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MIAMI CITIZEN KILLS SELF AT LITTLEFIELD.

A very sad tragedy took place near Littlefield Monday of this week when a man Suttles shot and killed himself on a ranch 25 miles west of town. Suttles was manager for one of the large ranches in that country, and he was very early Monday morning in his car, and without lights on the back car, he got about three miles from home where a truck had left in the road, which he ran over and the car tracks show that he skidded when he turned to miss the truck. The collision was a severe one and the top of the car and Mr. Suttles had a finger cut and mashed and a heavy blow on the head, through a heavy window pane. He turned and went back to the car and told his wife of the accident and would not permit his finger being tied up. Leaving the kitchen he went to the front room and got a .38 caliber rifle from the dresser and stepped out in the front yard and shot himself squarely in the head.

Mr. Suttles was 25 years old, and very strong and healthy young man. He was married five years ago to Mrs. Dulany Ellis, a sister to Mrs. J. Locke of Miami. Mr. and Mrs. Suttles lived several months in Miami about a year ago and he lived in the Locke garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Locke went down Monday as soon as the message came and met there by Mrs. Suttles and other relatives. The body was taken to Post City for burial which took place Tuesday.

Mr. Suttles leaves many friends and the young wife who still wonders why he should commit such a rash act. It is presumed and very probably the heavy lick on the head or the car smash knocked him practically unconscious and he committed the act before coming to himself, as he possibly figured any other way he would do this. The undertaker stated that the lick on the head would have killed him instantly, but it was not for the heavy cap he was wearing.

Mr. and Mrs. Locke returned last night and Mrs. Suttles went home with her parents near Post City.

HANDLE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION MEETS APRIL 4-5

The Panhandle Teachers' Association will meet at the West Texas Normal College on April 4th and 5th. A large and enthusiastic attendance is expected as some of the best educators of the state will be present. Among them are Miss Annie Blanton, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Mr. Marcus H. Blanton, Superintendent of the Amarillo Public Schools, Mr. H. T. Murrell, Editor Texas Teachers' Journal, and our own President, Mr. J. A. ...

MARCH OF TIME GOES ON

THE MARCH OF TIME GOES ON. LAYS ITS DECAYING HAND UPON ALL THINGS. BUT ONE—YOU SHOULD PROVIDE WITH THAT ONE—THAT IS MONEY: PLACED IN THE BANK IS THE ONE THING THAT WILL ADD TO, KEEP UP WITH THE MARCH OF TIME.

THE FIRST STATE BANK

F. TALLEY, Pres.
L. MATHERS, V-Pres.
H. E. BAIRD, Cashier.
H. A. TALLEY, Asst.

AGED LADY DIED SATURDAY.

Mrs. Philtha Fitzgerald who has been in ill health for the past several months died Saturday morning of last week and was buried in the Miami cemetery Sunday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Chas. E. Pitts.

Mrs. Fitzgerald was born in Franklin County, Missouri, and was seventy-six years old last September. She was married in 1868 and to the union were born four children, one of which died in infancy, and another died thirteen years ago. Two still survive, S. E. and G. C., who both live in Miami. Her husband preceded her only a few years ago. She was a devoted and conscientious member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church since girlhood.

The Fitzgerald family moved to Miami from Missouri eleven years ago and were well known people in our county. Aside from the two sons, the good lady who has just departed this life leaves 10 grandchildren.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday School 10-10. We had the largest attendance last Sunday in the history of our school. We also had the contestants, but Canadian only lacked seven having as many as we had. Let us not forget personal work. There are yet families none of whom are in Sunday School. Supt. McKenzie has his heart set on having two hundred present. Let's join him with our efforts, and make the day next Sunday.

Preaching at 11:00 and 6:30.
Evening theme: The escape from sin.

Brother L. C. Williams is the Centenary speaker. He will bring a rich and thoughtful message. We cannot afford to miss this scholar on this vital subject. A cordial invitation to you to worship with us.
John H. Hicks, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Baptist Loyalty Bond Campaign is over. The Miami and Salem churches invested \$900.00 in these bonds. These churches bought more than half the bonds sold in the Canadian Association.

We are planning to begin meeting the first Sunday in May. The plans for the meeting will be announced later.

The Sunday School is on the upgrade. With every member a worker it will be easy to make our school surpass any former record in attendance. We should do it for the Master's sake.

Sunday School and preaching services at the usual hours Sunday. Sunbeams 2: o'clock and Junior B. Y. P. U. 3: o'clock Sunday afternoon. Ladies Aid Society meets at 3 p. m. Wednesday and Prayer Meeting 6:30 p. m. Wednesday.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U.

Program for Sunday, March 9, at 3 p. m.
Song.
Prayer.
Song.
Minutes, Roll Call, Reports, Business, Announcements.
Song.
Leader, Lena Huber.
Scripture Reading, Psalm 55.
Prayer.
Subject of Lesson, "A Sad Rebellion."

- (1) Reaping—Wilma Howard.
 - (2) Absalom's Selfishness—Alicen George.
 - (3) Absalom's Lawlessness—Docia Graham.
 - (4) Absalom's Hypocrisy—Lucy Talley.
 - (5) Absalom's Rebellion—Ade Humphries.
 - (6) Absalom's Death—Bessie Coffey.
 - (7) Absalom's Forward Steps—Louise Johnston.
- Poem.
Closing Prayer.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

There will be held in the City of Miami, Texas on the second Tuesday, in April being the 8th day thereof, an election for the purpose of electing a Mayor, City Marshall and three Aldermen.
J. R. Webster appointed Manager.
W. A. Dyer, Mayor.

CARD OF THANKS. To the many good people who gave their assistance and many kind words of consolation during the sickness and death of our beloved mother, we wish to express our most heart felt thanks.
S. E. and G. C. Fitzgerald.

ROAD BUILDING BIG WORK OF PEACE TIMES.

The Chief will aid this progressive movement by publishing a column devoted to Highway improvement.

In this community, as every other, there is no more important job awaiting attention right now than that of building roads.

There are many reasons why road building should be resumed on a larger scale than ever now that the war is over. Residents of both city and country realize more than ever before that better means of transportation will work to the benefit of all. The farmer knows that he will profit by being able to get his products to the market with greater speed and less expense. The town or city dweller knows that he will benefit in equal measure.

And last, but not least, the immediate beginning of road building work will help to prevent the unemployment that otherwise may follow the demobilization of the country's military forces.

The Chief hopes to be able to do its part in fostering this progressive movement and, to that end, at least one column of this paper will be devoted to matter that will be of special interest in connection with the good roads movement. The articles that will be published will be of a practical nature and we feel sure will furnish some valuable information to those actively engaged in road building and to all those interested in the subject.

It will pay you to watch for these articles in the Chief.

LAKETON ITEMS

We have been having plenty of wind here of late. Some of the wheat fields blown away.

Oat and barley sowing is in full swing. A large acreage will be sowed this spring here.

Parson Saley preached at Laketon Sunday morning.

Forest Keene was in Miami Monday on business.

If you have any sheep to sell please send to Wheeler or Leo Paris.

Wanted, to borrow eight or ten children to use on my income tax, F. W. Presang.

A lot of real estate has changed hands here of late at Laketon, but the real estate agent has got no commission so far, but if it keeps on blowing he will get his reward.

We have decided the best punishment for the Kaiser, if he so unfortunate as to have teeth we suggest that they capture same and take him to the dentist and have one tooth pulled every week and we are sure that he will wish he had have loved the Lord.

Eld. Reynolds will start a protracted meeting at Laketon in the near future.

W. S. Winnings and Thomas Quinn were in Miami Saturday on business.

G. M. Counts and Burt Welsh were in Miami, Sunday their wish were to get a Jersey cow (that is they used that as a side line to make some of their close friends think that they were looking over the lay of the ground for more important.

Dr. G. N. Powell is down at Clarendon on business this week.

D. W. Turner and family were down from Pampa (the Village of massal renown) visiting their daughter Mrs. D. C. Christopher.

Clothopper.

County Line Counts

Mr and Mrs. R. D. Lowry visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dear near Mobeetie Sunday.

Misses Daisy and Gladly Lowry visited Misses Leitha and Jessie Cunningham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gill visited with J. M. Gills family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Ehman visited the Presang home Sunday.

Master Dee Lowry and Elmo Gill spent Saturday night with Master Alton and Conway Gill.

Victor E. Johnson, of the Rocking Chair ranch, has been helping W. A. Robertson drill wheat this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Daughette and family of Hoover, Texas called at the G. C. Springer home Sunday evening.

A number of people from the County Line community attended the pie supper at the Farrington school house. All report a splendid time.

Daisy and Gladys Lowry, Inis and Charlie Russell, Willie and Frank Fuller, Alfred Hollis and Fred Chisum and family spent Sunday at Mrs. Lee Cunninghams.

A. W. Chisum and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Chisum.

In Order to Be Helpful to Public, Internal Revenue Bureau Has Every Available Officer in Field.

SEVERE PENALTIES IF YOU DELAY BEYOND MARCH 15

With the due date for Income Taxes only a few weeks away, the collection of this far-reaching tax on 1918 incomes has started off with a bang. Everybody is figuring income tax.

Payments and sworn statements of income must reach Internal Revenue offices on or before March 15, and there are severe penalties for delinquency. Residents of Texas are required to make their returns and pay their taxes to Alexander S. Walker, Collector of Internal Revenue, Austin, Tex., or to deputy collectors who are now doing free advisory work on Income Tax.

"Pay your Income Tax by March 15" is the slogan of the Internal Revenue Bureau, which has sent every available officer into the field to help the public to understand the requirements and to prepare the returns.

Who Must Make Return.

It is estimated that many thousands of single and married persons in this section of the United States who have never before made annual returns are required to do so this year. Income tax returns must be made between now and March 15 by persons who come under the following classifications:

Any unmarried person whose 1918 net income was \$1,000 or over. Widows and widowers, divorcees and married persons who are living apart from their husbands or wives, are for the purposes of the Income Tax classed as unmarried.

Any married person living with wife or husband whose 1918 net income was \$2,000 or over. The income of both husband and wife must be considered, together with the earnings of minor children, if any.

Revenue Bureau Offers Aid.

Each person in the United States who is in either of these classifications must get busy at once if penalties are to be avoided. He should secure a blank Form 1040 A for reporting net income up to \$5,000, or Form 1040 if his net income exceeded that amount. Forms are being distributed by Collectors and their Deputies, also by banks.

By following the instructions on the forms a correct return can be prepared at home. If a person needs advice or aid, the Deputy Collectors in the field will furnish this without charge.

The new Revenue law places the Income Tax duty on citizens and residents. The Internal Revenue Bureau is sending its men to work right with the public to get the tax and the returns in. With active co-operation every tax due March 15 will be paid and every return required by law will be in the Revenue offices on time.

Exemptions Allowed.

A single person is allowed a personal exemption of \$1,000. If he is supporting in his household relatives who are dependent upon him he may claim the status of the head of a family who has the same exemption as if married.

A married person who lives with wife or husband is allowed a personal exemption of \$2,000. The head of a family is entitled to claim a similar personal exemption.

An additional exemption of \$200 is allowed for each person under eighteen or incapable of self support who was dependent upon and received his chief support from the taxpayer.

A husband and wife living together are entitled to but one personal exemption of \$2,000. If they make separate returns the exemption may be claimed by either or divided.

Accuracy Required.

Absolute accuracy is necessary in making up income figures. Any person who is working for wages should find out exactly how much he received during the whole year 1918. Fees, bank interest, bond interest, dividends, rents received and all other items must be reported correctly. Mere guesses are not accepted, for they are unjust alike to the taxpayer and the Government and defeat the proper administration of the law.

WE HAVE NO LEADERS.

GROCERIES OF QUALITY AT REASONABLE PRICES IS OUR ENDEAVOR

WE ARE CONTINUALLY ADDING TO OUR STOCK OF HIGH GRADE GROCERIES AND NOW HAVE ON HAND A COMPREHENSIVE LINE OF GOODS THAT WILL SUITE THE MOST EXACTING.

You can't go wrong if you purchase all your groceries at our store.


LET US BE YOUR GROCER

MIAMI PRODUCE CO.

J. H. DIAL, PROP.

MICKIE SAYS

JEDGING BY THE LETTERS THAT GIT HUNG UP AT THE POST OFFICE FER ADDRESS ER ENVELOPE SOB THE POSTMASTER KIN TELL WHO TO RETURN 'EM TO, I SH'D THINK IT WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA FER EVERYBODY T' HAVE US PRINT 'EM A BOX OF ENVELOPES WITH THEIR NAME AND ADDRESS UP IN ONE CORNER



NOTICE, SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Texas, County of Roberts, Whereas by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Roberts County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 11th day of February 1919 in favor of S. A. Greever, Executor of the estate of Frank P. Greever, deceased, and J. A. Holmes, and against T. L. Graham, No. 549 on the docket of said court, I did on the 4th day of March 1919 at 8:30 o'clock (a. m.) levy upon the following described tract and parcel of land located in Roberts County Texas, and belonging to T. L. Graham, to-wit: All of Town Lots No. 7, 8, and 9 in Block No. 9 of the original town of Miami, Texas, according to the map or plat of said town on file in the office of the County Clerk of Roberts county, and on the 1st day of April 1919, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock, a. m. and four o'clock, p. m. on said day, at the Court-house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said T. L. Graham in and to said property. Dated at Miami, Texas, this 4, day of March 1919.

L. A. Coffee,
Sheriff Roberts County, Texas

Our line of Georgette and Crepe DeChine waists and camisoles for Spring and summer are here and will please you as to design and price.

J. W. WELLS STORE

A BANK Is the Storehouse of Labor.

In return for your labor you receive Money

If you place it in the bank you have stored your labor and some day you will get it back and gain through the transaction.

Let the Bank be your Storehouse. We charge no storage.

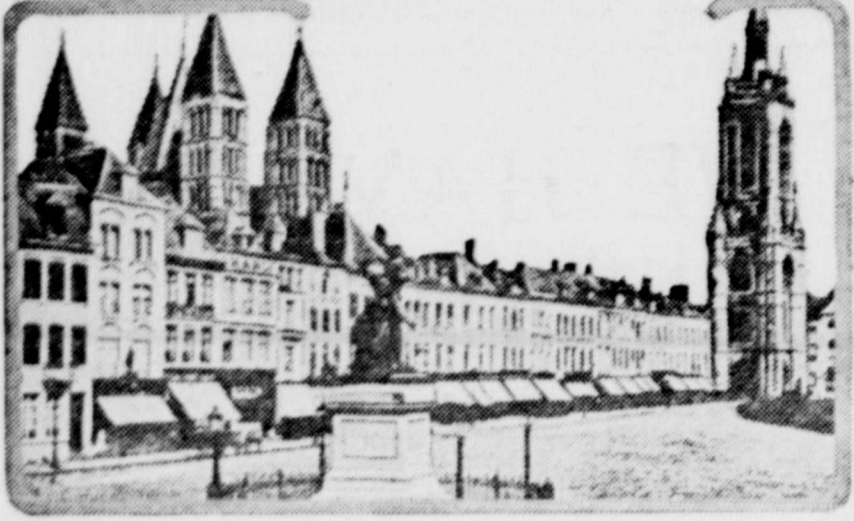
THE BANK OF MIAMI

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Roberts County Depository

INCOME TAX IS TRULY POPULAR.

"The payment of Income taxes takes on a new significance which should be understood by every citizen. The taxation system of this country is truly popular, of the people, by the people and for the people. Every citizen is liable to tax, and the amount of the tax is graduated according to the success and fortune attained by each individual in availing himself of the opportunities created and preserved by our free institutions. The method and degree of the tax is determined by no favored class, but by the representatives of the people. The proceeds of the tax should be regarded as a national investment."—Daniel C. Roper, Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

OLDEST CITY IN BELGIUM



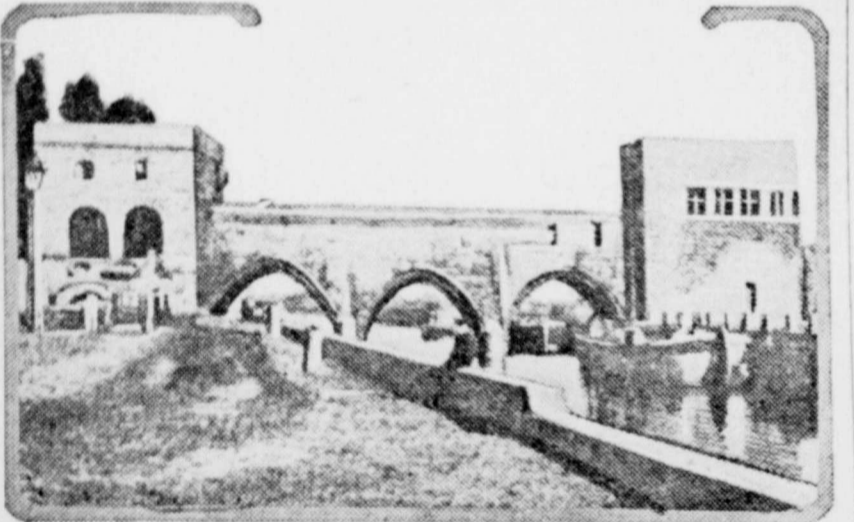
The Grand Place and Cathedral.

TOURNAI, the oldest city in Belgium, once the capital of the Merovingian kings, is truly a city of romance, whether we think of the tomb of Childeric, the father of Clovis, with its wonderful treasures, discovered after being lost to sight for nearly 1,200 years, or of the poor, deluded youth, Perkin Warbeck, the tool of the Yorkists, and through them brought to an ignominious death, says a writer in *Sphere*. For us in England perhaps its primary interest centers in its being the birthplace of Perkin, whose real name was Pierce Osbeck. This strange impostor was the son of a simple Flemish weaver. Made a puppet of by some of the Yorkist party, including Margaret of York, dowager duchess of Burgundy, to personate Richard Duke of York, whom they declared had not been murdered in the Tower with his brother, but had escaped and been concealed, only awaiting an opportunity to declare his royal birth, he succeeded for a time in exciting a formidable revolt against the king, Henry VII.

After many strange adventures and much ill success, in spite of the recognition of his claims by the kings of Scotland and France, Perkin, finding himself insufficiently supported in his sorry fraud and realizing that he "had not the heart of a king," but only "the heart of a weaver's son," made confession of his imposture and was imprisoned in the Tower. Soon after, on attempting to escape, he was hanged at Tyburn, finishing with a rope round his neck instead of the promised crown upon his head.

Tomb of Childeric.

An interest wholly different from this passing futile deception, however romantic some of its circumstances may have been, attaches to Tournai when we think of it as the seat of the Merovingian kings. In 1653 some workmen, whilst digging foundations for a hospital, came upon a collection of gold ornaments, a sword mounted



The Pont des Trous Over the Escaut.

with gold, some remains of human bones and a gold signet ring bearing the inscription, "Childeric." Here was the key to discovery, for the presence of the ring led experts to consider that this was the burial place of Childeric, king of the Sallian Franks, whose capital was at Tournai, and who died in 481.

This conjecture was further strengthened by an examination of the different objects, which were of such fine workmanship that they could only have been wrought for some great chief or royal personage. The hilt and scabbard of the sword were mounted with gold, enriched with a mosaic of garnets and other precious stones held in gold cloisons. Gold ornaments in the form of bees, and having the wings outlined with an inlay of garnets set in gold, and also a small votive object in the form of a bull's head, with the solar disk on the forehead, recalling Mycenaean examples, formed part of the treasure, and on the ring bearing the king's name was engraved the head of a man with the long, straight hair worn by the Merovingians, and with the gold torque or collar round his neck. Perhaps this was meant for a representation, as near as might be, of Childeric.

This rare treasure, after changing hands two or three times, eventually found its way to the Cabinet des Medailles, Paris. In 1831 thieves, in an evil hour, broke in and stole almost the whole of it, leaving behind them only the mounting of the sword, two golden bees, a fibula and a few stray fragments.

The golden bees had been discovered in considerable numbers, and were thought to have decorated the royal robes, and it is interesting to recall that Napoleon, ever entering into the spirit of historical display, chose this decoration for his coronation robes.

Has Beautiful Buildings.

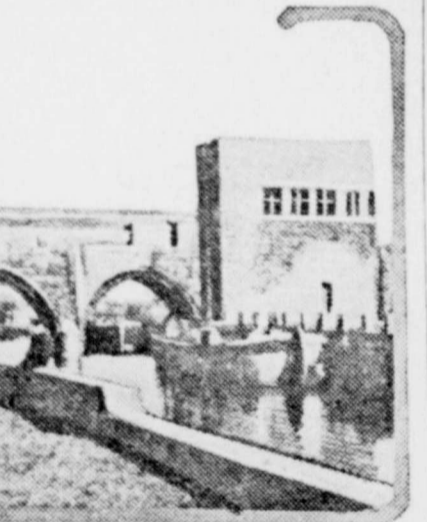
Tournai claims to be the oldest of the cities of Belgium, and is certainly one of the most interesting and most picturesque, and contains a large number of beautiful buildings. There has always been great sympathy between the people of Tournai and the French, and much intercourse between the town and Lille, just across the frontier.

In the Grande place stands a statue of the Princess d'Epinoi, who distinguished herself in the defense of Tournai against Alexandro Farnese in 1581. She fought in full armor and saved the town by her energy and courage. The beautiful cathedral is one of the finest examples of the Romanesque type of architecture, and challenges comparison with the splendid churches of northern France.

CANNOT RANK AS DIPLOMAT

General Smuts Disqualified Himself by His Unseemly Employment of Plain Language.

The language of the law is the most formal in the world and the most precise. It seeks the definite so ardently that, with its repetitions and whereases, it confuses its own message and only that rather perverted form of intellect, the legal mind, can wind through its labyrinthine verbiage. The language of diplomacy, borrowing something of formality from the law, is nevertheless far more dignified. The law deals merely with estates and private contracts. It decrees the fate of the individual. But the fate of nations may hang on the phraseology of diplomacy. Its greater importance has



The Pont des Trous Over the Escaut.

imparted to his diction greater dignity. And the purpose of words in diplomatic exchanges being to conceal thought, as Talleyrand said, the language of chancelleries is far more liquid. It must fit the cast of the particular die into which it is poured.

So we must conclude that General Smuts is not a diplomat. He has not the diplomatic method of expression. When the general met a diplomat, trained in the school of Metternich, to discuss informally a separate peace with Austria, he put the question of such a peace squarely to the be-ribboned, bestarred representative. There was hesitation and equivocation. "Good-night!" was the general's exclamation as he left the confused diplomat.

General Smuts may not wear shirt sleeves in diplomatic councils, but this use of the vernacular shows that his verbiage at least takes its coat off. The acid touch of a bit of slang put an end to the prolonged ambiguities and deceptions of which diplomacy is so fond.

His Retort.

"You should work for something besides money."

"If you mention something besides money that my grocer and coal man will take, I'll be glad to work for it."

Mutual Help.

"I understand from what your wife says you help each other with the house bills."

"Sure we do. She hands me the bills and I foot them."

THE KITCHEN CABINET

Die we must, but why be dying
All our days?
Turn away from faithless sighing,
Turn to praise.

Show the courage of glad living
In earth's need,
And thy witness of thanksgiving
Men will heed.

I. C. Rankin.

A FEW GOOD COOKIES.

Take one cupful of sugar, one-third of a cupful of shortening, two teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar and one of soda, one-half cupful of milk and a little flour sifted with the soda and cream of tartar; add the rest of the milk and flour. Roll out and place the following filling on one and cover with another:

Filling.—Take one cupful of raisins, half a cupful of sugar, half a cupful of hot water, one tablespoonful of flour and the juice of half a lemon. Cook until smooth and thick. Put on the cookies and bake.

Ginger Cakes.—Take one and one-half cupfuls of shortening, one cupful each of sugar and molasses, two eggs, one teaspoonful of soda, dissolved in a half cupful of boiling water. Ginger, cinnamon, cloves and salt to taste. Add flour to roll and let stand on ice to chill before rolling.

Fruit Cookies.—Take three eggs, one scant cupful of shortening, one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, two cupfuls of flour, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in one-half cupful of hot water. One cupful of grated coconut, one pound of dates cut fine, one teaspoonful of salt and lemon or vanilla extract for flavoring. This makes 40 small cakes. Bake in small tins or patty pans.

Jumbles.—Take one cupful of molasses, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of soda, beat well, add three beaten eggs, one cupful of brown sugar, one cupful of shortening, a half teaspoonful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of ginger, the same of cinnamon and four cupfuls of flour. Drop like drop cookies.

Ginger snaps.—Take one cupful each of shortening, molasses, brown sugar, add one beaten egg, one tablespoonful of ginger, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one teaspoonful of soda and flour to roll. Cook for six minutes after it begins to boll, the sugar, molasses and shortening; cool and add the egg, then the rest of the ingredients.

It is a good and safe rule to sojourn in many places as if you meant to spend your life there, never emitting an opportunity of doing a kindness or speaking a true word or making a friend.—Ruskin.

DESIRABLE DESSERTS.

During the winter, steamed puddings and those rich in fat are more suitable and appetizing than in warm weather, so now is the time to make baked Indian puddings and suet puddings as well as others, rich with dried fruit.

Steamed Graham Pudding.—Cream one-fourth cupful of milk. Sift together one and one-half cupfuls of sifted graham flour, three-fourths of a teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of mixed spices and a cupful of raisins. Add to the first mixture and turn into a well-greased mold, steam two and one-half hours. Serve with

Cream Pudding Sauce.—Cream one-third of a cupful of butter substitute with two-thirds of a cupful of sugar; mix two teaspoonfuls of flour with one-half teaspoonful of salt; add four tablespoonfuls of cold water and when well mixed add one cupful of boiling water, stir and cook until smooth and thick. Just before serving add the butter and sugar and beat in with a wire whisk. Flavor with orange and serve.

Savory Pudding.—When the hens are laying well will be a good time to serve this delicious pudding to the family. Scald one cupful of milk, add one-fourth of a cupful of butter substitute, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt; when the fat is melted add one-half cupful of flour and cook until the mixture becomes a smooth ball; add two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one cream cheese, grated rind of a lemon; press the cheese through a ricer and add to it the rind, then stir in the yolks of five eggs beaten thick and fold in the stiffly beaten whites. Put into a buttered baking dish and set in hot water; bake in a hot oven 40 minutes or until firm in the center. Serve with

Current Jelly Sauce.—Simmer one glass of Jelly, one cupful of boiling water and one-fourth of a cupful of sugar. When smooth add two teaspoonfuls of cornstarch mixed with three tablespoonfuls of cold water and one-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt. Stir until boiling, then cook for ten minutes.

Steamed Date Pudding.—Cream one-half cupful of fat with two-thirds of a cupful of sugar, add two-thirds of a pound of cooked chopped dates (pour boiling water over them and then drain), two beaten eggs, two-thirds of a cupful of bread crumbs, and the same of flour, two-thirds of a cupful of milk, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and half a teaspoonful of salt. Steam two hours. Serve surrounded with slices of lemon, holding hard sauce.

Hat of Black Satin.
An unusual hat is a Napoleonic model of black satin, the entire shape covered with an allover pattern of embroidery done in gold thread.

Nellie Maxwell

Coming Silks Cast Their Shimmer Before



We shall have plenty of chances to run after strange new gods in silk weaves; some of them glorious products of looms set to new tasks. There are wonderful silks among the novelties for spring; knitted-looking fabrics and familiar silks woven in an amazing variety of new patterns. Printed silks are slated for the new season and foulards in lovely colors are figured with flowers and leaves and made up often with plain georgette, in such lovely frocks that there are not two opinions as to their success. Their triumph is assured. Even tricot is shown in printed patterns and various tricot weaves proclaim that manufacturers foresee a vogue for this material greater than that it has already had. In cross bars of contrasting colors it is best adapted to sport wear, but in plain colors it makes a handsome dress for the street.

In the vanguard of silk frocks for spring there are the taffetas that women watch for and in which they have an abiding interest. Nothing so far has supplanted the taffeta frock. It holds its own because it is so wearable; that is, it is a versatile gown suited to many of the goings on that occupy the time of the women of today. The two-piece dress—or suit—

shown in the picture reveals as practical and pretty a frock as ever greeted a spring day.

This new model embodies some very interesting details in its makeup. First the skirt narrows toward the bottom and has a wide hem. Rows of long running stitches, arranged in five groups, run around the skirt, beginning with a group of three, uppermost, and adding one row to each group until that above the hem numbers seven. These long stitches of heavy silk constitute one variety of the "thread embroidery" that plays a prominent part in the season's styles.

The jacket or short coat widens at the hips—a departure from the straight silhouette that is noteworthy. It may be the forerunner of more curved lines to follow and welcome for variety's sake. A panel set in the front of the jacket is embellished with this thread embroidery and a double row of small buttons. Revers that widen toward the bottom and a neck finish in a fold of white georgette are pretty and the girle formed by three cords run in the silk is new. A buckle and three loops of silk-covered cord at each side finish it off. The cuffs command attention. They are made of deep plaits of the silk fastened down with little buttons.

ECONOMY CORNER

Blouses of georgette crepe are at least as numerous as any other kind, and become soiled as quickly. But they require special, but not difficult, treatment in washing and ironing. This is a work that women do for themselves, and it is worth while to do this work for chiffon, light weight silk, satin and lace blouses. Nearly everyone has learned something of the art of tinting or dyeing blouses, when time and wear fade those that are colored or yellow those that were white. Women who have learned how to launder their own fine blouses turn them out as good as new after unnumbered washings, or tint them into first one color and then another, according to their fancy.

The various manufacturers of dyes have placed on the market many colors that may be used for tinting by mixing with water. Colored crepe papers, soaked in water, yield several lovely tints. But one may get almost any color desired or match any hue by using tube paints and gasoline as a tinting medium.

The washing of crepe and other sheer fabrics is simply a matter of handling them gently. Make a warm suds of water and white soap and dip the blouse repeatedly in this, squeezing the sordid portions in the hand or rubbing them very gently. If much soiled wash through a second suds and rinse in clear, tepid water. Do not twist or wring to dry, but lay in a towel and run through a wringer. Do not allow to dry before ironing, but fold in a Turkish towel for awhile and iron while damp. Use a moderately hot iron and iron on the wrong side, stretching the material to its proper shape—otherwise it will shrink. Do not allow any part of the waist to become dry before ironing. If it is necessary to iron part of a crepe or silk waist on the right side, owing to the way in which it is made, place a thin muslin between the iron and the fabric.

When a crepe waist is to be tinted it is first washed and rinsed. After that it is rinsed in a water to which color has been added. This color can be bought in drug stores and sometimes in other shops. For pink very pretty tints can be got from red tissue paper, and lovely yellow hues are obtained in

this way, using much deeper shades of yellow paper to make them. To get just the right tint it may be necessary to experiment by first tinting small pieces of crepe or a portion of the waist that is covered by the skirt. The blouse will look lighter when it is dry than when it is wet. It is better to deepen the tint by redipping than to make it too strong at first. The method of tinting with gasoline will be given in another article.

Julie Bottomley

Dainty Quilts.
Scraps from old dancing frocks of taffeta or satin in pastel shades make very dainty quilts for the boudoir. One charming quilt of this kind was evolved from a cast-off evening coat of pale pink silk in a morning glory shade and a discarded dance frock of rose flowered white pussy willow taffeta. The pattern was done in triangles, and the blocks joined by strips of pink satin ribbon. It was lined with plain thin silk with a sheet of cotton wadding laid between.

Veiled Shoulders.
The overdress of one evening model is made high in the back and low in the front, as it is now considered more becoming to veil the shoulders. The girle of sapphires gives the finishing touch of richness. Such a design would be effective if carried out in a white satin with an overdress of black lace and a girle of jet.

Furs and Velvets.
Taupe velvet is popular, because it is so soft in shade and so lovely with moleskin. Mole skin or heavier combines perfectly with shades of taupe. Ermine is used with best effect on black velvet, though this color is beautifully combined with kolinsky on account of the black markings which run through the brown hairs.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

BIDDLE BIRDSALL'S FRIEND.

"A good long time ago," said Daddy "I told you the story of Biddle Birdsall. He was a cat, as you may remember, and he belonged to a little girl named Gertrude who had called him Biddle when she was very young and could not say Kitty.

"Now, Biddle Birdsall has grown of age, and so has Gertrude, and while Biddle Birdsall still lives in the farmhouse, Gertrude has to be away almost all of the time at a boarding school the winter and at a summer camp the summer.

"But since the time I told you a story of Biddle and Gertrude, a little cousin has come to live near the house where Biddle is.

"Strangely enough her name is Kitty. And Kitty, the little girl, and Biddle the big kitty-cat, are great, great friends.

"Kitty loved Biddle the moment she saw him. She loved his soft gray fur, his funny green eyes, and she loved



"Oh, Kitty, I'm Glad You've Come."

hear the tinkle of the little bells which jingled from his collar. These bells were to let the birds know that Biddle was coming, so they could get away in time, for cats move so soft when they are about to prey on little birds.

"Kitty always called to Biddle when she went to her aunt's home, where Biddle lived; but one day she thought she would walk in very quietly.

"What do you think happened? Biddle knew her footsteps. He knew he had fried Kitty from all the other children who came to the house where he lived, and many children would come to play there where there were sorts of wonderful things for children.

"Yes, Biddle knew Kitty's footsteps from all the others, and he arose from his comfy couch, gave a little, faint sound, something between a tiny squeak and a purr and rushed out to meet Kitty.

"It was his little welcoming song, Kitty, and it was as though he said: 'Oh, Kitty, I am so glad you come. I love to sleep, I love to lie down to do nothing but lie near the fire in the winter, and in the sun in spring and autumn, and in the shade when it is too broiling hot in the summer.

"I love to eat and I love to drink milk. I care for comforts and a home and fine food and fine cushions. I do it all.

"But I like you better than all these things, Kitty, and so I always get up to greet you. You don't see me, but I am here, and I am glad to see you. Of course Kitty was delighted when Biddle got up to greet her and she went to her aunt's house. And he never made a mistake. Never, not once, did he get up to make a mistake and give out a curious sound of greeting to anyone else except Kitty. He could hear step when he was way inside the house and couldn't see her at all.

"And when she didn't come up to the house in quite a good long time he would purr to be let outside. He would get very close to the door and let everyone know just what he wanted.

"They he would hurry down to his house and sit on her door waiting until she would come out. "She would fondle him and pet him. He would follow her when she played and when she walked. When she was reading a story book he would sit near her and go to sleep, or else he would be quite quiet, taking little naps, blinking from time to time to see if Kitty was still interested in her book.

"I don't care to read at all," he thought, "but I do care about Kitty and if she cares so long as I am by her, I am happy as long as I am by her." "So, tonight," continued Daddy "I am telling you another chapter in the life of Biddle Birdsall. Perhaps in future time I will tell you still another. But I think we ought to call this chapter by this name, 'Biddle Birdsall's Friend.'"

"That would be a good name for said Nick.

"Indeed it would," agreed Nancy. "To think Biddle always knew my step," said Nick. "That seems wonderful to me."

"And to think how he greeted Kitty," added Nancy.

"Yes," said Daddy, "and only Kitty will Biddle ever make that sound of something which to me means:

"I am so glad to see you, Kitty."

A Dry Joke.
"Did you hear what they do to ferrymen when they're late?"
"No; what do they do?"
"Back 'em, of course."

The Thirteenth Commandment

By RUPERT HUGHES

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FOREWORD.

"The Thirteenth Commandment" is an American story written by an American for Americans. It is, according to a famous English critic, "American to the bone and to the marrow of the bone." It deals with that eternal conflict between finance and romance. It tells the story of what one lovable, modern American girl did when she discovered how often the checkbook's groan drowns the love song. In this story Rupert Hughes is at his best, and that best cannot be surpassed by any American author of the present day. If you start "The Thirteenth Commandment" you will finish it, and when you have finished it you will be glad that you started it.

CHAPTER I.

As usual nowadays, instead of looking at the door Fate called up at the telephone.

Though the bell shrilled almost in the Kip's ear she would not answer. She winced, shook her head, and regarded her rocking chair with petulance, considered vindictively, and harshly each called out as sighed very softly toward the hallway:

"Daphne! Oh-o, Daphne! the telephone again?"

On the stairs there sounded a scurry like the rush of an April shower chased down a hillside by the sun. An allegory of April darted across the room and raised the telephone to her lips as if it were a sister of good cheer.

Her mother was used to this humor and Daphne paid no heed till a sudden frost chilled the warm tone of the girl's voice. The smile of hospitality wasted on the telephone had no place to a look of embarrassment.

"Won't you get in?" said Daphne, pointing to her car. She made him crowd in first, then followed and closed the door and pulled the throttle.

He meditated aloud: "How wonderful it really is that you should talk to me over the telephone and invite me to your home and come and get me like this."

"What's so wonderful about that?" said Daphne. "Everybody does it."

"Everything that everybody does is wonderful," said Wimburn. "But how especially wonderful it is to live in a city where there are no walls about the gardens. Look! there aren't even fences. The lawns are all joined together and the houses are mostly windows. Everything is so open and free, full of sunlight and frankness. You're taking me home in this charming little glass showcase to introduce me to your mother. I tell you the world do move! A woman of today has a lot to be thankful for. You ought to be mighty happy."

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He sank back discouraged. The sex was still insatiable.

After a short ride they turned into a driveway leading through a spacious expanse of grass dotted with trees and shrubs, to a homelike house without beauty or ugliness—a house that had

standing under the porte cochere. The car was very large for a beetle but pretty small for an automobile.

CHAPTER II.

The night train from New York had deposited Clay Wimburn in the grimy cavern of the station at an early hour. He had dawdled over his breakfast, feeling lost without his New York morning papers.

When at last it grew late enough to telephone for an appointment with the man he had come to see he was disgusted to learn that the wretch would not be visible till the next day.

It was then that Bayard Kip's parting behest to call up his sister returned to Wimburn. He planned to compose a formal note of self-introduction, but Bayard had forgotten to tell him his sister's name or his father's initials. There were several Kips in the telephone book, and he could not tell which would be which. He decided to call up each number and ask a maid or somebody if Mr. Bayard Kip's people lived there.

The very first number he called brought Daphne herself suddenly voice to voice with him. Voices are characters, and it was a case of love at first hearing with him. She had him smiling and cooling at the second phrase. He felt that she was going to make his stay in Cleveland pleasant.

He formed all sorts of pictures of her while he waited on the hotel steps, but when she stepped out of her car and looked about she was none of the Misses Kip he had planned. She was a round, pretty little thing, amiable of eye and humorous about the lips, and cunningly dressed. She looked as if she would be a plucky, tireless sportswoman; yet she had a wistful, tender hugeness that a girl ought not to lose, however well she plays tennis.

"Is this Mr.—" she began. He was too nervous to notice her pause.

He retorted, "Is this Miss Kip?"

He noted that she shook hands well, with a boyish clench accompanied by an odd little duck of the head.

"Mighty nice of you to take me off this desert island," he beamed.

"Mighty glad to have the privilege," she said as she verified the fraternity pin on his overcoat. "Mother is dying to hear how Bayard is."

Mother has little power left as guardians, but the children find that the title has a certain value at times in keeping order.

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grown with the personalities of the occupants. The only ostentations about the place were the cupola of an earlier day and the porte cochere stuck out like a broken wing.

She led him into the house and waved him toward the hall tree. When he had set down his hat and stick she led him into the drawing room.

"Mother, we're home."

"Yes, dear," said Mrs. Kip, who called Daphne "dear" before company.

"Mother," said Daphne, "I want to present Mr.—" (mumble—gulp). She had not yet achieved his name.

Her mother shocked her by saying, "Delighted to meet you, Mr.— I didn't quite catch the name."

Daphne blushed for her mother's query, but was glad to overhear the stranger's answer:

"I am Mr. Wimburn, Mrs. Kip—Clay Wimburn."

At this moment a tall, shambling man walked in. He looked as if he looked older than he was. His spectacles overwhelmed a rather unsuccessful nose, Daphne hardly needed to introduce him as her father. She gave Wimburn a name now, and he felt called upon to explain his incursion.

"I know your son Bayard very well. I'm in his office. We belong to the same fraternity—different chapters of course. We struck up a great friendship. When he knew I was coming to Cleveland he said, 'Tell my sister to be nice to you, and—'"

Wimburn paused in some embarrassment before the ballroom manner of Mrs. Kip, but the pompous disguises of timidity fell from her as she murmured—and blushed in a motherly way:

"Daphne told me. He said for you to kiss his mother for him."

"Yes."

"Well, I am his mother."

"Oh! May I?"

"Will you?"

He pressed his lips respectfully on her cheek, but she, closing her eyes to imagine him her son, flung her fat arms about him and held him a moment. He kissed her again with a kind of vicarious devotion.

"I'd want Bayard to deliver such a message to your mother," she explained.

Already Wimburn was a member of the household; he had been kissed and sympathized with.

He turned to Daphne with an apologetic look and saw that she was staring at him with scfter eyes than he had thought she had.

Definite anxieties engaged Mrs. Kip, for tea had come in tottering on a tray carried by a panic-stricken cook, as agile as a hippopotamus and as shy as a violet.

Daphne and her mother and father went through the tea ceremony with the anxiety of people in an earthquake, and the "Swedish dromedary" stared at the unaccustomed sight as if the tea bibbers were drifting poison and she watching for the convulsions to begin.

Clay Wimburn talked altogether about Bayard and his wonderful progress in business in spite of the hard times. Bayard, he said, was sticking to his desk like a demon, and he let nothing distract him.

"It must be glorious living in New York," Daphne sighed.

"Why don't you come and pay Bayard a visit?" Wimburn suggested.

"He wouldn't have time to take me anywhere, and I don't know anybody else there."

"You know me. And I'd be only too glad to try to repay your hospitality to me."

Mrs. Kip looked on and listened with the fond alarm of one who has seen fatal courtships begun with just such fencing.

When at length Daphne suggested that there was still time to rush down to the Hotel Statler for a dance or two Mrs. Kip smiled at her. Wimburn did not know that he had been brought home on approval. Mrs. Kip realized that he was not to be returned as impossible. Her fancy gambled in futures.

Wimburn was the victim of an onset of that delirium amans known as love at first sight. He was at the right age, and he found something exotically captivating in this strange girl in the strange city. He was poisoned with love, and his opinion of Daphne was lunatically fantastic. No one in the world equalled her. No one ever had equalled her or could equal her in any future ever.

Spring and love are the perennial miracles, always new, always amazing. It was springtime in Wimburn's years and in the calendar of the world; and countless other youth of mankind, animal kind, bird and fish kind, flowers and fruit trees, and perhaps of chemicals in the ground were feeling the same mania.

Daphne's cordiality was at first merely the hospitable warmth of her unusually cordial community. But she caught the fever from Wimburn and decided that he was the final word in human evolution.

They began to dread the society of others, to resent the existence of a

squatter population on their private planet. The world was too much with them. The little car was transparent. Even at night etiquette required them to light it up within.

Wimburn did not return to New York so soon as he expected. It seemed impossible to uproot himself from that pleasant soil. One afternoon when he had already overstayed his furlough Daphne and he were riding in the little car through the outer suburb known as Shaker Heights—a section rapidly evolving from a sleepy religious community to a swarm of city residences.

The late afternoon moon had risen in a sky still rosy with the afterglow of sunset. The air was marmurous with pleading.

Suddenly Wimburn cried aloud, to his own surprise and hers, "Daphne! Miss Kip! I can't stand everything, you know! I'm only human, after all."

"What's the matter?" she asked in prosaic phrase but with a poetic flutter of breath.

"I love you, d—n it!—pardon me, but I'm infernally in love with you. I'm tormented. I came here on business, and instead of my finishing it you've finished me. I'm two days overdue in New York and I've had to lie to the office to explain why. And all I can think of now is that I'd rather resign and starve to death than go back and leave you here."

"Honestly?" she barely breathed.

"Desperately!" he moaned. "What's to become of me?"

"You'd better go back, I suppose. You'll soon get over it and find somebody else to love."

"There's nobody else in the world worth loving. I'd die if I gave you up! I'd simply die."

He went on with aching anxiety: "Could you care for me just a little? If you could love me or just promise to try to, I could face my exile for a while. Do you think you could love me ever?"

She dropped her chin on her breast and sighed.

"I guess I do now."

The miraculous felicity of this situation overwhelmed them both. He clapt her in his arms and she flung hers about him, forgetting entirely the steering wheel. The neglected little car promptly scuttled off the road, crossed a gutter into a vacant lot, scooped up a "For Sale" sign, and was about to tip over into an excavation when Daphne looked up long enough to shut off the power. Then in a blind rapture she returned to where she belonged—his embrace.

Soon she was assailed with fears for the credibility of this wonder work, and when he said:

"When shall we announce our engagement?" she protested:

"Oh, not till we are sure."

"I'm sure now."

"But we must be terribly sure. It's such a dangerous thing, getting married. So many people who think they love each other find out their mistake too late. You don't know me very well."

"You mean you don't know me very well."

"I'm not afraid of you, but for you, I'd hate to disappoint you, and I don't really amount to much. I can't do anything except gad around; and you'd tire of me."

"Not in this world—nor in the next."

"It's darling of you to say it, and you think you mean it—now. But—"

"I know it, Daphne, honey, now and forever. I don't want anybody but you. Life won't be life without you. You've promised to be my wife. I hold you to your promise."

"All right." It was exceedingly satisfying to surrender her soul into his keeping. She had reached harbor already after so brief and placid a voyage.

He ended a long, cozy silence with the surprising remark, "I suppose I ought to ask your parents' consent?"

The daughter of the twentieth century laughed: "Parents' consent! You do read a lot of ancient literature, don't you?"

"Still I imagine we'd better break it to 'em."

"You leave it to me to break it to 'em. They'll be glad enough to get me off their hands."

"I'll never believe that."

When they reached her home it was late and his hotel was so far that, since he would be spending his last evening with her, anyway, she asked him to stay to dinner.

She broke that news to her parents, and it caused them acute distress. Her father and her mother were deep in the battle that always broke out between them when the monthly bills arrived. Daphne was so used to this that she hardly noticed it.

After dinner the parents retired to the living room to read and sew and mumble over their mutual grievances, while Daphne and Wimburn sat and the piazza which the moon turned into a blue portico of mystic spell.

that his hotel bill would require all of his funds except enough for the porter's tip and a few odd dollars.

He could not buy Daphne an engagement ring with a few odd dollars, and he was afraid to leave her without the brand of possession on her finger.

But how was he to come at the necessary sum? He could not decently ask the firm he was dealing with to lend him money. He might have asked it to cash a check on his bank, but his account was at the irreducible minimum.

After an hour or two of meditation he determined to board a jeweler in his lair and try to coax him into the extension of credit.

He loitered in front of several windows, staring at the glittering pebbles on the velvet benches till he found a tiny gem that he thought might feebly represent his exquisite adoration. He went in and asked the price. An eager salesman peered at the very small tag and announced the very large price—\$185. It was not much for a solitaire, but it was too much for that bachelor.

He clung to the counter for support and in a husky tone asked for the credit man. He was escorted to a barred window where a very sane old

FARM STOCK

CARE FOR COLTS IN WINTER

Youngsters Are Exposed to Extreme Cold and Must Be Maintained in Stables.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The high prices which horses of the better grade are commanding has been effective in increasing the annual colt crop in sections of the country which previously have neglected their opportunities along horse-raising lines. As a consequence the production of fall colts has increased.

It is desirable that these youngsters be accorded every chance to begin the winter season in the best possible condition, as, although they avoid the



Keep Only the Best Mares and Breed Them to Sound, Purebred Stallions of the Same Breed.

fly evil, they are exposed to extremely cold weather and of necessity must be maintained in stables most of the time until the grass season.

Joint-ill, a germ disease which causes the death of hundreds of newborn foals, should be controlled by ligation of the umbilical cord as soon as possible after birth and the subsequent swabbing of the small portion of the cord left pendant in a 1:500 solution of corrosive sublimate. The ill germs enter the body by means of the umbilical cord unless such precautions are taken. A piece of surgeon's silk should be bound around the cord as close to the body of the animal as possible. Then the sublimate solution should be applied to the pendulous portion of the cord twice daily until it drops off. The colt should be born in a well-lighted and ventilated stable and in a stall which has been disinfected thoroughly and bedded with clean, bright straw. After the birth of the colt the stall should be cleaned out and again disinfected while the litter should be burned.

BEANS FOR FATTENING HOGS

Several Experiment Stations Have Tested Soy Bean With Very Satisfactory Results.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

As a supplement to cornmeal for growing and fattening pigs the Wisconsin station found that ground soy beans proved about 10 per cent superior to wheat middlings, figuring the cost of the feeds as the same. The Indiana station compared rations of two parts of cornmeal and one part of soy-bean meal with cornmeal and wheat middlings in equal proportions and with five parts of cornmeal and one part of tankage for pork production. The soy-bean ration produced the largest daily gains, and this with the smallest quantity of feed consumed for each pound of gain. The Kansas station has tested the value of soy-bean meal in combination with cornmeal and with kafir meal in comparison with the two latter feeds alone in feeding hogs. The feeds were mixed in the proportion of four-fifths corn or kafir and one-fifth soy beans. Larger gains, varying from 13 to 37 per cent, were made in every case on the mixed rations than on corn or kafir alone. The Missouri station in a comparative feeding trial of soy-bean meal with linseed meal and tankage showed that the three feeds were equally effective in promoting the growth of young hogs.

PNEUMONIA IN SWINE HERD

Not Uncommon in Hogs, as Fat Animals Are Especially Predisposed to Disease.

Pneumonia is not uncommon in hogs, fat animals being especially predisposed to the disease. Frequently when hogs occupy warm, comfortable quarters and are then exposed to the cold, a sudden chill will cause inflammation of the bronchial tubes and lungs, bringing on pneumonia. Over-exercise of fat hogs is also a cause.



"I Have the Honor to Be Engaged to Miss Daphne Kip."

person gazed out at people insane enough to buy jewelry. Mr. Gasset had a look of hospitality toward cash and of shyness toward credit.

Wimburn hemmed and blushed and swallowed hard. With the plausibility of a pickpocket he numbed as he pushed a card across the glass sill:

"I am Mr. Clay Wimburn of New York city. I have been out here closing up an important deal for my firm with one of your big mills. I happened to see a little ring in your window—rather pretty little thing. Took a fancy to it. Had half a mind to buy it. But rather short of cash and—"

Mr. Gasset waited with patience.

Clay went on: "I have no right to ask you to give me credit. But I'm very anxious to leave the ring here."

"Leave it here! I thought you wanted to buy it!"

"Of course! I want to leave it on the finger of a young lady."

"Oh," said Mr. Gasset, to whom ladies' fingers were an important market.

Finally he said: "I don't suppose you would care to tell me who your fiancée is. That might make a difference."

"Why shouldn't I tell you? I'm certainly not ashamed of it. I have the honor to be engaged to Miss Daphne Kip."

Daphne, accompanied by her mother, goes to New York for the purpose of buying her trousseau. There the first shadow is cast upon Daphne's romantic dreams by the discovery that the money which her father has been able to raise for the purpose will not buy much of a trousseau. Don't miss the next installment.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Real Riches.

He who has fortune in love and truth and beauty is entitled to be called rich. Time and change and adversity have no power upon them. They are the only things a man can take with him when he goes. In the process of acquiring them they become part of him inseparably. He who has them "wears his commendation in his face," for it may be read as he passes that his converse is with the higher and finer things and his daily walk is on the plane where the noblest meet and greet familiarly.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

CHAPTER III

The next morning Wimburn woke from dreams of bliss to the realization

Already Wimburn Was a Member of the Household.



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 From the Republican, Mt. Gillad,
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 experience some time ago, when a
 young gentleman came to this office
 and asked for a copy of the Morrow
 County Republican. He scrutinized
 it carefully when a copy was handed
 him, and said: "Now I know!" "What
 is it you are looking for," we inquired.
 "My wife sent me after a bottle of
 Chamberlain's Cough Remedy,
 and I forgot the name. I went to
 several stores and the clerks named
 over everything in the line on the
 shelf except Chamberlain's. I'll try
 again, and I'll never go home without
 Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." The
 Republican would suggest to the
 proprietors of stores, that they post
 their clerks, and never let them substitute.
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 L. C. Waggoner, Editor and Owner
 Miami Texas.
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Some people can sit in a dentist's
 chair just about as calmly as they
 can sit in a church pew during a pub-
 lic collection.—Clarendon News.

Herb Hoover told two German food
 robbers in Belgium to go home with
 his compliments, and they promptly
 returned to Germany.—Pampa News.

That cool refreshing breeze that
 came up from the north last Monday
 reminds us of the unreliable nature
 of weather in this portion of the coun-
 try at this season of the year.—Can-
 adian Record.

WILL DRILL IN GRAY COUNTY.
 At a mass meeting in McLean
 Monday night a joint stock company
 was organized for the purpose of drill-
 ing for oil in Gray County. The
 newly formed company is called the
 McLean Oil and Gas Company.—Mc-
 Lean News.

The oil excitement is now reaching
 this section of the country, and we
 predict that many of our citizens will
 have a part of their hard earned sav-
 ings. Of course there are good oil
 propositions, but it is a hard matter
 to discern the good from the bad.
 The Dallas News recently issued some
 timely advice in the one sentence,
 "If you can't afford to lose money,
 don't invest it in the oil business."—
 Shamrock Texan.

It is said that the Equal Month
 Calendar Association is planning to
 divide the year into 13 months of
 twenty-eight days each. We rise to
 remark that we have had all the
 mucking with our time we care for.
 Let these theoretical experts take a
 back seat and allow Old Sol to run
 his business in the good old way. The
 country is cursed with Departmental
 theoreticians and fools who are every
 trying to start something new.—Lock-
 ney Beacon.

Not so very long ago folks were
 saying that America could not make
 any more stuff that would wear and
 fade. A big manufacturing firm re-
 cently made the statement that the
 German product was inferior to the
 American product and the United
 States had paid millions of dollars for
 coloring matter that was below par,
 only the people had not found it out.
 In the years to come we should patri-
 otize home industry and build up our
 own business and let Germany go
 hang.—Higgins News.

**At The Pastime Friday
 and Saturday**

FRIDAY
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 gram, consisting of a special feature
 and a Triangle Comedy. This pro-
 gram has never failed to please an
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 down before ordering.
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 extra fine Banded Plymouth Rock
 Cockerels at \$2.00 each. Also eggs
 at \$1.25 per setting of fifteen.
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**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO
 THE STATE CONSTITUTION, GIV-
 ING THE LEGISLATURE POWER
 TO GIVE OR LEND, OR AUTHOR-
 IZING THE GIVING OR LENDING,
 OF THE CREDIT OF THE STATE
 FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASSIST-
 ING CITIZENS, HEADS OF FAMIL-
 IES, TO ACQUIRE OR IMPROVE
 THEIR HOMES.**

House Joint Resolution No. 19
 To amend Section 50, Article 3,
 of the Constitution of the State of
 Texas, to provide that the Legislature
 shall have power to give or lend, or
 authorize the giving or lending, of
 the credit of the State for the purpose
 of assisting citizens who are heads of
 families to acquire or improve their
 homes; authorizing the State to ac-
 quire, improve, sell or lease real
 estate or assist such citizens to ac-
 quire or improve their homes upon
 terms and conditions prescribed by
 the Legislature; authorizing the Leg-
 islature to create such agencies as
 may be necessary to carry out the
 purposes of this section; providing
 that obligations created under this
 section shall never be taxed, and pro-
 viding that the Legislature shall have
 authority to provide a method of se-
 curing any deferred payments for
 lands purchased hereunder, and that
 such obligations shall be secured in
 addition to the usual liens by an an-
 nual assessment collected as a tax
 against the land; and providing that
 the Legislature shall have no power to
 relieve any person from any obliga-
 tion entered into under this provision
 or any statute enacted thereunder;
 and providing for the classification of
 lands acquired under this Act, and
 limiting acreage so'd to any one per-
 son whose lands are classed as agri-
 cultural.

It is received by the Legislature of
 the State of Texas:—
SECTION 1. That Section 50, of
 Article 3, of the Constitution of the
 State of Texas, be so amended that
 the same will read hereafter be as
 follows:

SEC. 50. The Legislature shall
 have no power to give or to lend, or
 to authorize the giving or lending, of
 the credit of the State in aid of or to
 any person, association, or corpora-
 tion, whether municipal or other, or
 to pledge the credit of the State in
 any manner whatsoever, for the pay-
 ment of the liabilities, present or pros-
 pective of any individual, associa-
 tion of individuals, municipal or other
 corporation, whatsoever, except that
 the Legislature shall have the power
 to give or lend, of the credit of the
 State for the purpose of assist-
 ing native-born or naturalized citizens
 who are heads of families and who
 become in good faith actual occupants
 to acquire or improve their homes;
 and for the purpose the State is
 authorized to acquire, improve, sell
 or lease real estate or assist such citi-
 zens to acquire or improve their
 homes upon such terms and conditions
 and in such manner and subject to
 such limitations as the Legislature
 may from time to time prescribe. Pro-
 vided that no land shall be acquired
 by the State under the terms of this
 amendment until the lands to be ac-
 quired are examined, and the value
 of said lands is appraised and ascer-
 tained as to its actual value for
 agricultural purposes, by a commis-
 sion hereby authorized, composed of
 the Governor, Attorney General,
 Land Commissioner, Comptroller of
 Public Accounts and the State Treas-
 urer; and their report shall be avail-
 able to all prospective land purchas-
 ers. The Legislature shall have
 authority to create by law such agencies
 as may be deemed necessary to
 effect the purposes of the Act. Oblig-
 ations created under this section
 shall never be taxed, and the Legisla-
 ture shall have authority to provide
 a method of securing deferred pay-
 ments for lands purchased hereunder,
 and in addition to the usual liens may
 secure the same by an annual assess-
 ment collected as a tax against the
 land; provided, however, the Legisla-
 ture shall have no power to relieve
 any person from any obligation en-
 tered into with the State under this
 provision or any statute enacted here-
 under. The terms of this Act shall
 not apply, or be extended to any per-
 son who is not a bona fide resident
 citizen of the State of Texas and who
 has not been such citizen at least two
 years prior to the extension of such
 aid, nor shall the terms of this Act
 ever be applied to any lands outside
 of the State of Texas. Provided fur-
 ther that all land acquired by the
 State under the provisions of this
 section for which the State may lend its
 credit shall be classed as agricul-
 tural lands or otherwise, and if class-
 ified as agricultural lands, then no
 more than 200 acres shall be sold to
 any one person under the provisions
 herein.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitu-
 tional amendment shall be submitted to
 a vote of the qualified electors of the
 State of Texas at an election to be
 held throughout the State on the 24th
 day of May, A. D. 1919, at which
 election all voters favoring said pro-
 posed amendment shall write or have
 printed on their ballots the words:
 "For the amendment to Section 50,
 Article 3, of the Constitution of the
 State of Texas, providing that the
 Legislature shall have power to give
 or lend or authorize the giving or
 lending of the credit of the State for
 the purpose of assisting citizens who
 are heads of families to acquire or
 improve their homes." and all those
 opposed shall write or have printed
 on their ballots the words: "Against
 the amendment to Section 50, Article
 3, of the Constitution of the State of
 Texas, providing that the Legisla-
 ture shall have power to give or lend
 or authorize the giving or lending of
 the credit of the State for the pur-
 pose of assisting citizens who are
 heads of families to acquire or im-
 prove their homes."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State
 is hereby directed to issue the neces-
 sary proclamation for said election
 and to have same published as re-
 quired by the Constitution and exist-
 ing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. That the sum of \$5000.00,
 or so much thereof as may be neces-
 sary, is hereby appropriated out of
 any funds in the Treasury of the
 State not otherwise appropriated to
 pay the expenses of such publication
 and election.

GEORGE F. HOWARD
 Secretary of State.
 (Attest: A true copy.)

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Large size tracing sheets of carbon paper at the Chief.

V. B. Christopher spent Sunday in Miami.

Miss Dale Anderson spent first of the week at Mobeetie visiting Miss Beulah Lee.

Jack Montgomery spent Saturday to Monday in Miami with homefolks. where he is engaged in the Hardware business.

Harry A. Nelson was in the city yesterday, and said he was going to "work over his Ford," but anybody who ever saw Harry drive on the road knows he is not going to try to fix anything about a car. We doubt if he would go back after it, should he loose the back seat, wheels and all.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Smyers and Mrs. J. B. Saul left first of the week for Bellevue, where they will spend a few weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Burchard have sold their Gageby Valley farm to Geo. B. Dunn, and the stock and implements to John Dunn and Roy Sewell, who took immediate charge, and Mr. and Mrs. Burchard moved to Miami. They are now occupying the Roy Trowbridge residence.

Arch Morrison and family moved to their ranch last week.

C. G. Frame leased the Claude picture show and left first of the week, expecting to open up for business next Saturday. His family and things will leave last of this week for their new location.

Judge and Mrs. T. M. Cunningham left first of the week for Hot Springs, Arkansas where they will spend a few weeks vacation.

Thos. J. Boney of the Bank of Miami made a trip to Amarillo first of the week.

Corporal Leo E. Fitzgerald, (Just ordinary Scoop in Miami) came in Tuesday on an eight day furlough from Camp Travis. Leo states that Earl Chisum and Happy Cayey are both now at Travis and expect to get their discharge in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Fwing of Higgins visited the Judge Ewing family first of the week.

Mrs. G. M. Moon spent Monday with Mrs. H. Russell on the Russell ranch.

Mrs. Pursley recently ordered a very fine Holstein milk cow which arrived first of the week. Dr. Carr also received one of this breed last week which is proving to be a very fine cow.

Rev. J. B. McCarley of Wheeler spent Monday in our city.

M. R. Coffee and A. T. Parton of Mobeetie were in our city on business last Thursday.

Doek Pursley received the first thousand copies of his new song last week and has already disposed of a goodly number of them. They are selling at 30 cents each, and the song is proving to be quite a nice hit. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lard, Miss Gladys Hall and Roy Lard sang it at the Pastime Saturday night to a packed house.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Craig Sr. was over from Wheeler after their daughter, Mrs. Dan Craig.

Mrs. Dan Craig of Lasalmas Colorado is visiting her sister Mrs. Joe Kubik.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Givens of Mobeetie is visiting their daughter, Mrs. Joe Kubik.

W. J. Johnston and C. M. Collier of near Mobeetie were in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Totty were trading in Miami yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wells went to White Deer yesterday on a short business trip.

Atty. C. Cffee has been out of the city this week on legal business.

Mrs. L. B. Robertson was hostess of Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society Wednesday afternoon. A social hour was enjoyed. We were favored by many laughable events. Delicious refreshments were served, after which each member declared it one of the most enjoyable meetings of the year.

Aid meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Pitts. Lesson book of Ezra. P. R.

HOUSE DRESSES. Newest fancy plaid at prices from \$2.50 to \$5.00 at Locke Bros. Dry Goods store.

NOTICE SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Texas, County of Roberts. Whereas, by virtue of a order of sale issued out of the District Court of Roberts County, Texas, on a Judgement rendered in said court on the 12th day of February 1919 in favor of N. S. Locke an Mark Huselby and against G. E. Freeman, No. 552 on the docket of said court, I did on the 5th day of March 1919 at 10 o'clock, a. m. levy upon the following described tract and parcel of land located in Roberts County, Texas and belonging to G. E. Freeman, to-wit: All of the North 1-2 of section No. 17 in Block No. 2, I. & G. N. Ry. co. land and containing 320 acres, and on the 1st day of April 1919, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on said day at the Court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said G. E. Freeman in and to said property.

Dated at Miami, Texas, this 5th day of March 1919.

L. A. Coffee, Sheriff of Roberts County, Texas.

Better see these new gingham and new house dresses at Locke Bros. Dry Goods store. They are nifty.

V. B. Christopher has just shipped in from Missouri a Double Standard Hornless Bull calf of rare preeding and heavy milking inheritance.

TO PARENTS

By instruction of City Council, for the safety of the children. I am ordered to keep all bicycles and roller skates off the streets in the business district viz, within the space enclosed by the turning posts.

Jack Wilson, City Marshall.

Well's Store has just received a beautiful new line of Dress Gingham and Percals. See them.

LEAVE YOUR sick watches and broken jewelry at the Central Drug Store for repairs.

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ACME WALL PLASTER
Lime, Post, Wire, Brick, Lath and Stucco

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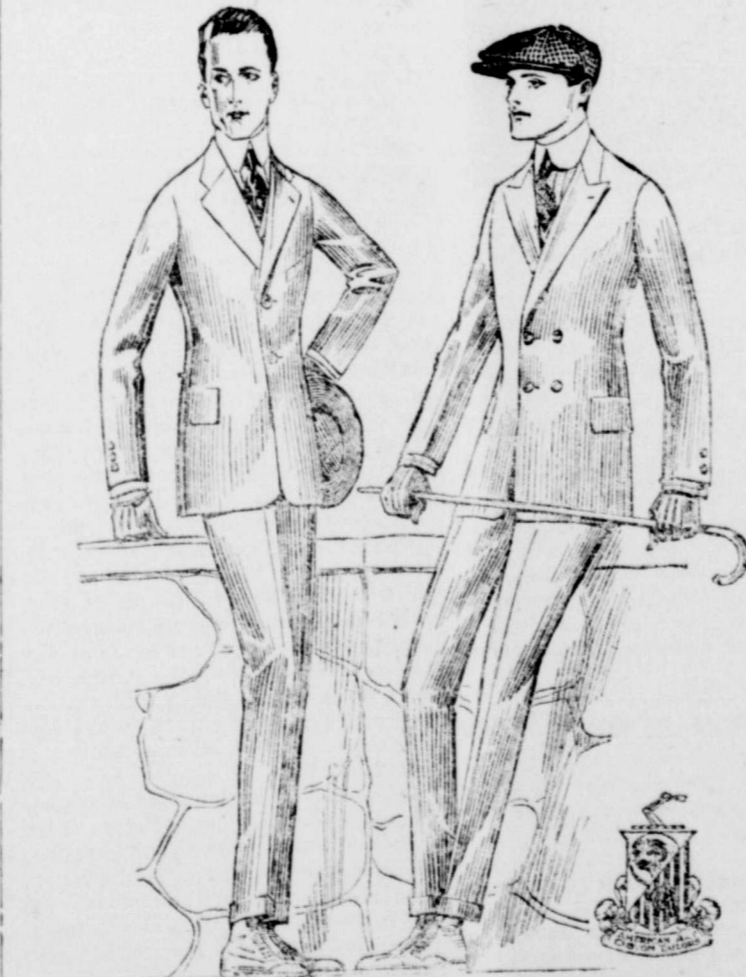
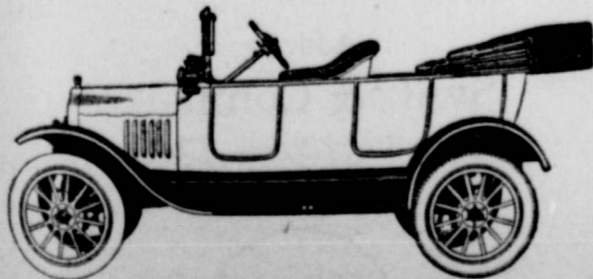
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Edw. J. Tureck, 4332 Eichelburger Ave., St. Louis, Mo., says: "I was taken with a terrible pain across the back and every move I made, it felt like a knife being driven into my back and twisted around. It lasted about half an hour, but soon came back and with it another affliction. The kidney secretions began to pain me; the flow was scanty and burned like fire when passing. I had severe headaches and my bladder got badly inflamed, too, and I noticed little particles of gravel in the secretions. Doan's Kidney Pills had been recommended to me and I began their use. The first half box brought relief and I passed a stone the size of a pea. It was a terrible ordeal and afterwards a sandy sediment and particles of gravel settled in the urine. I got more of the pills and they cured me. The inflammation left and there was no more pain or gravel. I now sleep well, eat well and my kidneys act normally. Doan's Kidney Pills alone accomplished this wonderful cure."



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Located.

"What's become of the old-fashioned man who used to push a perambulator about the streets?"

"I saw him the other day."
"What was he doing?"
"He was cranking his silver while his wife held the twins."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

When Baby is Teething GROVER'S BABY BOWEL REGULATOR will correct the stomach and bowels. Perfectly harmless. See directions on the bottle.

The Glass.
"Speech is a mighty engine of action." "I must admit it is often a hot-air engine."

Some pretty women are unconscious of their beauty, but the majority are not momentarily forgetful.

Weekly Health Talks

Where Most Sickness Begins and Ends

BY FRANKLIN DUANE, M. D.

It can be said broadly that most human ills begin in the stomach and end in the stomach. Good digestion means good health, and poor digestion means bad health. The minute your stomach fails to properly dispose of the food you eat, troubles begin to crop out in various forms. Indigestion and dyspepsia are the commonest forms, but thin, impure blood, headaches, backaches, pimples, blotches, dizziness, belching, coated tongue, weakness, poor appetite, sleeplessness, coughs, colds and bronchitis are almost as common. There is but one way to have good health, and that is to put and keep your stomach in good order. This is easy to do if you take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a wonderful tonic and blood purifier, and is so safe to take, for it is made of roots and herbs. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., stands behind this standard medicine, and it is good to know that so distinguished a physician is proud to have his name identified with it. When you take Golden Medical Discovery, you are getting the benefit of the experience of a doctor whose reputation goes all around the earth. Still more, you get a temperance medicine that contains not a drop of alcohol or narcotic of any kind. Long ago Dr. Pierce combined certain valuable vegetable ingredients—without the use of alcohol—so that these remedies always have been strictly temperance medicines.

If pines are torturing you, get and use Pierce's Anodyne Pile Ointment. The quick relief it gives is hard to believe until you try it. If constipated Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be taken while using Anodyne Pile Ointment. Few indeed are the cases which these splendid remedies will not relieve and usually overcome. They are so good that nearly every drug store has them for sale.

Both Beef and Milk

THE one breed that excels in both beef and milk is the Short-horn. Short-horn steers repeatedly broke the records at the markets in 1918, making the highest record on the open market of \$20.50 per cwt. And Short-horn cows have milk records of over 17,000 lbs. per year. It is the farmer's breed, having extra size, quality and quiet temperament.

GERMANY MUST PAY

Hun Ships Should Replace Vessels Sunk by U-Boats.

MUST PAY AND PAY AND PAY

Stolen Machinery Being Used by the German Factories, Together With Destroyed Property, Must Be Replaced.

By WRIGHT A. PATTERSON.

More than two million American soldiers crossed the Atlantic that they might help fight the battle of civilization and defeat the selfish ambitions of the people of the German nation. I crossed the ocean in a convoy which carried some thirty thousand of these men, and for nearly fourteen days it was my privilege to share with them the dangers of the sea and the dangers of the German submarines. I saw these men crowded into the hold of small ships that they might the more quickly go to the rescue of that civilization for which we were fighting; I saw them as they were tossed about by the terrific seas driven by gales that reached a maximum of 100 miles an hour; I saw them die of exposure as the seas beat in upon them; I saw their bodies consigned to the waters of the broad Atlantic; in the convoy with which I crossed one of the ships went down in the storm, carrying with it nearly five hundred of these American soldiers.

And these things happened because the German people had run amuck, driven to it by a selfish ambition for world domination and loot.

Are these people to escape a just retribution? Are they to escape payment?

I saw in Europe the mourning relatives of women and children who had perished in the Irish sea because of the depredations of a German U-boat. These women and children were traveling in a merchant ship on peaceful errands, but they were sent to their deaths without warning, and without any opportunity of being saved.

Must pay for Many Crimes.

Should the people who were responsible for these deaths of women and children escape without punishment for their crimes?

That civilization which defeated the Huns will demand that Germany pay

man money, be assigned the task of rebuilding the destroyed cities and towns and villages so far as that can be done. Germany was able to do without the constructive labor of millions of her men while they were engaged in destroying these cities, towns and villages, and now let her continue to do without this constructive labor while her men rebuild that which they have so wantonly destroyed. Germany's men have been satisfied to work at the destructive trade of the soldier for the meager pay of a German soldier, and now let them be employed at constructive work in the sections they have destroyed, for the same meager pay, and this to be paid by Germany.

The German people have stolen from Belgium and France much of the machinery and other valuable and portable property they found in the invaded districts. Much of the stolen machinery is running today in German factories, and with it the German people are earning a livelihood while the people of Belgium and northern France are idle because of a lack of opportunity. German employers are prepared to reap a trade harvest as soon as they are again allowed to enter the field of world trade because they have this machinery. With it they can capture the markets that have been held by the French and Belgian employers, who have been put out of business by the depredations of Germany.

The immediate return of this stolen machinery and other property should be forced, and where its return is not possible it should be replaced with equivalent machinery from German factories, and the machinery and property destroyed should be replaced in the same way just so far as that is possible.

Force Payment for All Damage.

These methods will pay but a small part of the debt of the German people to the world, but they will aid in some degree in undoing what the Huns have so ruthlessly done. Along with these should be a money compensation for the nations that have suffered so cruelly at the hands of the German nation and the German people. A money compensation the payment of which should be extended over a period of many, many years, that not only the present, but future generations of the German people may learn, from the effort that is needed to pay, that selfish, wanton war is unprofitable.

Judging from the German prisoners with whom I talked in France, I do not believe that the Germans are today a repentant people. They feel that they are temporarily a defeated peo-



Yankee Doughboys, Mopping Up Ground Captured From Germans in the Forest of Argonne, Pause for Rest Among Shattered Stumps of Once Beautiful Grove.

ple, but many of them expressed the thought that there would come a time of reckoning for the world when Germany would come into her own and German "kultur" would be forced upon the people of the world.

It will take many, many years to breed out of the German people their present ideas of world conquest, and this can only be accomplished by making the generations yet to come pay and pay until they, too, have learned that war for selfish purposes, war to gratify selfish ambitions, can never be profitable.

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A new labor-saving device employed by a pulp manufacturer is a big revolving drum in which a number of logs are placed and tumbled about until all the bark has been removed, preparatory to grinding them up for pulp. This method of handling, says Electrical Experimenter, does away with the task of removing the bark with knives. The drum is 30 feet long and about 10 feet in diameter, and is composed of angle-iron strips fastened inside metal hoops, one edge of each strip projecting inward and throwing the logs about. Not only does the drum dispense with the labor of several men, but it saves a considerable amount of wood which is wasted by removing the bark in the old way. The labor involved in handling the logs is further reduced by using a conveyor which brings them to the drum and carries them away.

THE KINSHIP OF THE NEW AMERICAN

Aims and Ideals of the United States and Canada Will Soon Be Signed.

The war is over, peace will soon be signed, the fighting nations have sheathed their swords, and the day of reconstruction has come.

What of it? Hundreds of thousands of men, taken from the fields of husbandry, from the ranks of labor, from the four walls of the counting house, and the confines of the workshop, taken from them to do their part, their large part, in the prevention of the spoliation of the world and in the meantime removed from the gear of common everyday life, will be returned, only to find in many cases old positions filled, the machinery with which they were formerly attached dislocated.

Are they to become aimless wanderers, with the ultimate possibility of numbing an array of menacing dangers? If they do it is because their ability to assist in laying new foundations, in building up much required structures, is underestimated. Men who have fought as they have fought, who have risked and faced dangers as they have, are not of the caliber likely to flinch when it comes to the restoration of what the enemy partially destroyed, when it comes to the reconstruction of the world the ideals of which they had in view when they took part in the great struggle whose Divine purpose was to bring about this reconstruction.

Inured to toil, thoughtful of fatigue, trained in initiative and hardened by their outdoor existence they will return better and stronger men, boys will have matured and young men will have developed of themselves lines of action and thought, and what their future should and will be. On the field of battle they developed alertness and wisdom, and they will return with both shedding from every pore.

Action was their by-word and it will stand them in good stead now that the din of the battle no longer rings in their ears, or the zero hour signals them to the fray, and it will continue during their entire existence.

But if they return to find their old avocation gone, their places filled, the institutions with which they were connected no longer exist, new walks of life and employment must be opened to them. It may be that the counting house, the factory, the workshop will have lost their attraction. The returned soldier will look elsewhere for employment; within his reach there is always the "Forward-to-the-Land" necessity. In this lies the remedy that will not only take care of a multitude of those who may not be able to return to their former occupations, whose desires are not to do so, whose health prohibits them from indoor life or whose outdoor habits from the past one, two, three or four years have given them such a taste and desire for it that confinement would be unbearable. Farm life will thus appeal to them, and the indications are that it will be taken advantage of by thousands. It means much to them as well as to the Continent of America that provides the opportunity to the world at large, and to the stricken and famished nations of Europe, who, not only today, but for years to come, will require the sustenance that can only largely be supplied by the United States and Canada. By following the pursuit of agriculture the returned soldier will continue the cause he so greatly advanced when fighting on the field of battle. Both countries have undeveloped areas yet open to settlement.

There is little need here to direct attention to the wealth that has come to the farmers of Canada within the past few years. It is not only in grain growing that unqualified and almost unequalled success has followed honest effort, but the raising of horses, cattle, sheep and hogs has been large source of profit. These are facts that are well known to the many friends and acquaintances of the thousands of farmers from the United States who have acquired wealth on the prairies of Western Canada. Farms of from one hundred and sixty to six hundred and forty acres of the richest soil may be secured on reasonable terms, and with an excellent climate, with a school system equal to any in the world, and desirable social conditions, little else could be asked.

Canadian statesmen are today busily engaged planning for the future of the returned soldier with a view to making him independent of state help after the immediate necessary assistance has been granted, the main idea being to show in the fullest degree the country's appreciation of the services he has rendered.

But, now that the war is ended, and the fact apparent that of all avocations the most profitable and independent is that of the farmer, there will be a strong desire to secure farm lands for cultivation. Canada offers the opportunity to those seeking, not as speculation but as production. The deepest interest is taken by Federal and Provincial authorities to further the welfare of the farmer and secure a maximum return for his efforts. Large sums of money are spent in educational and experimental work. Engaged in Experimental and Demonstration Farms, and in the agricultural colleges, are men of the highest technical knowledge and practical experience, some be-

ing professors of international reputation. The results of experiments and tests are free and available to all. Educational opportunities for farmers are the concern of the Government and appreciation is shown by the number of farmers who attend the free courses.

Agriculture in Canada has reached a high standard, notwithstanding which lands are low in price. Thus upon the United States and Canada for many years will rest the great burden of feeding the world. With free interchange of travel, difficulties of crossing and recrossing removed, Canada may look for a speedy resumption of the large influx of settlers from the United States which prevailed previous to the war. During the war period there was a dread of something, no one seemed to know what: if the American went to Canada he might be conscripted, put in prison, or in his attempt to cross the border he would meet with innumerable difficulties, most of which, of course, was untrue. These untruths were circulated for a purpose by an element, which, it was discovered, had an interest in fomenting and creating trouble and distrust between two peoples whose language and aims in life should be anything but of an unfriendly character.

The draft law of the United States adopted for the carrying out of the high purposes had in view by the United States during the period of the war, the citizen army of the United States was quickly mobilized, and contained a large percentage of the young men from the farms. In this way many were prevented from going to Canada.

That is all over now. There are no real or imaginary restrictions; there is no draft law to interfere. On the contrary there is an unfathomable depth of good feeling, and the long existing friendship is stronger than ever. This has been brought about by the knowledge of what has been done in the recent great struggle, each vying with the other in giving credit for what was accomplished. In thought and feeling, in language, in aims in life, in work, in desire to build up a new world, there has been bred a kinship which is as indissoluble as time itself.—Advertisement.

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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13.

A resolution to amend Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as follows: Strike out the words "Four Thousands," found in the third line of Section 5, and insert in lieu thereof the words "Ten Thousand," and adding after the word "furniture" the words, "and this clause shall be self-enacting," and making an appropriation to pay necessary expenses hereof.

Be it Resolved, by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section No. 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as hereafter to read as follows:

SECTION 5. ARTICLE IV. GOVERNOR'S SALARY AND MANSION

He shall at stated times receive as compensation for his service an annual salary of ten thousand dollars, and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture, and this clause shall be self-enacting.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, A. D. 1919, same being the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1919, and the Governor of this State is hereby directed to make the necessary proclamation for said election.

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and to have the same duly published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the general election laws of the State and the official ballot shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the words, "OFFICIAL BALLOT," and also the words, "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and also the words, "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas."

All voters favoring such amendment shall erase, by making a mark through the words "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and all voters opposing such amendment shall erase, by making a mark through the words "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas." If a majority of votes cast shall be "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes cast shall be "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," said amendment shall be lost and shall be so declared.

Sec. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, to cover the necessary expenses attached to the proclamation and publication of this amendment, and the Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation and cause the same to be duly published.

GEORGE F. HOWARD,
Secretary of State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING FOR AND RELATING TO EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7.

Proposing to amend Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas so that it shall hereafter, in substance, provide that every person, male or female, subject to no constitutional disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall reside in this State one year next preceding an election and the last six months within the district or county in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; provided electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; declaring that the electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; providing that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he or she shall offer to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that poll tax has been paid

before the first day of February next preceding such election; declaring that if said voter shall have lost or misplaced such tax receipt, he or she shall be entitled to vote, upon making affidavit that such tax receipt has been lost, which affidavit must be in writing and left with the judge of the election. And declaring that all laws now on the statutes relating to qualified voters and governing and regulating elections shall apply to male and female voters alike; and all laws relating to elections shall remain in full force and effect until changed or modified by the Legislature, and declaring that this amendment to the Constitution shall be self-enacting.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1.—That Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so that hereafter said section shall read as follows, to-wit:

Section 2.—Every person, male or female, subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall have resided in this State one year next preceding an election, and the last six months within the district or county in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; provided, that electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he or she offers to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing such poll tax paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing and left with the judge of the election. All laws now on the statutes of this State relating and relating to qualified voters in both primary and general elections shall apply to and govern and regulate both male and female voters, and shall be in effect until such statutes are changed or amended by the Legislature. And this amendment to the Constitution shall be self-enacting without the necessity of further legislation.

Section 3.—The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held for such purpose on the fourth Saturday in May, A. D. 1919, the same being the twenty-fourth day of said month; at said election, the votes shall be placed on an official ballot which shall have printed, or written, thereon the words, "For the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters," and also the words, "Against the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters." All voters favoring this proposed constitutional amendment shall erase the words "Against the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas," and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters," which said erasures shall be made by making a mark with a pencil, or pen through said words. All ballots cast, as above provided, shall be counted as cast for or against a proposed amendment, and if a majority shall be for the amendment it shall be declared adopted; if a majority of the votes cast shall be against the amendment, said amendment shall be lost. All provisions of the general election laws, as amended and enforced at the time said election is held, shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such elections, and in all other respects so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

Section 4.—The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and have same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Section 5.—The sum of five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation, publication and election.

GEORGE F. HOWARD,
Secretary of State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROHIBITING THE MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1.

A resolution proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amending Article 16, Section 20 thereof by striking out and repealing said section and substituting in lieu thereof a new Section 20, prohibiting the manufacture, sale, barter of exchange in the State of Texas, of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes, and providing that the Legislature shall enact laws to enforce this section; providing that until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different regulations on the subject of the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, for medicinal purposes shall be made only in cases of actual sickness, and then only upon the prescription of a regular practicing physician, subject to the regulations applicable to sales under prescriptions in prohibited territory by virtue of Article 598, Chapter 7, Title 11, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas.

(c) This amendment is self-operative, and until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different penalties, any person, acting for himself or in behalf of another, or in behalf of any partnership, corporation or association of persons, who shall, after the adoption of this amendment, violate any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and shall, upon conviction in a prosecution commenced, carried on and concluded in the manner prescribed by law in cases of felonies, be punished by confinement in the penitentiary for a period of time not less than one year nor more than five years, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentences. And the district courts and the judges thereof, under their equity powers, shall have the authority to issue, upon suit of the Attorney General, injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision.

(d) Without affecting the provisions herein, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of the State; and the Legislature shall have the power to pass any additional prohibitory laws, or laws in aid thereof, which it may deem advisable.

(e) Liability for violating any liquor laws in force at the time of the adoption of this amendment shall not be affected by this amendment, and all remedies, civil and criminal, for such violations shall be preserved.

Section 2.—The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, being the twenty-fourth day thereof, A. D. 1919. At said election, the vote shall be by official ballot, which shall have printed or written at the top thereof in plain letters the words, "OFFICIAL BALLOT." Said ballot shall have also written or printed thereon the words, "For Prohibition," and the words, "Against Prohibition."

All voters favoring said proposed amendment shall erase the words "Against Prohibition," by making a mark through the same, and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For Prohibition," by making a mark through the same.

If a majority of the votes cast at said election shall be "For Prohibition," said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes shall be "Against Prohibition," said amendment shall be lost, and so declared.

All the provisions of the General Election Laws as amended and in force at the time of said election shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such election, and all other respects, so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

Section 3.—The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 4.—The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation and election.

GEORGE F. HOWARD,
Secretary of State.

lation of any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed a felony punishable by confinement in the penitentiary for a term of years specified, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentence conferring authority upon the District Courts and judges thereof, under their equity powers, to issue upon suit of the Attorney General injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision; providing that, without affecting the provisions herein, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of this State; declaring that the Legislature shall have power to pass any additional prohibitory laws in aid thereof which it may deem advisable; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed constitutional amendment and prescribing certain rules and regulations with reference to the same; declaring that the provisions of the General Election Law shall govern in all respects as to qualification of electors and method of holding the election and in all other respects where applicable; directing proclamation for the election and making certain provisions for the election and ballots thereof and method of voting; prescribing certain duties for the Governor of the State; and making an appropriation to cover this resolution.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1.—That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by striking out and repealing Section 20 thereof and substituting in lieu of said Section 20 the following:

Section 20.—(a) The manufacture, sale, barter and exchange in the State of Texas, of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes, are each and all hereby prohibited.

The Legislature shall enact laws to enforce this section.

(b) Until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different regulations on the subject, the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, for medicinal purposes shall be made only in cases of actual sickness, and then only upon the prescription of a regular practicing physician, subject to the regulations applicable to sales under prescriptions in prohibited territory by virtue of Article 598, Chapter 7, Title 11, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas.

(c) This amendment is self-operative, and until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different penalties, any person, acting for himself or in behalf of another, or in behalf of any partnership, corporation or association of persons, who shall, after the adoption of this amendment, violate any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and shall, upon conviction in a prosecution commenced, carried on and concluded in the manner prescribed by law in cases of felonies, be punished by confinement in the penitentiary for a period of time not less than one year nor more than five years, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentences. And the district courts and the judges thereof, under their equity powers, shall have the authority to issue, upon suit of the Attorney General, injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision.

(d) Without affecting the provisions herein, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of the State; and the Legislature shall have the power to pass any additional prohibitory laws, or laws in aid thereof, which it may deem advisable.

(e) Liability for violating any liquor laws in force at the time of the adoption of this amendment shall not be affected by this amendment, and all remedies, civil and criminal, for such violations shall be preserved.

Section 2.—The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, being the twenty-fourth day thereof, A. D. 1919. At said election, the vote shall be by official ballot, which shall have printed or written at the top thereof in plain letters the words, "OFFICIAL BALLOT." Said ballot shall have also written or printed thereon the words, "For Prohibition," and the words, "Against Prohibition."

All voters favoring said proposed amendment shall erase the words "Against Prohibition," by making a mark through the same, and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For Prohibition," by making a mark through the same.

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Section 3.—The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Section 4.—The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation and election.

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