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RECORD OF 1910

The Events of the World In Paragraphs.

AVIATION ACHIEVEMENTS.

A Summary of Affairs at Home and Abroad - Miscellaneous Happenings - Explosions - Storms and Shipwrecks - Games and Races.

POLITICAL AND PERSONAL

JANUARY. 1. Gifford Pinchot, chief forester, re-elected by President Taft.

FEBRUARY. 1. Herbert Gladstone, whose father, W. E. Gladstone, "the great commoner," twice declined a seat in the house of lords, elevated to the peerage.

MARCH. 14. Ex-President Roosevelt reached Khartoum on his return from Africa.

APRIL. 14. Premier Asquith's resolutions limiting the veto power of the house of lords carried in the house of commons by a majority of 162.

MAY. 1. King George V proclaimed throughout the British empire.

JUNE. 11. Ex-President Theodore Roosevelt welcomed in New York from his African and European trip. The "railroad" bill creating a court of commerce and amending the interstate commerce act of 1887, became a law.

SEPTEMBER. 23. Emperor William of Germany and Francis Joseph of Austria met at Vienna.

OCTOBER. 6. Republican uprising in Lisbon. King Manuel of Portugal dethroned. The army and navy sided with the revolutionists, who proclaimed a republic.

NOVEMBER. 12. Ex-Governor Charles E. Hughes took the oath of office as justice of the United States supreme court at Washington.

DECEMBER. 1. Gen. Porfirio Diaz inaugurated president of Mexico for the eighth time.

1. The last session of the 61st congress opened.

6. President Taft's message recommended that the Panama canal be fortified a ship subsidy, limited parcels post and a halt in legislation on corporations.

12. Associate Justice Edward Douglas White of the United States supreme court appointed chief justice. Judge Willis Van Devanter of Wyoming and Judge J. R. Lamar of Georgia nominated associate justices.

JANUARY. 24. The river Seine exceeded high water mark in Paris, endangering the city and paralyzing traffic.

29. Rising of the waters of the Seine in Paris checked by the cessation of rain 9 square miles inundated; loss estimated over \$20,000,000.

FEBRUARY. 22. Eruption of volcano Poasa, Costa Rica, destroyed 80 lives.

23. Over 50 deaths in snowslides in the mountains of northern Idaho.

MARCH. 1. About 100 deaths from snowslides in the mountains of Washington.

5. Snowslide in Rogers pass, British Columbia, caused the loss of upward of 60 lives.

APRIL. 23. Violent snowstorm, wind and freezing temperature caused destruction of budding fruits in the central lake region extending south to Tennessee.

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T. M. Bartley and family returned Saturday from a visit to

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Will Gore and little son Harold returned from Fort Worth Thursday where they have been several weeks having Harold's eyes treated.

Looses Hand In Auto Accident The report comes to Tahoka that a Big Springs auto coming to Lamesa happened to a serious accident Wednesday night.

The lights on the car went out and the chaffeuau ran the car into the barb wire fence damaging the car considerable, and it is said that one of the passengers got caught in the wire and had one of his hands cut or torn off. We failed to learn the names of the parties.

MARRIED.

Last Sunday morning at 9 a. m. in the ladies parlor at the Hill Hotel, Mr. James Hutto to Miss Lela Bigham, both of Tahoka, were united in marriage; Rev. J. E. Stephens, Presiding Elder of the Big Springs District, officiating. These young people were surrounded by a number of their friends from Tahoka, among whom were Miss McGonagill and Messrs. Joe Stokes, Temp Skinner and Hall.

The bride is among the fairest and accomplished young ladies of Tahoka, having but recently been employed by J. O. Jones, of Terry county, as governess, and we feel sure she will make Mr. Hutto the same loving companion that she has these little children.

The groom, a handsome and dashing young fellow, is counted among the most prominent of Tahoka's business men, being engaged in a live confectionary business. They left Sunday afternoon for Tahoka, where they will make their future home.

Herald joins their many friends in Terry and Lynn counties in wishing them a long and prosperous life.—Terry County Herald.

Fred McDaniel left Wednesday for Fluvanna, where he will meet Jim Hutto and his wife who are coming home after their bridal trip. The young people were married just before Christmas at Brownfield.

Miss Ammie McLarry, of Lubbock, visited her friend Mrs. Roberts of Tahoka last Friday.

Mrs. Petty spent last week with Mrs. Stokes, of the Tahoka Hotel.

Rev. T. W. Sharp made a trip to Lubbock last week.

The "Sham Wedding" at the court house last week was a great success and provoked considerable merriment.

The Ladies Aid of the Christian Church realized about \$20 from the proceeds.

WEDDED.

On last Sunday evening at 6 p. m. at the home of the bride in Gomez, Texas, G. E. Lockhart and Mrs. Lou Key were married in the presence of a few friends. Rev. Jamerson, Pastor of the Gomez Methodist church, said the beautiful words that made them man and wife. For some two years Cupid has been busy trying to get this couple together but has at last succeeded and will now turn his attention to

-PROGRAM- OF FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING JAN. 26-29, 1911

South Plains Baptist Association to be Held with the Tahoka Church

THURSDAY 7:30 p. m. Introduction Sermon; Rev. Jno. A. Arbuckle. FRIDAY 9:30 a. m. Devotional service; Bro. J. B. Lowe. 10:00 a. m. What are the duties of the church both collectively and individually to their pastor? Bro. Jno. Baker. 11:00 a. m. Preaching. NOON 1:30 p. m. Devotional services; Bro. L. B. Wright. 2:00 p. m. Should fifth Sunday meetings be encouraged, if so, by whom? Rev. H. S. Hatchett. 3:00 p. m. How we may know the mind of the Spirit; Rev. I. P. Metcalf. 7:30 p. m. Preaching. SATURDAY 9:30 a. m. Devotional service; Bro. Hubbard. 10:00 a. m. The layman's place in God's Kingdom; Bro. O. T. Bryant. 11:00 a. m. Preaching. NOON 1:30 p. m. Devotional exercises; Bro. W. H. Izard. 2:00 p. m. What are the best methods for evangelizing our associational field? Discussion led by Rev. A. L. Estes. 3:00 p. m. Board meeting. SUNDAY 9:00 a. m. Sunday School rally, led by M. M. Herring and Jno. Baker. 11:00 a. m. Preaching. NOON 3:00 p. m. Preaching. 7:30 p. m. Preaching.

ty and has been foremost among them in the development of the religious and social affairs of the county and numbers her friends by her acquaintances.

Mr. Lockhart formerly of Gomez, but now of Tahoka is one of the most prominent young lawyers in this part of the state and is extending his practice all over the Plains. He is a leader in society and is a great lodge man, taking prominent parts in all Masonic and I. O. O. F. gatherings.

They left Tuesday for Tahoka to make that their future home. The Herald joins the many friends and well wishers of both contracting parties in wishing them a long, happy and prosperous life.—Terry County Herald.

Barrel of Pure, Texas Cane Syrup, just opened at The Mercantile, bring on your jug. 19-1t

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy moved into their new home, just north of the Burton Lingo Co.'s lumber sheds, where Mr. Murphy holds the position of local manager, the first of the week.

Just received a large barrel of Texas Ribbon Cane Syrup, at The Mercantile. 19-1t

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the Shareholders of The First National Bank, Tahoka, Texas, will be held at the Banking House of said bank in Tahoka, Texas, on the second Tuesday, the 10th day of January, A. D. 1911, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meet-

If you want some pure, genuine Texas Ribbon Cane Syrup, bring your jug to The Mercantile; 19-1t

The "District School at Bug Scuffle," which was rendered by local talent at the court house last Friday evening was very good indeed.

The acting as well as the play itself were to be congratulated. This is a good start in the right direction and we hope this is not the last good time of the kind coming our way.

Mrs. Edwards went to Lubbock last Friday.

POSTED.

I hereby give notice that the H. E. Randall premises in the west part of Lynn county is "Posted" and any one trespassing thereon will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

H. E. Randall.

J. A. Martin and R. L. Stanfield, of Post City, stopped several days in the Howell Wagon Yard last week on their way home from the Pecos country, where they spent a month hunting. They bagged a couple of fine bucks and considerable small game. They report all of the country south of the T. & P. as being very dry and much of it deserted by the inhabitants. In some places it has not rained for three years.

PRODUCE WANTED.

We want all of your butter, eggs, chickens and turkeys and we will pay the highest cash prices for them. Palace Meat Market.

Judge James, R. Robinson and his son Jack, of Lubbock, came down on business Wednesday.

Church Notes

TRIP ROUND THE WORLD The W. H. M. S. of the Methodist church will give a trip around the world Tuesday evening January 10th.

Mrs. George Riley's home will represent the United States and Uncle Sam in all his glory will receive the guests who will be treated to refreshments peculiarly our own. The inevitable pie in all the variations known to the American housewife will be in evidence. Jack Salmon, Uncle Sam's own dish, will also grace the table in apitizing ways.

Mrs. Millman will transform her home into a Japanese tea garden, where the guests will be entertained in the most approved Japanese fashion. Music will contribute to the attractions.

Mrs. J. D. Donaldson's home in the guise of Mexico will be presided over by the dark-eyed Senoritas dressed in the costumes of the country. Chile and other favorite viands of the dark-eyed people will be served the guests.

The homes will be opened at the same hour and the guests may go from one place to another as they please.

Everything possible for the entertainment of the guests will be done. Admission at each place 10 cents.

Christian Endeavor Program.

Sunday, Jan. 8, 1911. Subject—Blessed to Bless: Gen. 13:1,2; Psa. 107:1,3; Mr. McGill, Leader.

1. How God has blessed our country; Miss Knight.
2. How our country has blessed the world; Miss Shook.
3. Mixed Quartet.
4. How what we have done, measures up with what has been done for us; Miss McLeod.

The W. H. M. S. met in regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock with Mrs. J. N. Thomas as hostess.

The plans were discussed and arranged for the "Trip Around the World." And to our surprise our hospitable hostess came in with tea and wafers, suggesting that "We do unto others as we are done by."

We were delighted with Mrs. Ramsey's presence at our meeting and her profitable suggestions.

Mrs. J. D. Donaldson with her usual hospitality, invited us to meet with her our next meeting.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

We urge all members to be present; and if you're not a member, come and join.

MRS. W. P. BLACKBURN, Press Reporter.

Rev. Arthur Coleman, of Sidney, came in last Sunday and has been preaching afternoons and nights at the Baptist church this week and will continue the meeting over Sunday. He has been doing some very able work this week and the interest and attendance have both been good.

TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT

Wade Ray has opened up a tailoring establishment in the old Lynn County Bank building on the north side of the square. Mr. Ray has installed a new outfit and

THE DEATH ROLL

People Who Passed Away In 1910.

EDWARD VII. A VICTIM.

Renowned Authors, Famous Artists, Distinguished Statesmen and Rulers and Noted Soldiers on the List—All Ranks Levelled.

OBITUARY

JANUARY. 1. James Booth, widow of Justice Bruce Booth and at one time a star actress, in Brookline, Mass.; aged 61. 2. Irving Opden Mills, banker and capitalist, at San Francisco; aged 84. 3. Francesco di Paola Sataldi, noted cardinal in Rome. Gen. Newton Martin Curtis, "hero of Fort Fisher," in New York city; aged 74. 4. Ezra Kendall, well known comedian, at Martinsville, Ind.; aged 62.

FEBRUARY. 14. George Holland, the actor, in Philadelphia; aged 61. 15. Neil Burgess, the actor, in New York city; aged 41. 16. Clay Clement, actor, in Kansas City, Mo.; aged 41.

MARCH. 1. Don Jose Domingo de Obaldia, president of the republic of Panama, at Panama; aged 66. 2. Louis James, actor, at Helena, Mont.; aged 64. 3. Thomas Collier Platt, former United States senator from New York and a noted political leader, in New York city; aged 72.

2. Jake Schaefer, noted billiard player, at Eugene, O. 14. Phil Daly, noted gambler, at Long Beach, N. J. 15. Tom Browne, famous English illustrator, in London; aged 78. 16. David Josiah Brewer, associate justice of the United States supreme court, in Washington; aged 73.

17. Alexander Agassiz, naturalist, son of the celebrated Louis Agassiz of Harvard university, at sea; aged 73. 18. Maria II, king of Abyssinia; aged 67.

APRIL. 1. Robert W. Patterson, president of the Chicago Tribune company, in Philadelphia; aged 63. 2. Professor William Graham Sumner, social scientist of Yale, at Englewood, N. J.; aged 76. 3. Samuel Langhorne Clemens (Mark Twain), the author, at Redding, Conn.; aged 71.

4. Nordenskjold, famous Norwegian novelist, poet, playwright and patriot, in Paris; aged 73. 5. Gen. E. P. Alexander, noted Confederate veteran and writer on the civil war, at Savannah, Ga.; aged 75.

MAY. 1. Gen. J. P. S. Gobin, civil war veteran and national guard commander, at Lebanon, Pa.; aged 71. 2. Nord Alexis, depressed president of Haiti, at Kingston, Jamaica; aged about 50.

3. Edward VII, of England, at Buckingham palace; aged 69. 4. Pauline Viardot-Garcia, sister of the late Manuel Garcia and his wife, a noted opera singer, in Paris.

5. Dr. Robert Koch, eminent bacteriologist, discoverer of a consumption cure, at Baden-Baden; aged 67.

JUNE. 1. Edward Jenkins, English editor and writer, author of the sensational political pamphlet "Gink's Baby," in London; aged 72. 2. Dr. Elizabeth Blackwell, pioneer woman physician in England and the United States, in London; aged 88.

3. William Sydney Porter, novelist known as "O. Henry," in New York city; aged 52. 4. Prof. Abraham Smith, Anglo-American author and educator, at Toronto; aged 87.

5. John Austin Stevens, founder of the Sons of the Revolution, at Newport, R. I.; aged 85. 6. Henry Neville, noted actor and dramatist, in London. 7. United States Senator Samuel Douglas McPherson, of Louisiana, in New Orleans; aged 74.

8. United States Senator John W. Daniel of Virginia, at Lynchburg; aged 85. JULY. 2. Prof. Frederik James Furnivall, noted English philologist, lexicographer, commentator and critic, in London; aged 68.

3. Ove Gude, Norwegian minister to the United States, at White Sulphur Springs, Va. 4. Chief Justice Melville Weston Fuller of the United States supreme court, at Fair Harbor, Me.; aged 78.

5. Prof. Giovanni Virginio Schiaparelli, famous astronomer and discoverer of canals on Mars, at Milan; aged 73. 6. Dr. William James Rolfe, noted author and Shakespearean scholar, in Tisbury, Mass.; aged 83.

7. John Gottfried Galle, noted astronomer, at Potsdam, Germany; aged 58. 8. Kate Tannatt Woods, author, in Boston; aged 70.

CONTINUED ON LAST PAGE Hermon Coughran and family are home again after a three

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TABOKA - - - TEXAS

However, the moon can come back all right every time

The problem of making it rain is no more vexatious than that of making it stop

"It is an author's privilege to be inaccurate," says a noted writer. Privilege? It's a habit.

After the surgeons take a man and make him over they regard him as worth talking about.

Oh, man killed while on his way to return a borrowed umbrella. Probably insane, anyhow.

The feminine airship has materialized. It may be depended upon to have its wings on straight.

A woman doctor advises polygamy as a cure for our social evils. Is the lady married, may we ask?

Paris will have to train its river to stay out in the country if it insists on acting so foolishly in town.

According to a Harvard professor, it is not a cat's nature to kill a mouse. Unnatural brutes, cats!

The sky pilot is no longer a theory, but a visible fact: visible, at least, until he vanishes in the blue dome.

A Chicago young man has spent over \$300,000 in two years. This high-flying record, however, was made without a barograph.

As illustrating the dangers of getting up too early in the morning, a New York man was run over by a milk wagon.

It is true that a man has flown from the deck of a ship to the shore, but the day of the aeroplane lifeboat is not yet in sight.

The horse may have to go in order to satisfy a school of prophets, but the hay and oats crop are still large and in good demand.

Aviators, like other experimenters, are learning by their mistakes, but in their case the trouble is the mistakes are such costly ones.

Chicagoans are threatened with a coal shortage. Not to be able to buy fuel will be a highly unsatisfactory way of saving money.

Columbus did after all bring upon this once happy country the peach-basket hat. He led up to it. He made it possible here.

A sea-going ship went to the rescue of an airship, and it is now the turn of an airship to repay the effort. Turn about is fair play.

An Austrian specialist has found a form of idiocy that is infectious. You may have noticed yourself how infectious is the pun-making habit.

The typewriting championship has just been decided in New York again. This is the first time it has been decided since day before yesterday.

Silly to get an injunction to keep a woman from going to a ball. Keeping her dress from getting home in time would be infinitely more effective.

The prophets were right. Two months ago they predicted that the hobble skirt would not hold favor in the shape it had then. It is now growing worse.

That an insane asylum inmate who won a prize for magazine poetry should not occasion surprise or even amusement, considering most magazine poetry.

The aviation fashions will probably soon appear. The public may be devoutly thankful if feminine admirers of the bird men do not take to wearing biplanes and Antoinettes for headgear.

A New York husband has asked the Supreme Court to affirm the binding nature of the wife's marriage promise to "obey." This is a dangerous precedent for a wife may retaliate by asking a legal enforcement of the husband's promise to "endow with all his worldly goods."

Stealing a red-hot stove has long figured as "the limit" of predatory daring, if not as impossible feat. But something closely akin to it is reported from Hoboken, N. J., where a man is under arrest charged with having carried off a stove to which a fire was burning. And to make the affair even bolder the stove was taken from a police station.

In denouncing the collective mania of new style and old style cooking those who cling to the latter should remember that they formed their opinion of it when they were blessed with adequate appetites.

A New York minister declares the striking is denouncing among men, but increasing among women. This latter change periodically repeats one, but its injurious to women as a general thing has too often a hold on the public mind for the change to be seriously antagonized.

World Nation

Peoples Dwelling Together as One Nation

By ADA MAY BRECKNER

PROF. STANLEY JEVONS has been most famous perhaps as a historian. But he is fated to become quite as celebrated as a prophet. He founds his prophecies on his history and in that way deduces them as logical and natural and inevitable sequences from his premises. They are the answers to puzzles, the answers to problems in arithmetic.

They are the calculations of an astronomer who fixes the course of comets thousands of years before the destined date of their visible arrival, although the professor most evidently expects his predicted phenomena to sweep over the heavens far within the period of a thousand years. And that although they are far stranger and rarer than comets. Indeed in his latest vision he foresees what never has been. And that is a world state, a world nation.

The Bible talks of all peoples dwelling together as one nation. Professor Jevons believes it. He has outlined the sort of government that will rule the world state. And he has found the names for the officials, and he has predicted a world executive, the literal king of the earth. And he believes there will be such a sovereign within the next eighty years. He finds the beginnings of him and his cabinet in the petty officials connected with The Hague tribunal and the outgrowths of The Hague peace conferences.

Some international government officials exist now. And they have existed for years. Only they work so silently and unobtrusively that no one knows about them. But the significance of their position is not discounted by its quiet and non-notoriety. Rather, it is glorified.

Besides of course people are growing friendlier. Good will on earth is realizing as we all become more and more cosmopolitan. At the time of the world's fair in Chicago there was a children's congress which Mary Mapes Dodge conducted with her delightful grace. She introduced the late Heskiah Butterworth, who read a poem in honor of the children of the United States.

He explained that that was the second poem he had written for the day. The first had been dedicated to the children of New England, his own home. But some one had upbraided him for choosing so small a theme. He remodeled his verses and inscribed them to the children of the whole nation.

Overweening love of country is ceasing to be a virtue among the ethically modern, among the ethical elite. They prefer worldism, cosmopolitanism. They have evolved beyond the thought of the "bloody furrier." Foreigner and native alike are desirable citizens. Somebody has written on patriotism as a primitive ideal. The civilized and cultured prefer the world state.

Various Ways of Stingy Lover

By ELIZABETH BERNARD

There are in this world "Jimmy Tightwads" who, without previously spending a 2-cent stamp to acknowledge an invitation for an afternoon gathering, come and seem very much surprised when you mention their oversight and wonder that you "could have doubted their coming." Early in the evening, before supper, they tell you that if mother does not hurry with the supper they will have to leave without it, as they have an evening engagement. Imagine! And if they do stay until later in the evening they plead "early rising because of work" as an excuse for not taking home one of your guests.

If a man does not want to spend a dime in car fare he ought not to share the pleasures of the other guests. A man certainly owes something to his hostess and should not consider the acceptance of a party invitation the granting of a favor on his part.

Indeed, he is the one favored and should have enough courtesy at least after the event to spend 2 cents for a stamp, saying: "I enjoyed myself."

Some men are always talking about how much cheaper it is for a girl to entertain her friends than for a man.

They are always bragging about the amount of money they spend, but one never sees them spend it. They feel very much abused when they get the mitten.

I have heard of people of this sort who want to see their best young woman friends on Christmas and New Year's days without even a box of candy.

Then they "wonder why the girls let mother entertain them."

Some "Jimmies" have a habit of dropping in informally about meal time, just as some Genevieves do.

Then they wonder why a girl turns them down hard when they propose.

Texas Scores Hobble Skirt as Hideous

By CAPT. WILLIAM G. DOAK of San Saba County, Texas

Out on the big cattle ranges of the Southwest it is the common practice of the nestor or cowboy, when he makes his camp for the night, to put hobbles on his work horses or saddle ponies.

There's a reason. With the hobbles on, the animals are so impeded in their walk that they can cover but a little distance, even in the course of an entire night, and the owner goes serenely to his slumbers, knowing that his beasts will be in range of his vision on his awakening.

The restraining thongs, attached only to the forelegs, do not prevent them from cropping the rich prairie grass, but effectually hinder their straying to a great distance from camp.

Now, of all ungraceful, ungraceful looking objects on earth, I put a hobbled horse, or rather did up to this day, when my eyes for the first time beheld a hobbled woman.

For the first time in my existence, my friend, I am brought to realize that woman, the fairest, most beautiful of all created things, could by her own act transform herself into a most hideous and repellent phenomenon.

How can there be grace without ease and freedom of movement? A hobbled woman ought to be taken out and shows the limp and hobbled top of a hobbled horse, and I honestly believe that one look would cause her to change her dress.

LUCK IS BIGGEST ELEMENT

So Says Mike Mitchell, Outfielder and Heavy Hitter of Cincinnati National League Team.

By MIKE MITCHELL.

(Copyright, by Joseph B. Bowles.) Luck I think is the biggest element in winning baseball games, and in the success of any individual player. I have known many good ball players who were sent back to the minor leagues and have never arisen again because luck broke again; them during their early careers and they never were lucky enough to get another chance.

Scoring runs wins, hitting scores runs and luck is the best part of hitting, which is why I reason that luck wins. There are mysteries in batting that even the batters do not understand. I see each season good hard hitters standing up well, hitting the ball hard and squarely, who, to watch them hit you would think were in the .300 class, and yet they are standing away down in the averages. Hitting runs in streaks, too. Often a man will hit hard and steadily without getting safe hits for weeks and then suddenly the luck will turn and everything he hits will go safe.

There is no way for a man to learn to bat. I take that back. I think left handed batters who are extremely fast actually can be taught to bat whether they are natural hitters or not. They can learn to poke and push the ball, and chop at it, mixing it up with their swings and by practice become pretty good hitters whether they were so at the start or not. But with the great majority hitting the ball is natural and is the result of a quick eye and steady drive at the ball. Boys just starting the game, however, can cultivate their natural ability to bat. They ought to study themselves to observe how they stand at the plate, how they hold their bats and how they move when the ball is pitched. They may be natural hitters who have not learned to handle themselves. Try to keep a steady footing, both feet on the ground, but with the body balanced on the balls of the feet. Never hit flatfooted. Swing so as to get the force of the body behind the bat, and try to meet the ball squarely instead of trying to hit it out



Mike Mitchell.

of the lot. A great many young players make the mistake of swinging too hard. Notice how many batters have two strikes called and then hit the third solidly.

Then begin the study of pitchers. No man ought to go into a game without some knowledge of the style of the opposing pitcher, whether he is slow or fast, straight or curve or spit ball, and the more he knows about the other pitchers the better he ought to hit. If a batter knows what the pitcher is likely to do, he is much more likely to hit. The fact is that a majority of hits made in the finished game are made when the pitcher is in the hole and the batter is almost certain what is to be pitched.

It is a question for each batter to study out for himself, but perhaps a hint or two may help. Keep cool, watch closely and study all the time and you may hit—if you are lucky.

GOSSIP OF SPORTDOM

Bat Nelson thinks he has several youthful wallows in his haymaker mitt yet.

Dave Barry has been appointed manager and watchmaker of the New Orleans Athletic club.

An expert has said Attell's fighting days are about over, but Abe keeps right on gathering in the coin.

Yost's trickery did trap the Gophers—it was not the double cross, but the double pass that turned the trick.

Minor league magnates already are planning for that Texas conclave and have invited President Taft to address them in 1911.

Mr. Stagg is starting early. He already has predicted a good season for 1911 in football, as far as the Midway school is concerned.

Chicago turners do not cater much to indoor ball and basket ball, but wrestling is gaining a strange grip on their attention just now.

Chicago is highly honored in the amateur athletic world. The supreme rulers of both the A. A. U. and the A. A. F. hail from the windy city.

Those striking hockey skaters can't see the bug in hockey, when they

WOMAN'S SLAYER IS BURNED BY TEXANS

INCINERATION OF ANTONIO RODRIGUEZ WHICH THREATENED TROUBLE WITH MEXICO.

San Antonio, Texas.—Antonio Rodriguez of Las Vacas, Mexico, aged 29 years, who was burned at the stake by a mob at Rock Springs, Texas, following his confession that he shot and killed Mrs. Lem Henderson, wife of a ranchman, gave as a reason for his crime that the woman "spoke mean" to him. Rodriguez was arrested when he applied at a ranch near Rock Springs for food. The forming of the mob began early in the afternoon and by nightfall several thousand persons had gathered. The crowd stormed the rather frail jail structure at Rock Springs, overpowered the guard and took Rodriguez some distance from the city to an already prepared pyre. Without a show of emotion and offering but little re-



Burn Woman's Slayer at Stake.

distance, the Mexican was bound to the stake and the torch applied. When his body was completely incinerated the mob dispersed.

Incendiary newspaper accounts of the lynching of Rodriguez turned the customary indolent crowds of the Mexican capital into a howling, tumultuous mob. The El Diario del Hogar and other newspapers of the Mexican city were especially vituperative in their attacks on the Americans. An American flag was taken from over an American business house and torn into ribbons by the rioters. The police were powerless to stop the demonstration. In many instances the officers stood idly by watching the work of destruction, without attempting to stop it. So tumultuous did the anti-American demonstration become that following a protest from the American ambassador, troops were ordered to charge the mob. Three of the rioters were killed and 200 others arrested before the streets could be cleared. The foreign office informed the Mexican ambassador at Washington that the leaders in the demonstration would be punished.

MUSICAL SPITE WAR IS ON

Phonographs of Two Philadelphia Families Run 170 Hours—Neighbors Threaten Arrest.

Philadelphia, Pa.—For four years Philadelphia has had a "war of phonographs," and the end is not in sight. Harry Le Dana and his next door neighbor, Fletcher Dummer, are owners of the rival phonographs.

At five o'clock in the afternoon the Le Dana phonograph had been grinding out "Has Anybody Here Seen Kelly" for 170 hours at a stretch. Le Dana and his wife took turns winding the machine and resetting the records. Next door it was the same way, with the exception that the tune was "America."

The row started when Mrs. Dummer, with her piano, endeavored to drown the noise making proclivities of the Le Dana phonograph. She was not a good endurance player, so her husband had to purchase a phonograph. Now the two machines grind day and night.

The neighbors declare that unless the families settle their difference they will apply to the police.

Tug of War for Bride.

Atlanta, Ga.—A tug of war for possession of a bride of a few minutes threw the congregation in the Central Baptist church here into the wildest confusion and caused a suspension of the services.

The tussle was between the young husband, George H. Coker, on one side, and the two maiden sisters of Mrs. Coker on the other. Mr. and Mrs. Coker had eloped and been married by the pastor of Central church just before a special evening service.

Two sisters of Mrs. Coker, declaring Mr. Coker should not marry their sister, arrived just as the ceremony was finished, and not knowing it was all over, attempted to pull her up the aisle, while the husband sought to keep her at his side. The contestants left the church after the ceremony.

Practical Fashion

LADIES' YOKES



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The Death Roll

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- Daniel Polger Bigelow, noted American artist and art leader, in Chicago, aged 81.
 - Z. B. Knight, who is said to have named the Republican party in 1851, in Omaha, aged 83.
 - Prof. Samuel Ross Whana, dean of Princeton university, at Princeton, aged 75.
 - Sir Henry Tichenor, infant defendant in the notorious Arthur Orton case, to the Tichenor title and estates in 1871 and noted as a big game hunter, in London, aged 74.
 - John G. Carlike, statesman and member of Grover Cleveland's cabinet, in New York city, aged 73.

- AUGUST.
- J. B. Studley, once noted actor, in New York city.
 - Col. Harvey W. Scott, editor of the Portland Oregonian, in Baltimore, aged 72.
 - Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, noted woman lawyer, in Washington, aged 70.
 - Edmund D. Lewis, noted artist and an collector, in Philadelphia, aged 72.
 - Florence Nightingale, famous nurse of the Crimean war, in London, aged 90.
 - Rev. F. P. Hammond, once famous evangelist, at Hartford, Conn.
 - President Pedro Montt of Chile, in Brema.

- SEPTEMBER.
- William Holman-Hunt, noted artist, in London, aged 81.
 - Dr. Emily Blackwell, noted woman physician, at York City, Me.
 - Lloyd W. Bowers, collector general of the United States, in Boston, aged 81.
 - Winslow Homer, famous American painter, at Scarborough, Me., aged 74.
 - Mrs. Rebecca Harding Davis, the author, at Mount Kisco, N. Y., aged 72.

- OCTOBER.
- Gov. Napoleon Bonaparte Broward of Florida, a former Cuban filibuster, at Jacksonville, aged 53.
 - Former Governor and United States Senator David Bennett Hill, at Albany, aged 91.
 - Joseph Abner Harper, member of the old firm of Harper & Bro., the New York publishers, at Newburg, N. Y., aged 77.
 - William Vaughn Moody, educator and playwright, author of "The Great Divide," in Colorado Springs, aged 41.
 - Markin G. Mead, noted American sculptor, in Florence, Italy, aged 75.
 - United States Senator Jonathan P. Dolliver, of Iowa, at Fort Dodge, aged 82.
 - Julia Ward Howe, author of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," at Middletown, R. I., aged 91.
 - Gen. Thomas T. Eckert, manager of the Federal military telegraph in the civil war and later president of Western Union, at Long Branch, N. J., aged 85.

- NOVEMBER.
- United States Sen. or Alexander Stephens Clay of Georgia, at Atlanta, aged 87.
 - John La Farge, distinguished mural painter and stained glass artist, in Providence, R. I., aged 67.
 - Count Leo Tolstoy, famous Russian novelist, at Astapova, Russia, aged 82.
 - Octave Chanute, originator of the aero plane, at Chicago, aged 78.

- DECEMBER.
- Gen. E. A. Carr, U. S. A., retired, distinguished on the border before the civil war as well as in that conflict at Washington, aged 89.
 - Mary Baker Glover Eddy, founder of the Christian Science church, in Boston, aged 89.
 - Gen. Wesley Merritt, U. S. A., retired veteran of the civil and Spanish-American wars, at Natural Bridge, Va., aged 74.
 - The Duke of Chartres, grandson of Louis Philippe of France and one of the Orleans princes who served in America in 1862, in Paris, aged 80.
 - Ludwig Knaut, noted genre painter, in Berlin, aged 81.
 - Gen. Wallace F. Randolph, U. S. A., retired, noted artillery of the civil war, in Washington, aged 69.
 - Dr. Emil Reich, author and lecturer noted for his criticisms of American women, in London, aged 56.
 - Melville D. Landon, humorous writer and lecturer, known as Eli Perkins, in Yonkers, N. Y., aged 71.

- JANUARY.
- United Mine Workers of North America met at Indianapolis.
 - Annual congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution held in Washington.
 - Annual parade of the United Confederate Veterans at Mobile, Ala.
 - Pan-American congress opened at Buenos Aires, Argentina.
 - World's Sunday School association met in Washington.
 - Society of Descendants of the Signers of the Declaration met in Philadelphia.
 - National Education association met in Boston.
 - National camp Sons of Veterans, met in Washington.

- FEBRUARY.
- General walkout in Philadelphia to aid the striking street car men.
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- OCTOBER.
- The international convention of the Y. M. C. A. of North America opened in Toronto.
 - American Red Cross society met in Washington.
 - Conference on international disputes met in Washington.
 - American Historical association at Indianapolis. Association for the Advancement of Science at Minneapolis.
 - Meeting at St. Louis of the Association For Labor Legislation.

WORK OF THE FLAMES

- MARCH.
- Janestown, N. Y., swept by a fire, causing loss of \$50,000.
 - 50 killed by fire in a dance hall at Motoszka, Hungary.

- APRIL.
- Fire swept away 20 business and residence blocks in Lake St. Charles, La.; loss about \$2,000,000.

- MAY.
- Loss of \$1,500,000 by the burning of a glass factory at Ford, Pa.

- JUNE.
- Fire swept over 20 acres of warehouses and dwellings in Seattle, causing loss of nearly \$1,000,000.
 - Fire following collapse of roof in the Montreal Herald building caused loss of 40 lives.

- JULY.
- Sixty buildings burned in a Fourth of July blaze at Honton, Pa.; loss \$26,000.
 - A lumber yard fire at Annapolis, Ont., caused a loss of over \$3,000,000.
 - Campbelltown, N. B., nearly destroyed by fire; loss \$2,500,000.

- AUGUST.
- Loss of \$1,500,000 by a blaze in Boston's lumber district.
 - Fire destroyed the "White City" of the world's fair at Brussels; loss estimated at \$2,000,000.
 - 13 lives lost and \$1,000,000 worth of property destroyed at Wallace, Ida, by flames started by forest fires in the vicinity of the city.

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- Earthquake in Costa Rica; province of Cartago nearly destroyed; estimate loss of life over 2,500.
 - Earthquake shocks in California.
 - Earthquake shocks at Los Angeles and vicinity.
 - The earth passed through the tail of Halley's comet at 10:11 p. m., New York time.
 - Violent earthquake shock at Salt Lake City.

- JUNE.
- Cloudburst wiped out several villages in southern Hungary and destroys about 20 lives.
 - Destructive earthquake in southern Italy; upward of 100 deaths.
 - Cloudburst in the Abruzzo valley, Prussia destroyed 10 lives.
 - Windstorm caused death of 16 people in New York city.

- JULY.
- 60 persons killed and hundreds injured by a tornado near Milan, Italy.

- AUGUST.
- Flood in Tokyo destroyed over 100 houses and shops and over 1,000 lives.

- OCTOBER.
- A fierce storm swept over Europe, causing a heavy loss of life on the English coast and on the Baltic.
 - A hurricane caused widespread devastation in Cuba.
 - A West India hurricane struck the coasts of Florida and South Carolina.
 - Ischia, an island in the Mediterranean, and Naples swept by a hurricane; 10 dead in Ischia.

- DECEMBER.
- Heavy storm of rain and snow in the northern and eastern states.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

- JANUARY.
- Charles W. Moore, convicted New York banker, began a 15 year sentence in the United States penitentiary at Atlanta.
 - The organized volunteer militia of the United States became a permanent adjunct of the regular army establishment by the operation of the Dick law.
 - John R. Walsh, convicted Chicago banker serving his 5 year term in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan.
 - Indictment of the New York World in the Panama libel case quashed in the United States circuit court in New York.

- FEBRUARY.
- Edward Payson Weston started from Los Angeles, Cal., on his walk to New York.
 - The Connecticut "batters' boycott" case decided in favor of the plaintiff with an award of \$1,000,000 to the individuals who instituted the boycott amounting to \$27,000.
 - Strike of the street car men began in Philadelphia.
 - Rolling in Philadelphia due to the car men's strike resulted in the death of five people; 100 injured.
 - The Nicaraguan revolutionists defeated at Tasma, losing 600 in all.

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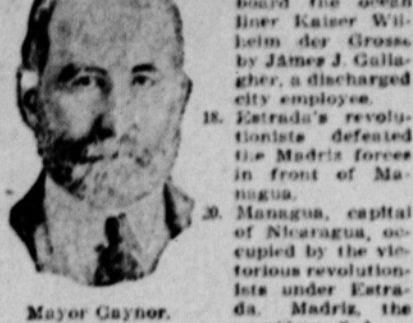
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 - Dr. H. C. Hyde declared guilty of the murder of Col. Swope and sentenced to life imprisonment.
 - Nicaraguan government forces repulsed in an attack upon Estrada's revolutionists at Bluefields.

- JUNE.
- Capt. Scott's antarctic expedition sailed from London.

- JULY.
- Numerous riots in which many people were killed followed the news of the ring event at Reno.
 - Riot and lynching in Newark, O.
 - Estrada's revolutionists defeated the Nicaraguan forces at Acopya.

- AUGUST.
- Mayor William J. Gaynor shot on board the ocean liner Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, by James J. Gallagher, a discharged city employee.
 - Estrada's revolutionists defeated the Madrid forces in front of Managua.
 - Managua, capital of Nicaragua, occupied by the victorious revolutionists under Estrada, Madrid, the president, fled.



Mayor Gaynor.

- SEPTEMBER.
- J. I. Hutchinson, former circus partner with Barnum & Bailey, died at Shelter Island, N. Y.
 - Gen. Charles R. Brayton, noted blind political leader, died in Providence, R. I.

- OCTOBER.
- The White Star line steamship Olympic, the largest in the world, was launched at Belfast.
 - Dr. Hawley H. Crippen found guilty of the murder of his wife, Belle Elmore, in the Old Bailey criminal court, London.

- NOVEMBER.
- The Coeur d'Alene reservation opened to general settlement.
 - Prince Victor Napoleon Bonaparte, pretender to the throne of France, married Princess Clementine of Belgium.

- DECEMBER.
- Dr. Harvey Harvey Crippen killed in London for the murder of his wife, Belle Elmore.
 - The crews of two Brazilian warships mutinied in the harbor of Rio Janeiro and opened fire on the city.
 - The magnificent new Pennsylvania railroad station at Thirty-second street and Seventh avenue, New York, formally opened for traffic west and south.
 - Mexican troops defeated 400 revolutionists in battle at Chihuahua.
 - The government asked for the dissolution of the sugar trust as "a corporation in restraint of trade."
 - Mark Twain memorial ceremonies took place in Carnegie hall, New York.

- JANUARY.
- Status of Gen. Frederik Wilhelm von Steuben, a noted figure in Washington's army during the Revolutionary war, unveiled in Washington.
 - Mutiny of Brazilian marines at Rio de Janeiro resulted in a battle, causing 400 casualties.
 - Official figures of the 12th census published. Population, exclusive of Alaska, 91,792,265; including all possessions, 101,100,000; gain since 1900, 15,800,800.
 - Andrew Carnegie gave \$10,000,000 to the cause of peace.
 - Aviation meet at Los Angeles.

- FEBRUARY.
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Record Of 1910

DISASTERS AT SEA

- MAY.**
- 18 Deaths by the sinking of the steamer Frank H. Goodyear near Port aux Barques, Lake Huron.
 - 19 The French submarine Pluviose rammed by a ferryboat and sunk with all her crew of 22 in Dover strait.
- OCTOBER.**
- 21 British steamship Wally wrecked off the Brazilian coast; 56 passengers and sailors drowned.
 - 22 The Italian gunboat La Liberte was wrecked by an explosion off Port aux Barques, and sank with 79 persons, including 20 generals.
- DECEMBER.**
- 23 German steamer Palermo wrecked on the Spanish coast, carrying down 24 persons.

AVIATION

- JANUARY.**
- 4 Leon Delagrange, pioneer aeroplane experimenter, killed by the fall of a Blériot monoplane at Bordeaux, France.
 - 7 Hubert Latham, French aviator, beat the records for height of heavier than air machines by ascending nearly 1,000 feet at Mourmelon, France.
 - 24 Aviation meet opened at Los Angeles, Cal.
- APRIL.**
- 21 Louis Paulhan, French aviator, won the Daily Mail £2,000 prize by flying from London to Manchester, England, 265 miles, in 22 1/2 minutes actual time.



Glenn H. Curtiss.

- MAY.**
- 22 Glenn H. Curtiss flew from Albany to New York, following the course of the Hudson river, winning the New York World's prize of \$2,000.
- JUNE.**
- 11 Walter S. Brookings made new world's altitude record by ascending 4,820 feet at Indianapolis.
 - 22 Count Zeppelin's dirigible Deutschland sailed 30 miles from Friedrichshafen to Dusseldorf, carrying 11 passengers.
 - 24 Zeppelin's airship Deutschland made an excursion trip, carrying 12 passengers.
- JULY.**
- 2 Clifford B. Harmon broke the American amateur long flight record (his own) by remaining in the air 2 hours 24 minutes at Minnetonka.
 - 1 Second international aviation meet opened at Eboime, France. Aviator Wachter killed by the fall of his machine.
 - 4 Walter R. Brookings flew 4,225 feet up in the air at Atlantic City.
 - 12 Capt. C. S. Rolls, English aviator, killed at Bournemouth in a Wright biplane.
- AUGUST.**
- 12 Radley, an English aviator, broke the world's speed flight record by flying a mile in 47 1/2 seconds.
 - 14 C. F. Willard carried three passengers on a quarter mile biplane trip at Garden City, beating the world's record on the number of passengers.
 - 21 Glenn H. Curtiss made an over water record by flying 60 miles over Lake Erie in 1 hour 15 minutes, an average of 41 miles an hour.
- SEPTEMBER.**
- 12 12 balloons started from Indianapolis in an American championship race. Balloon America II landed near Warrenton, Va., after a flight of 44 hours.
 - 18 Weymann, an American, and George Chavez, a Peruvian, attempted to fly over the Alps. Chavez succeeded, but was mortally hurt in landing.
 - 23 Walter S. Brookings broke the cross country distance record by flying from Chicago to Springfield, 126 miles, winning a \$10,000 prize.
- OCTOBER.**
- 1 Aviator Wymalen made a world's record for height by ascending 5,134 feet at Mourmelon, France.
 - 15 Wellman's balloon America started on its oversea flight at Atlantic City.
 - 17 16 balloons, representing four nations, started from St. Louis in the international race for the Bennett cup and \$4,250 in prizes.
 - 18 The dirigible balloon Clement-Bayard, carrying 7 people, sailed from Paris to London in 6 hours.
 - 22 Wellman abandoned his airship 300 miles off Hatteras after sailing about

point reached was 100 miles northeast of Nantucket.

- 23 Balloon America II, Post and Hawley ascended, landed in the province of Quebec, 1,275 miles from St. Louis, winning the Bennett cup for distance.
- 24 The international aviation meet opened at Belmont park, New York.
- 25 Ralph Johnstone broke the American aeroplane record for flight by ascending 7,000 feet at Belmont park, beating J. Armstrong Duesel's record of 5,000 feet.
- 26 Ralph Johnstone ascended 2,000 feet in an aeroplane at Belmont park. (The world's record was 2,184.)
- 28 Claude Grahame-White won the speed race at Belmont park; time for 241 miles, 41 minutes 14 seconds.
- 30 J. B. Moisant won the race from Belmont park to the statue of Liberty and return, covering 24 miles in 24 minutes 34 1/2 seconds.
- 31 Ralph Johnstone ascended 9,774 feet at Belmont park, establishing a world's record for altitude.

NOVEMBER.

- 4 Eugene P. Ely in the Curtiss biplane Hudson Flier flew from the deck of the United States cruiser Birmingham, in Hampton Roads, to Washington beach, 7 miles distant.
- 11 Ralph Johnstone, the aviator, killed by the fall of his biplane at Denver, aged 28.
- 21 Armstrong Duesel ascended 9,000 feet in a monoplane at Philadelphia, breaking the world's record.

DECEMBER.

- 4 Lepages, French aviator, soared 24,424 feet at Pau, making a new world's record for altitude.

- 10 Capt. Bellanger, French army aviator, broke the world's speed record by making an average of over 86 miles an hour in a 100 mile flight from Vincennes to Mourmelon.

GAMES AND RACES

JANUARY.

- 12 Fred Evans won the three cushion billiard championship of the world from Alfredo De Cive, the Cuban champion, in New York; final score 12 to 11.

FEBRUARY.

- 22 Ad Wolgast defeated Battling Nelson for the lightweight championship at Richmond, Cal., in 40 rounds.

MARCH.

- 1 Thure Johansen, Swede, set a world's Marathon record by running 26 miles 35 yards in 2 hours 26 minutes 54 1/2 seconds.
- 14 Barney Oldfield, Irish-American autoist, broke the world's auto record for a mile by driving car over the course in 27 1/2 seconds at Daytona Beach, Fla.

APRIL.

- Tom Houston won 3 cushion billiard title from Fred Evans at Denver.
- 22 Barney Oldfield won the 20 mile auto event at Daytona Beach, Fla., covering the course in 19 minutes.
- 23 Cambridge defeated Oxford in the annual eight oared rowing race at Putney, England.

MAY.

- 1 Fitzherbert won the Brooklyn handicap at Gravesend.

JUNE.

- 1 Lemberg won the English Derby.
- 5 Cornell won the varsity eight, four oared race, and freshman's eight at Poughkeepsie.
- 20 Nuage, owned by Mrs. Cheremetoff, won the French Grand Prix, beating W. K. Vanderbilt's Reinhart by a neck.
- 20 Harvard won the varsity races over Yale at New London.

JULY.

- 4 Jack Johnson defeated Jeffries in 15 rounds at Reno for the world's heavy-weight championship.

AUGUST.

- 12 Urban set a new trotting record by going a mile in 1:58 1/2 at Cleveland.
- 24 Jinvester lowered the world's record for stallions by trotting a mile in 1:52 at the Empire City track, Yonkers.
- 25 William A. Larned, national lawn tennis champion, defended his title at Newport, defeating Thomas C. Bundy of California.
- 27 Novelty won the Futurity and \$2,320 at Saratoga, with Bashit second.

SEPTEMBER.

- 17 Paul Sorg broke the four-in-hand record by driving a mile in 2:47 1/2 at White Plains, N. Y.
- 21 Harvester lowered the trotting record for stallions to 2:01 at Columbus.

OCTOBER.

- 1 The Vanderbilt cup auto race for 1910 was won by Harry F. Grant, time 4 hours 13 minutes 25 seconds.
- 15 The Army football team beat Yale, 5 to 3, at West Point.
- 23 The Philadelphia Athletics beat the Chicago Nationals for the world's

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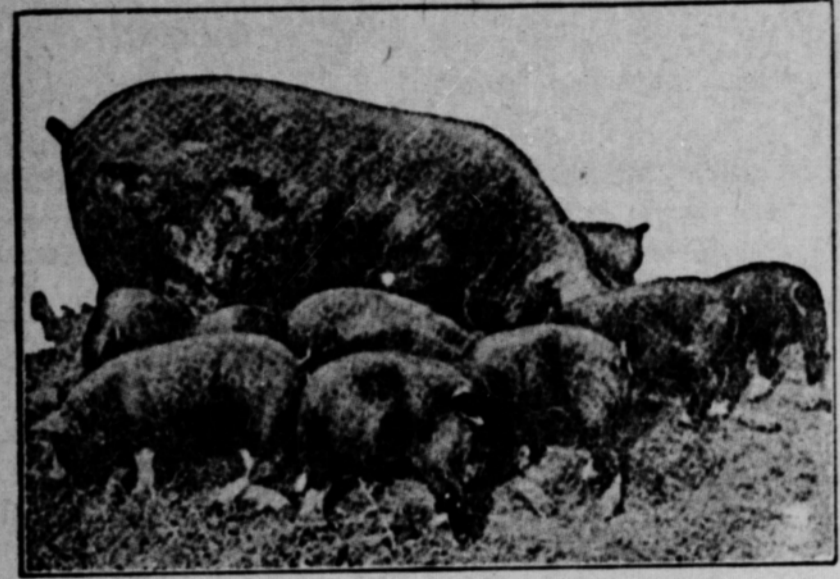
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NECESSITY FOR PROVIDING PIGS COMFORTABLE QUARTERS

Many Things of Vital Importance in Making Hog Business Entirely Profitable—Must Have Proper Shelter With Exercise.



Poland-China Sow and Litter of Pigs.

(By W. H. UNDERWOOD.)
In raising pigs there are several things, very essential, which are difficult to secure in the right degree in the winter time, and which sometimes make the winter litter rather costly. Hogs are great lovers of warmth and they must have it for their economical growth. This has been fully demonstrated by the experiment stations in the different fattening trials. The cost of the grain in several instances was almost double with outside feeding as compared with a warm shelter, all other things being as nearly equal as was possible. Warmth is even more of a necessity to the suckling pig, and to obtain that warmth and give the little fellow sufficient amount of exercise is where the difficulty comes in. It is an easy matter to make the bed warm enough, but as soon as the pig leaves the nest for exercise out in the open, it becomes chilly and soon returns to the warm bed. Not taking exercise sufficient to keep it from becoming too fat, thumps follow and death ensues. An abundance of exercise is necessary to avoid the thumps in young pigs when they are getting all the milk and other foods they can eat. In raising winter pigs there are six really very important things to be taken into consideration: Warmth, exercise, good feed, ventilated quarters, sunshine and good blood. In order to have these a warm and quite roomy building, which will make ventilation easier and allow the pigs to play without going out in the open is necessary. When the weather is

sufficiently warm they should be out of doors as much as possible, especially when the sun shines. Plenty of sunshine is the greatest disinfectant and invigorator known. Some years ago I had a couple of litters come early in the winter. The weather was very cold and for want of a better place to keep them than the one in which they were farrowed, I penned up a little corner of the cow stable in which were kept at night 30 head of cattle. The building was 35 by 50 feet, and when closed at night with the cattle in it was quite comfortable. This proved to be almost an ideal place for the pigs. They were given fresh bedding every night and a fresh supply of bedding put in every day. Those pigs grew exceedingly fast. Under ordinary farm conditions it is a doubtful proposition to attempt to raise many winter pigs with good results, but under special conditions a few litters may be made profitable. The greatest obstacle is to provide enough warm space for the pigs to run about freely without becoming chilled for lack of sufficient sunshine. Scours and thumps often cause very serious losses among young pigs. The former is caused usually by over-feeding, by providing badly spoiled feed, by an abrupt change of ration or by a change in feed that affects the milk of the dam. The latter is generally brought about by over-feeding and lack of exercise. An illustration is shown herewith of a Poland-China sow, with her litter of pigs. This breed put on fat rapidly, are docile and easily handled.

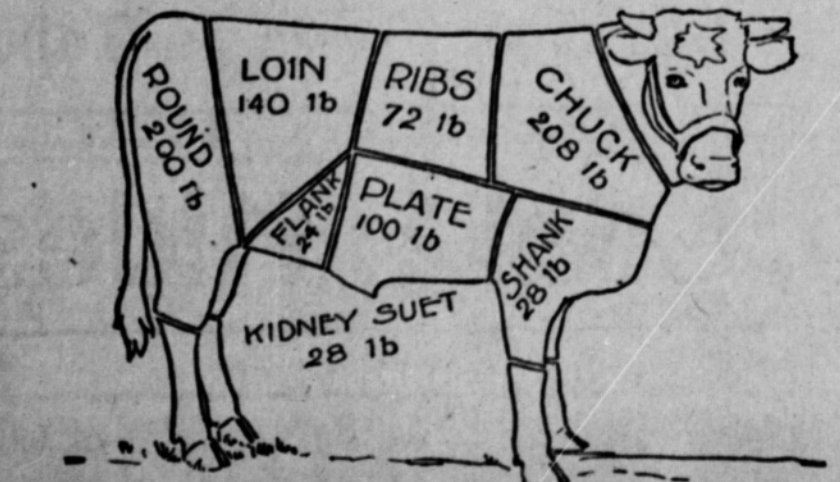
RAISING FUEL FOR HOUSEHOLD

Systematic Planting and Cultivation of Forest Trees is Branch of Agriculture Yet in Infancy.

(By R. B. BUCKHAM, Salem, Mass.)
A very small acreage of woodland, if properly handled, can be made to yield the necessary fuel for the household, from year to year, and yet maintain an average growth, or even increase in value. The tree growth of the woodlot should be encouraged in every possible way. All dead wood should be conscientiously removed and added to the woodpile. It will serve well as excellent kindling, at least, and does away with one of the chief sources of disease among growing wood. It has been proven that a very large percentage of all the ailments of forest trees arises from the decaying dead-wood lying about them. Thinning correctly is a second requisite to making the woodlot most profitable. Where the standing growth is too close, all are compelled to suffer for the lack of air and light. Hence some can well be removed, to the benefit of the remainder. Where an area of any dimensions has been laid bare, it should be reseeded immediately, if the second growth does not start satisfactorily. It is as poor economy to allow parts

of the woodlot to lie idle, as any other portion of the farm. The increase of the more valuable trees should be encouraged, such as the oak, pine, hickory and ash. Some trees are of no value, save as stove wood, and are poor, even at that. Yet, strange enough, at the start they are the most vigorous, and always succeed at making the most rapid growth at the start; thus holding their own at the expense of their competitors. Forest tracts are indispensable to the welfare and best interests of the community. We cannot well do without them, because of their salubrious influence upon the climate, their conservation of the supply of moisture, and their value for purifying the atmosphere, to say nothing of their commercial value. We must look to the farmer for the presence of the necessary amount of forest trees. Upon them will fall the burden of bearing this responsibility. But that they will profit largely therefrom is well illustrated by the fact that the artificial timber tracts which already exist in what was formerly the great, bare, wind-swept western plains, are already of incalculable value. Systematic planting and cultivation of forest trees is a branch of agriculture yet in its infancy, but one which will prove exceedingly important before the history of this country shall have been written.

STEER OF PROFITABLE FORM



This steer weighed 1,300 pounds alive and 800 pounds dressed. This makes his dressing percentage 62. He is an example of the most profitable steer to feed any Farm and Home. Note the broad head, straight, level

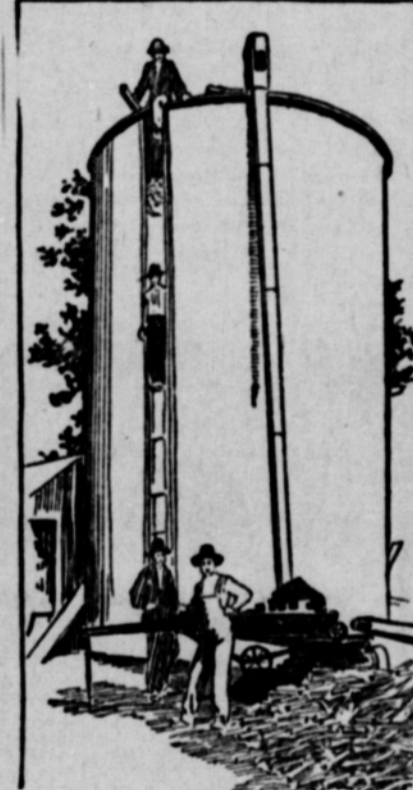
CEMENT SILO BUILDING

Reinforced Concrete for Practical Use on Farm.

Tank in Lyon County, Kansas, is Thirty Feet High and Fifteen Feet in Diameter—Green Fodder the Year Round.

The first cement silo in Lyon county—the seventh or eighth to be built in Kansas—is on the farm of George Randolph, two miles south of Emporia. The silo and the value of ensilage for stock during the winter months is appreciated by every farmer who is progressive in his agriculture. Perhaps every farm in the state has a silo of home construction, built of boards and covered with earth. But the cement silo is to the one of boards as the wheat binder is to the cradle and scythe. And, thanks largely to the extension department of the Agricultural College at Manhattan, the farmers are beginning to realize the importance of green fodder the year round for their milk cows and stock. For that is one of the wonders of the cement silo.

The structure of Mr. Randolph's was built this summer under the direction of Mr. Hinman, formerly of the Agricultural College of Kansas, now head of the extension department of the College of Colorado. The silo is 30 feet high and 15 feet in diameter. It is 4 inches thick at the base and 2½ inches at the top. The cement was applied over a framework of metal lath and is re-enforced throughout with steel rods. The foundation is sunk but four feet in the ground; locations where the drainage is not as good as it is in the Randolph silo require a deeper foundation. The entire cost of the structure was \$300. Mr. Randolph filled the silo during the first three weeks of October. The capacity is supposed to be 105 tons, but the amount of fodder stowed away



Kansas Cement Silo.

is estimated to exceed that. Twelve acres of corn, running 60 bushels to the acre, was ground into bits and pressed into the big cement standpipe. Every part of the corn is utilized—stalk, cob and leaves, and a delicious mince-meat results, which makes a nutritious feed for all kinds of stock. This ensilage will keep indefinitely and any not used this winter will make excellent feed next summer or fall. A sectional door, running longitudinally, is closed when the silo is filled and the ensilage can be removed by removing one section of the door. When closed the silo is airtight. Thirty to 40 pounds of ensilage makes a good feed. Mr. Randolph expects to use the entire contents of the silo this winter in feeding a large herd of thoroughbred Poland China hogs, the chief stock of his Riverside farm.

General Farm Notes

How about getting a separator, or have you one?
December eggs are always welcome and high-priced.
The work of improving our dairy herds should be going on all the time. The hens that moulted early will now be ready to lay and others coming on.
Young trees may need support to prevent the strong winds from uprooting them.
Many farmers allow sick fowls in the flock for weeks until they either die or get well.
Be careful not to let your seed corn freeze for this interferes with its power of germination.
The man who is raising fancy stock is personally acquainted with each individual bird and its peculiarities.
Pick out trees that have proven themselves bearers and select well seasoned wood of last year's growth.
It is most encouraging that sensible action is being taken by private individuals and by associations all over the country to check the spread of tuberculosis.
With swine, as with cattle, unless one is breeding for the show ring or for fancy herds, perfection in markings and minor points are not of

CORN CROP INJURED BY RATS

Destructive Rodents Attack Growing Plant in Milk Stage and Do Much Damage.

The corn crop suffers greater injury from rats than any other crop grown. Besides depredation on newly sown seed, the animals attack the growing corn when in the milk stage. They climb the upright stalks and often strip the cob clean of grain.

A farmer living near Grand River, Ia., relates the following experience: "We had about two thousand bush-



Stripped by Rats.

els of corn in three cribs to which rats ran and they ate and destroyed one-fourth of it. Much of it was too unwholesome to put through the grinder until it had been cleaned an ear at a time. All the time we were poisoning and trapping them. We killed as high as three hundred rats in two days and could hardly miss them. They destroyed more than enough corn to pay taxes on 400 acres of land."

One man reports an instance in which rats destroyed three-fourths of the crop on 13 acres. A large portion of the crop grown on the Potomac flats, near Washington, was destroyed by rats.

The most serious charge against rats grows out of their relation to human health. It is now positively known that rats are responsible for the spread of bubonic plague, a malady which, in spite of modern methods of fighting it, has within the past dozen years destroyed over 5,000,000 human lives in India alone. The particular means by which the disease is transmitted from rat to rat and from rat to man is solely by the rat flea.

IRRIGATE COTTON IN TEXAS

Wonderful Results Accomplished by That Method in Lower Rio Grande Valley This Season.

Wonderful results were accomplished this season growing cotton by means of irrigation in the lower valley of the Rio Grande. It is said to be the only locality in the United States where this product is raised by supplying artificially the moisture needs of the plants unless it be a few small irrigated farms in the more arid regions of Texas.

One bale an acre is an extraordinarily large yield under the ordinary methods of farming, where the rainfall is depended upon to supply the moisture for the crop anywhere in the south. The average yield is less than one half-bale an acre one season with another. In the lower valley of the Rio Grande this season, where irrigation was practiced in growing the crop, as high as two bales an acre is being obtained by farmers, says a Mercedes (Tex.) dispatch in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. T. P. Cheney, who has a farm two and a half miles south of the town of Donna, picked 80 bales off 60 acres up to September 10, and when the crop season closed he had gathered 60 more bales from the same ground, making something over two bales an acre. The revenue from this cotton will be about \$9,000, not counting the seed, which will sell for enough money to pay for all the expenses of the crop, including the planting, cultivating, picking and marketing, according to Mr. Cheney's estimate.

This is only one illustration of what is being done in this region in growing cotton. It is not unusual for one bale of the staple to be grown to an acre by the valley farmers. When the harvest of cotton is over the same land is planted in winter vegetables or some other kind of crops, and they are gathered and out of the way before the next cotton planting season arrives. One of the most important features of this new era of cotton production in the Rio Grande valley during the last three years is that it has resulted in such a reduction of the boll weevil pest in this region that those insects are no longer considered a serious menace to the crop.

Fight Against Lice.

Keep up the fight against lice. Dust the hens frequently with insect powder, especially the hen that has a brood of chicks.

Cold rains will kill the chicks. See that they are under shelter whenever a storm occurs.

Watch for Lice.

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SAVED OLD LADY'S HAIR

"My mother used to have a very bad humor on her head which the doctors called an eczema, and for it I had two different doctors. Her head was very sore and her hair nearly all fell out in spite of what they both did. One day her niece came in and they were speaking of how her hair was falling out and the doctors did it no good. She says, 'Aunt, why don't you try Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment?' Mother did and they helped her. In six months' time the itching, burning and scalding of her head was over and her hair began growing. Today she feels much in debt to Cuticura Soap and Ointment for the fine head of hair she has for an old lady of seventy-four."
"My own case was an eczema in my feet. As soon as the cold weather came my feet would itch and burn and then they would crack open and bleed. Then I thought I would flee to my mother's friends, Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. I did for four or five winters, and now my feet are as smooth as any one's. Ellsworth Dunham, Hiram, Me., Sept. 30, 1909."

Does Your Cat Cough?

Poor pussy! As if the immemorial charges against her of keeping us awake at night and of eating canary birds whenever she gets the chance were not enough, the doctors have just discovered that for years she has been responsible for the spread of diphtheria. Dr. G. J. Awburn of Manchester, England, having traced an epidemic of this disease in a suburb of that city to a pet cat belonging to one of his patients, has found, after much clever investigation, that all cats are peculiarly susceptible to diphtheritic affections of the throat. He has therefore recently been warning all families who own cats to watch them carefully, and, if they develop coughs, to forbid their being hugged and petted. Dr. Awburn further recommends that if the cough persists and the cat begins to grow thin to have the animal destroyed at once. The only really safe way, he says, is to let the first wheeze be pussy's death warrant.

His Means.

"You are charged with vagrancy, prisoner at the bar."
"What's dat, judge?"
"Vagrancy? Why, you have no visible means of support."
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The KITCHEN CABINET

THOSE who are most assured of their positions are not at all much upon their dignity have not, as a rule, much else to stand upon.

—Henry S. Merriman.

Salad Making.
Vegetable salads are cooling and refreshing, but contain little nutriment save in the dressing. The salad is a stimulant to the appetite, as its appearance, if attractive, pleases the eye first, then the palate. Green salads are valuable for the water and mineral salts that they contain. When served with oil a salad furnishes nutriment of much value to the system.

All salads made of crisp green vegetables should be kept well chilled to avoid wilting. Lettuce wilts if allowed to stand in the dressing.
Canned or cold cooked vegetables are used in salads, but should stand in the dressing or be marinated in a French dressing to be well seasoned. Water cress may be obtained the year round and is a salad green both appetizing and wholesome.

A salad prepared at the table is especially pleasing to most people, as the custom is not yet so common as to lose its novelty.

Water Cress and Grape Fruit Salad.
Carefully wash and remove all yellow leaves from the cress. Shake in cloth and lay near the ice to chill. Remove the pulp from a grape fruit and break in small pieces without crushing. Put in a salad bowl three tablespoonfuls of olive oil, a tablespoonful of vinegar, teaspoonful of powdered sugar, half a teaspoonful of salt and a dash or two of paprika; stir until smooth and well blended. Add the cress and the grape fruit; mix until well mixed, and serve.

A very pretty and also delicious salad may be made using grape fruit and maraschino cherries. Arrange head lettuce leaves in nests and on these a mixture of grape fruit in small pieces with a few of the red cherries. The fruit should be marinated in French dressing before serving. A teaspoonful of mayonnaise may be added if desired.

Chopped cucumber and onion seasoned with French dressing makes a favorite salad. Serve the salad in musto cups and garnish with mayonnaise.
Well seasoned cream cheese made into balls and served on lettuce leaves with French dressing and a bit of par le Duc currants is a salad well liked.

Cabbage finely shredded, chopped celery and broken pecan meats with any kind of boiled dressing makes a good salad.

IF YOU want to be cheerful, let your mind on it and do not let any of our discontents get into your head, but we can help what we end with.

—Alice Hogan Rice.

More Pork Dishes.
Roast pork is as dainty as chicken in a salad if it is nicely roasted and carefully made in a salad. Many cooks add veal to eke out a chicken salad, but pork is far more desirable to many palates. Real country pork raised in one's own pen under cleanly conditions is hard to find an equal for flavor.

Now that pork is so high it will probably be regarded with greater respect and it is hoped that many of the small farmers will take up the raising of the good, clean pork for the markets.

Pork Fillet.—Take one and a half pounds of pork shoulder in a slice. Make a filling of one cup of bread-crumbs, a tablespoonful of butter and a third of a cup of boiling water. Add an egg beaten light, season with salt, pepper, chopped onion or a teaspoonful of sage and two chopped apples. Roll up the meat with the filling inside, skewer with tooth picks or sew the edges together. Roast in a hot oven 40 minutes. Baste frequently.

Pork Stew.—This is a dish not to be despised. Fry a few slices of salt pork cut in dice in a kettle and when brown add three onions sliced. Cook until yellow in color, then add a half dozen potatoes sliced, cover with water and cook until tender. Add a quart of milk, a half dozen crackers and salt and pepper to taste. This is cheap and wholesome dish.

Many of the old cooks in former days cooked their sausage, then poured boiling hot in large crocks or stoneware, poured over the hot fat and they were sealed for an indefinite period. When wanted the sausage was taken out, the fat scraped off, and after heating they were as good as fresh sausage.

Pork Chops au Lait.—Pare and dice enough potatoes to cover the bottom of a small dripping pan; a quart will be about right. Boil for ten minutes, drain and put into the pan. Lay over the potatoes six pork chops. Pour over all a pint of milk and a cup of water, cook for one hour in a moderate oven; season with salt and pepper and serve. Bacon to be appetizing should be cooked until crisp and

THERE is no unbelief. Whoever plants a seed beneath the sod And waits to see it push away the clod—He trusts in God.

Pork Dishes for Chilly Days.
We need fat to keep the body heat during the winter months, and it is in the chilly days when the body is more active that it is able to digest the heartier meats.

Poor Man's Turkey.—Season one and a half pounds of pork steak with salt, pepper and sage, roll and bake with half a dozen parboiled potatoes. Basting the meat and potatoes several times during the cooking.

Spareribs With Apple.—Place spareribs in a baking pan, season well and over them lay a layer of sliced apples, sprinkle with bread crumbs and bake as usual.
If the price of pork keeps up it will drive the small farmer to raising his own pork and reviving the fast passing pork barrel. There are so many nice appetizing dishes which one may prepare with a little salt pork beside the old methods of fried and boiled pork. A most tasty salad may be made using three slices of salt pork cut in dice and fried brown. Pour this over chopped cabbage and onion, season well with salt and add a quarter of a cup of boiling hot vinegar. This salad once made will often be repeated, for it is a general favorite. This pork dressing may be used over lettuce and onion or early in the year over fresh dandelion greens.

Cold roast pork is nearly as dainty as roast chicken, if well roasted. To roast, put the meat into a very hot oven at first, to sear over the outside and keep in the juices, then lower the heat and cook slowly until well done. Pork should never be served underdone, as trichina may be present or even tuberculosis.

Pork cake is a most desirable one to make when butter is high. Use a cup of chopped salt pork for the shortening. Dried apple soaked over night and chopped, spices and molasses added with sugar will take the place of more expensive fruit. Such a cake is not only good, but keeps well. In an emergency a most appetizing dessert may be made from it. Cut a few slices of the cake and steam them until soft and well heated through. Serve with an egg sauce of egg, hot milk, sugar and flavoring or a cooked sauce of a tablespoonful each of butter and flour, half a cup of sugar, a few gratings of nutmeg, a half cup of boiling water and a few tablespoonfuls of vinegar.

Pork fryings may be used in spice cake in place of butter or in ginger bread, making it more delicate than when butter is used.

ALL common things, each day's events That with the hour begin and end, Our pleasures and our discontents, Are rounds by which we may ascend.

Stews and Stewing.
A cheap cut of meat for stewing may be made most palatable by careful cooking. Wipe the meat with a damp cloth to remove any bits of bone, then cut in small pieces and pour over them boiling water to cover. If the meat is now allowed to boil it will become tough and tasteless, but by allowing to simmer slowly for several hours it will be tender and good flavor.

English Stew.—Take one and one-half pounds of mutton cut from the forequarter. Cut up in inch cubes and place in a stew pan with a turnip and an onion sliced. Cover with water and cook slowly for three hours. Season with salt and pepper, thicken the gravy with flour and serve with boiled potatoes.

An Irish stew is similar with the addition of carrot and celery to the dish.
Meats and Their Accompaniments.
Serve horseradish with roast beef. Apple sauce with roast pork. Tomato or mushroom sauce with roast veal. Current jelly with roast mutton. Mint sauce with roast lamb. Cranberry sauce with roast turkey. Oyster sauce with boiled turkey. Gooseberry sauce with fresh mackerel.

Spiced sauce with roast goose. Spiced grape jelly with venison. Sliced oranges with French dressing with roast duck. Bread sauce with mutton. When meats are brought from the market they should be removed at once from the wrapping paper and put on plates in a cold place.
Poor man's turkey is pork chops seasoned with salt, pepper and sage, then roll in crumbs and bake with sliced potatoes 45 minutes.

Jambalaya.
Cut remnants of cold fowl in small bits, add a small slice of ham, likewise chopped, toss in a hot pan with a little butter until slightly brown, then add a cup of rice and a pint of broth. Cover closely and simmer until the rice is tender.

THRESHING RETURNS FROM WESTERN CANADA.

They Reveal Larger Averages of Wheat and Oats Than Anticipated.

The returns from the grain fields of Western Canada as revealed by the work of the Threshers, show much larger yields than were expected as the crop was ripening. It is a little early yet to give an estimate of the crop as a whole, but individual yields selected from various points throughout Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta show that the farmers there as a rule have had reason to be thankful over the results. Excellent yields are reported from many portions of Manitoba and a large district of Saskatchewan has turned out well, while the central portion of Alberta is splendid. There will be shown at the land exposition at St. Louis a sample of the Marquis wheat—a new variety and one that appears to be well adapted to the soil and climate of Western Canada—that yielded 53 bushels to the acre. The exhibit and statement will be supported by affidavits from the growers. This wheat weighs well, and being a hard variety will find a ready market at the highest prices obtainable for a first-class article. It is interesting to point out that a field of one hundred acres of this wheat would give its producers 5,300 bushels. Sold at 85 cents a bushel would give him \$45 an acre. Counting all the cost of interest on land at \$20 an acre, getting the land ready for crop. Seed sowing, harvesting and marketing, the entire cost of production would not exceed \$8 an acre, leaving the handsome net profit of \$37 an acre. Is there any crop that would yield a better return than this, with the same labor and initial expense? Cotton fields will not do it, apple orchards with their great expense of cultivation and the risk to run from the various enemies of the fruit cannot begin to do it. While what is considered an exceptional case just now is presented, there is no doubt that this man's experience may be duplicated by others who care to follow his example. As has been said the growing of this wheat is but in its infancy, and wheat growing is still largely confined to other older varieties that do not yield as abundantly. Even with these we have records before us of farmers who have grown 40 bushels to the acre, others 35, some 30, and others again 25 bushels. Taking even 20 bushels, and some farmers report that amount, it is found that the returns from such a yield would be \$17 an acre. This wheat will cost to get to market, including all expenses, about \$8 an acre, and the farmers will still have a net profit of about \$9 an acre. Certainly the provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba are progressing, settlement is increasing and there is a general contentment all over the country. The social conditions are splendid, the climate is excellent, and there is every condition to make the settler satisfied. At the farming congress, held at Spokane in October, wheat shown by the Alberta Government, took the silver cup, awarded by the Governor of the State. It completely outclassed all other specimens on exhibition, and it was but an ordinary selection, hundreds of fields in Alberta and Saskatchewan being able to duplicate it. There are still available thousands of homesteads, as well as large areas of first-class land—that is being offered for sale at low prices. The agent of the Canadian Government from whom the above facts have been learned expects that the rush to Canada will next year largely exceed the numbers who have gone this year.

Couldn't Stand the Nuisance.
"He complains that he was unable to get along with his wife's relatives."
"What was the matter? Did they all want to live at his expense?"
"No. His father-in-law wanted him to earn the salary he was getting from the old gentleman."

Why Kick?
Louis Wisna, the Newark artist, wore a gloomy look on his usually cheerful face.
"It has just struck me," he said to Charles Strasse, "that my shoes don't cost me as much as my youngster's."
"Then what are you complaining about?" asked Strasse.

To Oblige Him.
Mr. Dorkins—"You're always bound to have the last word, anyway."
Mrs. Dorkins—"Yes; that's because you always wait to hear me say it."

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Progress in Railroad.
"Yes," said the lady whose dress case is covered with strange foreign labels, "the way railroads run now-labels, 'the way railroads are run now-labels, 'the way railroads are run now-labels is a great improvement over what they were 50 years ago."
"But surely you had no experience as a traveler 50 years ago," says her friend.

"I don't mean that. But nowadays, don't you notice, when there is a wreck it is always had at some point convenient to a cluster of farm houses where the victims can go for coffee and to get warm?"

What World Lost?
"It was the worst calamity that ever happened to me," sighed the pale, intellectual, high browed young woman. "I had written a modern society novel, complete to the last chapter, and a careless servant girl gathered the sheets of the manuscript from the floor, where the wind had blown them, and used them to start a fire in the grate."
"What a burning shame that was!" commented Mrs. Tartan.

How It Happened.
He was limping down the street with one arm in a sling and both eyes in mourning.
"What's the matter?" queried a friend. "Automobile accident?"
"No," replied the other, sadly. "I met a man who couldn't take a joke."

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Notice, Sheriff's Sale

STATE OF TEXAS
County of Lynn

In the District Court of Lynn County, Texas:

Whereas, on the 11th day of November A. D. 1910, A. E. McPhaul recovered a judgment in the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, against W. E. Crump, for the sum of \$423.72 with interest thereon from the 11th day of November A. D. 1910, at ten per cent per annum and all cost of suit, with a foreclosure of the following described property viz:

The South-west 1/4 of Survey No. 1, in Blk. C42, Public School Land, which tract of land is fully described in Deed from A. E. McPhaul to W. E. Crump, dated Sept. 26, 1907, Vol. 9, page 226, situated in Lynn County, Texas, as it existed on the 11th day of November A. D. 1910. The number of said case on the docket of said Court being No. 66, and said property to be sold as under execution in satisfaction of said judgement.

And I, J. H. Edwards, Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas, did on the 28th day of December A. D. 1910, at three o'clock p. m. levy upon the above described property and I will on the 7th day of February A. D. 1911, sell at public sale at the Court House door of Lynn County, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 p. m. of the same day, the above described property to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated this the 28th day of December A. D. 1910.

J. H. EDWARDS, Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas. 20 22

42 PARTY

Mr. Arthur Black entertained his masculine friends at a 42 party Thursday night. They played till a late hour when refreshments, consisting of chocolate and dainty little cakes, were served. Every one present reported a howling good time.

FAMILY REUNION

During the holidays a family reunion took place at the home of W. C. Cowan. All the family were present except one brother who was unable to come.

Wade Cowan and wife, Tom Mitchell and family both of Erath county. Mrs. Stillwell and Sam Cowan both of Hunt county. Lee Cowan and family of Hockley were the guests of W. C. Cowan, of Tahoka, and Jim Cowan of town. A big dinner was served at the Cowan home in town to which the whole connection was invited. A great time was had by all those present.

DOUBLE CELEBRATION

The latter part of the week, J. S. Wells and family, Coleman Wells and family and Dr. McCoy and family were the guests of Rev. Littlepage where they were invited to celebrate Mr. Wells' 55th birthday. On their arrival they learned it was also Bro. and Sister Littlepage's anniversary, they having been married 29 years. A sumptuous dinner was served and the day passed with many a merry jest and prank.

LOST—A black grayhound with a white ring around its neck. A liberal reward for its return to Hall's Livery Stable. — Geo. Duckworth.

Wednesday of last week, Mr. and Mrs. George Riley went down to Luke Riley's place, and Thursday the brothers accompanied by their wives and Chess Edwards went to the Rock Tank on a hunting trip. Friday the same party with the addition of J. E. Stokes, Joe Stokes, Bob Majors and Cloyd Shook, went down to Indian Canyon and enjoyed a successful hunt. George and his wife returned home Saturday greatly refreshed by their

NEW YEAR'S DINNER

New Year's day at the Hotel was an occasion long to be remembered.

Mrs. Stokes was unable to join the reunion of the Penney family at the home of Mother Penney in Lubbock Christmas day, so plans were made to bring a reunion with them and stay over the New Year with her. She was given fair notice and preparations were made for a spread; two 20 pound turkeys and ten chickens joined the ranks of the "has beens" in honor of the occasion.

Eighteen members of the family came down on the train Saturday night from Lubbock and returned Monday morning.

Saturday evening was spent in games, music and stories of old times; Sunday the big dinner was served, to which the merry party did full justice.

Those present were: Joe Penney and family, Jink Penney and wife, Elder Penney and family, Barret Penney and wife, Kid Powell, wife and little son, Ed. Green, wife and little son.

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Ed. Robinson, of Lubbock, came down to Tahoka the first of the week to look after his furniture business at this place.

Dr. R. C. Lewis, Dentist, of Lubbock, will be in Tahoka about the 12th of this month and will remain a few days. He will office at McGill's Drug Store.

Mr. Wade Ray and Arthur Black made a flying visit to

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas County of Lynn.

In the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, Martha I. Ray vs- Jennie Scott, J. G. Scott and T. M. Bartley

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said Court on the 17th day of November A. D. 1910, in favor of the said Martha I. Ray, and against the said Jennie Scott, J. G. Scott, and T. M. Bartley, No. 65, on the docket of said court, I did, on the 15th day of December, A. D. 1910 at 3 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated and being in Lynn County, Texas, and belonging to the said Jennie Scott, to wit, Abstract 1014, Certificate 551, Survey 440, Grantee, O. M. Brecks, containing 640 acres, in Lynn County, Texas.

And on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1911, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said County I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Jennie Scott in and to said property.

Dated this the 15th day of December A. D. 1910.

J. H. EDWARDS,
Sheriff, Lynn County, Texas.

Merchants' mid-day lunch 15 cents. First door east of Ketner's Store. Mrs. H. O. Goree, Proprietor.

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Record of 1910

GAMES AND RACES

- baseball slump 7 to 2 at Chicago.
- Harvard beat Dartmouth, 18 to 0, in a football game at Cambridge.
- Yale defeated Princeton, 2 to 2, at Princeton.
- Michigan and Pennsylvania played a tie game at Franklin field, score 9-9.
- Minnesota defeated Wisconsin by score of 28 to 0 at Minneapolis.
- Cornell beat Chicago in football at Ithaca by score of 18 to 0.
- Yale and Harvard's football match resulted in a 10 score game at New Haven.
- Michigan captured the western football championship from Minnesota by a score of 9 to 0 on Ferry field, Ann Arbor.
- The Navy defeated the Army, 3 to 0, at football on Franklin field, Philadelphia.
- George Moore made a new world's record run of 15 at 2 custom custom billiards in New York.
- Root and Moran, the Irish American team, won the 5 day bicycle race in New York, score 235 miles 2 laps.

ACCIDENTS ON LAND

- JANUARY.**
- 11 killed by dynamite explosion in the Ashokan tunnel at Cold Spring, N. Y.
- 4 killed and 28 injured in the wreck of a passenger train on the Canadian Pacific at the crossing of Spanish river, Ontario.
- 29 miners killed by explosion in the Colorado Fuel and Iron company's mine at Trinidad, Colo.
- FEBRUARY.**
- 27 miners killed by an explosion in the Frontier mine near Whitesboro, Ky.
- 12 killed and 20 injured in a head-on collision near Meigs, Ga., on the Georgia Southern and Florida railroad.
- MARCH.**
- 22 miners killed by explosion in the gold diggings on Douglas island, Alaska.
- 41 deaths in a wreck of Rock Island railroad trains at Green Mountain, Ia.
- MAY.**
- Explosion in a coal mine at Palos, Ala., entombed 130 miners.
- 7 boilers of the American Tin Plate company at Canton, O., exploded, killing 20 men and injuring upward of 50.
- Dynamite explosion in the guard barracks at Pinar del Rio, Cuba, destroyed over 100 lives.
- JUNE.**
- 15 people killed and nearly 100 injured in a railway collision near Versailles, France.
- JULY.**
- Cincinnati section of the Twentieth Century Limited wrecked in collision at Middletown, O.; 12 killed and many injured.
- SEPTEMBER.**
- Collision on the Wabash Traction line near Kingstead, Ind., caused the death of 4 passengers.
- OCTOBER.**
- Collision of electric cars at Springfield, Ill., caused the death of 11 persons, chiefly passengers.
- 26 miners were trapped by an explosion in the Colorado Fuel and Iron company's mine at Staraville, Colo.
- NOVEMBER.**
- Explosion in mine No. 2 of the Victor American Fuel company, Colorado, entombed 9 miners.
- DECEMBER.**
- Explosion in the Canada collieries mine at Bellevue, Alberta, buried 4 miners.
- Explosion in a power house at Grand Central station, New York.

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