

The McLean News

McLEAN, GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1912

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We Wish You a Prosperous New Year

Buy a Gasolene Engine

And you can pump water—wind or no wind. See the

New-Way

Air cooler—won't freeze. Self oiler. Use less gasolene. Develops more power. Ask about it.

McLean Hardware Co.

Woodmen and Circle Install New Officers

One of the most interesting and enjoyable affairs of the season was the ceremonies attended upon the joint installation of officers for the W. O. W. Woodmen Circle at the new Rice and Rice hall on Saturday night of last week. All members and their families, including several special guests, were invited and one of the largest crowds ever assembled at a session in this city was the result. It was estimated that in the neighborhood of one hundred and fifty people enjoyed the ceremonies.

Before proceeding to the business in hand the gathering was addressed by Billie Biggers, who has for himself an enviable distinction for his ability to entertain a crowd. He made what he pleased to term a "mother tongue" speech, "one that covered everything and fits nothing. He paid a beautiful trib-

ute to fraternalism in general and the sterling worth of Woodcraft in particular.

After enjoying some excellent orchestra music rendered by Albert Rogers, Dick Cooke, Roy Rice and Vester Cooke, the Woodmen proceeded with their installation, with C. S. Rice as their installing officer. The following sovereigns were given the oath of office to serve their lodge the ensuing year:

- M. D. Bentley, Consul Commander.
 - J. W. Kibler, Adviser Lieutenant.
 - F. B. Kachelhoffer, Banker.
 - W. B. Upham, Clerk.
 - C. E. Donnell, Physician.
 - J. Lee Turner, Escort.
 - J. A. Grundy, L. O. Floyd and J. M. Noel, Managers.
 - S. H. Dalrymple, Watchman.
 - Andrew Bassel, Sentry.
- Following this ceremony the ladies immediately took up the work of installing the officers

Gray County Jail Delivery

Officials of the county were amazed Sunday morning when upon a visit to the jail it was found that the door stood open and all of the prisoners had made their escape. There was no trace of the prisoners, four in number, and no clue as to the manner in which the lock was turned. In the empty jail was found a note from one of the prisoners named Phillips, who was held pending his trial for bootlegging. This note was addressed to Siler Faulkner and among other things it contained a ward of thanks to that gentleman for kindnesses shown during his incarceration but stated that he was taking his leave on account of the fact that the atmosphere of the open country was more to his liking. He also asked that his trunk be sent C. O. D. to Shawnee, Ga., where his mother lives.

A search was immediately instituted and later two of the men the two sent from McLean on a charge of stealing from J. W. Mars, were captured. One of them, Fluffy Ruffles, explained that the man, Gordon, who was charged with having burglarized the C. C. Cook store, manipulated the delivery, unlocking the heavy lock with a spring taken from the sole of his shoe.

Up to this writing neither Phillips nor Gordon have been located, although the news of their escape has been phoned or wired all over the country and local officers are keeping a vigilant lookout for them.

- elect for the Circle. Mrs. Jack Pitman of Ramsdell acted as installing officer and administered the pledges to the following: Mrs. C. S. Rice, Guardian.
- Mrs. S. H. Dalrymple, Adviser Lieutenant.
- Mrs. J. W. Kibler, Clerk.
- C. E. Donnell, Physician.
- Mrs. J. B. Hext, Chaplain.
- Mrs. C. E. Donnell and Mrs. J. M. Noel, Managers.
- Mrs. M. D. Bentley, Inner Sentinel.
- Mrs. G. H. Wise, Outer Sentinel.

Both organizations had drilled their parts thoroughly and the ceremonies were rendered with impressive solemnity.

After the business of the meeting had been dispensed with the members of the two organizations immediately laid a long table down the center of the hall upon which they spread a banquet for themselves and their guests. There were not many present but who felt that in spite of the pretty ceremonies they had just witnessed this last was the crowning event of the evening. There was a simple menu served but it was cooked just right and served just right and was probably the most enjoyable supper ever attempted in this city. It was claimed that John Kibler and Buck Grundy displayed a severe lack of previous nourishment by the manner in which they attacked the banquet board and the length of time they continued the siege, but of course they lived over it—couldn't kill 'em.

All present were delighted

with the evening's enjoyment and not a one but what would gladly forego the pleasant comfort of the fireside to be guests of these two fraternities at any future time.

More Books For Library

We are pleased to report the splendid progress made by those who are working in the interest of building up a working library for the public school and much credit is due to Prof. O'Neal and his excellent corps of teachers for the results already accomplished.

Recently the Holland Publishing Company of Dallas made a very flattering clubbing offer, agreeing to give for twenty-five dollars in subscription to either of their publications thirty-six well bound books dealing with various historical and scientific subjects. Prof. O'Neal set to work on two days notice and with the aid of several of the pupils and all of the teachers he raised fifty dollars in this manner, securing two sets or seventy-two books for the library. Of this sum more than twelve dollars was subscribed by the teachers themselves.

Other books recently added to the library are listed below with the name of the giver.

- Finding the North Pole—Mrs. R. P. Brown.
- The Philippine Question—Mrs. C. E. Bogan.
- A Young Man's Questions—Rev. J. H. Dabney of Plainview
- Mysterious Island and Toilers of the Sea—Mrs. S. B. Fast.
- Milton's poems and Whittier's Poems—Arthur Erwin.

"The above books," said Prof. O'Neal, "are valuable additions to our library—the value of which, if properly read, cannot be estimated in dollars and cents. The last two mentioned are nicely bound in leather, in fact, regular gift editions.

"Neither words nor space is adequate to express my deep gratitude to all who have materially aided us in our efforts to build a school library. We now solicit books on any of the following subjects:

We take pleasure in announcing that on next Sunday, February 11th, Bishop Edward A. Temple of Amarillo will be in McLean and will deliver a sermon at the Presbyterian church at four o'clock in the afternoon.

The gentleman is bishop of the Panhandle diocese of the Episcopal church and is a scholarly and eloquent speaker. The public is cordially invited to hear him on this occasion.

Union Trading Co.

T. U. SALMON Mgr.

We handle real estate and livestock, coal, grain and hay. If you have anything for sale let us know about it—that is our business. We buy everything the farmer raises and pay the cash. See us about country produce. We are going to start things to MOVING right away.

"History, biography, travel and explorations, literature, science, poetry, art, politics and religion. In fact the writings of all standard authors. Used books in good condition will be gladly received."

We can rent you a farm with privilege of buying in the fall and allowing rent to go in as first payment. Several good farms to sell. Horses, mules, farm implements, cows, hogs, etc., on our exchange book. A farm to trade for city property. List your wants. J. E. Clem, Proprietor Guill Hotel.

If you intend putting down a well on your place, remember that we always have a good supply of well casing, pipe, succorrod and windmills and will be glad to fit you up at the lowest market price. Cleo Smith Lumber Co.

Senior League Program.
Subject—The call to service; Contact with men brings a feeling of obligation.
Lesson—Amos 6:1-6. Matt. 15:29-31.
Talk on subject—Leader.
Prayer.
References—Heb. 4:16; Matt. 15:21-25; 2nd Peter 1:27.
Responsive reading—121st Psalm.
Song.
Reading—Why take ye thot—Susie Beall.
Leader—Fred Stockton.
All are requested to be present and bring their bibles.

The Vortex Hot Blast always made good—not a dissatisfied customer in four years. McLean Hardware Co.

We Accommodate All Classes

Many persons keep their money in this bank, that they may have it within ready reach when needed for daily use; some keep it here awaiting opportunities for investment; others, to avoid the risk and annoyance of loaning, keep their money here as an investment. It will be seen that we accommodate all classes.

Citizens State Bank
McLEAN, TEXAS



Are You Laying Some of These Away?

And are you looking forward to the time when on account of old age they will be harder for you to get hold of? You can choose no better place than in our bank to store your account and we are always ready to help depositors in every way possible. MAKE OUR BANK YOUR BUSINESS HOME.

American State Bank

Future Changes

End of Progress Is Seen in Years to Come

By T. RAYLE RUCE

W E ALL know that the nations of the world are beginning to enter into a change of all things, political, economic and social. The nations must expand and find new territory for their surplus populations because the countries cannot produce enough foodstuffs for their support. The ground which for years has produced a hundredfold is exhausted. The nations seek virgin soil and in doing so will come to blows. Africa will be the theater of future conflicts.

Civilization, which is progress in all things, is like a mighty wave that rolls onward all obstacles. It sweeps before it all that was, mankind, animals and plants, and puts in their stead whatever is needed for its support. We know how progress drove the red man, the beasts of the forest, the trees thereof before its tireless march until they became extinct. The same thing will occur as the plains of Siberia, of South America shall be settled and cultivated. The original inhabitants will disappear. The tents of the Lapps and Patagonians will make room for cities, their feeding and hunting grounds become farms. With them will vanish those wild animals and plants which are now their support.

This must occur in Africa as well. The original inhabitants will be driven farther and farther until with the help of various diseases, which accompany progress, the black race will be no more. The white race will dwell in cities where formerly the Matabele had his hut. Farms will flourish where stood the primeval forest with its animal life.



It may take hundreds of years before this shall be accomplished. Then a mighty hand will call a halt and progress is at its end. Civilization will have killed itself.

As the physician gives stimulants to his dying patient to prolong life, so will silence come to the help of the exhausted ground, until it becomes utterly unproductive. Progress is dead.

Migration of nations, wars, as of old, will be the rule, the stronger surviving. A new race will inhabit a new earth, which will resemble the old one only in its outlines.

Man Living From Hand to Mouth

By FRANK CRANE

People are inclined to complain a good deal over the precariousness of life. We hate to live from hand to mouth. Yet it is precisely from this element of our earthly career that our noblest qualities come.

Endow a man so that he never has to worry about money, remove him from all temptations, insure him against ever falling ill and his soul will shrivel up like a bean.

The strong, free, sweet souls are those who every day are stepping out into the dark.

All that manly charm which plays like a halo around the soldier, the cowboy and the explorer of wilds is due to the fact that men in such enterprises are brothers and companions of alarms.

The more settled and wealthier portions of civilization are full of emall, dried up, spidery souls who have retired on a settled income. They are fatal to life of any kind and particularly to young life; hence most of the youth emigrate.

They go west. The west is greater than the east because the east is settled and the west is unsettled. In the east are old religions, old customs, old families, old laws and old institutions—all full of rats and fever. In the west is fresh air.

One reason a king cannot be a great soul is because he cannot lose his job. Another reason is that "the king can do no wrong." Take away a man's right to sin and you assassinate his moral character.

It is even better, morally, to be a gambler than to be endowed. "It is not," says Carl Hilty, "for the needs of luxury that God is to be had, but for daily bread."

Man Who Keeps on Smiling

By JANE L. RUSSELL

There are husbands and husbands. And, like any other plant in the universe, each one thrives as his particular nature responds to his environment. "The well-fed man—" speaking in the broader sense of the term, or the comfortable man, is a mere hothouse plant that blooms and looks pleasant amid the warmth and beauty of a conservatory, and when set in the open degenerates into only a suggestion of its former bloom.

Let me hunt for the wind berries that hold their heads above the snow; the blossoms that brave the winds and storms and stand in the open.

A man who has struggled through vicissitudes, having lost no whit of his smiling nature, who is strong enough to brave any storm of misfortune, keeping ever the beauty of his nature beyond destruction, who has attained a measure of success and who can live in it with no sacrifice of the virility of his manhood.

With such a man marriage would be contentment, and contentment is happiness.

Horses Turn Heads to Cold Winds

E. W. WOODS

I have noticed that horses when they are compelled to remain in the open cold turn their heads to the wind, and it seems to me that they stand in this way because they thus present the least heat surface of their body to the cold.

And also in this attitude they secure the greatest possible natural protection from their hairy coats, inasmuch as the wind forces the individual hairs more closely against the body.

If this looks reasonable to teamsters, they should turn their horses' heads to the cold with every time possible.

QUEEN LOUISE LOVED

She Was Never Bitter in Grief Over Reverses.

A Century After Her Death Her Tomb at Potsdam Was Covered With Fragrant Flowers by Loving Hands.

Berlin.—Sentiment is an important part of the German temperament and Germans are not ashamed to show it. That may help to explain why, more than a century after her death, the memory of Queen Louise of Prussia is kept fragrant and living by constant gifts of flowers placed upon her tomb at Potsdam. But that characteristic of the Germans does not serve wholly to explain the flowers that are kept always fresh. Other German kings and queens have died and been forgotten almost before the official court mourning ceased. It must indeed have been a very rare and charming personality that made its owner so loved by her subjects that they preserved a tender, reverent memory of her in their hearts and handed down that memory to their children and their children's children.

Queen Louise was more than a ruler's wife—she was a charming, brave, womanly woman and, moreover, she was beautiful. Although a princess of Mecklenburg, she was brought up with much less of formality and more of home life than is contained in the curriculum of a large number of American debutantes today.

The Princess Louise at sixteen was good to look upon. She was tall and slender, her eyes deep blue and her hair brown, with glints of sunlight in it. Her skin was clear and transparent and her exquisite coloring did not need the aid of rouge pot or powder. And then there came into her life her Prince Charming. He was



Queen Louise.

Frederick William, son of the king of Prussia and heir to the throne of that country.

In 1793, when the Princess Louise was only seventeen years old, she was married to the crown prince.

It was in a troubled time that Louise had come to be the wife of the future king of Prussia. The French revolution had already broken out and the propagandists of France were sending out armies of conquest into Europe to spread the doctrines of liberty, equality and fraternity.

Prussia, temporized and delayed, made an alliance with France, discarded it, and finally joined the enemies of Napoleon.

The queen spent much of her time with her husband in camp and her courage in that time of national calamity had made her doubly dear to the soldiers. It is said that it was her advice that led Frederick to make war on France. It is certain that she hated Napoleon most cordially then, and she seems to have returned the compliment. But when the country had been overwhelmed by the French the king believed that Louise might be able to induce the French emperor to grant easier terms to Prussia than he was at first inclined to. With that end in view Queen Louise consented to an interview with Napoleon at Tilsit. The French emperor's estimate of Prussia's queen was altered by that interview, but his intentions regarding her country were inexorable.

Soon after that interview Napoleon, overwhelmed Austria and Prussia's last forlorn hope of rescue was gone. But Queen Louise was not bitter in her grief and disappointment.

To Use Motor Field Guns. Detroit, Mich.—The government of Guatemala has ordered from a motor car company of this city through its New York agency, three motor cars to be equipped with machine guns and wireless apparatus for use in war. The cars will be the standard 1913 chassis, with a pony tonneau body.

The armament will be Colt rapid fire guns with a capacity of 600 shots a minute. They will be mounted in front of the driver's seat. The wireless will have a 35-foot mast. It will be operated with the regular dynamo used for lighting and starting and will be good for communication at a distance of 50 miles. Each car will have a balloon to take the wireless rig higher, when necessary, and thus increase its efficiency. The cars, equipped, will cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000 each.

For the Theater



Photograph by Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.

A fashionable society leader has introduced this to Broadway theatergoers. It is made of gold lace, fur band and ribbon laces, and the point coming over the shoulders is the very latest idea.

WILL WELCOME NEW CORSETS TAFFETA WITH BROWN FUR

Very Graceful and Comfortable Are the Lines That Have the Indorsement of Paris. Effective Combination of Materials That There is Little Doubt is to Be Popular.

Lower in bust than ever are the stays, and the sloping shoulders of the kimono sleeve and the graceful, draped fichu are but tendencies which pointed the way for this new figure.

Some of the newest Parisian corsets are but mere girdles above the waist—quite frequently not reaching to the bust. The idea is to give one long line shoulder to waist—a gently sloping line with the bust as low as possible.

But not below the waist is the corset growing shorter! Far from it! Longer and still longer grow mademoiselle's stays—one wonders how they can be worn with comfort. But they can, for many of them are not heavily boned, but beautifully shaped and so arranged that the figure may be kept slim and youthful below the waist line.

Not below the waist line alone, however, is the figure to be youthful—but above it as well. The high, lifted waist line, the low bust, the slim, sloping shoulders—all this is calculated to keep madame from showing the ravages of time—to keep her youthful as possible.

Very comfortable, indeed, are these new corsets, for if they hold the body trim and tight below the waist line they keep it supple and free above the waist, allowing ease and freedom of movement and perfect comfort.

STRIPED VELVET WAIST.



This attractive model is of striped velvet with large revers of the same over which are tiny ones of black satin. It fastens in front with buttons and is finished with an edge of black satin.

The sleeves are trimmed to correspond. The collar is of lace and the gumpie is of white dotted tulle.

Bias Trimming. Bias effects in trimmings are the rage, those that go round and round a skirt barber pole fashion being called "swirls." This treatment, when made of fringe, with the bands widely separated, is vastly becoming to the figure, taking nothing from the height or slowness if the wearer is slight or of medium build. That is, of course, when the gown is well made and a clinging material, for crude dressmaking with clumsy stuffs can not be expected to give the same harmonious results.

To Keep Hat On. By sewing a small twist of net around the crown line underneath a broad brimmed hat you will be able to keep the hat in place when on the head by fastening it to the hair by means of hairpins caught through the meshes of the net.

BAD CASE OF

Caused Sore Throat, Sillitis, Resisted Perma.

Mr. W. H. Housley, Greenville, Tennessee, writes: "Five years ago I took a very severe cold which resulted in a gripe. It never was so bad off. I was in bed several weeks, and when I did get up I had to swallow and sore throat."

CAROM and POOL BILLIARD TABLES

LOWEST PRICES EASY TERMS. You cannot afford to expense untried goods sold by commission.

Brown's Bronchial



NOT MUCH OF A GENTLEMAN. Jones—If you keep on about may forget that I'm a gentleman. Mrs. Jones—You wouldn't much to forget.

Awful Suspicion. Freddie had been sick for some time and when his father came to his room to see how he was the father surprised him by his question. "Why do you ask if I've ever taken anything?" inquired his father. "Because," replied Freddie, "medicine he's been giving me is something fierce, and I'm taking it out on me."

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A Treat So Sweet; Add Cream Then Eat. Post Toasties II's. "The Memory Lingers"

Theater

Introduced this to Broadway theater and ribbon laces, and the point coat idea.

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Ask Your Druggist for a bottle of Peruna.

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LOWEST PRICES EAST

You cannot afford to experiment with untried goods sold by commission.

Catalogues free.

THE BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLIER CO.
14 West Main Street, Dept. 8, Philadelphia, Pa.

Brown's Bronchial

For Hoarseness and Throat Trouble

Sample free. J. I. Brown & Co., Inc., N. Y.

W. N. U., Oklahoma City, Okla.

NOT MUCH OF A GENTLEMAN

How One Clever Girl Evolved Ingenious Scheme That is Worthwhile to Become a Fashion.

Seeing in the shops the tiny narrow bands of folded black satin, with their long silken or heavy beaded tassels, used as a neck finish, a certain ingenious girl added the touch of originality to her new afternoon gown by making, to go with it, a tie of folded folds of black satin.

The little tie was of the usual three strand braiding, the satin strips being very small and carefully fitted along the entire length. It was long enough to go around the neck and hang almost to the waist, the ends being worked into a clever little "rossette," with a jet beaded center. Another tiny medallion covered the black metal "snap fastener" which held the tie together.

Post Toasties

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For the School Girl.

The young girl in her teens is probably difficult to dress, but very soon the simplest and most sensible solution of the difficulty is to copy their and to adhere to the tailor-made.

The fine stripes that are so fashionable make very suitable schoolgirl costumes, especially in the vague cut and gray stripes that are now in. The skirt is cut simply with an apron back and front fastened with large buttons of the material. The coat is short and single or double-breasted without trimming, but the collar faced with gray velvet.

atching the costume, the hat should be of gray beaver, with just a touch of color, a cerise feather.

Mexican Work.

When doing a piece of Mexican work that is to be drawn in squares outlining it as for Hardanger embroidery. You will surely be pleased with the result, it looks so much neat-hand buttonholing. After outlining, draw the threads as usual—diagonal.

Post Toasties

To Keep Hat On.

By sewing a small twist of net and the crown line underneath a wide brimmed hat you will be able to keep the hat in place when on the head by fastening it to the hair by means of hairpins caught through the net.

THE PERILS OF DIVORCE

WORDS ALL THE MANY OF DIVORCES.

Mr. W. H. Hossley secured the Milwaukee office of the Government, and on the Canadian boundary he secured a ticket at a reduced rate, which he carried her to Edmonton, where he met her friends. This was a very severe cold which resulted in a grippe. I never was so bad off. I was in bed several weeks, and when I did get up I had to breathe through a strait and sore throat. I tried to cure this for months, but it gradually got worse. A doctor advised me to have my throat examined, and when I did the doctor examined me, and said it was a very bad case of Peruna, and after I had taken a dozen bottles, I began to get well, and I did."

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LIVE STOCK IS BASIS OF ALL SYSTEMS OF AGRICULTURE

Crops From Soil Furnish Nutrition for Animal Body and Waste Products of Baras and Feed Lots Supply Food for Plants—Neither Can Exist Long Without Other.



Prize-Winning English Shorthorn Steer.

Live stock is the foundation of all systems of permanent agriculture and agriculture is, in turn, the base upon which rests the superstructure of all national prosperity.

No country on earth has ever continued to prosper without live stock as a vitally important part of its agriculture and none can do so.

The crops from the soil supply nutrition for the animal body and the waste products of our barns and feed lots furnish food for the plants. Neither can long exist without the other.

The grain farmer flourishes for a time, but with every load of grain he sends to market he sells a portion of his farm. If not during his lifetime, then in the time of his children, will his farm become worn and worthless.

High-priced land or high-priced feeding stuffs should not shorten the production of live stock. The cheap cattle of the ranges were possible only because of the cheapness of the land. With the increase in the price of land has come an improvement and more general distribution of high class cattle and these are more profitable and more economical than the range steer ever was or could be.

Farmers generally are a conservative people and this is one of their most valued characteristics, yet it seems to stand in their own way at times. The farmer who gives thought to the matter can easily see how impossible it is for him to hope for success in raising cheap, poorly bred and hard feeding animals on his high priced land.

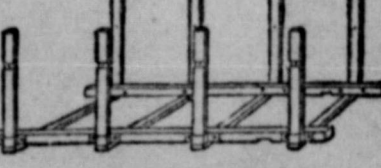
On the other hand, he can easily see that a good animal which will put on flesh rapidly and that of the highest quality and which will reach a marketable condition in a few months, instead of several years, is the only one he can afford to grow.

The farmer must have live stock and present conditions demand that he keep good live stock or fail.

PRACTICAL RACK TO CARRY WOOD

Useful Implement May be Made by Using Two Strong Pieces of Timber as Illustrated.

Directions for making a practical wood rack, with an illustration, is given in the Farm and Home as follows: Take two 4x5 pieces of very strong wood 11 to 12 feet long, and cut a notch in each, so as to fit down over hind bolster of wagon to prevent rack from slipping backward or forward. Use four or six standards on each side and the same number of crosspieces, so placed that the standard in going down through the socket catches



A Handy Wood Rack.

WINTER SHELTER FOR THE SWINE

Natural Instinct Is for Cozy Quarters, Which May be Accepted as Suitable for Them.

(By W. R. GILBERT)

No animals enjoy freedom more in the summer than hogs, but their desires are altogether different in winter. The natural instinct is for cozy quarters, which may be accepted as altogether suitable for them.

No one need ever look for the pigs on windy hill-tops when winter sets in, but if any disappear they are almost sure to be found in the best protected and snug spot within their reach.

Warning words are often given not to have sows farrowing in the shortest days, when cold weather prevails, as they can make no progress against low temperatures.

In summer pigs at large pick up a great deal of their food in the fields, but little is available now that will do them any good, and although those in store condition may still be allowed a run out daily, they should all be housed at night and some altogether.

All being fattened for pork of bacon should be kept in constantly. And sows suckling little pigs should never be allowed to take them out and around as absolute shelter and constant comfort assist their development.

LIGHT NEEDED FOR ALL TREES

It Influences Transpiration and Consequently Metabolism of Green Plants—Other Effects.

Light is said to be absolutely indispensable for the life and growth of trees. In common with other green plants, a tree, in order to live, must produce organic substance for the building of new tissues. Certain low forms of vegetable life, such as bacteria and fungi, do not require light. They exist by absorbing organic substance from other living bodies; the higher forms of plants manufacture their own organic material by extracting carbon from the air. The leaves, through the agency of their chlorophyll, or green coloring matter, absorb from the air carbon dioxide, and give off a nearly equal volume of oxygen. The carbon dioxide is then broken up into its elements and converted into organic substances which are used in building up new tissues.

Light also influences transpiration, and consequently the metabolism of green plants. It influences largely the structure, the form, and the color of the leaf, and the form of the stem and it largely determines the height growth of trees, the rate at which stands thin out with age, the progress of natural pruning, the character of the living ground cover, the vigor of young tree growth, the existence of several storied forest, and many other phenomena upon which the management of forests depends. A thorough understanding, therefore, of the effect of light upon the life of individual trees, and especially on trees in the forest, and a knowledge of the methods by which the extent of this effect can be determined are essential for successful cultural operations in the forest.

Lime for Sour Soils.

For a sour soil, a liberal application of lime is the only thing that will remedy the trouble. This comes in many forms, but the cheapest and most beneficial is ordinary ground limestone. The cost of ground limestone is about 50 cents a ton at the pit.

FREE

I want every person who is bilious, constipated, or has any stomach or liver ailment to send for a free package of my Paw-Paw Pills. They positively cure indigestion, sour stomach, headache, neuralgia, nervousness, sleeplessness and are an infallible cure for Constipation. Today I take all the risks. Sold by druggists everywhere. For free package address, W. N. U., 14 West Main Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

DRY FARMING SOILS

PLOWING TO STORE MOISTURE

Surplus Water, Kept in Subsoil, Will Rise to Surface in Time of Drouth—Rain Carried Over.

Some men flirt with the weather—take chances with moisture conditions—and they wonder why they aren't more of a success on the farm. If they would save the extra rainfall a large quantity of water would be stored in the subsoil for immediate use in case of dry weather.

If a farmer doesn't practice moisture conservation and raises a good crop, his neighbor across the road, saving the surplus rainfall, will have a larger yield. Reverse the moisture conditions—a dry growing season—and the chances for a crop favor the man who takes care of the water that falls on his farm.

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Henpeck—I don't blame her.

Mandy's idea of it.

Mistress—What! Going to leave me to get married? Whom are you going to marry?

Mandy—Ah, done goin' to marry Lung Chung, the Chinese laundryman. He's a good man, he is.

"But, Mandy, think of what your children would be!"

"Yes, mum, Ah has. Ah knows de poor little things'll be Mexicans, but Ah loves him just de same!"

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

HAD you noticed the marked improvement in the looks of our Main street? How would it do to extend this improvement campaign into the other streets and alleys? Suppose each property owner should make it his business to clean up all the trash and filth that has accumulated during the past year of civic lethargy. Would that not help wonderfully towards the further beautifying of the town? We need to think of these things and remember that our town and its welfare concerns us quite as much as our neighbor.

REPORTS from Central and Eastern Texas are to the effect that while there is a fairly good season in the ground at the present time, still the need of rain is urgent and unless it comes immediately severe damage will result to the spring crops. Why not fess up, you "down in Texas" fellers, and come on to the great Panhandle. We will not chide you for the hard things you have said about us. We will take you to our bosoms and help you. The Panhandle needs you and will lay at your feet the countless opportunities that abound in this verdant region. Your brothers and neighbors are here and they are prospering. Why not you? You are invited.

THE great McLean country is once more on the threshold of a crop year and never before in her history has the prospects been more flattering. The ground is in the very best of shape and with the addition of the usual spring rains a very light precipitation during the summer months will be sufficient to guarantee a bountiful harvest.

Already hundreds of people are beginning to cast their eyes longingly in this direction and it is believed that before the end of the planting season a very substantial addition will have been made to our farming population. All of the real estate dealers are inaugurating active campaigns from which there is little doubt there will be fruitage. Let us all place our shoulders to the wheel and help push the band wagon of progress.

THERE are thousands of things a booster can do to help the town and community along on its road to greatness and there are also thousands of things the knocker can do to retard its growth. Would you prefer to see it retrograde? No? Then be a booster. You may be a small potato but even a potato has possibilities and if you will devote yourself cheerfully to boosting and singing the praises of this goodly land you will see your prosperity and importance magnify and grow. And then, a knocker is mighty lonesome in this vicinity.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

- Subject—Some elements of religion. The Holy Spirit.
- Song.
- Prayer.
- Song.
- The nature of the Holy Spirit—Pearl Newton.
- The coming of the Holy Spirit into the world—Reep Landers.
- Special music—Billie and Ross Biggers.
- The Holy Spirit's work in the world—Floy Glass.
- Talk on the subject—Mr. Kibler.
- Leader—Billie Biggers.

619 Votes In Gray County

The final casting up of the poll tax records show that there were 619 receipts issued in this county for the year 1911. Of this number 17 were exemptions. Below we give a list of the poll taxes and exemptions in each voting precinct of the county:

No. 1, LeFors	12
No. 2, Pampa (Exemptions)	210
No. 3, Cuddy	8
No. 4, Alanreed	11
No. 5, McLean (Exemptions)	78
No. 6, Laketon	194
No. 7, Groom	4
No. 8, Farrington (Exemption)	51
	23
	27
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This list does not include those too old to pay poll taxes and those reaching their majority too late to pay. With these two classes it is likely that the voting strength will be in the neighborhood of seven hundred. State office seekers may now get busy.

J. S. Denson For Sheriff

J. S. Denson requests us to present to the voters of Gray county his announcement asking for a re-election to the office of sheriff and tax collector at the coming election. Mr. Denson is now serving his first term as custodian of the peace and he presents his record, made in an honest and conscientious effort to discharge his duties faithfully and well as his grounds for asking a second term at the hands of the voters.

While the office of sheriff is one that is constantly liable to place incumbent in a compromising light, yet the gentleman believes that he intelligently handled the affairs of this station and promises to continue, should he be elected, to exercise careful and diligent effort towards making a peace officer as well as a tax collector of which his constituency may well feel proud.

If you can conscientiously do so he respectfully solicits your vote and your influence at the coming election.

Upham For County Clerk

In this issue of the News we present the formal announcement of C. L. Upham for re-election to the office of county and district clerk of Gray county. Mr. Upham is now serving his first term in this important office and asks that he be given the customary second term, also setting forth the fact that he has worked faithfully to discharge the duties that were incumbent upon him in a manner both creditable and pleasing to his constituency.

It is the general comment that Charlie has been faithful and efficient and while the duties of county clerk are varied and many times arduous yet he has acquitted himself well and will be more fitted for the expeditious handling of the work during the next term than at the present by reason of the fact that it takes a two years incumbency to thoroughly fit a man for the intelligent discharge of the work that comes in this department.

He asks your careful consideration of his claims before casting your ballot.

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Packing Plant Making Good

Continuous runs, that is from day to day, have been made by the McGee-Butt company at the Panhandle Packing Company plant. It is stated that quite a liberal demand is being shown for the meats of the company, and the prediction is offered that still greater and greater increase will be shown until the concern will be forced to run with full forces each day in the year.

Both beeves and porkers are being killed daily at the plant, and it is stated that the volume will be increased according to the awakened demand of the people of this and other cities for the products of the plant. Messrs. McGee and Butt state that the indications seem most favorable and they have nothing of which to complain at present. They are looking forward to that time when their products will be in strong demand throughout the Panhandle and adjoining communities in Texas, New Mexico and southwest Oklahoma.—Amarillo News.

Any school boy will tell you that it pays to advertise. Fat baked turkey, nice chicken, choicest roast meats, good pies and the very best coffee is our advertisement. Don't go hungry, it may impair the mind, you will make more money, look better and feel better if you take your meals with us. J. E. Clem, proprietor Guill Hotel.

New Station Agent.

The traveling auditor of the Rock Island Lines was in the city Saturday and Sunday for the purpose of checking out former agent and installing the new agent, D. A. Davis, who immediately took charge of the affairs of the station.

Mr. Davis comes here from Memphis, Texas, where he has been employed with the Denver Road, and is recommended as a capable and thorough railroad man.

Mr. Salmon has severed his connections entirely with the Rock Island and will remain in this city, engaging in other business.

Notice.

After this the News will make a charge for all items that do not come under the head of general news.

We are glad to get news items and will appreciate you ringing 47 if you know anything of interest.

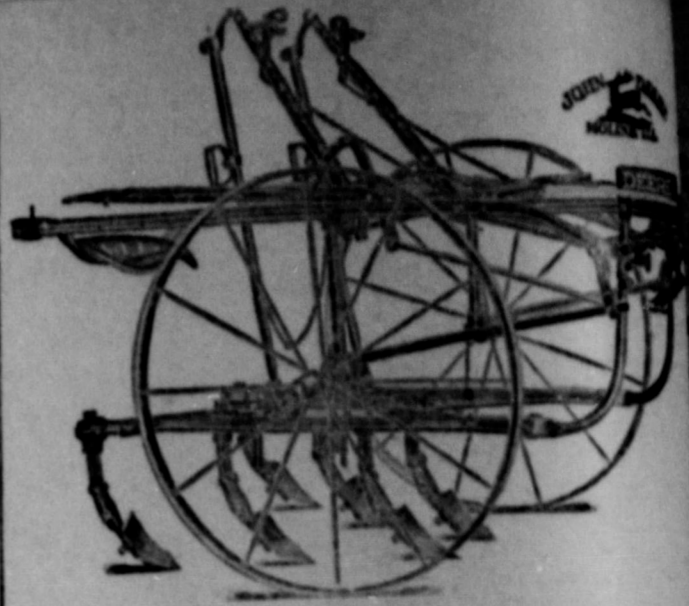


Excursions To

New Orleans, La., account Mardi Gras February 5th to 20th, rate of one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. Children between the ages of five and twelve half of the adult rate. Dates of sale February 13th to 19th, final return limit March 2nd. Tickets may be extended to March 19th by depositing \$1.00 with special agent no later than March 2nd.

Waco, Texas, account of meeting of State Federation of Labor, February the 12th and 13. Rate of one and a third fare round trip. Date of sale February 10th, final limit for return trip. Date of sale February 10th, final limit for return February 15th. Watch this space each week for reduced rates.

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POISONING A KING

Let those who would travel the golden roadway to fame first rise to the sublime peaks of human rights, soar in the lofty atmosphere of progress, scatter germs of civilization and conquer the world forces of progress. Texas needs great men.

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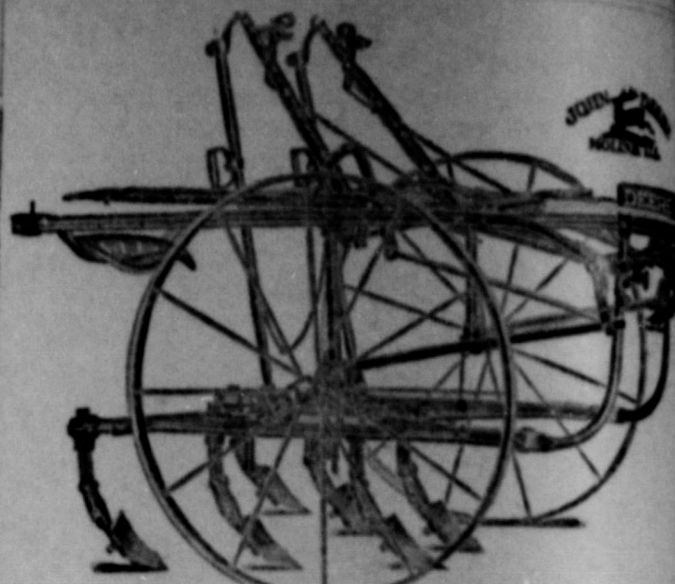
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A Full Carload of Implements

We have just received full car of farming implements and can furnish you any kind of plow you need. See us about price.

McLean Hardware Company

McLean News \$1.00 per year

TEXAS NEEDS GREAT MEN

XX. IMPOSTERS

A KING OF DENMARK was murdered by one of his... pouring poison in his ear and then seizing the throne... method of acquiring power is frequently resorted to by modern politicians who are able to succeed only by pouring in the ears of the people and seizing authority. No government can long survive incompetent and inexperienced management. Must place in position of power men whose hands have been plow and the hammer, whose hearts have felt the glow of labor and whose vision can sweep the horizon of twentieth century civilization.



POISONING A KING

Let those who would travel the golden roadway to fame first... to the sublime peaks of human rights, soar in the lofty atmosphere of progress, scatter germs of civilization and conquer the wild forces of progress. Texas needs great men.

Happenings

Items of Interest About Town and County

Yes, we can furnish you a Canton Lister with the planter box in front if you insist. S. O. Cook.

John Moreland of the Alanreed country was visiting with friends here Wednesday.

If you are behind on your subscription to the News, please pay it now. We need the money.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Gardenhire spent the latter part of last week with relatives at Jericho.

Have you seen Langley? If not call and settle that account for he needs the money.

Siler Faulkner and wife were over from LeFors this week visiting with relatives and friends.

For Sale—Good milk cow, been fresh two weeks. Also two span of mares. See Geo. Weaver.

The Egg market has taken a sudden drop and the highest offer on them Wednesday was 15 cents.

Windmills freeze up but the New-Way don't do 'er. McLean Hardware Co.

The butter quotations is still hanging around twenty-five cents but the demand seems weak.

I render lard for the public and will save you more than 1 charge. City Meat Market.

Sheriff Denson of LeFors was among the business visitors in the city the first of the week.

Miss Grundy was up from Ramsdell, where she is teaching, to visit with home folks Sunday.

Miss Olive Haynes, who is teaching at Jericho, visited with home folks the latter part of last week.

G. R. Bellinger has had his name added to our subscription rolls for which he has our thanks.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. C. S. Rice is much improved after her severe illness of last week.

For Sale—A limited number of Barred Rock cockrels of the Thompson strain, at reasonable prices. Mrs. F. M. Faulkner.

Lee Turner has the thanks of the News for subscription favors, having paid for the paper to be sent to G. D. Hall at Carbon, Texas.

Ben, the thoroughbred Jersey bull, will make the present season at the Russell wagon yard. Terms \$2 in advance, with privilege of return.

H. B. and W. E. Braley of Clarendon where here the first of the week prospecting with a view to investing in McLean country real estate.

Wanted—To trade for for small small gentle team, mules preferred. Would buy if price is right. Jas. F. Heasley.



DO YOU know of anyone who is old enough to read, who has not seen that sign at a railroad crossing?

Whoever has seen it at some time or other, then why doesn't he railroad let the sign rot away? Why does the railroad company continue to keep those signs at every crossing?

Maybe you think Mr. Merchant, "like everybody knows my name, I don't have to advertise."

That's true and your goods need more advertising than the railroad need do to warn people to "Look Out for the Cars."

Thinking is over completed in the advertising world.

The Department Stores as a very good example—they are continually advertising—and they are continually doing a good business.

If you want to run a few ads round town Christmas time, it certainly will pay you to run advertisements about all the time.

What's the answer, that's all, to ADVERTISE IN THIS PAPER

With Mrs. Arthur Erwin.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church held a very interesting meeting at Mrs. Arthur Erwin's on Wednesday of this week. At this meeting the ladies decided to serve dinner in the down town district on Washington's birthday, the 22 instant. A further announcement of this affair will be published later.

After the close of the business session the visiting ladies surprised Mrs. Erwin with a delicious lunch which they had previously prepared and brought with them.

S. O. Cook and wife and daughter have been spending the week at Oklahoma City the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Woodward.

Do you want something? Try an ad in the News and you'll get more answers than you will know what to do with. Try it.

P. J. Sanders of Sayre was here this week closing up the deal in which he conveys the old L. M. Haynes building to C. A. Cash.

Dr. Fred Mesch has returned to his home in Oklahoma City, having partially recovered from a severe attack of rheumatism.

For Sale—One Canton sulky plow, one John Deere lister, one go-devil, one John Deere cultivator, one wagon. All in good condition. R. E. Dorsey.

Ed Castleberry, the popular real estate dealer of Alanreed, was here Wednesday looking after business matters.

Dr. W. R. Orr requests us to announce that he will be in McLean, the 29th instant and stay for one week to do dental work.

It is stated that Rev. Goodwin has accepted the pastorate of the local Baptist church and will make this his home, dividing the time with Mobeetie.

Why not advertise that butter you have to sell; or those chickens or any thing else you have that you don't need. A "For Sale" ad will bring results.

Rev. Edwin Weary will deliver a lecture here on the evening of February 24th at the Christian-Cousin Hall. His subject will be Labrador, the gentleman having spent many years as missionary to that country. A small admission will be charged.

We are requested to announce that Thos. B. Lee has located in McLean and will instruct a class in piano, violin and guitar. He is for the present teaching at the home of J. B. Paschall, where he would be glad to see anyone desiring instruction in these branches.

For Sale—Household goods. One folding bed, genuine leather couch, one maple washstand, one good White Family Rotary sewing machine, one mission set consisting of library table, book shelves and two chairs; one large mirror. Inquire at the depot.

Help! Help!

You help me and I'll help you. If I help you it will help me, too.

Give me a list of your land, your farm.

If I can't sell it there will be no harm.

But if I can a deal pull through. It will help me and will help you, too.

I'll list your property just at your price.

With terms and payments at your advise.

Your city property and livestock, too.

And do my best to pull a deal through.

I sell land straight at five per cent.

If I can't sell it it wont cost you a cent.

So come around and list your land.

And I will sell it if I can.

Good prospects don't always win.

But if one fails I will try again.

To find another and make it stick.

And this I'll do if I can right quick.

—Jas. F. Heasley, The Land Man.

I have on hand a supply of pure hog lard of my own rendering. If you have to buy lard I would like to show you what I have. City Meat Market.

Mrs. C. E. Donnel has our thanks for subscription favors, having sent the paper to Mrs. D. H. Alexander at Silverton, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Haggie have moved here from Sayre and will make this their home in the future. They are domiciled in the Pollard house for the present.

For Sale—A young cow with first calf. Gives promise of being a good milker. Calf is seven eights Jersey and a heifer. See Roy Richardson or inquire at the News office.

McMurtry-Carpenter.

At the home of the bride's brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McMurtry, south of Alanreed, on Tuesday of this week occurred the wedding of Miss Grace McMurtry and Charlie Carpenter. The ceremony was performed at high noon by Rev. H. A. Goodwin, pastor of the local Baptist church, in the presence of a few intimate friends relatives.

The young people left immediately after the ceremony for this city and will make their home for the present at the hotel Hindman.

Miss McMurtry's parents live at Windthorst, Texas, but she has spent the past several years in this section of the state, where she has several brothers. Three years ago she taught in the school at this place and during her stay won for herself a host of admiring friends. Recently she has been teaching at Claude and resigned this work to become the bride of Mr. Carpenter.

Charlie Carpenter has been here for years and is one of our most popular young cattlemen. His friends are as numerous as his acquaintances and he is recognized as a capable and honorable young man, enjoying a place in the front rank of both business and social circles.

To both of these young people the News extends hearty congratulations and wishes for them a life of serene happiness and prosperity.

Moore Eggs.

Get some green bone meat at the City Meat Market and feed your chickens. It is the best egg producer on the market.

Lost—Large blue chiffon veil. Return to Mrs. C. S. Rice.

COTTON SEED—Parties intending planting cotton this year should see Scott Johnston for seed. He is the local agent for the Mebane cotton—a five lock, Panhandle raised variety. Matures early and evenly. Prices reasonable.

FLOUR

Good Luck - - - - 2.90
High Patent Soft Wheat, per cwt.

Yokons Best - - - 2.80
Best Hard Wheat, per cwt.

Pride of Alva - - 2.70
Per Hundred Pounds

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C. C. COOK

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our rates for announcements are as follows, cash in advance: District, county and state officers, \$10.00. City and Precinct officers, \$5.00.



The Pure Drug Act

Would not have been a necessity if every drug store carried the kind and quality of drugs that we carry. Purity means health, and we are the people who want to keep you healthy. We have just received a large shipment of Nyal remedies and want you to try a bottle. Phone 6.

Will H. Langley
DRUGGIST

Are You in Arrears on your subscription? You know WE NEED THE MONEY ?

GRIST MILL

We will run the Majors grist mill on Wednesday and Saturdays of each week. If you have feed to crush come early on the days mentioned. Let us be of service to you. If not at the mill I can be found at the old Reed place. Ask for

A. H. CARVER
The Mill Man

Furniture For Sale

One piece or the whole stock. It is cheap but good. Come and get it.

J. A. GRUNDY.

READ THIS

List what you have to sell or what you want to buy or what you have to trade on our exchange book. If you have a horse to sell there may be a want registered for that very horse on our exchange book. Cows, hogs, mules, farm implements, feed, grain, etc. You may find just what you want, or sell what you have or trade what you don't need for something you have to have. Try it once. It costs our customers nothing. Respectfully,
J. E. CLEM,
Prop, Guild Hotel.

WE'D LIKE TO SHOW YOU

The big lot of dry goods and clothing we carrying in stock and especially that large shipment that has just arrived Dry goods and dress goods of ever conceivable kind and everything that is late and up to now is included in this lot. If you have a dry goods want we can fill it at right prices.

Clothing, men's overalls and jumpers, extra work and dress pants—everything you might need. Let us show you our big stock.

For every dollar in cash you pay us for goods we will Hand You Back A Dime

With the exception of flour, sugar and potatoes, this discount is good on everything we sell. Our prices are right all the time and we give you this a cut to prove that we are anxious for your cash business.

C. A. Cash & Son

OREOLE HAIR DRESSING. PRICE

SUFFERED FOURTEEN YEARS.

A Terrible Case of Dropsy and How It Was Cured.

Mrs. W. R. Cody, 603 Tenth St., Lewiston, Idaho, says: "I was so lame and sore I could hardly move. Headaches were frequent and my whole body bloated. I had chills and hot flashes and my ankles swelled so I could scarcely wear my shoes. Kidney secretions bothered me and my nerves were unstrung. I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and soon the swelling diminished. The backache and other troubles quickly disappeared, and I was completely cured."

"When Your Back is Lame, Remember the Name—DOAN'S." 50c. all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

THE WAY NOWADAYS.



Hoax—My daughter has reached the age when a girl begins to think of marriage.

THE TRUTH ABOUT BLUING.

Talk No. 7. Avoid liquid bluing. As a real Simon Pure farce liquid blue is about the biggest yet. Don't pay good money for water.

Buy RED CROSS BALL BLUE, the blue that's all blue. A large package only 5 cents. Washes more clothes than any blue on earth. Makes laundry happy. ASK YOUR GROCER.

Her Logic. It was the week before Christmas. Emory and his younger sister, Mildred, were debating very seriously the reality of Santa Claus.

"There isn't any Santa Claus," said Emory, with finality. "Why, there must be," insisted his sister. "How could they make pictures that look just like him?"

When Your Eyes Need Care

Try Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting—Feels Fine—Acts Quickly. Try It for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids. Illustrated Book in each Package. Sold everywhere.

A Celebrated Basso. "When Herr Growler began to sing did not you observe how our hostess glanced apprehensively at the windows?"

"Yes. I dare say she was afraid the window-panes would be shattered."

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher.

Not Militant. "The social function at Mrs. Come-up's the other afternoon ended in a drawn battle."

"What? Not a quarrel?" "No, just a teafight."

Pretty Big. "My new hat is pretty big." "I thought so, too, but when I got the bill for it it made your hat look like the head of a pin."—Roseleaf.

TO DRIVE OUT MALARIA AND HEAL THE SYSTEM. This is the only Standard GRIPEX that has been found to cure malarial fever. It is a powerful, yet safe, and effective medicine. It is sold in all drug stores.

Escaped. "Gillet—So you've just come from Henpecked's funeral. How did the old boy look? Natural?" "Percy—No—relieved."

Fax Mundt. Adam hit into the apple. "The first peace dinner," he cried.

A man may have his price, but it takes a woman to make him feel like a bargain counter remnant.

FILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. Your doctor will prescribe a course of 12 to 14 days. It is a powerful, yet safe, and effective medicine. It is sold in all drug stores.

Ever notice how much easier it is to go from bad to—orse than from good to better?

The happiest people in the world are those who are...

YOUR SUCCESS

Your success as a farmer depends upon your selection of seed. We are offering you the best seed available, so reliable in such easy terms. The farmer can make the most out of a short time. Our wonderfully fine body of seed, guaranteeing perfect homeseeker—consequently commission increases the purchaser, who gets the value in the seed.

Good crops were raised last season when the seed was used. For free illustrated complete information, write to us for high prices. We sell for high prices. We sell for high prices. We sell for high prices.

Address: CHAS. A. ... Manager S. M. Swenson ... Spur, Dickens Co.

Any man ought to get a ... our broken promises.

Most of us have ...

"How Are You, Today? Feel Poor? Appetite Gone? Bowels Constipated? YOU SHOULD TAKE HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. It is a proven maker and preservative of Stomach and Gripe and Malaria.

Great Northern ... Million Bo...

Thousands of people in the ... making in the Northwest ... an opportunity to visit the Governor's Special train.

These books describe the ... and agriculture. ... From them you can learn ... for free homestead land.

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WASHINGTON GOSSIP

Guerrilla Survives the Knife

ing easily "reconstructed." Grant liked Mosby, and he did what he could for him, just as he did for Longstreet, who also suffered from southern disdain because he was willing to accept an office at the hands of an old West Point comrade. Longstreet had to make his living, and so did Mosby, and both, knowing that the war was over, thought there was nothing wrong in working for the kindly Uncle Sam against whom they had been fighting for some years.

When Mosby was raiding between the armies and capturing all kinds of northern property, he gave little thought to the safety of certain of his own belongings. Just as the war was about to end, a Union officer captured 8,000 pounds of tobacco belonging to the guerrilla chieftain. The raider did not like it, for his loss was made the subject of jokes innumerable. The confederate said nothing for a long time, for there was a certain adage which had to do with turn about and fair play, and he thought presumably that people would hold that it fitted his case.

After the years went by the raider thought of his 8,000 pounds of tobacco and of its value in money. He petitioned the United States senate to pass a bill which would give him the right to go to the court of claims for payment for the tobacco confiscated by the government. It was said at the time that the old rebel chieftain had the raiding instinct so strong in him that he must needs make a foray against the United States treasury. The senate granted the colonel leave to go to the court of claims, but whether he ever recovered the money for his 8,000 pounds of fine cut and plug the records are not at hand to show.

History of the U. S. Army Uniforms

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MRS. SCOTT WELL AGAIN

Good News from Martin Tells of Timely Recovery. Details Regarding the Case.

Martin, Tenn.—Mrs. Gennie Scott, of this city, says: "For years, I was troubled, more or less, with womanly troubles. Sometimes I would have shortness of breath, and smothering spells. I tried several doctors, but they only gave me temporary relief."

At last I tried Cardul, the woman's tonic, and found it to be the medicine suiting my case. I was quickly relieved by it, and now, for the first time in years, I am very well, and enjoy good health.

I praise Cardul for these good results. I recommend the medicine to my friends, because I know it is good, safe and reliable. It helped me wonderfully, and I can truthfully say that Cardul is the best medicine I have ever taken."

Be sure that Cardul, the woman's tonic, will bring you help, if you will use it regularly, and for a reasonable length of time.

You know you can depend on Cardul, because you have read of so many who are enthusiastic in its praise. Cardul has stood the test of time, the supreme test of merit.

Cardul is successful. It has been found to relieve womanly pain and build up womanly strength. Try Cardul. It will help you.

N. B.—Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for special instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

TOO EXCITING FOR CROKER

Ex-Tammany Chief, Like So Many Others, Succumbed to the Fascination of Stevenson.

The ideas of Richard Croker do not run on bookish lines. Regretting this circumstance and considering that a taste for literature, once inculcated, might be a source of pleasure in his advanced years, a journalistic friend who crossed the Atlantic with the one-time chieftain of Tammany hall not long ago cornered him in the steamship's library one evening and obtained a reluctant permission to read "Treasure Island" to him.

Much to his friend's encouragement, Mr. Croker listened with unfeigned interest until the lights went out and apparently enjoyed the narrative of the exciting events of John Morgan, Billy Bones, Black Dog, John Silver and the others. Wherefore, finding Mr. Croker in the library the next evening, the journalist again produced his volume of Stevenson and drew up a chair. But the one-time Tammany chieftain lifted a protesting hand.

"Don't read that book to me any more," he said. "I couldn't get to sleep last night for thinking about those fellows."

DISFIGURED WITH CRUSTS

"Some time ago I was taken with eczema from the top of my head to my waist. It began with scales on my body. I suffered untold itching and burning, and could not sleep. I was greatly disfigured with scales and crusts. My ears looked as if they had been most cut off with a razor, and my neck was perfectly raw. I suffered untold agony and pain. I tried two doctors who said I had eczema in its fullest stage, and that it could not be cured. I then tried other remedies to no avail. At last, I tried a set of the genuine Cuticura Remedies, which cured me of eczema when all else had failed, therefore I cannot praise them too highly."

"I suffered from eczema about ten months, but am now entirely cured, and I believe Cuticura Remedies are the best skin cure there is." (Signed) Miss Mattie J. Shaffer, R. F. D. 1, Box 8, Dancy, Miss., Oct. 27, 1910.

"I had suffered from eczema about four years when boils began to break out on different parts of my body. It started with a fine red rash. My back was affected first, when it also spread over my face. The itching was almost unbearable at times. I tried different soaps and salves, but nothing seemed to help me until I began to use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. One box of them cured me entirely. I recommended them to my sister for her baby who was troubled with tooth eczema, and they completely cured her baby." (Signed) Mrs. F. L. Marberger, Dreherville, Pa., Sept. 6, 1910.

Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. L, Boston.

Asking a Good Deal of Her. Mrs. Hack-Bay—I shall want you to be dressed by three o'clock, Ellen, to receive my friends who may call. Ellen—Oh, lor, mum! Ain't you goin' to be in?

It's easier to secure a patent than it is to convert it into cash.

PRACTICAL HELP FOR POOR

Man Undoubtedly Had Great Scheme, Although There Was a Slight Obstacle in the Way.

In the den which opened off the living room the man was roaring soulfully his own modernized version of an old song. "If I had but ten millions a year, Gaffer Green, if I had but ten millions a year—"

"What would you do with it?" his sister interrupted, less for purposes of information than in pursuit of quiet. "One thing, anyhow, Sis," he broke off with unexpected earnestness. "I'd establish a system of free laundries for the poor. New Yorkers are wonderfully clean people, all things considered, but you can't get around much without realizing that more laundry work and bathing would be an immense benefit in some directions."

"But how would you manage it? Who would be the beneficiaries? How could you discriminate?" "All that would have to be considered, of course. Now, you work out the details, Sis, and I'll go out and try to scrape up the ten millions."—New York Press.

THE PEEVISH CHILD NEEDS TREATMENT

When a child sulks drowsily, or is fretful, it is usually due to some slight disorder of the digestive organs, and a mild laxative is very often all that is necessary to restore cheerfulness and buoyancy of spirits.

In cases where the use of a gentle, effective laxative is indicated, many of the best physicians are now prescribing Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This preparation is admitted by the perfect laxative, being mild, yet positive in its action on the bowels, and far preferable to violent cathartics and purgative waters. It is very pleasant to the taste and is an ideal remedy to regulate and strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels. Its easy, natural action makes it especially desirable in the case of children, a dose at bed-time being sure to have the desired result next morning, with no attendant unpleasantness or discomfort.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is sold by druggists everywhere in 50c and \$1.00 bottles. If you have never tried this splendid remedy, write to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 291 Washington St., Monticello, Ill., for a sample. He will be very glad to send a trial bottle without any expense to you whatever.

FAR AS HE COULD GO.

She—My brother is in Manila. He—That's a long way off. She—Yes; he could hardly get any further away without coming nearer.

A Feed of Hay. "Once upon a time," C. M. Thurnauer served upon a murder jury. For hours and hours the body deliberated—eleven agreed upon a verdict, but the twelfth obstinately refused to change his position. Finally a court officer rapped at the door and inquired as to the prospects of agreement.

"None in sight," responded the thoroughly disgusted C. M. "Perhaps I had better bring in twelve suppers, then," suggested the officer.

"No," said Thurnauer, glaring viciously at the unperusable member, "bring in eleven suppers and one feed of hay."

The Fool Season. First Ice Pond—You look thin. Second Ice Pond—Yes, they had better not skate on me till I have embonpoint.

Exchange of Slang. "You can go as far as you like." "But I don't want to go so far that I can't come back."

Hamlins Wizard Oil is recommended by many physicians. It is used in many public and private hospitals. Why not keep a bottle on hand in your own home?

Labor Question. Lady of House—You say you work? At what? Hobo—At intervals.

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE." That is LEVATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GILROY. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day.

The man who is compelled to toe the mark may develop into a chronic kicker.

No man ever abuses an enemy as much as he does his stomach.

The Fountain Head of Life Is The Stomach

A man who has a weak and impaired stomach and who does not properly digest his food will soon find that his blood has become weak and impoverished, and that his whole body is improperly and insufficiently nourished.

Dr. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY makes the stomach strong, promotes the flow of digestive juices, restores the lost appetite, makes assimilation perfect, invigorates the liver and purities and enriches the blood. It is the great blood-maker, flesh-builder and restorative nerve tonic. It makes men strong in body, active in mind and cool in judgment.

This "Discovery" is a pure, glyceric extract of American medicinal roots, absolutely free from alcohol and all injurious, habit-forming drugs. All its ingredients are printed on its wrappers. It has no relationship with secret nostrums. Its every ingredient is endorsed by the leaders in all the schools of medicine. Don't accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this time-proven remedy of known composition. Ask your neighbors. They must know of many cures made by it during past 40 years, right in your own neighborhood. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, Pres., Buffalo, N. Y.

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XXIII. HASTE

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SHERIDAN'S RIDE.

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New Company Is Organized

A new firm composed of Fred O'Dell, T. U. Salmon and N. T. Heggie, the latter having come here recently from Sayre, have organized what will be known as the Union Trading Company. While the company is not incorporated at present it is understood that they have abundant capital to handle all the business that they will undertake.

Mr. Salmon, who has been local agent for the Rock Island for the past three years, will be the active manager and have charge of the business of the company.

Under the above title the company proposes to engage in a wholesale feed and coal business as well as handle real estate, livestock, insurance, etc. In fact it is their present intention to buy and sell everything the farmer and market gardener raises or has for sale or trade. They will buy country produce of all kinds, including butter, eggs, chickens, turkeys, etc.

In conversation with a News reporter this week Mr. Salmon said: "We have applied for a lease on certain tracts of land from the railroad company and should we be successful in securing them it is our intention to build a big warehouse and elevator for the expeditious handling of all kinds of produce. It may be we will also look into the matter of building a gin in the very near future."

"For the present however, you may tell the people that we will handle anything that is for sale or trade, paying cash for all country produce."

The new firm starts out well equipped for a successful career and as they intend to broaden their field as fast as possible it is likely that they will soon make arrangements to handle sugar, flour, etc., in car lots and in this manner lay it down to the local merchant at a better rate with less freight to pay.

Mothers Entertain.

The entertainment given by the Mothers' Club at the school auditorium Friday evening of last week was well attended and very much enjoyed by all present. Several very delightful vocal renditions added to the pleasure of the occasion. There were also several instrumental solos on both piano and violin; a number of splendid readings and a most interesting monologue by Billie Biggers.

The proceeds amounted to \$26.20, which will be applied towards defraying the expense of placing the new school bell.

Biegel in Amarillo.

C. H. Biegel, one of the best known church decorators in the United States, is in Amarillo for a time, having arrived recently from Aurora, Illinois. Mr. Biegel states that he is not here in connection with his business, but is rather enjoying a rest which he considers well earned. Not all the time allotted to the vacation is being spent in Amarillo, for he is staying a while also at McLean. The visitor expressed himself as being well pleased with Amarillo and the Panhandle country.—Amarillo News.

Junior League Program.

Song.
Leader—Lehane Carpenter.
Subject—The law of square dealings.
Read Matt, 6:12—Leader.
Song.
Prayer.
Talk on topic—Mrs. Carpenter.
Roll Call and reading minutes.
Secretary.
Dismissal.

Street Work Progressing

The work of grading and rebuilding the city streets is still in progress and to the casual observer it would appear that much lasting good has been accomplished under the direction of Mr. McClain, who has charge of the work.

The Main street has been completely worked over, the center having been graded up with heavy soil and sloped off to the storm ditches along the pavement. The hill in front of the Callahan home was ditched deep on both sides in order to allow the water flow in that direction and drain the main part of town. The old mud hole between the American State Bank and the C. A. Cash store, which has been an eyesore for many months, was completely filled up. The hole in front of the McLean Hardware Company suffered a like fate.

It is understood that the city council has definitely decided upon the building of two or more walks at the intersection of First and Main streets and with this improvement our little city will assume a much more attractive aspect.

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Cash Received

Amount of dues paid in	
" received from first entertainment	
" " " 2nd	
" " " 3rd	
" " " 4th	
" " " on Tag Day	
TOTAL	

Disbursements

Belts for library books	
McLean News for tags and post cards	
Books for Secretary and Treasurer	
Exp. of plays	
Exp. of bell	
Exp. on bell	
Exp. on bell	
Exp. on tower	
Exp. on tower by Mr. Hudson	
Exp. on tower by Mr. Newnan	
Exp. on tower and bell	
Exp. on tower for lumber	
TOTAL	

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