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A Summers Day

By Connie Plemons

The water melon days have come
The brightest of the year
The summer flowers and green woods
The meadows, brown and sheared

Nestled in the hollows of the grove
The pretty flowers grow
The rustle in the bowing trees
And too the squirrels below

The Robins and the Wrens have come
And from the shrub the Jay
And from the wood top calls the crow
Through all the summers day.

Programme of Picnic 4th.

Everything for YOU

Our 4th of July preparations are getting bigger and better every day, and the committees have been busy this week getting things in line. We are this year going to have a real big, old fashioned picnic. Several beehives have been secured, enough to amply feed a large crowd, bread has been ordered, and pickles will also be furnished by the committee and everyone is requested to bring a full basket and let's have a great spread.

The Program committee met last eve and as a part of the program they outlined the following:

100 yd. foot race, free for all
Three legged race, 50 yds.
Sack race, 50 yds.
Fat mans race, 50 yds, 180 lbs. or over.
Egg race, six eggs and tea spoon for girls under 14.
30 yd blindfold race for boys under 14.
All of the above will have prizes of \$1. first and 50c second.
Catching greased pig, prize the pig.
Broncho Riding, \$5. prize.

Mounted relay race, four horses, change three time \$7.50 first prize, \$2.50 second, \$1. entrance.

Base ball game between Miami and another team, game yet to be matched, prize \$25.

Speaking.
A large class is being organized and will sing a few selections for the speaking.

Band music all day, and at all times of the day, by the Miami Concert Band.

Don't forget to come, bring the whole family and stay all day. There will be plenty of shade a large tent has been secured and ample provisions made to accommodate the crowd. Ice water will be in abundance and you can enjoy a real 4th of July. Everything is being done for entertainment, we expect you here, and the picnic will not be complete without you. Bring all your neighbors and friends and Miami assures you a good time.

Shooting Affray

A shooting affray occurred last Thursday night about nine miles north of Miami in which A. O. B. Kidd was the victim, receiving eighteen small shot from a shotgun.

Reports say that Mr. Kidd and E. R. Jackson went over to Harrison McClaskeys to straighten up some trouble that had been going on, and after arriving a quarrel soon started and that Mr. McClaskey fired a shot at Kidd with the above results. The cause of the trouble has been withheld.

Drs. Gunn and Kelly went out Thursday night and brought Mr. Kidd to town but were unable to remove any of the shot that were all very deep. He is resting well now and is up and about.

To Get Wheat Acreage

Average

In order to get a complete and accurate average of the wheat yield, the exact number of acres and full data on the wheat in Roberts county, the Chief will, beginning next week insert a Blank in the paper each week which may be filled out by anyone having wheat and mailed or handed in to us. This blank will call for the number of acres planted, number cut, bushels threshed, bushels sold, price, county raised in, where marketed etc. In this we ask the co-operation of every farmer in this territory.

We think this will be the quickest and easiest way of getting complete information regarding our crops, and it will save a lot of time in getting it up. Besides we are going to give a year subscription to the farmer who makes the best showing, and a six month subscription to the fellow who makes the poorest, first to encourage the same fellow to do the same thing again and to the second man because he is not so fortunate.

When the data is compiled it will be published and we believe it will be of interest to us, as well as our outside friends, watch for the blank and as soon as you have finished your crop fill it and mail it to the Chief.

Royal Arch Chapter, 265,
meet on Third Friday in each month.
J. A. Meade, H. P.
H. E. Baird, Sec.



Miami Lodge No 305
A F & A M, meets
night of First Friday of each month
H. E. Baird W. M.
M. M. Craig, Sec.

Miami Council No. 1783
Knights & Ladies SECURITY
Meet on Every 4th Monday night.
G. C. FITZGERALD, President
Mrs W. R. EWING, Financier.



J. C. DIAL
President Panhandle Odd Fellows Association

Dial Elected President I. O. O. F.

At the annual meeting of the Panhandle Odd Fellows Association which was held at Plainview last week, Atty. J. C. Dial of this place was elected president. Mr. Dial is one of the most prominent young professional men in the Panhandle, and the honor conferred upon him by the association is well deserved and properly placed. He has been a faithful worker for the association since it was organized, is a good true Odd Fellow and very much appreciated by the local lodge.

Those from Miami attending the association were, Judge F. P. Greever, Dan Kivlehen, Emery Black and J. A. Holmes. The association will meet next year at Clarendon.

Community Co-Operation

By R. V. Holland

You know that your local merchants desire your patronage and you realize that your money spent in your local stores greatly benefits your community in every way.

The only question in your mind is: Can I trade to as good advantage here as elsewhere? Whether you can or not you should be able to and your merchants should see to it that you are.

As to the matter of desirable styles and designs: Any progressive merchant can ascertain and meet these demands of this kind by familiarizing himself with the likes and dislikes of his customers and prospective customers.

The real question to be settled are those of price, quality and service. Quality can be taken care of by manufacturers of the goods you buy, as can also price to a certain extent by makers of widely known brands. If the retailer can't give satisfactory service he'd better quit the business.

I happened to meet on the train a year or two ago a traveling man who lives in a town of less than two thousand population. He stated to me that he and members of his family purchased practically everything they consumed in their local stores. Why shouldn't they? They could purchase at least one of the leading brands of clothing shoes, hats, underwear, hose, corsets, fabrics etc. to as good advantage and more conveniently, than elsewhere and at the same time spend their money at home where it would benefit them in many ways.

You can undoubtedly do likewise if you will post yourself, as this family did, on the merits and brands of different articles you use.

Death of Rev. J. P. Lowry

On last Sunday morning at 7 o'clock, the entire community was shocked at the announcement of the death of Rev. J. P. Lowry, Pastor of the Methodist Church of this place. Although Brother Lowry had been confined to his room for some days no one had thought that his illness was at all serious until the attending physician announced Saturday that complication had set up which might prove fatal.

Brother Lowry has been pastor of the Methodist church of this place and Pampa for nearly two years, and was one of the most popular ministers that ever served these congregations. He was a man of splendid address, general disposition and was loved and respected by all who knew him. He had been a member of the North Texas conference for sixteen years and of the Northwest Texas conference for the past two years and had served a number of important stations within the bounds of these conferences.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Miami on last Sunday evening at five o'clock, conducted by Rev. Hicks Presiding Elder of the Amarillo District. Appropriate remarks were also made by Rev. B. F. Jackson and Judge F. P. Greever. These services were attended by an extra large congregation, which contained many representatives from Pampa, Farrington and the adjoining neighborhood. The remains were shipped to his old home at Chico, in Wise county for burial, accompanied by his wife and two boys, who survive him and also by Mrs. Wren, representative of the Womans' Home Mission Society and by W. R. Ewing, for the Masonic Lodge of which he was a member.

Under Brother Lowry's ministry in Miami, the interest of the church in every department has been advanced, and he has exerted a great influence in up-building the entire community in religious and moral lines. We join the entire community in extending to the family our deepest sympathy in their loss and we feel that this section of the Panhandle has sustained a distinct loss in death of this splendid citizen, able and devout Christian minister.

PASSENGER TRAIN TIME CARD

(Southern Kansas Railway of Texas)
17—West Bound.....7:12 p. m. daily
13—West Bound.....5:30 a. m. daily
13—East Bound.....11:07 a. m. daily
14—East Bound.....6:35 p. m. daily

CHURCH OF GOD—Meets to practice singing every Friday evening at 7 p. m. Bible lesson every first day of the week at 10 a. m. Preaching on 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month.

TEXAS FACTS

WHEAT.

Texas ranks seventeenth in wheat production, but compares more favorably in the prices paid and the yield per acre.

In Texas the yield from one acre of wheat is worth \$2.16 more than the average acre's yield of this cereal in the principal wheat states.

There are 7,000 wheat planters in Texas located principally in the Panhandle section of the state.

The average wheat production, per farm, in Texas is 1,545 bushels.

The wheat acreage of Texas is 780,000 acres, from which 13,650,000 bushels were produced in 1913 and sold for \$12,831,000.

Texas has 238 flour mills, which employ 2,000 persons.

During the past decade the population of Texas has increased 27 per cent, while the wheat production shows a gain of 30 per cent.

In 1913 the average acre yield of Texas wheat was 17.5 bushels and sold for 94 cents per bushel netting the growers an average of \$16.45 per acre.

Texas produces 2.8 bushels of wheat per capita per annum and consumes 5.4 bushels.

The capital investment of the Texas flour mills is \$13,219,000. The annual capacity is 7,890,000 barrels.

HAY AND FORAGE.

The production of hay and forage is one of the chief agricultural industries of Texas.

Tame or cultivated hay is raised on 111,000 farms of Texas.

Texas hay and forage crops have an annual value of \$15,000,000.

The Texas range grows \$19,000,000 worth of wild grasses annually.



Miami Lodge No. 346
K of P, meet the night of the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month.

J. L. Seiber, C. C.
N. S. Locke, K. of R. & S.

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Business meeting Wed. night after first Sunday of each month.



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When We Lose We Pay. W. M. Cotton, Agt.



The Hollow of Her Hand

by George Barr McCutcheon

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SYNOPSIS.

Challis Wrاندall is found murdered in a road house near New York. Mrs. Wrاندall is summoned from the city and identifies the body. A young woman who accompanied Wrاندall to the inn and subsequently disappeared is suspected. Mrs. Wrاندall starts back for New York in an auto during a blinding snow storm. On the way she meets a young woman in the road who proves to be the woman who killed Wrاندall. Feeling that the girl had done her a service in ridding her of the man who though she loved him deeply had caused her great sorrow, Mrs. Wrاندall determines to shield her and takes her to her own home. Mrs. Wrاندall hears the story of Hetty Castleton's life, except that portion that relates to Wrاندall. This and the story of the tragedy she forbids the girl ever to tell. She offers Hetty a home, friendship and security from peril on account of the tragedy. Sara Wrاندall and Hetty return to New York after an absence of a year in Europe. Leslie Wrاندall, brother of Challis, becomes greatly interested in Hetty. Sara sees in Leslie's infatuation possibility for revenge on the Wrاندalls and repatriation for the wrongs she suffered at the hands of Challis. Wrاندall by marrying her murderer into the family. Leslie, in company with his friend Brandon Booth, an artist, visits Sara at her country place. Leslie confesses to Sara that he is madly in love with Hetty. Sara arranges with Booth to paint a picture of Hetty. Booth has a haunting feeling that he has seen Hetty before. Looking through a portfolio of pictures by an unknown English artist he finds one of Hetty. He speaks to her about it. Hetty declares it must be a picture of Hetty Glynn, an English actress, who resembles her very much. Much to his chagrin Leslie is refused by Hetty. Booth and Hetty confess their love for each other, but the latter declares that she can never marry as there is an insurmountable barrier in the way. Hetty admits to Sara that she loves Booth. Sara declares that Hetty must marry Leslie. Booth must be made to pay his brother's debt to the girl. Hetty again attempts to tell the real story of the tragedy and Sara threatens to strangle her if she says a word. Sara insults Hetty by revealing that all this time she has believed Hetty to have stolen in her relations with Challis Wrاندall. Later she realizes that Hetty is innocent. Leslie is refused by Hetty and is rejected. Hetty prepares to leave Sara, declaring that after what has happened she can remain no longer. Hetty starts for Europe. At sea she receives a message from Booth that he has married on a faster steamer and will be waiting for her on the other side. Booth meets her and accompanies her to London.

CHAPTER XIV—Continued.

When the night boat from Dover to Calais slipped away from her moorings that evening, Hetty Castleton and her maid were on board, with all their bags and trunks, and Brandon Booth was supposed to be completely at sea in the heart of that glittering London town.

The night was fog-laden and dripping, and the crossing promised to be unpleasant. Wrapped in a thick easterly Hetty sat huddled up in the lee of the deckhouse, sick at heart and miserable. She reproached herself for the scurvy trick she was playing on him, reviled herself and yet pitied herself.

A tall man came shambling down the narrow space along the rail and stopped directly in front of her. She started in alarm as he reached out his hand to support himself against the deckhouse. As he leaned forward, he laughed.

"You were thinking of me, Hetty," said the man.

For a long time she stared at him, transfixed, and then, with a low moan, covered her eyes with her hands.

"Is it true—is it a dream?" she sobbed.

He dropped down beside her and gathered her in his strong, eager arms.

"You were thinking of me, weren't you? And reproaching yourself, and hating yourself for running away like this? As well try to dodge the smartest detective in the world as to give me the slip now, darling."

"You—you spied on me?" she cried, in muffled tones. She lay very limp in his arms.

"I did," he confessed, without shame. "Gad, when I think of what I might be doing at this moment if I hadn't found you out in time! Think of me back there in London, racing about like a madman, searching for you in every—"

"Please, please!" she implored. "But luck was with me. You can't get away, Hetty. I shan't let you out of my sight again. I'll camp in front of your door and you'll see me wither and die of sleeplessness, for one or the other of my eyes will always be open."

"Oh, I am so tired, so miserable," she murmured. "Poor little sweetheart!" "I wish you would hate me."

"Lie where you are, dearest, and—forget!"

"If I only could—forget!"

"Rest. I will hold you tight and keep you warm. We're in for a nasty crossing, but it is paradise for me. I am mad with the delight of having you here, holding you close to me, feeling you in my arms. The wilder the night the better, for I am wild with the joy of it all. I love you! I love you!" He strained her closer to him in a sort of paroxysm.

She was quiet for a long time. Then she breathed into his ear.

"You will never know how much I was longing for you, just as you are now, Brandon, and in the midst of it all you came. It is like a fairy story, and oh, I shall always believe in faires."

sailors sprang up from everywhere and calls were heard below; the rattling of chains and the thumping of heavy luggage took the place of that steady, monotonous beat of the engines. People began to infest the deck, limp and groaning, harassed but voiceless. A mighty sigh seemed to envelop the whole ship—a sigh of relief.

Then it was that these two arose stiffly from their sheltered bench and gave heed to the things that were about them.

The channel was behind them.

CHAPTER XV.

Rattling Old Bones.

They journeyed to Paris by the night mail. He was waiting for her on the platform when she descended from the wagon lit in the Gare du Nord. Sleepy passengers crowded with them into the customs department. She, alone among them all, was smiling brightly, as if the world could be sweet at an hour when, by all odds, it should be sleepiest.

"I was up and on the lookout for you at Amiens," he declared, as they walked off together. "You might have got off there, you know, with a wry grin."

"I shan't not run away from you again, Brandon," she said earnestly. "I promise, on my honor."

"By Jove," he cried, "that's a relief!" Then he broke into a happy laugh.

"I shall go to the Ritz," she said, after her effects had been examined and were ready for release.

"I thought so," he announced calmly. "I wired for rooms before I left London."

"Really, this is ridiculous—" "Don't frown like that, Hetty," he pleaded.

As they rattled and bounced over the cobblestones in a taxi-meter on the way to the Place Vendome, he devoted the whole of his conversation to the delicious breakfast they were to have, expatiating glibly on the wonderful berries that would come first in the always-to-be-remembered meal. She was ravenously hungry by the time they reached the hotel, just from listening to his dissertation on chops and rolls and coffee as they are served in Paris, to say nothing of waffles and honey and the marmalade that no Englishman can do without.

Alone in his room, however, he was quite another person. His calm assurance took flight the instant he closed the door and moodily began to prepare for his bath. Resolution was undiminished, but the facts in the case were most desolating. Whatever it was that stood between them, there was no gainsaying its power to influence their lives. It was no trifle that caused her to take this second flight, and the sooner he came to realize the seriousness of opposition the better.

He made up his mind on one point in that half-hour before breakfast; if she asked him again to let her go her way in peace, it was only fair to her and right that he should submit to the inevitable. She loved him, he was sure of it. Then there must be a very good reason for her perplexing attitude toward him. He would make one more attempt to have the truth from her.

"You forget that it is you that I love," she responded simply.

"But why should Sara urge you to marry Leslie if there is anything—"

"Hush! There is the waiter. Come to my sitting-room after breakfast. I have something to say to you. We must come to a definite understanding. This cannot go on."

He was with her for an hour in that pinched little sitting-room, and left her there without a vestige of rancour in his soul. She would not give an inch in the stand she had taken, but something immeasurably great in his making rose to the occasion and he went forth with the conviction that he had no right to demand more of her than she was ready to give. He was satisfied to abide by her decision. The spell of her was over him more completely than ever before.

Two days later he saw her off at the Gare de Lyons, bound for Interlaken. There was a complete understanding between them. She wanted to be quite alone in the Alpine town; he was not to follow her there. She had reserved rooms at the Schweizerhof, and the windows of her sitting-room looked straight up the valley to the snow-covered crest of the Jungfrau. She remembered these rooms; as a young girl she had occupied them with her father and mother. By some hook or crook, Booth arranged by wire for her to have them again, not an easy matter at that season of the year. Later she was to go to Lucerne, and then to Venice.

The slightest shred of hope was left for Booth. Even though he might accomplish the task he had set unto himself—the conquest of Sara in respect to the untold story—he still had Hetty's dismal prophecy that after he learned the truth he would come to see why they could not be married. But he would not despair.

"We'll see," was all that he said in response to her forlorn cry that they were parting for ever. There was a grin in the way he said it that gave her something to cherish during the months to come; the hope that he would come back and take her in spite of herself.

He sailed from Cherbourg on the first steamship calling there. Awake, he thought of her; asleep, he dreamed

the back of his mind, a hateful fear began to shape itself. For a long time he looked into her somber eyes, and as he looked the fear that was hateful took on something of a definite shape. "Did you know her husband?" he asked, and somehow he knew what the answer would be.

"Yes," she replied, after a moment. She was startled. Her lips remained parted.

He watched her closely. "Has this—this secret anything to do with Challis Wrاندall?"

"It has," said she, meeting his gaze steadily.

His hands clutched the edge of the table in a grip that turned the knuckles white.

"Hetty!" he cried, in a hoarse whisper. "You—can't mean that you—"

"You must go to Sara," she cried hurriedly. "Haven't I told you that she is the one—"

"Were you in love with that infernal scoundrel?" he demanded fiercely.

"Sara knows everything. She will tell you—"

"Were you carrying on an affair with him while professing to be the friend of his wife? Tell me that! Did she find you out and—"

"Oh, Brandon, why will you persist?" she cried, her eyes aflame. "I can tell you no more. Why do you glare at me as if I were the meanest thing on earth? Is this love? Is this your idea of greatness? Isn't it enough for you to know that Sara is my loyal, devoted friend; that she—"

"Wait!" he commanded darkly. "Is it possible that she did not discover your secret until the day you left her house so abruptly? Does that explain your sudden departure?"

"I can answer that," she said quietly. "She has known everything from the day I met her. I have not said anything, Brandon, to lead you to believe that I was in love with Challis Wrاندall, have I?"

His eyes softened. "No, you haven't. I—hope you will forget what I said. You see, I knew Wrاندall's reputation. He had no sense of honor. He—"

"Well, I have!" she said levelly. He flushed. "I am a beast! I'll put it in this way, then: Was he in love with you?"

"You are still unfair. I shall not answer."

He was silent for a long time. "And Sara's lips are sealed," he mused, still possessed of doubts and fears.

"Until she elects to tell the story, dearest love, my lips are also sealed. I love you better than anything else in all this world. I could willingly offer up my life for you, but—well, my life does not belong to me. It is Sara's."

"For heaven's sake, Hetty, what is all this?" he cried in desperation.

"I can say no more. It is useless to insist, Brandon. If you can witness the story from her, all well and good. You will hate me then, dear love. But it cannot be helped. I am prepared."

"Tell me this much: When you refused to marry Leslie, was your course inspired by what had happened in—in connection with Challis Wrاندall?"

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of Challis Wrاندall. There was something uncanny in the persistence with which that ruthless despoiler of peace forced his way into his dreams, to the absolute exclusion of all else. The voyage home was made horrid by these nightly reminders of a man he scarcely knew, yet dreaded. He became more or less obsessed by the idea that an evil spell had descended upon him in the shape of a ghostly influence.

The weeks passed slowly for Hetty. There were no letters from Sara, but an occasional line or so from Mr. Carroll. She had made Brandon Booth promise that he would not write to her, nor was he to expect anything from her. If her intention was to cut herself off entirely from her recent

world and its people, as she might have done in another way by pursuing the time-honored and rather cowardly plan of entering a convent, she was soon to discover that success in the undertaking brought a deeper sense of exile than she could have imagined herself able to endure at the outset. She found herself more utterly alone and friendless than at any time in her life. The chance companions she formed at Interlaken—despite a well-meant reserve—served only to increase her feeling of loneliness and despair. The very natural attentions of men, young and old, depressed her, instead of encouraging that essentially feminine thing called vanity. She lived as one without an aim, without a single purpose except to close one day that she might begin the next.

After a time, she went on to Lucerne. Here the life on the surface was gay, and she was roused from her state of lethargy in spite of herself. Once, from her little balcony in the National, she saw two of her old acquaintances in the chorus at the Gaiety. They were wearing many pearls. Another time, she met them in the street. She was rather quietly dressed. They did not notice her. But the prosperous Hebraic gentlemen who attended them were not so careless.

One day a card was brought to her rooms. For the next two weeks she had a true and unavoidable friend in Lucerne. It would appear that Mrs. Rowe-Martin had not been apprised of the rift in the Wrاندall lute. She had no reason to consider the exclusive Miss Castleton as anything but the most desirable of companions. Mrs. Rowe-Martin was not long in finding out (though how she did it, heaven knows), that Lord Murgatroyd's grandniece was no longer the intimate of that impossible person, Sara Gooch. She couldn't think of Sara without thinking of Gooch.

But at last Mrs. Rowe-Martin departed, much to Hetty's secret relief, but not before she had increased the girl's burthens by introducing her into a cold-nosed cosmopolitan set from which there were but three ways of escape. She refused to marry one of them, denied another the privilege of making love to her, and declined to play auction bridge with all of them. They were not long in dropping her, although it must be said there was real regret among the men.

From Mrs. Rowe-Martin and others she heard that Mrs. Redmond Wrاندall and Vivian were to be in Scotland in October, for somebody-or-other's christening, and that Leslie had been doing some really wonderful flying at Pau.

"I am so glad, my dear," said Mrs. Rowe-Martin, "that you refused to marry Leslie. He is a cad. Besides, you would have been in a perpetual state of nerves over his flying."

Of Sara, there was no news, as might have been expected. Mrs. Rowe-Martin made it very clear that Sara was a respectable person—but heavens!

The chill days of autumn came and the crowd began to dwindle. Hetty made preparations to join in the exodus. As the days grew short and bleak, she found herself thinking more and more of the happy-hearted more, and more of the happy-hearted more, nor a tragedy; hers was both of these.

Something told her too that Brandon Booth had wormed the truth out of Sara, and that she would never see him again. It hurt her to think that while Sara believed in her, the man

who loved her did not. It is a way men have.

CHAPTER XVI.

Vivian Aims Her Opinions.

Chief among Booth's virtues was his undeviating loyalty to a set purpose. He went back to America with the firm intention to clear up the mystery surrounding Hetty Castleton, no matter how irksome the delay in achieving his aim or how vigorous the methods he would have to employ. Sara Wrاندall, to all purposes, held the key; his object in life now was to induce her to turn it in the lock and throw open the door so that he might enter in and become a sharer in the secrets beyond.

A certain amount of optimistic courage attended him in his campaign against what had been described to him as the impossible. He could see no clear reason why she should withhold the secret under the new conditions, when so much in the shape of happiness was at stake. It was in this spirit of confidence that he prepared to confront her on his arrival in New York, and it was the same unbounded faith in the belief that nothing evil could result from a perfectly just and honorable motive that gave him the needed courage.

He stayed over night in New York, and the next morning saw him on his way to Southlook. There was something truly ingenious in his desire to get to the bottom of the matter without fear or apprehension. At the very worst, he maintained, there could be nothing more reprehensible than a passing infatuation, long since dispelled, or perhaps a mildly sinister episode in which virtue had been triumphant and vice defeated with unpleasant results to at least one person, and that person the husband of Sara Wrاندall.

Pat met him at the station and drove him to the little cottage on the upper road.

"You didn't stay long," said he reflectively, after he had put the bag up in front. He took up the reins.

"Not very," replied his master. "After a dozen rods or more, Pat tried again."

"Just seventeen days, I make it." "Seems longer."

"Perhaps you'll be after going back soon."

"Why should you think that, Patrick?"

"Because you don't seem to be taking much interest in your surroundings here," said Pat loftily. He delivered a smart smack on the crupper with his stubby whip, and pursed his lips for the companionship to be derived from whistling.

"I suppose you know why I went to Europe," said Booth, laying his hand affectionately on the man's arm.

"Sure I do," said Pat, forgetting to whistle. "And was it bad luck you had, sor?"

"A temporary case of it, I'm afraid." "Well," said the Irishman, looking up at his employer with the most profound encouragement in his wink, "if it's anny help to you, sor, I'll say that I've never found bad luck to be anything but temporary. And, believe me, I've had plenty of it. Mary was down near three years makin' up her mind to say yes to me."

"And since then you've had no bad luck?" said Booth, with a smile.

"Plenty of it, begob, but I've had some one besides myself to blame for it. There's a lot in that, Mr. Brandon. When a man marries, he simply divides his luck into two parts, good and bad, and if he's like most men he puts the bulk of the bad luck on his wife and keeps to himself all he can as the good for a rainy day. That's what makes him a strong man and able to meet trouble when it comes. The beauty of the arrangement is that bad luck is only temporary and a woman enjoys talking about it, while good luck is wid us nine-tenths of the time, whether we know it or not, and we don't have to talk about it."

This was the philosophy, but Booth discerned the underlying motive.

"Have you been quarreling?"

"I have not," said Pat wrathfully. "But I won't say as much for Mary. The point of my argument is that I have all the good luck in havin' married her, and she claims to have had all the bad luck in marryin' me. Still, as I said before, 'tis but temporary. The good luck lasts and the bad don't. She'll be after tellin' me so before sundown. That's like all women. You'll find it out for yourself wan of these days, Mr. Brandon, and ye'll be dom proud ye're a man and can enjoy your good luck when ye get it. The bad luck's always fallin' behind ye, and ye can always look forward to the good luck. So don't be downhearted. She'll take you, or me name's not what it ought to be."

Booth was inclined to accept this unique discourse as a fair-weather sign.

"Take these bags upstairs, Pat," said he on their arrival at the cottage, "and then come down and drive me over to Mrs. Wrاندall's."

"Will ye be after stayin' for lunch with her, Mr. Brandon?" inquired Pat, climbing over the wheel.

"Can't answer that question now," "Hiven help both av us if Mary's

good luncheon goes to waste," said Pat ominously. "That's all I have to say. She'll take it out av both av us."

"Tell her I'll be here for lunch," said Booth, with alacrity. From which it may be perceived that master and man were of one mind when it came to considering the importance of Mary.

Pat studied his watch for a moment with a calculating eye.

"It's half-past eleven now, sor," he announced. "D'ye think ye can make it?"

Booth reflected. "I think not," he said. "I'll have luncheon first." Whereupon he leaped from the trap and went in to tell Mary how happy he was to be where he could enjoy home cooking.

At four he was delivered at Sara's door by the astute Patrick, announced by the sedate Watson and interrogated by the intelligent Murray, who seemed surprised to hear that he would not have anything cool to drink. Sara sent word that she would be down in fifteen minutes, but, as a matter of fact, appeared in less than three.

She came directly to the point.

"Well," she said, with her mysterious smile, "she sent you back to me I see." He was still clasping her hand.

"Have you heard from her?" he asked quickly.

"No. But I knew just what would happen. I told you it would prove to be a wild-goose chase. Where is she?"

He sat down beside her on the cool white covered couch.

"In Switzerland. I put her on the train the night before I sailed. Yes, she did send me back to you. Now I'm here, I want the whole story, Sara. What is it that stands between us?"

For an hour he pleaded with her, all to no purpose. She steadfastly refused to divulge the secret. Not even his blunt reference to Challis Wrاندall's connection with the affair found a vulnerable spot in her armor.

"I shan't give it up, Sara," he said at the end of his earnest harangue against the palpably unfair stand both she and Hetty were taking. "I mean to harness you, if you please, until I get what I'm after. It is of the most vital importance to me. Quite as much so, I am sure, as it appears to be to you. If Hetty will say the word, I'll take her gladly, just as she is, without knowing what all this is about. But you see, she won't consent. They must be some way to override her. You both admit there is no legal barrier. You tell me today that there is no insanity in her family, and a lot of other things that I've been able to bring out by questioning, so I am more than ever certain that the obstacle is not so serious as you would have me believe. Therefore, I mean to pester you until you give in, my dear Sara."

"Very well," she said resignedly. "When may I expect a renewal of the conflict?"

"Would tomorrow be convenient?" he asked quaintly.

She returned his smile. "Come to luncheon."

"Have I your permission to starve the portrait?"

"Yes. As soon as you like."

He let her without feeling that he had gained an inch along the road to success. That night, in the gloaming of his starlit porch, he smoked man

Pat Met Him at the Station.

a pipeful and derived therefrom a profound estimate of the value of tact and discretion as opposed to bold and impulsive measures in the handling of a determined woman. He would make haste slowly, as the saying goes. Making an unexpected victory is gained by dilatory tactics, provided the blow struck at the psychological moment of least resistance.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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RECOGNIZED WORK OF ARTIST

Quick to Hand Out What Might Be Called Important Piece of Misinformation.

Charles R. Knight, the artist, whose reproductions of dinosaurs and creations of long ago are known the world over, prefers, however, to be known as a painter and sculptor of modern animals. He has worked from the living model as much as possible, and this has taken him to the zoos in many cities. He was telling his experiences at the zoo in Washington.

"One afternoon an important looking negro came along with his best friend," he said. "They stopped for a minute and looked at the sketch I was making of a deer.

"'Ter know what he am doin', don't he?" asked the negro of his companion. "'Mebbe,' answered the woman. "'Doe yeh'?"

"Shoh. He's making a landscape of one er dem habitats. Dere's moh habitats in der zoo than anywhere else in der United States."

Valuable Information. A happy couple were on their way to Scotland. They had to change trains at Carlisle, and an obliging porter while struggling with the luggage, noticed that the young lady's hat was dotted with rice. He approached the young man and, pulling a folded paper from his pocket, said: "A present for you, sir, with the company's compliments."

"Indeed," said the traveler, "what is it?" "A railway map, sir."

"Oh, thank you; but what are these marks in blue pencil?" "That's the beauty of it, sir; those marks show just where the tunnels are and their length."—London Tit-Bits.

His Affiliations. "Down with all organizations!" "Sh! Not so loud before that policeman."

"What has he got to do with it?" "He belongs to the 'copper' trust."

No Wonder. "I used to go to the theater just as a local business man would."

"Why did you give it up?" "I found that it was the plays that were making me tired."

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CONSERVATION OF MOISTURE

First Essential is to Have Soil in Receptive Condition—Fall Plowing Helps Greatly.

It is said that from two hundred and seventy-five to six hundred tons of water are required to produce one ton of dry matter for most of the common farm crops. In many portions of the United States the rainfall during the growing months is not sufficient to supply the large amount of water required by the crops. This fact lays stress upon two things—the importance of large water supplies in the soil, not as stagnant water, but as capillary water, which is for the most part available for growing plants, and also the importance of the conservation of this soil water.

The first and one of the most essential steps in conserving soil moisture is to have and keep the surface of the soil in such condition that most of the rainfall will be received into it and will be carried by gravitation to the lower zones, where the surplus water supply is held until later called into use. Whenever the surface of the soil is baked or run together and impervious it is almost certain that a large portion of every rain will not get into the soil, but is lost because of surface drainage. An effort should be made to hold the rains of the entire year, those of the fall and winter and early spring as well as those of the growing season. In order to succeed in accomplishing this the surface of the soil must be kept loose and open so that as rapidly as the rain falls it may be taken into the upper soil, from which it can work down into the great storehouse beneath.

Full plowing helps greatly to put the soil on the surface in condition to take up all the rainfall. After the hardened crust is broken the water enters freely. The ridges and hollows of the plowed surface also act as basins which hold snow and rain until they soak into the soil. Early spring plowing and disking also play an important part in putting the surface soil in condition to retain and take in a maximum amount of water.

The second step in soil moisture conservation is to save the water which has entered the soil. This can best be done by cultivation. The reason is as follows: Water is carried from the lower zones of the soil by capillary; it raises in the soil from soil particle to soil particle, and finally it reaches the surface of the soil and is lost by evaporation unless the upward movement is checked by some agency. Now, cultivation creates this agency—namely, a soil mulch. The principle of moisture conservation by mulches is well established. There is no practical method for saving soil moisture except by the use of the mulch.

ADVOCATE OF DEEP PLOWING

According to Expert of Colorado Agricultural College, Practise Requires Discretion.

(By ALVIN KEYSER, Colorado Agricultural College.) A great deal has been said and written about deep plowing. Some have advocated the system in season and out of season, for all soils, all crops and all conditions, and others have opposed the system. Deep plowing certainly has its place in nearly all systems of agriculture, but it has to be used with discretion. Deep plowing immediately before planting a crop on the dry land is almost sure to insure a failure of the crop. Unless rains should come immediately after plowing injury will surely result because of moisture conditions. If rains come immediately afterward no damage is done. The moral of this experimental fact is that deep plowing should be done a considerable period previous to seeding time so that the moisture relation and proper compaction can be completed in the soil before seeding.

Deep plowing is sometimes not advisable in high altitudes because of the fact that growing conditions are quite different, so that the crop does not mature as quickly in the very high altitudes. This is sometimes a serious factor with such crops as the grains. If the crop is delayed in maturing for ten days it may be caught by a severe freeze, ruining the crop. Deep plowing, especially a short time before seeding in these altitudes sometimes has the effect of delaying maturity more than that number of days. It must therefore be used with caution for crops where early maturity is a desirable factor. This caution only applies to the high altitudes which have normally very short seasons.

Good and Bad Cows. One of the commonest blunders the farmer makes is that of keeping what he considers good dairy cows, when, if he would keep a close record of them, he would find that they are barely paying for their feed, to say nothing of their care.

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ERUPTION DISFIGURED FACE

Lock Box 35, Maurice, Ia.—In the spring of 1911 our little daughter, age five years, had a breaking out on her lip and part of her cheek that we took for ringworm. It resembled a large ringworm, only it differed in that it was covered with watery blisters that itched and burned terribly, made worse by her scratching it. Then the blisters would break through and let out a watery substance. She was very cross and fretful while she had it and had very little rest at night. When the eruption was at its worst the teacher of the school sent her home and would not allow her to attend until the disfigurement of her face was gone.

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WANTED TO KNOW THE FIGURE

Fortune Hunter's Mother Was Not Dealing in Uncertainties, if She Could Help It.

Miss Jeannette Gilder, the brilliant critic, toyed with a pink and gold mustache cup at the mustache cup tea concluding the Bad Taste exhibition in New York.

"The mustache cup," said Miss Gilder, "holds its own even better than the hand-painted cupid. But, after all, there is spiritual as well as material bad taste, and a spiritual bad taste exhibition is now in order. "In the forefront of it I'd put the fortune hunter. Not all our fortune hunters come from across the water. I heard of one the other day who belongs to the oldest family in America.

"But his family is very poor, and so he and his mother have decided that he must marry for money. They were discussing recently, the pair of them, a western girl. "Her fortune is large but vague," said the mother. "Besides, she is gauche. Her feet are broad and flat. She has a gold front tooth. Her French is execrable. She—" "Oh, I could make something out of her," the young fortune hunter asserted confidently.

"Yes, but how much—that's the question," said his mother.

Limitation of Art. The head of a certain Washington family was recently approached by his son, just nearing his majority. "Father," said he, "I want a talk with you concerning my future. I have decided to become an artist. Have you any objections?" The old man scratched his head effectively and replied: "Well, no, son—provided, of course, that you don't draw on me."

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 If it is worth while to work to earn a dollar then it is worth while to make the wisest possible use of it which involves reading in the Chief.
 With this issue of the Chief we close our first years work in Miami, having taken charge July first of last year. We trust that our years work on the paper has been satisfactory and that every one who have paid us a dollar for the paper have received their moneys worth. We feel very grateful to the people for their liberal patronage and trust that we may have a continuance of the

Thousands of acres of wheat have been cut and are being cut in western Texas this week. During last winter the wheat paid for the seed and planting as pasture for stock. It beat that; it has produced from 20 to 30 bushels of wheat per acre for our farmers. We now have the biggest wheat crop it has been our pleasure to behold. This means quick and ready money for our farmers, who need the dough more at this time than ever before. A good price is hoped for wheat.

Sometimes you will run across a man who will blame the editor for what is written by another and duly signed by the one that does the writing. The editor may be directly opposed to what such a person will say, yet some people censure him because it appears in the paper. An editor is no more to blame for what another man writes and signs his own name to than you would be for some man stealing a horse that you knew nothing about. Blame the writer who signs his name to such items, and not the editor who may oppose every word written by another.

Let's start a campaign against weeds. Typhoid germs and other disease germs are going to be flying around if we don't get busy with this weed cutting. Some of the children may get lost in the large weed patches, and have to remain over night among the wild beasts that will soon inhabit these jungles. Let every man, woman and child get busy cutting the weeds on their own property. A good mower run three or four days in any week would soon clean the town out as to weeds. Don't forget the weeds.

The militant suffragists of England are giving the police more trouble than ever before. Breaking plate glass and destroying property is not the best way to gain votes for women, according to our notion. A woman who will destroy valuable property is not a safe person to be entrusted with the ballot. There are lots of good women who can vote with more intelligence than some men do, but they are not the kind who destroy property.

ANY one in need of an up to date conveyance, such as an auto or Ford, give Locke a chance and if he does not please you, you cannot be pleased.

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 Notice is hereby given that the firm of H. T. Gill & Co., composed of H. T. Gill, J. W. Philpott and L. A. Coffee, is hereby mutual consent, dissolved.
 Signed
H. T. GILL J. W. PHILPOTT L. A. COFFEE

There are more busy people in Roberts county to day than there ever were before. Every available man is being used in the harvest and people are to busy now to take money if it was offered. People who have not worked for several years have been persuaded to help gather the crop.
 The Miami Band will music for the 4th of July celebration, the boys are this on their own hook putting it in as their part of the entertainment. If one in town will try that to make the fourth a we will have a dandy.

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Notice by Publication of Final Account

THE STATE OF TEXAS to the sheriff or any Constable of Roberts County greeting.

Dan Kivlehen, administrator of the estate of D. F. Kivlehen, deceased having filed in our courts his final account of the condition of the estate of said D. F. Kivlehen, deceased together with an application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Roberts, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the 7th day of said

county court, commencing and to be holden at the court house of said county in the town of Miami on the 13th day of July A. D. 1914, when said account and application will be considered by said court.

Witness J. K. McKenzie, clerk of the County Court, of Roberts County

Given under my hand and seal of said court at my office, in the town of Miami this 18th day of June A. D. 1914.

(Ls) J. K. McKenzie, Clerk, County Court Roberts County Texas.

A true copy, I certify:
O. B. Hardin,
Sheriff Roberts County.

J. A. Meade finishes cutting his wheat to day after 7 days work with his hands and I header.

Mrs. G. M. Moon was on the sick list Sunday.

Miss Annie Ramsay spent Sunday at the Reed ranch.

Walter Cook went to Higgins Saturday.

John Newman and family made the round trip to Pampa Sunday.

Roy Fitzgerald made the round trip to Pampa Monday.

Ewell Warren and wife returned from Vernon Sunday night where they have been for some time.

Frances Locke a cousin to the Locke Bros. of this city is here from Shamrock visiting.

Prof. Henderson returned last week and will be in Miami this summer.

Aubry Jeffus and wife of White Deer passed through Miami Friday enroute to Mobeetie where they live.

Last Monday eve while driving a car north of town, Will Locke accidentally backed his car off of a 20 foot embankment, turning the car over twice and breaking the top and wind shield glass, not hurting the driver however.

W. H. Coble renewed last week and ordered the Chief sent to his son Emmett at Canyon.

W. C. Scott and wife left Saturday for Canadian for a few days visit.

H. E. Baird of the First State Bank and the Chief Editor attended the Bankers convention first of the week at Plainview.

Mrs. Grigsby Mathis left Saturday for Clarendon where she will visit her mother.

Carl Talley of Pampa was in the city Sunday in search of harvest hands.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the many good friends who so faithfully administered and assisted us during the recent illness and death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. J. P. Lowry
Chas. Lowry
Luther Lowry
J. I. Lowry, Sr.
A. H. Lowry.
R. L. Lowry.
Mrs. Bettie Price.

A Tail of Woe

And

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The Place To Buy Dry Goods

Rimsey Dickey has returned to Miami for harvest.

Ike Crocker is carrying the mail to Mobeetie this week.

Mrs. C. A. Olive has purchased a new Ford.

Carl Patton of Amarillo is a visitor at the Patton home here this week.

A letter from Chris Brown states that his printing career in Ochiltree has ceased and he is now drawing \$3. per in the harvest field.

Mrs. Dread Lee entertained one of the Baptist Sunday School classes Saturday afternoon.

M. F. Reid had us add his name to our mailing list this week. Thanks Frankness, it will greatly assist you in selling pianos.

A letter from T. J. Boney states that he and wife arrived in Mineral Wells and are enjoying the stay but would be back in a few days.

O. L. Michaels wife and children of Colorado Springs came in yesterday for a visit with the J. W. Burks family.

The ladies aid of the Baptist church met with Mrs. Thompson this week. Readings by Mesdames Wells and Smith and a Matinee were very much enjoyed.

Miami Chief -Gentlemen, am now at Mineral Wells and have been over some territory since I wrote you. I came by way of Graham, Grayford, Palpinto and Millap. Small grain crops are just tolerable good, cotton is very late owing to so much rain, but take the country in general everything seems to be in pretty good condition. Mineral Wells is full of people and seems to be booming. We miss the Chief very much.

Respy
C. R. Cowan.

Dr. M. M. Meeks, Dentist will be in Miami Tuesday and Wednesday of next week at the usual place.

Mesdames Dread Lee and L. G. Wagoner went to Mobeetie this morning for a few days visit.

Mrs. W. R. Ewing entertained the Miami Orchestra last evening and also a few friends. The evening was spent in listening to music by the Orchestra, piano and victrola. Refreshments of cream and cake were served. The evening was very enjoyably spent and the Orchestra feel very grateful to Mrs. Ewing for the splendid time they had.

The 'Lucky 13's' met with Miss Lucile Ewing Wednesday P. M. at three o'clock. Business meeting was attended to, a social time was spent listening to the victrola.

Miss Wren entertained the girls with some interesting stories. Dainty refreshments were served and the guests departed pronouncing Miss Lucile a most excellent hostess. The Club is to meet with the Misses Jackson's next Wednesday.

Mutual Girl No. 8 and the Keystone Comedy at The Cap Rock tomorrow Matinee and night.

Addisons Photo Gallery will be open for business in Miami July 2-3-4th. dont forget the date.

Miami Council No. 1783 OF Knights & Ladies SECURITY Meet on Every 4th Monday night. G. C. FITZGERALD, President Mrs. W. R. EWING, Financier.

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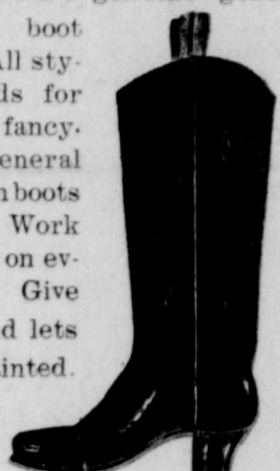
Rockvale lump, Rockvale Nut and Dawson Pea Coal at the White House.

The white house Lbr. Co. has just unloaded the finest car of cedar posts ever unloaded in Miami.

Friday eve of last week thirteen of our young ladies gathered at the home of Miss Pauline Baird, for the purpose of reorganizing the so called Lucky Thirteen Club. There is no use to introduce this Club as we know it furnished great pleasure to the young folks during the summer of thirteen. After delicious refreshments were served and enjoyed by all, they adjourned to meet with Miss Lucile Ewing on the following Wednesday.

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CABLEGRAM FROM PRESIDENT ADVISES THAT FOREIGN CAPITAL IS INTERESTED.

ORE FROM TEXAS FIELDS

Mills Will Be Built at Texas City for Manufacture of Iron and Steel Products.

Galveston, Texas.—News came to Galveston by cablegram Friday from G. W. McElhiney in Europe that the Southwestern Steel Development company, a \$30,000,000 corporation, has been successfully financed by European capital.

Details of the financing of the corporation were not given in the brief cablegram.

It is understood that the greater part of the capital was secured by Mr. McElhiney in Belgium, that it will become available for use immediately, and that actual work of breaking ground for the steel mills will not be long deferred.

The Southwestern Steel Development company is a \$30,000,000 corporation, organized during the month of November, 1913, and among its backers are prominent business men from practically every large city in the state of Texas.

The plans call for steel mills, rolling mills, coking plant and a smelter. Seven thousand men it is estimated will find employment at the mills. Iron ore will be procured from the fields in East Texas, an ample supply having been arranged for from Marion and Cass counties.

One Killed in Auto Wreck.

Dallas, Texas.—Leslie Duncan was instantly killed and Pendleton G. Midgett was seriously injured when a heavy automobile crashed 35 feet from a bridge to the bottom of a creek on the Maple avenue road.

ADLAI E. STEVENSON IS DEAD.

Former Vice President Passes Away in Chicago After Long Illness.

Chicago.—Adlai E. Stevenson, vice president of the United States through the second Cleveland administration, died Saturday night at a hospital here, after an illness of several months.

Adlai Ewing Stevenson, had a long and honorable public career. He was vice president from 1893 to 1897. In 1900 he again was nominated by the Democratic party and ran with William Jennings Bryan, the party's candidate for president, but was defeated.

His last appearance as a candidate for public office was in 1908, when he was nominated for governor of Illinois by the Democratic party and was defeated by Charles S. Deneen, republican.

Turko-Grecian War Predicted.

Athens, Greece.—War between Greece and Turkey is inevitable, according to the newspaper Hestia, which voices the majority of Greek public opinion. It is reported there have been several encounters between Turks and Christians in the Asiatic littoral and that the Turks are concentrating arms and ammunition at various points.

Fatalities in Santa Fe Wreck.

San Bernardino, Cal.—Two passengers were killed and several persons injured at Bagdad, Cal., nine miles east of Barstow, when Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe passenger train No. 4, eastbound, ran into an open switch.

New Mexico Town Swept By Flood.

Albuquerque, N. M.—Hillsboro, in the southwest corner of New Mexico, was nearly destroyed by a flood which swept through the principal business section Wednesday night. A cloud-burst sent a wall of water six feet high through the town.

2 CHILDREN BURN TO DEATH

Cleo Castleberry and Ollie Black Die From Kerosene Explosion.

Waco, Texas.—Two children, Cleo Castleberry, aged 6, and Ollie Black, aged 9, are dead as the result of the explosion of a five-gallon can of kerosene, under the Castleberry home. The younger child died about three hours later, while the eldest one lived about five hours.

The children were playing with matches near the can containing the oil when it suddenly ignited and exploded.

In an instant the children's clothing was in flames. Cleo ran one way, while her little companion darted in the opposite direction. Ollie was caught by a neighbor, Mrs. A. H. Chandler, whose hands were painfully burned in trying to tear the burning garments from the child's body.

The Castleberry child's clothing and hair were entirely burned off. She was also burned on her body. In addition to inhaling the flames, Ollie Black was burned on the arms and limbs.

FIND GIRLS DEAD IN STREAM.

Three Young Sisters Meet Death in Mysterious Manner.

Sapulpa, Ok.—Cut and bruised and bearing evidence of foul play, the bodies of Bess Reynolds, aged 18, and three other girls, all sisters, Bertie Sanders, aged 9; Zulah Sanders, aged 11, and Vina Sanders, aged 14, were found floating in Rock Creek, near here.

Miss Reynolds, employed as a housekeeper, took the children and started for a stroll toward the creek. The body of one of the girls was found at a ford of the creek. An investigation followed and the bodies of the other three were found floating in the creek. The clothing of the four was found on the bank.

At the place where the clothes were found the water in the creek is shallow for a few feet, then drops off with a sheer offset to a depth of ten feet. It is believed they were not familiar with the stream and that the others met death while trying to aid one that possibly stepped off into deep water.

CARRANZA ANSWERS MEDIATORS

Constitutionalist Chief Says He Will Appoint Peace Representatives.

Saltillo, Mexico.—Gen. Carranza has announced that he had returned an answer to the note of the Niagara Falls mediators stating that he would appoint representatives to the conference at Niagara Falls.

The note gave simply the assurance that the constitutionalists would be represented, and did not mention conditions on which the constitutionalists would take part.

It was announced, however, that the agreement to attend the conference would not serve to check the campaign now being waged against the federals in any respect, and the advance to the south will be continued with vigor.

Action Postponed on Prohibition Rule.

Washington.—The house rules committee deferred action on the proposed special rule providing consideration of the Hobson prohibition amendment to the constitution until July 1. The committee's explanation is that the house now has enough to keep it busy until after that date.

Little Hope for Stevenson.

Chicago.—Physicians attending Adlai E. Stevenson, vice president of the United States during Grover Cleveland's second term, Wednesday night had little hope of his recovery.

Plenty of Cars to Haul Bumper Crops.

St. Louis, Mo.—High railroad officials scoff at reports of a shortage of freight cars when the crop movement begins. No such shortage impends, said the officials, despite the record-breaking proportions of the harvest.

Lightning Kills Six.

London, Eng.—Lightning killed six persons and injured several others in Wadsworth commons. Four were children. Many buildings in South London were struck.

Find Children Lost on Mountain.

San Angelo, Texas.—A report reached here that the two Miller children, reported lost on the King mountain, in Upton county, near Upland, had been found. A cowboy found the little ones huddled together in a cave almost starved.

TEXAS BREVITIES

Construction of a \$75,000 high school has begun at McKinney.

Work of erecting a \$500,000 hotel has been started at Waco.

The Bonham high school building, cost \$75,000, will soon be completed.

Two modern school buildings to cost \$25,500 will be built in Yoakum.

Contract for the construction of a \$16,294 W. O. W. building at Cleburne has been let.

The Ashcroft light plant at Sulphur Springs has been completed at a cost of \$35,000.

Warrants aggregating \$345,000 have been paid during last week to 17,000 Confederate war veterans.

An electric lighting plant has been completed at Kiroen costing approximately \$5,000.

A \$25,000 flour mill is to be erected at Brownsville with a daily capacity of 50 barrels.

An election to vote bond issue in the amount of \$12,500 for a new school has been ordered at Fairfield.

Groesbeck has recently voted \$10,000 in bonds for the improvement of her waterworks system.

The Empire brick company has been incorporated at Mexia. It has been located on a 100-acre tract south of there.

The Midland county fair association was organized recently at Midland and has incorporated for \$5,000 capital stock.

The Corpus Christ bond issue of \$50,000 for street improvement has been approved by the attorney general.

A mammoth seed warehouse, costing \$13,000, the largest in the southwest, is nearing completion at New Braunfels.

The International Bricklayers' union will finance a \$100,000 brick plant at El Paso in order to compete with Mexican labor.

The Central Texas Oil & Gas company has brought in a new gas well at Mexia. Estimated daily capacity 10,000,000 cubic feet.

When 19 head of Texas raised Hereford dehorned sold recently at the Chicago national stock yards at \$8.40 per hundred, all records for Texas grass-fed cattle were broken. The animals were shipped from Beville.

According to report, Wichita Falls and Fort Worth capitalists are behind a movement to build a large oil refinery at Greenville. The major portion of \$500,000 stock has been subscribed.

Contract for the construction of a \$125,700 modern hospital at Beaumont has been awarded by the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word. Actual construction work has started.

Beet growing records were smashed when F. Tillinghast, a farmer near San Benito, brought a beet measuring three feet in length and weighing 29 pounds. It is believed that this is the largest Texas produced beet.

Estimate of the railroads of the 1914 Texas wheat crop is 29,000,000 bushels. The major portion of this will be exported through Galveston.

The pineapple variety of the Casaba plant will be distributed among the farmers in the Yoakum section by the commercial club for planting.

Belton will have a new brick high school building. The contract has been let and it is to cost \$39,545.15, exclusive of heating and wiring.

A project for the irrigation of 100,000 acres of land in Coke, Runnels and Tom Green counties, has been launched at Miles.

Voters of the Kaufman precinct will be allowed to vote on a \$200,000 good roads bond issue the latter part of this month.

Commissioners court of Hill county have awarded the contracts by which it will spend \$250,000 in building good roads in Precinct No. 1 of that county.

For the first time in three years, a full force of workmen was ordered in the Fort Worth and Denver shops at Childress. A large grain crop is given as the cause.

By a decisive vote of 60 to 45 the house of representatives of the Louisiana general assembly killed the McClanahan bill providing for the removal of the state capital from Baton Rouge to Alexandria. Seventy-nine votes would have been required to pass the bill.

CHARACTER SHOWN BY ONE'S HOME

House Bound, in a Measure, to Take on the Individuality of Its Owner.

PEOPLE HAVE VARYING IDEAS

Independence in Construction Gives Charm to American Towns When Not Overdone—Model Shown Here Would Make an Ideal Abode.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD. Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects.

There are a great many different kinds of roofs covering a great many styles of houses, any one of which may look well if it is rightly proportioned, well made and in keeping with the house it is intended to cover.

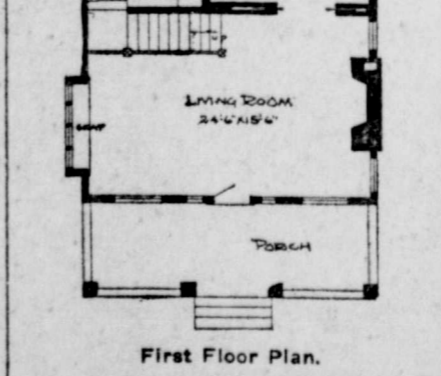
One lasting charm of the resident sections of American cities and towns is the individual independence in house construction. In the length of a street you will seldom see two houses alike, and you find the variety just as interesting and agreeable as the different characters and the varying personal appearances of the owners.



When you learn to know them. They have built their houses after ideas of their own and the houses have grown like themselves in many respects, crotchety, possibly, in some directions, but upon the whole pleasing and entertaining.

But where land is valuable house building cannot run riot. There are general building restrictions that must be observed. The houses must all be placed about the same distance back from the street line so one will not obstruct the view from another, but even this rule should be varied to the extent of a few feet, or at least a few inches, to break the tiresome monotony of a straight line.

It is not pleasing to see a long line of houses with the fronts all tied up to a chalk line, with the porch columns placed in mathematical precision. But you never see dwelling houses built that way except on few streets that have been laid out by contractors who own the ground and build the houses to sell.

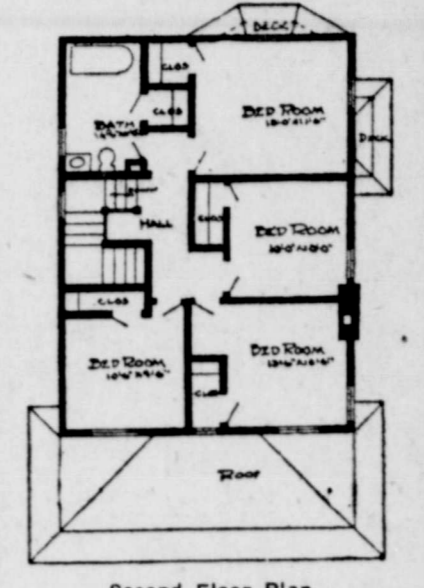


worth the name unless it represents the individuality of the owner by giving expression to some of his peculiarities. A dozen men could never be found who would agree on any such uniformity in house construction. The contractor simply forces his ideas upon a lot of unwilling buyers, and most of them resent his interference, although it saves them a little trouble at the time.

after picking out their favorites half of those men will suggest little changes to fit their individual tastes; then when their wives are finally consulted further modifications are made, until sometimes the original plan merges into quite a different house.

In building a house like the one here illustrated, the owner has a well-proportioned house with sufficient size to give large rooms. The width is 28 feet 6 inches, and the length is 34 feet, exclusive of porches. A splendid large living room is one of the most attractive features and one that gives an impression of luxurious comfort as you enter the front door.

The modern large living room idea has been growing in the minds of the American people for several years. We have learned that it is not necessary to have large bedrooms or large hallways that are not used except at intervals, but we have found that a large, airy living room is used continually from early morning until late at night. This fact has led up to making a large living room the principal at-



tract, a fashion so sensible that it is likely to continue for many years. Cement plaster on metal lath makes a good outside finish for this house, and in connection with the cement plaster a good deal of cement may be used about the porch, in fact, the whole lower part of the porch may be built of cement, including the floor and steps, or a framework may be built up and covered with metal lath and cement plaster the same as the sides of the house.

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Literature—and Corsets. In Nashville, the other day, before the Southern Baptist convention, over which he presided, Dr. Lansing Burrows, a noted Georgia clergyman, "spoke his mind" as follows: "Having a delicious interest in reading, we are easy prey to the designing. Thus are all the hateful dogmas of religion, social, and political heresy propagated. Socialism, as represented by one of its leaders, puts nine-tenths of its income into literature, choosing the Sabbath day for its distribution into the homes of the people.

The idea is valuable, also, as inculcating habits of industry and love for the soil. The little money and time spent in the innovation would return dividend out of all proportion to the negligible investment.—Atlanta Constitution.

Beauty and Utility. Why not combine beauty and utility by growing a few globe artichokes along the back fence. Surely the plants are as ornate and as graceful as any century plant, aloe, yucca, etc. found in local gardens and the buds are considered by many as an esculent superior to asparagus. If the common green globe sort does not appeal to your artistic taste, there is a variety bearing buds of purple that really make the plant attractive. Give them, and other economic plants a chance to demonstrate their value, and you will find many have a double claim to space in the garden.

Value of Beauty to Towns. Many towns have increased their taxable property by the simple and inexpensive expedient of cleaning out unsightly buildings around the railroad station, and planting trees and shrubbery. Thus beauty has its distinct commercial value. A street with trees and flowers makes every house more salable at higher prices. Other things being equal, prospective residents will pay more money to live in a town where a consistent attempt is made toward beautifying the place.—Newcastle Courier.

HOME TOWN HELPS

CONTRAST IN BACK YARDS

They Are Side by Side and of the Same Size, But What a Difference!

From a seventh story window we looked down on two back yards. They lie behind houses of the same character; they are of one size; they are bounded by the same tight board fences. There the likeness ends, says the Milwaukee Journal.

One yard is bare and brown, with patches of mud here and there. At the back are two or three sheds not yet actually out of repair, but evidently hasting thither. Against them is piled rubbish that has overflowed the original attempt to provide containers. The yard is a patch of ugliness, a waste of the space.

The other yard is carpeted with the bright fresh green of the season, through which runs a neat walk to orderly sheds that show no signs of decaying from neglect. Two little trees give promise that some day there will be cool shade on warm summer afternoons, a breathing spot in the midst of the downtown district.

It isn't difficult to argue from the difference in these yards the difference in the people who occupy the houses. It means a difference in habits of living, in ideas of cleanliness and thrift, and even beauty. Sometimes children play in the grassy yard, but the neighboring alley is more attractive than the muddy yard. And yet one might be made as attractive as the other, not in a moment, for neglect has gone too far, but with a little care and attention, which could be found as readily by the dweller in one house as the dweller in the other.

PLAN LIGHTING WITH CARE

System Means Much More to City Than Seems to Be the General Impression.

The city beautiful represents co-operative effort on the part of individuals. The merchant who tries to make his establishment attractive and different from the commonplace thrives and prospers, and cities which have done the same have attained their success through the consistent co-operation of such citizens.

Merchants' associations and similar organizations should consider the special problems of their communities exhaustively before deciding upon lighting which may prove to be more of a hindrance than a help to civic progress. It is absolutely necessary to refrain from a narrow consideration of a lamp or lamps and, instead, to regard light and its accessories as a part of its environment, influenced greatly by other than street light and dependent upon a careful adjustment of everything which has a direct bearing on the general effect and its difference from the commonplace. The city deluxe does not imitate, but originates its lighting as in all things.

Gardens for Children.

Miss Celeste Parrish, supervisor of rural schools in Georgia, is moving her spirit in a campaign to have school children create gardens in the back yards of city residences. The plan is an excellent one. It is well, as Councilman Ashley suggests, to make the back yard an ornamental and well kept as the front yard. Health and beauty lie in that direction.

If the child can be given an intelligent interest in gardening his life will take on a fresh, an inspiring and broadening influence. The idea is valuable, also, as inculcating habits of industry and love for the soil.

The little money and time spent in the innovation would return dividend out of all proportion to the negligible investment.—Atlanta Constitution.

Beauty and Utility.

Why not combine beauty and utility by growing a few globe artichokes along the back fence. Surely the plants are as ornate and as graceful as any century plant, aloe, yucca, etc. found in local gardens and the buds are considered by many as an esculent superior to asparagus. If the common green globe sort does not appeal to your artistic taste, there is a variety bearing buds of purple that really make the plant attractive. Give them, and other economic plants a chance to demonstrate their value, and you will find many have a double claim to space in the garden.

Value of Beauty to Towns.

Many towns have increased their taxable property by the simple and inexpensive expedient of cleaning out unsightly buildings around the railroad station, and planting trees and shrubbery. Thus beauty has its distinct commercial value. A street with trees and flowers makes every house more salable at higher prices. Other things being equal, prospective residents will pay more money to live in a town where a consistent attempt is made toward beautifying the place.—Newcastle Courier.

TAGES OF THE HOME-GROWN FEEDERS



Two Home Grown Feeders.

BENNINGTON.)

of disadvantages that feeders have to contend with...

Then again there is another matter that enters into the economy of the feeding question...

Farmers who are going into the business would do well to raise a high class of feeding animals...

Feed well on a variety of well cured alfalfa, clover and corn stover...

Raise the breeds best adapted for the one special purpose and keep in close touch with the market conditions...

If the cattle are to be full fed, select the full-feed period with intelligent discrimination and precaution.

CELLENT NOTES ON CARE OF SWINE

of Leading Breeds Are Adapted to Economical Production—Keep Animals Healthy.

The use of corn in hog-feeding should be tempered with judgment.

The corn and hog crop go hand in hand in the hog raising industry...

Make the mistake of feeding the hog on a diet of corn and molasses...

When hog feeders are used they should be cleaned frequently and a constant supply of quicklime dropped in the barrel bearing...

Health and drugs have no affinity with the successful management of a herd of swine.

Both are contagious. In the fight between health and disease we give nature a little encouragement...

We should keep the hogs close company, study their habits and their requirements and then cater to them.

Butter is better when fresh than it ever will be again.

OF COURSE FARMER SHOULD KEEP SHEEP

Profitable Method of Getting Rid of Weeds Is to Sell Them in Mutton at 6c a Pound.

(By C. D. LYON.)

Some men were looking over a weedy pasture and one of them said: "What do you do with these weeds?"

Every man knows his own business best and can best decide what kind of stock will pay him the greatest profit.

Going back to the first proposition, that of the weeds that infest our fields it may be said that while growing sheep entirely upon weeds, is not a plan to be advised...

The most tractable of all farm stock, they can be managed with less trouble than other stock, all that is required to restrain them being a wire net fence of the cheapest grade.

The other day I was talking over the sheep question with some friends and while we did not agree as to breeds, we were unanimously in favor of the breed of sheep that will bring a good heavy shipping lamb with the fleece a secondary consideration.

This is the very season to think of starting a flock as a great many flockmasters sell off some ewes as soon as shearing time is over...

Fresh Butter Best. Butter is better when fresh than it ever will be again.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP

This Farmer Man Knew Something About Crows

WASHINGTON.—Consider crows!

A farmer man was going along a business street up Georgetown way when, above the clash of traffic, he heard a sound that caused him to look upward.



"Oh, we've got a rookery of 40,000 crows near Arlington, and I've watched their goings and comings for forty years.

"That's where they get me, blank 'em!" The farmer man made his adjective good and strong—no, not good, just strong!

"No, sir; I'm from old Charles county, God bless her—"

"You don't say! I've got relatives down in that section—fine people, too—and at dusk you ought to see those crows come trailing home in a long, black line, high up in the sky, in clear weather and sailing low in storms.

"That's how I got my opinion—by watchin' 'em, with a shot gun. The rascals are so sharp, though, these days, doggone 'em, that it's hard work getting a pop at them.

"Caw, caw, caw," shrilled the crow.

Not So Bad as Cynics Would Have Us Believe

A MAN was limping through Lafayette square. It was so early of a Sunday morning that the grounds were empty except for the man and a lone person who was coming down a path toward him.



The man limped because of a stiff leg that had to be helped out with a cane, and it was a slow limp because, again, his architecture included a bay-window front incompatibly with high speed.

Then he straightened up, gave a jiu-jitsu twist to his body and tried to stoop sideways. He failed again.

Nobody wants to be officious, but the lone person who had come along and was about to pass thought it might be a case of dropped specs, or something vital like that, and volunteered first aid.

"Thank you, madam. I would very much like to have one of these white clovers if I might tax your kindness."

The lone person picked exactly one clover from the white powdered grass, and handed it to him. The man accepted it with a bubble of confidence due the occasion.

"These little blooms take me back a half century to the farm that was my home when I was a boy."

The woman smiled appreciative recognition of the sentiment as she passed on; the man lumbered over to his bench and—well, that was really all there was to it except—

When a stiff, stout man, over fifty, can carry about with him enough honest boyhood to prize a clover top for the sake of its associations, the world can't be half so bad as the cynics would have us believe.

Thing That Thrills Some Visitors to the Capital

ONE thing about the small town visitor that thrills is the niceties he preserves in eating. If a confirmed habitue of one of Washington's fashionable restaurants happens to drop a particularly choice bit of meat on the tablecloth he calmly and unhurriedly retrieves it.

The writer saw one huge, bronzed man with a mighty walrus mustache and an appearance which justified the belief that he could face 15 bad men with guns and not wink an eye.

upon the white cloth. The mighty man extended a hamlike hand to pick it up and had almost captured his game when, looking up, he caught the eye of the waiter. His face turned crimson. His colossal hand flapped feebly around, while he pretended to be trying to look at the salt cellar, the sauce—anything. The waiter went toward him lolly.

"Anything, sir?" he wanted to know.

"N-n-nothin'," faltered the big man. "I was—"

"Salt, sir?" asked the waiter, solicitously.

The big man clutched at the suggestion like a drowning man clutching at a straw.

"Ye-es," he stammered.

And during the rest of the dreary meal he ate solemnly, sadly, hopelessly, while the waiter stood guard and the fallen piece of meat gleamed wickedly from the tablecloth.

This Congressman Comes From a Land of Plenty

"I COME," said Representative Holland of the Norfolk, Va., district—and there was a world of pride in his tones—"I come from that land famed the world over for its good things to eat. A land the fair renown of whose oysters and terrapin and hams is sung throughout the length and breadth of the nation from where"—and Mr. Holland, waxing eloquent, harked back to vaudeictorian days—"from where the icy waters of the Atlantic beat upon the bleak crags of Maine to where the placid waters of the blue Pacific kiss the golden—"



"It's a fact, sir, a fact," concluded Mr. Holland, when reminded that these stories must be limited to 400 words. "I'm right about it; dead right!"

And Mr. Holland is right about it; dead right. Just listen to this luscious litany of the succulent, savory things hailing from the district that calls him representative—a litany he chants with reverent ecstasy.

Lynnhaven oysters, canvas-back duck, diamond-back terrapin, Crisfield, Norfolk spots, Chesapeake shad, sora, reedbirds, Smithfield hams, March strawberries, April green peas—

Here, waiter, quick! What's tariffs to terrapin, or currency bills to canvas-backs! And don't forget the beanut!

Easiest Way to Make Fancy Waist



If there is one article of clothing upon which the manufacturers may depend for a long, long profit, more than upon any other, it is the fancy waist made of lace, chiffon, net, silk, embroidery or any other of the pretty things which are so alluring and so fragile.

And the price is usually something to cause a gasp like that following a plunge into cold water. The unfeeling owner of an exclusive Fifth avenue shop mentions anywhere from \$15 to \$90 in the most casual and off-hand way, when one begins inquiring as to the value of three yards of chiffon and a few bits of other materials sewed together.

The easiest way to make these fancy waists is first to buy a dressmaker's form or dummy upon which to drape the material. Get one with the cor-

rect neck and waist measure, and as like yourself in shape as possible.

Simple waists of plain net or of lace are to be had in the department stores at a very reasonable price, that is in the neighborhood of two or three dollars. Or a foundation waist may be made a very little cheaper at home. But those to be had in the shops are cut on good and up-to-date lines. These waists make the best of foundations on which to drape the chiffon or net or lace or other fabrics which enter into the composition of fancy waists.

Chiffon veils, in pretty colors and with hem-stitched edges, are easily used to make drapery for these waists. Plain chiffons, embroidered voiles, and nets, answer the same purpose. In the waist pictured here voile is draped over a foundation waist of lace with fine effect.

In attempting a fancy waist, it is much the easiest way to select a waist, or the picture of one, and follow out its details.

Popular Hats for Vacation Trips



NOW that the time for vacation trips is coming near and has, in fact, arrived, the consideration of hats comes up, hats which will do all their wearers have a right to expect them to.

The three shapes, two of them straight sailors, that are grouped in the picture given here, are fine examples of hats suitable for vacation trips. Besides the two sailors, the hat with taller crown, trimmed with wheat, is designed for matrons who do not want a hat as youthful as the plain sailor.

The introduction of lacquered ribbon with its metallic-looking, highly lustrous surface (which suggests durability but does not really mean it), has given considerable strength to hats of black braid. A pretty model for an outing hat is made over a wire frame with silk fiber braid sewed to it. There is a collar of black lacquered ribbon laid in fluted plaits at intervals about the crown. Between the plaits are clusters of cherries.

This is a hat with considerable durability to recommend it, as well as good looks.

Flowers, so much in evidence on the dresser hats of the season, are not used on outing or traveling hats. But fruits, less fragile, are a part of the play, with cherries as the star.

Fringed ribbons, that is, ribbons raveled out into fringed ends, or spaces, are pleasing on hats that depend on ribbon alone for decoration. But there are not many of these. Too many good ornaments made ready to use, too many good substantial fancy feathers, save the time of trimmers.

The trimming of hats of this kind is distinctly within the scope of the home milliner. A shape originally becoming and simply trimmed is sure to turn out satisfactorily. Among one's belongings good millinery materials, left over from other reasons, if of the right character, save money and answer the purpose for traveling hats. JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

PROPER TREATMENT OF ALL FARM HORSES



Increased their simple and inexpensive cleaning out around the railing trees and ty has its dis- prices. Other respective res- oney to live in tent attempt is ag the place.

se of many farmers of rains they should not be left to become dry, but should be rubbed dry, as chills, fevers and other ailments often result from allowing them to dry by the evaporation of the moisture from their bodies.



Q.—Shall we know each other there? Will we be able to recognize our own? (R. 1.)

Answer.—If we were to suppose that we would have less intelligence in the resurrection than we now have, then we might fear that we would not recognize each other. This would be a sad resurrection for all. We cannot suppose that the God who was loving enough to plan for a "resurrection both of the just and of the unjust" would spoil the whole plan by such a disappointment as this. Those who attain heaven are to be made "partakers of the divine nature." With such powers as will be theirs no knowledge will be beyond their reach. The changes which will come to those raised on the human plane, we understand will be spiritual, so that when they come forth from the grave they will be in much the same condition as when they went down, and therefore easily recognized.

Q.—In 1 John 5:16 we are informed that there are some sins that can be forgiven, and some that cannot. What are these two kinds? (P. P.)

Answer.—Death is the extreme penalty for wilful sin. Ad4 m's penalty, which involved his entire race, was of this kind; and only as the result of Christ's death as our ransom from the penalty of that wilful sin is any forgiveness of it or subsequent sins possible. Forgivable sins are those which result from weaknesses incurred through that one Ad2 m's sin which Christ settles once for all. They are such as are not wilful, but are committed through ignorance or weakness of the flesh. God provides pledged to forgive all such sins upon our repentance. In the same act of Christ's sacrifice. Unpardonable sins are such as are wilfully done. As the penalty of the first wilful sin was death—extinction of being—so death is the penalty of every wilful sin against full knowledge and ability to choose and to do the right. The "sin unto death," for the forgiveness of which the Apostle declares it is useless to pray, is not only a wilful sin, but a sin against clear knowledge. It is called the "sin against the Holy Spirit" (Matthew 12:31, 32).

Q.—What is the meaning of the phrase in Ps. 45:14, "She shall be brought out as the king in ornament of needle-work"? (H. B.)

Answer.—It is now that the church is being brought to her Lord to be his spouse. All through this gospel age from its outset till now the Lord has used the various instrumentalities to call it from the world, this peculiar people, and by various means He has led them from grace to grace, from knowledge to knowledge and changed them from glory to glory to prepare them for their final acceptance in the resurrection, to where the clothing of gold will be their glory, honor and immortality. It is in full accord with all of this that the Scriptures represent that all accepted of the Lord through-out this gospel age have been granted a wedding garment clean and white—"pure linen which is the righteousness of the saints" (Revelation 19:8). That robe represents justification, the covering of our blemishes; and it is a wedding garment because it constitutes a basis of our ultimate acceptance by the Lord in the end of this age when the marriage of the Lamb shall come. Our acceptance depends on our care of the robe. We must keep our garments unspotted from the world (James 1:27). We must embroider them with fine needle-work. Painstakingly we must endeavor to fit and establish in our robes the glorious pattern outlined for us by the word and example of our Bridgeman, and His mouthpieces, the apostles.

Q.—In Matthew 7:21-23 we read that some who have done wonderful works and cast out devils will not be recognized by the Lord. Would we understand that none who have ever cast out devils will be recognized by the Lord? (T. W. B.)

Answer.—Our Lord does not say that none of those who cast out devils will ever be acknowledged by Him, but merely states that there are many who will do even such great works as this and still not be of His. When Christians generally were in ignorance of the fact that the last twelve verses of the book of Mark are not genuine many honest souls were deeply distressed because they were not able to cast out demons and do other wonderful things. True, the apostles and others of the early church did perform some such miracles as are here described, but nowhere in the Bible are we informed that we will be able to do works of magic, or, on the other hand, that the performing of miracles would keep us out of heaven. This passage does state that many who will make claim on God's favor, because they have healed the sick in His name, etc., will find that they have never been His disciples, but that the power they have been using came instead from the evil one. "He that doeth the will of the Father" is the one who will enter the kingdom. Evidently the Father's reason for granting miraculous powers in the dawn of the Christian era was that attention might be called to the work then beginning. The need for miracles passed with the establishment of the church. The evil spirits might find need for miraculous powers, but in using them would surely seek to appear as angels of light, else few would cooperate with them.

Boost for our big picnic to day.

Green Lake Items

Sam Seiber and John Short were out in the Green Lake parts Wednesday.

Luther Broadus and wife were at Mrs. Pursleys Wednesday.

W. E. Davis went to Pampa Thursday after his binder.

Tom Pursley went to Miami Thursday.

The Hay Hooks shipped in 2,000 yearlings this week.

Burnice Heare was out Thursday looking after his crop.

Mr. Seitz, Will Christopher and families went to Miami to church Sunday.

Will Wright and wife and Mrs. Seitz went to White Deer grape hunting Tuesday.

Mr. BeBee and wife went to Miami Tuesday.

Will Wilks had a man out in the Green Lake district Friday.

Frank Davis is in Pampa this week helping Davis Company put up headers.

Erve Black went to Pampa Saturday.

J. E. Seitz and family went to Pampa Saturday.

Mr. Edge and Joe Heare were out Sunday looking at Joe's crop.

Windom Allen was out in the Green Lake parts Sunday.

Mrs. Pursley spent Sunday with Mrs. Gaston Wiley at Hoover.

W. E. Davis and wife went to Pampa Tuesday.

D. B. Stribling, wife and parents were out in the Green Lake parts Friday.

Mrs. Pursley went to Miami Wednesday.

Tom Pursley went to Miami Friday.

Frank Pursley and wife were out to his mothers and stayed 3 days this week.

Dixon Items

The farmers have had a beautiful week and have made good use of mowing weeds, cultivating and beginning the harvest of small grain.

Messers Pyor and Boss were visitors at the Ewing residence Sunday.

Green Ayres spent Saturday night with Elzy McClendon.

Some of the young folks went to Washita for Childrens day exercises.

J. M. Glover, G. W. Fulbright and wives attended services at Subbin Ridge Sunday.

Wm. Dunn and several of his Mobeetic friends spent Tuesday over east, we suppose they went fishing.

Miss Chadney McClendon called on Miss Minnie Finsterwald Wednesday.

Mrs. J. E. Ewing was in Mobeetic Wednesday.

Bro Rees of Miami preached a good sermon Sunday.

Will Miller and his sister Miss Maggie visited the McClendon home Sunday.

Bros. Easley of Shamrock and Bagwell of Plainview spent Sunday night with the Ewing family. Easley and wife are attending the Wheeler county singing convention at Wheeler.

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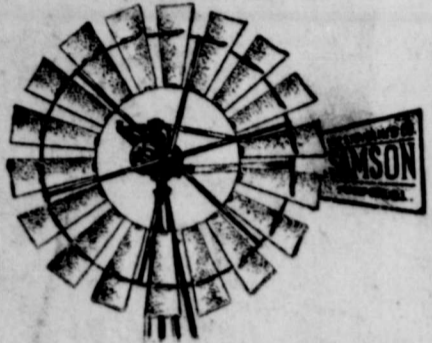
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