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Fair Dates Near at Hand

September 23-24 are Dates
Set For Lynn Co. Fair.

Editor News:

As the time for the annual State Fair of Texas, and also the Panhandle South Plains at Lubbock, is rapidly approaching, we should begin now to select the best samples of agricultural products in order that Lynn County may make a credible showing at these fairs. I am enclosing the score card of the Dallas State Fair, which will assist our farmers in selecting the exhibits for the Lynn County Fair.

Remember that it requires 1000 points to make a perfect exhibit, and will require that each group contain just the amount specified. So, let us govern ourselves accordingly, and be sure to send an exhibit that will capture some of the highest premiums offered.

Yours truly,
W. J. Crouch.

SCORE CARD - COUNTY EXHIBIT

An excess above the number of samples required in any of the following divisions will not be permitted in the exhibit.

Corn and Kaffirs:

Only one of the three following is to be exhibited and it will be scored on a basis of 250 points. Kaffirs include Kaffir, Milo, Feterita, and any other sorghums.

Either may be shown:

1. Corn—10 samples of 10 ears each and four samples of 50 ears each, of not less than two or more than three varieties—or
2. Kaffirs—10 samples of 10 heads each and 4 samples of 50 heads each of not less than two or more than three varieties—or

Both may be shown.

3. Corn, 5 samples of 10 ears each and 2 samples of 50 ears each, of any two varieties, and Kaffirs—5 samples of 10 heads each and 2 samples of 50 heads each, of any 2 varieties.

Cotton and wheat 250

Only one of the three following classifications is to be exhibited and it will be scored on a basis of 250 points.

Either may be shown.

1. Cotton—4 samples of 20 open bolls each, any variety or varieties—or
2. Wheat—4 peck samples and 4 bundles, any variety or varieties—or

Both may be shown.

3. Cotton—2 samples of 20 open bolls each, any variety or varieties—and

Wheat—2 peck samples and 2 bundles, any variety or varieties.

Oats and Barley 50
2 peck samples and 2 bundles of either—or 1 peck sample and 1 bundle each.

Alfalfa and Sweet Clover
gallons seed and 2 samples of either showing season's growth in bundles—or

1 gallon seed and 1 sample of each showing season's growth in bundles.

Peanuts and cowpeas 50
2 peck samples and 2 vines of either,—or one peck sample and 1 vine each.

Annual Forage Crops.

No grain sorghum shall be considered as a dual crop.

1 bundle Sudan grass.
4 bundles, of different varieties, or kinds, of sorghum, cane or other annual crops grown for forage.

1 peck Sudan grass seed and 1 peck of each of the four varieties of kinds shown.

Fruits 50
Characteristic of County, native and cultivated.

5 plates of 5 specimens each of different varieties or kinds (grapes may be shown in 3-lb. baskets)—and 5 quart jars of canned fruits of different kinds.

Fresh Vegetables.
10 exhibits of different kinds, in pecks, bunches or quantities designated in class No. 76.

Other crops not displayed under Above classifications

5 exhibits of one each, of Bermuda or other tame grasses, broom corn, rye, speltz, edible nuts, popcorn, castor beans, and any other crop not displayed under above classifications. The relative agricultural value as well as the quality of the products shown will be considered in judging this classification. Quantity of each exhibit to be the same as is specified in individual exhibit classes.

Attractiveness, arrangement and neatness of exhibit counts 150 points.

Parent-Teacher Association

Monday morning in the opening exercises of the school, a motion was made and carried to organize a Parent-Teacher Association. A committee was appointed to perfect the organization, and they ask all of those who are interested to meet at the Court House Friday night. The purpose of this association is to bring the parents and teachers closer together and thereby accomplish much more in the school work. Every citizen, whether you may have children in school or not, but if you would like to see Tahoka have a better school, meet with the committee at the Court House, Friday night, 8 o'clock. Committee.

TAHOKA DEFEATED SLATON IN BALL GAME BY 2-1 SCORE

It is with regret that the News failed to report that the local ball club won from the Slaton boys in a snappy ball game played in Slaton on the 18th of August. It is hardly ever the case that this paper fails to give a report of the ball games played by the home team.

W. S. Anglin made a business trip to Eastland since our last issue.

Bring in your exhibits for the County Fair. Everybody's coming.

Rev. Brunson filled the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. J. H. Hunt and wife left the latter part of last week for Plainview. From there they will probably go to points in New Mexico for the benefit of Mrs. Hunt's health. Rev. Hunt recently resigned as pastor of the Baptist church in Tahoka.

Lloyd Preston Cut in Head With Ax

Lloyd Preston received quite a painful wound on the back of his head last Thursday a week ago. Young Preston, in company with a son of Elton George were doing some grubbing near town, and the ax in the hands of the George boy struck Preston on the head in a very dangerous place when they came too near each other. Five stitches were required to close the wound, and at the present time is healing nicely.

Local Gins Ready For Seasons Run

The local plants of the Planters and Fuller Gin Companies now have everything in readiness for the cotton ginning season. The plant of the West Texas Gin Company will not run in Tahoka this season, according to information given out by the manager S. N. McDaniel.

It is estimated that fully as many bales of cotton will be ginned in Lynn county this year as was ginned last year.

Notice

The Church of Christ of Tahoka, will begin a series of meeting Lords Day, Sept. 11th. Bro. C. D. Record of Arlington, Texas, will assist in this meeting. Notice for later announcements.

All who are interested in Bible knowledge and spirituality we invite you to come, and let us study God's word together.
N. M. Bray.

Mrs. Ella Travis returned to her home in Phoenix, Ariz., Monday, after a few days visit with her niece, Mrs. R. L. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sanders are now located at Hico, where they recently moved from Meridian, Texas. In a letter to relatives here they stated that it was their intention to return to Tahoka this fall. Their many friends will be glad to have this popular young couple back with us.

Auto's Collide

Tuesday night, on east Porterfield street, a Ford car driven by Mrs. H. C. Crie, and a Nash Six driven by R. E. Doak, collided, resulting in the smashing up of the Ford and painfully cutting the little grandson of Mrs. Crie, Charles Allen Shook, about the face with flying glass from the windshield. One stitch was required to close the wound. None of the other occupants of the cars were injured.

Mrs. Crie was driving west toward the square and the Doak boy was going east homeward bound when the accident happened.

Ford Again Cuts Price on Models

Slicing \$100 from the price of sedans and coupes, \$60 on the touring cars and \$45 on the roadsters, the Ford car is now selling at very near the lowest price in its history. The new price cuts, which became effective last Friday, are the third to be made since September 1921.

Tahoka public schools opened Monday, September 5th. Parents should see that their children attend regularly in order to get the most out of the school.

Misses Helen and Lorena Brandon, left last week for Cleveland, Ohio, where they expect to remain indefinitely.

Brownfield local capitalists are contemplating installing an ice factory and electric light system. The Brownfieldites would do well to pattern after the City of Tahoka light & power system, as there is no better equipment to be found in the state in towns many times over its size.

Lynn County Fair dates, September 23-24th. Get ready now.

LARGEST BULL IN THE WORLD

What is said to be the largest bull in the world was exhibited at the recent Royal Cattle Show at Sydney, Australia. This bull was in the New Zealand exhibit. It is 7 years old, stands 6 feet and 6 inches high, and weighs 3,700 pounds.

District Court In Session This Week

The fall term of the district court started Monday with Judge Spencer presiding and District Attorney Gordon B. McGuire looking after the interests of the state.

The grand jury was empanelled Monday and was still in session Wednesday.

No cases will be tried by jury during the term and those summoned on the jury list were dismissed Tuesday.

Judge Spencer stated that the petit jury summoned for the second week were also dismissed and word to this effect is being sent out by the sheriff's department.

The murder trial of Mrs. Turner was continued until next term of court in March.

Business Men Carry Page Ad in News

A number of the business men of Tahoka, had placed in the News of this issue a full page advertisement extending a cordial welcome and a hearty invitation to every farmer citizen in Lynn county to buy and sell his produce in Tahoka and to make this his trading point.

This is a splendid move on the part of the business people of this city and will no doubt be the means of securing additional trade from different portions of the county.

L. L. Rice, proprietor of the City Barber Shop, was looking after business matters at Robert Lee the first of the week.

Jno. L. Vaughn, cashier of the First National Bank, at Lamesa, was looking after business matters in Tahoka Wednesday.

Attorney Percy Spencer, of Lubbock was looking after some cases in District court here this week.

Poy Hines and family, of Tahoka, were here Monday transacting business with Lubbock merchants and meeting their many friends in Lubbock. He reports Tahoka progressing nicely and much signs of real activity in town building is noted on every hand—Lubbock Avalanche.

Buick Car Stolen in Sweetwater Seen Here

Word was received here Wednesday to the effect that a Buick automobile had been stolen in Sweetwater, and informed the local officers to keep on the lookout. It developed that the car had arrived here early in the morning and filled up with gas and oil at one of the local garages. When last seen it was headed north.

Chester Connally returned yesterday from Fredericksburg and Whitney, Texas.

Brownfield Pastor to Preach Funeral Oration Of Joy Sherrod

Chaplain Anderson, of the local American Legion, and pastor of the Brownfield Baptist Church, has been asked to deliver the funeral oration upon the arrival in Tahoka of the body of Joy Sherrod.—Terry County (Brownfield) Herald.

The bodies of Joy Sherrod or Calvin Jones have not as yet arrived here, and no definite word has been received by the relatives as to the exact day they will reach this point. Upon the arrival of deceased comrades, a military funeral will be held by the members of the Marion Bradley Post of the American Legion.

Mr. and Mrs. George Small returned Sunday from a weeks stay in Mineral Wells.

J. S. Weatherford orders the address of the News changed from Tahoka to Lubbock.

Messrs. Tandy Pennington, W. T. Crozier, R. Q. Meredith and R. E. King, of Garza county, passed through here yesterday enroute to the Windham ranch in Terry county with the view of purchasing a bunch of cattle.

Mesdames J. B. Walker, H. P. Caviness, I. S. Doak, F. H. Weaver, J. C. May, G. W. Hickerson, J. B. Lowe, J. E. Stokes, R. B. Haynes, and Misses Birdie and Geneva Doak, Mary Preston, and Marile Lowe attended the Baptist Association at Close City, Wednesday.

The handsome residence being erected west of the square for District Manager Small of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., is rapidly nearing completion. It will be modern and up-to-date in its appointments.—Dawson County Journal.

Mayor J. R. Singleton and Alderman I. S. Doak, returned Wednesday from Austin, where they secured for the City of Tahoka a large supply of piping from the State of Texas.

Messrs. S. B. Hatchett, W. O. Thomas and Elton George returned Monday from Fredericksburg, where they attended the P. S. to G. Highway Association. They report the route thru Lynn county will be made a major highway.

"LAHOMA"

"Lahoma," is the title of the picture drama to be thrown on the screen at the Star Theatre, Saturday night, September 10th, announced elsewhere in this issue.

Manager Howard announces that in the future he will show on Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights in each week, and is offering the movie lovers a guaranteed program each night.

The West Texas Real Estate Company has just consummated a deal whereby a Mr. Jones from Post City becomes the owner of the G. H. Tubb farm, northwest of Tahoka. Mr. Jones will take immediate possession.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Richardson left Saturday for Carizozo, N. M., where they will make their future home on a claim near that place.

Messrs. J. G. McDougal and L. A. Hart, citizens of Donley county, are here this week looking after some property interest owned by Mr. McDougal.

Judge Arthur Yonge, of Post, was attending court here the fore part of the week.

Income Tax Installment Due Sept. 15th

The third installment of income taxes is due Sept. 15th. Notices have been mailed out by Scott B. Reed, collector of internal revenue for Texas, to those who chose to pay their tax in installments.

More than thirty sections of fine grass burned near Midland recently. Men and boys from Lamesa, Odessa, Andrews, Stanton and Midland helped fight the fire.

Fair dates—Sept. 23-24th.

State Tax Rate 22c

Austin, Sept. 6.—The ad valorem tax rate of Texas for the next fiscal year was fixed at 22c on the one hundred dollars today by the state tax board, composed of the governor, treasurer and comptroller.

This rate is the same as it was the past year.

Schools Opened Monday

1921-22 Session Opens With Enrollment of 285 Pupils

The 1921-1922 session of the Tahoka Public Schools began Monday morning with opening exercises held in the Methodist Church. A large number of patrons and friends of the school filled the house to capacity. Several interesting talks were made and special music rendered.

Superintendent H. P. Caviness, reports an enrollment of 285 pupils for the first day. This number will likely be increased later on in the season.

All the teachers were present to take up their duties at the beginning of the term, with the exception of Miss Juanita Florence, of Leesburg, Texas, the Spanish teacher, who recently had a severe attack of appendicitis. Her place will be filled by Mrs. Hansford Tunnell, a former Tahoka teacher, until her arrival.

Indications are that Tahoka will experience the most successful term in its history.

Ed Meyers, of Ranger, is here this week visiting with his family.

D. C. Givens, of near Plemmons, Hutchinson County, Texas, accompanied by his family, are guests of his brother, J. W. Givens the local dairyman.

Tom LeMond, a former Tahokaite, orders the address of the News changed from Cisco to Marfa, where he and wife have recently located.

Dr. and Mrs. George Reed, of Lubbock, were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shorman.

Misses Lena and Geneva Doak of Loop, and Birdie and Jewell Doak, of O'Donnell, spent the week end with their uncle, I. S. Doak and family.

W. G. Tarrance and family returned Sunday from an overland trip to Groom, where they visited relatives a few days.

Frank McIntyre, who has been visiting in the Nowlin home, returned to Waco, Saturday.

Rev. W. C. Hinds, pastor of the the Methodist Church, is conducting a series of meetings in Abilene this week.

H. E. Baldrige, left Saturday for Kansas City, on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ketner returned Saturday from Dallas. Mrs. Ketner had been visiting in Temple and Dallas the past two months, and Mr. Ketner spent the past week in Dallas at market.

S. S. Howard transacted business in Hale county the past week.

In a communication received from Everett Stewart of Clovis, N. M., it stated that Joe Denton would meet Mike Baca, the champion boxer of New Mex., at Clovis, on Labor Day.

Attorney Hendrix of Post, was looking after legal business in Tahoka Wednesday.

BLUE PENCIL IS USED BY GOVERNOR NEFF

VETOES ALL CONTINGENT FUND PROVISIONS AND SAVES \$623,760

WACO HOME HAS TO WAIT

Improvements, Repairs and Minor Items Are Stricken, But No Jobs Eliminated

Austin, Texas.—Governor Neff Wednesday signed the eleemosynary bill after cutting the total allowed for the two years by \$623,760, thus making the total now \$5,689,515. He also signed the rural school aid bill carrying \$1,500,000 for the first year and \$1,000,000 for the second year and the bill appropriating \$60,000 for a school building at the Corsicana State Orphans' Home.

The Governor announced that he would also sign the departmental and educational appropriations bills.

The largest cut made by the executive pencil in the eleemosynary bill was accomplished through striking out entirely the contingent funds for the various institutions amounting to a total of \$277,500 each year.

The next largest single cut was accomplished through elimination of the entire appropriation for the Home for Neglected and Dependent Children at Waco for the first year.

Other items stricken out were for improvements, repairs and other minor expenses. No jobs were eliminated.

The rural air bill was signed in the presence of Miss Annie Webb Filantion, State Superintendent of Public Instruction; S. M. N. Marrs of the Department of Education; Lee Borden, head of the rural school division of the Department of Education, and Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of Baylor University at Waco.

Governor Neff also signed the emergency appropriations bill carrying \$577,375, after cutting it down \$4,350 by eliminating an item for traveling expenses amounting to \$750 and another for furniture amounting to \$3,600.

CONTROVERSY OVER YAP IS FINALLY SETTLED

Washington.—Disposition of the Yap question has been virtually agreed upon, so far as Japan and the United States are concerned. Ambassador Shidehara and Secretary of State Hughes, it is learned, have mutually accepted a program which, when formally drafted, will provide as follows:

- 1. Establishes universal extraterritoriality for the island. Any and all nations are entitled to extraterritorial rights and can establish cable stations on the island.
2. Of the three cables radiating from Yap, the one from Yap to Guam, formerly German owned, becomes the property of the United States. The other two, one from Yap to Yokohama and Shanghai and the other from Yap to the Philippines remain with their original owners.
3. Japan's mandate over Yap and other Pacific islands remains binding, although the question of fortifications will be brought up with other Pacific fortifications problems at the coming conference.
4. The Shidehara-Hughes agreement, when drafted is to be subject to the approval of other powers interested in the Versailles treaty and the Pacific.

FIERCE BATTLE BEING FOUGHT IN W. VIRGINIA

Williamson, W. Va.—Telephone reports reaching the office of Sheriff Pinson here indicate that a bloody battle, unprecedented in American history, is being fought along the mountain range that forms the watershed of the Guyandotte and Little Coal Rivers.

These reports are to the effect that virtually the entire army of invading miners, estimated to number almost 6,000, whose march into the striking coal fields was supposed to have been stopped by Brigadier General H. H. Bandholtz, is at grips with a force of equal strength composed of State police, Deputy Sheriffs from several counties and thousands of citizens.

The messages, which came in frequent telephone calls from various sections along the mountain ridge which forms the dividing line between nonunion and union fields of West Virginia, are taken to mean that there is no heavy concentration of forces at any one strategic point.

Filtration Plant Ready Oct. 1 Terrell, Texas.—It is announced by the chairman of the City Commission of Terrell that the filtration plant at the new city lake will be completed by Oct. 1.

Weatherford Shipped Many Melons Weatherford, Texas.—Over 900 cars of melons have been shipped from Parker County to date. Four and five cars are being shipped daily, but the bulk of the crop is gone.

FINAL RULING SOON BY LABOR BOARD

DECISION IN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD CASE EXPECTED NEXT WEEK.

Chicago, Ill.—The United States Railroad Labor Board will issue a final ruling in the Pennsylvania "open shop" controversy next week, it was announced here Monday.

The board is expected to deny the application of the Pennsylvania System, which is seeking to avoid meeting officials of the federated shop crafts organizations to elect employee representatives to meet the executives on the question of drawing up new working rules.

The board has already ruled that this railroad must meet the union officials because the majority of its employees belong to the federated system, but President Samuel Rea has made application to have this ruling set aside.

As the setting aside of this decision would mean that the majority of employees have not the right to select their own representatives in dealing with the carriers, it is believed that the board will not grant President Rea's application.

Keen apprehension is felt in railroad circles here over the outcome of the strike vote being taken by the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen Union officials declared that no statement of the progress of the vote will be made until it is completed, although reports from several important railroad centers indicate that the strike alternative to working for lower wages is receiving strong support.

The other three big train service organizations are also taking a vote, and the federated shop crafts organizations, including thirteen big unions, have already completed theirs.

It is believed that leaders will be able to check sporadic strike out-breaks until all of the unions have completed their balloting and mutually decided on a course of action.

AMERICA WILL MAKE SPECIAL TREATIES

Washington.—The United States Government will make special treaties with the allied powers covering settlement of mandate awards made among themselves under the Versailles treaty, but against which this Government has entered formal protest.

The first of these probably will cover the Japanese mandate over the Island of Yap. Negotiations have been going forward for some time between the United States and Japan, designed to permit of this country participating equally with the other powers in that important international cable center. When an agreement is reached it will be drafted in the form of a treaty, it is said, which will have to be approved by the other allied powers.

No objection is expected to come from these powers on the solution of the problem expected to be reached between Secretary Hughes and the Japanese Foreign Office, and the whole matter is expected to be cleared up before the armament conference meets in November.

A similar situation exists in straightening out the mandate question in Mesopotamia.

GERMAN CHANCELLOR PREDICTS TROUBLE

Berlin.—"The German Republic is in great danger," Chancellor Wirth declared in an interview Tuesday, revealing the serious extent to which the Kaiserist movement has spread, "and it has now become our duty to take our stand against the forces which are opposed to the unity of the German Empire."

The wave of resentment against the Monarchists, whose activities are held to have inspired the assassination of Mathias Erzberger, is sweeping throughout the Republic, and has been crystallized in direct action by the Berlin Government to crush the Ludendorff-Von Der Foltz faction and smash its attempt to arouse sentiment for the old regime.

Los Angeles Limited Held Up Salt Lake City, Utah.—The Los Angeles Limited No. 7 of the Union Pacific system was held up by two masked and armed robbers shortly after 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon near Clearfield.

War Expenses Cost People \$25 Each Washington.—War and preparations for war, cost every person in the United States nearly \$25 each last year, it is revealed in figures made public by the Treasury Department.

Another American's Body Found. Hull, England.—The body of another American killed in the ZR-2 disaster was found Tuesday. It was that of Maurice Lay of Greensboro, N. C., a rigger.

Linz Named State G. O. P. Treasurer. Dallas.—Republican State headquarters will be formally opened in Dallas this week, on the twelfth floor of the Great Southern Life building, with Col. W. E. Talbot in charge, Clarence Ling, state treasurer.

APPEAL TO PRESIDENT FOR FEDERAL FORCES

GROUPS OF ARMED MEN ASSEMBLING—GRAVE DANGER OF A PITCHED BATTLE.

Charleston, W. Va.—Governor E. F. Morgan has made appeal to President Harding to send Federal troops into West Virginia.

Armed men in the Paint Creek and Cabin Creek coal fields are re-assembling at Ma-met and other points along Lens Creek, between the Kanawha River and Madison in large numbers.

Adjutant General Charnock reported to Governor Morgan that developments in Logan County "indicate grave danger of a pitched battle which would be bound to result in many casualties on both sides." He reported a new gathering of armed forces and told the Governor that resentment aroused by the reported capture of several Logan County Deputy Sheriffs by unidentified persons has been growing among the deputies' companions and "may result in an attack for the purpose of freeing the men."

Mr. Porter reported to C. F. Keeney, president of District 17, United Mine Workers of America, of whose executive board he is a member, that he regarded the situation as extremely grave.

After reporting to Governor Morgan, Adjutant General Charnock went into conference with Colonel I. W. Leonard, U. S. A., detailed from Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., to observe the situation. Governor Morgan announced later that he had been in touch with Boone County officials, urging the necessity for taking energetic measures to obtain release of the Logan deputies said to be held prisoners by armed men on the Boone County side of the line separating it from Logan.

Washington, D. C.—The Federal Government is now moving rapidly to protect the State of West Virginia against violence. President Harding has issued a proclamation giving those engaged in unlawful proceedings in the State until noon Thursday to return peacefully to their homes. Brigadier General Bandholtz has been ordered to return to West Virginia and report on whether or not the insurrectionary forces obey this ultimatum. General Shanks, at Camp Dix, has been ordered to keep in readiness.

Madison, W. Va.—Miners are reported to be concentrating on the Logan border and at Blair, just over the line, for the purpose of advancing on Logan.

Deputies and State troops are prepared to meet the invasion of armed miners from Boone County, which it is feared is imminent. Along the ridge separating the valley of the Guyandotte from the miners, machine gunners and riflemen have been placed.

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NO MORE CHAINS ON CONVICTS IN TEXAS

Austin, Texas.—Chains as an instrument of punishment for disobedient convicts have been discarded and will not again be used in the Texas penitentiary during this administration, Governor Neff said in a statement to the press Monday.

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TEXAS COTTON CROP IS ASSUREDLY SMALL

Dallas.—Good feed crops and ample pasturage and forage mark the end of the summer in most sections of Texas. Cotton crop prospects are no better this week as compared with a week ago, but the price of cotton has shown improvement, probably reflecting the now established fact that the crop is very short, due to reduced acreage and poor condition.

Business men in many representative sections of Texas are in better spirits and look for improved business at once. The increased grain and food crops that came as a result of greater diversification are promising to make for more feeding of hogs and cattle in Texas this season and consequent greater profits from them.

Few Asked To Employment Meet. Washington.—Plans for President Harding's national conference on unemployment will probably be completed in time to permit the gathering to meet here by the middle of September, it is announced by Secretary Hoover. Mr. Hoover said it was hoped to limit the conference to from fifteen to twenty-five members, representing the country geographically. A small number is necessary to permit of constructive work and to avoid a debating society.

THE MARKETS

Supplied by the Bureau of Markets, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 20, 1921.—Quotations for week ending Aug. 25.

GRAIN.—Prices advanced during the week on bullish news, short covering, seaboard demand and extraordinary activity in buying wheat and other grains for export. Estimated August wheat exports will break all records and aggregate fifty million bushels. Visible supply figures and good buying demand at end of week helped to keep prices up. Disappointing threshing results in spring wheat territory. Visible supply wheat 24,560,000, a decrease of 2,892,000 bushels for week. Country offerings to arrive liberal. Visible supply corn 10,650,000 bushels an increase of 14,000 bushels for week. Closing prices Chicago cash market. No. 2 red winter wheat \$1.24; No. 2 hard \$1.25; No. 2 mixed corn 55¢; No. 2 yellow corn 55¢; No. 3 white oats \$1.20. For the week Chicago September wheat up 1¢ to \$1.21-22; September corn up 1¢ to 54.5-55; Minneapolis September wheat up 1-1-2 at \$1.29-5-8; Kansas City September 1-1-2 at \$1.12-1-2; Winnipeg October 4 1-2 at \$1.41-2-4. Chicago December wheat closed \$1.22 1-4; December corn 54 1-2-4; Minneapolis December wheat \$1.25 1-4; Kansas City December wheat \$1.25 1-4; Winnipeg December wheat \$1.35 1-4.

HAY.—Comparatively heavy receipts of hay mostly of poor quality have depressed the hay market. Demand is limited to better grades; poor hay selling at ruinous discounts. Alfalfa and prairie prices but little changed; demand light because of good pastures in consuming sections. Quoted August 27. No. 1 alfalfa Memphis \$22; Atlanta \$21; Minneapolis \$20; Omaha \$18; Kansas City \$12.

FEEDS.—Mill feed market drab; demand light; supplies ample. Approximately 16,000 tons of bran and middlings reported held at Lake ports. Inquiry for cottonseed meal, both domestic and export light; prices easier. Corn feeds dull, gluten feed price 35¢ per ton; hominy feed \$1 lower. Alfalfa meal in poorer request. Offerings heavier at lower quotations. Production and movement fairly heavy. Quoted August 29. Bran \$12.50, middlings \$13.50; Minneapolis, 36 per cent cottonseed meal (new crop) \$39.50; Memphis, \$21; Atlanta, \$20; St. Louis, white hominy feed \$21; north-eastern markets, 24 St. Louis; Gluten feed \$30.15; Chicago, \$25.71; Philadelphia, \$24.75.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.—Under influence of increased buying the butter markets advanced the latter part of the week and are now somewhat steady. Receipts and storage stocks show some increase. Closing prices, 92 score, New York 41 1-2; Chicago 39¢; Philadelphia 41 1-2; Boston 42¢.

LIVE STOCK & MEATS.—For the first time since August 1, Chicago hog prices showed substantial advances over a seven day period. The advance ranged from 25¢ to 75¢ per 100 lbs. Beef steers ranged from 5¢ lower to the higher. Butcher cows and heifers gained 25¢-50¢; feeder steers practically steady. Veal calves advanced \$1.50-2.25 per 100 lbs. Fat lambs and yearling down \$1.25; feeding lambs 75-81. Fat steers averaged 50¢ lower. August 20, Chicago prices: Hogs top \$10.10; hogs, bulk of sales \$7.65-10. Medium and good beef steers \$6.25-9.75; butcher cows and heifers \$3.75-58.75; feeder steers \$5.25-7.50; light and medium weight veal calves \$9-11.50; fat lambs \$7.25-9.25; feeder lambs \$5.50-7.75; yearlings \$5-7.25; fat ewes \$2.75-4.75.

COTTON.—Spot cotton prices advanced 26 points during the week closing 14.92¢ per pound. New York October futures advanced 242 points, closing at 16.00¢.

BROTHERHOODS MAIL OUT STRIKE BALLOTS

Cleveland, O.—Strike ballots on the acceptance or rejection of the recent \$400,000,000 wage reduction recently ordered by the Railroad Labor Board have been mailed to the 409,000 members of the "big four" brotherhoods and the switchmen's union of North America.

The ballots revealed a difference of opinion among the chief executives of the five organizations, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, Order of Railway Conductors and the Switchmen using a joint ballot, while the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen sent out a separate ballot.

The trainmen's ballot stated that it had been the intention of all the organizations to use a joint ballot, but that this was impossible because the ballot adopted by the other organizations "did not in our opinion, contain an impartial and unbiased recital of all that is involved, nor did it convey the assurance that the wishes of the men, if against working for reduced wages, would determine the question, and that they would be permitted to leave the service."

The joint ballot declared that if the membership vote was to reject the wage reductions which became effective on July 1, 1921, "it is to be understood that the men were permitted to withdraw from the service of their respective companies unless satisfactory settlement can be reached under the laws of the organization."

"The proposition which confronts our members and others," said the trainmen's ballot, "carried with it an attempt to reverse the decision of the United States Railroad Labor Board on the wage reduction now in effect since July 1, or else persuade or compel the railroad companies to re-instate wage rates that the Labor Board decided should be reduced."

Hardware Men Will Meet Nov. 22. Brownwood, Texas.—The next meeting of the hardware and implement dealers of the fourteen districts of Texas will be held in Brownwood Nov. 22 and 23.

American Steamer Aground. Halifax N. S.—The American steamer City of Brunswick from Mobile, Ala., to Antwerp, is reported aground and calling for assistance from the Sambro Ledges, about twenty miles from here.

STATE NEWS

The second annual convention of the Texas Association of Real Estate Boards, will be held in Fort Worth Oct. 17, 18 and 19.

Enough men will return to the Santa Fe shops at Cleburne this week to bring the number of men employed up to practically normal.

Cleveland, Ohio, will be the meeting place of the 1922 convention of the Retail Credit Men's Association, the board of directors decided at Houston last week.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Texarkana Chamber of Commerce, last week, it was decided to abandon the project of holding a fair this year.

The Cotton Belt Lumber Company of Lufkin with 1,225,000 feet of lumber, was destroyed by fire last Wednesday night, at an estimated loss of more than \$50,000.

The Attorney General has just approved \$900,000 worth of street and sewer bonds for Breckenridge and as soon as printed bonds are submitted they, too, will be approved.

The Abilene City Commission has approved plans for a new high school building and instructed the architect to make blue-prints. Bids will be advertised for in the next few weeks.

Consolidation of rural schools into a large building of good equipment and serving many pupils instead of a few was urged at the meeting of Dallas county school trustees last week.

In the city election held at Comanche last week to vote on \$20,000 street bonds and \$15,000 waterworks bonds, the former carried by a vote of 191 to 28, and the latter by a vote of 181 to 26.

Lightning ignited a \$7,000 barrel tank of oil of the Texas Company at Port Arthur last week. The blaze was extinguished by use of the foam system with a loss of about 1,600 barrels of oil.

Governor Neff has signed the bill prescribing a specific plan for the removal of Prison Commissioners and it is now law, as the bill carried the emergency clause and was given a two-thirds record vote.

A prairie fire cut a swath three miles wide and many miles long near Breckenridge last week and raged unchecked for many hours. The smoke entirely hid the sun. The fire was checked by the Albany road.

Farmers of Jackson County report that the hot dry weather of the last several weeks has utterly ruined the cotton crop. The crop will be the shortest for many years. There will be an abundance of feed made.

By an unprecedented vote, which broke all city and county records, the \$1,000,000 bond issue, which assures Palo Pinto of her proportion of the Bankhead highway and fifty miles of additional paved roads, carried last week.

Donley County Free Fair Sept. 22, 23 and 24, will be held at Clarendon. At this time cash prizes for community and individual exhibits will be given, as well as trips to the Dallas Fair for the Girls' Club and best poultry exhibit.

Promptly at 12 o'clock noon last Thursday both branches of the 37th legislature adjourned sine die at the second called session. There was no quorum present in either House or Senate, there being but a few members in the House when Speaker Thomas gave the final rap with his gavel.

Norman O. Walker of Commerce, Texas, the lone survivor of the fatal explosion which destroyed the ZR-2, was lucky for the second time since his enlistment in September, 1919. Last February the engine of the R-3, in which he was sailing as a member of the crew, caught fire and was only extinguished when it seemed that the craft must be abandoned.

Fourteen thousand eight hundred and two persons are camping in the parks and along the banks of the Plaquemine within four miles of Glen Rose, according to a count made last week.

After granting A. P. Markwood, self-confessed moonshiner, a suspended sentence of one year in the penitentiary, a jury in the Nineteenth District Court at Breckenridge, recently, made up a purse of about \$70 and gave it to him.

The Texas & Pacific Railway Company is now getting its motive power in readiness to handle the cane crop along its line in Louisiana. The crop is said to be one of the largest in the history of the Pelican State.

A traveling man out of Paris, who was up in Arkansas a few days ago, reports that sixteen cars of watermelons that had been loaded for shipment to northern points were dumped on the right of way at Rudy, Ark., on account high freight rates.

MERCHANT TELLS OF A REMARKABLE CASE

Writing from Maxey's, Ga., A. J. Gillen, proprietor of a large department store at that place, says:

"I have a customer here who was bed for three years and did not get a meal at any time. She had five physicians and they gave her out. One bottle of Tanlac got her up, on the second bottle she commenced keeping house and on the third she did all the cooking and housework for a family of eight."

This sounds really incredible, but comes unsolicited from a highly creditable source and is copied verbatim from the letter.

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.—Advertisement.

Good Officers. "A good officer," said General Pershing at a dinner, "turns even adversity to advantage. Like the young drug clerk, you know."

"Young man," a lady said to the chap, "I want about a pint of glycerine please."

"Yes, madam," said the drug clerk "That will be 55 cents—50 cents for the glycerine and a nickel for the bottle."

"But a month ago," the lady objected, "I got some glycerine here, and you didn't charge anything for the bottle."

"Yes, madam," said the drug clerk promptly, "Then that will be 6 cents."

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Rejected.

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is great preparation for these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest of its remarkable record of success.

An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, after an interview on the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and that a large majority of these whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation, sending ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. Why writing be sure and mention this paper.

Discontent.

There are two kinds of discontent. The first is the discontent that works and the second is the discontent that wrings its hands. The first gets work and the second loses work. "There's no cure for the first but success; and there is no cure for the second."—Gordon Graham.

Well, Well. "What's the row about?" "A welfare worker tried his stuff a prominent uplifter."

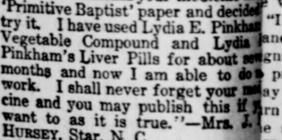
No Danger. "Play poker with a bunch of women?" "No, I can't take their money." "Don't worry. You won't."

WOMAN AVOIDS AN OPERATION

Hope Nearly Gone, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her

Star, N. C.—"My monthly periods gave me so much trouble, sometimes they would last two weeks. I went to doctors without relief and they both said I had to have an operation. I had my trouble four years, and was unfit to pray, anything, and I was given up all hope—never getting any better. I read the 'Then your medicine in it was try it. I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills for about six months and now I am able to do my work. I shall never forget your name and you may publish this if you want to as it is true.'"—Mrs. J. HURSE, Star, N. C.

Here is another woman who has already published, proving to the Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound often restores health to women even after they have given up. Therefore it will surely pay any woman who suffers from ailments pertaining to her sex to give this good old remedy a fair trial.



BABIES LOVE MR. WIGWAG'S Syrup. The Infant and Children's Syrup. Pleasant to give—pleasant to take. Guaranteed purely vegetable and absolutely harmless. It quickly overcomes colic, diarrhoea, flatulency, and other like disorders. The open published form appears on every label. At All Druggists.



A traveling man out of Paris, who was up in Arkansas a few days ago, reports that sixteen cars of watermelons that had been loaded for shipment to northern points were dumped on the right of way at Rudy, Ark., on account high freight rates.

SPANISH DOUBLOONS

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LAND HO!

Synopsis—Jane Harding, respectable and conservative old spinster—but never too old to think of marriage—with more money than brains, is inveigled by a strong-minded spinster, Miss Higgleby-Browne into financing an expedition to hunt for buried treasure on Leeward island. Her niece, Virginia Harding, undertaking to stop her, gets on the vessel engaged for the hunt, and in the confusion is unwillingly carried along. By no means concealing her distaste for the expedition and her contempt for its members, Virginia makes the acquaintance of the Honorable Cuthbert Vane, and is somewhat impressed by his explanation of the presence of himself and Shaw.

CHAPTER III.—Continued.

Mr. Shaw looked at me steadily. His eyes were the kind that seem to see all and reveal nothing. I felt a hot spark of defiance rising in my own.

"And indeed it is too bad," he said coolly. "that the trip should not be more to Miss Harding's liking." The next morning the Scotch burr had been smoothed down by west wandering and being, but you knew at once on which side of the Solway he had seen the highest light.

"It is not a question of my liking," I retorted, trying to preserve an unbecomingly moved and lofty demeanor, though my heart was beating rather quickly at the insurance of my actually crossing swords with the redoubtable adventurer, this man who had often faced whose death, I could not refuse to believe, as steadily as he was facing me now.

"It is not at all a question of my liking or not liking the trip, but of the ever, if you prefer it being—quite the wildest preparation thing ever heard of—a story-book." "Ah—yet the world would be poorer for certain wild trips had not been taken in this age."

I seem to remember one Christopher Columbus, for instance."

By a vivid lightning flash of wrath felt that this adventurer was laughing at me under his sober exterior—even stirring me up as one does an angry kitten.

"Yes," I flared out, "but Columbus did not inveigle a confiding old lady to go along with him." Of course Aunt Jane is not, properly speaking, an old lady, but it was much more effective to pose her as such for the moment.

It was certainly effective, to judge by the sudden firm setting of his mouth.

"Lad," he said quietly, "lend a hand to me, will you? They are overhauling some of our stuff 'tween decks." He waited until the Honorable Cuthbert, looking rather dazed, had retired, and stood facing each other, my breath coming rather hurriedly.

"Miss Harding," he said slowly, "that was a bitter word you said." My head went up.

"Bitter, perhaps," I flung back, "but it is not true? It is for you to answer."

"No, it is not for me to answer, because it is not for you to ask. But since you talk of inveigling, let me give you the history of my connection with the expedition. You will understand then that I had nothing to do with organizing it, but was merely entrusted by me to do my best to carry it through without success."

"I have already heard a version of an operation matter from Mr. Vane." "And you think he is in the conspiracy, too?"

"Certainly not," I replied hastily. "I give up all—of course, I know he told me ever gettically what he believes himself." "Better, I suppose you consider that your medicine was inveigled, too?"

"I am not required to consider Mr. Vane's status at all," I replied with dignity. "It is my aunt whom I wish to protect." And suddenly my voice grew husky. I had to publish my head aside and blink hard at the sea.

is not a most excellent lady," interrupted Mr. Shaw stiffly. "And let me say this, Miss Harding: here we are all together, whether we wish to be or no, and for six weeks or more on the island we shall see no faces but our own. Are we to be divided from the beginning by quarrels? Are we to be even the men of us to be set by the ears through the bickering of women?"

Like the flick of a whip came the certainty that he was thinking of the Honorable Cuthbert, and that I was the rock on which their David-and-Jonathan friendship might split. Otherwise I suppose Miss Higgleby-Browne and I might have clasped each other forever without interference from him.

"Really," I said with—I hope—well-simulated scorn. "since I am quite alone against half a dozen of you, I should think you could count on putting down any rebellion on my part very easily. I repeat, I had no other object in coming along—though I was really kidnapped along—than to look after my aunt. As to the treasure, of course I know perfectly well that there isn't any."

And I turned my back and looked steadily out to sea. After a moment or two I heard him turn on his heel and go away. It was none too soon, for I had already begun to feel uncomfortably for my handkerchief.

Any way, I had had the last word—"The rest of my day was lonely, for the beautiful youth, probably by malevolent design, was kept busy between



"But Columbus Did Not Inveigle a Confiding Old Lady to Go Along With Him!"

decks. Mr. Tubbs danced attendance on Aunt Jane and Miss Browne, so assiduously that I already began to see some of my worst fears realized. There was nothing for me to do but to retire to my berth and peruse a tattered copy of Huckleberry Finn which I found in the cabin.

At dinner, having the Honorable Cuthbert at my elbow, it was easier than not to ignore everyone else. Directly dinner was at an end, remorselessly Captain Magnus led the Honorable Cuthbert away. I retired to Huckleberry Finn. But a face with a scar running to the eyebrow looked up at me from the pages, and I held colloquies with it in which I said all the brilliant and cutting things which had occurred to me too late.

I was thus engaged when a cry rang through the ship: "Land ho!"

CHAPTER IV.

The Isle of Fortune.

I dropped my book and ran on deck. Everyone else was already there. The great gleaming orb of the tropic moon was blinding as the sun. Away to the faint translucent line of the horizon rolled an infinity of shining sea. Straight ahead rose a dark conical mass. It was the mountainous shape of Leeward island.

Everybody was craning to get a clearer view. "Hail, Isle of Fortune!" exclaimed Miss Browne. I think my aunt would not have been surprised if it had begun to rain doubloons upon the deck.

"I bet we don't put it over some on them original Argonaut fellers, hey?" cried Mr. Tubbs.

Higher and higher across the skyline cut the dark crest of the island as the freighter steamed valiantly ahead. Sheer and formidable from the sea rose a line of black cliffs, and above them a single peak threw its shadow far across the water. Faintly we made out the white line of the

breakers foaming at the foot of the cliffs.

We coasted slowly along, looking for the mouth of the little bay. Meanwhile we had collected our belongings, and stood grouped about the deck, ready for the first thrilling plunge into adventure. My aunt and Miss Browne had tied huge green veils over their cork helmets, and were clanking about in tremendous hobnailed boots. All the luggage I was allowed to take was in a traveling bag and a gunny-sack, obligingly donated by the cook. Speaking of cooks, I found we had one of our own, a coal-black negro with grizzled wool, an unctuous voice and the manners of an old-school family retainer. So far as I know his name was Cookie. I suppose he had received another once from his sponsors in baptism, but if so, it was buried in oblivion.

Now a narrow gleaming gap appeared in the wall of cliffs, and the freighter whistled and lay to. There began a bustle at the davits, and shouts of "Lower away!" and for the first time it swept over me that we were to be put ashore in boats. Aunt Jane burst out in lamentation. She would not, could not go in a boat. She had heard all her life that small boats were most unsafe. Why didn't the captain sail right up to the island as she had expected and put us ashore? Even at Panama with only a little way to go she had felt it suicidal—here it was not to be thought of.

But the preparations for this desperate step went on apace, and no one heeded Aunt Jane but Mr. Tubbs, who had hastened to succor beauty in distress.

Then Aunt Jane clutched at Mr. Shaw's coat lapel as he went by, and he stopped long enough to explain patiently that vessels of the freighter's size could not enter the bay, and that there really was no danger, and that Aunt Jane might wait if she liked till the last boat, as it would take several trips to transfer us and our baggage. I supposed of course that this would include me, and stood leaning on the rail, watching the first boat fade to a dark speck on the water, when Mr. Vane appeared at my elbow.

"Ready, Miss Harding? You are to go in the next boat with me. I asked especially."

"Oh, thanks!" I cried fervently. He would be much nicer than Mr. Tubbs to cling to as I went down—indeed, he was so tall that if it were at all a shallow place I might use him as a stepping-stone and survive. I hoped drowning men didn't gurgle very much—meanwhile Mr. Vane had disappeared over the side, and a sailor was lifting me and setting my reluctant feet on the strands of the ladder.

"Good-by, auntie!" I cried, as I began the descent. "Don't blame yourself too much. Everybody has got to go some time, you know, and they say drowning's easy."

With a stifled cry Aunt Jane forsook Mr. Tubbs and flew to the rail. I was already out of reach.

"Oh, dear child!" she wailed. "Oh, my dear child! If it should be the last parting!"

"Give my jewelry and things to Bess' baby!" I found strength to call back. Then the arms of the Honorable Mr. Vane received me. The strong rowers bent their backs and the boat shot out over the mile or two of bright water between us and the island. Great slow swells lifted us. We dipped with a soothing, cradle-like motion. I forgot to be afraid, in the delight of the warm wind that fanned our cheeks, of the moonbeams that on the crest of every ripple were splintered to a thousand dancing lights. I forgot fear, forgot Miss Higgleby-Browne, forgot the harshness of the Scotch character.

"Oh, glorious, glorious!" I cried to Cuthbert Vane.

"Not so dusty, eh?" he came back in their ridiculous English slang. Now an American would have said: "Some little old moon that!" We certainly have our points of superiority.

All around the island white charging lines of breakers foamed on ragged half-seen reefs. Now our boat felt the lift of the great shoreward rollers, and sprang forward like a living thing. The other boat, empty of all but the rowers and returning from the island to the ship, passed us with a hail. We were in the little bay under the shadow of the frowning cliffs.

At the head of the bay, a quarter of a mile away, lay a broad white beach shining under the moon. At the edge of dark woods beyond a fire burned redly. It threw into relief the black moving shapes of men upon the sand.

Straight for the sand the sailors drove the boat. She struck it with a jar, grinding forward heavily. The men sprang overboard, wading half-way to the waist. And the arms of the Honorable Cuthbert Vane had snatched me up and were bearing me safe and dry to shore.

Mr. Shaw approached and the two men greeted each other in their off-hand British way. As we couldn't well, under the circumstances, maintain a fiction of mutual invisibility, Mr. Shaw, with a certain obvious hesitation, turned to me.

"Only lady passenger, eh? Hope you're not wet through, Cookie's making coffee over yonder."

"I say, Shaw," cried the beautiful youth enthusiastically. "Miss Harding's the most ripping sport, you know! Not the least nervous about the trip, I assure you."

"A close call. Thought one time old Nep had got a strange hold all right."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

NEW DECORATIVE TOUCHES SEEN IN SEPARATE SKIRTS



WE SHALL probably have the plaited separate skirt with us many seasons. So long as manufacturers turn out goods in plaid, striped and cross-bar patterns, they will challenge the ingenuity of designers to show what can be done with these patterns by the skillful management of plaits. In separate skirts for fall there are both plain and plaited models but the plaited ones far outnumber other styles.

The box plait and the double box plait appear to predominate, but there is really nothing new to report of these plaitings. It is the materials that make the fall skirts different from those of the passing season. Their colors and surfaces are wintry—cozy and sometimes shaggy looking and these new patterns in fabrics are rich and beautiful as to colors. There is no end to the variety shown in them and designers are beginning to vary skirts by making small tailored ornaments of the fabric and applying them to the plaits, often in the company

of buttons or odd ornaments. The model shown in the picture shows an embellishment of this kind. On alternate plaits, near the bottom of the skirt, appear small decorations, made of a narrow strip of the fabric used in the skirt, and having hemmed edges. These pieces are stitched flat to the skirt and below each of them two little silk-covered, button-like ornaments finish up an effective and new detail in the styles for fall.

Among the woolen skirts there are a number having a dark, plain color alternating with a stripe in two or three colors and various patterns. In these the plaits conceal the colored stripes, but they are glimpsed all the time when the skirt is being worn. Dark blue and dark brown are the colors favored for the plain stripe.

Skirts of satin and silk, usually in black are among the showings. An occasional model has an embellishment of fringe and indicates that fringes will be used on the dressy models for fall and winter.

SIMPLE SMALL FURNISHINGS FOR THE HOME CRAFTSMAN



IT IS pure joy to take commonplace, simple materials that everyone may have, and fashion out of them little decorative furnishings, that add something beautiful to the home. Women have always loved "fancy work"—it is really play for them, and they are happily busy when they are doing it.

And now come the makers of such familiar things as crepe and tissue paper and colored sealing wax, showing what amazingly varied and lovely decorative things for the home can be made of these things. The list is too long to print, but it includes things that the hostess will delight in—and many ornaments that will brighten the house for everyone.

Two small contributions to the home beautiful are pictured here. They are a basket of fruit and a gay cockatoo or parakeet or whatever the brilliant plumaged bird is who delights the eye with his gay colors.

One may cut him from crepe paper that pictures him faithfully—and cut from thin cardboard a replica of him, padding the breast with a little cotton on the body portion on both sides or on one side only. Then this card-

board foundation is covered with the picture which is pasted over its edge. A circle of wire is wound with a long strip of yellow paper and this makes a swing for the bird which is fastened on it with a bit of wire. He can hang against a wall—or wherever he will do the most good.

The basket containing grapes and apples is made of paper rope and shellac. The grapes in purple, green, red, and the small apples have centers of cotton and are covered with sealing wax. The grape leaves may be bought ready made and the tendrils are of wire wound with green paper.

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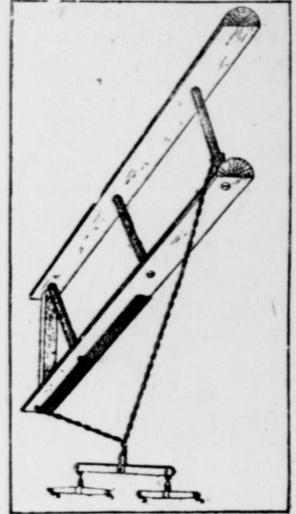
Children's Fashions. Bright colors are to be in high favor for children next fall, and even now many vivid shades are featured. One clever and striking little suit for a boy recently seen had a smock of bright red linen and white trousers banded in red.

BETTER ROADS

DEVICE TO MAINTAIN ROADS

King Split-Log Drag Was the Invention of a Missouri Man—Its Construction Explained.

The King split-log drag is a good drag made of a split log, and originated by Mr. D. Ward King of Maitland, Mo. Mr. King explains the construction as follows: "Take the two halves of a split log, ten or twelve inches thick and seven to nine feet long. Set the halves flat sides to the front, fasten 30 inches apart with strong stakes the ends of which are wedged in two-inch auger holes bored through the slabs. Put a solid plat-



The King Split-Log Drag.

form on the stakes for the driver to stand on. The hitch is made of strong wire or chain, the long end fastened to stake over the top of the front slab, the short end put through a hole in center of the slab and near the end to prevent the back slab tilting forward. Face four or five feet of the ditch end of the front slab with iron. An old wagon tire, worn share of road grader, or any piece of flat steel, will answer for this purpose."

HARD ROADS SAVE GASOLINE

They Also Result in Much Less Wear and Tear on Tires, Springs and General Comfort.

In tests recently made at Cleveland, O., a five-ton truck carrying a full load averaged 11.78 miles per gallon of gasoline over a concrete road and but 5.78 miles per gallon over an earth road in average condition.

The truck was tested over seven different kinds of highway. On the earth road the mileage per gallon of gasoline was as above noted, 5.78. On fair gravel, 7.19 miles per gallon; on good gravel, 9.39 miles; on fair macadam, 9.48 miles; on fair brick, 9.83 miles; on good brick, 11.44 miles, and on concrete, 11.78 miles per gallon of gasoline.

According to the above figures, for a man who drives his auto 8,000 miles during the year and assuming that 4,000 miles of the total will be over medium to poor roads, the balance over fair to good roads, the cost of gasoline would be \$40 to \$50 in excess of what it would be if all of the road was made of concrete.

Besides the extra expense for fuel, there would be a big saving on tires, springs, general wear and tear and comfort.

HAULING ON COUNTRY ROADS

Yearly Average From 1915 to 1919 Amounted to 86,500,000 Tons— Illinois in Lead.

Eleven principal crops afforded 86,500,000 tons for hauling on country roads in the yearly average of 1915 to 1919, or 27 tons per 100 acres harvested. Among the results of computations made by the bureau of crop estimates, United States Department of Agriculture, Illinois is far in the lead of states in providing crop haulage, and its fraction of the United States total is one-tenth, or 8,855,000 tons. Iowa has 6,590,000 tons, and Kansas somewhat more than one-half of the Illinois tonnage hauled, with 4,862,000 tons. Following in order are Nebraska, Indiana, Ohio and Texas, with 4,050,000 tons in the last-named state. The difference between high and low costs of hauling due to poor or good condition of roads reaches a large figure in the hauling of this great tonnage, or a large fraction thereof.

Last Toll Road. The last toll road in New Jersey passed into history when the state highway commission purchased a four and one-half-mile stretch near Camden for \$70,000. The road was constructed in 1850.

Motor Trucks Overweight. During the last year highway inspectors in Pennsylvania weighed 4,073 motor trucks in various sections of the state and found 1,150 to be overweight.

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BEIN' PEEVED WHEN YOUR
CLOCK STOPS, FER TH' SAME
FELLER IS TO BLAME BOTH
TIMES!



CHARLES SUGAR

NEWS 17 YEARS OLD

With this issue, the Lynn County News enters upon its eighteenth year of newspaperdom in Tahoka and Lynn county. Nearly four years of this period the present editor and owner has been connected with the publication. The paper has enjoyed a liberal patronage at the hands of the public and in return has strived to give value received for each dollar spent with us in the way of subscriptions, job work and advertising. It is the constant aim of those in charge to give Tahoka and Lynn county the very best newspaper service possible; one that will be a credit to the town and community. The hearty cooperation and good will of the entire citizenship is the earnest desire of the management. The News in every home in Lynn county, is our slogan.

The News editor wishes to warn those sending in contributions to the paper to sign their names, not for publication, but to show that the report is authentic, and thus clear the management of the responsibility as to its truthfulness.

PULL THE CORK

When the editor approaches the average citizen in quest of news he is invariably told by the citizen "don't know a thing." And the answer is about as near the truth as the nations of Europe are to affecting a prompt settlement of their differences. Everybody knows something and most people know a lot of something that is worth telling and would make a breezy story, but they just bottle up the walls of their dome and forget that it is there. Sometimes the reporter is able to pry loose word by word until he gets the story, when it would be the easiest and simplest thing in the world to let it out with a rush. Pull the cork, brother, and let out the contents of your intellectual bottle and we will pass it on to others who are thirsty for news. You know a plenty if you only know you know you know it.—Exchange.

The Canadian Record gives the Herald and Lynn County News a little fath rly advice about our respective ball teams, and intimates that some of our boys are "throwing" the game, or our umpires have "up" money, and that all is fair in love and war, or words to that effect. But nothing like this in the ranks of Brownfield and Tahoka sluggers, and we'll bet we can prove it by Haynes, even though we are at sword's edge and the fact that a lot of "bull" and blood may be shed at first sight we have of each other.—Terry County Herald.

Loomis, of the Canadian Record very near hit the nail right on the head, for, if we remember correctly, it came to pass during a hotly contested game between Tahoka and Brownfield last season that a Brownfield "umps" had a "roll" as big as your leg "up" on the game, and Brownfield won by a close shave. We cannot say this has happened this season, for Tahoka has been unable to match a game with the Terryites in several month's. What's wrong, Stricklin. Come on over Jack, our lights are still burning and there'll be no bloodshed if we are able to navigate.

Lynn county stockmen are having considerable trouble of late keeping a plentiful supply of water for their cattle, owing to the wind not blowing hard enough to turn their windmills. On Saturday, several stockmen were in town securing engines to pump the water.

Small Towns Should Have Building and Loan Ass'n.

Every town in West Texas with as many as one thousand in habitants or in some cases even less, ought to have a local Building and Loan Association. The Texas laws are not difficult to comply with and are liberal. The house shortage continues, and a remarkable feature of this shortage is that it is just as acute in the small town of 1000 inhabitants as it is in the larger places. It is contended with ample argument, by lumber and contracting parties, that the Homestead laws of Texas operate against securing of cheap money from outside loaning companies for housing purposes, and again these large companies as a rule refuse to loan money in towns of less than 5,000 inhabitants.

Ordinarily the building of as many as a dozen new houses a year through the operation of a local Building and Loan Association materially helps the local situation.

This organization is in position to advise towns that may be interested exactly how to proceed. Money invested in a properly organized Building and Loan Association is a good investment. If 100 persons pay in \$10.00 per month to an ordinary small town association, the local association would have \$1,000.00 per month to loan. The operating expenses are extremely light.

If interested kindly advise us. West Texas Chamber of Commerce, by Porter A. Whaley, Manager.

KNOCKERS

Knockers, agitators and chronic growlers are a detriment to any town. There is one of that ilk in our city. He has been here a couple of months and few doubt if he has done a tap of work since he came. He is ever ready to criticise those endeavoring to upbuild the community and of course being no good himself he can't see any good in anybody else. The sooner he makes himself scarce around these "diggings," the better it will be for all concerned.—Ex.

One of the most prominent bankers in Northwest Texas made a speech the other day, in which he said "there are too many automobiles and too few homes owned by our young married people." It is indeed sadly true. The home is the first thing a young couple should think of owning, for it is the foundation for a happy, useful and successful life. The auto is alright, but it should come after the home is paid for, never before.—Plainview News.

Wilson News

R. C. Forrester and family spent last week visiting relatives in Midland.

Frank Brown and family of Canyon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown, and other relatives here last week.

Mark Burns and family left in the family Ford Thursday morning for a visit with Mrs. Burns' sister in Oklahoma. Lynn West is substituting mail carrier on Rt. 1 during Mr. Burns' absence.

Elijah Hendrix of Childress, visited his parents Saturday and Sunday, and Grandpa and Grandma went home with him for a couple of weeks visit. Mesdames Scott and Forrester and daughters were Slaton visitors Monday.

A number of Wilson folks attended the Brownfield Association which met with the Friendship Baptist church at Close City this week.

Johnnie Williams and Edwin May left Tuesday for Roswell, N. M., where they will enter the New Mexico Military Institute.

Homer Scott and Milton Cobb who are working in Tahoka,

spent Sunday with home folks. Reporter.

Dove Season

Opened September 1

As the hunting season approaches many hunting parties are being planned. The sand hills are reported to be full of quail and the breaks below the caprock have more quail than in many years.

The dove season opened Thursday, Sept. 1st. The open season on various kinds of game in Texas is as follows:

- Deer—Nov. 1, to Dec. 1.
- Quail—Nov. 1 to Jan. 1.
- Wild Turkey—Mar. 1 to Apr. 1.
- Prairie Chickens—No open season.
- Duck, Goose, etc.—Oct. 16 to Jan. 15th.
- Wilson Snipe—Oct. 16 to Jan. 31.
- Dove—Sept. 1 to Dec. 15.

LAND WILL GO HIGHER SOON

Right now is the best possible time for people to invest in Plains land, for it is a certainty that land here will never again be as cheap as it is now, and when business gets back to normalcy over the nation, as it will sooner or later, Plains land is going to be increased in price very greatly. The man who has enough money to buy land or pay the initial payment can not make a better investment than in Plains land now. The man who wants to buy for a farm and home should by all means buy before prices increase, as they are sure to do.—Plainview News.

MUST PUBLISH ALL LEGAL NOTICES IN THE FUTURE

All notices heretofore required to be posted, must now be printed in some newspaper in the same county and for the same length of time as it was formerly necessary to post such notices. The posting of such notice is not now required, and is only that much extra trouble, they have no legal value or significance. Act of 1917, Section 4, Article 60 relates to same. Note particularly that posted notice is not legal notice, and no bond or other election is valid unless same is published as required by law.

If you fail to receive the News every week, it might be that your subscription has expired. In justice to ourselves, and in order that the paper may not be sent to any one who do not want it, we are dropping all names from the list when the time is out. It is impossible to send the News to every person or firm on a credit. Our bills must be met promptly and we ask that you make it possible for us to keep on the right side of the ledger. The News will continue to issue the very best sheet possible, and at all times will boost for Tahoka and Lynn County. Help us boost by keeping your subscription well paid in advance.

The Lynn County Fair date is not far away and your help is needed to make it the great success it should be. Give a little thought, a little energy, and, if necessary a little money to help the fair. Every enterprising citizen should be proud of the success made of our little fair last year, and our slogan should be to "make it better than ever this year." Prepare to gather your products and make the two days fair the best in the west.

Two million bales of cotton in Texas this year is the present indicated yield, according to reports furnished by the Texas industrial congress, based on advices received from practically all cotton producing counties of the state. Reduced acreage, late planting, excessive rains in early summer, abnormally hot weather, continued drouths and heavy insect damage is the cause of the reduced prospective yield.

A certain merchant remarked lately upon our solicitation for advertising, "Oh, they know I'm here, so I don't need to advertise." It makes us think of the fellow who said he knew where the cemetery was, but he wasn't doing anything that would hurry him to it.

Lamesa received her first bale of cotton Saturday, according to information received from a local citizen who visited the Dawson County capitol the latter part of the week.

Don't forget to boost for the Lynn County Fair September 23-24. Help to make it the very best fair in the west.

Notice

This is to notify the public that all pastures belonging to Green & Lumsden in Lynn and Terry counties are posted, and everybody forbidden to hunt, fish or in any way trespass on our property. GREEN & LUMSDEN. 9-9-21

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Buyer and Seller Get Acquainted

We, the business people of Tahoka, take this means of inviting the farmers of Lynn and adjoining counties to come to Tahoka to do your trading. Bring all your products here. We will pay the highest market price for everything. We are as congenial a bunch of business people as you can find any place and we are anxious to serve you in every way possible. We have two banks to furnish you with the best banking facilities; two gins with the best equipment to be found on the plains; three grain dealers, one grain elevator, two wagon yards, two blacksmith shops and grist mills, four garages, one filling station, two hotels, three cafes, one bakery, one meat market, two lumber yards, one drug store, one furniture store, two hardware stores, one confectionery, one jeweler, four grocery stores, four general merchandise stores, 1 newspaper, 1 tin shop, 3 barber shops, 1 second hand store, 1 shoe shop, 1 tailor shop, 1 variety store, 1 gents furnishing store, 3 oil stations, 1 dentist, 3 doctors and 3 lawyers.

All of these business people make your interests first and their own second.

Trade at home, and thereby help the tax payer, who is helping make your town, community and county a better place to live in. Help us put Lynn County on the map.

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Fair dates—Sept. 23-24th.

Fifteen Texans Go Out As Baptist Missionaries To All Parts of Globe



(1) Miss Mina Garrett, Waco, teacher of science, Eliza Yates College, Shanghai, China; (2) Miss Bernice Neel, Decatur, educational work, Rio, Brazil; (3) S. S. Hawkeye State; (4) Miss Effie Eveless Baker, Bangs, educational work among girls in Japan; (5) Mrs. Vencie Kin, Chapman, Houston, educational work in Japan; (6) Mrs. Caroline Smith Taylor, Lampasas, Bahia, Brazil; (7) Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hamlett, Austin, representatives of Foreign Mission Board in Near East, with headquarters at Jerusalem; (8) Francis Willard Taylor, Bangs, Bahia, Brazil; (9) Miss Marjorie Taylor, Belton, educational work, Sao Paulo, Brazil; (10) Miss Mirtle Alexander, Lometa, secretarial work, Kaifeng College, Kaifeng, China; (11) Miss Lucille Reagan, Big Springs, evangelistic work in African Mission; (12) Miss Viola Humphreys, Dublin, evangelistic work, Kaifeng, China; (13) Mrs. Leta Denham Scott, Seminary Hill, evangelistic work among Hakkas, South China; (14) Miss Nora E. Hawkins, Childress, educational work, Campos, Brazil; (15) Marcus J. Scott, Seminary Hill, evangelistic work among Hakkas, South China.

From the larger proceeds of the Baptist 75 Million Campaign the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention has been enabled to send out more than 150 new missionaries since that movement was launched. It is announced, and of that number sixty young men and women representing fourteen states, have just sailed for China, Japan, Africa, Brazil, Argentina and Chile. In addition to these, Dr. and Mrs. Everett Gill of Kansas City will sail September 14 to become representatives of the Board in Europe, while Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hamlett of Austin, Texas, have just sailed for Jerusalem, where they will maintain headquarters in acting as the Near East representatives of the Board.

The new missionaries to China and Japan sailed from Seattle, Saturday, August 27, on the Hawkeye State of the Admiral Line, while those for Brazil, Argentina, Chile and Africa sailed from New York on the Aeolus August 17. They will be engaged chiefly in evangelistic, educational, medical and agricultural work and will be stationed at various points in these fields. While a large number of new workers have been sent out by the Board since the beginning of the Campaign, at least 100 other capable young men and women could be employed to advantage if they were available, Secretary F. F. Love advises.

Mission Money Gets Results.
Of the more than \$25,000,000 that has been collected in cash on the 75 Million Campaign to date, about \$5,000,000 has gone to foreign missions. This has made it possible not only to strengthen the old work on all fields and employ a large number of new

missionaries, but to do much other work, including building or making substantial additions to 15 boys' schools, 17 girls' schools, 37 mission residences, five hospitals and dispensaries, four light and power plants for mission compounds, 26 church buildings, four colleges, seven theological seminaries. In addition, assistance has been given seven church building loan associations, six new stations have been opened and equipped, land has been bought for the enlargement of several mission compounds, a home for orphans in Italy has been established, and a block of ground has been purchased in the heart of Rome for headquarters for the work in Italy, a theological seminary, publishing house, church and mission residence being provided on this property.

Enlarge European Field.
As a result of the Campaign, Southern Baptists have been enabled to greatly enlarge their work in Europe. They have carried on mission work in Italy since 1870, but now they have opened up new work in Jugoslavia, Hungary and Roumania, and have made a beginning, through the distribution of Bibles, in the Ukraine and Southern Russia and Siberia. To act as the European representatives of the Board in this enlarged program, Dr. and Mrs. Everett Gill of Kansas City were recently named. They will probably make their headquarters in Switzerland.

The first work Southern Baptists have ever done looking to the evangelization of Mohammedan lands has just been undertaken in Palestine and Syria, and Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hamlett of Austin, Texas, have gone to Jerusalem, where they will superintend

the work of the native evangelists. It is planned to establish a church, theological seminary and college, hospital and orphanage at Jerusalem as soon as practicable and then seek to reach other points in Palestine and Syria from this center.

Minister to 900,000,000 People.
With the enlarged foreign mission program of Southern Baptists that denomination is now operating in 15 countries on every side of the globe, and has in its employ practically 500 foreign missionaries and twice that number of native workers trained in the mission schools. Through its present missionary operations the Board is seeking to minister to 475,000,000 yellow people, 4,000,000 brown people, 200,000,000 black people and 225,000,000 white people, making a total of 900,000,000 people, or more than half the population of the globe. Numbered among its workers already on the field are 21 foreign physicians and 8 foreign mission nurses who last year gave 154,070 treatments. There are now 611 mission churches on the foreign fields and of this number 184 are self-supporting. The average contributions of these mission churches last year to denominational causes was \$5 per member, the Christians on the foreign fields responding more liberally as a result of the 75 Million Campaign.

The new missionaries sailing at this time were contributed by the following states: Alabama two, Arkansas one, Georgia five, Kentucky six, Louisiana two, Mississippi four, Missouri four, North Carolina three, South Carolina five, Tennessee five, Texas fifteen, Virginia six, Iowa one and Pennsylvania one.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



The Loufer hasn't done a Lick of Work since the famous "Work or Fight" order, when he shouldered a Dinner-bucket and rallied to the Shipyard. The Loufer was just naturally Born Tired and he's still Holding his Own. Besides that, He makes Everybody Else tired!

Turn and Turn About.

Prof. Nicholas Roerich, the Russian painter who refused the post of minister of fine arts in the Lenin government and who is now in the United States, tells an amusing story of the initiation of the soviet system in the imperial opera. The entire staff of the opera house in Moscow, directors, scene painters, singers, were instructed that thereafter all were to be treated on an equal basis, no one being considered better than another, and all to receive the same wage. It may be imagined that the temperamental stars did not receive this without emotion. On the night of the next performance the tenor in the leading role could not be found and a frantic search was made while the audience waited. Finally he was discovered by an amazed manager selling programs in the lobby.

"What madness, is this?" shouted the manager. "Don't you know we are holding the curtain for you?"

"Ah," answered the singer with ironic sweetness, "you see we are all equal now. Tonight I sell the programs. Let one of the ushers sing my role."

The New Santa Barbara Light.

Many persons are still fond of the oil lamp to read by at home. In the house it still gives the amount of brilliancy desired. But lighting engineers claim superiority for the electric light in a fox.

An electric light of 1,000,000 candle-power is to be installed in the Santa Barbara lighthouse. The light itself is not 1,000,000 candle-power, but the light is intensified by the use of reflectors ingeniously cut and placed. In clear weather the light will not be visible any further than the old oil lamp, which shines 20 miles. The light is 178 feet above sea level and 20 miles is the horizon limit. But in foggy weather the new light will be visible two or three miles in place of one mile, the limit of the oil lamp's beams.

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A lazy no-account feeling with yawning and sleepiness in the day time is caused by a torpid liver and disordered bowels. Herbine is a splendid remedy for such ailments. It cleanses the system and restores vim and activity. Price, 60c. Sold by Thomas Bros. 14t

Schools and Museum Co-operate.
Natural history study in Cleveland, O., will be enhanced by affiliation of the public schools with the museum of natural history to be established in that city. At consultations of the museum director, the superintendent of schools and the staff of each, tentative plans were formed by which the resources of the museum may be utilized by the school children. The museum probably will not be built for two or three years.

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In the future there will be a show every Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights in each week, with a guaranteed program.

Star Theatre,

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ATTENTION!

Mr. Lynn County Farmer and Housewife:

The Lynn County Fair dates this year are
SEPTEMBER 23-24th

It is the desire of the promoters of the Lynn County Fair to do all in their power to make it the biggest and best fair that we have ever held. Every citizen in the county, man, women, boy and girl should feel that they have a part to play in making it a success.

The real purpose of the fair is to develop the agricultural and live-stock interests of the county.

Bring in Your Agricultural Products Not Later Than the 20th of the Month
Housewives May Leave Fruit Exhibits at First National Bank.

Bring in your Livestock and Poultry on the 23rd and 24th. Cash Prizes will be awarded winners in both Agricultural and Live-Stock departments.

Tahoka, Sept. 23-24th

The Canning Season is Here



Hemstitching---Alternations

We are equipped to do your Alternation's sewing of all kinds, and Hemstitching. Mrs. J. R. Lowrie. Hemstitching Machine. You will find us at Mrs. Dunlop's Millinery.

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Your Business Will be Appreciated.
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We recommend EVERSHARP pencils for school uses. We have them both for boys and girls at 75c and up with leads to refill at 15c a box. They cost less to use than the ordinary 5c pencil.

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EDWARDS BROTHERS

COAL and GRAIN Tahoka, Texas

Artist Meeting

Closes at New Lynn

ev. Lynn closed a revival at 7 Lynn in the Baptist church Wednesday evening, resulting in thirty conversions and additions to the church. Members of all denominations in an active part in the services and was pronounced by all attended to be the best revival held in the community.

Theatre Making

Extensive Improvements

L. Howard, proprietor of Star Theatre, Tahoka's only show house, is continually improving his equipment in order to give the people of this city the very best service possible. Mr. Howard recently purchased a new screen, chairs, fans, new picture machine, which when installed will produce continuous moving picture service. In the future the theatre will show four nights in the week—Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday.

B. Y. P. U. Program

pt. 11th. ble study meeting.—Psalms leader—Coy Napier. s Love to God—Lois Good. d helped him in Time of ble—Francis Johnson. ouble Drives us to God for —Flora Goodrich. is encouraged for the fu—Miss Annie Preston. s name of Praise is God—e Hatchett. s name of Public Testa—y—Mary Preston. verybody is invited to come be us. Bring someone with Reporter.

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ross, sickly baby suffering digestive troubles and loose of the bowels needs Mc-Baby Elixir. It checks bowels, eases the stomach restores healthy conditions. 30c and 60c.

IN OLD TIPPERARY

Valley of Slieve-na-Mon Land Rich in Historic Interest.

Long Famed as a Storehouse of Folklore and Fairy Legends—On Devil's Bit Mountain.

Recent news dispatches from Ireland contained the story of an ambush and battle between Sinn Feiners and crown forces in the Slieve-na-mon country, County Tipperary.

To those who have read and studied the history of Ireland the name will strike a familiar chord.

The valley of Slieve-na-mon is a country rich in historical interest. Many of the stirring events which grace the annals of Irish history have been enacted there. Perhaps in no other section of southern Ireland will you find such a wealth of historic events, such a storehouse of folklore and fairy legends and such typically Irish people as you will find in this section.

It was here in 1848 that Smith O'Brien and the Young Irish party gathered their forces; it was here a pitched battle took place between them and the royal Irish constabulary and the British military, and it was here occurred many of the stirring events of the Fenian rebellion.

The valley of Slieve-na-mon is so-called from the mountain of that name which at times towers aloft, cold dark and repellent, but when clothed in the soft gray mists of early morning or bathed in the glamor of an Irish sunset is truly a sight to gladden the senses. The valley embraces part of that section of Tipperary called the Golden vale of Munster, said to be the richest farming land in all Ireland.

Away to the northeast is the famous Devil's Bit mountain, another of the Galtee range. It was on this Mountain that Cromwell is said to have stood when he turned to his soldiers and said: "This is indeed a land well worth fighting for."

The sides of the mountain are very steep and the climb a hard one, but the view well repays for the trouble.

Away to the north a vision of wonderful blue hills and little green valleys, and afar off a glimpse of the lordly Shannon and to the south the beautiful Golden vale dotted over with little whitewashed cottages and farmhouses. Further south is the famous Rock of Cashel, the seat of the kings of Munster, a very interesting series of ruins and well worthy a visit.

There is a story attached to every place of note in Ireland, and it goes without saying that the Devil's Bit has one. If you visit any of the peasant homes in the valley, the woman of the house will tell you this story as she bustles about preparing you a cup of tea:

One day, the devil, through mistake, landed in the Emerald Isle and, having lost his way, became very hungry. He dare not enter any peasant's cabin and ask for food or shelter, for he knew that few and far between were the homes where a little wooden cross was not hanging on the wall.

He sat down at the foot of the mountain a while and was sorely troubled. But on looking up he saw a goat making his way up the rough mountain side and instantly he was on his feet. He started in hot pursuit, but the goat being very nimble, as are most of his kind, seemed to be getting the best of the race.

Enraged with fear of losing his prey the ruler of the lower regions let out a terrific roar, and opening his huge mouth, bit a hole out of the mountain side. And the "bit" is there today to show itself. And if you are a doubting Thomas, you will find the rocks which he could not swallow scattered over the mountain side, some of them large enough to build a good-sized house.

Wonderful Farm Machinery.
The first mower was invented in 1832, but few were used for many years. Now one man with the average mower can cut 12 to 15 acres in a day, instead of two with a scythe. The cost of handling is vastly reduced with the use of the present side-delivery rake, self-loader and hay fork for unloading.

In 1834 the reaper was invented but did not come into general use for 20 years after. Then came the self-rake harvester, and the self-binder. The modern self-binder with one man and three horses can cut and bind as much grain in a day as 15 men could do in 1840. Even greater efficiency is se-

cured in very dry sections where the combined harvester is used, which cuts, threshes and sacks the grain in one operation.

SUNK BANK'S MONEY IN WELL

How Gold Belonging to Georgia Financial Institution Was Kept Out of Sherman's Hands.

How the money of the State Bank of Georgia was successfully hidden during Sherman's march to the sea, and how the entire sum, which was between \$150,000 and \$200,000, was returned to the bank virtually intact, makes a strange story. An old subscriber sends us the tale.

On the evening of November 28, 1864, Wallace Cumming, cashier of the Bank at Savannah, was ordered to take the money out of danger, for Sherman was approaching the city. Cumming's wife, who subsequently wrote the story of the adventure for her grandchildren, accompanied him on a special train that was hurrying to cross the Altamaha river before the southern troops cut the bridge. The gold was packed in nail kegs. At Thomasville they hired an empty store and placed the kegs of gold there. Jerry, one of Cumming's servants, took turns with a man named Ross in guarding the store at night.

Later they transported the money to Macon, where the State bank had a branch office. In April, 1865, news came that another federal force was making its way southward, and what to do with the money became again an anxious question.

Finally they decided to wear what gold they could, bury some and sink the rest in a deep well. Each member of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nesbit, with whom the Cumming family had lived for six months, wore wide belts made of heavy linen, which they had stitched full of \$20 gold pieces. That of course took care of a comparatively small sum. Every day Mr. Cumming made several trips between the house and the bank, and on each trip came home loaded with money. Nesbit, who owned a large iron foundry, cast a long round iron bar, about the width of a \$20 gold piece and sharpened at one end. One

St. Clair Hotel & Cafe

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MAIN & LOCKWOOD STS. TAHOKA, TEXAS

Night Nesbit and Cumming went out into the front yard, which was a mass of rosebushes in full bloom. They thrust the rod down close to the roots of a bush and as deep as their united strength could sink it; then they filled the hole with gold eagles, which they dropped in one by one, and threw loose earth over the top. In that way they buried between \$30,000 and \$40,000; and they kept a record of how much was buried under each rosebush. The rest of the money they sewed up in little bags, which they placed in boxes and let down into a deep well. Two days after the gold was buried the Yankee army took possession of Macon and seized the assets of two or three other banks in Savannah. Cumming was captured, but all that the army found in his vault was several barrels of Confederate money and a few hundred dollars in silver that he had not had time to hide. The money remained in the garden and in the well more than two years, and all of it was recovered and returned to the bank at Savannah except one small package of gold \$1 pieces, which was lost in the mud and water.—Youth's Companion.

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PHONE 49. Jake Leedy, Prop.

IS YOUR HEALTH GRADUALLY SLIPPING?

Interesting Experience of a Texas Lady Who Declares That if More Women Knew About Cardui They Would Be Spared Much Sickness and Worry.

Navasota, Texas.—Mrs. W. M. Peden, of this place, relates the following interesting account of how she recovered her strength, having realized that she was actually losing her health:

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Chaulmoogra Oil: Cure for Leprosy?



By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN.

PROF. J. F. ROCK has returned to Washington from Siam with specimens and seeds of the tree, *Tarakogenes kurzii*, which the world has hailed literally as the Tree of Life for the leper.

Is chaulmoogra oil, derived from the seeds of this Siamese jungle tree, a cure for leprosy? It is too soon to say, since there is no test on which a positive utterance in the affirmative can be given. But this much has been shown conclusively:

Chaulmoogra oil contains one or more agents which exert a marked therapeutic action in many cases of leprosy. There have been many apparent cures. Are they real and permanent? That remains to be seen. But it is evident that modern medicine now has an agent at its disposal which gives promise for the control of the dreaded disease.

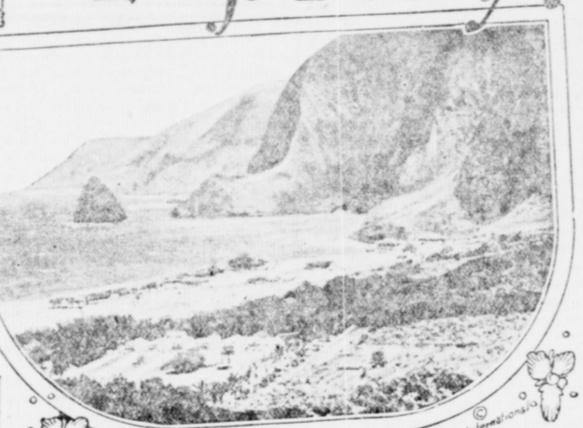
Professor Rock, formerly of the University of Hawaii, made the trip to the Siamese jungles for the United States Department of Agriculture. It is supposed to provide a permanent supply of the oil for the treatment of leprosy. Professor Rock's seeds and young trees have been distributed among various experiment stations, notably in Florida, Maryland and California.

Professor Rock says that with one exception he is, so far as is known, the first white man to penetrate the region of Siam where he obtained the specimens. Of the other white man nothing seems to be known except that he is an amateur botanist named Kerr. The Siamese, however, visit the jungles where grow the tarakogenes trees once every three years to secure the seeds for chaulmoogra oil. It is a wild country, full of dangerous animals. The natives have known of the beneficial properties of the oil in leprosy for hundreds of years, but handle the oil in such a crude way that they do not get its full effect.

"Unclean" is the pitiful cry of the leper that has been heard in all parts of the world since biblical times. The dread disease gets its name from the Greek word "lepros," which means "scaly." It is caused by the bacillus *Leprosae*. It has always been believed contagious and until recent years incurable. It has been considered a particularly dread disease because of the terrible disfigurements it causes.

Probably the origin and home of leprosy is the Far East, but at one time it was widespread in Europe. It is still found in quantity in France, Russia, Norway, Turkey and Portugal. It is estimated that there are 1,500 lepers in the United States, most of whom are undetected and therefore unsegregated. It is only the other day that the wife of a well-known officer of the United States army was found to be suffering from a mild form of leprosy and was sent for treatment to the government leproserium in Louisiana. Recently the British government requisitioned the United States for chaulmoogra oil for the treatment of several hundred sufferers on the island of Trinidad.

Portugal probably possesses the greatest number of lepers of any European country. Foreigners are shocked by the sight of disfigured lepers of both sexes begging in the streets and selling toys and sweets. But Portugal seldom gets excited over her lepers. About once a generation somebody insists that something ought to be done for them—or with them. If leprosy can be cured or controlled, the result is due to work done by the United States public health service. This work has been going on for the last fifteen years, principally in the Kalih hospital, Hawaii. The Kalaupapa leper colony is situated on a promontory of the island of



MOLOKAI: LEPROSY HOSPITAL



HONOLULU



HAWAIIAN GIRLS

Molokai, connected with the main portion of the island only by a single pass through precipitous cliffs. Life there is anything but what might be expected. Patients observe all public holidays, their Fourth of July celebrations are jubilant, and they have orchestras and bands, movies and amateur theatricals.

Sixty-five per cent of the patients at the Kalaupapa leper settlement will be discharged on parole within two years, in the opinion of Dr. W. L. Goodhue, for nineteen years resident physician there. This estimate is based on results already obtained with the chaulmoogra oil, prepared in the laboratories of the University of Hawaii.

From a recent joint report by Dr. J. T. McDonald of the leprosy investigation station in Hawaii and Dr. A. L. Dean, president of the University of Hawaii, the following concise conclusions may be drawn as to what the experimentation by the United States public health service in the treatment of leprosy has shown:

The intramuscular injection of the ethyl esters of the fatty acids of chaulmoogra oil usually leads to a rapid improvement in the clinical symptoms of leprosy. In many cases the lesions disappear, except for scars and permanent injuries, and the leprosy bacillus can no longer be demonstrated.

It has been sufficiently established that chaulmoogra oil contains one or more agents which exert a marked therapeutic action in many cases of leprosy. It cannot be said yet that the disease is cured, since there is no test adequate to establish such a verdict. Whether or not the apparent cures are real and permanent, it is evident that there is a valuable agent for the control of the disease.

The chaulmoogra oil treatment has been for the last fifteen years the subject of experimentation by the United States public health service. What has thus far been accomplished has justified the high expectation of Surgeon General Hugh S. Cumming of the public health service and his corps of assistants. Prominent among those having an active hand in the experiments are Dr. J. W. Schereschewsky, the assistant surgeon general; Dr. George W. McCoy, the director of the hygiene laboratory; Dr. J. T. McDonald of the leprosy investigation station in Hawaii, and Dr. A. L. Dean, president of the University of Hawaii in Honolulu.

"Since 1905 the service has maintained a leprosy investigation station

in the Hawaiian Islands, which has conducted intensive studies in the disease," said Dr. Schereschewsky. "In the course of this work the action of chaulmoogra oil in the treatment of leprosy has been very closely studied. Chaulmoogra oil, which is an oil from the seeds of an oriental tree (*Tarakogenes kurzii*) has been reputed for a good many years to have a beneficial action in leprosy.

"The difficulty in its use, however, lay in the fact that when given by mouth it was nauseating and offensive to the stomach and when injected intramuscularly was extremely painful and very slowly absorbed. Various modifications of chaulmoogra oil were studied by the public health service, among them a mixture suggested by Dr. Heiser of the service containing chaulmoogra oil, camphorated oil and resorcin; later olive oil was added and gualacol was substituted for the resorcin. Results obtained by the latter mixture were so favorable that Professor Dean, president and professor of chemistry in the University of Hawaii, was led to the belief that chaulmoogra oil might contain certain active principles which could be isolated and might be administered with more favorable results.

"The work of Dr. Power of the Wellesley research laboratory on the constitution of chaulmoogra oil and its congeners gave some hope of this, for they showed that in this oil there was a new series of fatty acids (chaulmoogric acid and hydrocarpic acid) which differed from other known fatty acids by having the property of rotating a beam of polarized light.

"These acids, however, are solids and hence unsuited to hypodermic administration. As a result of a series of experiments, Professor Dean determined that the ethyl esters of these acids are thin fluid oils which lend themselves readily to intramuscular injection and are readily absorbed. These ethyl ester derivatives of chaulmoogra oil have now been in use at the United States public health service leprosy investigation station at Kalih in the Hawaiian Islands for some three years and the results have been very encouraging. During that period some 140 lepers have been paroled and returned to their families, the disease apparently arrested.

"The effect of this treatment has been so encouraging that now many persons afflicted with leprosy have voluntarily presented themselves for treatment to the public health service in Hawaii, whereas in past years, since the laws of the territorial board of health provided for the segregation of lepers, all persons who were suffering with the disease endeavored to hide from the authorities in order that they might not be separated from their families."

Besides the investigation station at Kalih, the public health service also operates a national leproserium at Carville, La., which at present houses some 112 lepers. The accommodations are being increased so as to provide for 75 additional beds. The treatment with chaulmoogra oil derivatives has been begun at this institution.

The Compass Plant.

On the prairies and plains of Utah, Texas and southern Minnesota there grows a wonderful plant which has proved useful to travelers wandering over these vast tracts of country. It is called the compass plant, or pilot plant, because of a peculiarity in the growth of the leaves, which grow alternately along the stalk, and point precisely north and south! The Indians followed the direction given

them by these pointing leaves, and told the white men about it. This plant belongs to the family of the Compositae, and looks very much like the sunflower. It has a strong, resinous odor, somewhat like turpentine, and sometimes goes by the name, "turpentine plant."

Huguenot Exodus.

During the reign of Louis XIV the Edict of Nantes, which had conferred upon the Huguenots liberty of conscience and admission to all offices of

honor and emolument, was revoked, largely through the influence of Madame de Maintenon. This was followed by a terrible persecution, over 100,000 Huguenots being driven out to carry their industry, wealth and skill to other countries. They went to England, Germany, Switzerland and other parts of Europe. One band emigrated from France to America, setting at Port Royal, S. C., in 1670. Others followed to New York, Massachusetts and other North American colonies.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL Sunday School Lesson

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LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 11

PAUL IN ATHENS.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 17:1-4.
GOLDEN TEXT—In him we live, and move, and have our being—ACTS 17:28.
REFERENCE MATERIAL—Luke 4:39.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Paul Telling the People about God.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Paul in Athens.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—In a Famous Greek City.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Paul in a Center of Learning: Being Driven from Berea, Paul Fleed to Athens.

I. The Idolatry of the Athenians.
Athens was the intellectual metropolis of the world at that time, the home of the world's great eloquence and philosophy. Paul's spirit was stirred within him when he saw the city wholly given to idolatry.

II. The Parties Concerned (vv. 17-21).

True to his usual custom Paul went into the Jewish synagogue and entered into earnest argument with the Jews. From them he turned to such as were found in the market place. Here he came into touch with the Epicurean and Stoic philosophers. The former were atheistic materialists. They denied the doctrine of Creation. They gave themselves up to sensual indulgence since they had no idea of future judgment. The latter were pantheists. When they heard the preaching of Paul they desired to know what new doctrine he preached, so they invited him to the Areopagus where he might speak to them of his new doctrine. They inquired as to what this "babbling" might say. The word "babbling" means literally "seed-picker."

III. Paul's Address on Mars' Hill (vv. 23-31).

1. The introduction (vv. 22, 23). He did not accuse them of "superstition" as the A. V. would make it, but as in the Am. R. V. he introduces his discourse in a courteous and conciliatory manner, stating that he perceived that they were very religious. This he explained by stating that as he was viewing their city he beheld an altar with an inscription "To the Unknown God." This was his point of contact. He proceeds at once to connect it with the idea of the living God, implying that this altar had been erected to Him. He was too wise to begin once to denounce heathenism as idolatry.

2. The body of his discourse (vv. 24-31).

(1) A declaration concerning God (vv. 24, 25). (a) He created the material universe (v. 24). This was a direct blow at the philosophy of both the Epicureans and the Stoics. He did not attempt to prove the existence of God; it needs no proof. The Bible everywhere assumes the existence of a divine being. (b) His spirituality and immensity (vv. 24, 25). He is not served with "men's hands as though he needed anything," neither is He confined by any sort of religious temple. Being essentially spiritual He demands heart-service, and being transcendent above all He is not confined to earthly temples. (c) His active providence (v. 25). He is existence, bestows needed gifts, and as sovereign directs all things.

(2) Declaration concerning man (vv. 26-31). (a) His common origin (v. 26). This was a blow at the foolish Athenian pride which supposed that they were superior to all other people. This proposition he proved from their own literature (see v. 28). If men are the offspring of God and bear His likeness it is utterly folly to make images as the senseless idols were. (b) Nations have their place by the sovereign purpose of God (v. 26). The position and mission of each nation is of God's appointment. (c) Men should seek God (v. 26). His goodness and grace in supplying all our needs, and ordering even the affairs of the nations should move man to see and seek God, for He is indeed very near to every one; so near that our existence and movements are all under His control (v. 27). (d) Pressing obligation to repent (vv. 30, 31). This was his supreme message. Though God had formerly passed over idolatry He now calls to all men to repent. The solemn reason for such action is the coming day of judgment, the credential of which is the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. The judgment of God of an unbelieving world is as sure as this fact. Men will be judged on the basis of their attitude toward Jesus Christ.

IV. Result of Paul's Preaching (vv. 32-34).

1. Some mocked (v. 32).

2. Some procrastinated (v. 32).

3. Some believed (v. 34).

All to God.

You should frequently arouse within yourself the desire to give to God all the faculties of your soul—that is, of your mind, to know Him and think of Him, and of your will, to love Him; and further, seek to consecrate all your outward senses to Him in all their actions.—Fenelon.

Christian Unity.

The spirit of Christian unity must be cultivated between the different churches before a formal union can be effected.—Rev. Dr. Douglas.

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"I can see in my mind's eye that old recruiting slogan, 'See the World,' and as I hear in my imagination the booming of the surf on those oriental shores and scent the odor of the Celestial heathen, methinks I should like once again to brush elbows with those slant-eyed sons of Confucius."—From the Leatherneck.

Accept and Except.

He—My dear Miss Grabbetigh, I wish to propose—
She—Oh, my dear Mr. Cashin, I will accept you—
He—But I did not mean to propose marriage.
She—I meant, of course, that I would except you from my list of eligibles.—Boston Transcript.

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"I don't know the number, but it's a big double white house and I would know it if I saw it."
"I believe you are lost. You better see a policeman."
"I'll try to figure it out myself for a while first."
And he started off toward Massachusetts avenue to find the "big double white house."—Indianapolis News.

Time Exposure.

A Judge's little daughter, who had attended her father's court for the first time, was very much interested in the day's proceedings. After her return home she told her mother:
"Papa made a speech and several other men made speeches to twelve men who sat all together, and then these twelve men were put in a dark room to be developed."—Pearson's Weekly.

There's a Reason.

Nell—"Is it really true that you're going to divorce Bob?" Bella—"Yes, I'm tired of being alone."

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A Texas Case

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The Same.

Byron came home from school in a hurry. "Grandma," he said, "have we a 1921 Bible?" Grandmother looked both mystified and amazed. "Our Sunday school teacher said for us all to bring with us to Sunday school next week a Bible." Not until his sister came home they find out that the teacher had them to bring their New Testaments to the church next Sunday.

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A severe eruption of the volcano Popocatepetl in Mexico occurred in April. This is a recrudescence of the activity which began in the fall of 1920, after 200 years of quietude.

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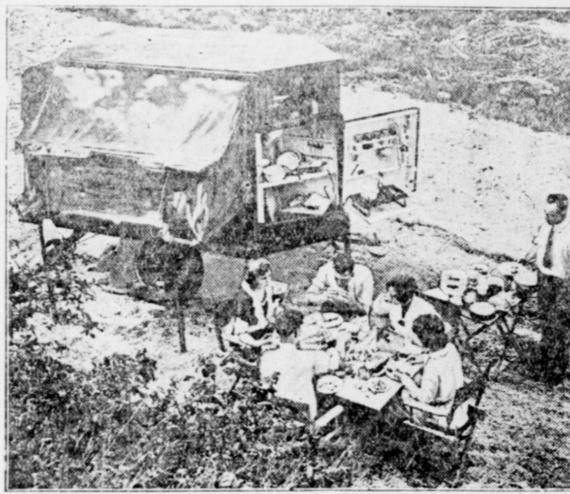
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MOTOR-BUNGALOW PUTS REAL JOY IN TOURS AND CAMP LIFE



The motor-bungalow is being widely used by society folk for beach parties, week ends to the mountains and country, and for transcontinental tours. The motor-bungalow shown in the photograph is the folding type, containing two full-sized beds, with springs and mattresses, kitchenette, ice box, water tank, supply and clothes closets. It accommodates four adults, with room for children, chairs and other camp supplies. It can be attached as a trailer behind any automobile.

MOIST COLD AIR ASSISTS ENGINE

Hot Dry Air Causes Frequent Skipping and Loss of Power During Season.

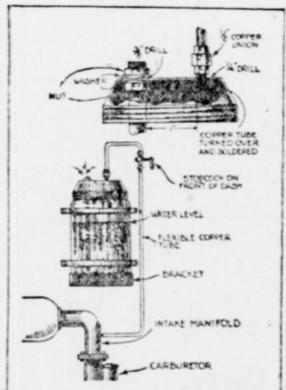
HUMIDIFIER IS EASILY MADE

Mason Preserving Jar of Quart Size Placed on Back of Dash Underneath Hood Will Supply Moisture Needed.

Almost every man who owns or has run an automobile has noticed that his engine actually runs better in the very early morning or late at night, just after the dew has fallen. This is due to the amount of moisture in the air. Why contend with the frequent skipping of the engine and the loss of power due to the hot dry air of a summer day, when with a few hours' time and a little expense you can manufacture an apparatus which will give you the moist cold air that gives life to your engine?

Preserving Jar is Useful.

A mason preserving jar of the quart size should be mounted on the back of the dash underneath the hood of the engine. This may be done by the use of an oil-can holder for a shelf and a couple of hand iron straps to hold the glass jar in place. In the metal top, about one inch apart, drill two holes, one with a quarter-inch drill and one with a three-eighths-inch drill. Solder into the quarter-inch hole a small nipple having on its end a small



Iron Straps Fasten the Humidifier to the Dash Beneath the Hood—A Copper Pipe Runs From it to the Carburetor.

A piece of one-eighth-inch brass or iron pipe one-half inch shorter than the height of the jar should be threaded on one end for about three-eighths of an inch. On this thread place one nut and one washer and thread through the cover of the jar, placing another washer and nut on the outside, tightening the two nuts until the cover is held rigid, and when mounted on the jar allows the pipe to extend downward to within one-half inch from the bottom. A one-eighth-inch copper tubing extends from the nipple soldered in the jar-top through the dashboard to a stoopock, and continues on back through the dash, and is tapped into the intake manifold just above the carburetor. The jar is then filled to about three-quarters of its height with water, by opening the stoopock so the air may escape, and pouring the water down the tube in the top. Engine Sucks Air. When the engine is running, open the stoopock on the dash, which is within reach of the operator, and the engine will suck the air from the top of the water in the jar, this tending to cause a vacuum, and air will conse-

quently enter the pipe and be delivered at the bottom of the water. As the air bubbles up through the water it is not only cooled but is saturated with moisture. This moist air passes into the intake manifold and gives the



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As the water evaporates the jar may be again refilled by pouring water down the air inlet tube. No water will enter, however, unless the stoopock on the dash is open to allow the inclosed air to escape.—Popular Science Monthly.

Tire Economics.

Keep your tires properly inflated at all times. Be sure to repair the little cuts regularly. Prevent blowouts by avoiding severe jolts and by maintaining full pressure. Have the mud boils cleaned out and repaired at once. Be careful when inserting tubes. Avoid sudden stops, quick starts and skidding. Keep the front wheels in alignment. Use tale in the casing, but don't use too much. Avoid ruts and save the side walls. Apply chains properly and use them only when necessary.

AUTOMOBILE NEWS

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Throughout the United States there are 188,000 automobile dealers, charging stations, garages and repair shops.

As much money is spent annually in the United States for tires as is spent for the maintenance and construction of roads.

Roping steers from automobiles is now applied on ranches at Marfa, Tex. The car has taken the place of the spirited broncho.

Automobiles and other vehicular accident attain their maximum percentage of fatalities among children from five to nine years of age.

The annual expenditures for automobile transportation in the United States is \$8,167,850,000, or an average cost per mile of 12.96 cents.

The Department of Labor figures show that the automobile industry employed 32.2 per cent more in the month of March than in February.

Motoring enthusiasts in Leamington, England, have organized a motor caravan club. The new club has a large assembly of caravans and trailers.

The 45-horsepower limousine used by General Pershing when commanding the American expeditionary force in France.

CALOMEL DANGER TOLD BY DODSON

Says You Cannot Gripe, Sicken, or Salivate Yourself if You Take "Dodson's Liver Tone" Instead

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quick-silver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is

entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It can not be trusted any more than a leopard or a wild cat. Take Dodson's Liver Tone, which straightens you right up and makes you feel fine. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe. Advertisement.

Not Exactly Reassuring.

"There is no doubt about it, my friend, we'll have to operate on you," the doctor said cheerfully.

"Operate?" the patient exclaimed. "Great Scott, doctor, I've no money for expensive operations."

"Hum! Well—you're insured, aren't you?"

"Yes, but I can't realize on that until after I'm dead—it goes to my estate."

"Oh, that's all right, my dear fellow," the doctor said, again smiling cheerfully. "That's perfectly all right—don't you worry about your bill at all!"—Judge.

ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine



Take Aspirin only as told in each package of genuine Bayer Tablets of Aspirin. Then you will be following the directions and dosage worked out by physicians during 21 years, and proved safe by millions. Take no chances with substitutes. If you see the Bayer Cross on tablets, you can take them without fear for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Advertisement.

The Shock.

"Mother, may I go out to—"

"For heaven's sake, daughter! To swim? Of course, you may, but—"

"No, mother, not to swim. I want to go out to—"

"A jazz dance, then. Well, I don't think much of 'em, but—"

"No, not a jazz dance, mother. I want to ask you if I may go out to prayer meeting tonight with—"

But with a scream of surprise mother had swooned. It was so unlike her during daughter.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS

Is greatly relieved by constitutional treatment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced, your hearing may be destroyed forever. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE acts through the mucous surfaces of the system, thus reducing the inflammation and assisting Nature in restoring normal conditions. Circulars free. All Druggists. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.—Advertisement.

Out in the Philippines.

First Marine—Why does Mac look so glum over that letter he just got from his wife?

Second Marine—He wrote and told her that she didn't seem to miss him much, and he was going to put in to stay in the Philippines for the rest of his cruise.

First Marine—What did the wife say?

Second Marine—She advised him to extend his enlistment!

Economy.

Economy is saving effected by wise expenditure. Economy is the adaptation of means to meet requirements without want or waste.

By adding pulverized mica, concrete can be made closely to resemble granite.

Nearly every girl believes that a lot of other girls are jealous of her.

WORKED HARD TO GET HIM

Widow's Statement Shed New Light on Her Claim for Damages for Husband's Loss.

A man was killed in a railway collision and a few days after the funeral the company lawyer called upon the widow to effect a settlement.

She placed her damages at \$5,000.

"Oh, that sum is unreasonable," replied the lawyer. "Your husband was nearly fifty, wasn't he?"

"Yes, sir."

"And lame?"

"Yes."

"And his general health poor?"

"Very."

"And he probably would not have lived more than five years?"

"Probably not, sir."

"Then it seems to me that \$400 or \$500 would be a fair compensation."

"Four or five hundred?" she echoed.

"Why, sir, I courted that man for ten years, ran after him for ten more, and then had to chase him with a poker to get him to marry me. Do you imagine I'm going to settle for bare cost of shoe leather and mental wear and tear?"—London Tit-Bits.

Question Flattered Her.

Edith—Jack asked Miss Passelgh last night how old she was.

Ethel—Did she get angry?

Edith—No, she was flattered. You see she felt that she must look young or he'd never have dared.

Don't imagine that the billposter makes an assignment every time he is driven to the wall.

When a debtor puts on airs and his creditor gets wind of it they sometimes come to blows.

TOO LATE

Death only a matter of short time. Don't wait until pains and aches become incurable diseases. Avoid painful consequences by taking



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The Flavor Lasts



Lawn Dice. Lawn blocks, four to six inches in dimensions, are used as elements in a game of lawn dice invented by a western sportsman, says Mechanics Magazine. As the dice are fairly heavy, and are somewhat the same as bowling balls, considerable exercise is afforded. Scoring is the same as in the game. It is said that the game is becoming very popular on the coast.

The Medium's Friend. Publisher George Dorn of New York was laughing about Conan Doyle's rampant belief in spiritualism. "Doyle's friends poke fun at him," he said, "but he takes it all in good part. At a dinner in Golden's Green, the Greenwich village of London, Doyle's host said to him one evening: "How will you have your roast beef, Sir Arthur? Underdone or—"

"But here the hostess interrupted: "It takes no Sherlock Holmes," she said, "to tell how he'll have his beef. He'll have it medium, of course."

Cuticura Soap for the Complexion. Nothing better than Cuticura Soap daily and Ointment now and then as needed to make the complexion clear, scalp clean and hands soft and white. Add to this the fascinating, fragrant Cuticura Talcum, and you have the Cuticura Toilet Trio.—Advertisement.

Stern Justice. "Doctor?" "What?" "Come quick! My wife is very ill!" "Who is it?" "It's B'Jones!" "Not at this time of night, my man, for you. My brother, the grocer, tells me you order all your supplies from a mail-order house; my cousin, in the dry goods business, says you get your clothes, etc., ditto. You'd better go right home and write a letter to the mail order house for some medicine and a physician. Good night!"

Light Labors. "What are you doing now?" asked the first publicity man.

"I'm working for a screen star who is being sued for alienation of affection by the wife of a multimillionaire," said the second publicity man. "Easiest job I ever had."

"All I have to do is to drop into court occasionally and see that the newspaper men are there."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

FOR SUMMER COLDS Use Vacher-Balm; it relieves at once. If we have no agent where you live, write to E. W. Vacher, Inc., New Orleans, La.—Advertisement.

In a Mess. Two miners had never seen golf played before. They stood watching a fat, unskilled player at work in a bunker. The sand flew up, but the ball remained. Seven agonizing shots had been played.

The player made his eighth attempt. The ball was lobbed up, dropped on the green and, rolling gently to the pin, settled in the hole.

"By gum, Bill! said one miner to the other. "He's got a deuce of a job on now!"

Finger nails grow more quickly in summer than in winter.

When an orator goes to prison he acquires a poor address.

IT OF DOCTOR for Catarrh of the and Grip for several years... Wagonburg, N.C. bottle of... Coughs and... a few doses of... catarrh, indigestion, rheumatism, natural condition... all call for... especially marked... grip or... a professor for... SOLD EVERYWHERE

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EXCHANGE COMMENTS ON THE C. OF C. BARBECUE

Consideration of the views held by the Commissioners' Court of the counties of the South Plains of the Puget Sound-to-Gulf Highway, and their respective opinions relative to improvements that are now in course or contemplated was the main object of a banquet given by the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce in old barbecue day styles Tuesday evening. County Judges, Highway officials, Commissioners' and other parties from several counties were invited and were in attendance. Speeches were made during the program of the evening by the several visitors and it developed that the citizens of Big Spring, Lamesa, and Tahoka have been confronted with a scrap over their portion of the Puget Sound-to-Gulf Highway. Statements made in effect was: That from Sterling City north tourists have been encouraged to travel roads east of those counties and also have been advised to do such by literature sent out by Automobile Associations. In order to keep this important highway running through their section of the country the citizenship of the counties of Lynn and Dawson, through their Commissioners' Court, have spent a great deal of money grading new roads. At the present time the roads are graded on this highway from a few miles south of the town of Lubbock, to Tahoka, and grading is now in course connecting this road with a graded and marked highway thru Dawson. Sentiment developed at the banquet for a comprehensive publicity of facts regarding their part of the Puget Sound-to-Gulf Highway in order that the truth be known for the general welfare of the tourists as well as those counties already prepared to care for the highway. In addition, Tahoka and Lamesa, as well as other towns in that section are preparing to send a large delegation to the annual meeting of the officials of this highway which will be held within the next few days. Attempts will be made it was intimated at the banquet Tuesday evening, to secure the next annual meeting place on the Plains. The coming event will be held at Fredericksburg.

Tahoka citizens are passing a petition about, calling upon city officials to call an election for the purpose of voting bonds to construct a water system and paving the square. That they might get information from a source reliable and experienced, Col. Smythe of Plainview, was asked to attend the meeting, and in his course of speaking, he stated:

"First, Tahoka must have a good water system—sewer and fire protection before turning her thoughts to paving. Fire protection and sanitation are far more important than paved streets and by all means the first consideration of the people should be to get these improvements." Col. Smythe also dropped a few remarks about disposing of bonds at the present in which he stated that Plainview had \$68,000 worth of un-sold bonds at the present time.

The business men and other citizens of Tahoka were called upon by Mr. Hatchett, toastmaster and president of the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce, to give their views about paving and a water system, and without doubt the sentiment of the taxpayers are heartily in favor of these improvements.

M. M. Dupre, of this city, president of the Panhandle-South Plains Fair Association, attended the meeting Tuesday evening and boosted the Lubbock Fair. He told the people of that country, that petty jealousies should no longer deter the whole-hearted co-operation of the entire South Plains, with a view to letting the world know more about this section. He advised all counties of this section to participate in the Lubbock Fair this year and to group all displays from the South Plains in a certain portion of the display hall at Dallas. Tahoka and Lynn County will be represented at Lubbock this year.

Judge Moreland of Plains, County Judge of Yoakum County, stated that in speaking of the South Plains, Yoakum County was off-times left out and that "We Wakey Too" was appropriate for his people relative to improvements on highways, etc. Judge Moreland, who claims to be a Tennessee "Irishman," and looks the

Irish part very much and talks Irish, put the crowd in high spirits and laughs were frequent during his address. Especially was this so when he exclaimed when a judge asked him, "Are you the original Joshua who called for the sun to stand still?" He answered: "No sir, boss, I see the Joshua that makes the moon shine." Altogether a very enjoyable evening was spent. The feast of the fatted calf, pickles, onions, bread and punch was very much enjoyed. Co-operation of the South Plains counties is becoming more manifest this year and; although more conditions and crop conditions are not what they could be at the present time. The South Plains people are going ahead preparing more and better improvements.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Tahoka "Doing Things."
By invitation of the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce, Judge J. R. Lowrie on last Tuesday, attended a barbecue and "booster meeting" at Tahoka. The meeting was a great success—full of enthusiasm and pep. Town improvements were discussed, among them being a water works system. The highway question also was taken up. Everybody favored a policy of progressiveness and expansion. This commendable spirit is supported and strengthened by Tahoka's excellent newspaper, The Lynn County News. A real live newspaper, having the good will and confidence of the citizenship at its back, is one of the greatest assets of a town. We are glad to see Tahoka prosper. There is honest rivalry between Tahoka and Lamesa, but no petty jealousy. There is ample room for the growth and development of both towns. Now that the Journal is firmly established as the champion and spokesman for Lamesa, we will in every way co-operate with our neighbor The News, in promoting the welfare and growth of the great South Plains country.—Dawson County Journal.

It is reported that the Tahoka people got on the map in good shape at the highway meeting, by giving a great barbecue to the visitors who are saying all kinds of nice things about Tahoka and the new life she is taking on. Good for Tahoka, may her shadow never grow less and may she assume such proportions that she will join us on the north in our northward building of the greater Lamesa.—Lamesa Reporter.

PASTE THIS IN YOUR HAT
The man who kicks about the clothing the women wear when out, should have a care and rest his nose ere it looks like a snout. If you'll make this a better land just mind your own affairs. Attend to your own business and the women will mind theirs. If knee high skirts offend your eyes, do not follow them around. Just pass the low-necked women by and look down at the ground. If some fair Juno likes her shape, and puts it on display, it isn't up to you to gape and protest in dismay. Clean minded men won't knock the way a woman cuts her waist. He'll see the dear thing every day and compliment her dome, so if the styles affect your dome and shock your pure, sweet life, stay off the streets my friend, go home and rubber at your wife.—Swiped.

POST RECEIVES FIRST BALE
Our first bale of cotton was brought in Tuesday of J. C. Gargley, who lives near Justiceburg.—Post City Post.

Hon. R. A. Baldwin returned Sunday from Austin in order to deliver the graduation address at West Texas State Normal at Canyon on Tuesday. Enroute home he tried an important law suit at Belton. Mr. Baldwin will soon return to Austin to resume his duties in the Texas Legislature.—Slaton Slatonite.

It isn't the once-in-a-while something-new advertiser who wins. It is the old boy who stays with it like a bull purp hangs to a hobo's trousers. The race, contrary to philosophy, is not won by the wise nor by the swift, but by the first man whose first step in business is a swift rush to open a persistent advertising campaign.—Exchange.

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