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to speak, and wandered in the wilderness for a period of forty It is with considerable inter- years. I do not know how long est, that I have read the article Mr. Anderson has wandered in the Constitution does not, di-Taxes", and there are some that it will not take him forty the basis of the revenue earning

by the tone of his letter, to in Article VIII of the Constitution the assessment is made. Also, vite a free and full discussion of of Texas, which treats of Taxa. it does not provide for assesstion and Revenue, and which he ing money, notes and bank It has been my observation makes to read as follows: "Tax- stock at 100 cents on the dollar that the gentleman whose name ation shall be equal and uniform. and real estate at 25 cents on the appears to the article in ques. All property in this state shall dollar. tion, is usually very sound in be taxed in proportion to its his ideas, and is a very logical value." In the above, he ab. Mr. Anderson contended for a thinker upon all questions of ruptly ends his quotation before strict observance of the law uppublic economy or civil govern- finishing the sentence quoted on the part of the Commissionmen that come up for consider from, and does not convey the ers Court in the matter of qualiation. But I have also noticed full sense which the framers of fying as a Board of Equalizathat when a man thoroughly the Constitution seem to have tion; for which I heartily com knows the country through intended. To quote the two mend him and think he was em which he is traveling, and does sentences in full which he inently correct in the position by accident get lost in a fog and makes the excerpt from, they taken. But I believe his con-

property in this state, whether owned by natural persons of corporations, other than municipal, shall be taxed in proportion to its value, WHICH SHALL BE ASCERTAINED AS MAY BE PROVIDED BY LAW.

Thus we see that the framers of the Constitution contemplated that the Legislature should, by enactment, prescribe the method ascertaining the value of property. Now let us see if the method so prescribed is based solely on the revenue earning! capacity of the property to be

Let us turn to Article 5088, Revised Civil Statutes of 1895. and we find it reads in part, as follows: "Each separate parcel of real property shall be valued at its TRUE ANE FULL VALUE IN MONEY, excluding the value of crops growing or ungathered

"2. In determining the true and full value of real and personal property the assessor shall not adopt a lower or different standard of value because the same is to serve as a basis of criterion of value the price for which said property would sell at auction or a forced sale, or in the aggregate with all the propworth in money at the time such assessment is made."

Thus we see the statute nor the impulse of making a reply: In his letter to the News, he ey equivalent, or the amount it especially inasmuch as he seems, quotes a portion of Section 1, is worth in money at the time

> Now, I happen to know that "Taxation tention should be carried to its

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taxation, nor shall he adopt as a that the Commissioners Court is much tax would he be entitled While I have no inclination to than a tenderfoot who is snow erty in his county; but he shall ed and bounded by statutory law blind. One of the greatest and value each tract or lot by itself, as well as the organic law of the Equalization deepest lawgivers this world and at such sum and price as state in which we live; and that revenue in the personal pleasure ever knew lost his bearings, so he believes the same to be fairly the court has no authority to it furnishes and the sweet melodeepest lawgivers this world and at such sum and price as state in which we live; and that Constitutional and statutory provision for equalization upon the basis of value and substitute in the last week's News, on the the equalization wilderness, into rectly or indirectly, provide for therefor, its own enactment for subject of "Equalization" of Our which he has strayed, but trust the equalization of taxes upon equalization of values upon the basis of revenue earning capacistatements made and theories years to discover a direct route capacity of the property to be ty: and however firmly the Comadvanced by the writer of said to a more equitable basis of taxed, but on the contrary, fixes missioners Court may be con the standard of value at its mon. uinced that its plan is better than that prescribed by law, yet, owns \$10,000.00 worth of diawhich it was created.

> privileges to none." To illus some one whom he holds dear, trate the injustice of taxing property on the basis of its earning capacity, let us take, for instance, any home in town, occupied by the owner thereof, as a place of residence. So long as it is in active use for the purposes for which it was erected. what earning capacity has it? How much revenue does it, or an it produce? On the basis of earning capacity, what would be the tax collected on a place or mansion occupied by its owner as a home? You may say that it has an earning capacity in that it furnishes the owner shel ter and protection from inclement weather, a center of at traction, around which cluster the sacred ties of family and love i ones -- in short, a spot upon which to concentrate his loving care and call it home. Then I reply, that a lot with a dug out on it, occupied by an American citizen as a home, where love and happiness reign as they should, is entitled on that basis, to pay as much tax as the finest mansion.

Again, suppose a man invests \$1000.00 in a paino to adorn his home and to regale himself and triends with sweet music; what revenue earning capacity at taches to his investment?

not a lawmaking body; that its to pay on his piano, if the prespowers, duties and scope of its ent statute is repealed or annullanswer that on the basis of equaltribute the same amount of tax lar on his jew's harp, that his neighbor does on the \$1000.00 piano.

being a creature of the law, it is monds, how much should he be legally bound to cheerfully obey taxed, on the basis of revenue the mandates of the power by earning capacity? . No matter land does not produce a suffihow long he boards them, or So much for the lack of au how much he foully gloats over thority upon the part of the their pristine beauty and purity. Commissioners Court to repeal they can never increase in numor annul a statute. Now let us ber or grow in size or weight; look at the comparative merits they are totally incapable of or demerits of the system pre drawing interest or producing a scribed by law, and the propos. revenue. They can only lie are here by called to meet at the ed system of revenue earning guarded in a rich jewel case tabernacle in McLean on Saturbasis, from the standpoint of within the dark confines of some day after noon, June 6th, 1914, 'equal rights to all and special adorning his person, or that of of importance to t vansact.

condemn the course of the man who wishes to enjoy the possesauthority are definitely prescrib. ed and the revenue earning basis sion of the rich jewels which the is substituted in its stead? You great Creator has been pleased may contend that it earns a rich to place within his reach, yet I revenue in the personal pleasure see no good reason why he should not contribute his just set aside and hold for naught a dies it produces. Then I must proportion to taxes upon the same basss as the man who re ization, if another man gets the tains his wealth in the coin of the same pleasure and satisfaction realm, and upon the same perout of the vibrant strains of a centage of valuation, whether jew's harp, then he should con- it be 25 or a 100 cents on the dol

> You may say that the man owning the diamonds can ex Another illustration: a man change them for money which has earning capacity; then I answer, so can the man who owns a section of land. If his cient revenue to be attractive to him, he can exchange the land for momey at its actual cash

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SYNOPSIS.

Challis Wrandall is found murdered in road house near New York. Mrs. Wran-all is summoned from the city and iden-fles the body. A young woman who ac-order to the line and sub-equently disappeared, is suspected. its. Wrandall starts back for New York an auto during a billiding snow storm. sequently disappeared, is suspected.

Mrs. Wrandall starts back for New York in an auto during a bilinding snow storm. On the way she meets a young woman in the road who proves to be the woman who killed Wrandall. Feeling that the girl had done her a service in ridding her of the man who though she loved him deeply, had caused her great sorrow.

Mrs. Wrandall determines to shield her and takes her to her own home. Mrs. Wrandall hears the story of Hetty Castatorium in the tragedy she forbids the girl ever to tell. She offers Hetty a home, friendship and security from peril on account of the tragedy. Mrs. Sara Wrandall and Hetty attend the funeral of Challis Wrandall at the home of his parents. Sara Wrandall and Hetty return to New York after an absence of a year in Europe. Leslie Wrandall, brother of Challis makes himself useful to Sara and becomes greatly interested in Hetty. Sara sees in Leslie's infatuation possibility for revenge on the Wrandalls and reparation for the wrongs she suffered at the hands of Challis Wrandall by marrying his murderess into the family. Leslie, in company with his friend Brandon Booth, an artist, visits Sara at her country place.

Leslie confesses to Sars that he is madly in love with Hetty.

CHAPTER VII .- Continued. "I say, Leelie, is she staying here?" cried Booth, lowering his voice to an excited half-whisper.

"Who?" demanded Wrandall vacantly. His mind appeared to be else-

"Why, that's the girl I saw on the road- Wake up! The one on the envelope, you ass. Is she the one you were telling me about in the club-the Miss What's-Her-Name who-"

"Oh, you mean Miss Castleton, She's just gone upstairs. You must have met her on the steps." "You know I did. So that is Miss

Castleton." "Ripping, isn't she? Didn't I tell

you so?" "She's beautiful. She is a type, just as you said, old man-a really wonderful type. I saw her yesterday—and the

"I've been wondering how you managed to get a likeness of her on the back of an envelope," said Leslie sarcastically. "Must have had a good

snap-shot, you know." Booth flushed. "It is an impression, that's all. I drew it from memory, 'pon my soul.'

'She'll be immensely gratified, I'm

"For necren's sake, Les, don't be such a fool as for show her the thing,"

never understand." "Oh, you needn't worry. She has a fine sense of humor."

Booth didn't know whether to laugh or scowl. He compromised with himself by slipping his arm through that of his friend and saying heartily: "I wish you the best of luck, old

"Thanks," said Leslie drily.

CHAPTER VIII.

In Which Hetty is Weighed.

Booth and Leslie returned to the city on Tuesday. The artist left behind him a "memory sketch" of Sara Wrandall, done in the solitude of his went with all the Wrandalls. They room long after the rest of the house night of his stay at Southlook. It was as sketchily drawn as the one he had made of Hetty, and quite as wonderful in the matter of faithfulness, but ut-



terly without the subtle something that made the other notable. The craftiness of the artist was there, but the touch of inspiration was lacking. Sura was delighted. She was flattered, and made no pretense of disgula-

The discussion which followed the exhibition of the sketch at luncheon, was very animated. It served to exofte Leslie to such a degree that he rought forth from his pocket the

girl who had been genuinely enand who had not been by way of knowing that the first sketch existed, was

first few moments of interest.

immediately. He felt guilty, and at marking: the same time deeply annoyed with Leslie. Later on he tried to explain, but the attempt was a lamentable failure. She laughed, not unkindly, in his face.

sketch to leave his hand. If she could have gained possession of it, even for an inetant, the thing would have been torn to bits. But it went back into his commodious pocketbook, and she was too proud to demand it of him.

She became oddly sensitive to Booth's persistent though inoffensive scrutiny as time wore on More than once she had caught him looking at her with a fixedness that betrayed per-He was vainly striving to refresh his memory; that was clear to her. There have it that way." is no mistaking that look in a person's eyes. It cannot be disguised,

He was as deeply perplexed as ever when the time came for him to depart with Leslie. He asked her point blank on the last evening of his stay if they had ever met before, and she frankly face clouded. confessed to a short memory for faces. but she had not the faintest recollection of having seen him before their

meeting in the road. Urged by Sara, she had reluctantly consented to sit to him for a portrait during the month of June. He put the request in such terms that it did not just been turned on by the butler. The sound like a proposition. It was not girl stood in the path of the light. surprising that he should want her for Booth was never to forget the lovelia subject; in fact, he put it in such a ness of her in that moment. He carway that she could not but feel that ried the image with him on the long she would be doing him a great and walk home through the black night. enduring favor. She imposed but one (He declined Sara's offer to send him condition: The picture was never to over in the car for the very reason be exhibited. He met that, with bland that he wanted the half-hour of solimagnanimity, by proffering the canvas tude in which to concentrate all the to Mrs. Wrandall, as the subject's impressions she had made on his "next best friend," to "have and to fancy.) long look at her, my boy. It isn't a hold so long as she might live," "free

good humor. cried Booth in consternation. "She'd clamour. With half an eye one could in the same mold and yet to model so caught the somewhat anxious note in see that he did not relish the idea of differently. meant that Booth, who could afford to Miss Castleton was wanted at the gratify his own whime, would be telephone, "long distance from New obliged to spend a month or more in York." the neighborhood, so that he could devote himself almost entirely to the consummation of this particular undertaking. Moreover, it meant that Vivian's portrait was to be temporarily disregarded.

Sara Wrandall was quick to recognize the first symptoms of jealousy on the part of her brother-in-law. The new idol of the Wrandalls was in love, selfishly, insufferably in love as things hated selfishly, and so they loved. Her was wrapped in slumber on the first husband had been their king. But their king was dead, long live the king! Leslie had put on the family crown-a little jauntily, perhapscocked over the eye a bit, so to speak -but it was there just the same, annoyingly plain to view.

Sara had tried to like him. He had been her friend, the only one she could claim among them all. And yet, be her eyes. neath his genial allegiance, she could detect the air of condescension, the bland attitude of a superior who defends another's cause for the reason that it gratifies Nero, She experienced a thrill of malicious joy in contemplating the fall of Nero. He would bring down his house about his head, and there would be no Rome to pay the fiddler.

Brandon Booth took a small cottage on the upper road, half way between the village and the home of Sara Wrandall, and not far from the abborred "back gate" that swung in the them. teeth of her connections by marriage. He set up his establishment in half a day and, being settled, betook himself off to dine with Sara and Hetty. All his household cares, like the world. rested snugly on the shoulders of an Atlas named Pat, than whom there was no more faithful servitor in all the earth, nor in the heavens, for that matter, if we are to accept his own estimate of himself. In any event, he was a treasure. Booth's house was always in order. Try as he would, he couldn't get it out of order. Pat's wife saw to that.

As he swung jauntily down the treeined road that led to Sara's portals, Booth was full of the joy of living. Sara was at the bottom of the terrace, moving among the flower beds in the formal garden.

At the sound of his footsteps on the gravel, Sars looked up and instantly smiled her welcome.

"It is so nice to see you again," she aid, giving him her hand. "'My heart's in the highlands," he

session and evidently a thing to be me," he added gracefully. Then he ment to inspect Hetty's wardrobe, os- could be no doubt as to the identity cherished—took away all the pleasure pointed up the terrace. "Isn't she a tensibly for the purpose of picking out of the subject. The face was hers: quired innocently. she may have experienced during the picture? 'Gad, it's lovely—the whole a gown for the picture. As a matter the velvety, dreamy, soulful eyes that effect. That picture against the sky-" of fact, he had decided the point to had haunted him for years, as he now with conviction.

countable pallor that followed almost ed for him to complete it before re white dress she had worn on that oc a study, deliberately arranged and de the sketches of the half-nude figure a

"Her heart is not in the highlands." "You mean-something's gone wrong-"

"Oh, no," she said, still smiling; Leslie had refused to allow the the lowlands. You would consider Washington square to be in the lowlands, wouldn't you?"

mean she's thinking of Leslie."

ing of you, Mr. Booth." more like it," he retorted. "She can't the next instant, she recovered her-

be thinking of me, you know. No one self, and, giving the lace a quick fillip ever thinks of me when I'm out of that sent its odor of sachet leaping to fail to recognize an underlying motive. she's thinking of something a long composure. way off-or some one, if you choose to

She smiled upon him with half- one's portrait!" she asked. closed, shadowy eyes, and shook her head. Then she arose.

"Let us go in. Hetty is eager to see you again. They started up the terrace. His

"I have had a feeling all along that

It was not unlikely, she said, that he she'd rather not have this portrait had seen her in London or in Paris, painted, Mrs. Wrandall. A queer sort of feeling that she doesn't just like the idea of being put on canvas." "Nonsense," she said, without look-

ing at him. Hetty met them at the top of the steps. The electric porch lights had

The three of them stood there for a gratis," "with the artist's compli- few minutes, awaiting the butler's anments," and so on and so forth, in airy nouncement. Sara's arm was about Hetty's shoulders. He was so taken Leslie's aid had been solicited by up with the picture they presented common mistake of pressing the quesboth Sara and the painter in the final that he scarcely heard their light chateffort to overcome the girl's objecter. They were types of loveliness so tions. He was rather bored about it. full of contrast that he marveled at When it was too late she wished she but added his voice to the general the power of nature to create women had not uttered the words. He had

As they entered the vestibule, a some, agreeable painter. Moreover, it servant came up with the word that said. "It's a habit."

The girl stopped in her tracks. Booth looked at her in mild surprise, a condition which gave way an instant later to perplexity. The look of annovance in her eyes could not be disguised or mistaken.

"Ask him to call me up later, Watson," she said quietly.

"This is the third time he has called, Miss Castleton," said the man. "You were dressing, if you please, ma'am, the first time-"

"I will come," she interrupted sharply, with a curious glance at Sara, who for some reason avoided meeting Booth's gaze. "Tell him we shall expect him on

Friday," said Mrs. Wrandall, "By George!" thought Booth, as she left them. "I wonder if it can be Leslie. If it is-well, he wouldn't be flattered if he could have seen the look in

Later on, he had no trouble in gathering that it was Leslie Wrandall who employer sat in the shady porch, view- quiringly. called, but he was very much in the dark as to the meaning of that expressive look. He only knew that she the table and began the task of workwas in the telephone room for ten min- ing out the puzzle that now seemed utes or longer, and that all trace of more or less near to solution. He had quired, with a slight twist of his lip. emotion was gone from her face when a pretty clear idea as to the period he she rejoined them with a brief apology for keeping them waiting.

He left at ten-thirty, saying good night to them on the terrace. Sara walked to the steps with him.

"Don't you think her voice is lovely?" she asked. Hetty had sung for

thinking of her voice. She is lovely." He walked home as if in a dream. The spell was on him. Far in the night, he started up from the easy chair in which he had been

smoking and dreaming and racking "By Jove!" he exclaimed aloud. "I remember! I've got it! And tomor-

row I'll prove it. Then he went to bed, with the storm from the sea pounding about the house, and slept serenely until Pat and Mary wondered whether he meant to get up at all.

"Pat," said he at breakfast, "I want shadow of a window casement from you to go to the city this morning and fetch out all of the Studies you can find about the place. The old ones are apparently without a thought of it. A slender young woman in vague reds in that Italian hall seat and the late ones are in the studio. Bring all of

There's a divvil of a bunch of thim," said Pat ruefully.

He was not to begin sketching the figure until the following day. After

He stopped short, and the sentence his own satisfaction the night before. believed. In no sense could the pieeyes, preceding the flush and unac- was never finished, although she wait- She should pose for him in the dainty ture be described as a portrait. It was ing her closely. As she looked upon

Sara as the judge from whom there, the grand-niece of an earl, be engaged fingers tightened their grasp on the

smile on her lips. It must have been "Who knows? It was a venture on her favorite gown. The smile faded my part, that's all. She may be think- away. The hand that dangled the garment before his eyes suddenly be-"Or some chap in old England, that's came motionless, as if paralyzed. In

"Isn't there a distinction between posing for an artist, and sitting for

He was silent. The fact that he did not respond seemed to disturb her aft-

The Girl Stopped in Her Tracks.

"Why do you ask?" was her inquiry.

never posed for a portrait. It is a

pursued the question no farther. Her

Pat, disgruntled and irritable to the

tures had made a lasting impression

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and browns, whose shadowy face was

ositively illuminated by a pair of

He came upon it at last. For a long

"Oh," she said doubtfully.

her voice.

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plastic."

ing his approach.

seemed to be no appeal, he casually in posing for what evidently was magazine. "nothing like that. Her heart is in inquired if she had ever posed before. meant to be a commercial product of He watched her closely as he put this whilom artist? the question She was holding up a Turning from a skilfully colored full Deautiful point lace creation for his page reproduction, he glanced at first after a pause, without lifting her eyes. "Oh, I see," he said slowly. "You inspection, and there was a pleading casually over the dozen or more Her voice was low, the words not very sketches and studies on the succeed- distinct. ing pages. Many of them represented with little or no attempt to obtain a honest blue eyes convicted her. likeness. Some were half-draped, showplexity so plainly that she could not view. Out of sight, out of mind. No; his nostrils, responded with perfect fabrics that but illy concealed impres production to Mrs. Wrandall, but the sive charms. Suddenly his eyes nar-

> redoubled interest. Then he whistled softly to himself, a token of simple amazement. The head of each of these remarkable studies tures of Hetty Castleton! She had greet the newcomer.

been Hawkright's model! canvas in the north end of the long duce it. tall French windows afforded abundant and well-distributed light for the enterprise in hand. Hetty had not yet a comfortable chair in the corner, one shapely bare arm behind her head; the free hand was gracefully employed in managing a cigarette. He was conalert gaze was upon him all the time, although she pretended to be entirely indifferent to the preparations. Dimly he could see the faint smile of interest on her lips.

Hetty came in, calm, serene and lovelier than ever in the clear morning light. She was wearing the simple er a moment or two. She made the white gown he had chosen the day before. If she was conscious of the rather intense scrutiny he bestowed upon her as she gave him her hand in greeting, she did not appear to be in the least disturbed.

"You may go away, Sara," she said firmly. "I shall be too dreadfully self-'We always ask that, I think," he conscious if you are looking on." Booth looked at her rather sharply.

Sara indolently abandoned her com-"And by the way, you haven't anfortable chair and left them alone in the room. She was busy with the gown for a

"Shall we try a few effects, Miss time. At last she looked him full in Castleton?" he inquired, after a period "That's true," she agreed; "I haven't of constraint that had its effect on answered, have 1? No. Mr. Booth, I've | both of them.

"I am in your hands," she said simnew experience for me. You will have ply He made suggestions. She fell into

to contend with a great deal of stupidity on my part. But I shall try to be the position so easily, so naturally, so effectively, that he put aside all previ-He uttered a polite protest, and ous doubts and blurted out:

"You have posed before, Miss Casanswer had been so palpably evasive tleton." She smiled frankly. "But not for

that it struck him as bald, even awka really truly portrait," she said. "Such as this is to be." He hesitated an instant. "I think

point of profanity-he was a privileged character and might have sworn I recall a canvas by Maurice Hawkif he felt like it without receiving no- right," he said, and at once experienctice-came shambling up the cottage ed a curious sense of perturbation. It walk late that afternoon, bearing two was not unlike fear. large, shoulder-sagging bundles. He instead of betraying the confusion

had walked from the station-a matter or surprise he expected, Miss Castleof half a mile—and it was hot. His ton merely raised her eyebrows in-"What has that to do with me, Mr.

The young man drew a chair up to Booth?" she asked. He laughed awkwardly.

"Don't you know his work!" he in-"I may have seen his pictures." she wanted to investigate. To the best of replied, puckering her brow as if in his recollection, the Studios published reflection. "Oh," she cried, with a three or four years back held the key. bright smile of understanding. "I see! He selected the numbers and began Yes, I have a double—a really remark-

to run through them. He was search able double. Have you never seen Het-

ing for a vaguely remembered article ty Glynn, the actress?" on one of the lesser-known English "I am sure I have not," he said, takpainters who had given great promise ing a long breath. It was one of re-"I dare say," he responded absently. at the time it was published but who lief, he remembered afterward. "If "Give you my word, though, I wasn't dropped completely out of notice soon she is so like you as all that, I couldn't afterward because of a mistaken no have forgotten her."

tion of his own importance. If "She is quite unknown, I believe Booth's memory served him right, the she went on ignoring the implied comfellow came a cropper, so to speak, in pliment. "A chorus girl, or something trying to ride rough shod over public like that. They say she is wonderfully optnion, and went to the dogs. He like me or was, at least, a few years had been painting sensibly up to that ago."

time, but sudgenly went in for the He was silent for a few minutes, critical eye of the artist. As he turp-There had been reproductions of his ed to the canvas with his crayon point, principal canvases, with sketches and he remarked, with an unmistakable studies in charcoal. One of these pic- note of relief in his voice: "That explains everything. It must

on Booth: The figure of a young wom- have been Hetty Glynn who posed for an in deep meditation standing in the all those things of Hawkright's." "I dare say," said she indifferently.

CHAPTER IX.

The Ghost at the Feast. The next day he appeared bright

and early with his copy of the Studio. time he sat there gasing at the face her eyes. She took it from his hand of Hetty Castleton, a look of half-won-"There," he said, holding it before olat- der, helf-triumph in his ayes "nere' reproductie

"Do you think it like me?"

"Amazingly like you," he declared

She turned the page. He was watch-While they were going over the ex- dio. He was mystified. Why should neck. She did not speak for a full tensive assortment of gowns, with she, the daughter of Colonel Castleton, minute, and he was positive that her

> "The same model." he said quietly. She nodded her head.

"Hetty Glynn, I am sure," she said.

He drew a long breath, and she lookstudies of women's heads and figures, ed up quickly. What he saw in her

Sara Wrandall came into the room ing in a sketchy way the long graceful at that moment. Hetty hastily closed lines of the half-nude figure, of bare the magazine and held it behind her. shoulders and breasts, of gauze-like Booth had intended to show the regirl's behavior caused him to change rowed and a sharp exclamation fell his mind. He felt that he possessed from his lips. He bent closer to the a secret that could not be shared with pages and studied the drawings with Sara Wrandall, then or afterward. Moreover, he decided that he would not refer to the Hawkright pictures again unless the girl herself brought up the subject. All this flashed through suggested in outline the head and fea- his mind as he stepped forward to

When he turned again to Hetty, the magazine had disappeared. He never Southlook, arranging his easel and saw it afterward, and, what is more to

He thought hard over the situation. The obvious solution came to him: She had been at one time reduced to appeared. Sara, attired in a loose the necessity of posing, a circumstance morning gown, was watching him from evidently known to but few and least of all to Sara Wrandall, from whom the girl plainly meant to keep the truth. This conviction distressed him, but not in the way that might have scious of the fact that her lazy, half- been expected. He had no scruples about sharing the secret or in keeping it inviolate; his real distress lay in the fear that Mrs. Wrandall might hear of all this from other and perhaps ungentle sources. As for her posing for Hawkright, it meant little or nothing to him. In his own experience, two girls of gentle birth had served as models for pictures of his own making, and he fully appreciated the exigencies that had driven them to it. One had posed in the "altogether." She was a girl of absolutely irreproachable character, who afterward married a chap he knew very well, and who was fully aware of that phase in her life. That feature of the situation meant nothing to him. He was in no doubt concerning Hetty. She was what she appeared to be: A gentlewoman.

He admitted to himself that he was under the spell of her. It was not love, he was able to contend; but it was a mysterious appeal to something within him that had never revealed itself before. He couldn't quite explain what it was.

In his solitary hours at the cottage on the upper road, he was wont to take his friend Leslie Wrandall into consideration. As a friend, was it not his duty to go to him with his sordid little tale? Was it right to let Wrandall go on with his wooing when there existed that which might make all the difference in the world to him? He invariably brought these deliberations to a close by relaxing into a grim smile of amusement, as much as to say: "Serve him right, anyway. Trust him



He Was Watching Her Closely.

most violent style of impressionism. studying her face and figure with the He's already done it, and he is quite satisfied with the result. Serve them all right, for that matter.

But then there was Hetty Glynn. What of her? Hetty Glynn, real or mythical, was a disturbing factor in his deductions. If there was a real Hetty Giynn and she was Hetty Cas-

tieton's double, what then? On the fifth day of a series of rather prolonged and tedious sittings, he was obliged to confine his work to an hour and a half in the forescen. Mrs. Wratdail was baving a few friends in for auction-bridge immediately after lunch-con. She asked him to stay over and take a hand, but he declined. He di-

not play bridge CTO BE CONTINUED.

TEAMS TO HANDLE HEAVY FARM MACHINERY



Work to Keep Working Horses in Good Condition.

(By W. M. JENSEN, New York.) pressed me during my past few years, bred horses, and breed drafters that is the poor tillage and cultivation prac- are capable of handling improved matised on farms where light work teams | chinery to the best advantage and at are compelled to handle modern heavy the least expense.

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ing horses that could be utilized for we have adequate horse-power to make farm work and yet be suitable for the best and most profitable use of family road horses; but conditions are every man's time constantly changing, and the farm One good man with three ableteam that will best meet the demands bodied horses of the draft-type, will of the present-day conditions must accomplish more farm work during a have sufficient size and strength to en- season than two men will with four or able them to walk up promptly with five light horses and less efficient maheavy farm machinery.

We eastern farmers must get away One thing which has greatly in- from the practise of breeding trotting-

The increased cost of competent I have always been in favor of keep- farm labor makes it imperative that

chinery

and Farmer Must Exercise His

Own Judgment.

As with other crops, the cultivation

of alfalfa must be done with judgment.

The main object in cultivating alfalfa

plants, which usually consists in disk-

ing, is to kill summer grasses. The

individual farmer must know when his

particular field must be disked. A

writer in a certain section will state

will disk his field at that time and

summer grasses begin to grow in his

locality, and set his disk to working

There is no danger whatever to well

established alfalfa plants in disking.

The plants are deep rooted and will

not be pulled out if they are not cut

off. Splitting the crowns will do no

damage. Some of the best alfalfa

growers give their alfalfa fields a se-

vere disking and cross-disking every

year. Some claim that it is impossi-

ble to injure the plants, no matter how the implement is set or run. The

disk cuts up the surface and kills

mit air, and create a surface mulch

for holding moisture. Harrowing after

disking in dry weather is an advan-

SOIL FOR GROWING LEGUMES

Starting Point in Improvement of

Sandy Land and Important in

Maintenance of Fertility.

When legumes, such as clovers, al-

falfa, peas, beans, etc., are well sup-

plied with the necessary moisture.

phosphorus, potassium, calcium and

this special method of securing their

nitrogen. The growing of legumes,

Not Good for Pastures.

for the pastures. Pasture plants

grow through the agency of their leaves or green parts, as well as

With feed scarce and high priced.

are not the same everywhere.

accordingly.

SELECTION OF COTTON SEED TIME FOR DISKING ALFALFA

So-Called "Running Out" Is Largely Conditions Are Not Same Everywhere Due to Neglect of Grower-Simple Methods Developed.

(Prepared by the United States Depart-ment of Agriculture.)

The so-called "running out" of varieties of cotton is largely due to the neglect of the grower in selecting his seed. Continued selection is necessary to maintain the uniformity and productiveness of any variety of cotton, but the methods of selection used in the past were such as to require so much time and technical skill as to be impracticable for the farmer.

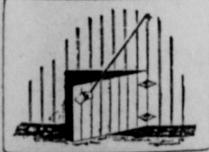
Simpler and more effective methods have been developed and explained in a circular entitled "Cotton that, say, July 1 is the proper time. A Selection on the Farm by the Charac-man in another section and climate ters of the Stalks, Leaves and Bolls." This is supplied free of charge by the bureau of plant industry to interested growers.

Farmers who will limit themselves to the growing of one kind of cotton fore or at the time summer annual and take the necessary precautions to preserve the stock and avoid admixture with other varieties, can produce better seed than they can buy through any of the existing commercial channels. They can not only increase their own crops but gain additional profits by selling seed to their neighbors. The demand for better seed is now very general and represents an important opportunity for the more intelligent farmers of each community.

TO PREVENT DOORS SAGGING

Convenient Contrivance, as Shown in the Illustration Herewith, is Easy to Make.

To prevent heavy doors from sag- grass without injuring the alfalfa ging on their hinges an iron rod is blants. Another object in summer used as a brace. Take a piece of disking is to loosen the surface to ad-



Iron Rod Holds Door.

strap iron bent at right angles, with other necessary elements, they are holes punched through for bolts and able to grow on soils extremely low brace rod. Then a three-eighths or in organic matter and by their growth, one-half inch iron rod, which books and when turned under, are able to in eye on one side of building. The add to the vegetable matter of the soil screw eye must be secured in post or and by leaving a supply of nitrogen, rafter tightly in a direct line with they fit the soil for the growth of othbinges, then hook in rod, tighten top er crops not supplied by nature with and the door cannot sag.

therefore, is the starting point in the Treatment for Sorghums. improvement of sandy soils and is the Grain sorghums respond to good treatment the same as corn. Don't most important practise in the mainexpect to make big yields of these tenance of their fertility. crops by letting them grow wild.

The roots of rhubarb put into the there is a great temptation to turn cellar last fall ought to be giving a the live stock on pasture at the earligood supply of stalks now which will est possible time, but this is not good be reliabed as fresh sauce.

Don't bother your fields until they through their roots, and if the leaves dry enough to work well. You or green parts are kept eaten off close is too wet.

to Cast Fraudulent Vote. It was election day, and after Murphy had cast his vote he went on his way. About a block from the polling place he was approached by an old

COULDN'T GET AWAY WITH IT

Irishman Made Poor Selection of Name Under Which He Proposed

friend, who said: "Murphy, you can make \$50 by going back to the booth and voting again. Go back and vote in Ike Rosen-

baum's name and you get the fifty." "Sure, they might get me at it, and I'd land in jail."

"Not a chance. They don't know you and they don't know Rosenbaum. So go to it. Murphy thought a moment and then

went to the polls. "I wish to vote," said Murphy, with

delicious Dublin roll. What's your name?" "Ike Rosenbaum."

"That's not your name," said the clerk, suspiciously. "'Tis me name," said Murphy.

"It's not," argued the clerk. "Ike Rosenbaum's me name and I intind to cast me vote as sich," said Murphy hotly.

A friend of Murphy in the rear jumped up and yelled: "That's right, go on and vote, Murphy; don't let 'em bluff you."

AFTER HALF-CENTURY MARK

No Real Reason Why Man of That Age Should Not Be Capable of Good Work.

Speaking of the age of efficiency, a Toledo gentleman locates it be yond the half-century mark. He calls our attention to the fact that Columbus was fifty-six when he discovered America, that Darwin, Kant, Spencer, Wagner, Haydn and others did their greatest and best work when far past the fifty mark, and that some have persisted in great accomplishment until seventy or more years of age. This argument won't help the man who is aged and broken and tottering at fifty, will it? But it will hearten the man of forty or more who has been careful of his resources, to think that to him achievement still is a possibility-and it may find him the opportunity to achieve by convincing some master of opportunity that years do not always spell senility or loss of virility. The young man may reflect Practical experience has shown that that he has the opportunity to run a disking alfalfa under certain condilong race-and he may catch sight of tions is beneficial to the crop, yet the fact that the man of fifty is not many farmers will not cultivate their necessarily a "back number" merely alfalfa plants in any way for fear of because of his half-century.

NATIVE OF THE SOUTHLAND

And Nothing Pleases This Lady More, Than to Praise Cardui, The Woman's Tonic.

meet with poor success. Here is Chillicothe, Ohio .- "I am a native of where judgment counts. Conditions the Southland," says Mrs. Ed. Davis, of this town, "and nothing pleases me The time to disk alfalfa is just bemore than to speak a word of praise for Cardui, the woman's tonic, for I grasses begin to grow. This time may firmly believe that it snatched me be in July in one section and June in from the grave. Although I do not another section. It may be after the need it now, I always keep a supply first cutting or after the second cutting. Each man must know when

I have been married 14 years, and had two children. After the youngest was born, I was not able to walk, and for four years, I was not strong

After everything else had failed, I a little girl. wrote to the Ladies' Advisory Departme what I needed. I commenced tak- follows: me what I needed. I commenced tax follows:

ing the Cardui Home Treatment. I used only about four bottles of the Cardui, but, today, I am well, can do the little girl's house, and her mother, In Use For Over 30 Years.

and my neighbors cannot get done aloud. wondering at the change in me." you, as it did for the writer of the she amended it on the bishop's behalf above letter, if you will only give it a so that it ran:

today. Your druggist sells it.-Adv.

Why?

with his eyes shut.

shut, why ain't I asleep?"

"Movies" and Monotony. Stranger (in Hickville)-"Life in this burg must be kind of monotonous, isn't it?" Hotelkeeper-"Used to be a little that way, but two weeks ago the manager of our theater started to man to generate much enthusiasm change the pictures twice a week."- over his bride's beautiful hair after

Lose Habits of Industry. Women in France and other countries of Europe are much more industrious than when they come to this mess is this?

delicious as economical-as beneficial as delicious-as popular with your family as with you. It's as clean as it's fresh. It's always clean and always fresh because the new air-tight, dust-proof seal keeps it so. Every sealed



good with this mouth-cleansing pastime.

Chew it after every meal

"I Spend

earned

My Hard-

Nickels for

pleasure for the longest

while."

You can't get a bigger buy for a nickel. It is as

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I get the most

Be SURE it's WRIGLEY'S

The Trimmer.

"The late Bishop Bowman," said enough to stand on my feet five min- a Philadelphia minister, "once re- have talked a man into buying, if you utes at the time, without something baked my too soft and conciliatory keep on talking you will talk him out leanings by telling me a story about of buying.-Atchison Globe,

"This little girl, it seems, had writment, of the Chattanooga Medicine ten with great pains a composition Co. for advice, and they kindly told on the cow. The composition ran as

deed, was proud of the composition, I can never praise Cardul enough, and requested its author to read it "The little girl got her manuscript, Cardul will surely do as much for but, instead of reading it as it stood.

"The cow is the most useful ani-Don't delay. Begin taking Cardui mal there is except religion."

Joke on John Burns. Mr. John Burns always had a stock Alden has reached the "Why?" age. of good stories. One he tells con-It isn't always easy to answer the cerns a visit he once paid to a London whys. One day he lay on the floor lunatic asylum. He was taken all over the establishment, and finally arrived "Am I asleep, mother?" he asked. at the gardens, where a number of "You know you aren't," said his the patients were working. Mr. Burns espied among these a man with "Well, I'm lying down; my eyes are whom he had some slight acquaintance, and was about to speak to him when the lunatic exclaimed:

"Well, I never! You, too! The very last person I thought to see here."

Loses Its Charm.

It's difficult for a newly married he has seen her pile it on the bureau for the night.

Extremes Meeting. (savagely)-What diabolical She (sweetly)-It is angel food.

Danger of Too Much Talk. Don't talk too much. Just after you

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

my own work, and walk as far as since she was a very little girl, in- Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Lingual Elasticity. "There goes the village cutup." "Is he a joker or a surgeon?"-Baltimore American.

Ten smiles for a nickel. Always buy Red Cross Ball Blue; have beautiful clear white clothes. Adv.

If you have lived long, you have

The Wretchedness of Constipation CARTER'S LITTLE

LIVER PILLS. -act surely and Cure Dizzi-

ness, and Indigestion. They do their duty SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE, Genuine must bear Signature

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Sooner or later you will be wrong in every organ of your body. It is a well known fact that over 95% of all sicknesses are caused by ailments of the digestive organs. If you have the slighest suspicion that your stomach requires treatment, don't delay a moment. Little ills soon grow into serious illa.

DR. PIERCE'S Golden Medical Discovery

soon rights the wrong. It helps the stomach digest the food and manufacture nourishing blood. It has a tonic effect and soon enables the stomach and heart to perform their functions in a natural, healthy manner, without any outside aid.

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A. J. Mayfield

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By A. G. RICHARDSON

SUBSCRIPTION.

One Year of work off Johnson's shoulders,

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More About

(Continued from page 1)

to which system, Mr. Anderson of their investment? says he is opposed. The owner Any of us must admit that District to float their school for the comfort of our students.

Work A Necessity.

believes to be right he knows that

every hour will increase the chances

of his triumph, for he believes that

back of truth stands God with an arm

strong enough to bring victory to his

It is a duty to work, but not for that

which is wrong. Duty never required

anything that was not right; therefore

any effort put forth for the accomplish-

ment of a wicked end is "fighting,

against God," for He approves that

which is good and opposes that which

is evil. It is not a duty to do a work

A work, or a business, or an industry

side.-William J. Bryan.

When one works for something he

petent to manage their investments in a capable manner. Equalization Yet, upon the basis of earning was bid 434, while common which occurred recently over the capacity, how much tax should stock in the same company was telephone. It is typical of scores Yet, upon the basis of earning be collected from the Rock Is- bid only 3 1-4. land Railway, whose four per cent bonds were quoted on the ness, that as safety increases, value, and he can then loan his New York Stock Exchange on earnings must, of necessity demoney at its full revenue earn. May 20th, at 33 1.3 cents on the crease; and the reverse is also ing capacity: And I contend dollar, and whose preferred true, that as earnings increase, higher up! that if you fail to tax land upon stock was bid only 4 3-4 cents safety decreases. It is these the same basis of value that you and common stock 3 1-4 cents on two factors that balance each \$11 to \$12.50 per calendar month; tax money, whatever basis that the dollar? Will any one con other and keep the great com No negroes or saloons in Bowie. may be, then you are, in reality, tend that the railway company mercial machine in equilibrium. "basing values on the capabili- should, on that account, be ex- It certainly was the item of safeties of the manager rather than empt from taxation, or pay tax ty of the investment that enthe capabilities of the property", upon but a pittance of the value abled the Board of Trustees of of the city. Electric fans in ev-

of the property has the privilege farm land as a rule, does not house bonds at five per cent, and We teach you now to operate of exchanging his holdings for pay as great a revenue on the and on forty years time, when the Mimeograph, Adding Macash, and if he exercises bad investment as money at interest. no individual in the district chine, Dictaphone, etc., by pracjudgment in not doing so, then, However, there are two main could hope to borrow money at tical experience, and without to make his burden of taxation factors that enter into the de- any such rate of interest, on for- costing you one cent extra. lighter than it would have been termining of values, from the ty years or any period of time. had he used good judgment, is standpoint of the investor; they Not being burdened with taxbasing values upon his capabili- are earning capacity and safety es on any of the different kinds LEGE, Bowie, Texas. or stability. While the man who of property mentioned, I believe Let us take another example: loans his money at interest, re- that I am able to view the mat-I believe we are all ready to ad- ceives a greater revenue, he is ter from unprejudiced and disinmit that the managers of rail also assuming the risk of bad terested standpoint, and my sole that there will be a revival meetway operations are fairly shrewd judgment in the making of his object in writing this article is ing commence at the tabernacle

may be, he can safely figure on believing that it will be of some not only losing some of his in benefit to all of us. While I alterest, but some of the principle ways reserve the right to change as well. On the other hand, the my opinion on any subject, if amount in farm land, must con- to convince me that I am wrong, tent himself with a smaller in yet I am, at present, firm in the come from it, to balance the item belief that all property should of greater safety. If he pur- be taxed upon the same basis of chases land with a good and in value (not earning capacity) lefeasible title (which he has whether it be real estate, money, the opportunity of investigating notes, diamonds, pianos or jew before parting with his money), harps. ne knows that it cannot be taken from him, it cannot burn, it can- of drawing out some one who is not be stolen while he is asleep, more capable than I of handling but will remain his property in the subject, I remain, its entirety until he voluntarily parts with title to it.

arning capacity and safety of investment go hand in hand. hroughout the commercial world, in fixing the market value years ago, put him in as a stenof property, both real and per- ographer, and he has more than sonal, tangible and intangible. For that very reason, United advanced him to a position as States bonds, drawing only three Office manager. per cent interest are quoted at a premium of nine to nine and one- clerks in the Office, and I want a half per cent above their par young man or young lady to value; and for the same reason come in to help take the details per cent interest are quoted at and I know of no one better to 86 3-4, while C. R. I. & P. 4's are call upon for him than yourself. quoted at only 33 1-3. For that If you have some promising masame reason, Rock Island pre-terial send him or her over next Number one (1). A. C. H. & B. Sur-anneed, Texas, and the following perferred stock, which must draw a Monday.' dividend before common stock can participate in the earnings, was bid 434, while common

It is a general rule in busi- the experience of our Employ-

Like stars in fortune's diadems."

which is not useful in the promotion of that which is best for society, which When we say that God is behind does not tend to upbuilding the general every good work, it means what anoth weal, should be discontinued, and the er had in mind when he wrote, "Every effort put forth for its conduct devoted man should be a good workman, and to one invested with objects and aims to be a good workman he must learn calculated to exert a power that is to love. Good work has love at the helpful and beneficent. He who is en- back of it." If it did not, God would gaged in such a work is "a workman not be behind it. George McDonald not exercised becomes weak and help- to how long the meeting will be that needeth not to be ashamed." The puts it eloquently when he says, "All greatness of a work is in proportion the world is the temple of God. Its to its usefulness to mankind, and he worship is ministration. The commonest service is divine service." Jeremy
Taylor says, "Love can never have a limit, . . nothing can fill it but
God, who hath no bound." A thought which does not seem always to occur which does not seem always to occur thought, spiritual aspiration and spiritual yearnings flower forth in spiritual yearnings flower forth in the subdivision of said County. Texas, the county Commission deems it advisable that an election be half in the subdivision of said County. who does most to promote such work est service is divine service." Jeremy the most useful citizen. Ruskin says, "There are three tests of wise work-

it must be honest, useful and cheerful." He who takes life seriously does not which does not seem always to occur so much strive for a business or position carrying the highest remuneration but the one in which he can be most useful.

Activity is the law of life and love. There is no place in the universe where great power is not being exerted, where the laws of nature are not in active operation. Gravity, centrifugal and centripetal force, etc., are never suspended for the shortest period of time.

They are as certain in their operation.

as are the principles of mathematics, acts will manifest it, and his example gation of the Church of Christ. which are the same througout all space. will shine forth a light in the gloaming Elder W. P. Skaggs of Vernon There can be no time or place where like the candle Shakespeare speaks of will do the preaching. The twice two is not four; neither is there when he says, "How far that little time or place where nature's laws are candle throws its beams! So shines a not at work, and there should be no good deed in a mighty world." No place where men exist that they do not good action is ever lost, and therefore work, and for that which is right, no one should become discouraged Richard Cabbot says "service is one because he does not see the full of the ways by which a tiny insect like fruition of his noblest efforts. As screen wire. McLean Hardware one of us can get a purchase on the Kingsley says, "The good of every Co. whole universe. If he finds a job where | deed remains, and breeds, and works he can be of use, he is hitched to the on forever, and all that fails and is star of the world, and moves with it." lost is the outside shell of the thing, Another who had the same view put it which perhaps might have been better. done but, better or worse, has nothing commence at the tabernacle in to do with the real spiritual good this city on the second Sunday that lacks divine approval; therefore Not what is fair, but what is true; he who "works the works of righteous- Not what we dream, but the good we and for which God will surely repay Rev. B. M. Kilgore, who is disence and support of the Most High. These are the things that shine like you in His own way and time." Con- trict superintendent of the Naz-

morally and spiritually. Unless there tended to the various pastors of is effort there is no progress in any the city and their congregations. of these. - physical body which is less; a mind which is not progressive continued. is retrogressive, and if one does not grow spiritually, he goes backward.

ey, no matter how careful he fair discussion of the subject, who invests the same sufficient evidence is presented

Hoping this will be the means

Yours very truly, W. R. Patterson.

A Deserving Young Man's Promotion.

"I hired a young man, Johnson, from your school about two filled the bill. I have recently

"We employ from eight to ten

The above is an almost exact reproduction of a conversation of others which occur yearly in ment Department.

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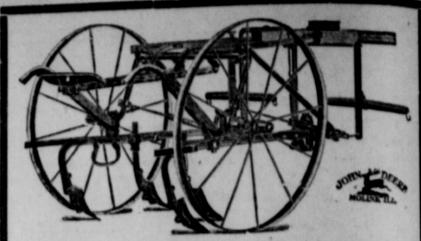
We are requested to announce financiers and are usually com- loans, and if he loans much mon- to try to bring out a full and on Saturday befare the fourth Sunday in June by the congrepublic requested to bear in mind the opening date.

> Swat the fly, we have swatters. Also have screen doors and

Holiness Meeting.

We are requested to announce that the Holiness revival will greve held this thought when he wrote- arine church, will do the preach-For blessing ever wait virtuous deed ing and the song services will be And though a late, a sure reward in charge of Messrs. Bundy and Jones. The public is cordially Work is required in every way in which invited to attend all the services man is capable physicaly, mentally, and a special invitation is ex-There is no announcement as

Notice of Election.



A man needs good tools in order to do good work

GET THE BEST

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McLean Hardware Company

Thence East to the east line of said block, and being the Northeast cor- Presiding Judge and E. B. Reeves, ner of Section Number eleven (11) in Assistant Judge, and they shall apsaid Block No. 1:

Thence Southeast to the Northwest corner of Section Number seventy (70 in Block No. twenty-five (25), C. & C

Thence East to the County line between Gray and Wheeler Counties; Thence South along said County ine to the Southeast corner of said

on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1914, at which election, the following pro-position shall be submitted:

Shall there be levied upon the propthe McLean Independent School ery department of the college County, by said Commissioner's Court, each newspaper published in said a road tax of fifteen cents on the one subdivision of Gray County, at least hundred dollars (\$100.00) worth of four consecutive weeks prior to the erty within said subdivision of said given by publication of this order is property, under the provisions of the date of said election. amendment of 1889 to the Constitution of the State of Texas, adopted in 18-90, and under the provisions of Chap-fy that the foregoing is true and cor-General Laws of the Thirtythird Legislature, passed at its Regular Session.

Said election shall be held at J. L. Crabtree's office in McLean, Texas, and the following persons are hereby Gray County, Texas. appointed managers of said election: C. S. Rice, Presiding Judge and J. R. said Court, at Le Fors, Texas, Hindman. Assistant Judge, and they shall appoint their own Clerks: and SILER FAULKNER,

point their own clerks.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter seventeen, General Laws of the Thirty-third Legislature, and shall be conducted in accordance with the laws regulating general elections, in so far as the same are applicable thereto; only qualified voters who pay a property tax in said subdivision of said county Thence West along the South boun- shall be permitted to vote at said elecdary line of said County to a point ton, and voters desiring that said tax one (1) mile West of the East boandary line of the Rockwall County on their ballots, the words, "For the Thence North to the place of beginning; and being all of Commissioner's Precinct Number four (4) in said Gray (Against the Tax'). "Against the Tax'

this order, signed by the County Judge of said County, shall serve as proper proclamation and notice of said election, which notices shall be

I, Siler Faulkner, County Judge of rect copy of a certain election ord passed by the Commissioners Court of said County, at its May Term, A. D. 1914, as appears in Volume 1, page 484, Minues of Commissioners Court,

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at Le Fors, Texas, this

at the Public School Building in Al- County Judge, Gray County, Texas-

Shoes

For all the family. A bunch of them just in.

Bundy-Hodges

HUGH

Is a dark bay Percheron Stallion 9 pears old. He is 16 hands high, weight 1400 lbs. and for style and action unsurpassed. His sire was imported Percheron Stallion, Lynx. No. 39721 Hugh's dam sired by Oscar Wild, the best French Percheron horse ever imported from France by W. D. Dunbam, Wayne, Ill.

TOM AND YOUNG DAN

Are black Jacks with white points, ages 5 and 6 years, respectively. They are very large Jacks with heavy bone.

TERMS: \$10.00 to insure colts to stand up and suck. Oneforth off the above price if party pays by Januaty 1st after service. Money is due when mare is traded or removed from the country without the written consent of the undersined. Care taken to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur. Mare and colt stand for the service,

The above horse and Jacks will stand for the season of 1914 at my barn 6 miles west of McLean and 14 miles east of Alanreed

W. Sherrod, Owner

Local Happenings

Items of Interest About Town and County

Kwitcherkikkin is the place for ar laundry. H. F. Lankford.

Mrs. T. J. McClain and son El-n are visiting in Noble, Okla.

you want a bargain in a team, and harness see S. R. Jones. M. T. Powell of Ramsdell was a

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For fresh jersey butter call Mrs. W. Brewer. A Grundy and L. T. Davault

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ert shoe repairing and leath John Mertel.

Chambers has been at ck this week visiting his

Pin and Crack-a-Jack s are the best. H. F. Lank-Bell of Alanreed spent

helping the road builders. o you want a tombstone or ble work? Call on S. A. Cobb

thfork, Texas.

e News is a day late this on account of road working

devils, both two row and Let us fit you out with one,

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tter have a fire insurance polhan to wish for one when the nes. See A. J. Mayfield.

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ining and pressing a spe-Call for and deliver. H.

evile Hearn is home for the er vacation from the Claren-

of flour and feed on the Will arrive next week.

Olive Haynes was hostess older crowd with a party

ney to loan on improved at 8 per cent interest. W. kew, Amarillo, Texas.

anb Mrs. Carl Overton enned the younger society set a party Monday night.

garden tools, rakes, plows, etc., see us. McLean Hdw.

Enod Grundy of Canyon ere this week the guest of Vinnie Floyd.

nt fail to get some Belle of Flour before the car is un-C. C. Cook.

C. A. Watkins family spent on the Watkins ranch trial. Jeff Earp.

us a call and let us demon-you our splendid confecservice. Jeff Earp.

Yokley was here from on business the first of

stoves and enjoy life. Co. Hardware Co.

er McAdams was over from

A Hall, dentist, will be in ne 2nd to June 6th, ino do dental work

Have a Spalding hack for sale, in good condition, rum about a year. Phone 42 or 74,

phone Geo. W. Sitter.

Maize and kaffir heads, corn and hay for sale. S. W. Rice, phone

Miss Agee of Alanreed was visiting friends and shopping in the city Monday.

Painting and paper hanging Ask for prices. Jack Hodges phone 153.

The mail service on local trains has been changed and hereafter retary only the night trains will carry mail, so we are informed.

machine and make her happy. They do the work with ease. Overton Hardware Co.

Tom Durham, a prominent ban-

Lost-Black and white spotted proved while here. day here and put in a good pig. weighs about 40 pounds. you see him please notify J. C.

ing the term just closed.

Wall paper-see my samples. ack Hodges, phone 153.

I. L. Davis of Nacona has revisit here with the George Bourland family.

Periodicals and magazines of all kinds. Jeff Earp.

Mrs. Ethel Nolan of Whitesboro arrived Thursday for a visit with the family or her sister, Mrs. W. M. Massay.

Rev. Howell requests us to an-Gracy school house next Sunday morning and afternoon.

A shipment of Dry Goods on the rogd. C. C. Cook.

Edgar Newton left Saturday of last week for Bowie, Texas, where he will take a business course in the Bowie Commercial College,

Rev. Howell went to El Reno Wednesday where he met his Mother who will make an extended visit here.

Mrs. S. O. Cook and little daughlas, Texas.

Your neighbor has one of those New Perfection Oil cook stoves and is enjoying her cooking. Why not you? McLean Hdw.

The stores will be closed next Thursday and the citizens will be working roads. Candidates are especially invited to be on hand with ambitious, energetic shovels.

Have you visited our ice cream parlors and tried our service? We are better than ever prepared to handle the lady trade. Give us a

The Epworth League social held at the home of Mr. and J. S. Morse was reported a success. Besides having a very enjoyable time a neat little sum was realized.

How about that oil stove? They are here for you and it's your fault if you don't get one. They ne of those new Perfection do the work. Overton Hardware

Josh Turner, Roy Richardson and Doyle Foster accompained the first of the week Luther Harlan to Ochiltree county. where the latter will pasture his cattle for the summer. The boys will return in a short time.

Have for sale one Canton Go-Orpington eggs at \$1.00

Orpington eggs at \$1.00

September 2. Wilson, gain if taken at once. A. I. Maygain if taken at once. A. J. May-

Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. C. S. Rice expecting her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Hall of St. Louis, about the middle of June. She will make an extended visit.

Mrs. W. H. Holt and children left Monday for a short visit with friends at Gage, Oklahoma. Mr.

For good photographs see Wilhundred acres of alfalfa. See or for enlarged pictures. Satisfaction

> We are requested to announce that Rev. A. E. Ainesfield of Slaton, Texas, will preach at the Presbyterian church on next Sunday night. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. R. E. Dorsey spent the week in Amarillo attending the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church of this district, of which she is sec-

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thompson went over to Clarendon in their Buy your wife a Motor washing car Monday. They were accompained home by their daughter, Miss Maud, who has been attending school at that place.

Mrs. Geo. Alden returned to her ker of Mobeetie, was the guest of home at Elsworth, Kans., the first Earl S. Hurst Thursday of this of the week after a three week's week. lady's health was very much im-

Prominent among the visitors of the city this week was Judge F. P. Greever of Miami, judge of this from Yukon, Okla., where she is making the race for re-election taught in the public schooli dur- and was here in the interest of his compaign.

Mrs. Emma LeFors attended the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church at Amarillo this week. While turned home after an extended there she, together with a large class, was confirmed in the Episcopal church.

> I offer 50 pound sacks mill run bran at \$1.65. I offer 100 pounds Belle of Wichita flour at \$2.85. These prices are for cash with order and will only apply to orders and cash paid before car is unloaded. For fear you don't understand, I want this money to help

Mrs. J. H. Horton and family left Thursday night for Denton, where they expect to make their home for the present. This good family have resided in McLean for a number of years and their influence in our midst will be sorely missed. Hosts of admiring friends here bid them God speed

Byron Kibler returned the latter part of last week from Amarillo. from the Lowery-Phillips. The young man was a member of the 1913 graduating class of the local ter Erin left the latter part of last school and his continued advanceweek for their new home at Dal- ment will be noted with pleasure by his many friends.

Children's Day.

The following is the Children's Day program to be rendered at the Methodist church Sunday

morning, May 31st: Processional Song. Prayer and prayer response Welcome-Norman Johnston.

Song-Congregation. A welcome drill-Six girls.

Flower Exercise. Song, "God's Little Star" Recitation, "I'm but a Very Little Child"-Molita LeFors. Soldier's Drill-Six boys.

Infant Class. Recitation, "Not Fit to be kissed"-Fern Upham.

Song, "Sing, Sing Away," Class Piece, "Time". Recitation, "Baby's Rose"

Lorrene Stanfield. Song-Congregation. Bible drill.

Recitation, "Children are Like Sunshine" Song. " Loving and Giving".

Recitation, "Offering"-Rob Offering by children. Benediction.

Notice.

What Was Accomplised

Agreeable with pre-arranged plans there was an innovation in Holt took them as far as Amarillo the little city of McLean last Thursday when every business institution in town, with one or Want someone to cut and bale a lis Brothers: All kodak work got-undred acres of alfalfa. See or ten out promptly. Orders taken doors, threw the keys in the well, and all adjourned to the corner of the town section on the southeast and spent a good honest day in working the 100d leading from Ramsdell this way.

There were in the neighborhood of seventy five able bodied men, together with the editor of the News and about ten wagons and teams that engaged enthusiastically in the work and the consequence was a great big sand hill, which has been a bugbear for autos and loaded vehicles of all kinds, absolutely disappeared and in its place there is now a gentle incline topped with a sand-clay crown that it will be a pleasure to drive

J. T. Foster, the official construction superintendent of the McLean Good Roads Association, was on the job all day and directed the work, with the splendid result mentioned. It has been agreed by all who participa ted in the Thursday event to keep the good work going by Miss Carla Willis has returned judicial district. The gentleman repeating the performance every Thursday until the first of July.

Road boosters are enthusias tic over the prospect and predic tions are plentiful that this in novation is destined to remain in effect until every highway lead ing into the city is put in shape Smote it be.

Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the parsonage Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. We had a very interesting bible lesson taught by Mrs. Phillips. Several were present and all were interested in the lesson. ent. We will consider in our study of John's gospel the sev enteenth week's lesson.

After our lesson we called a short business meeting and decided to give a box supper at the Cousins-Christian hall on Thursday night, June 4th. Will where he has recently graduated her name in it. We are expecting to have a little program in connection with the supper and may serve cake and cream extra. The object is to pay for the car. to the report of Mr. Heasley, pet we have put on the pulpit and aisles of the church. Ev erybody is invited and especially Mr. Editor.

Road Meeting.

The local Good Roads Association held another enthusiastic meeting on Monday evening of this week at the W. R. Patterson office and the report of J. F. Heasley, who attended the general meeting at Sayre last week, was heard. The gentleman reported that the attendance of this meeting was splen did, although the representation from Texas was limited.

A highway association was of the proposed road from Okla. be ready. homa City to Tucumcari and the officers elected were as follows: E. F. Cornels of Sayre, president; J. W. Corn of Tucumcari, Saturday. vice president; A. M. Hilburn of Shamrock, secretary, and P. H. Landergin of Vega, treasur-

this route be divided into three divisions, i. e., the Oklahoma, Kipard, at Gracey this week. the Texas and the New Mexico divisions, each with separate of Kinard Sunday, a fine boy. ncers. The president of these Patrons will please take no three subordinate organizations, singing given at the Tom Mckintice to the fact that the 1914 together with the president and season with Star State is closed. secretary of the general organi progress in the McLean country your wants. zation, will form an executive A few years ago the wonderful

For Your Consideration:



25 PER CENT off on all'Ladies' Misses' and Children's 2-strap patent leather, black velvet, white and vici kid

25 PER CENT off on all other ladies' blucher Oxfords.

25 PER CENT off on all men's full suits.

A LIBERAL discount on lawns, voiles, marquisettes, silk mulls and dimities.

OUR BARGAIN COUNTER of shoes and hats will interest you.

Lee Bros.

Pipe and Casing

See us before you buy your Pipe. Casing, Well Fittings, etc. We'll make the price sell it.

Overton Hdw. Co.

Rev. Howell requests us to announce that he will preach at the pay drart on the flour. C.C. Cook. Hope next week to have all prescommittee to handle and direct A meeting will be beld in McLean some time in the near future to perfect the organzation of the Texas division, which will extend from the Ok

lahoma to the New Mexico line. The committee on ways and means recommended that a fee of \$100 per county be assessed for membership in the highway. sell the boxes at 25 cents each. which funds will be used in de-We trust every young lady, and fraying the expense of marking old oue too, will fix a box with and plotting the read and putting it in the official log book, where it will be brought to the attention of every tourist.

No action was taken by the local organization with reference but this matter will be taken up a little later. At the Monday night meeting, however, it was decided to make an effort to get close their places of business each Thursday and let every body interested in good roads turn out and go to work on the stretch from town to the Wheeler county line. For the purpose of seeking the assistance tional routes. of the business men a committee composed of W. H. Holt, M. D. Bentley and A. G. Richardson was appointed.

Heald Locals. The Heald ball team played a ery interesting game Saturday afternoon. Any team wishing a game notify our captain, either formed covering the entire route by wire or wireless, and we will

> Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnston visited our little city Saturday.

and no peace prevails in your latest improvements. at the home it is on account of poor bread. Call at the Heald store there will be no end to your and get 100 pounds of the best sliding It was further decided that Peace Maker on earth at \$3.10.

Mrs. T. N. Holloway is visiting her sister. Mrs. M. H. Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. H.

zie home Sunday evening.

The young people enjoyed a

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Summer Tourist Fares

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the business men of the town to United States, Canada and Mexico

Fflective May 15th. Tickets on sale daily to September 30th, with final return limit October 31st. Op-

Very low summer excursioe fares to various destinations in California and the Northwest effective June 1st to September 30th; final return limit October 31st. Stop-overs and all up-For particulars call on

> D. H. NUNN Local Agent.

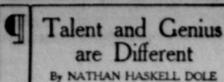
invention of riding on the improved cultivaturs took the day. M. H. Kinard and son of but that age has past, and the Gracey were at the ball game great invention known as sliding has taken its place. Therefore If your cook is out of humor if you want to keep up with the small price of \$14.00 cash and

> W. W. Dillingham of Gracey visited our community Saturday. L. A. Haynes has been ap pointed mail carrier from Mc-

Lean to Heald. Noah Smith of McLean is giving the Heald ranch a good over-

hauling this week. A car of bran, meal and flour People are making wonderful has just arrived and can supply

JONATHAN.



words. The student of verbal chemistry would say that talent and genius are different forms of the same mental element. The skeptic declares in his audacity that there is on such thing as genius. The practical man of affairs scornfully assures us that it is only concentrated hard work. Disraeli analyzed it

It is easy to juggle with

and asserts categorically that patience is its essential constituent. But the great mass of men and women, without defining, asserting,

analyzing, know perfectly well that there is a difference, and they do not hesitate to use the words in every-day speech with fair accuracy. They institutively respect anyone who has a talent, while they pity, permit to perish, or even persecute the man of genius, regarding him as impracticable, subversive and dangerous, perhaps insane.

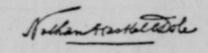
The man of talent is likely to make a success of his life. The man of genius is apt to be out of relationship with his environment-ahead of his own times. The prophet is not without honor except in his own house. They used to stone him. The innovators in music and art have been rendered miserable by those who could not understand them.

Take concrete examples such as we have all seen. A youth has been apprenticed to a carpenter. "How is he getting along?" "Oh, he has a talent for his work." In other words, he uses tools cleverly. He needs not to invent any new methods; he plods, is patient, makes few mistakes. So with a hundred different callings. A plumber, a teacher, a preacher, a dentist, a doctor, an editor, a butcher. The very term "calling" signifies that a person has some distinctive talent, it may be, of a very high degree, yet it is always sane, always safe, always has its feet on the ground.

Not so with genius. Genius manifests itself generally in extraordinary and abnormal ways. The musical genius, even while lying in the cradle, plays on his toes as if they were piano keys and begins to compose before he can talk. He does not have to be taught about consecutive fifths. He avoids them instinctively. He will very likely end his days in an insane asylum, but his productions will some time or other be recognized as marvelous. The world will catch up with them.

Talent marries normally and leads a sound and sober life. Genius is inclined to set itself above common laws of morality. The love affairs of the great poets and musicians make racy reading. Fortunately most of us are born good, average, plodding human beings with sufficient talent to do something useful. It would be a terrible world if there were many more geniuses. They are sufficiently rare to permit the rest of us to adjust ourselves to a reasonable existence and they furnish us with a sufficientspice of excitement and enjoyment to make us worship them after they are dead. Probably a dead genius is better than a living man of talent; but a living genius may be more dangerous than a manisc. It is a great responsibility to be the parents of a genius, and as the offspring of mixed nationalities are more likely to have this abnormality there

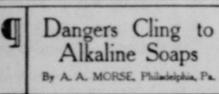
seems to be some instinctive reason for the almost universal prejudice against the union of alien races.



That many dangers cling

to alkaline soaps is empha-

sized editorially by the Lon-



tion is called to the large proportion of mineral ash and alkali in dearer toilet soaps. When these soaps, after being dissolved in water, touch the skin an excessive secretion of the acid sebum and sweat follows and the protective outer layer of the skin, the epithelium, is partially dissolved. This neans intense irritation, which is apt to lead to skin complications.

In the cheaper soaps the cottonseed oil and rancid fats used are responsible for considerable irritation. Castor oil soap is found least irritating, but it dissolves rather too freely and is apt to become rancid. Cocoanut oil soap is decidedly irritating and palm oil soap is less so, while tallow soap is least irritating of all.

Dr. Frederick Gardiner, accepted as an authority on this subject, holds that many bad effects come from those soaps made chiefly of cheaper fats and cottonseed and cocoanut oils. Formerly tallow and olive oil were more used and the skin did not suffer.

The natural conclusion is that as little soap as possible should be used on the skin and that this should be least alkaline in quality. It should always be well rinsed off, so as to permit the least possible irritation.



The other day a big business man was asked for his key to success. After he had motioned his secretary from the room, he said:

"Because I've always accomplished everything I untook every one calls me lucky. As a boy I was laughed at. I finally ran away to New York, and my first job paid \$3. But I gave \$6 worth of service. And that has been my key to success. I always gave more than I got. My employers knew that when I had a thing in hand it would be carried out successfully. Often during rush hours I stayed alone at the

Today I can command my own price. Do you call that luck or grit?" Young man or young woman, if you aren't delivering the goods for your employer, then why aren't you? If you resigned tomorrow couldn't he get a hundred more of the same caliber, no better, no worse?

Why not lift yourself above the average? Do your work so that he would have to try a hundred before he could get another like you. Then you'll be in a class by yourself.



For the last decade the average American citizen has discarded the whip while he brought his child to the stage where the latter becomes self-dependent. But there is an element of people

here who beat their children unmercifully. Compare the children of these two classes of parents. Who is self-reliant, honest, fearless? Do you suppose the child who is habitually whipped becomes a power in this world? Most emphatically not.

Reformers who desire to make this world better should not start from the top. Reforming a hardened crook is difficult.

Here, then, is some advice for parents: If your son is a bit wayward, don't throw him out of the house. Find out the cause of his waywardness Get your son and daughter interested in some wholesome topic or fad. Help them all you can, gain their confidence and, above all, discard these dbare traditions, "Spare the rod and spoil the child" and "A child should be seen and not heard."

FETERITA FOR FORAGE

PROVES OF IMMENSE VALUE IN SEMI-ARID COUNTRY.

Approximately 27,000 Packages Drought-Resistant Seeds Distributed by United States Department of Agriculture.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture The department of agriculture during 1913, under an appropriation of congress, distributed approximately 27,000 packages of drought-resistant field seeds. Each of these packages contained a sufficient quantity of seed to plant one acre, and this when successful supplied the grower with seed for a much larger area the following year. The crops included in this distribution were improved hardy and drought-resistant alfalfas, new varieties of field peas, improved strains of millets. Feterita and Sudan grass. Those in charge of this distribution have rendered the following report as to the results obtained from the planting of these seeds

Peterita, a grain and forage sorghum similar to kafir and mile, and Sudan grass, a wild form of sorghum somewhat coarser than millet, demonstrated beyond a doubt their immense value to the country. Notwithstanding the extreme drought which occurred throughout almost the entire growing season, these crops came to maturity and furnished forage where practically all other crops failed. Seeds of these varieties are at the present time greatly in demand and command a price far in excess of the ordinary sorghums or millets. The Amraoti and Bangalia varieties of peas demonstrated their superiority over the common strains for dry-land farming and have created for themselves a strong demand in sections where they were tested. New millets also proved very promising, and, so far as can be determined from one year's results, this improved alfalfa will go far toward establishing this crop in sections too dry or too cold for the common strains.

In addition to alfalfa, Feterita, and Sudan grass, the distribution this year will include field peas, millets, imand Tepary beans. The last-named time is about as good as another. crop is especially drought-resistant, and is very promising in the southwestern portion of the Great Plains region as an article for human food.

The most promising and immediate results that are expected from the distribution of seed of dry-land field crops are the establishment in general don Lancet, in which attenuse of two valuable crops-Feterita and Sudan grass; the making available of hardy and drought-resistant strains of alfalfa which virtually will make this crop a success over large areas where it can not now be grown successfully; and the introduction of new and highly promising crops, among which may be mentioned a new sorghum, the Freed variety, a semisweet sorghum which is highly drought-resistant and valuable, both for grain and forage, and the Tepary bean for human food.

> Seeds of these new crops are not as ret staple commodities on the market, and a distribution such as has been conducted will go far toward making them generally available to farmers in the dry-land sections.

As for the broader aspects of the project, it is largely to the crops just indicated that the farmer must look for success in dry-land farming.

SILAGE IS GOOD FOR HORSES

Feed Lightly at First and Gradually Increase as Animals Become Accustomed to It.

Silage is good food for horses when fed in small quantities, not to exceed 15 pounds a day. It should be fed twice a day, a light feed being given at first and gradually increased as the animals become accustomed to

Some farmers feed it mixed with cut straw, two-thirds of straw and onethird of silage. All horses will eat of this mixed feed.

office until after ten. No one else knew it. I never had to tell my boss Some horses object to stlage at first on account of its peculiar odor, but by I wasn't paid enough, and never had to ask for a raise. It came unasked. sprinkling some oats and bran on top of the silage and feeding only very small amounts to begin with, they soon learn to eat and relish it.

Other horses take it willingly from the beginning. Horses not working may be fed larger quantities than work horses, but in neither case should the silage form more than a portion of the coarse feed fed to the

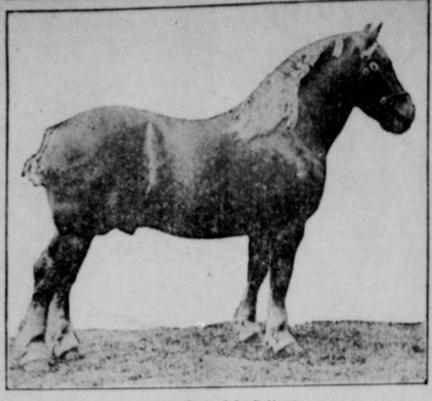
Silage-fed horses will look well and come out in the spring in better condition than when fed almost any other

How to Grow Rhubarb. Rhubarb is one of the easiest plants in the world to grow. If a few large clumps or sets can be procured, all that is necessary is to plant them in deep holes in soil which has been well enriched with thoroughly decomposed manure from the cow stable. Occasionally some cutting may be made then, even the first season.

Profit in Average Crop.

There is no profit in the average crop. If you cannot produce more

TIMELY HINTS ABOUT HORSES AND MULES



A Fine Type of Draft Horse.

(By E. S. MILLER.)

A hat is a great protection to a norse's brain in hot weather. They Sore shoulders are caused by ill-

fitting collars and nothing else.

A man who will work a horse with sore shoulder and make no attempt to cure it or change the collar ought shoes that would raise a new crop of boy. blisters every week

allowed to run to grass, and work hard n hot days, look out for colic. Work teams ought to be allowed to

good condition.

During heavy work in hot weather. horses ought to be watered between do so by bad treatment. the regular resting periods.

whether horses are watered before or ing into their eyes from the loft after eating It is largely a matter of above. proved strains of sorghums, wheat, habit, and experiments show that one

have perfect digestion, any more than a man who eats in the same way. Five minutes vigorous work with a

can be bought at any store for 25 rough cloth on a horse's hide after a hard day's work, will do him a lot of

A team that works in the fields all week should never be put on the road Sundays or holidays.

A cool bran mash Saturday night is to be compelled to wear ill-fitting to a horse what mother's pie is to a

Mule colts are easy to raise and If the horses are taken off dry feed, they are as good as money in the bank, because always salable at fair

Always use box stalls whenever run in the pasture at night. It is practicable. A horse tied in a narrow cruelty to confine them in hot stalls. stall is never quite comfortable and The horse that sweats freely is in is in more or less danger of being cast A mule is no more prone to kick than a horse unless he is taught to

Horses very often lose their eve-It does not make much difference sight through dust and hayseed fall-

If the horses must be kept in the barn during the hot weather, keep all A horse that boits his food cannot the doors and windows wide open.

TOMATO CANNING IS **GOOD SUGGESTIONS** FOR THE SHEEPFOLD

Mistake of Turning Animals Out One Advantage Is That Industry on Young Grass and Stopping Grain Is Expensive.

If you find a lamb apparently dead from cold, souse him in a pall of water as hot as the hand can bear it. becomes cool, heat it again and he commercial industry, according to the will likely come around. Wipe him department of agriculture. In 1909 dry, give him some hot milk and in there were 12,800,000 cases of 12 cans an hour he will be as fit as ever.

wool is just as humane as dragging combined aggregate of any three other a child around by the hair of its head. The wise shepherd will treat his ewes with the creosote solution for used in home canning figures in this stomach worms before turning them total. out to pasture.

Salt is medicine to a sheep, and it

is cheap medicine at that. With spring lambs bringing from ployed in their field culture. Of the \$7.50 to \$8.50 in the markets, who quantity grown in the garden a con-

on young grass and suddenly stopping is customary to set out about twice the grain feed is nearly always very as many plants as are actually necesexpensive. It is likely to set the sary. sheep back several weeks.

on the least expensive of foods and it must be put up in attractive form in return a better profit for the little care that is given them than any other farm animal.

place. Fatten her as quickly as pos- product as it gains a reputation in the sible and get rid of her.

When breeding stock is selling canning of tomatoes in comparison away down low by discouraged flock with other employment open to young masters that is the time to buy a few

good ewes. parley, with some sound turnips, your a single acre makes the industry re-

fast. Don't need corn when you have can be done during the vacation sea-

A little bit of shelter is fine for them for market. sheep. Even if it be nothing more than a high board fence on the side toward the sunshine it will help a lot. The sheep can snuggle up near pigs other than to let nature take its to that and escape the direct rays of

that sheep can get enough drink by then expect the cow to escape with eating grass when the dew is on in out injury, and surely a sow most b the early morning. Stop and think something like a cow. how very, very little water a sheep could get that way. Give them a good spring or a trough to drink from

Use Pure-Bred Stock

If you are determined to get the out of your business you will not feed mongrel stock. Nothing pays so well or is so satisfactory as the

QUITE PROFITABLE

Offers Employment to Young Folks During Vacation.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The canning of tomatoes has in reent years grown to be an important each packed in the United States. Lifting or dragging a sheep by its This immense pack exceeded the vegetables. Only tomatoes used in commercial canning and not those

It is estimated that the area devoted to tomatoes in the home garden is equal to or greater than that emcan say there is no profit in the busi- siderable surplus goes to waste and brings no return to the cultivator. To The mistake of turning sheep out insure plenty of fruit for home use it

In order that the canned product of It is a fact that sheep can be raised the garden may find a ready market containers suitable for commercial purposes, and should bear a trademark which is distinctive and which Never keep an unthrifty ewe on the will tend to hold the trade for the market. One advantage of the homepeople in the country, is that it occurs during the vacation period. The large If you have plenty of alfalfa and return in canned goods derived from young sheep will lay on fat amazingly munerative and, since the canning son it can be carried on without inter-Do not allow the sheep to lie around fering with school work. It is surprisin fence corners or huddle in under- ing how many tomatoes can be raised brush. The best shade is a shed on on an acre, and what little expense is open ground where there is no grass. Involved in raising and preparing

Weaning Pige.

Our experience is against wearing course; by this method we get better pigs, says a writer in an exchange. Better than such a fence is a plece It is almost impossible to prevent of woodland. We have a cluster of them from receiving a check if little hemlocks in our pasture, up on weaned at seven or eight weeks old a side hill. The sheep run up into as some advise. You not only check that and escape not only the heat, but the growth of the pig. but it seems also the miserable flies that hurt great injury would result to the sow. No one would take a calf from its It is a queer fancy with some men mother, refrain from milking her, and

> Corn as a Feeder. Corn is not cheap and the feeder should make the most of it. The way to do this is to feed a little tankage. off meal or middlings with it. Don't feed cottonseed meal to hogs. The hog pays the highest price for corn

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ING OF A DIPLOMAT

Bright Idea Worked for but Finally Ended in Disaster.

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th and you know that his re been nearly all 'D's." they hov, and yit you say ass. I don't understand it,

fraid you don't understand of marking. D means de-

don't know phat that may at Jimmie told me all about

Sure 'D' is dandy, 'C' is is bum, an' 'A' is awful-'C's' an' 'D's' ivery month." Magazine. A Good One.

st would you apply to men sitions as waiters?" select those of fetching

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ever to Our Shekels. your definition of filthy hat's a derogatory term aper people's money."-Bal-

HAPPY NOW Twelve Drink Postum.

aly has been a blessing in writes a young lady in re-

of a family of twelve, using Postum, would make person uncomfortable by ning of headache, dizzimach, etc., from drinking

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Midsummer Dreams in Flower Hats



ing to make a decision as to what of lace made for this purpose, but milsort of hat you will have for midsum- liners fashion for themselves plateaus mer, let it rest upon one similar in of laces which they buy by the yard. general style to the two pictured here. Have the prettiest, most becoming and most fascinatingly feminine of all hat, although in others part of the milmillinery, with laces and flowers and ribbons making up a confection to be hat, as shown in the second figure. worn upon the head. For the midsummer hat will sit at the top notch of style when it is a means of wearing set in good-sized bouquet fastened to a fair head at some slightly dashing

Roses and small flowers in the natural sizes, the lilac and the violet. forget-me-not, heliotrope, and heather, and small daisies betoken the love for garden flowers which lies in the mind of many wearers of flower hats. But the flower hat bedecks itself with flowers common and uncommon. From the yellow field daisy to the most unprototypes, everything in flowers is fashionable

round crown covered with maline, in opened buds. The foliage also in brown, of the shade of its wearer's hair. Over the crown a brim is slipped, covered in the same way as the crown. irs, Flaherty," replied the It is narrow at the right side, widens these hats may be regarded as criou must know better than and flares up at the left. A fine ma terions. They are not merely modish, sent you his report cards chine-made lace is laid smoothly over but the mode.

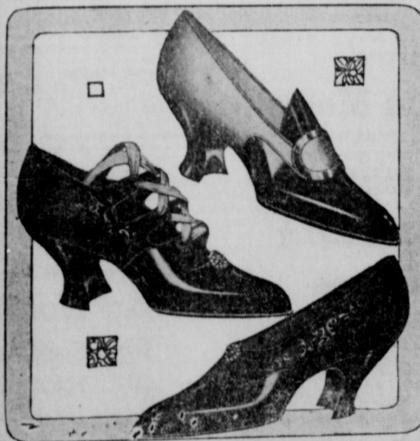
The lower part of the brim is covered with lace also in this particular linery braid is used or part of a body The crown here is of leghorn with the brim, covered with horsehair braid,

The lower crown (or bandeau) of the first hat is trimmed with velvet ribbon in brown and a shaded fancy ostrich feather is in the same coloring, shading off to a very light tint. Deep cream roses, with pink hearts, and natural colored silk wheat, are placed in groups about the brim, with one cluster at the base of the plume on

The second hat is trimmed with marvels of delicate coloring, with the | war?" shadings and even the veins of the One of the hats shown here is a natural petals simulated in the halfdark, glossy green is made with loving fidelity to nature.

As types of midsummer millinery

Colonial Ties and Pumps



HE shoes of today distinguish their ; on much the same lines and made of the fashionable shoe is wide of the indicates small rhinestone ornaments mark in shape when it comes to fol- and buckles, and these one finds upon into trouble if there's a chance to lowing the natural lines of the foot. them. The tango tie, with ribbon lace, keep out." and yet is comfortable, it is possible shown in the picture, is a conception to realize something of the ingenuity in ties that could hardly be excelled which is demonstrated in its making. for beauty.

wear, the neatest and most shapely, buckles or ornaments are placed at gether." is the Colonial Pump, like that shown the sides. The effect is elegant. A in the picture. It is developed in simpler the is shown in the third fig. more so it would be if the man only many different styles and combina ure, very quiet in design and graceful tions of leathers or of leather and in shape. It is furnished with patent fabrics. These embody the patent colt vamp and black brocaded quarleather vamp and the quarter of oth- ters. It has a lightweight sole, easy er leather or of plain or brocaded fab- for dancing and a new Spanish heel rice. Contracting color is used in the flattering to the foot. quarters sometimes; light gray or

more pleasing effects. ver filigree or enamel. Pumps for by showing marvels of fine finish and evening wear are often made with elegant taste in shoes. In this parties wamp of satin and quarter of patent ular article we excel all other people calfskin, with finish of rhinestone in clothing the feet of the moderns buckles or ornaments. The pump and the civilized, appropriately. shown here is ideal in style and may

There is almost as great a variety ties as in pumps. They are shaped

American makers, for they are the same materials. For semi-dress

American women grow more exactwhite, and light tan are among the ing with each season in the matter of footwear. And American manufac-The pumps are fastened (apparent- turers keep up with all these demands ly) under buckles of cut steel or sil- and foster others, in fact, create them,

Now we are beginning to depart be considered a criterion by which to from black and to insist upon clean if in deep thought streets, that lighter colors may walk without becoming too soon begrimed. JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

HENRY HOWLAND

The CALL of the FIELDS



softly blow O'er wooded hills that stretch afar. The paths are fair and free out

green

scene. In every little hollow place A sky-blue lake

care, And gladly stray

lies, smooth as glass.

Where you may see your smiling face
Reflected as you pause or pass.

And here and there a cawing crow
Will slowly flap from tree to tree As if he did not care to go, But went, just so that you might see.

Out there where they rivers wind— Out yonder where the sky is blue And there is peace of heart and mind; I will forget a little while That childhood's faith is mine no more, And we will bridge some stream and pile Up fortresses beside its shore.

Come, little comrade, let us claim The joy awaiting us out there, Where no one suffers wrongful blame Or adds to any other's care: With hopes that shall be sure and strong We'll cross the pastures, hand in hand, And you shall lead me back along The ways that wind to Boyhood Land.

"Did any of your ancestors come over with William the Conqueror?"

she asked. "Not that I know of," he replied. "Are you a descendant of anybody who was on the Mayflower?" "I'm afraid not. I have never investigated the matter."

"Surely you had an ancestor who usual orchid, like and unlike their silk roses in yellowish pink. They are was an officer in the Revolutionary

"No. My great-great-grandfather was a common soldier in the Revolutionary war, but-"

"Harold!" she cried, flinging her arms around his neck, "can it be pos- world will hereafter observe. sible? I have often wondered whether there really was a Revolutionary army, and now I learn that I am loved by a descendant of him. I am so proud and of peace. happy, dear."

Still Thoroughly Feminine. "I had an idea, when I heard that she was going to study medicine, that

she would cease to be womanly." "Hasn't it had that effect upon her?" "No, I happened along the other day when her runabout had broken down parlor?" he then demanded, glaring at 25 and 50 cent bottles or by mail from

and she was busy trying to fix it with his wife. a hairpin."

Faith.

Oh, for your faith, dear little one!
You kneel beside your mother's knee, And pray that wrongs which you have May be forgiven graciously.

You feel that Some One hears somewhere, That Some One, gazing from above, Will not ignore your simple prayer, Nor scorn the proffer of your love.

You have not learned to sit in doubt; You think that He who lights the sun Will hear and blot your sinning out-Oh, for your faith, dear little one!

LUCKY.



"I have consented to dance in my bare feet for charity.

"How lucky !t is that there is such a thing as charity." "Lucky?"

"Yes. If it were not for charity you for showing your pretty feet in pub-

Taking No Foolish Chance. "No," she said, "I can't be your brilliant achievements in the realm and for dancing shoes they insure wife. Why will you not be satisfied of footwear. When one considers that clever effects. The style of the tie to let ours be a case of platonic love?" "Because I don't believe in getting

"It seems to me it is so lovely for a The most popular shoe for ordinary in many of the pumps and ties the man and a woman to grow old to-

"Yes, it's beautiful, but how much grew old."

Expedient,

Artist-Sorry, sir, but I cannot paint your full length portrait. You are very tall and I have no canvas long enough. I could get all in the picture but your feet.

Patron-Well, just paint me with my feet hanging over the edge of the cap-

Their Mathod. "Why is it that around this time of year so many men wear about a week's growth of beard on their chins. and go with heads bent forward as

"They are wearing out the ties their wives gave them for Christmas." "Dead" Soldier Sits Up.

One of the men of the First Royal Scots Fusilliers, who reached Southampton recently from South Africa, was Private McDevet, who, though in the prime of life, has snow-white

He had a narrow escape from being buried alive in India. After an attack of fever he was pronounced to be dead, and was placed on a slab in the mortuary to await burial. Two hours later the sentry outside heard knocking from within. He opened the door and was startled to see McDevet sitting up.

The experience turned McDevet's hair white. The sentry was driven Out yonder where the wide fields Tit-Bits.

Wingless Victory.

Aunt Dinah was a colored saint in Charleston, who could shout above the entire congregation. It was the custom during the collection to sing The turf will soon "Fly abroad, thou mighty Gospel," be growing and Aunt Dinah always threw back little friend, her head, shut her eyes, and sang let's turn from away lustily till the plate was re-

turned to the altar. Deacon Alphronius Green, noting this, stopped when he reached her

pew one Sunday and said: "Look-a-heah, Dinah! What use you a-singing 'Fly abroad, thou mighty Gawspel' ef you ain't give nothin' to make her fly?"

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Odd and Even.

Andrew Carnegie, at one of his peace dinners in his superb red brick mansion in Fifth avenue, said of the Mexican policy of the government: "It is a wise and Christian policy. It will establish a precedent that the

"To have peace," Mr. Carnegie added, "we must bear and forbear. Hatreds and vengeances destroy all hope

"If you try to get even, in a word you remain at odds."

Sounded Like It.

Mr. Murray, irritable from long ears and listened.

"This our daughter Mary takin' her first steps in piano-playin'," rejoined his wife.

"Her first steps! Phat's she doin'. walking on the kayboard?"

Why?

Edith-Why didn't you tell me you had that seat painted yesterday, papa?

Father-Why, what happened? Edith-Why Freddy and I sat down on it last night, and Freddy got paint all over the back of his coat and

Too Much for Him.

trousers!

A colored porter for a local druggist was told to go to another pharmacy to get some cimcifugo rasismoses. He stood, open-mouthed, and gazed at his "boss," then asked: "Ain't thar any other name for dat?"

Hatched by the Sun.

In breeding goldfish, an industry which has flourished in China from Specialist, 118% W. Main St., Okla. City, Okla. might not by able to find any excuse | time immemorial, the eggs are reshallow dishes.

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Date Changed.

ed for the best steers, baby beeves, and hogs shown at the in October, the animals to be judged there in connection with the cost of feeding. The feeding period lasts 120 days, long enough to get a very valuable faithful study and work there is prizes up to \$200.

the contestant. There must be as a teacher in the tabernacle. a great increasing production of livestock on the Texas farms in the future, and the man, woman, boy or girl who neglects an opportunity to learn how to put the most meat on livestock at the least expense, and in so doing loses the chance to earn prize money for the learning by experience how best to do it is merely standing in his or her own way. Parents can do no better thing for their children than to give them calves or pigs and help them by study and advice to produce the best animal at the least cost.

Many of the young stockfeeders in this contest will become the meat producers of the next generation, and they are going to do this simply because they will be interested in this work through the Industrial Congress contest. The more people interested the better for themselves and the locality they live in, and every man is doing the boy or girl and his town also, a favor who interests him or her in the livestock contest. Applications to enter the contest should be sent to the Congress at Dallas, before June 5.

A Progressive Preacher.

Over in Waxahachie there is a week and preaches on Sun-State Bank.

day. This progressive pastor tion shows a gain of 30 per cent. The date of entering the live. recently startled his congregastock section of the Texas In. tion by the announcement that dustrial Congress better farm. the scope of the average pasing contest closes June 5. Prizes tor's work was too narrow for aggregating \$1600 will be award. efficient service and that he did \$16.45 per acre. not intend to limit his usefulness to preaching from the pul-Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth pit. Suiting the action to the wheat per capita per annum and word, he accepted the position consumes 5.4 bushels. of agricultural demonstration agent of Ellis County and in this capacity will work in connection with the United States barrels. and useful experience in meat Department of Agriculture. As production and make a good net his membership is largely agriprofit on the animal or animals cultural, he purposes to assist entered in the contest, and by them in increasing the value of their land and in the most scienan opportunity to win cash tific manner of raising products. In other words, he intends to There is no charge connected set them an example to live by, raised on 111,000 farms of Texas. of repair work pertaining to the with entering the contest in any as well as give them a religion way, and the only person who to die by and purposes to be a makes any money by so doing is worker in the vineyard as well

Memphis Beautiful.

Friday and Saturday of last week we enjoyed a visit to the little city of Memphis where we dollars for information leading were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. to the arrest and conviction of R. Key. It being our first trip to any persons found crossing any that thriving little burg, which tresspassing upon our land in is considered the Metropolis of Gray or Wheeler counties. The the upper Red River Valley, we public is cautioned to take warnwere agreeably surprised at the ing that we will vigorously splendid progress cityward that prosecute any violation of the has been made there. It would fences so far as it affects our appear from a casual survey of properties. the town that each individual citizen has constituted himself a committee of one to clean and beautify his premises and the pleasing consequence is that every home is a monument to civic pride and patriotism.

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TEXAS FACTS

WHEAT.

Texas ranks seventeenth in wheat yield per acre.

In Texas the vield from one acre of wheat is worth \$2.16 more than the average acre's yield of this cereal in the principal wheat

There are 7,000 wheat planters n Texas located principally in the Panhandle section of the state.

The average wheat production. per farm, in Texas is 1,545 bushels. FOR CLERK:

The wheat acreage of Texas is 780,000 acres, from which 13,650.-000 bushels were produced in 1913 and sold for \$12,831,000.

Texas has 238 flour mills, which employ 2,000 persons.

During the past decade the population of Texas has increased 27 per cent, while the wheat produc- FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

In 1913 the average acre vield of Texas wheat was 17.5 bushels and sold for 94 cents per bushel netting the growers an average of

Texas produces 2.8 bushels of

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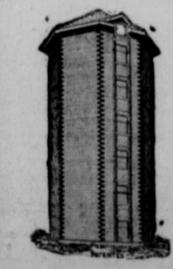
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