

TAHOKA
CITY WITH PAVED STREETS
WOULD LIKE TAHOKA

LYNN COUNTY NEWS

TAHOKA, LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JULY 20, 1923

LAUNDRY PLANT FOR TAHOKA

WATER PARTIES HERE
MAY BE LOOKING OVER
LOCAL FIELD.

There will soon have an up-to-date laundry plant, if the plans of W. McCloud, of Sweetwater, are realized. Mr. McCloud, in conjunction with C. R. Simmons, laundress of Sweetwater, were in Tahoka and practically made arrangements to put in the plant at the southeast corner of the building formerly occupied by the Owl Garage.

SHADE HERE LAST SUNDAY

Friday was one of the hottest days since in Tahoka and all the Plains. The thermometer reached 102 in the shade. A light breeze was blowing at the end of the day, this did not help down the heat. Many heard to complain of the hot weather.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Deita, of Deita County, Texas, were in Tahoka and Wednesday in Tahoka. Mr. Evans is the owner of eighty acres of irrigated land near Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nance, of Plainfield, accompanied Mr. Nance to Tahoka.

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Wouldn't Hunt Tigers with a Bean-Shooter, Nor Grasshoppers with a Shotgun

SOME PEOPLE HAVE ABOUT THE SAME IDEA AS BANK ACCOUNTS. THEY HAVE AN IDEA THAT A BIT OF RED TAPE IS NECESSARY. NOTHING OF THE KIND. THE VERY REASON SO MANY DO NOT HAVE BANK ACCOUNTS IS BECAUSE IT IS SO SIMPLE AND SO EASY THAT IT IS OVERLOOKED. YOU MAY TAKE OUR WORD FOR IT, MAKING THE BANK IS THE MOST DIFFICULT THING ABOUT IT. THAT IS WHY WE GUARANTEE YOU'LL LIKE IT.

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PROPOSED RAILROAD IS PLANNED FROM LAMESA TO STERLING CITY

New Road Would Give Towns on Lamesa Branch an Outlet to the South.

From the Big Spring Herald: Just as soon as the work of sinking the shaft has been started, Chief Engineer John Marks will begin upon the task of making a reconnaissance survey for the proposed railway from Lamesa to Sterling City by way of Big Spring. In fact it will be necessary to complete this survey before a site for the manufacturing plant can be definitely selected or a site for a town decided upon.

It is planned to have Chief Engineer Marks and directors of the Potash Company or America visit Lamesa and Sterling City in the near future to ascertain if they would be interested in securing additional rail facilities and to secure their co-operation if they are. The bridging of the gap between Lamesa and Sterling City by way of Big Spring would mean great things not only for the three cities named but for this entire section. It would mean greater facility in sending products of this section to market as well as insure more prompt delivery of merchandise and supplies purchased. It would mean a big increase in property values. The principal consideration being facility of communication, getting products to market in the shortest time and at the least expense. The improved rail facilities planned would in no sense conflict with present lines, but rather insure increased business as well as encourage additional factories and enterprises to seek locations. These enterprises avoid cities having but one line of railway as most everyone well knows.

DR. L. D. STEPHEN LOCATES IN TAHOKA

Dr. L. D. Stephen, dentist has located in Tahoka. Dr. and Mrs. Stephen arrived here from Seminole the first of the week, where they resided the past few months. Dr. Stephen has obtained offices over the First National Bank in Tahoka. He has placed his professional card in the News columns. The doctor practiced at O'Donnell several months ago.

Come to Tahoka—Friday, July 27.

J. R. Sikes, of Eddy, Texas is spending his vacation with his parents in the Three Lakes community. Mr. Sikes is connected with the First National Bank at Eddy. He is a regular reader of the News and called at the office Wednesday to renew his subscription.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Kirkland, of San Angelo, came in Wednesday for a few days visit with the family of G. W. Hickerson. Mrs. Kirkland is a sister of Mrs. Hickerson.

Mrs. J. E. Ketter, daughter, Miss Pearl and sons Ross E; J. E. Jr; Coughran and Toy came in from California Friday where they visited with their daughter and sister Mrs. Elmer Coughran.

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BIRTH RECORD

- Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Bussell, July, 10 a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie B. Halliburton July, 10 a girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Yersey, June 30 twins.
- Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sisk, May, 31 a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. George Hilbers, June, 23 a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Roland Rhodes, June 1 a girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McGehee, June, 15, a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rhodes, July, 2, a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Ezekial Bartley, June 28, a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ellis, June, 21, a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Reagan, June 23, a girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. H. Jolly, June 23, a girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. James E. McNeese, June 20, a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Mathers, June 20, a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Alvin O. White, June 17, a girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. Rube W. Lewis, June, 1, a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Holmes, June 17 a boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Fean, June, 12, a boy.

OLD TIME PICNIC AND BARBECUE, JULY 27

TAHOKA WANTS YOU

You are expected to take the day off—Friday, July 27th., and come to Tahoka during the Old Timers celebration, staged under the auspices of the local post of the American Legion. This is not a local affair,—the world is invited. There will be something doing every minute of the day and plenty to eat. Come one, come all—Tahoka, all day Friday, July 27th.

TARGET ACCIDENTLY DISCHARGED AT FILLING STA.

Early yesterday (Thursday) morning at the Anchor Filling Station, a small boy, a member of a family of tourists that were traveling through, accidentally discharged a 22-caliber rifle, the bullet going through the top of the station roof. The mother of the boy received powder burns on the face, so close was the gun to her person when discharged. Fortunately are bullet going wild and no one was injured. The habit of carrying loaded guns of any description in cars is a dangerous practice and often results in sorrow to the party or parties indulging in this habit.

Come to Tahoka—Friday, July 27.

Mrs. Jake King and children returned from Sanger where they visited the past several weeks.

F. M. Sherrod and family enjoyed an outing on the Concho near San Angelo last week.

Mrs. W. B. Slaton and daughter Lucile returned the later part of last week from San Saba where they visited Mrs. Slaton's father.

Rev. L. L. F. Parker pastor of the First Baptist Church at Spur was here a few minutes Friday on his return from the central part of the State where he had been conducting revivals.

Miss Mary Jane Miller came in Friday from Cleburne to spend the remainder of the summer with her father Paul Miller.

Postmaster Don A. Parkhurst is one among the progressive Tahoka citizens that is improving his premises. Mr. Parkhurst is replacing old lumber with new and applying plenty of fresh paint. The Parkhurst home is located on west Porterfield street.

MAY FAMILY CELEBRATE TUESDAY WITH W. H. MAY

A very enjoyable day was spent Tuesday when Mr. and Mrs. W. H. May, who reside northeast of town, entertained their visiting relatives. The fatted calf was killed and a good time in general was the order of the day. Those in attendance were J. C. May, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. W. N. May of Nola, Mississippi, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Holmes of Ballinger, Texas, Miss Celeste May of Coleman, Mrs. Addie May of Hamilton, Mrs. B. W. Baker of Lorenzo, J. C. May, Jr., and family of Post, Jesse A. May and family of Tahoka.

This is the first visit of the Mississippi people to this section of Texas, and they can scarcely believe their eyes. They are indeed agreeably surprised at the progress the west is making.

E. J. Hewlett of Hood county was a guest in the home of W. M. Lee and family Friday. This visit was enjoyed very much as Messrs. Hewlett and Lee were boyhood friends but had not met for 21 years.

Sheriff and Marshal at Convention High Sheriff, Sam Sanford and City Marshal, George Riley, returned Saturday from Galveston, where they attended the convention of Chief of Police, Sheriffs and City Marshals of Texas. The local officers report an unusually large attendance and a most pleasant trip. The railroads now furnish free passes to the "law". The convention will meet in Fort Worth in 1924.

Messrs. Sanford and Riley caught the southbound Santa Fe at Post.

Big Celebration Will be Staged in Tahoka, Under Auspices American Legion, Friday, July 27th. Everybody Invited. Elaborate Program Has been Arranged. Visitors are Urged to Come Early and Enjoy the Day.

- PROGRAMME**
- GOOD BAND MUSIC ALL THROUGH THE DAY.
 - 10:00 A. M.
 - POTATO RACE: FIRST PRIZE, \$2.50; SECOND PRIZE, \$1.00.
 - SACK RACE: FIRST PRIZE, \$2.00; SECOND PRIZE \$1.00.
 - THREE LEGGED RACE: FIRST PRIZE, \$2.00; SECOND PRIZE \$1.00
 - FAT MAN'S RACE: (NOT TO WEIGH LESS THAN 200 NOR OVER 500 POUNDS; NOT LESS THAN 30 YEARS NOR OVER 75 YEARS OF AGE) FIRST PRIZE, 100-POUND CAKE OF ICE; SECOND PRIZE ½ GALLON ICE CREAM.
 - LEAN MAN'S RACE: 1ST PRIZE, ONE SMOKED HAM; SECOND PRIZE, ONE SACK FLOUR.
 - SHOE RACE: (BOYS NOT OVER 12 YEARS OF AGE) FIRST PRIZE, \$1.00; SECOND PRIZE, 50 CENTS.
 - DINNER SERVED AT 12M.
 - SPEAKING FROM 1:00 TO 2:00 P. M.
 - BASE BALL GAMES: (AT BASE BALL PARK.)
 - FAT AND LEAN BALL GAME, 2:00 P. M. (FIVE INNINGS.)
 - BIG GAME, 3:30 P. M. TAHOKA VS. THE FASTEST CLUB ON THE PLAINS.
 - RODEO: 5:00 P. M.; GOAT ROPING, NG, COW MILKING, BRONCO BUSTING, ETC.
 - OLD FIDDLERS CONTEST: (AT STAR THEATRE, 8:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.) FIRST PRIZE, \$15.00; SECOND PRIZE, \$7.50.
 - COME EARLY AND ENJOY THE DAY.

DISTRICT COURT CONVENES 1ST MONDAY IN AUG.

The fall term of district court will convene in Tahoka on the first Monday in August, instead of the first Monday in September, as has heretofore been the custom. A change in time has been made all over the district, owing to the fact that a new court has been created in Hockley county. The spring term has also been set forward one month and the session in Lynn county will convene in February instead of March as heretofore.

The News will publish the grand and petit jury list in full next week.

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REVIVAL MEETING IN PROGRESS AT DIXIE

Rev. J. T. Howell, pastor of the Methodist church began a revival in the Dixie community last Sunday afternoon, and he reports that good crowds are attending each service morning and evening. Mr. Ernest Patterson is leading the song service.

It is understood that both the Methodist and Baptist denominations contemplate building church houses in this community sometime this fall or winter.


S. F. King, prominent groceryman of Slaton, spent Wednesday in Tahoka looking after some property interests he owns here.

For Your Financial Help

THERE IS ALWAYS A TIME WHEN EACH ONE OF US NEEDS HELP TO SOLVE OUR FINANCIAL PROBLEMS. SOMETIMES IT IS POSSIBLE FOR YOU TO SOLVE YOUR PROBLEM BY COMING TO THIS BANK AND TALKING THE MATTER OVER WITH US. WE ARE GLAD TO ASSIST YOU IN ANY WAY WE CAN AND INVITE YOU TO COME IN AND USE US. OPEN AN ACCOUNT HERE AND CONNECT YOUR BUSINESS WITH A LARGE AND FRIENDLY BANK.

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R. B. JONES, Asst. Cashier

LER, AT 80, GOES TO WORK

After fourteen years of enforced idleness because of ill health, J. H. Keeler, widely-known Maryland citizen, has gained forty pounds at the age of eighty years and gone back to work every day. Mr. Keeler, who resides at 3706 Thirty-Second St., Mt. Ranier, Md., gives entire credit for his extraordinary rehabilitation to Tania.

"My stomach was in such terrible condition I could hardly digest a thing," says Mr. Keeler. "It would swell to nearly twice its normal size and I would have frightful pains through my stomach and back. I felt so weak, dizzy and miserable work was out of the question. In fact, my friends gave me up on three or four occasions.

"Five months ago I began taking Tania and improved from the very first bottle. I now eat anything on the table, have gained forty pounds, and am back at work every day. Actually, I feel like a boy again. It would be ungrateful of me not to praise Tania."

Tania is for sale by all good druggists. Accept no substitute. Over 37 million bottles sold.

Tania Vegetable Pills are Nature's own remedy for constipation. For sale everywhere.—Advertisement.

Bedbug and Mosquito.

"In the matter of birth and breeding the bedbug is distinctly superior to the mosquito, which frequently springs from the most malodorous and disgusting surroundings," says Samuel Hopkins Adams, in Hygeia. Yet the mosquito is just as poisonous and far more dangerous. Socially considered the bedbug is an outcast; some day "when civilization is a little more advanced" possibly the "National Association of Artificial Peanut Shell Manufacturers" will refuse to accept the invitation of "the guilt-stricken chamber of commerce of Booster City" because "several of our members having occasion to visit your locality in the past year have been bitten by mosquitoes."

What He Needed.

Smithy—I'm trying my best to get ahead.

Bruce—That's fine. You need one.

Idleness is emptiness; the tree in which the sap is stagnant remains fruitless.—Ballou.

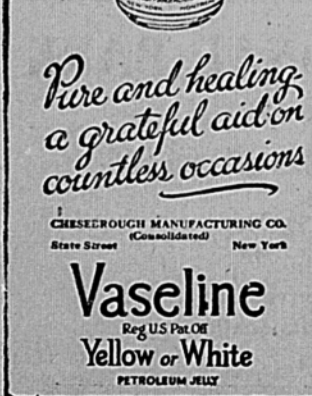
MOTHER! GIVE CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP

Child's Best Laxative To
Clean the Bowels



Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup." If the little stomach is upset, tongue coated, or if your child is cross, feverish, full of cold, or has colic, a teaspoonful will never fail to open the bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the constipation, sour bile and waste from the tender, little bowels and gives you a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.



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3 YEARS WITHOUT WORD WINS WIFE A DIVORCE

Sat Opposite Husband Every Day
at Luncheon, She Says—
Cruel, Says Court.

London.—A wife who said that her husband had not spoken to her for three years and two months, although they sat opposite each other every day at their midday meal, was granted a decree nisi of divorce in the courts last week, the judge holding that this unusual conduct amounted to cruelty and desertion.

The wife, Mrs. Ada Diver, said she was married in 1899 and that she and her husband were quite happy until 1920, when she had a nervous breakdown and went to stay at her mother's house for a few weeks.

For twelve months after that they lived in the same house and had one meal, luncheon, together each day, but did not speak.

She left him, but returned in a short time, and though her husband then slept elsewhere, he still came home for luncheon and continued doing so until last week, though refusing to speak a word to his wife, the silence being maintained altogether for more than three years, she said.

Runaway Tricks Police; Thieves Get Diamonds

New York.—After frightening a horse to divert attention from themselves, two bandits recently smashed a window in the Rundback Jewelry store, 2232 Third avenue, fired a bullet at one of the proprietors and fled in a taxicab with a tray of diamonds valued at \$40,000. The robbery happened shortly after 9 o'clock, when the streets of Harlem were filled with Saturday night shoppers.

The store has been robbed twice in the last year and, although the loss in each instance was not great, Patrolman John Lloyd of the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth Street station has since kept a careful watch on the place. Just before the robbery, a horse bred from a livery stable at 345 East One Hundred and Third street bolted, and the policeman ran after it. A moment later came the crash of glass as the store window was smashed.

Persons who happened to be in the block between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second street said they saw two young men leap from a taxicab at the curb just as the policeman raced after the horse.

One of them hurled a brick through the show window and the other quickly reached through, taking out one of several trays of gems. John Rundback, who owns the store with his mother and his brother, Edward, rushed to the doorway and one of the bandits fired at him, but the bullet went wild.

The two robbers then jumped into the taxicab, which was a few feet away, and drove out of sight before Policeman Lloyd had finished calming the frightened horse two blocks distant. No one could be found who could account for the animal running away, but the police believe some one in league with the bandits was responsible.

Disease Makes Her Talk Almost Continuously

Parsons, Kan.—Talking almost continuously since last Thanksgiving, and still going strong, is the unique record of Miss Mildred Spencer, twenty-year-old schoolma'am of this city.

Miss Spencer, while visiting her home in Baldwin for the Thanksgiving vacation, prattled incessantly of "cabbages and kings," but the family thought she was only overjoyed to return. But when she awakened her mother night after night to continue the talk-fest, the family became alarmed.

Several weeks ago the patient was brought to a local sanitarium, where physicians diagnosed her malady as "talking sickness."

Miss Spencer is widely read and has a wealth of material upon which to enlighten attendants. She rarely repeats herself.

A cure within a few weeks is promised by physicians.

Arrested for Speeding, Has Latest in Alibis

Woodlawn, Cal.—J. R. Lemon of Sacramento has been awarded first honors for offering alibis in the local justice court.

When Lemon was overhauled by Officer George Sharpneck recently he was doing 45 miles an hour.

Lemon wrote to Justice of the Peace W. H. Scott as follows:

"I could not help my speed for the station of a passenger train passing through Davis drew me along."

Child Found Lurching on a Stick of Dynamite

Mrs. C. E. Brewer of Kansas City, Kan., was amazed to find her three-year-old daughter seated on the step of a rear porch complacently chewing on a half-pound stick of dynamite. She separated the baby from its "lunch" and called the police.

Other children, who had been playing in the yard, explained that the baby found the explosive in a bunch of wire. No ill effects followed the dynamite menu.

Avoid Watermelon Loss in Transit

Stem-End Rot Fungus That
Brings About Decay Still
Is Important Factor.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Watermelon growers should give serious consideration to their responsibilities in connection with prevention of losses in transit, advises the United States Department of Agriculture. Examination of carloads at destination has shown that, provided shipments are properly loaded in clean, well-ventilated cars, and delivered within a reasonable length of time, any losses experienced usually result from the shipping of:

- (1) Melons affected with bad anthracnose peck marks.
- (2) Severely sunscalded or stale fruit.
- (3) Melons that carry cuts and bruises as a result of careless handling, or
- (4) Melons, the stems of which have not been recapped and treated for prevention of stem-end rot.

Rot Coming Under Control.

The stem-end rot fungus, which only causes stem-end rot, but also brings about decay following bruises and cuts in the rind, has been a source of heavy loss in the past, and is still a factor of great importance. In 1919 a campaign of education concerning methods of control for this disease was initiated in the Southeastern states, the United States Department of Agriculture and the state extension services co-operating. As a result of the interest taken in this work by farmers, distributors, and railroads, stem-end rot is coming under control. This conclusion is borne out by records from the food products inspection service, which indicate that in Georgia shipments losses from stem-end rot have been cut from 14.4 per cent in 1920 to 8.3 per cent in 1921, and 6.2 per cent in 1922; and in Florida shipments from 16.6 per cent in 1920 to 10.1 per cent in 1921 and 5.3 per cent in 1922.

Timely Suggestions.

In order that stem-end rot and losses in transit due to other causes may be reduced, farmers should make every effort to carry out the following suggestions at harvest season:

- (1) If possible avoid working while the vines are wet.
- (2) Never permit labor to handle rotten melons in the field and then work with fruit for shipment.
- (3) Never permit clipper to handle or to touch knife to rotten melons in the field.
- (4) Never permit clipper to cut into melons while pushing knife through the stem.
- (5) Never permit clipper to stand melons on end to mark them in the field.
- (6) Insist on careful handling by the tote boys and wagon men.
- (7) Pad wagons thoroughly in order to avoid nail or splinter punctures, cuts, and bruises.
- (8) Load on the day melons are clipped, in clean, dry car, the walls of which have been papered. Use dry straw for bedding. If possible, pad ends of car, although not in such a way as to obstruct ventilators. These should be fastened open.
- (9) Handle carefully when unloading melons from wagons and packing. Do not allow labor to stand or sit on melons.
- (10) Reject melons that do not have a firm, green stem, or that show sunscald or bad anthracnose marking.
- (11) Apply stem treatment as described in Farmers' Bulletin 1277, recapping stems to firm green surface before applying the disinfectant paste.

Clear Moss From Fruit Trees by Proper Spray

Moss can be quite readily cleared from the trees. The solution of strong bordeaux is one of the best sprays. The old formula of lime, sulphur and salt, where the same weight of salt is used in the spray as of lime and sulphur, namely 15 pounds to 50 gallons of the concentrated spray, is also very efficient in removing moss. But a substance which is very good to use is common lye. The lye can be used straight by dissolving in plain water, or it can be used in the lime sulphur spray. The rate to use is about one pound can of lye for every six or seven gallons of spray. It cleans off the moss quite readily, seems to soften the bark and gives it a clean, bright appearance.

Birds Are Not Numerous Because of Insect Pests

The chief reason birds are not more numerous and that insect pests consequently increase so rapidly is that suitable places are not provided for nesting with protection from vermin. Cleaning out fence rows and corners beautifies the premises but ruins the birds' homes. Building bird houses and putting them on poles will help to replace the natural homes. But better than this is to leave some small thickets at different spots over the farm.

Improper Feeding Cause of Droopiness in Chicks

Droopy, dull chicks, with long wings and short bodies are the result of feeding too soon, overfeeding and allowing feed on the floor or ground to become spoiled, overheating, chilling, damp floors, and from the effects of lice and mites. If chicks are droopy, correct the cause.

Flaxseed Production Will Show Increase

Prices Fluctuate to Disadvantage of the Growers.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

There is an increasing spread between the production of flaxseed in the United States and the demand for home consumption, according to the United States Department of Agriculture. Until 1908 this country produced, on an average, more than it consumed and therefore was able to export a surplus in nearly every year. Beginning with 1909, however, our production began to decline, while our requirements began to increase with population. Net imports consequently have increased. The reduction in consumption in 1917 and 1918 was due to war restrictions, and that in 1920 and 1921 to business depression. It is fairly certain that the figures for 1922, when available, will show an increase in consumption.

As the United States changed in position from an exporter to an importer of flaxseed, the farm price of flax increased materially. In 1907, when a surplus of over 4,000,000 bushels was exported, the farm price of flaxseed on December 1 averaged 96 cents a bushel. In 1908, when production and consumption were practically equal, the farm price of flaxseed was \$1.18 a bushel. In 1909, when 4,957,000 bushels were imported, the farm price rose to \$1.53 a bushel.

In many localities a comparatively small volume of flaxseed is marketed; and because the price fluctuates widely, flaxseed usually is bought on a wide margin, and the grower often does not receive the full value of his crop. This condition could be improved if several growers of flaxseed in such localities would combine their deliveries and thus market a carload or more at one time.

Farm Implements Should Be Placed Under Cover

The average farmer does not get full value out of the most of the farm implements that he buys for at least two reasons. One reason is that he has no place to house them, hence they weather—that is, they get wet and rust or decay. Having implements lay out in the weather a season is worse on them than one season's use.

In too many cases the writer has seen farm implements such as plows, cultivators, binders, and many other implements setting in the field where last used, and many times, the shovels of cultivators are even left in the ground.

Before using these implements the next season the shovels of cultivators and the various bright parts of the implements have to be scoured with sand rock before using. This not only takes off a layer of metal but requires a great deal of time. If one will just think a moment he will know that the work of scouring the implements and getting them ready for use is much more work than to have cleaned and greased these bright metal parts with axle grease and painted the wood and other metal parts when through using the implements. By doing this the air and water is kept from the metal and wood, hence, the implements will fare well even if left out in the weather.—By W. H. McPheeters, Extension Farm Engineer, Oklahoma A. and M. College.

Pea Aphid Will Attack Three Important Crops

The pea aphid is seriously infesting the entire canny pea section in Stanislaus county, Cal., and a lighter infestation extends over the Santa Clara valley, according to reports received by the United States Department of Agriculture. This insect is also doing considerable damage to alfalfa in the vicinity of Topeka, Kans. The Kansas infestation is over a region where the growing of garden peas is rather extensive. The association of alfalfa and peas is suggested as being favorable for the multiplication of this insect.

Infestations by this pea aphid were so serious on spinach in the Santa Clara valley, Cal., that seven canneries ceased canning this vegetable this spring. The damage was not so much the infestation of the aphids as the presence of such enormous numbers of the syrphid larvae which prey upon them from the spinach in the washing process.

Soy Bean Hay Good for Dairy Cows and Sheep

Soy beans answer the hay question very well, particularly for dairy cows and sheep. Yields of soy bean hay are generally from one to one-and-a-half tons of hay per acre, but the hay is of excellent quality and stands weathering better than most hays. The time to cut is when the leaves begin to turn yellow. The best hay varieties include the Peking, Wilson and Manchu, although the Manchu will produce nearly as much hay.

Fattening Steers Show Fixed Desire for Salt

Animals fed large quantities of rich nutritious food, such as fattening steers receive, show a strong desire for salt, and this craving should be reasonably satisfied. The form in which salt is supplied to steers is merely a matter of convenience. It is probably best to keep salt before the cattle at all times, though some secure excellent results when they give salt only once or twice a week.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Sunday School 'Lesson'

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LESSON FOR JULY 22

JOHN THE APOSTLE

LESSON TEXT—Luke 9:49-56; John 19:25-27; 1 John 4:7, 8.

GOLDEN TEXT—"God is love; and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth in God, and God in him."—1 John 4:16.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Mark 1:19; John 13:21-25; Acts 4:13-20; 19.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Disciple Jesus Loved.

SENIOR TOPIC—John, the Beloved Disciple.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—John, the Bosom Friend of Jesus.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—A Character Study of John.

I. His Intolerance of Irregular Service (Luke 9:49, 50).

John was conscientious in his intolerance of this disciple. There seems to have been no question but what the man was really casting out devils, even though he did not possess the same credentials as the twelve apostles. There seems to have been no question as to the reality of the truth which this disciple taught or the work he did. The same spirit has been manifested all through the Christian centuries. Whoever witnesses truly of Christ and does His work has God's recognition. Christ rebuked John's intolerance and declared that "he that is not against us is for us." May we everywhere show the same consideration to those who are doing the Lord's work even though they are not members of our particular church.

II. John's Righteous Indignation (Luke 9:51-56).

1. Jesus' Face Set Toward Jerusalem (vv. 51-53). He knew what fate awaited Him at Jerusalem. Even though the dark shadow of the cross hung across his path He resolutely nerved Himself for the ordeal. The cross was no accident. The supreme purpose of His coming was to save the world through His sacrificial death. This was in the plan of God from all eternity. The cross is the grand center of the Christian religion. Everyone who follows Jesus must take up his cross.

2. The Inhospitalitable Samaritans (v. 53). The Lord was to pass through that city on His way to Jerusalem. When the people discerned that His face was set for Jerusalem they refused hospitality to Him. This insult to the Lord so aroused the anger of John and James that they desired to call down fire from heaven to destroy the Samaritans. It was John's love for his Lord that prompted this suggestion. Christ rebuked him and corrected his spirit, but He knew that it proceeded from a heart of love. Love will brook no insult to its object. Mistaken love has done much harm in the church. The pages of history are red with the blood of heretics, to the everlasting shame of the persecutors. Persecution is not the way to deal with those who differ with us. The spirit is not only wrong, but it is futile, for the blood of the martyrs has always become the seed of the church. May Christ's rebuke to John take from our hearts the spirit of intolerance and revenge. Jesus came not to destroy men, but to save them.

III. John's Care of Christ's Mother (John 19:25-27).

1. Jesus Saw His Mother (v. 26). Perhaps His physical suffering had so dimmed His vision that He had not seen her before. But even His death agonies did not cause Him to forget her. While engaged in the redemption of the world, He displayed His tender human interest in this beautiful act. The cross is the center from which love flows.

2. John Took Mary to His Own Home (v. 27). The same John who wished to call down fire upon the inhospitalitable Samaritans now was engaged in the tenderest act of human affection. He was caring for the mother of his Lord. The reason Jesus entrusted her to John was that He knew his real heart of love. He knew that John's experience was such that he could enter into full sympathy with her in her great sorrow.

IV. Test of Divine Birth (1 John 4:7, 8).

John's experiences in life were such that now near the close of his life he declared that the supreme test of fellowship in the divine life is love. Love is the bond of perfection—the cord that binds all virtues into one harmonious bundle. All the fruits of the Christian life spring out of this root. God is love. All that is good and beautiful in our lives is but the very life of God flowing through us.

So With All Men.

All men think all mortal but themselves.—Young.

Religion Is Necessary.

Genius, without religion, is only a lamp on the outer gate of a palace; it may serve to cast a gleam of light on those that are without, while the inhabitant is in darkness.—H. More.

Fortune of Complaint.

The usual fortune of complaint is to excite contempt more than pity.—Johnson.

Must Count on Christ.

All history is incomprehensible without Christ.—Renan.

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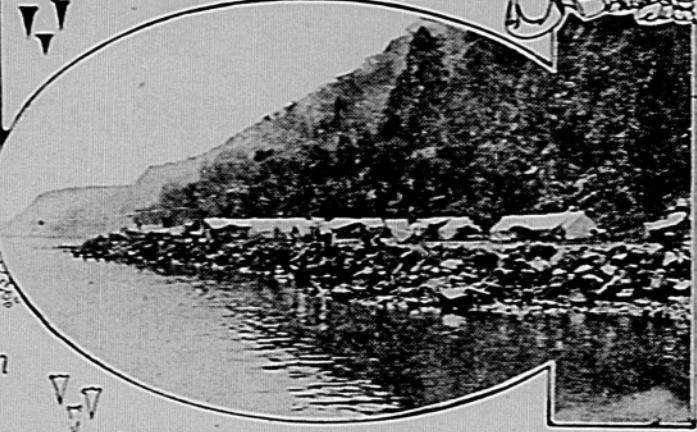


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1,000 Suspension Across the Hudson Above Peekskill

When cross-river traffic over the Hudson south of Albany could be satisfactorily handled by the ferries. But those days are past, with the increase of population and the coming of good roads, the pleasure automobile and the motor-truck. The ferry service has been greatly impaired in the last decade, but it is needed, especially on Saturdays and holidays. It is of no use to have a Memorial day, 1921, and wish to wait hours before crossing the Dyckman road. You see, more than 100,000 people live and do business in the Hudson valley and its environs. The nature of the situation is that of the Interstate Parkway, where New York's swells go to cool off. In 1921, 100,000 cars stopped at Bear Mountain in this park, and for years the annual increase has been 40 per cent. The ferry lines are crowded, and the equipment is antiquated. New York has decided to put the matter across.

Getting across is a matter of getting across is a matter of getting across. The vehicular tunnel of two miles is being constructed. The Canal street, Manhattan street, Jersey City, a 2,250 feet, 5,450 feet of it. Its capacity will be 100,000 cars daily, about twice that of the Hudson river ferries. It has now reached the under-construction on both sides. The cost will be about \$30,000,000. It will be ready in two years. Tolls are expected to pay for it in two years.

Two additional vehicular projects are under way, to be financed by private capital. One is a toll bridge with reasonable charges for vehicles and pedestrians. Motor travel along the Hudson River by pleasure tourists has increased materially on the west bank of the river since the opening last season of the Storm King road between Cornwall and West Point. It is not only the most expensive road ever built by the highway commission of the state, but probably the most scenic highway in the eastern part of the country. It is just south of the road, at the northern extremity of Bear Mountain, that the new bridge will be built. On the east bank the roadway leading from the bridge swings to the right and follows a new road three miles in length, which extends around the mountain to Roa Hook, where it connects with a road which leads to the Albany Post road. Concerning the reasons for the location of the new bridge, the Scientific American has this to say: "It is not so much the failure of the ferry owners to try to meet the situation as it is the development of good roads and automobile transportation during the last decade, that has given rise to the present necessity for a bridge crossing the Hudson river within easy reach of the metropolitan district."

charged with overcaution. "A famous physician wrote, 'The more gross the fraud the more glibly will it go down. Folly will always find faith wherever impostors will find impunity. But it is worth realizing that the fact of malingering means the probable existence of mental disturbance for which the malingering needs treatment.'"

and beyond that Jones point. The railroad tracks in the foreground are those of the West Shore railroad, and the New York Central main line is shown across the river. The full-sized model of Hudson's Half Moon is in evidence inside the west shore trestle.

The hill across the river is Anthony's Nose, and the highway is part of a new three-mile road from the Albany Post road, North Peekskill, and just below Annsville. Near the river and a little east of the New York Central railroad tracks the road around Anthony's Nose will begin. It will cross at one or two points the tunnels over the railroad tracks following the outer edge of the mountain and affording admirable views of the lofty Dunderberg and the high hills back of Bear Mountain park on the west bank. The actual width of this new mountain road will be 30 feet and the concrete surface will be 18 feet wide throughout. Its cost, owing to the large amount of rock excavation work required, will be \$100,000 a mile, and before completion the cost may exceed that figure. This is not state work, but is being paid for by the bridge company, which received its charter a year ago from the New York legislature. Plans have been approved by the War department and the state engineer.

Work on the new road around the mountain has been begun at its easterly end, where it joins the State road leading off from the Albany Post road. When the bridge crosses the river at Anthony's Nose it will be 185 feet above the river. The western end of the bridge will be at Fort Clinton, just south of Popolopen creek, near the foot of Bear Mountain. The roadway of the bridge will be 38 feet, with a sidewalk for pedestrians 4 feet wide on either side. The vehicular capacity of the bridge is estimated at 5,000 cars an hour.

The total cost of the bridge and the new road will be from \$5,000,000 to \$6,000,000. It will be conducted as a toll bridge with reasonable charges for vehicles and pedestrians. Motor travel along the Hudson River by pleasure tourists has increased materially on the west bank of the river since the opening last season of the Storm King road between Cornwall and West Point. It is not only the most expensive road ever built by the highway commission of the state, but probably the most scenic highway in the eastern part of the country. It is just south of the road, at the northern extremity of Bear Mountain, that the new bridge will be built. On the east bank the roadway leading from the bridge swings to the right and follows a new road three miles in length, which extends around the mountain to Roa Hook, where it connects with a road which leads to the Albany Post road.

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"After an exhaustive examination of all possible bridge sites between New York and Poughkeepsie, a site a few miles north of Peekskill was selected as having the following advantages:

"First, it was found that a highway suspension bridge for motor traffic, including approaches on both sides of the river, could be built for \$5,000,000, in less than two years' time.

"Secondly, the bridge will be about 40 miles from the heart of New York City, and will make a direct connection between the main highway leading through Middletown to Binghamton, Syracuse, Elmira, Rochester and Buffalo, and the Albany Post road.

It will give residents of Tuxedo, West Point, Newburgh and Kingston sections direct highway connection with New York City, thereby avoiding ferry delays at New York; and now that the Kingston bridge and Storm King road are completed, it will give an all-land route from Albany to New York via Kingston, Newburgh and West Point. Another great advantage, especially in the vacation season, is that it will give an all-land route to West Point, Palisades Interstate park and the Catskill district, for residents of New York City and Westchester county.

"Over and above the benefits to automobile travel will be the advantage of this crossing in quickening and cheapening the motortruck service. There is at present a very large freight-trucking business carried on from the farms, truck gardens and dairies of Orange county into New York City. At present this traffic goes through New York state to the west of the Hudson, through Suffern, and down to New York City, through the northern part of New Jersey, finally crossing the Hudson by ferry from Jersey City to Manhattan. The necessity of taking all of this freight over the congested roads in northern New Jersey and the ferries is felt to be a big handicap; and it is expected that most of it will reach the city via Central Valley, Highland Falls, and the new bridge and down the roads on the east side of the river. There has also recently been developed an extensive freight business by motortruck from the New England states to distant cities lying to the south and west. At present these trucks use the Lincoln highway through New Jersey, and have to pass through the congested metropolitan district and use the same ferries across the river.

"We give the above rather extended statement of the traffic conditions as an answer to the question that has been asked, as to why such an important bridge, one of the longest suspension bridges in the world, should be erected at a point so comparatively remote from the big city centers. Considered strategically, as a glance at any road map will show, the site has been wisely chosen."

southeast of Lethbridge, Alberta, was located by an officer of the Dominion Geological survey recently, and the position of the water-bearing strata and its relation to Milk river has been worked out. So that the possibility of finding water at a given point and the depth at which it will be encountered are now known within close limits.

Planting Knowledge. If we do not plant knowledge when young, it will give us no shade when we are old.—Chesterfield.

Horticultural News

Cherry Leaf Spot Can Be Controlled by Spraying

Cherry leaf spot, which defoliates the sweet and sour cherry trees every midsummer promises to be just as serious this summer as in past seasons unless another spray of either lime-sulphur, bordeaux mixture, or sulphur dust is applied at once. By attacking the leaves and causing them to drop this disease weakens the trees, and by reducing the leaf-area immediately around the fruit spur, it holds back fruit-bud formation.

The disease is caused by a fungus which lives over from year to year. The fruiting bodies form on dead leaves during the late spring and summer, to give off spores which cause the new infection. It appears as small purplish spots on the leaves, which turn brown and fall out leaving a "shot-hole" effect. When formed on the petiole it causes the leaf to drop.

The curculio and brown rot sprays on the fruit, control the first spores, but those developing now will cause defoliation unless the leaves are immediately coated with spray. In case of protracted wet weather it may even be necessary to apply another spray in the latter part of August.

A spray for sour cherries, recommended by the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment station, is concentrated lime-sulphur, diluted one part to forty of water, 4-50 bordeaux; 5-10 or 80-20 dust also has been found fairly effective. The addition of a quarter pound of iron sulphate per 50 gallons of the lime-sulphur solution has been found to reduce the burning and increase the sticking qualities. On sweet cherries, bordeaux should not be used, and the lime-sulphur dilution should be reduced to one part to 50 or 60 of water.

Commence Pruning Young Fruit Tree Soon as Set

Beyond all question the first half-dozen years of the life of a young fruit tree will have more to do with the proper shape of the tree, the proper placing of branches, than any subsequent stretch of many more years. For this reason the pruning should be commenced the very first year the trees are set out.

If one-year-old whips are planted, cut back at pretty close to the point where you expect to have the tree head. Two-year-old trees will have laterals but after the tree is set head back the leader, remove branches in improper locations, and head back others of excessive length.

You are going to do two things with these young trees. The first is to balance the top and root, that is, take some of the top off to compensate the tree for its loss of roots in digging to transplant. This is to insure its growth. The second thing you are accomplishing with your young trees is to "bend the twig" right, in order that your trees may be rightly inclined.

Pruning Peaches After Size of Crop Is Noted

Many peach growers wait until they know whether they will have a crop before completing the pruning of their peach trees. It is generally necessary to take out from one-third to one-half of the new wood produced on the vigorous trees. However, where there is a very heavy crop considerable pruning can be done to help thin the fruit. Where the crop is rather light and scattered, however, it is customary not to prune quite so heavily in order to save the crop. Where the trees have lost their crop, it is the best way to put the trees in excellent condition by giving them a heavy pruning.

St. Regis Red Raspberry Is Best Early Variety

The St. Regis red raspberry, originally introduced for its fall-bearing character, has been found to have a real high value as an early spring variety. In fact it may be said to stand out as the best early red variety for home use and market. It has good size, color and quality and has become very popular in some sections. It is adaptable and can be relied on to succeed wherever other varieties do well. It is not a very strong grower and for that reason should have good soil and culture. It is disposed to send up a great surplus of suckers that must be rigorously cut off and thinned out in the spring in time for the remaining canes to get the full benefit of unchecked growth during the summer. Unless this be done there will be a multitude of small weak canes of low productive power.

Spray From Ground. To spray with a long hose from the ground gets aphid better than shooting from the top of the spray tank, New York scientists say.

Painting Wounds. It is a mistake to paint wounds until after the sap has gone out of the wounds. They can then be covered over with shellac or paraffin.

Profit Instead of Problem. By proper management the orchard may be a profit instead of a problem.

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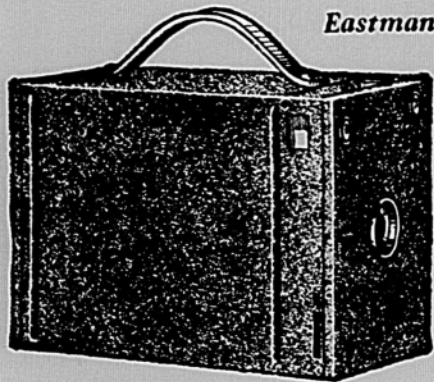
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S. J. Smith and family are spending a few days in Rannels county.

You will find your neighbor in Tahoka all day Friday, July 27th.

E. R. Allen and family arrived Friday from a visit in north Texas.

Make your plans to come to Tahoka Friday, July 27th.

Dr. J. R. Singleton made a business trip to Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Something doing every minute in Tahoka, Friday, July 27th.

Mrs. P. S. McLarty of Seymour is visiting her sisters Mrs. I. P. Metcalf and Mrs. J. A. Brown.

Everybody is coming to the Old Timers Reunion and Barbecue—Tahoka, Friday, July 27th.

Miss Lucy Belle Swan deputy county clerk left Sunday for visit with her sister Mrs. Turner in El Paso.

C. E. Baldwin, manager of the Jones Dry Goods in O'Donnell, spent yesterday in Tahoka transacting business.

J. H. Smith, of Waco, is the guest of his sister Mrs. W. E. Sikes in the Three Lakes community.

Oscar Roberts and family are spending their vacation in the mountains near Roswell, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Priddy of Hubbard visited Mrs. Priddy's sister Mrs. R. C. Wood and brother Roy Poer a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Meroney of Ranger are visiting Mrs. Meroney's mother Mrs. Mattie Bradley for a few days.

Jack Reaves and family returned Friday from an extended tour traveling via the Ford route from Charleston, S. C. to Phoenix, Ariz.

Mrs. W. F. Hendrix and little daughter of Post visited with Mrs. C. C. Barnes and Mrs. R. W. Fenton Jr. a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sharmen and son Bobby, spent the week end in Sweetwater, visiting Mr. Sharmen's sister, Mrs. Power.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kincannon, of Post, visited with Mrs. Kincannon's uncle, B. M. Robinson and family Wednesday.

Misses Emma and Mattie Hickerson of McGregor are visiting their sister Mrs. J. B. Lowe of the New Home community and their brother G. W. Hickerson here.

Jno. A. King, formerly of Tahoka, now residing in Brownfield, is conducting a stage line between Brownfield and Post, via Tahoka, making the round trip daily except Sunday.

Norris, Dayton Bert and Hollis Ed Nance of Plainview, are spending a few days here with their father, J. B. Nance here the first of the week. The boys accompanied their father to Tahoka Tuesday from Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Edwards and daughter Miss Carrie, saleslady at Small and Christal's, returned Tuesday from Brownwood where they attended a family reunion.

G. E. Jones and Wm. Campbell, of Abilene, and W. B. Jones, of Baird, were in Tahoka Wednesday looking after business in connection with the Jones Dry Goods, Inc., stores, of which they have a chain in west Texas. Two of these stores are located in Tahoka.

J. Anson Coughran, came in from Marfa Wednesday. His family has here the past two weeks. They will make their home here. Mr. Coughran resided in Tahoka a number of years ago. He is at the present time engaged in the life insurance business.

Dr. J. R. Singleton and family returned Monday from a two weeks vacation at Jefferson, Texas. The doctor reported some extremely warm weather in that section, the thermometer registering 104 degrees in the shade on several occasions. The family were all glad to get back to the great South Plains.

Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Upton of San Angelo passed through Tuesday on their way to Happy, Plainview and Lockney to visit with their children. Rev. Upton had just closed a fifteen days revival in his church which resulted in 27 conversions and 23 additions to the church. His congregation has just completed a modern six room parsonage of which the Upton family are naturally very proud.

This week a new cask of fancy sour pickles. They're crisp and tender.
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Phone 174.

The paving work on east Porterfield street from the square to the Santa Fe tracks was completed and opened to traffic Wednesday of this week. This particular street is now in first class condition from the business district to the station.

L. T. Brewer and family, of Mansfield, Texas, arrived Wednesday morning for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Brewer. Mr. Brewer and family left Mansfield early Tuesday and arrived in Tahoka at 2:00 a. m., Wednesday morning via the Ford route.

I. S. Doak and family of Tahoka, Charley Doak and family of O'Donnell, John Doak and family of Snyder, A. Z. Samples and family of Snyder and Grandma Doak left Monday for a pleasure trip to the mountains of New Mexico. They will be gone ten days or two weeks.

The Palm Cafe opened its doors for business last Saturday morning. B. J. Leedy, the proprietor is an experienced cafe man and an expert in the culinary art. The very best eats that can be found in the city will be served at the Palm. Read their advertisement in the News.

Emmett Flemming, an employee of the Santa Fe, as relief man, and who has been stationed at Lamesa the past several months, has been checked in at the local station. Emmett is a sterling young man and is making the Santa Fe a valuable employee. He has a host of friends in Tahoka who will be glad to learn of his removal to this place.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Bland, and daughter, Mary Belle, returned to their home in Sentinel, Okla., Saturday, after a few days visit with Mrs. Bland's sister, Mrs. W. S. Swan of this place. Mr. Bland is a veteran newspaper man, having followed the business for thirty odd years. He is at the present time connected with the Sentinel Leader. The News was favored with a fraternal visit from Mr. Bland during his stay in our city.

Letterheads, bill heads, statements, envelopes, cards, circulars, notes, or any other kind of printing promptly and neatly done at the News office.

A light shower of rain fell over Tahoka and vicinity yesterday morning. The indications are good for a general rain.

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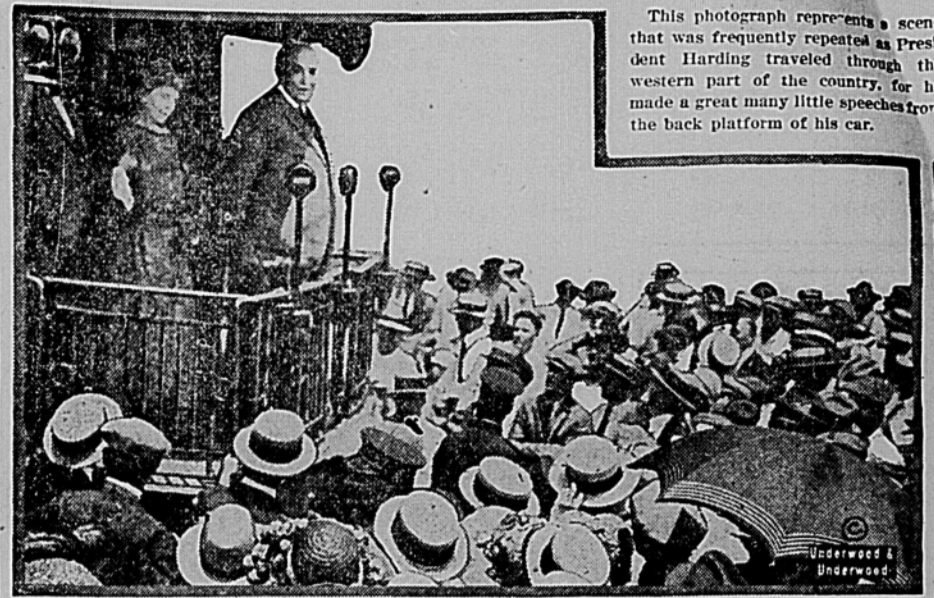
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Guests on the Trial Trip of the Leviathan



...of practically all of the guests on the record-breaking trial trip of the steamship Leviathan. They test-
...vessel and found her good.

President Greeting His Friends in the West



This photograph represents a scene that was frequently repeated as President Harding traveled through the western part of the country, for he made a great many little speeches from the back platform of his car.

DEATHS 8 MURDERS



...Laurie, twenty-eight... police officials of Los Angeles... killed eight men, U. S. agents, during a battle in... hills 15 years ago... one of 16 children. There... fighting with government... the children handled rifles... the skill and sharpshooting... veteran marksmen. Laurie... on charge of stealing a... train. When questioned by... he confessed the killing... years ago and said he had... since that time. He had... from his Kentucky home... in various countries.

Borglum Busy on Stone Mountain



Gutzon Borglum, the celebrated sculptor, in harness after he had been lowered half way down the side of Stone Mountain where he has begun work on the carving of the Memorial to the Confederacy.

Girls Load Near East Relief Ship



A crowd of pretty girls from southern California high schools and colleges, garbed in overalls, served as stevedores and "longshorewomen" when 600 tons of goods gathered by the Near East Relief were loaded on the steamer Mexican at Los Angeles harbor for transport overseas.

WHY MRS. LIND WAILS



Mrs. Charles U. Lind is preparing to bring suit for \$200,000 damages against A. Stirling Calder, a sculptor of New York, alleging he made a sculptured study of her head and shoulders and then, without her consent, added a nude figure of Dryad. Above are the statue and a portrait of Mrs. Lind.

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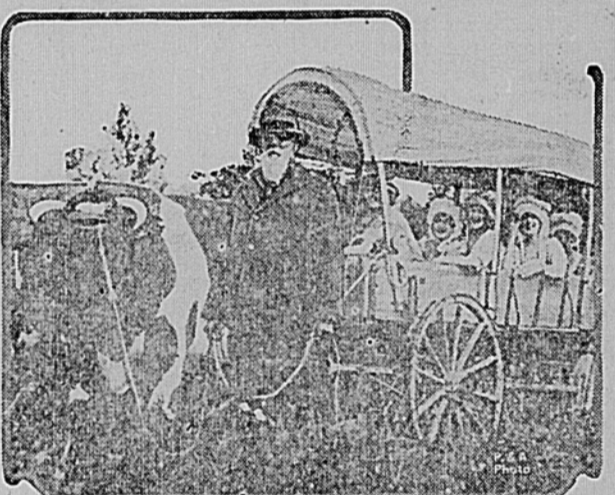
...Frances Carrick, also known... Thompson, who led a... as man and woman, was... in Chicago for the murder... C. Tesmer, and was identified... Tesmer, who witnessed... These photographs of the... were found in "his" apartment.

President Runs a Farm Tractor



The President of the United States learned how to operate a farm tractor when passing near Hutchinson, Kan., on his tour. Mr. Harding made one complete "round" of a 40-acre field and farmers said he turned the corners like a veteran.

Oregon Trail Opened at Portland



The Portland end of the Old Oregon trail was dedicated as the opening event of the annual Rose festival at Portland, Ore. Miss Lucy Lee, queen of the festival, and her maids, in sunbonnets and calico dresses, were hauled into the city in an old prairie schooner of pioneer days.

THIS MADE DOYLE ANGRY



This "spirit doll" was made by several well-meaning young members of the Ambassador hotel's table decoration factory in Los Angeles in honor of Conan Doyle. Contrary to their expectations, Sir Arthur became very irate when he learned about the doll and lost no time informing the girls that he took spiritualism seriously and didn't appreciate their tribute.

Revamping the President's Office



While President Harding is away his offices are being remodeled and repaired. This photograph shows the workmen tearing up the wooden floors of the executive office, which will be replaced with tile.

Old Family Custom Is Observed



Thomas Reynolds Porter, Jr. of Omaha, being rocked in the "Samuel Fuller cradle" at Plymouth, Mass. The little boy, accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reynolds Porter, traveled all the way from Omaha, a matter of 2,100 miles, in order to fulfill the family custom of having their son rocked in the old cradle which was used first 300 years ago.

KING BORIS' CHOICE



Dispatches from Europe say King Boris of Bulgaria has asked for the hand of Princess Elena, youngest daughter of Queen Marie of Rumania. She is only sixteen years of age, and the king is twenty-nine years old.

CONDENSATIONS

Constantinople in early days was called Byzantium. Taking interest for money lent to Hebrews was expressly forbidden by the Mosaic law. Sugar has been made at Liverpool university by means of the action of light on carbolic acid. Charles Goodyear of New Haven, Conn., discovered how to vulcanize rubber in January, 1830. Among the Eskimos, "conjurers," who have had a special training and may be of either sex, wield a great influence.

Among many African races there are no words to indicate the time of day. Semaphores were invented by a Frenchman in 1794. Holland excels all other countries in the making of gin. No part of Scotland is more than 40 miles from sea water. The Astor family was for many years known as "the landlords of New York." The density of population in India varies from 800 to the square mile to five persons only. Women sleep more lightly and require less sleep than men, according to a French scientist.

BITS OF INFORMATION

Life is very serious to Mohammedan men, who rarely smile or joke. In spite of their entrance into politics, the women of Egypt are not abandoning their veils. Girls born in May are, according to the old belief, amiable, good-looking, long-lived and happy. Members of the Women's party of South Africa are refusing to pay taxes until they get the ballot. Knights were frequently killed in the tilting contests of olden days. The unemployed in the United States numbered 1,500,000 in 1922. When rock is relatively dry it is not greatly damaged by exposure to freezing. In the largest telegraph and telephone company in the world the majority of stockholders are women. Out of 12,007 women students who have passed out of Oxford university, England, only 637 have married.

...AILED NAUGHT



...the British liners Baltic and... arrived in New York port... day they brought under trip... their stores of liquor for... voyage. But the American... agents did not hesitate to... and seize the liquor.



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Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm or corporation, that may appear in the columns of the News, will be gladly corrected when called to the attention of the editor.



Don't miss the Old Timers Reunion in Tahoka, Friday, July 27th.

What about that Fair for Lynn County this fall. Let's wake up to the fact that it is necessary to have a county fair. If we are to stay in the limelight and keep alongside of our neighboring counties, we must have a fair. Let some good enterprising citizen speak up and start the ball rolling. The time is short and we must act now.

BOQUET

The Lynn County News is Cou-like, every day in every way getting better and better under the guiding hand of R. B. Haynes. And by the way we knew R. B. when he was a barefoot boy, but he would look rather odd now in knee pants and barefooted, for he stands over six feet in his "sock-feet," if he wears such things. His paper indicates that he is a full grown man, in brains as well as stature.—Claude Wells, Editor Wellington Leader.

It is a strange fact that the man who cusses the home town paper is one who does not subscribe for it, but who never fails to read it each week. It is a blessing that such people are sadly in the minority in all progressive towns, and their opinions are taken at their true worth.—McLean News.

PROGRESSIVE TOWNS

Had you ever noticed that towns and cities that voted bonds for good school buildings, waterworks, sewerage systems, parks, paved streets, etc., are generally among the most progressive and rapidly growing cities in the state? If we have improvements we must expect to pay for them. Cities and towns don't just grow themselves. They are built by the progressive citizenship.—Grandview Tribune.

IS LYNN COUNTY GROWING?

Is Lynn County growing? Answer this question for yourself by comparing these figures given us by the local postal authorities.

On just one item, the stamp sales for the quarter—April, May and June, 1922, were \$1,077.21, and for the same months in 1923 they were \$2,633.44, and increase of \$1,556.23 over a year ago.

Tahoka has two rural routes with a good prospect for a third in the near future.

Many people have no idea how much mail comes into Tahoka unless they have seen it unloaded at the station a few times.

We only have a third class office at present, but will soon reach the second class at the rate we are now traveling.

OUR TALE OF WOE

An exchange says editing a paper is a pleasant business—if you can stand it.

If the paper contains many advertisements a subscriber complains that they take up too much space. If there is lack of advertisements, the paper is unpopular, and the people don't want it.

If the editor attends church regularly, they say he goes for effect. If we stay away from church, they say we are monstrously heathenish.

If we accept an invitation to a wedding, they say we were only invited to "write it up." If we go to a show they say we go on free tickets. If we are seen on the street too often they say we are neglecting our business. If we avoid going on the street they say we don't hustle around after the news.

If we publish an item about a man that has brought disgrace upon his family, the family nor the friends of the family never forgive us. If we out of goodness of heart, decline to say anything on the subject, the mans enemies are disappointed, and we are branded as white-livered cowards.

THE FARM FEATURE

By Phebe K. Warner

Why do the home folks take the home paper? If the home editor only knew the whole answer to that question of his business would be an assured success. The editor is not caring so much what goes into his paper so long as it is decent and clean and a credit to him. He don't care whether the columns are filled with parties, missionary meetings, revivals, weddings, births, oil news, real estate transfers or what not. What he wants to do is please the people if such thing be possible. That is why he is in the business primarily. And the better he pleases the people the more profit there is in the business for him. And that is his secondary motive in running a paper. Now, you may not believe that. You may think we have those motives reversed. But we haven't. No, the average newspaper man is not in the business for his health or for his personal amusement. But the successful newspaper man is in the business for the sake of being of some real service to his community and his country and the joy that comes through achievement. That man is the happiest who puts something over whether he makes a pile of money or not. But if he can make good money by putting a good business over then he is a happier man.

This is why we say the first purpose of the newspaper man is to please and serve the people. And if he fails to do this watch his subscription list dwindle. But if he can only find out what it is that the people really want that is what he is going to try to give them. For, after all, publishing a newspaper is just like any other mercantile business, you have to sell the news to the people and in order to do that you have to have what they want for sale. And the whole business finally resolves itself into the study of your patrons and readers. We say patrons and readers because so often folks do take time to read the home paper who do not go to the trouble and expense of paying for it.

Now we are wondering where most of the people live and what they do who read this paper. Do you live in town and have things for sale, or do you live in the country and go to town for most of your buying? And if you live in the country do you have anything for sale that the town folks might need or want? If the latter do you ever let the town folks know what you have for sale? And along with all the town talk that finds its way to the country via the home paper route is there a spot anywhere in your paper that is devoted especially to the country readers and their interests? For instance, who pays for the paper? Dad, of course, as a rule. Well is there a page or a column in the paper anywhere of special interest to the farm dad and his business? Is there a definite section set apart for the exchange of ideas and hogs and cows and seed corn and farm machinery, and anything else he may want to get rid of or get?

Now, we are not saying this to boost the Groom Booster, but we believe the Groom Booster carries one of the best farm features of any county

weekly in the whole country. But the Groom Booster is unique in other ways as well. It's make-up is on the magazine style which gives it more pages of less size than the regular county weekly paper. The chief advantage of this style is it has more separate spaces for different kinds of news, making it possible to dignify more special interests with a whole page space. In its "Better Livestock Means a Better County" section and "Scrub Days are Over" every member of the farm home has a place. Read this example:

"PIG CLUB PIGS."
"I'm offering choice pigs at weaning age out of my Poland China Pig Club Gilt—a full sister to The Lieutenant, and sired by a good son of the Jayhawker, at \$25.00 each.—Miss Junnatie Elkins."

How is that for a farm ad? Don't you suppose a girl that is doing such a business as that will be interested in what every other girl in the county is doing in the better live stock business? And don't you suppose her father is prouder of that ad than if it were his own? And don't you imagine that ad inspires them to send that paper to their friends and relatives all over the country? Just now it seems that hogs and hogs and hogs is the farm feature of that paper. "Getting hogs ready for the Fall Fairs," "Pigs Keep Boys on the Farm," "Club work has developed a business relationship that I never dreamed could exist between father and son," says one father. Oh, it's fine when father and son are interested in the same business and the same newspaper and read and study the same things and get acquainted with each other by working together for better things—even hogs. If hogs will bring the fathers and sons together in friendly business relations let's have more hogs. Let's advertise the truth about hogs.

Now, we are wondering how many of the readers of the home paper ever march up to the editor and tell him what they like in his paper and what they would like to read in its columns. And if there are any things in it you do not like (of course there are), do you ever offer something better to fill that space? Or do you keep your good ideas to yourself and then criticize what you do not like in the paper and keep quiet about the things that do please you? If the farm folks want more farm news in the paper and less city and town society news it is up to them to help put it there by supporting and filling a section with their interests. The average editor would rather report a fine crop of Poland China pigs once in a while than one more pink tea. We believe the home paper can help turn the tide of humanity back toward the farm by using more farm features for farm folks. The country folks know what is going on in town all right. But how about the town folks? Do they hear half the good that is going on in the country? The home paper is the only medium of exchange. It is the only publication that is universally read in the town and in the country. Why don't more farm folks take their home paper?

MAGNOLIA ITEMS

Miss Audra Humphries left last Tuesday for Blackwell where she will spend some two or three weeks.

Quite a number enjoyed the Central B. Y. P. U. entertainment given in the home of B. J. Emanuel last Friday night.

Miss Minnie Foster of Vernon is visiting her sister Mrs. J. B. Ray.

Mr. R. L. Craig, Charlie and Homer McKay went to Rotan last Tuesday where they will take in the picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Farris, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Williams returned home Saturday from Oklahoma where they had been visiting relatives.

Mr. W. G. Briley and Roy Emanuel made a trip to Justiceburg last Tuesday after fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCord and family of Seymour are visiting his brother R. B. McCord.

CORRESPONDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Roberts, accompanied by Mrs. Tom LeMond, were Lubbock visitors last Friday.

Remember the Old Settlers Reunion and basket picnic will be held in Tahoka, under the auspices of the local post of the American Legion, Friday, July 27th, 1923. Make your plans to attend this event.

THINK IT OVER

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LOVE STORY MADE IMMORTAL

Romance of Elaine, the "Lily Maid of Astolat." Subject of Great Verses by Tennyson.

Elaine, "the lily maid of Astolat," loved Sir Lancelot, but was not loved in return. Sir Lancelot was sworn to celibacy, and in addition his interest was centered in Guinevere, the queen. Elaine, realizing the hopelessness of her passion, died of a broken heart. In accordance with her last request her body, clad in white, and resting on the bed on which she died, was placed on a barge and guided by an old dumb servant to King Arthur's palace. In her right hand was placed a lily; and in her left hand a letter declaring her love. When the "dead steered by the dumb" reached the palace wharf, the king requested that the body be brought ashore. The letter was then read, and the departed buried in a manner befitting a queen. On the tomb was inscribed the sad narrative of Elaine's unrequited passion. The story is derived from Sir Thomas Malory's history of Prince Arthur, and has been told in blank verse by Tennyson, forming one of the "Idylls of the King."

A Word to the Borrower

If you are a borrow of this paper, don't you think it is an injustice to the man who is paying for it? He may be looking for it at this very moment. Make it a regular visitor to your home. The subscription price is an investment that will pay you well.

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F. D. Palmer, of Dallas, representing the National Service Company, who are issuing the latest road maps of the State of Texas, spent Wednesday and Thursday in the city taking orders for these maps.

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

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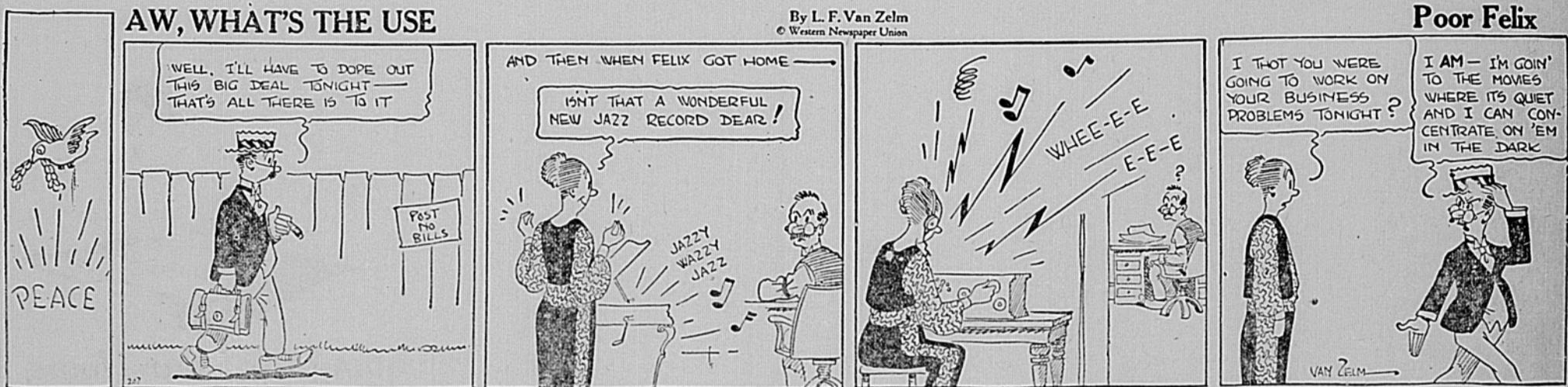
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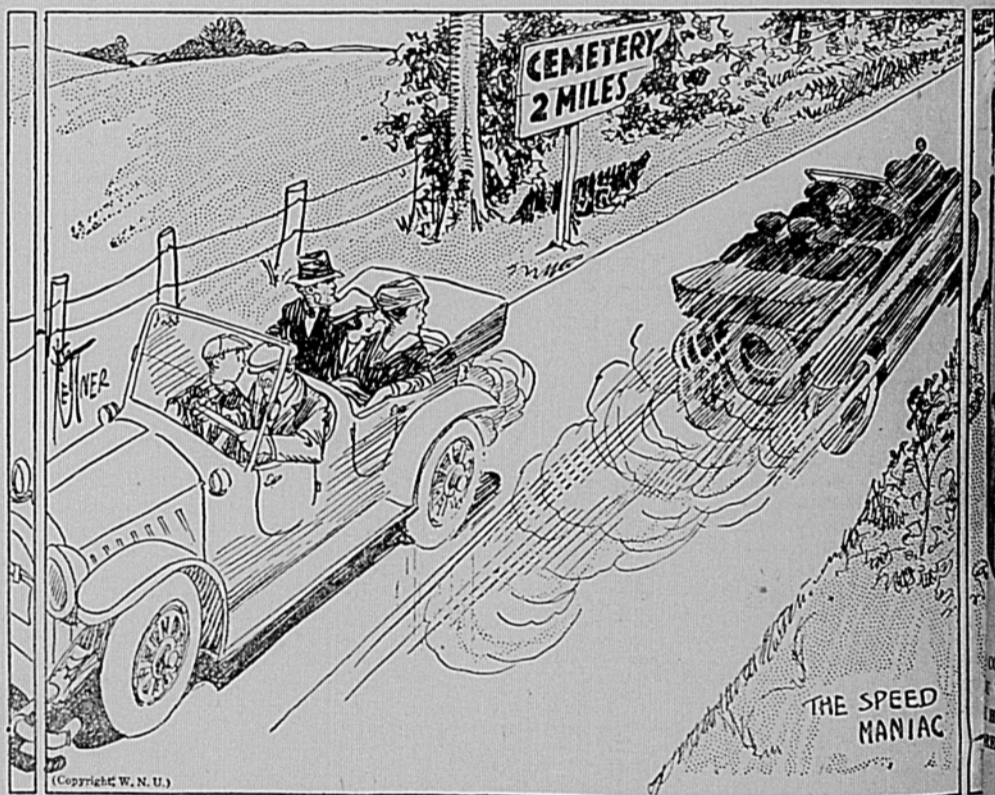
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Poor Felix



Her Masterpiece

On the Concrete



The Clancy Kids
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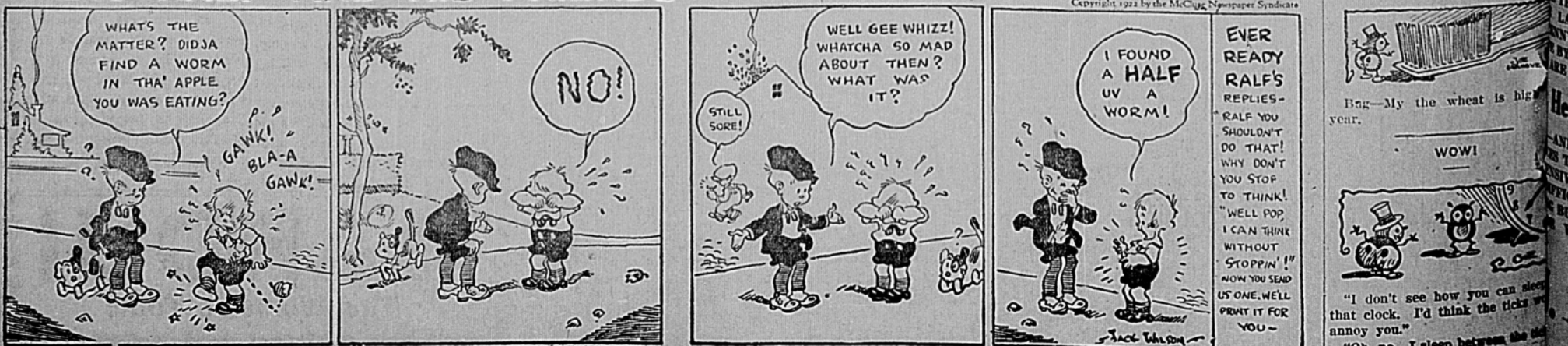
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POTASH COMPANY TO DEVELOP FIELD AT BIG SPRING, TEX.

Big Spring, Texas, July 16.—The potash company of America is installing boilers and engines on its property recently acquired near here preparatory to developing the potash said to exist here. In ten days or two weeks actual work will start, it is reported. The structures being put up are permanent and substantial. It is understood that officials of the company will shortly visit Big Spring and the holdings of the company and may interest themselves financially in the construction of railroad connecting Lamesa with Sterling City, via Big Spring, forming another important through line from Brownwood to the South Plains.

AMARILLO TRI-STATE EXPOSITION, SEPT. 25th-29th

The Amarillo Tri-State Exposition will be held in Amarillo September 25th to 29th. An announcement of the exposition appears elsewhere in the News. The fair promises to be best every held in the Panhandle of Texas. People from all over the Panhandle should encourage the Exposition by sending their products and live stock to the fair. Amarillo is the metropolis of the Plains. The News is in receipt of the premium list of the exposition.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Anna Belle Cowan entertained quite a number of her friends at her home in West Tahoka Tuesday night, celebrating her fifteenth birthday. Various games were played and every one present had an unusually good time. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake was served to Misses Lucile Taylor, Inez Weatherford, Thelma Lowe, Leo Mae Welch, Beulah Lowe, Virginia Curry, Ora Hodges, Evelyn Curry, Messrs Elgin Pennington, Lawrence Stephens, Compton Durham, Albert Curry, Billy Stephens, Charlie Curry, Alver Welch and Wayland Stephens.

TAHOKA 7; WILSON 2

Once more the Wilson huskies received a drubbing at the hands of the local club, when they were defeated at the Tahoka ball park Sunday afternoon to the tune of 7 and 2. The local club was never in danger of taking the little end of the score during the contest.

JOE BAILEY ITEMS

Some sickness in this community. Mr. Anderson's little boy, has been real sick is improving. Mrs. Brothers was buried at Plainview Saturday. Mr. Bohannon, wife and children, also Belton Abshier and wife attended singing at Joe Bailey Sunday evening. Bill Hopper, wife and son spent Sunday with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Brewer. Alf Gibbs and wife of O'Donnell, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Harris Sunday evening, also Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Ballard. Nell Warren, Mattie Brewer, Elma Patterson, Ernest Brewer, Bill Jones, all took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Brewer Sunday. The singing school will close at Joe Bailey Saturday evening. Mr. Pierce is the teacher. The meeting will commence Friday night before the first Sunday. Everybody invited.

DAISY

LAMESA 4; TAHOKA 2

Last Thursday afternoon the Tahoka baseball club went to Lamesa for a game with that team. Lamesa received the big end of the score after nine hard innings of play. The score was Lamesa 4; Tahoka 2. The fans that witnessed the game pronounced it one of the fastest games seen this season. Tahoka is getting down to real ball playing during the latter half of the season. Lamesa also has one of the fastest teams on the Plains. The game went for six innings without either side scoring.

MR. AND MRS. C. H. CAIN ENTERTAIN

One of the most enjoyable evenings of the season was spent in the home of Judge and Mrs. C. H. Cain Thursday evening July 12th, when they entertained the young people with a social. Interesting games and contests were enjoyed through-out the evening, after which delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Jose Phine Max, Inez Weatherford, Nora Willoughby, Gladys Lee, Beulah Lowe, Kathrine Knoy, Grace Hatchett, Mattie Sue Howell, Floy Anglin, Linnie B. Willis, Mary Wood, Georgia, Lillie Dell and Martha Slover Marie and Velma Moyers, and Lillian Curry. Messrs. Geen Brashear, Sanford McCormack, Preston Lee, Fountain Wyatt, E. L. Howard, and Floyd Goodrich.

Read the News for news.
Come to Tahoka—Friday, July 27.

4,220,000 BALES ESTIMATE OF TEXAS COTTON CROP 1923

From Ft. Worth Star Telegram: Barring unusual and unexpected weather conditions and out-of-the-ordinary ravishes of pests, Texas cotton production this year will be at least 4,220,000 bales, valued at \$527,500,000. Those estimates are based upon reports of acreage and conditions from one to ten places in more than 160 counties of the State, with the price figured at 25 cents per pound.

The total value of the chief crops in Texas this year, according to reports from more than 200 counties, will be at least \$834,500,000.

LAMESA 11; TAHOKA 3

Lamesa came to Tahoka Wednesday afternoon for a game with the local club and succeeded in laying it on our boys good and heavy. The score was 11 to 3. In the last half of the third with Lamesa at the bat and three men on, Scott knocked the ball over left field fence, scoring four runs. Two men from Lamesa succeeded in parking the ball and one Tahoka man, all three balls going high over left field fence.

Lamesa has added considerable new material to her team and suffice to say plays a good stiff game. Although the score was one-sided it was a good clean game and thoroughly enjoyed by the fans.

TRIAL OF ROSS AND GOOD TO BE HELD IN SEPTEMBER

Abilene, Texas, July 17.—The case of Tom Ross, cattle man, charged with the killing of H. L. Roberson, cattle inspector at Seminole last April 1, today was set down for trial in the Taylor County District Court for September 10. The case of Milt Good on the same charge was set for trial September 14. The cases were sent here on a change of venue from Lubbock county.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends who so kindly helped us through the recent illness of our family and especially do we thank the fine men who so ably assisted us in working out our crop.

J. E. BEAN & FAMILY.

POISON FISH CASING DEATHS OF PEOPLE ON CONCHO

From the Snyder Times: Down on the Concho poison fish has caused the death of several people. The deaths have occurred in the grasshopper section and as a result of farmers poisoning the hoppers. The hoppers eat the poison, drop in the water and the fish eat them. When man eats the fish that had eaten the poisoned hoppers trouble starts and in cases death ensues. In the Concho country it is said that farmers who have nice fishing holes on their places are refusing to let people go in to fish from the danger standpoint. They tell fishing parties that when the danger point is passed they can do all the fishing they want. The Times is handing this story to warn parties going fishing to be careful not to fish in the grasshopper districts. It is said that when fish are poisoned they become crazed and will travel several miles. Be careful when you go fishing.

LOST OR STOLEN—Two black mare mules; 14½ hands high; branded TY on left shoulder. Please notify S. D. Singleton, O'Donnell, Texas of any information that will lead to their recovery. 44-2c

STRAYED—One gray horse, 12 years old, heavy mane tail; one brown mare mule, 14 hands high. Suitable reward for any information as to their whereabouts.

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Our first death claim in Lynn County was presented April 30th at 11:30 and was paid in full (\$1000) at 12:30 the same day. This was the claim of Mr. P. T. Walker. She held policy No. 555 in this Association. This policy was written by our special representatives STOKES & PENNEY, of TAHOKA, TEXAS. Mrs. Walker had been a member only four months and 21 days and paid \$6.00 in all. Is this not cheap insurance? It is insurance you cannot afford to be without. SEE STOKES & PENNEY and Join our No. 2.
C. A. BURRUS, Secretary, Lubbock, Texas.

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Texas News

An election held at Alice on a proposition to raise the tax rate in the Alice independent school district from 50 cents to \$1 was defeated by a vote of 147 to 78.

Farmers in Walker County are taking advantage of the fine cotton growing days and are busy having the crop chopped out.

Crop conditions in Matagorda County are promising.

The attorney general's department had approved La Grange independent district school house bonds aggregating \$115,000. These bonds mature serially and bear 5 per cent interest.

Texas wool growers in general are fully determined not to sell the remainder of their clips at present prices and little is expected to be put on the market until fall, when the short fleeces will be marketed.

The statewide conference of educators and others interested in the educational survey ordered by the recent legislature, which had been set for July 12 at Waco, has been postponed until the latter part of August at a conference of leaders in the movement.

An election held at Brazoria Saturday on the proposition to issue bonds to the amount of \$25,000 was carried. The bonds will be used to construct a hard-surfaced road on the main highway leading from the Brazos River bridge to within six miles of Angleton, the county seat.

The attorney general, in an opinion this week, held that Nueces County can not use remitted tax money to build any part of a deep water project, but must confine expenditures to constructing a breakwater or seawall, in accordance with the terms of the act giving the state taxes for twenty-five years for that specific purpose.

Every car of wheat shipped from the plains country of Texas since the harvest of the new crop started has been graded hard red winter No. 1, the highest classification given. Although more than seventy-five carloads have been inspected by J. B. Wallace, licensed inspector, not one of them tested less than sixty pounds per bushel, he said.

Summarizing the work of the State supreme court for the term just closed shows there were 1116 items disposed of. These were divided into applications for writ of error acted on 513; cases and applications to file petitions for mandamus disposed of 272 and motions acted upon 331. The total number of cases pending and undisposed of totals 240.

The seventeenth annual convention school of the Texas Commercial Executives Association will be held at Fort Worth, July 19-21. "Textile Mills for Texas" discussions will be heard. Presidents and chairmen of the various committees of many chambers of commerce of Texas are working on plans to establish such mills in their respective territories.

Washington and Orange counties have agreed to the whole time county unit work on the \$10,000 basis, insuring a health officer, nurse and sanitary engineer, according to State Health Officer W. H. Beazley. This is under the rural sanitary engineering co-operative arrangement. There are funds available for eight or ten more counties on the fifty-fifty basis.

The O. K. lignite mine, fourth in a group of four lignite mines in the Garrison vicinity, loaded its first car of coal July 5. Only a small force of men are at work now, but in less than two weeks there will be a force of at least 75 in this mine, with a pay roll of about \$4000 monthly. It is estimated that there is enough lignite in the beds on this lease to make at least seven years for each shaft, working a 45-foot circumference, to exhaust.

A movement is under way to secure additional labor for the cotton picking season in the Rio Grande valley and in several communities committees have been appointed to arrange for Mexican laborers sufficiently to handle the cotton crop. In the Mercedes and Weslaco sections, where a large acreage has been planted, arrangements have been concluded to secure a large supply of labor.

Import, export and coastwise shipping figures for June and for the first six months of 1923, compiled by the navigation and canal commission office, show a remarkable expansion of Houston port business and a notable increase as compared with corresponding data for 1921 and 1922. Cargoes totaling over 250,000 tons were handled through the port in June alone. They represented a total investment of more than \$10,000,000.

Houston skyscrapers started during the first half of the present year have run the total amount of building permits more than \$4,000,000 beyond the amount issued during the first six months of 1923.

Only 13 aliens had been admitted through the Brownsville port when information was received from Washington that the July quotas on many nationalities had been exhausted. Forty or fifty Europeans were in Matamoros awaiting an opportunity to enter, but will be obliged to wait another month. Fifty Syrians, two Spaniards, two Greeks and one South African were admitted. Immigration officials state that there are between 4000 and 5000 Europeans in Northern Mexico awaiting an opportunity to secure entrance to this country.

Condensed Austin News

Fire of undetermined origin damaged the downtown store and warehouse of the Stern Grain Company to the extent of approximately \$10,000.

A. P. Haynes has resigned as statistician actuary of the State Fire Insurance Commission and will go to Dallas to be connected with the Texas Inspection Bureau.

W. H. Young of Corsicana, a graduate of the University of Texas, has been awarded a scholarship in George Washington university at St. Louis for the next session.

Adjutant General Barton has gone to Camp Stanley, Leon Springs, to complete arrangements for the annual encampment of the artillery branch of the Texas National Guard.

Wilbarger County repaid its drought relief loan of \$5,000 made by the State some years ago. This leaves approximately \$255,000 outstanding owing the State by other counties which borrowed during the drought.

Gov. Neff has reappointed the State Board of Pharmacy composed of the following members: W. H. Whisenant, San Antonio; J. W. Collins, Amarillo; C. A. Elland, Munday; Wilford Harrison, Wichita Falls; J. B. Ray, Abilene.

S. B. Cowell, chairman, L. W. Tittle and Dr. H. H. Harrington, constituting the State Board of Control, has gone to Rusk to investigate conditions at the East Texas Insane Asylum. Reports of alleged irregularities in certain quarters had reached the board and it promptly left to make an investigation.

An entirely new contract has been drawn whereby the Reliance Manufacturing Company of Chicago would have Texas convicts make shirts at about 5c each. The contract contemplates the use of some 200 convicts, the company to furnish the machinery and expert foremen.

Joe White, sergeant at arms of the House, has been appointed a district deputy game warden, under the new law, with headquarters at San Antonio. He is the first of twelve who are to be named by the State Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner. He will have seven counties in his district.

Gov. Neff has appointed Miss Mai Brady of Texarkana as clerk of the new County Court at Law of Bowie County. Miss Brady is a member of an abstract firm at Texarkana. Unanimous indorsement for her appointment as clerk of the new court was given by the Bowie County Bar Association.

A Statewide conference of school officials and educators is planned to be held at Waco, July 12, to outline methods for handling the State survey of public schools and educational institutions provided for by the last Legislature, it became known here recently. Call for the conference probably will be issued soon.

An injunction was granted by District Judge George Calhoun restraining the Comptroller from remitting or converting into the State Treasury any of the money paid as gasoline tax under the act of April 1, being due May 25 and June 25, pending a decision by the court as to the validity of the act.

State Treasurer Terrell has authorized the statement that withdrawals from the 122 State depositories this month will not be equal to those of May, when two or three of the banks complained of the heavy drain, the Treasurer having taken 35 per cent of the State funds on deposit. For June the withdrawals will amount to one-tenth of the State's quota on deposit.

The Michigan State penitentiary has sent samples of shoes to the State Board of Control to be purchased for use by inmates of the Texas eleemosynary institutions. The shoes are of the army pattern and appear durable and reasonable in cost. The board awards no long-term contracts on shoes, but buys them in the open market.

James J. Timmons has been named as actuary-statistician of the State Fire Insurance Commission to succeed A. H. Haynes, resigned, to accept employment with the Texas Inspection Bureau at Dallas. Mr. Timmons was formerly chief of the oil rating division of the commission and is succeeded in that position by Fred Clark, an experienced rater with the commission.

The faculty of the University of Texas has adopted a recommendation to be submitted to the board of regents at its next meeting providing that students who complete three years work of 15 courses in the college of arts and sciences of that institution and two years in the college of nursing at the medical branch at Galveston shall receive the degrees of bachelor of science and graduate nurse.

The KITCHEN CABINET

You may grow for your neighbor, grapes or grape shot, he also will grow grapes or grape shot for you and you will each reap what you have sown.—Ruskin.

SEASONABLE DISHES

Take a small-sized ripe red tomato, wash in shape and peel, leaving some of the peeling at the base. Now cut with four slashes way to the base, leaving a tulip-shaped tomato. Fill with chopped celery, nuts or cucumber with a good salad dressing well-mixed into it. Garnish the top of the flower with a bit of the dressing and a small half of a walnut. Serve with graham bread cut into oblongs on which are placed the same shaped pieces of cheese.

Cinnamon Toast.—This is very popular as a tea accompaniment and may be prepared on the electric toaster at the tea table. Spread thin slices of the toast with butter and cover with a mixture of cinnamon and powdered sugar. Arrow the toast to stand until it becomes saturated with the melting mixture.

The most delicious iced tea is prepared from freshly-brewed hot tea. Pour the tea over a large piece of ice and serve poured over cracked ice in tall glasses. Serve with preserved pineapple, sliced lemon or clear with sugar.

The tea wagon is a valuable piece of furniture for the porch tea or meal. For the housekeeper without a maid it is a great time saver as well as, when nicely laid, an ornament to the occasion. The design with folding leaves will carry the entire service. The lower shelf can be used for plates, glasses and extra dishes.

Best Lima Beans.—Take two cups of fresh lima beans, add one medium-sized green pepper, onion and carrot, chopped. Cook in boiling water until tender, then salt, reserving when draining one-half cupful of the liquor. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add two tablespoonfuls of flour, pepper and salt to taste, then add one-half cupful of the liquor and the same amount of milk; cook until smooth, pour over the vegetables and serve hot. Any liquor not used may be reserved for soup for another meal.

Long Island Succotash.—Take two cupfuls of corn cut from the cob, also one and two-thirds cupfuls of lima beans and three cupfuls of water and cook the beans for half an hour, stirring now and then. Pour off the water from the beans; add the corn, two cupfuls of milk, a two inch square of salt pork, two teaspoonfuls of salt, two tablespoonfuls of butter, one tablespoonful of flour mixed with one tablespoonful of water; simmer for an hour until the beans and corn are tender. Add pepper and serve piping hot.

When you become so absorbed in the world of things; and in the accumulation of things that you forget to be considerate, courteous and kind, you are not worth a cent to anybody.

THINGS WORTH REMEMBERING

Use a pint or more of bread crumbs with a cupful of corn meal to make steamed brown bread; the shortening, sugar, egg and salt may be added with a few raisins to suit the taste. Steam of cook in a fireless cooker for several hours.

A little grated fresh potato added to the chocolate cake batter will make a cake that will keep moist and still not alter the flavor or texture.

This is the time of the year when a few things started for the Christmas boxes may be done while sitting on the porch; having more than one article going relieves the monotony, and before one knows it several gifts are all ready to pack.

Shine can be easily removed from garments by rubbing lightly with a piece of emery cloth or paper.

Sip a thimble over the end of the small curtain rods when running them through the curtain hems. This will save many a tear in the material of the curtain.

A handful of salt added to vegetable skins that are burned in the furnace will destroy all odor.

Salt sprinkled into the oven when fruit or custard pies boil over will destroy the unpleasant odor of burned milk.

An occasional rubbing of strong salt water or moist salt into the scalp is good to prevent falling hair.

A pinch of salt added to the pot of coffee brings out the flavor of the coffee.

Salt added to the water in a vase of flowers will keep them fresh much longer than fresh water.

When making fruit cake, it is much more delicate of flavor and keeps moist longer if steamed an hour or two and baked a short time.

Bottles that have become discolored may be cleaned by adding a tablespoonful of vinegar and a few tacks or shot, to shake and remove all deposit. Then wash with hot soap suds and the bottles will be bright and clear.

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Prominent People

Commends Forestry Methods of France



Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the American Tree Association, who has been sending millions of young trees to France to help reforest the devastated battle areas, commends to Americans the methods of the French as told in a report received by the association. He says the operations in the forest of Roentgen near Aix la Chapelle and in the forest near Cleves are conducted along the most scientific lines.

"We find," says Mr. Pack, "that the French and the Belgians have cut something like four million board feet, with the coming growth fully in mind. This is much different from the slashing and girdling done by the Germans during the war in their retreats. In this French method there is a great lesson for the United States. With France there are always more trees coming."

"In the United States there are millions of acres of idle land once covered with growing trees. They could be that way today had scientific forestry been practiced in this country during the last forty years. There should be a forest crop in this country just as there are other kinds of crops."

"Our idle land was not made idle by an invading army with cannon, but an invading army with axes. But we are in much the same situation as France, although from different causes. The thing to do now is to reforest these idle acres, for our newspapers and our factories must have forest products 'f. o. b. the warehouse door.'"

Hungarian Invents Far-Seeing Machine

The telehor, the machine which sees at great distances, is the invention of Denes Mihaly, twenty-nine years of age, the chief engineer of the Budapest telephone works and head of several other mechanical organizations. Mihaly, a well-known student of high frequency electrical currents, has no less than 62 inventions on the market, including the speaking kinematograph, a new system of colored kinematograph, a plastic kinematograph, and many automobile and wireless inventions.



The telehor is made of two separate instruments, the receiver and the reproducer. The connection of the two instruments may be effected either through a wire, wire connection or wireless. Every photograph, landscape, figure, handwriting or any object which is placed before the objective of the receiver is seen under less than 1-10 of a second on the screen of the reproducer. The principle of the telehor is similar to that of the photo-machine of Professor Korn. The latter, however, makes necessary an ordinary photo proceeding.

With the telehor it is a question of transferring moving pictures, similar to those which appear in an ordinary camera. Every time the objective is opened, the electro-light transformer is effected in the telehor, also, with a selenium cell which changes the different light elements of the picture to similar electro-light currents in the instrument. The obstacle to effecting this up to now has been in the nature of the selenium, which acted very slowly so that the cell was ineffective. The solution of the problem was made possible in the telehor with the invention of an exceedingly small selenium cell, which is capable of registering 100,000 light changes per second.

Horace Towner Has Ungrateful Job



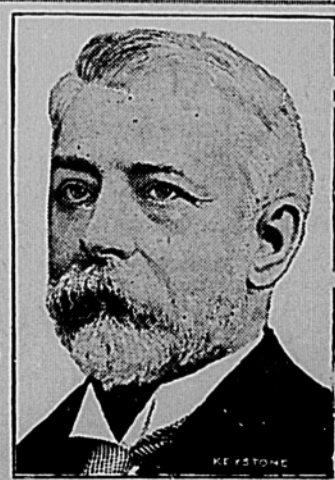
Only a little while ago Horace M. Towner, former congressman from Iowa, was appointed by the President to be the governor of Porto Rico, to succeed E. Mont Rely. Scarcely had he assumed his new duties than he found himself confronted with an opposition as determined as that which had succeeded in having Rely ousted from the position.

Governor Towner is charged with ignoring the Republican party, which Governor Rely favored in his appointments, and with turning virtually all offices over to Unionists, the dominant party of the island, whose appeals to Washington brought the change in administration.

President Harding probably will be carried into the whirlwind of Porto Rican politics when he visits San Juan after his trip to Alaska. Reports to Secretary Weeks show continued friction. He considers it virtually impossible to name an executive who will please both factions. The secretary denies Governor Towner has ignored the Republicans completely. Pleas for the removal of Towner are expected when Mr. Harding reaches the island.

Canadian Favors Reciprocity With U. S.

Back in 1911 Hon. W. S. Fielding of Canada negotiated with President Taft for a treaty of reciprocity between the United States and Canada. It failed because eastern Canada opposed it. Mr. Fielding is now finance minister, and recently he made another trip to Washington to revive the proposition. It is said in Ottawa his plan will have the support of a large majority in the new Canadian parliament. The farmers of the western provinces have increased their voting strength, and the Liberals stand with them on this proposition.



The Fielding proposal, made in the house of commons at Ottawa, is that President Harding reduce by 50 per cent the duties on cattle, wheat, flour, oats, barley, potatoes, onions, turnips, hay and dash. The Canadian government would then be authorized "to make such reductions of duties on similar articles imported into Canada from the United States." Preliminary to any effort to secure a broad arrangement which would call for the ratification of congress and the Canadian parliament, efforts will be directed to that action which the President is already empowered by congress to take under the Fordney-McCumber tariff.

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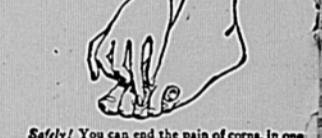
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CAPTAIN SAZARAC

By Charles Tenney Jackson
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MISS LESTRON

Under the name of Sazarac, and disguised as a former freebooter, he had proscribed returns of New Orleans. He was accompanied by two of his old associates, Alderman Dominique and Raoul. At the gaming table, Sazarac has won much money. A project of the city's old-time friend of Laclon, as his last wager, Carr, a woman, presumably a custom compels Sazarac to the stake. He wins. Almonaster accuses him. A project of the city's old-time friend of Laclon, as his last wager, Carr, a woman, presumably a custom compels Sazarac to the stake. He wins. Almonaster accuses him.

CHAPTER II—Continued.

She had seen her, but there was a shadow upon her face. She appeared among us. The serious Tory family, we are told from New York to Canada, the old revolution. You "I have seen her," said the two women—"said the man took care of her. I think he was a common gambler. Why I took his measure—that he put his women upon me to his own girl!" chuckled Dominique. "Sazarac wins the lady's maid. I heard the colonel over servant to you!" "On a card—" rumbled the man. "I made me think of old Sazara—women against and the traffic and the was watching young sharply. "You are cunning, sir?" "Raoul laughed. "What was on your lips the?" "The coffee-houses their scandal!" "Sir? I have sensed among the tavern drinkers?" "shrugged. The two old stirred uneasily. They that tone, the tizzish of the master, in days of splintering decks. "went on Sazarac, as if in a mood he wished to put (name was fair). As for the did not want her. Nor shall now. The colonel's lady for her yellow maid."

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to confront Carr, fling an insult at him that no man might endure; challenge and kill him under the oaks of the Bayou St. John road. And now he was gazing on the fairest face that all his adventuring life had shown him. Perfect in the moonlight, the dark eyes cold, scornful; the shrug of her white shoulders above the lace corsage—apparently Miss Lestron had been going to the opera of the Theatre d'Orleans, where, he recalled, Rose de Vries appeared tonight in "Le Prophete." But the hour was late for this.

"I think, sir—you cannot see him. It happens—" She glanced up warily at the silent galleries where the concierge was mumbled away ineffectually on his return. "Colonel Carr will not receive anyone tonight." She turned half from him with an air of dismissal. The stranger bowed once more. His heart was beating with a curious relief. It was plain that the girl did not know of the infamous jest with which all the coffee houses were ringing. He knew now he would pocket the insult; a duel was impossible, for it would drag her name deeper into the mire. Carr had guessed aright; Sazarac could not claim his wager. In a private drinking bout Carr might roar with laughter at the gambler's dilemma; but, for the lady's sake, Sazarac would not challenge; nor would he permit talk of the affair to go about.

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One Way or Another

By A. W. PEACH
(By McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

The lights of his car swept a golden pathway through the night. Beneath them the powerful motor hummed softly. Richard Wharton's heart was throbbing with more than usual excitement. He could feel against his shoulder the pressure of Merle's small dark head; and more than once on a straight bit of road he glanced down to catch the curve of her cheek.

They were eloping—rushing away to the great city, where plans had been made already for the marriage, rushing away from her irascible father, who had promptly and almost profanely refused them permission to marry. As promptly refused to give any reason for his refusal.

They had been patient and considerate of him, but when he tried to drive Merle into an agreement that meant never seeing her lover again, she rebelled, and she it was who suggested flight.

Old Mr. Benton, reading his paper while his wife sewed, went to the telephone, and when he returned he said grimly to Mrs. Benton: "A call from Taylor. He says his daughter is eloping with your Wharton, and that they are coming down this road; and he wants me to stop 'em."

Mrs. Benton watched him with keen, alert eyes as he drew on his coat. "You look out, Will. He will be coming fast, and if you think he will stop just because you holler at him, you are mistaken; an' besides, Wharton—"

As he went out he was a bit puzzled just how he would do it, but suddenly it dawned upon him that in his shed was an old sign put up by the bridge boss at the time they were repairing the bridge just beyond the farm.

Mr. Benton drew the sign out, set it in the middle of the road and hung a lantern on each end, so the big letters of the sign, "Bridge Down," could be seen. Then he stepped aside into the shadows and waited.

"I love you," he said quietly. "You will remember that." (TO BE CONTINUED.)

TURKISH CAPITAL NOISY CITY

According to Accounts, It Is No Means to Be Recommended as Residence for the Nervous.

There is more noise per cubic foot of night in Constantinople than in any other city in Europe. Independently of a highly varied symphony of casual sounds, one's sleep is broken by officially organized disturbances due to the fact that for policing the city after dark the municipality maintains a number of watchmen armed with long, thick clubs.

Lying abed in the small hours, one has full cause to recognize their zeal, for at frequent intervals the nearest watchman awakens you by beating heavily upon the eaves with a resounding cudgel.

It needs a fire, however, to give the watchman full scope for making night hideous. Constantinople, being mainly built of wood and heated by open charcoal stoves, this opportunity comes all too often. As soon as a fire is sighted from the high lookout post on Galata tower word is sent to every quarter of the city.

Till ten years ago this was done by picturesque red-coated runners armed with javelins, but now it goes by telephone, and for the night watchman, the real fun of the evening begins. Beating a double volley on the pavement, each in turn fills his lungs to capacity and in a tone of long-winded, lugubrious despair wails out fortissimo at frequent intervals: "Yanphin var!" ("A fire there is!"), following on with an announcement of its situation, and ending with more battering of the flagstones.

As this cry is taken up and repeated from street to street it swells to an appalling clamor. With cats, dogs and discordant "drunks," Constantinople is well supplied throughout the dark hours, and then, just after daybreak, when sleep is precious because it is precarious, an army of food-peddlers begins to fill the air with clamor.

The Greek housewives of Constantinople are lazy in their habits and rarely get beyond the dressing-room stage until the afternoon. Their morning marketing is therefore done from the half-opened shutter of an upper window, so that by seven o'clock a shrill chatter of haggling over the price of fish and eggs begins to keep company to the diversified howls of the hawkers, the hoarse shouts of drivers urging overloaded horses up Constantinople's seven hills, the cracking of whips, the rumble of springless carts, the jangling even of camel-bells, the constant hooting of unimportant but fussy steamers on the Golden Horn, the klaxons of Pera chauffeurs, whose Levantine vanity makes them the noisiest and worst drivers in the world, and the clanging, groaning and screeching of Constantinople tramway cars twisting round the sharp corners of its narrow streets.

Prayer or Hoisting. When Van Horne was building up the Southern Minnesota railway in 1876, a plague of grasshoppers threatened the farmers there with ruin. Public prayer was ordered but Van Horne suggested the first and best remedy lay in hustling. He tried having canvas smeared with pitch drawn over the ground by horses. The grasshoppers jumped up, got caught in the pitch and could be raked up and burned. The farmers tried it. The state supplied them with tar which the railroad carried free. Black heaps of dead grasshoppers soog dotted the prairie. One day in a cloud that seemed miles in length the survivors flew away. Most of the crop was saved and the earnings of the railroad resumed their old level.

Tragedy Averted. I meet a very dear girl chum of mine every noon for lunch. If I am not waiting for her in front of the building, she usually comes up for me and waits until I can get out. One noon I was very busy and all alone in the boss's private office, and hearing someone come in the outer office, called out, "Ready in a minute, dear." The expected answer was not received, so I went out to discover the reason in the person of the boss's wife, who is very fond of a good laugh and was enjoying my embarrassment. After giving her an explanation, I decided to limit my use of endearing language.—Chicago Tribune.

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Texas News

An election held at Alice on a proposition to raise the tax rate in the Alice independent school district from 50 cents to \$1 was defeated by a vote of 147 to 78.

Farmers in Walker County are taking advantage of the fine cotton growing days and are busy having the crop chopped out.

Crop conditions in Matagorda County are promising.

The attorney general's department had approved La Grange independent district school house bonds aggregating \$115,000. These bonds mature serially and bear 5 per cent interest.

Texas wool growers in general are fully determined not to sell the remainder of their clips at present prices and little is expected to be put on the market until fall, when the short fleeces will be marketed.

The statewide conference of educators and others interested in the educational survey ordered by the recent legislature, which had been set for July 12 at Waco, has been postponed until the latter part of August at a conference of leaders in the movement.

An election held at Brazoria Saturday on the proposition to issue bonds to the amount of \$25,000 was carried. The bonds will be used to construct a hard-surfaced road on the main highway leading from the Brazos River bridge to within six miles of Angleton, the county seat.

The attorney general, in an opinion this week, held that Nueces County can not use remitted tax money to build any part of a deep water project, but must confine expenditures to constructing a breakwater or seawall, in accordance with the terms of the act giving the state taxes for twenty-five years for that specific purpose.

Every car of wheat shipped from the plains country of Texas since the harvest of the new crop started has been graded hard red winter No. 1, the highest classification given. Although more than seventy-five carloads have been inspected by J. B. Wallace, licensed inspector, not one of them tested less than sixty pounds per bushel, he said.

Summarizing the work of the State supreme court for the term just closed shows there were 1116 items disposed of. These were divided into applications for writ of error acted on 513; cases and applications to file petitions for mandamus disposed of 272 and motions acted upon 331. The total number of cases pending and undisposed of totals 240.

The seventeenth annual convention school of the Texas Commercial Executives Association will be held at Fort Worth, July 19-21. "Textile Mills for Texas" discussions will be heard. Presidents and chairmen of the various committees of many chambers of commerce of Texas are working on plans to establish such mills in their respective territories.

Washington and Orange counties have agreed to the whole time county unit work on the \$10,000 basis, insuring a health officer, nurse and sanitary engineer, according to State Health Officer W. H. Beazley. This is under the rural sanitary engineering co-operative arrangement. There are funds available for eight or ten more counties on the fifty-fifty basis.

The O. K. lignite mine, fourth in a group of four lignite mines in the Garrison vicinity, loaded its first car of coal July 5. Only a small force of men are at work now, but in less than two weeks there will be a force of at least 75 in this mine, with a pay roll of about \$4000 monthly. It is estimated that there is enough lignite in the beds on this lease to make at least seven years for each shaft, working a 45-foot circumference, to exhaust.

A movement is under way to secure additional labor for the cotton picking season in the Rio Grande valley and in several communities committees have been appointed to arrange for Mexican laborers sufficiently to handle the cotton crop. In the Mercedes and Weslaco sections, where a large acreage has been planted, arrangements have been concluded to secure a large supply of labor.

Import, export and coastwise shipping figures for June and for the first six months of 1923, compiled by the navigation and canal commission office, show a remarkable expansion of Houston port business and a notable increase as compared with corresponding data for 1921 and 1922. Cargoes totaling over 250,000 tons were handled through the port in June alone. They represented a total investment of 67 more than \$10,000,000.

Houston skyscrapers started during the first half of the present year have run the total amount of building permits more than \$4,000,000 beyond the amount issued during the first six months of 1923.

Only 13 aliens had been admitted through the Brownsville port when information was received from Washington that the July quotas on many nationalities had been exhausted. Forty or fifty Europeans were in Matamoros awaiting an opportunity to enter, but will be obliged to wait another month. Eight Syrians, two Spaniards, two Greeks and one South African were admitted. Immigration officials state that there are between 4000 and 5000 Europeans in Northern Mexico awaiting an opportunity to secure entrance to this country.

Condensed Austin News

Fire of undetermined origin damaged the downtown store and warehouse of the Stern Grain Company to the extent of approximately \$10,000.

A. P. Haynes has resigned as statistician actuary of the State Fire Insurance Commission and will go to Dallas to be connected with the Texas Inspection Bureau.

W. H. Youngs of Corsicana, a graduate of the University of Texas, has been awarded a scholarship in George Washington university at St. Louis for the next session.

Adjutant General Barton has gone to Camp Stanley, Leon Springs, to complete arrangements for the annual encampment of the artillery branch of the Texas National Guard.

Wilbarger County repaid its drought relief loan of \$5,000 made by the State some years ago. This leaves approximately \$255,000 outstanding owing the State by other counties which borrowed during the drought.

Gov. Neff has reappointed the State Board of Pharmacy composed of the following members: W. H. Whisenant, San Antonio; J. W. Collins, Amarillo; C. A. Elland, Munday; Wilford Harrison, Wichita Falls; J. B. Ray, Abilene.

S. B. Cowell, chairman, L. W. Title and Dr. H. H. Harrington, constituting the State Board of Control, has gone to Rusk to investigate conditions at the East Texas Insane Asylum. Reports of alleged irregularities in certain quarters had reached the board and it promptly left to make an investigation.

An entirely new contract has been drawn whereby the Reliance Manufacturing Company of Chicago would have Texas convicts make shirts at about 5c each. The contract contemplates the use of some 200 convicts, the company to furnish the machinery and expert foremen.

Joe White, sergeant at arms of the House, has been appointed a district deputy game warden, under the new law, with headquarters at San Antonio. He is the first of twelve who are to be named by the State Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner. He will have seven counties in his district.

Gov. Neff has appointed Miss Mai Brady of Texarkana as clerk of the new County Court at Law of Bowie County. Miss Brady is a member of an abstract firm at Texarkana. Unanimous indorsement for her appointment as clerk of the new court was given by the Bowie County Bar Association.

A statewide conference of school officials and educators is planned to be held at Waco, July 12, to outline methods for handling the State survey of public schools and educational institutions provided for by the last Legislature, it became known here recently. Call for the conference probably will be issued soon.

An injunction was granted by District Judge George Calhoun restraining the Comptroller from remitting or converting into the State Treasury any of the money paid as gasoline tax under the act of April 1, being due May 25 and June 25, pending a decision by the court as to the validity of the act.

State Treasurer Terrell has authorized the statement that withdrawals from the 122 State depositories this month will not be equal to those of May, when two or three of the banks complained of the heavy drain, the Treasurer having taken 35 per cent of the State funds on deposit. For June the withdrawals will amount to one-tenth of the State's quota on deposit.

The Michigan State penitentiary has sent samples of shoes to the State Board of Control to be purchased for use by inmates of the Texas eleemosynary institutions. The shoes are of the army pattern and appear durable and reasonable in cost. The board awards no long-term contracts on shoes, but buys them in the open market.

James J. Timmons has been named as actuary-statistician of the State Fire Insurance Commission to succeed A. H. Haynes, resigned, to accept employment with the Texas Inspection Bureau at Dallas. Mr. Timmons was formerly chief of the oil rating division of the commission and is succeeded in that position by Fred Clark, an experienced rater with the commission.

The faculty of the University of Texas has adopted a recommendation to be submitted to the board of regents at its next meeting providing that students who complete three years work of 15 courses in the college of arts and sciences of that institution and two years in the college of nursing at the medical branch at Galveston shall receive the degrees of bachelor of science and graduate nurse.

The KITCHEN CABINET

You may grow for your neighbor, grapes or grape shot, he also will grow grapes or grape shot for you and you will each reap what you have sown.—RuskIn.

SEASONABLE DISHES

Take a small-sized ripe red tomato, remove the stem and peel, leaving some of the peeling at the base. Now cut with four slashes way to the base, leaving a tulip-shaped tomato. Fill with chopped celery, nuts or cucumber with a good salad dressing well-mixed into it. Garnish the top of the flower with a bit of the dressing and a small half of a walnut. Serve with graham bread cut into oblongs on which are placed the same shaped pieces of cheese.

Cinnamon Toast.—This is very popular as a tea accompaniment and may be prepared on the electric toaster at the tea table. Spread thin slices of the toast with butter and cover with a mixture of cinnamon and powdered sugar. Throw the toast to stand until it becomes saturated with the melting mixture.

The most delicious iced tea is prepared from freshly-brewed hot tea. Pour the tea over a large piece of ice and serve poured over cracked ice in tall glasses. Serve with preserved pineapple, sliced lemon or clear with sugar.

The tea wagon is a valuable piece of furniture for the porch tea or meal. For the housekeeper without a maid it is a great step saver as well as, when nicely laid, an ornament to the occasion. The design with folding leaves will carry the entire service. The lower shelf can be used for plates, glasses and extra dishes.

Best Lima Beans.—Take two cupfuls of fresh lima beans, add one medium-sized green pepper, onion and carrot, chopped. Cook in boiling water until tender, then salt, reserving when draining one-half cupful of the liquor. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add two tablespoonfuls of flour, pepper and salt to taste, then add one-half cupful of the liquor and the same amount of milk; cook until smooth, pour over the vegetables and serve hot. Any liquor not used may be reserved for soup for another meal.

Long Island Succotash.—Take two cupfuls of corn cut from the cob, also one and two-thirds cupfuls of lima beans and three cupfuls of water and cook the beans for half an hour, stirring now and then. Pour off the water from the beans; add the corn, two cupfuls of milk, a two inch square of salt pork, two teaspoonfuls of salt, two tablespoonfuls of butter, one tablespoonful of flour mixed with one tablespoonful of water; simmer for an hour until the beans and corn are tender. Add pepper and serve piping hot.

When you become so absorbed in the world of things, and in the accumulation of things that you forget to be considerate, courteous and kind, you are not worth a cent to anybody.

Use a pint or more of bread crumbs with a cupful of corn meal to make steamed brown bread; the shortening, sugar, egg and salt may be added with a few raisins to suit the taste. Steam or cook in a fireless cooker for several hours.

A little grated fresh potato added to the chocolate cake batter will make a cake that will keep moist and still not alter the flavor or texture. This is the time of the year when a few things started for the Christmas boxes may be done while sitting on the porch; having more than one article going relieves the monotony, and before one knows it several gifts are all ready to pack.

Shine can be easily removed from garments by rubbing lightly with a piece of emery cloth or paper.

Slip a thimble over the end of the small curtain rods when running them through the curtain hems. This will save many a tear in the material of the curtain.

A handful of salt added to vegetable skins that are burned in the furnace will destroy all odor.

Salt sprinkled into the oven when fruit or custard pies boil over will destroy the unpleasant odor of burned milk.

An occasional rubbing of strong salt water or moist salt into the scalp is good to prevent falling hair.

A pinch of salt added to the pot of coffee brings out the flavor of the coffee.

Salt added to the water in a vase of flowers will keep them fresh much longer than fresh water.

When making fruit cake, it is much more delicate of flavor and keeps moist longer if steamed an hour or two and baked a short time.

Bottles that have become discolored may be cleaned by adding a tablespoonful of vinegar and a few tacks or shot, to shake and remove all deposit. Then wash with hot soap suds and the bottles will be bright and clear.

Neils Maxwell

Prominent People

Commends Forestry Methods of France



Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the American Tree association, who has been sending millions of young trees to France to help reforest the devastated battle areas, commends to Americans the methods of the French as told in a report received by the association. He says the operations in the forest of Roentgen near Aix la Chapelle and in the forest near Cleves are conducted along the most scientific lines.

"We find," says Mr. Pack, "that the French and the Belgians have cut something like four million board feet, with the coming growth fully in mind. This is much different from the slashing and gridding done by the Germans during the war in their retreats. In this French method there is a great lesson for the United States. With France there are always more trees coming.

"In the United States there are millions of acres of idle land now covered with growing trees. They could be that way today had scientific forestry been practiced in this country during the last forty years. There should be a forest crop in this country just as there are other kinds of crops.

"Our idle land was not made idle by an invading army with cannon, but an invading army with axes. But we are in much the same situation as France, although from different causes. The thing to do now is to reforest these idle acres, for our newspapers and our factories must have forest products 'f. o. b. the warehouse door.'"

Hungarian Invents Far-Seeing Machine

The telehor, the machine which sees at great distances, is the invention of Denes Mihaly, twenty-nine years of age, the chief engineer of the Budapest telephone works and head of several other mechanical organizations. Mihaly, a well-known student of high frequency electrical currents, has no less than 62 inventions on the market, including the speaking kinematograph, a new system of colored kinematograph, a plastical kinematograph, and many automobile and wireless inventions.



The telehor is made of two separate instruments, the receiver and the reproducer. The connection of the two instruments may be effected either through a wire, wire connection or wireless. Every photograph, landscape, figure, handwriting or any object which is placed before the objective of the receiver is seen under less than 1-10 of a second on the screen of the reproducer. The principle of the telehor is similar to that of the photo-machine of Professor Korn. The latter, however, makes necessary an ordinary photo proceeding.

Horace Towner Has Ungrateful Job



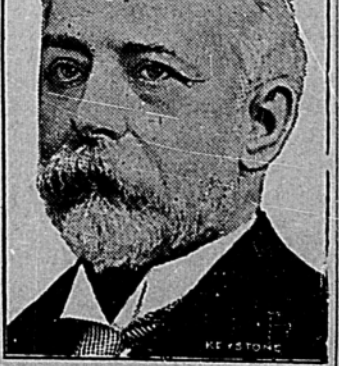
Only a little while ago Horace M. Towner, former congressman from Iowa, was appointed by the President to be the governor of Porto Rico, to succeed E. Mont Rely. Scarcely had he assumed his new duties than he found himself confronted with an opposition as determined as that which had succeeded in having Rely ousted from the position.

Governor Towner is charged with ignoring the Republican party, which Governor Rely favored in his appointments, and with turning virtually all offices over to Unionists, the dominant party of the island, whose appeals to Washington brought the change in administration.

President Harding probably will be carried into the whirlwind of Porto Rican politics when he visits San Juan after his trip to Alaska. Reports to Secretary Weeks show continued friction. He considers it virtually impossible to name an executive who will please both factions. The Pleas for the removal of Towner are expected when Mr. Harding reaches the island.

Canadian Favors Reciprocity With U. S.

Back in 1911 Hon. W. S. Fielding of Canada negotiated with President Taft for a treaty of reciprocity between the United States and Canada. It failed because eastern Canada opposed it. Mr. Fielding is now finance minister, and recently he made another trip to Washington to revive the proposition. It is said in Ottawa his plan will have the support of a large majority in the new Canadian parliament. The farmers of the western provinces have increased their voting strength, and the Liberals stand with them on this proposition.



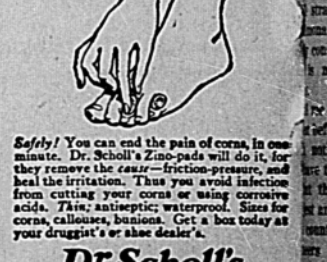
The Fielding proposal, made in the house of commons at Ottawa, is that President Harding reduce by 50 per cent the duties on cattle, wheat, flour, oats, barley, potatoes, onions, turnips, hay and fish. The Canadian government would then be authorized "to make such reductions of duties on similar articles imported into Canada from the United States." Preliminary to any effort to secure a broad arrangement which would call for the ratification of congress and the Canadian parliament, efforts will be directed to that action which the President is already empowered by congress to take under the Fordney-McCumber tariff.

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MISS LESTRON
Under the name of Sazarac, and disguised, he had been in the Bayou St. John road. And now he was gazing on the fairest face that all his adventuring life had shown him. Perfect in the moonlight, the dark eyes cold, scornful; the shrug of her white shoulders above the lace corsage—apparently Miss Lestron had been going to the opera of the Theatre d'Orleans, where, he recalled, Rose do Vries appeared tonight in "Le Prophete." But the hour was late for this.

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"I think, sir—you cannot see him. It happens—" She glanced up warily at the silent galleries where the conclave was mulling away ineffectually on his return. "Colonel Carr will not receive anyone tonight."

CHAPTER III

The Wager is Claimed.

CHAPTER III—Continued.
The shimmer of a young moon lay in the wide stone arch of the Hotel Orleans on the rue Chartres when, with the abrupt stride and bearing of a soldier, Captain Gaspar Sazarac, late of the American explorations, turned within it. The old concierge arose to greet the cloaked figure.

"Fellow, you will say to the British officer, Colonel Carr, that Captain Sazarac is at his pleasure."
"Oul, M'sieur!"
The old free man of color hobbled up the dim stairs. The visitor stood in the shadows absorbed in the peace of this quiet spot.

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in the shadows absorbed in the peace of this quiet spot. But as Sazarac waited he was conscious that someone had stirred across the parterre. The figure of a woman had stepped from the shade to glance up at the old black shuffling along the third upper gallery, his ring of rusty keys creaking at his belt.

One Way or Another

By A. W. PEACH
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The lights of his car swept a golden pathway through the night. Beneath them the powerful motor hummed softly. Richard Wharton's heart was throbbing with more than usual excitement. He could feel against his shoulder the pressure of Merle's small dark head; and more than once on a straight bit of road he glanced down to catch the curve of her cheek.

They were eloping—rushing away to the great city, where plans had been made already for the marriage, rushing away from her irascible father, who had promptly and almost profanely refused their permission to marry. As promptly refused to give any reason for his refusal.

They had been patient and considerate of him, but when he tried to drive Merle into an agreement that meant never seeing her lover again, she rebelled, and she it was who suggested flight.

Many miles down the twilight road, however, something was happening that would have given them food for thought and fear if they had known about it.

Old Mr. Benton, reading his paper while his wife sewed, went to the telephone, and when he returned he said grimly to Mrs. Benton:

"A call from Taylor. He says his daughter is eloping with young Wharton, and that they are coming down this road; an' he wants me to stop 'em."

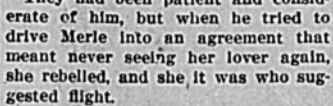
Mrs. Benton watched him with keen, alert eyes as he drew on his coat. "You look out, Will. He will be coming fast, and if you think he will stop just because you holler at him, you are mistaken; an' besides, Wharton—"

"Now, look here, mother, this ain't none of your business—an' I can stop 'em!"
As he went out he was a bit puzzled just how he would do it, but suddenly it dawned upon him that in his shed was an old sign put up by the bridge boss at the time they were repairing the bridge just beyond the farm.

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Lying abed in the small hours, one has full cause to recognize their zeal, for at frequent intervals the nearest watchman awakens you by beating heavily upon the eaves with a resounding cudgel.

It needs a fire, however, to give the watchman full scope for making night hideous. Constantinople, being mainly built of wood and heated by open charcoal stoves, this opportunity comes all too often.

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are two women—"
The man took care
I think he
was a common gambler.
I will go knock at the gates of hell for her—
and we shall see who, of the town,
laughs loudest!"
I recall you won on the ace of
hearts," sighed Dominique. "Sazarac
wins the lady of the jesting. But
Sazarac!"
Non de Dieu!
What shall they say Jean Lafitte had
to do with Sazarac's winning? The
American governor would build
another scaffold in the Place d'Armes."
"Out of all the deep swamp from
Spanish Gap to the Teche you would
see old cutthroats pouring to wreck
it about his ears—"
granted Beluche.
"Black or white, let him seize his win-
ning! Ho, this Sazarac! A good ship,
and Sazarac! The wide sea, and
Sazarac! Dominique—ho, robber—
listen!"
"Be still!" muttered the alderman.
"See that policeman by the city lamp?
Tut, tut—this will not do—this howl-
ing!"
CHAPTER III
The Wager is Claimed.
The shimmer of a young moon lay
in the wide stone arch of the Hotel
Orleans on the rue Chartres when,
with the abrupt stride and bearing of
a soldier, Captain Gaspar Sazarac,
late of the American explorations,
turned within it. The old concierge
arose to greet the cloaked figure.
"Fellow, you will say to the British
officer, Colonel Carr, that Captain
Sazarac is at his pleasure."
"Oul, M'sieur!"
The old free man of color hobbled
up the dim stairs. The visitor stood
in the shadows absorbed in the peace
of this quiet spot.



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"I love you," he said quietly.
"You will remember that."
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