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MIAMI, Roberts County, TEXAS, Thursday, April,

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wight Templars Will R. W. Wright Passes Easter Service Away. Here.

Yext Sunday being Easter us last week for one of our citi. Went to Glazier last week to assist Saturday in stead of the first day the Canadian Command. zen who has now passed to the in a meeting. mil hold their regular Easter great beyond. Mr. R. W. Canadian has resently had a here on the First Saturday.same rice at this place in the High Wright who has been a citizen of change in postmaster, Mr. Jack. being saturday of this week. Auditorium at 3:00 pm. Miami for several years has paid son taking the office. Canadian Commandry con- the great debt. mized a little over a year ago. and was borned in Lamar county The McLean Public School peritory includes all of the Texas Oct 31 st, 1840 and was will close April 19 th. finishing ties in this part of the Pan-175 years old at the time of his an eight month term. It is the Custom of all death. He was maried to Arthe different Commandries camie Gober, a native of Georgia insurance rating reducin the J. H. KELLEY, Phg. M. D.

sof a membership of about He was the son of J. G. Wright near Mobeetie died at his home an auctioneer well be here to "Knight Templars and was and Sallie Caruthers Wright' last week of appendicitis-

cents.

Over The Plains

According to the News, thefire The United States to hold Ser- in 1865. To the union twelve cost 15 cents, will save the peosappropriate to that occa children were borned, eight of ple of Plainview near \$3000 per year. adian Commandry will hold A. of Smith River, Cal., Robert

Service here this year, G of Denton, Texas, Neal M. of staged at Clarendon on Good The", Crusifiction" will be 8. G. Taylor, Pastor of the Gilland, Texas, Jack W. of Miami Friday, free of cost or collection. Roy Peugh of Higgins fell from a motercycle last week and broke one of his legs.

who attends will be greatly ber of the Masonic and Odd Reports are now rumored that efied. Every person in Fellows Lodge and was laid to the Santa Fe will soon put back mishould make an effort to rest by the Masons with their two passengers trains on this attendance upon this occa- burial ceremonies. He was also line, making six trains daily. and anyone who fails to att- member of the Presbyterrian The Daily Panhandl has anmill be the loser therby . The Church of Amarillo. He served noucned that they will start at 1:45 on a special train, and ment and participated in many shops on May 1 st

members of the order in After the war he moved to Den- at Plemons burned last week miform. A good 'represention, Texas, where he lived for with a total loss.

mis also expected from many years, finally moving to Panhandle is having some

Trades Day This Week.

SATURDAY, APRIL 3rd Canadian has recently had a big reduction in their fire rating,

gettin it reduced from 96 to 65 Many of our big traders have asked that the trades day each The sad visitor Death called on The Canadian Gospel team month be changed to the First Monday, all say they will be There will also be a big Public L. W. Wilson a framer living sale in our town on that day and help-do your selling. Note the ad of ahe Public sale. Be in town Saturday and you will find a trad to match you.

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WHAT HAPPENED TO THE COTTON LOAN? adian delegation will arrive in company D. Madison Regi- a weekly Panhandle from their FARMERS WANT TO KNOW. BAPTIST CHURCH-Preaching at 11 o'clock every 1st and 3rd Sunda ys be met at the train by the battles during the Civil war. The residence of Frank Pallock Producers Tired of "Watchful Sunday School at 10 every Sunday; Waiting." Prayer-meeting every Wednesday night .- Daniel Rees, Pastor. By Peter Radford Business meeting Wed. night after C .dow of pach month

rer National Farmers' Union The government officially estimates the 1914 cotton crop at 13,969,000 bales. This is the larg- every 2nd and 4th Sunday at eleven Chas. Endicos living near est production in the history of o'cl



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nand upon invitation the which are living, namely, Mary

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preach the Sermon and will M. of Dusten, Okla., Inez V. of

mecial music. Mr. Taylor Green field, Ill, and Julia S. of

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Clean Up To-Day

council. Have you done your be called on to clean up for them. However there is some people

The New Parsonage

The new Presbyterian Parsonage is now a reality. Conthe building will be completed as soon as the weather permits and three up stairs Rev. Payton who has been

and will be here regular from children are told the story of that on, at least two Sundays in story of the rainbow with the pot each month

are live ones. See Thompson and officials engaged in the transac-Elkins, they will trade for you. We do not know why. Elkins, they will trade for you.

Hansford was the victim of one the cotton industry. The 1911 of his hired hands last week. crop held the record to the February from which he never He sent the man into Glazier present year with a production I estimate one check of \$115 made out to bales in the field, much of it discouraged farmer and will probably never be gathered. The 1914 crop rock an ordinance has been pass- also ranks among the largest ed prohibiting the builing of in production per acre, averwooden structures in certain aging 208 pounds per acre and parts of the business districts of reaches the low water mark in price. The price officially estimated for the 1914 crop is 6 cents per pound against an average price of 12 cents per pound in 1913 and a production of 182 pounds per acre. Greatest Crop-Lowest Value.

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To day is clean-up day for The value of the 1914 crop is Miami as designated by the city six cents less per pound, or \$480,-000,000 less than the value of last cleaning. If not it is rather late year's crop. This is a greater financial blow to the South than in the day to begin cleaning now, the freeing of the slaves and it better get up earley in the has sent millions of Southern morning and get after it. We farmers and their families stagnote that several have done their gering down the thoroughfares of poverty, but the South is brave cleaning this week and are truly and can meet adversity. When glad to see the work being done. the war was over we beat our We trust that everybody has swords into plow shares and we cleaned up and the city will not have the courage and ability to transform a calamity into a bless-

The Farmers' Union asked who will wait, and then when the Congress to meet the emergency city cleans up for them and char. by lending money on cotton so ges it to the property, they will as to enable poor farmers to hold their crop, but the request was howl for six months when they rejected, or rather modified by have had due notice,, and have the government agreeing to join no one to blame but thmselves. with bankers in providing a fund of \$135,000,000 for lending on cotton. The anti-trust law had a special construction placed upon it, the patriotism of bankers was appealed to and headlines full of tope were flashed across the

columns of the leading newspapers of the nation for a few tractor Weckesser began work months, but where is the money? Monday on the foundation and No farmer has ever seen a dollar. of it. There is nothing quite so destructive to those in distress as false hope, and if this movement When complete the parsonage which has been so persistently will have five rooms down stairs heralded to the world has failed, we are entitled to know it.

I want to call attention to the fact that the farmer-the owner called to this place to preach is of the property involved-was expected to be here and preach never consulted in the transacthe second Sunday in this month tion. The story was told him as Arabian Nights and the bed-time of gold, and it seems to be about the same sort of literature. The farmers were never taken into the confidence or the councils of the The Newest traders in town business men and the government

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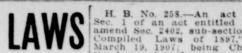
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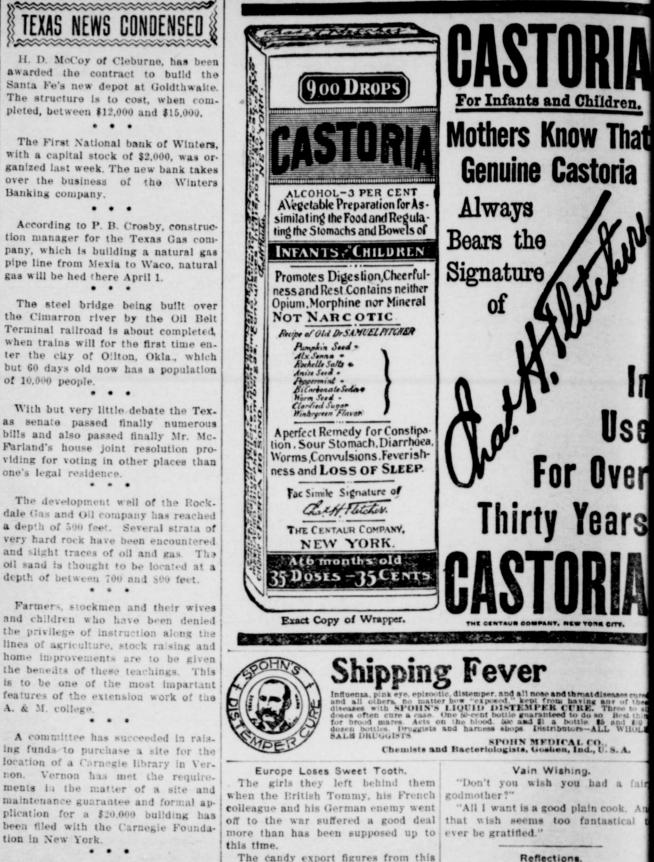


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of 10,000 people. bills and also passed finally Mr. Mc-Farland's house joint resolution providing for voting in other places than one's legal residence.

H. R. No. 7.—To supply members of the House with copies of the compiled statutes, session laws, journals and constitution. Filed Jan. 26, 1915. H. B. No. 236, substitute.—An act to provide for the assessment and taxa-tion of livestock. Approved March 12: filed management of the Legislature all information in his possession of at his command cohering the failure of the First State Bank of Las Cruces, etc. Approved Feb. 1: filed Feb. 5. H. B. No. 158.—An act appointing a joint committee to investigate the management of the New Mexico Col-lege of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, etc. Approved Feb. 13: filed Feb. H. J. P. No. 12 H. B. No. 254.—An act providing for the appointment of a state traveling for the for the appoint of the appoint for the appoint of the appoint for t



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home improvements are to be given the benefits of these teachings. This is to be one of the most impartant features of the extension work of the A. & M. college.

A committee has succeeded in raising funds to purchase a site for the location of a Carnegie library in Vernon. Vernon has met the requirements in the matter of a site and maintenance guarantee and formal application for a \$20,000 building has been filed with the Carnegie Foundation in New York.

Senator Hugh Harris of the Twentycountry prove it. Europe curtailed the seventh district, whose home is in bean supply of the United States when marriage, sir?" Temple, sent his resignation to the Austria's exports were stopped. Now governor, effective July 1, 1915, or as America has retaliated by reducing mony." soon thereafter as his successor could the quantity of candy sent to the old be elected. Senator Harris announced world. that he was at peace with the world The first five months of the war and loved every senator on the floor. caused a decrease of \$153.823 "But I would rather live and die in of candy exports from the United happy obscurity than receive the States, as compared with the same plaudits of the world in a work which period of the year before. The value I do not like."

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to provide revenue for the present state. That property to the value of Hurley. The two men had a hearing needs of the state. This was brought \$125,000,000 would constitute only a before Judge Byrne and were bound sion. The Bursum bill limits the levy tional on the tax rolls.

State Valuation to Be Raised. for state purposes to three mills. The Kendall Gets Alleged Cow Thieves. Santa Fé .- It will be necessary for full assessed valuation in 1914 was Hillsboro. - Andres Goddell and the state tax commission created by \$272,767,165. With the limited levy it Roman Garcia, charged with larceny the Bursum tax bill to place on the will require a full valuation of practi- of cattle in the hills west of here, and tax rolls additional property to the cally \$400,000,000 to produce sufficient selling the beef to Hillsboro people, value of at least \$125,000,000, in order revenue for the present needs of the were arrested by Sheriff Kendall at

part of that which has been escaping over in \$1,000 bond to await the action | Texas, Prof. Coleman. Risinger, who out at an informal conference of mem- taxation in New Mexico is a matter of of the grand jury. In part of the meat bers of the commission and Governor common knowledge, and it is believed at 32-caliber bullet was found. The McDonald held following the tempor- that it should be easy for the tax com- men testified they had a .32 rifle but chest from a paper wad and died ary organization of the tax commission to place that amount addi- that they had been shooting nothing from its effects. but rabbits.

Earle B. Mayfield, railroad commissioner of Texas, in a telegram to J. W. Everman, general superintendent of the St. Louis Southwestern railroad company of Texas, threatens to move that the railroad commission suspend further action on the application of cuse, N. Y. Price 50c and \$1.00. Adv. that company for an increase in freight rates pending an investigation into the recent closing of the railroad shops at Tyler.

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The people of Texas will vote upon a proposed constitutional amendment to abolish the fee system and substitute a provision that the legislature shall fix the salaries of all state and district offices and county commissioners' courts, fix the salaries of all county and precinct officers. The Butler-Davis joint resolution submitting this amendment was passed finally by the senate with the necessary twothirds vote. . . .

A bill providing for prohibition in Alaska has been introduced in the lower house of the territorial legislature by Representative C. K. Snow. . . .

The building committee of Carr-Burdette Carlton college, Sherman, announced that plans for the new administration building are about completed, and actual work will be commenced by April 15. This building will be modern in every respect and will cost \$50,000. The money for the the Club and the Woman's Board of structure has been subscribed.

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Showing nearly \$800,000 on deposit in the three banks of Ballinger, the statements depict that Runnels county people as a whole are prosperous. Considerably over a million dollars 18 on deposit at the various banks in the county, there being four others besides the three located in Ballinger. . . .

The Cook county commissioners have awarded a contract for a \$5,000 jail. Construction is to start within 30 days. The jail is to be modern and up to date in every particular.

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Plans have been adopted by the Wichita Falls city council and county commissioners' court for the joint hospital to be constructed there. A reinforced concrete structure, two stories and basement, is planned, and the cost will be \$34,000.

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At an entertainment in Melrose was acting the part of the man to be shot, received a bad wound in his

of the total exports of candy for the calendar year was \$1,185,894.

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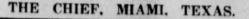
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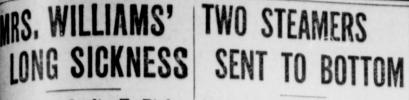
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from whom I received only tempo-I decided to give Lydia E. Vegetable Compound a fair and also the Sanative Wash. I have sed the remedies for four months anot express my thanks for what have done for me.

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His Tour.

That man never seems to stay at any one place. What is he doc anyway He is helping to take a census of

Oh that accounts for his being conatly on the wing."

MANSANS TELL HOW TO KEEP HEALTHY

of Kansans can tell recovery of health after ering with stomach ail-Kansas homes. ot involve a long treatment. It GERMAN SUBMARINES DO THE WORK AND ACCUMULATE CON-SIDERABLE DEATH TOLL.

150 PASSENGERS AND CREW

Russian Black Sea Fleet Bombards Bosphorus-Battles For Carpathian Passes Proceed With Increasing Violence.

London, March 30.-Upward of 150 lives were lost in the sinking by German submarines of the African liner Falaba and the British steamer Aguila. bound from Liverpool for Lisbon. The Falaba, which was torpedoed in St. Georges Channel Sunday afternoon, carried a crew of ninety and about 160 passengers, and of this total, only 140

were rescued. Of these rescued, eight died later from exposure. The Aguila had a crew of forty-two and three passengers and of these twenty-three of the crew and all the passengers were lost.

In both cass, on sighting the submarine, the captain tried to escape by putting on all speed possible, but the under water craft overtook the steamers, showing that Germany now has some of her most modern submarines engaged in the blockade operations against England. The captain of the Falaba who was one of those lost. was given four minutes to get his passengers and crew into the boats, but according to the survivors before this was possible, a torpedo was fired, striking the engine room and causing a terrible explosion. Many persons were killed and the steamer sank in ten minutes.

the vicinity rescued most of those who were saved; others got away in the boats which were ready for launching and which were quickly lowered when

U. S. SOLDIERS NOW ON GUARD

HEEDS FUNSTON'S SUGGESTION TO SEND TROOPS TO BROWNS. VILLE, TEXAS.

Washington, March 30-At the suggestion of Major General Funston commanding the American forces on the remarkable remedy, now border, Acting Secretary Breckenridge a all over the country for the of the war department, today ordered esults it produces, is in three batteries of the third field artillery to Brownsville, Texas, as a demual remedy proves its onstration to the Mexican forces conwith the very first dose-its use tending for possession of Matamoros that Aemrican lives and property must as Mayr's Wonderful Remnot be endangered by firing across the line. A regiment of infantry also was IRS. FRED NIEHUES, Kelly, Kan. ordered held in readiness at Texas have just completed the full City to be moved to Brownsville on short notice should it be needed. These precautions were deemed necessary, although assurances had been given by both Carranza and Villa agencies here that no shooting across the line would be permitted. Secretary Bryan said orders had been sent by the commanders of each faction to their troops in and about Matamoros to see that no shots entered American territory The attacking force is finding Mat inal aliments. Eat as much and amoros a difficult nut to crack accordu like, No more distress ing to state department advices today which says 200 met death in the first assault on the Carranza trenches Saturday, while the defenders lost only eight killed and thirty-six wounded. It was reported that both sides were receiving reinforcements including artillery. Many wounded Villa soldiers have been brought into Brownsville, but only those in most urgent need of attention will be permitted to cross the line hereafter.

GET TO KNOW YOUR GOODS CONVEYED ONLY PLAIN TRUTH REALLY NOT A FAIR BET Argument on Suffrage. Two women were having a ladylike rgument on suffrage in a New York Method by Which One Man "Made street car. "I'm not so old-fashioned Good" May Be Recommended to as to insist that our only place is in All Salesmen. the home, but-" said the blonde.

Save the Coupons!

"Well?" asked the Brunette, with bat-Inquisitiveness is not generally retle in her dark eves. "Couldn't we garded as an admirable trait. this point is told by John J. Arnold, visited in his buggy. he had known as a boy in a wholesale not be made to cross one. salesman. in a whisper. "But please don't say I the institution. He studied that in- local paper: stitution from one end to the other "For Sale .- A bay horse, warranted and he studied all of the fabrics, all sound and kind. The only reason for bloodless lips. of the different things that went to selling is because the owner is obliged make up that particular piece of to leave Boston." goods, and in that way he analyzed every piece of goods that came into his hands. He was not satisfied merefreeing the scalp of dandruff, dryness | ly to take the goods and hand them out, but he wanted to know what he was handing out. The result is, today he is one of the most expert buy. ers in this city, in one of its greatest wholesale houses. Those are the things that count. Get down to a study of the inside workings of the thing that you are handling."

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noman's idea of a picture hat is that reminds a man of a chromo.

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fficial Denia Tax on Homestead Land in Canada war tax is to be placed on in Western Canada having erable circulation in the is to advise all enquirers a been placed, nor is there are a war tax of any nature gned) W. D. Scott, Supt. of

Militia Gives Up Chase.

Oklahoma City, Okla., March 30 .--The two officers and eleven men of the state militia who were ordered out of Chandler to accompany the sheriff of Lincoln county in pursuit of the fleeing robbers of the two E roud banks reported to Adjutant General Canton this morning and were relieved from further duty. All reports now indicate that the five bandits who escaped at the time Henry Starr and Lewis Estes were captured, have made a successful escape.' Starr. the wounded bandit at Chandler did not know the names of the other five bank robbers, according to statements made by Starr to Bill Tilghman former deputy United tSates marshall, who returned here today.

Rescuers Now Hunt For Dead.

Honolulu March 30 .- Naval officials said today they had abandoned hope of rescuing the twenty-one men aboard the submarine. They say their work is one of recovering the bodies and getting what salvage there may be in the vessel which they apparent ly believe is wrecked.

LINCOLN'S LAW PARTNER DIES

First Chief Justice of Utah Is Found Dead In His Room.

Salt Lake City, Utah, March 30 .-Charles S. Zane, former law partner of Abraham Lincoln, and the first chief justice of Utah, was found dead in his bed room this morning. Death was due to apoplexy. He was 84 years old, and came to Utah in 1884 from Springtield, Ill. Judge Zane was active in the polygamy prosecutions when he first came to the state.

save all this trouble and fuss by just leaving things as they are? Why can't we go on letting the men represent us? They do the very best they can, and everyone I know has a man somewhere or other in the family." The brunette's voice was calm, but firm. Jack is a Republican and I am a Democrat. How can he represent me when he can cast only one vote?" she inquired sternly. For a few minutes the little blonde sat very silent. Then she spoke. "Why, I never thought of that before. If you have a misrepresentative man in the family, I suppose you do need the vote." Her voice sank

said so. ONLY A FEW PIMPLES

But Many More May Come If You Neglect Them. Try Cuticura Free.

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Slight Absent-Mindedness. "How are "ou getting on as the presiding officer of your new club?" "Pretty well," replied the emphatic woman. "No trouble with parliamentary

points?" "Not much The only difficulty I have is to remember that you must hold on to the gavel and hammer with it instead of throwing it."

For hot grease burns apply Hanford's Balsam lightly until the fire is extracted. Adv.

Some Sprinter.

She-I suppose the duke has landed estates. He-Landed one every time he married, but he managed to run through 'em all.

Nightly coughing and torturing throat-tickle quickly relieved by Dean's Mentholated Cough Drops-5c at all Druggists.

Mediocre talent properly advertised will discount genius every time.

Blessed be the little flat in which there is no room for trouble.

YOUR OWN DRUGGIST WILL TELL YOU nd Granulated Eyelids; No Smarting-e comfort. Write for Book of the Eye Free. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Tempting.

The sailor had been showing the lady visitor over the ship. In thanking him she said:

"I see that by the rules of your ship tips are forbidden." "Lor' bless yer 'eart, ma'am," replied

Jack, "so were apples in the Garden of Eden."

white. All grocers. Adv.

"The politicians are looking in the campaign barrel and licking their chops."

For calks use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Ambition is all right if a man has energy to back it up.

"I'm going to put it in traveling from one summer resort to another until I find a girl worth a million or two who wants to be loved and married for herself alone.'

summer vacation?

A Great Scheme.

"How are you going to spend your

tory. He wrote to the factory in Eng- thought, produced the following ad- Suddenly her eyes gleamed with a land and asked for particulars as to vertisement, which he inserted in a wild light; she clasped her hands convulsively, and

"I must speak!" burst from her

"Twenty-four seconds," said the young man, as he closed the watch and put it back into his pocket. "You lose the pair of gloves by exactly six seconds.

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Was Almost Impossible for

Him to Lose.

He had bet on a sure thing.

Not an Owner.

"Do they own an auto?" "I don't think so. His hands seem to be fairly clean."



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This year wheat is higher but Canadian land just as cheap, so the opportunity is more attractive than ever. Canada wants you to help to feed the world by tilling some of her soil-land similar to that which during many years has averaged 20 to 45 Think what you bushels of wheat to the acre. can make with wheat around \$1 a bushel and land so easy to get. Wonderful yields also of Oats, Barley and Flax. Mixed farming

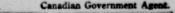
is fully as profitable an industry as grain growing

The Government this year is asking farmers to put increased acreage into grain. Military service is not com-

pulsory in Canada but there is a great demand for farm labor to replace the ma young men who have volunteered for service. The climate is healthful and agreeable, railway facilities excellent, good schools and churches convenient. young Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to

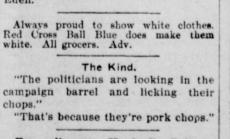
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L G. WAGGONER, Editor & Owner,

MIAMI, TEX, APRIL' 1 1915

School Notes

Corn Mrs. Ewing visited the school Maize per dwt Wednesday Heads

Miss Eileen Wren was a visitor Hay of the Senior room Thursday af-Alfafa ternoon. Butter

In a short time we will be able Eggs to know who will rec-ive the Hens medals for high scholarship. Turkeys Mr. Kinney is offering the one in the Grammar School and Mr. Ewing in the High School.

The Senior play has been de- Free sewing Machiene. A al of a 11 pound boy at the Frank cided upon and the characters Revelation of the 20th Century. Hoffer home on the 28th. cast.

The reporter will endeavor to have the names of the participants in Declimation contests in next weeks paper.

the school some new songs.

"fooling" a great many of the students to-day

The Ladies Aid Society met in their social meeting Wednesday members were present, and it was the morning service and two- in with Mrs. Talley. The afternoon was spent in contests, af- sale until some time that the ter which Mrs. Rhodes favored weather migt permit.

the ladies with a solo, and Mrs. The Knights of Pythias Lodge Wells gave several piano selecs will hold a regular meeting tonight first Saturday in April which tions, and Mrs. Kinney gave a and all members are requested to is April 3rd. Lets of people very interesting reading. Mrs. attend. Talley then appeared with plat-

ters heavy laden with delicious with peneumouia. He took sick last trading clothes. refreshments. At a late hour week, but the physi ian thinks he the ladies reluctlanty left, each has the disease under controle. declaring Mrs. Talley an excellant hostess. Sixteen members were in attendance next meeting will be at Mrs. George Graham's. Every member is urged to be present

The Cap Rock Theatre will give a

Miss cors Me Cluney is reported

on the sick list this week.

Subjects for sermons at the many flyes, a number of children Baptist Church next Sunday, took advantage of their offer and Morning, "The resurection of killed and brougt in flies, the Just and the Un-Just, even-

of Salvation to everybody." interests.

Miami Market To-day city election will be held at 'the court house in the city of Miami on the 6th day of April 1915, the \$1.00 same being the first Tuesday in about the improvements being where there are fewer newspa-1.35 said month, at which election an inducement for people to pers per square mile, but it .45 there shall be elected a Mayor, come to the town. Most any- is because those square miles .73 five Aldermen and a Marshall.

Notice is hereby given that a

.90 And L. G. Waggoner is hereby 13.00 appointed as presiding officer o 8 to 9.00 said election.

\$13 to 17.00 In Testimony whereof Witness 20 my hand and the seal of said 11 city, this the 6th day of March. 08 to .09 1-2 1915. Roy Trowbridge Mayor,

9 to. 10 L. S. J. W. Wells Secty.

ATTENTION LADIES

The Chief 1 yr.

Wheat No. 2

Oats

Dr. M. L. Gunn reports the arriv Call at my store and see The

Walter Cook Jewelry and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Muncy visited feated in the race for the next Music Co. in Canadian over Sunday.

W. D. Stockstll delivered 230 yesterday of a new sheet iron buildhead of three years old steers in ing adjoining the blacksmith shop, Miss Easley has been teaching Miami yesterday to Mr. Kelley who when complete Lee Chisum will shipped them to Kansas. He will occupy same for a plmmbing shop Mr Wren has been April deliver another bunch to morrow and automobil Garage.

The Ladies Aid of the Presby- | Bro. Rees reports a good time terian church met with mrs. C. M at Canadian last Sunday. There Hockett yesterday evening. Seven were five professions of faith at decided to postbone their bound the evening.

Lets have a big trades day the a convention city,-McLean News. will be here on that day and Walter Cook is in bed to day everybody should get on their

The Glazier Review is talking incorporation for that town. Fe trains come through Miami handle publishers. All of them guaranteed on ev-The only way to get incor- from the west, one would think are said to have automobiles erything. Give The Cap Rock Theatre will give a poration is to agitate it. that our railroad was a race many have sleeping porches and me a call and lets twelve years of ege who will bring Mami had quit a fight over track. It is pecufiar why en- some even have appendicitis. get acquainted. thow 250 flies next week This incorporation, but now the gineers won't try to abide by -State Press. week they have received a great smoke has clear i away' and we the speed law. The Company believe that most of the people has been notified that we have

the year.

are satisfied and at least some a speed ordinance, and yet it S. B. Archer of Jeffery is here of them are taking an activite- looks like they want to be fin- next Tuesday, at which time tion. Shop across stree Wagon yard. Come In. ing, "Is God sincere in his offer this week looking after buisness terest in the town and doing all ed before they are willing to we are to elect four Aldermen, they can to help build it up some abide by it.

the smaller towns. We be- sents more territory per editor electric lights and some good non-readers, bushmen' head

It seems to be the general this locality that the principal reason for Amarillo being de-

members were charged for meagre accomodations there on occasions of its former meeting is that city, It is said THE hotel rates are exhorbitant. Amarillo should take some steps to provide suitable hotel facilities and in a measure curb the mercenary ambitions of the proprietor if she would become

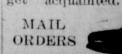
lieve the editor of the Nows is than any other press on earth right. Note also what he says Of course there are countries one had rather go to a town are uninhabited wildernesses that has a good water system, or wildernesses inhabited by

that has none. Lets have ev- let.ug coaxers and the like. ery inducement possible to That kind of country does'nt nish bond signed by two responsible

the Pauhandle there is scarcely and references any illiteracy whatever. I'racimpression of the cattlemen in tically every family reads one or more newspapers and buys its goods from merchants who advertise. This high degree of Cattlemens Convention was civilization accounts for the W. C. Scott began the erection the manner in which visiting fact that every Panhandle village of three or four hundred people supports a creditable newspaper. But villages of four hundred population are far apart on the plains. There are numerous counties there which have no town as large as that. Therefore one editor sometimes gets the legal printing for contiguous organized territories, and the more. legal printing an editor can get, the

more representative he feels. Shopmade boot Probably the fact that every- or shoe. All styand then be good the test of body reads in the Panhandle les and kinds for and all the merchants advertise your own fancy. accounts for the high average Also do general

The way some of the Santa of prosperity among the Pan-repairing on boots and shoes. Work



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PUBLIC SALE SATURDAY April 3rd.

At the Wagon yard in Miami, will be offered for sale the following livestock and implements belonging to James Dobbs.

Livestock 4 mules, weight about 1.000 lbs. 6 yrs. old

Mobeetie were trading in Miami 2 saddle horses, mare 9 years old Horse 6 yrs. old

son Kansas visited this week at the 1 milch cow and calf

Texas

Implements, Etc. I farm wagon, one feed wagon and frame nearly new

I grinding stone I riding and one walking cultivator I lister and one disc harrow 12 row corn planter, one mower I sulky plow, one walking sod plow 2 sets of harness

TERMS OF SALE:- \$10. and under cash, over \$10 six months time with bankable notes at ten per cent. 5 per cent discount for cash on sums over \$10. Sale will begin at 2 p.m.

H. M. Barrett. Auctioneer

Jess Price of Ill. Bend, Texas, is

visiting at the J. R. Webster home

Miss Alice Seitz of Quannah is

Sheriff Lee Gunter of Wheeler

county spent Thursday night of

visiting at the J. R. Webster homes

this week.

this week.

last week in our city.

H.J. Newman H. E. Baird Clerk

YOUR EYES

Our Business

Sam Carter left monday for Okla. Dr. J. S Mitchell, optometist, of Bon-Eye City where he goes to work. for Okla, and will farm his place Gray county this week. Several Optical Co., Alva and Woodward, will be in Miami, Apr. 6th, We stop headaches, Among them are some horse steeling cases, shooting affrays and other Straighten cross eyes with glasses. Don't neglect your eyes, have them examined, they are your best friend.

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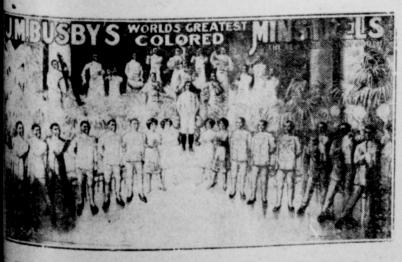
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That Big Real Funny Show

UNDER CANVAS



Miami Friday April 9th.

Bigger and better than ever arade at Noon Performance at 8 p.m. Once Tried, Always Used; the Chief

there this year. He orders the important cases are to come up. Chief to follow. Lots of people in town Saturday and the Merchants report a fine

Commissioners Court will meet in regular session Monday of next scription with" Keep the Chief cm-

veek Bob Dial came in last week from

Commerce where he has been attending school. The Miami Drug Co. installed a ine new soda fountain last week one of the finest in the Panhandle It is practically solid marble through out and has a nice mirror. This is

quite larger and nicer fountain than the one heretofore used. Mr. Jones looks for a good business this sum mar.

Mrs Harper of Shattuck Okla who has been visiting the Stockstills and Johnston homes returned home Tuesday.

ing and shoping,

round trip to Canadian in an auto- large crowd. mobile sunday evening with the young people from that place.

F. C. Quarrels made a business trip to Amariilo Saturday. E. M. Gocset had his name added

to our mailing list this week and will receive the Chief.

A. G. McKay renewed the Chief to his brother, J. H. McKay at Royston this week. Mr. McKay informs us that himself and family and B. Z. Williams and family will leave soon for a trip to see his brother and other relatives in Cen. tral Texas They will go through in their cars.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish through these colums to expressour very grateful thanks and appreciation for the many lov. ing kindnesses and thoughtful helps, of the friends and neighbors during our beloved husband and father, s illness and death. We especially thank the Masonic Lodge. Mrs. R.W. Wright and Children.

stealing. A letter from T. D. Westbrook to the Chief enclosed \$2 on snb

ing, it is like a letter from Home". Mr. Westbrook states that he is still on the top side in good health

but would like to see Miami again.

Following is a list of children of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wright who were here this week. F. E. Wright, Gurdan Ark. , M. M. Wright, Gilliland, Tex., Robt. G. Wright, Dustin, Okla., Mrs. H. E. Sears, Amarillo and Mrs. Ivy Melvin, Greenfield, 111.

The Mister Singers Male Quar- Miams, directly in front of the The wondeful blind pianoist and tette give the seventh and last court house, adjoining my residence. singer will give a perforomce at the number of this year Lycum course last nigt. The Number was certainly

Fine, every number was enjoyed Mesdmes C. C. and Dave Stock . and a full house went away more still were in the city Tuesday visit- than pleased with the performance. The Meister Singers will always be

Miss Rose Humphries made the welcome to Miami and will attract a

Mrs. A. M. Jones is reported sick this week.

Men and Women Like New Drink

The wide-spread and growing de mand for Maté emphasizes the fact that here is one drink that appeals to and satisfies both men and women. Its beneficial effect on stomach and nerves is what commends it to wom-en, while its "tangy" flavor and nutritious and sustaining qualities cause men to drink it with supreme satisfaction

Maté helps the brain without hurt-ing the heart. It is genuinely invigorating, and yet has none of the ill ef fects found in stimulants. The Ar gentine republic consumes more than 100,000,000 pounds of Maté every year, and in South America it is the favorite drink of society women, working office men, professional men field laborers and mechanics.

Mate is served at every meal of the day. It is delicious hot or iced. It is easy to prepare and the day's supply easy to prepare and the day's supply can be made at the breakfast boiling. Woodley's Maté is approved by lead-ing physicians and sold and guaran-teed by your druggist. A 50-cent package will make 100 to 200 cups with one boiling; many claim that Maté is better at the second boiling then of the first than at the first

Don't Forget the Date. TUESDAY, APRIL 6th

Denton, Texas, Mrs. Mattie Lazrus, And every four weeks. All work guaranteed

TOWN LOTS

For Sale, two towns lots in-

Tuesday, Apr. 6th.

Dr. Sawyer, Dentist, of Mineral Wells will be in Miami on Monday, Apr. 5th. and comes with the view of locating.

ined by a reliable optomist, see Dr. J. S. Mitchell at Miami, Apr

Hearts

the race for Marshal again and I where laughter and amusement are have decided to do so although have shows. The negro has an ear for not had much eo operation. If I am music; it is natural with him and he elected again I expect to enforce the has his way of rendering it. It is Citys laws to the better co-operation not classical but it is better more and now will say further that I pewsing. The minstreis gave a appreciate your suport in last good entertainment one well worth election and will this time. I will the price, and the audience got its always be on the job or have some satisfaction of negro melody and ne else there if elected.

J. P. Wright. Miami Texas April 9.

Prof. Frank Carter. J. W. Phlpott. 'Cap Rock Theatre tonight. Also a rip-roaring Billie Richie Comedy To see good, see Dr. J. S. and lots of European war pictures. Mitchell, optomist, at Miami Admission 10 and 20 cents. Dout Miss This.

DOGS All persons having dogs will dlease pay City taxes on them at once or I expect to make a way with Have the childrens eyes exam- your dog. This is the last warning, J. P. Wright. Marshal.

Owing to the fact that Wed- MINSTREL SHOW PLEASED nesday night is prayer meeting The Busby's World's Greatest night, we have decided 'to have ; Minstrel Show Wedresday evening the "Master Key" serial here has shown the distinction of being on Tuesday night. The first the only one to exhibit here for some installment to be Tuesday Apr- time with out a lot of fault finding 6. Prices same as for Trey O' critics picking its attractions to pier-

es afterward. A negro minstrel in Cap Rock Theatre in a class by itself; and a good one

My Frends have ask me to make never fails to please an andience laughter. - Hazeltou Herald. At



And all the dear ones who before have gone.

HAIL MIRACLE OF DEATHLESS LIFE

Throughout the Ages the Spirit of Easter Has Voiced the Highest Aspirations of the Human Soul.

FETHE spirit of Easter had its birth in that dim past when man's wondering eyes first vaguely teries. sensed the promise of the swell-

ing seed, the mystery of bursting bud, the miracle of resurrected life in leaf and flower. Down through the countless ages have thundered the hosannas of vernal joy, peans of welcome to the reborn earth pregnant with its gift of immortality. In every land, savage and civilized, in every step of less, pitiless rhythm of superfluous priests of Attis and Cybele, to the man's uplift from barbarism to culture, from prehistoric to modern times, each passing year has witnessed the passionate rhythm of wailing, lamentation and agonized despair- cient Lent was in very fact a period of Attis bound to a pine tree played ing prayer for the dead god, until of wailing and lamentation, for at an important part in the ceremony. at a mystic moment, penitential sacri- this time the gods seemed to have "The Day of Blood" witnessed the fice and fasting, weeping and mourn- deserted mankind, and the earth it- period of mourning over the effigy of ing give way to transports of joy self, the great mother goddess of fer. the god which was afterward buried which hall the resurrected deity who tillity and fecundity, appeared to have in a sepulcher. The worshipers prayed has broken again the grim gates of died beneath their feet. The coming and fasted in walling and lamentadeath.

We Christians have no monopoly of the undying Easter idea of death, resurrection and immortality, of a deity who dies to save the world and who rises triumphant from the dead. the sharp prod of biting hunger which in the darkness. The tomb was opened That has been the radiant principle ancient man viewed as a punishment and the temple thrilled to shouts that of humanity's instinctive religion inflicted by the gods presiding over told that Attis had risen from the from the early dawn of man's spirit- the various aspects of nature and the dead. And as the priest touched the ual life. The ancient temples of a seasons, can be found the reason for lips of the mourners with balm he hundred different religions have reechoed to the lamentations for dead deities and their old altars have vibrated and thrilled with the joyous hymns in honor of resurrected gods. life, an annual death and resurrection. they, too, would issue triumphant The germinal idea is found in almost all the myths of savage peoples. It Asia throughout the Mediterranean A blessed sacramental meal and a was the pervading idea in the faith of littoral. He was pictured as bleed- baptism of blood were among other the old Hindus; it inspired the an- ing to death with the red leaves of ceremonies for the initiates, a ritual clent Egyptian belief in immortality; autumn and coming to life again with which included a sacrifice of virility. in the pre-Christian religions of Baby- the fresh green of spring. Often Ado- It meant to them a new spiritual

fundamental; while around this idea | who was sacrificed upon the harvest in Greece, Carthage and Rome cen- field. In the great Phoenician sanctutered the most sacred of rites and ary of Astarte at Byblus the death of mysteries. Strange and sometimes Adonis was mourned to the shrill wailhorrible in sacrifice were the cere- ing notes of the flute, with weeping. monies which ushered in the reborn lamentations and beating of breasts. world, rituals of worship which but the next day the dead god was drenched altars with human blood in believed to rise from the dead and imitation of the god who died that to ascend to heaven in the presence the world might live. In other places of his worshipers, amid hymns of joy the great spring festival took the form | and glad shouts of "Adonis is risen of joy transformed into the abandon from the dead!" It is in the worship of license. But in all these perver- of Attis, however, that occurs the sions the central idea remained as an most striking resemblance to many expression of man's attempt to fathom of the observances of the Christian the secret of the universe and to ad- Easter. Attis was believed to have just his little life to its awful mys- been miraculously born of a virgin

conquered the seasons and adapted of blood and atonement preceded the ourselves to their changing moods. But | hilarious joy of the great day of reseven a few centuries ago, man was al- urrection. While devout multitudes most hopeless in the grip of a relentplenty in summer and starvation and music of flutes, drums and cymbals.

his battle with hunger was over. In tival of Joy. Suddenly a light shone much that seems strange and mon- softly whispered in their ears the strous to us in the old religions.

ed the yearly decay and revival of votaries as a divine promise that His worship spread from western from the corruption of the grave. ion. Assuria and Asia Minor it was nis was impersonated by a living man birth and remission of sins.

mother and like Adonis to have died We moderns of today can have no a violent death, rising from the dead adequate conception of what the ad- at the time of the spring festival. vent of spring meant in the child- Hideous orgiastic rites marked the rithood of mankind. In a way we have ual of Attis worship in Rome. Days

flocked to the sanctuary, the unsexed death in winter. It was only the slashed themselves with knives, and strong and vigorous who survived the in wild, frenzled dances splattered the winter's fight with hunger. The an- altars with dripping blood. The effigy of spring, the resurrection of fertil- tion in preparation for the sacraity, meant that man's despairing pray- mental meal. But when night had ers had been answered, that his sac- fallen the grief of the worshipers rifices had been accepted, and that turned to ecstatic gladness in the Fes-

glad tidings of salvation. The resur-Adonis was the god who represent- rection of Attis was hailed by his

and its from Page

Ishmaelite, his hand against every man. He began to wonder how soon it would be before he would go back. At least, there he could have shelter and food. He consoled himself with the thought that if society refused him his living the state would not.

He often thought of the other man: the one who so glibly swore him into prison; who had worked next his desk in the bank; who knew where the money went. There had been hours in his cell when he had said coldly to himself, "When I get out-"

The sinister thought began now to haunt him again. If he was to go back, he said, it might as well be for murder as for anything else; better,



Here He Sat and Thought.

perhaps; for his misery would be the sooner over. So he began now to look in crowds for a face. He had watched the bank and discovered that the other man was no longer there. He said to himself that when he found the face he from him He laughed grimly at the idea. There were no walls thick flowers." enough, no doors strong enough, to keep him from his enemy when once he had found him

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er, until it paused at the lilles of the valley. "I'd choose them," she said. The man gave a little start. "Why?" he questioned, not unkindly.

"Oh," said the child, "because they are such weeny little things-fairy flowers, I think; but," she added. primly and with a strangely old air. flowers do not become me." "Why not?"

"Because," replied the child, turning her eyes resolutely away from the window, "we are too poor."

The man slowly drew his hand out of the pocket of his rough frieze coat and glanced at the silver in his palm. 'You stay here a minute, little girl," he said.

He went into the florist's. "How much for a bunch of lilies of the valley?" he asked the pert, buxom young woman behind the counter.

"Dollar a dozen during Easter." she responded.

Oh, Easter, that was it! He had forgotten there was such an institution. Well, do the best you can for 50 cents," he answered, laying the money on the counter.

When he came out with the lilles in his hand, his quaint little friend was still flattening her face against the window. "Here, child," he said, "take these."

She did not speak at first; but her thin hands trembled with excitement as he bent to give the flowers to her. She took them, and for a moment held them close against her face. "How good you are!" she said.

"Now, I'd better walk along with you," he said gently, "or some other thief may molest you."

They came to a tenement, before which the child paused. "This is where I live," she said. "Please, sir," she murmured timidly, "will you go up | to our door with me? There is a would follow it. It should not hide dreadful boy on the floor below us, masklike face-"before the child." and I am afraid he might take my Together they mounted the dark

stairway. On the third floor there was a sudden rush and a whoop; but It was the end of Holy week, and the man soon settled the "dreadful the florists' windows were a glory. boy," who returned to his lair, nurs-Roses, Annunciation lilles, violets, jon- ing a sore head and bursting with wrath. tempted the eyes of all passers by, As the two were mounting the

"Where did you get your flowers?" the voice went on

"A man bought them for me," the child answered-"a kind man, who fetched me home. Come in!" she called, running back to the door, and seizing the jailbird's hand-"come in and see my papa." She pulled him across the threshold. The two men looked at each other.

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The jailbird's first thought was, "You can't kill a dying man," for the man in the room, who sat bolstered up in bed, and who looked at him with startled eyes, was manifestly 111.

"Why, Tom," he stammered. "So you're out? Well, I'm mighty glad. And you found my little girl? She's all I've got, Tom. My money, home, wife, health-all gone. I've only her left."

The Salvation Army girl had stopped scrubbing.' She was still on her knees watching the two men. She had witnessed too many tragedies of the slums not to realize that she was face to face with a crisis. The visitor's silence was ominous. His heavy eyes were fixed intently on his enemy as a vision of all his suffering passed before him.

The sick man put out an imploring hand. "Tom," he pleaded, "I didn't treat you square. And I've had my pay. It was I who ruined you, who sent you up, and I perjured-"

The intensity of her father's speech, the pallor of his face, alarmed the child, who ran to him and throwing her arms about him, cried: "Papa, papa! Don't you look like that!" The jailbird looked at the trembling

little creature clinging to her battered wreck of a father. And as she looked, suddenly the stone was rolled away from the sepulcher of his soul and an angel sat there.

Reaching out his hand he tock bas of the sick man. "It's all right, Bill!" he said huskily. "Don't say another word"-a smile transfigured ais "Glory to God!" cried the Salvation Army girl in an ecstasy. "He's got the victory."

An hour later as he reached the street door Captain Grace was waiting for him. She touched him gently on the arm. "Come down to the varracks with me, brother," she said. "The commander will be glad to see Charles Neville Buck With Illustrations

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drienne Lescott nodded. Her eyes sweetly sympathetic. "It's the hardship of the conditions," said, softly. "Those conditions

change. man had come out onto the ver-

from the inside, and was apsching the table. He was immacly groomed, and came forward th the deference of approaching a e yet as one accustomed to aphing thrones. His smile was that pleased surprise.

the mountaineer recognized Far-, and, with a quick hardening the face, he recalled their last ing. If Farbish should presume menew the acquaintanceship under circumstances, Samson meant rise from his chair, and strike him the face. George Lescott's sister id not be subjected to such meet. Yet, it was a tribute to his adment in good manners that he ded making a scene in her presand, as a warning, he met Fara pleasant smile with a look of ak and studied lack of recognition. circumstances out of which Farmight weave unpleasant gossip not occur to Samson. That they

When Horton had begun his eru- | cer?" demanded the girl, in genuine cast a suspicious eye on all matters called the old man Unc' Spicer. through which he could trace the trail zical and half-malevolent.

After Adrienne and Samson had disa stout, middle-aged gentleman of He's jest puny, thet's all. florid complexion, whose cheviot cutaway and reposeful waistcoat covered a liberal embonpoint. Farbish took thet'll tempt him." his cigar from his lips, and studied its ascending smoke through lids half- at the house of old Spicer South, and closed and thoughtful.

"Singular," he mused; "very singular!

"What's singular?" impatiently demanded his companion. "Finish, or don't start.

"That mountaineer came up here as George Lescott's protege," went on Farbish, reflectively. "He came fresh from the feud belt, and landed promptly in the police court. Now, fire came again to his face. in less than a year, he's pairing off with Adrienne Lescott-who, every one supposed, meant to marry Wilfred kindly, Sally, but don't ye deddle in Horton. This little party tonight is, to put it quite mildly, a bit unconventional."

The stout gentleman said nothing. and the other questioned, musingly: "By the way, Bradburn, has the ye didn't. I didn't mean ter be short-Kenmore Shooting club requested Wilfred Horton's resignation yet?"

"Not yet. We are going to. He's not congenial, since his hand is raised than two dollars." The speaker owned several million times that sum. This atter him." meeting at an out-of-the-way place had been arranged for the purpose of discussing ways and means of curb- fall in the position of a man whose ing Wilfred's crusades.

'Well, don't do it." don't want anarchists in the Ken-

more After awhile, they sat silent, Farbish men who hated and snubbed aim were smilling over the plot he had just de- his own sort, and the men who advised, and the other man puffing with mired him were those whom he would a puzzled expression at his cigar.

"That's all there is to it," summarized Mr. Farbish, succinctly. "If we Powerful enemies had ceased to laugh, can get these two men, South and Horton, together down there at the silenced! How, was a mooted quesshooting lodge, under the proper condi tions, they'll do the rest themselves, I be silenced. Society had not cast think. I'll take care of South. Now, him out, but society had shown him it's up to you to have Horton there in many subtle ways that he was no at the same time.

"How do you know these men have not already met-and amicably?" demanded Mr. Bradburn.

"I happen to know it, quite by chance. It is my business to know things-quite by chance!" . . .

Indian summer came again to forced the postponement of a dinner Misery, flaunting woodland banners of engagement with Miss Lescott, he crimson and scarlet orange, but to begged her over the telephone to ride Sally the season brought only heart- with him the following morning. achy remembrances of last autumn, when Samson had softened his stoi- I'm out and galloping," he laughed, back to her," he said. cism as the haze had softened the hori- "but you pitched me neck and crop zon. He had sent her a few brief let- into this hurly-burly, and I shouldn't -not written, but plainly printed He selected short words-as much like the primer as possible, for no other messages could she read. There were times in plenty when he wished to pour out to her torrents of feeling. meet you at seven at the Plaza enand it was such feeling as would have carried comfort to her lonely little heart. He wished to tell frankly of what a good friend he had made, and how this friendship made him more able to realize that other feelinghis love for Sally. There was in his mind no suspicion-as yet-that these two girls might ever stand in conflict as to the right of way. But the letters he wished to write were not the sort he sared to have read to the girl by the evangelist-doctor or the districtschool teacher, and alone she could have made nothing of them. However, "I love you" are easy words-and those he always included. The Widow Miller had been ailing frank, I like you too well!" for months, and, though the local being "right porely." he knew that the specter of tuberculosis which stalks through these badly lighted and ventilated houses was stretching out its fingers to touch her shrunken chest. This had meant that Sally had to forego the evening hours to study, because of the weariness that followed the day of nursing and household drudgery. Autumn seemed to bring to her mother a slight improvement, and Sally could again sometimes steal away with her slate and book, to sit alone on the big powlder, and

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sade against various abuses, he had anxiety. Every one along Misery of William Farbish, and now, when former spoke slowly, and his brow cor-"I can't jest make out."- Her in-Farbish saw Horton, he eyed him with rugated into something like sullenan enigmatical expression, half-quiz- ness. "He ain't jest to say sick. Thet is, his organs seems all right, but he

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don't 'pear to have no heart fer nothin', appeared, he rejoined his companion, and his victuals don't tempt him none. "I'll go over thar, an' see him," announced the girl "I'll cook a chicken

> The girl spent much time after that her coming seemed to waken him into it?"

a fitful return of spirits. "I reckon, Unc' Spicer," suggested the girl, on one of her first visits, "I'd better send fer Samson. Mebby

hit mout do ye good ter see him." The old man was weakly leaning back on his chair, and his syes were vacantly listless; but, at the suggestion, he straightened, and the ancient

"Don't ye do hit," he exclaimed, almost fiercely. "I knows ye mean hit my business. "I-I didn't 'low ter meddle," fal-

tered the girl. "No, little gal." His voice softened

at once into gentleness. "I knows answered with ye either, but thar's jest one thing I won't low nobody ter do-an' thet's ter send fer Samson. He knows the road home, an', when against every man who owns more he wants ter come, he'll find the door open, but we hain't a-goin' ter send

Wilfred Horton found himself that course lies through rapids, and for the first time in his life his pleasures "Why the devil shouldn't we? We were giving precedence to business." Horton was the most-hated and most-

armired man in New York, but the never meet, and who knew him only through the columns of penny papers and begun to conspire. He must be tion. But, in some fashion, he must longer her favorite. He had taken a

plebeian stand with the masses. Meanwhile, from various sources, Horton had received warnings of actual personal danger. But at these he had laughed, and no hint of them had reached Adrienne's ears.

One evening, when business had matter. He has

"I know you are usually asleep when

though the description is a slander I never thought it would be necessary to say such a thing to you. Wilfred.

but you are talking like a cad." The young man flushed. "I laid myself open to that." he said. slowly, "and I suppose I should have expected it. God knows I hate cads and snobs. Mr. South is simply, as yet, uncivilized. Otherwise, he would hardly take you, unchaperoned, towell, let us say to ultra-bohemian re sorts, where you are seen by such gossip-mongers as William Farbish." "So, that's the specific charge, is

"Yes, that's the specific charge. Mr South may be a man of unusual talent and strength. But-he has done what no other man has done-with you. He has caused club gossip, which may easily be twisted and misconstrued." "Do you fancy that Samson Smith could have taken me to the Wigwam road-house if I had not cared to go with him?"

The man shook his head.

"Certainly not! But the fact that you did care to go with him indicates an influence over you which is new. You have not sought the bohemian and unconventional phases of life with your other friends. There is no price under heaven I would not pay for your regard. None the less, I repeat that, at the present moment, I can see only two definitions for this moun-

taineer. Either he is a bounder, or else he is so densely ignorant and churlish that he is unfit to associate with you."

"I make no apologies for Mr. South." she said, "because none are needed. He is a stranger in New York, who knows nothing, and cares nothing about the conventionalities. If I chose to waive them. I think it was my right and my responsibility."

Horton said nothing, and, in a mo ment Adrienne Lescott's manner changed. She spoke more gently:

"Wilfred, I'm sorry you choose to take this prejudice against the boy. You could have done a great deal to help him. I wanted you to be friends." "Thank you!" His manner was stiff. "I hardly think we'd hit it off together'

"I believe you are jealous!" she announced.

"Of course, I'm jealous," he replied, without evasion. "Possibly, I might have saved time in the first place by avowing my jealousy I hasten now to make amends. I'm green-eyed." She laid her gloved fingers lightly on his bridle hand

"Don't be," she advised; "I'm not in love with him. If I were, it wouldn't

"'A neater, sweeter maiden. "'In a greener, cleaner land.' He's told me all about her.'

Horton shook his head, dubtously "I wish to the good Lord, he'd go

CHAPTER XI.

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"Don't trouble." demurred Lescott. coolly, "I can fix that up, "It would be a pleasure," smilled

the other. "I sincerely wish i could be there at the same time, but I'm afraid 'hat, like you, Lescott, & shall have to give business the right of way. However, when I hear that the flights are beginning, I'll call Mr South up, and pass the news to him. Samson had thought it rather singu lar that he had never met Horton "t the Lescott house, though Adrienne spoke of him almost as of a member of the family However, Samson 1

visits were usually in his intervals De tween relays of work and Horton wis probably at such times in Wall street It did not occur to the mountaineer that the other was intentionally avoiding him. He knew of Wilfred only through Adrienne's eulogistic descriptions, and, from hearsay, liked him. The months of close application to

easel and books had begun to tell on the outdoor man in a softening of muscles and a slight, though noticeable, pallor. The enthusiasm with which he attacked his daily schedule carried him far, and made his progress phenomenal, but he was spending capital of nerve and health, and George Lescott began to fear a break-down for his protege. He liscussed the



"I Will Arrange So That You Will Not Run Up on Wilfred Horton."

matter with Adrienne, and the girl began to promote in the boy an interest in the duck-shooting trip-an interest which had already awakened despite the rifleman's inherent contempt for shotguns.

"I reckon I'd like it, all right," he said, "and I'll bring back some ducks, if I'm lucky."

So, Lescott arranged the outfit, and Samson awaited the news of the coming flights.

That same evening, Farbish dropped into the studio, explaining that he had been buying a picture at Collasso's. and had taken the opportunity to stop card to the Kenmore club. 'He found the ground of interest fallow, and artfully sowed it with well chosen anecdotes calculated to stimulate enthusiasm. On leaving the studio, he paused to sav

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late in the evening, unoned, at a road house whose was socially dubious, was thing he did not realize. But Farwas keenly alive to the possibilof the situation. He chose to true the Kentuckian's blank exon as annovance at being disred, a sentiment he could readily rstand. Adrienne Lescott, followher companion's eyes, looked up. to the boy's astonishment nodded the newcomer, and called him by

"Mr. Farbish," she laughed, with and total innocence the fact that her words might have ing, "don't tell on us."

"I never tell things, my dear lady. the newcomer. "I have dwelt long in conservatories to toss les. I'm afraid, Mr. South, you forgotten me. I'm Farbish, and I the pleasure of meeting you"paused a moment, then with a ed glance added-"at the Manan club, was it not?"

'it was not," said Samson, prompt-Farbish looked his surprise, but resolved to see no offense, and. a few moments of affable and. must be acknowledged, witty contion, withdrew to his own table. "Where did you meet that man?"

aded Samson, flercely, when he if the girl were alone again. "Oh, at any number of dinners and es. His sort is tolerated for some son." She paused, then, tooking

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"Didn't you hear him say the Mantan club?" "Yes, and I knew that he was ly

Yes, he was!" Samson spoke, conously. "Never mind where it It was a place I got out of when nd out who were there." The chauffeur came to announce the car was ready, and they out. Farbish watched them with

mile that had in it a trace of the The career of Farbish had been an sting one in its own peculiar and mirable fashion. With no advan-

of upbringing, he had nevertheso cultivated the niceties of social se that his one flaw was a too perfection. He was letter-per-

where one to the manor born have slurred some detail. He was witty, handsome in his sate way, and had powerful friends the world of fashion and firance. he rendered services to his ratic patrons, other than the e of nis dinner talk, was a thing hinted in club gossip, and

these services were not to his had more than once been con- days.

study. She would not be able to write that Christmas letter. There had been too many interruptions in the self-imparted education, but some day she would write. There would probably be time enough. It would take even Samson a long while to become an artist. One day, as she was walking homeward from her lonely trysting place, she met the battered-looking man who carried medicines in his saddlebags and the Scriptures in his pocket, and who practiced both forms of healing through the hills. The old man drew down his nag, and threw one leg over

the pominel. "Evenin', Sally," he greeted.

"Evenin', Brother Spencer. How air "Tol'able, thank ye, Sally." The

body-and-soul mender studied the girl awhile in silence, and then said bluntly:

'Ye've done broke right smart, in the last year. Anything the matter with ye?"

She shook her head, and laughed. It was an effort to laugh merrily, but the ghost of the old instinctive blitheness rippled into it.

"I've jest come from old Spicer volunteered the doctor. South's,' "He's ailin' pretty consid'able, these

"What's the matter with Uno' Sa

have to lose everything Don't have your horse brought. I want you to try out a new one of mine." "I think," she answered, "that early morning is the best time to ride. I'll trance.'

They had turned the upper end of the reservoir before Horton drew his mount to a walk, and allowed the reins to hang. They had been galloping hard, and conversation aad been impracticable.

"I suppose experience should have taught me," began Horton, slowly, "that the most asinine thing in the world is to try to lecture you, Drennie. But there are times when one must even risk your delight at one's discomfiture."

"I'm not going to tease you this morning," she answered, docilely. "I like the horse too well-and, to be

"Thank you," smiled Horton. "As physician diagnosed the condition as usual, you disarm me on the verge



"Don't You Do Hit."

of combat. I had nerved myself for ridicule."

"What have I done now?" inquired the girl, with an innocence which further disarmed him. "The queen can do no wrong But even the queen, perhaps more par-

ticularly the queen, must give thought to what people are saying." What are people saying?" "The usual unjust things that are

said about women in society. You are being constantly seen with an uncouth freak who is scarcely a gentleman. however much he may be a man. And malicious tongues are wagging." The girl stiffened.

"I won't spar with you. I know

One afternoon, swinging along Fifth avenue in his down-town walk, Samson met Mr Farbish, who fell into step with him, and began to make conversation.

"By the way, South," he suggested after the commonplaces had been disposed of, "you'll pardon my little prevarication the other evening about having met you at the Manhattan club?

"Why was it necessary?" inquired Samson, with a glance of disquieting directness

"Possibly, it was not necessary merely politic. Of course," he laughed. 'every man knows two kinds of women. It's just as well not to discuss the nectarines with the orchids. or the orchids with the nectarines."

Samson made no response. But Farbish, meeting his eyes, felt as though he had been contemptuously rubuked. His own eyes clouded with an impulse of resentment. But it passed, as he remembered that his plans involved the necessity of winning this boy's confidence.

At the steps of a Fifth avenue club. Farbish halted.

"Won't you turn in here," he suggested. "and assuage your thirst?" Samson declined, and walked on. But when, a day or two later, he dropped into the same club with George Lescott, Farbish joined them in the grill-without invitation.

"By the way, Lescott," said the interloper, with an easy assurance upon which the coolness of his reception had no seeming effect. "it won't be long now until ducks are flying south. Will you get off for your customary shooting?" "I'm afraid not." Lescott's voice be-

came more cordial, as a man's will, whose hobby has been touched. "There are several canvases to be finished for approaching exhibitions. I wish I could go. When the first cold winds begin to sweep down, I get the fever The prospects are good, too, I understand."

"The best in years! Protection in the Canadian breeding fields is bearing fruit. Do you shoot ducks, Mr South?" The speaker included Samson as though merely out of deference to his physical presence. Samson shook his head. But he

was listening eagerly. He too, knew that note of the migratory "bonk" from high overhead. 'Samson," said Lescott slowly, as

he caught the gleam in his friend's eyes, "you've been working too hard. You'll have to take a week off, and try your hand. After you've changed your method from rifle to shotgun, you'll bag your share, and you'll come back fitter for work. I must arrange IL."

"As to that," suggested Farbish. in the manner of one regarding the civilities "Mr. South can run down

"I'll let you know when conditions are just right." Then, he added, as though in afterthought: "And I'll arrange so that you won't run up on Wilfred Horton.'

"What's the matter with Wilfred Horton?" demanded Samson, a shade curtly

'Nothing at all," replied Farbish, with entire gravity. "Personally, I like Horton immensely. I simply thought you might find things more congenial when he wasn't among those present."

Samson was puzzled, but he did not fancy hearing from this man's lips criticisms upon friends of his friends. "Well, I reckon," he said, coolly. 'I'd like him, too.'

"I beg your pardon," said the other. "I suppose you knew, or I shouldn't have mentioned the subject. I seem to have said too much."

"See here, Mr. Farbish," Samson spoke quietly, but imperatively; "if you know any reason why I shouldn't meet Mr. Wilfred Horton, I want you to tell me what it is. He is a friend of my friends. You say you've said too much. I reckon you've either said too much, or too little."

Then, very insidiously and artistically, seeming all the while reluctant and apologetic, the visitor proceeded to plant in Samson's mind an exaggerated and untrue picture of Horton's contempt for him and of Horton's resentment at the favor shown him by the Lescotts.

Samson heard him out with a face enigmatically set, and his voice was soft, as he said simply at the end: "I'm obliged to you."

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Swiss Want New National Hymn

Switzerland is seeking a new ne tional hymr. in place of "Rufst du, Mein Vaterland," which is sung to the tune of "My Country Tis of Thee," and "God Save the King." It is said that there is some intention of adopting a patriotic song, beginning "Heil dir, Mein Schweizerland," but whether this is to be sung to the same tune or a new one is to be evolved for it is not yet known.

Too Long to Be Entirely Valla,

Oliver Knox read some published letters in a breach-of-promise suit, and laughed. "This idiot wrote to the girl that he would love her always." he commented. "Now I contend that 'always' is the longest word in the dictionary, and no wise man ever usen

it." "No," retorted his discerning wife, "and no wise woman would believe him if he did."

Didn't Break Her Word.

"Maud married! Why only last June she told me she wouldn't marry the best man that walks the earth.' "That's all right; the man she mar

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