consolation and comfort of the promises of God's Word to the bereaved and sorrowing hearts. The choir rendered most sweet and tender sympathy in song, the entire service leaving the impression of sincere regret at the loss of such a citizen, and loving sympathy to the bereaved ones from every acquaintance.

Mr. Johnson held the office of County Treasurer of Donley county at the time of his death. He leaves a wife and three daughters, Misses Lelia, May and Alice; an aged mother, who lives at Hedley and was prevented from attending the service on account of feeble health; and five brothers, P. C. and Bond W., of Hedley; W. A., of Roswell, N. M.; Johnnie, of Caddo Mills; and Ed, of Teague. The two last named were also unable to be present at the funeral.

A long procession of autos and buggies followed the remains to the cemetery, where they were laid to rest by the tender hands of his friends in Odd Fellowship.

Large numbers of friends from Hedley, Memphis, and all the towns and communities adjoining Clarendon attended the funeral services over their beloved friend, and The News joins them in expressing the sincerest sympathy of our hearts to the grief-stricken loved ones.—Clarendon News.

## Wednesday Study Club.

The Wednesday Study Club met April 1, with Mrs. Austin Arnold. Several visitors were Mrs. S. S. and Jot Montgomery, Mrs. Browder and Miss Kate Arnold. Mrs. Dooley also paid us a farewell visit, we are sorry to lose so efficient a member. Neapoléan's brilliant career was the subject of the history lesson. It seems strange that one man could have wielded such an influence and come to such an ignominious end.

We also had a peep at Dresden that beautiful German city situated on the Elbe and her art gallery. Here Raphael's celebrated Sistine Madonna, which by many persons is considered the most beautiful picture in the world has a whole room in gallery devoted to it. Miss Kate Arnold and Mrs. Jot Montgomery favored us with some choice music after which we were served delicious refreshments. Our next meeting will be April 15, with Mrs. Bradford at which time we will have some special numbers and we hope to have a full attendance.

PRESS REPORTER.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Thornton of Newlin returned home Saturday morning after a visit with Lee Thornton and I. P. Hollifield. Mr. Thornton lived near Memphis for two years before moving to the Newlin community.

## Sunday School Convention at Newlin.

The Hall County Sunday Schools met in convention at Newlin Sunday, March 26th, with about three hundred present. Rev. Huff of Newlin delivered the welcome address. Professor Dodson of Estelline, and Eld. Leak of Memphis delivered excellent speeches, followed by a dinner, the size of which was by its quality and the delight with which it was eaten.

The evening session opened at one thirty, p. m. with the Chairman, J. H. Pierce presiding. Speeches which delighted and edified the audience and enthused the Sunday school workers to greater efforts were delivered by the following: Mr. T. R. Garrott, W. B. Quigley, S. S. Montgomery, Rev. Hawkins, pastor of the M. E. Church and Rev. Morgan, Pastor of the Baptist church all of Memphis. H. L. Embry of Newlin also spoke.

The following votes carried and officers elected: The convention to meet in Memphis May 31, (fifth Sunday in May). One delegate is allowed each Sunday School for each ten members or fractional part thereof enrolled or in average attendance. J. H. Pierce temporary chairman and H. L. Embry temporary Secretary.

We missed a great many from the other Sunday schools in the county that we trust will attend the convention at Memphis.

It is the purpose of the convention at Memphis to organize a Hall County Sunday School Association and every Sunday school in Hall County is urged to send delegates to that convention.

"REPORTER."

## Spencer For Re-election.

Mr. H. D. Spencer, attorney for the 46th Judicial District, is here this week from Memphis, attending court and incidentally meeting the voters of the county. Mr. Spencer is also setting aright the report that he would not be a candidate for re-election. Mr. Spencer does not know how the report came to be circulating unless it was because he did not announce at the beginning of the campaign. But he has authorized the Foard County News to announce that he is in the running, and that he is running on the excellent record that he has made. There is no question but that Mr. Spencer has made an excellent attorney, and notwithstanding the fact that he has prosecuted without fear or favor, he has at the same time made friends, which is self-evident that he has ably enforced the law. Mr. Spencer is practical, self-made young man, and considering his age, has had perhaps more practical experience in law and in the courts than any other man in this part of the state. He is also a pleasant fellow, numbers his friends by his acquaintances and will no doubt make a strong race for re-election.—Foard County News.

If you want to see something artistic as well as practicable you should go to Cameron Lumber Co. and see the office room manager Scruggs has finished up with Beaver board. Beaver board is composed of wood fibre or ground wood pressed into strips and comes plain and can be painted or varnished any color you may choose. It does away with canvas and paper and is easily put on, and gives a very tasty appearance to the room.

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Now is the time to begin if you wish to raise your own pork and bacon. A few pigs secured now, if properly taken care of, will supply your table next year with home-raised, home-cured meat and this will reduce your expenses enormously. It is important to plant crops for grazing and for soiling so that the pigs may be economically fed.—Farm and Ranch.

Let cotton be your surplus crop if you grow cotton at all. It will utilize the hands and teams, will bring in cash at the close of the year and its gross income from an acre is high, usually. But it is not a good crop to depend upon for feed and food. A few acres of cotton may be worth more in net income than if most of the farm were planted to this crop.—Farm and Ranch.

It is not yet too late to transplant fruit trees if you have for any reason neglected this till the present time. Fruit trees may be safely transplanted where the soil is in good condition even after the buds begin to unfold and the leaves appear. In fact if one be careful the trees may be set when the foliage is full grown. But it is far better to transplant earlier. Get your trees and transplant them as soon as possible.—Farm and Ranch.

There is an erroneous idea prevalent that before sheep can be raised profitable one must have a large ranch where there are thousands of acres in grass. This is not true. On a small farm where one has only a limited number of acres in pasture a few sheep may be kept and there is no reason why these animals should not be profitable. Sheep will give one a chance to diversify and thus increase the chance for profit on the farm.—Farm and Ranch.

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### GATHERED AT RANDOM

Monday morning about half past five o'clock the dry goods store of the J. I. Reynolds Dry Goods Co., of West Childress burned down, both the stock and building being an entire loss. On the stock there was insurance to the amount of \$2300, but the building was uninsured. The stock was valued at more than \$4000 and the fire caused a heavy loss to Mrs. Reynolds, the proprietor.—Childress Post.

The business men of Clarendon have put up a purse of \$1,000 for one of the races this summer. It is expected that the entry fees will make up most of this amount and the citizens will be out very little.—Childress Post.

Lee Curry is sad this week. Sunday he and his wife left home to spend the day and during their absence a lot of hoboos, who had strayed across from the Rock Island, entered his home and robbed him of his razor, carving knife, pocket knife, and several articles of little value. The parties came on to Claude and boarded the northbound "blind bag gage" and went to pastures new. Lee says the next time he leaves home he will lock the door.—Claude News.

That Hedley is a market for more things than farm products has been demonstrated by J. G. McDougal. He has sold \$165 worth of shade trees to Memphis people this year. This week he had an order for a number of trees for the public park at Memphis. He has about an acre of trees and has realized far more from the sale of trees than he would have if he had been cultivating the spot of ground in any kind of crops.—Hedley Informer.

Dalhart, Texas, April 4—In an election here today to determine whether pool halls should be allowed to operate, the pool hall advocates won by a vote of 247 for, 98 against.—Amarillo Daily News.

The city of Temple has enacted an ordinance prohibiting any person under sixteen years of age from operating an automobile.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

A new law passed by the last legislature is now in effect. A person, who may take the automobile, motorcycle or bicycle of another and drive or ride it off without the consent of the owner even though the machine may be returned to the place from which

Mr. Stamper, an engineer working out of Pratt, had the misfortune to lose quite a sum of money during the high win last Wednesday evening. He had just cashed his check for \$170.00, stepped out of a restaurant; his bill book fell out of his

pocket and the "green back" went flying through the air in every direction. He only found a \$20 bill up in a tree top near by and a \$10 lodged against a fence. Suppose the remainder is still floating around over Kansas somewhere?—Ex.

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MEMPHIS CHAPTER, No. 220 R. A. M., meets in Masonic Hall on the Friday night after full moon. Visiting companions are welcome.  
J. D. BIRD, High Priest  
D. H. ARNOLD, Secretary.

MEMPHIS, No. 729, A. LODGE F. & A. M., meets in the Masonic Hall on the Saturday night occurring on or before the full moon. Visiting brothers are welcome.  
C. R. Webster, W. M.  
A. G. Powell, Sec.

MEMPHIS COMMANDERY No. 50, K. T., meets in Masonic Hall on the fourth Monday night of each month. Visiting Sir Knights welcome.  
J. H. Read, Em. Com.  
D. H. ARNOLD, Recorder

ESTELLINE LODGE, No. 823, A. F. & A. M., meets in Masonic Hall on Saturday nights on or before the full moon. Visiting brothers are welcome.  
A. D. Cross, W. M.  
H. R. Gowan, Secretary.

MEMPHIS CHAPTER, No. 351, O. E. S., meets in Masonic Hall on the second Thurs. night in each month. Visiting brothers and sisters are welcome.  
Mrs. B. W. Dodson, W. M.  
Sam Houston, Secretary.

ESTELLINE CHAPTER No. 235 O. E. S., meets in the Masonic Hall on Saturdays at 2 p. m., on or before the full moon. Visiting brothers and sisters are welcome.  
Mrs. LILLIE DELANEY, W. M.  
Mrs. ETHEL PREWITT, Sec'y

MEMPHIS LODGE, No. 444, I. O. O. F., meets in I. O. O. F. Hall every Tuesday night. Visiting brothers are welcome.  
E. E. Walker, N. G.  
Chas. Oren, Secretary.

NEWLIN LODGE, No. 673, I. O. O. F., meets in Newlin I. O. O. F. hall every Thursday night. Visiting brothers are welcome.  
G. W. HELM, N. G.  
J. H. PIERCE, Secretary

ELI LODGE No. I. O. O. F. at Eli, Texas, meets on Wednesday night of each week. T. M. Vaughn, N. G.  
J. Y. Snow, Secretary.  
Lakeview Lodge No. 761, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night.  
J. J. Gosdin, N. G.  
W. S. Gosdin, Sec.  
FLORA REBEKAH LODGE, No. 346,

meets every Monday night in I. O. O. F. Hall, Memphis, Texas. Visiting members are welcome.  
Miss Alice Smith, N. G.  
Mrs. A. H. WATTS, Secretary

LAUREL WREATH LODGE No. 168, D. of R., meets every Friday night in the I. O. O. F. Hall at Newlin. Visiting brothers and sisters welcome.  
Miss MARY GADY N. G.  
Mrs. WILL KESTERSON, Sec.

MEMPHIS CAMP, No. 12624, M. W. A., meets in M. W. A. Hall first and third Thursday 3 p. m. Visiting Neighbors are welcome.  
A. S. Thompson, Consul.  
W. T. Richardson, Clerk

2nd and 4th Thursday nights in the Woodman Hall.  
H. H. Wilkins C. C.  
W. L. Wheat, Clerk.

Memphis Grove No. 803 Woodman circle, meets 1st and third Tuesday at 3 p. m. in Woodman hall. Visiting sovereigns welcome. Mrs. Sallie Foreman Guardian. Mrs. Lilla Alexander, Clerk.

NEWLIN CAMP, No. 616, W. O. W., meets in Newlin, W. O. W. hall every second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month.  
L. C. CARDWELL, Con. Com.  
J. H. PIERCE, Clerk.

LAKEVIEW CAMP, No. 2353, W. O. W., meets in the Lakeview W. O. W. Hall on the first and third Saturday nights.  
C. Gerlach, Con. Com.  
J. W. Watson, Clerk.

Lodge Camp No. 2658, W. O. W., meets in Woodman hall on 2nd and 4th Saturday nights.  
S. J. Holt, Con. Com.  
J. D. Shankles, Clerk

Eli Camp, No. 2179, meets every second and fourth Saturday night.  
M. M. Edwards, C. C.  
A. W. Yarbrough, Clerk

Glasco Grove No. 742, Woodman Circle, Eli, Texas, meets 2nd and 4th Saturdays 3 p. m., at Woodman Hall.  
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No. 2, southbound.....	9:22 a. m.
No. 8, southbound.....	9:00 p. m.

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8

Memphis Commercial Club meets every second Tuesday night in each month at Club Rooms

### Announcements

For District Attorney  
HUGH D. SPENCER

For Sheriff and Tax Collector  
J. E. KING

For Tax Assessor  
R. E. PAINTER  
C. R. WEBSTER  
A. G. POWELL  
T. D. GEE, Estelline

For District and County Clerk  
SAM HOLT  
MISS FRANCIS ROBERTS

For County Attorney  
SAM J. HAMILTON

For County Treasurer  
F. A. HUDGINS  
CONLEY WARD

For County Judge  
S. G. ALEXANDER  
LON BURSON  
A. W. YARBROUGH, Ell  
S. S. SMITHEE

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1  
H. A. (MAJOR) MCCANNE  
R. N. BECKUM  
J. H. BRUMLEY

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2  
H. W. BLANKS, Lakeview  
J. A. MERRICK, Lakeview

For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1  
R. E. STAFFORD

AND the green grass is growing all around, all around.

OUR farmers will now make old mother earth move about some since the generous rainfall.

THE copious rains of last week has put one of the best seasons in the ground for several years. The smiles of all our people are also deep and broad.

ALL of Texas is rejoicing over the fact that one of the new Government Reginal banks will be located in Dallas. This district will embrace all of Texas, part of Louisiana, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona.

ONE of the great victories for prohibition and humanity was when Secretary Daniels of the Navy issued an order prohibiting the use of alcoholic liquors as a beverage in the Navy. No nation can serve liquor to her fighting men and expect them to be up to the standard as fighters or in morals.

MOTION pictures are to be

used at San Antonio for the purpose of diverting wayward boys from paths of sin. Another object of the films is to induce officers to show more leniency and kindness to boy prisoners. This is a new mission for these motion pictures and no doubt will accomplish much good.

### Henry Exall Farm Book.

The Democrat is in receipt of one of the Henry Exall Farm Books published by the Texas Industrial Congress. It is full of very valuable information on almost every subject that farmers have to deal with. It deals on modern agriculture methods and is edited by men who have made this study a life work. Henry Exall was until his death the President of the Texas Industrial Congress and Editor of the Henry Exall Farm Book. He believed the most important and material question of the day and times is the conservation of the soil. This was his life work and not only for the present but his great mind looked into the future and saw the struggle of future generations and he considered it his highest and holiest duty to his fellow man to strive for their relief. He was a man of great strength of character and of means, and gave many years of his life and much of his money to advance this work. He was the originator and leader in the organization of the Texas Industrial Congress and it was his great mind that made it a success and built it up to where it will never die, but live on forever. This book will be of great benefit to any farmer no matter what line of agriculture he may be following and can be fully relied on if he cares to follow its teachings, as they are the result of careful research and actual experience.

### A Dutchman's Troubles.

A Dutchman, addressing his dog, said: "You vos only a dog, but I wish I vos you. Ven you go mit der bed in, you shust durn round dree dimes and lay down. Ven I go mit der bed in, I haf to lock up de blace und vinds de clock und put de cat out my undress myself, und my wife vakes up und scolds me, den de baby cries und I haf to walk him up und down, den maybe ven I shust go to sleep, it's time to get up again. Ven you gets up, you shust yourself und scratch a couple of dimes, and you vos up. I half to light der fire, put on der kittle, scrap mit mine vife already, und maybe got some breakfast. You blay around all tay und half plenty of fun. I haf to vork all tay und haf plenty of drouble. Ven you die you's dead; ven I die I haf to go to ??? yet."

### Skin Diseases Cured.

Hunt's Cure is the name of the remedy which is absolutely Guaranteed to cure all forms of skin disease or the purchase price promptly refunded. Wonderful results are obtained by its use, curing cases that would not yield to other treatment.

Our new serial story "The Case of Jennie Brice" by Mary Roberts Rinehart, will start in our next issue. Be sure to read the opening chapter.

## CONFEDERATES GET MORE HELP

Quarterly Amount Will Reach Twenty Dollars For Each Pensioner.

Austin, Texas, April 4.—The quarterly appointment for Confederate pensioners according to the statement issued by Pension Commissioner Kyser will amount to \$20 per quarter for regular pensioners numbering 15,858 will receive warrants on this basis, 15,169 of these are on the regular roll and 689 are totally disabled.

This is the largest number of warrants that has ever been issued and was made possible by the special 5 cent tax levied for pensions by the thirty third legislature. This is also the largest amount ever received by the old soldiers. This apportionment is for the quarters ending May 31 and August 31, 1914.

### Arrest Under New Law.

The first arrest in Collingsworth county for violating the law passed by the last legislature making it a misdemeanor to give a check on a bank when the person making the check had no funds in the bank to cover the payment of same, was last week when some Shamrock parties came over and made complaint against a party here.

The law in regard to this is pretty stringent now, and more care will have to be exercised or many innocent people will get into trouble. In the past many depositors have gotten into the habit of carelessly giving checks without being sure whether they had enough money in the bank to cover the payment, expecting the bank to take care of any little overdraft, but business methods have changed now, and many banks will not honor an overdraft at all.—Wellington Leader.

D. A. Muse was in from the Arlie community Tuesday. Mr. Muse tells that there had been considerable petty thievery in the south part of the county lately. Somebody visited his place recently and relieved him of about 25 bushels of cotton he was saving for planting. An other man was robbed of two wagon loads of maize, and various others had suffered similar losses. From what we can learn there is no one in the community in dire need, so it is presumed that the motive prompting the action of these thieves is downright cussedness and triffeness.—Wellington Leader.

The business men of Vernon have started out to make this the biggest and best business year in their history as merchants. They are all making high figures, based upon the present flattering prospects, and we predict that none of them will be disappointed. With their large stocks, and low prices, they will knock out the mail order houses and all competition and thus establish the slogan, "Patronize Vernon merchants and keep Vernon money in Vernon."—Vernon Record.

### THE BEST PROOF.

Memphis Citizens Cannot Doubt It. Doan's Kidney Pills were used—They brought benefit. The story was told to Memphis residents. Time has strengthened the evidence, Has proven the result lasting. The testimony is from this locality. The proof convincing. Mrs. M. Scarbaugh, Quanah, Texas, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills certainly did me a great deal of good, enabling me to sleep well and ridding me of trouble with the kidney secretions. Doan's Kidney Pills have proven so satisfactory that I highly recommend them to other kidney sufferers."

PERMANENTLY CURED. Later Mrs. Scarbaugh said: "I have had no occasion to use a kidney remedy since Doan's Kidney Pills cured me some years ago. You are at liberty to use my former endorsement." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Scarbaugh had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

### Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County—GREETING:

You Are Hereby Comanded, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hall if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 46th judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to the said 46th judicial district, for eight weeks previous to the return day hereof, Isaac Allen and the unknown heirs of Isaac Allen. The unknown heirs of W. H. Taylor deceased and W. J. Sanders whose residences are unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Hall at the Court House thereof, in the City of Memphis on the 1st day of June, A. D. 1914, same being the 1st Monday in June, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 21st, day of March A. D. 1914 in a suit numbered, on the docket of said Court No. 772, wherein W. C. Morris is plaintiff and the heirs of Isaac Allen and the heirs of W. H. Taylor and W. J. Sanders are defendants. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit: A suit in Trespass to try title and for Damage to Lots 22 and 23 in Block 8 of the original town of Memphis, Hall county, Texas.

Plaintiff alleges that Defendant heirs of Isaac Allen have a shadow of claim by reason of a void quit claim deed. That the heirs of W. H. Taylor holds a claim on one half interest in lot 22 which said claim based upon a deed wherein consideration was not paid.

That W. J. Sanders executed deed of conveyance to L. H. Collie which deed was lost and not recorded.

Plaintiff pleads the statute of three, five, and ten years limitations and says that he and those whose estate he has had actual peaceable continuous adverse possession of the above lots under claim of right for ten years, that he and those whose estate he has, has been using enjoying the same under deed for more than 5 years paying all taxes due thereon for more than five years. Plaintiff prays for recovery of the land to quiet title for possession and for restitution of premises for cost and for general relief.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, Texas, this, the 21st, day of March A. D. 1914.

S. G. ALEXANDER, Clerk District Court Hall County, Texas. 39-8tc

By M. F. ROBERTS.

### To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

## Farm Loans

Vendor Lien Notes Bought

OFFICES:  
MEMPHIS: Monday Tuesday and Wednesday  
CLARENDON: Thursday Friday and Saturday

### J. S. ULM

## MONEY TO LOAN ON FARMS

IF YOU NEED MONEY TO PAY OFF VENDOR'S LIEN NOTES, LET US FIGURE WITH YOU ON A LOAN.  
We can make you a loan and we guarantee satisfaction

### DUNBAR BROS.

OFFICE: Citizens State Bank. PHONE 206

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HEREIN FAIL NOT, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this

Writ, with your endorsement thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at my office in Memphis, Texas, this 23rd, day of March, A. D. 1914.

S. G. ALEXANDER, Clerk District Court Hall County, Texas.

39-4t By M. F. Roberts, Deputy.

Rev. M. L. Kimmel will preach for the Church of Christ at the I. O. O. F. hall at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on each Third Sunday of the month.

### MEMPHIS DRUGGIST MAKES A STATEMENT.

We always advise people who have stomach or bowel trouble to see a doctor. But to those who do not wish to do this we will say: try the mixture of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-i-ka. This simple new remedy is so powerful that JUST ONE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY. People who try Adler-i-ka are surprised at its QUICK action. RANDAL DRUG CO.

Although still a smaller institution than the University of Kansas, the University of Texas has now in attendance 2503 students. That life among these students is democratic and wholesome is shown by the fact that not less than one thousand of them belong to the self-supporting class. Many of these students are earning all the money necessary to keep them in the University, while at the same time maintaining good class records. Free tuition in the University is just as important as free tuition in the public schools of which the University is the crown and head.

## THE CASE OF JENNIE BRICE

By MARY ROBERTS RINEHART



Was Jennie Brice murdered? If so, who killed her? What did "Horn" mean? Also, strange mark on the body?

### Read our new serial and solve these mysteries



This map shows the United States divided into four climatic zones. Paint must be made to fit the climate in which it is to be used. Paint for Florida won't do for Arizona or Colorado.

When you buy Lincoln Climatic Paint you can be sure it is exactly suited for this locality. It will not crack, check or peel with the various changes of weather, because it's made especially to withstand this climate.



We have a booklet which tells all about Lincoln Climatic Paints, also a booklet telling how you can do the "Home Painting Job" yourself. Ask for these books—they are free.

**J. C. WOOLDRIDGE**

R. A. BOSTON, Manager  
YARD NORTH OF HALL COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

S. G. Alexander spent Saturday in Estelline.

Let me make you a pair of pants. J. C. Ross. 36 tf

Lon Burson spent Saturday at Newlin.

R. E. Painter spent Saturday in Estelline.

WANTED—Fat cattle and hogs. HUCHTON MEAT CO.

Max King spent Sunday in Vernon visiting with friends.

Jim Vardy of Estelline was a Monday visitor in Memphis.

Before buying corn chops. See MEMPHIS MILLING CO.

W. B. Duncan of Estelline was in Memphis Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Whaley spent Sunday in Estelline visiting with relatives.

We buy feed of all kinds every day. W. P. Dial. 21-tf

Sheriff Jim King made a business trip to Estelline Monday.

Henry Baldwin and Judge Bird made a trip out to Turkey Tuesday.

Cream—We want Cream at the Farmers Produce Co.

C. D. Patterson and brother Ora, of Estelline was here Monday on business.

Prof. Clagett was confined to his home Monday on account of sickness.

Ten thousand lbs. Cream wanted at Farmers Produce Co.

Mrs. F. A. Spencer is visiting relatives in Denton and Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Durham

of Lakeview were shopping in Memphis Monday.

Don't worry churning, sell your Cream to Farmers Produce Co.

R. S. Wansley of Lakeview was a pleasant business visitor in Memphis Monday.

Bond W. Johnson of Hedley, was a pleasant business visitor in Memphis Monday.

Cash for Cream at the Farmers Produce Co.

Attorney J. V. Leak is in Hemphill, Sabine county this week attending court.

Silas Wood is able to be out again after being confined to the house for several days.

T. E. Bowers of Nocono, spent several days last week in Memphis visiting old friends.

We want to sell you good yellow corn chops. MEMPHIS MILLING CO.

J. F. Bradley has been confined to his home this week with an attack of rheumatism.

Take your shoe repairing to Sullivan at the Connally Shoe Co.

Jno. Browder came in last week from Dallas where he had been visiting with his family.

Let Big Wilkins do your horse shoeing, at the old West Livery stable.

Mr. A. G. Moores has been on the sick list for some time but is reported able to be around.

A. G. Powell spent Sunday in Clarendon visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Homer Martin.

Dial sells coal at the same price he did before the strike. 21 tf

J. A. Whaley has under construction on a nice modern residence in the southwest part of the city.

Mrs. Chas. Oren had quite a serious attack of Appendicitis last week but is improving at this writing.

Dial sells coal at the same price he did before the strike. 21-tf

The Memphis Democrat and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News one year for \$1.75. Tell your friends.

Dial sells coal at the same price he did before the strike. 21-tf

Rev. B. W. Dodson attended the organizing of the Eastern Star lodge at Hedley Monday night.

Louis Vaughn is able to be on the street again after being confined to the house for the last three months.

Cane Seed can be good enough to bring \$25 per ton at W. P. Dial's 21-tf

J. S. Bond returned from Eastland last week on account of the sickness of his father and report him very low.

Elder Leak is holding a series of meetings in Clarendon this week and will return home Saturday.

Your credit is good, buy a Sharples Separator from Farmers Produce Co.

Mrs. H. G. Stephens went over to Wellington Saturday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. V. V. Davis.

M. J. Cummings has sold his dray business to Conley Ward and will give all his time in the future to the produce business.

Skim your milk and bring your Cream to Farmers Produce Co.

Joe J. Mickle & Son are having Painter Bell give the front of their store a new coat of paint this week.

Did you read the article in the last issue of the Democrat telling the value of the silo to the farmer and stock raiser.

J. C. Ross has the best line of samples in town. See him before you buy. 36-tf

It is rumored that parties from Wellington will in the near future put in a cash grocery on the south side.

J. N. Cudd, one of Hall county's successful farmers, was in town Monday and renewed his acquaintance with the Democrat.

Wheat & Jones have just received a car of bulk garden seed. 33-tfc

The road drag used in the streets here in Memphis this week is putting the roads in fine shape. Let the good work go on.

Mrs. Houghton went up Hedley Monday morning where she instituted a lodge of the Eastern Star at that place Monday night

Call 262 for a perfect job of cleaning and pressing. J. C. Ross. 36 tf

A. J. Battle left Sunday morning for Houston and other points and will probably not return to Memphis before next fall.

Dr. W. P. Dooley and family left last week for Colorado City, Colo., where he will locate for the practice of his profession.

We sell the Sharples Cream Separator. Before buying see us. FARMERS PRODUCE CO. Memphis, Texas.

Miss Rachael Moores went up to Hedley Monday evening and assisted in instituting the new Eastern Star Lodge Monday night.

J. M. Elliott last Saturday moved his law office from the First National Bank Building to the Mickle building on the East side.

Don't forget the O. K. Tailor when you have Cleaning and Pressing. Phone 38. 46-tf

Monday was First Monday and the usual crowd of horse swoppers and shoppers were on our streets and most of our merchant a good business.

Miss Dorothy Rippstein departed Monday of last week for San Antonio, to live with relatives. Her many friends will miss her very much.

We guarantee to set your buggy tires right. MAULDIN & WILKINS, Blacksmiths.

Mrs. Wallace Lawrence came in Saturday morning from Saginaw where she has been visiting relatives and friends for several days.

Mr. Clarence Billington of Lakeview left last Monday night for Chillicothe where he will spend the summer on the experimental farm near Chillicothe.

Bring your old Hats to O. K. Tailor and have them cleaned and blocked. 46-tf

Contractor Jaynes and C. H. Floyd went down to Kirkland Monday morning where Mr. Jaynes has the contract for the erection of a new brick business building.

W. P. Pope and L. E. Gibbs returned Thursday from Wellington and will again make Memphis their home. We are glad to welcome them back to Memphis.

Don't forget the game of ball between Vernon and Memphis High Schools on April 11th.

A norther struck Memphis Tuesday morning and by Wednesday morning the thermometer registered three degrees below freezing point and will very likely kill all fruit.

J. R. Hanvey went down to Vernon Tuesday on a business trip and came back to Quannah Tuesday evening and attended Presbytery which was in session at that place.

All kinds of blacksmithing and wood work done by Mauldin & Wilkins, located at the old West Livery barn.

We understand there will be an Ice Cream parlor and confectionery put in the store room on the north side formally occupied by the City Meat Market.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis McCall of Claude, came down last Thursday and visited with Mrs. McCall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bradley. They returned home Sunday morning.

Cooper & Watts, tinners, west side of square. All work guaranteed. Phone 350. 31-tfc

W. K. Hollifield on Monday sold his poultry house on south side to M. J. Cummins and Mr. Lemon, who will continue the poultry business in the same old stand.

## What You Should Know About Beaver Board

**Description** Beaver Board is Pure Wood Fibre wallboard which takes the place of lath, plaster and other wall building materials. Because of its superior surface for decorating, it makes wallpaper unnecessary. It is made from selected woods reduced to fibrous form and pressed into panels three-sixteenths of an inch thick and in a variety of lengths and widths.

**Application** Beaver Board is nailed to the studding (wall and ceiling beams) of new rooms or directly over the lath and plaster of old rooms. The seams formed by the joining of the panels are covered with decorative strips of wood making an artistic panel arrangement. Anyone handy with tools can get a nice Beaver Board job by following instructions. Beaver Board is easily cut with a fine tooth saw, sharp knife or chisel.

**Uses** Beaver Board is used chiefly for walls and ceilings in new houses and over lath, plaster and other materials for remodeling. It is used extensively in residences, public buildings, theatres, offices, factories, etc. It is also used for rest-rooms, telephone booths, consultation closets, display booths at fairs and exhibitions. Barren attics or cellars can be converted into comfortable rooms or may be remodeled for play-rooms, work-shops, etc.

**A Few of Its 41 Advantages** Beaver Board does not chip, crack or disintegrate. It makes rooms warmer in winter and cooler in summer. It retards fire; is a sound deadener, withstands shocks, strains and vibrations which crack and bring down plaster. Beaver Board improves with age; never needs repainting or replacing.

We want to invite everybody to call and see our new inside wall finish. We have just completed a small room at our office to advertise Beaver Board. This is something new and very attractive. We have this in Stock and can furnish you requirements on demand.

**Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc.**  
G. N. Scruggs, Manager

Chas. Drake last week sold Claude Brantley a Ford auto and delivered same last Wednesday. Jno. Gamble and Chas. Craig have the agency for the Ford now.

Remember the O. K. Tailor will give you the best clothes for the money that can be had. 46-tf

Rev. B. W. Dodson came in from Sweetwater Monday morning and is spending a few days with his family. He says he likes his new work very much and will return Friday morning.

Don't forget the Woman's Culture Club will present the Clarendon Glee Club here at the Presbyterian church on Friday, April 17. Admission 50 and 25 cents.

SEEDS—Full line of garden and field. Oats, Shaller Kaffir, red and white, Maize, Cane, Feterita, etc. Send for prices. Amarillo Seed Co., Amarillo Tex. 33-13tc

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wright and daughter Elizabeth, went up to Clarendon Sunday morning where they will spend several days visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lous Vaughn left for Crowell Saturday morning to visit relatives. Mrs. Vaughn has been in bad health for some time and goes on the trip hoping it will be beneficial to her.

If your suit needs cleaning and pressing, call 186. All work guaranteed.

FRANK GREENE, Tailor.

The Huchton Meat Company shipped a car load of hogs to Fort Worth last Sunday. They were a fine lot of hogs and topped the market. Mr. Arnold advises farmers to plant more hogs.

Dr. Lowery came down from Amarillo Saturday and went out to Lakeview Sunday where he delivered an address to the people of that community, returning to Memphis Sunday evening and back to Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. W. D. Morgan will give an Easter egg hunt to the members of the Junior League next Friday afternoon. They will meet at Morgan & Blanton's store and each one is expected to bring a few eggs.

The Connally Shoe Co., is now receiving all styles and sizes in slippers for spring wear. Prices right. Call and see them.

No need of you being bothered with flies this summer. Go to the Jno. E. Quarles Lumber Co., get screens for your windows and doors and "eliminate" the flies to the outside.

Mrs. J. C. Frazier returned from Dallas last Friday evening where she has been for several weeks for the benefit of her health. We are glad to report to her many friends that she is very much improved.

Time to begin thinking about that Spring Suit. I have 1500 samples to select from. Come in and let me show you through.

FRANK GREENE, Tailor.

The Amarillo Presbytery of the Presbyterian church met in Quannah this week. Those attending from Memphis are Rev. Will T. Swaim, J. A. Grundy, Mrs. R. A. Boston, Mrs. Wm. McNeely and J. G. Noel.

We are very glad to announce that Miss May Major, who underwent an operation at the Wilson Sanitarium for appendicitis last week, is improving very rapidly and soon be able to be up and around.

Dr. Lowery came down from Amarillo Saturday and went out to Lakeview Sunday where he delivered an address to the people of that community, returning to Memphis Sunday evening and back to Amarillo Monday.

All our pupils of 1913, are requested to tell their friends about us.

## Henry's Business College

Will open again in Memphis, Texas, June 1st, 1914.

Our record is with you on which we stand. Our reference this time is to every pupil and patron of our session of 1913.

We will teach as before, Regular Business Course. Typewriting, Penmanship, Shorthand, Spelling and Mathematics. We will add:

Salesmanship. This subject will appeal to every Banker, Merchant and every class of business men, as it is the latest means of developing the best elements in every one—more about this later.

Every young man and young lady in Hall County get ready for this exceptional opportunity.

Special inducements offered Hall Co., Public School Teachers, for this summer session.

Respectfully,  
A. S. HENRY, President.

This school will save you \$250.00 on a Business Education.



## Why Not Light Up Your Country Home

Almost as convenient as if you as if you had electricity in your home. You can do this with the "Quick Lit"

Hollow wire and Table Lamps. One match will Generate and light these lamps the tips are cleaned automatically, cost less than one-third cent per hour for a 500 Candle Power lamp. Let me demonstrate these lamps in your home.

**W. M. BAGWELL,**  
District Agent  
Phone No. 361. P. O. Box 326.  
MEMPHIS, TEXAS.

# Madam Grace Corsets

We have just received a new shipment of twelve different styles in American Beauty

AND



Four new styles in front laces at from \$1.50 to - \$3.50  
 American Beauty Corsets sell at from \$1.00 to - \$3.50  
 Madam Grace Corsets sell at from \$2.50 to - \$5.00  
 We have a corset for every figure. Let us show you



## GREENE DRY GOODS CO.

Memphis

"The Big Daylight Store"

Texas

**FOR SALE**—Good 1100 pound black horse. Will sell for cash any time. See me at Cameron number Co. G. N. SCRUGGS.

Those in Clarendon who are interested in horse racing have been by popular subscription a prize of one thousand dollars to be given as a prize at the race which will be held in Clarendon on July 1, 2, 3 and 4.

The Vernon High School ball team will play Memphis here on April 11th. Everybody come and encourage the boys and play a good game.

Rev. R. B. Morgan left Sunday for Wharton, Texas, where he will hold a series of meetings about ten days. Rev. Morgan is an able preacher and his services are in great demand which takes him to all parts of Texas.

Mrs. I. N. McCrary returned last week from a several weeks trip with friends and relatives at Fort Worth, Houston and other points. Mr. McCrary went down to Fort Worth and accompanied her home.

We have an up to date Steam Press and Delivery wagon, will call for and deliver to any part of the city. L. McMILLAN, O. K. 46-tf

C. L. Sloan returned Tuesday night from a two weeks trip up the plains. At Pampa he had a car, one at Canadian and one to a ranchman between Pampa and Canadian. All the cars were Jeffrey No. 4.

If your chickens are diseased, call on Wheat & Jones for Pratts' Croup Cure, Cholera and White Diarrhoea Remedy. 52tf

Mr. J. E. Gable living out near Edge was in town Tuesday with a load of hogs, which he was shipping in a car which O. B. Burnett shipped out. Mr. Gable made the Democrat a friendly

O. B. Burnett shipped out another load of hogs Tuesday and will ship another soon. There is lots of hog raising in Hall county but the output could be double which would add much profit to the farmers.

Mrs. M. B. Daniel of Hereford, returned to her home Saturday morning. She has been on an extended visit with relatives and friends in East Texas and Oklahoma and stopped in Memphis and spent the last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blanton.

Go to A. L. Thrasher and let O. K. or Red Webster fix your horses feet that have corns, narrow heel or wire cut feet. We do all kinds of wagon, buggy and plow work and guarantee to please. Yours to serve.

A. L. THRASHER.

J. A. Massey and P. M. Prime have leased the E. J. Rawlins planning mill and will continue the business. These gentlemen are good workmen in their line and will no doubt make a success. Mr. Rawlins is in Corpus Christi assisting R. L. Moreman do some gin work.

Recently this office has received several communications with the request to publish but as no names are signed to them we cannot publish them, as all well-regulated offices refuse to do. Always sign your name, not necessarily for publication but so we can tell who the writer is.

How about that garden hose you need? For sale by C. L. Sloan Plumbing and Heating Co. Phone 358. 41-4tc

Sid Stone came down from Allenreed Saturday and spent Sunday with friends here in Memphis returning Monday. Sid says they have about 300 acres ready for planting and that they had a fine rain up there, also that they are well pleased with their new home.

J. B. Nace of Lakeview, was in

Memphis Saturday and made the Democrat a pleasant call. Mr. Nace informed us that when in town last Wednesday he had the misfortune to lose his purse containing near \$10.00, either in town or on the road to his home. We hope whoever found it will be honest enough to return same to him.

Are you going to have that plumbing done this spring? Let us figure with you. C. L. SLOAN, Plumbing and Heating Co. Phone 358. 41-4tc.

Vernon and Memphis high school base ball teams will cross bats next Saturday afternoon at the old base ball park in the northwest part of the city at 3:00 o'clock. Vernon played the Quannah team last week and beat them, which shows our team will have to play ball—and they will. Everybody come out and see a good game.

The Womans Culture Club has secured the Clarendon College Glee Club as an attraction and will give an entertainment at the Presbyterian church on Friday night, April 17. This club comes well recommended and promises to be very entertaining. Admission 50 and 25 cents.

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Dr. W. B. Dinson of Peniel, Texas, was in Memphis Sunday and gave a lecture to quite a good sized audience at the Methodist church on Sunday afternoon on the "White Slave Traffic." He also preached at the Union Church on North 10th street on Monday night. While here he was the guest of E. O. Sloan.

R. P. Brice has erected a new building at his home on West Roberson street and will manufacture brooms on quite an extensive scale. He will employ an expert broom maker and will make only first class brooms. Mr. Brice has been a resident of Hall county for many years and needs no introduction to the people of Memphis.

FOR SALE—Cook stove, heating stove, tool chest, tools, hot water tank, electric supplies, sofa. See Geo. J. Schmidt, North 8th street. 40-2tc

The Ladies Dept. Club of

Childress will give a Ladies Minstrel on April 15, at the La Grande Theatre. Harry Roque more who is well known as the Elks Minstrel director is training the ladies and the show promises to be a great success. The tickets will be on sale in Memphis and the club hopes to have a number of visitors from Memphis at the show.

I now have the most up-to-date line and styles for ladies, we have ever had. Let us show you before you buy.

MRS. H. L. KIMBLER, at the O. K. Tailor Shop. 32-tfc

Gordon Watts of Waco, came in last week and will make Memphis his future home. Mr. Watts is a son of our fellow townsman Walter Watts, and will be associated with the firm of Cooper & Watts, Tinners. He has purchased a home and Mrs. Watts who is now visiting relatives in Cleburne will arrive sometime this week. We welcome them to our beautiful little city.

The new rural out of Memphis was inaugurated Wednesday with E. E. Walker as temporary carrier. At this writing they are serving about 50 boxes but in a short time will serve at least 25 more families which will relieve the postoffice here considerably. The office here is very much cramped for space to handle the fast increasing mails. U. V. Ferguson will continue on route No. 1 until a new carrier is appointed when he will carry mail on the new route.

Don't forget that the Panhandle Teachers Association meets here next Friday and Saturday and that we will have a large number of teachers with us. Let everyone appoint himself as a committee to welcome them to our hospitable little city. The program as published last week will be rendered at the Carnegie Library. Prof. Ben Short of Hereford, will preside at this session. Quite a number of our best local speakers will be on the program and the session promises to be a very interesting affair.

The parties promoting the race track course have raised a sufficient sum of money to do the grading that is necessary to put the track in first class condition and the grading will commence in a few days. If we get

on the Short Ship racing circuit of which there is an effort being made it will bring some fast horses here and these who like to see good horse races can get to see them right here in Memphis. The course will be just across the track from the ice plant. It will also be used as a ball park and possibly later in the season a grand stand will be erected.

S. Norrell representing the Layton Pure Food Co. of East St. Louis, Ill., was in town last week placing the products of that company with our grocery men. He also placed a special ad with the Democrat advertising the Health Club Baking Powder and made arrangement with King & Hattenbach whereby they will give away a handsome Crystal Boston Measuring cup to those who will present them the front label from a 25 ounce can of Health Club Baking powder after the 15th of April.

In last weeks issue of the Foard County News we notice quite a lengthy write up of T. A. Taggart, our former superintendent of schools, complimenting him very highly for the very efficient manner in conducting the schools of Crowell the past year. The teachers showed their appreciation by presenting him a copy of "Camille Flammarion's Popular Astronomy." Mr. Taggart was a resident of Memphis for several years and has a host of friends here who will be glad to hear of his success in his new home. He is a very strong man in the school

rooms and will make his presence felt wherever he is located.

Again complaint is made of idle boys running around the town and disturbing people by taking chickens and even rocking them. One lady says two boys took the eggs from under a setting hen and broke them against the fence. Boys that mean should be severely punished. Was your boy playing hooky today.

### Christian Revival Postponed.

On account of some very pressing obligations Eld. J. C. Mason who has been engaged to do the preaching in the Christian revival to be held here, has asked that the meeting be postponed until the month of June. Eld. Mason is an able minister and our people will hear him gladly when he comes.

### Disinfecting Lime.

This is the time of the year when everyone should use disinfectants to keep down diseases and flies. We have the special prepared disinfecting lime at 50c per sack.

CICERO SMITH LUMBER CO.

Jno. Dennis has resigned his position with the Bradford Grocery Co., and will farm the coming year.

### Public Stenographer.

All work on short notice. Office in Court house. Phone 204. 29-tfc

MISS LILA FULLER.

### Water Notice.

Your water rent is due on April 1st, please call at First National Bank and settle same at once. MEMPHIS WATER WORKS.

### For Sale or Trade.

One single buggy, good as new Will sell for cash or trade. A. POWER, at Memphis Cotton Oil Co.

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 Frys 10c per lb. Turkeys 10c per lb.

Eggs and Hides Wanted

### Memphis Produce Co.

Southeast Corner Square

## THE RACKET STORE--Home of Bargains

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## The Home Circle Column

### PLEASANT EVENING REVERIES

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide

Crude Thoughts From The Editorial Pen

#### DON'T BE WILD, GIRLS.

Wildness is a thing which girls cannot afford. Delicacy is a thing which cannot be lost or found. No art can restore the grape its bloom. Familiarity without confidence, without regard, is destructive to all that makes women exalting and ennobling. It is the first duty of a woman to be a lady. Good breeding is common sense. Bad manners in a woman is immorality. Awkwardness may be ineradicable. Bashfulness is constitutional. Ignorance of etiquette is the result of circumstances. All can be condoned and not banish men and women from the amenities of their kind. But selfpossessed, unshrinking and aggressive coarseness or demeanor may be reckoned as a state's prison offense, and certainly merits that mild form of restraint called imprisonment for life. It is a shame for women to be lectured on their manners. It is a bitter shame that they need it. Do not be restrained. Do not have impulses that have to be restrained. Do not wish to dance with the prince unsought; feel differently! Be sure you confer honor! Carry yourself so lofty that men will look up to you in regard, not at you in rebuke. The natural sentiment of men toward woman is reverence. He loses a large means of grade when he is obliged to account her a being to be trained in propriety. A man's ideal is not wounded when woman falls in worldly wisdom; but if in grace, in tact, in sentiment, in delicacy, and in kindness she should be found wanting, he receives an inward hurt.

#### HAPPINESS IN MARRIAGE.

Thomas Jefferson wrote the following excellent advice. There is a great deal of human nature and good sense in it:

"Harmony in the married state is the first thing to be arrived at. Nothing can preserve the affections uninterrupted but a firm resolution never to differ in will, and a determination in each to consider the love of the other of more value than any object whatever on which the wish had been fixed. How light, in fact, is the sacrifice of any other wish when weighed against the affections of one with whom we are to pass our whole life. And no opposition in a single instance will hardly in itself produce alienation, yet every one has his pouch into which all these little oppositions are put, and while this is filling, the alienation is insensibly going on, and when filled it is complete. It would puzzle either to say why, because no one difference of opinion has been marked enough to produce a serious effect by itself. But he or she finds his or her affections wearied out by a constant stream of little checks and obstacles. Other sources of discontent, very common, indeed, are the little cross purposes of husband and wife in common conversation; a disposition in either to criticize and question whatever the other says; a desire always to demonstrate and make him feel himself in the wrong, especially in sympathy. Nothing is so goading on the part of either. Much better, therefore, if our companion views a thing in a light different from what we do, to leave him in quiet possession of his view. What is the use of rectifying him if the thing be unimportant? and if important, let it pass for the present, and wait for a softer moment and more conciliatory occasion of revising the subject

together. It is wonderful how many persons are rendered unhappy by inattention to these rules of prudence'

#### HBART BURDENS.

There are a great many men who have business burdens. When we see a man worried and perplexed and annoyed in business life, we are apt to say, 'He ought not to have attempted to carry so much.' Ah, that man may not be to blame at all. When a man plants a business, he does not know what will be its branches. There is many a man with keen foresight and large business faculty who has been flung into the duty by unforeseen circumstances springing upon him from ambush. When to buy, when to sell, when to trust and to what amount of credit, what will be the effect of this new invention of machinery, what will be the effect of that loss of crop and a thousand other questions perplex business men until the hair is silvered and deep wrinkles are plowed in the cheek, and the stocks go up by mountains and down by valleys, and they are at their wits' ends and stagger like drunken men.

There never has been a time when there have been such rivalries in business as now. It is hardware against hardware, books against books, chandlery against chandlery, imported article against imported article. A thousand stores in combat with another thousand stores. Never such advantage of light, never such variety of assortment, never so much splendor of show window, never so much adroitness of salesman, never so much acuteness of advertising, and amid all these severities of rivalry in business how many men break down.

Govern your thoughts when alone and your tongue when in company.

The foundation of happy homes is laid in the kitchen.

Five young women who were graduated at the University of Texas have recently abandoned teaching and taken up farming as an occupation. Miss Margaret E. Cobb, formerly of Cameron, Texas, is now running an alfalfa farm at Anthony, New Mexico. Miss Una Bedichek, whose home was at Eddy, Texas, and who later taught in the Belton High School and at Ballinger, has taken up a claim seven miles from Deming, New Mexico. Misses Alma and Lizzie Harris, two sisters, are running a farm at Columbus, New Mexico. Miss Emily Schostag, another graduate of the University, is living on a claim in West Texas.

The fly community of the civic league at Lubbock have followed after Amarillo and are offering 10c per hundred for flies dead or alive. No price has been put on flies here in Memphis and they can and will thrive without any fear of being molested. Not even a clean-up campaign being agitated. Nothing doing.

Messrs. Spencer and Orr were out in the Pleasant Valley neighborhood looking after some improvements that will be made in that community this spring.

#### A Painless Headache.

Is there such a thing as painless headache, painless neuralgia, or painless rheumatism? Hunt's Lightning Oil will make the pain go away and the suffering cease. That's why Hunt's Lightning Oil is so popular and praised so much. Ask your druggist.

## POULTRY FOR MARKET

BIG PRICES ARE GIVEN ONLY TO THE FANCY STOCK.

Choice, Plump Stock Is Demanded and Always Finds Ready Sale—Select Only Such Breeds as Will Please the Customer.

(By M. K. BOYER.)

Each year the poultryer better understands the care of poultry, knows their wants, and has discovered how to keep them comfortable. The comfortable hens are the ones that do the laying.

About 30 years ago, when poultry-farming was young, as a business, a cry arose that it would not be long before there would be such a surplus of stock that prices would go tumbling, but notwithstanding that, there are ten successful plants today to every one 30 years ago, and the demand not half reached! With the increase of supply came the increase of demand, and today we are no nearer meeting the demand than we ever were.

However, there is a change in the market which must not be lost sight of. Almost anything in the poultry line sells, but the choice prices are alone given to the "fancy goods."

The word "fancy" implies more than appearance. It means also quality. Poultry and egg-buyers are becoming particular, but they are willing



Good Type of White Rock Hen.

to pay for their goods. If they want the brown eggs they will not take white; and if they prefer the white, the brown offer no temptation. The market today demands choice, plump, fresh stock. Have you got it? If so the market is waiting for you.

We have today quite a number of breeds, and all to a certain extent, are practical. But they will not any one of them fill all the purposes; therefore, it is necessary for a man to select only such breeds as will best serve his customers.

Of the entire list of breeds, none will meet the demands of Americans so satisfactory as do the American varieties, and in this class the most popular are the Wyandottes, the Plymouth Rocks and the Rhode Island Reds closely following. Also our American strains of Light Brahmas and Leghorns.

The Brahmas belong to the Asiatic class as a breed, but the Light Brahma, as bred by our people, is so different from that bred in England, that one would hardly suppose them to be of the same family. This is also true of the Leghorns, which belong to the Mediterranean class.

#### CUT OUT THE SHORT CHECK

Cruel and Senseless Practice in Driving Horses—Would Yield Greater Returns With Care.

The man or woman who drives a horse with a short check rein drawing his face up and expose his eye to the glare of the sun and the beating of the rain is guilty of a cruel and senseless practice.

It is too bad for horses to work on the farm or to milk wagons through the week, and on Sundays have their heads drawn up to an unnatural position and driven miles with their necks hurting them.

I believe they should yield larger returns to their owners and also I believe God would be well pleased with kindness to all his creatures.

#### Pumpkins for Live Stock.

"Pumpkins are worth approximately two-thirds as much as ensilage for cows or sheep. Brood sows make good use of them, writes H. P. Miller in the Ohio Farmer. In the ration of fattening hogs they should occupy about the same place as grass. Perhaps two dollars per ton would be a fair money value to place upon yield pumpkins for feeding cattle, sheep or hogs. It will be noted that they contain so much water that no animal should be confined to pumpkins alone.

#### Sharpening the Disks.

Did you ever think of filing the disks of your harrow sharp when they get blunt. It takes sometime and elbow grease, but it pays first rate.

#### Be Honest in Packing.

Pack fruit honestly from top to bottom, and put your name or trademark on it, in establishing a permanent market.

## FARM POULTRY

### THINGS ABOUT GUINEA FOWL

Birds Make Excellent Substitute for Game and Many Big Hotels Serve Them as Pheasants.

(By MRS. A. JOSEPH.)

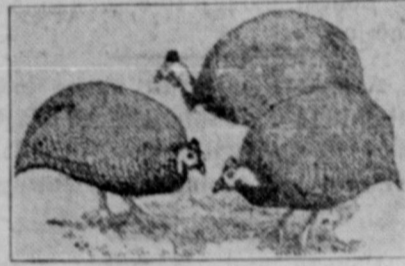
The demand for guinea fowls grows stronger every year and is increasing as people become acquainted with the good qualities of their flesh. Those who have learned to appreciate the flavor of the flesh of a plump guinea are not slow to express surprise at the fact that the excellent qualities of this bird have not been more widely recognized.

It is true that the cook book fails to refer to them at all and yet there is not the least question but that they are superior eating to either the duck or the goose.

The young fowl are best broiled, while the older birds may be cooked by any recipe devised for the cooking of chickens, and in any case the result is far more palatable.

The flesh of the guinea is rather dark, but is finely grained, possessing a gamey flavor. For this reason the fowl makes an excellent substitute for game and many hotels in the larger cities serve it for pheasant. The eggs are also much relished on account of their rich flavor.

Every family in the country should keep a few guineas, if for no other purpose than for a "watch" for the



Easy to Raise, Guinea Fowl Are Always in Demand, and Are Considered the Most Delectable of the Domestic Breeds.

poultry flock. In fact, in some places in this state they are called the watchdogs of the poultry yard.

The high, shrill notes which they possess will quickly put to flight any hawk or crow mischief bent, while after night no prowling animal or person can approach a house where guineas roost without arousing their discordant cries of alarm. Their senses of smell and hearing seem to be very keen.

The time required for hatching guinea eggs is twenty-eight days. The guinea is naturally a wild bird possessing a strong instinct to wander. For this reason it is better to raise the young birds under hens as they are more careful of their young than the guinea hens, and a great deal of trouble to get them to behave like domestic fowls will be avoided and if a few chicks can be placed with the brood when first taken off, so much the better; the guineas will then be inclined to stay along with the other birds and will not be nearly so wild as if kept alone.

#### OATS WILL PRESERVE EGGS

When Carefully Packed in Barrel and Placed in Some Cool Corner They Will Keep Sweet.

(By MRS. D. RYMER.)

Every year I pack a great many eggs and they keep from two to three months, and even longer in perfect condition. I have tried "water glass" and other things, but find that oats will keep eggs longer than anything else.

I pack them in half barrels and use plenty of oats. I first place a layer of oats about three inches on the bottom, and then a layer of eggs, never allowing one to touch the other, or the sides of the barrel. And then follow with another layer of oats until within about six inches from the top, when I fill up the barrel with oats. If the barrel containing the eggs is placed in a cool corner of the cellar or in the attic, or any other dry place, they will keep perfectly sweet, but if allowed to become damp they will spoil.

I have packed eggs in October in this way leaving them in the barn until nearly Christmas and then bringing them to the house. I have used these eggs as late as the following April and have sold them—always stating exactly what they were—and never had a complaint.

#### Buy a Good Incubator.

It may cost a few dollars more to buy a good incubator to start with, but the saving in eggs which are apt to be spoiled in a poor machine will more than make up the difference in the cost during the first season's run, not to mention the time and work wasted.

#### Eggs for Hatching.

Eggs from old hens should not be used for hatching purposes. Select eggs from young birds of good type, color, form and breed characteristics. Special attention must be given to selection if the breed is to be improved.

## THE AMERICAN HOME



WILLIAM A. RADFORD EDITOR

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 178 West Jackson boulevard, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose two-cent stamp for reply.

The accompanying illustrations show a house design especially adapted to the needs of suburban or country building. The requirements for a dwelling house for such a location are different in a good many respects from those in a city. More attention should be paid to the matter of making the house as nearly fireproof as possible; for in the country, as well as in our smaller towns and suburbs, there is little or no fire protection. Accordingly, if a building once takes fire, nothing, as a usual thing, can be done except to watch it burn. Of course, the fire risk from adjoining buildings is much greater in thickly settled communities; but the fire fighting apparatus which is quickly available more than makes up for this extra hazard.

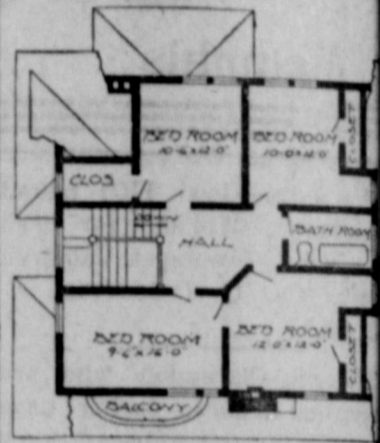
The only wise and logical thing for a man to do when he plans to invest a large amount of money in a suburban or country home, is to build it fireproof. With the modern building materials now available, it is very easy to do this; and the cost, although considerably more than for frame, is certainly not excessive when the fire protection, the enduring character of the house, etc., are taken into consideration.

For the accompanying design, a thoroughly fireproof construction is employed. The beauty and home-like atmosphere of this house make any expenditure, however large, seem worth while that will make it absolutely safe and enduring, no matter where it is built.

The walls of this house are formed

roof is really the most vulnerable part of the house. Green slate would be very appropriate, and would make beautiful contrast with the cement walls. The roof in this design, rather prominent, and, all things considered, slate would probably be most satisfactory.

One of the newer forms of roof construction that might be used, consists of corrugated steel sheets resting on a light steel framework. The corrugations are deep enough to prevent any bending of the sheets between supports. Waterproofed cement plaster is spread over the cement sheet coat about one inch thick, complete

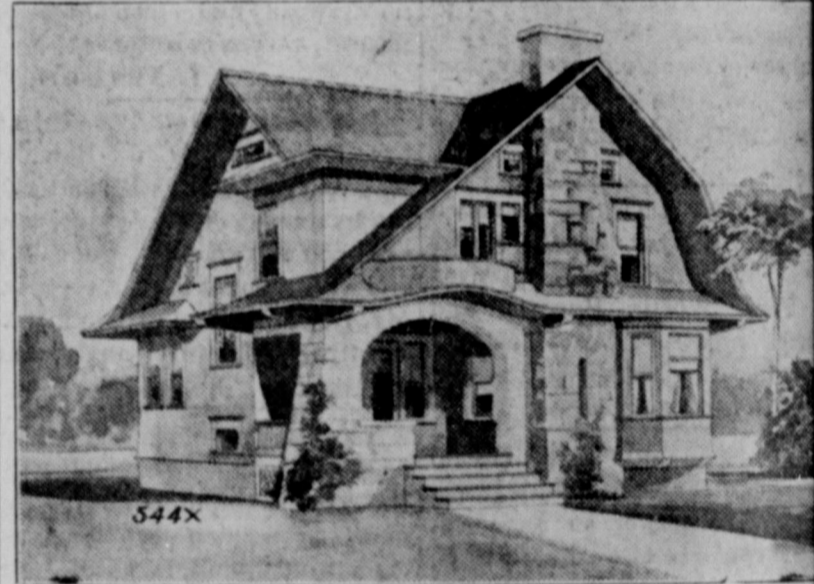


Second Floor Plan.

filling the corrugations. This method would certainly make a fireproof roof and the cement could be easily removed to make an effective contact with the side walls.

Native square stone is used to good purpose in this design, for large chimney and for the porch and arch. This stonework gives the house an added appearance of stability.

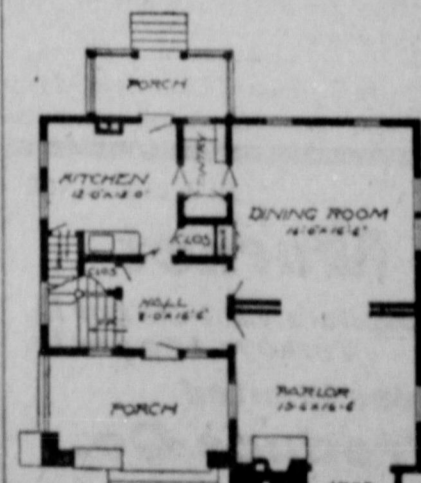
The arrangement of the bedrooms leaves little to be desired. The floor



of two by six-inch studding, well braced; but they are covered both inside and out with expanded metal lath. The outside is plastered with cement plaster applied in three coats; thus there is fully one inch of nature's most fire-resistant material—cement—on the outside of this house, completely surrounding the steel reinforcing and thus protecting it against rust. The inside surface of the walls, and the surface of all the interior partitions, are composed of one coat of cement plaster on expanded metal lath, with a finishing coat of hard wall plaster.

The floors of this house are formed of hollow terra-cotta tile made in narrow flat panels, between reinforced concrete beams. The concrete beams

plans show a large parlor or living room, dining room, kitchen and recreation hall on the first floor. Upstairs there are four bedrooms and a bathroom.



First Floor Plan.

are four inches square, reinforced with twisted steel rods. On top of this concrete and terra-cotta floor, a one-inch coat of cinder concrete is laid on these strips, being nailed down securely. For the ceiling finish, the wall plaster is applied directly to the underside of the concrete beams and the tiles. This makes a floor that is thoroughly fireproof, very warm, and not excessively heavy.

The roof of this house may be constructed in a number of ways; yet it should be made fireproof, since the

cost of this house is estimated at \$4,000, using a good grade of materials and most thorough construction. The size of this house, 34 feet 6 inches wide, by 35 feet 6 inches deep from front to back, makes very suitable for the ordinary suburban 50-foot lot.

#### Puritans and Greeks.

The reader of the Scarlet Letter gets a vivid idea of the Puritan science; it had its strength, but its book principally shows its narrowness and its cruelty. What a different thing was the attitude toward the most gifted people in history. The Greeks in their great period, nothing of what we call a senseless sin. They they did anything wrong they called it "a bad shot"—something that was bound to happen in time to time and was best forgotten. As Livingston puts it, it was used to spend thought and remorse on shots; it was better to go forward improve the aim for next time. It is a person of Puritan descent, terrified much by acquiring the habit of indulging in any transgression as a definite aim, and making up his mind to get nearer the bull's eye next time Harper's Weekly.

#### What Indian Summer Is.

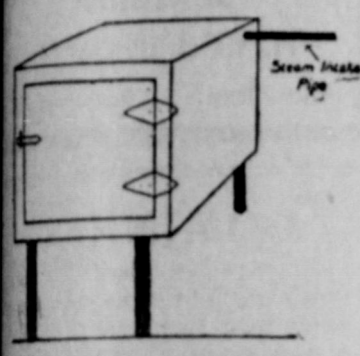
Indian summer is a name used to describe a short season of pleasant weather in the Central and Atlantic coast states. It usually comes in in October or November. There is definite time for Indian summer, as a rule it comes after the first frost or series of frosts and snow. It is the season that is welcomed because it comes after everyone has tied down to expect real winter, Indian summer always holds winter for a few more weeks. The season is characterized by almost clear skies, calm or light airs, a balmy atmosphere and mild temperature in daytime, but rather cool at night.

# DAIRY

## KEEP DAIRY UTENSILS CLEAN

Home-Made Sterilizer May Be Put Together at Cost of Few Dollars—Directions Given.

The dairyman is to keep his dairy utensils absolutely clean he must sterilize them daily. This is just as necessary in the small dairy as in the large one, writes F. L. Austin in the Dairy Gentleman. The dairyman milks only a few cows cannot afford an expensive equipment in his dairy room. Many who do a profitable business believe that a sterilizer is an expensive luxury. Such is not the case.



Home-Made Sterilizer.

ing out and tell him to make you a box and a half feet square of galvanized iron, 28 gauge—a little heavier if you can't find this. All joints should be soldered and soldered closely.

This will make a steam-tight box, with the exception of the cracks about the door, and will hold enough steam pressure for all practical purposes in sterilizing.

The door should be not quite three feet square and should be cut to lap about an inch over all four sides of the opening. Ordinary heavy, double-strap hinges may be used, fastened with either bolts or rivets. A bolt and nut fastener holds the door shut. The steam may be piped into the top of one side as shown in the illustration. A few holes punched in the bottom will drain off the condensed steam. It should be turned on slowly at first, and then gradually be worked up to full force with 30 or 40 pounds of steam in the boiler. A thorough sterilization will be accomplished from ten to fifteen minutes. The sterilizer has used a sterilizer similar to this, which cost \$7.50, and found it to be thoroughly efficient.

## HANDY BARN DOOR FASTENER

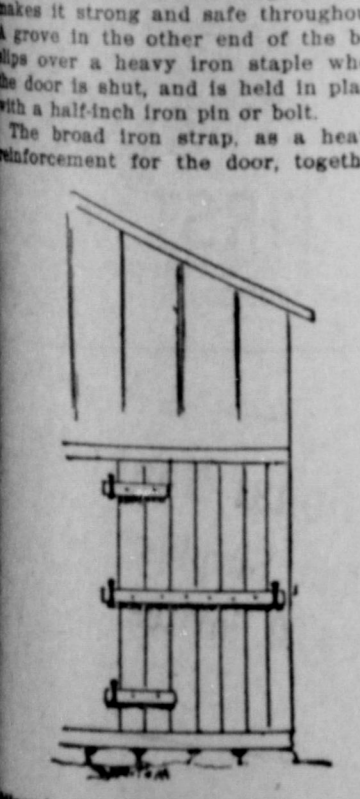
Contrivance Not Only Makes Door More Firm and Secure, but Makes It Safe Throughout.

(By R. G. WEATHERSTONE.)

One of my neighbors has his stable door fastened with a very good hinge, one which many farmers would do well to copy. The door is fastened with a flat iron bar extending across the middle of the door and used for a third strap hinge. The iron bar is about three inches wide by three-eighths of an inch thick. It is bolted solidly to the door in several places, and is hung at one end as a hinge.

This not only makes the door more secure and firm on its hinges, but it makes it strong and safe throughout. A groove in the other end of the bar slips over a heavy iron staple when the door is shut, and is held in place with a half-inch iron pin or bolt.

The broad iron strap, as a heavy reinforcement for the door, together



Hinged Iron Strap for Stable Door Safety.

with the heavy iron fastenings, make the door absolutely safe for the keeping of strong animals.

Such a door is the kind to use for a black stallion, bull or any large animal that must be absolutely safely restrained at all times.

The hinged iron strap for a safe stable door is simple and easy in construction. An old tire from a wagon would answer the purpose admirably, and any blacksmith could easily make it at a cost of perhaps not more than \$5 or \$6 cents.

## DAIRYING DURING FLY TIME

Two Most Needed Things Are Sprayer and Repellent—Cool Blanket Is Also Beneficial.

(By M. A. COVERDELL.)

A good sprayer and reliable fly repellent will pay for themselves about twenty times during the fly season, to say nothing of the comfort afforded the animals and the satisfaction you will derive from milking a quiet cow. If you don't feel like investing in a spraying outfit, have your wife make you a long, cool blanket out of cheesecloth or some other light material and spread it over the cow while milking. This, however, is beneficial at milking time only. The one thing that will prevent the flies from sucking the life blood and consequently the milk from the best of your herd, is to spray, and spray thoroughly while you are at it.

See that the cows have some sort of good shade. They simply cannot stand out in the scorching heat all day and do as well as they would if protected from the midday sun.

If natural shade is not available, it will take you but an hour or so to set some tall posts and make a satisfactory shade out of small brush, old straw or boards. The cows must have shade.

Too many farmers let their cows rustle water from fowl sloughs or from a tank filled with water warm enough to wash dishes in.

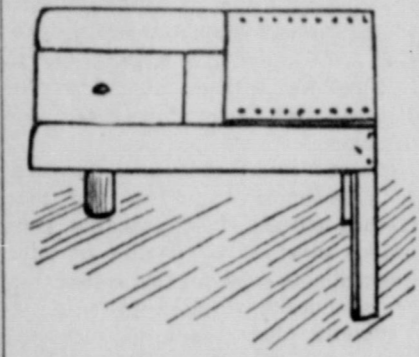
This is not merely a question of comfort and satisfaction to the cows. Neither is it necessary simply to add to your dairy products.

Sanitation demands that the principal element entering into the composition of milk be strictly pure—free from every vestige of disease or filth.

## ANOTHER STOOL FOR MILKING

Directions for Making Light and Convenient Device by Anyone Handy With Tools.

In a recent issue I noticed some cuts of milking stools, so I thought I would send you a description of mine. I have used such a one for many years and find it very handy, writes A. O. Tounie in the Wisconsin Agriculturist. The side pieces are of inch stuff, 3 inches wide by 20 inches long. The



Handy Milk Stool.

seat, 10 by 11 inches, is nailed across the top of the side pieces. The board for the seat, 8 by 11 inches, is nailed across the under side of the side pieces so that the seat is 4 inches lower than the seat of the milker. The back legs are 2-inch pieces, 11 inches long, and the front leg is a round piece of inch board below the seat rest, and boring a hole through both boards. This stool is light and handy, and easily made by a boy handy with tools.

Protect From Flies.

Remember that it takes as much energy and feed to fight flies as it does to grow a calf. Then will it not pay to cut out the flies by giving the calves access to a dark stable or shed, and also apply a little "fly dope."

You may rest assured that they will grow and lay on flesh twice as fast from now on if they are afforded a means of thus protecting themselves than they otherwise could possible do.

## DAIRY NOTES

Don't give the calves too much skim milk these days.

Clean mud off of the cows' udders and flanks before milking.

The hand separator must be washed and scalded twice a day now.

The separator should never be allowed in the barn or near it.

Milk from a fresh cow is good for the table after the ninth milking.

Don't neglect regularity in milking just because other work is pressing.

A good cow is hard to buy nowadays. The only alternative is to raise her.

Never attempt to keep summer butter for early fall prices because it will not keep.

Cows fed well before turning them on a heavy forage crop will not be in danger of bloating.

Sometimes a dose of Glauber's salts will cure a case of bloody milk. Depends on the cause.

For a cow that refuses to let down her milk, a feed of something while milking is often helpful.

The production of high grade dairy products without a plentiful supply of ice is next to impossible.

## PEACE, THE PLOWMAN'S HOPE

Pro-Anti Conventions Have No Rights Voters are Bound to Respect.—Dove of Peace Coaling to the City Business Man.

Fort Worth, Texas.—We would not feel that we had fully performed our duty to the citizenship of Texas if we did not make a final statement of the attitude of the Farmers' Union toward the coming convention of so-called constructionists. We have two serious objections to that convention. First, it is undemocratic; second, it is a factional convention. The Terrell Election Law proscribes the manner in which nominees for the Democratic party, as well as all other parties, shall be chosen and the methods pursued by the prohibitionists and that adopted by the opposition is outlawry and a crime against good government.

We do not see how a convention called for the purpose of defeating prohibition can be anything but an anti-prohibition movement, for an anti convention by any other name is an anti just the same. Factional issues madden men and those who contribute toward making factional strife paramount in this campaign deserve to be crushed at the polls. We believe it would be impossible to keep liquor representatives out of that convention as it would be to keep a duck out of water, and the farmers will have nothing to do with any convention whose leaders represent or have represented special interests, liquor or otherwise.

Like the prohibition convention, it has no rights that voters are bound to respect. We are as much opposed to an anti-prohibition faction in this campaign as we are to a prohibition faction. In our opinion no man, as a candidate of any faction, can be elected Governor of Texas, and none should be. The people of Texas are tired of factional strife and peace is the plowman's hope.

## Discretion the Better Part of Valor.

We realize how trying it must be upon anti leaders to engage in peaceful pursuits while the air is thrilled with the bay of the greyhounds of prohibition as they strike the trail and set politics to the music of the chase and we know full well the power of the bugle call of mighty hunters as they make the welkins ring, marshalling their forces for the contest and challenging the brave to the battle; but discretion is the better part of valor and there are things far more important in our public affairs today than scrambling over a bottle of booze.

## Be Not Deceived.

Let the farmers of Texas be not deceived by promises of either pro or anti for agricultural legislation "after the scrap is over." No party organized for the chase ever did anything more than pursue the object of their wrath or pleasure, and then divide the spoils and none ever will. No party or faction thereof organized to fight for or against prohibition ever plowed the fields, built factories or opened mines and none ever will. The prohibition question was here before we came and it will be here when we are gone. Like Tennyson's brook, it will run on and on forever; the final word will never be spoken. But it should not be permitted to perpetually torment the life of state. Let us have one administration of peace.

## A Peace That Surpasseth Understanding.

The Farmers' Union stands for peace and we want a peace that surpasseth the understanding of the politicians who feast upon the offal of strife. Peace acquired by one faction conquering another is not sufficient. We want a peace that contemplates the retirement of liquor warriors, both pro and anti, as well as the elimination of the liquor question from this campaign.

## Frightening the Dove of Peace.

We know of no spectacle more calculated to frighten the dove of peace than for an anti major-general to come galloping up to the conven-

## "Belle of Wichita Flour" Is the name of the flour was used by Mrs. Vaughn at the

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## WHAT A BOY CAN DO.

(Through the courtesy of M. L. Raney.)

These are some things a boy can do.  
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He can make all sounds of beasts and birds  
And a thousand noises never heard.  
He can crow or cackle or he can cluck;  
As well as a rooster or a hen or aduck,  
He can bark like a dog, he can low like a cow,  
And a cat itself cannot beat his meow.  
He has sounds that are ruffed, striped and plain,  
And he can thunder by as a railroad train  
Stop at the station a breath and then;  
Apply the steam and be off again.  
He has all his powers in such command;  
He can turn in to a full brass band,  
With all the instruments ever played,  
As he makes of himself a street parade.  
You can tell that a boy is very ill;  
If he is wide awake and keeping still,  
But earth would be; God bless their noise  
A dull old place if there were no boys.—Selected.

## STOMACH TROUBLE FOR FIVE YEARS

Majority of Friends Thought Mr. Hughes Would Die, But One Helped Him to Recovery.

Pomeroyton, Ky.—In interesting advices from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes writes as follows: "I was down with stomach trouble for five (5) years, and would have sick headache so bad, at times, that I thought surely I would die. I tried different treatments, but they did not seem to do me any good. I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep, and all my friends, except one, thought I would die. He advised me to try Theodor's Black-Draught, and quit taking other medicines. I decided to take his advice, although I did not have any confidence in it.

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### WITH OUR CORRESPONDENTS

#### Pleasant Valley Items.

Received to late for last issue.

The weather has been threatening the past week but no rain yet.

Farmers are getting anxious for rain so that they can go to planting some feed stuff.

Mrs. Foster is still improving.

We regret very much to hear the sad news of the death of Mr. Lonzo Waits.

A great number of Woodman of the World and also many friends will go to Memphis tomorrow, to pay their last respect to the deceased, Mr. Lonzo Waits from this part of the country.

Several of the young people of this community went to the singing at Newlin today.

C. A. Daniel has made an addition of a porch to his residence.

Messrs Spencer and Orr were out Thursday looking after the plans of the additional room for the Pleasant Valley school building.

C. A. Daniel made a business trip to Memphis Friday.

G. B. Adkisson dug a well on his place the past week.

B. C. Crabb has purchased himself a new car.

Mr. Messer preached today at Pleasant Valley.

The Pleasant Valley school boys went to Lodge Friday evening and played the Lodge school boys a game of base ball, and came back victorious.

Water hauling is the order of the day at present.

Come on correspondents and lets have some news from the country.

"P. V."

#### Salisbury Gossips.

Smile Willie smile, a slow rain began falling last Thursday evening and continued for twenty-four hours. This will enable some of us to finish plowing. Some few will start planting as soon as the ground will permit.

J. P. Longshore and wife were visiting in Donley county last week.

B. T. Blackman was here last week on business.

Miss Mamie Saunders and her brother, Johnnie, were the guests of H. C. Bullard and family Sunday.

Rev. Cochran of Memphis will preach here next Sunday evening April the 12th.

Don't forget the school picnic next Friday. Everybody come and bring a well filled basket. There is also to be an Easter egg hunt in the afternoon.

W. W. Richard and wife were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Hill of Donley county is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

W. R. Taylor was in Hedley last week on business.

J. J. Willis of Memphis will start a singing school here Monday, April 13th which will continue for twenty days.

Look out girls for that new buggy that you heard about. The Old Maid is going to set her cap for it too.

In the trustee election held here Saturday, J. S. Solomon was elected.

The young folks of this community enjoyed a singing at the home of J. S. Solomon's Sunday night.

OLD MAID.

#### Lodge Locals.

Our farmers are all smiling since our last issue on account of the extra good rain we have had. It was said by some to have registered 2 1/2 inches. Everything looks prosperous now. Come to Lodge.

The farmers are talking of planting now as soon as it is dry enough. That will stop our "42" games for a while.

At the school trustee election Saturday, J. T. Dennis was re-elected and J. L. Lookingbill was elected to fill Mr. Vallance's place.

The Lodge ball team lost a game to Hulver the first day of April, at Parnell. They also played the best game that has been witnessed in Lodge Thursday when Indian Creek came over. The game was close and the final score was 1 to 0 in favor of Lodge.

On account of slow transportation of freight, uncertain freighters, loss of time, etc., C. F. Brantley, one of our merchants purchased a Ford car while in town last week. It will be nothing unusual to see him going to town with a load of eggs and returning with a load of spuds, oranges, apples and lemons, etc.

In other words, things he needs now and must have it.

The young people enjoyed a singing at Mr. Montgomery's Sunday night.

The W. O. W. are going to have a picnic here the 4th, of July. Everbody prepare to come and enjoy yourselves.

Mrs. Lon Waits was visiting in Lodge Saturday.

Dr. Lowery, President of the Lowery-Phillips Military school at Amarillo, filled Bro. Teague's appointment Sunday. He preached an excellent sermon and no one went away disappointed.

Bro. Messer preached here Sunday evening. All services were well attended but we want still more.

We still have the best on earth, come to Lodge, the place where nobody is in want of something to eat or wear.

"SNOOKUMS."

#### Lesley News.

Farmers are all rejoicing over the fine rain we had Thursday night and Friday. We hope the sand storms are all over.

We had no school Friday on account of the rain.

Loss Hancock and wife spent Sunday with Mr. Boiles.

There was a singing at Mr. Redwins last Sunday night.

Mr. Teimin and family visited his brother, Walter, Sunday.

Thelma Bownds was out of school all last week on account of a sprained ankle.

Miss Llewllen Rice and little Marion Baggett spent Saturday with Mrs. Black and Beulah Billington.

Jeff Rice and Holt Bownds went to Memphis Tuesday with a load of hens.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowlks spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Hamilton and Lum Beavers.

Sid Moore and wife went to Wellington Wednesday to visit Mr. Daniels.

Bethel and Lesley boys played ball after school Thursday at Finger. Lesley boys were ahead when they broke the bat and had to quit.

Reece Hamilton made a flying trip to Okla. We wonder who he went to see.

Bro. Kimmel will preach for us next Saturday night, Sunday at eleven and Sunday night. All come out and hear him.

Mr. O. Thompson and wife spent Sunday afternoon at Mr. Bownds.

BLUE BELL.

#### Newlin Items.

S. G. Alexander of Memphis was in town last Thursday shaking hands with old friends.

T. R. Franks of Memphis was here on business last Thursday.

C. A. Crozier of Memphis was down last Thursday looking after the company interest at this place.

J. R. Logan of Fort Worth general auditor for the Cicero Smith Lumber Co. was here looking after the Company's interest.

The W. O. W. lodge had a good attendance last Tuesday night. The Memphis team came down to help initiate new candidates. The Newlin lodge served supper and all had a good time.

Mrs. H. L. Embry left for Dallas to visit with her parents last Monday.

Lon Burson was down electioneering among his old friends last Saturday.

J. S. Whitacre returned from a business trip to Wichita Falls.

CORRESPONDENT.

#### Pleasant Valley.

Everybody is rejoicing over the fine rain we had Thursday night and Friday. So people will get busy planting and re-planting.

There has been a great amount of sickness in this community the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boon was quite sick the first of the week and also Mrs. S. H. Boon was complaining the last of the week.

There was preaching at the school house Sunday morning and also in the afternoon with a large attendance. The Pleasant Valley school girls who intended going to Deep Lake Friday to play the Deep Lake girls a game of basket ball did not get to come over on account of the rain, but they hope to play them soon but have not set any future date.

Several of Mr. Holt's and Mr. Galloway's children were sick during the week.

Mr. Brumley how lives on Mr. Crabb's place is quite ill at this writing.

At the trustee election Saturday R. W. Crawford was elected to fill the vacancy and C. A. Daniel was re-elected.

Mrs. J. Hoster is still improving.

We are sorry that our items did not reach the news last week in time for publication so we will try and be earlier this week.

Don't forget that P. V. still exists so call and see us soon.

P. V.

The election Tuesday at which four Aldermen were elected was very quiet and very few votes were cast. The office of Alderman is an office not much sought after and if there is no special legislation to come up does not attract much attention. The following is the vote.

1st. Ward, Silas Wood; 10. S. G. Brown; 9. S. E. Noel, 2. 2nd. Ward, S. T. Harrison; 72. T. J. Thompson, 39. 3rd. Ward, R. C. Walker, 30. 4th. Ward, J. H. Hall, 11.

#### Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall county—GREETING:

You Are Hereby Commanded, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hall if there be a newspaper published there-in, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 46th judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 46th judicial district, for eight weeks previous to the return day hereof, T. J. Woods Jr. and E. E. Churchill, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Hall at the Court House thereof, in Memphis, Texas, on the seventeenth Monday after the first Monday in February 1914, the same being the first Monday in June the first day of June 1914, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 7th, day of April A. D. 1914, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 776, wherein Mrs. Lizzie Denny executrix is plaintiff and T. J. Woods Jr. and E. E. Churchill, are defendants. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff sues for the title and possession of Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in Block No. 26 of the original town of Memphis Hall County Texas, and for damages.

Plaintiff pleads that she is the owner in fee simple of said lots and that she has had and held peaceable continuous adverse possession of said lots claiming same for more than ten years before the filing of this suit.

Plaintiff also pleads the statutes of three and five years limitation.

Plaintiff prays judgment for the title and possession of said lots, for damages and for cost of suit.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Memphis this, the 7, day of April A. D. 1914.

S. G. ALEXANDER,

Clerk District Court Hall County, Texas.

41-8c By M. F. ROBERTS, Deputy.

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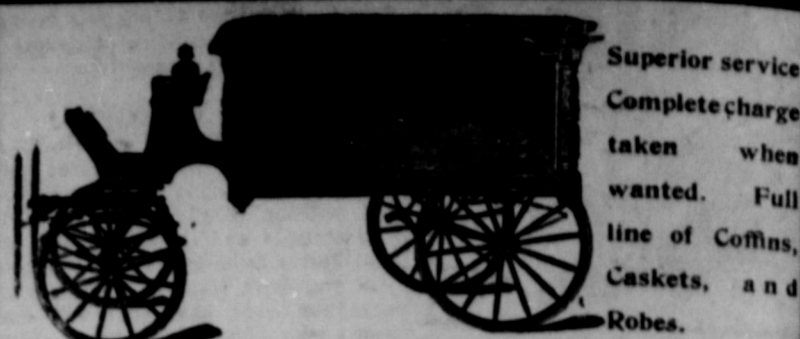
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