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PROSPERITY IN DIVERSIFICATION

It is now a manifest certainty that the Texas cotton crop of this year will fall materially below that of any year since 1910, and that practically all of the general crops—corn, wheat, the small grains, forage and feedstuffs, vegetables and fruits—will show a largely increased production, both because of increased acreage and, on the average, improved yields per acre. These two circumstances, it occurs to me, should be accepted as vindicating the wisdom of the policy of farm diversification specialized and paramount by this department in all its educational work.

The increased production of the farms devoted to food and feed crops, while not nearly sufficient to supply the extreme demand for home consumption, will go a long way in that direction—far enough at least to demonstrate, in a practical manner, the financial advantages of raising on the farm the things that are consumed on the farm, instead of importing them at the cost of the money crop, always subject to the hazard of season and pest, and so encourage a broader and more extensive diversification.

In other words, the farmers of Texas have demonstrated this year that, by a system of ample diversification, on ample acreage and by improved methods of cultivation so as to increase acre production, they can produce not only cotton as a money crop, but a surplus over home consumption of the food and feed crops.

There was a very substantial response by the farmers to the demand for a reduction of the acreage planted to cotton in 1915. It was not generally enough, however, to have had an appreciable effect on the aggregate output had an average crop matured, but it represented so much less labor in making the crop that was left by seasonal excesses and the ravages of the weevil, and is now bringing the farmer nearly twice as much on the market as he got for his cotton last year. Maintaining its present price, though in all human probability it will go yet higher, the much smaller crop of this year will bring the farmer a great deal more money than did the larger crop of last year. With the first month of the "cotton movement" not yet exhausted—in other words, while the cotton is still in the farmers' hands—it has passed the 11-cent price on several of the Texas curbs, and most probably will reach 12-12 cents before the American demand is satisfied, and can be held at that price if a sane system of feeding the market according to its necessities is observed.

Diversification this year though as stated was not as general as it should have been, has resulted in a heavy increase of general crops including those necessary to home living, and with the assistance of the elements and the weevil, the doubling of the price of the cotton grown on the smaller area—the first being the most important accomplishment of the two. Next year should experience an improvement on this—a greater acreage and a wider variety of diversification, omitting, perhaps, a few products for which there is at best a restricted market easily supplied.

The danger to the farmer of high prices for cotton lies, as it always does, in the future. If the cotton price this year is maintained at a satisfactory figure, the farmer will be sorely tempted to increase his cotton acreage next year, proportionately diminishing the acreage he will devote this year to the food crops, grains, feedstuffs, etc. He should resist this temptation in order to avoid calamity—the calamity of a low price for his cotton if he makes a big crop instead of a fair price for a smaller crop, besides a sufficiency of other products for home consumption and sale.

The right sort of diversified farming means not alone the planting of different things, but it means also the right sort of cultivation of each thing planted. It means the steady increase of yield of every acre, and to accomplish that the plant food exacted by the cultivation of one year must be restored to supply the necessary elements for the next. The object of every farmer should be to increase the yield of his every acre, by adding to instead of taking from the plant food in the soil, which he may do by the use of manure, fertilizer, turned under cover crops, by terracing and by drainage.

In this connection I desire to stress the importance of planting winter cover crops to be turned under in due course, there being no better method

of restoring plant food to the soil. Cover crops involve little extra labor, and compensate that prodigally in the production of whatever crop is subsequently sown. FRED W. DAVIS, Com. of Agriculture.

Whenever a fellow in the national congress realizes that he is too light for the constructive bunch, he begins to court headline attention by some anti-administration stunt. Jimmy Vardaman, discredited to the state of Mississippi is a shining example in point. His opinion of the Allied loan is limited to his perview of "come-seven-eleven?"

"THE MOTH AND THE FLAME."

"The Moth and the Flame," the greatest of all the celebrated plays by the gifted dramatist, Clyde Fitch, has been produced with remarkable effect by the Famous Players Film Company, and is the current feature attraction on the Paramount Program at Opera House Tuesday, October 12.

The play made such a definite success when produced on the stage that the screen translation of the powerful plot is certain to attract wide interest. The moth is Marion Molton, a fashionable but very lovable girl in New York, who is in love with Edward Fletcher, though she is warned by her friends of his character. Womanlike, she defends and loves him all the more because of the many enemies who speak against him, and again womanlike, openly declares she does not believe the stories of his past, and secretly tells herself that even if they are true she knows that she can reform him. She is about to marry him, when another young woman with a child presents herself at the wedding ceremony, and claims the name of the man. The moth is blinded by the flame, so that she cannot see the perils threatening her. The moth sees her danger, however, just in time to avert it, and with the extinguishment of the flame, the moth, though her wings are singed, still manages to fly to safety and rescue her soul from the devouring fire.

The production is mounted richly and in good taste, and throughout the dignity and artistry of the Famous Players are conspicuously evident.

DEEP FALL PLOWING.

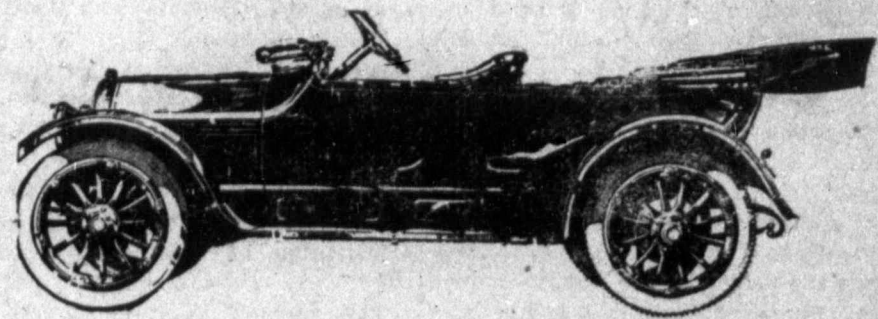
In every community may be found men who are far in advance of their neighbors in the matter of crop production. In wet seasons and in dry seasons their crops, for some reason or other, turn out satisfactorily. In handling livestock they are successful, it matters not whether they are engaged in dairying or beef raising. Usually they are good swine raisers and last but not least, they are making farming pay. Not only that, but they usually have time to look around and enjoy themselves. They pay good wages for their help and usually they have help when it is needed. Fortune seems to favor them, no matter which way they turn.

Every one of our readers could name such an individual if he does not belong to that class himself. It might be difficult to put one's finger right on the secret of their success. They have the "know how" and they put it into practical operation. All their methods are worth looking into, but at this time we call attention to the fact that such individuals as we have described are invariably believers in deep tillage. We have never known a real good, successful farmer who did not believe in good, deep plowing, particularly in the fall.—Fort. Worth Stock Reporter.

According to a Washington statement, the American flag now flies over more ships in the foreign trade than at any other time since 1863, and the United States is pressing close on France and Norway as a maritime nation. Figures compiled by the department of commerce show a record increase in American shipping for the year ended June 30. On that date there were registered in the foreign trade 2,768 ships, totaling 1,813,775 gross tons, an increase of 363 ships and 737,623 tons for the year. Practically all the increases are due to the new American registry law.

Naples, Texas, Oct. 3.—A. S. Westbrook, Mayor of Naples, died today in a Texarkana sanitarium following a pistol duel yesterday with I. N. Pitts, a merchant. The enmity of the men was of long standing.

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COTTON REPORT.

1,800 Bales Weighed and 1,411 Bales Ginned in Colorado Up to Thursday Morning, Oct. 7.

Up to Thursday morning, October 7th there have been weighed in the yards at Colorado 1,800 bales as follows:

Warehouse yard	1,800
Public yard	792
Total	1,800

There has been ginned 1,411 bales as follows:

Gary Gin Co.	586
Watson Gin Co.	364
Concrete Gin Co.	266
Lambeth Gin Co.	195
Total	1,411

Seed selling steadily at \$28 per ton. Cotton prices have been up and down, mostly up, all the week. Some sold as high as 12 3/4, but the week's prevailing price has been 12.00 to 12.50. Thursday the price was about 12.50.

FIRST GENERAL FROST IN MANY STATES TUESDAY.

Kansas City, Oct. 5.—The first general frost of the season prevailed last night over Oklahoma, North Texas, Western Illinois and other Middle Western states. A fall of twenty degrees in the temperature since Sunday is noted.

ZAPATISTAS TRY TO TAKE MEXICO.

In Attacking Mexico City They Are Repulsed With 700 Killed.

Laredo, Texas, Oct. 5.—Delayed advices reaching here this morning are to the effect that Zapatistas attacked Mexico City October 2.

The attackers were repulsed with a loss of seven hundred killed, including one general officer.

The losses to the Carranza defenders of the city were very slight, the dispatch says.

DECLARES HIS CANDIDACY.

Congressman William R. Smith will stand for re-election in this congressional district next year. The financial situation in the United States could not be better and that the American banking system is the best in the world. President Wilson will rise to any emergency with credit to himself and to his country. The necessity for better preparedness against a national foe is great.

These and other matters were discussed by Congressman Smith in an interview Monday morning during a short stay in San Angelo of the congressman and Mrs. Smith. They leave for the counties to the south Monday afternoon, having left their home in Colorado City on a trip for the benefit of Mrs. Smith's health, and will touch San Angelo later on their return trip.—San Angelo Standard.

Attention is called to the Studebaker ad this week by Byrne B. Byrne who has acquired all the territory west of here as district selling agent. Mr. Byrne has this week received one six 16 model and 4 4's and has spent most of the week at Midland where he went to deliver several cars.

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Best thing for constipation, sour stomach, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Stops a sick headache almost at once. Gives a most thorough and satisfactory flushing—no pain, no nausea. Keeps your system cleansed, sweet and wholesome. Ask for Citrolax. For sale by W. L. Doss.

GERMANY DISAVOWS

SINKING ARABIC.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Lansing announced late today that Germany has disavowed the sinking of the Arabic and was prepared to pay indemnity for the American lives lost.

Stoves! -- Stoves!

As a "Safety First" precaution, see that your flues and chimneys are in good order, then come to us for your heating and cook stoves.

Our line of both is COMPLETE

Wood and coal stoves to suit every pocket and to meet every demand. If you prefer an

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See us at H. C. Doss' implement house.

DOSS BRO'S, - Agents

WM. WIRT MILLS' NEW YORK LETTER.

It seems to be pretty well settled that America is to finance the war to the extent of giving an enormous credit to England and France. Now if it is a Christian act to go to the assistance of a person who is in distress, does not the same quality adhere to the lending of the helping hand and hundreds of millions to nations that are at war?

Nay, more! Is it not an act of self-abnegation? For is it not certain that this huge credit will enable Great Britain to husband its gold and to hold on to its American securities, so as to have these resources available upon the ending of the war, to finance the fierce industrial competition against the United States that is sure to follow the return of the soldiers from war to the pursuits of peace?

Thus, possibly, the experts in casuistry will be able to decipher a wholly virtuous act in this great war loan and to fit halo on the heads of the bankers who have negotiated this American assistance for the Allies. Nor will it be difficult for such reasoners to get around the question put here this week, namely, "Can we afford for immediate profit to inflict everlasting injury upon the world?"

Brooklyn, the "City of Churches," is greatly distressed over the plight of its famous pulpit orator, Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, whose British Columbia lumber speculation turned out so disastrously that he is \$100,000 in debt, with a libel suit on his hands for saying that he embarked on the scheme to help his nephews. The preacher's expression of penitence for walking on a lower plane than that which he pictured with such eloquence has won back many who were disposed to condemn, and others are waiting to see in just what light the threatened libel suit places the successor of Henry Ward Beecher, whose troubles are now being re-aired after many years of repose in the limbo of forgotten things.

The public here, which for the most part has a great deal of confidence in the sincerity of the younger Rockefeller, is following with interest the visit of John D. Jr. to Colorado, hoping that he will deal as vigorously and as wisely with the conditions that he finds there as he has done in tackling several social problems here. It is certainly an unique event for the heir to the greatest amassment of capital to deal with capitalism as investigator and judge.

So jewelry is to change with the seasons, which will be hard on Father's pocketbook but will stimulate trade in expensive baubles. The Jewelers' Association has so ordered, and the "Home Page" of the family newspaper hereafter will have to run a department to tell its readers just what stones and what sort of settings are "in fashion."

Right out of a clear sky has come the rumble of thunder and the sharp flashes of newspaper lightning, as the World discloses, with documentary evidence, "the efforts of the British Government to regulate and control trade between the United States and the rest of the world." The same newspaper that attacked the Austrian Ambassador and forced the Administration to demand his recall, and that was unrelenting in its pursuit of the so-called German propaganda, now charges that "the British Government has succeeded in dictating to Americans engaged in various forms of in-

DON'T SCOLD, MOTHER! THE CROSS CHILD IS BILIOUS, FEVERISH.

Look at Tongue! If Coated, Clean Little Stomach, Liver, Bowels.

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste and sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

dustry the terms under which they are permitted to do business with the rest of the world, and that it resorted to boycott and blacklist to enforce its demands." The revelations are voluminous and startling.

Time was, not more than a few weeks ago, when the writer of these letters was almost alone in noting and condemning the illegal interference of Great Britain with American industry and trade. The time is when America is awakening to the real meaning of the situation. Possibly this awakening will prevent the coming of the time for the British influence in this country to convene the Congress to propose the repeal of the Declaration of Independence.

The roar of the Bull Moose was heard in this city this week, with Victor Murdock warning that the reactionaries were in full control of the Republican Party and were likely to renominate Taft, to which the Progressives would make answer by putting up Colonel Roosevelt again. All of which came on one of the hottest September evenings ever known in this city.

The people of this state are to vote on the proposed new constitution on November 2nd, but not one man in a thousand seems to care a rap whether the work of Elihu Root is approved at the polls or snowed under.

It certainly took a vray the breath of the editors and paralyzed their pens when the British prize courts confiscated \$15,000,000 of American beef consigned to neutral ports while the British envoys were here negotiating a loan from America. The announcement even hit the headsetter on a local newspaper so severely that he set up in big type, "British Piracy Commission," and the proofreader didn't dispute the correctness of the title.

"Growlers" are well named. Now a "growler," in local lingo, is a can of beer smuggled over from the nearest saloon to one's flat. Several years ago a nickel filled the can; then the brewers raised the price to a dime; now it is fifteen cents. Hence the term.

A prophet is certainly without honor in his own school system, when it comes to the New York schools. The vexatious problem of part time, due to the growing of certain sections of the city faster than the department could build new school houses, was solved two years ago by one of the associate superintendents devising a system for the double use of a school building, by two sets of classes. Dr. Eitinger's plan was given a half-hearted trial in one school, but when Dr. Wirt, of Gary, Ind., came along with a similar plan the Board of Education eagerly jumped at it and voted him and another expert \$10,000 each to teach them how to do what their own employe had already showed them.

Figures compiled here this week show that 29 banks in the United States on September 2nd had deposits aggregating almost three billion dollars. The exact amount was \$2,930,12,000, which was \$853,683,000 more than the same banks had a year ago. Twelve of these banks are in New York City, the National City Bank leading with \$391,740,000 in deposits, an increase of \$146,000,000 in the year.

Commercial circles are finding sufficient exercise for their patience in waiting for the long promised American note to Great Britain. It is becoming daily more imperative to American interests that the persistent oppression of their country's commerce should cease, that the illegal British orders in council should be revoked and that the English prize courts should bring their acts within the scope of international law.

Maiming and slaughter of people by automobiles has brought the courts to the point of really enforcing the law against drivers of cars who fill their skins with liquor. No more escaping with a fine. It is to be the rule to impose on drunken chauffeurs the maximum penalty—a year in the penitentiary and \$500 fine. Twenty-four such cases are on the calendar for trial.

A young man who came out of the West not so long ago and achieved distinction as secretary of the Republican National Committee, William Haywood, is putting ginger into the work of regulating the traction companies. It has been the habit of the Public Service Commission to be content with issuing orders. Commissioner Haywood wants these orders obeyed, so he is enforcing the clause in the law which makes it a misdemeanor to disregard an order. He'll not have to put many traction officials in jail before he gets obedience.

Is anything more incomprehensible to the average man than talk of billions? Now just lay out the few dol-

lars you carry in your pockets and figure out what you have in bank and compare the sum to the statement that the contestants in the European war have added \$18,051,999,800 to their national debts and now owe \$42,530,253,324.

Pity the poor man or woman who tries to keep up with modern dancing. The teachers of the graceful pastime, in session here, have invented ten new dances!

The extent of the work of the Young Men's Christian Association was illustrated here this week by the issuance of a report showing 620,799 members and the expenditure in the year of over \$14,000,000.

Anthony Comstock, the store porter who became a national figure by fighting obscene books and pictures, is dead at 71 years, after a crusade lasting 43 years. In that time he imprisoned nearly 3,000 people for impairing morals and collected nearly a quarter of a million dollars in fines.

It is dawning on the peace advocates that the ending of the war is not going to end militarism. On the contrary, the establishment of conscription in England is going to prove the entering wedge of necessary militarism in that country. If England loses it will need a greater army to hold what ground it saves. If England wins it will need a greater army to protect its commerce. In any case England and every other European country will be compelled to resort to militarism.

ACIDS IN STOMACH SOUR THE FOOD AND CAUSE INDIGESTION.

"Pape's Diapepsin" Fixes Sour, Gassy, Upset Stomachs In Five Minutes.

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach headache, you can surely get relief in five minutes.

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This city will have many "Pape's Diapepsin" cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be enthusiastic about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever take it for indigestion, gases, heartburn, sourness, dyspepsia, or any stomach misery. Get some now, this minute, and rid yourself of stomach misery and indigestion in five minutes.

DR. COOK JAILED AS GERMAN SPY.

San Francisco, Oct. 2.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, who left the United States in June to climb Mount Everest, was arrested in Rangoon, Burma, as a German spy and his motion picture outfit seized, according to Curtis W. Allen, an American timber buyer, who returned today from the far east. Allen said Dr. Cook was released later but was not permitted to climb Mount Everest. The timber man said he, himself, was arrested seven times as a German spy within eleven months and at Rangoon was in the same jail with the explorer.

WHEN BABY HAS THE CROUP.

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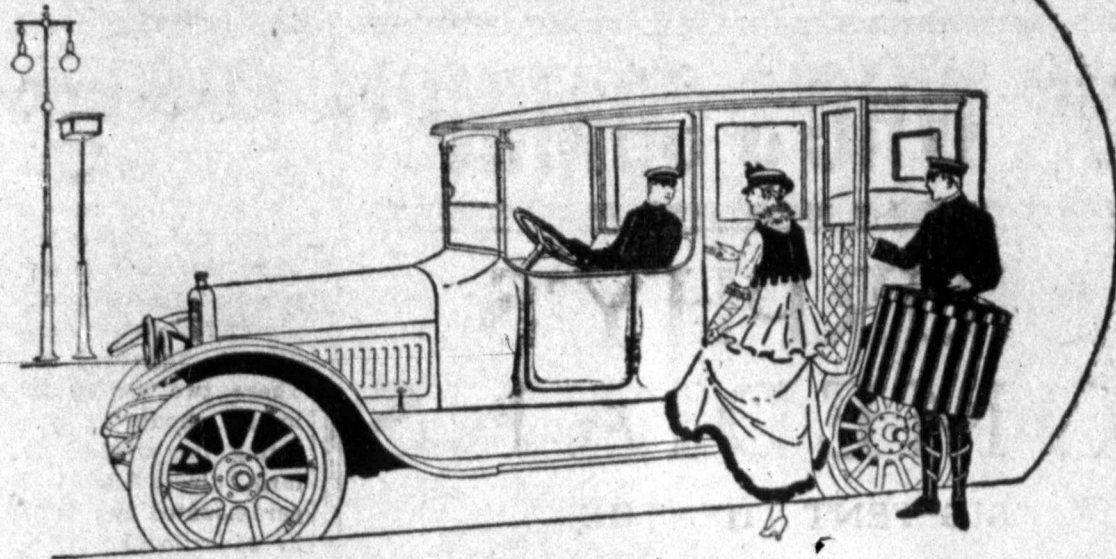
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In fifty years \$4,500,000,000 has gone to the federal veterans of the war between the states. To be exact, these pensioners have taken down more money from the public treasury than the Napoleonic wars cost the British empire. This is paying for patriotism with a vengeance.—Fort Worth Record.

The old jail building at Vernon, Texas, has been sold to parties who will remodel it and convert it into a college. This building has harbored many of the notorious bad men of the early days in Texas. A new and modern place of detention will be erected by the county.—Motley County News.

Announcement of definite arrangements for the construction of a new line of railroad from Midland to Seminole, in West Texas, was made by the Hon. T. J. O'Donnell, of Sweetwater, Texas, well-known railroad builder and candidate for congressman-at-large two years ago.

We are headquarters for guns and all kinds of shells.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Queen of the Pantry flour has no superior for good cooking. McMurry sells it.

The law department of the State University will have ten women this year taking the course, of which number seven are in the junior class, two in the middle and one in the senior. There were four in this department last year.

CHRONIC CONSTIPATION.

"About two years ago when I began using Chamberlain's Tablets I had been suffering for some time with stomach trouble and chronic constipation. My condition improved rapidly through the use of these tablets. Since taking four or five bottles of them my health has been fine," writes Mrs. John Newton, Irving, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

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When the summertime is here,
Drag the roads;
When the corn is in the ear,
In the winter cold and drear,
Every season of the year,
Drag the roads.
When you've nothing else to do,
Drag the roads;
If but for an hour or two
Drag the roads;
It will keep them good as new;
With a purpose firm and true,
Fall in line; it's up to you—
When the smiles of spring appear
Drag the roads.

FEEDING AND FEEDING PIGS.

"I want to call your attention to a very remarkable demonstration in hog feeding that has been carried on recently by the Animal Husbandry department of the A. & M. College. Three pigs—litter mates—were started on various rations on April 1. At that time the best pig weighed 30 1-2 pounds, and since that time it has been fed all the corn it would eat in a dry lot. The next pig weighed 27 1-2 pounds, and has been fed all the corn it could eat, in addition to some skim milk. The sorriest pig in the lot weighed 24 pounds, and since that time has been fed all the corn and skim milk it could eat, in addition to having the run of the pasture. The remarkable thing is that the pig which had the pasture now weighs 250 pounds, the one which had the corn and skim milk weighs 175 pounds, and the one that had all the corn it could eat only weighs about 75 pounds.

"The dollar and cents data on this demonstration is truly remarkable. The pasture and skim milk pig having demonstrated the possibilities of profitable pork production when balanced rations are fed, while the pig fed on corn alone has lost money. These pigs, with the data of the test, make a remarkable study in balanced rations and hog raising for Texas.—Correspondence to Progressive Farmer.

NATURE WARNS AGAINST USING CALOMEL.

The sickening, nauseating feeling that follows the use of calomel is the natural result of disarranging your entire system. Doctors everywhere are agreeing that the action of calomel is much too strong, and leaves the body sick and weakened. LIV-VER-LAX is a wonderful substitute for calomel, that has all of its good effects and none of its bad ones. It acts soothingly but thoroughly on the liver, cleansing it of bile, and ridding the entire system of stagnating poisons.

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OLDER BUT STRONGER

To be healthy at seventy, prepare at forty, is sound advice, because in the strength of middle life we too often forget that neglected colds, or careless treatment of slight aches and pains, simply undermine strength and bring chronic weakness for later years.

To be stronger when older, keep your blood pure and rich and active with the strength-building and blood-nourishing properties of Scott's Emulsion which is a food, a tonic and a medicine to keep your blood rich, alleviate rheumatism and avoid sickness. No alcohol in Scott's.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

ITS COMING SEEMS INEVITABLE.

The people of West Texas are rudely awakened from any delusion they may have enjoyed as to immunity from the ravages of the boll weevil. The pest is fast coming this way, and at the rate of its progress westward the past year, we may confidently expect to greet it next year in our cotton fields. The passing of the boll weevil is not to be hoped for soon. It continues its ravages in Mexico and all sections of the State of Texas where it appeared fifteen years ago. Eternal vigilance alone is the price of immunity from the pest. No doubt, failure of the farmers of central Texas to carefully destroy all possible breeding places and to plant their cotton so as to retard the spread of the weevil, is largely responsible for the reappearance of it this season. If this pest will come, the part of wisdom is to anticipate its coming and minimize its ravages by taking such precautions as have proven efficacious in other sections and in other years.

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Such Proof as This Should Convince Any Colorado Citizen.

The public endorsement of a local citizen is the best proof that can be produced. None better, none stronger can be had. When a man comes forward and testifies to his fellow-citizens, addresses his friends and neighbors, you may be sure he is thoroughly convinced or he would not do so. Telling one's experience when it is for the public good is an act of kindness that should be appreciated. The following statement given by a resident of Colorado adds one more to the many cases of Home Endorsement which are being published about Doan's Kidney Pills. Read it.

J. W. Nunn, Colorado, says: "I suffered terribly from disordered kidneys and nothing did me any good until I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and got a box. Their use, as directed, soon helped me. Since then, on several occasions, I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills and have always found them effective."

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WIRELESS TELEPHONE IS NOW A SUCCESS

J. E. FARNSWORTH SAYS THAT PRESENT WIRE SYSTEM WILL NOT BE SUPPLANTED.

IS A MARVELOUS INVENTION

Talk With Europe Possible, but for Conditions Brought About By Warfare.

Dallas.—"The success of the experiment by which the voice was recently projected without the use of wires, across the continent and afterwards from Washington to Honolulu, does not mean that the telephone wire system of the United States will be supplanted," explains Vice President J. E. Farnsworth of The Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone company in Dallas.

"Instead," he says, "the net work of wires which go to make the present universal telephone system will be supplemented by the installation of this marvelous wireless equipment, devised by Bell telephone engineers, by which hitherto impassable barriers to the interchange of intelligence by direct conversation, may be surmounted. Telephone subscribers may soon see the day when they can call up friends who may be passengers on ships at sea. It is said that but for disturbed conditions in Europe we would even now be talking to England or Germany. It is not even beyond the bounds of possibility that the mayor of New York may call the governor general of Hong Kong with the remarkable question: 'How are you tomorrow?'"

"It has been demonstrated that the voice may be carried over land telephone wires and be automatically passed through wireless telephone transmitters and be flung across oceans, deserts or mountain barriers.

Results Not Surprising.

"The results of these wireless experiments," continued Mr. Farnsworth, "has not been surprising. Telephone officials generally knew that John J. Carty, chief engineer of the American Telephone & Telegraph company, was perfecting a method by which he hoped to span the oceans without the connecting link of a cable. Since he accomplished the task of establishing a physical wire circuit which would carry the voice from New York to San Francisco, it seemed as if any dream might come true with reference to the telephone.

Twenty years ago real long distance talking, as we know it today, seemed beyond the realm of the imagination. Last January the transcontinental lines were opened. Now we have transmission of sound through 5,000 miles without the use of wires and half of the distance was over land where all sorts of atmospheric conditions prevailed. It seems as if the limit in an age of marvelous accomplishment has been reached."

President Vail's Tribute to Inventor of Wireless.

New York.—In tribute to the recent accomplishment of telephone engineers who have perfected a method for wireless communication by spoken word, and in explanation of the probable uses of the wireless telephone, President T. N. Vail of the American Telephone & Telegraph company, has issued the following statement:

"I do not think I can better express my views in regard to wireless telephone than to quote the telegram which I have just sent to Mr. Carty, chief engineer for the company, with reference to what he has brought about. Here it is:

"Carty, I want to congratulate you on this climax in the way of achievements, the greatest in inter-communication the world has ever seen. To you and to the wonderful staff created by you the world owes a debt. To throw your voice directly, without aid of wires, from Washington to Hawaii, nearly five thousand miles, a greater distance than from New York to Paris, Berlin, Vienna or Petrograd, and greater than between Seattle and Tokio or Yokohama, was wonderful; but to send the recognized voice, part way over the wires and part through the air, was still more wonderful, and was the demonstration of the chiefest use that will probably attach to the wireless as amplifying and supplementing, not substituting the wire system and bring into communication ships, islands and places which could not otherwise be reached. Your work has brought us one long step nearer to our ideal—'A Universal System.'"

"As you will see from this," continued Mr. Vail, "it is clear that wireless will never substitute or supplant the wire systems but will greatly amplify and extend their usefulness. It is humanitarian rather than commercial but it is useful in that it makes conversation possible between places and moving objects that could not be connected by wire. As with wireless telegraphy, it will probably be dependable enough except as outlined above."

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NOTICE TO OUR READERS.

For the past five years The Record has seldom—if at all—said anything to anyone about paying for their paper. This was due to the extreme leanness of these years. Now that prosperity has hit this country and especially Mitchell county, where everybody has money, we want to make a special appeal to our readers to come to our relief and pay for their paper. We have at least 1,500 names on our list that are from one to five years behind. If all these would pay up this fall we could pay our debts. Please look at the label on your paper and come in and leave us one to three dollars out of your 12c cotton. We will look for you all next week.

The Colorado Record has rounded out its first decade and according to the editor's own words enters upon the eleventh lap under more favorable conditions and more entrenched in the confidence of its clientele than ever. The Reporter offers congratulations to its esteemed contemporary on the marked success which has been achieved in the Colorado field. The Record has always been one of the best papers in Texas. It stands for the right and is not afraid to tell the people what it thinks on all questions where the public is entitled to know its views. It is not a wonder that the Record is published in one of the most modern printing plants in the west and that the people of Colorado count it among their most valuable assets.—Abilene Reporter.

Not since the city of Colorado was re-incorporated has there been witnessed such an epidemic of cleaning up premises, making lawns, painting and general furnishing up all round.

WHO, THAT OLD MAN!

However cheery the younger generation—male and female—may feel about its sophistication and precocious accomplishments, the attainment has been at the expense of its better nature. The younger people of today remind this writer of nothing so much as of a mushroom town in a desert country—of quick construction, cheap material, lurid paint, lacking the perspective of sacred associations and the stability of inherited traditions. In no way does this latter day "wisdom" of the young express itself so brutally as its lack of reverence for parents and respect for those older than themselves.

This disintegration of that standard of veneration and respect inbred in the children of former generations, was emphasized this week by hearing a young man of about 18 years, whose English was an offense against the pure food and drug act, refer to a gentleman about 45 years of age, as "That Old Man." This flippant remark suggested to our mind the query: When does one become old?

There are men and women far along in years—walking down the western slope where the shadows lengthen towards evening—who are eager and alert of spirit, happy, constructive thinking and forward looking, with faith undimmed and their zest of life unabated. These people are not old. There is in them a foregleam of immortal life. Years have piled up behind them, but they have kept faith in their kind, their feelings buoyant, their sympathies active and interest in life fresh and vivid.

No progress in nature is more beautiful than to see men and women grow old contentedly and with good spirits, their hearts aglow with the soft light of eventide and glory of the star-crowned night. It is not strange that such people enjoy the authority of influence and counsel, wisdom and prophecy, which Cicero held to be the trophies of Age. As Plato said in his Republic, "Old age has a great sense of freedom and serenity," which he attributed to their tempers and characters. It is the quality and not the quantity of life that counts for most.

The fact that one has lived three score years and ten, is no intimation that he is either good or wise. Many people are as foolish in age as in youth. Time alone brings neither honor nor wisdom, and doubly foolish is he who, living to grow old, has not learned the priceless value of virtue and wisdom of love. When we are young we draw checks on the bank of the future and make heavy drafts upon our inheritance of health, happiness and industry, which come back to us discounted or refused for lack of funds.

When we are old we draw our checks on the bank of the Past. Whether they are cashed or not depends on how thrifty we have been in laying up a deposit where moth and rust do not corrupt, nor thieves break through and steal. More precious than hoarded gold or bonds, is a wise faith purged by trial and suffering; a conscience void of offense; the memory of years spent in purity, honor and service. When one comes to the end, the only thing one does not regret and would not recall, are the kind words spoken and the little deeds done in the service of God and one's fellows.

With the mellowing of life, there comes a deeper sense of the universal kinship of things. Age makes little of human differences and sets greater store by the great common fellowship of all created things, seeing many ties of union where Youth could see only discord. Work also, takes on a new aspect with lengthened years. Old men do not feel that the universe rests upon their shoulders, or like Hamlet, that they were born to set the world aright. They feel that they must be content to do their little part, trusting fate of the world to Him who worketh in heaven and on earth according to His own omnipotence. If age limits a man, it the clearer sets his bounds within which he can work and get something done before he dies.

And after Age, what? Ever the evening shadows fall; ever there comes a time when even the wisest knows not where he is; ever and even the twilight—and after that the dark. When all the lights of philosophy go out, and only Faith, Hope and Charity remain. There is nothing left but to walk down the western slope, the sun shining in our faces into the evening shadows, trusting in the great Father of us all.

It is the eternal paradox—he who gives his life for the sake of Truth shall find it all anew. The God who made man in His own image will not let him slumber in the dust. Higher vision is not given us to see in the dim country of this world; deeper truth we need not to know.

When a man gets \$10,000,000 for showing another how to burn up \$500,000,000, we have a fetching illustration of modern high finance.—Austin American.

ALL WHICH IS GRIST.

The Record management thanks more than a score of the paper's subscribers for renewals the past week. No paper ever enjoyed a more loyal nor prompter clientele than the Record. Of course the quid pro quo is an indispensable commodity in publishing a newspaper, but the words of appreciation spoken by the majority of its subscribers, have a value far above money in keeping up the tension of the moral fibre of the paper and in spurring on to yet better service. The most familiar commendation is "Find inclosed another dollar; we couldn't get along without the Record." Sharing the fate of all prophets in their home town and district, the Record accumulates quite a handy pile of brickbats in the course of a year, as well as figuratively translated cats and perfervid eggs, delicate compliments from its local subscribers.

One particularly devoted subscriber refers to the paper as the "Weekly Headache"; another no less loyal, as the "Colorado Spasm"; still another caresses it with the endearing epithet of "Colorado Bladder"; quite a respectable number refer to it as "The Colorado Liar," and after cutting out a few log-winded delinquents from the list, they dignified the operation technically as "appendicitis." And so it goes; while the roses sustain us as hidden manna, the brickbats are interpreted by light of the scriptural assertion that the wounds of our friends are precious. We care not what you call it, just so you read it and pay for your own copy; by which token the success and perpetuity of every newspaper ever published is gauged. Come along with your epithets, but don't overlook those humble field, garden and barnyard offerings, wherewith from the days of Benjamin Franklin, ambitious farmers and appreciative citizens looking for office, have been wont to sacrifice upon the needy editor's dinner table.

Howard county is going to improve its public road. Four heavy teams will be purchased together with all necessary implements and kept busy on the roads of that county. That's the doctrine. Mitchell county never made a better dividend paying investment than the making of good roads within its boundaries has proven to be. The progressiveness and prosperity of any county are in direct ratio

to the condition of its public roads and buildings, and by this same standard Mitchell county is only 2-3 efficient; it has splendid roads, a nice tight little jail, but the dilapidated and orphan-like condition of its temple of justice, is a perennial fly in the ointment of our civic pride. The building itself has been the victim of greater injustice than all the miscarriages of the genuine article within its walls.

IT BEATS "HELL"

The terse and vivid definition of war credited to General Tecumseh Sherman, is beaten a city block by that erratic French writer of the last century—Guy de Maupassant, who marvelled that people did not rise up in rebellion against their governments at the word "war." He quoted on this subject "a clever artist in such matters, a slaughtering genius, M. de Moltke," the name of the great German general Gallicised, who claimed that war was a holy and divine institution—a sacred law of nature, etc., which was the Germanic doctrine of 1870, and which seems no whit changed in 1915. Here is how De Maupassant answers him:

"To collect a herd of some one-half million men, march day and night without respite, to think of nothing, study nothing, learn nothing, read nothing, be of no earthly use to anyone, rot with dirt, lie down in mire, live like brutes in a continual besotment, pillage towns, burn villages, ruin nations; then meeting another similar agglomeration of human flesh, rush upon it, shed lakes of blood, cover plains with pounded flesh mingled with muddy and bloody earth; pile up heaps of slain; have arms and legs blown off, brains scattered without benefit to anyone, and perish at the corner of some field while your old parents, your wife and children are dying of hunger; this is what is called not falling into the most hideous materialism!"

"The difference between Henry Ford and William Jennings Bryan," says the Louisville Courier-Journal, "is that Ford is willing to talk about money for peace and Bryan is willing to talk about peace for money."—Austin Statesman.

This is the fall to buy a piano on easy terms and at the lowest price, quality considered. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Advertisement for Calumet Baking Powder. Includes an illustration of a baby's face and a can of Calumet Baking Powder. Text: "Oh Look! I can eat 'em all—they won't hurt me! That's because they're made with Calumet—and that's why they're pure, tempting, tasty, wholesome—that's why they won't hurt any kid." "Received Highest Awards New Cook Book Free—See Slip in Pound Can."

Advertisement for Studebaker cars. Includes an illustration of a Studebaker Forty H.P. Four car. Text: "Forty H. P. Four \$885 —They're Here— Those 1916 Studebakers! Just reached us from the Studebaker factories in Detroit—and they're wonders, too. Ready for you to look over and ride in whenever you like. And if you're going to buy a car, you simply can't lose a minute in coming in to see the new Studebakers. It is one of the handsomest cars you ever laid your eyes on. It's a BIG car—longer—112 inches in wheelbase—extraordinarily roomy for 5-passengers and fitted with two disappearing seats that can be used to make it a most commodious 7-passenger car. And it has GREATLY INCREASED POWER develops 40 horsepower." "Forty H.P. 7 passenger FOUR \$885 is the MOST POWERFUL car for its weight ever built, develops 50 horsepower. Not a 'Little Six' built for the sake of a low price, but a BIG, handsome, stylish and luxurious 7-passenger car, with 122-inch wheelbase and POWER in abundance, and yet splendid design makes it light in weight—less than 3,000 pounds." "Fifty H.P. 7 passenger SIX \$1050 See these 1916 Studebakers. So many low-priced cars have been placed on the market at the sacrifice of quality that we want you to see with your own eyes that a high-grade car CAN be produced at a low price when the manufacturer has the resources and the manufacturing facilities that Studebaker has. The new cars are reduced in price, but the BEST cars Studebaker ever built. Come in at once. Demonstrations at any time." "Studebaker" logo. "BYRON B. BYRNE District and Local Salesman Colorado, Texas"

CHURCHES, CLUBS AND SCHOOLS ENTERTAINMENTS, PARTIES AND SOCIETY'S DOINGS

BY MRS. A. L. WHIPKEY

You will confer a favor upon the Record and the editor of this department if you will 'phone her (No. 157) any announcement or news item.

THE PLEASANT SMILE.

He was not rich in worldly goods;
No office he held;
In no one field it might be said
Of him that he excelled.
He managed but to get along,
To march with rank and file,
And yet he was unique in this—
He had a pleasant smile.

While others careworn faces wore,
He smiled his way through life;
He'd had his share of trouble, too,
Of worldly care and strife;
But somehow furrows never came
That mark the weary mile;
His face a benediction was—
He had a pleasant smile.

He made our burdens lighter seem;
Our worries chased away;
His cheery greeting always made
A brighter, livelier day;
What though he never rose to fame,
Or never made his pile?
A monarch might have envied him—
He had a pleasant smile.

THE CLUBS.

After a pleasant summer vacation the literary clubs began work last week with one new one organized.

Bay View.

The Bay View had a very pleasant social meeting with Mrs. John Moar, Mrs. Geo. W. Smith presiding. All the members except one were present. After all had given their summer reminiscences a musical program was given. Miss Byrd Adams sang a solo that was much enjoyed as did Mrs. Royall Smith. Mrs. Moar and her daughter, Miss Louise, sang a duet that was highly enjoyed. Then Mrs. Rafter read "Mother of Mine" with musical accompaniment which was given by Mr. Dawes. This was enjoyed and she responded with another number that was also enjoyed. Mrs. Moar gave the club song that the club members especially appreciated.

The course of study for this club this year will be Cymbeline, The Mill on the Floss and Current Events. The guests were Mesdames Rafter, Joel Pearson, Misses Byrd Adams and Mary Arbuthnot. Ice cream and cake were served after the program.

Study Club.

This is a new club and starts with eight members. The membership being limited to twelve. The first meeting was with Mrs. V. W. Allen and the officers elected and the course of study mapped out. The officers and members are: Mrs. V. W. Allen, president; Mrs. L. W. Waldo, vice-president; Mrs. D. N. Arnett, Jr., secretary; Mrs. J. L. Allen, parliamentarian; Mrs. R. L. Boren, Mrs. G. C. Rafter, Mrs. C. A. Pierce, Mrs. Jack Smith. They decided to study Browning and Parliamentary Law.

Mrs. V. V. Johnson was a guest. After business a salad course was served by the hostess.

Standard.

The Standard Club held the first meeting of the year with Mrs. W. R. Smith. The answer to roll call being "Current Events" was made unusually interesting by the reading of a let-

ter from Dr. and Mrs. Junge, friends of Mrs. Smith, who are engaged in the Red Cross work in Germany. The greeting of our president, Mrs. Hooper, embodied "Multum in Parvo," being brief, clear and to the point. Mrs. Sherwin gave a "History of the Play," followed by the lesson, Act I, King Henry IV. Two chapters of Australian History finished the study hour. A poem written by Mrs. W. R. Smith on "The Mesquite," a poem of praise of that wonderful drought-resisting 'tree of our West, with its gnarled trunk, deep growing roots and graceful fern-like leaves, was read by Mrs. Coleman during the social hour. After very delightful music by Mrs. Guitart, we were invited to the dining room and most graciously and bountifully served by our hostess and Miss Eleanor Coleman. Hostess next week—Mrs. R. H. Looney.

Hesperian.

The Hesperians met with Mrs. S. O. Wulfjen, each member being allowed one guest and the president and hostess several. The house was gay with cosmos and goldenrod. The verse at the beginning of the program, "Autumn is Here, We Cull His Lingering Flowers," seemed especially appropriate. The program was begun with a piano duet by Mrs. Winn and Mrs. Edgar Majors. This was followed by the retiring president, Mrs. J. R. Collier, with her Retrospect. In this she paid loving tribute to her officers and each member of the club. Then she took as a text the club constitution and by-laws and preached a sermonette upon their enforcement, which if followed will greatly lighten the work of the presiding officer. Mrs. Ratliff in her address gave many practical thoughts. She urged that all branches of federated work be attended to properly by its committee, letting each woman thus specialize upon the work she most enjoys. She stressed doing one thing well. Mrs. Jackson gave a piano solo. Miss Dry gave one of Samantha Allens' delightful readings, "Selling a Feller," which was greatly appreciated, her encore was "The Fidgets." The hostess, to gether with her sister, Mrs. Shelton, Mrs. Winn, Mrs. Majors and Misses Madden and Wulfjen served ice cream with delicious black and white cake to about forty ladies. The meeting this week is with Mrs. Winn.

WOMAN'S HEAD is level and her judgment good when she puts her faith in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. There is no beauty without good health. No body expects to become really beautiful from the use of complexion beautifiers. Bright eyes, clear skin, and rosy cheeks, follow the use of the "Prescription."

All women require a tonic and nerve at some period of their lives. Whether suffering from nervousness, dizziness, faintness, displacement, catarrhal inflammation, bearing-down sensations, or general debility, the "Prescription" is sure to benefit.

Mrs. JULIA A. Doss, of Paris, Texas, says: "I was in bad health, was suffering from weak and nervous spells, and tried several kinds of medicines but got no relief until I took Favorite Prescription. I found that it did me more good than anything I ever took. It cured me."

500 Club.

Miss Nell Ruth Arnett was hostess for the 500 Club at Mrs. Floyd Beal's Tuesday. Mrs. J. Holt won the club prize and Mrs. Bell the guest prize. A delicious two-course luncheon was served.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Little Anna Elizabeth Looney celebrated her fifth birthday at her grandmother Looney's on last Thursday. Twelve little girls were guests and each brought an appropriate gift. Games were played and the birthday cake with its five candles was admired. Ice cream and cake were served by Miss Looney. A very pleasant time was had by all.

HONORING MRS. DUDLEY ARNETT.

Mrs. D. N. Arnett, Jr., honored Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Arnett Saturday evening with a few friends to play 500, followed by a course supper.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S RALLY.

Following is the program of the Young People's Rally at the Methodist church Sunday, at 4 p. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Leader—W. P. Leslie.
Opening Song.
Song.
Scripture Lesson—Clois King.
General Comments on Scripture.
Prayer—Rev. R. A. Clements.
Quartet—Misses Winnie Crockett, Carrie Mae Mitchell, Lula Mae Dulaney, Ethel Dyras.
Reading—Mrs. S. H. Cromer.
Address—"Rewards of Faithful Service"—Mr. C. D. Judd.
Duet—Messrs. Walters and Payne.
Remarks by Leader.
Closing Song and Benediction.

Elsie Janis plays "Betty in Search of a Thrill" in the spirit of an exuberant, madcap little romp, which is exactly the way in which the fascinating heroine should be played. Whether it be making faces at the watchful nun, or sliding down the banisters in an evening gown, or giving one of the finest exhibitions of stage dancing ever seen on the screen, or dressing up in boy's clothes, or hopping on and off a five-ton truck going thirty miles an hour, or swimming a lagoon with her clothes on—Elsie Janis seems right in her element—enjoying every minute of it—and making you enjoy every minute of it, too.

Opera House Friday night, Oct. 15.

Mrs. Housewife. Did you get your laundry done successfully at home last week? We are sure you did not and we again invite you to send your family washings to us and make sure of having them washed and dried and ready to use. The Laundry.

Married—Sunday afternoon, by Rev. W. L. Williamson at the Baptist parsonage, Mr. T. P. Marshall and Miss Espie Falkner. Mr. Marshall is recently from Oklahoma and is a young man of sterling character and business ability. Miss Espie was reared in the Spade community and is loved by all who know her. The Record congratulates the happy couple and wishes for them an overflowing measure of life's highest blessings.

FOR INDIGESTION.

Never take pepsin and preparations containing pepsin or other digestive ferments for indigestion, as the more you take the more you will have to take. What is needed is a tonic like Chamberlain's Tablets that will enable the stomach to perform its functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere.

A PRETTY WEDDING

A pretty fall wedding took place Monday evening, September 27, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Atkins, when Miss Rowena Grady was wedded to Mr. William Dudley Arnett.

The house was beautifully decorated in white and pink. In the parlor by the library table beautiful ferns and cut flowers defined the bridal positions.

At 7:30 o'clock preceding the entrance of the bridal party, Mrs. Dick Connally sweetly sang "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Mrs. Tom Maris. To the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march by Mrs. Maris came Miss Rose Grady, the bride's sister and Mr. George Granville Johnson, the best man, followed by the bride and groom.

The beautiful and impressive ring service was then read by Rev. McCain in the presence of a large circle of friends and relatives.

After the ceremony, good wishes and congratulations, a beautiful supper march was played and the bridal party and guests marched to the dining room where they found the bride's cake of pure white given the place of honor by the punch bowl. During the probing of the bride's cake by the guests Mesdames Atkins and Ike Clark offered the punch cup.

The bride wore a handsome tailored suit of African brown broadcloth with fur trimming, hat and accessories to harmonize. She carried an arm bouquet of pink roses.

Miss Rose wore a white net over satin with white d'esprit lace trimming and carried pink roses.

The popularity of the couple was shown by the large collection of wedding gifts, including cut glass, silver and linen.

At the appointed hour the bridal party left by automobiles for the station—as Mr. and Mrs. Arnett were to leave on the 5 o'clock train for the golden west, where they will make their future home on the Arnett ranch near Lubbock.

At the station a jolly crowd of friends with rice and old shoes were awaiting them.

As the train was slowly moving out the bride threw her bouquet and it was caught by her sister, Miss Rose Grady. The bride is one of Rosebud's most popular girls, having been reared here, and will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends.

The groom is a prominent young ranchman of Meadow, Texas.—Rosebud News.

"Dud" was born and reared in Colorado. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Arnett and is well known here. The Record joins his many friends in wishing him and his bride a long, prosperous and happy life.

Mr. H. C. Watson, of Maypearl, father of W. E. Watson, has moved to Mitchell county and will live on the latter's farm northeast of town. With such good citizens does the county continue to fill.

A ten-pound baby girl came into the home of Thos. McGuire and Wednesday in the Buford community last Wednesday morning. Dr. Phenix standing sponsor.

A large crowd of Coloradans attended the Sells-Floto circus at Sweetwater yesterday.

Judge C. H. Earnest returned from Cisco Tuesday where he had been under the treatment of a specialist.

Chicago women are wearing watches on their garters instead of on their ankles. That furnishes a better excuse.—Rochester (N. Y.) Herald.

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PANTALETES ARRIVE; WOMAN SAYS, "AWFUL!"

New York City.—Out of war-torn France has come—not the usual things that come out of battle-stricken countries—but pants for women, or pantalettes, the epithet depending on your degree of culture. Some people call 'em bifurcated nether garments. Be that as it may, they're here. They blew in like a rushing gale, and have left New York gasping.

Persons of both sexes literally fought to get into a downtown department store where six willowly creatures paraded up and down displaying them—and other things not listed. Pantalettes, be it known, are long, fastened at the waist and extending to the shoe tops, with a small glaring edge of fur peeping shyly from beneath the street skirt. Blue, green, yellow, crimson, they are.

Reporter Inspects Exhibit. An enterprising reporter strayed into the show, and with a sudden burst of genius tabulated the first six exclamations that greeted the first model as she floated down the gauntlet of eyes. Here they are:

"Awful!" commented the lady who weighed 300 pounds.

"Divine!" murmured a young thing with a shape.

"Henry, you come with me!" said a florid one to a small-statured husband.

"Delightfully practical!" murmured a business woman.

"Fine!" commented a sleek looking individual who parted his hair in the middle.

"Oh!" hissed a demure young creature.

Coming out, the reporter asked Mary, the newspaper vendor, who was disposing of her papers in front of the building, what she thought about them.

"Pantalettes!" blankly queried Mary. "Oh, I don't know nothing about it, I don't read half these things I sell."

Officials at the show, however, are confident they have come to stay. "Of course, they'll be laughed at for a while—until the American women find out how comfortable they are," said the head of the department. "So was the 'hobble skirt.'"

To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents.

Meet me at Jake's Restaurant.

MRS. POWERS DIES.

Mrs. E. M. Powers, who lived twelve miles north of Cisco, died last Tuesday at 12 o'clock and was buried in the Cisco cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

Our readers will remember the report in last week's Round-Up of the serious illness of Mrs. Powers and the death of her grand-daughter, Miss Bettie Alexander, who were poisoned from eating food left sitting in a tin vessel and news of whose illness was conveyed to friends by a dog around whose neck a note had been tied. The ladies lived alone on Mrs. Powers' farm.

It is needless to say that the bereaved relatives have the sympathy of the entire county in the tragic death of their loved ones.—Cisco Round-Up.

Mrs. Powers was the mother of Mrs. W. A. Dulin of this city, to whom the sympathy of all her friends goes out in her bereavement.

25 CENTS DESTROYS YOUR DANDRUFF AND STOPS FALLING HAIR.

Save Your Hair! Make it Thick, Wavy and Beautiful—Try This.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness; but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Murphy's Comedians will play here all of next week in a big waterproof tent.

Three sixteen-foot flies have been carried from the rear of my office without my receiving pay. Please see me. E. Keathley.

Worth Coming Miles to See Our Styles and Get Our Prices

We crave the opportunity of being in every home in Mitchell and Nolan Counties, to inform every family that we now have on hand the greatest assortment and the lowest price that we have ever known in our thirty years' experience in business. It is a fact that we spent months in searching for these special bargains that we have in store for you this fall. It is reasonable that cotton goods should be cheap for the farmers did not get very little for their last year's crop. We are sincere in saying so. We urge every family to buy liberally of the goods we now have on hand for it is a fact that they must and will advance in the near future in accordance with the prices of present cotton and it may be that again for years you can not buy goods as cheap as you now can from us. The goods we have on hand are made of cotton bought for 6c to 8c. The next will be from 12c cotton. We know you will be interested in the many desirable values we are offering. You can feel sure that our merchandise so worthy, our prices so fair, our service to customers so thoroughly satisfactory that if you give us the opportunity once of furnishing your needs we will be certain of your future patronage. We name you a few specials.

Coat Suits

We have specials for this week. A job lot of Ladies' Coat Suits, regular price \$15.00 to \$20.00. This week \$6.00.

Cotton Flannel

The greatest bargain we have ever offered in a Bleached Cotton Flannel, usually 8 1-3c per yard. This week 5c per yard.

Percales

A job lot in light colored Percales, regular 10c values. This week 6 1-2c.

Outing

We have an especially good value in Outing this week for 5c per yard. Regular 10c Outing for 8 1-3c. 12 1-2c Outing for 10c.

Sheeting

Regular 10-4 Brown and Bleached Sheetings, this week all go for 25c per yard. 9-4 Sheetings for 20c per yard.

Blankets and Comforts

A large and complete stock of Blankets and Comforts. From 60c to \$5.00 per pair.

Special This Week

Prepare for the cold waves for they are coming. A complete stock Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats at a special price this week, and a Hat will be given with every suit sold this week.

Underwear

To fit the great and the small. We will give FREE with every garment of Underwear sold this week, prices ranging from 50c up, a pair of ladies' or gent's 15c Hose.

Men's and Boys' Sweaters

A special line this week of Men's 65c Sweaters for 35c. Boys' Sweaters, 50c sellers, this week for 25c.

Bath Towels

A bargain this week on Bath Towels, two for 25c.

Dress Goods

Woolens, Silks, Poppins, Repps, Crepes. All buying Dress Goods this week to the amount of \$1.00 or upwards will be given a 10 per cent discount.

The Three Big Bargain Stores Of West Texas

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LORAIN COLORADO ROSCOE

WESTBROOK WRINKLES.

Mrs. J. L. Felker has returned from a visit to Courtney.

Miss Ruby Branson has gone to some point in the west where she will be a governess.

Mrs. Gilbert, who lives on the McEntire ranch, spent several days last week with her sister Mrs. Felker.

Mr. Will Smith and family, of Wise county, came in Friday morning. They visited the families of Jno. T. Smith and Tom Gilliam.

The K K K Club met with Miss Myrtle Johnson last Thursday afternoon. The attendance was small on account of the inclement weather.

Mr. Dunkleman, of Colorado, was a business visitor in our midst several days last week.

Mr. Claude Hooks spent Sunday in our community.

Thursday night burglars entered the stores of Smith and Slaton. Mr. Mitchell and the drug store. It is not known just how much was taken by them, although it was no great amount.

On Friday afternoon Miss Ola Thompson honored her pupils with a picnic at Morgan Peak. Each pupil invited several friends and quite a nice crowd went in wagons.

Friday night was the opening session of the Methodist quarterly conference at this place. Several visitors were in our midst.

RUB RHEUMATIC PAIN FROM ACHING JOINTS.

Rub Pain Right Out With Small Trial Bottle of Old "St. Jacobs Oil"

Stop "dosing" rheumatism. It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right on the "tender spot."

Mr. and Mrs. Cope and Miss Marie, of Iatan, attended service here Sunday. Rev. Smith, of Colorado, preached at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Hull, of Abilene, preached at the Baptist church Sunday night. Bro. Hull will preach again Saturday before the third Sunday, Sunday morning and night.

Mr. A. Petty was a business visitor in Colorado last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Page motored over to Colorado Sunday afternoon.

We will pay you cash for your hens, fryers and eggs.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. Newt Patterson, of Mansfield, is spending the fall with his sister, Mrs. Willis King.

Mr. Z. T. Lasseter is putting in a new stock of groceries.

Mr. Nelson, of Delta county, came in this week on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Padgett.

Several of the Rogers people were in our midst Sunday.

Mr. Venable, of Colorado, was over on business last week.

Mr. Preface Strickland spent Sunday in the country.

A norther struck us Monday morning about day. With the fair weather cotton picking will be good and no time will be lost in gathering it and the gins will be kept busy.

RECOMMENDS CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

"Last winter I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a bad bronchial cough. I felt its beneficial effect immediately and before I had finished the bottle I was cured. I never tire of recommending this remedy to my friends."

LORAIN NEWS ITEMS.

Mrs. Lon Holliday and Mrs. J. D. Norris, Jr., of Brownlee, were in Monday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Thomason, who formerly lived here, but now of Cottonwood, were visiting old friends the earlier part of the week.

White Crest flour keeps the cook in good humor. Buy one sack and be satisfied.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. Smith Browning, a former resident of Loraine, but now of East Texas, is visiting J. S. Vine and family this week.

Mr. Elsie Groves, of Westbrook, was busy here Monday.

Miss Sallie Neely, of Roscoe, was visiting here Friday.

Buy an oil stove from us and cut your fuel bill. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Miss Irene Roerts, of Coahoma, was a guest in the T. R. Bennett home this week.

Messrs. R. T. Berry and W. B. Wallis assisted Mr. W. C. Coon in distributing the R. R. mail during the bad weather of last week.

Mrs. W. A. Pendergrass entertained a few of the younger set on Saturday evening.

Mrs. W. F. Altman was the lucky winner of the prize for suggesting the best name for the Garland-Elliott drug store, which will be called The G. E. Drug Store.

For the cash we will sell you a buggy cheap. Come and see.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. Mart Black, of Comanche, is visiting his brother, C. M. Black, and family.

Mr. J. D. Clark, of Carlton, was busy here the earlier part of the week.

Miss Lela Bennett spent Sunday with home folks in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith received news from Miles this week that their friend Mr. Thomas Harris was seriously injured by his horse falling on him.

Mr. J. D. Norwood, of Wichita Falls, came in this week to visit his mother and his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Grantland visited their son in Colorado Monday.

Miss Rhoda Hastings, of Colorado, has accepted a position with the Southwestern Telephone Co.

Just unloaded car White Crest flour, the best to be had.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fairbairn were busy in Colorado Monday.

Messrs. Tim Garland and Barna Haney made a quick trip to Roscoe Sunday.

Miss Ethel Gregg left Monday for McCauley to visit Miss Vesta Peacock. Mrs. Harry Hall has returned from Midland.

Dr. Buchanan, specialist, from Big Springs, was busy here Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Thomas has returned to her home at Artesia, New Mexico, after visiting her father and family for the past month.

For the cash we will sell you a buggy cheap. Come and see.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. Bruce Phenix, of Colorado, has been appointed mail carrier for Route A.

Dr. Henthorne and family, of Colorado, were over a few hours Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Faulkenberry has returned from South Texas and will make his home here again.

Rev. A. C. Miller held services at the Baptist church Sunday.

Rev. W. B. Cypert, of Merkel, held services at the Christian church Sunday.

Miss Isophene Toler made a trip to Hermleigh Friday and Saturday in the interest of the Loraine Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Altman and baby visited Mrs. Altman's mother in Roscoe Sunday, who is quite sick.

You can buy a set of skeleton wagon harness for \$16.00 at Colorado Mercantile Co.

During the high wind storm Monday Mr. S. W. Altman was carrying a large window pane across the street and the wind whirled it around suddenly, striking him and breaking it and driving a piece of it into his right leg which necessitated the assistance of a doctor to remove it, leaving a deep flesh wound which the doctor thinks will soon heal.

Mr. J. P. Turner has rented the old Howell building and is putting in fixtures and fixing it up for a first-class cafe where he will serve the public in his best way.

Buy an oil stove from us and cut your fuel bill. Colorado Mercantile Co.

The W. M. S. will hold open session on Sunday night at the Methodist church. Rev. Griswold, the presiding elder from Sweetwater, will be present. The following program will be

rendered: Opening song—I Need Thee Every Hour; Scripture Reading—Mrs. W. L. Edmonson; Song—I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go; Prayer—Rev. C. E. Jameson; Quartette; Why Every Woman Should Be a Member of the Missionary Society—Mrs. Merritt, of Colorado; Solo; Talk—Mrs. Permitter, of Big Springs; Solo; Closing Remarks by pastor.

Mr. Herman Finley has accepted a position as assistant bookkeeper for the Loraine Mercantile Co.

Mr. Herman Richards has returned from Tyler where he has been taking a business course.

Miss Doris Mullen visited in Roscoe Wednesday and Thursday and took in the fair.

You can buy a set of skeleton wagon harness for \$16.00 at Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. T. J. Glover, of Dallas, was busy here Wednesday.

Mr. Claude Neely took in the Roscoe Fair on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Altman are enjoying the pleasures of riding in a new 1916 model Maxwell.

Mr. L. L. Jarrett, of Roscoe, was a Sunday visitor.

The Baptists have called Rev. Burgess, of Roscoe, as pastor for the church here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pickens, of Colorado, were Sunday visitors.

White Crest flour keeps the cook in good humor. Buy one sack and be satisfied.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. W. R. Charters, of Colorado, was busy here Wednesday a few hours.

Molly Bailey and her famous show will be here on Monday the 11th.

Mr. W. H. Anderson and family, of Hermleigh, motored down for a few hours Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thompson and little daughter, of Hermleigh, were here Sunday visiting their parents.

Miss Susie Bird left Wednesday for Denison where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Shirley.

Mrs. Homer Smith is assisting in Brown's store again this week.

Mr. Morman and family have moved to the country.

We have full line stove boards, stove pipe, elbow and T joints. Colorado Mercantile Co.

Misses Bettie and Bell Parker, of Dublin, arrived Tuesday and will make their home here.

Mrs. Marvin White and children returned to Snyder Wednesday.

The Philomath Club will hold their first regular meeting with Mrs. M. D. Cranfill on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, beginning their new course of study with Norway and Holland.

Mrs. M. Reynolds is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Osburne, in Snyder, this week.

Steel traps! Steel traps! All sizes and a full stock. Colorado Mercantile Co.

The Mothers' and Teachers' Club held a call meeting at the school auditorium on Friday afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock. They are planning to give a Halloween party at the school house on that night. A nice program will be rendered and a jolly good time prepared for all.

Miss Ethel Gregg is visiting her friend Miss Neta Peacock at McCauley this week.

An Old Kentucky Home Since I Began Taking Peruna I Weigh 120 Pounds for the First Time in My Life. My former weight was 102 lbs. My Mother who is 76 Years Old Had Grown so Weak She could scarcely walk. She also took Peruna and is fleshier and looking well.

SHIPPED WHISKEY OUT IN COFFINS.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 2.—T. C. Betterton, general manager and secretary and treasurer of a local coffin and casket company and a police commissioner, was arrested here today charged with violating the federal statute by shipping whiskey enclosed in coffins. Warrants were also served on two of the employes of the coffin factory. It has been the custom, it is charged, of putting whiskey in with coffin purchases.

OUR JITNE OFFER—THIS AND 50.

Don't miss this. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup. Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. For sale by W. L. Doss.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Alias Execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Mitchell County, on the 2nd day of October, 1915, by M. C. Ratliff, Justice of the Peace of said court, for the sum of One Hundred Sixty-four 12-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at rate of 10 per cent per annum from January 25, 1915 until paid and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of G. B. Coughran in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2894 and styled G. B. Coughran vs. T. B. Porter and J. N. Porter, placed in my hands for service, I, A. W. Cooksey, as Sheriff of Mitchell County, Texas, did, on the 2nd day of October, 1915, levy on certain real estate, situated in Mitchell County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lots 7, 8, and 9, in Block 5 and Lots 15, 16, 17 and 18 in Block 6, both said Blocks being in White's Residence Division or Addition to said town of Loraine, in Mitchell County, Texas, according to plat of said division now on record in Vol. 16, Page 600 of the Deed Records of Mitchell County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said defendant T. B. Porter, and that on the first Tuesday in November, 1915, the same being the 2nd day of

said month, at the Courthouse door, of Mitchell County, in the Town of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Alias Execution I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said T. B. Porter. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell County. Witness my hand, this 2nd day of October, 1915. A. W. COOKSEY, Sheriff Mitchell Co., Texas.



A Bell Telephone Always a Friend in Need In case of sickness or accident, the doctor can be summoned by telephone in less time than it takes to harness a horse. If he is some distance away, he can give instructions over the telephone that may save a life. It is a time-saver when time is most valuable.

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THE GODDESS

By CHARLES GODDARD and
GOUVERNEUR MORRIS

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SYNOPSIS.

Professor Stilliter, psychologist and Gordon Barclay, millionaire, plan to preach to the world the gospel of efficiency through a young and beautiful woman who shall believe that she is a heaven-sent messenger. They kidnap the orphaned little Amesbury girl, playmate of Tommy Steele, and conceal her in a cavern, in care of a woman, to be molded to their plan as she grows up. Fifteen years elapse. Tommy is adopted by Barclay, but loses his heirship and on a hunting trip discovers Celestia. Stilliter takes Celestia to New York. Tommy follows, she gets away from both of them, and her real work begins. At Barclay's invitation she meets the business barons who are converted to her new gospel. She makes an impression on the society world. Tommy joins the labor ranks. Tommy plays Joseph to the wife of a modern Potiphar and is rescued from a lynching party by Celestia. She prevents a massacre of strikers, and settles the strike. Mrs. Gundorf and Mary Blackstone conspire to kill her. Stilliter, to use his hypnotic power treacherously, Barclay begins a campaign for the presidential nomination and Celestia spreads her propaganda of efficiency as Barclay's platform. Tommy opposes her and Mary Blackstone plots her death.

THIRTEENTH INSTALLMENT

THE PROFESSOR'S TREACHERY.

Presently Celestia's breathing sounded slow and regular. "She's asleep," thought Mrs. Gundorf, "the time has come," and she began cautiously to edge herself out sideways from under the bed. But Celestia was not quite asleep and the noise Mrs. Gundorf made waked her, and just as Mrs. Gundorf was beginning to rise from the floor, Celestia slipped from the bed, eluded a hand that clutched at her dress, snatched from the bureau a heavy silver hand-mirror, the only weapon of defense that was in sight, and darted into the observation compartment.

In the center of the place was a heavy table covered with periodicals; behind this Celestia took her stand, ready, like a child playing tag, to dodge in either direction. Her eyes, wildly excited, but fearless, strove to meet and master the eyes of her assailant, but could not, so bound was Mrs. Gundorf by the knowledge that she must look anywhere but at those eyes.

Mrs. Gundorf was at a disadvantage. Not much older than Celestia, she was heavier, less alert, and she dared not make a full use of her eyes. Her face averted, so that with the tails of her eyes she only had partial glimpses of Celestia, her rushes were more or less at random. Once she threw herself headlong half across the table and stabbed, as a snake strikes—only to find that she had miscalculated the distance entirely.

There was another pause. "Why do you want to hurt me?" asked Celestia. "Why won't you look at me?"

Mrs. Gundorf's only answer was another rush. Celestia threw a chair in her way and once more succeeded in keeping the heavy table between them.

She was getting angry. What right had anyone to chase her with a knife? If the woman would only look at her! Mrs. Gundorf, thwarted, and murderous was nonplused at the ease with which, so far, Celestia had eluded her. Her eyes, downcast, had for their momentary range of vision a pile of reviews just in front of Celestia, and a portion of Celestia's dress.

Quick as thought Celestia laid the hand-mirror with which she had armed herself face up upon the pile of reviews, and, behold, in the depths of the shining refractor the eyes of the two women had met at last. With a great effort to collect her swimming senses, Mrs. Gundorf jerked her head up and found herself looking into the eyes themselves. Catastrophe was upon her; she had no longer the power to look away.

"At least," said Celestia, "you shall go away thinking that you have done what you came to do—Celestia, who has done you no harm in this world, but whom you wish to stab to death with that knife, is asleep on her bed in her stateroom. She is very tired and very sound asleep; still you must move cautiously."

And Mrs. Gundorf, her eyes fixed and dead, but the rest of her features wearing a horrible, grotesque, tip-toed advance toward the open door of Celestia's stateroom. Then, in her hypnotized brain, she seemed to see Celestia asleep upon her bed; and then she was driving her knife many times to the hilt in the beautiful white breast.

"Once more for luck," said Celestia with a kind of awful grimace, "make it a baker's dozen. Thirteen, now she's dead. Into the bathroom and get the blood off your hands and off the knife. The left-hand tap is the hot water. Hurry! There is no time to lose."

So Mrs. Gundorf hurried and hurried and washed and washed, and Celestia stood grimly by and looked on.

"It is curious that it doesn't all come off, but then there was such a lot of it. Try the pumice stone, try that little bottle; it's for removing ink stains. I'm afraid it's no use—you'll always see those spots on the hand that held the knife. You'll really have

to go now. Someone is sure to come, and you'll be caught."

She accompanied Mrs. Gundorf, now quaking with terror, horror and remorse, to the rear platform of the car.

"You'll hide in the woods at first," said Celestia. "Do you see that star? Follow it, for an hour—then you'll wake up. But you will remember that you have murdered an innocent person. There will be blood on your hand to remind you. If there was another, or others who set you on to do this thing, you can report to them that the thing has been done."

Then Mrs. Gundorf hurried down the steps of the platform, round the main line of rails, glancing furtively about her, and disappeared into the night and the forest.

Celestia dined all alone that night, and went to bed soon after, utterly exhausted, after locking the door of the observation car and of her own stateroom for the first time in her life.

At midnight a locomotive was attached to the snow-white train and it was drawn slowly on its way deeper into the heart of the north woods.

Soon after the train had started Professor Stilliter entered Celestia's car from his own, and after playing a well-oiled pass-key, stood looking down at the darkness where she lay.

Presently he touched the button of an electric torch and her face shone brightly in the circle of radiance. Then with his free hand Professor Stilliter began to make caressing passes over the smooth white forehead, up and down, and across and across, never touching it, but always so close that his hand had a sensation of warmth.

After a while Celestia passed from natural to hypnotic sleep; her eyes opened partially and had no expression in them.

"Tomorrow, Celestia, dear," whispered Professor Stilliter, "when your work is done, when you have spoken to the people, you are to go back to that heaven from which you came. You will say that you wish to go for an automobile ride in the forest. At five o'clock there will be a motor ready and waiting. You will enter this, refusing to be accompanied by anyone, and you will do exactly what the driver tells you. I had planned our elopement for tonight, but there was a difficulty about the license."

He bent over her as if to kiss her, but something at the very last moment seemed to restrain him.

"Sleep, now, darling," he said; "the other sleep, the sleep of nature that makes us all over again between days."

He tiptoed out, closed the door of her stateroom behind him, locked it, turned and received a smashing blow in the face. He gave a grunt of fear and pain and heard his eye-glasses smash to pieces as they hit the floor of the car.

For a long time he had been in the habit of carrying two spare pairs in leather cases, one in each of his waistcoat pockets; he now reached for one of these, and it was knocked from his hand, as he strove to ward another blow from his face—after the blow had landed.

Guarding his face and head with one upturned arm and elbow, and breathing fast with fear and excitement, Professor Stilliter sought and found the door of the passage that led to the other end of the car, and succeeded in placing it between himself and his assailant. Then, groping with both hands, and in his blindness bumping from side to side of the brightly-lighted passage, he turned and fled.

Meanwhile Freddie the Ferret picked up the broken pieces of Professor Stilliter's glasses and threw them into a cuspidor. Perceiving the leather case containing the second pair lying where it had fallen, he picked it up, and after a moment's hesitation, opened it, slipping the glasses into his pocket (he thought there might be a reward offered for them), snapped the heavy case shut, and laid it in a prominent position on the center table.

Then he began to wonder what everything was all about anyway. He himself had no business in the observation car without invitation; but he had an excellent excuse. He had almost missed the train, had just managed to swing on the rear car, and since he was one to whom no simple lock offered any difficulty, had let himself in. He had been on the point of passing through the train to his own quarters forward when it had seemed to him that it would be a glorious thing to stand guard all night before Celestia's door like one of those knights of old of whom he had just been reading in a book which, according to Freddie's judgment, was half glory and half animosity.

There was only one light burning very low in the observation car. Freddie turned this out and started to stand guard in front of Celestia's door. And a while he moved further off and sat guard, and then slept quiet. Then he heard something moving, and with-

out thinking, for he was still half asleep, attacked that thing, and as he would have said himself, "made a monkey of it."

Discovering now that his victim had been Professor Stilliter, who had only come, probably, to fetch a magazine or something of that sort, Freddie was in mortal terror. It would have comforted him greatly could he have known that Professor Stilliter was equally frightened.

One thing was sure, Freddie mustn't be discovered in the morning. So he made his way forward to his own quarters, his teeth knocking together with fear of Professor Stilliter, but encountering nothing more dangerous than a number of negro porters sound asleep.

The next morning Professor Stilliter recovered the leather case which he imagined to contain what was now his one remaining pair of extra glasses, and without opening it slipped it into his waistcoat pocket.

The glasses themselves were, of course, in the Ferret's possession; throughout the day he kept his ears open in the hope that a reward would be offered for their return. None was, and presently, in his usual happy-go-lucky way, he had forgotten all about them.

Through the night, now standing by the hour on sidings, now at water tanks, now crawling forward, the snow-white train had covered the few miles which separated its last stop from the chief city of the north woods, which was to see the finish of Celestia's "upstate" campaign.

An energetic tramp walking the ties could have covered the distance in about a quarter of the time.

Less than midway between the last stop of the snow-white train and the chief city of the north woods was Tommy's old stamping ground, and the cave in which Celestia had been brought up.

Tommy, traveling through the night at first on a bicycle, along the ties, and then on foot, knowing now that there was a cave to be found, and

To get away—to hide in the woods—to escape to Canada—anywhere for a respite—nothing else seemed to matter to them.

Some man tried to oppose Tommy's entrance to the observation end of Celestia's car, only to be thrown so violently to one side that he realized he had encountered a force with which he could not cope. And Tommy, half-dead with grief and rage, burst into the car and found himself face to face with Celestia.

She was standing and appeared to be in the best of health; but she had a dazed look, or rather an inattentive look. She did not seem to resent Tommy's violent intrusion in the least, nor to be surprised at it, nor to express any other emotion. The clock in the car indicated a few minutes to five.

"I am going for a drive," said Celestia, in an expressionless voice. "Is the car there?"

"Yes, the car is there," said Tommy.

"I have to go at five o'clock."

She neither looked at Tommy nor spoke to him, but as the clock began to strike five she hurried out on the rear platform, descended to the ground, and crossed the down track to a large black touring car that was waiting at the side of the road, the engine turning slowly.

The driver of the car, a dark man heavily goggled, sprang to the door for Celestia. Freddie the Ferret, who was hanging about, also sprang to perform the same office, with the result that this small service for their Goddess fell to the lot of Tommy. At least he was the one to get his hand on the doorknob. But he did not at once open the door. Celestia's behavior was so strange that he thought she must be ill. While he hesitated, the driver said: "Here—one side!"

"Are you speaking to me?" asked Tommy icily.

"What do you want mixing in this?" said the driver. Tommy did not answer, but said to Celestia:

"I wouldn't go alone with this man. Why not take me to look after you?"



Found Herself Looking into Celestia's Eyes.

about where to look for it, had discovered the entrance thereto, just at dawn, and had penetrated deep enough to discover certain traces of human habitation and deceit.

Of these last he selected a tarnished metal star that had once shone like gold, and put it in his pocket.

Further into the labyrinthine system of caverns he dared not penetrate, for fear of being lost, but sought a hotel for rest. The rest turned into the same kind of rest that a fallen tree enjoys. He slept like a log on his narrow bed, and was aroused late in the afternoon by a sound of voices.

The partitions of the little north woods hotel were of thin pine boards. The occupant of room No. 1 could hear the snoring of the occupant of No. 5—four rooms away. Mary Blackstone had the next room to Tommy's, and to this room came Mrs. Gundorf with the hand she dared not show and her story of murder done in the night.

To Tommy it did not matter who had murdered Celestia. She was dead. He listened in a kind of trance to the story of the killing. He heard Mrs. Gundorf rejecting the pearl necklace, and he overheard a violent struggle in which Mary Blackstone prevented Mrs. Gundorf from killing herself, and got the knife away from her—and a little later he heard Mary saying, "Take this, it's only a quarter of a grain. You'll sleep and forget."

Then he left his room and burst open the door of theirs, and in a voice so weak with passion and horror that it could hardly be heard, he whispered to them the things that they were—and was gone.

A moment later he was running at full speed toward the railroad station. And a few minutes later the two women, in an automobile which Mary had commandeered, were fleeing, as they imagined, for their lives.

if she was lifting heavy weights, her arms, twisted and tense, rose from her sides, reached the horizontal—and then without a word or a sound she dropped dead in the dust.

Next to the church in the village stood the little parsonage. A car was drawn up in front of this, and in the middle of the road, looking expectantly at the car which Tommy was driving, stood Professor Stilliter with a white flower in his button hole. Also on the lookout was a clergyman and a lady who was doubtless his wife.

To Tommy the scene was like a page in a book, written for children in words of two syllables. Stilliter, the white flower—the clergyman. It was almost too simple.

To Stilliter the driver who should bring Celestia to him was a man of no importance. Not until the car was almost upon him with undiminished speed, did he divert his eyes from Celestia's face to that of the man beside her. Upon the face of that man there was a jubilant boyish grin.

Tommy pressed a button, the car gave one of those sudden signals of warning that sound like a giant being sick at his stomach.

Professor Stilliter leaped aside, but not in time to escape being grazed by the mud guard, which sent him rolling.

Freddie the Ferret leaped to his feet for the sheer joy of being alive to see his enemy bite the dust. When Professor Stilliter got his feet, the car was passing out of the village. To get his own car under way was not the work of a moment, the driver having gone into the back yard of the parsonage for a pail of water, and remained to gossip with the maid of all work.

But Tommy knew that there would be a pursuit, and thenceforth drove his own car, or rather the one with which he had eloped, as fast as he dared. He had no personal fear of Stilliter. But he wished, if possible, to show Celestia the cave, and the proofs, that she had once inhabited. The state of hypnosis that she was in troubled and distressed him. But sooner or later it must pass, he thought. Certainly nature must come to the rescue. Meanwhile, he took a pathetic pleasure in working on her mental condition with a view to promoting her comfort.

"You look tired, dear," he said. "Are you?"

No answer.

"The driver says don't be tired. And you have to obey the driver."

This had a marvelous effect. Her head no longer drooped, color came into her cheeks, and into her eyes a look of vivacity. In one way Tommy was rejoiced; at the same time he felt as if he would rather like to cry. There was something so pathetic about her absolute docility.

"Soon," said Tommy, "you are going to leave the car and go for a long walk through the woods with me. You'll walk fast and not get tired. We're going to the wonderful cave where you lived and played when you were a little girl, and which they taught you to believe was heaven—"

He broke off suddenly. Then asked her a question.

"Do you have to do as the driver tells you?"

"Yes."

"Do you have to believe a thing if he tells you to believe it?"

"Yes."

Half an hour passed, Tommy shut off power, and brought the car to a stand at the side of the narrow road.

"Come, Celestia," he said, "and follow me."

He turned his back upon the road and stepped off boldly into the woods. Celestia followed him, walking as she had been told to do with swift tirelessness. And the Ferret followed her.

There is no need to describe that walk or the country through which it led them. It was just a walk as Tommy had told her of, long and fast. But it didn't tire her. It was for the most part along narrow biased trails, but sometimes Tommy took short cuts known to himself. When there was no longer light to see by, they rested, and Tommy put his coat around Celestia, and Freddie put his over her knees. They rested there till the moon rose, and then went on more slowly, but no less surely, until they came to the bold, upthrust mountain mass at whose feet Tommy had found the entrance to the famous cave.

And now the fact that Celestia showed no sign of coming out of her "ance worried him immensely. What was the use of taking her into the cave and showing her its charm and itself? Better to explore it more thoroughly himself, but carefully lest he get lost, so that when she came to her right mind he could show her through with more speed and authority. Once more he put his coat about her, and told her to sit just within the entrance of the cave. To Freddie he gave his knife and showed him how to cut balsam boughs for a couch and pillow.

"When Freddie gets enough," he said, "he will make you a bed, and you must lie down on it and rest."

Then he took from behind a ledge one of a number of candles which had served him on his previous visit, and the piece of chalk, lighted the former and proceeded to his work of exploration.

Tommy had entered the cave in ignorance of two things. The first was that there was another entrance to the cave, known only to Professor Stilliter, and the other is best told perhaps in Tommy's own words. It was a piece of knowledge that came to him suddenly out of a clear sky, or should we say a dark cave.

He stood stock still and swore twice. Then he said to himself:

"What a confounded blithering idiot I am. All I had to do was to tell her to wake up, to come out of her trance, to be herself, and she would have obeyed. Better late than never, though." He turned suddenly to retrace his steps, and that movement saved his life.

There was a deafening crash, and the bullet which was intended for Tommy's heart drew blood from his hand and knocked the candle from it. The place was in total darkness.

Then Tommy heard Professor Stilliter's voice:

"Got him, by God!"

Tommy had the sense to keep perfectly still. He even held his breath. Then he heard cautious footsteps, as one who groped in the dark, and then died away until there was no longer any sound at all. He went down on his knees and began to grope for the candle.

Freddie the Ferret had not given warning for the simple reason that Professor Stilliter having, as he thought, disposed of Tommy, had gone now to find Celestia. Just within the cave he found her, Tommy's coat about her shoulders.

"Come," he said.

"The driver told me to wait for him."

"I tell you to come with me. You are no longer to obey the driver. He is a dirty hound."

She rose with a kind of reluctance.

"The driver is a dirty hound," repeated the professor. "Say it yourself."

"He is a dirty hound."

"He is dead. You are glad."

"I am glad."

"You want to come with me."

"I want to come with you."

"Up the mountain there is—a minister and witness. We are going to be married tonight. I have telegraphed the triumvirate that, your work done, you have gone back to Heaven. Soon you will be in Heaven. Say that it will be heaven with me—my bride."

"It will be heaven with you."

Nothing colder or more automatic than Celestia's voice can be imagined.

"Kiss me."

She kissed him. And as to what has been said of her voice the same may be said of her kiss. And at that moment, it may be said that Professor Stilliter earned whatever fate might befall him.

Grinning like a satyr, his pulses thundering with passion, the best took beauty by the hand and led her up the mountain side toward a little hut that was known to him.

At that moment Tommy, groping in the darkness, half dead with dread and anxiety, had not yet found his candle, but was just going to—too late to be of any help.

But at that moment Freddie the Ferret, coming up the trail, with his usual luck, perceived Celestia and the professor in the moonlight.

He dared not shout to Tommy in the cave. He laid down the great double armful of balsam boughs on which his divinity was to have rested, and, weighing in his unbalanced mind the little penknife that he carried against his mortal fear of Stilliter, he drew a deep breath and followed after them up the mountain side, on feet that made no sound.

In far New York, the triumvirate, dining at Gordon Barclay's house, received the following telegram, which Professor Stilliter had sent, so sure was he of outwitting Tommy, from the village in which he had intended to marry Celestia.

"Wayside Adirondacks.

"To Gordon Barclay, Esquire:

"Sure now that the cause for which she came to earth will triumph. Celestia the Goddess has gone back to Heaven. We shall never see her any more.

STILLITER."

Said Semmes: "The blank of a blank has abducted her himself."

Said Sturtevant: "What the devil does he mean?"

Gordon Barclay, after thought said: "Her work is over. We are going to win. There is no doubt about that. It is better for humanity that she should go. And yet it is very horrible to think—to think what it is possible to think. I hope to God that it wasn't bungled—that she didn't suffer."

He was silent for a moment. Then, his voice strengthening:

"The Gospel that we have taught her to preach has more to it than we thought. Let us speak bluntly. Many years ago the scheme was conceived by greed and the lust of power. With the years these passions fall in me. I would like to do good to humanity. Our scheme—the Gospel which we have preached through Celestia—is a weapon with a double edge—a philosophy to use—or abuse. If I am elected president, gentlemen, I shall do what I may to—to—oh, you know what I mean. . . . I thought I wanted power. To hell with power. I want to be great."

He shut his mouth on the word like a steel trap, and deeply moved sent for his butler, and told him to bring another bottle of wine.

Celestia and Stilliter came to the door of that little log hut.

"That," said the psychologist, "is the gate to heaven—enter, my angel."

As the beast was about to force her into the hut the silence of the night was broken by a twig-cracking sound that might have been made by a cautious foot pressing gently on a very dry twig.

Stilliter faced sharply about and listened.

His eyeglasses and his strong white teeth, the upper lip being drawn back with a kind of snarl of apprehension, gleamed in the moonlight.

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COTTON 66.8 PER CENT OF NORMAL

Texas Crop Is 57 Per Cent of Normal Compared With 70 Last Year—178 Pounds of Lint Per Acre.

Washington, Oct. 4.—The condition of the cotton crop of the United States on September 25, was 69.8 per cent of a normal, compared with 69.2 per cent on August 25th, 73.5 last year, 64.1 in 1912, and 68.3 per cent the average of the past ten years on September 25. That announcement was made at noon today by the Crop Reporting Board of the United States Department of Agriculture, in its final condition report of the season.

The September 25th condition indicates a yield of 168 pounds of lint per acre, which, applied to the planted acreage less the average abandonment—1.3 per cent—indicates a total of 10,950,000 equivalent 500-pound bales, compared with 16,130,000 bales ginned last year. Final results probably will be above or below the amount indicated according as conditions after September 25th are better or worse than average.

Comparison of conditions by States follows:

State	1915	1914	10-Yr.-AV
Virginia	30	80	76
North Carolina	70	79	73
South Carolina	63	72	71
Georgia	81	81	73
Florida	62	81	71
Alabama	57	78	69
Mississippi	62	68	65
Louisiana	60	67	60
Texas	57	70	67
Arkansas	63	69	68
Tennessee	71	70	73
Missouri	72	72	74
Oklahoma	63	80	66
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JUDGE FRY DRAWS TWO YEARS IN STATE PEN.

Wichita Falls, Oct. 4.—The jury in the case of Judge E. W. Fry, former county judge of Young county on trial for forgery, returned a verdict of guilty and assessed his punishment at two years in the penitentiary. The jury was out deliberating for eighty-eight hours. The defense will seek a new trial. Judge Fry is charged with forging fictitious names to vouchers of the county and receiving funds to which he was not entitled. He was recently tried in connection with murder charges growing out of the forgery charges, but was acquitted.

BANK ROBBED, \$8,000 GONE.

Fort Worth, Oct. 4.—The Keller, Tarrant County State Bank, was robbed of eight thousand dollars this morning at 6 o'clock. The cashier was slugged, and locked in the vault. The bandits escaped in automobiles and had not been captured late today.

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THINK SAMPSON'S BODY FOUND.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 2.—Dr. R. E. Vinson, president of the Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary, today received a telegram from Rotarians Parvin and Rowley of Denver, notifying him of the finding of a body supposed to be that of Dr. T. R. Sampson, recently lost in the mountains near Estes Park, Colo. From the description given by the coroner in whose possession the body now is, it is believed that it must be that of Dr. Sampson. The body was found in a northwest direction from the place in which Dr. Sampson was last seen.

Frank Sampson, son of the missing theologian, left today for Colorado to see if identification could be established. Mrs. Sampson is in Orange.

HUNTER CHILD ADJUDGED A DELINQUENT.

On Saturday Judge Thomas sat as a Juvenile Court to investigate the killing of Charles Alexander, aged 11 years, by J. J. Hunter, Jr., aged 9. After getting the testimony of the boys who witnessed the sad affair, the court found that the accused had negligently killed deceased and was adjudged a delinquent. The boy is for the present committed to the custody of his parents and to the surveillance of the sheriff as probation officer.—Snyder Signal.

STATE FIRE PREVENTION DAY.

Governor Ferguson has designated by proclamation, Saturday, October 9th, as State Fire Prevention Day, and especially recommends that the mayors of all towns issue similar proclamations to the citizens, calling upon them to observe this as general clean-up day. That all heating apparatus, electric wiring, chimneys and flues, be carefully gone over and placed in safe condition for winter use, and that all public and private institutions, schools and theaters, hotels, etc. be looked over on that day and all changes effected that will tend to the protection of such buildings and occupants.

It is urged that the various boards of education throughout the State and the teachers of all public and private schools impress upon the school children under their care the importance of using every precaution to avoid fire, and that those having the responsibility and care of children, especially in the public schools, on that day inaugurate fire drills, or practice those heretofore inaugurated, and give such instruction as may impress upon those in their charge the ordinary fire hazard and the methods of fire prevention and rescue work.

Let all commercial and civic organizations lend their hearty support to a proper observance of said day and assist the local authorities in securing united action of the entire citizenship upon this important form of conservation of our resources.

TWO CHILDREN HAD CROUP.

The two children of J. W. Nix, of Cleveland, Ga., had croup. He writes: "Both got so choked up they could hardly breathe. I gave them Foley's Honey and Tar and nothing else and it completely cured them." Contains no opiates. Cuts the phlegm; opens air passages. For sale by W. L. Doss.

PEACE A CALAMITY.

Ex-President Elliot, of Harvard University, writing in the Brooklyn Eagle, thus expresses himself on the efforts to bring about the conclusion of the European war at its present stage:

"I have nothing to say about peace in Europe except that it would be at present or under present conditions a horrible calamity for the human race because it would carry into the future Europe the wrongs and evils which made the actual war inevitable."

The great locomotive plant known the world over as the Baldwin Locomotive works, has passed into the hands of Charles Schwab and the Dupont powder interests. These financial giants did not buy the plant outright, they went into the stock market and purchased its securities as they could get them, and when a controlling interest had been secured, they voted out the old management and voted themselves in. The great plant will be put to the making of war munitions, railroad equipment and general steel products. After awhile this country will have plants enough making war material to furnish all that the country will require in case the dire calamity of war should overtake it.—Fort Worth Record.

UNUSUAL SPREAD OF THE BOLL WEEVIL.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 5.—Under normal conditions the boll weevil advances into new territory at the rate of about 50 miles each year, but during a period of only two weeks during the present season there was an advance of about 100 miles. This movement carried the insect into Georgia for the first time, and 25 counties in that State became infested. Several counties in Florida have been infested for several years but eight additional ones became infested by the same movement. Twenty additional counties in Alabama were also infested. All of this spread took place between the 15th and 31st of August.

There were several conditions according to the entomologists of the United States Department of Agriculture, which contributed to this unusual dispersion. One of them was the drought in Alabama and Mississippi, which caused the plants to cease fruiting and deprived the weevils of the squares upon which they prefer to feed. The more important condition, however, was a series of very high winds which began on August 15th and continuously for several days toward the northeast. The weevils were thus carried much farther than they would have gone by natural flight or even by the aid of ordinary winds.

The Department has placed all available forces at work to assist the farmers in the territory that has just become infested. Most of the cotton is now open and this will allow an unusually early picking so that the fall broods of the weevil can be destroyed by uprooting and burying the plants or burning them where necessary. The Department strongly urges the burying of the plants wherever this can be done promptly, as the humus thereby

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placed in the soil is of very great importance. The State agencies are co-operating with the agents of the Department, and a very active effort will be made to reduce the number of weevils to the extent that will allow an approximately normal crop to be produced next season.

Another feature of the boll weevil problem which is attracting considerable attention is the damage that is being done in Texas this season. There is a more or less general impression in the eastern part of the cotton belt that the boll weevil has died out in the State of Texas, but the investigations of the Department show that the abundance of the insect in that region depends on climatic conditions. During the present season these conditions have been extremely favorable with the result that the insect has been as abundant as at any time since it invaded the State. The lesson to be drawn from this fact is that the planters in the eastern part of the cotton

belt must make a strenuous fight, and should realize that since the boll weevil has not died out either in Texas or Mexico, it is not at all likely to do so in any other region that may become invaded. They should adjust their systems of farming to boll weevil conditions without delay.

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We have a great line of sewing machines and we are offering them at very low prices. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Carbon, arsenic and "fly dope" for sale at W. L. Doss' Close prices on large quantities.

LOCAL NOTES

Queen of the Pantry flour has no superior for good cooking. McMurry sells it.

A. B. Maxwell, who spent several months at Marshall and Terrell, returned home Monday and is much improved in health.—Big Springs Enterprise.

Trade us your cotton for a Pekin wagon and get the best wagon on the market.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. F. B. Whipkey and Mrs. Lee Jones will leave Saturday night for Fort Worth to attend the grand lodge of the Order of Eastern Star which convenes in that city on Monday. Mrs. Whipkey will represent the local chapter as Worthy Matron, while Mrs. Jones goes as a member of one of the grand lodge committees.

No wagon is better than the Mogul wagon sold by McMurry.

Rev. J. F. Montgomery and family left Tuesday morning for Ballinger where they will make their home. Mr. Montgomery having accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Christian church at that place.—Big Springs Enterprise.

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The Record was glad to learn this week that Bruce Phenix had secured the new auto mail route out of Loraine. We know that he will make good, and his friends congratulate him on his success over several competitors.

Stove season is approaching and we certainly have the goods at the right prices. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Farmer J. H. Kyle, one of the Record's most loyal Westbrook subscribers, was in Saturday to advance his figures on the list of this "great Torchlight of Liberty." Mr. Kyle brought in six bales of cotton, which netted him, together with the seed, the tidy sum of \$471.27 after paying for the weighing and ginning.

Pay me now and I can pay you later.—Porter.

McMurry carries the best and most varied line of staple and fancy groceries in the city. Try his service.

Miss Ruth Robinson went to Roscoe last Tuesday morning.

Ben Morgan handles the Dallas News and Evening Journal.

R. N. Gary has purchased the place formerly owned by H. D. Gilbert on the hill, which we understand it is his intention to greatly improve. This is one of the most desirable places in Colorado and could easily be made an ideal home.

We will pay you cash for your hens, fryers and eggs.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

The bakery of J. B. Farmer is going up right along on Walnut street next to Pete's garage.

Jake is now serving fresh sealship oysters.

C. C. Wyatt has purchased the home place of Billy McIntire, and the latter has moved into the bungalow adjoining his former home. We understand it is the purpose of Mr. McIntire to build on the lots from which he removed his old home last spring.

McMurray sells the best quality of farm trucks; better see them before buying.

The weather has been ideal the past several days for picking cotton and the farmers are taking advantage of the condition.

McMurray sells the best quality of farm trucks; better see them before buying.

The alleged carnival has "come and went," and but for certain minor violations of the law and consequent grist for the mills of justice, little impression was made upon the finances of the community.

Just unloaded car White Crest flour, the best to be had.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

The cotton gins are humming these days early and late, while the public weathers are adding to their already plethoric bank account.

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure. The worst cases, no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 2c, 5c, 10c

Mr. William Johnson, who has been engaged in business in the city of Chihuahua, Mexico, for several years, is here on a visit with his sister, Mrs. V. W. Allen. Mr. Johnson has intimate first hand knowledge of conditions as they have existed in Northern Mexico during the series of revolutions and is an interesting and informing talker on every aspect of the affairs of that nation. He expects to return to Chihuahua this fall.

No wagon is better than the Mogul wagon sold by McMurry.

Every Monday night the Shadowland Theater gives a benefit for the Colorado Concert Band, a most worthy organization and in which every citizen of this city should feel an interest. The street concert alone on these nights is worth the price of admission.

Will trade coal and wood, bran and shorts for maize and cotton seed. W. W. Porter.

The old Moesser building on Second street is being razed preparatory to the erection of the new brick. J. E. Pond has the contract for the new building.

We have just received a shipment of the famous C. A. Barler oil heaters the best made. Every one should have one and save fuel. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Thos. R. and Breedlove Smith went to El Paso to take examinations for admission to the bar. They returned this week with the coveted goods in their possession, and will now proceed to make good on what Blackstone, Coke and Littleton forgot.

See us about a piano if you want the right one at the right price. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Mr. Samuel Gustine was on the sick list part of last week and this.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

A ride into the south part of the county last Sunday disclosed the facts of large quantities of cotton open and an immense amount of feed still uncut. Where the feed had been cut before the last rains, a second crop is rapidly on the way.

McMurry carries the best and most varied line of staple and fancy groceries in the city. Try his service.

John C. Moar left Wednesday on a business trip to Atlanta, Ga.

Mac's service car meets all passenger trains and makes special trips anywhere. Always stands ready at his cafe to go and get back.

Mr. Daugherty, who has been for several years the most efficient foreman at the steam laundry, is just now able to resume his work, after an illness of several weeks.

Call at Coughran Bros. and see the new Mackinaw coats. Price \$6.50.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer, of Sweetwater, spent last Sunday with relatives here.

Steel traps! Steel traps! All sizes and a full stock. Colorado Mercantile Co.

I have just erected two monuments about 20 feet northeast of the little house in the center of the cemetery which I want you to inspect. E. Keathley.

In the name of the Prince of Peace, for the welfare of all mankind, and in the spirit of a desire for a better fellowship and brotherhood of all people, each individual in America should use his influence and good offices, as well as his prayers, in the interest of the peace of Europe and the world; that peace and fellowship may be restored and hereafter maintained through a World Arbitration Court of all Nations, to be established in this year, 1915.—Word and Works.

DECIDEDLY SHORT CROP.

The government's ginner's report issued September 25th, leaves no question as to the shortness of the cotton crop of the current season. The total estimate is a trifle more than 10,500,000 bales. This estimate is nearly four and one half million shy of the actual crop of the 1914. In this shortage can be read a great demand for the staple next year, for foreign as well as for domestic consumption.

If there is any logical conclusion to be drawn from these self-evident facts, it is that cotton will not only command a profitable price, but that it will steadily climb upwards from its present level.

TAKE "CASCARETS" IF HEADACHY, BILIOUS AND CONSTIPATED.

Best For Liver and Bowels, Bad Breath, Bad Colds, Sour Stomach.

Get a 10-cent box.

Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, head and nose clogged up with a cold—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months.

Steel traps! Steel traps! All sizes and a full stock. Colorado Mercantile Co.

People go to extremes in trying to make both ends meet.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

TO RENT—A desirable furnished room to rent. Mrs. C. A. Pierce. 1-1c

FOR SALE—Buggy good as new with harness, a bargain for quick sale. See or telephone 337. B. C. Cook, Colorado, Route 1. 10-15-pd

WANTED—Two experienced salesladies and one salesman. Apply immediately to Sweetwater & Colorado Dry Goods Company's store. 10-8-11c

FOR SALE—A good 5-room house with good cistern, well located. For sale cheap. See Jas. T. Johnson. 11

WANTED—Small family who can pick 1,400 pounds cotton per day. Phone F. M. Piercy, Cuthbert Texas. 11-p.

FOR SALE—Work horse 7 years old, good all purpose horse, will sell at a bargain. See Sam Bedford or phone 354-2LIS, Route No. 4. 11-p

10 CENT JITNE—Will haul all people from or to either picture show for 10c. Wet or dry. City limits only. Chester Thomas. 11

FOR SALE—2 good young horses for sale or trade. Chester Thomas. 11

JACK SMITH says if anyone wants to buy a small farm with a small cash payment and deferred payments out of 1-2 of crop see him. Also brick business house to sell or rent.

LOST—Small red pocket memorandum book containing names and addresses. Reward for return to E. W. Curtis, Abilene, Texas. 10-8-c

FOR SALE—6-cylinder 7-passenger Studebaker car in excellent condition, but little used. Just the car for family. See J. L. Doss. 9-17

FOR SALE—One good 1-seat buggy, phaeton style, in excellent condition. See Sherwin & Son. 11

For Sale—A good second-hand side saddle, also a man's saddle at almost your own price. W. L. Doss.

HERE'S VICTUALS.

Turnips are beginning to come on the market, and they are hard to beat. A wagon load brought in a few days ago went like the ginger bread on circus day. When later on the lowly but earnest hog jowl, duly admixed with the succulent greens, begins to move itself aright in the boiling pot, con-sorting with the exhilarating ozone of this happy altitude and the froctifying salubrity of the climate, aided and abetted by the subtle influence of the glorious sunshine and vitalizing precipitations, the lot of a poor man in Mitchell county should be at least, a contented one. And in writing of the goodly things to eat indigenous to West Texas, consider the home-made, stuffed, linked and smoked sausage—but that's another story.

BAD COLD! HEADACHY AND NOSE STUFFED.

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Colds And Grippe In a Few Hours.

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses, then all gripe misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling. Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

NOTICE, STOCK SHIPPERS.

Daily stock train due to leave Colorado at 9:15 a. m. All shippers are requested to order cars at least two days in advance and get their stock ready to move on this train in order to make Fort Worth market the next day.

SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS.

The state superintendent instructs County Judge Bullock to announce that special examinations will be held on Friday and Saturday, October 15th and 16th, for first and second grade state certificates. This is in compliance with requests from a number of teachers whose schools do not begin till December 1st and for those who wish to build on the certificates already held by them.

Seed wheat—I got it.—Porter.

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Always

The people know they will get good meat if they send to Beals—that's why our old customers stay and new ones come.

BEAL'S Market



SCHOOL BOOKS ARE

CASH—W. L. DOSS. Don't neglect to bring along the cash when buying school books. Please remember this rule. W. L. Doss.

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Powerful Drama

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With a Famous Players Cast

Tuesday, Oct. 12

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Presents
"BETTY IN SEARCH OF A THRILL"

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ELSIE JANIS
Friday, Oct. 15

Remember the Special Features every Monday night and the "Diamond from the Sky" every Thursday—matinee and night.

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Our new models and fabrics for the Fall and Winter are

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and are without question the most beautiful array ever seen in this town. The man who places value on his personal appearance should lose no time in getting acquainted with the superior excellence of this style and fabric exhibition.

Every suit is made especially to your measure—

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WHERE QUALITY REIGNS

MONDAY

Don't forget the Band Concert—and a good program.

TUESDAY

Great Fox Features—The Celebrated Scandal—dealing with the evil of gossip. Everybody should see this.

WEDNESDAY

A good program.

THURSDAY

"THE GODDESS"

FRIDAY

Charlie Chaplin. This week we have Charlie in "The Bank"—2 parts.

SATURDAY

Continuous performance from 3 to 11 o'clock

"SHADOWLAND"
Where Quality Reigns.

Amarillo is working up interest in a railroad from the North.

Jake put the R in August by having fresh oysters on his daily menu.

Some men are like umbrellas, they have so many ups and downs.

LOCAL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Arnett left Monday for Meadow, their future home.

Just unloaded car White Crest flour, the best to be had.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mrs. A. L. Whipkey returned last week from a visit with her niece in Dallas.

A load both ways—cotton or feed in and coal back. See W. W. Porter.

The many friends of Miss Mamie Riordan will rejoice to learn that she is rapidly recovering from an operation for appendicitis. She is with her aunt in California.

FOR SALE—6-cylinder 7-passenger Studebaker car in excellent condition, but little used. Just the car for family. See J. L. Doss. 9-17

The Colorado High School boys have organized a foot ball team and expect soon to meet some opponent worthy their mettle.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, builds up the system. A true Tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

The machinery of the public schools is running smoothly since teachers and pupils have gotten down to work, with every promise of a most successful and profitable year.

We will pay you cash for your hens, fryers and eggs.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Jim Watson, formerly a citizen of Colorado, but now living in Canyon City is here this week.

If you want the best come to our store where high quality in all of our lines is found. H. L. Hutchinson & Co.

Entire change of program every night next week by Murphy's Comedians, fine band and orchestra.

We are headquarters for guns and all kinds of shells.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Miss Hattie McKell left Monday morning for Kansas City, thence she will go to Missouri and later to Mississippi.

We have full line stove boards stove pipe, elbow and T joints. Colorado Mercantile Co.

15c Cotton

Fifteen cent cotton is in sight; you can afford a good suit this Fall. I have the nicest goods in town to select from.

R. T. MANUEL
Merchant Tailor
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COLORADO, - - TEXAS

Trade us your cotton for a Pekin wagon and get the best wagon on the market.—Colorado Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bryan, of Dallas, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. M. Carter, on their way to the Panama Exposition.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cooksey made a visit to Coahoma this week.

In big lumps off of the car. See Porter the coal man.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Winn are visitors in Sweetwater this week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Payne and of course will incidentally take in the Sells-Photo shows as pastime.

Herrington handles the Ford and Mitchell cars. In the Mitchell "The Six of 16" you have the world's greatest car value. See Herrington for demonstration of this fine new car.

Beginning next Monday and continuing all week, Murphy's Comedians will present the leading plays in big waterproof tent. Watch for the parade at noon and 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Emma Ruse, of Nashville, Ark., is on an extended visit with her sons, W. L. and E. M. Ruse.

I have just delivered two new fireless cookers and have two samples ready for you to try out. The lady who does not spend her mornings at home, but has to prepare dinner, needs one by all means. E. Keathley.

Mrs. Fred McKenzie and daughter, Miss Hazel, motored to Big Springs one day this week.

Mrs. Wm. Gardner and family have moved to Austin, where her oldest sons are attending the State University.

Doss keeps a full line of Hawk's crystalline lenses. None better made, and prices reasonable.

When you see Porter think of coal. SHADOWLAND THEATRE.

Tuesday Matinee And Night, October 12th Presents "The Celebrated Scandal."

The achievements of William Fox, in bringing to this country Betty Nansen, the celebrated Danish tragedienne and Europe's royal actress, marks a new epoch in the production of photoplays.

Miss Nansen is the star of the Royal Theatre in Copenhagen. She has been decorated by kings and emperors. She was the friend and inspiration of Henrik Ibsen and the creator of his hectic heroines. Of her this master dramatist said, "She does not act;

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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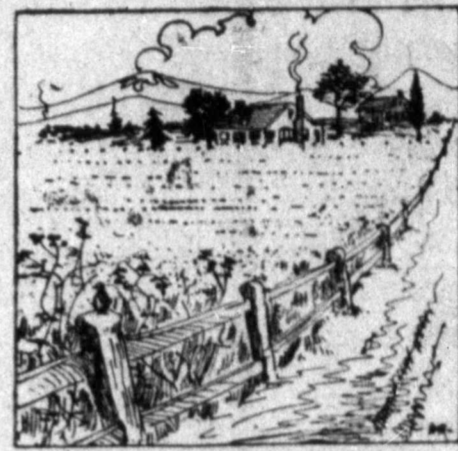
Betty Nansen makes her debut before the American public in The Celebrated Scandal by Jose Echegaray, the famous Spanish playwright. Miss Nansen's role in this production gives full scope to her powers of emotional expression. She is cast as Donna Teodora, the beautiful young wife of Don Julian, a model husband but perhaps just a bit jealous. The home of the happy couple is shared by Ernesto, a young relative of Don Julian's. Ernesto is a budding dramatist. Teodora is much interested in his work and quite naturally the pair are drawn together.

This innocent companionship is foundation enough for malicious gossip to build upon. Calumny constructs the inevitable triangle and though Don Julian knows in his heart that his wife is blameless, he cannot rid himself of vague doubts and disquieting thoughts.

The climax comes when Don Julian is killed in a duel by Marquis Alvarez, chief of the scandal-mongers who had been tormenting him. Ernesto challenges the Marquis and in a furiously fought duel avenges his kinsman's death. Then the boy turns on the pack of gossiping busy-bodies who, in idle malice, have wrecked a home and destroyed a life, and with terrific denunciation drives them forever from his life and Teodora's.

Director James Durkin deserves full credit for a remarkable flimplay. He has made the most of the thrilling situations with which the production abounds, and the care with which the details are worked out denotes the hand of a master craftsman.

Miss Nansen is supported by Edward Jose, former leading man with Sarah Bernhardt, Wilmoth-Merky, Walter Hitchcock, Stuart Holmes and a full cast of players of sterling ability.



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Oldest and Largest PIANO and MUSIC HOUSE in Western Texas. Latest Sheet Music, MUSIC TEACHER'S Supplies, etc., etc. Catalogue and BOOK OF OLD TIME SONGS FREE for the asking. Established 1890. SAN ANGELO

HERRINGTON SELLS FOR CASH.

I have on hand a lot of coupon books in \$5, \$10 and \$20 sizes, these coupons are good for gasoline and oils, also every kind of supplies and tires and work. Pay cash, buy a coupon book from me and use it same as cash. A. J. HERRINGTON.

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We have on display samples of Fall Suits and Overcoats. Prices from

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We would appreciate a visit to our store. Every garment guaranteed.

You can order now and have the garment delivered at any time this Fall, if you want to.

We have been taking measures for tailored suits for several years and studied it closely, and if experience in this line is of any value to you, we will appreciate a trial.

ALSO WE HAVE THE LATEST IN MEN'S FURNISHINGS, HATS, SHOES, Etc.

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The good South through supporting should not be ed economic effort of all ness forces brought the "Farming" an culture" tha tory of the I With the are you, Mr Man and M the old way! culture of t tory of lean farmer has short crops s invariably fo low prices, own living s system and l ing. The ent ton belt has l been no safe duced a rich people becau though cotton cash crops. With the r are you goin going to tak time to decid price of cott you follow th of the agricul will take no gram in a nu 15-- "Safe Pa First--Prod every family round, payin plot of Irish cient to suppl this character patch of sorgl rice syrup fo Second--Pr support a arm and the safety. Third--Proc and other sm the corn as winter grazin Fourth--Pr from some fe supply all of t Use legumes, velvet beans, the production soil with nitre Fifth--Prod to supply the ed attention! especially. Pl the number o stock so as to consume the farm and ma ductive. Sixth--After been amply pr tion for the ma If this cours will prosper w

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