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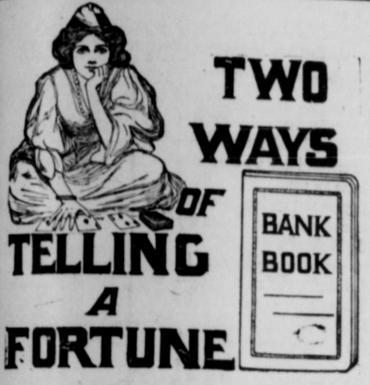
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Astrology, Palmistry or resorting to the occult as to what the future will bring are merely guesswork, but there is a sure way to fortune, combining frugality, industry and a bank account BANK WITH US, A CONSERVATIVE INSTITUTION.

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he Panhandle State Fair

be people of the Panhandle aware of the great impore of the Panhandle State ir as a possible factor the development of our coun-

le are on the eve of a new of immigration into the west. Immigration agents ar railroad systems give out encouraging information the coming tide of homekers will surpass that of earyears in number, as well as etermination to come and

be fact that the Panhandle aces abundant feed stuffs which to fill silos will have th to do with influencing the th and east to invest in Pan-

dle lands. a All-Panhandle exibition rm products will do more ards convincing the world of gricultural superiority than ther methods of publicity At the Panhandle Fair our entire section of state unites in a showing of

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the best from all our farms and the opportunity to point out its the silage. particular advantages over the better results another year.

ous departments are received give sufficient pressure. daily, and in most instances the over that of last year.

promises a surprise for all fair better. visitors. The Panhandle produces the finest cattle on earth; nation come and see them.

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ously prosecuted.

J. N. Phillips.

Fresh bread at the Eagle Cafe.

How a Pit Silo Is Constructed

A pit silo will keep silage as rock. Any old wire or scrap well as any other silo.

in filling an overground silo.

ground silo.

readily cave in.

be adjoining in order to de a circular form. crease the cost of feeding.

The diameter of the silo its individuality, and is afforded number of livestock to be fed

rest. Thus a keen but whole to dig silos deeper than thirty some rivalry is awakened which feet, as the labor of removing spurs on to greater effort and dirt and silage increases with the depth. In digging a silo and spoiling some silage. If the The prospects for a creditable the upper part is the least ex- wall slopes inward, it will keep fair this year are all that the pensive, and likewise the upper the silage from settling propermanagement could desire. Ap part of the silage is the easiest ly. If possible see that no holes plications for space in the vari- to remove. Thirty feet will or pockets are formed in the

Taking all things into considrequests are for increased space eration, the round silo will be ways of lightening the task. found to be the most efficient, In the livestock division, par- though there may be times when water should be run into the silo ticularly cattle, the showing a trench silo would be found every night at quitting time.

the J. N. Phillips place, south trench, fill it with water to give to blast. crete is to be made with one part cement, two parts sand and

iron may be imbedded in the A pit silo is durable and should concrete to good advantage as it last indefinitely with little up- will serve as a reinforcement. The object of this concrete ring A pit silo is economical as the is to form a collar around the siprincipal item in construction is lo and to serve as a base for a labor and this can be supplied light wall to be built above. by the home help. Also the This wall should not be over cost of a cutter is about half three or four feet high, and may that of one with a blower attach- be of any material desired, but ed, and the engine power requi- a light concrete wall is advisared is about half that required ble, as it is substantial and by doing this three or four feet may A pit silo with proper equip- be added to the silo at very litment is efficient for feeding, can the cost. Care should be taken be done easier than from an over to see that the inside wall of this trench is smooth, so that the in-A pit silo is practical only in side surface of the collar will alsoil that is dry, well drained and so be smooth, as this collar of such nature that it will not forms the top of the silo. The bottom of the trench should be In digging a pit silo the fol- level, regardless of the slope of lowing points should be conside the ground, for if the bottom of the collar is not level it will be The silo and feed lot should difficult to get the silo started in

After the concrete has set for a couple of days, the digging of ranches, yet each county retains should be in proportion to the the silo may be started. Remove the dirt, digging straight down from the inside of the collar, Generally it is not advisable Be sure to keep the wall perpendicular and smooth. If the wall slopes outward, the silage will settle away leaving an air space

In digging there are several Where no rock is encountered, ter. When the size and location of ground will absorb before morna silo has been decided upon, ing. By doing this, no picking efficient method of removing the the man rides the box up, liftthen why not show them on the first thing to be done is to will be required, and all the dirt their native heath and let the dig a circular trench the diame- can be spaded out very rapidly. ter of the silo. This trench Keep the floor level so that the should be six inches across and water can reach all parts of the about two and a half feet deep. floor equally. If one should All persons are warned that After the completion of the strike rock, it will be necessary

east of the town section, is post- the surrounding ground a good Upon reaching five or six feet ed and anyone caught in any soaking and after the water has in depth, the wall should be way trespassing will be vigor seeped into the soil, fill the plastered. Plaster on to the trench with concrete. The con- collar and the dirt below, for this reason see that the wall is four parts of gravel or crushed plumb with the inside of the collar. For plaster, use one part of cement, two parts of clean sharp sand and apply plaster about an inch in thickness. To do this two coats will be required. Let the first coat set for a couple of hours and then apply the second coat. When the soil is firm enough to stand without caving, an inch of this rich plaster will be as strong and should serve as well as a three or four inch concrete wall.

When the plastering is completed dig another four or five feet and plaster as before. By working in this way the possibility of the wall caving in is eliminated as well as the necessity of building a scaffold for the plastering after the excavation

is completed. In some cases it may be necessary to dampen the dirt wall slightly before applying the provement the dry soil can. The clause in from the law pertaining to the plan. After and the placing of water good along the improved roads a good the commission to make sucith a ments, but is not mandatory has respect. The chairman of the mission suggests that local organi tions should look after the tree planting and horse watering.

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as this will cause the plaster to freight elevator. hrrden better and make a stron-

have to buy. In good soil that feed box. An endless rope or is easily handled, three men chain runs over the large pully should dig about two feet a day wheel first mentioned, an exin a silo twenty feet in diame- tends into the silo. With this

Run in just as much as the of getting out the silage. It the descent by the endless rope. supported by a frame or trussel made of four by fours. (A picture may be obtained of this on

and it will make the wall smooth, application to the writer at Amair tight and water proof. Keep arillo, Texas:) The hoist works the wall damp for several days on the principal of the hand

The hoist consists of one large pulley wheel, about 24 inches in Where a man does all his own diameter, on a short axle to work and a home make hoisting which is keyed a two-inch cog apparatus is used, a 150 to 180 wheel, about 20 inches in diameton silo may be constructed for ter, which is bolted or keyed to a cash outlay of about fifty dol- a long axle or drum on which lars, for the cement is all he will the rope winds which lifts the arrangement the man doing the One of the main objections to feeding rides on the box going a pit silo has been the difficulty down, controlling the speed of might be well to describe a very The box is filled with silage, and silage. The hoist described ing both his own weight and here, is patented and may be that of the silage by pulling on bought, or the farmer may rig the endless rope. With the apup a home made hoist that is proximate backgear mentioned probably not as efficient, but above, a man should be able to will answer the purpose. The lift his own weight and at least hoist is built over the silo and fifteen hundred pounds of silage without any great effort.

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Service and Solidity The Banking Requisites

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"I wonder," he said, turning to Phil,

that I'll bet could hold you, man for

And a group of others, sunning

"Yes, that's right," admitted Bud.

we'll never have no trouble with

"Well, these Nacionales are not so

"Sure," jeered Bud, "when they're

sober! But you get a bunch of 'em

"Well, I've got just as good a hunch,"

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-i've seen too much of 'em."

Until Every Detail Was Settled.

The Land of Broken Promises

A Stirring Story of the Mexican Revolution

By DANE COOLIDGE "The Fighting Fool"
"Hidden Waters"
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your taxes and you can come out. then," conceded Henry Kruger.

"No," grumbled Hooker, "if I go I'll

stay with it." He glanced at his pard-

ner at this, but he, for one, did not

grinned sardonically at the well-worn

ingly from one to the other, "is it a

go? Will you shake hands on it?"

"Well," said Kruger, gazing inquir-

"What's the proposition?" broke in

"The deal is between me and

me out of my title and I blowed up the

euchred I laid a fuse to it and brought

the whole mountain down. That was

ten years ago, and old Aragon and

the agente mineral have had the land

"I bet they've spent five thousand

pesos trying to find that lead, but be-

comes in and fires the agente mineral

wouldn't sense what mine I was talk-

ing about and then git him to go in on

until you win out or go broke.

cey," he chided, eying him with sud-

"All right,' broke in Hooker good-

it again if he can. When I went down

den severity. "I'm afraid of yel"

it blind.

whole works with dynamite!

located ever since.

seem to be worried.

De Lancey eagerly.

be shared between us."

half of mine to Phil."

phrase.

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SYNOPSIS.

lud Hooker and Phil De Lancey are owing to the revolution in Mexico, up their mining claim and return United States. In the border town siden Hooker meets Henry Kruger, hy miner, who hints of a big minposition in Mexico that he wants to take charge of.

CHAPTER II-Continued.

"That's the rock," he said. "She runs four hundred dollars to the ton, and the ledge is eight inches wide between the walls. Nice ore, eh? And she lays between shale and porphyry."

His eyes sparkled as he carefully replaced the specimen, and then he looked up at Bud.

"I'll let you in on that," he said, "half and half-or I'll pay two hundred dollars a month and a bonus. You alone. Now how about it?"

For a moment Hooker looked at him as if to read his thoughts, then he shook his head and exhaled his smoke regretfully.

"Nope," he said. "Me and Phil are pardners. We work together." "I'll give you three hundred!" cried

Kruger, half rising in his chair. "Nope," grunted Bud, "we're pard-

"Huh!" snorted the mining man. and flung away in disgust. But as he



Kruger.

him and he came as quickly back.

"You can do what you please about your pardner," he said. "I'm talking do. I had to find some stranger that to you! Now-will you think about

"Sure!" returned Hooker. "Well, then," snapped Kruger, "meet me at the Waldorf in an hour!" "

CHAPTER III.

On the untrammeled frontier, where most men are willing to pass for what they are without keeping up any "front," much of the private business, as well as the general devilment, is transacted in the back rooms of saloons. The Waldorf was nicely furnished in this regard.

After a drink at the bar, in which De Lancey and Hooker joined, Henry Kruger led the way casually to the

"Now," began Kruger, as he took a seat by the table and faced them with snapping eyes, "the first thing I want to make plain to you gentlemen is, if I make any deal today it's to be with Mr. Hooker. If you boys are pardners shut, but if they tumble, it'll be a fight broken band of rebels came straggling deal with one man, and that's Hooker.

"All right?" he inquired, glancing at De Lancey, and that young man here. You talk too much, Mr. De Lan- all the night for their lives.

"Very well, then," resumed Kruger. "now to get down to business. This mine that I'm talking about is located down here in Sonors within three ours' ride of a big American camp. It isn't any old Spanish mine, or lost to look out for." padre layout; it's a well-defined ledge unning three or four hundred dollars the ton-and I know right where it

What I want to do is to establish the title to it now, while this revolution is going on, and make a bonanza that settles it; but if you do go. od I let you in on the deal, you've got

ee it through or I'll lose the whole

debt to him through his store, so if he w about youight," spoke up De

tred Kruger.

"Well, just to show you how he did me, I got to noting round those old Spanish workings east of Fortune and finally I run across the ledge that I'm

there's always somebody to do it.

for me under a power of attorney. marked the domain of Mexico. Didn't know him then like I do now. Fussy little customs officials, lurkwaiting around I dug in on this lead their permit to bear arms. The mo- see if it won't help." and opened up the prettiest vein of ment they crossed the line the air his raddle hour and Bud down quartz you ever saw in your life, seemed to be pervaded with Latin ex-Here's a sample of it, and it's sure citability and Indian jealousy, but De shuddered at the bite of it. rich."

got my title. And right there I made on their pack. "Adlos, senor," he alarm, "water?" my mistake. When Aragon saw the added, returning Phil's salute with a and told me, to go to blazes. That's gentleman was muy caballero. the greaser of it! So I blew the whole "Huh!" remarked Bud, as they rode mine up and hit for the border. That's on through the town, "we're in Mexico Phil, who had had a few drinks althe Dutch of it, I reckon," he added all right, all right. Talk with both ready, "you don't mean to insinuate, grimly. "Anyway, my old man was hands and get busy with your eye- do you? Next thing I know you'll be "I'll try anything-once!" he observed with a sprightly air, and Bud Dutch."

ory of his misplaced credulity, and The pelones referred to were a give the whole snap away!" Hooker and De Lancey joined in a squad of Mexican federal soldiers, sothat he had first seemed this shabby and they were marching doggedly to until now he was a border Croesus, bushes in response to shouted orders will. That's fair, ain't it?" the mere recital of whose adventures from an officer. Being from Zacatecas, him three hundred a month, or an gold and hidden treasure.

equal share in the mine, expenses to The rugged face of Bud Hooker. which had been set in grim lines from "Make it equal shares," said Hook- the first, relaxed as the tale proceeded er, holding out his hand, "and I'll give and his honest eyes glowed with admiration as he heard the well-planned "All right, my boy!" cried the old scheme. As for De Lancey, he could man, suddenly clapping him on the hardly restrain his enthusiasm, and, shoulder, "I'll go you-and you'll never drawn on by the contagion, Henry regret it," he added significantly. Kruger made maps and answered ques-Then, throwing off the air of guarded tions until every detail was settled.

secrecy which had characterized his After the location had been marked. actions so far, he sat down and began and the lost tunnel charted from the corner monuments, he bade them re-"Boys," he said, "I'm feeling lucky member it well and destroyed every today or I'd never have closed this vestige of paper. Then, as a final addeal. I'm letting you in on one of the | monition, he said:

biggest things that's ever been found "Now go in there quietly, boysin Sonora. Just to show you how good | don't hurry. Prospect around a little it is, here's my smelter receipts for and the Mexicans will all come to you eight hundred pounds of picked ore- and try to sell you lost mines. Cruz one thousand and twenty-two dollars! Mendez is the man you're looking for That's the first and last ore that's ever | -he's honest, and he'll take you to the been shipped from the old Eagle Tail. Eagle Tail. After that you can use I dug it out myself, and sacked it your own judgment. So good-by"-he and shipped it; and then some of them took them by the hands-"and don't crooked Mexican officials tried to beat | talk!"

He held up a warning finger as they parted, and Bud nodded briefly in "Yes, sir, clean as a whistle! I had reply. Silence was a habit with him. my powder stored away in the drift, desert-bred, and he nodded his head and the minute I found out I was for two.

CHAPTER IV.

From the times of David and Jonathan down to the present day the crumpled linen suits and flapping sanworld has been full of young men dale detracted sadly from the soldierly sworn to friendship and seeking ad- effect. venture in pairs. "Pardners," they call Big and hulking, and swelling with ing nothing but a bunch of ignorant them in the west, and though the word the pride of his kind, Hooker looked Mexicans, of course they never found has not crept into the dictionary yet, them over slowly, and spoke his hidnothing. Then Francisco Madero it is as different from "partner" as a den thought. friend is from a business associate. off his job and old Aragon lets the land

They travel together, these pardners "how many of them I could lick with revert for taxes. I've got a Mexican of the West, and whether they be cow- one hand?" that keeps me posted, and ever since boys or "Cousin Jacks," the boss who | "Well, they're nothing but a lot of he sent me word that the title had lapsed I've been crazy to relocate that and they go share and share in every- Lancey, "but here's some boys ahead firee one of them fires both of them, petty convicts, anyway," answered De

"Well, now, that don't look so bad, Bud Hooker and Philip De Lancey man, husky as you are, old fellow." does it?" he asked, beaming paternally had met by chance in El Paso when They were riding past a store, now at Bud. "There ain't a man in town the revolution was just beginning to serving as an improvised barracks, eared the door a new thought struck that wouldn't have jumped at the boil and the city was swarming with and romping about in the streets were chance, if I was where I could talk adventurers. The agents of the rebels a pair of tall Yaqui Indians, each decowere everywhere, urging Americans to rated with a cartridge-belt about his join their cause. Military preferment, hips in token of his military service. cash payments, and grants of land were the baits they used, but Hooker | themselves against the wall, looked up stood out from the first and took De at the Americans with eyes as fearless "Now here's the way I'm fixed. Lancey with him. A Mexican promise as mountain eagles. beys," he exclaimed, brushing his un- did not pass current where he was kempt beard and smiling craftily. born and they went to the mines in- returning their friendly greeting, "but When I dynamited the Eagle Tail it stead.

was mine by rights, but Cipriano Ara-Then the war broke out and, while them." gon—he's the big Mexican down at old fugitives streamed out of stricken Fortuna-and Morales, the mineral Chihuahua, they finally struck out bad," defended Phil, as they passed agent, had buncoed me out of the title. against the tide, fighting their way to the state soldiers of Sonora on the "So, according to law, I blowed up a certain mine far back in the Sierra street, "but they're just as friendly as their mine, and if I ever showed up Madres, where they could dig the gold the Yaquis." down there I reckon they'd throw me on shares.

into jail. And if at any time they find Behind them the battle waged; out that you're working for me, why. Casas Grandes was taken and retaken; drunk and ask 'em what they think of we're ditched-that's all! They'll put Juarez, Agua Negra and Chihuahua the gringos! No, you got to show me you out of business. Sc, after we've fell; Don Porfirlo, the Old Man of Mexmade our agreement and I've told you ico, went out and Madero took his rear, and in a few moments they were what to do, I don't want to hear a place; and still they worked for their as I have, yet," retorted De Lancey word out of you-I don't want you to stake.

come near me, nor even write me a Then new arms and ammunition lic, except right here in Sonora, and I letter-just go ahead the best you can flowed in from across the border; swear these Sonorans here look good Orozco and his rebel chiefs went out, to me. There's no use holding a "It ain't a hard proposition," he and the breath of war fanned higher grouch against them. Bud — they continued, "If you keep your mouth against the hills. At last the first haven't done us any dirt." to a finish. I'm not saying this for by, and, reading hate and envy grumbled Bud, gazing grimly to the you, Hooker, because I know you're in their lawless eyes, the Americans south. "But wait till the hot weather safe; I'm saying it for your pardner dug up their gold at sundown and rode comes and the revoltosos come out of

And now, welded together by all that greasers thaw out up in the Slerras toil and danger, they were pardners, cherishing no delusions as to each mounts. Well, I'll tell 'em one thing," naturedly, "I reckon we understand other's strength or weaknesses, but be ended, reaching down to pat his joined together for better or worse. mine is and who there is down there

ano Aragon. He's the man that bliked seized upon them and sent them back hunch that we're going to get in bad." me out of the mine once, and he'll do to another adventure.

there it was ten years and more ago crowds along the street, and as they ing to make a killing. I wasn't on to those Spanish ways of ambled slowly along toward the line out of it afterward. Of course, if you his, and he was so dog-goned polite the men on the corners stared at them. said Bud, "you don't want to overlook "I'll do it anyway." and friendly I thought I could trust The bunch of cowboys gazed at Bud, that." who sported a new pair of high-heeled "He owns a big ranch and mescal boots, and knew him by the way he tied adobe buildings standing out on still, runs cattle, works a few placers, rode; and the mining men looked the edge of the town and flanted by a his head in embarrossment, "what's itr So make up your minds, and sends out pack-trains, and has every searchingly at De Lancey, as if to segment of whitewashed Mexican and Indian in the country in guess the secret of his quest,

A squad of mounted troopers, riding

happens to want any rough work done out on border patrol, gazed after the questioningly, but

Aragon that he should locate the claim the huddle or low houses which ever break loose like that—we might

"By Jove, old top," exclaimed De The papers had to be sent to Mocte- ing like spiders in their cooped-up Lancey, laughing teasingly, "you've zuma and Hermosillo, and to the City guardhouses, rushed out as they certainly got the blues today. Here, of Mexico and back, and while I was crossed the deep trench and demanded take something out of this bottle and

"All right," he said, as he passed it

Lancey replied in florid Spanish and He handed De Lancey the familiar before his polite assurances and fulplece of quartz and proceeded with his some compliments it was dissipated in the matter with cutting it out on booze "What are you going to drink,

"Good! Pass on, amigos," cried the I couldn't wait-I shipped it before I beady-eyed little jefe, pasting a label then?" cried De Lancey in feigned

"Well, something like that," admitgold in that rock he just quietly re-military flourish, and with a scornful ted Bud. "Come on-what do you corded the concession in his own name glance at Bud he observed that the say? We might get lit up and tell "Now lookee here, Bud," clamored

> brows and holy Joe, look at them asking me to cut it out on the haymight talk in my sleep, you know, and "No, you're a good boy when you're

hearty laugh. From the town burn called from their heads being shaved, asleep, Phil," responded Bud, "but little man had changed in their eyes and fro through the thorny mesquit ferent. Come on, now-I'll quit if you

"What? No little toots around Hooker," corrected Kruger. "I'll give conjured up in their minds visions of where the breed is short, they stood town? No serenading the senoritas and about as high as their guns; and their giving the rurales the hotfoot? Well, what's the use of living, Bud, if you can't have a little fun? Drinking don't make any difference, as long as we stick together. What's the use of swearing off-going on record in advance? We may find some fellow that we can't work any other way-we may have to go on a drunk with him in order to get his goat! But will you stick? That's the point!"

Bud glanced at him and grunted, and for a long time he rode on in silence. Before them lay a rolling plain, dipping by broad guiches and dwindling ridges to the lower levels of Old Mexico, and on the skyline, thin and blue, stood the knifelike edges of the Fortunas miles away.

With desert-trained eyes he noted the landmarks, San Juan mountain to the right, Old Niggerhead to the left, and the feather-edge of mountains far below; and as he looked he stored it away in his mind in case he should come back on the run some night.

It was not a foreboding, but the training of his kind, to note the lay of the ground, and he planned just where he would ride to keep under cover if he ever made a dash for the line. But all the time his pardner was talking of friendship and of the necessity of their sticking together.

"I'll tell you, Bud," he said at last, his voice trembling with sentiment, "whether we win or lose, I won't have a single regret as long as I know we've Good lady, your ways may be sweet an been true to one another. You may know Texas and Arizona, Bud, but I know Old Mexico, the land of manana and broken promises. I know the country, Bud-and the climate-and the

"They play the devil with the best of us, Bud, these dark-eyed senoritas! That's what makes all the trouble down here between man and man, it's these women and their ways. They're not satisfied to win a man's heartthey want him to kill somebody to show that he really loves them. By Jove, they're a fickle lot, and nothing pleases 'em more than setting man against man, one pardner against an-

"We never had any trouble yet," ob served Bud sententiously.

"No, but we're likely to," protested De Lancey. "These Indian women up in the Sierras wouldn't turn anybody's head, but we're going down into the hot country now, where the girls are pretty, ta-ra, ta-ra, and we talk through the windows at midnight."

"Well, if you'll cut out the booze," said Hooker shortly, "you can have 'em all, for all of me."

"Sure, that's what you say, but wait till you see them! Oh, la, la, la"-he kissed his fingers ecstatically-"I'll be glad to see 'em myself! But listen, Bud, here's the proposition, let's take an oath right now, while we're starting out, that whatever comes up we'll always be true to each other. If one quickly. "I've been all over the repub. of us is wounded, the other stays with him; if he's in prison, he gets him out; if he's killed, he avenges his-"

"Say," broke in Bud, jostling him rudely as he reached into the saddlebags, "let me carry that bottle for a

He took a big drink out of it to prevent De Lancey from getting it all and shoved it inside his overalls. their holes; wait till them Chihuahua

"All right, pardner," he continued. with a mocking smile, "anything you and come down to get some fresh say. I never use oaths myself much, but anything to oblige." "No, but I mean it, Bud!" cried De

horse, "they'll never get old Copper Lancey. "Here's the proposition now. It was the last thing that either of Bottom here-not unless they steal Whatever happens, we stay with each them expected, but three days after him at night. It's all right to be cheer other till this deal is finished; on all "The man to look out for," an they fied out of Mexico, and with all ful about this, Phil, and you keep right scratch cases we match money to see swered Kruger with venom, "is Cipri- their money unspent, the hand of fate on being glad, but I got a low-down who's it; and if we tangle over some girl the best man wins and the other | Her wedding was a swell affair one stays away. We leave it to the It was early morning again, with came back De Lancey, "that we're go girl which one wins. Will you shake hands on that?"

"Don't need to," responded Bud;

"Well, shake on it, then!" insisted De Lancey, holding out his hand.

il all spat- the use of getting mushy?" But a moment later he leaned over in his saddle and locked hands with a

viselike grip. "My old man told me not to make and he told no such promises," he muttered, "but he bull-ring. I'll do it, being's it's you."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Snatching Land From River. Land is being built out to see from the mouths of the Mississippi river a mated average rate of 300 fer



HENRY HOWLAND

poses fair, You may preach, or excel as a finish

You may gladly possess an ab And your health may be always b

You may think you are the crowd Because of your your station.

But if you are fler For you've got to be admiration

You may have all the

Your friends that lengthy and splen-You may even point back to some not worthy prince Or baron from

descended; that Are needed to bring you've desired

But don't you get cocky, old man, if you're fat, For upless you are slim admired.

Your feet may be small and your fi

Your friends may admit that you's wise and you're witty

deprivation But if you are stout let

admiration. Henry's Foolish Suggestion.

"You seemed to enjoy the play ther oughly," said Mr. Henpeck. "Oh, it was awfully funny," replie

his wife. "I laughed so much that fairly ached all over." "Funny part that was where the

man fooled his jealous wife and Th out with another woman while the mother of his children was at hom telling them what a noble fellow was, because she thought he was work ing overtime for their benefit."

"I thought I'd die laughing at the diculousness of it. I never saw all thing in my life that was half funny. How cleverly he pulled the wool over her eyes, and what a fel he made of her. Dear me, I have laugh out loud, even now, wheney I think of it."

"Yes, it was great. I'm so glad you enjoyed it. I suppose if I were to the things that man did you'd have good laugh over my cleverness, and How dare you sugg

such a thing? Remember that our nocent children are asleep best this roof."

ALL.

love me with

'And with-and with-"And with what darling "And with all your money."

The papers all agreed on that!-But he was very, very fal. Her mether waddled down the siste.

She was inordinately stout.

And thus afforded many a smile

The blushing bride was short and The groom and preacher were a par Who, stripped, would weigh five hash

The wedding was a swell affalt.

Lack of Confidence. "Well, I don't wish to cast any flections upon him, but if you is on having my honest conviction. say that I should not be inclined accept him at his word." What reason have you for

ing that way?" "He says be breaks the fce bath tub every morning to the

and enjoys plunging tato IL

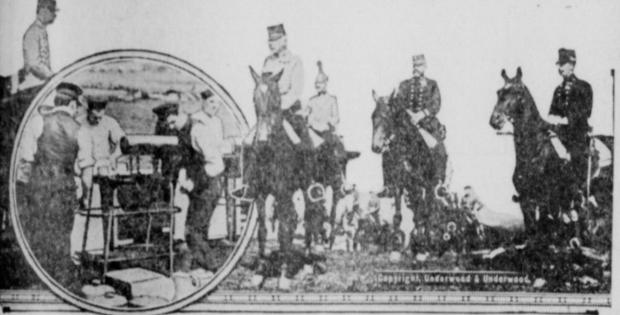


A group of

GERMAN CAVALRY DIVISION DURING MANEUVERS



SCENES OF ACTIVITY IN THE AUSTRIAN ARMY



A group of staff officers on the field of action and a scene in the commissary department

SERVIAN ARMY ENCAMPMENT AT USKAB



SLAVS RETURNING TO FIGHT FOR SERVIA



WAR EXCITEMENT IN AUSTRIAN CAPITAL



SERVIA'S WAR MINISTER



Miles Bozanovitch, the man of the in the near future. hour in Servia.

GERMAN CROWN PRINCE



CONSERVATION OF MOISTURE

Surface of Soll Must Be Kept Loose to Take Care of Rain as Rapidly as It Descends.

(By W. H. STEVENSON, Copyright, 1914.) From two hundred and seventy-five to six hundred tons of water are required to produce one ton of dry matter for most of our common farm crops. In many portions of the United States the rainfall during the growing months is not sufficient to supply these large amounts of water to the crops. This fact lays stress upon two thingsnamely, the importance of large water supplies in the soil not as stagnant water, but as capillary water, which is for the most part available for growing plants, and also the importance of the conservation of this soil water.

The first step in conserving soil moisture is to have and keep the surface of the soil in such condition that most of the rainfall will be received into it and will be carried by gravitation to the lower zones, where the water supply is held until later called into use. Whenever the surface of the sofl is baked or run together and impervious it is practically certain that a large portion of every rain will not get into the soil, but is lost because of surface drainage. An effort should be made to hold the rains of the entire year, those of the fall and winter and early spring as well as those of the growing season. In order to accomplish this the surface of the soil must be kept loose and open so that as rapidly as rain falls it may be taken into the upper soil from whence it can work downward to the great storehouse beneath.

Fall plowing helps to put the surface in condition to take up the rainfall. The hardened crust is broken, and water enters freely. Moreover, the ridges and hollows of the plowed surface act as basins, which hold snow and rain until they soak into the soil. Early spring plowing and disking also play an important part in putting the surface soil in condition to retain and take in a maximum amount of water.

The second step in soil moisture servation is to save the water wi has entered the soil. This can best be done by cultivation. The reason is this-water is carried from the lower zones of the soil by capillarity, It rises in the soil from soil particle to soil particle, and finally it reaches the surface of the soil and is lost by evaporation unless the upward movement is checked by some agency. Now, cultivation creates this agency-namely, a soil mulch. The principle of moisture conservation by mulches is well estab- same, a large net profit. lished. There is no practical method use of the mulch.

GREEN MANURE IS VALUABLE

Crop Giving Luxuriant Growth of Leaves and Costing Little to Grow is Most Desirable.

HENRY FULMER, Idaho Experi-

The benefit derived from incorporatng green crops in soil as manure was oticed by the Romans.

The value of green manure is twofold. Green clover, when turned in the soil, adds nitrogen directly to the land. Later, when the clover is being decomposed, the carbohydrates which the decaying plant contains serve as a source of energy for the class of soil bacteria that are able to gather free nitrogen, independent of a host plant, from the air into their cells in a form that will be later used by growing plants. Owing to the ease and quickness with which these green crops may be decomposed, the stimulation of the independent free nitrogen fixing bacteria is brought about much sooner than with dry material that is coarse and difficult to decompose.

If, during a dry spell, the green manure is added in very great quantities, excessive evaporation may result. Experiments have shown that the acid produced in the soil from this kind of manuring is not great enough to prevent nitrification.

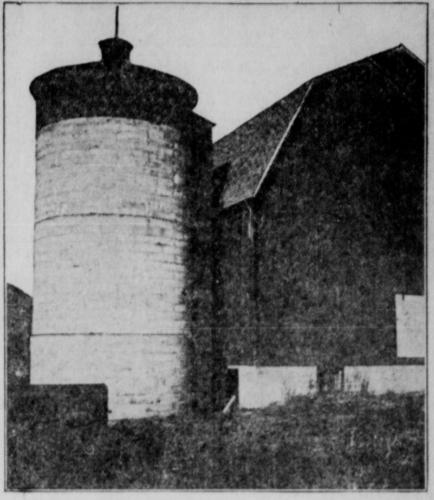
The farmer must use judgment in electing the most economical crop for this purpose in his particular section. The one giving a luxuriant growth of leaves and costing but little to grow is desirable. A nonleguminous plant is as valuable in stimulating the free nitrogen flxing organisms, pound for pound, as the plants of the leguminous family. The fact that a plant is not from the legume family does not keep it from being of value as manure. This form of manuring bids fair to receive a great deal more of attention

IMPROVING STATE HIGHWAYS

Chairman of Maryland Roads Com mission Suggests That Local Organizations Plant Trees.

When the question as to whether the state roads commission has made or is expecting to make provision for planting trees and placing watering troughs along the improved state highways was put directly up to the chairman of the commission, the answer was that nothing had been done by the commission in the way of such improvements, says the Baltimore American. The clause in the state road law pertaining to the planting of trees and the placing of watering tanks along the improved roads authorizes the commission to make such betterments, but is not mandatory in this respect. The chairman of the commission suggests tha, local organizations should look after the tree planting and horse watering.

SILO SPELLS PROSPERITY FOR DAIRYMAN



One of the Most Durable Silos Is Made of Cement Block,

(By J. E. DORMAN.) could roll silver dollars down a hill will furnish enough roughage for two and then pick up two dollars for ev- cows for every day in the year, or ery one he rolled down, and this state- four cows during a feeding period of ment were verified by some of his six months. What other crop will do neighbors and hundreds of other dairy | that? farmers in the country, that farmer Other crops can be used, such as would stay up nights to roll the sorghum or cowpeas, in combination dollars. But when told that he could with either sorghum or corn. The double the profits by the use of the cowpeas improve the silage, for it silo he becomes very indifferent and adds protein, but the yield is small keeps on in the same old rut, feeding and difficult to harvest. dry feed, wasting nearly half of his In selecting a variety of corn for corn crop and doing a lot of unneces- silage, always use one that will masary work.

dairymen should be ready to take ad- a large fodder, as the yield will be vantage of every opportunity to re- greater. than to raise the selling price of the prevent the good-ear development. dairy products. The results are the

the ear alone is fed, nearly half of the corn grown for grain. the corn crop is wasted.

When the stalks are fed, at least half of them remain uneaten, while if | the soil. stored in the silo the loss is almost

nothing. will do their best on fresh June pas- feet high, because pressure is nec

mum milk flow are ideal. These con- it twice as high as the diameter. ditions, however, do not last very long.

day in the year. It provides a uniform feed for every one of the 12 made of different materials. Conmonths.

and will show it by a decreased milk durable as the concrete or tile. flow. The change from fall pasture shrinkage in the milk.

and even higher yields have been re-If a dairy farmer were told that he ported. At 15 tons per acre, one acre

ture its grain. Other things being In these days of close competition, equal, select a variety that produces

duce the cost of production, and it | Corn can be planted somewhat will be found that it is easier, if the thicker than generally used in growproper methods are used, to do that ing grain, but not thick enough to

One dairyman, who has had good success in growing corn for the silo, In the corn plant about 40 per cent and puts up about one thousand tons for saving soil moisture except by the of the feeding value is in the stalk, a year, says that he plants one-third and 60 per cent in the ear. When more seed for the silage corn than for

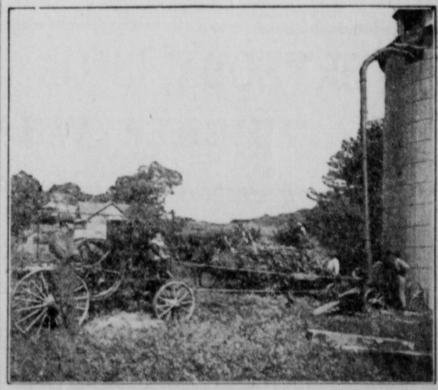
The amount, however, depends much upon the variety, and the condition of

The size of the silo, of course, depends upon the number of cattle to be Every dairyman knows that cows fed. It should never be less than 20 ture. The grass is succulent and pal- sary to preserve the slage. The highatable, and the conditions for a maxi- er the better. A good rule is to have

Of course, a silo will cost some-The silo comes as near to supplying thing-all farm buildings do-but the ideal conditions as anything that there is no building that can be erectcan be found, and it is available every ed on the farm that will pay better.

There are many kinds of silo, and crete, cement, brick, tile and several Highly sensitive dairy cows resent kinds of wooden silo. The wood silo any sudden or violent change in feed, is cheapest, of course, but it is not so

The different styles range from to dry feed is always followed by a three to five dollars per ton capacity. for the concrete and the tile silo. In changing from the pasture to the while the wooden stave silo will cost



Filling a Silo.

often the cows increase the flow of pacity. milk when started on sliage. Several dairymen have recently made the can be grown and put in the sile at a statement that the increased profits cost that should not exceed two dollars paid for the silo the first year

a dairy cow. Silage is high in carbo large part of that feed is practically hydrates, and some concentrates or lost without the use of the silo, the roughage with a high protein content value of this method of preserving the should be fed with it, such as wheat | forage crop is very apparent. bran, oil meal, cotton seed meal or alfalfa or clover hay.

section of the country, it stands at one hundred and thirty-five dollars. the head of the list of forage crops for

best sllage crop.

wenty tons per acre on good soil, and power in partnership

silage, the change is not so great, and | from two to three dollars per ton ca-

When one considers that the crop per ton, and that it is worth at least Silage is not a complete ration for twice that much for feed, and the

A feed cutter with a blower or elevator is necessary for filling the silo. When it is considered that corn A good cutter, with a capacity of forty can be grown so easily, and in every to fifty tons a day will cost about

The power to run it may be a gas or a steam engine. This can usuall The yield in feeding value and the be hired for a few days during the convenience of handling make it the filling process. Or, where severa' dairymen on adjoining farms he The yield will range from ten to silos, it is economy to own the cut

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Sunday School Gives Banquet

One of the largest and most successful social events of the season was staged at the Hindman Hotel Tuesday of this week when the officers and members of the Presbyterian Sunday school entertained the public with a dinner. There were a hundred or more guests present and the menu that was set before them could not have been more tempting as quantity, quality and variety were equally prominent in its preparation.

The spacious dining room afforded room for some of the tables and the others were set on the vine-clad veranda where the surrounding beauty of nature's living green added the final touch to the prospect. Mr. and Mrs. Hindman were most lavish in their hospitality and with the assistance of the good ladies of the Presbyterian Sunday school they have made for themselves a warm spot in the heart of every guest who enjoyed this most splendid banquet.

The dinner was the outcome of a membership contest inaugurated by the officers of the Sunday school. There was an imaginative trip to Palestine and two ships, the Mauriatania and the Larcitania left the United States at the same time, one under the command of Mrs. S. B. Fast and the other under the Each new pupil secured for the Sunday school added so many miles to the journey of the ship that young lady's marriage. perity. on which it registered and the Hosts of friends were present consequent increase in attend- and the young bride was the reance was most pleasing. The cipient of many useful and beau-Larcitania under the direction tiful gifts. of Mrs. Holt, was the first to arrive and in consequence Mrs. favors Mrs. Weauer served a de-Fast was the principal host at licious watermelon feast that the banquet.

Series of Parties.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kibler, assisted by their daughter, Miss in honor of their niece, Miss Ethel McGee who was visiting them from Fort Worth.

The evening was most delight fully spent in the enjoyment of various games. Refreshments of cake and sherbet, augmented be a veritable feast of watermelon, were indulged to the delight of all present. There were in the neighborhood of forty

S. Jordon west of town. A feast of watermelon, ice cream and cake made the affair doubly

Saturday evening of last week the hospitable home of Mr. and

with a party Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wolfe and enjoyed several hours of merry-

Mrs. Bowman Showered. W

the scene on Saturday evening disposition and many womanly of last week of a most pleasura- traits. She is a consecrated ble gathering of friends of Miss Christian young woman and the in that case a track, similar to Katie Burrow who met to partici. most sincere wish of every citi- those used in large hay barnes, pate in a shower celebrating zen is that her future life may be attended by happiness and pros-

After the presentation of the was enjoyed by all present.

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store---after the bargains we are handing out every day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holt have moved into their new home in the west part of the city where they will be at home to their friends in the future. handsome residence is one of the most imposing and comfortable in the city and represents a distinctive step in our advancement along civic lines.

Five spacious rooms with closets, bathroom, pantry and a commodious cellar make up the general plan and the interior finish together with the convenient arrangement make it a most Orma, entertained a large crowd desirable home. The entire of young people at their home building is equipped with fur-Thursday evening of last week nace heat and the bathroom is fully equipped with hot and cold water connection.

Mr. Holt is having the plot of ground, which is situated on the northwest corner of the block, graded and put in shape for trees and shrubbery which he expects to start this fall.

Posted.

The public is hereby warned that hunting, fishing or any tresspassing or depredation of On Friday evening of last any kind is absolutely prohibiweek a large party of young ted on my place northwest of people enjoyed an entertainment town. Anyone violating this at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. notice will be prosecuted to the extent of the law.

J. L. Crabtree.

Burrow-Bowman.

Her many friends were most agreeably surprised on Thursday of last week to learn of the marriage of Miss Katie Burrow, Mrs. Jas. Drake was thrown eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. open to a large party of young J. P. Burrow of this city. The bridegroom was Mr. F. E. Bowman of Phoenix, Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Foster the ceremony was performed by entertained their young friends County Judge Faulkner at Le Fors, the couple having journey ed to the capital Thursday morn-On Wednesday evening a large ing in company with Misses crowd gathered at the home of Odessa Smith and Elsie Dough erty in the C. A. Watkins car Both young people are blind and this fact makes the match one of unusual interest.

Miss Burrow has spent several years with her parents in Mc-The Geo. Weaver home was all for her cheerful and sunny Lean and is known and loved by

Mr. Bowman is a prominent left Thursday for their future home, carrying with them the blessings of hosts of admiring friends.

For first class photos see Willis

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Bundy-Hodges Mercantile Co.

How a Pit Silo Is Constructed

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

To get the greatest efficiency from a pit silo and the hoist mentioned above, the feeding should be done at the silo and large troughs are placed under it. When the feed box reaches young business man of Phoenix the top of the silo it is transferand is reputed to be an exemplary | red from the hooks on the hoist-

young man. The young couple ing ropes to a hook on a small trolley which runs on a track and is run out over the troughs.

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Whatever hoisting arrange of his brother, Charlie. ment is to be used for removing the silage should be erected before the construction of the silo is begun so as to use the same equipmen for removing the dirt.

The dirt taken from the silo should be used in filling in around the silo so as to make a raised, well drained feedlot. The dirt should be banked up a couple of feet around the silo in order to drain all water away. A shed should be built over the silo to keep out rain and snow. It is well to build a light wall of some kind up from the concrete collar as R will add three or four feet to the depth of the silo, and it can be done at little expense.

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The State of Texas

County of Gray in County Court Gray County, Texas. J. T. Close vs A. A. Hunt and C. M. Hunt.

issued out of the County Court of have left a nice line of Watkins rendered in said courf on the 18th, When you need any thing in on the 27th, day of June A. D. 1914, the Watkins line don't forget to at 3, o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Gray and State of Texas, and belonging to the said C. M. Hunt, said land being described as all of lots number Eleven to Fifteen (11-15) inclusive Jeff Earp left Tuesday night for Oklahoma points on business. No. 112, in the townsite of State Oklahoma points on business. Oklahoma points on business. fred Rowe Original Grantee. amount of the judgment herein ed to is for the sum of \$1143.14.

On the 6th, day of October 1914, being the first Tuesday of month. between the hours of the control of the 'clock A. M. and four o'clock on said day, at the court house of said county, I will offer for said and sell at public auction for cash, a the right, title and interest of the said C. M. Hunt and A. A. Hunt is and to said property.

Dated at LePors, Texas, this the
7th, day of August A. D. 1914.

I S DENSON.

Home Mission Meets'

Sheriff of Gray County, Texas.

I. S. DENSON,

After a vacation of several weeks, the Ladies of the Home Mission of the Methodist church are again holding their regular meetings at the church every Tuesday afternoon.

The Voice programs will be resumed twice each month, and in a short time a new study 'The Call of the World," will Fffective May 15th. Tickets on be begun. Rev. Howell will final return limit October 31st. Op. teach this study course and st teach this study course and large number have already er pressed their intention of joint

> The Overton Hardware Co is week completed the installation of an auto filling station in front their store. They have a large under ground tank ean automatic measur

and read

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Local Happenings

Items of Interest About Town and County

Flags and fans at Wolfe's.

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Everything is new and clean at he Eagle Cafe.

Mrs R. W. Crisp of Alanreed is new reader of the News.

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Toad Cash and Roy Richardon visited at Amarillo Saturday.

PURE FOOD DRINKS. Earps

Confectionery.

J.A. Sparks has had his name ded to our subscription list for

Trunks and suit cases at C. C

ess trip to Oklahoma City this Oklahoma.

A car of salt coming.

F. M. Faulkner has a crew of men at work filling his big silo on Moss of Mineral Wells. the ranch north of town.

Let us furnish you with your

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Denson have en visiting friends here this

We are especially prepared to inish your kodak pictures. Wil- Overton Hdw. Co.

on, Jack, are visiting friends at ket Saturday of last week. Shamrock this week.

noes left. Positively AT COST. Hardware Co. Bundy-Hodges Co.

Clarendon shaking hands with latter part of last week from an ex- If it don't do the act bring it back. tiends the first of the week

live me a trial. Carl Heffner. Theatre.

Yes, we have the Belle of Wichita flour-it is the best. C. C.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Caldwell are here from Canadian guests of the L. Crabtree family.

Matinee tomorrow (Saturday) from 2 to 4. Admission five and ten cents. Elestric Theatre.

J. C. Lane of Groom was a business visitor here Tuesday.

the best "eating" in town. Eagle

S. R. Kennedy of Alanreed was transacting business here the first

If your summer suit gets all mussed up take it to Twister for re-

R. C. Chance left Tuesday for a Arthur Erwin made a short bus- business trip to different points in

Come to the Electric Theatre C, C. and have a good laugh-it will do you good.

> Mrs. Arthur Erwin is enjoying a and family of Matador, Texas. visit from her mother, Mrs. J. G.

Protect your interest by buying iling wire. McLean Hardware Belle of Wichita. C. C. Cook. your flour and get the best-it is

> Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Huntsman shopping here Saturday.

> We have the real seal batteries -best made-none excepted.

C. M. Carpenter shipped a car erton Hdw. Co. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Cooke and of cattle to the Kansas City mar-

A few pair of men's low-quarter look new; we have it. McLean melons from local growers.

opened up a horse shoeing shop at the Watkins Livery Barn and am prepared to do first class work.

In the work of the large cities. Electric at the home of his old friend, R.S. blacksmith.

Some prices are right. Don't wait 'till you can find a fit they are just as same pictures with us as you would the latter part of last week visited prices are right. Don't wait 'till good as the high price lenses. Wolfe Drug Store.

Wolfe Drug Store.

This boro Novelty Co., was here do you a lirst class job and my you can find a fit they are just as same pictures with us as you would the latter part of last week visited at the home of his old friend, R.S. blacksmith.

Tribune.

For Aermotor wind mills, the most durable and lightest running mill on the market, see S. R. Loftin, the Alanreed Lumberman.

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Clyde Cash will move from the Vannoy house to the Roschinski place the first of next week.

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Falls is in the city the guest of her copy. aunt, Mrs. J. G. Cash.

care of the trade. Don't forget the Hodges. number. Earps.

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Miss Katie Robinson returned tending the normal.

Walter McAdams was over from Homer Crabtree returned the washing machines home with you.

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VEALE'S

Don't worry about your stock

The second installment of the new story appears in this issueif you missed reading the first one Miss Ruth Elliott of Wichita call at the News office and get a

A house full of good merchan-Remember that we are still in dise. We try to keep what is in business and are prepared to take our line at all times. Bundy-

John B. Vannoy and family are Mrs. J. G. Cash is enjoying a vis- expected home next week from spent several days here this week it from her brother, Gus Stearns, their summer camping trip in Palo visiting at the G. R. Bellenger Duro canyon.

Just received a washtub full of We have just received a shippocket knives, from 50 cents up. ment of Quueensware direct from of new honey-one from south Every one guaranteed-all you Germany, call and see it, price Texas, one from New Mexico. have to do is to bring it back if from 5c to 35c per piece. Mc- Bundy-Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gracey of and Miss Hardin of Alanreed were the latter part of last week from. Clarendon were here the latter E. T. VanVoorhis, has returned to Canyon where she has been at part of last week the guests of their son, Wilson H. Gray.

> burner stoves. Come in and get specializing on 'em. When you your's, everybody's doing it. Ov- are in the market come and see us. Bundy-Hodges.

> Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sitter spent R. L. Kennedy of Alanreed was here the first of the week and the first of the week in Amarillo. They went overland in their Buick.

Another shipment of men's neckties. Bat wings and many of Taks one of our Morning Glory the new ones. Bundy Hodges.

> I want to call your attention to blacksmith.

water, let us build you a tank. of The celebrated national Tablets line of men and boy's caps-lots All work done on short notice and school supplies. Send the of them and they are up-to-date. McLean Hardware Co. children after them. Earps Con-Bundy-Hodges.

> Miss Hedges of Childress arrivhave charge of the millinery department in the new Coffey store.

Men's work trousers and work shirts-plenty of them. Bundy-

W. L. Costell of Elmer, Okla., home.

Just received another shipment

been visiting here with his father, Kibler and family. Fort Worth, Texas.

We have our shipment of short John B. Stetson hats, we are Pampa and Bryant Henry, who is pleased to meet her old pupils making his home for the present and any new ones who desire her at Pampa, visited at the T. W. services. Phone her for particu-Henry home Sunday. They drove lars. through in their car.

> Remember ALL our ladies oxfords at practically cost. We are fords at practically cost. We are closing them out and had rather you have them at wholesale cost than to keep them until next season.
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> Huntsman and others. than to keep them until next season. Bundy-Hodges.

the fact that this is the time of year Do you need a pair of spectac- the remainder of his time inhaling to have that old buggy made over. les? I can sell you either a pair the life-giving breezes that ever We are running the very best Jahn Tripplett, salesman for the lam better prepared that ever to of speck or nose glasses (gold al-blow from off our lake. Mr. pened up a horse shoeing shop commercial pictures. You see the Hillsboro Novelty Co., was here do you a first class job and my loy rims) for 50 cents per pair. If Barnes was a member of company

COMING - One or two car loads | We have just received our fall

Miss Renshaw, who will have charge of one of the intermeed the first of the week and will diate grades in the school, is here and will make her home at Rev. Hamilton's this winter.

> Our aluminum is going fast. Come in and let us show you or sell you-you can't go wrong when you buy aluminum ware. Overton Hardware Co.

Mrs. Emma LeFors and Miss Molita are in Pampa this week visiting their daughter and sister. Mrs. A. H. Doucette.

Will McGee and family of Fort Worth and John McGee and family of Amarillo have returned to their homes after a visit here with N. C. Van Voorhis who has their sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W.

Miss McCurdy announces that she will begin her music class the Mrs. John Henry and son of second week of school and will be

> . Puckett of Muncie, Ill., was here the latter part of last week and bought several bunches of

> E. F. Barnes is in the city from Alanreed, Texas, and will pass

STORE OPENS

THE new store which expected to be open about August 25th has been delayed, partly on account of the glass I not coming in on time as expected. The glass will be put in the latter part of this week and Monday we will start opening the new goods and will be busy every day until complete.

The Ladies, Misses and Children

Our line of Coats, Skirts, and Dresses will interest you. We will have nothing but the very newest and very

best the market affords for the season. Our new goods will be arriving almost daily, and on account of being delayed in opening and hence a little later than we expected our doors will be open everyday for business while we are checking up and we will take pleas ure in showing you the new goods and selling you anything we have open.

We especially invite everyone to call and let us show you what good things are waiting for you. Miss Hedges will have

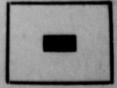
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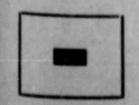
YOURS FOR BUSINESS,

in our store and she especially invites the ladies to call and inspect her goods. T. J. COFFEY

EVERYTHING IN DRYGOODS







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But when inquiries were made it developed the surprising fact that not one of these children could hear the playing of the piano; that they were, indeed, totally deaf, and depended upon the slight assistance given them by their teacher to go through the different maneuvers with the same precision that would mark the movements of hearing children.

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Probably this fact Blone would have caused the visitor sufficient wonder, but he would have been considerably more astonished a little later if he had chanced to run across a group of the same children laughing and chatting together as merrily and naturally as if they had never known what it was to be denied the blessed privilege of perfect hearing. Surely the age of miracles must have arrived when the dumb can be made to speak and the deaf to hear with their eyes!

But the women who have brought about these seemingly impossible things do not regard them as either miraculous or especially wonderful They think it is the most natural thing in the world that little deaf children should be taught to speak and to read the speech of others. They tell you, moreover, that the only way in which such children should be instructed is by the modern oral system, and that the ancient method of signs and finger spelling is quite as much a relic of barbarism as the practise of running a ring through the pose to beautify one's fea-Euros.

This may sound almost unbelievable to those whose only idea of a deaf person is one who is totally devoid of the power of speech and who must depend upon the sign language to communicate his thoughts to others. Fifty years ago a person would have been looked upon as a dreamer, or worse, if he had insisted that children born deaf could be and should be taught to speak. Even today the general impression provails that a person who becomes deaf in infancy must necessartly also be dumb during the whole of his life, and, strangely enough, this lack of power to express one's self in spoken language is ascribed to some defect in the organs of speech. Both of these conclusions are entirely wrong. It has been demonstrated beyond all doubt that practically every deaf child has perfect organs of speech at birth, and that it is a very rare occurrence when a deaf person remains mute for any other reason save the lack of training which a hearing child receives through its ears.

on should go to the Parker Practise school se morning you would probably see on the id lawn in front of the school various groups fidren at play under the watchful eyes of ir teachers. But it is not likely that your attention would be attracted to any particular group because of anything unusual in their manof addressing their teacher or one mother; all are romping, laughing and shouting in the es of their childish delight. Yet the chances are that some of these children have never in all years heard the sound of a voice.

tering the school you might go from ro to room and not discover for quite a while that there was anything different in the manner of instructing the pupils in one from those in an-ather. In some of them, however, you would find the same little tots, who cannot hear, that you passed on the lawn. If their eyes happened to be turned away from the visitor upon his entrance, their attention would not be diverted, since their organs of sight have to perform the duty of the useless ears. Should they see the newcomer, however, they will smile an affectionate welcome, then direct their gaze once more to the lips of their teacher. It is this concentration of gaze which first betrays their physical handicap. All the knowledge they receive must come through the sense of sight, and so their eyes are ever on the alert to catch the smallest movement of their teacher's lips.

The oral-deaf department of the Parker Practise school is under the direction of Miss Mary McCowen, the founder of the McCowen Oral School for Young Deaf Children. For more than thirteen years this school carried on the pioneer work for the deaf in Chicago, and since 1896, when speech classes were organized in the public schools, has supplemented that work by continuing to teach the very young children. There are eight classes, totaling about ninety pupils, under charge of Miss McCowen and her assistants, the children ranging in age from five to sixteen years.

The caller probably will be ushered into one of the kindergarten classes. Here he will find ten or a dozen contented little scholars seated in baby chairs about a low table. It is likely they will be counting colored sticks, or making patterns with them, murmuring all the while the names of the figures they are forming. The teacher talks busily and naturally to the children. just as if they could hear, no other form of communication than spoken language ever being employed. This is necessary in order to so develop the brains of the children that they shall think and express themselves in spoken language as naturally and unconsciously as hearing children. Two not unreasonable questions may be asked

by anyone whose notice is called to this workhow and why do these children reproduce the speech they never hear? And second, what does it do for the children when they are grown?

Let us watch one of the baby classes. The program suddenly changes from the play with the colored sticks and blocks. The teacher, leaning forward, arrests the attention of one of her pupils, enunciating with perfect articulation some simple word. Instantly the child's expression crystallizes to reveal pure concentration of thought. All the intelligence of the childish mentallity is focused through the eyes on the teacher's Then gradually there germinates in his mind a sense of the mental action that evoked the motions of her lips and tongue as she spoke, and this sense blooms into an imitation of the act, accompanied by the corresponding sound. If this is not correct the teacher repeats the word and illustrates to the child just how it should be made. Usually he gets it more and more perfect each time, and when the lesson is finished he returns to his play, smiling from pure joy in the intellectual exercise.

Only the simplest words are given for the child duce at first. These are really not words at all, but mere sounds. When individual sounds are mastered they are then combined to form words. For example, suppose the child has learned to make the sounds of the vowel "a" (ah) and the consonant m." The teacher now places

the child's hand upon her throat, and the child, all eagerness, prepares to imitate her. First she begins with the sound of "a" and, while still uttering it, gently closes her lips, but without interrupting the sound. This action causes the sound of "m" to follow "a" and the result is the word "arm." When the little scholar is made to understand to what the word applies he is usually so delighted that he needs no urging to lady of the house. "Are you equal to repeat it over and over until he has it just right. Sometimes the positions may be excellent, but the sounding weak. The teacher will then direct the child to use his voice. The meaning of this direction and the way of obeying it are taught in the very beginning of the work by holding the child's hand upon the teacher's throat and chest while she makes utterance of a sound. His hand is then applied to his own throat and chest until he has produced similar vibrations. All the while, of course, he is watching his teacher's lips, and the direction is repeated until he has learned its meaning.

WITH INCTRUCTION

The power to distinguish differences of vibration by touch is a very important thing, for it is the child's chief guide in modifying his own voice later-in raising it if it is too deep, or lowering it if it is too shrill. Exercises bearing upon this are conducted with musical instruments such as the guitar and piano, and then applied to the vibrations as felt in the chest, head and throat. The teacher first strikes a low note and the child, watching, feels the vibration. Then she strikes a high note and calls his attention to the difference. Next she places his hand upon her throat while she sings low and high notes alternately, and in time he acquires the ability to recognize the difference in tone by

The making of aspirant sounds, requiring the forcible exhalation of breath, such as "p." is explained by using a feather or lighted candle. The expulsion of breath blows the feather away or causes the flame of the candle to flicker. The difference between "p" and "b," which have the same visible motions, but not the same sound, is illustrated in a similar manner. In the case of "p" we simply close the lips, compress the air in the mouth and then allow it to escape in a little voiceless puff. But with "b." while the lips are closed and opened in exactly the same way, the voice is brought into use and this lessens the force of the breath as it leaves the mouth. Guttural sounds like "k" and "g." being formed at the back of the tongue, are difficult to acquire, but the use of the mirror is of particular assistance in teaching the child the correct positions for the sounds of these letters.

Speech-reading, which is the ability to understand spoken language by watching the speech movements on the speaker's face, goes side by side with the teaching of speech. From the first hour the child is taught to watch his teacher's lips and to attach a meaning to all their movements, and he learns to interpret spoken language with his eyes as the hearing child does with his ears, without knowing the how or why of st.

The second question—that as to what speech does for the deaf children when they are grown up is not difficult to meet. In the first place, it puts them on a more equal footing with hearing children both in their social and business life. Very few hearing people care to take the trouble to learn the sign language, or finger spelling, just for the purpose of conversing with one or two persons, and a system of written communication is always slow and laborious. For this reason the deaf child who cannot speak is always at a great disadvantage when attempting to mingle ith his more fortunate brothers. He must confine his activities largely to that sphere in which peculiar form of communication is understood, and this sphere is exceedingly small, comparatively speaking. But with speech at his com-mand he finds a thousand avenues of usefulness and endeavor, of which he formerly knew noth-ing, opened to him.



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NEW EXPERIENCE FOR BARBER

Capt. W. V. Lucas, who was an officer in the Fourteenth lowa regiment, tells an amusing story of an incident that occurred during General Price's raid into Missouri in the last year of the Civil war. The story appears in "Pilot Knob," by Messrs. C. A. Peterson and J. M. Hanson.

"On arriving at Pilot Knob the afternoon before the engagement of the Twenty-seventh, I went into a barber shop to be shaved. Suddenly, when the barber had shaved only one-half I left my chair instantly, and reached my company, half a block away, with one side of my face shaved smooth, whereas the other displayed a two ford's Balsam of Myrrh for relief from weeks' growth of beard. I did not splashing metal burns. Adv. complete the shave until six days afterward, when a colored barber did the job at Rolla, 75 miles away. In the nursery are not synonymous. While working the dirt and sand out of the 'long side,' the fellow's curiosity was excited, until he could no longer refrain from comments.

'I nevah see a face befo', sah, said he, 'dat one side was richer dan de odder; but yo's is, suah! "My explanation seemed to afford

him great relief."-Youth's Compan-

Cultured Tramp.

There came to the kitchen door of a certain household in Philadelphia a ragged hobo, who took his stand against the doorjamb and gazed longingly at food displayed on the kitchen

"You look strong," suggested the the task of sawing and splitting half a

cord of wood?" "Equal to it, madam?" said the ramp, with a courtly bow. "The expression is inadequate. I am superior

And he went away.

to it.

His Method, Exactly.

The teacher in an East side school was reproaching Tommy, who had licked" Heine in satisfaction for a grievance. Tommy's penitence was at a low ebb, and teacher's golden-rule admonishing fell on unreceptive ears. But at last she struck a responsive

"The right way to treat your enemies, Tommy," she said, "is to heap coals of fire on his head."

"Yes, ma'am, that's jes what I done," said Tommy, brightening, "I give him

Insufficient sleep and late hours are some of the causes which retard growth and health of children.

> NEW IDEA Helped Wisconsin Couple.

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A Wis. couple examined an idea new to them and stepped up ceveral rounds on the health ladder. The husband writes:

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All the Fault of Nurse That Small Girl Could Not Walk in the Straight Path. Maria had been naughty and mother, seriously remenstrating with her,

thought to press home a needed sug-

"I can't think why you persist in

"But-but I often don't know it's

"But," mother urged again, "you

"What is my conscience and how

"Your conscience is the little voice

will it tell me?" wide-eyed and eager.

inside you that says 'No!' when you

shouldn't do things and makes you

feel sorry when you've made mis-

mourned the troubled sinner. "I had

401 W. Adams St.; Brownwood,

I scratched it the irritation and itch-

my limbs, so bad that I could not

most instantaneous relief. I used the Cuticura Ointment freely all over my

head once a week and the Cuticura Soap for cleansing as often as neces-

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The Dear Girls.

"He seems determined to kiss me."

remarked the girl who was fishing

for a compliment. ."I wonder why? "Hard to tell," said the other girl.

This is the season for freak bets."

In Far-off India.

ing shipment has been larger. Adv.

To Make Mucilage.

ing a Spanish onion for a short time

For the big and little burns in cook-

sam of Myrrh near for quick relief.

Conjugal Amenities.

'My dear, don't act like a fool."

and then pressing the juice from it.

A mucliage which holds with sur-

"Then I began with the Cuticura

sleep or rest night or day

should know, my darling. Your con-

science will tell you if you listen."

wrong till I've done it," sighed the

doing wrong, my dear," she said, solemnly. "It always makes us unhappy

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lower in price, about half as high. knitting about the bottom. Then there are splendid wool sweat. On sweater coats for grownups ing were dreadful. They continued to ers in many colors and varieties of there are collars in several styles hurt and smart and burn. My hair

ever the fabric they are made of, will ture.

for mountain and seaside resorts, The cool air, dropping down from where mornings and evenings bring frosty mountain tops, and breezes that chill in them, is the silk sweater-coat. bergs to that of seaside hotels, are These smart garments are selling the reasons for the existence of sweatone's breath away. Twenty-five to facturers are endeavoring to make takes thirty dollars each seems a high price | them attractive, and have, in fact, suc-

here, could hardly be plainer. A close-Besides the sweaters and sweater ly knitted border and a pocket at each coats of silk—there are others. Those side are not purely decorative figures, Texas.—"I had a severe case of dry of wood fiber, which looks like silk, but they afford all the details of ornatiching scalp. Then my head had blisand is as strong or stronger, are much mentation except the border of fancy ters and pimples all over it and when

which add much to their finish. But fell out badly and gradually my scalp. A sweater-coat and cap to match, aside from this they are about the was covered with dandruff as dry as like those shown in the picture, what same as the model shown in the pic- powder. It was the same burning in

Correct Dress for the Little Boy



WHEN the young princeling is One of their best efforts is shown dressed up in his best attire, for in the illustration given with this ar me to follow your lead?" state occasions, such as birthday particle. It is a suit of white pique with ties, Sunday school, or dress parade, plain short pants and belted blouse he is sarbed in white. And whether The blouse opens over a small "V". all lady mother has made his gar. shaped vest which allows a bit of dec ments with her own hands or left that oration in the form of a spray of lit-Dieasant task to those who make a tle flowers and leaves embroidered in business of it, he looks like all his white. The satior collar is finished

summertime in washable fabrics. The all the decorating that one may exclean is a part of his education, ex- for the small boy. his dress occasions.

and the little suits are so easily made that it is no great task to make up his pumps finish the totlet of the young thort-lived summer wardrobs. But and well made, at a cost of production he be the son of a millionaire or low that it is hardly worth while duke or just an average man.

mates in the democracy of boyhood. with scallops edged with buttonhole transgressor frequently seems to be one's neighbor as it is to find fault The little boy must be clothed in the stitch, instead of a hem. This is about pretty smooth. difficult feat of teaching him to keep pect to find in even the dresslest garb Whenever You Need a General Tonic How To Give Quinine To Children

actly as essential as teaching him to In order that the blouse may set For daily wear he remps in well a few boxplaits run from shoulbiogses and short pants made in wash- der to hem. The loose belt, of the colored fabrics, such as ging- fabric, is slipped through narrow ham, linens, crash, madras and other straps, also of the pique. The bel' Strong weaves. Heavy linens and drops toward the front and may be biques and certain specially woven cot- fastened with a buckle or clasp fastentog fabrics in white are required for ers or preferably buttons and button holes. The sleeves are rather full and

These fabrics are so inexpensive short enough to escape the wrist. Short white socks and low canvas gentleman, and he will not meet anthes for children, well designed to other better dressed than himself. He is outlitted in correct style whether JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

"I'm open for convic- NOT A PROMISING MARKET

tion," said one lady. Seasickness Probably Responsible for Actor's Disposition of Cargo of Potatoes.

powder. She tried The late William H. Smith of man-RUB-NO-MORE just agerial fame and Charley Backus minstrel fame many years ago emto see. Now you ought barked from San Francisco for Australia on a business venture. The captain of the boat, who was

with this "workless" that the voyagers lay in a cargo of potatoes to dispose of on their arrival, there being a big demand for them cheese and some large, square crack-RUB-NO-MORE there. The "Murphys" were accorders for a Welsh rabbit. WASHING POWDER ingly purchased and placed on board. Now, Mr. Backus was always recogmover for clothes. nized as a great comedian, but with It cleans your dishes, the deck of a ship instead of a stage Won't your rabbit eat the small ones? as his rostrum he wasn't so funny. Mr. Smith proved an excellent sailor, and while Backus was stretched out for sore eyes Doesn't burn on a chair Smith said, "Charley, in

Carbo Naptha Soap those potatoes?" And poor Backus, who thought he table? The Rub-No-More Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

case you die, what shall I do with

Fastidious Pet.

The members of an automobile touring party from Washington to Baltimore stopped for the night at a certain caravansary at Hagerstown, in Maryland. Since the food supplied them was exercrable and since their kit furnished the necessary implements, aside from the raw material, they determined to have a Welsh rabbit. Accordingly two were deputed to proceed to a corner grocery, there to obtain keeps house dirt-free an intimate friend of each, suggested old chap that kept the place came forward one of the two said:

"We want a couple of pounds of

The old man seemed doubtful. "I got the cheese, all right," said he, "but I ain't got no large, square crackers. - Harper's Magazine.

The Way of It. "I suppose you sat at the captain's

as dying, said: "Go to hades with "The captain sat at our table," responded Mrs. Nuritch, with dignity.

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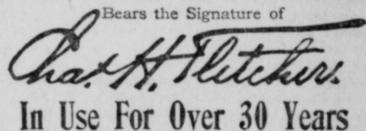
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School Children to Compete

Several new features mark the contests held by the the current year. Among these ing contests open to both boys and girls, and adoption of uniform and strict scholarship requirements and other eligibility rules to govern all the contests in the League.

The interscholastic contests in debate. declamation, spelling, upon the country contests, al-University Interscholastic contests for those who survive League, promise to surpass even the county contests. It is is be of interest and number of schools rules and the addition of conthat will participate during the tests for girls, a very much larcomming session. There is an ger number of rural schools will annual membership fee of \$1.00 join actively in the work of the assessed upon each school tak. League than heretofore. The ing part in the contest. At this county organizations are perfecttime last year, only one school ed at the time of the annual had paid the fee, but at the pre- meeting of the county Teachers' sent time about a dozen schools Institute. Last year there were have sent in the fee; while the ninety-seven such organizations, number of inquiries relative to with five hundred and one the contests which are being schools enrolled in the League. received by the Extension De. All of the counties that were or partment of the University is ganized last year are expected,

The University bulletin contion and athletics for girls, spell, receipt of the membership fee subject of International Peace. for a given school the Extension Department will furnish special bulletins and other material of assistance to the teachers and pupils in preparation for the various contests.

Much emphasis will be placed and athletics, which are held an though, of course, there will nually under the direction of the still be the district and state the record of last year in point lieved that with the present

much larger than in previous while many other counties will no doubt join in.

The question that will be de-University of Texas for the taining the revised constitution bated during the current session 4th Sunday nights of each month and rules of the League has just is the Literacy Test for Imminish to each week. The lst Sunday been published and is being sent to all who are interested. Upon Declamation must be upon the Declamation must be upon the Back school house at 3 p. m. Third Sunday at the Back school house at 11 a. m. school boys of the State during and rules of the League has just is the Literacy Test for Immiare county contests in declama. to all who are interested. Upon Declamation must be upon the



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FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

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Church Directory

Methodist Church.

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J. T. HOWELL, Pastor.

Holiness Services.

Conducted by S. R. Jones, at Mc Lean Presbyterian Church 2nd and Public invited to attend all services.

Baptist Church.

Preaching second and fourth Sundays in each month at 11 a. m. and T p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. and percent sunday, C. S. Ricc, superintendant. B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m. every Sunday, Reep Landers, president. Ladies Aid meets on Tuesdays at 2 p. m. Mrs. Myrtle Hamilton, president. Church conference on Saturday before the second Sunday in each month. fore the second Sunday in each month at 11 a. m

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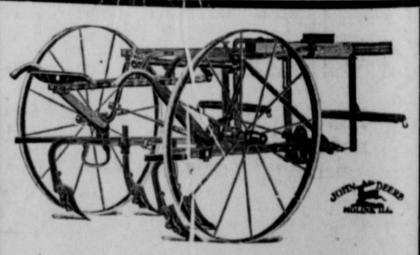
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