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President of Santa Fe Pretty Home Wedding to Visit Miami

Will be here Dec. 3rd.

Local agent F. S. Barron of the Santa Fe is in receipt of a letter from the officials of the Santa Fe stating that they will make a five minute stop in Miami on Friday Dec. 3rd. at 5:25 p.m.

The party will consist of Pres. Ripley, Mr. Fox, vice Pres. and Mr. Koontz Gen. Mgr. and Mr. Connel, Gen. Psg. Agt.

There will be no speaking, automobile riding or anything of that sort, just an opportunity to get acquainted. They wish to meet all the business men and prominent farmers who can be present when the train arrives. We want to urge all our business men who can take advantage of this opportunity to make the acquaintance of these Santa Fe officials. Their stay in our city will be short, but lets use the few minutes in getting acquainted.

Remember the date and time, Friday, December 3rd. at 5:25 p.m.

A City Style Store

Very few small places have real city style drug stores, and Miami is one of the few. The Central Drug store has been making some great changes lately and put on a strictly up-to-date inside appearance. Mr. Seiber has recently installed full glass cabinet shelving, prescription front and many other fine inside improvements giving the store a splendid appearance. The new fixtures cost a good sum of money but Mr. Seiber is a man that wants the very best and believes in being progressive. No store in the Panhandle looks better now than the Central Drug Store.

Good Returns

We mentioned last week of a land owner receiving \$1100. in rents from a half section of land. This week we have that more than doubled. Ed Thornton who farmed Thos. Thompson's place near town this year and had in wheat, gave Mr. Thompson 1-3 of his crop from a half section of land which brought \$2285.85. This shows the largest returns on land investments we have heard. If anyone can beat it, lets hear from them. The crop on the place totaled \$6,771.70.

Great is a country whose production is like unto this Roberts County farmers this year received great returns for their labors. It is here for others who will come and try.

Sunday evening at Mobeetie occurred a very beautiful home wedding. The contracting parties were Miss Fannie Lee, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lee and Mr. Roy Mathers son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mathers of Miami. Eld. Walter Cook of Miami officiating. The wedding took place at the splendid home of the brides parents, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

The bride wore an extremely pretty dress of white orandie trimmed with shadow lace and satin finish white slippers. She was a very pretty bride and one of Mobeeties most beloved young ladies. Highly accomplished in the art of music, a delightful disposition, exceptional character and a model girl. She was raised and educated in Mobeetie graduating there last year. A girl who made friends of all whom she met and will make a true and loving wife.

The groom is a young man of exceptional business ability and son of one of the pioneer cattlemen of the Panhandle. He is well and favorably known as a promising young man. His wedding trousseau was a conventional black. He was also raised and educated at Mobeetie and the nuptials were the outcome of school day sweethearts.

Immediately after the ceremony a very gorgeous dinner was spread, consisting of everything good that an appetite could crave. Only immediate relatives witnessed the ceremony which were Mr. and Mrs. Lee and daughter, Beulah, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mathers and children and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Durham.

The happy young couple will make their home on the Casenia farm which is a part of the big Mathers ranch near Mobeetie. Their many friends join in wishing them all the good that is best and as little of the bad as one can receive through life.

—Contributed.

Another New Home

Frank Pursley informs us that he recently purchased lots from Clarence Locke in Coffeeville and will begin the erection of a new residence next week. New dwellings have been numerous this fall, as well as business houses. Miami still grows in population, business and good morals. Come to Miami if you would live in a good clean school town.

WARNING: All parties are forbidden to dump dead animals in my pasture.

J. R. Webster.

FIX FOR WINTER

Fix for the cold sleety winds of winter. But you might as well have your garment stylish as well as warm. Fix at our store and know two things, that you have the right style and the right price.

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Is the time and our store is the place to buy your Christmas dry goods. Dont wait until the holiday rush is on, but come in and make your selection now while you have the time to examine the quality of the goods. You get the best qualities in everytning in our store.

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TEXAS

Over The Plains

Mr. Roy Baldwin of Lockney died at his home there last week. He was a very pronounced man of that vicinity.

The Mrs. C. D. Fowler home of Lockney was burned to the ground last week.

The Canyon Normal foot ball team was defeated at Clarendon by the College team by a score of 15 to 3 last Saturday. This puts the college on the equal with a game each.

The Normal building at Clarendon is now in the hands of a big crowd of brick masons who are doing the brick work, and rapid progress is reported.

The Denver depot at Clarendon is now being remodeled and enlarged.

The Canadian Chamber of Commerce is now at work to get a sewerage system in their city. They have already appointed a committee to investigate the cost, get an engineer, etc.

The bridge contract is at last for the Canadian bridge and the bonds sold with the money in possession of one of the local banks.

Canadian will have the first number of their local Lyceum course the 17th of Dec. They also have a company with them at an earlier date.

Glazier has a new doctor with them who has come to stay, Dr. Beam of Arnette, Okla.

The John Pundt home in Glazier was burned with a total loss there last week.

Frank Kell of Wichita Falls is now figuring on building a railroad from Cheyenne, Okla. to Ochiltree and thence to Kansas. The people of that country are very much enthused over it.

The Southland Artists that were with us last week played at Ochiltree Monday night.

Claude, Armstrong county are preparing for their annual school fair. This fair includes agriculture, fruits, etc. raised by students as well as school work.

Married

At Meade, Kansas, November 6, 1915, by Rev. C. J. Spiers, Miss Carrie Belt and Mr. J. M. Warner, both of Plains Kansas.

The bride is well and favorably known here and is a very accomplished young lady. She was employed as teacher in the Aramentrout School last year and is teaching there at the present time—Plains, Kans. Jour'l. Miss Belt has many friends in Miami who wish her married life to be one of pleasure.

Married Saturday

A wedding occurred in our city Saturday when Mr. Cassie Ferguson came to town with Miss Prudy Hanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hanks, who live in Wheeler County. They proceeded directly to the Court house where license were procured and Justice Fletcher invited them into the Commissioners court room where they were married.

The Rock Island Passenger train was wrecked near Shamrock last week. Everything leaving the track but the engine and the pullman. No one was seriously hurt.

Green Lake Items

Claude Lard is out to Erve Blacks this week.

W. E. Davis and wife were out to their place Sunday.

Mrs. Brown spent Sunday at the Travis Ivy home.

W. B. Kitchen was in Pampa Tuesday on business.

E M McCracken is doing some road work near Pampa this week.

Mrs. W. B. Kitchen spent last Tuesday at Joe Kitchen's.

Mesdames Christopher and Hoskins went to Miami Friday.

Tom Pursley went to Miami Saturday.

Lucus Broaddus and wife went to Miami Saturday.

Homer and Windom Allen went to Miami Saturday.

Mrs. Pursley visited in Miami a few days last week.

One of the Hay Hook boys got a finger cut off in a windmill last week.

J. E. Seitz and wife returned from their trip to Okla. last week and report a good time.

W. D. Christopher gave a party Saturday night. Quite a crowd attended.

Come in and hear sweet music at Cooks Store.

Building Progress

Building in Miami continues as fast as workmen can do it. The brick work on the Locke garage will be complete today. Wednesday, and the workmen transferred to the Chisum garage, which they will likely complete this week. The second story of the Odd Fellows hall has been completed to the ceiling joist and the fronts are going in on the two buildings. We reported last week that brick work on the Baptist Church was done however the towers are to be built. The Christopher building has the top on it and is ready to lathe and plaster. Mr. Christopher expects to have the upper story complete by Dec. 1.



You never heard of a burglar robbing an empty house. No man even though he be of a criminal instinct, jeopardises his life and liberty in attempt to rob where there is no chance to gain.

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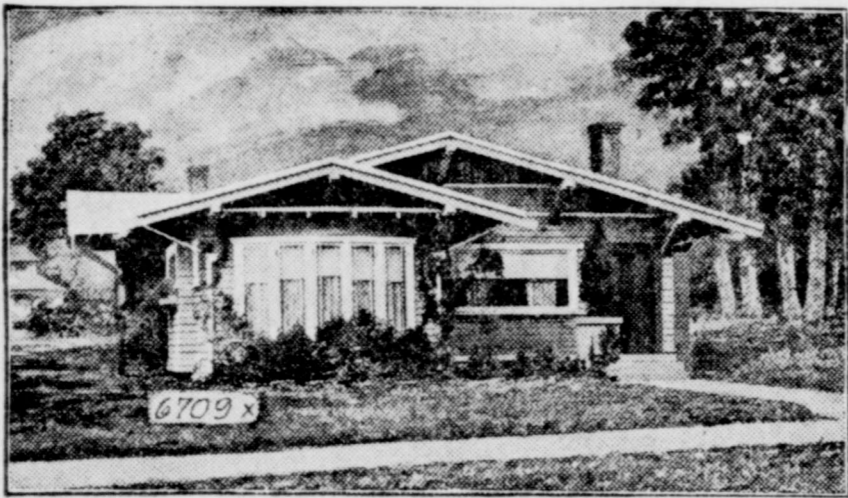
Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1327 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose two-cent stamp for reply.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.
Real bungalow architecture is gaining in popularity. Habitations of this character are typical of California, because that is the section of the United States where artistic bungalows were first built.

The bungalow idea is supposed to have originated in Africa and to have been adopted in most other warm countries.

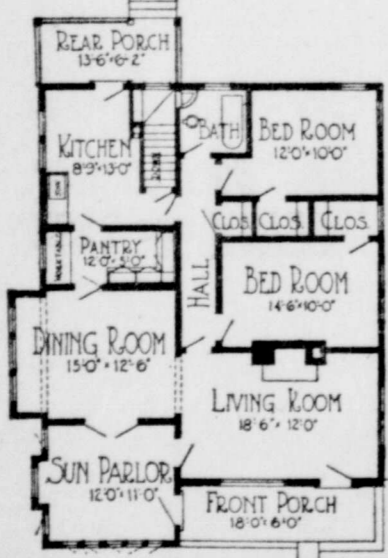
The prevailing characteristics of all bungalows is the low general appearance and the wide-spreading roof. The roof overhang on some bungalows is as much as six or eight feet, to protect the sides of the house from the hot sun. In a great many sections of the arid west the sun shines very hot in the daytime, but the air is so dry that it is always cool in the shade. If a house is shaded it is cool on the western slope, even on hot days. Eastern atmosphere contains a great deal more moisture and is much colder in winter, so that eastern bungalows are built a little different.

In the first place, a bungalow in



the East requires a good, warm cellar, and the roof should be made double to keep out the cold in winter and to prevent the humid heat from striking through in the summer. It is a puzzle always in building a bungalow in the East how to retain the low California bungalow effect and still adapt the house to climatic conditions in a more humid summer climate and a much colder winter.

The illustration shows how the trick may be done. While this bungalow has a splendid cellar, you would not know it from the photograph. The cellar walls are built up to the surface of the ground, and the floor joists are raised two or three feet above the sill. The joists rest on a 2 by 6, which is gained into the studding. The joists are also spiked to the studding, which ties the plank framework to



gether. If there are any cellar windows in front, they do not show from the street. Bungalow cellars may be lighted sufficiently at the back. A lot is chosen that slopes back from the street, or, if the lot is level, the front is filled in to give the proper effect. The planting of shrubs and flowers helps out in this respect.

The beauty of this bungalow may be traced to the symmetrical proportions, artistic lines and to the roof brackets and the overhang. The design is splendidly embellished by the manner in which the windows are arranged. The tall, narrow casement windows in the sun parlor are contrasted with the wide, low window looking across the front porch and the high, square window at the side. It is not absolutely necessary to make every window in a house to look ex-

actly the same as every other window. A more artistic effect may be secured by a judicious variation.

Another mark of beauty in this plan is the wide and deep cornice and the way it is supported by heavy brackets.

A roof as wide as this, with so little incline, is better made of roll roofing, with the joints carefully cemented with plenty of asphalt pitch. The chimneys require a little extra attention to prevent the water from leaking in. It is possible and practical to make a roof like this rainproof and satisfactory, but it requires good quality of material and good workmanship to do it. Such a roof should be laid on smooth, even, well-supported, matched roofboards, covered with building paper, to make the best foundation. Then if the roofing itself is good quality, properly put on, the job will last a long time.

The size of this bungalow is 32 by 44 feet on the ground, exclusive of the rear porch. This gives floor space sufficient for five rooms and a good-sized sun parlor, which makes a splendid annex in connection with the living room. And it is a good-sized sun parlor, being 12 by 11 feet; and light because two sides are mostly inclosed with glass.

The sun parlor and the open porch are supposed to look to the southeast to get the morning and forenoon sun, and where it is shaded from the sun in the afternoon. The front porch has the same advantage. Because of the wide roof overhang it is not necessary to build a separate roof to cover this porch.

A study of the plan shows a very neat connection between the living room, sun parlor and front porch by means of three doorways. The corner entrance steps are built at the end of the porch to leave a space of about 10 feet 6 inches free for the proper placing of porch furniture without interfering with the free passage in or out of the front door. Such little things mean a good deal in the real comfort of a home.

The floor plan shows the two bedrooms and the bathroom on the north side of the house to make room for the living rooms facing the noontday sun. Placing the living rooms on one side of the hallway, and the bedrooms on the other side, makes a satisfactory arrangement.

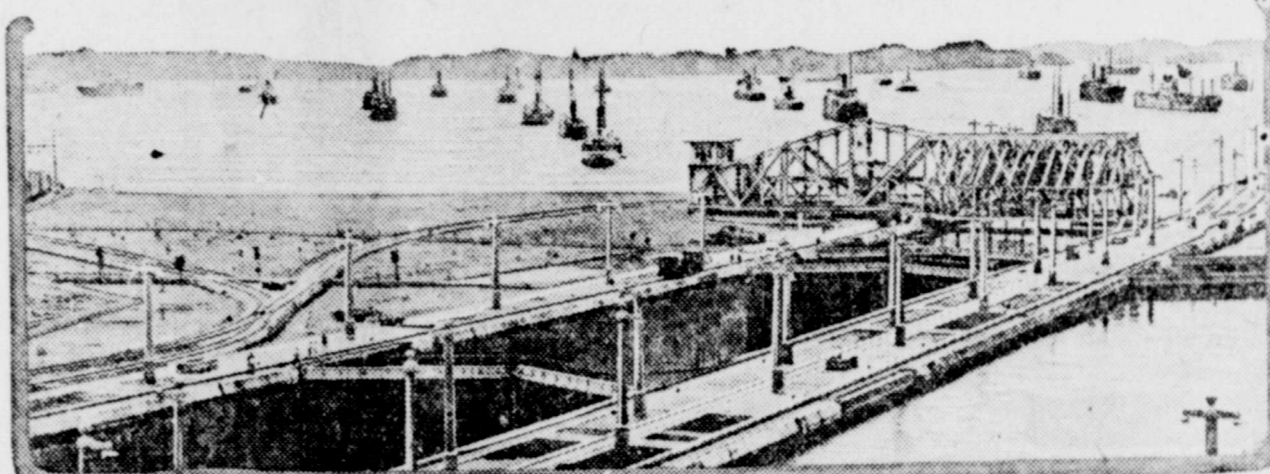
It will be noticed that all of the

BRITISH NURSES ON SERVICE IN SERBIA



These are nurses of the First British field hospital for Serbia, photographed outside Saloniki, Greece, and accompanied by two Greek officers.

MERCHANT FLEET HELD UP BY CANAL SLIDE



This photograph shows the fleet of merchant vessels held in Gatun lake by the recent slide in the Culebra cut of the Panama canal. Governor Goethals hopes the canal will be opened by January 1.

COLOMBIAN INVENTS NOVEL GLIDER



One of the queerest objects to be dubbed a boat is the Yolanda II, a low-lying, rakish craft, which promises to bring about as important a change in inland water traffic as Robert Fulton's Clamshell did in 1807, when she made her way up the Hudson river without sails. The boat, which is a development of the hydroplane idea, is the invention of Gonzalo Mejia (shown above), a Colombian banker, who has the contract to carry mails for the Colombian government up the Magdalena river, Colombia. When not in motion, the Yolanda II draws five inches of water, but as soon as the big retractors whir the boat glides over the surface with an inch or less of draught, at a maximum speed of 50 miles an hour.

ARMLESS, BUT A JUDGE



David Moylan, councilman, attorney and municipal judge elect of Cleveland, O., was a railroad switchman 18 years ago. An accident deprived him of his right arm. Moylan is no man to be easily discouraged and it wasn't long before he was back at the same old stand. Seven years later another accident cost him his left arm. It was then that Moylan turned his attention to law and worked with all his might and brain until he mastered the subject. At the law examination he answered the questions with pen between his teeth. He practiced a while as a lawyer, and four years ago was elected to the city council. He is a good and was returned two years ago by one of the biggest votes. In the recent election he ran for municipal judge and was elected by a good plurality. The photograph shows how Judge Moylan will sign his decisions.

FRENCH INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION



Five members of the French industrial and commercial commission now in America to arrange for the purchase of at least \$150,000,000 worth of iron, steel and other industrial supplies for delivery after the war. Sitting are E. Delasalle-Thiriez, Maurice Damour, head of the commission, and Jacques Lesueur; standing, L. Trincane and M. Chaffour.

Doped Horses.
"What's the matter with him?"
"He's doped, that's all."
That's all! But first he is kicked and beaten and cuffed and clubbed and cursed and starved. He has stood for hours under a blazing, scorching sun or driving, blinding sleet. He has jogged wearily along in a drenching rain. He has faithfully hauled a load too heavy for him in the face of a raw, piercing wind—and has gone without many a meal. But when he has cut grown his usefulness, or has sickened from neglect, though he may have given years of loyal service, he is not cared for or decently shot, but he is doped for sale.
His master gives him a dose of gin and whisky mixed with an opiate. This liven him up a bit and so increases the chance of making an extra dollar.
This practice is being closely watched by the only friend in authority dumb beasts have, the Humane society. It is a practice resorted to by people of profound ignorance and poverty, and others with natures deliberately cruel.—Exchange.

ALLIES WILL FORCE GREECE

KING CONSTANTINE WILL LET THEM ROMP OVER HIS DOMAIN.

WILL THIS SAVE HIS FACE

They Put it Up to Him Straight—Balk an Situation Likely to Clarify Soon With the Entente Allies in Much Better Shape.

London, Nov. 23.—No definite news has been received here of Greece's reply to the entente allies' demands for guarantees for the safety of the Anglo-French forces landed at Saloniki or for that of the Serbians who might be forced over the Greek frontier. One dispatch from Athens, however, says the Greek cabinet is disposed to accept the conditions laid down by the entente powers, except that condition requiring Greece to participate in the war and that a solution of the whole difficulty may be expected immediately.

Meanwhile the blockade of Greek commerce has begun and Italy, it is reported, is participating in the measures of restraint decided upon. This, with the news that the Serbians have won a victory over the Bulgarians northeast of Pristina, that the Bulgarians have delayed their march on Monastir and that the Austro-Germans are laboring under difficulties as a result of the wintry weather, has created a more hopeful feeling in the capitals of the entente allies. The British and French forces daily are being strengthened by men and guns landed at Saloniki and part of the reinforcements is being sent to Monastir, where the Serbians also are reported to be concentrating and threatening the Bulgarians at Priplep.

Roumania finds herself in much the same position as Greece, with both the entente allies and the central powers bringing pressure to bear on her. The Germans, it is said, are asking Roumania to give assurances of her continued neutrality and also are offering her concessions if she intervenes in the war on the side of the Teutonic allies. With a big Russian army at Bessarabia, however, it is believed in military circles here, hardly likely that Roumania will accept the second alternative. On the whole it is expected here that the firm attitude of the entente powers toward Greece will clear the Balkan situation before very long. There is little news of importance from any of the other fronts. The Italians, by their continued offensive, are strengthening their positions around Gorizia, which, it is believed, cannot hold out much longer. On the western front the British and French artillery has become more active in Flanders and Champagne, which on previous occasions has been the signal for offensive movements. The Russians since they regained the ground they lost on the river Styr have been inactive, except for minor attacks in the Dvinsk region. The Petrograd correspondents, however, predict that more important events are impending.
Another flotilla of British submarines is reported to have arrived in the Baltic.

18 LIVES ARE LOST IN WRECK

Columbus, Ga., Nov. 23.—The bodies of six persons had been recovered tonight, twelve others were missing and more than thirty injured as a result of a head-on collision six miles west of here late today, between Central of Georgia passenger train No. 2 and a special train of 28 cars carrying the Con P. Kennedy Carnival Company. It was feared that the bodies of some of the missing might be under the overturned cars of the show train.

Twelve of the carnival company's cars were reported destroyed by fire and others still were burning tonight. Two of the cars containing trained animals were said to have been destroyed, killing many of the animals. The known dead and injured except for trainmen, were confined to persons traveling with the carnival company. It was said no one except the trainmen was injured on the passenger train, which suffered little damage to its heavy coaches.

Two Wings of Methodists Merge.

St. Louis, Nov. 23.—The St. Louis Ministerial Associations of the M. E. church and of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, merged here today and henceforth the forward work of the two churches in St. Louis will be conducted as though by one organization. Sixty congregations were represented at the meeting.

DANIELS DISAPPROVES THE COURT'S FINDINGS

Court Martial's Acquittal of Rear Admiral Little Riles the Secretary.
Washington, Nov. 23.—Secretary Daniels today disapproved the findings of the general court martial which acquitted Rear Admiral William N. Little, retired, of charges of negligence in connection with his duty as inspector during the construction of the submarine K-2. No new trial, however, will be ordered.

THE BATTLE-CRY

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SYNOPSIS.

Juanita Holland, a Philadelphia young woman of wealth, on her journey with her guide, Good Anse Talbott, into the heart of the mountain children, faints at the door of Fletch McNash's cabin. While resting there she overhears a talk between Bad Anse Havey, chief of his clan, and one of his henchmen that acquaints her with the Havey-McBriar feud. Bad Anse has an unprofitable talk with Bad Anse and they become antagonists. Cal Douglas of the Havey clan is on trial in court for the murder of Noah Wyatt, a McBriar. In the night Juanita hears the feudists ride past the McNash cabin. Juanita and Dawn McNash become friends. Cal Douglas is acquitted. Nash Wyatt attempts to kill him but is himself killed by the Haveys. Juanita goes to live with the Widow Everson, whose boys are outside the feud. Milt McBriar, leader of his clan, meets Bad Anse there and disclaims responsibility for Wyatt's death. When the two girls had gone together into the cabin Dawn stood with a face that blanched as she began to realize what it all meant, then slowly she stiffened and her hands, too, clenched and her eyes kindled.

and stalked away, even before the coming of the note she knew what would happen, and what would happen not only in this instance, but in others like it. This would not be just losing Dawn, but as that was, it would be paralysis and death to the school; it would mean the leaving of every Havey boy and girl.
So she stood there, and afterward said quietly: "Milt, I guess you'd better go," and Milt had gone gravely and unquestioningly, but with that in his eye which did not argue brightly for restoration of peace between his house and that of his enemy.
When the two girls had gone together into the cabin Dawn stood with a face that blanched as she began to realize what it all meant, then slowly she stiffened and her hands, too, clenched and her eyes kindled.
She came across to the chair into which the older girl had dropped listlessly and, falling to her knees, seized both Juanita's hands. She seized them tightly and fiercely, and her eyes were blazing and her voice broke from her lips in a hurried exclamation:
"I ain't a goin' ter leave ye!" cried Dawn. "I ain't a goin' ter do it."
No word had been spoken of her leaving but in this life she both knew that certain things bring certain results, and they were expecting a note from Bad Anse.
"I hope not, dear," said Juanita, but without conviction.
Then the mountain girl sprang up and became transformed. With her rigid figure and blazing eyes she seemed a torch burning with all the pent-up heritage of her past.
"I tells ye I ain't a goin' ter leave ye!" she protested, and her utterance swelled to fiery determination. "Es fer Milt McBriar, I wouldn't spit on him. I hates him. I hates his murderin' breed. I hates 'em like—she paused a moment, then finished tumultuously—"like all hell. I reckon I'm es good a Havey as Jeb. I ain't seen Jeb do nothin' yet."
Again she paused, panting with passionate rage, then swept on while Juanita looked at her sudden metamorphosis into a fury and shuddered.
"When I wasn't nothin' but a baby I fetched victuals ter my kinfolks a hidin' out from revenuers. I passed right through men that war a-trailin' 'em. I've done served my kinfolks afore, an' I'd do hit agin, but I reckon I ain't a goin' ter let 'em take me away from ye."
Juanita could think of only one step to take, so she sent Jerry Everson for Brother Talbott, whom she had seen riding toward the shack hamlet in the valley.
"Thar ain't but one thing that ye kin do," said Good Anse slowly when he and Juanita sat alone over the problem with the note of Havey command lying between them. "An' I ain't no ways certain that hit'll come ter

CHAPTER XII—Continued.

Dawn turned away and went stalking along the woodland path without a backward glance, and Milt followed at her heels, with Juanita, much amused, bringing up the rear. The easterner thought that these two young folks made a splendid pair, specimens of the best of the mountains, as yet unbroken by heavy harness. Then, as the younger girl passed under a swinging rope of wild grapevine, stooping low, a tendril caught in her hair.
Without a word Young Milt bent forward and was freeing it, tingling through his pulses as his fingers touched the heavy black mass, but as soon as she was loose the girl sprang away and wheeled, her eyes blazing.
"How dast ye teeb me?" she demanded, panting with wrath. "How dast ye?"
The boy laughed easily. "I dast do anything I wants," he told her.
For a moment they stood looking at each other, then the girl dropped her eyes, but the anger had died out of them and Juanita saw that, despite her condescending air, she was not displeased.
Juanita, of course, knew nothing of Jeb's suspicions that had led him into the laurel, but even without that information, when Young Milt met them more often than could be attributed to chance on their walks and fell into the habit of strolling back with them, strong forebodings began to trouble her.
And one morning these forebodings were verified in crisis form, while the youthful McBriar lounged near the porch of Juanita's cabin talking with Dawn, another shadow fell across the sunlight: the shadow of Jeb McNash. He had come silently, and it was only as Young Milt, whose back had been turned, shifted his position, that the two boys recognized each other.
Juanita saw the start with which Jeb's figure stiffened and grew taut. She saw his hands clutch themselves and his face turn white as chalk, saw his chest rise and fall under heavy breathing that hissed through clenched teeth, and her own heart pounded with wild anxiety.
But Milt McBriar's face showed nothing. His father's masklike calmness of feature had come down to him, and as he read the meaning of the other boy's attitude he merely nodded and said casually: "Howdy, Jeb."
Jeb did not answer. He could not answer. He was training and punishing every fiber cruelly simply in standing where he was and keeping his hands at his sides. For a time he remained stiff and white, breathing spasmodically; then, without a word, he turned and stalked away.
That moon a horseman brought a note across the ridge, and as Juanita Holland read it she felt that all her dreams were crumbling—that the soul of them was paralyzed.
It was a brief note, written in a copybook hand, and it ran:
"I'll have to ask you to send the McNash children over to my house. Jeb doesn't want them to be consorting with the McBriars, and I can't blame him. He is the head of his family.
Respectfully,
ANSE HAVEY.
A stronger thing to Juanita Holland than the personal disappointment which had driven her to this work was now her eager, fiery interest in the undertaking itself. In these months she had disabused herself of many prejudices. There remained that lingering one against the man with whom she had not made friends.
The thing she had set out to do was a hundredfold more vital now than it had been when it stood for carrying out a dead grandfather's wish. She had been with these people in childhood and death, in sickness and want, she had seen summer go from its tender beginning to a vagabond end with its tattered banners of ripened corn; autumn had blazed and flared into high carnival.
As young Jeb had turned on his heel

hain't niver dared ter cross him afore."
"No," she cried bitterly, "he will welcome the chance to humiliate and to refuse my plea. He has been waiting for this: to see me come to him a suppliant on bended knee, and then to laugh at me and turn me away." She paused and added brokenly: "And yet I've got to go to him in surrender—to be refused—but I'll go."
"Listen," said the preacher, and his words carried that soft quality of pacification which she had once or twice heard before. "Thar's a heap worse fellers than Bad Anse Havey. He could jest hev seed yore way ter treat him a litle different."
"How could I?" demanded Juanita hotly. "How could I be friends with a murderer and keep my self-respect?"
The brown-faced man looked up at her and spoke simply.
"I've done kept mine," he said.
The girl rose.
"Will you go with me?" she asked a little weakly. "I don't feel quite strong enough to go over there alone. While they are humbling me I would like to have a friend at hand. I think it would help a litle."
"I'm ready now," and so, with the man who had guided her on other missions, she set out to make what terms she could with the enemy she had so stubbornly defied.
It seemed an interminable journey, though they took the short cut of the foot-trail over the hills.
The house that had come down to Anse Havey had been built almost a century before. It was originally placed in a section so large that elsewhere it would have been a domain—a tract held under the original Virginia grant. Since those days much of it had been parceled out as marriage portions to younger generations.
Cabins that had once housed slaves, barns, a smoke-house, an icehouse, and a small hamlet of dependent shacks clustered about a clearing which had been put there rather to avoid surprise than to give space for gardening. The Havey of two generations ago had been something of a hermit scholar, and in his son had lurked a diminishing craze for books and an increasing passion for leadership.
The feud had blazed to its fiercest heat in his day, and the father of Bad Anse Havey had been the first Bad Anse. His son had succeeded to the title as a right of heritage, and had been trained to wear it like a fighting man. Though he might be a whelp of the wolf breed, the boy was a strong whelp and one in whom slept latent possibilities and anomalous qualities for in him broke out afresh the love of books.
It might have surprised his newspaper biographers to know how deeply he had conned the few volumes on the rotting shelves of the brick house, or how deeply he had thought along some lines. It might have amazed them had they heard the fire and romance with which he quoted the wise counsel of the foolish Polonius: "Beware of entering a quarrel, but being in, so bear thee that the opposer may beware of thee."
As to entering a quarrel, it sufficed his logic that he had been born into it; that he had "helred" his parents.
And because in these parts his father had held almost dictatorial powers, it had pleased him to send his son, just come to his majority, down to the state capital as a member of the legislature, and the son had gone to sit for a while among lawmakers.

CHAPTER XIII.



In other years Bad Anse Havey remembered the days in that house when the voices of women and children had been raised in song and laughter. Then the family had gathered in the long winter evenings before the roaring backlogs, and spinning wheel and quilting frame had not yet gone to the cobwebs of the cockloft. But that was long ago.
The quarter-century over which his memory traveled had brought changes even to the hills. The impalpable ghost of decay moves slowly, with no sound save the occasional click of a sagging door here and the snap of a cord there, but in twenty-five years it moves—and an lubred generation comes to impaired manhood. Since Bad Anse himself had returned from Frankfort his house had been tenanted only by men, and an atmosphere of grimness hung in its shadows. A half-dozen unkempt and loutish kinsmen dwelt there with him, tilling the ground and ready to bear arms. More than once they had been needed.
It was to this place that Juanita Holland and the preacher were making their way on that October afternoon.
At the gate they encountered a solitary figure gazing stolidly out to the front, and when their coming roused it out of its gloomy reverie it turned and presented the scowling face of Jeb McNash.
"Where air they?" he demanded wrathfully, wheeling upon the two arrivals, and then he repeated violently: "By heaven, where air they? Why hain't ye done fetched Dawn and Jesse?"
"Jeb," said the missionary quietly, "we done come over hyar fust ter hev speech with Anse Havey. War's he at?"
"I reckon he's in his house, but ye hain't answered my question. I'm ther one for ye ter talk ter fust. Hit's my sister yere done been sufferin' from consorting with murderers, an' hit's me yere got ter reckon with."
Brother Talbott only nodded. "Son," he gently assured him, "we aims ter talk with you, too, but I reckon ye hain't got no call ter hinder us from havin' speech with Anse first."
For a moment Jeb stood dubious, then he jerked his head toward the house.

"Will You Go With Me?" She Asked a Little Weakly.
nothin'. Yere got ter go over thar an' have speech with Anse."
Juanita drew back with a start of distaste and repulsion. Yet she had known this all along.
"Ye see," she heard the missionary saying, "thar's jest one way Anse kin handle Jeb, an' nobody else kaint handle him at all. He thinks he's right. I reckon of ye kin persuade him. I reckon with him ye'll hev ter promise that Young Milt hain't a goin' ter hang round hyar."
"I'd promise almost anything. I can't give them up—I can't—I can't!"
"Ef Anse didn't perfect little Dawn in the McBriars, Jeb would, ter a God's certainty, kill Young Milt," went on the preacher, and the girl nodded miserably.
"I don't low ter blame ye none," he said slowly, almost apologetically, "but said slowly, almost apologetically, 'but I've got to say hit. Hit's a pity ye've seen fit ter say so many bitter things ter Anse. Mountain folks air mighty easy hurt in their pride, an' no one

"Go on in thar, ef ye sees fit. I hain't got no license ter stop ye," he said curtly; "but don't aim ter leave 'bout seein' me, too."
Several shaggy retainers were lounging on the front porch, but as Good Anse Talbott and Juanita turned in at the gate these henchmen disappeared inside. They would all be there to witness her humbling, thought the girl. It would please him to receive her with his jackal pack yelping derisively about him.
Then she saw another figure emerge from the dark door to stand at the threshold, and the flush in her cheeks grew deeper. Bad Anse Havey stood and waited, and when they reached the steps of the porch he came slowly forward and said gravely, "Come inside." He led the way, and they followed in silence.
Juanita found herself in the largest room she had yet seen in the mountains—a room dark at its corners despite a shaft of sun that slanted through a window and fell on a heavy table in a single band of light. On the table lay a litter of pipes, loose tobacco, cartridges and several books. Down the stripe of sunlight the dust-motes floated in pulverized gold, and the radiance fell upon a book which lay open, throwing it into relief, so that as the girl stood uncertainly near the table she read at the top of a page the caption, "Plutarch's Lives."
But she caught her breath in relief, for the retainers had disappeared.
Bad Anse stood just at the edge of the sunshaft, with one side of his face lighted and the other dark.
But it to the girl the whole picture was one of somber composition and color. It presented a different aspect to Bad Anse himself as the young mountaineer stood facing the door.
"We've done come ter hev speech with ye, Anse," Talbott began. "I reckon ye know what hit's about."
The Havey leader only nodded, and his steady eyes and straight mouth-line did not alter their sternness of expression.
He saw the stifled little gasp with which the girl read the ultimatum of his set face and the sudden mist of tears which, in spite of herself, blurred her eyes. He pushed forward a chair and gravely inquired: "Hain't ye better set down, ma'am?"
She shook her head and raised one hand, which trembled a little, to brush the hair out of her eyes.
Paipably she was trying to speak, and could not for the moment command her voice. But at last she got herself under control, and her words came slowly and carefully.
"Mr. Havey, I have very little reason to expect consideration from you. Even now, if it were a question of pleading for myself, I would die first, but it isn't that." She paused and shook her head. "You told me that I must fall unless I came to you. Well, I've come—I've come to humiliate myself. I guess I've come to surrender."
His face did not change and he did not answer. Evidently, thought the girl bitterly, she had not sufficiently abased herself. After a moment she went on in a very tired, yet a very eager voice.
"You are a man of action, Mr. Havey. I make my appeal to your manhood. I suppose you've never had a dream that has come to mean everything to you—but that's the sort of dream I've had. That little girl, Dawn, wants a chance. Her little brother wants a chance. I've humbled myself to come and plead for them. If you take them away from me you will smash my school. I don't underestimate your power now. Children are just beginning to come to me, and if you order these to leave, the others will leave, too, and they won't come back. It will kill my school. If that's your purpose, I guess it's no use even to plead. I know you can do it—and yet you told me you weren't making war on me."
"I reckon," interrupted Brother Talbott slowly, "ye needn't have no fear of that, ma'am. Anse wouldn't do that."
"But if you aren't doing that," went on Juanita, "I want to make my plea just for the sake of these children of your own people. I'm ready to accept your terms. I'm ready to abase and humble my own pride, only, for God's sake, give them a chance to grow clean and straight and break the shackles of illiteracy."
She waited for the man to reply, but he neither spoke nor changed expression, so with an effort she went on unconsciously bending a little forward in her eagerness.
"If you could see the way Dawn has unfolded like a flower, the thirsty intelligence with which she has drunk up what I have taught her; the way it has opened new worlds to her; I don't think you could be willing to plunge her back into drudgery and ignorance. She is a woman, or soon will be, Mr. Havey. You don't need women in your feuds."
Again came the cautioning voice of the preacher in his effort to keep her away from antagonizing lines.
"They hain't been called away fer no reason like that, ma'am" But Juanita continued, ignoring the warning:
"The other boy is too young for you to use yet. Let him at least choose for himself. Let him reach the age when he shall have enough knowledge of both sides to make his own choice fairly. I'm not asking odds. You have Jeb, and he wears your trademark in his face. The bitterness that lurks there shows that he is wholly your vassal; yours and the feud's. Doesn't that satisfy you? Won't you let the others stay with me?"
She broke off with a gasp. Anse Havey's face stiffened.
Even now he did not speak to her, but turned toward the missionary.
"Brother Talbott," he said slowly, "would ye mind waitin' out there on

the porch a little spell? I'd like to talk with this lady by herself."
When he had gone there was a short silence, which Havey finally broke with a question:
"Why didn't ye say all these things to Jeb? I sent the letter on his say-so."
"But you sent it—and all the Havey power is in your hands. Jeb wouldn't understand such a plea. I come to the fountainhead. My school is not a Havey school nor a McBriar school. It is meant to open its doors to both sides of the ridge, regardless of factions."
"Did young Milt come there ter git education?" I thought he went to college down below." The question carried an undertone of irony.
Juanita shook her head.
"No," she answered. "He came there as any other passer-by might have come, and he hasn't come often. Let me keep the children and he shant come again."
For a time Bad Anse stood there regarding her with a steady and pierc-

CHAPTER XIV.

"It's only lonesome people." Anse Havey went on, "that knows how to love an' dream. I've stood up there on the ridge with Julius Caesar and Alexander the Great, an' it seemed to me that I could see 'em as plain as I see you now. I could see the sun shinin' on the eagles of the legion an' the shields of the phalanx. I'm rich enough, I reckon, to live amongst other men that read books, but a dream keeps me here. The dream is that some day these here mountains shall come into their own. These people have got it in 'em ter be a great people, an' I've stayed here because I aimed to try an' help 'em."
"But," she faintly expostulated, "you seem to stand for the very things that hold them back. You speak almost reverently of their killing instinct and you oppose schools."
The man shook his head gravely and continued:
"I'm a feudist because my people are feudists an' because I can lead 'em only so long as I'm a fightin' Havey. God knows, if I could wipe out this

blood-spillin' I'd gladly go out an' offer myself as a sacrifice to bring it about. You call me an outlaw—well, I've done made laws an' I've done broke them, an' I've seen just about as much crookedness an' lawlessness at one end of the game as at the other."
"But schools?" demanded Juanita. "Why wouldn't they help your dream toward fulfillment?"
"I ain't against no school that can begin at the right end. I'm against every school that can only unsettle an' teach dissatisfaction with humble livin' where folks has got to live humble."
He paused and paced the room. He was no longer the man who had seemed the immovable stoic. His eyes were far away, looking beyond the horizon into the future.
"It's took your people two centuries to get where they're standin' today," he broke out abruptly, "an' fer them two hundred years we've been standin' still or goin' back. Now ye come down here an' seeks to jerk my people up to where ye stands in the blinkin' of an eye. Ye comes lookin' down on 'em an' pityin' 'em because they won't eat outen your hand. They'd rather be eagles than song-birds in a cage, even if eagles are wild an' lawless. Ye comes here an' straightaway tells 'em that their leaders are infamous. Do ye offer 'em better leaders? Ye refuses the aid of men that know 'em—men of their blood—an' go your own ignorant way. Do ye see any reason why I should contance ye? Don't ye see ye're just a scatterin' my sheep before they knows how to herd themselves?"
"I'm afraid," said the girl very slowly and humbly, "that I've been a fool."
"Ye says the boy Jeb wears my trademark in the hate that's on his face," continued Anse Havey passionately. "He's been here with me consortin' with them fellers in Plutarch and Shakespeare. If I can curb him an' keep him out of mischief he's goin' down to Frankfort some day an' learn his lessons in the legislature. He ain't goin' to no college, because I aims to fit him for his work right here. I seek to have fellers like him guide these folks forward. I don't aim to have them civilized by bein' wipped out an' trod to death."
He paused, and Juanita Holland repeated helplessly, "I've been a fool!"
"I reckon ye don't know that young Jeb McNash thinks little Milt kilt Fletch, an' that one day he laid out in the laurel to kill little Milt." Bad Anse pursued. "Ye don't know that the only reason he stayed his hand was that I'd got his promise ter bide his time. But I reckon ye do know that Milt was killed by a Havey all that's transpired in ten years wouldn't make a patch on the hell-rasin' that'd go on hereabouts in a week. Do ye think it's strange that Jeb don't want his sister consortin' with the boy that he thinks murdered his father?"
Juanita rose from her chair, feeling like a pert and cocksure interloper who had been disdainfully looking down on one with a vision immeasurably wider and surer than her own. At last she found herself asking: "But surely young Milt didn't kill Fletch. Surely you don't believe that?"
"No, I know he didn't, but there's just one way I can persuade young Jeb to believe it—an' that's to tell him who did."
His eyes met hers and for a moment lighted with irony. "If I did that, I reckon Jeb would be willin' to let ye keep Dawn an' Jesse—an' of course, he'd kill the other man. Do ye want me to do it?"
He moved to the closed door and paused with his hand on the knob.
"No, stop!" she almost screamed. "It would mean murder. Merciful God, it's so hard to decide some things!"
Anse Havey turned back to the room.
"I just thought I'd let ye see that for yourself," he said quietly. "Ye ain't hardly been able ter see why it's hard for us people to decide 'em."
Suddenly a new thought struck her, and it brought from her a sudden question. "But you know who the murderer is, and you have spared him?"
The man laughed.
"Don't fret yourself, ma'am. The man that kilt Fletch has left the mountains, an' right now he's out of reach. But he'll be back some day, an' when he comes I reckon the first news ye'll hear of him will be that he's dead." Once more it was the implacable avenger that spoke.
The girl could only murmur in perplexity: "Yet you have kept Jeb in ignorance. I don't understand."
"I've got other plans fer Jeb," said Bad Anse Havey. "I don't low to let him be a feud killer. There's others that can attend to that."
He flung the door open and called Jeb, and a moment later the boy, black of countenance, came in and stood glaring about with the sullen defiance of a young bull just turned into the ring to face the matador.
"Jeb," suggested the chief gravely, "I reckon if Dawn don't see Young Milt again ye ain't goin' to object to her havin' an education, are ye?"
The boy stiffened, and his reply was surly.
"I don't low ter hev my folks a consortin' with no McBriars."
Anse Havey spoke again, very quietly: "Milt didn't know no more about that kiltin' than I did, Jeb."
"How does ye know that?" The question burst out fiercely and swiftly. The boy bent forward, his eyes eagerly burning above his high cheekbones and his mouth stiff in a snarl of suspense. "How does ye know?"
"Because I know who did."
"Tell me his name!" The shrill demand was almost a shriek.
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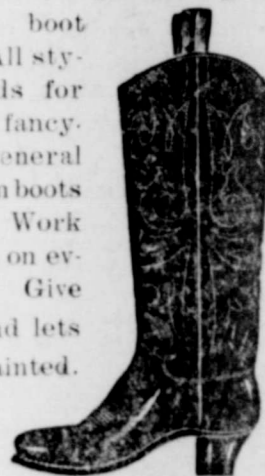
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Your Clothes

Should receive as much attention as your eating. You can keep well dressed if you will let us do your cleaning and pressing. We positively guarantee good work on ladies and gentlemen's clothes.

Our new samples of

Tailor Made Suits

are here and we can give you the best values for less money. Let us take your measure for a new suit.

We keep in stock, everything in gents' furnishings and the prices are marked down right.

The Toggery
J. E. Martin, Prop.

Information

Mrs. D. R. Johnson of Wichita Falls is visiting the M. M. Lonax home this week.

Sheriff Tipps of Canadian passed through town Tuesday with a man whom he had been searching for two weeks who is accused of stealing wheat.

The local Public School will turn out Wednesday evening for the first of the week.

Bro. Whately returned Tuesday evening from Austin where he has been attending the big Baptist State meeting. He reports a big time.

Miss Rhoda Ress returned this week from Rochester where the family moved recently. She will attend school here this winter as this school is much advanced over that one.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dollings are the proud possessors of a new boy who made his arrival Tuesday.

Canadian and Miami play football this evening.

The Chief comes out one day early this week owing to the fact that 'The Boss' and 'Scoop' have a turkey dinner on for Thursday.

Mrs. Lauges Siltou and Earl Dunn of Mobeetie visited the W. L. Mathews home in Miami last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Locke and son Willie left Tuesday by auto for Arizona where they go to spend the winter in the mountains.

Miss Ester Smoot visited at the Folk Osborne home in Green Lake Sunday.

THANKSGIVING TURKEYS

Send me your order for turkeys \$12c per pound delivered at Miami. Phone to Mars Ranch. A. E. Gething.

Dear Santa Clause,

Please send me nice Christmas selection.

Christmas Shoppe. Dear Shopper, Sorry I can't supply you. Sold out to Walter Cook, call on him he has the goods.

Mrs. A. Wilde left Sunday night for Oklahoma City where she was called to the bedside of her daughter who is very low.

Dread Lee and family and Miss Beulah Lee visited Saturday and Sunday in Miami with relatives and friends.

T. R. Saxon and wife left Sunday for a visit in Higgins.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

We offer for sale a fine 640 acre farm 5 miles south of Kingsmill 536 acres in high state of cultivation, all in wheat which goes with this farm. Land is all fenced and cross fenced with a good 5 wire fence, good two room house. Price \$22.50 per acre, terms, \$2,000. cash balance in 8 equal payments at 7 per cent int. The above land is worth \$30.00 per acre to any man. First come first served.

See Home Land Company 41. Pampa, Texas.

The Keplinger school house was the scene of a very lively box supper Saturday night of last week. Emmett Coble was the efficient auctioneer and he did the job right and sold the boxes for \$81.99. A cake for the prettiest girl brought \$12. Their teacher is Miss Bobbie Dixon, second daughter of the well known Billie Dixon and a sister of Mrs. Emmett Coble.

T. M. Cunningham and wife, Mr. Darr and wife and Dan Kivlehen are out this week on a goose hunt.

Mrs. Myrtle of Wichita, Kans. is here this week visiting her sister, Mrs. John Webster. She will remain until after Thanksgiving.

Jim Fryer of near Oehiltree was here Monday visiting the Dave Lard home.

Miami Council No. 1783

Knights & Ladies SECURITY

Meet on Every 4th Monday night. G. C. FITZGERALD, President

Mrs. W. R. EWING, Financier.

Due to the absence of information by the laymen pertaining to that world wide and in many cases fatal disease, Pyorrhea Alveolaris (disease of the gum, and underlying tissue), I deem it my pleasing duty as well as urgent duty of every true and faithful servant of the cause to depart any information which might lead someone to light on the subject and thereafter better health.

To make this writing brief, I shall only deal with facts. For many years even years which were near the departure of other centuries we as a profession have had in the field of research workmen of great learning and high ideals who were using every effort that time and money would support to discover and realize a cure for this disease, but all in vain until August 1914.

On this date Bass & Johns, of New Orleans announced their discovery which has proven an absolute and grateful cure. This disease is systemic as well as local.



We Are Thankful, Are You?

We are thankful for this:-

1. Years prosperity, big crops, largest in our history.
2. Peace, that we are not included in the war class.
3. That our friends have been loyal to us and are now helping us to make one of our most progressive years.

4. YOU should be thankful that we have assembled one of the best stocks of goods right at your door ever brought to the plains, and at prices that should compel you to trade with us.

Again we thank you.
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BUSINESS IN CANADA IS GOOD

Successful Crops and Big Yields Help the Railway.

The remarkable fields that are reported of the wheat crop of Western Canada for 1915 bear out the estimate of an average yield over the three western provinces of upward of 25 bushels per acre. There is no portion of that great west of 24,000 square miles in which the crop was not good and the yields abundant. An American farmer who was induced to place under cultivation land that he had been holding for five years for speculative purposes and higher prices, says that he made the price of the land out of this year's crop of oats. No doubt, others, too, who took the advice of the Department of the Interior to cultivate the unoccupied land, have done so well.

But the story of the great crop that Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta produced this year is best told in the language of the railways in the added cars that it has been necessary to place in commission, the extra trains required to be run, the increased tonnage of the grain steamers.

It is found that railway earnings continue to improve. The C. P. R. earnings for the second week of October showed an increase of \$762,900 over last year, the total being only \$310,900 below the gross earnings of the corresponding week of 1912, when the Western wheat crop made a new record for that date. The increase in C. P. R. earnings for the corresponding week of that year was only \$351,000, or less than half of the increase reported this year. The grain movement in the West within the past two weeks has taxed the resources of the Canadian roads as never before, despite their increased facilities. The C. P. R. is handling 2,000 cars per day, a new record. The G. T. R. and the C. N. R. are also making new shipment records. The other day the W. Grant Morden, of the Canada Steamships Company, the largest freighter of the Canadian fleet on the Upper Lakes, brought down a cargo of 476,315 bushels, a new record for Canadian shipping. Records are "going by the board" in all directions this fall, due to Canada's record crop. The largest Canadian wheat movement through the port of New York ever known is reported for the period up to October 15th, when since shipments of the new crop began in August, 4,265,791 bushels have been reloaded for England, France and Italy. This is over half as much as was shipped of American wheat from the same port in the same period. And, be it remembered, Montreal, not New York, is the main export gateway for Canadian wheat. New York gets the overflow in competition with Montreal.—Advertisement.

Natural Affinity.
"She's not a society belle, but she's a duck of a girl."
"Then she ought to be in the swim."

WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY is her hair. If yours is streaked with ugly, grizzly, gray hairs, use "La Creole" Hair Dressing and change it in the natural way. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

The man who gets his hair cut on Saturday afternoon will do worse. He will also have his face massaged.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Courage is a plant that cannot be destroyed by plucking one up.

For crushed finger thoroughly apply Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

A light diet is the best board of health.

The Idea of "Preparedness" is a splendid one for the person to follow whose stomach is weak, liver inactive and bowels clogged. You can greatly assist these organs and prevent much suffering by the timely use of **HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS**.

SWAMP-ROOT Is not recommended for everything; but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it may be found just the remedy you need. At druggists in fifty-cent and dollar sizes. You may receive a sample size bottle of this reliable medicine by Parcel Post, also pamphlet telling about it. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents, also mention this paper.

W. N. U., WICHITA, NO. 48-1915.

RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE DRIVES TEUTONS OUT

FILLD MARSHAL VON HINDENBURG IS DEFINITELY CHECKED IN EASTERN DRIVE.

ITALY ENTERS THE BALKANS

Cruiser Piemonte Bombarbs Railway Station at Deceaghatz, Destroy in War Munitions.

London.—The Serbians are falling back from mountain range to mountain range before the advance of the Austro-German forces, whose official reports enumerate the capture of a thousand or more prisoners daily, a few guns and quantities of stores.

Along the eastern front the Serbians appear to be holding their own against the Bulgarians. So stubborn has been their resistance the Bulgarians have had to call for assistance from Austro-German artillery in their effort to drive the defenders out of Katchank pass.

The British and French troops, which are receiving reinforcements, are meeting with some success, and besides repulsing the Bulgarian attacks, have undertaken small offensive movements with good results.

Italy Enters Balkans.
Italy's entrance into the Bulgarian campaign is indicated, according to Saloniki dispatches, by the arrival at the port of the Italian cruiser Piemonte. This cruiser bombarded and destroyed the railroad station and a large number of cars loaded with war munitions at Deceaghatz, Bulgaria, on her way to Saloniki.

Russians Repulse Germans.
The Russians have definitely repulsed Field Marshal von Hindenburg's drive toward Riga and Dvinsk and along the Divina river and have themselves taken the offensive, but apparently, owing to the state of the ground, have been able to make only slow progress in the marsh region west of Riga.

Along the Styx river in the south the Austro-Germans, by a counter stroke, have pierced the Russian lines and captured 1,500 prisoners, according to the Berlin official statement. These strokes are about all that can be expected of the eastern front while the soft weather continues.

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First Aid Efficiency Among Civilians.
Washington.—First-aid efficiency among civilians in time of peace, which in necessity, might be utilized for military requirements, is the objective of a board of first aid standardization appointed by president Wilson. The organization was created in pursuance of a resolution adopted at a conference of American surgeons of first aid, held in Washington last summer. The plan is to standardize first aid packages and equipment of all sorts, means of transporting and handling wounded and first-aid instructions among civilians.

Deformed Baby Born in Chicago Dies.
Chicago.—The Bollinger baby, a deformed mite, whose mother on professional advice, decided it should not undergo an operation which probably would have saved its life, died at a local hospital after hovering between life and death about six days. Meanwhile the subject of the propriety of sacrificing the unpromising spark of life in the infant that it might not grow up a burden to itself and a possible menace to society, was the subject of widespread discussion. The principal physical deformities of the baby were the closure of the intestinal tract, paralysis of the nerves of the right side of the face, the absence of the right ear, blindness of one eye and malformation of its shoulders.

31 Killed in Mine Accident.
Seattle, Wash.—Workers delving in a debris in the third level of the Northwestern Improvement company's coal mine at Ravensdale recovered the bodies of six victims of the explosion which killed 31 men. Three taken out unconscious were revived.

Does Warren as Next Governor?
Austin, Texas.—A piece of political news of significance and importance came to the surface when it was generally hinted by certain pros that they have started a movement to nominate Robert Lee Warren of Kaufman county for governor in 1916. They expect to run him against James E. Ferguson of Bell county, the 1914 nominee and successful candidate. Mr. Warren has served in the Texas senate, where he was regarded as one of its strongest members.

Pastures Swept By Prairie Fire.
San Angelo, Texas.—Many sections of pasture land west of here near Big Lake and Ozone were swept by prairie fires Wednesday evening. A strong wind prevailed and made the checking of fires hard work. No cattle are reported as having been burned.

Reported Russians Land in Roumania.
London.—A dispatch to the Daily Express from Geneva says a message received there from Bucharest states that the Russians have ascended the Danube river and landed a small force of men and guns near Sillistria. Sillistria is on the southern bank of the Danube, in Roumania territory, some 20 miles east of where the river reaches Bulgarian soil.

PROS WIN IN BELL COUNTY

Governor Says Pro Victory is No Sign That County Will Remain Dry.

Temple, Texas.—Complete returns from the prohibition election held Saturday in Bell county show a pro majority of 443, which is so large as to preclude all talk of contest and finds the losing faction better satisfied to make the most of the result. The total vote cast from unofficial returns was 6,361, of which the pros received 3,402 and antis 2,959. The vote was a thousand short of the full strength of the county. The prohibition vote shows an increase of 168 over that cast in the election of 1912, of which number 135 were gains in Temple and Belton. Elsewhere the strength was about the same.

"Not Dry Permanently."
Austin, Texas.—Governor Ferguson has returned from Bell county, where he made four speeches against prohibition, and commenting on the election, said: "It appears we have lost Bell county has gone dry three times in the last 40 years and the result of Saturday's election does not signify that it is to remain dry permanently." The governor had no further comment to make.

Baptist Convention Opens at Austin.
Austin, Texas.—The Baptist State convention was called to order Thursday morning by Dr. S. P. Brooks of Waco president. The secretary, D. B. Peveto of Houston, announced as present 1,054 messengers from 482 churches, 93 messengers from 51 societies, 53 messengers from 21 societies, making a total of 1,197 messengers. Officers were re-elected for the year as follows: President S. P. Brooks; vice presidents, John T. Townes, Austin, R. E. Burt, Houston, and T. C. Yantis, Brownwood; secretaries, D. R. Peveto, Houston, and George O. Key, Pecos.

New Orleans, Texas & Mexico Sold.
New Orleans, La.—The New Orleans, Texas & Mexico railroad, a subsidiary of the St. Louis & San Francisco system was sold at public auction here by order of Judge Foster of the federal district court. The road was bought in for \$6,000,000 by Walter L. Taylor, representing the bondholders of the road. There were no other bidders. It was announced the road would be reorganized. A formal protest against reorganization was entered by Jules Simon of Milwaukee, who declared he owned \$50,000 of its bonds.

Robber Takes Man's Shoes.
Dallas, Texas.—Taking off and carrying away a new pair of shoes worn by his victim, a robber held up and beat over the head T. L. Brown, 33 years of age. Brown was on his way to his home when attacked. He had several dollars in money in an inside pocket, but the highwayman in going through his clothes overlooked it in some way. Brown's chief loss was the new pair of shoes.

Crisis in Spanish Cabinet on War Bill.
Madrid.—A cabinet crisis has resulted from a debate in parliament on the bill for military reforms proposed by the minister of war, Count Romanos, former premier, said the annual army budget had reached \$60,000,000, which was spent for maintenance on a peace footing of an army of 140,000, with 488 cannon. The count asserted that if the money were expended wisely it should provide 40,000 more soldiers and 112 additional cannon. Premier Dato declared that if the parliament failed to approve the military reforms demanded by the government the cabinet would resign immediately.

New York Exports Set Record.
New York.—The greatest volume of exports ever recorded at a single port in the United States left New York harbor during October, mostly for the warring nations of Europe, according to estimates made by customs officials. The total will not fall far short of \$175,000,000, or about \$7,000,000 a day for every work day of the month. In September exports from New York totaled \$162,000,000.

The Pottsboro school district, Grayson county, has voted to increase the special school tax to 50c on the \$100 in order to comply with the law relative to rural schools participating in the \$100,000 school fund provided by the last legislature.

The Tyler city commission has decided to build a new and modern up-to-date water system for the city, to cost \$250,000. The site for the main reservoir is situated six miles southeast of the city.

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TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

Plans have been drawn for a new \$150,000 high school building at Beaumont.

The corner stone of the new \$25,000 city hall and fire station at San Marcos was laid last week.

About 50,000 pounds of fall wool and 300,000 pounds of mohair is now stored in the warehouse at San Angelo.

The Liberty Bell has begun its return trip from San Francisco via Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi to Philadelphia.

J. L. Carroll, living east of Paris, raised 85 bushels of peanuts per acre or 340 bushels on four acres of ground.

The Grayson county commissioner's court has let the contract to build an eight-foot concrete sidewalk around the court house.

Exports for the week of Nov. 6 through Galveston amounted to \$4,233,849, which continues it in second rank. The total cotton exports since Aug. 1 amount to 1,266,130 bales.

Farmers in Cooke county may not be realizing all they expected from their cotton crops, but the turkey crop is the largest ever known. One Gainesville produce company reports that it is purchasing about 1,000 turkeys a day.

In the governor's mansion at Austin has been placed the old writing desk used by Gen. Stephen F. Austin. During his tenure of office this desk will remain in the mansion as a compliment to Gov. Ferguson from Stephen S. Perry and descendants of General Austin.

Governor Ferguson pardoned 74 convicts in October, according to the monthly report of the prison commission. The number of prisoners on hand Oct. 31 was 3,762, an increase of 9 during the month. Within the walls of the penitentiaries and on state farms there are 3,443 convicts, and 629 on farms leased by the state.

St. Louis capitalists are to invest \$1,000,000 in Texas public service utilities. The Texas Utility company, as the new corporation will be known, has taken over recently the water, light and ice utilities in Plainview; the electric light and ice plants at Lubbock and the power and light plants at Lockney.

Commissioner of Pensions J. C. Jones is revising the pension rolls with the view of eliminating those pensioners who are not indigent and deserving. Commissioner Jones said that he expected to cut off between 3,000 and 4,000 pensioners, which would mean a saving of approximately \$12,000,000, state annually.

Comptroller Terrell has submitted to the attorney general's department a mass of testimony taken in a number of cases where violations of charter rights had been reported, based on sale of liquor. He asks forfeiture of charter of a number of social clubs who, according to testimony, have been guilty of violations.

An investment of \$1,638,946.96 at the A. & M. college, \$315,115.49 at the Texas agricultural experiment station and \$249,442.38 at the Prairie View state normal is shown in the report of E. E. Hunter, whose report of the audit of the business affairs of these institutions has been made public by President Bizzell of the college.

Property owners on several of San Angelo's leading residence streets are now circulating petitions for paving. Those who desire the paving wish to have the middle of the streets parked.

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He Pleased the Baby.
Restaurant Patron (caustically).—I am glad to see your baby has shut up, madam.
Mother.—Yes, sir. You are the only thing that's pleased him since he saw the animals at the zoo.—Puck.

An Improved Quinine, Does not Cause Nervousness nor Ringing in Head
The happy combination of Ixatites in I.A.X. ACTIVE BRONCHO QUININE makes the Quinine in this form have a far better effect than the ordinary Quinine, and it can be taken by anyone without affecting the head. Remember for call for the full name, Laxative Bromo Quinine. Look for signature of E. W. Grove. 2c.

Mean Cat!
"Algernon called on me yesterday afternoon."
"Yes; he told me he had some time to kill."—Kansas City Journal.

IMITATION IS SINCEREST FLATTERY
but like counterfeit money the imitation has not the worth of the original. Insist on "La Creole" Hair Dressing—it's the original. Darkens your hair in the natural way, but contains no dye. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

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"So you are saving money?"
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Hanford's Balsam has cured many cases of running sores of many years' standing. Adv.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

The man who goes through life on a bluff eventually walks.

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Many a spinster is sorry she learned to say "no."

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Kidney, Bladder and Uric Acid troubles bring misery to many. When the kidneys are weak or diseased, these natural filters do not cleanse the blood sufficiently, and the poisons are carried to all parts of the body. There follow depression, aches and pains, heaviness, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, chilliness and rheumatism. In some people there are sharp pains in the back and loins, distressing bladder disorders and sometimes obstinate dropsy. The uric acid sometimes forms into gravel or kidney stones. When the uric acid affects the muscles and joints it causes lumbago, rheumatism, gout or sciatica. This is the time to send Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c for large trial package of "Anuric."

The First Step.
"I'd like to meet a few lively girls. What would you suggest?"
"Invest \$5,000 in a roadster."

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Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the **Signature of J. C. Fitcher**. In Use For Over 30 Years. **Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria**

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"So yez hov a foine job, eh?"
"Sure I haf! I was chief designer in a pretzel factory!"

COVETED BY ALL
but possessed by few—a beautiful head of hair. If yours is streaked with gray, or is harsh and stiff, you can restore it to its former beauty and luster by using "La Creole" Hair Dressing. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

The prettiest thing in feminine headgear is a good-humored face.

Hanford's Balsam should relieve even the worst burns. Adv.

The woman whose face is her fortune goes broke eventually.

Bumper Grain Crops

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Prizes Awarded to Western Canada for Wheat, Oats, Barley, Alfalfa and Grasses

The winnings of Western Canada at the Soil Products Exposition at Denver were easily made. The list comprised Wheat, Oats, Barley and Grasses, the most important being the prizes for Wheat and Oats and sweep stake on Alfalfa.

No less important than the splendid quality of Western Canada's wheat and other grains, is the excellence of the cattle fed and fattened on the grasses of that country. A recent shipment of cattle to Chicago topped the market in that city for quality and price.

Western Canada produced in 1915 one-third as much wheat as all of the United States, or over 300,000,000 bushels.

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"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to build up my system and have the dearest baby girl in the world."—Mrs. MOSE BLAKELEY, Coalport, Pa.

"I praise the Compound whenever I have a chance. It did so much for me before my little girl was born."—Mrs. E. W. SANDERS, Rowlesburg, W. Va.

"I took your Compound before baby was born and feel I owe my life to it."—Mrs. WINNIE TILLIS, Winter Haven, Florida.

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His Share.
"Jiggers was around again yesterday collecting money for his pet charity."
"Hub! I wonder if he ever contributes anything himself?"
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To have good hair clear the scalp of dandruff and itching with shampoos of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment to dandruff spots and itching. Nothing better than these pure, fragrant, supercreamy emollients for skin and scalp troubles.

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"Still living out on Long Island? I suppose the mosquitoes are all gone by this time."
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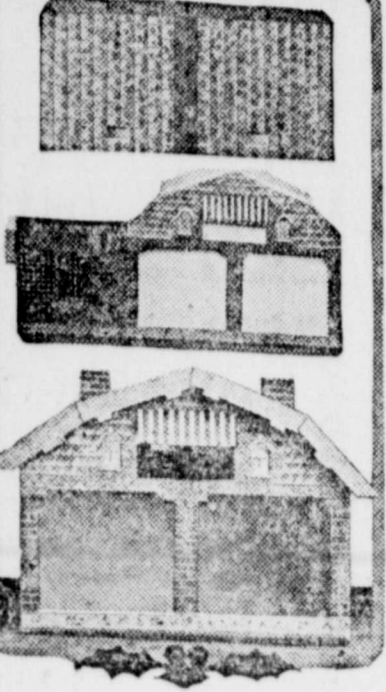
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Don't give up. When you feel all unstrung; when family cares seem too hard to bear, and headache, dizzy headaches, queer pains and irregular action of the kidneys and bladder may mystify you, remember that such troubles often come from weak kidneys and it may be that you only need Doan's Kidney Pills to make you well. When the kidneys are weak there's danger of dropsy, gravel and Bright's disease. Don't delay. Start using Doan's now.

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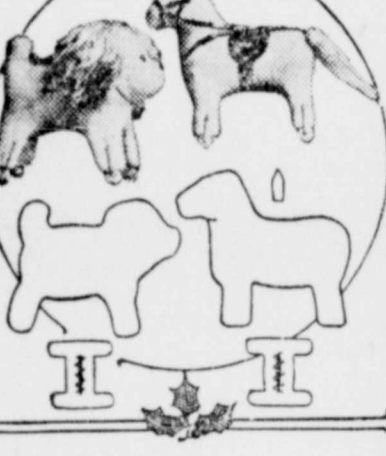
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Doll's House of Cardboard



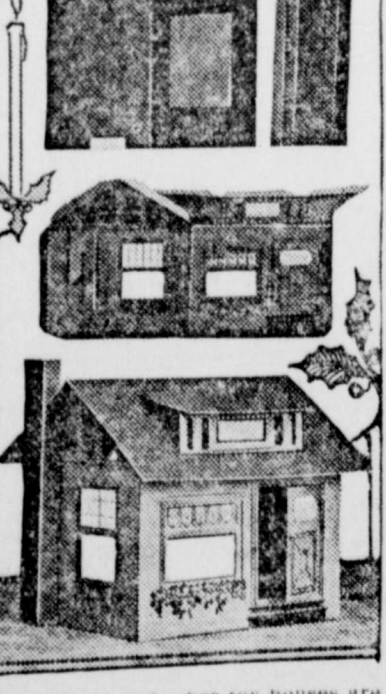
A hat box of strong cardboard and some red, white and green water-color paints are required to make this doll's house. A view of it is given in the picture above, also a picture of the roof and of the front and one side. The roof and chimneys are to be made separately.

Easily Made Animal Toys



Animals, that please the little ones, are made of cotton flannel or plush, and stuffed with sawdust. Pins with black heads, beads, or regulation artificial eyes are used, and bits of lamb's wool or fur provide the required hair.

Bungalow Made of Cardboard



Bungalows and other toy houses are made of heavy cardboard boxes. The picture shows the roof, chimney, front and one side of the bungalow before they are put together, also the finished house.

A Group of Baby Belongings



The baby inspires the greatest number of dainty gifts at Christmas time, nearly all of them the handwork of those who welcome him.

Bootees and a Coat Hanger



The warm looking and dainty bootees shown in the picture will be easy to make by those who understand crocheting.

Topsy Doll Made of a Stocking



The rag baby has the reputation of being the best beloved of its little owner's possessions. Here is a Topsy doll made of a black stocking with mouth and nose outlined with yarn and glass beads for eyes.

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WHAT HE WAS LOOKING FOR
Dreary Samuel in Earnest Effort to Secure Employment, but Not, of Course, for Himself.

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He Was a Boy Himself.
"No," said Uncle Foggy to a group of urchins. "I am not going to walk through your game of marbles, but around it. I was once a boy myself and know how you feel about it."

Socially Successful.
Mr. Brown's colored valet desired to entertain some of his friends, and his master contributed generously to the cause.

Fair Enough.
"Lend me your automobile this afternoon, will you? I want to take my girl out for a spin."

Superlatively Inconspicuous.
Knicker—Does Jones amount to much?
Bocker—No more than a horse at a horse show.

Women who are the most careful of their complexions are those who haven't any of their own.

"Well, what do you want?" said the master of the house sternly to Dreary Samuel, the tattered tramp, as he stood outside the door, shivering with the most accomplished art.
"I'm looking for work," replied he of the unemployed brigade. "Ain't you got no scrubbin' or washin' or cleanin' or nothin' that an honest body could do?"
This earnest appeal for work made the householder think that he had misjudged a real, honest British laborer out of work.
"Ah!" he said. "now you speak like a man. I like to hear of anyone willing to make an effort. I never thought you wanted work of that kind."
"No more I do," whined Samuel, shuddering at the bare idea. "It's work for my wife that I'm a-lookin' for."—London Answers.

Gomer Davies of the Concordia Kansas, declares that the worst tightwad story he ever heard was told him years ago by Doctor Jones at Republic City. The doctor was an all-around practitioner, and occasionally pulled teeth, the town having no dentist. The president of one of the banks came in to the doctor's office one evening leading his seven-year-old boy by the hand. "Doc," he asked, "have you a tooth forceps handy?" Getting "Yes" for an answer, he asked to see them, and the doctor handed them over.

The banker put the boy in a common chair, opened the child's mouth, inserted the forceps and yanked out a molar to the accompaniment of howls of pain. "There," said the banker, handing back the forceps, "the thing is out all right enough, and just as well as if I'd paid you 50 cents for doing it. Let's go home, kid, and quit your bawling!"—Kansas City Journal.

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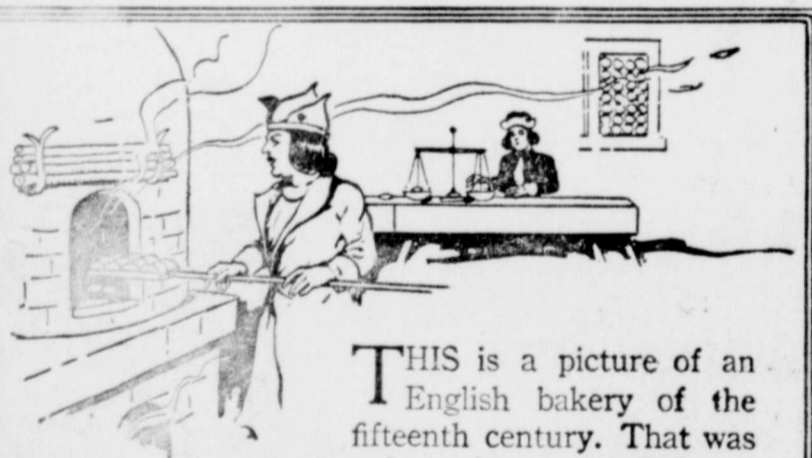
Make your wife happy by buying her a fine sewing machine for Xmas, see Walter Cook.

MONEY
To loan on land, or I will buy Vendors Lein notes. S. D. Park, Mobeetie Texas

Say "Hello"

When you see a friend in woe walk right and say 'Hello' Say 'old brother, howd' ye do, hows the world a usin' you?' Waltz right up, and dont be slow, laugh and shake and say 'Hello'. Slap the brother on the back, bring your hand down with a whack. His clothes are poor, makes no show, never mind; just say 'Hello'. That homespun shirt may conceal a great strong heart true as steel, that old coat and shabby vest cuts no ice, but do your best to make him happy on earth and to feel that he's of worth. Dont let him think that the earth was dead against him since his birth. Crack his shell draw him out, dont lethem whine sulk or pout. Make him tell you all the wees of his heart before he goes. Dont teil him he's a chump but tell him to 'get up and hump, tell him not to be so slow, but get around and say 'Hello! I'm alive what can I do to help myself as well as you? Dont wait until he's dead to strew bouquets around his head. Nice words spoken are out of place, if not spoken before his face. Make him see that you're his friend, and will stay such to the end. Yes, tell him now though he's rough, why old brother you're the stuff this world needs to make it go, now brace up and cry 'Hello'. There are plenty such about, that are worth the digging out. In this way you surely can make him feel that he's a man. He will always think of you as his best friend, tried and true. In the future you will know what good it does to say 'Hello'!

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Radium Used to Promote Plant Growth.

Some of the remarkable properties of radium are being demonstrated by an exhibitor in the Liberal Arts building at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, in connection with a new invention making possible the radiofying of water for medicinal purposes.

Demonstrating the power of this mineral promoting metabolism a number of young plants, some existing with and some without the aid of radium, are shown. Those in the radioactive soils are seen to be growing much more rapidly than those in common soil, and to have a more healthy appearance.

This inventor has found a process of impregnating terra cotta bricks with radium-bearing minerals, and these small bricks placed in water are said to give it remarkable curative properties. The porous bricks last almost indefinitely, losing only half their potency, it is estimated, in 1,500 years. Since the discovery of this mineral it has been found that many celebrated waters, as Carlsbad and Baden Baden, owe their health-giving properties to radium. The inventor claims that his process produces in ordinary waters the qualities of these famous springs.

The radium ore used in the manufacture of radioactive terra cotta is known as carnotite, a formation found mainly in Colorado and Utah, and now producing three-fourths of the world's radium. The European mineral, known as pitchblende, from which the famous European springs are impregnated, is also displayed.

Most Rapid Photographs Ever Taken.
The most remarkable set of speed photographs ever taken are a part of the war department's exhibit in Machinery Hall at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco. They are pictures of a shell from a 12-inch coast defense gun in flight, the set including the various phases of the flight beginning just as the great projectile pokes its nose out of the muzzle of the gun.

The pictures were taken with a lens having an exposure period of one five-thousandth of a second, this being the fastest shutter ever manufactured. The exposure at the proper time in the flight of the projectile was made by breaking an electric circuit in a wire stretched across the trajectory at the desired point and connecting with the shutter.

One picture shows the shell half-way out of the muzzle before any smoke and gas has escaped. Another was taken when the shell was two feet from the muzzle but hidden by a heavy ring of smoke. A third shows the shell in flight a hundred feet from the muzzle. The photographs are so perfect and the exposure so rapid that scarcely any blur is perceptible. They were taken at Fortress Monroe, Va., under the direction of Capt. F. J. Behl of the coast artillery corps and head of the department of enlisted specialists at the Coast Artillery school at Fortress Monroe.

NATIVE LIFE OF THE FAR PACIFIC.



The photograph shows the belle of the interesting Samoan village at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco. The structures in this village, comprising the native thatched huts of the Samoan, or as they were formerly called, the Navigator islands, were brought intact from the native villages and are absolutely faithful in all their features. There are many native families living in the village who tar the edification of visitors perform the aquatic feats in which the islanders excel, and dance the rhythmic native dances. The life of the people of a Pacific ocean is wonderfully illustrated at the Exposition. The races none are than the Samoans traces of Aryan descent visitor should unique tri-

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