

LYNN COUNTY NEWS

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State Election Results Held in Lynn Co. Saturday

Following is the results of the State election held in Lynn county, Saturday, May 24th., with the exception of the Draw box, which had not been turned in up till Wednesday night:

For Prohibition: 214
AGAINST: 72

FOR the Amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters: 206
AGAINST: 100

FOR the Amendment to Section 5 of Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas: 132
AGAINST: 173

FOR the Amendment to Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the legislature shall have power to give or lend or authorize the giving or lending of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are the heads of families to acquire or improve their homes: 207
AGAINST: 104

Reports of the election from over the State show that only two of the Amendments carried.

The Amendment to increase the Governor's salary, lost by a large majority, and incomplete returns show that Woman Suffrage failed to carry by a small margin.

Parts of Lynn county was visited Sunday and Monday by light showers of rain, which was beneficial to growing crops and gardens where the moisture fell. Many farmers state that it is getting a little dry at this time and it is hoped that a general rain will come ere long.

Mrs. John Henderson and little daughter, returned to their home in Tulia yesterday, after spending a few days visiting at the home of her brother, Will Montgomery, who resides a few miles northwest of Tahoka.

Jim Boswell, and son and daughter, A. T. and Miss Aline, of Plainview, father brother, and sister, of Mrs. James Crie, came in yesterday to attend the burial service of Jim Crie.

(Babe) Powell was here the first of the week from Silverton, visiting with his brother, H. B. Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton and family were among the many Tahokaites attending the singing at Lakeview Sunday.

J. N. Stall, of Amarillo, was here the first of the week oil prospecting.

Cass Edwards, owner of the T— ranch in this county, is here from his home in Ft. Worth.

Local Oil Company Receives Flues for Boiler

The flues for the boiler of the new oil burner being installed at the oil well south of town, arrived Wednesday. The cutter which was ordered at the same time of the flues, failed to show up, and drilling at the well, which has been held up awaiting the arrival of these articles, will be delayed a few days longer.

More News From the Cyclone Near Meadow

It is not often that cyclones strike the plains country, and when they do they never cover much territory, but they can get as fierce as anywhere. Last Friday afternoon one struck the Santa Fe right-of-way between Meadow and Ropes that was something more than a hundred yards wide, but L. H. Plain, owner of the South Plains Phone Co., informed us that it swept things clean in its path. It swung off two telephone poles for him and one for the Santa Fe, and absolutely left nothing of the strong right-a-way fence, and actually wrung off the grass and the bear grass even with the ground. He says he never did find one of his phone poles. No houses were hit and no one injured that we can hear of, but we bet it will be the cause of some lumber man selling a bill of lumber for a storm house. — Brownfield Herald.

Tom L. LeMond arrived in Tahoka Monday from overseas. He had seen several months service across the pond and has numerous friends in this county, who welcome him back home. The News printed several interesting letters from this young man while he was stationed in France and Germany.

Richard (Dick) Crie, came in from Plainview Tuesday to attend the burial of his brother, James, who was fatally scalded at Hurley, N. M., last Saturday.

Society

DELIGHTFUL PARTY
On Friday evening, May 23, Mesdames W. B. Slaton, E. E. Callaway and W. O. Thomas entertained at the beautiful home of Mrs. Thomas in north Tahoka. The house was artistically decorated with cut flowers. Forty-two was the diversion of the evening. Mrs. M. M. Herring and Ben T. Brown tied for high score. The ladies received rosebuds as favors and the gentlemen sweet peas. Brick ice cream and cake was served to Messrs. and Mesdames Larkin, Weaver, Smith, Herring, Townes, Vinson, J. N. and C. A. Thomas, Howell, Maxey, Mrs. J. W. Lowery, Messrs. Slaton, Callaway, W. O. Thomas and Ben T. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Maxey left yesterday on a vacation in the southwestern part of the state. Mr. Maxey is manager of the Sales department of the Bradley Auto Co., in Tahoka. They expect to be absent from the city several weeks.

E. H. Crie is seriously ill at the home of his son, H. C., in the east part of the city. The elder Mr. Crie happened to a bad fall in the home the first of the week. It is hoped that he will recover sufficiently to enable him to be about as usual.

Prof. J. T. Stricklin, son and daughter, came down from his farm near Lubbock Saturday to visit with the remainder of the family here. They returned to the farm Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Edge, and children of Miami, Texas, arrived Monday and will visit with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Heare for a few days.

J. T. Wooldridge, District manager of the Waters Pearce Oil Co., was here from Lubbock Tuesday looking after the interests of the local station.

People Should Cut the Weeds Now

Numerous requests have been made by various Tahoka citizens that this paper urge the people to cut the weeds around their premises, and on adjoining vacant lots. The town is literally covered with weeds and the city health authorities urge that each and every citizen get rid of them at once, that our town may escape a severe siege of fever and sickness in general during the coming summer. Cut the weeds and clean up. If a hoe is not available, borrow your neighbor's, or better still, have them plowed under. Let's rid the town of the "jimsens". Begin now at your front door. Everybody work together for a cleaner, healthier Tahoka.

C. L. Alderman, president of the Western Telephone Co., with headquarters at Big Spring, was transacting business here Wednesday and Thursday of this week, having accompanied the local manager of the company, W. M. Harris, up from Lamesa Wednesday afternoon.

We learn this week that the drillers at Tahoka had struck another vein of oil and gas. They will hit the pay dirt yet, and then look out little 'uns, and watch the South Plains get a move on. — Brownfield Herald.

Hyatt Franklin and brother, who have recently returned from overseas, are here this week visiting their sister, Mrs. Bob Davidson. They formerly resided in Lynn county; now living at Guyman, Texas. The young men were on their way to Montana.

Tom Preston, foreman of the Singleton ranch, has recently returned from Donley county, where he had been the past two years looking after the interests of the outfit in that section.

Mrs. Dud Singleton and children returned home from points in New Mexico, where they had been visiting relatives and friends the past few weeks.

Boyce Hatchett and family attended the all-day singing at Lakeview Sunday. They report a big crowd, a good dinner and a fine song service.

T. A. Park came in the first of the week, and handed us the coin of the real to keep the News coming his way.

News Items From the Dixie Community

Everybody is very busy farming and crops are looking fine. School was out Saturday and had an interesting program that night. The program was well rendered and a good crowd attended.

Bro. Shattuck preached Sunday after Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Strong, of Three Lakes, visited at the home of their daughter, Mrs. McNeely. Mr. Ellis was also a visitor at the McNeely home, from this community Saturday night.

Those who attended the singing convention at Lakeview Sunday, were, Mr. Huffaker and family, Mr. McNeely and family, Mr. West and family, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Evans, Arron, Carl and Fred Griffing, Hardy Powers and Lloyd Gilbreath. They had some good singing and a good crowd.

REPORTER.

Suffrage Defeated--- Prohibition Wins

Dallas, May 27.—Belated returns today from Saturday's constitutional Amendment election swept away a slight majority for woman suffrage and produced a majority of 5,640 against the measure.

Figures from 197 of the 248 organized counties give: For Suffrage 89,715; against 95,355.

For prohibition 96,425; against 84,930.

Mrs. Guy Shook returned from Lubbock Tuesday, where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. Her many friends will be glad to know that she has recovered sufficiently to return home.

Mrs. C. J. Menefee, of Floydada, sister of Mrs. H. C. Crie, of this city came in yesterday to attend the burial services of James Crie, which occurs today.

Miss Lola Donaldson returned Saturday from Moody, Texas, where she had been attending school since the first of the year.

Mrs. T. H. Strong of Coleman, arrived the first of the week and will spend some time here visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Frank H. Weaver and family.

Are you reading the serial story, "Wolves of the Sea," now running in the News? If not, begin now. Back copies may be obtained at this office.

Miss Clara Crouch left Friday for Sudan on a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. Fred McDaniel.

Elder Lofton, of Post, filled the pulpit at the Church of Christ in north Tahoka, Sunday.

Workmen have been busy this week plowing up the weeds in the court house yard.

Child Killed At Clovis

Clovis, N. M., May 26.—Phyllis Duckworth, five years old, was instantly killed today when an automobile truck backed over her, crushing her skull. The child was hanging on to the rear end of the truck and the driver, not knowing of her presence started to back the machine. The sudden jar in starting shook her hold loose and she fell beneath the wheels.

Chas. H. Bihl, was here from Ira, Scurry county, this week.

Memorial Service Held For Joy Sherrod Sunday

A memorial service was held at the Baptist Church Sunday night for Joy Sherrod, who was killed on the battlefields of far away France last October. The service was conducted by Rev. L. L. F. Parker, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. R. F. Dunn, pastor of the Methodist church. It was exactly one year from last Sunday that the young man, in company with several other Lynn county boys, departed for the training camps, and later sailed for France to fight for democracy, and today sleeps beneath the sod in that distant country.

A large crowd attended the services Sunday night to pay their last tribute of respect to this departed hero.

Miss Lois Welis returned Monday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. A. M. Carrington, at Clovis, N. M.

Big Spring Has \$15,000.00 Fire Loss

Big Spring, Tex., May 25.—Sixteen automobiles, several trucks and tractors and auto parts were burned early this morning when the warehouse used jointly by the Stokes Company and the Wolcott Auto Co., was completely destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$15,000.00 with \$5,000.00 insurance.

H. M. McCormack, Proprietor of the McCormack Hardware Store in Tahoka, is having an artistic sign placed on the front of the building occupied by this concern. The sign work was done by Jake Leedy, which means that it is A1 in every respect. This store carries an advertisement in this issue of the News, inviting your trade in this line.

Ed Lam and family left overland yesterday for southwest Texas, where Mr. Lam has a position with a threshing outfit. They will return to Tahoka at the close of the harvest season.

Mrs. Powell, of San Antonio, arrived the first of the week, and will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Henderson, east of town.

Jake Leedy returned from his ranch in New Mexico, near Bronco, Texas, the first of the week.

Mrs. M. M. Boyd and little son, left Friday for Eastland.

Church Notes

B. W. M. W.

Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. R. B. Haynes, the B. W. M. W. Auxiliary met for their mission study. Mrs. F. H. Weaver conducted the lesson in a very impressive manner. The subject was "Utilizing Mission Literature." Mrs. J. B. Walker read a leaflet, "A Thousand Miles with a Message." A social hour followed. Lemon sherbet and angel food cake was served to Mesdames Strong, of Coleman, Weaver, Walker, J. H. Edwards, Barnes, Doak, Herring, Harris, Hamilton, Sanford, Stroud, Misses Mary Joe, Eva and Neva Doak, Virginia Sanford, Elois Herring, Master Mack Weaver, and Rev. L. L. F. Parker.

REPORTER.

Regular services at Methodist church next Sunday morning and evening.

R. F. DUNN, Pastor.

Frank H. Weaver, cashier of the Guaranty State Bank, is attending the State Banker's convention at Houston, which is in session in that city this week. J. W. Elliott is acting as cashier of this institution during the absence of Mr. Weaver.

While the management of the News has said nothing in regard to the enlargement of the paper, we have had many compliments passed on the improvement since we made it an eight-page edition. It is our aim to give the people of Tahoka and Lynn county a spicy local paper, and strive to make each issue better than the preceeding one. If you are not already a subscriber, we would be glad for you to become one.

P. W. Hamilton attended the all-day sing and big dinner at Lakeview Sunday.

Joe Hilton, the Cadillac man at Lubbock, spent a few hours in Tahoka Monday.

James Crie Meets Horrible Death at Hurley, N. M., Sat.

The many friends of James G. Crie, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crie, of this city, will be pained to learn of his being severely scalded by falling in a vat of boiling water, at Hurley, New Mexico, last Saturday afternoon, from the effects of which he died late Sunday.

At the time of the accident, Jim, (as he was familiarly known) had supervision over a large number of men in the light plant of a large copper mining outfit near Hurley, and although the exact details of his death are not known at this writing, it is supposed that he accidentally fell into the tank in performing his duties about the plant.

A message was received here by the parents Saturday night telling them of the accident, and Mrs. Crie left at once for his bedside, but failed to reach her destination before he passed away. Later a message was received by the family here, that the young man died at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, in a hospital at Santa Rita, seven miles from the scene of the accident.

James was editor and manager of the Lynn County News for several years, having charge of the plant up to the time the paper changed hands in January, 1918.

In December, 1916, he was married to Miss Lorene Boswell, of Plainview. To this union one child was born. Soon after disposing of the newspaper business, he moved with his family to Floydada, and held a position on the Hesperian at that place a short time, later moving to Hurley, N. M., to accept a position with a mining company.

The body, accompanied by his wife and child and mother, arrived here yesterday and burial will be had in the Tahoka cemetery Friday, (today).

The News, together with a large circle of friends of the family, extends to the bereaved father and mother, a lonely brother, two sisters, and the sorrowing wife and baby girl, their tenderest sympathy in the loss of their loved one.

T. J. McCormack came in the first of the week on a visit to his parents. T. J. holds a position with a drug company at Ranger.

B. Stubblefield, an employe of the Bradley Auto Co., at Lubbock, came down Wednesday to take the place of B. F. Maxey, while he is away on a vacation.

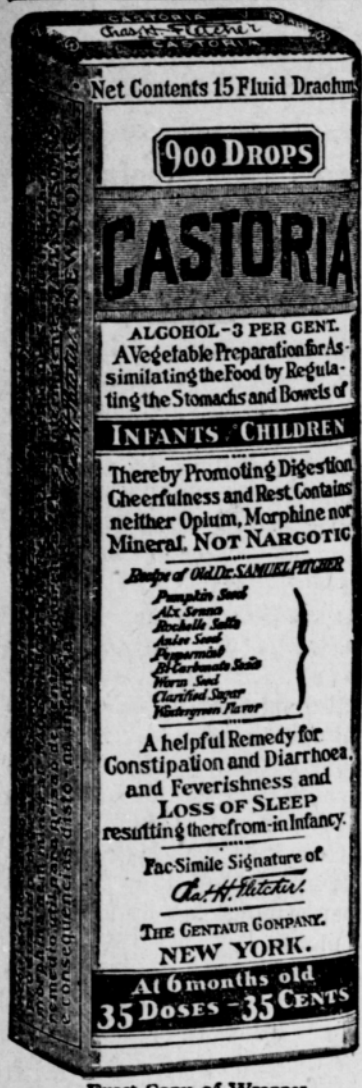
Mrs. G. E. Lockhart and children, returned Wednesday from Crowell, Texas, where they spent several days visiting relatives.

W. R. Standerfer was a business here Wednesday and Thursday from Wilson.

Elderly Women Dies of Pellegra

Mrs. W. Dillard, age 72 years, died at the old Ira Doak residence in the southwest part of town yesterday morning, of Pellegra. Mrs. Dillard had been a sufferer of this disease for several months. The family resides 11 miles northeast of Tahoka. Deceased was laid to rest in the Tahoka cemetery, Thursday afternoon.

The News extends condolence to the bereaved ones.



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Genuine Castoria
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Make This Test For Acid-Stomach

There are millions of people who suffer almost daily from the horrors of an acid-stomach—indigestion; sour, gassy, stomach; distressing heartburn; sickening food-repeating; painful bloating and that miserable, puffed up, lumpy feeling after eating. Many of these people have tried treatment after treatment; medicine after medicine; others have gone to doctors and stomach specialists and some to hospitals, but in spite of all their efforts they have obtained no lasting relief or a permanent cure.

These symptoms simply mean acid-stomach. If allowed to run on, they are very likely to cause a lot of serious trouble. Dyspepsia, rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sciatica, splitting headache, dizzy spells, nervousness, sleeplessness, mental depression, melancholia, a feeling of listlessness and all-goneness—these are just a few of the disorders which can be traced to acid-stomach. As a matter of fact, acid-stomach is often the direct cause of those almost incurable conditions known as catarrh of the stomach, intestinal ulcer, and cancer of the stomach. The lives of those who suffer from these serious troubles are nothing short of daily agony. Surely, then, you must see how important it is to go at once to the seat of the trouble—acid-stomach. You know

what acid-mouth does to the teeth—how it eats right through the hard enamel and causes them to decay. Think then of the havoc that must be caused by excess acid in the stomach!

Even if you are not suffering any immediate stomach pains, but are not feeling just as fit and fine as you should, you should by all means make this test: Go to your drug store at once and get a big box of EATONIC. It is in the form of pleasant-tasting tablets—you eat them like a bit of candy. EATONIC is prepared for just one purpose—correcting acid-stomach by driving out the excess acid. EATONIC literally absorbs the excess acid. It brings instant relief from the pains of indigestion, heartburn, belching, sour, gassy stomach, bloating, etc. It makes the stomach pure, sweet, cool and comfortable, puts it in a normal, healthy condition, so that your food is properly digested. You need every bit of strength you can possibly get out of the food you eat—and EATONIC helps you get it.

Don't put this test off if you value your future good health and happiness. You run no chance at all because EATONIC is absolutely guaranteed to give you relief or your druggist will refund your money. The cost is a mere trifle.

EATONIC TODAY

FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

Very Naturally.
Gert—What did Myrt do when she found out you said she was homely?
Mabel—Oh, she got real ugly about it.

If a man is wide awake during the day he can afford to sleep at night.
Most of us are willing to take up our cross, but it must be a gilt one.

Counterfeiter Caught! The New York health authorities had a Brooklyn manufacturer sentenced to the penitentiary for selling throughout the United States millions of "Talcum powder" tablets as Aspirin Tablets.

Aspirin "DON'TS"

Don't ask for Aspirin Tablets—say "Bayer!"
Don't buy Aspirin in a pill box! Get Bayer package!
Don't forget that the "Bayer Cross" is your only protection against dangerous counterfeits.



Don't fail to say to druggist: "I want 'Bayer Tablets of Aspirin' in a Bayer package." The genuine! Buy only the regular Bayer package with the safety "Bayer Cross" upon it and on each tablet inside.

Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin

The genuine American owned, "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" have been proved safe by millions for Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Earache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Colds, Grippe, Influenza Colds, Joint Pains, Neuritis. Proper dosage on every "Bayer" package.

Boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24—Bottles of 100—Also Capsules.
Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocetate of Salicylic acid.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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LESSON FOR JUNE 1.

FAITH, WHAT IT IS AND WHAT IT DOES.

LESSON TEXTS—Hebrews 11:1-40; 12:1, 2.
GOLDEN TEXT—Ye believe in God, believe also in me.—John 14:1.
ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Matt. 8:5-13; Mark 2:1-12; Rom. 1:16-17; 3:21-30; 5:1; 1 John 5:4.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Story of a Man Who Believed in Jesus. (John 9:1-38).
JUNIOR TOPIC—Heroes of Faith.
INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—The Victory of Faith.
SENIOR AND ADULT TOPIC—The Place of Faith in Religious Life.

In Hebrews, chapters 1-10 the grounds of faith are clearly set forth. In this lesson its nature and glorious triumphs are displayed.

I. The Nature of Faith (11:1-3).
1. Faith is the eye of the soul, enabling it to see the invisible (v. 1). It is not merely intellectual assent to that which commends itself as being reasonable, but it is the soul's attitude toward God.
2. Faith seizes the things of the future and lives and walks in their power in the present (v. 1).
3. It enabled the "elders" to obtain a good report (v. 2). It made God's promises so living and real to them that it became the dominant force in their lives.
4. Faith enables us to understand how the worlds were made (v. 3). No man was present when God made the worlds, so the foundation for our knowledge is the Word of God. The one who has faith wholly believes that Word.

II. The Triumphant Victories of Faith (11:3-38).

1. Faith of the antediluvian saints (vv. 4-7). As representative of this period three men are pointed out: Abel (v. 4), who displayed his faith in his worship. He took his place before God as a sinner and offered a bloody sacrifice, thereby showing that he looked forward to Christ's atonement, which is substitutionary—a life for a life. (b) Enoch, who displayed his faith in his walk in fellowship with God (v. 5). (c) Noah, who by faith stood loyal to God in a time of universal apostasy and wickedness (v. 7). Noah's task was a stupendous and difficult one. He executed it in the face of many a sneer and taunt, but his faith carried him through, securing salvation for himself and his family.

2. Faith of the Hebrew saints (vv. 8-38). (a) Abraham (vv. 8-10, 17-19). Abraham went out not knowing whither he went, but he knew that the Lord had spoken and that was enough. By faith he offered up Isaac, believing that God was able to raise him up from the dead and fulfill his promise that in Isaac the promised seed should obtain. (b) Sarah through faith received strength to conceive seed when she was old, counting him faithful who had promised (vv. 11, 12). (c) Jacob by faith pronounced a prophecy concerning Joseph's sons (v. 21). By faith he penetrated the unseen and pronounced destinies which should be experienced by them both. (d) Joseph by faith foresaw the entrance of his people into the promised land and made them swear to carry his bones there for burial, for even his body must not be left behind in the land of judgment and death (v. 22). (e) Moses (vv. 23-28). Faith in the hearts of his parents caused them to disregard the king's decree. Faith caused him to turn his back upon the honors of Egypt and identify himself with his enslaved brethren.

III. Faith's Grand Exemplar (12:1, 2).

Christ taking upon himself human nature and passing through the trials of life to a triumphant goal is the supreme example for us. Those who fix their eyes upon him will (1) lay aside every weight. To run with success all burdens must be cast off. Things which may not be sinful in themselves, if they impede our progress must be laid aside. (2) Lay aside the sin which doth so easily beset us. (3) Run with patience the race set before us. (4) Looking unto Jesus. Our eyes must be steadfastly fixed upon him. Having him as our example we will endure the cross. To follow Jesus means suffering and trials.

Love as a Word.
Love, even as a word only, must stand alone. It is one of the great monosyllables of our great language—Love. It is the invisible gravitation of life. With its invisible cords, viewless but potent, it draws hearts together over eternal spaces, and holds them together in an indissoluble bond to Time and Eternity.

The Wonder of It!
"Lord, when I look on my own life it seems thou hast fed me so carefully, so tenderly, that thou canst have attended to no one else. But, when I see how wonderfully thou hast led the world, and are leading it, I am amazed that thou hast had time to attend to such as I."—St. Augustine.

Why Man Falls.
Man could not fall so low were he not so great. It is the abused God in man that turns him into a devil.

Home Town Helps

JUDGE CITY BY ITS STREETS

Importance of Well Laid Out and Properly Kept Thoroughfares Cannot Be Overestimated.

Streets are the lines of expression on a city's face. They are the ideographs of time, recording the thoughts, passions, impulses of the city-soul that dwells within. They are as surely the indices of a city's character as the lines on a human face, a betrayal of whatever is ugly and sordid, an earnest of whatever is serene and gentle and strong.

"There are mean streets," says Balzac, "and streets that are merely honest; there are young streets about whose morality the public has not yet formed any opinion; there are murderous streets—streets older than the oldest hags; streets that we may esteem—clean streets, workaday streets and commercial streets. Some streets begin well and end badly."

In a city where the trees have been discarded to promote convenience and advantages of commercial thoroughfares there are just such streets which distort and mar its beauty. It is a custom with us here in America, with the encroachment of business upon a residential district, tree-lined, shady and inviting, to invade with vandals and fell the trees. Flaunting signs may then be suspended over the pavement to arrest the attention of the passerby; display windows may be easier be viewed from either side of the thoroughfare. There is an irreverence in such practice; beauty and charm have been turned to the uses of barter and trade.

PLAY PARKS TO FOLLOW WAR

Splendid Idea Which Has Arisen in Canada Might Well Be Emulated in This Country.

Play parks for children, which will stand for all time as peace memorials, will be established in all the principal cities of Canada if plans of the Ottawa Horticultural society, supported by the Ottawa playgrounds association, are carried out.

The purpose of the parks will be: "To help make impossible for coming generations the reality of another war; to hold up for emulation for all time that spirit of unselfishness which stirred those of this generation and enabled them to secure for mankind the advantages of peace; and to encourage all those who enjoy the first fruits of peace to dedicate to the ideals of civilization a memorial which shall have the significance of a guaranty that life in the future shall have a fuller measure of joys and rewards."

The parks, according to plans, will enable children to enjoy summer and winter sports and recreations. They will be centers for holding annual peace celebrations. In them some memorial will be erected—a tablet, perhaps—on which will be recorded each year some of the dominant benefits peace has conferred upon the world.

Architecture Important.

It is an asset to own a well-designed home—a house done by an artist who understands the essentials and principles of good design; there are only too few who know these principles and how to practice them. The first essential to inexpensive building is simplicity of general composition, but to make it a success there must be splendid proportions of every part in itself and its relation with adjacent parts and the whole. The scale of the house must be just right, its character is as necessary as the character of the individual.

Good judgment is a rare talent and it must be exercised in the small house just as much as in its more expensive, ornate and pretentious neighbor.

To live in a home of architectural merit, however simple it may be, is a blessing and brings joy and life even though it may come to some almost unconsciously.

City Government Important.

City government touches the citizen, in manifold ways and is of more vital importance to his interests, business and personal, than any other sphere of governmental activity with which he comes in contact. It collects more taxes from him and expends more money. Its problems are among the most complex with which public officials have to deal, and being largely of a business nature, every mistake which is made helps to raise the citizen's taxes. If its problems are to be well solved, if the city is to be benefited by the successful achievement of other cities and profit by their failures, city officials must have access to all available information and data to be had upon these various problems and subjects.

Sees End of the Board Fence.

As wooden fences wear out owners of property should not fail to replace them with wire. The price of wire has mounted along with other things, but boards have gone still higher. Lumber will, I believe, continue high. Hence the back yard board fence is, I believe, doomed, and it ought to be. It is hard to imagine anything more unsightly. Building Inspector Osborne, Baltimore, in the Baltimore News.

Calomel Loses You a Day's Work! Take Dodson's Liver Tone Instead!

Read my guarantee! If bilious, constipated or achy you need not take nasty, sickening, dangerous calomel to get straightened up.

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle doesn't cost very much, but if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only

Killing.
"Ever notice how old Mrs. Blunderby murders the king's English?"
"Yes; isn't it killing?"

GOODBY, WOMEN'S TROUBLES

The tortures and discomforts of weak, lame and aching back, swollen feet and limbs, weakness, dizziness, nausea, as a rule have their origin in kidney trouble, not "female complaints." These general symptoms of kidney and bladder disease are well known—so is the remedy.

Next time you feel a twinge of pain in the back or are troubled with headache, indigestion, insomnia, irritation in the bladder or pain in the loins and lower abdomen, you will find quick and sure relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This old and tried remedy for kidney trouble and allied derangements has stood the test for hundreds of years. It does the work. Pains and troubles vanish and new life and health will come as you continue their use. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day.

GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported from the laboratories at Haarlem, Holland. Do not accept a substitute. In sealed boxes, three sizes.—Adv.

A Clean Hit.

She—The women, young and old, must now send out a ringing cry.
He—Oh, the young and pretty can get rings without crying for them.

FOR HEADACHES—

There isn't any Headache remedy that does the work like CAPUDINE. It gives quick relief from Headaches of all kinds. Trial size 10 cts. Larger sizes also—IT'S LIQUID.—adv.

Accepted Explanation.

Bess—So Ferdly was shot in a hunting accident? How did it happen?
Bell—Nobody knows, but as he went out alone it is thought that he shot himself by mistake for a deer.

GIRLS! BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR WITH "DANDERINE"

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Helps WEAK SORE EYES

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Swedish Harvest. The value of last year's Sweden is calculated to be about \$632,595,776, more than 600 higher than the average years 1913-1917, although was only an average one.

When you have decided on worms or Tapeworm, use Dr. Perry's Vermifuge. One dose them. Adv.

Too Much Freedom?

"I understand you have a trades here," said the visitor. "Yes," replied the warden, "but we have a penitentiary, but we have a line somewhere." "How is that?" "Several life-terms have me to start a flying machine—Age-Herald.

Every department of the needs Red Cross Ball good for kitchen towels, sheets and pillowcases, etc.

The rainy day is not the contrary, rather.



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His Order.

"Pickles and charlotte russe, hey? These women give some queer orders, don't they?"
"Yessir," assented the waiter.
"What's yours?"
"Piece of hot mince pie with two portions of ice cream on it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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When Marriage Is Cheap.

"I don't know, Reginald; it seems such a serious thing to be married. Have you counted the cost?"
"Cost? Why there will be no cost. My uncle, who is a clergyman, will have us marry us for nothing."—London Answers.

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That's Enough.

Edith—"Is your engagement announced yet?" Alice—"Well, I've told you, haven't I?"—Boston Transcript.

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Between Dudes.

"I say, old fellow, let's go shooting, eh, what?"
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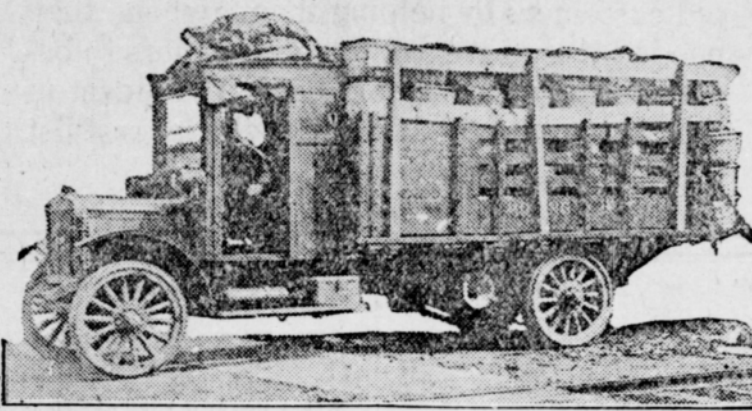
Special attention is brought to the fact that the 10-cent seller on Calumet Baking Powder produces just as big a saving in proportion as the 1-pound size because Calumet Baking Powder has a greater leavening strength. There is no waste in the materials it is used with. The last spoonful is as good as the first.

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The 10 cent size of Calumet Baking Powder shows a great saving, the same as with the other sizes.

You Save When You Buy It
You Save When You Use It

ESTABLISH RATES FOR MOTORTRUCK HAULING



The Peas in This Load Will Go Directly by Motortruck to the Dealer at a Market 15 Miles Away and Arrive in Fresh Condition.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The man who plans to operate a motor truck should have a good working knowledge not only of his engine but the entire machinery in general. The wages paid drivers vary in different sections of the country and for trucks of different sizes, ranging from \$2.75 to \$7.50 a day. Depreciation is one of the heaviest annual expenses with a motor, a loss of from 20 to 33 1-3 per cent of the cost of the truck each year being required to cover this charge.

Maintenance Cost.

Data collected by the bureau of markets show that the annual cost of overhauling and repairing the trucks ranges from \$100 to \$900 a year. Those truck operators who make it a point to keep their machines in a constant state of repair have relatively small charges to meet for annual overhauling. On the other hand, those who operate their trucks as long as possible with no regular repairs often have to pay a heavy overhauling charge at the end of the year. Tire expenses, garage rent, taxes, licenses and insurance, overhead expenses, repairs and equipment all swell the annual maintenance costs.

Rates for Hauling.

In some sections there are as many

different systems of computing rates and charges for hauling as there are motor trucks, each owner having an original way of figuring his transportation toll. There are several factors which should be considered in the establishment of rates in any district. The value and the fragility of the load bear a direct relationship to the rate that should be charged. Very valuable or fragile loads involve the greater risk on the part of the carrier and the tariff for the carriage of such goods should be sufficiently high to offset the risk involved. The length of the haul naturally is another prime consideration. Road conditions directly affect operating costs and hence must also be considered in establishing rates. The perishability and bulk of the load must be taken into consideration. Where complete delivery is made from the door of the shipper to the door of the consignee, and service is rendered which is not duplicated by the railroad, this additional service must be considered in fixing the rate. Practically no rates have been established on the basis of cost plus a reasonable profit. A satisfactory rate must be one which is low enough to attract business and high enough to offer a reasonable profit to the operator. Where conditions do not permit the establishment of such a rate, care should be exercised in starting a route.

CLEAN OIL BASE MOST ESSENTIAL

It Should Be Taken Down and Deposits of Oil and Muck Removed Occasionally.

PREVENTS INJURY TO MOTOR

Accumulation of Carbon From Cylinders, Sand From Road and Other Particles Shortens the Life of the Bearings.

(By WILLIAM H. STEWART, President of the Stewart Automobile School.)

What a world of trouble you are storing up for yourself if you do not drop the oil base and clean it. Sediment and muck accumulate faster than you think, and sooner or later you will have a ruined engine on your hands. It is not sufficient to change the oil regularly, as advised by the manufacturer. The oil base should be taken down and the deposits removed occasionally.

The first time you do this you will be surprised at the nature of the accumulations. Small lumps of carbon from the cylinders, sand from the road, even particles of metal turnings left there when your car came from the factory, have all been found in the oil base. But worst of all is the thick muck of burnt oil and carbon which covers the bottom and sides. The grit and other particles are heavy and sink to the bottom, but the muck remains even after the base is drained of the old oil.

Usual Advice to Motorist.

The advice usually given to the motorist may be summed up as follows: "Drain out all the old oil. Replace the plug and fill to the usual level with kerosene. Run the engine not more than 30 seconds and then drain the oil base. Repeat if thought necessary. This stirs up the muck and sediment which runs out with the kerosene. In this way the base and bearings are cleaned with a minimum of effort and without removing the crank case."

"Stir it up," as Hamlet says. Indeed, the grit, which should lie dormant until scraped off by hand, is stirred up and splashed all around the crank case and also carried into the bearings. It forms a fine grinding compound which either shortens the life of the bearings or clogs up the oil holes, causing the bearings to run dry.

Injurious Results.

The result is even worse if the oiling system is one of the pressure type forcing oil through a hollow crank-shaft directly into the bearings. Right into the bearings, mind you! and under pressure, too! Can any one defend this method after realizing what this means? It is not a sufficient answer to say that the oil must pass through a strainer. The finest grit will always pass through and harm is done!

So while it is a dirty job and a disagreeable one to remove the crank case for proper cleaning it is the only way to give your engine the care it really needs.

BATTERY WIRE WILL CORRODE

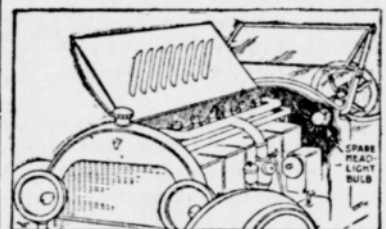
Trouble Is Caused by Sulphuric Acid Gas in Cells, Accelerated by Damp Air.

The inside of copper wire of the sort used for battery connections frequently corrodes until it is completely eaten through, when it parts and a short circuit results. This trouble is caused by the sulphuric acid gas in the cells, accelerated by the damp air about the battery. If the wires are coated at and around the terminals with cup grease the copper will be effectively protected from the acid fumes.

SPARE BULB FOR HEADLIGHTS

Splendid Plan to Mount Socket in Position Shown in Illustration—Light Is Handy.

Every driver of an electrically-lighted automobile should carry somewhere in the car a spare headlight bulb, as these may blow out at any time. Instead of carrying the spare bulb in a



The Spare Headlight Bulb Is Used to Illuminate the Space Under the Hood When Work Is Being Done on the Engine.

box under the seat, it is a good idea to mount a socket in the position shown, connecting it through a simple switch to the storage battery, says Popular Science. The spare bulb thus forms a very convenient light for illuminating the engine, and the socket may be found handy for attaching a trouble light.

CLEAN VACUUM TANK WEEKLY

Unless Foreign Matter Is Removed at Frequent Intervals Carburetor Troubles Ensnare.

Once a week or so it is advisable to open the drain cock at the bottom of the vacuum feed tank. It will generally be found that a few drops of rust and water will flow out before any gasoline appears. Sometimes it is necessary to push a wire up the drain cock to start a flow of any sort. The inference is that unless this foreign matter is removed at regular intervals carburetor trouble may ensue.

PLAN FOR ADJUSTING GEARS

Small Pocket Mirror Mounted on Iron Wire Handle Will Be Found Very Convenient.

In adjusting differential gears difficulty is often experienced in seeing whether the gears are meshing properly. A small pocket mirror, mounted on a soft iron wire handle, may be used in much the same manner as a dentist's mirror. Inspection or repair on many hidden and obscure parts is also facilitated by the use of this mirror.

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Keeping It Up.

A maid servant applied for a week-end off, as her home was distant, for the purpose of being at home on her parents' silver wedding day.

The leave was granted, and the maid returned.

"Well," said her mistress, "did everything go off satisfactory?"

"Oh, yes, thank you, ma'am," said the girl, "and mother told me to say she is very grateful to you for letting me off."

"And what did your father say?" asked the lady.

"Oh, lor! ma'am," replied the girl, "he wasn't there. He's been dead this 20 years."

That Friend!

"Mother doesn't think she'll go to the theater with us tonight, Albert."

"Is that so? I have got three tickets. What shall I do with the third one?"

"Give it to the man you always go out to see between the acts. He can sit with us and you won't have to go out and see him."

Complimentary to Him.

He—But I asked you, dearest, to keep our engagement a secret for the present.

She—I couldn't help it. That hateful Miss Oldum said the reason I wasn't married was because no fool had proposed to me, so I up and told her you had.—Brooklyn Citizen.

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Mystery Explained.

He stood amid the blaze and splendor of his magnificent mansion, and in his hand he held the portrait of a beautiful woman. His face was pale and haggard, and his lips moved convulsively.

What was this mystery. Was this the picture of his departed wife?

No.

Was it the portrait of his dead but dearly remembered daughter?

No.

What, then, was the cause of his haggard face?

Was it not the same portrait that two minutes ago had fallen from its nail, and raised a lump as big as a hen's egg on his head?

It was.

A Diagnosis.

"Oh, doctor," said a worried looking agrarian, "My wife is in an awful condition! From a medium fat woman she has been reduced to skin and bones. She talks incessantly in a loud squawking voice, begins a sentence and never finishes it, and jumps from subject to subject without uttering anything that has the least sense to it."

"H'm! I see!" returned the physician. "Go home, Mr. Gableby, and take out your party line telephone at once. Your wife has been listening in on it too much."—Kansas City Star.

Lots of people make fortunes out of other people's curiosities.

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HOW IT HAPPENED

By Pvt. Edwin H. Underhore
111th Ammunition Train
36th Division, A. E. F.

Published by Request.
It was back in Old Camp Bowie,
We signed for our trip to France,
And swapped our old serge breeches
For a pair of khaki pants.

The C. O., said we were leaving
In a couple of weeks or so,
But the week rolled by and the
months rolled by
And still we did not go.

The battle of Ft. Worth dragged along
The Alhambra lost its charm,
And finally they gave us furloughs
And sent us back to the farm.

It commenced to look like they didn't
need
Our services over in France,
And the 36th. Division
Would never be given a chance.

At last an order came one day
For us to all pack our rags;
So we struck our tents and rolled our
packs,
And packed our barrack bags.

T'was a happy bunch left that day
For the embarkation port.
We knew that hell awaited us,
But the Yank is a dead game sport.

From town to town, from State to
State,
Our troop train sped along,
And the further we went the proud-
er we were
Of the Country to which we be-

longed.

We realized then, why the Hun must
be stopped
With his bloody, clutching hand,
To save from the curse of slavery
Our beautiful God given land.

A week in New York for supplies and
a rest,
And a visit to Coney Isle;
A trip to the docks where the trans-
ports lay,
And we faced the East with a
smile.

A smile the world has learned to know
Is made in the U. S. A.
A smile the Huns will never forget
For many and many a day.

The Statue of Liberty waved farewell
As our transports passed that day,
I bet she will turn a backward flip
When we come back to stay.

And so, for twelve long days we sailed
Over the bounding Main,
Some of the days were full of joy,
And some of them full of pain.

Many a healthy lunch was lost
In the wake of our noble ship;
And many a man cursed kaiser bill,
As his stomach he'd tightly grip.

But after the first few days had
passed,
And once more we could eat our
beans,
We spent our time in walking deck,
And looking for submarines.

We didn't have to watch very long,
They came in flocks one day.
A dozen or more of the blacknosed
snakes
In the path of our transports lay.

The sound of alarms; the roar of
guns;
The jar of the death-bomb dis-
charge;
A sudden lurch; full speed ahead,
And the throb of our engines large.

T'was the first that told us that the
battle was on,
And we all made a run for the deck

We thought, from the noise and up-
roar
Our transport must be a wreck.

But our sturdy old ship was still on
the job,
And as we looked out o'er the rail,
Our greyhound destroyers darted by
With their nose on the submarine's
tail.

For twenty-four hours, we held them
at bay,
In that battle on the waves,
And three German submarines were
sent
To a cold and watery grave.

But what of the men of the 36th,
While the battle was in full sway?
Did they grow sick and weak from
fear
And fall on their knees and pray?

If I remember correctly,
They greeted each shot with a
cheer;
And when a torpedo passed our bow,
They gave it a laugh and a sneer.

A few more days of wind and waves,
And we sighted our haven of rest,
With many a happy heart aboard
We entered the harbor of Brest.

There we camped and ate our meal
Of bread and sow-belly meat,
And never did chicken or turkey
Ever taste half so sweet.

It was here they split the 111th,
Ammunition Train.
Two companies went to the trenches,
The rest told to remain.

Lost from our own Division
In a strange land left to roam;
To look for some kind Artillery Bri-
gade,
With whom we could make our
home.

That was a strange, strange land to
us,
With its buildings old and gray;
With winding roads and street la-
trines
And wooden-shoed children at play.

Little fields and trees so green
And railroad trains so small;
Oxen yoked to wooden carts;
Chateaux with towers tall.

A week at Brest and then once more
We hurried on our way.
We unloaded next at Redon
Upon the following day.

A five mile hike to Fregreac
Where we pitched our puppy tents;
And drank white wine and cidre
And learned a little French.

Bon jour, ce soir Madame my dear,
Donnez-moi, s'il vous plait.
Bon soir Mademoiselle, ma chere
And Parlez-vous Francais.

Five weeks of drill; squads east and
west,
And again we hit the road.
A forty mile hike to Loutchel,
With a sixty pound pack for a load.

It was there we first had our billets,
And slept with a roof o'er our head
And had a place to wash our clothes.
And found some hay for a bed.

Our travels next took us to Maure,
A town that lay close at hand,
Where we learned that the 61st Bri-
gade
Had adopted our little band.

Back with our own Division again,
We settled down in content,
Waiting for orders to move to the
front
From the G. H. Q., to be sent.

It was then the World learned of the
glorious work
Our infantry boys had done;
Of the smashing advance they made
at Rheims,
And the beating they gave the
Hun.

"Advance three Kilos" their orders
were,
And "There Hold the Line."
It was twenty-three kilos before they
stopped,
They were headed for the Rhine.

New to them, was the roar of guns
And the sight of death,
But, with courage of Vetrans,
They fought to their dying breath.

The "Regulars" called them "Rook-
ies"
Because they were new at the game
History will call them HEROES

And well, they deserve the name.

For such are the men of the 36th,
Raised on the hills and plains
Of Texas and Oklahoma
Where the men have red blood in
their veins.

And of such, are the men of the A.
E. F.,
All of them, great adn small,
Born 'neath the glorious Stars and
Stripes
The Grandest Flag of them all.

And now our work is completed,
We have answered our Country's
call;
Given the best that is in us,
Made the world safe to live in, for
all.

The Hun's vicious power is broken;
France has her Alsace-Lorraine;
So we're going home to America
To our Mothers and Sweethearts
again.

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give him a sentence of 25 years to
serve in the penitentiary. It is not
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dence in the case, that it will be ap-
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each week for four successive weeks
previous to the return day hereof, in
some newspaper published in your
County, if there be a newspaper pub-
lished therein, but if not, then in any
newspaper published in the 72nd Ju-
dicial District; but if there be no
newspaper published in said Judicial
District, then in a newspaper pub-
lished in the nearest District to said 72nd
Judicial District, to appear at the
next regular term of the District
Court of Lynn County, to be holden
at the Court House thereof, in Ta-
hoka, Texas, on the 1st Monday in
September, A. D. 1919, the same be-
ing the 1st day of September, A. D.
1919, then and there to answer a pe-
tition filed in said Court on the 17th
day of March, A. D. 1919, in a suit
numbered on the docket of said Court
No. 365, wherein E. V. Boynton is
Plaintiff, and U. B. Howeth is de-
fendant, and said petition alleging:

Now comes E. V. Boynton, plaintiff
who resides in El Paso County, Tex-
as, complaining of U. B. Howeth, de-
fendant, whose place of residence is
to the plaintiff unknown, and for
cause of action would respectfully
represent to the court: That hereto-
fore, to-wit: on or about the 26th day
of April, A. D. 1917 the defendant,
U. B. Howeth, made, executed and
delivered to the plaintiff, E. V. Boynton,
his three certain promissory
notes, said notes being numbered 1
to 3 inclusive, and each of said notes
being for the principal sum of \$200.00
each of said notes bearing interest
from date at the rate of 8 per cent
per annum, interest payable annually
as it accrues, said notes being due
and payable as follows, to-wit: Note
No. 1 being due and payable Janu-
ary the 1st, 1918, and on the due date
and payable on January the 1st, A. D.
1919, and note No. 3, being due and
payable on January the 1st, 1920,
and said notes further provide for
the payment of 10 per cent attorneys
fees on principal and interest, if same
are placed in the hands of an attor-
ney for collection or suit is brought
on same. That each of said notes
provided among other things that the
failure of the defendant to pay said
notes or either of them when due, or
any installment of annual interest
when due, would at the election of
the owner and holder of said notes
mature all of said notes, and the
plaintiff alleges that the defendant
herein, tho often requested, has fail-
ed and refused to pay note No. 1, and
has failed and refused to pay note
No. 2 and has failed and refused to
pay the annual interest due on all of
said notes on January the 1st, 1918,
and had failed and refused to pay
the annual interest that was due on
all of said notes on January the 1st,
A. D. 1919, and that plaintiff has ex-
ercised his option to declare all of
said notes due and did on the 15th
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CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now
She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For
Her Recovery.

Royce City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kil-
man, of this place, says: "After the
birth of my little girl...my side com-
menced to hurt me. I had to go back
to bed. We called the doctor. He
treated me...but I got no better. I
got worse and worse until the misery
was unbearable...I was in bed for
three months and suffered such agony
that I was just drawn up in a knot...
I told my husband if he would get
me a bottle of Cardui I would try it...
I commenced taking it, however, that
evening I called my family about
me...for I knew I could not last
many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago
and I am still here and am a well,
strong woman, and I owe my life to
Cardui. I had only taken half the
bottle when I began to feel better.
The misery in my side got less...I
continued right on taking the Cardui
until I had taken three bottles and I
did not need any more for I was well
and never felt better in my life...I
have never had any trouble from that
day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, back-
ache, pains in sides, or other discom-
forts, each month? Or do you feel
weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so,
give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a
trial.
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FORDS

Are the Farmers' Friend—They are a necessity. You do not
buy a luxury. We have a number in stock. Come in and
talk Fords.

We also have a first class repair department. Bring us
your repair work.

Bradley Auto Company
TAHOKA, TEXAS

No Use to Go Elsewhere

Our big store in Tahoka has everything the family needs and our stock of Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes contains the advertised brands—the same grade anywhere you find them. Bring the **WHOLE FAMILY TO OUR STORE** and we will supply their **EVERY NEED**. Our grocery department is likewise stocked with the trademarked brands, which insures **PURITY** in every way.

Let Us Figure on Your Bill

Knight & Brashear

The Store for Everybody

Tahoka

Texas

Have You Seen Our Stock!

If you have not been in to see our stock of dry goods lately you will be surprised at the many new things that can be bought right here in Tahoka. New goods coming in all the time.

In our Grocery Department you will find a well selected stock. We want your produce too.

THE FAIR

H. M. LARKIN, Proprietor.

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We Want Your Lumber Business

It does not matter what kind of a bill you may want, whether for a business house, residence, ranch or farm improvement, we have the material. Also have the material for your windmill tower, tank tower, water trough or anything else made of wood.

See us Before You Place Your Order For Building Material.

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Federal Tires---

You know they are as good as the best. You can get them here. We are now selling tires and tubes at—

15 Per Cent Off

It's a good time to buy and remember, we can do your repair work **RIGHT** and put your batteries in first class condition.

HOWELLS GARAGE

Eveready Battery Station

COTTON ACREAGE GREATLY REDUCED

"The cotton acreage reduction in Texas has been successful," said Judge W. F. Ramsey, chairman of the state committee. "With approximately one million bales of last year's crop remaining unsold in the state, and with the increase demand for other crops, especially food and feed crops, Texas farmers have cut the cotton acreage fully twenty per cent according to reports from county agricultural agents, farmers and bankers in one hundred and forty-seven of the one hundred and seventy-five cotton growing counties of the state. A few counties in the western extreme southwestern part of the state have increased their acreage but on the whole most of them have reduced the acreage from five to fifty per cent.

"A part of this reduction is due, of course, to a greatly increased acreage in small grain, which was planted last fall, and a part is due to a large planting of corn, the acreage of which has been greatly increased this year.

"While not more than twenty per cent of the farmers have signed pledges to reduce their acreage, fully eighty per cent have reduced.

"An increase of fifteen per cent in the number of cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry is indicated by the reports we have received, and as a consequence the farmers have substituted feed and forage crops to a considerable extent. Crops that have been planted in place of cotton, besides wheat, oats and corn, are the grain and sweet sorghums, beans, potatoes, alfalfa, velvet beans and cowpeas.

"In all probability, Texas will produce this year seventy per cent of its requirements in food and feed crops. A twenty per cent reduction of the cotton acreage means not more than 9,500,000 acres have been planted in cotton.

"In this connection I am now pleased to announce that Gov. W. P. G. Haring of the Federal Reserve Board, has accepted an invitation extended by the Texas Chamber of Commerce, the Texas Industrial Congress and the State Farmers' Union, to come to Texas and explain the object in forming a one hundred million dollar cotton exporting corporation. Gov. Harding will speak on this subject in Dallas on May 28, and I hope to see a large representation of cotton growers and others who are interested from every part of the State."

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Dallas.

In the County Court of Dallas County at Law, No. 1, Dallas County, Texas.

Emerson-Brantingham Implement Company, Plaintiff, vs. Tahoka Hardware Company, Defendant.

WHEREAS, by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Dallas County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 4th of March, 1919, in favor of the said Emerson-Brantingham Implement Company and against the said Tahoka Hardware Company, No. 27151, on the docket of said Court, I did, on the 26th day of April, 1919, at ten o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tract and parcel of land, situated in the County of Lynn, State of Texas, and belonging to the said Tahoka Hardware Company. To-wit: Lot No. 3, in Block No. 22, original town of Tahoka in the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, and on the 3rd day of June, 1919, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the Court House door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Tahoka Hardware Company in and to said property.

Dated at Tahoka, this 26th day of April, 1919.

S. W. SANFORD,

Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pains and diarrhoea. McGEES BABY ELIXIR is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Sold by Thomas Bros.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stokes at Marlin, Texas, where they went several days ago for the benefit of Mrs. Stokes' health. They are getting along nicely, but were anxious to hear from this part of the country, a they had had no word from anyone since leaving Tahoka. It is hoped that Mrs. Stokes will improve rapidly that they may return home at an early date.

In the whole field of medicine there is not a healing remedy that will repair damage to the flesh more quickly than BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. In cuts, wounds, sprains, burns, scalds and rheumatism, its healing and penetrating power is extraordinary. Sold by Thomas Bros.

Mrs. Bonnie Hammond went up to Slaton Friday to meet her husband, who was returning from overseas. They returned to Tahoka in the afternoon.

Read the date on the label. It tells when your subscription expires!

NEED OF EDUCATION FOR THE HOME

The popular demand that our schools give training for the home is based upon the significance of the home in the life of every individual, and upon the value to society of a wholesome home life. The home is important in the life of the individual because the physical, mental and moral welfare of children, the chief products of the home, depends largely upon the conditions which prevail in that home. The home is also an educational institution and the place where characters are made or marred. The atmosphere and the teaching, conscious and unconscious, of the home determines in a large measure the child's attitude toward all other institutions and toward all the relations of life. But a good, wholesome home has a wider influence than upon the individual members of that household. The home maker's interest must go beyond her own home and include the welfare of the community.

In America the home is the most important of all institutions, and it means vastly more than the house. The house is not the home as the body is not the spirit. So house-keeping is not home making; the former deals with the material things and processes of the household, while the latter has to do with the spiritual things related to the members of the family. Home making is a profession or at least it may be made one and certainly ought to be so considered. To call any work a profession implies the existence of a certain body of related facts or principles—the inheritance of the ages. But when we begin to examine the province of home making we are at once struck with the immensity of the field. As the home is the unit of society, so home making relates to all human activities.

What should this training for home making consist of? The home maker should know the needs of the body and how to supply the daily food; she must have a scientific interest in the problems of housekeeping, sanitation, and hygiene; she must know how to furnish a home simply, beautifully, and in good taste; she must develop a love for work through the habit of working successfully; she must learn how to administer a home efficiently and economically; she must be educated for service in the home and society; she must have a proper balance between theory and practice; finally she must have a keen sense of appreciation of her privileges, duties and responsibilities.

Where are our girls to learn these things so essential to an education for the home? Many mothers do not have time to teach these things. Thousands of mothers have not received this instruction and do not know how. The home life has shifted to the public school so many responsibilities that we must now look to the schools to furnish training for home making. The girl has become school-minded; she learns other subjects by the school route; so she should be given an opportunity in school to learn home making. If the school can increase her interest in and respect for the home and its activities, it will have rendered a very valuable service to society.—Jesse E. Rambo, Head of Home Economics Department, West Texas State Normal College.

BUY-W.S.S.

Save and be independent

We failed to mention the return home of Mrs. W. C. Cowan and daughter, Miss Annie, last week from Tuskin, Texas. Miss Annie had closed a successful term of school at that place and Mrs. Cowan had been visiting her for several days. Mr. Cowan's mother returned home with them from Colorado for a brief visit.

Dizziness, vertigo, (blind staggers) sallow complexion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. HERBINE is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Sold by Thomas Bros.

H. M. Anthony was in town from his farm Saturday and brought to this office a limb from one of his cherry trees. The limb measured 7 inches in length, and contained 32 ripe cherries. Going some. Locate in Lynn County.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Herring attended the Chautauqua at Lubbock the latter part of last week. They report a most excellent program and that a number of people from outside points were attending the daily programs.

L. D. Rankin was among the business visitors in Tahoka the latter part of the week from Lubbock.

Thomas Brothers---

The Drug Store That Has It—Headquarters for:

DRUGS
PATENT MEDICINES
TOILET ARTICLES
PERFUMES
FANCY STATIONERY
FINE CANDIES
FOUNTAIN DRINKS
CIGARS AND CIGARETTES

Thomas Bros. Drug Co.

TAHOKA

TEXAS

O'DONNELL

Buy Your Coal Now!

Under the unsettled condition of labor it is very likely coal will advance and become very scarce. Better have us fill your bins now.

Edwards Brothers

COAL AND GRAIN

TAHOKA, TEXAS

Your Land Title May Not be Good---

We have known people to own property for years believing their title was perfect, only to find that they had none. Better let us make an abstract to your land or lot titles and **KNOW** that you are the owner of your property. We have a complete Abstract of every tract in Lynn County.

West Texas Abstract Company



Erect a Monument

To the memory of deceased relatives. We have a large and well selected stock of material for monuments and our workmen are skilled in their profession, so that you can get the very best in this line. See us for prices. Send for photographs.

Lubbock Marble Works

J. K. SHIPMAN, Prop.

Yard Near Depot

Lubbock

INVEST YOUR LIBERTY BOND INTEREST IN W. S. S.

On May 15th, Uncle Sam will pay the people of the Eleventh Federal Savings District \$1,582,827.50 in interest on their Second Liberty Loan bonds.

If this money is re-invested in Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps it will be doing double duty for the owners—their interest money will be making interest for them at the rate of 4 per cent compounded quarterly.

Last month, when on April 15th, Uncle Sam paid the people of this District \$3,000,000.00 in interest on their Fourth Liberty Bonds, thousands of dollars worth of interest coupons were exchanged at authorized agencies, banks and postoffices for Thrift and War Savings Stamps. Sales were splendid in April. Let's beat this good record by taking advantage of this opportunity and make May a record W. S. S. month!

Please clip your May 15th interest coupons and put them in W. S. S. and urge all of your customers who own bonds to do likewise.

A little sign would help out very much if prominently displayed. Card-board and a few drops of ink and one is made in a jiffy!

Agents that have show windows can make a very attractive display; drug stores and places with soda fountains can have a very attractive sign put on the mirror by one of the clerks. There are literally hundreds of ways in which good advertisements can be made.

Won't you please use one of these suggestions or think up a better one yourself?

Let's get more folks traveling the prosperity road and make our W. S. S. sales loom larger.

Yours for a banner W. S. S. month in May.

Frank M. Smith,

Federal District Director.

Mrs. Jim Hutto returned to her home in Lorenzo, after spending a few days in Tahoka visiting her sister Mrs. S. H. Windham. Mrs. Hutto has charge of the telephone exchange at Lorenzo.

Don't borrow your neighbors paper and yell hard times. Come in and tell us you want to be a subscriber, and we will arrange to see that you get the News every week.

SLATS' DIARY

Friday.—Just got home from a party which I attended tonight. J. E. was there & we played a game called post office which mostly is kissing who ever you want 2. Wen my turn come 2 call sum 1 in 2 kiss I called J. E. fer a 3 ct stamp which is 3 kisses then I got worried & thought may be she would get mad. So wen she come in the room I sed now if you dont want me 2 kiss you turn yure hed. She diddnt & I did. Man O man it was just like berrying yure face in a handfull of fresh Dewey viles. & I used 2 think ice cream was good. Wen I went out they ast J. E. to call a kustomer & she sed nothing doing Im sold out & she cum out with me. Guess May be I aint strong. No sleep fer me tonite.

Saturday.—Had a nother fite today with Slimey Lukens. come home kinda mused all up & ma sed 2 me youve ben fiteing agen & Im ashamed of you & I replied if she cud see Slimey she wood be mitey proud of me.

Sunday.—after sunday skool Jake & me found a nest of little bity Robbens wich had just a littel bit of hair on there backs. The cutest littel things.

Monday.—Jake found a tooth Brush & washed his teeth and wen teacher seen him she was very surprized and wanted 2 know wot was the matter with him.

Tuesday.—Squeaky Stone has got the meenest pa in this here hole town. his pa give him a dime if he wood go 2 bed las nite without his supper. Wich he did. And this morning his pa charged him a dime for his breakfast before he wood let him eat any. Sed he et 2 much.

Wednesday.—pa was out pritty late las nite & ma locked the dore on him & wen pa tride 2 get in he cudnt. Finely ma went 2 the window & sed wot do you want & pa answered & sed I want 2 stay here all nite & ma sed. All rite go ahead & stay there. Wich he did. It was a nice warm nite tho. But pa diddnt seam 2 like it much.

Thursday.—teacher was explaneing how you cant add trees & men nor take ottomobeels frum horses and etc. & Jake ast if you cuddent take milk frum cows & I sed ma cud take money frum pa's pocket book if he was asleep.

Divorce
The Joy of Saving.
JULY 1-1920

SAVE and be HAPPY
BUY-W.S.S.

Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c

Sold at 15c and

NERVOUS PROSTRATION

May be Overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—This Letter Proves It.

West Philadelphia, Pa.—“During the thirty years I have been married, I have been in bad health and had several attacks of nervous prostration until it seemed as if the organs in my whole body were worn out. I was finally persuaded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it made a well woman of me. I can now do all my household work and advise all ailing women to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I will guarantee they will derive great benefit from it.”—Mrs. FRANK FITZGERALD, 25 N. 41st Street, West Philadelphia, Pa.

There are thousands of women everywhere in Mrs. Fitzgerald's condition, suffering from nervousness, backache, headaches, and other symptoms of a functional derangement. It was a grateful spirit for health restored which led her to write this letter so that other women may benefit from her experience and find health as she has done.

For suggestions in regard to your condition write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of their 30 years experience is at your service.

Increase Your Wool Clip
Shear with a machine and not only get 15% more wool the first season but leave a smooth, even stubble that grows more wool the next year. You save money by shearing with hand shears. Machine shearing is easier and doesn't scar the sheep. Get a Stewart No. 9 Ball Bearing Shear Machine. Soon pays for itself. Price \$14. Send \$3.00 balance on arrival. Write for catalog. CHICAGO FLEXIBLE SHAFT COMPANY, Dept. B 172, 12th Street and Central Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Podak Films Developed Free
Velvet or semi-gloss prints only 3c and 4c. RICH'S FINISHING, 3834 Main, Fort Worth, Tex.

Lucky.
“Going to the banquet tonight?”
“No. Thank heavens, the wife is ill and I've got to stay home.”

An Armenian seems about as popular in Egypt as a Prussian would be in Paris.

Acute attack of bolshevitis can be cured by sharp clouts with a policeman's club.

That 75,000-word treaty will make a much nicer hot weather reading for our summer vacations.

If it weren't for flies, tornadoes and hay, young lovers spring would be an ideal reason of the year.

Happiness comes from always looking forward to some glad event. For a moment, the circus!

Speaking of alliances, somebody ought to inform butter and eggs that the war is over.

To the disappearance of the passenger pigeon must now be added the passing of the swallow.

German naval officers maintain that their fleet was never defeated. Neither was the Chinese fleet.

The fellow who envies the farmers never walked for fourteen hours in a freshly turned furrow.

In face of the expectation of the aerial war, nobody here will need the advice to look up and not down.

Twenty-five years ago eggs sold for 1 cent a dozen. No wonder there is regret for the good old times.

Japan might bear in mind that most sensitive people do not care to go where they have not been invited.

Saying that the Yankees held 834 miles of the front doesn't begin to tell what they did to it besides holding it.

False Accusation.
“That fellow is a bolshevist in disguise.” “Nonsense! A bolshevist never disguises. He advertises.”

WHY DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND SWAMP-ROOT

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.

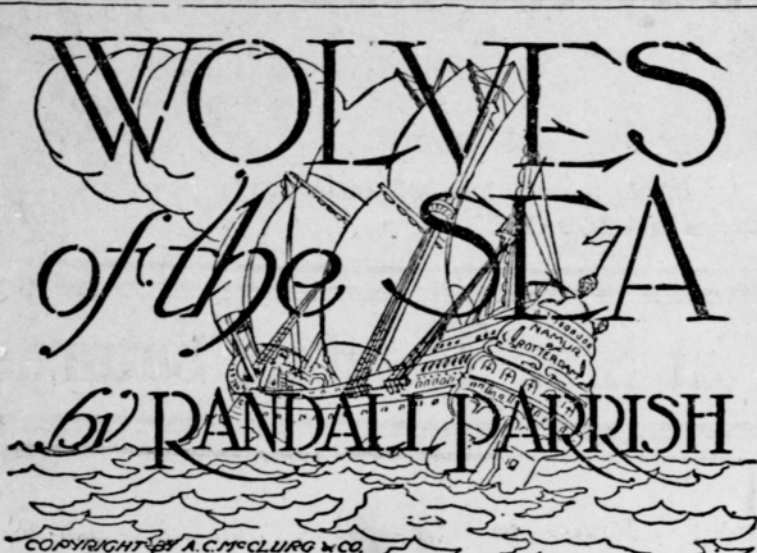
Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.

Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

There can be no objection to a girl trying to peer into the future, but she should never look forward.

Your Eyes
A Wholesome, Cleansing, Refreshing and Healing Lotion—MURINE for Redness, Soreness, Granulation, Itching and Burning of the Eyes or Eyelids; 2 Drops After the Movies, Motoring or Golf; 1 Drop Before Bedtime. Ask Your Druggist for Murine when your Eyes Need Care. It is Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago



A Battle to Death in Darkness of Night.

Synopsis—Geoffrey Carlyle, master of sailing ships at twenty-six, is sentenced to 20 years' servitude in the American colonies for participation in the Monmouth rebellion in England. Among the passengers on board the ship on which he is sent across are Roger Fairfax, wealthy Maryland planter; his niece, Dorothy Fairfax, and Lieutenant Sanchez, a Spaniard, who became acquainted with the Fairfaxes in London. Carlyle meets Dorothy, who informs him her uncle has bought his services. Sanchez shows himself an enemy of Carlyle. The Fairfax party, now on its own sloop in the Chesapeake bay, encounters a mysterious bark, the Namur of Rotterdam.

CHAPTER VII.

The Lieutenant Unmasked.
Where the craft could be bound; for what secret purpose it was afloat; who were aboard, were but so many unanswered questions arising in my mind.

Where could it have come from, unless from that strange Dutch bark? If it really came from the Namur of Rotterdam had it been sent in answer to some signal by Sanchez? I could think of nothing else. I determined to assure myself as to the identity of these strangers. If they had actually landed it would require only a few moments to ascertain the truth. The distance proved somewhat greater than anticipated, because of the deep curve in the shore and I had nearly reached the conclusion that the boat must have rounded the point and gone on when suddenly I was brought to a halt by a voice speaking in Spanish—one of those harsh croaking voices never to be reduced to a whisper.

“Not the spot Manuel? Of course it is; do you not suppose I know? This is the place and now there is nothing to do but wait. The señor—he will be here presently.”

“Ay, unless you misread the signal,” a somewhat more discreet but piping voice replied doubtfully. “I saw nothing of all you tell about, Estada.”

The two men went on to discuss plans evidently communicated to Estada by Sanchez from England. I was about to creep nearer, when a newcomer moved past me scarcely a yard distant, along the narrow strip of sand. Directly opposite my covert he paused.

“Estada.” He spoke the name cautiously.

“Ay, capta'n,” and another figure emerged noiselessly from the gloom. “We await you.”

“Good. I rather questioned if you caught my signal. I was watched and obliged to exercise care. How many have you here?”

“Four, señor, with Manuel Estevan.”

“Quite sufficient. How is it here? Are there suspicions?”

“None, señor. We have cruised outside most of the time. There is no warships in these waters. You said you were being watched on the sloop. Are you known?”

“A dog of a servant who came over with us—one of Monmouth's brood. The fellow watches me like a hawk. We had some words aboard and there is hate between us.”

“May I ask your plans, señor?”

“Yes, I am here to explain. This planter, Fairfax, has returned from England with a large sum. It is in gold and notes. It represents the proceeds of the tobacco crop of himself and a number of his neighbors. Without doubt it will be upward of fifty thousand pounds. This still remains in his possession, but a part will be dispersed tomorrow; so if we hope to gain the whole we must do so now. Everything is ready, and there is not the slightest suspicion of danger—not even a guard set over the treasure.”

“Then it is at the house?”

“In an iron-bound chest, in the room assigned to Fairfax for the night. Only two servants sleep in the main house, the cook and a maid, both women. Fairfax is vigorous and will put up a fight if he has any chance. He must be taken care of before he does have any. Travers is an old man, to be knocked out with a blow. All we have to fear are those fellows on the sloop, and they will have to be attended to quietly without any alarm reaching the house. I am going to leave that job to you—it's not your first.”

“The old sea orders, captain?”

“Ay, that will be quicker and surer.” The voice hardened to sudden ferocity. “But, mark you, with one exception—the Englishman is not to be killed, if

he can be taken alive. I would deal with him.”

“Then after that,” Sanchez went on deliberately, as though murder was of small account, “you will follow me up the bluff. Who are the others with you?”

“Carl Anderson, Pedro Mendez and Cochose.”

“Well chosen; Mendez is the least valuable, and we will leave him with the prisoner at the boat. The big negro, Cochose, together with Manuel, can attend to Travers and the two negroes—they sleep below. That will leave you and the Swede to get the chest. No firearms if they can be avoided. I have been over the house and drawn a diagram. You can look it over in the cabin of the sloop. The stairs lead up from the front hall. I will go with you to the door of Fairfax's room.”

“And you, señor—the girl?”

“What know you of any girl?”

“That there was one on the deck of the sloop—an English beauty. It was when you turned to greet her that you gave me the signal. I merely thought that perhaps—”

“Then stop thinking,” burst forth Sanchez enraged. “Thinking has nothing to do with your work. If there is a girl I attend to her. Let that suffice. Dios! am I chief here, or are you? You have my orders; now obey them and hold your tongue. Bring the men up here.”

The little band of men emerged from the concealment of the fog noiselessly. I could distinguish no faces, scarcely indeed the outlines of their separate forms in the gloom, but one was an unusually big fellow—Cochose.

“Lads,” he said incisively, a sharper note of leadership in the tone, “it has been a bit quiet for you lately; but now I am back again, and we'll try our luck at sea once more.”

There was a savage growl of response, a sudden leaning forward of dark figures.

“We'll begin on a job tonight. There are fifty thousand pounds for us in that house yonder, and I waive my share. Estada will explain to you the work I want done. By daylight we shall be on blue water, with our course set for Porto Grande. How is it, bulles, do you sniff at the salt sea?”

“Ay, ay, captain.”

“And see the pretty girls waiting—and hear the chink of gold?”

“Ay, señor.”

“Then do not fall me tonight—and remember it is to be the knife. Estada, I have forgotten one thing—scuttle the sloop before joining me. 'Tis better to make all safe; and now, strong arms, and good luck. Go to your task, and if one fails me it will mean the lash at the mast-head.”

They moved off one by one. Estada leading, along the narrow strip of sand, five of them, on their mission of murder. The leader remained alone, his back toward where I crouched, his eyes following their vanishing figures until the night had swallowed them.

CHAPTER VIII.

A Victory and a Defeat.
I arose silently to my feet, fully aware that all hope of thwarting this villainy lay in immediate action. Sanchez had turned slightly and stood with his face toward the bay. I ventured a cautious step forward and stood on the open sand, scarcely a yard to his rear. Some vague sense of my presence must have influenced the man, for he swung suddenly about, uttering a stifled cry of startled surprise, as we met face to face. For an instant we were locked so closely within each other's desperate grip, his head bent beneath my arm, with my fingers clutching at his throat to block any call for help, that he possessed no knowledge of his assailant's identity. But the man was like a tiger. The surprise of attack was to my advantage, yet almost before I realized what was being done he had rallied, broken my first hold, and his eyes were glaring straight into mine. Then he knew me, his free hand instantly grasping at his knife. Even as he jerked it forth I crushed his wrist within my fingers, forcing his forearm back. There was no outcry, no noise, except that of our heavy breathing and trampling feet. Personal hatred had ascended in both our hearts—I doubt if he ever thought of aught else but the desire to kill me there with his own hands. Only once did he even utter a word, hissing out the sentence as though it were a poison:

“To hell with you, you sneaking English cur!”

What followed has to me no clearness, no consistency. Never have I fought with deeper realization that I needed every ounce of strength and every trick of wit and skill. Now I knew the fellow possessed greater knowledge of the game than I and a

quicker movement; I excelled in weight of body and coolness of brain. Twice he pricked me deep enough to draw blood, before I succeeded in twisting backward the arm with which he held the blade. He met the game too late, falling half back upon one knee, hoping thus to foil my purpose. There was the sharp crack of a bone, as his useless fingers let the knife drop, a snarled curse of pain, and then with the rage of a mad dog, Sanchez struck his teeth deep into my cheek. With a thrill of exultation I gripped the knife, driving instantly the keen blade to its hilt into the man's side. He made no cry, no struggle—the set teeth unlocked, and he fell limply back on the sand, his head lapped by the waves.

The fellow lay motionless, his face upturned to the sky, but invisible except in dim outline. I rested my ear over his heart, detecting no murmur of response; touched the veins of his wrist, but found there no answering throb of life.

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He was too strong, too immense of stature. Apparently unweakened by his wounds, the giant negro, thoroughly aroused, exerted his mighty muscles, and, despite my utmost effort at resistance, thrust me back against the stern rail, where the weight of his body pinned me helplessly. With a roar of rage he drove his huge fist into my face, but happily was too close to give much force to the blow. My own hands, gripping the neckband of his coarse shirt, twisted it tight about the great throat until, in desperation, panting for breath, the huge brute actually lifted me in his arms and hurled me backward headlong over the rail. I struck something as I fell, yet rebounding from this splash into the deep water and went down so nearly unconscious as to make not even the slightest struggle. And yet I came up once more to the surface

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Whereas, on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1917, W. F. Bigham and Angie Bigham, husband and wife, of the county of Lynn and State of Texas, made, executed and delivered to Arthur Yonge, as trustee, their certain deed of trust of said date, wherein the said W. F. Bigham and Angie Bigham husband and wife, conveyed to Arthur Yonge of the county of Scurry and state of Texas, the hereinafter described lands and premises, lying and being situated in Lynn county, Texas, for the purpose of securing the payment of one certain promissory note, for the sum of Nine Thousand (\$9,000.00) Dollars, bearing even date of said deed of trust, payable to the order of C. C. Warren, and due on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1925, bearing interest from date at the rate of eight per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the 15th day of May and November in each and every year according to the tenor and effect of sixteen (16) interest coupons for the sum of Three Hundred Sixty (\$360.00) and No-100 Dollars each, bearing even date of said note and numbered one to sixteen, both inclusive, which said interest coupons and note bear interest, after they become due, at the rate of ten per cent per annum; and whereas, the said deed of trust provides that if default is made in the payment of any of said indebtedness, including principal, or any of said coupons, that the said C. C. Warren, beneficiary, or his assigns may declare the whole of said indebtedness, due and payable; and further provides that in case of sale by the trustee, that he shall be allowed the sum of five per cent on the principal and interest of said note, as commission for selling said property.

Whereas the said C. C. Warren, beneficiary, did on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1917, by his instrument in writing transfer the above described note, together with the deed of trust therein, and all the rights, privileges and conditions therein stated to C. C. Warren, Jr., of the city of New York, in the state of New York, which said transfer is recorded in the county clerk's office of the county of Lynn, in the state of Texas.

And whereas the interest coupons, Nos. one and two became due and were paid and whereas the said W. F. Bigham has made default in the payment of the interest coupon No. three of the above said series that was due and payable on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1918, and whereas the said C. C. Warren, Jr. has declared the whole amount of said indebtedness due and payable, which will amount on the third day of June, A. D. 1919 to the sum of ten thousand, two hundred and thirty-five (\$10,235.70) and 70-100 dollars, including principal, interest and trustee's fees for selling said property.

NOW THEREFORE, KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that by virtue of said deed of trust and the appointment of myself therein as trustee, and the default in the payment of said interest coupon, and the declaring of the whole amount of said loan being due by the beneficiary, C. C. Warren, Jr., of the city of New York, in the state of New York, I, the said Arthur Yonge, trustee, will offer for sale on the first Tuesday in June, A. D. 1919, the same being the 3rd day of said month, between the legal hours thereof, to-wit: 10:00 o'clock, A. M. and 4:00 o'clock P. M. at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door, in the town of Tahoka, in the county of Lynn and state of Texas, and being all of section No. Five Hundred Six (506) certificate No. 476, and section No. Five Hundred and Five (505) certificate No. 476, all in block No. One (1), E. L. & R. Ry. Surveys, situated in the county of Lynn, state of Texas, and containing 640 acres of land each, with all and singular the members and appurten-

ances thereto in anywise belonging. In testimony whereof, Witness my hand this 7th day of May, A. D. 1919.
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Notice of Guardianship

In Re-guardianship of the estate of Ernest Ray, John Ray and Elmer Ray, minors. No. 24. In the County Court of Lynn County, Texas. Notice is hereby given that I, Mrs. Martha I. Ray, guardian of the estate of Ernest Ray, John Ray, and Elmer Ray, minors, have this the 28th day of May, A. D. 1919, filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the county judge of Lynn county, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of said wards to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct, of the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said wards, to-wit: All of the Lucinda Brister Survey containing 160 acres of land located in Lampassas County, Texas; also 30 acres off of the north end of the Henry T. Brister survey in Lampassas County, Texas, and also 30 acres off of the south end of the Henry T. Brister survey in Lampassas County, Texas; said application will be heard by the county judge of Lynn County, Texas, at the court house, in the city of Tahoka, Texas, on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1919.
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