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LABOR FRAMES RESOLUTIONS

(By Associated Press)
WICHITA FALLS, May 25.—The resolutions committee of the Texas State Federation of Labor got down to business today, taking under consideration some eight or nine resolutions which have been turned in.
Proposed resolutions endorsing Governor Moody's plan for reorganization of the penitentiary system, approving the plenary powers of the newly created prison board, and one calling on the legislature to adopt a hands off policy in the matter, have been presented to the committee for recommendations.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Legislation to protect labor "against the abuse of the writ of injunction" by federal and state courts will be sought in congress and state legislatures by the American Federation of Labor, its president, William Green, declared in an address today before the banks of New York.

COURT UPHOLDS DEATH VERDICT

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, May 25.—The death sentence imposed on Pete Banks from Fayette county on conviction for murder in connection with the slaying of C. P. Jones, May 8, 1926, was today affirmed by the Court of Criminal Appeals.

FOREST FIRE RAGES IN FLA.

(By Associated Press)
MIAMI, May 25.—Heavy smoke, reeling in from a forest fire in the Everglades, has enveloped Miami.
The fire is creeping eastward over a 20-mile front and has destroyed 100 square miles of muck soil since Saturday.

Mrs. John Schooler, of O'Donnell, has gone to Goldthwaite to visit relatives. She had been here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Routh.

Alfred Crager has returned from Austin, where he had been looking after business.

MAN CONFESSES KILLING MOTHER

(By Associated Press)
FLINT, Mich., May 25.—Harry McLennan, 41, confessed today, according to the police, that he killed his mother, Mrs. Nancy Garwols, 60. McLennan admitted that he slew his mother with a hammer and buried her body on a farm near here where it was found late Monday.

HUNDREDS FLEE LA. SUGAR BOWL

(By Associated Press)
NEW ORLEANS, May 25.—The greatest flood in the history of the Mississippi Valley failed to daunt residents of the "sugar bowl" area today and though hundreds of them deserted their homes, others basing their belief on past flood experiences, discredited reports and prepared to hold their stands in the path of the invading waters.
More than 60 square miles have already been covered at Point Copee and Harris with the Atchafalaya River, rushing through the gap created yesterday in the levee at McCrea.

PAUL KELLY FOUND GUILTY

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, May 25.—Paul Kelly, film actor, was convicted of manslaughter today for the killing of Ray Raymond, vaudeville star, the husband of Dorothy Mackaye, film actress, in a fist attack in Raymond's Hollywood home.
Conviction for this offense carries a penalty of from one to ten years.

THREE BOYS PAY FOR DISTURBING THE PEACE

Three boys, two from San Antonio, and one from Eden, were arrested at Paint Rock early Wednesday morning, charged with disturbing the peace here, and were returned to Ballinger where they were fined. The boys attended a dance at Talpa Tuesday night.

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Soil Erosion Costs Millions, Big Flood Factor, Expert Says



ERODED AREA—CANEHILLS OF MISSISSIPPI



EROSION OF LOESSIAL MATERIAL, MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

Soil erosion is costing the farmers \$200,000,000 a year and is one of the most important questions to be considered in flood control work, says H. H. Bennett of the Federal Bureau of Soils.
He believes that man has conspired with his drainage projects and forest destruction to add volume to flood waters, but that soil erosion, which is "gradually removing the 'blotter-like' surface soil and exposing to the rains a hard soil that sheds water like a roof," is a phase of flood control that is being neglected.
"Failure to build terraces on sloping fields and to plant grass and trees on the steeper lands that are highly susceptible to rain wash," he states, "accounts for much of the excess of water now sweeping down the Mississippi."
The Chinese, he points out, have failed to control their floods, even though they have been working 4,000 years in building dykes and digging the greatest system of canals in the world, because they have failed to protect their sloping uplands from erosion.
"A wise combination of storage reservoirs, hillside terrace construction, such as are now being built in Southern Mississippi and the Black Belt of Texas, and use of grazing and timber lands for grass and trees," he declares, "will effect practical flood control as nothing else will."
"There are no hillside terraces north of the Arkansas River. Eighteen inches of top soil have been removed from the new fields in some parts of Northeastern Kansas. The entire top soil is gone from hundreds of thousands of acres in West Virginia, Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Kentucky and southeastern Ohio.
"From these eroded lands rain water courses much faster into the Mississippi than formerly. Our sins of neglect in this connection are great, and they are at this moment being visited upon the inhabitants of the lowlands of the Mississippi and its tributaries."
Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs, of O'Donnell, are here visiting Mrs. Gibbs' sister, Mrs. Tom Routh.

SHIP REPORTS SEEING PLANE

(By Associated Press)
ST. JOHNS, Newfoundland, May 25.—The Danish schooner Albert, arriving here today, reports that an airplane had been sighted by the ship's crew near Cape Pine on May 9, the day that Captain Nungesser and Major Coli are reported to have been sighted near Harbor Grace, on their Paris to New York non-stop flight.

RAIL MERGER PLAN REVISED

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 25.—A revised plan for the merger of Southwestern railroads will be presented to the Interstate Commerce Commission within ten days, L. F. Loree, head of the railroad group involved, announced today.
The new plan which involves the Kansas City Southern, the Missouri, Kansas & Texas, and the Cotton Belt railroads, will have a financial set up, otherwise it will be virtually the same as originally presented to the commission, Loree declared.
The commission disapproved the original proposal.

TWO DRUNKS PAY FINES TUESDAY

Two inebriated youths were arrested Monday night by Chief of Police Willard McMillan. They paid their fines Tuesday morning and were released. One drunk was arrested Wednesday morning and taken to his home. He was also fined.

"SLIM" SPEAKS TO CHAMBER

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, May 25.—Capt. Charles Lindbergh, "the new ambassador of America," was introduced to the French Chamber of Deputies today by Ambassador Myron T. Herrick.
The aviator received a tremendous ovation from the crowded chamber.
Capt. Lindbergh, in one of his customary direct addresses, endeared himself to every one of the deputies.

PARIS, May 25.—Capt. Charles A. Lindbergh had his first hour's play here today since he flew to Paris from New York and he spent it working on his plane.

The "lone eagle" in the press of receptions and enthusiastic greetings of the French people still had his mind on his machine that brought him safely over the Atlantic and he asked that he be allowed to look over "The Spirit of St. Louis" to get it in readiness for his flight to Brussels.

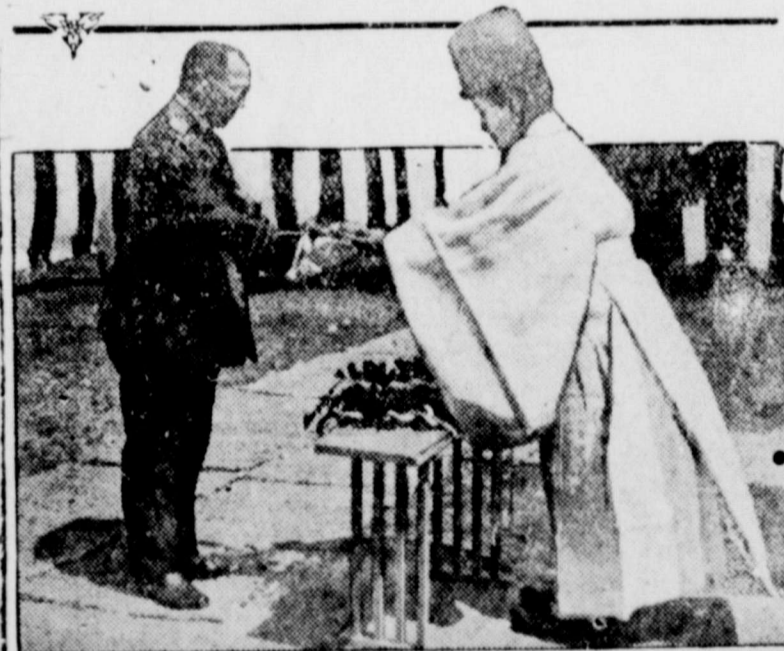
The aviator made a careful inspection of the flying craft and talked with the French mechanics—telling them exactly what he wanted done, but finally he let the temptation overcome him, and putting on a pair of overalls, Lindbergh took a screw driver and a wrench and in a few minutes was happily putting things in shape.

Homer Sykes, of the Weeks Drug Store, is back on the job following an operation performed several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Bailey Mack, of Frederick, Oklahoma, are here visiting Mr. Mack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott H. Mack.

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Police Station "Purified"



CHIEF M. OTA of the TOKYO METROPOLITAN POLICE and a SHINTO PRIEST PURIFYING THE SITE of the NEW POLICE HEADQUARTERS BUILDING

(By Associated Press)
TOKYO, May 24.—Police stations in Japan are purified in advance with impressive ceremonies. Shinto priests are in charge and their exhortations are supposed to ward off all unpropitious devils.
The site of the new metropolitan police headquarters building in Tokyo was purified recently in the presence of the high priests and the most important govern-

ment officials of the capital. The building will cost 6,000,000 yen. The final and most solemn rites of dedication were performed by the chief priest of the Hiye Shrine and M. Ota, chief of the Tokyo police.
Because of the ministrations of the priests the Japanese believe that graft and political influence will never be permitted to invade the sacred precincts of the new buildings.

THE WILL TO HELP

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A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in trying to correct kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

MEXIA—A new hard-surfaced road is to be constructed from Mexia to the county line near Teague.

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Danderine
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GUBERNATORIAL PORTRAITS



ALVAN T. FULLER

(By Associated Press)

BOSTON, May 25.—Governor Alvan T. Fuller of Massachusetts has never known political defeat and has never accepted salary or other emolument for public office.

Since Theodore Roosevelt urged him to enter public life Governor Fuller has been a constant puzzle and sometimes a vexation to "regular" politicians who feared his independence.

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At the age of 16, by hustling rubber boots ten hours a day for \$7.50 a week, he laid the foundation of the fortune he had accumulated at 32.

Resolution of Thanks

We, the 4-H Club boys and girls of Runnels county wish to take this means to express our most heartfelt thanks to our beloved county and home demonstration agents, Mr. C. W. Lehms and Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth, for the splendid program and the wonderful time we enjoyed during the 4-H Club rally day held in Ballinger, Saturday, May 14th.

We appreciate very much the

kindly interest they are taking in every individual member of the eighteen organized 4-H Clubs in the county.

We also wish to thank the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce for the splendid educational films jointly furnished for our instruction and enlightenment and for the comedy to round out the program. To Mr. Seales and the management of the Palace and Queen Theatre we feel greatly indebted for so freely donating their theatre and their service for our special entertainment. We hereby hand the Ukelele Sunshine Girls a bouquet of thanks for their splendid music and songs. We owe many thanks to the Ballinger Booster Band for the fine music they rendered and for the part they took in making our parade a success. To the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce and its energetic secretary, Mr. J. D. Motley, our friend and well-wisher, we want to say, we thank you a thousand times for cooling our temperatures with the delicious ice cream so freely furnished. To the Ballinger Bottling Works we extend a vote of thanks for the cold drinks and other refreshments so generously donated.

We also wish to thank the Winters Chamber of Commerce for the scholarship to the farmers short course given by this organization as first prize in the girls clothing contest; Higginbotham Bros. & Co. for the splendid gift of toilet articles, given as second prize; and King-Holt Co. for the beautiful rug given as third prize.

We especially wish to thank Mrs. Dora Barnes, clothing specialist of the extension service of A. & M. College, for the splendid service rendered in judging the girls clothing contest and for her words of commendation and encouragement.

We further wish to thank Rev. McClain, Judge Paul Trimmer, Rev. Hooper, Mrs. Nicholson, J. D. Motley and Clyde Roberson for the part they took in the program and for their words of admonition, instruction and encouragement.

To all others who in any way contributed towards making this rally day the splendid success it was we wish to express our deepest appreciation and our sincerest

thanks. We had a great time and we are determined more than ever before to make this the best year in 4-H Club work in the history of Runnels county.

Signed:
4-H Clubs Resolution Committee.

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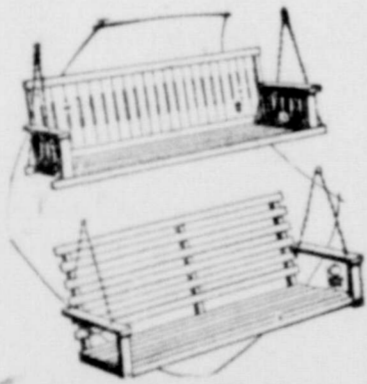


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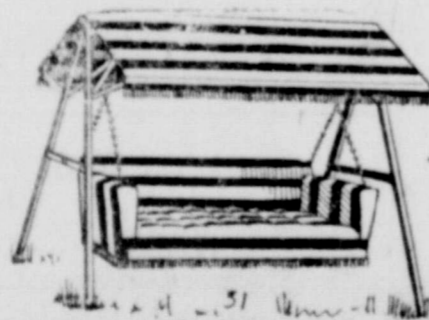
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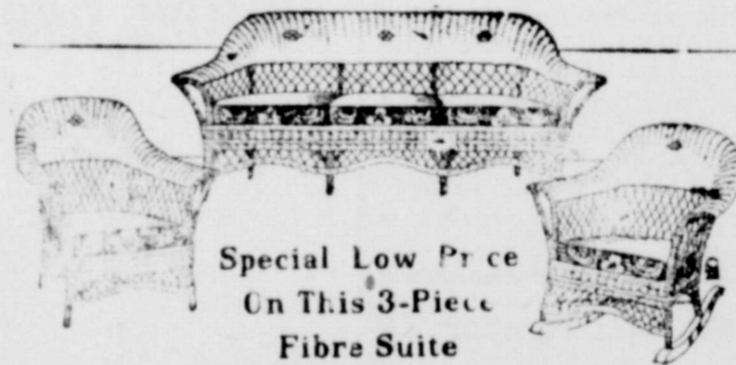


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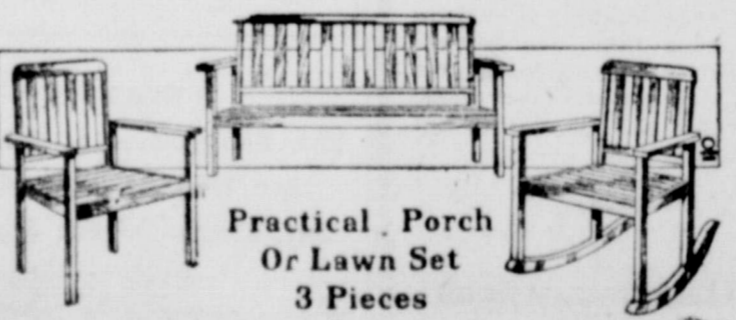


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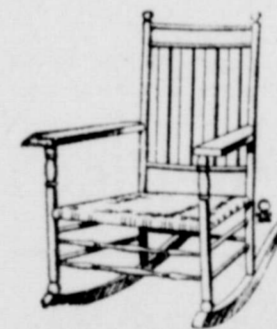
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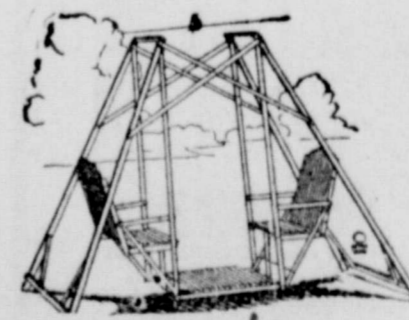
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Movies

Old Timers in "Upstage" at the Palace Theatre

Vaudeville favorites of olden days some of them since famous in the movies, some retired from the stage—for Los Angeles has many retired players of the varieties—and some still on the boards formed an odd conclave at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio during the filming of "Upstage." Norma Shearer's new starring vehicle showing today and tomorrow at the Palace Theatre.

It is a story of vaudeville life, laid behind the scenes in a vaudeville theatre, and the vaudevillians furnished the cast of "troopers" for the production.

In the scene showing "rehearsal morning" in the vaudeville theatre, acrobats, a lion tamer, dancers and others got their acts ready while Miss Shearer, as a vaudeville newcomer, practiced steps with Oscar Shaw, himself a vaudeville celebrity, who played the leading man.

The cast of players includes Oscar Shaw in the leading male role; Dorothy Phillips, Ward Crane, T. Holtz, Gwen Lee, and others of note. Monta Bell was the director.

BLANTON NEWS

Bro. Young filled his regular appointment Saturday night and Sunday with large attendance and fine sermons.

Several of the folks of this community attended the commencement exercises at Ballinger Tuesday night.

The Young People's B. Y. P. U. of Ballinger rendered us a fine program Sunday afternoon.

Alice Foreman visited relatives at Coneho Saturday and Sunday.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. J. A. Foreman is on the sick list this week.

A. W. Malone left Sunday for Marlin, where he will be under treatment for rheumatism. Mr. Malone has been suffering with rheumatism for quite a while, and we all wish him a hasty recovery.

Several of the folks of this com-

munity attended the play at Eagle Branch Friday night.

The Blanton Women's Home Demonstration Club will meet next Tuesday, May 31st, with Mrs. A. W. Malone.

"REPORTER."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Warranty Deeds

S. D. Musiek et ux to Henry Musiek, 136 acres of the Wm. A. McGrew survey, May 21, for the sum of \$3,070.

S. D. Musiek et ux to Henry Musiek, 30 acres of the Wm. A. McGrew survey, May 21, for the sum of \$750.

L. S. Munger to S. D. Musiek, 30 acres of the Wm. A. McGrew survey, October 26, 1923, for the sum of \$750.

Assignments of Oil and Gas Leases

Smi-Loek Oil Company to Marland Oil Company, 160 acres of the T. & N. O. R. R. Co. survey M for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

W. W. Rainwater to R. T. Williams and Elmer Shepperd, 49.3 acres of the Norvell Travis survey No. 533, May 17, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

C. E. Sillix to W. W. Rainwater, 49.3 acres of the Norvell Travis survey No. 533, May 7, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

C. E. Sillix to Cramer & Dickey, 50 acres of the north half of block No. 15 of the Norvell Travis survey No. 533, May 7, for the sum of \$1 and other good and valuable considerations.

LAREDO—\$250,000 is to be expended for street paving this year.

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CHURCH MEET TO BE HELD FRIDAY

The second zone meeting of the women's organization of the Methodist Church of this district will be held here Friday at the First Methodist Church, it was announced Wednesday.

Women church leaders from Bronte, Robert Lee, Drasco, Norton and Winters will be here for the gathering.

The morning session will start about 10:00 o'clock at the Methodist church, with Mrs. Gid J. Bryan, of Winters, as the leader. Mrs. R. A. Dickinson will welcome the visitors here in a short talk. Solos and short talks are included on the program.

Luncheon will be served at the Ballinger Country Club at 12:00 to 2:00 o'clock.

The afternoon session will convene at the church at 2:00 o'clock and continue until all business of the association is completed.

A large number of women church leaders and pastors of var-

ious churches in this district are expected to be present for this meeting.

FREDERICKSBURG—A co-operative creamery is to be established here by Gillespie county.

STINNETT, Tex.—Rock Island Railroad has been granted a franchise for operation of a new toll bridge over the Canadian River.

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Make some extra money this summer. \$50 in gold will positively be given away in this community. This is done to create good will for Orange Squeeze, one of the world's best drinks.

To the person who makes up the greatest number of English words out of the letters contained in "Orange Squeeze", this handsome prize will be donated absolutely free, without any obligation of any kind.

Any Man, Woman, or Child can Win -- \$50 for the Readers of this Paper

This is a liberal prize contest. Everyone has a chance. You are not competing with thousands of people all over the United States. Somebody here is bound to win. It may as well be you. Read the rules fully.

RULES

1. Contest closes September 1, 1927. All lists must be mailed on or before that date.
2. Only English words will be counted. (No proper names or abbreviations. Webster's International Dictionary will be the authority.)
3. The decision of the judges will be final and non-contestable.
4. Any number of lists may be submitted by the same person.
5. The contest is open to any reader of this newspaper.
6. In case of a tie, the prize will be given to the nearest list.
7. Lists should be written in ink or on the typewriter and on only one side of the paper. Words should be in columns so as to be easily checked.

Send all lists to National Fruit Flavor Co., Inc. New Orleans, La.

By the Way, Get the "Squeeze" Habit These Hot Days

Keep cool. Look pleasant. Orange Squeeze will help you do both. This invigorating, healthful, zippy drink will make you feel glad the good old summer time has rolled around. Summer time is Orange Squeeze time. For sale at the best soft drink stands.



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LOCAL BANKS HOST TO BANKERS

Forty-one bankers, directors, and friends of the Ruessels County Bankers Association, attended the regular monthly meeting and banquet held at the Ballinger Country Club Tuesday night, with Harry Lynn, of the First National Bank of this city, acting as toastmaster.

The menu was served by the Order of Eastern Star and was very elaborate.

Mr. Lynn introduced each one of the speakers in a novel manner.

The feature of the evening's program was a mock trial in which a shareholder-director of a bank was suing the cashier of the Punkville Bank for non-payment of dividends. This was carried out with plenty of wit and humor, using a judge, prosecuting and defending attorneys, witnesses, the defendant and plaintiff. The usual problems of the banks were brought out in the testimony. The judge heard the case but deferred judgment until a later date.

Out of town bankers attending were: from Rowena—E. J. Cervinka, George Dierschke; from Miles—W. R. Hunton and E. S. Campbell; from Wingate—Duncan Hensley; from Winters—Lyle Deffenbach, John Q. McAdams, Carl Henslee, Bert Low, and John Norman. Visitors present were: C. R. Robertson, secretary of the Winters Chamber of Commerce; Dr. W. B. Halley, Troy Simpson, Wm. Lutz; J. D. Motley, secretary of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce; and C. W. Lehmborg, county agricultural agent. Practically all the employes and directors of the three Ballinger banks were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forman have returned from Coleman, where they had been visiting Mr. Forman's parents.

LAREDO—10 or 12 new traffic signals are to be installed here at busy downtown intersections.

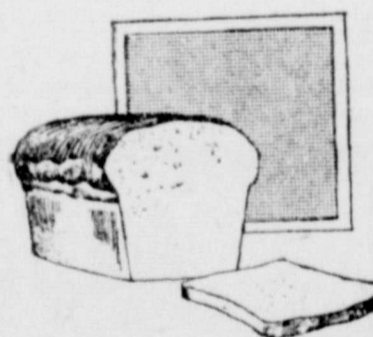
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Faulty Elimination

Should Be Corrected—Good Elimination Is Essential to Good Health.

If you would be well, see to your elimination. Faulty kidney action permits toxic material to remain in the blood and upset the whole system. Then, one is apt to have a tired, languid feeling and, sometimes, a toxic backache or headache, and often some irregularity of secretions, such as scanty or burning passages. More and more people are acclaiming the value of Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic, in this condition. For more than forty years Doan's have been winning favor the country over. Ask your neighbor!

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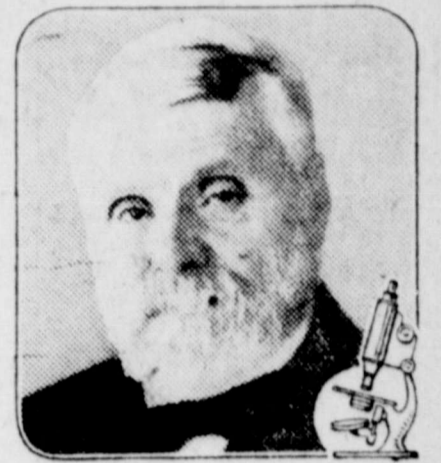
Swine sanitation, based on methods developed by federal zoologists in McLean county, Illinois, has been showing some good results in the South in controlling swine parasites, says the

Department of Agriculture.

One test showed that a sanitary-raised pig weighed 173 pounds when marketed at 4 months and 23 days of age, while an "unsanitary" animal tipped the scales at only 165 when ten months old.

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P. B. Caldwell M.D. AT AGE 83

I have been watching the results of constipation for 47 years, since I began the practice of medicine back in 1875, and though from time to time the medical profession makes some wonderfully interesting experiments and tests, the fundamentals of causes and relief in this common ailment are unchanged.

No matter how careful people are of their health, diet and exercise, constipation will occur from time to time regardless of how much one tries to avoid it. Of next importance, then, is how to treat it when it comes. I believe in getting as close to nature as possible, hence my remedy for constipation, known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a mild vegetable compound. It can not harm the most delicate system and is not a habit forming preparation. Syrup Pepsin is pleasant-tasting, and youngsters love it. It does not gripe. Thousands of mothers have written me to that effect.

Recently there has been a new wave of drastic physics. Calomel, a mercurial that salivates and loosens teeth, has been revived; salts which draw vital fluids from the body and thin the blood, causing rheumatic aches and pains; coal tar (phenolphthalein) disguised in gum or candy form, that poisons and irritates the tissue of the stomach, intestine and bowel, causing skin eruptions. In a practice of 47 years I never saw any reason for their use when a medicine like Syrup Pepsin will empty the bowels just as promptly, more cleanly and gently, without griping and damage to the system.

Keep free from constipation! It robs your strength, hardens your arteries

and brings on premature old age. Do not let a day go by without a bowel movement. Do not sit and hope, but go to a druggist and get one of the generous bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Take a teaspoonful that night and by morning you will feel like a different person. The cost is only about a cent a dose. Use Syrup Pepsin for yourself and members of the family in constipation, biliousness, sour and crampy stomach, bad breath, no appetite, headaches, and to break up fevers and colds. Always have a bottle in the house, and observe these three rules of health: Keep the head cool, the feet warm, the bowels open.

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LOST—on streets of Ballinger. Amber stone necklace. Please return to Ledger office. 25-4td

ESKIMO MAIDS DESIGN COATS OF MANY FURS



(By Associated Press)
SEWARD, Alaska, May 25—What woman who gets her styles from Paris can boast of possessing in her fur chest baby reindeer pelt as soft as velvet, silver fox, seal, mink, ermine and wolverine? All of these enter into the making of Milady Eskimo's winter clothing. The Eskimo maiden labors with the same enthusiasm as her white

sister in filling her hope chest. And each garment bears some mark expressive of her dreams, woven into the general scheme by deft fingers plying needle and snaw thread. Not only must designs be of consistent preconceived scheme, but color blendings must create harmony in intermixture.

The little squares which adorn the flounce of her parka are cut from different colored pelts and the coat is made from many furs, alternating in color, yet harmonizing.

Polar bear and wolverine are the most popular for the hood.

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Broken Out Skin and Itching Eczema Relieved at Once

For unsightly skin eruptions, rash or blotches on face, neck, arms or body, you do not have to wait for relief from torture or embarrassment, declares a noted skin specialist. Apply a little Mentho-Sulphur and improvement shows next day.

Because of its germ destroying properties, nothing has ever been found to take the place of this sulphur preparation. The moment you apply it healing begins. Only those who have had unsightly skin troubles can know the delight this Mentho-Sulphur brings. Even fiery, itching eczema is dried right up.

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