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# SALE DAY Sat. April 11th

Saturdays Sale was a big winner, in fact we could not supply more than half the demand for those sweet juicy hams, and in order to accomodate one who did not get one last Saturday, we have ordered a few more and will put them on sale

SATURDAY APRIL II at the same price, 19c per pound. The little pig hams are fine too.

We will also again sell pure sweet kertle rendered lard at 12 1-2c per 1b. Swifts Jewel Shortening, a good article, in 101b pails at \$1.00 per pail. ONE DAY ONLY

## VEGETABLES

We have made a special order for vegetables, absolutely the very best line, especially for Easter, and they will be here Friday morning and will include Tomatoes, Rhubarb, Strawberries, Onion, Radishes, Lettuce, Turnips, Greens and Gelery.

We will also have a nice line straight Comb Honey on Sale Saturday. Fancy Colorado stuff.

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WHY CONTINUE TO SNUB HER? WHY NOT HEED HER ADVICE There is no success without nerve. Screw up your nerve, and START AN ACCOUNT HERE TODAY

## The Bank of Miami

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## 50, 000 Acres of Wheat T.W. Barns, Panhandle Mgr. Here to Be Marketed at Miami.

The whole Panhandle was viited last week with one of the greatest rains that has ever fallen. Not in inches of water, but by coming at the right time. Everything was in readiness for a rain' and it did not come too late nor too early. The Miami Country has near 50, 000 acres of wheat tributary to our town this season and it looks as tho we may get a 30 bushel crop, or a million and a half bushels to be loaded out through our elevators which will be unequaled in the State. Never were prospects brighter, and never did the Miami conntry feel greater.

## Mrs. Ewing's Recital

pretty bad looking evening, how- part of the of the countay. ever it did not hinder a very! class which was in every respect Members are requested to attend a grand success. From the little tots just learning to the graduating ones, all did their parts well and deserve much credit. As a teacher Mrs. Ewing has few

1 Gitana

2 Sextette from "Lucia" ...

3 Festival March.

6 Nodding Sunflowers ...

7 a "Old Folks at Home"...

4 June Roses

9 Reading

" Substitute.

10 Moonlight.

11 The Myrtles.

12 Beginners

a-Waltz .

14 Valse Caprice

15 L Allegro.

16 Tripping.

17 La Chatelame

b-The Contented bird.

e-Home Sweet Home

d-Blue Bells of Seotland ..

13 Song We Went to School together .....

#### The Greatest Rain Ever To Rally The W. O. W.

to Stir up Interest.

T. W. Barns of Amarillo, Panhandle Manager for the Woodmen of the World, came in Monday and is working here in interest of the local camp. Mr. Barns has already secured several new applications, and figures that there will be at least thirty more to come in before he quits as he will spend in all about three weeks in our town.

Plans are now on foot to have a class adoption in Miami, and invite Canadian, Glazier, Higgins, Pampa and Mobeetie over to a big feast and let them bring all their applicants and have the Amarillo team come down and

The local camp W. O. W. has about 50 members but before the summer is over they figure that it will increase to a hundred as generaly speaking the W. O. Thursday night of last week was and is recognized as such in this come up.

A call meeting will be had tolarge crowd from attending the night and more definate arrangepiano recital of Mrs. Ewings ments will be completed. All

#### List of Jurorss

equals and she has trained much T. M. Bradley. Tas Crowson, W. of the musical talent in a credit. J. Kuhn, Jin Wells, Fred Chisum able manner. Miami has more Boots Weckesser, Clarence Pursmusical talent to the population ley. A. B. McAfee, Fred Walker than any other town in the Pan- H. C. Allen. T L. Coffee, S. R. handle and we are very proud of Nelson, W. S. Tolbert, W. H. it. Nothing is more elevating Winger, P. K. Burum, Edgar and inspiring than good music. - Coble. -

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PIANO RECITAL

Mrs. Eming's Class

PART I

Edna Walker, "Hattie Coffee

Lucile Ewing

Modena Burks

Jessie Hoffer. "Connie Plemons

Messrs Lard, Lard, Elkins and George

Mae Vance Wren

t 'Nearer My God to Thee' ...... Clara Mae Kinney

8 { Allegretto from "Moonlight Sonata Beethoven" Laralley

Ruth Hanning

Lucile Ewing.

PART II

Helen Baird Annie Jackson

Hattie Coffee.

Katherine Daughetee

Eileen Wren

Connie Plemone.

Clarice Wren Leo Fitzgerald

Ruth Coffee

Connie Plemons-Modena Burks

"Watchin the Sparkin"

Allen

Wachs

Lucile Gill

Myrtle Gill

Vannoy

Engleman

Le Duc

Krogman

Robert Fitch Ewing

#### REV. F. M. NEAL

Who is now conducting a revival meeting at the Auditorium.

## County Court Begins Monday

County Court of Roberts Co will begin Monday, April 13th. W. lodge is possibly the strong- with Jude Kinney presiding. est fraternal order in the world The following civil cases will

> Bank of Miami vs H. J. New man, suit on note.

Bank of Miami vs D. A. Abeanathy et al, suit on note. John Harvath vs Walter Kuhn

appealed from Justice court. T. O. Arnold vs Sk Ry co. appealed from justice court. CRIMINALCASES

MISDEMEANORS State of Texas vs Claude Weckesser, Thad Pulaski, Rufus Sewell and Roy Lard. Unlawfully

using automobiles. State of Texas vs Geo. Bennett Misdemeanor.

State of Texas vs Claude Anthony, failure to pay occupation

State of Texas vs B. A. Russell, theft of wood,

State of Texas vs Bob Mosley, recieving embezzeled property. State of Texas vs J. C. Dial Unlawfull acting as insurance

### The Telephone Girl.

With a clamp on her head like a cage for her hair, She sits all the day on a stiff lit-

tle chair, over the wire

From people of patience and people of ire: And"Number" she queries of no-

ble or churl-A wonderful voice has a tele phone girl.

She has to be pleasent, and nus tling and keen, With a temper unruffled and

everserene, There are forty-five things she

must think of at once, Or some rough subscriber will

call her a dunce, Since it seems a general custom to hurl

The blame for your grouch on the telephone girl.

ves and the brain, And central gets tired as other man from a Bank Account.

folks do-

And needs to be thoughtfully treated by you; So think of her doing her best

mid the whirl, And try to be white to the"Telephohe girl."-A friend to the Miami Telephone girls.

One per cent of the contents of the oceans would cover all the land areas of the globe to a depth of 290 feet.-United States Geogical Survey.

## School Tax Carries 4to 1.

Two Trustees Elected

In the School election here Saturday, the special tax carried 94 to 24, giving us the full fifty cent tax if needed, and if not needed the trustees may lower it as they see necessary.

The two trustees elected; were Judge Heare and Cleve Coffee to take the places of L. B. Robertson and C. R. Cowan' We failed to get the votes as all canadates

#### New Law in Effect

A new law passed by the last egislature is now in effect. A person who may take the automobile, motorcycle or bycycle of another and ride it off without the concent of the owner even though the machine may be returhed to the place from which it was taken, and unharmed save by ware and tear, may be adjudged guilty and taxes a fine and imprisonment. If the machine is worth no more than \$300 the maximum penalty is \$200, fine but if the machiene is worth \$350 or more a prison sentence may be affixed. Boys in the past have been in the habit of taking automobiles and motercycles and using them in this manner and this information is given in order that they may be warned against this bractice -Plainview News.

#### The Voters Psalm

The Politician is my Shepherd I shall not want for anything during the campeign. He leadeth me into the saloon for my votes sake, he filleth my pockets with cigars, my beer runneth over.

He inquireth after my family even unto the third and fourth generation. Yea though I walk through mud and rain to vote for him and shout myself hoarse when elected, he straightway forgetteth me. I meet him in his own house and he knoweth me not Surely the wool is pulled over mine eyes. Will someone please wake me-H.F. H.

The volume of the 10-mile rocky crust of the earth, including the main elevation of land above the And answers her calls that come sea level is 1, 633,000,000 cubic miles



THE height of Folly is reached by the man who so utterly disregards a care for the future by not providing himself with a bank account. The arguments as to It's wearisome work on the ner- why a man should have money in the bank are without number. Continual hurry, continual strain and it is but folly that leads a

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# The Hollow s of Her Hand George Barr McCutcheon

SYNOPSIS

Challis Wrandall is found murdered in Burton's inn near New York. Mrs. Wran-dall is summoned from the city to identify the body. Wrandall, it appears, had led a gay life and neglected his wife.

CHAPTER I .- Continued.

"I'm not so sure of it," said the coroner, shaking his head. "I have a feeling that she isn't one of the ordinary type. It wouldn't surprise me if she belongs to-well, you might say the upper ten. Somebody's wife, don't you see. That will make it rather difficult, especially as her tracks have been pretty well covered."

'It beats me, how she got away without leaving a single sign behind her," acknowledged the sheriff. "She's a wonder, that's all I've got to say."

At that instant the door opened and Mrs. Wrandall appeared. She stopped short, confronting the huddled group, dry-eyed but as pallid as a ghost. Her eyes were wide, apparently unseeing; her colorless lips were parted in the drawn rigidity that suggested but one thing to the professional man who looks: the "risis sardonicus" of the strychnae victim. With a low cry. the doctor started forward, fully convinced that she had swallowed the deadly drug;

"For God's sake, madam," he began, But as he spoke her expression changed; she seemed to be aware of their presence for the first time. Her eyes narrowed in a curious manner. and the rigid lips seemed to surge with blood, presenting the effect of a queer, swift-fading smile that lingered long after her face was set and seri-

"I neglected to raise the window, Dr. Sheef." she said in a low voice. "It was very cold in there." She shivered slightly. "Will you be so kind as to tell me what I am to do now? What formalities remain for me-

The coroner was at her side. "Time enough for that, Mrs. Wrandall. The first thing you are to do is to take something warm to drink, and pull yourself together a bit-

She drew herself up coldly. "I am quite myself, Dr. Sheef. Pray do not alarm yourself on my account. I shall be obliged to you, however, if you will tell me what I am to do as speedily as possible, and let me do it so that I may leave this-this unhappy place without delay. No! I mean it, sir. I am going tonight-unless, of course," she said, with a quick look at the sheriff. "the law stands in the way.

You are at liberty to come and go as you please, Mrs. Wrandall," said the sheriff, "but it is most foolhardy to think of-

"Thank you, Mr. Sheriff," she said, "for letting me go. I thought perhaps there might be legal restraint." She sent a swift glance over her shoulder, and then spoke in a high, shrill voice, indicative of extreme dread and uneas-

\* "Close the door to that room!"

The door was standing wide open, just as she had left it. Startled, the coroner's deputy sprang forward to close it. Involuntarily, all of her listeners looked in the direction of the room, as if expecting to see the form of the murdered man advancing upon them. The feeling, swiftly gone, was most uncanny.

"Close it from the inside." commanded the coroner, with unmistakable emphasis. The man hesitated, and then did as he was ordered, but not without a curious look at the wife of the dead man, whose back was toward

"He will not find anything disturbed, doctor," sald she, divining his thought. "I had the feeling that something was creeping toward us out of that room."

"You have every reason to be nervous, madam. The situation has been most extraordinary-most trying," said the coroner. "I beg of you to come downstairs, where we may attend to a few necessary details without delay. It has been a most fatiguing matter for all of us. Hours without sleep, and such wretched weather.

They descended to the warm little reception room. She sent at once for the inn keeper, who came in and glowered at her as if she were wholly responsible for the blight that had been turn until-tonight," she replied, a put upon his place.

"Will you be good enough to send without hesitation.

He stared. "We don't run a 'bus in the winter time," he said, gruffly. that hung from her wrist and abstract- stand. That is all I can tell you, sir.' ed a card which she submitted to the coroner.

car my husband came up here in be- grouped about the throbbing motor longs to me. This is the card issued car. They fell away as she apby the state. It is in my name. The proached, silently fading into the factory number is there. You may shadows like so many vast, unwholecompare it with the one on the car. some ghosts. The sheriff and Drake My husband took the car without ob- came forward. taining my consent."

ugly laugh. Then he quailed before unsteady figure beside the machine. the look she gave him.

tor Sheef, I shall ask you to let me see. He has been drinking, but only take the car. I am perfectly capable on account of the hardships he has of driving. I have driven it in the undergone tonight. You will be quite country for two seasons. All I ask is safe with Morley.' that some one be directed to go with

me to the station. No! Better than | wind blew meanly. The air was free | not mourn for him. She could only | the small matter of 30 miles, even unhe shall be handsomely paid for going. it had fallen. It is but little more than 30 miles: I refuse to spend the night in this road, that is all I ask," said she hurhouse. That is final."

They drew apart to confer, leaving ward. ure that seemed to detach itself encompanionship. At last the coroner came to her side and touched her arm.

"I don't know what the district attorney and the police will say to it, Mrs. Wrandall, but I shall take it upon myself to deliver the car to you. The sheriff has gone out to compare the the sheriff. numbers. If he finds that the car is yours, he will see to it, with Mr. Drake, that it is made ready for you. I take it that we will have no difficulty He hesitated, at a loss for words.

"In finding it again in case you need it for evidence?" she supplied. He nodded. "I shall make it a point, Doctor Sheef, to present the car to the state after it has served my purpose tonight. I shall not ride in it again."

"The sheriff has a man who will ride with you to the station or the city, whichever you may elect. Now, may I trouble you to make answer to certain questions I shall write out for you at once? The man is Challis Wrandall, your husband? You are positive?"

"I am positive. He is-or was-Challis Wrandall."

Half an hour later she was ready for the trip to New York city. The clock in the office marked the hour as one. A toddied individual in a great buffalo coat waited for her outside, hiccoughing and bandying jest with the half-frozen men who had spent the night with him in the forlorn hope of finding the girl.

Mrs. Wrandall gave final instructions to the coroner and his deputy, who happened to be the undertaker's assistant. She had answered all the questions that had been put to her. and had signed the document with a firm, untrembling hand. Her veil had been lowered since the beginning of the examination. They did not see her face; they only heard the calm, low voice, sweet with fatigue and

"I shall notify my brother-in-law as soon as I reach the city," she said. "He will attend to everything. Mr. Leslie Wrandall, I mean. My husband's only brother. He will be here in the morning, Doctor Sheef. My own apartment is not open. I have been staying in a hotel since my return from Europe two days ago. But I shall attend to the opening of the place tomorrow. You will find me there."

The coroner hesitated a moment be fore putting the question that had come to his mind as she spoke.

"Two days ago, madam? May I inquire where your husband has been living during your absence abroad? When did you last see him alive?" She did not reply for many seconds, and then it was with a percepti-

ble effort. "I have not seen him since my re-



This Man Will Go With You, Madam, Said the Sheriff.

hoarse note creeping into her voice. "He did not meet me on my return. some one to the station with me in His brother Leslie came to the dock. your depot wagon?" she demanded He-he said that Challis, who came back from Europe two weeks ahead of me, had been called to St. Louis on very important business. My husband She opened the little chatelaine bag | had been living at his club, I under-

"I see," said the coroner, gently. He opened the door for her and she "You will find, Doctor Sheef, that the passed out. A number of men were

"This man will go with you, ma-"Joy riding," said Burton, with an dam," said the sheriff, pointing to an "He is the only one who will under-"If no other means is offered, Doc- take it. They're all played out, you

No snow was falling, but a bleak

that, if there is some one here who is from particles of sleet; wetly the fall wonder what the poor, hunted, ter- der the most trying of conditions? willing to accompany me to the city, of the night clung to the earth where rifled creature would do when taken

"If he will guide me to the Post- done. riedly. Involuntarily she glanced up- flections, she spoke aloud in a shrill. being hunted? Where was she? And her sitting before the fire, a stark fig- window were blowing inward and a of the man beside her: dim light shone out upon the roof of tirely from its surroundings and their the porch. She shuddered and then as I have seen him all these years. climbed up to the seat and took her place at the wheel.

> A few moments later the three men standing in the middle of the road watched the car as it rushed away.

"By George, she's a wonder!" said

CHAPTER II.

The Passing of a Night.

The sheriff was right. Sara Wrandall was an extraordinary woman, if I may be permitted to modify his rath- to a full stop. er crude estimate of her. It is difficult to understand, much less describe a nature like hers. Fine-minded, gently bred women who can go through an ordeal such as she experienced without breaking under the strain are rare darkness, fell back again with a grunt, and looked vacantly into the glare of indeed. They must be wonderful. It is hard to imagine a more heart-break- the left. She took the chance. In her face a ghastly white. ing crisis in life than the one which five minutes she brought the car to a confronted her on this dreadful night, standstill beside the station. Through stiffening lips of Sara Wrandall. Her and yet she faced it with a fortitude that seems almost unholy.

ward husband. He had hurt her deeply more times than she chose to remember during the six years of their married life, but she had loved him in spite of the wounds up to the inton's inn. She went there loving him as he had lived, yet prepared, almost foresworn, to loathe him as he had Do you know anything about the ing her arms as if in surrender. It died, and she left him lying there trains?" alone in that dreary room without a spark of the old affection in her soul. Her love for him died in giving birth er to control the unreasoning, resist- am Mrs. Wrandall." less thing that stands for love in woman; he was her lover, the master of you were coming up tonight. Well. her impulses. Dead, he was an un- say! What do you think ofwholesome, unlovely clod, a pallid thing to be scorned, a hulk of worthless clay. His blood was cold. He first." could no longer warm her with it; it | She walted a moment. "Then I shall could no longer kill the chill that his have to ask you to come out and get still staring. misdeeds cast about her tender sensi- your fellow-deputy. He is useless to iveness; his lips and eyes never more | me. I mean to go on in the machine. could smile and conquer. He was a The sheriff understands." dead thing. Her love was a dead thing. They lay separate and apart. The tie was broken. With love died will freeze to death if I leave him in the final spark of respect she had left for him in her tired, loyal, betrayed heart. He was at last a thing to be despised, even by her. She despised asked agape. him.

She sent the car down the slope and across the moonless valley with small at the fellow you've got with you," regard for her own or her compan- he said, still doubtful. ion's safety. It swerved from side to side, skidded and leaped with terri- crossed over to the car and peered at fying suddenness, but held its way as the face of the sleeper. straight as the bird that flies, driven by a steady hand and a mind that had a goat." no thought for peril. A sober man at her side would have been afraid; this she directed. man swayed mildly to and fro and chuckled with drunken glee.

Her bitter thoughts were not of the dead man back there, but of the live heard her say patiently: years that she was to bury with him; years that would never pass beyond her ken, that would never die. He nad loved her in his wild, ruthless mighty queer, the whole business," he way. He had left her times without declared, assailed by doubts. "Supnumber in the years gone by, but he pose you are not Mrs. Wrandall, but had always come back, gaily unchastened, to remold the love that waited with dog-like fidelity for the touch of man Morley opened his blear-eyes and his cunning hand. But he had taken tried to get to his feet. his last flight. He would not come back again. It was all over. Once too Wran'all? Wha's up?" often he had tried his reckless wings. She would not have to forgive him the other. "It's all right." Then he again. Uppermost in her mind was went forth and pointed the way to the curiously restful thought that his troubles were over, and with them her | Circle," he said. "I don't envy you the own. A hand less forgiving than hers trip. Keep straight ahead after you had struck him dead.

Somehow, she envied the woman to listening until the whir of the motor whom that hand belonged. It had was lost in the distance. "She'll never been her divine right to kill, and yet make it," he said to himself. "It's another took it from her.

to the astonished sheriff: "Poor thing, if she can escape punishment for this, let it be so. I shall not help the law to kill her simply tent on the white stretch that leaped a sob. because she took it in her own hands to pay that man what she owed him. I shall not be the one to say that he did not deserve death at her hands, whoever she may be. No, I shall offer no reward. If you catch her, I shall be sorry for her, Mr. Sheriff. Believe me. I bear her no grudge.'

"But she robbed him," the sheriff had cried. "From my point of view, Mr. Sheriff, that hasn't anything to do with the than to an actual understanding of touched the tire.

case." was her significant reply. "Of course, I am not defending him.

"Nor am I defending her," she had retorted. "It would appear that she is able to defend herself."

was saying to herself that she did have a grudge against the woman who had destroyed the life that belonged to her, who had killed the thing that was hers to kill. She could terprise; then why should she fear I know what has happened there. must wed; he married the milliner.—Baltimore News.

and made to pay for the thing she had Once, in the course of her bitter re-

The curtains in an upstairs | tense voice, forgetful of the presence | what of the ghost at her heels? "Thank God they will see him now

never known him. Thank God for that!

She heard him, and recalling her wits, the road beyond. asked which turn she was to take for the station. The fellow lopped back in the seat, too drunk to reply For a moment she was dismayed.

shoulder. She had brought the car

"Arouse yourself, man!" she cried. hung limply at her sides. 'Do you want to freeze to death? Where is the station?'

He straightened up with an effort, the window she saw a man with his fingers tightened on the wheel. feet cocked high, reading. He leaped She had loved her handsome, way- to his feet in amazement as she entered the walting-room.

"No, ma'am. I'm simply staying a woman-say!" He stopped short stant when she stood beside his dead and stared at the veiled face with her eyes with her hand the better to body in the cold little room at Bur- wide, excited eyes. "Gee whiz! Maybe you-

"No, I am not the woman you want.

"I guess I'll telephone to the sheriff before I-

"If you will step outside you will to the hatred that now possessed her. find one of the sheriff's deputies in my she cried out, without knowing what While he lived it was not in her pow- automobile, helplessly intoxicated. I she said. "Oh," he gasped. "I heard 'em say

"In there a train in before morning?"

"No, ma'am. Seven-forty is the

The fellow hesitated. "I cannot take him with me, and he

the road. Will you come?" The man stared at her.

"Say, is it your husband?" he ulous.

She nodded her head. 'Well, I'll go out and have a look

She stood in the door while he

"Steve Morley," he said. "Fuller'n she seemed about to fall.

"Please remove him from the car, Later on, as he stood looking down

at the inert figure in the big rocking chair, and panting from his labors, he

"And now will you be so good as direct me to the Post-road. He scratched his head. "This is

-the other one. What then?" As if in answer to his question, the

"What-what are we doin' here, Mis

"Stay where you are, Steve," said her. "It's a long ways to Columbus hit the Post-road." He stood there

more than a strong man could do on Back there at the inn she had said roads like these. She must be crazy." Coming to the Post-road, she increased the speed of the car, with the sharp wind behind her, her eyes in- spair came through her lips, ending in up in front of the lamps like a blank that she knew that this road ran stop here. Thank you." straigh, and unobstructed into the outskirts of New York, she might have turned to her once more. "Is-is it lost courage and decision. The natural a matter of life or death?" confidence of an experienced driver was hers. She had the daring of one must find my way there. It is-death." who has never met with an accident, and who trusts to the instincts rather gloved hand on the slim fingers that conditions. With her, it was not a question of her own capacity and note of resolve ringing in her voice. the engine that carried her forward. you let me take you with me?" It had not occurred to her that the task of guiding that heavy, swerving prehension struggling for the mastery Now, on the cold, trackless road, she thing through the unbroken road was of her eyes. something beyond her powers of en-

hundred miles and more without rest-

Sharply there came to her mind the

question: was she the only one abroad in this black little world? What of infinite pity in her voice. the other woman? The one who was The car bounded over a railroad

crossing. She recalled the directions given by the man at the station and They will know him as they have hastily applied the brake. There was another and more dangerous crossing and, by the most whimsical jest a hundred yards ahead. She had been fate, into the custody of the one The man looked at her stupidly and, warned particularly to take it care, son most interested of all in that muttered something under his breath. fully, as there was a sharp curve in

Suddenly she jammed down the emergency brake, a startled exclamation falling from her lips. Not 20 feet ahead, in the middle of the road her, she stretched out her hand frightened. Then she resolutely and directly in line with the light of touched the girl's shoulder. reached out and shook him by the the lamps, stood a black, motionless figure—the figure of a woman whose head was lowered and whose arms

The woman in the car bent forward over the wheel, staring hard. Many the chance," she cried hoarsely. seconds passed. At last the forlorn don't know what impulse was and, after vainly seeking light in the object in the roadway lifted her face ing me back there. I only kno but managed to wave his hand toward the lamps. Her eyes were wide-open,

"God in heaven!" struggled from the

She knew. This was the woman! The long brown ulster; the limp, fluttering veil? "A woman about your

"Are you the agent?" she demanded. size and figure," the sheriff had said. The figure swayed and then moved here for the sheriff. We're looking for a few steps forward. Blinded by the lights, she bent her head and shielded glimpse the occupant of the car.

"Are you looking for me?" she cried out shrilly, at the same time spreadwas almost a wail.

Mrs. Wrandall caught her breath. Her heart began to beat once more. 'Who are you? What do you want?' The girl started. She had not ex-

pected to hear the voice of a woman She staggered to the side of the road, out of the line of light. "I-I beg your pardon." she criedit was like a wail of disappointment-

'I am sorry to have stopped you." "Come here," commanded the other. The unsteady figure advanced. Halt-

ing beside the car, she leaned across

the spare tires and gazed into the eyes of the driver. Their faces were not more than a foot apart, their eyes were narrowed in tense scrutiny. "What do you want?" repeated Mrs.

Wrandall, her voice hoarse and trem-

'I am looking for an inn. It must be near by. I do-'An inn?" with a start.

"I do not recall the name. It is not far from a village, in the hills." 'Do you mean Burton's?"

Yes. That's it. Can you direct me?" The voice of the girl was faint; "It is six or eight miles from here."

said Mrs. Wrandall, still looking in wonder at the miserable night-farer. The girl's head sank; a moan of de-



She Knew-This Was the Woman.

"So far as that?" she murmured. wall beyond which there was nothing Then she drew herself up with a fine but dense oblivion. But for the fact show of resolution. "But I must not

"Wait!" cried the other. The girl There was a long silence.

Sara Wrandall laid her heavily "Listen to me," she said, a shrill

strength, but a belief in the fidelity of "I am going to New York. Won't

The girl drew back, wonder and ap-

"But I am bound the other way. To durance. She often had driven it a the inn. I must go on." "Come with me," said Sara Wrandall

must not go to the inn."

"You know?" faltered the girl. "Yes. You poor thing!" There

The firl laid her head on her ar Mrs. Wrandall sat above ber, ing down, held mute by warring e tions. The impossible had come pass. The girl for whom the w world would be searching in a day two, had stepped out of the unknown same world. It was unbelievable. wondered if it were not a dream the hallucination of an overwron mind. Spurred by the sudden d ar to the reality of the object b

Instantly she looked up. Her gers sought the friendly hand clasped it tightly.

"Oh, if you will only take me to city with you! If you only give could not help myself. You re mean it? You will take me with yo

"Yes. Don't be afraid. Come! in," said the woman in the car rapid 'You-you are real?" The girl did not hear the stra

question. She was hurrying aro to the opposite side of the car. she crossed before the lamps, ! Wrandall noticed with dulled in est that her garments were cove with mud; her small, comely hat in sad disorder; loose wisps of h fluttered with the unsightly veil. hands, she recalled, were clad in t suede gloves. She would be h frozen. She had been out in all t terrible weather-perhaps since

hour of her flight from the inn. The odd feeling of pity grew stronger within her. She made no effort analyze it, nor to account for it. We should she pity the slayer of her h band? It was a question unasked. considered. Afterwards she was recall this hour and its strange i pulses, and to realize that it was t pity, but mercy that moved her to the extraordinary thing that follow

Trembling all over, her teeth ch tering, her breath coming in short tle moans, the girl struggled up ! side her and fell back in the Without a word, Sara Wrandall dre reat buffalo robe tucked it in about her feet and le far up about her body, which !

slumped down in the seat. "You are very, very good," chatter the girl, almost inaudibly. "I shall ne er forget-" She did not complete t sentence, but sat upright and fixed b gaze-on her companion's face. "You you are not doing this just to tu me over to-to the police? They mu be searching for me. You are n going to give me up to them, are you There will be a reward I-"

"There is no reward," said Sat Wrandall sharply. "I do not mean! give you up. I am simply giving y a chance to get away. I have alway felt sorry for the fox when the tin for the kill drew near. That's the way I feel."

"Oh, thank you! Thank you! B what am I saying? Why should I pe mit you to do this for me? I meant go back there and have it over wh know I can't escape. It will have come, it is bound to come. Why p it off? Let them take me, let the do what they will with me. I-" "Hush! We'll see. First of all, u

over to the police. I will give you t chance. I will help you. I can no more than that." "But why should you help me? I-oh, I can't let you do it! You not understand. I-have-commit -a-terrible-" she broke off with

derstand me: I shall not turn y

"I understand," said the other, som thing like grimness in her level ton "I have been tempted more than on myself." The enigmatic remark mano impression on the listener.

"I wonder how long ago it was the it all happened," muttered the girl, if to herself. "It seems ages-0 such ages." "Where have you been hiding sine

last night?" asked Mrs. Wranda throwing in the clutch. The car star ed forward with a jerk, kicking up th snow behind it. "Was it only last night? Oh, I'v been—" The thought of her suffer ings from exposure and dread was to

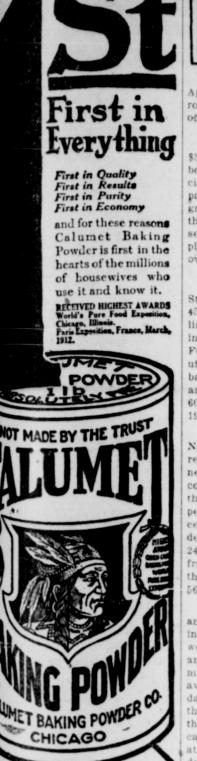
much for the wretched creature. S broke out in a soft wail. 'You've been out in all this weath

er?" demanded the other. "I lost my way. In the hills bac there. I don't know where I was."

"Had you no place of shelter?" "Where could I seek shelter? spent the day in the cellar of a farm er's house. He didn't know I wa

there. I have had no food." "Why did you kill that man?" (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Guarding Against Expense. It took a New York millionarie t hit upon the best scheme yet for cu ting down household expenses if on ing, or without losing zest in the en-firmly. "You must not go back there. must wed; he married a fashionable



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Was Good to Youngsters Eager for the Delights of the Moving Picture Theater.

queried the small boy

ion was put to the elderly Behind the boy came boys, all peering eagerly into

pedestrian sharply.

"We are too young to go in alone," you will buy our tickets for us we can \$,000. so in with you."

Then came a sudden light and the old man smiled broadly. He went to the ticket window of an adjacent moving-picture theater, where he passed to count faces.

"Nine tickets," he said. "There is a law against children." bjected the ticket man. "Are those

Ittle people with you?" "They are," declared the old man. Come on, boys-going in?"

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April 11, vote on the issuance of road improvement bonds in the sum

The city of Sweetwater has voted \$320,000 5 1-2 per cent waterworks cial Trust company, Kansas City, at par with \$2,500 premium and lithographing, Mr. Parker representing the Trust company said that he had seen less promising sites for water plants that were had at a cost of

States during February amounted to 455,239 running bales, exclusive of linters, compared with 448,095 bales in February, 1913. Cotton on hand Feb. 28 was held as follows: In manufacturing establishments, 1,734,317 bales, compared with 1.893,966 in 1913, and in independent warehouses 2,293,-601 bales, compared with 2,217,619 in and the still less sluggish creeks were

National banks of Texas, exclusive of cent on Jan. 13. Loans and discounts 241,744; the lawful money reserve from \$10,550,409 to \$10,180,708, and

was tied up for several hours by 200 feet of track washout between Roxton and Ambia,

Six hundred quarts of nitroglycerin stored in the plant of the Eastern fund himself, a little further on, in exploded and wrecked th eentire te midst of a numerous crowd of plant. A hole 40x75 feet and ten be pedestrian to accept a five-cent and stones weighing several pounds opening of spring is fully met. were hurled more than half a mile.

\$8 contributed by Texans, paid in means will permit. \$1,923.38, making a total of \$25,-

Approximately half of the \$100,000 road bonds voted on some time ago for highway improvement has been expended and the roads have been placed in a commendable condition.

Woman suffrage won a victory in Boston, Mass., when the house, 164 to 39, concurred with the senate in adopting a resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution by which the word "male' would be stricken from the provision describing the qualifcatons of a voter

The main building for the West Texas normal school, built at Canyon City in 1909, was destroyed by fire Wednesday morning. The building, together with the equipment burned entailed a loss of approximately \$250,000, covered by insurance to the tmount of \$100,000. School was in session when the fire was discovered, but there was quick and orderly response to the call for fire drill and the building was emptied in a few minutes without the loss of life or injury to any one,

employment of Mexican day laborers who reside on the other side of the boundary on government contracts at El Paso and other border points caused Representative Smith of Texas to introduce a bill making it a misdemeanor for any contractor or subcontractor of the federal government knowingly employing on public works a person not a citizen or who has not declared his intention of becoming a citizen. Punishment is fixed at \$1,000 fine or six months in imprisonment, or both

It Indicates Fresh Hopes and Renewed Buoyancy of Spirit.

How wonderfully tight the spring wander-lust for the countryside grips

Spring fever, with all of its healthfulness, is the harbinger of fresh hopes and a buoyancy of spirit.

I noticed a passenger on a Detroit-Chicago train the other day who had started out on his trip with the evident intention of becoming deeply taken with one of the best sellers, that he might shorten the trip between the two cities. You have done the same thing yourself.

But his book had been cast aside. He had read only a few pages. His

ditches were carrying away the water sleeves, was repairing the fences after the winter drifts; the cattle showing heading here and there toward the meadows, seeking the new-green patches of grass; the farm help, in field and stubble, was putting into repair this and that necessary feature, here looking after his plow and there his harrow, and on all sides were scenes which reminded the traveler that spring was here, at last!

As the train sped onward and glimpses of the painter as he worked another died immediately after reach. on the weather-beaten buildings were

car when it leaped from the road in Western Canada. He had his wells tails for the land that was ready to

being attended to, fences are being rebuilt or being put into repair; indeed, the entire country is one great

Railroads are in readiness to take care of a great rush of settlers, those charged with the reception of whom nongsters. Each boy clamored for feet deep was blown in the ground tion. Thus, the enjoyment of the

"What is all this?" demanded the Three men narrowly escaped death many of the middle western states. by escaping from the plant a few trains of settlers' effects are in readimoments before the explosion. The ness to move to Western Canada. Not tolunteered a ready spokesman. "If loss of the company is placed at only in these states are scenes of this Baylor University's encowment fund ern states there is the same activity has been boosted to the exten of among those going to Western Can-\$25,000 by cash payments within ada this spring. The crops have been the last few days. Texas contrib- heavy and all reports are that the utors to the fund paid in the sum of winter was enjoyable; also, that the \$15,38706. This sum was met by a prospects for a satisfactory year were payment of \$7,693.53 by the General never better. There is plenty of land Education board of New York, fos. yet to be had by homesteading or othtered by John D. Rockefeller, on a erwise. Adapted, as Western Canada basis of \$1.00 for every \$2.00 paid is, to small grain farming; it is espein by the Texas subscribers to the cially adapted to cattle raising and total fund of \$600,000. Col. C. C. many of the farmers are placing small Slaughter of Dallas gives \$1 for every and large herds, as their individual

The illustrated literature sent out by the Canadian government agents tells the truth clearly and the inquirer one of those who has an ambitious interest, you may be the gainer by a perusal of such informationstraight, cold facts in themselves .-Advertisement.

Secrets of the Wardrobe.

When Winston Churchill was running for the governorship of New Hampshire, his opponents became pestiferously active making speeches, writing letters and distributing campaign buttons. One morning a friend sent this telegram to Churchill: "Have you no buttons for your sup-

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The 'bus conductors were on strike, history of the Napoleonic tragedy and at the last moment their places were taken by all kin's of men anx-

These temporary officials did not lines. The divorce of Josephine was know much about conducting a 'bus, the prelude: Elba the interlude, and and even less about conducting themselves with civility, in spite of the fact that a large number of them had JUDGE CURED. HEART TROUBLE. had the advantage of a university

training. An old lady boarded a 'bus at Piccaney Pills for Heart Trouble from dilly Circus, and after they had gone should send for a copy and if you be which I had suffered for 5 years. I a few yards, asked the conductor-

"Conductor, do you stop at the Ritz

"No, madam," came the reply, "not ache. I took the at present, that is to say-I can't af-

Belle-Is that girl's hair naturally Nell-Yes, natural result of the

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the Chief editor will go up and remain for the two days session

District Attorney W. R. Ewing is actualy running for

re-election, even if he has no

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the office, he deserves it and will no doubt be elected with-

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week a man and his wife went

to the train to meet a lady re-

lative whom they had not seen in several years. the girls given

name was Lottie, and when

a neat looking lady stepped from the platform the gentle-

man walked up and asked i

this was Lotty, and getting ar

affirmstive answer, he gently pressed her ruby lips. But it

was soon discovered that this was the wrong Lotty, as

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A Houston lady says she to the snow and fee of a ew knows there is a hell in the next world, because there is necessity of such a place for the men. A woman that A lot of men make garden would make such a statement Eks some men run for office; would if she had the chance ! they work industriously at it take much delight in giving a untill the seed is sown and man his a this side of the next morrow and Saturday. A fine At present will have the news

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"Do unto others as you would allowed to be let "live by the the deed? It is the behest of Divine Wisdom. Thus we Education will broaden a find joy ever at hand, for love morrow" to postpone the ABSTRACTS of Title kindly deed; to defer being Now that spring is bere you happy by procrastination in

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Norman Coffee who is attending school in Amsrillo was home Sun-

Several Miami parties attended down. the dance at Pampa Friday night and all report a great time.

turned to Miami Saturday. James Jukes one of the Panhand les luckiest farmers was in the city

find somthing to interest you.

letter heads for the U- ranch. Fred Stribling made us a very

pleasent call Tuesday, and had the Chief sent to R. W. Kelly Ft. Griffin Texas.

tle interest.

Och ltree with a prospector for some

accident in San Francisco,

W. L. Brown made the Chief office a very pleasent call Saturday and states that he has near 200 acres of wheat that is as fine as silk.

The Miami Band and Orchestra oncert at Pampa was postponed on the account of rain, but will be ren- her dress making parlor. No. 119. dered in the pear future. Several of the boys went up Friday morning but returned the the same day.

senative of the Amarillo News spent tree yesterday. the first of this week with us, securing some data on the country and incidentally collecting subscription for the News

W. W. Owegs of Canadian was in the city the first of the week demonstrating the "Catapiller" plow engine. He did some street grading that looks very nice.

L' B. Cross of Clinton Tennessee came in Thursday to take charge of his Texas ranch. Mr. Cross came via. Kausas City and purchased a bunch of one and two yearold steers with which to stock his rapeb. Mr. Cross is an exacllant young man and we are more than pleased to welcome him.

. N. C Brown of Miami is the new ssistant in the Investigator office and is very proficient in his profession. Mr. Brown is also a cornet Chairman and also deligate to the and clarinet player and will be a welcome acquisition to the musical circles of the Oueen City-Ochiltree Eagle investigator.

in our city Manday and Tues. Mr. is in a serious condition. Dr. Gunn McClendon is in the progressive class as a farmer and stockman, and will plant 60 acres of cotton this year and besides near a hunered acres of other row crop. He seys that there will be more cotton planted in his section of the country this year than ever was before and that they have a fine spring season to begin on and that the farmers are wellup with their work.

County was in our city a short time renewed. Tuesday visiting and meeting friends Judge Mliler who a very few years ago came to Wheeler County just a young kid lawyer, but it was a evening at 6.30. A chapter from very short time untill he showed the the life of Mozart was read and public that he had the makings of a discussed with Mrs. Rees as leader. good attorney in him and soon won It was decided to meet at 6;30 durthe people who in the last election ing the Revival placed him in the highest position | The Popular law firm Ewing and they could, and he has given such Dial who have been enjoying such a unanimous satisfaction that he is nice practice has been dissolved. running without an opponant. Soon Mr. Dial and C. Coffee forming a after getting into the honored of partnership and have opened an office Melvin took unto himself a fice in the Smith and Burum buildwife and now has a promising young ing. and Mr. Ewing is devoting his attorney who is just seven months time to the District Attorneys offiold. Mr. Miller says that he and cial duties. his wife have kept an expence account of the youngster and up to was held at the regular meeting Samuel Edge was in from his farm date he has cost them \$100.01. place. We had an interasting meet-That is allright Melvin the kid may ing. The few that attend regularly Willie Christopher was in the be worth it, but you will learn him join the Press Reporter in asking to be extravigant, (and say Melvin every member to try to attend more have you charged up the midnight often and help make our Society a trots). The Judge said he could model Society. Our next meeting

The senior pupils of Mrs. Danie | so. The lesson will be found in the Rees' Music Class met Saturday March number of the Mission Voice The One Horse Drayman Gray County Court was completed evening at 6:30 and organized The Every member of the M. E. Church No. 65 last week and the District force re- Philharmonic Society with twenty two members. The following of-George, vice president, Miss Ophe- month. lia McAfee, secretary, Mrs, W. H. Several new adds this week, look Rhodes asst. Secretary, Mrs. J. W. PASSENGER TRAIN TIME CARD the whole bunch over and you wil Wells press reporter. The object of the Society is to study the lives! Samuel Edge was in the city this of Composers each week. The last 113-West Bound. week and geve us a nice order for monday in the month there will be a musical and social evening.

The Society is composed of following members, Mesdames D. Rees W. H. Rhodes, I. N. Auten, T. J. Boney, Dr. Gunn, J, W. Wells Misses. Zella George, Ura Hudspeth James Dobbs erme down from Carrie Pelt, Myrtle Severtson, Ophe-Kansas Thursday and spent three lin McAfee, Lella McDonald, Jessie days looking after hisranch and cat Severtson, Elva Jones, Lettie Rees Leigh Patton, Messers George W. L. Parton of Mobeetie passed Lard, Flake George, Clybe Mead, through Miami Tuesday enroute to Ed Lard, Clarence Lock, Robt Elkins

The Womans Study Club met with Mrs. C. A. Olive on last Fri-A. T. Parton who has been climb- day Despite the rainy weather a ing the mountains of California for majority of the members were prethe past few months and visiting sent and enjoyed an interisting lesrelatives in Oregon, passed through son on 'The Philipine Islands' and Miami enroute home to Mobeetie, the usual progress was rendered. Agus is wearing a pretty large scar Mrs Olive served delicious iceon his head from an automobile cream and cake to the members at the conclucion of the meeting.

Ernest Black came in today from

G. W. Wells is in our city today buying supplies.

Mrs. Albert Wilde has a phone in

John Perry of Canadian bought a

player piano of the Smith Music Co Claude Weckesser and George A. G. Caldwell, special repre- Lard made the round trip to Ochil-

> Mrs. S. T. West returned last night from Memphis where she has been on a visit.

> District Court will meet at Ochiltree Monday and the Officers are preparing to go up Sunday

> "The Holy City" at the Cap Rock Theater Saturday Apr. 11th. Marinee and night.

> J. C. Prender of Abaline will begin a Revival Meeting in the Bantist Church on Saturday April 25th Every body welcome to take part

> L. B. Robertson went out to A W. Chisums yesterday to doctor some cows that had been poisoned on frozen alfalfa. One of the cowa

> In the Domocratic executive meeting here Monday, T. M. Cunningham was apointed County Ft. Worth convention.

J. L. Stroupe went to Amarillo Tuesday and had an operation performed for appendicitis. The oper-W. E. McClendon of Wheeler was ation was performed but Mr. Stroop accompanied him.

Fred Chisum has purchased the Stribling confectionary and will continue the business in the same stand. The deal was closed yesterday and Mr. Chisum took charge

E. T. Kirksey left this morning for Arkansas where he was called to the bedside of his father who is sick with heart failure. Mr. Kirk-Judge M. M. Miller of Wheeler sey dropped in the Chief Office and

The Philbarmonic Society met at the home of Mrs. D. Rees Monday

The reguler Bible Study meeting use the Chief, and ordered it sent will be Mission study this will be a profitable meeting if we make it

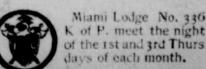
should take the Missionary Voice.

ficers were elected for the year. Royal Arch Chapter, 265, Mrs. D. Rees President, Miss Zella meet night of Third Friday in each H. E. Baird, H. P.

> (Southern Kansas Railway of Texas) 17-West Bound. 11:07 a. m daily 1'4-East Bound

BAPTIST CHURCH-Preaching at 11 o'clock every 1st and 3rd Sundays; Sunday School at 10 every Sunday; Prayer-meeting every Wednesday night. - Daniel Rees, Pastor. Business meeting Wed. night after first Sunday of each month.

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K of P. meet the night of the 1st and 3rd Thurs days of each month.

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with a zest rarely found in this country, where the chief features of the occasion are choral services and Dame Fashion's parade of Easter finery. Easter festivities abroad are elaborate in the extreme and marked by many unique customs and ceremonies. During Holy week no meat is eaten in Poland. Good Friday, dressed in mourning, the women go to church and

pray for an hour. The grave of Christ is always represented at the church, and it is before this prayers are said. Saturday, too, is spent in fasting and prayer. Easter Sunday the great luncheon, or "swieceny," as it is called in Polish, takes place. At the castles of the nobility refreshments are prepared for hundreds of guests. The tables laden with cold meats, pigs roasted whole, various kinds of sausages and great cakes, or which are always eaten at Eastertide. During the afternoon visitors call. It is the custom of the host and hostess to meet their guests at the door with a plate of eggs, each visitor takes a small piece and the greeting of the day, "Hallelujah," is exchanged.

other, and the last time on the other cheek again. This represents the joy they feel on account of the Savior's resurrection. The custom is sometimes continued for several days, and the peasants often kiss those whom they have just met. Following the half-hour church service there is

a night mass held, the only one during the year. This is not usually ended until 3 o'clock in the morning. From the church the people return home and have what is really an early breakfast, but which is more like a feast. They eat hardboiled eggs, "pascha" and "coolitch," which form the features of the repast.

The custom of kissing is also observed in the court. Easter day the emperor receives the members of his household, his bodyguard and representatives from the officers and soldiers of the regiments stationed in and near St. Petersburg.

Easter is a joyful occasion for the children. For two or three days previous their elders dye eggs for them, much as is done in this country. Easter the children roll them and play with them. It is also the custom to exchange eggs, and many people carry a few with them to present to their friends after the church service. The children play with their eggs for a week after Easter and sometimes longer. The "pascha" and "coolitch"

ed With Talent Along Many Lines Other Than Writing.

Young English Author Especially Gift-

Eldrid Reynolds, the young English woman who is the author of the novel "Whispering Dust," belongs to an old Yorkshire family, and numbers among Yorkshire family, and find the bar. A red-cheeked peasant girl prison reformer, the poet Bloomfield and James Ward and George Moreand James ward and deerge Miss them and went on with her inter-Reynolds spent her childhood on the wide, heather-covered Yorkshire moors and the wild Cornish coast. The passion for space, freedom and the immensities which she voices in "Whispering Dust" is doubtless the result of her early environment.

The book itself is the result of a winter on the Mediterranean and in Egypt, but the heroine, who after thirty years of cramping duties as "a niece" longs to accomplish something, can by no means be identified with the author. Miss Reynolds has accomplished a great deal in less than thirty years. She created stories before she could read; wrote, acted and produced plays for home and school before she reached her teens; published her first in New York figures that the natives story at sixteen and her first novel, "Red of the Rock," at twenty. She ure. It sounds fanciful, true. But has a decided talent for drawing and nas a decided talent to the million: singing and her favorite recreations Dinners, \$125,000; suppers and wine, show that she can be by no means a dreamer. Among them are riding. sailing, fishing, dancing, winter sports, caravaning, amateur theatricals, photography, painting, drawing and sing- Broadway district in a night," he

Caravaggio Picture Found.

An important find has been made in the art collection of Marchese della Stufa at France. It is a painting by Caravaggio, which had been lost sight of for many years. The painting was known to connoisseurs through a print in the Galleria degli Ufizzi.

Sig di Pietro, the secretary of this gallery, was determined to find the picture. It was known that in the year 1700 it was in possession of the Cerretani family, which is now ex-

Sig di Pietro, while examining Marchese della Stufa's collection saw the painting and immediately identified it. The Ufizzi print is an exact reproduction of the picture, which is a typical Caravaggio. It depicts six youths, one of whom is playing a violin, one a lute and one a flute, while two are singing and one is listening.-New York Sun.

It Is Still Fashionable, "Pa, what's poetic justice

"The former president of a bachelor club being married to a woman who makes him feel that he would rather lose his job than be late for dinner furnishes a pretty fair sample

A Change

"Did Caesar's disposition change much during his life?" asked the pro-

"Well," answered the bluffing student, "he had a lot more Gaul when

BOTH VERSATILE AND STRONG UNREASONABLE THING TO ASK

Thirsty Tourists Inclined to Be Fin. icky Should Visit Ireland During the Winter Months.

Two New York men were touring Ireland last summer by automobile. On a hot July afternoon they came to an inn. Stopping, they went into was the barmaid. The travelers ordered Irish and soda. The girl served rupted work of wiping the bar. One of the men tasted his drink and found it tepid.

"I say, my girl," he said, "won't you please put some ice in these drinks?"

Her mouth went wide open and the mopping cloth was poised in mid-air. Amaze held her silent for a moment, Then she found tongue in a hurry. "Ice, is it? And who the - ever

heard of ice in July?" Whereupon she fell to polishing again.

Million a Night for Fun. A million dollars a night. That's what a proprietor of a Broadway hotel and visitors spend for revel and pleas-

here's how he spends the million: \$125,000; theaters, \$175,000; taxicabs, \$100,000; hotels, \$175,000; cafes, flowers and other incidentals, \$300,000. "If there isn't a million spent in the adds, "what is left wouldn't enable a man to have a steam yacht and a

country home." He Understood. "And observe that we never let

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play except in the minor.' "I understand; he is so young!"-

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EASTER SUNDAY AMONG THE ARMENTANS RUSSIAN FASTER - KISSING THE INONS decorated with flowers. A wire is stretched from

On the day preceding this luncheon the food is blessed by the priest. As the castle is usually the center of the community, the peasants or farmers bring their food there. When the priest blesses the castle luncheon he also bestows a blessing upon the food of the servants and peasants in the lower hall. During the entire week following Easter Sunday visitors are invited to partake of the cold dishes on the Easter luncheon table, which is replenished as necessity arises.

Landowners receive gifts from the peasants on their estates at Eastertide. One may bring his best calf another his fattest pig, and a woman her largest chicken or duck. In turn the peasants receive presents of money and other valuables.

The children play with eggs on Easter Sunday in much the same manner they do on the White House lawn in Washington. In Austria-Hungary the same ceremony is observed, with the exception of the great luncheon. Always on Good Friday the emperor and his court attend divine service for an hour.

Easter in France is primarily a floral celebration. The flower market along the Seine is redolent with the perfume of lilles and other as fragrant, though less stately blooms. Every one wears a flower at Eastertide, and poor indeed is the household that does not display a floral symbol of "the resurrection and the life."

It is not one of the great celebrations of France, but is decidedly a children's day. Of course, it is a legal holiday and the banks, government buildings and schools are closed. There are the usual religious services to be found in a Catholic country. The Parisian child makes merry with Easter eggs, which are generally painted In vivid colors. For the children of the wealthier class are eggs of chocolate and sugar, either solid candy or hollowed out so as to conceal pretty favors in the form of small toys.

In Italy, Easter is quite the most important re ligious festival of the year and a time of public and private rejoicing. In Rome on Easter Sunday and for several days afterward religious processions are to be seen on the streets. Dignitaries of the church, clad in gorgeous raiment, march from church to church, blessing the baptismal fonts and rekindling the altar fires that were extinguished on Good Friday in memory of the death of Christ

A unique ceremony marks the observance of Holy week in Florence, Italy. It is probable this ceremony will be discontinued before many years because of the fatalities and serious accidents which have occured in recent years.

At noon on Saturday of Holy week a ceremony called the "scoppio del carro" (the explosion of the car) takes place in the Piazzo del Duomo, just in front of the Battistero. It is in fulfillment of a provision in the will of the de Pazzi family, an ancient Florentine household, certain members of which brought flints from the holy land with

which to kindle the fires on the altars at Easter. The "car" which resembles an altar and is nearly as large as a small frame house, is drawn to the square before the cathedral by a team of white oxen, where it is filled with fireworks and

the car to the altar in the cathedral. At the conclusion of the service a wooden device known as a "dove," traveling over the wire on a wheel and bearing a small fuse, is lighted from the sacred fire on the alter. It rushes down the wire to the car filled with combustibles. The explosion that follows is a wonderful pyrotechnic display. The peasants in and near Florence attach considerable importance to the explosion of the "car," and especially to the uninterrupted descent of the "dove" down the wire; if everything transpires without a hitch, they consider it an omen of plentiful crops the rest of the year.

Abounding in quaint customs and strange ceremonies Mexico upholds her reputation in her Easter celebration. The day is a day of vengeance-not upon the living, but upon the numberless images of Judas Iscariot, the betrayer of Christ. All over the country countless images of Judas are made, generally in peasant clothes, with ropes fastened around their necks. Amid the hoots and jeers of the crowd the images are swung aloft and hung. As they swing to and fro stones and knives are hurled at them; out in the provinces the figures are riddled with bullets until they are literally cut to ribbons. Sometimes an image is stuffed with cigarettes, confections and trinkets, strung aloft and exploded from a fuse running to the ground. The contents are scattered in the explosion, of course, and the grown-ups as well as the children scramble for the flying gifts.

The ceremonies really begin with Thursday eve ning of Holy week, when the "visita de la siete casas," or the calling of the seven houses or churches, is held. The populace on this occasion visit seven or more churches-there must be seven at the lowest-and pray. All the churches are decorated, and there is considerable rivalry as to which has the most gorgeous altar. On the afternoon of Good Friday there is a service called "la siete palabras," or the seven words, referring to the seven words of Christ on the cross. All women attending this service are dressed either in mourning or in somber colors. In the evening, attired in the same manner, they attend a service called "pesame," a service of condolence and mourning.

On Saturday morning the "gloria" service is held, after which comes the hanging of the effigies of Judas. In the afternoon the people attend the theaters or a bull fight if the weather is not too warm for the latter. On Easter day proper the celebration is almost entirely a religious one Easter is the holiday of holidays in Russia. This is partly due to the fact that Easter is the first celebration of the spring season, and the warm weather naturally draws people to the out-

On Easter eve in Russia there is a church service held which begins before midnight and continues for half an hour. In the country, even among the peasants where the customs are more strictly followed, the people wear their best and

lightest clothes. After the service comes the Easter kiss. Friends

are also eaten during the week after Easter, and always served to visitors who may call. It is also a custom to greet friends Easter day with "Christ is risen from the dead." To that the friend replies in the same way or exclaims: "Yea, verily, he is risen!'

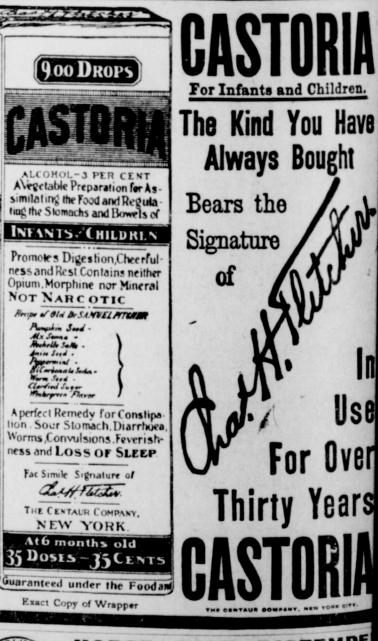
Another phase of the Russian celebration of Easter is to be found not in Russia but in Palestine. Thousands upon thousands of pilgrims. from Russia, but also from other parts of the world as well, assemble on the banks of the river Jordan on Easter morning to bathe in the same waters in which Christ was baptized. As the rays of the rising sun gild the tops of the mountains of Moab a shout of "Hosanna" bursts forth with one accord from every throat, followed by song. Baptismal robes are donned and the people rush into the stream. The Russian government has erected hospices for the pilgrims all along their line of march.

Easter in Jerusalem is a great occasion. At the Church of the Holy Sepulchre the ceremony of the descent of the holy fire is celebrated on Saturday. All lights in the church are extinguished at a certain hour and the worshipers stand praying that the holy fire be sent down from heaven. Two high priests go down into the sacred sepulchre; suddenly lights appear in the tomb, and other priests hand down candles, which are returned to them lighted. These candles are then carried to the various churches in the city to light their altar candles, and, in fact, there have been instances wherein they have been carried all the way back to Russia by pilgrims. On Palm Sunday a great service is held in the church, at the conclusion of which the worshipers stream forth shouting "Hosanna!" and waving their palm branches.

The most remarkable feature of the Easter celebration in Jerusalem, however, is the march of the pilgrims through the Via Dolorosa. Many thousands of persons from all over the world participate in this march, following the course taken by Christ in his journey to the cross on Calvary.

Good Friday in Spain, especially in Seville, is the day on which the various guilds and societies and the monks array themselves in fantastic garb and parade the streets as mummers. They bear before them huge standards, crosses, images of the Virgin Mary and queer symbolic devices. In other sections of the country the parade takes the form of a carnival of flowers; queens of the carnival are chosen and they are feted with all the homage usually shown a real sovereign. Vast sums, secured by popular subscription, are expended upon the parades. The images of the virgin are garbed in robes and jewels that cost thousands of dollars.

The beautiful service in St. Mark's cathedral is by far the chief feature of the Easter celebration in Venice. The worshipers come to the church in gondolas literally covered with flowers. The entire scene is a riot of color and blooms. In the afternoon every one bears a supply of food to the square in front of the cathedral and scatters it broadcast to the countiess flocks of pigeons that fly about the stately edifice.





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Mr. Robert H. Norris, No. 1333 Hen-ry St., North Berkeley, Cal., writes: -We have never had any other mediwe have never had any other medi-cine but Peruna in our home since we have been married. I suffered with hidney and bladder trouble, but two months treatment with Peruna made me a well and strong man. My wife felt weak and was easily tired and was also troubled with various pains. but since she took Peruna she is well

One's Ancestors.

How many male and female ances tors were required to bring yes into the world? First, it was necessary that you should have a father and mother. That makes two human beings. Each of them must have had a father and mother. That makes four human beings. Again, each of them must have had a father and mather, making eight more human beings. So Christ, 56 generations. The cairla reaching the Parkland hospital. tion thus resulting shows that 139.-935.017.489.534,976 births must have taken place to bring you into this world-you who read these lines! All this since the birth of Christ-not since the beginning of time.

#### RASH ITCHED AND BURNED

400 South Hermitage Ave., Chicago, III-"I was attacked with a breaking out on the inside of my arms. It was a small rash or pimples and it itched and burned, especially at night, so that before I knew it I had made myself sore. I had to wear the finest kind of cotton underwear, no woolen at all, because the least thing irritated it and made it much worse. The rash itched and smarted until at times I got no sleep at all.

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# THREE ARE KILLED

ACCIDENT OCCURRED NEAR DAL-LAS, WHEN CAR ROLLS DOWN EMBANKMENT.

Two Women and a Man Are in Critical Condition-All Were Pinioned Under Auto.

Dallas, Texas.—Two persons were out loss of life or injury to any one. killed instantly, another died imme- Calls for help brought the fire dethree others were badly injured as a mobile engine being brought overresult of an automobile accident land, making the run in 31 minutes, and the others were passengers in account of low water pressure were road at a sharp curve and dived 40 the building was a total loss. feet downward into a ravine.

and Mrs. Katie M. Loving was dead, ped of the state's normal schools, beit is believed, before the car was at ing the newest and largest building rest. William C. Loving, son of Mrs. as well as being constructed along on we go back to the time of Jasus Loving, died a few minutes after the latest ideas of school architecture,

ningham, both arms broken above the elbow; Mrs. R. C. Boppington, left ankle broken, and Jack Young of Condensed Items From Austin of Stamford, believed to have received internal injuries Both of the injured women were badly bruised, are believed to have suffered internal hurts and are said to be dangerously injured

It is said that the automobile party that it was returning from an extended run when the car struck a pile of gravel at the roadside, turned abruptly and bounded over the edge of the sharp bluff into the deep draw. The automobile was demolished. All the persons were pinioned under the The cries of the wounded reached the roadway above and two automobiles were stopped, their passengers went to the scene of the disaster and the wounded were rushed to the hospital The dead were brought to the city in undertakers' wagons.

PAROLED CONVICTS IN DEMAND. fee with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post- Application of Gregg County Granted and Others Considered.

Austin, Texas,-The success of the experiment of working paroled conthat of York, the area of which is victs on road construction in the £300 square feet, St. Paul's being the | Lindale district in Smith county has resulted in the governor receiving requisitions for convicts from road districts in other sections of the state. The governor has granted the application of Gregg county for 30 convicts and they will be delivered as soon as the paroles have been prepared. Limestone county has applied for 30 convicts, and Representative D. M. Reedy of Smith county called on the governor and made the request that 50 convicts be sent to the Tyler district for road work. that district having recently voted a bond issue of \$300,000 for good roads. The governor promised Mr. Reedy that his request would be granted provided suitable convicts could be

had. The governor will also assign 40 convicts for work on the state rail-The list has been prepared road. and the paroles are now being drawn

CARRANZA ARRIVES IN JUAREZ

First Chief of Revolution Completes Long Journey on Horseback,

Juarez .- When Venustiano Carran. za, first chief of the revolution, entered this city Sunday the American flag was carried by the side of the Mexican emblem. Americans in the crowd cheered and were joined in to some extent by the native specta-

tors. In the last few weeks the general has ridden horseback for 500 miles and in the last two months he has traveled 2,000 miles in the same way. other reports of a similar nature,

Clarke is Renominated.

ocratic primary held last week show that James P. Clarke was renominated for United States senator over Judge William F. Kirby by 231 majority. The total figures are: Clarke,

68,024; Kirby, 67,793. Torpedo Plant Demolished.

loss is placed at\$5,000.

## NORMAL DESTROYED BY FIRE

IN AUTO WRECK Main Building at Canyon City Burns with Loss of \$250,000.

Canyon, City, Texas.-The main building of the West Texas state normal school, built here in 1909, was destroyed by fire Wednesday morn-THREE OTHERS BADLY HURT equipment burned, entailed a loss ing. The building, together with the of approximately \$250,000, covered by insurance to the amount of \$100,000. School was in session when the fire was discovered, but there was quick and orderly response to the call for fire drill and the building was emptied in a few minutes with-

diately after reaching a hospital, and partment from Amarillo, the autoabout two miles north of the city on but the firemen arrived too late to the Maple avenue road at 1:30 o'clock accomplish anything toward saving Thursday morning. The automobile the building. The fire department of was that of Dr. Samuel P. Tipton Canyon fought the flames, but on

The building was recognized as one Dr. Tipton was killed instantly of the most modern and best equip-

The injured are Mrs. Hattie Cun. NOTES FROM THE STATE CAPI-TOL

General Interest

Following the scare occasioned by a little blaze in the state capitol last week, the city of Austin is installing 6-inch water mains, around the building as fire protection. Until the the front porch. Such a shape necleft the city before midnight and present time, this building, which could not be duplicated for \$10,000,-000 has been without any fire protection, and the state has never carried a dollar's insurance upon the

> The municipal dam across the Colorado river, four miles north of Austin is neaing completion. The city will pay \$100,000 for the dam, power house and gigantic reservoir. upon the completion and approval of the same, and will liquidate the remainder of the indebtedness by buying power from the construction company for 25 years at a rate considerably less than it is now costing the city to generate its power At the end of 25 years, the dam will become the property of the city and the power plant will be free from that time foward municipally operated.

> The counties of Bexar, Comal, Hayes and Travis have been given until May 16, by the U S, government to raise \$160,000 for the construction of a federal highway from Austin to San Antonio to which sum the government will add \$80,000 and the services of a highway engineer. Bexar and Comal counties have their quotas of the amount raised-Travis and Hays counties are busy getting theirs

The University of Texas baseball team has a one-arm player, Dick Hooper by name, who has a high batting average and a fielding record equal to the best The football team of the past season contained a hunch-back who played guard and possessed the tackling ability of a medium sized Bengal tiger ..

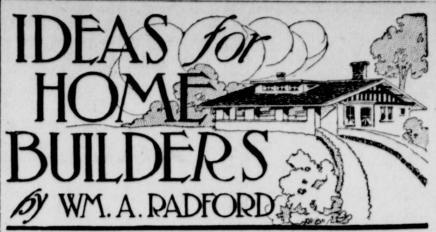
Stock is now being sold in Austin for the building of two interurbans, one from Waco here, and another from here to San Antonio. One hundred and fifty thousand dollars in stock is asked of Austin for the former enterprise and \$75,000 for the

Governor Colquitt says that his experiment in convict-built roads is so satisfactory that eventually a large percentage of the state convicts will be put upon the road under the "Linda's wan." thus bettering the roads, relieving some of the embarrassment of the state authorities and to the immense satisfaction of the convicts themselves

#### Boy Scout Encampment in June.

Dallas, Texas: -The Texas Scoutmasters' association at its January meeting in Dallas selected the "U" ranch site near Sterling City for the He looked the picture of health Second annual encampment Site is and vigor, a living contradiction ideal, being high, healthful, having to the stories that he was feeble and an abundance of water for swimthat he had constant recourse to ming, boating, fishing, etc., on the stimulants in order to bear up, and North Concho river. All scout acvities will be pulled off. Dr. L. W. Sackett, of Texas University will teach scout subjects to masters and Little Rock, Ark.-Complete and scouts. Special camp to be proofficial returns from the state Dem- vided nearby for masters' wives. This outing should be very attracive to all west Texas scouts. De tailed information can be secured from 818 Wilson building, Dallas,

Suit Ordered Filed Against Standard. Columbus, Ohio.-Judge Dillon of Bartlesville. Okla.—Six hundred the common pleas court has granted quarts of nitroglycerin stored in an alternative writ ordering Attor. the plant of the Eastern Torpedo ney General Hogan to institute pro-Company, three miles south of here, ceedings to oust the Sandard Oil and the corresponding roof over the exploded and wrecked the entire Company and its subsidiaries, in- front porch with the proper placing of plant. A hole 40x75 feet and ten cluding the Imperial Oil Company of feet deep was blown in the ground. Canada, from doing business in Ohio. and stones weighing several pounds The case is set for hearing April 20. were hurled more than half a mile. The suit to compel Attorney Gen-Three men narrowly escaped death eral Hogan to file ouster proceedings by escaping from the plant a few was instituted several days ago by moments before the explosion. The George H. Phelps, an attorney of Findlay. Ohio



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almost any kind of a house. Few lots less it has what are generally termed in American cities are less than one hundred feet front to back, but because of expensive street improvements they are often squeezed sideways until houses get to be very close neighbors. It is unfortunate that it is so but we have to take conditions as we find them and make the best of them. Sometimes these narrow lots are in very desirable neighborhoods, convenient to transportation and convenient for other reasons; and by building a house to fit the lot such property may be made very comfortable and attractive.

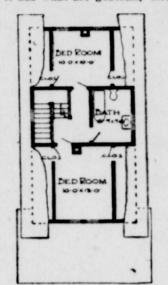
This design shows a house only 18 feet wide, but the length is 38 feet 6 inches, exclusive of essarily requires that one room shall follow another, sometimes with a very long dark narrow hall, but this plan avoids that difficulty by putting a room at the back end of the hall and by connecting the kitchen with the dining room by way of the pantry.

Then the upper part of the house is laid out with a bedroom in each end hallway in the center. This arrangement requires that the bathroom shall appearance of the house because it is could keep themselves clean. ornamental as well as useful. Such ating and interesting.

So-called cottage houses with one

It costs a little more when building a porch roof to give it so much projeccost on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this thing out of the ordinary or when the house is done you are not satisfied with it.

Every house should be built with modern improvements whether the house is large or small. More attention is being paid to bathrooms with Sometimes it is necessary to build hot and cold water connection than the car when it leaped from the unable to cope with the situation and eral thing lots are deep enough to hold when a house won't rent or sell un a house to fit a narrow lot. As a gen- ever before. The time will soon come



modern improvements. I have known small houses to rent for eight or ten dollars a month and I have known and a bathroom opposite the upper houses that cost very little more to rent for double that amount simply because they were built attractively be lighted by a dormer window, the and contained modern means of heat design of which is very neat and at- ing and with plumbing connections so tractive. It adds a great deal to the the different members of the family

A great deal depends on the plan tachments make up the difference be- as well as the convenience and the tween a common cheap looking house outside appearance. It is an art that and a satisfactory, useful, ornamental seems difficult to acquire, the building habitation that is at once very pleas- of small artistic, comfortable houses. but it is an art well worth studying.

Such houses should be a great deal gable end towards the street are as more common than they are. It would common as house flies in the cheaper prevent families who like to live nicely sections of some cities. You may from crowding into flat buildings count them by the hundreds and they where they have neither light nor sufare all practically alike; cheap tene- ficient air. This is another excuse for ment looking affairs, each house trying narrow lots. A 50-foot lot would to look as near like its neighbor as hold two such houses and make com-

The priprietor of the gents' furnishing emporium always ate in the quickfunch establishment next door, but the owner of the latter had a grievance.

"I put out many signs," complained he. "I advertise lamb stew, beef hash. roast giblets. I watch you many times. Always you take something else." "I guess that's so."

"Why is this?"

"Well, I figure it this way," explained the haberdasher. "Whenever I hang out a sign, it's for something I want to get rid of."

Haw-Haw! City Guy-What kind of a dog do

you call that? Farmer-That's a huntin' setter.

City Guy-Whaddeya mean, hunting setter? Farmer-He hunts bones, and then

sets and eats 'em .- Yale Record.

"Will you give me a lock of your

"Certainly. What color do you prefer, green, purple or cerise?"

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Neither Money Nor Stamps in Sonora. In the state of Sonora, Mexico, the operation of the mines is now going

on as if nothing had ever happened. Sonora has seceded and no federals are in sight. The state government runs things on its own hook, but neither has nor has claimed any naappearance. The shape of the roof tional rights.

This produces embarrassments, says the Engineering and Mining Journal. Sonora has no coinage and currency is scarce. The supply of federal postage stamps has run out, and those of the sovereign state of Sonora do not carry in the United States. Consequently Americans put United States stamps on their letters and pay three cents into the state postoffice. The latter undertakes to carry them to the American border and mail them there. Thus we see foreign postmarks on American stamps, a philatelic curiosity.

Dance Has Had Various Names.

Speculations on the correct spelling and pronunciation of tango as a dance recall the fact that there were similar doubts about the waltz, which, when introduced just a century ago, was scolded in terms very similar to those now applied to the tango. Waltz has had many different spellings. Its first form was as "lavolta" in old Provence. Henry II. of France was fond of a dance which was really a development of lavolta and an early form of the waltz. It was then called "volta." Castil Blaze remarks that "the waltz, which we took again from the Germans in 1795, had been a Have satisfied many people. If French dance for 400 years." When it went to Germany it acquired its fully chosen to properly match show to usual name of "waltz," but it is still quite common to find it on program. under the French form of valse



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#### Laketon Items.

The Sun still cotinues to rise and set on Laketon.

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W. C. Christ opher baught 65 hogs from Smyres Bros.

W. L. Gillis spent Sunday eve.

Dr. C. N. Powell and Mr. Fore-

man were elected Trustees of Laketon pbublic school. Many of our house wives have

young chickens already, which have fried chicken, Moral better . C. Draper has been farming is the one that takes the Medals and constitution. Many report that be careful that is the first steps and looking after the chores for from the others and the Cream troubles almost IMMEDIATELY. We leading toward a son or daughter Mr. Monson during his illness. from the milk sold by W. H. are glad we are Miami agents for Adler-

A few of our farmers are planting corn.

John Morgan of Union was up Sunday to see Leonard Duncan. that is he said that it was Leon notes on five months time. Also See T. R, Smith, or inquire at ard, but O. U. fair Damsels.

M. G. Laughetee is making a young stock. bomb proof or storm proof cel- 36 4tp lar, am afraid the storms will be over before he has it finished.

#### Mt. Zion Ite ns

A fine little boy arrived at the home of W. W. Davis Thursday night during the rain.

C. F. Monson is still sick Dr. Gunn was called in Sat-

The rain Friday night caused

Prayer Meeting at Mr. Flys was well attended. We are sorry that Mrs. Slaton was unable to attend. On the account of church at Mt. Zion there will be no Prayer Meeting next Sunday

School Meeting Saturday was well attended. C. F. Monson and H. A. Gill were elected the new trustees.

Della Russell spent Sunday night with her Aunt Mrs. Fly.

C. I. Slaton, W. M. Cotton, G. W. Seay and J. W. Moore and wife went to Miami Monday.

T. M. Smith and family visited with Mr. Edisons Sunday.

#### Codman Items

Messers Homer and Weimar Tolbert have just finished setting out a thousand speciosa Catalpa trees. Mrs. Milo O'Loughlin was a Cod-

Mrs. W.S. Tolbert was in Cod nan Tuesd w.

nan visitor last week.

Will Graham is running his blacksmith shop in Codman.

Rev Rees preachen at the Edge School house Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kitchen en. tertained the North Plains people

with a singing Sunday night. Messers Homerand Weimer Tolbert and J. A. Reed were Miami visitors Satarday.

Mr. Winger was a Codman visitor

Walter Bartholemew was ln odman Sunday.

Misses Mable and Lillian Reed ave returned from LeForse. Ruby Ross is in Codman this

Rev. Jackson is hauling cake from Codman this week.

#### Green Lake Items

Mrs. Pursley and Mrs. Ramsey went to Miami Tuesday.

W. E. Davis went to Pampa Tuesday Mr. Bob Campbell went to Le

Fors to Court this week. Erve Black went to LeForse Monday.

Frank and Tom Pursley are hauling cake for the Hay Hooks this week.

D. B. Stribling and Homer Tolbert were out in the Green Lake Country Wednesday.

Wiley Wright from the J. H. Jones ranch ate dinner with Erve Black Friday.

Edgar Johnson from Pampa was out in the Green Lake district this week.

J. E. Seitz went to Miami Thursday.

George Saunders and family were out to W. E. Davises Thurs-

W. D. Jordon was up looking after his steers Thursday. Green Lake sure han a fire

rain Thursday. Frank Pussley went to Miami

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