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Entertained

The Heald school house was speeches awarding the follow-

Kester and Harrold Rippy

Miss Grace Ellington, sec-

Walter Saye, who made the

Then came a surprise, at least

Twins," was portrayed in the

the scene Saturday night of last ing prizes given by Prof. Tra

ant and enjoyable affairs that (who tied for first place in the

from McLean put it somewhat best grades in the primary dep-

only. The occasion was the to all except the pupils, when closing exercises of the school Mr. Biggers called Prof. Traand the interest displayed by week to the platform and pre-

both patrons and pupils was sented to him a beautiful gold

proof conclusive of the fact that stick pin, given by the pupils as

the term just closed was one of a token of the esteem in which

the most if not the most success- they held him and of their ap-

ful ever taught in that commu- preciation of his tireless efforts

Prof. J. C. Traweek, a young At the conclusion of these man of exceptional ability and preliminary ceremonies the stage

tact in the school room, the pu- was set and the two plays here-

pils have advanced steadily in tofore announced were rendered

their studies and at no time dur- to the delight of all present.

ing the seven months did the in- The first one, "Those Dreadful

Promptly at eight o'clock the leading roles by Miss Estelle

house was called to order and Rippy and Hubert Roach, mak-

the address of welcome was de- ing a span of bad kids entirely

livered by Lucius Rogers, worthy the name. All the other

one of the higher grade pupils, characters were excellent in

well written paper made the Last on the program was the

guests feel that the entertain play, "Mr. Badger's Uppers." ment had been especially arran- Mrs. A. C. Rippy and W. B.

ged for their benefit. He was Skaggs were the leading char-

followed by various recitations, acters in this play and with the

interspersed with music by assistance of the other members

Messrs. Appie Taylor and R. L. of the cast furnished an hour of

gram was closed by an excellent | On the whole the entertain-

valedictory talk by Alma Harlan, ment was an instantaneous suc-

after which Billie Biggers, a cess and all who attended were

Grigsby. The children's pro- unflagging amusement.

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D BOYS DE-EAT RANCHERS

all team of the Heald shall see. fter having challenged and combined talent ommunity, made good fternoon of last week in ontested game against sley ranch boys, augity and one semi-profes-

om Wheeler. laynes called the game score stood 12 to 2, the

ys being the victors. pportunities for improv- could meet.

ing their efficiency, but at the student of the McLean high more than repaid for their time close of the next school term at school, made the presentation and trouble. Heald the "charm" game may be a refutation of this theory. We

The Claude News credits the following to an exchange:

A recent announcement of a by various farmers of large Chicago mail order house seems to justify all the charges made by the local press. This announcement contains the inthe opinion that their order house could sell at lower porary secretary.

Farmers SPECTATOR Quits Grocery Business.

Organize

The first step towards the organization of the McLean country farmers was taken on Saturday afternoon of last week decidedly in favor of food and drugs act. Most of the proposed organization was to the price that might be offered. ners, farmers, etc., and groceries it has been shipping get the farmers together in a that their success indi- cheaper quality than the home 1911 melon crop. On motion T. named were returned unani

ing of the prospective members acceptance at the next regular Armstrong

and the list totaled thirty-eight Quite a few interesting talks were made by different men who had had experience in melon growing as well as organizations of farmers. It seemed to be the general opinion of all present that stringent methods should POPULATION OF be adopted whereby the body would stick together through entire season and for this purpose when the meeting which had it was proposed that each man e end of the ninth in- formation that the house in ques- been called for that time was as- joining should put up his crop tion will go out of the grocery sembled in the Cunningham as a forfeit that he would not business for the reason that the building and called to order by sell any part of his melon crop a year ago these two groceries it has been selling will L. O. Floyd, who in a few words through any other agency than ssed bats and the vic- not pass muster under the pure stated that the object of the the association, regardless of

Proceeding to the election of If this fact the school have been adulterated and of a concerted effort to market the permanent officers, those already m e advancement (on merchant furnishes. It was be W. Petty was elected temporary mously to the positions stated. t). They are rather in cause of this fact that the mail chairman and W. C. Foster tem There was also a committee ap pointed to draft a constitution s have not made the prices than the home merchant The next step was the enroll- and by-laws to be presented for Randall

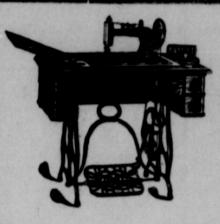
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In real estate come and see me; I have them in all parts of the country and at prices that will surprise. If you want to buy, sell or exchange anything in the way of real estate come and see me; I am sure I can fit you up with what you are looking for.

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We have two kinds-one that sells for \$20.00 and one for \$25.00. Should you wish to pay the cash you can buy these styles for

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These are absolutely the cheapest machines that have ever been offered to the buying public of McLean. Neither can you duplicate the price and quality from the "mail order house". Come in and see them and let us prove it to you. A ten year guarantee goes with each machine.

You can buy one of these machines on the installment plan by making small cash payment.

McLean Hardware Company

meeting. This committee was Donley composed of Chas. Anderson, Collingsworth R. S. Jordon and John Ayers.

The next meeting will be held Castro on Saturday, April 22nd, at the Swisher same place, and all those who Briscoe have not already done so are Hall urged to attend and add their Childress names to the list of members.

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Yoakum

Miss Clifford Bryant left the first of the week for Guthrie, 3312 Okla., where she will take a 2682 course in a business college.

The News, on behalf of the people of McLean, extends a hearty welcome to all visitors and delegates to the Wheeler County District Singing Convention which meets in this city tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock. All delegates will be guests in the different homes of the city and immediately upon arrival should make themselves known to either member of the following committee: J. P. Burrow, Mrs. J. H. Horton Mrs. A. G. Richardson.

The town will be yours-step in and take charge.

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Plans for Fortifications at Panama



WASHINGTON.—Work on the final tion of the Panama canal, for which made by congress and which had been the subject of wide discussion, national and international, ever since the en by the United States government, has been begun here by Brig. Gen. W. H. Bixby, chief of engineers, and Brig. Gen. Arthur Murray, chief of the coast artillery. Officials of the war department have already completed general plans for the fortifications, but maps will have to be prepared setting forth the details for the construction work tive work on the building of the forti- and at other points. fications will begin about July. It is expected by the officials in charge docks at Pedro Miguel, Mia Flores

will be completed by January, 1915the date set for the completion of the

canal itself.

Brigadier General Crozier, chief of ordnance, has already drawn up plans for the manufacture of the \$1,000,000 worth of guns and mortars required. These will be made at the govern ment shops at Watervliet, N. Y. The entire armament will be used in fordetailed plans for the fortifica- tifying the two ends of the canal, no provision having been made by conan appropriation of \$3,000,000 was gress for the defense of the locks and dams. Two sets of fortifications will be placed at the Colon end of the canal and one set at the Panama end. digging of the big ditch was undertak- Four 14-inch rifles, eight 12-inch mortars and six six-inch guns will be placed at the Panama side and the remainder which the balance of the appropriation will provide at the Colon

Comparatively strong natural posttions exist at both the Atlantic and Pacific ends of the waterway for defense against a land enemy. Limon before the ground can be broken, and bay, the Colon entrance to the canal, it is this task which Generals Bixby will be strongly fortified and fortificaand Murray are now undertaking. Ac- tions will be set up on Perico island

Plans for the protection of the that the fortifying of the waterway and Gatun are now being drawn up.

Not a Penny for Pressing Trousers



MILLIONS for art and not one penny for pants!

The solicitude that Uncle Sam displays that the public buildings and credit to the vista of Pennsylvania driveways of the national capital shall avenue. be maintained in the most artistic and approved style does not extend to his public men. Uncle Sam is permoney for capital city plans, for guaranteeing that the Washington of the most careful and exact designs, but course. when it comes to paying out money to make certain that the trousers of de order as the capital's streets, he

This might never have been found mal opinion as follows: out if it had not been for Daniel H.

question as to what are legitimate traveling expenses and what are not. Not so very long ago Chairman Burnham left Chicago for Washington, to attend a meeting of the fine arts commission. Anxious, as its chief, to uphold the aesthetic and refined nature of this organization, he found on unpacking his wardrobe that many of his articles of clothing were in imperative need of a presser before they would be in shape to do

Without giving the matter a second thought, be turned the tailor's bill, with his railway ticket and Pullpectly willing to spend loads of man expense, over to the treasury department, expecting to be reimbursed. The bill amounted to \$4.75 and the future shall be patterned after the auditor certified it, as a matter of

Not so, however, Controller Robert J. Tracewell-significant name-who the government officials are creased can, on occasion, be considerable of properly and their clothes in as apple a watch dog of the treasury. Mr. Tracewell scrutinized the bill, repeatdraws a distinct and impassable ed the performance, and then, after some deep thought, wrote out a for-

"The pressing of clothes has never, Burnham, of Chicago, master city to my knowledge, been held to be a planner and chairman of the fine arts personal expense, occasioned solely commission. Incidentally he raised a by travel."

Attempts at Suicide Ignored in Army



PHE fact that although attempted suicide is technically a crime in certain states in the United States, tialed," he continued. "Just why and civilians who violate the law are this should be I do not know. usually punished by the courts, officourt martialed for this offense, was received from Germany that Emperor William had pardoned an army officer for attempting suicide and deneither by regular or honor tribun-

Gen. George B. Davis, judge advoderstood custom in both branches of to kill himself is looked down upon."

the service, said General Davis, that has been brought up.

a crime in the army and navy. "It is a fact that, although many navy have attempted suicide, not one of them has even been court mar-

"In both the army and the navy atcers and enlisted men in the United tempted suicide is considered a crime. States army and navy are never but has never been officially recognized as such. Both branches of the brought to light when the news was service frown on the practice, how-

"The case in Germany, where Emperor William pardoned Count Hans clared that his deed "can be judged von Preili after he had been convicted by a court of honor for this offense, cannot be compared to similar cases in this country, because suicide cate general of the United States is looked upon differently there. In army, declared that since the or Germany an army man who commits ganization of the army and navy of certain offenses is almost expected to the United States no officer or enlist commit suicide, and therefore they ed man had been punished for trying would naturally be more lenient there. to kill himself. It is a generally un- in the United States a man who tries

Judge Denounces Sunday Entertainers



L JUSTICE HARLAN, associate justice of the Supreme court of the United States, rather startled soclety women of Washington and New York the other night when at the annual banquet of the Presbyterian alli-ance of Washington he declared that "there are a lot of snobs who have come down here from New York and other cities where wealth is paramount and have set up customs which are injurious to the people of this community. Sunday afternoon teas, musicales and other social functions are, in my mind, a desecration of the Sabbath. Something must be done to stem the tide of depravity which will

otherwise sweep over us." Then this sweeping rebuke to soci-sty in Washington is in a measure firmly upheld by Mrs. Mathew T.

not the official set at all, but the old resident set of Washington. Until you have been admitted to that particular circle you are not really "in society." Mrs. Scott says:

"I think it is an outrage that so many of the leaders of society here should desecrate Sunday by giving large tens, dinners, musicales and other entertainments. The custom was brought here from the continent and has been growing ever since. If allowed to continue it will undermine the life of this country and bring ruln on us. I think that Sunday should be observed above all else, and that this continental habit should be stopped agree perfectly with Justice Harlan in all he said."

The custom of dinner giving, mu sicale entertaining and all that kind of thing on Sundays was really introduced in Washington by the Baroness Hengelmuller, wife of the ambassador of Austro-Hungary. It will be remem bered that Baroness Hengelmuller only a few weeks ago gave out a screed against the "slowness" of Washington society and the lack of Scott, president general of the daugh-ters of the American Revolution and herself one of the cliff dwellers' set, and be it known the cliff dwellers are bed with a serious nervous illness

FARM DRY

When Well Established It Will Survive Droughts.

its Deep Rooting Tendency May Enable Crop to Grow Without Irrigation if Roots Can Penetrate Moist Soil-Number to Acre.

If a farmer on the dry plains has a well that will furnish just enough water for 50 head of stock, it would be folly for him to try to keep 60 or 75 head on the same supply of water and It is equally ridiculous for him to attempt to crowd plants in soil where the moisture is limited. Some plants may develop wth less moisture than others, but alfalfa is not one of them. On the other hand it is conceded by all western farmers that an abundance of moisture is the key to success in growing alfalfa for hay. When it is well established, alfalfa will endure long droughts and still revive when water is applied. To that extent, it is adapted to dry farming and its deep rooting tendency may enable the crop to grow without irrigation if the roots can penetrate to moist soil. There are many localities on the plains where the run-off from heavy showers could be collected and diverted by ditches upon soil suited to alfalfa, writes P. K. Blinn, in the Denver Field and Farm. Often in a draw, where moisture from the surrounding prairie is inclined to center, good encouragement for seeding to alfalfa is offered. The number of plants to the acre that can be maintained in the dry farming district has not been determined but on a small tract at Rocky Ford without irrigation for 11 previous months I produced at the rate of two and threefifths tons the acre the first cut ting, and it made a second growth equally as good that was left for seed. The plat had been seeded the previous year to Turkestan alfalfa and thinned to single plants 20 inches apart each way. It received one irrigation and was thoroughly cultivated that year. The growth the following year was made on the moisture that was stored and conserved in the soil but such phenomenal yields can hardly be expected without irrigation. In favored spots, however, alfalfa can certain ly be grown if once established and properly managed. The growing of alfalfa seed offers great opportunities to the farmer on the dry lands, because the fact has been well demonstrated that alfalfa yields seed best when the plant makes a slow, dwarfed growth, when it really lacks for moisture, but has enough to set and fill the seed. When grown under dry conditions the seed has more vigor and vitality than that produced with an excess of moisture, and it is usually free from dodder and other noxious weeds, if the LARGER CROP ON RICH SOIL field has had any cultural care. There is a demand for dry land alfalfa seed that far exceeds the supply. In establishing alfalfa for seed production under dry conditions it is recommended to sow in rows 18 or 20 inches apart with two to three pounds of good seed to the acre. A thin, uniform stand is absolutely necessary, even to thin- ing on a poor soil. That was the this offense is not punishable by court ning, as in beet culture, but the stand startling statement made by Dr. martial, although a test case never can usually be regulated by the Widtsoe of Utah in a paper prepared amount of seed sown. It has been for the Dry Farming congress. He General Davis declared that at found that plants 20 inches apart cited an experiment. Corn required 908 tempted suicide is technically consid- will support each other and not lodge pounds of water to produce one pound or lay on the ground, as in the thicker dry matter; when the same field was or thinner stands. With a good stool- manured it required but 612 poundsmen and officers of the army and ing variety like the Grimm or the in other words, the field when ma-Turkestan, plants six to twelve inches nured could produce a third more. He apart in the row are thick enough. If secured similar results by cultivation. all the seed would germinate, one Stirring the soil enervated plant food pound the acre would be ample. It seems to be a good deal like the but it is difficult to sow a small quan- results that might be expected from tity uniformly in the row and for seed feeding a man thin or thick soup. production, it might pay to space and These facts are important to the dry thin the plants. The row system is farmer; but also to the humid region essential, as it permits inter-tillage to farmer and to the irrigator. eradicate weeds and to conserve the moisture and also allow deep cultivation to absorb winter storms, allowing an opportunity to farrow out the rows and to direct or divert any surface water that may or may not be needed. It is the only system that will allow the tillage so essential to all dry farming. The four-row beet cultivator. with its weeding knives and other attachments, is an ideal implement for cultivating the crop. A four-row drill adapted to sow alfalfa seed is needed to complete the equipment, but the ordinary beet drill, with the addition of an alfalfa or grass seeder attachment, can be modified to suit the work. The seed should be sown shallow, not over an inch deep, and good results have been secured with the common garden drill by marking out the ground with the rows gauged in sets of four to correspond to the four-row cultiva-

tor. Where there is an opportunity to use irrigation or flood water, the field should be ditched in every other row, and the furrows logged out with a sled made of short logs eight to ten inches in diameter, and from three to four feet long spaced to fit two furrows so that the water may be ren inrough as quickly as possible, for the alfalfa crop for seed will need as little water as can be applied. A short rush of water after a sudden shower can be delivered over considerable ground if the field is properly ditched. The great secret in this country is to save all moisture from every source.

Ration for Milch Cows. Bran has been found an excellent feed to combine with corn fodder and timothy or wild hay, as a ration for

Cruelty to Horses.

the milch cow.-Minnesota Experi-

The man who puts a frosty iron bit to a horse's mouth is criminally nghtless or cruel.

ALFALFA MONTANA DRY FARM RESULTS

Conclusions as Arrived at After Six Years' of Experimenting Are Very Interesting.

For the past six years the Montana experiment station has been conducting experiments upon dry land, under the direct charge of Prof. Alfred Atkinson and Mr. J. B. Nelson, superintendent of dry farm work. The results are to be published in bulletin No. 83, and may be had upon application to the director of the experiment station. The conclusions drawn from this work are very interesting and

are as follows: 1. That the precipitation during the six years, 1905-10, was very close to the normal precipitation as shown by all of the available records of the U. weather bureau. This applies to the total amount as well as to the distribution of the rainfall over the grow-

2. That, of all crops raised, potatoes, with an average yield of 105.32 bushels per acre, and returning an average net profit of \$41.99, are the most profitable. Of the grain crops, fall sown or winter wheat gives the best returns. Kharkov, an improved Turkey Red, gave an average yield

of 40.41 bushels and an average net profit of \$21.30 per acre. This was grown at the Fergus county station only. The Turkey Red, which was grown all years and at all stations, gave an average yield of 32.45 bushels, with an average net profit of \$14.49 per acre. Among the springplanted grains, corn, Hanna barley, sixty-day oats and flax, in the order named, were the most profitable; while alfalfa and fodder corn were the most satisfactory forage crops.

3. That it is decidedly more profitable to raise grain crops under a system of alternate cropping and fallowing, or summer tillage, than to raise them continuously.

4. That the first crop will be more profitable if breaking is done the year previous than if the crop is planted the same spring, immediately after

5. That more profitable crops are raised where the fallow is summer tilled than where it is allowed to lie mum. Why, it was quite a young untouched through the summer. 6. That it makes no practical dif-

ference in the yield of grain whether late hours, then! fall plowing or spring plowing is practiced in the preparation of the preceding fallow.

7. That on the average five pecks of seed is the best amount to use in seeding dry land grain crops.

8. That there is positive loss from lessened yield where fall sown crops are fallowed in the spring.

9. That grains planted in the ordinary way, with a seed drill, give larger yields than grains planted in rows 24 inches apart and intertilled during growth.

Startling Statement Made by Dr. Widtsoe in Paper Prepared for Dry Farm Congress.

A plant growing on a rich soil can make twice as much growth with a given amount of water as a plant grow-

POULTRY NOTES.

When you buy your incubator, buy two brooders-and if you can, three of them.

The early maturing pullet makes the best hen to breed an egg laying strain from.

When ducks are raised for breed ers it is a practice to set ducks upon their own eggs. Fine grit and charcoal are mights

good to have around easy of access for the chickens. The ventilation of the roosting quarters should come from the scratch ing shed if possible.

Sell all the old scrub fowls and put the money into pure bred roostersno matter if you do have to pay from

Remember the chickens have or their out of doors clothes all the time and will keep warm if their clothes are kept dry. The Plymouth Rock stands at the

head for market fowl and for large eggs. The Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds come next. Every masculine looking hen should

be avoided-such are not good layers and are not likely to be the dama of good layers. For those who wish to raise large numbers of early chickens, or whe

keep only non-sitting breeds, the brooder is a necessity. Furnish a generous supply of nests. for hens quarreling over favorite nests often break eggs in the fuss and

the broken ones are eaten. Food rich in protein, with a judici-Food rich in protein, with a junier ous proportion of carbonaceous elements to keep up heat and force, will enable a hen to lay freely.

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ONE OF THE EARLY BIRDS.



Mrs. Joskins-That last leg of mutton was beastly tough.

Mr. Trimmins-You surprise me. Mrs. Joskins-Um. Must have kept

DISFIGURED WITH ECZEMA

"Our little boy Gilbert was troubled with eczema when but a few weeks old. His little face was covered with sores even to back of his ears. The poor little fellow suffered very much. The sores began as pimples, his little face was disfigured very much. We hardly knew what he looked like. The face looked like raw meat. We tied little bags of cloth over his hands to prevent him from scratching. He was very restless at night, his little face itched.

"We consulted two doctors at Chicago, where we resided at that time. After trying all the medicine of the two doctors without any result, we rend of the Cuticura Remedies, and at once bought the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Following the directions carefully and promptly we saw the result, and after four weeks the dear child's face was as fine and clean as any little baby's face. Every one who saw Gilbert after using the Cuticura Remedies was surprised. He has a head of hair which is a pride for any boy of his age, three years only recommend the Cuticura Remedies to everybody." (Signed) Mrs. H. Albrecht, Box 883, West Point, Neb., Oct. 26, 1910.

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Why Maria Laughed. Hiram paused at the door and hold-

ing up a steel trap, said: "Mariar, when you see this trap again it will have a skunk in it."

Fifteen minutes later he reappeared. "Mariar," he yelled, "you come here and loosen me out of this all-fired trap."

And then he got made at "Mariar" because she laughed.

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AKING POWDE

"How long are you going in Monte Carlo?" "Why exactly six days!" "Because I've only brough tumes with me!"

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

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RHEUMATIS NEURALGIA

ALL ACHES AND PAR

W. N. U., Oklahoma City, No

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PAVORITE PRESCRIPTION

Early Spring



small hats shown here | ribbon is a light weight, satin surface, ened on novel frames, in the same color as the braid. Short shirring wire. The lengths are shirred over the upper and ered with mull first and | under brim, alternating with strips of light silk fibre braid in a the braid sewed row on row together. The braid is sewed to A length of ribbon, and a length of ginning at the top of the braid consisting of three rows sewed e simplest manner. As together in a strip a yard long is used and brims are separate, as a drape about the hat. A big overed separately, the rosette made of loops of ribbon at the on and sewed to place side, toward the back, finishes a smart

and practical hat for general wear. the braid is sewed row In Fig. 1 a band of velvet ribbon or silk thread matching it of crushed silk is draped in a sash is sewed to both upper over the place where the crown sets m following the lines of on the brim. This shape admits of me. This is one of the quite a variety of finishes. For youthwhich can be successfully ful wearers the single long jaunty the home milliner. As a quill has a lot of dash and go. It is difficult this spring and the best solution for the simplest and knowledge of the profes- smartest effects, but not appropriate er to make them success- for any one except young wearers. A he braid is very light in tuft of upstanding plumes or fancy avier braid requires that feathers for older women, or loops of be of another material, lace or ribbon, or any of the mountains on or light weight silk or of flowers which form a complete h should, to get the best trimming ready to adjust, will help out the home milliner in making her ows strips of ribbon and Easter headwear ated about the brim. The

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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many charming materials



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OICE OF MATERIAL NEW STYLES IN LINGERIE

ing Textures in Which Underwear Takes on More Attractions Than Usual in Offerings for This Season.

In the struggle for life this season, prepared for spring for at some time the lingerie has been would make up success- reduced to a minimum, underwear has taken on more attractions than usual is slightly full at the waist The well-fitted models, the exquisite d effectively at the low. embroidery and the fine materials of ilk strapping and scallops which lingerie is now made are conlik, which gives the effect vincing to the woman who is search ing for bargains.

> For brides especially has the new lingerie decided attractions. The fine muslins without stiffening are as varied as the morning hours are from the evening. They should be kept so. too, which point is worth remember ing. They are most durable when lace is absent. In other words, if you are planning a sensible outfit to last more than one year, use embroidery Even the finest swiss and batiste embroidery outlasts lace. It can be used a second time in many cases.

> Flounces should not be too full for the spring and summer. The straight flare. Its straight lines must not be interfered with by any underflounce. Corset covers of allover embroidery or wide flouncing are very sensible for the dressy kind. They should be cut with little fullness at the waist for the same reason that bulk has been eliminated from the petticoat The fitted corset cover with the circuar peplum is the most satisfactory.

> Nightgowns made on empire lines are probably moving toward first place. The short upper portion is gathered into a straight band of em broidery or beading. Flowing or puffed sleeves are quite short.

As usual, the handmade lingerie has a value not to be gainsaid. The French importations will always be favored by the woman with money to indulge her longings.

The extremely plain lingerie with ape drawing strings and a plain scaloped edge is the kind that should ap peal to practical minds. They com bine daintiness with excellent wear ing qualities, and they are inexpen-

Demand a good-fitting model and a overed button is sewn in high quality of material, and your lingerie will always be in good style

A Novel Relish.

Guests at an informal luncheon were at first puzzled by a dainty-looking relish brought on with the meat. Not until tasted was the secret revealed, when they discovered that the erisp, brown little tubes, about two inches in length, were of celery. Large, firm stalks were chosen, and after being cut were dipped in egg and cracker crumbs, fried in deep fat or sauteed in butter, and were served with a brown sauce. In the original instance this vegetable was served with fowl. It is also nice with fish creamed in the chafing dish, with oysters, etc.

The Spring Blouses.

With the influx of new waists of sheer cotton material, the velled blouse has not been forgotten. These, in simple lines, are made to have a new air and a suggestion of warmer days by a relieving touch of embroidered batists or linen used in place of

A yoke and cuffs, with an insertion in he front and back, give a springlike air, og on the sewing ma-tread breaks easily, soak in water for about two in water for about two in water for about two in the front and back, he was bordered chiffon, mar-quisettes and cropes are also pressed into blouse service with excellent re-into blouse service with excellent

PECULIAR AFTER EFFECTS OF GRIP THIS YEAR.

Leaves Kidneys In Weakened Condition

Doctors in all parts of the country have been kept busy with the epidemic of grip which has visited so many homes. The symptoms of grip this year are very distressing and leave the system in a run down condition, particularly the blank of the system in a run down condition, particularly the blank of the system of the s larly the kidneys which seem to suffer most, as every victim complains of lame back and urinary troubles which should not be neglected, as these danger signals often lead to more serious sickness, such as dreaded Bright's Disease. Local druggists report a large sale on Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root which so many people say soon heals and strengthens the kidneys after an at-tack of grip. Swamp-Root is a great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, and, being an herbal compound, has a gen-tle healing effect on the kidneys, which is almost immediately noticed by those who try it. Dr. Kilmer & Co., Bing-hamton, N. Y., offer to send a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, free by mail, to every sufferer who requests it. A trial will convince any one who may be Regular size bottles 50 cts. For sale at all druggists. Be sure to mention this paper.

Facing the Future. "Even when Henrietta gets the vote," said Mr. Meekton, "I. don't believe she will be quite satisfied."

"Why not?" "We'll have to reorganize the ballot so that when there's an election she can stay at home and let me attend to that along with the rest of the er-

Filling Her Program. "Ah say, Miz Mandy, am yo' pro-

"Lordee, no, Mr. Lumley. It takes mo' an a san'wich an' two olives to

Rheumatism Advice Gives Prominent Doctor's Best Prescription—Is Easily Mixed.

"Get one ounce of syrup of Sarsaparilla compound and one ounce of Toris
compound. Then get half a pint of good
whisky and put the other two ingredients into it. Take a tablespoonful of
this mixture before each meal and at
bed time. Shake the bottle before using." This is not new in this city as
many of the worse cases of rheumatism
and back-ache have been cured by it.
Good results come the first day. Any
druggist has these ingredients on hand
or will quickly get them from his
wholesale house. Any one can mix
them.

Perhaps Not

An instructor in a church school where much attention was paid to sacred history, dwelt particularly on the phrase "And Enoch was not, for God took him." So many times was this repeated in connection with the death of Enoch that he thought even the dullest pupil would answer correctly when asked in examination State in the exact language of the Bible what is said of Enoch's death.

But this was the answer he got: "Enoch was not what God took him for."-Brooklyn Life.

Dark Days Coming.

"Say, Jim, here's a preacher in New York who says men should sew, cook, wash the dishes and get their own breakfast."

"What's the use of rubbing it in? Guess we all know we'll have to pret-

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums. reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain. cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

Yesterday is certain; tomorrow, uncertain; today, half and half. For a disordered liver, take Garfield Tea, the Herb laxative. All druggists.

A man of few words isn't cut out

"And what is your father's business, my little man?" asked Rev. Fourthly, as he made his morning call on the in-

"He's a dam-at-it kick-it," said the little chap, whose father wrote dramatic criticism for a newspaper .-Harper's Weekly.

Before a Shop Window. Billy-Buy me that little rocking

horse, papa. Dad-If you are a good boy, you shall have it next Christmas.

Billy-No! Buy it now. I may have a new papa before next Christmas. The greatest cause of worry on roning day can be removed by using

to the iron. Sold everywhere, 16 oz. Town criers were abolished when

Defiance Starch, which will not stick

women's clubs were organized.

Lewis' Single Binder, straight 5c-many smokers prefer them to 10c cigars.

Hoods Sarsaparilla

Leads all other medicines in the cure of all spring ailments, humors, loss of appetite, that tired feeling, paleness and nervousness. Take it.

Get it today in usual liquid form chocolated tablets called Sarsatabe.

Live Stock and Miscellaneous

Electrotypes In great variety for sale at the lowest prices by

WESTERN NEWSPAPER UNION

The busiest thing in the world is Pettil's Eve Salve SORE EYES

FREE SAMPLE OF LAXATIVE CURED THEIR CONSTIPATION

When a person has become discouraged through years of failure to find a cure, and finally, perhaps, gives up trying, it is small wonder that he becomes skeptical. And yet, to all who have constipation, we would say, "Try just one thing more."

We wish you would try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a laxative tonic that has been used for a generation. Thousands are using it; surely some of your friends among the number. You can buy it of any druggist at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle, but better still, send your name and address to Dr. Caldwell for a free sample bottle. He will send you shough to convince you of its merits, and then if you like it you can buy it of your for the free sample address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 201 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.







Colds and Chills Bring Kidney Ills

February, March and April are the backache months, because they are months of colds, chills, grip and pneumonia, with their congesting, weakening influence on the kidneys. Colds, chills, or grip strain the kidneys and start backache, urinary disorders and uric acid troubles. You feel lame, weak and tired and have headache, dizzy feelings, achy muscles and joints; too frequent, painful urinary passages, sediment, etc. Chills hurt the kidneys. Likewise well kidneys often prevent taking cold, by helping to pass off the waste matters of cold congestion. Doan's Kidney Pills are very useful in the raw winter and spring months. They stop backache and urinary disorders, keep the kidneys well and prevent colds from settling on the kidneys. Strong testimony proves it. What better evidence could you ask?

CONVINCING PROOF FROM GRATEFUL USERS

IN HOSPITAL FOR NINE MONTHS. Awful Tale of Suffering From Kidney Trouble.
Alfred J. O'Brien, No. 2nd St., Sterling Colo., says:
was in the Baltimore Marine Hospital for nine months.



"Now they claim that the human

"Well, that may account for some

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE."
That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the algusture of R. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. Se.

Many a young man earns a living by

girls making better matches than right in the library.

"Oh, in varying quantities."

body contains sulphur."

"In what amount?"

working his father.

was emaclated from fever, had a persistent ache in my back and was completely worn out. The urine was in a terrible state, and some days I would pass half a gallon of blood. I left the hospital because they wanted to operate on me. then went to St. Joseph's Hospital in Omaha and put in three months there without any gain. I was pretty well discouraged when I was advised to use Doan's Kidney Pills, but by the time I had used one box the pain in the back I kept right on, and a perfect

DO YOUR CLOTHES LOOK YELLOW? If so, use Red Cross Ball Blue, It will make them white as snow. 2 oz. package 5 cents.

Heaven won't seem worth while to

some women unless there's an occa-sional bargain sale.

cure was the result. You may put anyone in communication with me and I will give them proof that this statement is cor-

THE SHADOW OF DEATH. A Washington Woman's Remarkable Recovery. Mrs. Enos Shearer, Yew St., Centralia, Wash., with one kid-



ney gone, the other badly diseased, and five doctors in consultation, was thought to be in a hopeless state. "My limbs were so swollen," said Mrs. Shearer, "that I could hardly get about. I rapidly grew worse until the doctor said one kidney was entirely gone and the other badly decayed. The end seemed near, and my friends gave me up to die. On my brother's advice I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and after the fourth day I was able to be propped up in bed. Through their use I rapidly improved until at the present

time I am active and well, although 65 years old. I can do fully as much work as any woman in Centralia, and enjoy good health.

A TRIAL FREE Test Doan's Kid-Buffalo, N. Y. A free trial package of 's Kidney Pills will be mailed you promptly.
No. 152



Sold by all dealers. Price 50 cents. FOSTER-MILBURN Co., Buffalo, N.Y., Proprietors

Tom-I'm dead sore. I lost \$5 today. I feel like somebody ought to A Country School for Girls Tess (absently)-Why don't you ask father for my hand tonight-he's



TEXAS

By A. G. RICHARDSON

SUBSCRIPTION.

Entered as second-class mail matter May 8, 1905, at the postoffice at Me-Lean, Texas, under the Act of Congress.

the expression applied to the no action on reciprocity, in the favorable crop conditions ting of its nose to spite its face. that prevail at this time. It is certain that providence has been playing a huge joke on this section for the past two years and the relieving of the situation is last week from five to seven to a very gratifying accomplish a party of friends in honor of

SENATOR BEVERAGE threatens to again take up the fight to remove Lorimer from our national senate, but in view of the Misses Burrow, Grogran, Helm, fact that there are more Lorimers than men in that assembly his efforts will hardly be fruitful. He will do well if he can evening. A two course luncheon manage to prevent them from was served. returning to Lorimer the money he spent getting elected.

CONGRESS is again in session and a democrat presides over the deliberations of the lower house. With a democratic house and a republican senate the "scratch my back and I'll scratch yours" policy will probably dominate the passage of every important measure. It has already been hinted that unless the senate will co-operate in the tariff!

"COMING back to its own" is revision the house would take McLean country with respect to which the house would be cut-

Farewell Party.

Miss Maude Floyd was hos tess on Thursday afternoon of the Misses Henry, who were leaving for an extended trip to New Mexico. Those comprising the guests were: Mesdames Jack Hindman and S. E. Boyett;

Stewart, McMurtry and Collier. Vocal and instrumental music was the principal feature of the

Probibition Rally

On San Jacinto Day, April 21st, there will be a monster prohibition rally at Waco. The cotton palace building at that place will be used and it is ex pected that the great auditorium will be crowded to its limits at every session. Special rates will be effective on all lines of railroads.

The McLean Hardware Company has it for less.

CATALOGUE, Asking for FREE Co

BASSEL & WISE

THE PACE-MAKERS

We dropped in to see Bas-

sel & Wise about an ad yes-

terday and they said they just

simply couldn't find time to

write one-busy waiting on

for any business-don't you

Such a report is a good ad

This Year in

Wall Paper

We do decorating, graining,

staining, painting. Anything

Patrick & Smith

hamrock, Texas

in this line. Write or phone

customers.

think so?

County Will **Build Jail**

Announcement was made here the first of the week that the Commissioner's Court has let the contract to a San Antonio firm for the construction of a iail at LeFors. The building will be of re-enforced concrete and equipped with two cells and a run-around. The contract price is \$2,600.

This is a decided step in the right direction as the county has been to enormous expense in the past by reason of having to board their prisoners in other

Rice & Cousins **Building Starts**

In pursuance of the plan of Messrs. Rice and Cousins to push the work on their new two-story concrete building as rapidly as possible, a big force of carpenters have been engaged this week tearing away the frame structure that stood on the lot.

J. C. Biggers, who occupied the lower floor of the building has moved his stock to the C. C. Cook building and will share hat room with J. A. Grundy until the S. O. Cook frame building is moved, after which he will occupy it.

The upper floor of the con demed building was used as a lodge room for the Odd Fellows and the different Woodmen lodges. It is understood they will have temporary quarters in the Cousins-Christian Hall and will occupy the upper floor of the new building when completed.

Instead of the plain concrete block, it is announced that the new structure will be made of re-inforced concrete, using a steel frame work. This will make a most substantial building and will be a credit to our

Surprise Birthday Dinner.

The Woman's Home Mission Society of the Methodist church entertained Mrs. J. P. Lowry at the parsonage on Tuesday of this week with a delightful birthday dinner. The affair was a complete surprise to the honoree, she only having a few minutes notice to prepare for the spread. After dinner a pleasant dy. session was held in which the entire membership of the society, with the exception of two, Goodwin. participated. The ladies also presented Mrs. Lowry with a handsome dress pattern.

Basket Dinner.

You are again reminded of the fact that there will be a basket dinner served on the grounds of the Baptist church Sunday for the entertainment of the visitors to the singing convention. Every family who can possibly do so should be on hand early with a well filled basket.

Senior League Program.

Subject-The resurrection and he missionary propaganda.

The definite message of the 23-Leader.

The first proclamation of the message, Luke 24:45-47-Sidney

Reading from Era-Isabel Francis.

A startling announcement, Matt. 28:1-10-Alva Christian. A sepulcher for a heart (in

Era)-Gorda Collier. Cardinal elements in the mis-

sionary message-(1) Fred Stockton.

(2) Maud Roach.

(3) Roger Francis. Subject for discussion-Can anything be accomplished for Christ's cause without some sacaccount with us-we'll help you save

The American State Bank

An account with us makes it easier to

handle your financial affairs and to

have a growing balance after paying

your necessary expenses. Open an

McLean, Texas

Leader - Leonard Montgom

Are You One? I have on my books the names of quite a few citizens of the Mc-Lean country who owe past due B-, a young blood of the city, accounts and it is positively nec- whose dollars exceeded his sense On account of my failing heatlh one. I am now in a sanitarium for treatment and need the money very badly. Please look this up know you have had a very please der trouble in children. at once and call at the store and ant trip abroad."

Easter Program.

settle. Will H. Langley.

Miss Isabel Francis, chairman of the social committee, will have charge of the following B. Y. P. U. program, to be given Sunday night at the Baptist church:

Song-Congregation.

Prayer. Address of welcome-President, Billie Biggers.

Responsive scripture reading -led by Andy Floyd.

Recitation-Lucile Harton. Song-B. Y. P. U. Chorus. Vocal duet-Luther Petty and Billie Biggers.

Paper or talk on Easter-Romania Grogan.

Prayer. Recitation-Weaver Voyles.

Song-B. Y. P. U. Chorus. Music-Maud and Winnie Trio-Luther Petty, Ross Big-

gers and Alva Christian. Music-Minnie and Clay Gar-

Song-B. Y. P. U. Chorus. Recitation-Slanda Mary. Duet-Mary and Enod Grun-

Announcements. Closing address-Rev. H. A

Song-Congregation. Dismissed by repeating B. Y.

P. U. motto.

You are cordially invited to come and be entertained by the B. Y. P. U. members for awhile. Services begin about 7:30.

Hon. W. A. Palmer of Canadian is in the city for a visit with J. H. Horton and family.

It is announced that Rev. W. A. Erwin will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Pay Your School Taxes.

All taxes due and unpaid to the McLean Independent School District on the first of May will missionary propaganda, Acts 16: be advertised as delinquent and suit brought thereon for collection. Please look after this matter at once and save yourself the unnecessary expense.

J. T. Foster, Collector.

Ready to Grind Your Corn

Have machinery installed and will grind every afternoon—kaffir, maize, etc. Also have grist mill and can grind your corn. To communicate with me please call phone 61 either at night or early marning.

P. Majors McLean, Texas.

The Blarney Stone.

Some time since one of the brightest and wittiest of Cincinnati's girls went abroad, and when she returned home, about one year ago and I che the first person to congratulate recommend it to the pub her upon her safe return was essary that they be paid at once. in the ratio of about a million to

"Aw, Miss Y-," he said, tism and irregularities permit me to greet you. I men and women; regulat

pleasant, indeed. I was all over treatment and seldom the continent, England, Scotland and Ireland."

"Ah, in Ireland; and did you see the Blarney Stone?"

"Yes, I was there."

"Oh, I should so delight to see it. It has always been a desire of mine to kiss that celebrated stone, but I have never had the opportunity."

"Indeed, then you should go

"I know, but I have not done so, but why shouldn't I kiss it by proxy? You have been there and kissed it, why should not I take the influences of the Blarney from your lips?" And the smart Aleck stepped forward to proxify the young lady.

But she drew back and, looking him squarely in the face,

JOHN B. VANNOY

Optician & Jeweler

Dealer in Clocks, Watches. lewelry and Silverware.

Does Engraving and all kinds dear Mr. B-, but I sat

of repair work pertaining to the Blarney Stone."-Amer jewelry trade.

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A TEXAS WONDS

The Texas Wonder cur ney and bladder troub moves gravel, cures weak and lame backs. sold by your druggist it sent by mail on receipt o "Yes," she answered, "very One small bottle is two perfect a cure. Dr. E. 2926 Olive street, St. Lo Segd for testimonials.

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Eighty acres of land ad the town of McLean northeast. Good five house, good barn, well a mill. One thousand fruit trees, three hundre ing grapes and one acre ries. Will sell on easy

> W. W. Brew Weatherford, Okla

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See Rish Philips you want anything ed. Careful handlin everything entrusted our care.

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To Our Customers

We want you to come around. Meet our of cers, familiarize yourself with our methods of doing business, inspect our vaults, and above all feel from and easy with us. Your interests and ours are tual, and we are nothing less than partners, and be tween us we can build up this section in every wa and at the same time build up our own business. terests materially.

Co-operate With Us

CITIZENS STATE BANK

McLean, Texas

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McLean, Texas

Local Happenings

Items of Interest About Town and County

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Call in and see the big variety aschall's Millinery.

B. L. Combs of Shawnee, Ok. as here this week visiting with iends and looking after busiss matters.

That \$20.00 sewing machine the McLean Hardware Comany's is a "Huxey.

dednesday from an extended that place.

Ask Yourself the Question

Then take out your pencil and make a memoran-dum of the various items and bring the bill to us for

Of course, you might get an estimate somewhere else, if you care to, but don't buy, a foot of material un-

And the reason is that we will give you as good lumber for less money, or better lumber for the same money than you can get elsewhere. Nuff sed.

Western Lumber Company

What do I need in lumber?

til you have learned our price. There's a reason.

For Sale—Sourless sorghum Bargain in all my trimmed de d visit to Throckmorton. ed. See S. B. Fast. Texas. Mrs. Hodges Millinery.

Sheriff J. S. Denson and wife of LeFors were here the latter Yes, you can get it at Cook's part of last week the guests of Hext.

> We have a few more go-devils office. S. O. Cook.

County Clerk Upham was Albert and stay healthy and fat, here from the capital Saturday shaking hands with friends and Mont Noel of the Abra com- attending to business matters.

> All trimmed hats at a big reduction Saturday and Monday.

Mrs. Siler Faulkner of Le-Emmett LeFors spent several Fors visited in the city the lat-

Good lady, we will sell you a CANTON or STANDARD, sold sewing machine on the install; ment plan. McLean Hdw. Co.

> Miss Mabel Upham was over day for a visit with her friend, Miss Ida Brown.

> Remember that we are headquarters for paints as well as everything in the hardware line. S. O. Cook.

Dr. W. E. Ballard left Tuesday for a short business trip to For sale-175 egg incubator Dallas and other North Texas

B. F. Newton was in to see

The News man made a short business trip to Amarillo Saturnd hog wire at popular prices. day afternoon returning Mon-

ained a crowd of the "younger Panhandle Cafe when you have et" with a hay ride to Heald an idea you need feeeing. He feeds full

f new shapes just in at Mrs. fering this week from a severe with a second hand furniture attack of erysipelas, but is now store. able to be out.

C. C. Cooper will leave with

139 acres, three miles from Mc. meeting they will be installed. Why buy an inferior article Lean, known as the Brewster hen you can get the best for place. A bargain if taken at once. D. C. Priddy, Amarillo, Texas.

Lost-Rat terrier dog, black with white breast-has peculiarity of continually nodding his head. Finder please notify Miss

Mrs. John B. Vannoy and lit. tle Miss Jeallene returned the ful agency in our civilisation, running first of the week from an exter. both plow and factory, and it is the

Ladies, you are especially invited to call and let me show you the Spirella corsets. Guaranteed for one year. Mrs. J. B.

Quite a few farmers have announced their intention of planting extensively of peanuts this year. One man, T. W. Henry, will plant about forty acres.

For Sale-One team of good work mules, one saddle horse, one milk cow and bundle kaffir corn. See Perry Koons, four miles west of McLean.

A letter from Will H. Langley at Nevada, Mo., conveys the glad news that he is rapidly gaining his health and will soon staple is as good as legal tender on return to his home in this city.

Rev. W. A. Erwin was here this week the guest of his brother and other friends. He preached to a good audience Wednesday and Thursday nights.

C. C. Cook has caught the

J. A. Haynes was in from the News Saturday and had his the week with a couple of fine "reputation" extended another horses which he was offering for

Look up Uncle Albert at the ent.

up a cold drink and confectiona ry stand in the building former-Frank Haynes has been suf- ly occupied by Pete Herrman

Visitors in the city Saturday F. M. Faulkner went to Ama- and Monday are especially inrillo the first of the week to at vited to call in and inspect my tend a meeting of the Masonic new stock of Ladies, Misses and lodge. https://doi.org/10.1001/1 Hodges.

J. F. Harbert returned last steers he recently purchased at the returns of the election were cers heretofore mentioned were For Sale—a nice little farm of declared elected. At a future

> Very shortly we are going to move to the building formerly occupied by the Grand. If you are needing anything in the hardware line you had better get it before we leave. S. O.

A party of young people gathered at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Horton Friday evening of last week and spent a couple of hours in games, music, etc. The affair was most enjoyable.

Bob Harlan returned Saturday afternoon from a trip down in Eartern New Mexico where he bought thirty horses for F. H. Yokley. He shipped the horses to Pampa and drove them from

T. J. McClain and family left Friday afternoon of last week or Kress, Texas, in Swisher county, where they will make their home in future. The best wishes of hosts of friends attend them to their new home.

Misses Olive and Cam Henry left Monday afternoon for Sedan, N. M., where the former will live on a claim and the latter will teach school. They expect to be away about fourteen

Mrs. S. O. Cook and baby Erin left Sunday for Shreves-port, La., where she goes for a-month's visit with her sister, Mrs. E. G. Doran. On her re-turn trip she expects to visit with Mrs. Geo. E. Woodward at Oklahoma City.

Cotton

rigantic industry. Millions of people weave at its looms and its fibre clothes leading merchandise of mankind. Its field has aroused the inventive genius of the country and it is an important factor in medicine and arts. The seed is food for man and beast and cotton products appear in numerous forms os all markets of the world.



has rapidly acquired power until today it is the King of Products. The fleecy any market and based on factory values is the richest of all industries.

For the past century it has engaged the brightest intellects of the world in science and commerce and many of its problems are only half solved. The inventive minds of the universe have pored over its fibre; merchant princes have studied its markets and the ablest financiers have sought to fix its

C. C. Cook has caught the building fever and now has men at work putting a substantial addition to his residence in the north part of town.

I have a thoroughbred Jersey bull that will make the season of 1911 at my wagon yard in the east part of town. \$1.50 for the season. A. T. Russell.

Blake Lee of Mobeeti, a prominent Wheeler county stockman, was in the city the first of the week with a couple of fine horses which he was offering for sale,

Orin Thompson, who has been attending commercial school at Dallas, returned home the latter part of last week, having finished his school work for the present.

J. O. Scarbrough has opened up a cold drink and confectiona ry stand in the building forgrees.

Bassel & Wise this week moved their stock of general mer-chandise to the E. H. Small building formerly occupied by the McLean Mercantile Compa- look them over. ny stock, which Mr. Patterson moved to the Sanders building vacated by Bassel & Wise.

At the regular meeting of the Woodmen Circle Saturday afternoon of last week the members Cooke. This pleasant innova tion was enjoyed by all.

Want It Painted?

Am prepared to do Painting and Paper Hanging in the most approved manner. Reac able prices and careful and thorough work

Dick Cooke

HUGH

Is a dark bay Percheron stallion 9 years old. He is 16 hands high, weight 1400 lbs, and for style and action unsurpassed. His sirc was imported Percheron stallion, Lynx, register No. 39721. Hugh's dam was sired by Oscar Wilde, the best French Perchero horse ever imported from France by W. D. Dunham. Wayne, Ill.

TOM AND DAN

Are Black Jacks with white points, aged 5 and 6 years old, espectively. They are very large Jacks with heavy bone.

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

The above horse and and jacks will stand for the season of 1911 at our barn 6 miles west of McLean and 14 miles east of

J. W. Sherrod & Sons

BLUE

My beautiful blue-dappled Percheron Stallion, will stand for the season of 1911 at my barn in the south part of town (the T. J. Brooks place. This horse is 16th hands high and weighs 1400 pounds. He is four years old.

TERMS-\$10.00 to insure foal or \$8.00 for season. Will take care to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur. Mare and colt stand for service, which is due in case mare is traded or moved from the county.

Frank Haynes

The Self Horse

And three good JACKS will make the season of 1911 at the LeFors ranch. Terms- \$10 to insure foal or \$6 straight for the season for each of them.

Would sell two of the jacks worth the money. Come out and

Emmett LeFors

C. C. Cooper will leave with his cow outfit this afternoon for Wellington after a bunch of steers he recently purchased at the returns of the election were steers he recently purchased at the returns of the election were steers he recently purchased at the returns of the election were steers he recently purchased and the different of the city councillated with a delicious two course luncheon prepared and served by Mesdames T. A. Cooke and F. L.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

The McLean Mercantile Co. stock is being rapidly closed out at a great sacrifice. Come quick for your share of the bargains.

W. R. PATTERSON, Assignee

By ADA MAY KRECKER



LTHOUGH there is much said and written of the return to nature and the call of the country and of the wild, the people after all are collecting more numerously than ever into the cities. And this although metropolitan life nearly always entails the sacrifice of many favorite creature comforts.

For the every-day person the city means flats instead of houses and public sidewalks for lawns and shade trees and smoke and dust for tonic pure fresh air and sundry other equally untoward exchanges. Country people often are startled at the inconveniences the city folk put up with, the little quar-

ters they live in and the makeshifts they have for beds, bed chambers and other apartments and other furniture.

They miss their fresh milk and eggs and large rooms and porches and sunshine and gardens and flowers. They are saddened by the wan, furrowed faces of the city people. The city girls look faded to them and the men look worried, and everybody seems rushed and flurried and nervous.

Things are bleak and unkempt. There is too little green. There is too much that is big and unsightly and noisy and grimy.

Many people of course regard his daily program as distinctly unwholesome and make a great many uncomplimentary observations on his habits. They think he should go to bed earlier and not do so much in a day nor play so late at night nor choose the diversions that furnish his recreation. They think he is losing vitality and stamina, bodily and mentally and morally.

And yet with all his faults the city man stands a stage higher in civilization and in evolution than his hearty country cousin. He has more than vegetable necessities and animal enjoyments. He needs superphysical pleasures. His life is pitched to a higher key. His vibrations are less aluggish. Hence his rapid pace, his tense life. Hence his willingness to amount of labor required for feeding forego sleeping room and cream and sunlight.

The relish of the city man for his art, music and drama, be they as crude as they will, is simply an extension of the sphere of superphysical enjoyments. It is only when vitality is below par



that he feels the call to the rural life and its bucolic animal delights. Then he lapses from the higher mental level of consciousness which is a comparatively recent achievement of the race down to the the heavy mindless brute existence which preceded the thought life by incalculable ages and therefore is by that measure the stronger. He wishes then to be as done to allow for driving in a load one world weary Chicago girl phrased it, "a human of hay in stormy weather. There are

Steel Used in **Small Flat** Buildings

By A. WAGNER URMSTON

Thirty-six hundred dollars a day, or \$1,098,000 a year, is to be given to the steel trust by the new Chicago building house has 12 pens 8x11 feet each, also code. This sum is to be required of the builders of small flats.

In every new two-story brick flat building to be erected in Chicago steel beam supporters, columns and girders are required for each floor and roof, which requires an extra expenditure of about \$300 silos. The door of this chute is alin each building. No exceptions are made in the new code.

building, 22 feet by 50 feet, must put in cated over the feed rooms. The feed are of wood, with wire guards on top.

these steel supports, where formerly wood posts and girders through the spouts as wanted. basement with the partitions above have been considered sufficiently strong for buildings of this kind.

The additional expense for this steel work will average about \$300 each for two-story flat buildings of various dimensions and on an average of 12 buildings a day means \$3,600 a day, or for 305 days in the year \$1,098,000 a year-to be expended for steel for the benefit of the steel

This is an unnecessary expense in most cases for builders of the mod-*rate priced flat buildings.

Who is to blame? This will bear investigating.



By H. L. MARSH St. Paul, Minn.

A letter recently published, signed by "Carrots," closes with an unkind fling at the "maiden lady." But why the "old maid" jest? When one sees on every hand such "mortal homely" and utterly unattractive women who are married it is difficult to believe that any woman, if she cared to, might not wed.

The men who would be at all desirable as life partners seem to me to be exceedingly scarce.

So it should be more commendable than otherwise when a woman of discrimination chooses single blessedness to yoking

up with some man. Although married and never having belonged to the class mentioned, I always am indignant when I hear that term applied derisively. I contend that women have as good right to their liberty and the single life as has one of the masculine gender.

Anyway, these are perilous times for the married folk.

A wife never knows what morning she'll wake up and find herself beaten to a pulp or some kind of widow (sod or grass) with perhaps several helpless offspring to be supported by her own labor.

But, as one girl remarked: "A woman will stop rubbing the place where her husband struck her long enough to ridicule an 'old maid!' "

Making Jokes at Expense of Farmer Amusing

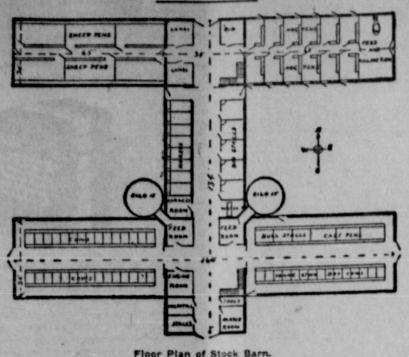
Savana, Mess.

Making jokes at the expense of the farmer may appear amusing, but, after all, the countryman has the cleverest of them "backed up an alley" when it comes to genuine fun, an easy living and a good strong

Uncle Hiram when he comes to town, but let them come out to the tall grass and he will "put one over" on them, "by crickey."

ELABORATE STOCK BARN FOR MISSOURI STOCKMAN

Rather Odd-Shaped Structure so Built to Have All Animals Under Same Roof and Keep Each Department Separate.



was planned for a Missouri stockman, pit. writes J. E. Bridgman in the Orange Judd Farmer. The rather odd shape was adopted for several reasons: First, to have all the stock under one roof; second, to keep each department separate from the other departments; third, to reduce to the minimum the the stock; fourth, to save and economically use every pound of manure.

The floor plan of the structure is \$4x160 feet from east to west, and \$4x134 feet from north to south, and the two ells for hogs and sheep are each 30x65 feet. The walls are 10 feet to the eaves, and the roof is selfsupporting, which leaves a clear space through the entire loft for storing hay, etc. All partitions are eight feet, except over the south front, where they are 10 feet from the feed rooms to the south front. This is 45 cow stalls, three bull stalls, two hospital stalls and three calf pens. The horse barn has eight single stalls and five large box stalls; the sheep barn has six sheep pens 11x21 feet each, and two lamb pens; the hog a feed and killing room 15x29 feet.

The south front has a tool room, engine room and a watchman's room. Stairways are located in both north and south ends of the barn. The feed rooms for horses and cows are so arranged that the stlage may be dropped down the small chute in front of the ways closed, so that no odors may enter the cow barn. A small gas en- hogs and sheep are watered with a gine is used for elevating the ground hose. The barn loft is supported on The man who builds a brick two flat feed to six hopper-shaped bins, lo- three-inch gas pipe, and all cow stalls is drawn from the bins through small This barn is doubtless too large for

Rins for storing feed for hogs and to be learned from it. sheep are located over the sheep and hog barns. All feed is handled with feed carriers, and the tracks run through all parts of the barn. All

The stock barn herewith illustrated | All gutters are drained to this manure

The exterior and interior are covered with matched sheathing, which is stripped with 1x2-inch strips. The strips are in turn covered with metal lath, and the lath covered with two coats of portland cement. All ceilings are treated in the same manner, except the sheathing is not used The roof is covered with the best grade of asbestos felt roofing, which makes it practically a fireproof barn. The foundation is of native limestone, for the reason that stone can be secured on the farm at a very slight

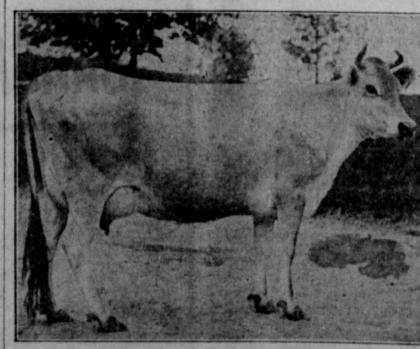
The silos, set on cement pits four feet deep, are built with 2x4-inch studs, set 12 inches on centers; %x6inch wooden hoops are bent around the outside, and are doubled, one between each door and one in the center of each door. The doors are 24x30 inches square, with 12-inch spaces between. The hoops are covered with 1x2-inch strips, and treated in the same manner as the walls of the barn The inside walls of the silos are lined with hard-burned paving brick laid in a thin cement.

All floors of the barn are of cement with wood slats for the horses. The horses have cast-iron gutters, but the cows have both the gutters and the mangers made of cement, and the mangers so arranged that they may be flooded with water. The floors are all trapped with drain traps, and the entire barn may be washed with a hose in a short time. The horses are watered at the cement trough located north of the east feed room, and the many of us, but there are many things

Ensilage.

Ensilage is one of the cheapest succulent feeds that can be supplied to manure and litter is also handled with farm animals during the winter. It is carriers, and when not spread at once, good feed, handy to deal out and very is stored in a cement manure house. much relished by all classes of stock.

CHAMPION JERSEY FOR MILK



Another world's record has been | States is \$800,000,000, or an average broken. The new queen of the dairy is a beautiful Jersey cow named Sophie Nineteenth of Hood Farm, owned and tested at Hood farm, Lowell, Mass. She is the champion Jersey for milk and butter fat production of cows between four and five years of age.

During the 12 months ending December 31, 1910, on a test authenti-cated by the Massachusetts Agriculbank roll.

The farmer happens just now to be in position to enjoy the fun immensely, for is it not he who is producing the 40-cent bacon and butter that the city man buys?

The city people may be able to trim Uncle Hiram when he comes to town, but

The United States department of agriculture's estimate in round numbers of the wealth produced each year

profit of \$36.36 per cow. If more a tention was paid to feeding and bree ing it should be easy to increase th average profit per cow to at least one tenth of the profit made by Sophi Nineteenth of Hood farm, which would raise the total to \$1,240,000,000, an in crease of \$440,000,000.

Customers for Farmers.

It pays to go down to the city and work up a trade for the farm produce. Hunt up customers for the butter, eggs, apples, potatoes, cabbage and all such stuff. Have a regular market day when you can always be found there. Folks will expect you and depend on you. They will pay you cash and as good prices as they would have to pay at the store, because they got better weight and measure and fresher produce.

Practical Fashions

ONE-PIECE KITCHEN APRON.



This is an apron that really protects and no matter what the wearer is doing her gown will not suffer.

The entire apron is cut in a single piece, but in order to fit it a little to the figure a dart is run in under arm at each side. The apron is cut quite deep around the yoke line and the armhole is also large. The fastening is effected by a single button just at the line of the shoulders in the

Gingham is the material best liked for real utility aprons and it is best adapted to this one. The edges may be hemmed or bound with some cheap cotton braid matching the gingham in color. There are a number of white calicoes with a marked design that makes pretty aprons, though less serv-

The pattern (4830) is cut in sizes 32 to 44 inches bust measure. Medium size requires 3 yards of 36 inch ma-

To procure this pattern send 10 cents to "Pattern Department," of this paper, Write name and address plainly, and be sure to give size and number of pattern.

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BOY'S BLOUSE.



No mother will mind making a number of blouses if she employs as simple a design as the one illustrated. It is the plain sailor blouse, which all boys like, closed in the center of the front and with a large ornamental collar trimming the neck. The sleeves are tucked at the wrist and a patch pocket is placed on the left bosom.

This blouse must be made of the material best suited to the weather and the climate in general. Flannel, serge, certain colors in cheviot, gingham, madras, percale, etc.

The pattern (1584) is cut in sizes 3 to 12 years. Medlum size requirer % yard of 36 inch material.

To procure this pattern send 10 cents to "Pattern Department," of this paper. Write name and address plainly, and be sure-to give size and number of pattern.

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Too Much For Her. "Don't you want me to give you . ride on your sled?" asked a lady of a ride on your sled? asked a lady of a small boy whom she met trudging along dragging his sled behind him. The boy looked up at the lady solemnly, then "pread his arms and said: "I am an airship!" And the lady hurried on, recognizing her total inability to cope with such a wonderful mething.

The Italian government, on too of the number of tubercubes a among the Italian emigrants sent from America, has appointed boar examiners in the seaports, whose it is to report the arrival of the lous persons. These are then ken der observation in those places w they settle, to preevnt further of the disease. The erection of sanitoria and other tuberculosis tutions is being urged in Italy, the number of beds for consu has been considerably increased is ferent places.

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Faith must become active the works. Deeds must spring spont ously from the divine life within soul .- C. W. Wendte.

Hamlins Wizard Oil is recommender many physicians. It is used in many lie and private hospitals. Why not a bottle on hand in your own home?

It must have been a spinster said that some widows wear veils to conceal her joy.

Clear white clothes are a sign that housekeeper uses Red Cross Ball hall Large 2 oz. package, 5 cents.

Here's a tip, young man. Con a girl that she shouldn't love you, she will.

FILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAY four druggist will refund money 1f PAZO 00 MENT falls to cure any case of hemng is liceding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days.

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oliceman intervenes. The girl drives in one car with what Orme deceives to thinking are the real papers. finds the real papers, cludes the man end drives away in another Orme, unnoticed, climbs in behind, les the Jap, recovers the stolen and goes to Arradale, Bessie Walm introduces him'to the club memand the Japanese minister. latter accuses Orme of theft. Besuches for him and they leave for ome of "Girl" where he places the in her hands. in her hands.

CHAPTER XIX.

A Saved Situation.

waited impatiently for her re-Bessie, he knew, might be in the rooms just across the hall, hough Bessie was a trump, he ot go to look for her. The girl come back at any moment-and not wish to miss one instant presence.

in he considered the miracle of earance in his life, and he rethat, from the first, he had been be of service to her. Those trusting words that she had oken-how they glowed in his She had known that he would d! He could only think that cret telegraphy of his love had er messages of confidence.

yet he did not even know her The house was just such a one might have imagined to be her beautiful, with the air of a family tradition than is comfound in the middle west-un-

a table near him lay a book. nically he picked it up.

addressed to-he averted his thought of little besides the girl and

found himself wondering whethand whether the Japanese minas still telling charming stories | tense was her interest. porch at Arradale.

presently, when she came when she said that, he could stiffness of the high-born Teuton. k and look and thank heaven

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able of polished mahogany, upon the scene which his action had made ain as a possible ally. There were possible-all for the sake of a girl. reasons why it seemed inadvisable to The glow of this lamp illuminated And when the last pen-stroke had turn to France, for an arrangement the forms and faces of a group of se- been completed and the seated men there would involve the recognition of rious faced men-two seated, the oth- raised their eyes and looked at each Russian interests. Therefore, we ers standing. In the golden light, other-looked at each other with the sought an alliance with Germany. with the dim background of shelves, responsible glance of men who have "The German ambassador and my surmounted here and there by a vase made history-at that moment the girl self drafted a treaty last month, with or a classic bust, the group impressed whispered to Orme: "Come," and si- the proviso that it must be signed Orme like a stately painting-a tab- lently he followed her back to the within a certain period which, as you

"We are to remain here and keep her. "Oh, Girl," he whispered, as she the necessity of coming to our home Orme nodded. His eyes were fixed turned and faced him, "Oh, Girl, I am here. I had expected to return to on the face of a man who sat at the so glad!" table, a pen poised in his hand. Those

strong, straight features-the eyes, ment." with their look of sympathetic comprehension, so like the girl's-the lips, pictured the scene they had just witeloquent in their calmness—surely this nessed. With all its absence of pomp. visit. He and his suite have been was her father. But Orme's heart it had left with him an impression beat faster, for the face of this man, that could never be effaced.

framed in its wavy hair, was familiar. Again the girl appeared in the door-Where had he seen this man? That way, and leaning on her arm was her balance of power in the Pacific and a they had never met, he felt certain, father. Orme stepped forward. The just arrangement by which the coununless, indeed, they had shaken hands in a casual and forgotten introduction. | hand.

Or was he led into a feeling of recognition by the undoubted resem much. My daughter has told me months before the treaty will be made blance of father to daughter? No, it something of your experiences. You public-but Japan must not dominate could not be that; and yet this man, may be sure that I had no notion, our Pacific trade routes, and the Monor his picture—ah! The recognition when this affair began, that she would roe doctrine must be applied in such have to envelop herself and others in a manner that it will not shelter evil This was the magnetic face that was so much mystery, but now that all has doers. You understand now why Alnow so often appearing in the prees- ended well, I can only be thankful." catrante and the Japanese minister the face of the great, the revered, the He seated himself. "You will excuse were working together." able statesman upon whom rested so me; I am not quite strong yet, though, "It is quite clear," said Orme. "I great a part of the burden of the coun- as I might say, very convalescent."

So Orme quickly narrated the series Orme was amazed to think how he of events that began with his stroll had failed to piece the facts together. along State street the afternoon of the The rumors of important international day before. "It doesn't sound true, with the treaty. After it had been

negotiations; the sudden but not se- does it?" he concluded.



The secretary was pondering. He

had listened with manifest interest,

interrupting now and then with ques-

tion between Alcatrante and the Ja-

panese concerning the commissions

on ships, he had leaned forward with

especial attention. And now, after a

"The Japanese minister we can han-

"Poor little Mr. Poritol!" exclamed

will look to see when we go to redeem

"I think, Mr. Orme," said the secre-

which Japan has lately adopted to-

ward us. The exchange of friendly

notes a few years ago might as well

not have occurred. If we had done

plete understanding and definite agree

ment with some strong nation could

prevent hostilities. The Anglo-Jap anese alliance eliminated Great Brit-

nothing to check the tendencies in

kneeling in that field?"

"Yes," said Orme.

"Tell Father the Story, Won't You, Please?" She Asked.

ive but complete. And the fur- porary retirement from Washington | always be evidence of its truth," said gs of the room in which he was to Chicago, to be near his favorite the girl; and then, with a suggestion ng were in quiet but perfect physician-for weeks the papers had of adorable shyness, "We must go and been full of these incidents.

When South Americans and Japanese combined to hinder the signing pened at the fly leaf Something of mysterious papers, he should have written there—her name, per realized that the matter was not of tions that helped to bring out salient private, but of public importance. But points. At the report of the conversaclosed the cover without read the true significance of the events inscription, conscious only of into which he had been drawn had esof writing in a feminine hand caped his logical mind. It had never ight be her's or another's. No, occurred to him that such a series of uld wait. The name did not plots, frequent though they might be few moments of thought, he said: She was his, and that was in continental Europe, could ever be attempted in a country like the United dle. As for Alcatrante, I must see to the book lay an empty en States. And then, he had actually it that he is recalled and Poritol."

her needs. He glanced at her now, but her gaze itol was still kneeling in the was fixed on the scene before them. nd whether Maku was still run- The brightness of her eyes and her quickened breathing told him how in- the bill."

Across the table from the secretary of state sat a younger man. His breast | the clearer insight into the importance er face radiant, and said soft glittered with decorations, and his of the papers which you rescued for u have done a great thing, my bearing and appearance had all the us. You have seen stories of the ru- in.

Of the men who stood behind the eign power?" two seated figures, some were young, me into leaving you?" she with the gravity of a great moment. with the gravity of a great moment, of the secret but aggressive policy Orme inferred that they were secretaries and attaches.

And now pens scratched on paper, on, wait a little while," she inter- The secretary of state and the German ambassador-for Orme knew that it must be he-were signing docu- the Pacific, we should have been at ments, apparently in duplicate, for war within another year. Only a comand to the curtained doorway of they exchanged papers after signing they—long alcoved, shelved with and repeated the action. So these ished with heavy leath- were the papers which at the last the center was a large hour Orme had restored: and this was

leau distinguished by solemn dignity. room in which he had first awaited know, will expire within a few minlutes. My illness followed, and with it

Washington last week, but as Doctor She smiled. "Please wait for a mo- Allison forbade me to travel for a while longer, I had the drafts of the When she had disappeared he re- treaty sent on, and urged the German ambassador to pay me a long-deferred here several days, in mufti.

"Now, Mr. Orme, this treaty concerns two important relations-a just secretary smiled and extended his tries of South America can be made to live up to their obligations. I can-"Mr. Orme," he said, "we owe you not go into details, and it will be some

don't wish you to tell me any more try's welfare. No wonder that Orme The girl was leaning on the back of than is advisable, but the Japanese recognized it, for it was the face of her father's chair. "Tell father the minister said that, if the new treaty the secretary of state! And the girl story, won't you, please?" she asked. should lapse, the German government would not renew it."

"Very true," said the secretary. "The German ambassador is pleased drafted, however, and after his home government had agreed to the terms, Japan brought pressure to bear in Germany. The result of this Japanese effort-which contained a counter proposition for the isolation of Russia -was that the German government weakened-not to the point of disavowing the arrangement with us, but in the event of a redrafting of the treaty, to the adoption of a less favorable basis of negotiations, or, possibly, even to the interposition of such obstacles as would make a treaty impossible. You can see how essential these papers were to us. There was not time to provide new copies, for the lost drafts carried certain seals and necessary signatures which could not be duplicated on short notice."

"Did the German ambassador know of the loss?" Orme was encouraged to ask questions by the secretary's obvious desire to explain as fully as he could.

"No one knew of it, Mr. Orme, excepting my daughter and myself-that s, no one besides the South Americans and the Japanese. It seemed wise to say nothing. There were no secret sevice men at hand, and even if there had been, I doubt if they would have acted as efficiently as you have acted. The police, I know, would have bungled, and, above all else, pub-

"As things have turned out, I am glad that Poritol set his burglar on us when he did; otherwise Maku would have got the treaty at the last moment. Alcatrante's desire to secure a diplomatic advantage over the lapanese was really the saving of us."

licity had to be avoided.

The secretary paused. His face lighted up with a rare smile. "Above everything else, Mr. Orme, I thank

He arose and rang for a servant.
"And now," he continued, "I know you will excuse me if I return to my guests. My daughter will bring you in presently, so that we may have the pleasure of making you acquainted with them. And, of course, you will remain with us till tomorrow." He smiled again and went slowly from the room on the arm of the servant.

Orme turned to the girl. Her face was rosy and her eyes were fixed on the arm of her chair.

"Girl, dear," he said, "I can hardly believe that it is all true. She did not answer, and while he gazed at her, surprised at her silence, failing to understand her sudden embarrassment, Bessie Wallingham appeared in the doorway and

stood Lesitant, "Am I still not wanted?" said Bessie, roguery in her voice. "Sure, ye'll the girl. "Do you think he is still find me a faithful servant. I minds me own business and asks no ques-"Possibly," said Orme, smiling. "We tions."

The girl rushed over to her friend. "Oh, Bessie," she cried, with a little laugh-"Oh, Bessle, won't you tary, "that I may fairly give you a lit- please come in and-and-Orme began to understand. "And wait for us a little longer," he broke

Masterfully he led the girl out through the doorway to the hall. Bessie Wallingham looked after "But, perhaps you have not known their retreating figures. never!" she exclaimed. (THE END.)

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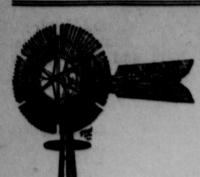
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Texas. E. Whitley plaintiff, vs R. H. Baird, defendent.

Whereas by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Gray County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 1st day of April, 1911, in favor of the said E. Whitley and against the said R. H. Baird, No. 89 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 3rd day of April, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the county of Gray, State of Texas, and belonging to R. H. Baird, to-wit:

21-2 acres out of N. E. 1-4 Section No. 190, block "E", located by Cert. 298 and fully described in deed from plaintiff to defendent of record in Gray county, Texas, and known as the R. H. Baird place, and on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1911, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said R. H. Baird in and to said property.

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J. S. DENSON,

Sheriff of Gray County, Texas.

Sheriff Sale.

State of Texas, County of Gray, in the District Court of Gray County, Texas. D. N. Massay, plaintiff, vs J. W. Vanderhoof and Walter G. Cooke, defendants.

J. W. Vanderhoof and Walter G. Cooke, defendants.

Whereas by virtue of an order of sale, issued out of the District Court of Gray County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 28th day of March, 1911, in favor of the said D. N. Massay, and against the said J. W. Vanderhoof and Walter G. Cooke, No. 95 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m. levy on the following described tracts and parcels of land, situate in the county of Gray end State of Tevas, and belonging to J. W. Vanderhoof and Walter G. Cooke, to-wit:

One and one-half acres out of Section No. 190, Block E, located in the town site of McLean, and fully set forth in the deed from Cooke and wife to Vanderhoof and known as ehe Walter G. Cooke place, and on the 2nd iay of May, 1911, being the first Tuesiay in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. W. Vanderhoof and Walter G. Cooke in and to the said property. Dated at LeFors, Texas, this the ith day of April, A. D. 1911.

J. S. DENSON, Sheriff of Gray County, Texas.

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State of Texas, County of Gray, in the District Court of Gray County. Pexas. Kiah Hodges, plaintiff, vs. W. P. Cunningham and S. H. Burdy.

Whereas by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court sale issued out of the District Court of Gray County. Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 28th day of March, 1911, in favor of said Kiah Hodges and against the said W. P. Cunningham and S. H. Bundy, No. 110 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 3rd day of April, 1911, at 1 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the County of Gray, State of Texas, and belonging to W. P. Cunningham and S. H. Bundy, and known as the Cunningham property situated on Main street perty situated on Main street

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J. S. DENSON,
Sheriff of Gray Co. nty, Texas.

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State of Texas, Coumy of Gray, in the District Court of Gray County. Texas. A. B. Gardenhire, plaintiff, vs L. C. Sanders, J. W. Sanders, G. W. Sanders, Monroe Sanders, Ella Thrower, A. M. Thrower, Lydia Overby, J. F. Overby, R. F. Sanders, Bethel Back, Joe Back, Annie Israel. Charles Israel, Grady Sanders, and Gracy Sanders, defendants.

Whereas by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Gray County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 31st day of March, 1911, in favor of the said A. B. Gardenhire and against the said L. C. Sanders, J. W. Sanders, G. W. Sanders, Monroe Sanders, Ella Thrower, A. M. Thrower, Lydia Overby, J. F. Overby, R. F. Sanders, Bethel Back, Joe Back, Annie Israel, Charles Israel, Grady Sanders and Gracy Sanders, No. 112 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 3rd day of Abril, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m., levy upon the foliowing described tracts and parcels of land situate in the County of Gray, State of Texas, and belonging to L. C. Sanders and the other defendants above named, to-wit:

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to-wit:

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Worth, was in the city Tuesday adjourn and march in a body to afternoon for the purpose of in- the cars. All the business teresting local citizens in the houses in town are requested to lecture train that will visit here close in order that everyone may on next Monday morning. The be in attendance as the subject train is composed of nine cars, of better agriculture is of vita: four of which are equipped for importance to the business man lecture purposes, and carries be- as well as the farmer and the sides several officials of the line, railroads.

subjects of interest to the farm their wide campaign for better ers of this section. Among the farming, while it will benefit most important subjects dealt them indirectly, will also be or with are dry farming, crop rata- great benefit to us and it betion, diversification, soil prepa- hooves us as citizens to not only In two of the cars lectures forth our own efforts in every

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