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I wish to say to the Angora

Goat Breeders of West Texas,

through the columns of The

Stockman, that I have for this

from E. E. STRICKLEN, these

OZONA, CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JULY 13, 1916

NO. 15

585,908.16

Round-Up of the West Texas Range

Sheep Raising on the Farm.

vear's trade 150 coming two-O. B. Burnett of Memphis, year-old Billy Goats. They are Hall county, purchased on the of good size and are well covered Fort Worth market in June, 1915 with a fine quality of Mohair. 348 lambs that cost him \$971.13. Quality of Mohair first, quantity Within less than eight months, of Mohair second, and size of he marketed 142 of them that Goat third. These are the THREE netted him \$971.10. He has sold THINGS you should keep in mind \$515 worth of wool from them when you are improving your and now has 225 sheep and lambs goats. If you buy your Billy Goats left that are easily worth \$7 per

head. Anybody can figure out the three things will show them-

per cent of profit for himself and selves in your flock. decide whether or not sheep rais- These Billies range in price ing on the farm is a paying prop- from \$15 to \$25. There is no Reporter.

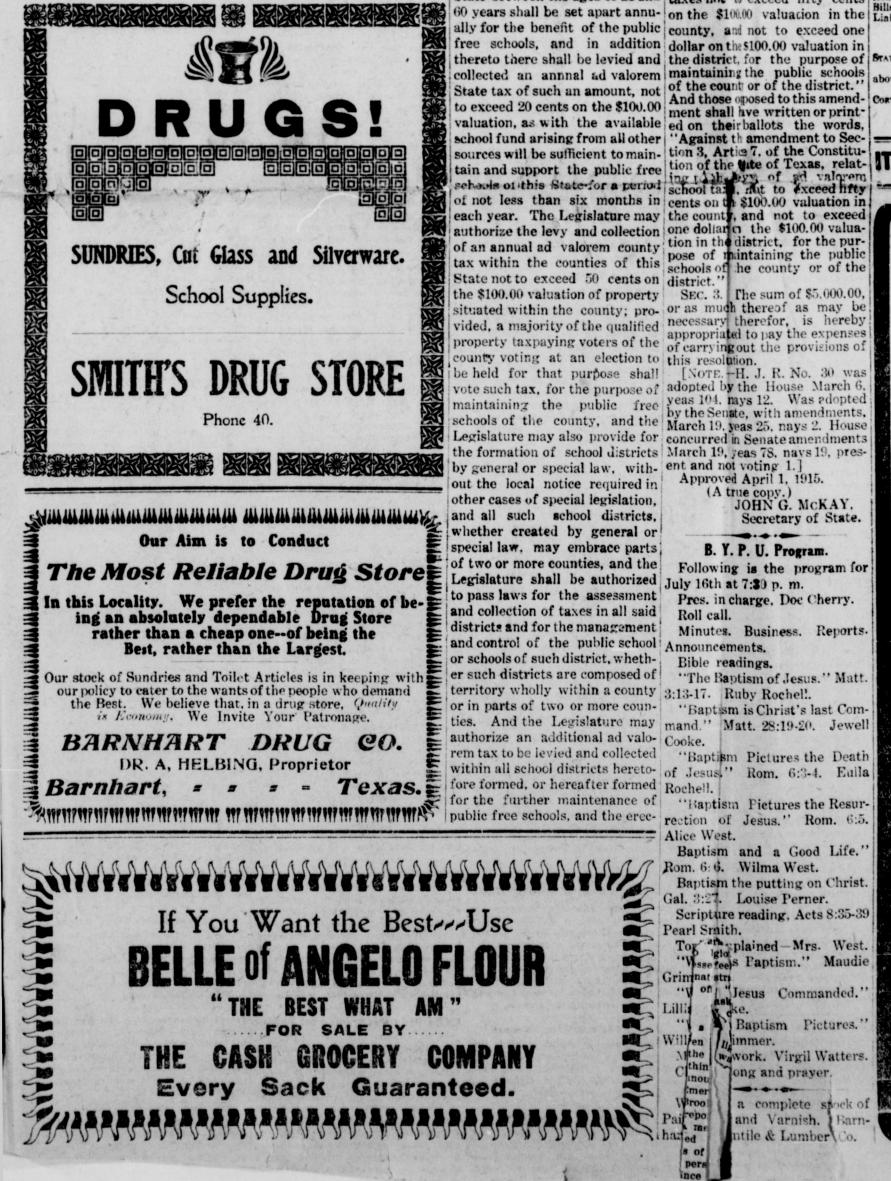
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every particular. Just received a car of Bain E. E. STRICKLEN, Wagons. Let us sell you a wagon. Barnhart Merc. & Lumber Co.

early.

Juno, Texas. Verde Co.

I guarantee satisfaction in



Ranchmen, Please Listen Proposed Amendment to the State tion and equipment of school No. 7748. Constitution Relating to Levying Tax for School Purposes. H. J. R. No. 30.] HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amen iment to Secauthorizing the levy and col- valuation of the property subject valorem district tax not to ex- school districts. ceed one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation of prop-

trict. of the State of Texas:

to hereafter read as follows:

buildings therein; provided, that a majority of the qualified proptrict, voting at an election to be held for that purpose, shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one tion 3, Article 7, of the Con-stitution of the State of Texes, year one dollar on the \$100.00

lection of an ad valorem county to taxation in such districts, but tax not to exceed fifty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of property for the main- of school district tax herein autenance of the public schools thorized shall not apply to incor-of the county, and authorizing porated cities or towns, constituthe levy and collection of an ad ting separate and independent

SEC. 2. The Governor of this erty for the maintenance of State is hereby instructed to issue the public schools of the dis- the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amend-Be it resolved by the Legislature ment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the next SECTION 1. That Section 3 of general election to be held in Noosition. -Fort Worth Live Stock question but what I can give you Article 7 of the Constitution of vember, 1916, at which election just what you want if you come the State of Texas be amended all voters favoring this amendment shall have written or print-SECTION 3. School Taxes .- ed on their ballots the words, One-fourth of the revenue de- "For the amendment to Section rived from the State occupation 3, Article 7, of the Constitution taxes, and a poll tax of \$1.00 on of the State of Texas, relating to every male inhabitant of this the levy of ad valorem school State between the ages of 21 and taxes not to exceed fifty cents 60 years shall be set apart annu- on the \$100.00 valuacion in the ally for the benefit of the public county, and not to exceed one free schools, and in addition dollar on the \$100.00 valuation in thereto there shall be levied and the district, for the purpose of STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF CROCHETT, SS collected an annual ad valorem maintaining the public schools State tax of such an amount, not to exceed 20 cents on the \$100.00 valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources will be sufficient to main-to and those oposed to this amend-ment shall hve written or print-ed on their ballots the words, "Against th amendment to Sec-tion 3, Artie 7, of the Constitu-tion of the district."

Report of the Condition of THE OZONA NATIONAL BANK.

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erty taxpaying voters of the dis- at Ozona, in the State of Texas, at the close of business. June 30, 1916.

RESOURCES.

	Loans and discounts (except those shown on b)		\$363,110.43
	U.S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	\$75,000.00	4000,110.49
	Total U. S. bonds		75.000.00
	Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks)		
	owned unpledged	\$20,000.00	
-	Total bonds, securities, etc		20,000.00
	Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank_ 7,500.00		
	Less amount unpaid 3.750.00	\$ 3,750 00	3,750.04
	Value of banking house (if unencumbered)	5,750.00	
•	Equity in banking house		5,750.00
	Furniture and fixtures,		2,692.32
•	Net amount due from Federal Reserve bank		14,130.98
		\$12,862.12	
	Net amt. due from approved res. agts, in other res. cities	\$46,278.27	59,140.39
•	" " due from bks. and bkrs. (other than inc. in 10 or 11)		25,393.47
	Outside checks and other cash items,	2,186.73	
	Fractional currency, nickels and cents	63.94	2.250.67
	Notes of other national banks		710.00
•	Coin and certificates		10,229.90
P	Redmp fund with U. S. Trs and due from U. S. Trs		3,750.00

LIABILITIES.

n	Capital stock paid in Surplus fund	\$100,000.00 25,000.00
	Undivided profits \$ 67,859.02	-0,000.00
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	Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	58,626.55
;.	Circulating notes outstanding	75.000.00
n	Net amt, ine to bks. & bkrs. (other than inc, in 29 or 30) Demand deposits:	1,235.77
n	Individual deposits subject to check	193,267,21
0	Total demand deposits, items 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 193, 267.21	
10.1	Contificantes of deposit	2.624.93
)	Total of time denosits, items 41, 42 and 43 2.624.93	
S	Rediscounts with Federal Reserve Bank	90,140.92
	Bills payable, inc. obligations rep. money borrowed	40,000.00
e	Liabilities other than those stated	12.78
e		585,908.16

1, Elam Dudley, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the best of my knowledge and belief ELAM DUDLEY, Cashin

E. WEST. Director ECT-Attest to before me this 11th day of July, 1916.

WE ARE

of an annual ad valorem county tax within the counties of this State not to exceed 50 cents on district. for the pur-pose of mintaining the public schools of the county or of the

situated within the county; pro-vided, a majority of the qualified necessary therefor, is hereby property taxpaying voters of the of carrying out the provisions of

[NOTE. -H. J. R. No. 30 was vote such tax, for the purpose of adopted by the House March 6, maintaining the public free yeas 104, mays 12. Was adopted by the Senate, with amendments. schools of the county, and the March 19, yeas 25, nays 2. House Legislature may also provide for concurred in Senate amendments the formation of school districts March 19, yeas 78, navs 19, pres-

Approved April 1, 1915. (A true copy.) JOHN G. MCKAY.

Secretary of State.

B. Y. P. U. Program. Following is the program for July 16th at 7:30 p. m.

Pres. in charge, Doc Cherry. Roll call. Minutes. Business. Reports.

Bible readings. "The Baptism of Jesus." Matt.

"Baptism is Christ's last Comties. And the Legislature may mand." Matt. 28:19-20. Jewell

"Baptism Pictures the Death within all school districts hereto- of Jesus." Rom. 6:3-4. Eulla

> "Baptism Fictures the Resurrection of Jesus." Rom. 6:5. Alice West.

Baptism and a Good Life." Rom. 6: 6. Wilma West. Baptism the putting on Christ. Gal. 3:27. Louise Perner. Scripture reading, Acts 8:35-39 Pearl Smith. Tog igid plained-Mrs. West. "Wsse feels Paptism." Maudie Grimnat str "V on Jesus Commanded." Lilli Baptism Pictures." Willen ulimmer. work. Virgil Watters. the Chinou ong and prayer.

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RTMERCANT LUMBER COMPANY Howard B. Cox, Manager



The booty captured reaches incalculable figures. It is said that 250 field guns of various sizes and upward of 700 machine guns is a conservative estimate. In addition vast quantities of munitions, supplies and transports have fallen into the hands of the Russians.

London .- As the French and British armies are now engaged in reorganizing and preparing for the secthe western front and Russia again no decrease in the violence of the tacks were repulsed. takes the center of the stage. News from Petrograd is highly important gion. In the light of the future develop Dis ments of the Somme battle.

pleting her forces on the western ut and it is considered impossible Austria to risk withdrawing more



are stubbornly contesting every yard began Saturday morning. of the British advance.

idating the ground already won. lages and 500 prisoners and are on which they had captured in the morn- French in the two days' battle is me there is a comparative lull on good roads to Peronne. There is yet ing, but elsewhere the German at-

> German attacks in the Verdun re-Advance is Six Miles.

The French advancing to the east Dispatches from German war cor- of Mereaucourt wood captured the troops captured the village of Curia, respondents indicate the realization Chapitre wood and the village of The question arises among mill that the central powers are losing Feuillers. Further to the south As- bert. tary men hers as to how Germany their initiative, which their favorable sevillers has been taken by an incan come to the assistance of her position on the interior lines had en- fantry assault. South of Assevillers Austrian allies without further de abled them to hold throughout the the French took the second line of German entrenchments as far as the

outskirts of Estrees and advanced beyond the second Gernan line,

Simultaneously with opening of the All unofficial dispatches speak conFRENCH ENTER GERMAN

Paris .- South of the Somme the French forced their way into the seo-Torrential rains hampered the of- points," was reported in the official ond line of the German entrench-Comparatie Quiet on French Front. fensive operations and the British communication issued from British ments at a number of places and capaction was confined mostly to consol- general headquarters in France. The tured the village of Frise and the Germans succeeded in driving some Mereaucourt wood. The number of The French captured two more vil- of the British troops from positions unwounded prisoners taken by the

> stated to be more than 6,000. In the fighting south of Arras the French took prisoner 5,000 Germans. In the course of the night French about seven miles southeast of Al-

A heavy German counter-attack upon the village of Herbecourt, ten miles southeast of Albert, was repulsed, the statement adds. After repeated assaults the Germans were obliged to retreat there in disorder. Austria to risk withdrawing more her troops from the Italian front. hat the Pritish a thorities fully nize thet. and task is far from ded, is indicated by the steps be All unofficial dispatches speak contaken by the ministry of muni-is for the cessation of holidays on the British front, a notable inci-personne which is contract of the important German juction of Personne which is contract of the last 24 hours

conciliatory character.

MRS. HETTY GREEN DIES IN N.Y.

Wall Street Estimates Value of Es

tate From \$20,000,000 to

\$100,000,000.

New York .- Mrs. Hetty Green,

known as the world's wealthiest wo-

man, died here Monday. She had suf-

fered three strokes of paralysis dur-

ing the last two months and for

several weeks had been practically

helpless. Mrs. Green was 80 years

old. Her death occurred at the

home of her son, Colonel Edward H.

For several weeks past Mrs. Green

Wall street's estimate of Mrs.

Green's fortune ranges from \$20,000,-

000 to \$100,000,000. Officials of the

Chemical National bank, in which

Mrs. Green once made her downtown

headquarters, declined to hazard a

guess concerning the size of her es

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had been unable to walk and had

Raiders Across the Rio Grande.

de facto government in restoring order throughout Mexico.

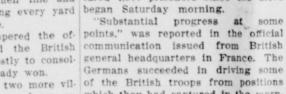
May Mean Financial Ald.

SECOND LINE TRENCHES While the immediate purpose of the negotiations will be the evolution of some plan for tranquilizing the border regions, the discussions may take on a wider scope. There is little doubt that Mr. Arredondo received the impression from Secretary Lansing that if adequate guarantees as to the security of American and other foreign interests in Mexico could be secured the Washington government believes the financial aid so greatly needed by the

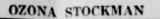
de facto government could be found. Some time ago, it is understood, a suggestion that the Washington government would encourage American bankers to assist the de facto government was made through indirect spent practically all of her time in

channels. General Carranza then had a wheel chair. not felt the pinch of poverty which now threatens his government with collapse and rejected the suggestion. Mobilization of the national guard continued to go forward on schedule according to reports. Publication of Secretary Baker's order that members of the guard tate,

with dependent families be discharged from the service was the first Mrs. Green's Will Filed for Probate. sign at the war department that ten- Bellows Falls, Vt .- The will of sion on the border had relaxed. Mrs. Hetty Green, long known as the wealthiest woman in America,



long course of the war. Russian General Attack.



for munition workers during July.

80 miles before the Turks in the Bag grrive in England. dad region. The Turks are said to The British newspapers consider. have gathered a great army to con- that these events prove that the motest the Russian advance. Among ment of the "great squeeze" has at these troops was the force originally last arrived, and not since the war destined for the invasion of Egypt, began have hopes ran so high. troops which had been in Bulgaria and an army of 130,000 men with captures in the Somme battle total drawn from the Saloniki front. The more than 14,000 prisoners, 12 heavy principal reason, however, is that the guns and 28 field guns. intense heat in Mesopotamia makes campaigning very difficult at this Russ Cavalrymen Cross Carpathians. time of the year.

COAST STORM DAMAGE GREAT.

No Loss of Life or Injury to Persons Disclosed in Reports Received.

New Orleans, La.-Reports of great Alamage to property and growing tions were stored. crops, due to the tropical storm that swept in from the gulf of Mexico over parts of Louisiana, Florida, Mississippi and Alabama Wednesday began to arrive here as communication with the affected sections was restored. In none of the advices from the wide area struck by the storm were there any report of any loss of life and the hope grew that there were no fatalities.

Lloyd-George Suuceeds Kitchener.

London .-- David Lloyd-George has been appointed secretary for war, succeeding the late Earl Kitchener. Sir eign affairs, has had an earldom condirector of recruiting, has been appointed undersecretary for war.

Earthquake in Sicily Kills 100 People

Rome .- More than 100 miners have been buried aive in three sulphur mines near Caltanissetta city. The disaster seems to have been due to a telluric cause. The work of rescue is being hurriedly organized.

Twelve Fourth of July Deaths.

Chicago .- Revised figures show 12 deaths and 376 persons injured fighting will be necessary. Our brave throughout the United States as the toll of the Fourth of July celebrations, as compared with 19 killed and glorious tricolor floats from the dome coast on June 29, says an 903 injured in 1915.

Carrancistas Fight With Villa Men.

Chihuahua, Mex .-- General Ignacio killed in a fierce and bloody battle 15 miles southwest of Jiminez, between a small force of de facto government troops and several regiments which were not to return unless he

dent being the surrender of a com-Russ Retire 80 Miles Before Turks. plete Prussian infantry battalion with A Petrograd dispatch says that the officers to the British near Fricourt. Russians have fallen back almost German prisoners are beginning to advance so far is about ix miles

Up to the present the Anglo-French

London.-Russian cavalry patrols have crossed the Carpathians and entered Hungary, according to a wireless dispatch from Bucharest. The dispatch says the patrols advanced from Kimpolung and entered Hungarian territory on Tuesday. They cut telegraph wires and blew up

buildings in which food and muni-

Russians Lengthen List of Prisoners. offensive. The Germans put into op-Petrograd .-- In an attack on the forces of Prince Leopold, the war office announces, the Russians have ance, but the British troops occupied broken through two lines of German Fricourt and the French captured defenses in the region of Baranovichi. Curlu and nowhere had to yield They captured 2,772 officers and men, 11 guns and a number of machine guns,

Sharp Reverses for Russ in Galicia. by the French and British Berlin, via London.-A notable vic- two days number fully 10,000

tory for the Teutonic forces in Galicia was announced by the war office French and British armies mak Tuesday. Southeast of Tlumach by tact, various points of tactical Edward Grey, the secretary for for- a speedy thrust the Russians were have been taken. The allied si forced back on a front of more than is to extend the hold over the ferred upon him. The Earl of Derby, 121/2 miles to a depth of more than plateau of 300 to 500 feet high five and a quarter miles. Heavy stretches around Albert. At Fritourt. forces have been thrown-into allied Contalmaison and Gommecour attacks on the German lines both Germans made a most desperate efnorth and south of the Somme in fort to defend the highroad from Ar-France in renewed attempts to ad- rase to Bapaume and Peronne,

> pulsed with heavy losses. Easy to Take Washington.

to arms. They say in part: "No

of the capitol at Washington."

To Save Wounded at Sea.

London .- A new project for sav. New York .- Twenty-six childr Ramos, a Carranza commander, was ing life at the time of naval encount from infantile paralysis in ers is reported in a dispatch from boroughs of New York wi that raged all day at Corral ranch, Copenhagen. It says a number of hours, according to an an prominent Danes, actuated by the ment made by Dr. Haven F idea that many sailors might have health con missioner. In H been saved during the North sea alone 191 new cases were of Villa bandits. Both sides suffered battle if boats had been sent out. for observe ion. Thirty extra heavy losses. Rather than retire intend to organize a fleet of several al inspectors were sufnition without carrying out his orders, hundred motorboats along the west sent out to investigate report coast of Jutland. These boats, fly. ditional cases. More than 100 success, General ing the Red Cross flag, will be sent have diad from the disease s sea hattle

Peronne, which is only a ltle over nine villages and 50 square miles of three miles distant from heir ad. French territory held until now by vance at Herbecourt. The French the Germans.

at the farthest point. They ave cap-Italian Offensive Continues Unbroken

tured about 8,000 prisoners. Thus far the new offensiv appears to have had little influence on the battleground around Verdun. The Germans are still showing undiminished vigor in the Meuse region and the French are as steadily resisting. The Russian war office reports the capture of 2,300 prisoners in the various sectors of the eastern front.

There is heavy fighting it many points on the Russian front and the Austrians have opened a powerful offensive south of Linewka and west of Lutsk they inaugurated other asgressive actions, but according to Petrograd were repulsed.

The Italian offensive continues without cessation.

The official British dispatches issued Sunday report the continued eration strong counter-attacks during the night and made desperate resistground already gained.

The German lines in some places have been penetrated to a depth of two miles and the prisoner taken

the North of the Somme, wher the convalue nggle olling which the which vance, but all the assaults were re- is one of the main arteries o the western operations.

The German official report ener ally confirms the success of the first 54 Ships Destroyed by Russians. Petrograd .--- Russian torpedd ls in olian 'icial

Infantile Paralysis Kills 26 ir

Rome .-- Continuing their offensive in the Trentino, the Italians have begun an attack on the Austrian fortified positions between Zugna Torta and Foppiano, says the Italian official statement. . The Austrians were driven from sections of trenches north of Pedescala, the statement adds, and some more trenches were carried between Selz and Monfalcone. In the latter battle 196 Austrians were taken prisoner.

High Meat Prices to Continue.

Washington .-- High meat prices probably will continue indefinitely. This is the conclusion of the department of agriculture as set forth in an extensive report on the situation. High meat prices prevail throughout the world. One reason for this is that the production has failed to keen pace with the increase in pop ulation.

New Oil Pool Believed Found.

Ardmore, Okla .- The Gates Oil company has discovered a new sand in section 15 in the Healdton field. At a depth of 1,267 feet the top of the sand was reached with the drill 15 feet in the pay. The well is producing 500 barrels. Producers say it is equal to finding a new oil field in Carter county.

Roosevelt Volunteer Headquarters.

New York .- Headquarters were opened here for the volunteer division which Theodore Roosevelt has decided to organize in the event of former governor of Forto Rico, is in falo for San Diego with refugees. charge.

New York .- Theodore Roosevelt is preparing to offer a division of approximately 12,000 men to the United States government, accompanied by poats his application for a commission as major general in the event of war with Mexico and a call by the president for volunteers, it was learned shipped to relatives for internment. middle of the stream. here from authoritative sources.

Day. Vote \$158.000.000 for Pensions.

died five 24 appropriating \$158,000,000. The meance sure was called up and disposed of son in less than two minutes. tlyn

rted \$85.000.000 for Good Roads.

dic and adad the good roads bill appropriating is being conducted by the Dallas ing liquor advertisements there there

according to army officers here. No

of the flying arm of the service.

Senate's Army Bill \$328,000,000.

tion bill, revised by the senate mili-

tional guard and the necessity for

equipemnt in the Mexican emergency.

21 Mexicans Killed in Clash.

Will Not Bury Dead in Mexico.

ians who died in Mexico as a result

of fever or wounds received in battle

since the entry of the American

to be in readiness for hospital and

Any Delay in Mexico Crisis Welcome leaves the buk of her estate to her San Antonio, Texas .- Any delay in- leaves the bulk of her estate to her cident to new negotiations with Gen- daughter, Mrs. Matthew Astor Wilks. eral Carranza will be of inestimable The remainder is distributed in benefit to the United States, should smaller bequests to old friends of the course of events cause a general Mrs. Green. No estimate of the toclash between the United States and tal value of the estate is contained forces of the de facto government, in the will.

R. Green.

similar advantage would accrue to Man Tries to Save Girl; Both Drown

the Mexican forces, according to those in close touch with the intel-and Miss Beulah Braden were drown Jefferson. Texas .--- E. E. Brougher ligence department of the army. ed in the Cypress river at the foot of This advantage would consist not Dallas street, in this place. Mr. only of permitting the release for Brougher and wife chaperoned a active service of the 35,000 regulars guarding the border by substitution for a swim. Miss Braden set beyond for a swim. Miss Braden got beyond of national guardsmen, but in the her depth and Mr. Brougher went to concentration of supplies for a big her aid, but was unable to bring her campaign, the mobilization of transashore, and while calling for help, port facilities and the rehabilitation he sank with her, in sight of his wife and children.

Washington .- The army appropria- Lightning Kills Three Little Sisters.

Tyler, Texas.-Saturday evening tary committee and ordered reported, three girls, aged 7 years, 3 years and carries \$328,000,000, an increase of 6 months respectively children of Mr. \$146,000,000 over the bill passed by and Mrs. W. H. Estes of this place. " were instantly killed by lightning at the house. The heavy increase over the house bill were declared by sen. Mount Selman, 22 miles south of ators to be essential in view of the here. Another of their children was reorganization of the army and na- badly shocked. They, with other children, had taken shelter under a tree, when the tree was struck by lightning.

San Diego, Cal.-Twenty-one Mexi. Dallas Leads in Scholastic Census can soldiers were killed and 25 Dailas, Texas .-- Dallas leads every wounded in the clash between blue city in the state by a good margin jackets of the gunboat Annapolis and in the number of children of scholas-Carrancistas at Mazatlan June 18, ceived from the state department of according to officers of the naval education at Austin by J. M. McCortransport Buffalo, which is in port tic age, according to information rehere. The officers said they heard mick, president of the Dallas board the estimates from Mexican sources of education. The scholastic populawar with Mexico. Regis H. Post, prior to the departure of the Buf- tion of the three leading cities is shown as follows: Dallas 27,005, San Antonio 25,965. Houston 25,488. These figures give Dallas a lead over San Antonio, of 1,040 and over Houston Columbus, N. M .- The bodies of eight American soldiers and civil- of 1,517 pupils.

Boy Drowned In North Bosque.

Waco. Texas .--- Udell Chandler, 15 punitive expedition, were brought years old, was drowned in the North here by undertakers sent into Mex- Bosque, about 12 miles northwest of ico by the war department. The Waco. The accident occurred when bodies were embalmed and will be the boy tried to reach a boat in the

Dallas Red Cross Wants 1,000 Women James G. Cannon, N. Y. Banker, Dead Dallas, Texas.-In connection with for many years one of New York's Washington.—Without debate the enate passed the general pension bill appropriating \$158,000,000. The mea-ments are being made by the Ameri-interval and the sound of the mathematical states are being made by the Ameri-circles, died at his country home at can Red Cross to lend all possible circles, died at his country home at aid in the caring for the soldiers and Holden's Bridge, N. Y.

Would Bar Liquor Ads.

Washington. - Senator Smith of field relief work for the wounded Washington .- The senate has shoudl war actually come. In line Georgia, introduced a bill to proagreed to the conference reports on with these preparations a campaign hibit sending of newspapers contain-

Nogales, Arizona-Circutars spread day's British operations, admitting Roosevelt to Raise Division of 12,000. proadcast from Hermosillo by re- the withdrawal of the Germans from cruiting officers and brought here by their first trenches and the abandonrefugees contain a flamboyant call ment of the heavy material therein. troops will simply march northward, destroyed 54 enemy sailing ve brushing the gringoes aside until our the Black sea near the A statement.



SYNOPSIS.

Adele Ia Chesnayne, a belle of New France, is among conspirators at her un-le's house. Cassion, the commissaire, has enlisted her Uncle Chevet's aid against La Salle. D'Artigny, La Salle's friend, offers his services as guide to Cas-sion's party on the journey to the wilder-ness. The uncle informs Adele that he has betrothed her.

An orphaned girl of seventeen pledged against her will by a coarse male relative to marry a man she loathes, needs a good and strong friend at this time more than anything else in the world. To whom can she turn for friendship when she has but two acquaintances? - young Sleur Rene d'Artigny, frontiersman and gentleman of France. and Sister Celeste at the convent. How Adele met her problem is told in this installment.

CHAPTER II .-- Continued.

"Yes, monsieur."

"Oh, you're sweet enough with words. I have heard you before, and found you a sly minx-when my back was turned-but this time it is not I alone who will watch your actions, I have pledged you a husband."

I got to my feet, staring at him, the indignant words stifled in my throat. He laughed coarsely, and resumed his

meal "A husband, monsieur? You have pledged me?"

"Ay! why not? You are 17, and 'tis

my place to see you well settled." "But I have no wish to marry, monsieur," I protested. "There is no man for whom I care."

He shrugged his shoulders indifferently, and laughed.

"Pooh! if I waited for that no doubt you would pick out some cockerel without as much as a spur to his heel. "Tis my choice, not yours, for I know the world, and the man you need. Monsieur Cassion has asked me to favor him, and I think well of it."

"Cassion! Surely you would not wed me to that creature?"

He pushed back his chair, regarding me with scowling eyes.

"And where is there a better? Sacre! do you think yourself a queen to

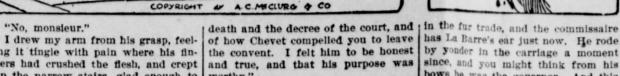
"No. monsieur." ing it tingle with pain where his fin-

gers had crushed the flesh, and crept up the narrow stairs, glad enough to worthy." get away and be alone. I had never loved Chevet, but he had taught me to fear him, for more than once had cal power. To him I was but a chatcharge of me because the law so orhis nature on which I could rely for | trusts him, either, but he has some hold sympathy. I was his sister's child, yet no more to him than some Indian waif. More, he was honest about it. To his mind he did well by me in thus finding me a husband. I sank on my knees, and hid my face, shuddering at the thought of the sacrifice demanded. Cassion! never before had the man appeared so despicable. Yet what could I do? It was useless to appeal to Chevet, and the governor, La Barre, would give small heed to a girl objecting to one of his henchmen. D'Artigny! The name was on my lips before I realized I had spoken it, and brought a throb of hope. I arose to my feet, and stared out of the window into the dark night. My pulses throbbed. If he cared; if I only knew he cared, I would fly with him any-

where, into the wilderness depths, to escape Cassion. But how could I reach him with my tale? There was but one opportunity -the governor's ball. He would be there; he had said so, laughingly glancing toward me as he spoke the words, the flash of his eyes a challenge. But it would be difficult. Chevet, Cassion, not for a moment would they take eyes from me, and if I failed to treat him coldly an open quarrel must result. Chevet would be glad of an excuse, and Cassion's jealousy would spur him on. Yet I must try, and, in truth, I trusted not so much in Monsleur d'Artigny's interest in me, as in his reckless love of adventure. 'Twould please him to play an audaclous trick on La Salle's enemies, and

make Cassion the butt of laughter. CHAPTER III.

I Appeal for Aid. It had been two years since I was at Quebec, and it was with new eyes spoken together, but he is a gallant choose? "Tis rare luck you have such of appreciation that I watched the of true heart; he will never refuse aid an offer. Monsieur Cassion is going great bristling cliffs as our boat glid-to be a great man in this New France; ed silently past the shore and headed already he has the governor's ear, and in toward the landing. Cassion met All I ask is that I be permitted to tell a commission, with a tidy sum to his us, attired so gayly in rich vestments him my story." that I scarcely recognized the man, whom I had always seen before in dull forest garb, yet I permitted him to take my hand and assist me gallantly to the shore. It was evidently ing from the table. Before I could a gala day, for flags and streamers were flying from every window of the lower town, and the narrow, crooked streets were filled with wanderers having no apparent business but enjoyment. Never had I viewed so motly a throng, and I could but gaze about with wide opened eyes on the strange passing figures.



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bows he was the governor. And this "Sister, you must hear me," I said. marriage? when does it take place?" "I have no mother, no friend even to "On monsteur's safe return from the whom to appeal; I am just a girl all great West" The smile came back to his face. I experienced his brutality and physi- alone. I despise this man Cassion; I "Not so bad that, for 'tis a long do not know why, but he seems to be tel, an incumbrance. He had assumed like a snake, and I cannot bear his journey, and might be delayed. I presence. I would rather die than travel with him, you know, and we depart at daybreak. What else did dained, but I had found nothing in marry him. I do not think Chevet this Chevet have to say?"



and this sacrifice with much pleasure. and compels him to sell me as though You shall not marry Cassion while I I was a slave in the market. I am to wear a sword." be made to marry him. I pray you let me see this Sleur d'Artigny that I may tell him all, and beseech his way, ne am I good at it. A soldier of La alle needs more to understand

"But why D'Artigny, my girl? What is the boy to you?"

ever ha faith in steel. I seek no quar-"Nothing-absolutely nothing." I rel, yetif occasion arise this messenger of La Barre will find me quite ready. I know not what may occur. Mademiselle; I merely pledge you my

you must trust to me." Our wes met, and his were kind and

wine shop likely with others of the

kind." There were servants at the door and an officer, who scanned the cards of those in advance of us, yet passed Cassion, with a glance at his face, and word of recognition. I observed him turn and stare after me, for our eyes met, but, almost before I knew what had occurred, I found myself in a side To Lydia E. Pinkham Mediroom, with a maid helping to remove my wraps, and arrange my hair.

I will not describe the scene in the great ballroom, for now, as I write, the brilliant pageant is but a dim memory, confused and tantalizing. I recall the bright lights overhead, and along the walls, the festooned banners, the raised dais at one end, carpeted with skins of wild animals, where the governor stood, the walls covered with arms and trophies of the chase, the guard of soldiers at each entrance, and the mass of people grouped about the full and written consent of the woman room.

Many a name reached my ears famous in those days, but forgotten long since; and once or twice, as we slowly made our way through the throng, Cassion pointed out to me some character of importance in the province, or paused to present me with formality to certain officials whom he knew. It was thus we approached the dais, and awaited our turn to extend felicitations to the governor. Just before us was Du L'Hut, whose name Cassion whispered in my ear, a tall, slender man, attired as a courier du bols, with long fair hair sweeping his shoul-ders. I had heard of him as a daring to realize how these explorer, but there was no premonition that he would ever again come into my life, and I was more deeply interested in the appearance of La Barre. He was a dark man, stern of face,

me with such a tale? Have you no and with strange, furtive eyes, concealed behind long lashes and overhanging brows. Yet he was most graly. and regretfully, "other than the clous to Du L'Hut, and when he turned nuns to whom I went to school, and and perceived Monsieur Cassion next in line, smiled and extended his hand cordially. twice, his head bent in thought, and

I watched him, half frightened lest "Ah, Francois, and so you are here

at last, and ever welcome. And this," he bowed low before me in excess of gallantry, "no doubt will be the Mademoiselle la Chesnayne of whose charms I have heard so much of late. By my The plaintiff proved the promise to faith, Cassion, even your eloquence hath done small justice to the lady. Where, mademoiselle, have you hidden yourself, to remain unknown to us of very glad you do me this honor. I Quebec?"

"I have lived with my uncle, Hugo mademoiselle, for I stand between you Chevet."

"Ah, yes; I recall the circumstances now-a rough, yet loyal trader. He was with me once on the Ottawaand tonight?" "Planing and scheming is not my

"He accompanied me to the city, your excellency, but I have not seen him since."

"Small need, with Francois at your beck and call," and he patted me playfully on the cheek. "I have al- when it will be time to fulfill the ready tested his faithfulness. Your father, mademoiselle?"

"Captain Pierre la Chesnayne, sir." "Ab, yes; I knew him well; he fell on the Richelleu; a fine soldier." He

turned toward Cassion, the expression



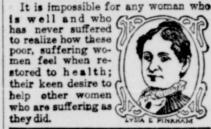
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Once upon a time a well-known adocate, Mr. Byles, before he became a judge, was for the defendant in an action of breach of promise of marriage. marry, and the defendant had married someone else. The case seemed a question of damages, but Byles put two questions to the plaintiff:

"Did not he promise to marry you when his father was dead?" "Yes."

"Is his father dead?"

"No." "That is my case, my lord," said

Byles. "But, Brother Byles," said the judge,

"he has married someone else." "Well, my lord," said Byles, "his wife may die before his father or afterward, and he may outlive them both,

promise. The plaintiff had, in fact, alleged in her pleadings an absolute promise, and

the proof of a conditioned promise was what was called a fatal variance 0. which could not be amended.—London Answers.

Her Hand Closed Gently on Mine.

aid." action, and the D'Artigny breed has

confessed frankly. "We have scarcely

credit in Quebec. What more could any girl desire in a husband?" "But, monsieur, I do not love him;

I do not trust the man."

"Pah!" He burst into a laugh, risdraw back he had gripped me by the arm. "Enough of that, young lady. He is my choice, and that settles it. Love! Who ever heard of love nowadays? Ah, I see, you dream already of the young gallant D'Artigny. Well. little good that will do you. Why what is he? a mere ragged adventurer, without a sou to his name, a prowling wolf of the forest, the follower of a discredited fur thief. But enough of this; I have told you my will, and you obey. Tomorrow we go to Quebec to the governor's ball, and when Monsieur Cassion returns from his mis-



Do You Think Yourself "Sacre! Queen to Choose?"

sion you will marry him-you under stand?"

The tears were in my eyes, blotting out his threatening face, yet there was naught to do but answer.

"Yes, monsieur." "And this D'Artigny; if the fellow ever dares come near you again I'll crush his white throat between my

fingers."

"Yes, monsieur."

me full of idle threats I warrant."

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It was all of such interest I was glad enough to be finally rid of him. and be greeted so kindly by Sister in the stone wall. Celeste.

"Three years have changed you greatly, my child," she said gently, touching my cheeks with her soft hands; "but bright as your eyes are, it is not all pleasure I see in them. You must tell me of your life. The older man, I take it, was your uncle, Monsieur Chevet."

"Yes," I answered, but hesitated to add more. "He is much as I had pictured him,

bear of the woods." "He is rough," I protested, "for his

life has been hard, yet has given me no reason to complain. 'Tis because the life is lonely that I grow old." "No doubt, and the younger gallant? He is not of the forest school?" "'Twas Monsieur Cassion, commis-

saire for the governor."

"Ah! 'tis through him you have in vitation to the great ball," I bowed my head, wondering at the kind questioning in the sister's eyes. Could she have heard the truth? Perchance she might tell me something of the man.

"He has been selected by Monsieur Chevet as my husband," I explained doubtfully. "Know you aught of the man. sister?"

Her hand closed gently on mine. "No, only that he has been chosen by La Barre to carry special message to the Chevaller de Baugis in the Illinois country. He hath an evil, sneering face, and an insolent manner, even as described to me by the Sleur d'Artigny."

I caught my breath quickly, and my hand grasp tightened.

"The Sieur d'Artigny!" I echoed, startled into revealing the truth. "He has been here? has talked with you?"

"Surely, my dear girl. He was here with La Salle before his chief sailed

for France, and yesterday he came again, and questioned me.' "Ouestioned you?"

"Yes; he sought knowledge of you. "To your room then, and think over and of why you were in the household all I have said. You have never found of Chevet. I liked the young man, and I told him all I knew. of your father's

Celeste sat silent, her white hands clasped, her eyes on the stained glass window. It was so still I could hear my own quick breathing. At last she spoke, her voice still soft and kindly.

"I have no power, child, but I will speak with the mother superior, and repeat to her all I have learned. It shall be as she wills. Wait here, and you may trust me to plead for you." She seemed to fade from the room. and I glanced about, seeing no change since I was there before-the same bare walls and floor, the rude settee, the crucifix above the door, and the one partially open window, set deep

Soon I was dimly aware that some-

one had entered the apartment. It was the mother superior, looking smaller than ever in the gloom, and behind her, framed in the narrow doorway, his eyes smiling as though in enjoyment of my confusion, stood D'Artigny. I climbed down from the bench, feeling my cheeks burn hotly, and made obesiance. The mother's soft hand rested on my hair, and there was silence, so deep I heard the pounding of my heart.

"Child," said the mother, her voice low but clear. "Rise that I may see your face. Ah! it has not so greatly changed in the years, save that the eyes hold knowledge of sorrow. Sister Celeste hath told me your story and if it be sin for me to grant you. request then must I abide the penance. for it is in my heart to do so. Until I send the sister you may speak alone with Monsieur d'Artigny."

She drew slightly aside, and the young man bowed low, hat in hand, then stood erect, facing me, the light from the window on his face.

"At your command, mademoiselle," he said quietly. "The mother tells me you have need of my services. This Hugo Chevet-he is a brute. I knowis his abuse beyond endurance?"

"No, no," I hastened to explain. "In his way he is not unkind. The truth is he has lived so long in the woods alone, he scarcely speaks. He-he would marry me to Monsieur Cassion." Never will I forget the look of sheer delight on his face as these words burst from me. His hand struck the bench, and he tossed back the long hair from his forehead, his eyes merry with enjoyment.

"Ah, good! By all the saints, 'tis even as I hoped. Then have no fear of my sympathy, mademoiselle. Nothing could please me like a clash with that perfumed gallant. He doth per-

secute you with his wooing?" "He has not spoken, save to Chevet; yet it is seemingly all arranged without my being approached." "No doubt they are hand in glove

smiling with a confidence in their depths that strangely heartened me. Before I realized the action I had given him my hand.

"Only a threat that if ever you came

near me again his fingers would feel

your throat, monsieur. He spoke of

hate between himself and your father."

ant smile, and grew darker, and I

marked the fingers of his hand clinch.

father was little averse to a quarrel,

although he seldom made boast of it

afterwards. And so this Hugo Chevet

threatened me! I am not of the blood,

mademolselle, to take such things

lightly. Yet wait-why came you to

"None, monsieur," I answered grave-

He walked across the room, once,

"Have I done very wrong, mon-

He stopped, his eyes on my face.

He must have perceived my perplex-

ity, for he smiled again, and pressed

"If so the angels must judge," he

answered stoutly. "As for me, I am

but seek the best plan of service,

"But not violence, monsieur!"

they are useless in such a case."

I had angered him.

my hand gently.

friends?"

sieur?"

"That was like enough, for my

The eyes upon mine lost their toler-

"I de, monsieur, and question no more, though I pray for peace between you. Our time is up, sister?"

seek your hand. The method

Yes, my child," she stood in the doorway, appearing like some saintly image. "The mother sent me."

D'Artigny released my hand and

lowed low "I still rely upon your attendance at the ball?" he asked, lingering at the door.

"Yes, monsieur."

"And may bespeak a dance?" "I cannot say no, although it may ost you dear."

He laughed gayly, his eyes bright with merriment.

"Faith! most pleasures do I find; the world would be dull enough otherwise. Till then, mademoiselle, adieu."

We heard his quick step ring on the tone of the passage, and Celeste miled, her hand on mine.

"A lad of spirit that. The Sieur de la Salle picks his followers well, and nows loyal hearts. The D'Artignys never fail."

"You know of them, sister?" "I knew his father," she answered, alf ashamed already of her impulse, a gallant man. But come, the mother vould have you visit her."

CHAPTER IV.

In the Palace of the Intendant.

The huge palace of the intendant, between the bluff and the river, was ablaze with lights, and already crowded with guests at our arrival. I had seen nothing of Chevet since the morning, nor did he appear now; but Monsieur Cassion was prompt enough,

and congratulated me on my appearance with bows, and words of praise which made me flush with embarrassment. An officer met us, pointing out the

way, and, after he had assisted us to descend from the chair, we advanced slowly over a carpet of clean straw toward the gayly lighted entrance. Soldiers lined the walls on either side, and overhead blazed a beacon suspended on a chain. It was a scene rather grotesque and weird in the red glow, and I took Cassion's arm gladly, feeling just a little frightened by the strange surroundings.

"Where is my Uncle Chevet?" I asked, more as a relief, than because cared, although I was glad of his

sence because of D'Artigny. In faith, I know zot," he answered lightly. "I won him a card, but he

"a scarce gracious about it. In some

of his face changed. "You depart tonight?" "At daybreak, sir."

"That is well: see to it that no time is lost on the journey. I have it in my mind that De Baugis may need you, for, from all I hear Henri de on ?"

Tonty is not an easy man to handle." "De Tonty?" "Ay! the lieutenant Sieur de la Salle left in charge at St. Louis; an Italian



He Was a Dark Man, Stern of Face.

they tell me, and loyal to his master. 'Tis like he may resist my orders, and De Baugis hath but a handful with which to uphold authority. I am not sure I approve of your selecting this lad D'Artigny as a guide; he may play

human mind-say that the big emoticas are born and developed in one's unconscious mind and gradually are ushered into the conscious mind; for instance, that you may be in love long before you are actually aware of the fact. What about D'Artigny and Adele?

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That's Why.

"Why is it," we asked the great detective, "that no matter how intelligent a criminal may be, he invariably leaves some clue for the police to work

"That used to puzzle me, too," admitted the sleuth, "but I finally doped It out this way: There ain't no money in crime, and them that goes in for it does it just for the excitement. Now, it stands to reason that if they wasn't running no risks, there wouldn't be no excitement. So they just leaves a clue or two around to put us on the track, and then they gets fun out of dodging us."

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Question of the Hour: "Did you get that rain?"

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It seems that, after all, it does rain on the people of Crockett county, as well as on the unjust.

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in Ozona would be only a reasonable precaution. trees and grass are dying in the park-all for lack 'It is better to be safe than sorry.'' Moreover, if of water and attention. If the town had not had it is known that we are prepared for any eventuality considerably more rain than other parts of the J. W. TIMMINS as a candidate for rethe moral effect will be good, and greatly reassure county, all the grass in the park and many of the election to the office of District Judge, the people by minimizing any possible danger.

Na Na

Text for Today: "Speak not evil of one another, brethren. He that speaketh evil of his brother, and judgeth his brother, speaketh evil of the law, and judgeth the law: but if thou judge the law. thou art not a doer of the law, but a judge." James 4: 11.

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The legislature of the State of Texas has been repeatedly urged to make it a penitentiary offense to ask-"Is it hot enough for you?" But nothing against the frequent occurrence of this most horrible outrage known to the annals of criminology. Df course, if an ordinary man asks you that, you general county funds, for the reasonable care of an fight him, but what can' you do if a man like the county's property in the source it with eralt we have autority to asnounce Tom

sea battle

Ad Harvick, or Alvin Deland, or Bill Johnigan will be that quite a number of peope in Ozona Nolen as a candidate for re-election to says it to you? We can't always carry a shotgun. will vote against this proposed new isse of bonds. Crockett County subject to the will of the

in these columns we are reminded that on the 22nd Terms Invariably Cash in Advarce. day of this month, which is also primary election day, the property tax payers will be privileged to For County vote on the proposition to issue an additional twen- For Precinct ty thousand dollars' worth of five-per-cent fortyyear bonds for the further construction and mainenance of Crockett county roads.

It is certain that this bond issue will encounter The Stockman to announce him as a canstrong opposition. It is almost equally sure that didate for re-election to the office of the proposition will carry at the polls.

The people of Crockett county are progressive, 50c and they are firm believers in the maintenance of good public roads. The original bond issue of forty thousand dollars was inadequte. There are a few county highway feeders that badly need work. nounce B. I. MAULDIN as a cardidate Others must be kept up-and it all takes money. The first bond issue should have been one hundred OZONA, CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS, July 13, 1916 thousand dollars. Failing in this, the second issue, the one now under consideration, should consist of L. WILLIAMS as a candidate for the forty thousand dollars. This, then, would have office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Important Special Notice to Subscribers totaled eighty thousand, which is twenty thousand Crockett county, subject to the will of the In accordance with the new postal regulations The Stockman will be compelled to cut off those splendid system of public roads. It may well be We are authorized to appounce of would authorize a larger issue just at this time.

Moreover, there is considerable dissatisfaction among the people in regard to the neglect of the courthouse grounds and public park, which are no the office of Tax Assessor of Crockett less the property of the county than are the public county subject to the will of the voters roads. The court house plot and the park cost the at the Democratic primaries.

taxpayers of Crockett county a large sum of money. The Stockman is authorized to anthe expenditure of which has been fully justified nounce Frank M. Holonsley as a candiby the returns, but which now appears to be in date for the office of Tax Assessor of imminent danger of coming to nothing. The vines Crockett County subject to the will of the The organization of a company of home guards and flowers are dying at the court house and the voters at the July primaries.

trees would have been dead. It cannot be denied that if it was right for the

county to create this beautiful property (and no) one will question such right) it is also right to take proper care of it. Several years ago Mr. J. M. office of Drstrict Attorney subject to the Hallcomb, as an employe of the county, not only Democratic primaries in July. kept the court house grounds and park in fine con- We have authority to announce SHEL.

ditiion, but kept the streets of Ozona (every one a BY S. COX as a candidate for the office county public road) clean and sanitary. The serv- of District Attorney subject to the will of ices of Mr. Hallcomb, or of someone equally effi- the voters at the Democratic primaries. cient, could again be secured at a very moderate

For County Judge

salary-and it ought to be done. We have authority to announce Charles Unless it could be assured that some provision E. Davidson as a candidate for re-election has ever been done, and we have no protection shall be made, either from the results of the pros- to the office of County Judge of Crockett County subject to the Democratic primapective bond issue, or from the court house or rics in July

July Primaries

For District and County Clerk. the office of District and County Clerk of

'I HE OZONA STOCKMAN SHOULD WE VOTE THE ROAD ADNDS? ANNOUNCEMENTS What Would We Do Without Sugar?



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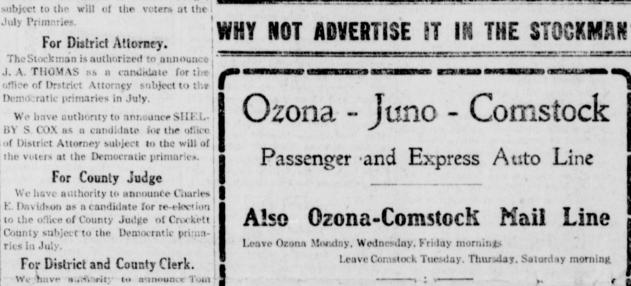
are interesting because we find that in stend of the luxary sugar having gone up it is the FOOD sugar that has raised its price. Yet-even though the price in up we have to have our sweet food just

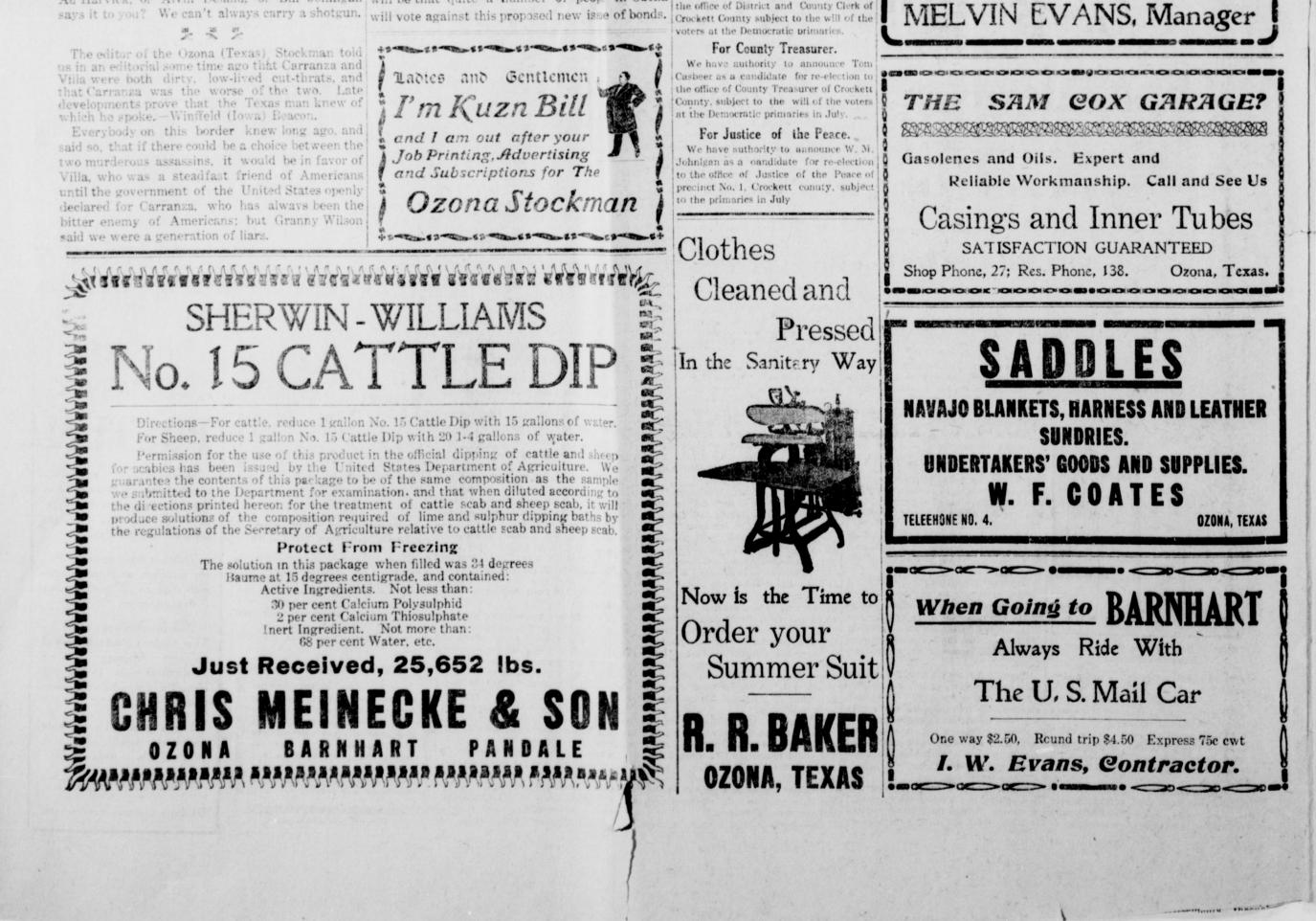
Certainly the makers of that delicious Certainly the makers of that delicions beverage Coca-Cola must have dis-covered that sugar is up, because one of the principal ingredients in making Coca-Cola syrup is fine cane sugar. Think of iti--they use an average of S0 tons of sugar a day-about 4 carbads. But un-like many manufacturers that company has itself borne the raise and so you and I pay just the same today for our bottle or glass of Coca-Cola that we've always paid. Incidentally, this phase of the sit-uation is a good reminder

uation is a good reminde of the benefits one from drinking a h a-Cola. Not only do please our palates and derive whole refreshment from drink but we also our systems that b ugar sweetness necessary to health tissues. Is it any der then that Coca s so popular a



statement that it has, as a hydrocarbon, equal food value with the starchy foods and by digestion largely adds to the fatty tissues of the body. Why do we eat sugar anyway? Your first answer might be: "Because it is sweet and tastes good." Of itself the answer would be correct, but the more important fact is that the body craves sugar because it needs it. And when the body craves something it gives us an ap-petite for it. So primarily that's why we like sugar and things made with sugar and not just because they are sweet. In view of the fact that sugar has gone up so tremendously of late these facts







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aunt, Mrs. Frank Taylor, and her Jim Holmsley has returned cousins, at Juno, Miss Marie Bar- Mrs. Easterling and Miss Alice ment and Sulphur. Barnhart ker has returned home. He just Friend returned Monday after- Mercantile & Lumber Co. couldn't stand it any longer and noon from Alpine. Master Harwent after her in his car.

> Bring me your old jewelry, clocks, watches, etc., and receive them back as good as new. eler.

Enroute home to his ranch on the Pecos, after a 'swing around the circle," Ray Dunlap spent several days in Ozona visiting of Sutton county, and Roy All- man. friends and relatives.

Granite and tin ware, crockery, etc. is on the eve of a big advance in prices. Better go to Chris brought us the fine rains. Meinecke's now and lay in a sup-

piy.

of L. B. Cox and family. Mrs. Short order eats at Johnigan's Shipley is a sister of Mrs. Cox

> and Sport Hats. location.

Fresh vegetables in season and Don't ruin your eyes when you You should see those 9x12 and children. all the good eats fresh and fine can get glasses at very low cost Congalsum Art Rugs at Flowers' and just right from G. B. Bow- Priced cheaper than mail order houses.

one good-natured cuss, allright. for stone tank and cement work. net for you. Chris Meinecke will Good work and right prices. tell you all about it.

Came near forgetting to tell A Fresh Car of Colorado Fan- Fluid and Sheep Dip. Barnhart the Howard Well Ranch for Pre- propriated waters of the State of Drug Company has ice cream and you that Uncle Mac Parker was cy Lump Coal on hand. Barn- Mercantile & Lumber Co. over from Barnhart handshaking hart Mercantile & Lumber Co.

OZONA STUCKMAN

Meet me at Bill Johnigan's. Church Missionary Society now and children and Mrs. Ophelia Please subscribe for this paper. announce that they will have that Friend returned Monday after-Ad Harvick is sporting a new long-deferred Apron Sale, also noon from a pleasant fishing trip Dodge roadster. sell ice cream, in the Ozona Park on Liveoak. They were accom-Friday afternoon, the 14th inst. panied to town by Mrs. Dee Ev-The proceeds will go to the new erett and grandchildren, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs.

Rufe Everett on the ranch.

to Ozona. Best short order ser- store when in need of the best After a pleasant visit to her Gossard make at \$2.00 to \$6.50 Flowers.

ry J. Friend remained for a lon- again after a pleasant visit with ger visit with his grandparents, her brother and family near Mr. and Mrs. John Young.

B. Bowman, the Ozona Jeweler ranch near Sheffield. and Optician, a trial. He guar- The big oil article is crowded

antees satisfaction.

here from Plainview. the guests can get it for yourself. Please outfit.

remember that.

Just received at Flowers' a S. H. Huling for \$1,200, cash, with relatives. Ed Smith came in from Pan- big assortment of the latest Mr. Brown is now in the Cole- Don't forget us when you need dale last week to visit with that "fascination" in Silk Auto Caps man country looking for a new Shoes. We have a large and

> the ranch to see his girl. He has Flowers.

See Essery & Mulkey, Ozona, A splendid free kitchen cabi- eye that was recently injured.

Judge and Mrs. Chas. E. Dav- Ranch for Precinct No. 5. idon and two daughters, Misses Agelo the first of this week.

Flowers.

Bon't forget that we carry a ful line of wool sacks, twine, making fluid and sheep dip.

ELECTION Attest:

Regular Term Commissioners' THE STATE OF TEXAS Court, June 12th, 1916. Be it remembered that on this

COUNTY OF CROCKETT.

TOM NOLEN, County Clerk.

I do hereby certify that the 12th day of June, 1916, the Hon- foregoing is a true and correct For the best of painting, dec- orable Commissioners' Court of copy of an order of the Commisorating and paperhanging. See Crockett County, Texas, met in sioners' Court of Crockett Counregular session: present: B. B. ty, Texas, made at a regular Ses-Misses Lela and Annie Johni- Ingham, Commissioner of Pre- sion of said Court, June 12th, Little Miss Rachel Graham was vice in West Texas. Also cold Corset on the market. We have gan left Sunday for Loraine, cinct No. 1, presiding; Collins 1916, as the same appears of drinks, ice cream, candies, etc. a full line of the well known where they will visit for several Coates, Commissioner of Pre- Record in the Minutes of said cinct No. 2; Wilse Owen, Com- Court, Vol. 2, Page 95.

missioner of Precinct No. 3: WITNESS my Hand and Seal of Jones Miller, Commissioner of Office this 19th day of June, 1916. Precinct No. 4; Jim Moore, Sher-CHAS. E. DAVIDSON, iff, and Tom Nolen, Clerk, [SEAL] County Judge of Crockett County, Texas. ness was transacted:

Whereas: the County Commissioners' Court of Crockett Counthe purpose hereafter stated:

dered by the Commissioners' the law.

Shall the Commissioners Court of Crockett County be authorized ble in Forty Years after date. Mrs. Mary Walker, mother of with option of redeeming same Tom Brown, this week, sold Mrs. W. E. Newton, has gone to at any time after ten years from his home place in Ozona to Mrs. Hillsboro for several weeks visit date, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, paycomplete line for women, men Claver Brightman was in from County.

Said election shall be held at STATE OF TEXAS, in which he

Managers of said Election: Precinct No. 1, L. B. Cox,

mann, Jr.

in Val Verde county, Texas.

You are hereby further noti-Precinct No. 3, A. C. Hoover,

WARNING TO TRESPASSERS. All parties are hereby warned

mer vacation, under penalty of THEREFORE: It is hereby or- prosecution to the full extent of

Roy Hudspeth, big ranchman in the next issue of The Stock- Court of said County that an Boys especially take notice that election be held on the 22nd day roller skating, bicycling and other of July, 1916, at which election forms of nuisance on the grounds

OZONA SCHOOL BOARD.

The Stockman \$2 per year.

No. 157. Notice of Hearing To Appropriate Public Waters.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

Notice is hereby given, to whom able semi-annually, and to levy concerned, that ED SMITH, whose a tax sufficient to redeem them postoffice address is Pandale, at maturity, for the purpose of Texas, did, on the 7th day of improving and maintaining the June. A. D. 1916, file an applicapublic roads of the said Crockett tion in the office of the BOARD OF WATER ENGINEERS OF THE

almost recovered the use of his the Court House in Ozona, in applies for a permit to appropri-Precinct No. One; at the Wm. ate 1 cubic foot of water per sec-Schneemann Ranch for Precinct ond of time, for the purpose of We will have a complete line No. 2: at the Old Hat Headquar- irrigating certain lands hereinof Wool Sacks, Twine, Marking ter Ranch for Precinct No. 3; at after described from the unapcinct No. 4; and at S. B. Phillips Texas, to be diverted from the Pecos River by means of a pump-

And the following named per- ing plant located on Survey No. Dicie and Beth, visited in San sons are hereby appointed as 131, I. & G. N. Railway Lands, and on the Pecos River about 75 miles in a northwesterly direc-2, Wm. Schnee- tion from the town of Del Rio,

Little Miss Rachel Watters is reported very sick.

weeks with relatives.

Remember we carry Lime, Ce-

Christoval.

If no one else is able to give Mrs. D. B. Dunlap is visiting ty, Texas, deem it advisable to against trespassing on the Ozona G. B. Bowman, the Ozona Jew- you satisfactory glasses, give G. hersons, Walter and Ray, on the issue bonds of said County for school grounds during the sum-

out of this issue, but will appear

well, cashier of the First Nation- Mr. and Mrs. Max Schneemann the following proposition shall will not be tolerated. al Bank of Sonora, were in town, are visiting Mrs. Schneemann's be submitted: and claim the honor of having mother, Mrs. Perner, in Ozona this week.

If Meinecke hasn't got it to Remember Chris Meinecke, to issue bonds of the said Counsell he can get it for you mighty the old Ozona standby, when you ty in the sum of Twenty Thous-D. D. Shipley and family are quick and just as cheap as you want to buy a complete camping and (\$20,000.00) Dollars paya-

TO AAT THE WALL Ozona Jeweler and Optician

Now Open for Business in the Old Telephone Exchange Building one Door West of Majestic Theatre, Ozona.

Glasses Accurately Fitted by the Most Up-to-Date Scientific Methods.

Prices Reasonable and All Work Absolutely Guaranteed.

Keep Your MONEY Right Here at Home Don't Send it Away. I'm here to stay.

Mail Orders Receive Prompt Ettention.

G. B. Bowman, Ozona, Texas "The Crockett County Jeweler and Optician"

Bamhart Merc. & Lumber Co.

Forn-to Ed Smith and wife of

Barnhart Merc. & Lumber Co.

telephone Mr. Williams at the of Bonds." ce plant.

Mrs. Robert Massie was out from San Angelo last week to see her sister, Mrs. J. M. Puckett on the sick list.

and Mrs. Arthur Mills.

but only in spots.

Deland Bros. bought the boot and shoe shop from Albert Gotwho has been working in the shop, will remain in Ozona and work for Messrs Delands.

Mrs. M. V. Graham's father, Mr. W. W. Gazaway, died at her home in Ozona Wednesday morning and was buried in the Ozona cemtery that evening. A more extended writeup of Mr. Gazaway's death will appear in next veek's Stockman.

" 4. T.A. Kincaid, fied that the lands proposed to

" " 5, W. Payne. be irrigated are described as Pandale, at the home of Mr. and Said Election shall be held un- follows: Beginning at a point Mrs. Chris Meinecke in Ozona, der the Provisions of Ticle 18, 500 feet west of a corner set on Friday morning, July 7, a big boy. Chapter 1, of the Revised Civil the south line of Survey No. 132. J. D. Noguess, in town from Statutes of 1911, and only quali- thence north 8° 20' E. 500 ft.: his ranch in the eastern part of fied voters, who are property tax thence N. 19° 20' W. 575 feet; the county, reports splendid rains payers of said County, shall be thence N. 31° W. 510 ft.; thence andan abundance of stock water. allowed to vote; and all voters N. 24° W. 520 feet; thence N. desiring to support the proposi- 35° W. 980 feet; thence N. 40°

We have two full cars of fresh tion to issue bonds shall have W. 830 feet; thence N. 45° W. O. K. Cement on hand. Buy written or printed upon their 275 feet; thence N. 61° W. 662 now before the advance in price. ballots the words: "For the Is- feet; thence S. 27° W. 380 feet; suance of Bonds," and those op- thence S. 41° E. 750 ft.; thence H. J. Williams has an almost posed shall have written or S. 45° E. 750 ft.; thence S. 40° new Mason sewing machine that printed upon their ballots the E. 1020 feet; thence S. 33° E. he will sell at a bargain. See or words: "Against the Issuance 500 feet; thence S. 25° E. 500 feet; thence 5. 16° 20' E. 530 The manner of holding said feet; thence S. 6° E. 500 feet;

Election shall be governed by thence S. 90° E. 50 feet to the the Laws of the State Governing place of beginning, containing General Election -. 22.7 acres, and situated in Val A copy of this order signed by Verde county, Texas.

who was in town from the ranch the County Judge of said Coun- A hearing on the said applicaty shall serve as proper notice tion of the said ED SMITH will Mr. and Mrs. Collins Coates of said election, and the County be held by the Board of Water and children are now living in Judge is directed to cause said Engineers of the State of Texas, Ozona. They are occupying the notice to be posted up at the at its office, in the City of Auscottage recently vacated by Mr. places designated for holding tin, County of Travis, said State, said election at least thirty days on Monday, the 31st day of July. Last Thursday we had rains all prior to the date of said election, A. D. 1916, beginning at 10:00 over this immediate section. and to be published in The Ozo- o'clock, a. m., at which time and Ranchmen east and southeast re- na Stockman, a newspaper pub- place all parties interested may port splendid rains. Rains fell lished in said County, for four appear and be heard. Such hearin the south as far as Del Rio, successive weeks prior to said ing will be continued from time to time, and from place to place, election.

There being no further busi- if necessary, until such determiness to come before the Court, nation has been made relative to and the foregoing minutes hav- said application as the said Board holtz, this week. F. E. Piner, ing been read and approved, of Water Engineers may deem Court adjourned sine die, this right, equitable and proper. 12th day of June, 1916.

B. B. INGHAM, Commissioner Precinct No. 1, Presiding.

COLLINS COATES, Commissioner Precinct No. 2. of June, A. D. 1916. WILSE OWEN, Commissioner Precinct No. 3. JONES MILLER,

Given under, and by virtue of. an order of the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas. at the office of said Board, in Austin, Texas, this the 19th day

J. C. NAGLE JOHN WILSON Board Attest: W. T. POTTER, Commissioner Precinct No. 4. [SEAL] Secretary.



BONNETS AND HOODS.

Mrs. Flatbush-What's the matter now Mr. Flatbush-I was only thinking.

'Of what?' "How much easier it is to manage an automobile than a wife.

"Well, don't forget how expensive an automobile is, compared to a wife.

"Well, I admit it costs something for the hood of the automobile, but them. All united in praising the reit's nothing compared to the money cent serial story by Oliver Hughes, the a woman spends for her Lonnets."

Speaking His Mind.

"Permit me to give you some good advice,' said the meddlesonie person. "Go ahead." replied the irascible man. "You can't make me feel any worse than I do already. "Oh, if you are going to 'ake it that

Miss Antique-So he actually said | way, I'll keep silent.' "That's right! Shut up ike a clam

Miss Caustique-Not exactly. He now and catch me some other time said he could hardly keep from laugh- when you will have a bette chance to everybody." spoil my day!'

"Look-a here, Sam!"

"Yes, 'Liza."

yer head?"

me?

father has money.

love me uo more."

and sees me work."

loves yer, honey!"

Too True.

"I's begginnin' to think yer doesn't

"Nonsense, 'Liza; what put ust in

"Why, yer jus' sit thar by the fire

NO MATTER OF DOUBT.

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She-Are you sure that you love

He-Just as sure as 1 am that your

Day After. He thinks of the supper last evening That he bought her after the play-

Ø,

Poor Ananias!

If Ananias were alive today, He'd have no chance for fame; As most any man-so women say-Could beat him at his game

he considered me very witty?

ing every time he saw you.

MEAN OF HER.

Costly Merriment.

"My poor man, how did you happen Lo be arrested?" asked the sympathetic prison visitor.

"It wuz due to poor judgment, mum," replied the second-story man. "How was that?"

"I poked a pistol in a cove's face an' he trembled so I laughed at 'im. Dat made 'im so mad he jumped on me, beat me to a frazzle, an' turned me over to de cops.'

Good Advice.

"If I knew the voters wanted me, I would run for office," said the modest man.

"My friend," replied the practical politician, "you have the wrong idea entirely."

"Why so?"

"Don't wait to find out whether or not the voters want you. Make them think they want you."

Some Salesman.

"I can see at a glance, madam," said he, "that you would not be interested in the preparation I am selling, except possibly as a gift to some of your neighbors."

"What are you selling?" she inquired with interest.

"A facial beauty preparation, madam," he replied .- Judge.

Out of Sight.

Belle-Was that little Styles girl there? Reulah-Oh ros

The Testimonials

OZONA STOCKMAN

Bv GEORGE MUNSON

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The editor of the Slap-Dash Monthly was looking thoughtfully over a pile of typewritten letters upon his desk. He noticed a strange similarity about brilliant young writer whom he had "found.'

One was from a woman in Michigan, and ran, in part, as follows:

"Won't you please give us more stories by Oliver Hughes? They are the best I have seen in years. My husband and I, who used to live so affectionately together, now quarrel every week as to which shall get the Slap-Dash Monthly first. I consider that Mr. Hughes' stories are an inspiration to

Another letter was from a fellow in Ohio.

"Say, bo'," it began breezily, "you hand out them Oliver Hughes stories regular, or I'll can your old mag. Them's the kind of stuff we wants. Red blood and plenty of it."

A third letter, from a school teacher in Massachusetts, went thus:

"Although my lot is cast in the quiet paths of life, I am susceptible to the call of the great adventurous world, "Bless yer, 'Liza! The more I sits and I cannot resist the temptation to here and sees yer work the more I let you know what splendid stories Mr. Hughes' are."

Another was from a prisoner in a state penitentiary.

"Dear editor," it ran, "us poor guys who are shut up from sun and air in a noisome dungeon don't often get a

the testimonial hard.

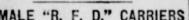
her to the door.

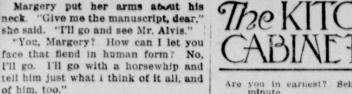
before Mr. Jennings. made, and the convict and the fellow

ingers in typewriting, you know." 'Yes, I know," said Alvis.

"I guess so."

"That let's him out, then. But what clated by the home folks. bout the girl. It's fierce, that swindle." 'Ah, well, wait till you're a married an, Jonnings." answered the editor loftily. "Besides, I guess it isn't much worse than our writing our own testimonials in this office.'





of him, too." "You'd better let me try, Oliver," answered Margaret gently. "You know, you aren't such a diplomatist as I am.' It was on the following morning that the editor of the Slap-Dash Monthly received a visit from a charming young inknown lady in a pretty new suit, who insisted on an immediate interview with him.

"I had to come to see you," she said gushingly, as she sat down beside his "I wanted to say that I think desk. Oliver Hughes' story was just plendid. When are you going to print another by him?"

'I-I don't know," said Mr. Alvis eebly, staring at the apparition bebde him, while his assistant, across the table, ostentatiously knocked the ashes out of his pipe.

"I am sure all his readers must rave mean a lot to your magazine to be able print stories like that. When is his next coming out? Promise me to telephone him at once for another."

you?" asked the editor cautiously. "I have never set eyes on him in

my life," replied Margery. "I am not fit to associate with the great minds of the era. I am only a stenographer, but I think I have a taste for literature. O yes, laugh if you like, but I say Mr. Hughes is a gréat, great man."

"Miss-er-Gibson," said the editor to write us a testimonial to that effect, ve should see fit?"

"Certainly," answered Miss Gibson. "You can use this typewriter, you know," the editor continued.

Five minutes later Miss Gibson handed him the testimonial. It was certainly one that ought to have turned the paper pink, if it didn't.

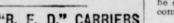
"And you use another story by Mr. Hughes at once?" asked Margery.

"And you'll telephone him?"

came back and placed the testimonial "Same letter j without a tail," said may be put upon what ever work is Jennings. "Same that the schoolmarm at hand.

from Ohio, who also used the typewriter. I guess their little fingers were other simple and wholesome dessert. too short to reach it on this old style Podger machine. Men always use four of proportion, and know that, how-

"Suppose she did it all herself?"





perfectly

Have you gone through your home this pring putting away many pieces of bric-a-brac too



begin it.

order. If not, do so, for the sake of the comfort of your family. If the things have real value shut them away for a time at least and they over him," said Miss Gibson. "It must will be all the more appreciated when brought out again.

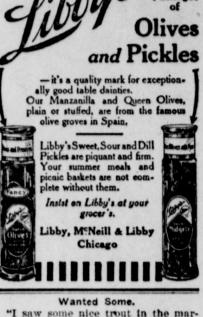
Emerson says. "a lady is serene," doctors tell us that hurry like worry is death to good looks and an enemy "Is this Mr .- Mr. Hughes known to to health as well. The people who accomplish the most in the world are those who plan their work well and serenely accomplish it. Did you ever time yourself on a certain piece of work; for example the making and frying of a rule of doughnuts? If so you will know the time needed and will know what to plan for. Of course, there are always the unexwith inspiration, "would you be willing pected interruptions which we cannot plan on, but it is wise to know to print with Mr. Hughes' next story, if the length of time it takes to do certain pieces of work. If mistresses had a better understanding of these things there would be more peace and harmony in the household. A maid who had a two weeks' washing under way should not be asked to prepare a dinner for invited guests. It is such inconsiderate women who are helping to keep the servant problem still unsolved, and are always looking for a "Ye-yes," said Mr. Alvis, studying servant. If one is possessed with the precious power of concentration, use an alarm clock and set it at the time "I will," said Mr. Alvis, conducting that the dinner is to be started or the bread put into or taken out of the When Margery was gone, radiant, he oven. It takes but an instant to provide this security and it so relieves the mind that the whole attention

> Tapioca baked with sour apples and served with sugar and cream is an-When we learn to keep our sense

ever, desirable it may be to have the washing out early, a sweet temper, a calm and quiet mind are much more to be desired and vastly more appre

An aim in life is the only fortune worth finding; and it is not to be found in foreign lands, but in the heart itself.-R. L. Stevenson,

A man has to live with himself and



ket this morning," remarked Mr. Fisher.

"Did you?" said his wife. "Well, I wish you would go fishing this afternoon."

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Gone.

He-You used to say there was something about me you liked. She-Yes; but you've spent it now.

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Specifications.

"She immediately swept out the room-"

"Hold on a minute. With dignity or with a broom?"

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Texas Directory

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every room. Private

SAVED ON

"As conspicuous as ever?"	That it means free lunch for today.			companyChas. Hughes.	******
"No, she wasn't conspicuous."			FEMALE "R. F. D." CARRIERS		A VADAVE EILMO
"Why, didn't she have on her white	Located.	"I-I Don't Know," Said Mr. Avis		OLD-FASHIONED DISHES.	KODAKS, FILMS
pats?'	Belle-See Beatrice's new dress?	Feebly.	It is Estimated That We Now Have		A PHOTO SUPPLIES
"Oh, yes, but she was sitting on her	Beulah-What new dress?	chance to read your magazine, but I	One Hundred and	With all the new and fancy dishes	
eet."	"The one she had on today."	write to say Oliver Hughes' stories is	Fifty.	that are daily being originated and	SUPERIOR FINISHING
	"That awful short one?"	an inspiration to me to lead a new life.		which we enjoy, there	DEVELOPING FREE
Was It Squeezed?	"Yes, it is short, isn't it?"	when I get free. Give us some more	The post office department itself	are none, no matter how	
Flatbush-My wife is quite mannish.	"That's not a new dress. That's one	and plenty of them."	is not aware of the actual number	tasty that quite take the	Prints 3c each
found her wearing one of my plaid	she wore years ago, before she put or	"Strange," muttered the editor, and	of woman carriers in the rural de-	place of the things we	DI FREINO
ests yesterday?	long dresses,"	turned to his assistant. "Did you see	livery service, but it estimates that	knew and liked in child-	BLESSING,
Bensonhurst-Good for her!		anything remarkable in Oliver Hughes'	there are about 150. This is a very	hood.	H 602, Houston Street, FT. WORTH
"I've been suspicious of her ever	Its Qualifications.	story ?" he asked.	trifling percentage of the total num-	Sally LunnSeparate	Wasthand Hatel PT WORTH TEX
.nce."	"The dove of peace this time will	"I didn't want you to take it." said	ber of carriers, 43,652 in 1914; but it	the yolks from the	Westbrook Hotel, H. B. CHRISTIAS, President
"Why ?"	have to be something of a diplo-	the assistant. "You agreed with me	seems safe to say that a high percent-	whites of two eggs, beat	EUROPEAN STRICTLY FIREPROOF Headquarters and offices of Texas Cattle Baisers
"There was one of my cigars in	matist."	it wasn't worth much."	age of the romance which the rural	SE the yolks, add a table-	Association. Cleanast and most sanitary hotel in
he pocket, and when I found it it	"Well, a dove ought to know how tr	"I agreed with you," replied the edi-	delivery service is supposed to con-	Spoonful of sugar, a ta-	Texas. A beautiful cafe at most sensible prices. Particularly attractive for ladies traveling alone
vas crushed!"	achieve a coup."	tor, "but I told you it was clear that	tain will be found along these 150	blespoonful of shortening, a cupful of	or parties shopping or attending theatre. The Westbrook lobby and meananine is the show place in is. Worth. 800 Rooms. ROOM RATES:
		Mr. Hughes was a young man of prom-	routes.	milk, a half teaspoonful of salt, and	
A Type Sometimes Met.	Strictly So.	ise, and that it would be well to en-		one and a half cupfuls of flour, sifted,	Two persons 200 to 3.00 One person with bath 200 to 3.00 Two persons 60 to 4.50
"That man believes he is making		courage him in view of getting his fu-	the second of the Bereinstein and		Two persons " " \$.00 to 4.50
listory."	protection for its business, as it is	ture work. What do you think of this	not much concerned about the roman-	der, beat again and fold in the well-	0
"Yes," replied Senator Sorghum;		bunch?" And he tossed the letters	tic side of their calling, the Chrir-		Granulated Lids and Piles
only he thinks history ought to be	"What is it?"	over the table to Jennings, who read			
me grand autobiography."	"Manufacturing baby ribbon."	them thoughtfully.	doubtless a very businesslike pro-	not be more than half an inch thick in each. As soon as they are baked,	treated by us, without the use of KNIFE,
		"Sad, very sad," said Jennings, "to	ceeding, and they are willing to leave		CAUSTICS or C.UTER EXAMINA-
MATRIMONIAL TROUBLES.	Speaking of Croton.	think that our promising young man	the flowery notions about the work to	the other and send to the table piping	TION FREE. Belleview Sanatarium, 1513
	"The Croton river, which furnishes	should be a faker."	us who think of the R. F. D. service		Hughes Circle, Dallas, Texas; Phone Sw. M. 228
. f ()	to New York the greater part of the		as symbolized by a placid white horse,	Horseradish SauceTake a cupful	EVERS BARBER COLLEGE
	water consumed in its limits, was	canned." said the editor. "I'd stand	a comfortable looking, inclosed and	of freshly grated horseradish, one	We are now giving one set of standard barber tools
Comment ()	named for an Indian chief," explained	for it in some people, but not in a	easy-going conveyance and a daily	teaspoonful of salt, a half teaspoonful	with each 25 tuition. Wages while learning, big business. Call or write for free catalog. Evers
(Charles)	the teacher.		jaunt through leafy lanes and over purling brooks, with occasional stops	of sugar, a dash of cayenne, two ta-	We are now giving one set of standard barber tools with each Caludidon. Wayes while learning, big with each Caludidon write for free catalog. Ever Harber College, Bept. C. 110 N. Hawkins St., Dallas, and 110 East 15th St., Ft. Worth
EN SY EST	"Oh, teacher !" exclaimed one of the		at cheery farmhouses.	blespoonfuls of lemon juice; mix well	
PROPERTY THE PROPERTY OF THE	bright boys, "I always thought the	first class, but it's going back now."	We who are strong in imagination,	and just before serving add a half	% BARBERS' FURNITURE
	Croton river was named after a bug!'	The same evening, as Miss Margery	however, do not trouble to visualize	cupful of whipped cream.	and SUPPLIES
Ville Ville		Gibson was seated in the parlor, after having dismissed her father and	these leafy lanes when the trees are	Popovers Beat two eggs without	CUTLERY AND GRINDING
	Practical Demonstration.	mother to the dining room, young Mr.	bare, the fences hidden by snow, the	separating, add a cupful of milk, and	Agents Theo. A. Kochs Co., Chicago
	"Think of having a food dictator-	Hughes called upon her with a deject-		then add this slowly to a cupful of	Write or call for new catalog.
1238° 1:14	ship!"	ed mien and a large flat namer sach	farmhouses maddening suggestions of	flour mixed with a teaspoonful of salt.	C. E. HOFFMAN CO.
The for the	"You can get used to it. Our cook	age, with a number of stamps on it.	warmth and cheer that rural mail-	Grease very hot gem pans and bake 40	1709 Main St. Dallas, Tezas
CM TO PAIN	has been successfully operating one	under his arm.	carriers cannot stop to share.	minutes in a hot oven.	- CTDING
16 - 20 Jun F: 58	for years."	"It's come back, Margery," he said,		Corn BreadBeat two eggs very	STRING
8(2.31:3:61		flinging it down on the table. "Our	Facts Concerning Sound.	light, add a tablespoonful of sugar, a	TO AND
	In No Terror.	future la blasted."	In determining the transmission, re-	teaspoonful of salt, a cupful of flour,	DRASS
VI) Contraction	"That bandit doesn't seem to fear death."	Margery leaped for the package	flection and absorption of sound by	sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking	Instruments Artistically Repaired
	"Not a bit. The most fun he gets	"Not your second story, Oliver?" she	various materials, F. R. Watson has	powder, a cupful and a half of sour	and plated. Rehairing violin bows a specialty.
h En the	is supervising his own funeral an	gried. "Not 'It's Blood That Tells'?"	placed a whistle emitting a given note	milk, two tablespoonfuls of softened	and plated. Rehairing violin bows a specialty. Everything for the Band and Orchestra. Send for catalogue. MARSH-MARLEY MUSIC CO., 1810 MAIN 97.,
	nouncements."	"Yes, here it is," said Oliver. "And	in the focus of a parabolic reflector,	butter and a half teaspoonful of soda	DALLAS, TEXAS. Bix doors above the Post Office.
He-I am looking for trouble.	nouncemento.	here's Mr. Alvis' letter."	and in an adjoining room has stationed	dissolved in the milk. Bake in a well greased dripping pan.	
She-This is so sudden.	A Danger.	"He wouldn't take 'It's Blood That	a Rayleigh resonator to receive the	Describer Take a surfat of anti-	Drink and Drug Habits
	"He aspires to be loved for the ene	Tells?" cried Margery in consterna-	sound. The materials to be tested	add one egg, a little salt and flour,	a child Drug Habits
Good Advice.	mies he has made."	tion. "Why, that was a splendid story,	closed the doorway between the rooms.	enough to make a stiff mixture; add-	Successfully Treated
Put not your trust in princes,	"And in so doing is liable to be dis	Oliver! The mean old thing!"	In the tests made, pressed fiber one-	ing two teaspoonfuls of haking now.	HUGHES CIRCLE SANATORIUM
'Tis unwise in most of cases; And it's unsafe to trust in kings-	trusted because of the friends he hav	She opened the letter and read:	fourth inch thick stopped practically	dor Dron from a snoon and cook	1513 Hughes Circle Dallas, Texas Write or call for terms.
Aller if a niture to proper the studie		"Dear Mr. Hughes.	all sound : one-fourth inch cork board.	the second second second second	write of call for terms.

And it's unsafe to trust in kings-The other fellow may have aces.

Deeply Versed.

"Professor Diggs is an authority on the Chaldeans."

"Indeed?"

those ancient people as Mrs. Diggs floers of the house. knows about the Smiths and Joneses who live next door."

Slow Movements.

Bill-Where did they get that new fielder on the college ball nine? Jill-He's a product of the college ess club. Can't you see how slow

sacrificed."

Accounted For.

Surely Does, Bacon—An entomologist says white ants have attacked the lonely home of an Indian farmer, and in a short time "Yes. He knows as much about have eaten many of the sills and

Egbert-Looks as if they were cry. ing to eat him out of bruse and home."

the face of death than white, men." "Of course, they are. They like and now we can't get married." better to dye."

"Dear Mr. Hughes. "We have carefully considered It's 80 per cent and three thicknesses of Blood That Tells,' and regret that we this, 92.6 per cent. The transmission cannot see our way to publish it. Your of sound at constant pitch depends on style of working is, unfortunately, one the porosity, density and elasticity of Your truly."

A working?" shouted Oliver indignantly. "He told me at our last interview as good as accepted, and this is ten

that does not commend itself to us. the material; porous bodies transmitting sound about as they transmit air. "What does he mean by my style

that I could consider my next serial lady, to buy bread. times better than the last. And I that man some money only half an bought you that solitaire on the hour ago. "Indians are much mot : stoical is strength of it, and I'm going to sue Professional (taking in the situa-

him for a nundred dollars anyway. tion)-Yes, my little dear, bless yer.

Not Fasting.

all sound; one-fourth inch cork board,

Professional-Please gimme coppers, Little Girl-Why, gran'ma, you gave

But I'm a terrible bread eater .-- Ideas.

eight minutes without removing the

cover. If a teaspoon is used for drop-

ping, eight minutes is sufficient time

Raisin Pie .- Grate the rind and chop

the pulp of a lemon, add a cupful of

raisins, a pinch of salt, a half cupful

of molasses, a tablespoonful of butter.

Boil together one cupful of sugar

(brown) a half cupful of flour and two

cupfuls of water five minutes; add the

other ingredients and bake in two

for cooking.

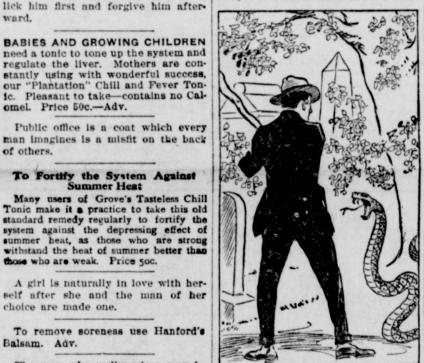
crusts Lecie Maxwell



Snake Eager to Continue.

Then came the battle. Lunging its fangs to their full extent, the serpent tried time and again to sink them into the young man's body, but for a time the youth managed to get away. Miller, however, kept wielding the club, and while so doing the snake shot its poisoned prongs into the youth's hand. The snake seemed eager to continue

A small boy's idea for forgiving an the battle, but Miller started running injury inflicted by another boy is to away. The snake followed for a short



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TWINS IN PRISON s. FOR LIKE CRIMES Finger Prints Only Means by

Which the Two Can Be Told Apart.

San Francisco. - Two brothers, twins, as alike in appearance as two peas in a prd, have been discovered in the rogues' gallery records to be serving separate sentences of five years for burglaries committed in Los Angeles. When the pictures of the prothers

reached Adolph Juhl, head of the police identification bureau here, it was thought at first that the prison rec-



ords were in error, that through some slip two records had been made out for the same man. Juhl immediately wired to the officials at San Quentin and Folsom, asking for the finger prints of Mesak Kartangan, which is the name claimed by both men, and it was only when the prints were examined under the glass that it was found that there were two separate and distinct Mesak Kartangans. The men have prison records in

various parts of the country, and both are graduates of reformatories. One was convicted March 20, 1915. and the other March 18 of this year. They are twenty-two years old.

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Suits.

erous to himself, for the suits were of

"First I put on one suit," he said,

"and then I thought how much better

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Clean Sheet.

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Portly Woman-Then please bring im out so I may have a look at him. My Henry didn't come home last night. and that's a fairly good description of him .--- Puck.

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"I do, ma. He stays at the head of the class most all the time.'

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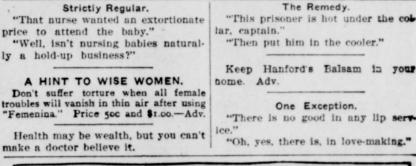
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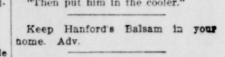
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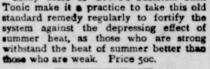
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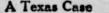
The man who walks wires may be skillful, but he isn't in it with the politician who pulls them.

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It Leaped for Him.

it looked on me than it did on Boyce, distance and then gave up the chase. so I took the others." Miller went to his home and ap-With the disappearance of his suits plied antidotes to his hand, but these and Devine, Boyce came before the had no effect in stopping the intense grand jury and an indictment was re pain which he suffered. Later he turned against the farm laborer. Boyce called upon a physician and the latpaid \$19 to find and return Devine to ter treated the injured member. the city to face the larceny charge. In the course of time the hand and Devine went to Madison, Ind., after

arm began swelling, and when they betaking the suits. came almost twice their normal size, Judge Collins sentenced Devine to Miller decided to come to Harrisburg the penal farm for 90 days. to the hospital. The doctors hope to get the poison out of his system.

FOOT IN FROG; FACES DEATH

Directed Work of Pescue After Twen ty-Four Cars Mangled Him.

Altoona, Pa .- After preparing to make a coupling in the Pennsylvania yards here, Brakeman H. Ward Hall himself, but could not.

Then he tried frantically to save was pushing a draft of 24 cars toward him, but the man on the locomotive could not see him.

When members of his crew found him later, his right arm and right leg had been severed and he was pinned under a big steel car, but still conscious. Every car had run over him. He directed the work of the men who were rescuing him, and was

rushed to the hospital, where he died his death. four hours later.

OLD WOMAN SEES WONDERS First View of Electric Car, Elevator

and Moving Pictures on Visit to City.

Columbus, O .- Mrs. Emily Booker, seventy years of age, a former slave,

first time saw an electric car, an elevator, a moving picture show, and a loaded coal cars, which buckled. His building more than two stories in feet were crushed and his body held as height. Her relatives gave her the in a vise. Erst knowledge she had that a war is But En

in progress in Europe. Mrs. Booker's engine to the rear car and without home is near Middletown, Ky., 30 touching it stopped near enough to miles from a railroad, and almost as permit a coupling. Had he bumped ar from a highway. Once, several his locomotive into the car, Stephens years ago, she saw a party of tourists in an automobile which had strayed the cars were pulled apart the brakefrom the road through the wilderness man was released and feil uncon-

Because He is Unable to Collect \$? Farmhand Seizes Four

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J. R. Maxwell, Atlanta, Ga., says: "I suffered agony with a severe case of exama. Tried six different remedies and was in despair, when a neighbor told me to try Shuptrine's Tetterine. After using \$2 worth of your Tetterine and soap I am completely cured. I can-not say too much in its praise." Tetterime at druggists or by mail \$0c. Soap 25c. J. T. Shuptrine, Savannah, Ga. Adv. Indianapolis, Ind .- William Devine a farm laborer, explained in the crim inal court that, being unable to collect \$3 from James Boyce, living near Flackville, he took four suits of clothes as payment. He admitted he was gen-Ga. Adv.

Tit for Tat.

He-For gracious sake, don't have any more pickled beets when I bring home my friends for dinner. She-Why not? That's the kind you bring home.

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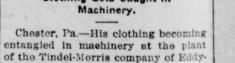
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Man is Whirled Around Shaft Whee **Clothing Gets Caught in**



stone, J. T. Hargoot of Philadelphia slipped from his car and the next in- have been killed had not the buttons on stant his right foot was caught in a his overalls ripped off, allowing him to drop to the floor. Hargoot, who had

been working at the plant less than himself by signaling the engineer, who an hour when the accident happened, is in the Chester hospital with a fractured skull, a broken right arm and numerous other injuries. Physicians expect him to recover, however. Har-

goot had purchased a new pair of overalls, but did not put them on when he went to work. He is satisfied had he worn them instead of using an old worn pair he would have been held to the shafting until he was whirled to

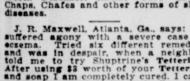
> LIGHT TOUCH SAVES A LIFE Ohio Locomotive Engineer Backs Engine Gently, Releasing Hurt

Lorain, O .- The light throttle touch of William Rawlings, a railroad engineer, recently saved the life of Elmer

Brakeman.

in Columbus visiting relatives, for the Stephens, a brakeman, here. Stephens was caught between two

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