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SESSION OF COMMISSIONERS COURT.

NEW COUNTY CLERK APPOINTED

At the session of the Commissioners Court Monday of this week, Mrs. L. E. Craig offered her resignation as county clerk of Roberts county, which resignation was accepted and the appointment of M. M. Craig for the appointment was also accepted and Mr. Craig appointed County Clerk, filling the unexpired term of his wife. Mr. Craig qualified Monday and assumed the duties of office immediately. The Commissioners court sitting as a board of equalization raised the assessment of those who were cited to appear before them, whose tax return was considered too low. The usual run of accounts were allowed and ordered paid.

WHEELER COUNTY FARMER DIES.

R. L. Course living in Wheeler county on the line of Hemphill, died Wednesday of last week following a stroke of paralysis of the brain. The body was found by Mr. Course in the field where he had fell from his plow, and was taken to his home where he died the next day. Mr. Course was 44 years old, a member of the Christian church and lived in this country for about 20 years. He leaves a wife and four children. Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church in Miami Tuesday and the remains laid away in the Miami Cemetery. Rev. Pennington conducted the funeral services.

GREEN FANCY" A TYPICAL MCCUTCHEON STORY

When Graustark was closed to travel by the war, it seemed that Barr McCutcheon would have spent his literary efforts until the end of the peace; but Mr. McCutcheon was not to be side-tracked in any manner. He solved the problem by bringing his pen and ink to America. In "Green Fancy" the best story, Mr. McCutcheon tells a thrilling tale about an international conspiracy that is hatched in staid New England. He deals with conspirators, outwits the cleverest crook of two continents, rescues a countess in distress, and recovers the crown jewels of a royal European. Europe wins a charming Anyone who has read McCutcheon's stories knows what he would do in a plot of that kind. The Chief has purchased the sole rights to "Green Fancy" territory and it will appear in the Chief as a serial, beginning in an issue. Watch for the opening of this unusual story.



...that's the world's... You are measured... what you had, but by... you have. The man... bank account stands... the estimation of his...

THE STATE BANK

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W. B. BAIRD, Cashier.
A. TALLEY, Asst.

RED CROSS COLUMN

The Peace program of the American Red Cross will be outlined to chapter workers of the Southwestern Division of the organization at three conferences to be held, the first on June 16th, at St. Louis, the second on June 18th at Dallas, Texas, and the third on June 20th at Wichita, Kansas.

Dr. Livingston Farrand, Chairman of the Central Committee, and William Oughby, Vice-Chairman of the committee of the National Red Cross, both of Washington, will attend the conferences and be among the principal speakers. George W. Simmons, manager of the Southwestern Division, American Red Cross, who is now in Siberia at the head of the Red Cross Mission, is expected to return in time to address the meetings. He will tell of what the Red Cross is doing in Russia, Alfred Fairbanks, acting manager of the division, and division directors of departments going on a peace basis, will also speak.

Besides the regular conferences it is planned to have a monster mass meeting in each of the cities named, at which time Dr. Farrand, Walling, Simmons, and Fairbanks, will outline the future policies of the Red Cross. The mass meetings will be open to the general public.

Red Cross chapter workers are urged to attend the mass meetings to be held. According to officials these meetings will tend to strengthen the relationship between national, division and chapter officials, which is essential in the furtherance of Red Cross activities. All three conferences will be open to chapter delegates from any part of the division, which includes Arkansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas.

Dr. Farrand recently returned from Europe where he assisted in the formation of the league of Red Cross societies, the purpose of which is to unify the Red Cross organization of the world in a systematic effort to anticipate, diminish and relieve misery caused by disease and disaster.

Dr. Farrand's first announcement upon his arrival from abroad is that the work of the American Red Cross will not slacken until all the misery caused by war has been overcome. While the Red Cross of each nation will have its own part to play in the new work, a large proportion of the relief work must be undertaken by American organizations he declared.

"The most interesting and touching situation now confronting America and the American people," said Dr. Farrand, "is that in the Balkans and eastern Europe. The diseases which are liable to spring up among a people ill-nourished and with poor sanitary surroundings are beginning to ravage eastern and southwestern Europe. Typhus fever is spreading at an alarming rate.

"The main item in the peace program of the American Red Cross will be to use the membership 19,000,000 as machinery for the protection of public health. It has been decided to continue the Junior Red Cross, with its 9,000,000 members and to encourage them to help the children of Europe to obtain an education and fit themselves for their lifework.

"The relief of the distress and disease, the preventions of accidents and problems of motherhood, child welfare and sanitation will be important subjects on the program. First aid will be taught, together with home care of the sick. The Red Cross will also be prepared to alleviate distress at points where there is no other society."

CITY FIRE CART MOVED

The city recently purchased a new hose cart for the fire department and have placed same in the Dunivan blacksmith shop. The cart and hose are all ready for instant use, and can be pulled anywhere with an automobile or two or three men.

The City will soon build a house on the lot adjoining the shop for the purpose of housing the hose and cart, but until it is finished, the fire fighting furniture will remain in the shop. The water tank is full of water, and if we had a well drilled fire team, there would be very little danger of any fire spreading very far.

GRAY COUNTY SITE REMAINS AT LE FORS

PAMPA, TEXAS June 10—Gray County voters decided to retain the county site at Le Fors in a special election held here today, Pampa lacking 46 votes getting the necessary two-thirds majority. Four hundred eighty-seven votes were cast for Pampa, 312 for Le Fors, and one for Allenreed, totaling 800 votes. Eight alleged mutilated ballots were reported thrown out at McLean and three at Pampa.

Several scores of voters tonight signed a statement pledging themselves to support no candidate from Laketon, LeFors, McLean, or Allenreed for any public office. The signed also ask that the pledge be preserved and presented them before each election hereafter as a reminder as well as to have it published once every six months in the Pampa News.

TALKING IN MILLIONS.

If you didn't get at least two letters from soldier boys with the little Red Triangle in the corner of the envelope, you simply didn't get your share. More than enough envelopes were given out in the United States alone by the Y. M. C. A. from the time mobilization began up to April 1st of this year to send two letters to every person in the United States and leave an excess of some sixty millions besides.

The Y. M. C. A. distributed 270,385,624 envelopes in the home camps, not to mention those issued to A. E. F. in France, Belgium, Italy, Germany and Russia. Estimated attendance at the huts and other Y. M. C. A. buildings, maintained in this country from the beginning of the war had, by April 1st, reached the total of 343,040,616. Money orders sold over the Y. M. C. A. counters totalled \$19,078,013.22 and 186,309 entertainments were provided for the boys. Some 88,000 of the entertainments were moving picture shows. The total attendance at the entertainments was close to 80,000,000.

Educational classes conducted by the Y. M. C. A. in the various camps were attended by 6,998,851 men and the total attendance at the 47,272 lectures was 13,158,707, enough to make the average lyceum manager envious.

More than seven and three-quarter millions of books were loaned, and some 20,691,136 men attended the religious meetings that the "Y" conducted. There were, in addition to these, 118,313 Bible class sessions, the attendance at which was 3,115,585.

All the issues mentioned cover merely the activities of the Home work section and are in addition to the work done on the other side. Neither do they include the work done since April 1st of this year.

COUNTY LINE COUNTS

Mr. Arch Chisum and family are visiting at Quanah this week. Miss Virgie Wright of Pampa is visiting at the home of Mrs. Lee Cunningham.

Frank Russell returned home this week. Mr. and Mrs. Lowry spent Sunday afternoon with the W. A. Robertson family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gill and Mrs. H. P. Chisum and Mrs. T. I. Fulfer spent Sunday evening with Mrs. F. P. Chisum.

Last Friday evening a crowd of young folks of this community spent a very delightful time at the home of Clarence Bowers.

The Miami Base Ball team will play Pampa tomorrow on the Pampa diamond and will have Panhandle here Sunday afternoon for a big fast game starting at 3:30.

A NICE ASSORTMENT of new ladies and misses hats now on display. Mrs. M. L. Gunn.

THE REAL CHARACTER OF MAN

It is not reputation, Profession, position or any outward show that determines what a man is. Jesus said to the Pharisee "for Ye are like unto withered sepulchre which indeed appear beautiful outward but are within full of dead man bones; and of all uncleanness; even so ye also appear rich unto men, but within ye are full of hypocrisy, (Matt. 23. 27-27.) Solomon says of man, "For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he" (Prov. 23. 7) These statements of the bible furnish a rule by which a character is to be judged and estimated. It is a great thing to be able to form right conclusions concerning ourselves; it is not an easy attainment, but very important. The thoughts of the heart mark the real man. It is not according to his sayings, his professions, his worldly possessions, his social rank, or what friends or enemies may say of him; but according to the thoughts of his heart, that he is good or bad. The heart is the seat of our affections, feelings, purposes, and contemplations. We may outwardly appear rich and sincere, while our hidden motives and feelings may be of a different character. The man who kills a fellow human being is not the only murderer in the world. John says "Whosoever hateth his brother is a murderer" (John 3. 16) Earthly laws do not conceive of murder without the destruction of human life, but the feeling and intent of the heart without any external violence is enough to make a man a murderer in God's sight.

The desire for revenge, the feeling of malice and hatred, the wish of iniquity are the things that determine the character of man, ever though he commits no act of violence. The things that he thinks and wishes in his heart is what he is. Jesus said "For out of the heart proceed evil thoughts, murderers, adulterations, fornications, thefts, false witness, blasphemies; these are the things which defile man." (Matt 15. 19-20) A man may think profanity or curse in his heart and that decides what he is. To be wicked is not necessary for him to disgrace his speech with words of blasphemy; the desire and feeling of such a thing is sufficient to condemn him. Likewise an idolater is not he alone who bows down to images, or pays honor to mere creatures; he whose heart is full of greed, who worships self or mammon, or bestows his supreme reward on anything short of the true God, sets up an idol and makes himself an idolater. Paul says, "Mortify therefore your your members which are upon the earth: fornication, uncleanness, and covetousness which is idolatry, (Col. 3.5) Paul says covetousness is idolatry. The inordinate desire rather than the actual possession of wealth constitutes an idolater in this sense. There may be no unlawful outward seizure and appropriation of any effort to take another's holdings, or grudge or envy of the man's wealth but to covet yours and not his is sin. It is not so much the external act that determines man's guilt or innocence, as the internal thought which moves the act, whether embodied in outward deed or not. It is what a man thinks, intends and wishes that decides what kind of a person he is. The great sin in Simon the sorcerer was not in his proposition to buy the gift of the Holy Spirit with money, but in the condition of heart that led him to such question. Peter told him his heart was not right in the sight of God. Man's disposition is to look on outward appearance, but God looks at the heart. It makes very little difference what men think or say of God's children. It is enough that they stand justified in the sight of God. Of course it is difficult to bear the vituperations of lying tongues, it is not pleasant to have our honest endeavors misconstrued; but whether we get proper credit or not from men, if our hearts are right, our purposes honorable, our motives pure, there is no occasion to fret, or weary ourselves to be justified before others. Our standing before God is not determined by their judgement. Solomon says, "Keep thy heart with all diligence for out of it are the issues of life." In this true christian character has its being and on it our eternal destiny depends.

F. S. VANCE
Christian Church Minister.
Miami, Texas

There will be preaching at the regular hour at the Methodist church Sunday and all have a cordial invitation to attend.

GOODIES

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- Pure Peach Butter
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- Pure Apple Jelley,
- Pure Grape Jelley

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J. H. DIAL, PROP.

The long lost Windom Allen came in Saturday and received a glad welcome back among Miami people. Windom spent near a year at Camp Bowie, then several months in France and landed back in the United States April 1st, but has spent the time since then with homefolks in North Carolina.

Large size tracing sheets of carbon paper at the Chief.

J. H. KELLEY, Phg. M. D.

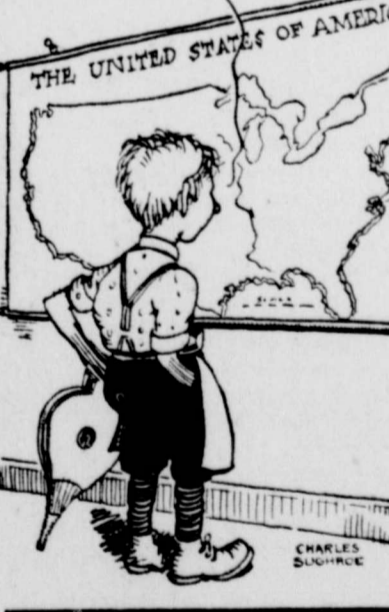
Physician and Surgeon

GENERAL PRACTICE

Office in the Christopher Bldg.
PHONE 73

MICKIE SAYS

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"For every dollar you can produce as a result of hard earned savings, made, in search of a partner, will lend on credit a thousand. It is not capital that men require; it is the man who has proved that he has the business habits that create capital."

Suppose you begin forming business habits by placing your first deposit with us tomorrow.

THE BANK OF MIAMI

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Roberts County Depository

The Thirteenth Commandment

RUPERT HUGHES

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CHAPTER XXIII—Continued.

Mrs. Romilly finished her wholesale order and wheezed out like a grand old automobile of an early model.

When they were alone the partners gazed at Daphne's list and then at each other.

"What on earth made you take it?" Mrs. Chivvis exclaimed. "You know we can't fill it."

"We're going to fill it."

"But how?"

"Darned if I know, but—Well, we'll have to get a lot of sewing-women in and sit up nights."

"But the material. We can't buy those things on credit."

"Then I'll borrow cash and pay for it."

"Borrow where? You said you wouldn't trouble your brother."

"I'm not responsible for what I have said or may say. Besides, I don't mind going to Bayard, now that I can go with success. I'll call on him in a business way and offer him interest and all that. I guess Mrs. Romilly's name is good enough collateral."

All unconscious of Daphne's affairs, Bayard was approaching his office.



Mrs. Romilly Finished Her Wholesale Order and Came Wheezing Out Like a Grand Old Automobile of an Early Model.

with the brisk manner of a triumphant capitalist. But that was bluff for outward effect. He was actually dizzy with loss of bearings and control.

Bayard had carried heavier burdens than Clay, and under the sting of Lella's whip had taken greater risks for higher prizes. The crash in the street had found him so extended that he could not recover without additional help. That very morning one of his brokers had called on him for a renewal of margins. He had to have five thousand dollars or he would lose fifty.

Rebuffed from every door, Bayard had gone to Wetherell's office—a mysterious sort of place surrounded by guards and secret service men to ward off the menace of spies, real and imaginary.

Bayard had unusual difficulty in passing the lines. The reason he soon heard. A new man was in charge in Wetherell's place, a retired British officer whose natural and affected gruffness was aggravated by the unpleasant nature of his tasks. He had only one eye.

He made Bayard describe who and what he was and what he wanted. Only Bayard's desperation gave him strength to ask this old Cypriote for an advance on new contracts.

Bayard went away in a stupor. He had intelligence enough to feel that he could less safely attack Wetherell now than before. He would seem to be implicated in the fellow's misfeasance. He would only advertise to his creditors that his vaulted contracts were worthless. Business men will endure much to escape such publication of their wrongs.

Bayard kept his head high till he reached his own office. Then he fell into his chair and propped his elbows on his desk and gripped his hot brows in his hands as if he were holding his skull together. It is the business man's attitude of prayer.

It was thus that Daphne found him when she opened the door narrowly and closed it behind her as softly as La Tosca. She was beaming with affection and importance, and when at her mischievous "Ahem!" Bayard looked up she was so pretty that he forgot himself long enough to smile and rush forward to embrace her.

She was wondering how to state her errand when the telephone rang. It startled Bayard strangely. He caught it to his lips as a taper lifts a glass. He pressed the receiver to his ear and evidently recognized the voice that said "Hello" from somewhere.

He answered in monosyllables of the least importance, but Daphne heard gleam in them.

Bayard hung up the receiver, pushed the telephone away as a bitter cup, and laughed sheepishly.

"Great convenience, the telephone! Just learned that I've dropped more money than I ever hoped to have. 'For want of a nail the shoe was lost.' Oh well, it saves me from spending it foolishly. But if I'd had five thousand dollars— My God! if I'd had five thousand dollars."

"Daphne could think of nothing more helpful to say than a casual, 'How's Lella?'"

"Don't ask me!" Bayard smiled. "Tell me. What can I do for you, honey, before I go to take some nasty medicine from the president."

"Nothing dear. I had to come downtown on an errand, so I thought I'd run in and say 'hello.'"

"Well, hello!"

He kissed her and patted her back with doleful tenderness and she went out of his office into the elevator. Its iron-barred door and its clanking chains gave it a congenial prison feeling, and the bottomless pit it dropped into seemed even more appropriate.

CHAPTER XXIV.

Daphne wanted to run away from her thoughts and she walked for a mile or two up the deep ravine of Broadway. She dared not go back to Mrs. Chivvis just yet with her bad news. She thought of asking Clay for a loan. She swept the appalling idea from her brain with a puff of derision. Besides, he was out of town, Bayard had said. She thought of asking Tom Duane for it. She tried to blow that idea from her mind, but it kept drifting back like a bit of stubborn thistle-down. She could not outwalk it.

At length she grew so desperate that she stopped at a telephone booth and brazenly called up Duane's number. He chanced to be at home. When he heard her voice he cried:

"Oh Lord, it's good to hear you. Sing again, sing again, nightingale!"

"I'm no nightingale. I'm a business woman, offering you an investment."

She told him the whole story. The name of Mrs. Romilly made him whistle. "Old Gorgon Zola," he called her, and added, "You're a made woman."

"But the clothes aren't made, and I can't make 'em till I get some money. Would you—could you advance me a little on the most excellent security?"

"How much do you want? Where shall I bring it?"

"Mail two—er—five hundred dollars to the shop, will you? And I can never thank you enough."

"Hush. It's me that thanks you. Don't you want more?"

"No, thanks."

"It will be there in the early mail and I may call round later to put a mortgage or something on the place."

"Good-by," she chuckled, and hung up the receiver. She was crying softly as she stole from the blessed booth, and she looked less like a successful business woman than ever.

Something made her think of Wetherell. She stopped off at Bayard's floor and rang the bell. Lella's new butler admitted her with pomp. Daphne walked past him into the drawing-room. Lella and Wetherell were standing there in heavy coats. They seemed to be a little shocked at seeing Daphne. She was horribly hurt at seeing them, but she chirruped:

"Just come in?"

"Just going out," Lella answered, kissing Daphne nervously.

"Where?" Daphne asked, with inquisitiveness, as she shook hands with Wetherell—a prize-fighter's preliminary handshake it was.

"Oh—er—just motoring about a bit."

"Thanks—I'd love it," Daphne dared to say, almost as much amazed as they were at hearing her accept the invitation that had not been given.

She was quite shameless from their point of view, but she felt that it would be unpardonable to let her brother's wife go unrebuked or at least unaided and unchaperoned on a cruise so perilous to reputation if not to character.

While she was at the miserable business she decided to make a good job of it. When they went down to the car she squeezed in between Lella and Wetherell. Lella blanched with jealousy and cold rage.

They dined at Long Beach and watched the dancers, in sullen mood. Wetherell ordered much champagne and would not listen to Lella's pleas that he let it alone. He frightened her a little by his reckless mood, and Daphne began to dread the journey home in the dark with champagne hands on the steering wheel.

After Daphne and he had executed a funeral dance Lella was emboldened to step out with him. They talked very earnestly and he seemed to horrify her by what he said to her. Daphne could not imagine what it was. Bayard had not told her of Wetherell's downfall from power.

Wetherell confessed his disgrace to Lella in the dance, and Lella was sickened with the sordid outcome of her romance. She had played with fire and got soot on her hands. She quit the dance and asked to be taken home.

Wetherell felt that she had turned against him and he reached for the last of the wine to fling it down his throat. Lella grimly took it from his fingers and emptied it in the ice bucket.

"Chauffeurs and champagne are a bad combination," she laughed, but there was a sneer on her lips.

"Oh, very well!" Wetherell sneered in turn. He paid for the dinner and tipped the waiter with the lavishness of a bankrupt. He tipped lavishly the man who guarded his car, and swung out into the road with an instant speed that would have been prettier if there had been less danger.

Daphne and Lella were good sports, but they were not merry. Wetherell furnished all the merriment, and his was from wine and despair. It was the wine that brought out the truth. He had to tell Daphne what he had told Lella, of his misfortune with his bally old government.

He asked Daphne to explain to Bayard how sorry he was that he was involved in the crash.

"Your brot' Bayard's aw'fily nice fel', Miss Skip. He's got niceest lit' wife in worl'. Perfly good lit' girl. Straight as a string—straight as they make 'em. No nonsense about lit' Lell'. I just love her—perfly hon'or'ble love. I'd do anything in worl' for Lell'—or lit' Miss Daffy—or ol' brot' Bay'd. Tell him 'at, will you, like a goo' lit' girl? Tell Bay 'at, will it?"

Daphne grew furious. She felt now that she had justified her presence here. She held Lella fast in her embrace and commanded Wetherell:

"Slow down at once! Do you hear? Slow down this car!"

Wetherell laughed: "Bless lit' heart. I'm goin' take you home. You're quite shafe with me—quite. Man that's born to be hanged never drown or get automokilled—that's good word—automokilled—eh, what?"

They whipped round a somber jut in the road, and his searchlight painted instantly in white outlines against the black world a wagonload of sleepy children returning from some village church affair. They were singing, drowsily, "Merrilee we ro-la-long-ro-la-long."

Daphne and Lella seemed to die at once.

Wetherell groaned, "Oh, my God, the lit' chil'ren!"

There was nothing for Wetherell to do but what he did. He spun his wheel and drove his thunderbolt into an open concrete culvert. The car turned a somersault and crumpled in a shuddering mass.

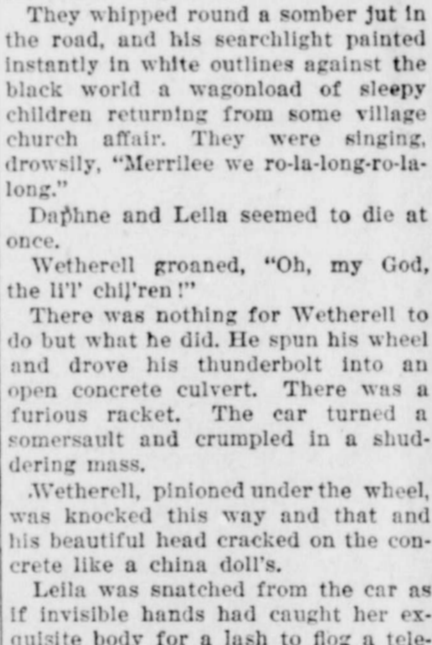
Wetherell, pinioned under the wheel, was knocked this way and that and his beautiful head cracked on the concrete like a china doll's.

Lella was snatched from the car as if invisible hands had caught her exquisite body for a lash to flog a tele-

phone pole with, then threw her into a ditch. Daphne was flung and battered and thrust under the car when it turned over. And then the gasoline spilled from the shattered tank and caught fire.

Underneath the machine lay the relics of Wetherell, who would suffer no more here. Close by was Daphne Kip, whom a brief unconsciousness gave a short furlough from torture. She was not alive enough to be afraid of the long, lean flames about the gasoline tank, though they kept springing at her like wolfhounds held in a weakening leash. They had not yet quite reached her, but they missed her less and less.

A small distance off, Lella lay still, in almost her first ungraceful attitude, oblivious for a few moments of the



Wetherell Furnished All the Merriment and His Was From Wine and Despair.

When Daphne had left Bayard in the afternoon she had found that he was depressed, but not how deeply. She supposed that his money loss was only a failure of expected profits, or the mishap of an investment. She did not dream that he was crippled financially.

Bayard was so forlorn, so profoundly ashamed of his bad guesswork, that he could not bear to show his face at any of his clubs that night. He had boasted there too often of having bought heavily of the stock. He had persuaded too many of his friends to invest in it.

So he went where busy men go when other places are closed to them. He went home. When he reached his apartment he found that Lella had given the servants a night out.

Lella had left no word of her own plans. After a forlorn delay Bayard called for Daphne. She was gone, too, with no word of her return.

At last the telephone rang. A man's voice spoke and explained that it spoke from the hospital.

"Is Mr. Kip there? Is this Mr. Kip?" Mr. Bayard Kip? Your wife is here, and your sister, and your friend Wetherell—automobile accident—out here on Long Island—pretty bad smash. Your wife's not very well—better come out—as soon as you can.

The world reeled. Bayard seized his hat, played a tattoo on the elevator bell, darted into the street, yelled at a taxicab with ferocity, got in, ordered the driver to "go like hell." He kept putting his head out to howl at him.

At the hospital he questioned the interne fiercely about Lella and Daphne, and had evasive answers. He did not ask about Wetherell, but the interne volunteered the news that he was dead.

That made the ultimate difference. Bayard stopped short in awe, his fore-

head cold as if a clammy hand had been laid on it. Death was at work. In the chill white aisle of the corridor his frenzy gave place to a sense of bitter cold. A chill white nurse led him past doors and doors to a room where in a white bed lay a chill white thing, a cylinder of cotton.

Lella's face was almost invisible in bandages; her whole body crisscrossed and swaddled. She was an Egyptian princess mummied. For a moment her soul came out of the drug at his gasp of pity. It ran about inside its cocoon trying to find a nerve to pull or a muscle to signal to him outside. The mere lifting of her hand brought from her a moan of such woe as canceled all Bayard's grievances against her.

Once Bayard's resentments and jealousies were swept from his mind, his old love came back throbbing and

leaping. His very soul bled and he dropped to his knees, his arm thrown across that bundle of wreckage which had been his choice among the world's beauties.

He was soon dragged from his communion with his once-more unconscious bride by the young doctor, who lifted him up with the unpracticed diplomacy of internes and led him aside, grumbling: "Say, what you trying to do? Kill her? She's weak and her heart's fluttering. Cheer her up if you can. If you can't, you can't stay. Better not stay, anyway."

Bayard apologized cravenly and promised better behavior, and was permitted to steal back to Lella. He took her one undamaged hand; it was as beautiful as the severed hand of a Greek statue, and as marbled white and cold.

The interne led him at length out into the corridor. And now Bayard remembered that he had also a sister, an only sister, in this same tavern of pain. His heart went out to her. He remembered, too, that they had a father and a mother to tell or deceive.

The interne assured him that Daphne's injuries were slight. She looked sad enough when he peered in at her, though she was far from the dreary estate of Lella. She was asleep, but she woke at the sound of his step, and turning her head with effort, opened her eyes and smiled at him feebly and whispered his name, and beckoned to him with one weak finger.

Daphne's heart ached out to him; she hugged him as hard as her weak arms would let her. She searched her mind for comfort. She could think of nothing so comforting just now as a hearty, reassuring lie. She whispered:

"It's all my fault, honey. You see, Mr. Wetherell was taking me out for a ride. I met Lella. She told me you telephoned you weren't coming home for dinner. She looked so lonely that I asked her to come along and chaperon us. I'm to blame for it all. Can you ever forgive me?"

He was so grateful, so eager to be deceived, that he forgot her state and clenched her hand hard and kissed it in gratitude for a priceless boon. The nurse, returning, saw the deed and smiled, not knowing what joy Bayard was taking in absolving Lella of suspicion and loading himself with blame. At such a time we love to bow our own heads in shame and cast ashes upon our hair. The taste of ashes in the mouth is good at such a time.

Daphne's first visitor after Bayard was Mrs. Chivvis.

"Oh, my dear!" she murmured. "I read in the papers about your misfortune. Such a night as I had spent! I was so afraid for you! And to think that you were lying here in such pain! And I might have helped you."

Daphne smiled, and they clasped hands like the two splendid little busts women they were.

"How's the shop?" Daphne asked.

"I haven't been there."

"It isn't open, then?"

"No, indeed. With you here?" (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Scale Reveals Salmon's Age.

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outrages the blind forces of momentum had wreaked on her with the fury of a Bill Sikes trying to beat a woman to death.

The chauffeurs and passengers of cars that drew up in lengthening queues ran to the scene of Wetherell's disaster.

At first they could not see Wetherell, but they saw Daphne and her peril, and they set frantically to work to drag her free. But she was so caught that they could not release her until they should remove the car. They pulled and heaved, but it was jammed into the culvert and the ditch so tight that they could not budge it, though they took risks enough and suffered blistered hands and charred clothes.

At last one chauffeur fastened a chain to the rear axle of Wetherell's car and to the front axle of his, and, by alternate backing and swerving, dragged and hoisted Wetherell's car upward and rearward while other men snatched Daphne from beneath and away from the flames just as they were nibbling at her skirts.

At the same time they disclosed the body of Wetherell and with huge difficulty fetched it forth. Still others found Lella in a heap, a toy with broken joints.

The last thing Daphne had known was the sensation of being shaken to death, a helpless mouse in a terrier's mouth. The next she knew was that she was seated on the edge of a ditch and leaning against the shoulder of a kneeling woman in evening dress.

A number of shadowy men and women hovered against the searing glare of the gasoline.

They arrived at last at a hospital. Daphne was lifted out and delivered into the possession of two curt young internes. She was stretched on a litter, carried feet foremost into an elevator, down a corridor to a room, and rolled out on a bed. Two nurses proceeded to undress her and bathe her. Then an older doctor came in and examined her injuries. She blazed with shame, one complete blush; but to him she was hardly more than a car brought to a garage. He nodded cheerfully and said:

"Not a bone broken, young lady, and no internal derangements that I can discover. A few burns, that's all, and a big shock."

"Is Lella hurt much?" Daphne mumbled.

"She is hurt a trifle worse than you. But she'll come round all right."

"I don't believe you!" said Daphne, and sighed. "Poor Bayard!"

"Who is Bayard?"

"My brother—her husband."

"Ah, the young man who was—the other young man was not your husband, then?"

Daphne shook her head. "He is no relation—a friend."

"Perhaps we'd better notify Bayard. What's his last name? Has he a telephone?"

Daphne muttered his name and number. Then her head was lifted, a capsule placed in her mouth, and a glass of water held to her lips. When she was restored to her pillow a sedative was within her to subdue the riot of her thoughts.

She wondered what Duane would think of her now. She remembered the money she had asked him to lend her. It would be in the morning's mail. But she would not be there to open it. Mrs. Chivvis might not dare to tell.

All her acquaintance began to march past Daphne's brain in review. Thoughts and half-thoughts and whimsies danced through her mind in a carnival of stupor and frenzy, while to the eyes of the nurses she lay still and slept.

In another room Lella was shrieking and fighting, whimpering and moaning, a torn gazelle under the claws and fangs of tigerish pain. Abruptly there came a lethal silence also from her. They had succeeded in dragging her at last.

When Daphne had left Bayard in the afternoon she had found that he was depressed, but not how deeply. She supposed that his money loss was only a failure of expected profits, or the mishap of an investment. She did not dream that he was crippled financially.

Bayard was so forlorn, so profoundly ashamed of his bad guesswork, that he could not bear to show his face at any of his clubs that night. He had boasted there too often of having bought heavily of the stock. He had persuaded too many of his friends to invest in it.

So he went where busy men go when other places are closed to them. He went home. When he reached his apartment he found that Lella had given the servants a night out.

Lella had left no word of her own plans. After a forlorn delay Bayard called for Daphne. She was gone, too, with no word of her return.

At last the telephone rang. A man's voice spoke and explained that it spoke from the hospital.

"Is Mr. Kip there? Is this Mr. Kip?" Mr. Bayard Kip? Your wife is here, and your sister, and your friend Wetherell—automobile accident—out here on Long Island—pretty bad smash. Your wife's not very well—better come out—as soon as you can.

The world reeled. Bayard seized his hat, played a tattoo on the elevator bell, darted into the street, yelled at a taxicab with ferocity, got in, ordered the driver to "go like hell." He kept putting his head out to howl at him.

At the hospital he questioned the interne fiercely about Lella and Daphne, and had evasive answers. He did not ask about Wetherell, but the interne volunteered the news that he was dead.

That made the ultimate difference. Bayard stopped short in awe, his fore-

head cold as if a clammy hand had been laid on it. Death was at work. In the chill white aisle of the corridor his frenzy gave place to a sense of bitter cold. A chill white nurse led him past doors and doors to a room where in a white bed lay a chill white thing, a cylinder of cotton.

Lella's face was almost invisible in bandages; her whole body crisscrossed and swaddled. She was an Egyptian princess mummied. For a moment her soul came out of the drug at his gasp of pity. It ran about inside its cocoon trying to find a nerve to pull or a muscle to signal to him outside. The mere lifting of her hand brought from her a moan of such woe as canceled all Bayard's grievances against her.

Once Bayard's resentments and jealousies were swept from his mind, his old love came back throbbing and

leaping. His very soul bled and he dropped to his knees, his arm thrown across that bundle of wreckage which had been his choice among the world's beauties.

He was soon dragged from his communion with his once-more unconscious bride by the young doctor, who lifted him up with the unpracticed diplomacy of internes and led him aside, grumbling: "Say, what you trying to do? Kill her? She's weak and her heart's fluttering. Cheer her up if you can. If you can't, you can't stay. Better not stay, anyway."

Bayard apologized cravenly and promised better behavior, and was permitted to steal back to Lella. He took her one undamaged hand; it was as beautiful as the severed hand of a Greek statue, and as marbled white and cold.

The interne led him at length out into the corridor. And now Bayard remembered that he had also a sister, an only sister, in this same tavern of pain. His heart went out to her. He remembered, too, that they had a father and a mother to tell or deceive.

The interne assured him that Daphne's injuries were slight. She looked sad enough when he peered in at her, though she was far from the dreary estate of Lella. She was asleep, but she woke at the sound of his step, and turning her head with effort, opened her eyes and smiled at him feebly and whispered his name, and beckoned to him with one weak finger.

Daphne's heart ached out to him; she hugged him as hard as her weak arms would let her. She searched her mind for comfort. She could think of nothing so comforting just now as a hearty, reassuring lie. She whispered:

"It's all my fault, honey. You see, Mr. Wetherell was taking me out for a ride. I met Lella. She told me you telephoned you weren't coming home for dinner. She looked so lonely that I asked her to come along and chaperon us. I'm to blame for it all. Can you ever forgive me?"

He was so grateful, so eager to be deceived, that he forgot her state and clenched her hand hard and kissed it in gratitude for a priceless boon. The nurse, returning, saw the deed and smiled, not knowing what joy Bayard was taking in absolving Lella of suspicion and loading himself with blame. At such a time we love to bow our own heads in shame and cast ashes upon our hair. The taste of ashes in the mouth is good at such a time.

Daphne's first visitor after Bayard was Mrs. Chivvis.

"Oh, my dear!" she murmured. "I read in the papers about your misfortune. Such a night as I had spent! I was so afraid for you! And to think that you were lying here in such pain! And I might have helped you."

Daphne smiled, and they clasped hands like the two splendid little busts women they were.

"How's the shop?" Daphne asked.

"I haven't been there."

"It isn't open, then?"

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ROAD BUILDING

OPERATION OF A ROAD DRAG

Principal Factor Is Skill on Part of Operator—Suggestions Given as Guide.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The principal factor in successfully operating a properly constructed road drag, provided that the condition of the road is favorable, is skill on the part of the operator. Such skill can be obtained only by intelligent experience in the use of the drag, and no rules can be laid down which would enable an inexperienced operator to produce first-class results. The following suggestions are intended, therefore, to serve rather as a guide to the judgment than as a criterion to be implicitly followed.

Under ordinary circumstances the position of the hitching link on the draw chain should be such that the runners will make an angle of from 60 to 75 degrees with the center line of the road, or, in other words, a skew angle of from 15 to 30 degrees. It is apparent that by shifting the position of the hitching link the angle of skew may be increased or diminished as the conditions require. When dragging immediately over ruts or down the center of the road after the sides have been dragged, it is usually preferable to have the hitching link at the center of the chain and to run the drag with the crown of the road, the drag should be sufficiently skewed to discharge material as rapidly as it is collected on the runners. On the other hand, if depressions occur in the road surface, the skew may perhaps be advantageously reduced to a minimum, thus enabling the operator to deposit the material which collects in front of the runners at such points as he desires by lifting or otherwise manipulating the drag. Many other examples of conditions which require modifications in the angle of skew might easily be cited, but these will readily suggest themselves to an intelligent operator as his experience increases.

The length of hitch is another very important consideration in operating a road drag. In the designs which have been discussed the draw chain may be readily taken up or let out at either end and the length of hitch thus increased or diminished as desired. It is impracticable to prescribe even an approximate rule for fixing the length of hitch, because it is materially affected by the height of the team and the arrangement of the harness, as well as by the condition of the road surface. Experience will soon teach the operator, however, when to shorten the hitch in order to lessen



Standing on Drag While in Operation.

amount of cutting done by the runner and when to lengthen it in order to produce the opposite effect. When the road surface is sufficiently hard or the amount of material which it is desired to have the drag sufficient to warrant an operator standing upon the drag while in operation, he can greatly facilitate its work by shifting his weight to proper times. For example, if he is sired to have the drag discharge rapidly, the operator should move forward to the discharge end of the drag. This will cause the ditch end runners to swing forward and to increase the skew angle of the drag. The operator may, of course, produce the opposite effect by moving his weight in the opposite direction. The same way, he can partially increase the amount of cutting which he does by shifting his weight backward, as the case may be.

An intelligent and interested operator will soon learn many simple means by which he can control the different features of the drag, which a few performances, and also learn to utilize effectively effort which his team exerts.

HIGHWAYS BUILT IN FO

According to Department's Official Report Total of 88,19 Miles Constructed.

A total of 88,19 miles was completed under the forestry road program during the past year, according to the department's official report. At the end of the fiscal year forty-three roads were under co-operative agreement involving the survey of 1,001 miles and the construction of 964.1

FARM STOCK

CATTLE SCAB IS CONTAGIOUS

Disease of Skin Which Affects All Animals Can Be Eradicated by Dipping and Spraying.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Small insectlike parasites, commonly known as mites, are responsible for cattle scab, a contagious skin disease affecting cattle of all ages and conditions. There are several forms of the disease, known by such names as "scab," "mange" and "itch." Though the disease itself may not cause death directly, it is responsible for serious losses by causing a shrinkage in the weight of animals, failure of young stock to thrive and gain weight normally and by increasing the death rate of poorly nourished animals of poor vitality, especially range cattle exposed to inclement weather. Cattle scab can be eradicated by dipping or spraying, dipping being the most reliable method, and lime-sulphur, nicotine and kerosene petroleum dips can all be used with success.

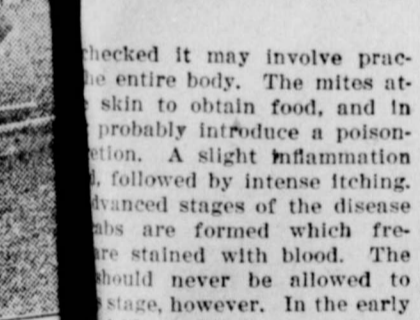
In the western part of the United States, especially where cattle graze in the open range, the losses caused by common scab have been a serious setback to the live stock industry. It has been greatly reduced and almost entirely eradicated from the range of the Western states, and it is important that control measures be continued to prevent the disease from again becoming prevalent.

The mite which causes common cattle scab may attack any part of the animal, but is especially common on the neck, on the face, on the withers, or around the tail. From these points it spreads over the back and sides, and

checked it may involve practically the entire body. The mites attach to the skin to obtain food, and in so doing probably introduce a poisonous substance. A slight inflammation is followed by intense itching. In advanced stages of the disease, the skin is formed which frequently is stained with blood. The disease should never be allowed to reach this stage, however. In the early stages, readily to proper treatment, heavy losses can be avoided and the disease is taken in hand

Cattle scab can be cured by dipping if the work is done properly. The method is recommended only for a small number of cattle to be treated, or for a large enough to justify the expense of a dipping vat. Dipping, which consists of immersing the animal in a medicated liquid, is the only method recognized by the bureau of animal industry in the official treatment of scabby cattle. All animals should be treated, regardless of whether showing lesions of scab. Dipping is generally sufficient for the disease, but in some cases it has not been exposed to dipping, which upon which the disease becomes apparent. In such cases, two or more dippings, at intervals of a few days, are necessary to eradicate the variety of the disease.

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STOCK NOTES

It is important any time that the point of view, the crowd the horses when the spring work. It is about to farrow confined in a rather clean, dry bed in a spot away from drafts.

China's Panorama City



Ferry on the Peiho River.

TIENTSIN, called the panorama city of China, came into public notice again recently because of disorders in which Americans and Japanese were involved. To walk about Tientsin is to travel, says a bulletin of the National Geographic society. An afternoon's stroll from the native to the British, French, Italian, Russian and other foreign quarters gives the sensation of a magic tour through Peking, London, Paris, Rome and Petrograd. And the windmills among the salt mounds just outside the city add a touch of Holland.

The panorama city has had a turbulent history. There a group of American and other foreign residents—Herbert C. Hoover among them—defended themselves for a month against the fanatic boxers in 1900. Since then the native city has been known as Cheng-li, or "Town Without Walls," because the ancient barriers were demolished during the siege. Of the 500 doughty foreigners more than fifty were killed and many others wounded before military aid came.

Tientsin was the scene of another famous siege, that of the Taiping rebels in 1853. Followers of Hung Sin Tsuan, who had professed Christianity and set himself up in Nanking as the "Heavenly King," marched toward Peking. But the Waterloo of the "long-haired rebels" so called because they would not plait their queues and thus signify loyalty to the Manchus, came at Tientsin.



Street Scene in Tientsin.

COULD NOT SEE INTO FUTURE

Men of Genius Had Little Idea What Their Inventions Might Mean to the World.

It appears that it is not infrequently the case that great inventors do not comprehend the significance of the things they have produced. Here are two examples:

When Hertz first began to obtain satisfactory results from his now famous researches into the possibility of transmitting electric waves certain men of science suggested that some day similar vibrations might serve to transmit messages through space. Hertz laughed at the hypothesis and assured all comers that his experiments were for laboratories only. Now, after a few short years, it is hard to find a single issue of a daily newspaper that does not record some noteworthy example of the use of wireless telegraphy.

Levassor was the great engineer who sketched the automobile with such skill that his design has not been materially changed to this day. After Levassor accomplished his historic trip from Paris to Bordeaux and re-

turn at the dizzy speed of about 15 miles an hour his admirers gave him a banquet. During the toasts one of them, stirred by the spirit of the occasion, rose and enthusiastically called on the assembly to drink to the approaching day when carriages should travel at the speed of 60 miles an hour. Levassor turned to his nearest neighbor and asked in a quick undertone:

"Why is it that after every banquet some people feel called on to make fools of themselves?"

Only One Foundation.

Men best prove their right to rights by making good in little things. Rights are those things that grow out of universal justice. In the last analysis they are beyond price. Some folks say they have bought the right to certain things. That is only because custom has commercialized them. Such rights savor of monopoly and are as unstable as the dollars with which they are purchased. Right that rests upon divine law may seem very tame, but after all it's the only right that abides amidst the rise and fall of empires and the changing customs of men. To such rights every man is heir.—Exchange

She Had It, as Usual.

The race for the last word was getting hot. Hubby and wife were running neck and neck.

"You did!"

"I didn't!"

"You did!"

"I did not!"

The pace was slowing.

"Well," flashed hubby, "one of us two is a very capable liar. But there is one thing which prevents me saying which one."

"Modesty, I presume!" retorted wife.

Would Join.

"Are you one of the cognoscenti?"

"I'm willing to be. What are they?"

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

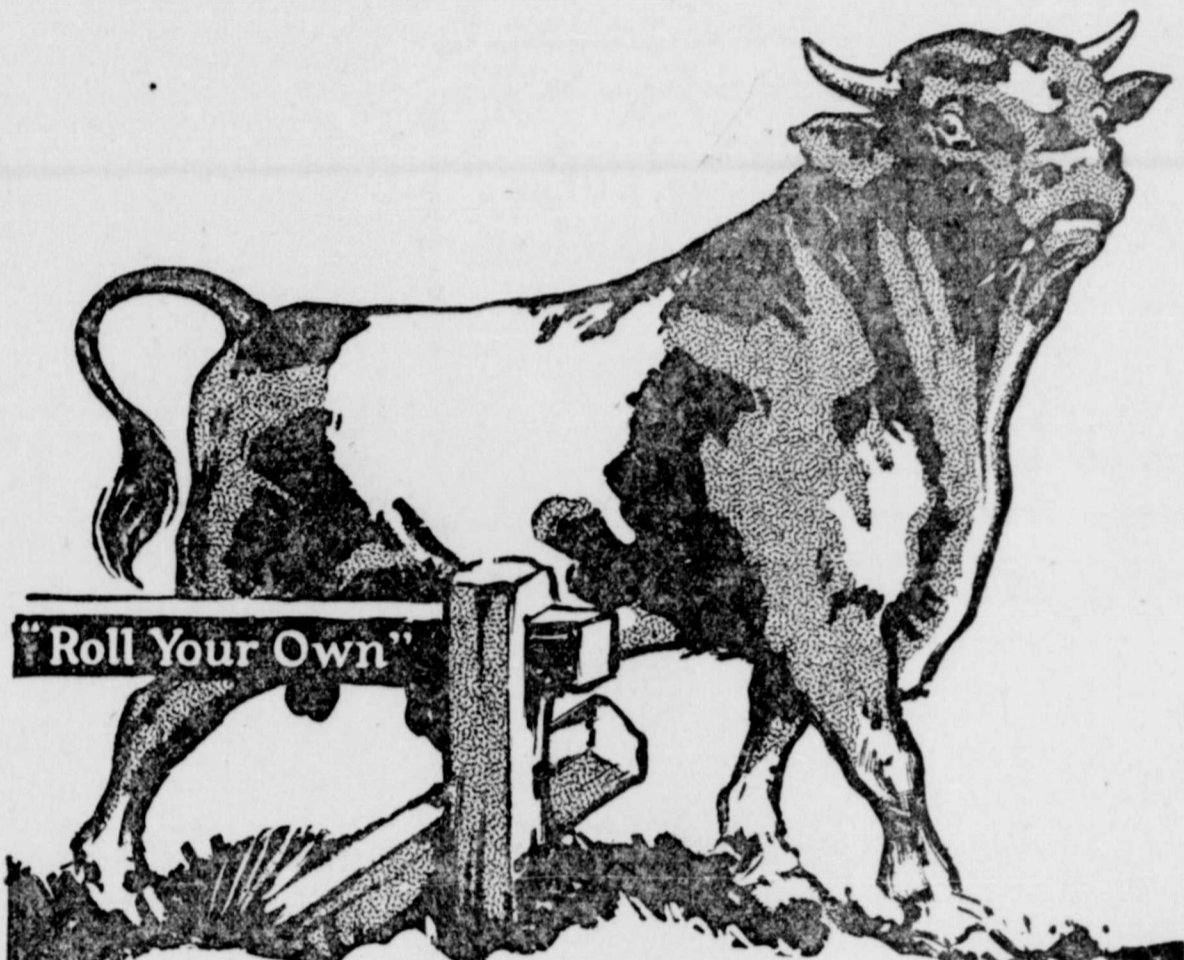
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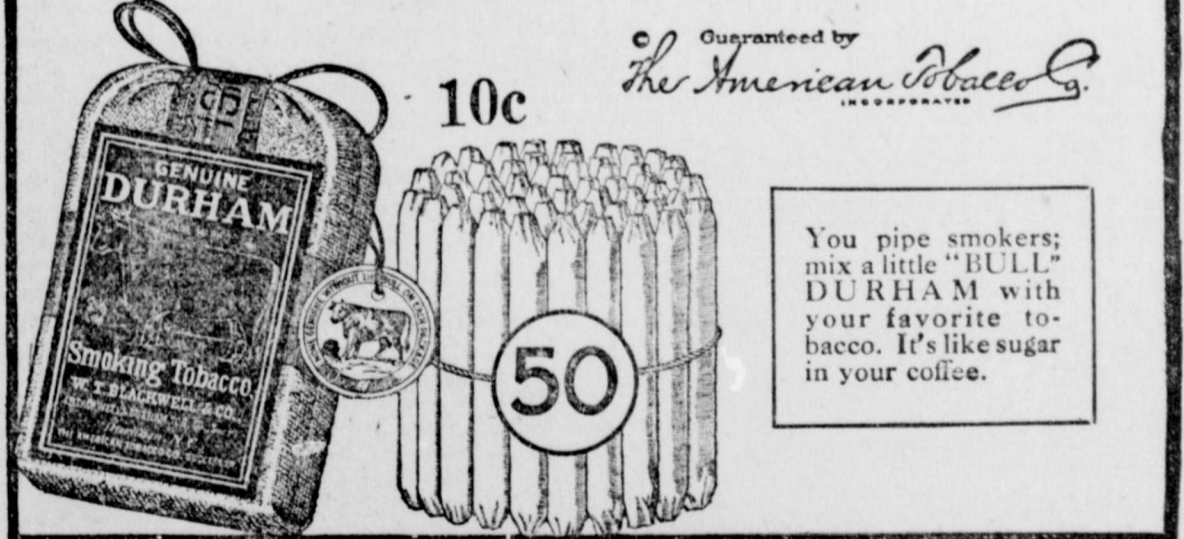
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And Where?

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Congressman Marvin Jones has introduced a bill in Congress to appropriate one million and five hundred thousand dollars for a public service hospital for returning soldiers to be located at Amarillo. Jones is widely known for the best interest of his district.—Lockney Beacon.

The Lipscomb Lighthouse editor, G. A. Skaggs announces in the last issue of the Lighthouse that the plant will be moved to Foilet, Texas, he having recently purchased that paper. He proposes however to continue to print the Lighthouse each week with his Foilet paper, and run the two publications.

L. D. Sham of the Higgins News is letting his good wife Mollie just "rare" and "rare" because Woman Suffrage was defeated in Texas, and after reading a few of her paragraphs one would think the men of Texas were mighty "Punk" kind of folks. But pshaw, Lady Sham, there will be another time coming. Prohibition finally carried in this state and the politician will now have to take up Woman Suffrage to get into office.

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It is pleasing to note the smile of satisfaction on the faces of our returned soldiers. Why every one of us is more than glad to get back home, everyone of them seems perfectly satisfied that their home town is the best place on earth in which to live. It looks a lot better that way than it would have had they said, "This old country is behind on everything."

A vote announced at Chicago last week from the Labor Unions of the United States states that the Labor Unions will strike July 1st unless Thos. J. Mooney is freed, which brings us to the conclusion that it is now time for the people to strike. When a few hundred thousand people belonging to a Union can sit aside the decision of the Supreme Courts of the United States and say, "right or wrong, our members must not be punished," then it is time for the several hundred million not belonging to the Union to call a halt. God pity a country whose people make its laws and then let a bunch knock them into a cocked hat.

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You can't any more make Prince Albert bite your tongue or parch your throat than you can make a horse drink when he's off the water! Bite and parch are cut out by our exclusive patented process!

You just lay back like a regular fellow and puff to beat the cards and wonder why in samhill you didn't nail section in the P. A. smokepasture longer than you can remember back!

Buy Prince Albert everywhere tobacco is sold. Tippy red bags, tippy red tins, bend-uns pound and half pound tin tins—and that clever, practical, sand-erated glass handier with sponge-moistener top that keeps the tobacco in such perfect condition.

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Delicious Syrup and Molasses



Those fine, flavory hot cakes taste all the better when covered with some of our clear, sweet syrup that comes to you fresh and clean.



We sell the best known, most reliable brands on the market—cane, corn and maple syrup—at prices that you can not beat anywhere else.

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LADIES, silk jersey petticoats in the very newest shades, now on display at Locke Bros.. Prices are low and quality high.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Cox of the Gageby country spent Sunday in our city.

Mrs. Bellamy and son, Worth, of Arizona came in last week and are visitors at the J. D. Lard home.

Miss Helen Baird returned Saturday from Denton where she completed the prescribed course in the C. I. A., receiving her diploma and a six year first grade State certificate. Miss Helen graduated from the Miami High school in 1916, and this is quite a nice record for her in three years.

Mrs. Clarence Locke left last week for Miami, Oklahoma where she will visit parents a few days.

G. W. Wells has resigned his position as engineer for the City Light and Water plant and will put his threshing machine in operation for harvest. Herman McKee has taken charge of the engines at the light plant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wells have been moving this week to their new home at White Deer, after disposing of their store in Miami. Mr. and Mrs. Wells are mighty good people and we regret to see them leave us, but they have a nice section of land there and a fine wheat crop on it this year, so it is necessary that they be up there to look after it.

Jno. Webster has moved his newly acquired grocery stock to the Boney Building and has things well arranged for one of the nicest grocery stores in the county. He sold the dry goods to W. E. Stocker and will devote his entire time to the grocery business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Heare of Tahoka came in last week for a few days to visit with parents and relatives here. J. L. has been depot agent at that place for the past two years.

Mrs. Bonnie Walker Ruddle, Bartlesville, Oklahoma came in Monday for a short visit with Miami relatives.

Rev. J. H. Hicks has been spending the week at Stamford with his father and brother.

Dr. Kelley reports the arrival of a new girl at the John Akridge home last week.

Miss Louise Johnston left first of the week for Canyon where she will attend the West Texas State Normal for the summer term.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Robertson and daughter, Miss Aurelia left yesterday for Camden Arkansas where they expect to make their future home. The Robertsons are among our very best people and we regret very much to see them leave. Mr. Robertson has recently purchased some land holdings in that state and is going there to look after it. Miami wishes them success and happiness in their new home. They are driving through by automobile and expect to reach their new home in a very few days.

J. A. Newman sold his three section ranch located on Horse Creek to B. F. Jackson, closing the deal this week, and he also purchased the J. W. Whatley half section adjoining town.

L. L. Swartz, former citizen of Canadian, but the past two years connected with the Russell and Cockrell Printing Company of Amarillo died at Canadian Sunday.

Jimmie Kivlehen and Frank Russell came in this week from Austin where they have been attending the State University.

Announcement was received this of the graduation of Miss Eileen Wren at the C. I. A., Denton. Miss Wren has many friends who are glad to receive news of her successful graduation.

Albert Converse was in Saturday and says that it is raining so much on his place that his chickens are growing web feet.

Walter Darlington of Kansas City and S. D. Park of Mobeetie were here Monday closing some land loans.

The Thos. Cook and Ray Morrison families left first of the week for Wichita Falls.

Charlie Heare came in last week from Galveston where he has just completed his third year in the medical school. He will complete in another year and come out an M. D.

Roland McFarlin of Dumas who is attending the W. T. S. N. C. at Canyon was here Saturday night and Sunday visiting Miami friends.

Little Miss Lonnie Willis of Canadian is visiting at the C. S. Seiber home.

Mrs. Dick Lends and children of Canadian are visiting at the J. A. Reid home this week.

Clarence Williamson who left us last July for the Army Training camp returned Monday from his eleven months stay in the army. He landed back in the U. S. the first of April and received his discharge a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Wers of Iowa came in this week to visit their son, C. W. who lives on the Plains. They expect to spend two months here and are delighted with the big Panhandle wheat crop.

The women's Study Club met Friday afternoon at the Meade residence with Mesdames Meade and Lard as hostesses. This being the time for regular business, no program was given. The following officers were elected.

- Mrs. Morrison, President.
- Mrs. O'Loughlin, Vice-Pres.
- Mrs. Kinney, Sec'y.
- Mrs. Lard, Treas.
- Mrs. Newman, Press Reporter.
- Mrs. Dyer, Critic.
- Mrs. Ewing, Parliamentarian.

The members are planning to install a public library in connection with the proposed rest room, and will ask for the cooperation of the people of Miami in this work. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Morrison June 20. P. R.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or an Constable of Roberts County: Greetings:

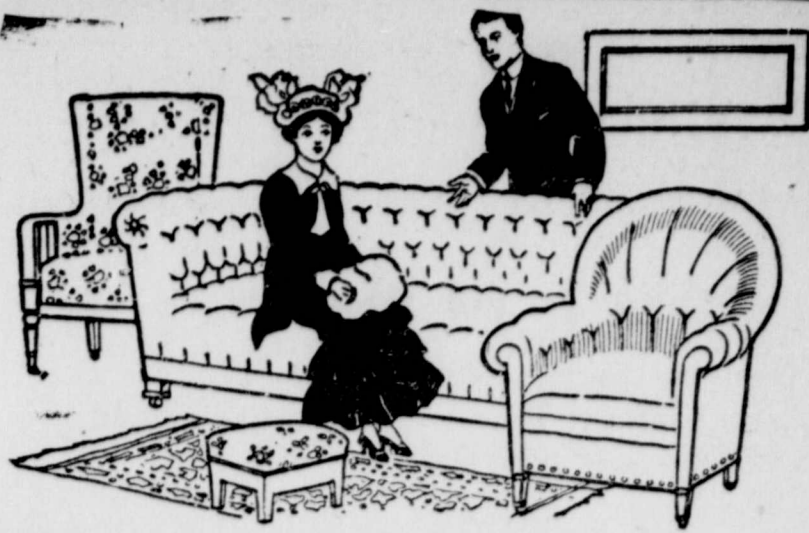
You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the courts of Roberts State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of twenty days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS:

To all persons interested in the welfare of Paul Rawlings, Lottie May Rawlings and Lee Rawlings, Minors.

J. A. Holmes, guardian of the estate of the Minors, Paul Rawlings, Lottie May Rawlings, and Lee Rawlings, having filed his application for leave to resign and be discharged from said guardianship and has accompanied the same by an account for final settlement thereof, which will be heard by our said County Court on the First Monday in July, A. D. 1919, the same being the 7th day of July 1919, at the court house of said County in Miami, Texas at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such an account if



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Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Miami, Texas, this 2nd day of June, A. D. 1919.

L. E. Craig, Clerk County Court, Roberts County, Texas.
By M. M. Severson, Deputy.

I have just been advised by one of my loan companies that they have plenty of money on special attractive terms to loan to good investors. If you need any money for any purposes on your farm as security write me at once at Canadian, Texas.
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"My dealer was right —they do satisfy!"

There's more to a cigarette than "pleasing the taste." Other cigarettes, besides Chesterfields, can do that.

But Chesterfields do more—they begin where the rest of 'em stop! Because Chesterfields "touch the smoke-spot," they let you know you are smoking—they do SATISFY!

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Keeping It Up.

A maid servant applied for a week-end off, as her home was distant, for the purpose of being at home on her parents' silver wedding day.

The leave was granted, and the maid returned.

"Well," said her mistress, "did everything go off satisfactory?"

"Oh, yes, thank you, ma'am," said the girl, "and mother told me to say she is very grateful to you for letting me off."

"And what did your father say?" asked the lady.

"Oh, lor! ma'am," replied the girl, "he wasn't there. He's been dead this 20 years."

That Friend!

"Mother doesn't think she'll go to the theater with us tonight, Albert."

"Is that so? I have got three tickets. What shall I do with the third one?"

"Give it to the man you always go out to see between the acts. He can sit with us and you won't have to go out and see him."

Complimentary to Him.

He—But I asked you, dearest, to keep our engagement a secret for the present.

She—I couldn't help it. That hateful Miss Oldum said the reason I wasn't married was because no fool had proposed to me, so I up and told her you had.—Brooklyn Citizen.

Breakfast is Ready when you have a package of Grape-Nuts

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Not a bit of waste. Usable to the last crumb. Usual price 15¢ per package.

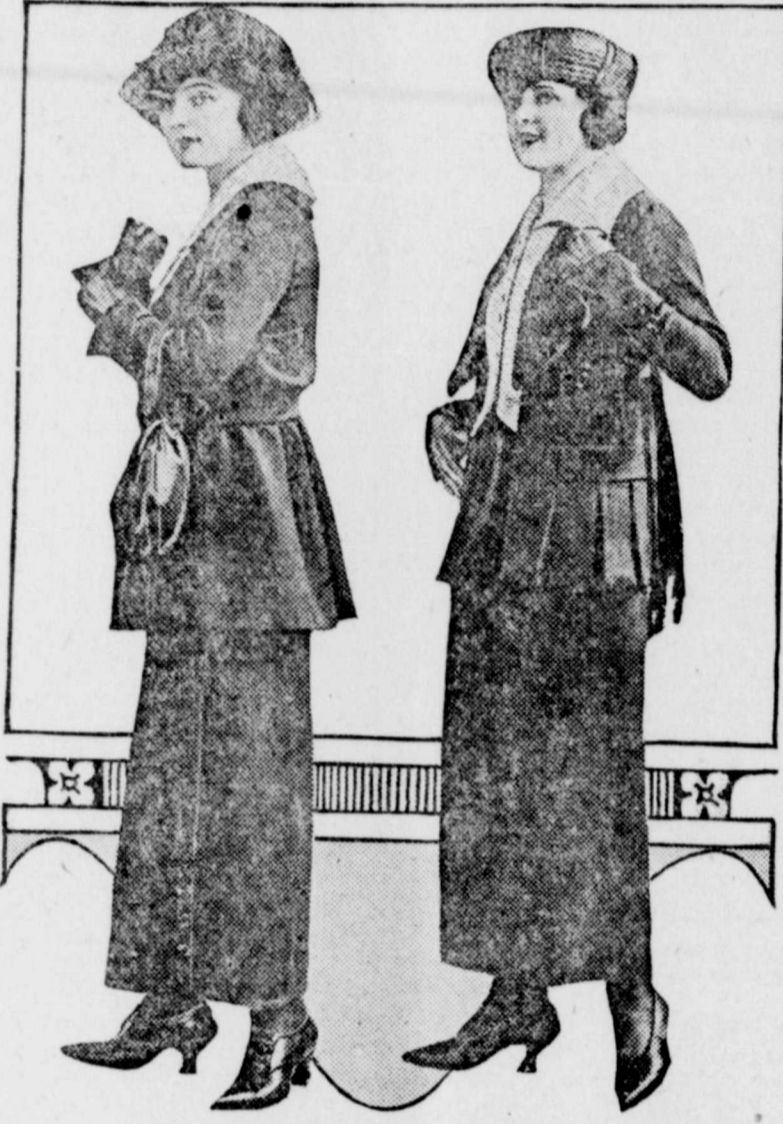
What Well Dressed

Women Will Wear



Never a season is ushered in without a few models in suits made along the lines of the Russian blouse, and never do these suits go unconsidered. There is just one explanation for this state of things and that is the becomingness of this particular style and its "class." There are certain types of women, including those with slender figures, that are wedded to the Rus-

sian blouse because they are wise enough to choose the thing they look best in; and there are other types that cannot wear it. The Russian blouse is represented this season by suits more or less like that shown at the left of the two pictures above. This particular suit follows the original Russian blouse—its source of inspiration—at considerable distance owing to modifications that reveal its speaking acquaintance with new features in spring styles. But the flavor is there plain enough. The skirt is long and narrow, and this is the kind of skirt that looks best with the blouse. Whenever the narrow skirt comes in the blouse is sure to follow. In this case it has an overlapped seam at one side that is split up from the bottom and finished with buttons and buttonholes. It can be unfastened to give plenty of freedom in walking. The blouse takes note of current styles in sleeves that flare slightly and



THE SEASON'S RUSSIAN BLOUSE SUITS.

mirrors of fine work. They are very expensive and only practical for women who can afford to be extravagant.

However superb these new lace blouses may be, they detract nothing from the charm of dainty and far less costly blouses of georgette crepe. They flourish side by side and youthfulness abides with the georgettes. Two of these are pictured here, modeled on lines that have grown familiar, but the blouse at the left displays thread embroidery so placed that it is unusual. It outlines the neck, apron and sleeves but runs into panels at each side that are extended to the bust line. Another pretty and novel feature of this blouse is the folded ribbon girdle. Made in dark colors to match tailored suits and worn over camisoles of wide ribbon, in figured patterns and strong colors, this blouse will prove a joy.

The blouse at the right depends upon an eccentric sleeve and a turnover collar that is cut in sections for the



TWO NEW ARRIVALS IN BLOUSES.

adopts a shawl collar that widens slightly at the back. It takes further liberties in the addition of a vestee and collar of figured satin, and vivacitates its conduct by its attractiveness.

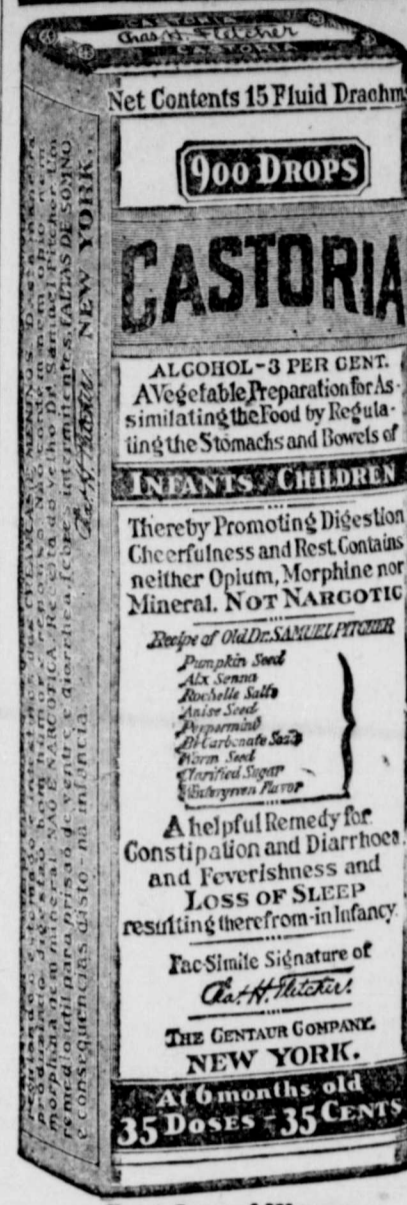
In the suit at the right the fancy of the designer is not hampered by any attempt to follow a definite type. Having disposed of the skirt by making it according to rule—long, narrow and plain—he spent his energies on the coat, which is a fanciful affair that puts this suit in a class where it has not many rivals. It has a collar and vest of striped tricotette and curious but much admired strap effects at the side that turn up at the bottom and end on the coat in large bone buttons. The new arrivals in blouses are not very different from the models introduced at the beginning of the season, but they show little, original touches in the details of finishing that make them interesting. The only new de-

novelty of design that gives it character. The embroidery is put on its form panels and the tiniest buttons, set on the tab in the sleeve above its cuff, proclaim this the latest word in blouses.

Julia Bottomley

Softened Colors Prevail.

Ginghams, in the most beautiful colors, are plaiding and checking themselves for service. Muslins and mulls and dimities suggest old garden days. Organdies daintily decorate themselves in shadow disks, stripes or flowers. And everywhere colors, not the bright, flamboyant colors that gossip began to whisper several months ago but a nice softening of tones that are too soft to be considered brilliant, and with two much character to be pastel—just lovely colors.



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For Infants and Children. Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria

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Make This Test For Acid-Stomach

There are millions of people who suffer almost daily from the horrors of an acid-stomach—indigestion; sour, gassy, stomach; distressing heartburn; sickening food-repeating; painful bloating and that miserable, puffed up, lumpy feeling after eating. Many of these people have tried treatment after treatment; medicine after medicine; others have gone to doctors and stomach specialists and some to hospitals, but in spite of all their efforts they have obtained no lasting relief or a permanent cure.

These symptoms simply mean acid-stomach. If allowed to run on, they are very likely to cause a lot of serious trouble. Dyspepsia, rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sciatica, splitting headache, dizzy spells, nervousness, sleeplessness, mental depression, melancholia, a feeling of listlessness and all-noonness—these are just a few of the disorders which can be traced to acid-stomach. As a matter of fact, acid-stomach is often the direct cause of those almost incurable conditions known as catarrh of the stomach, intestinal ulcer, and cancer of the stomach. The lives of those who suffer from these serious troubles are nothing short of daily agony. Surely, then, you must see how important it is to go at once to the seat of the trouble—acid-stomach. You know cost is a mere trifle.

EATONIC FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

Very Naturally. Gert—What did Myrt do when she found out you said she was homely? Mabel—Oh, she got real ugly about it.

what acid-mouth does to the teeth—how it eats right through the hard enamel and causes them to decay. Think then of the havoc that must be caused by excess acid in the stomach!

Even if you are not suffering any immediate stomach pains, but are not feeling just as fit and fine as you should, you should by all means make this test: Go to your drug store at once and get a big box of EATONIC. It is in the form of pleasant-tasting tablets—you eat them like a bit of candy. EATONIC is prepared for just one purpose—correcting acid-stomach by driving out the excess acid. EATONIC literally absorbs the excess acid. It brings instant relief from the pains of indigestion, heartburn, belching, sour, gassy stomach, bloating, etc. It makes the stomach pure, sweet, cool and comfortable, puts it in a normal, healthy condition, so that your food is properly digested. You need every bit of strength you can possibly get out of the food you eat—and EATONIC helps you get it.

Don't put this test off if you value your future good health and happiness. You run no chance at all being short of daily agony. Surely, cause EATONIC is absolutely guaranteed to give you relief or your druggist will refund your money. The trouble—acid-stomach. You know cost is a mere trifle.

Counterfeiter Caught! The New York health authorities had a Brooklyn manufacturer sentenced to the penitentiary for selling throughout the United States millions of "Talcum powder" tablets as Aspirin Tablets.

Aspirin "DON'TS"

Don't ask for Aspirin Tablets—say "Bayer!" Don't buy Aspirin in a pill box! Get Bayer package! Don't forget that the "Bayer Cross" is your only protection against dangerous counterfeits.



Don't fail to say to druggist: "I want 'Bayer Tablets of Aspirin' in a Bayer package." The genuine! Buy only the regular Bayer package with the safety "Bayer Cross" upon it and on each tablet inside.

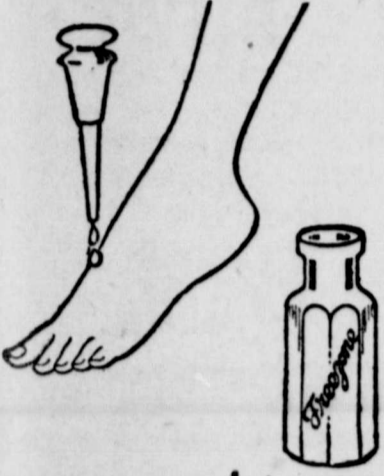
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The genuine American owned "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" have been proved safe by millions for Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Earache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Colds, Grippe, Influenza Colds, Joint Pains, Neuritis. Proper dosage on every "Bayer" package.

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With fingers! Corns lift out and costs only few cents



Pain? No, not one bit! Just drop a little Freezone on that touchy corn...

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He was a new little boy at the orphanage and was much impressed by all the scrubbing and cleaning he saw done there...

Appropriate. Outside Brussels is a large monument of a German general.

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America's Immortals

The only criticism that foreign military leaders had to make of the American soldiers was that they would not stop when their objective was reached.

FRANK B. STOCKTON, Private, Co. E, 167th Infantry.

Private Stockton was decorated for unusual bravery in action near Landres-St. Georges, France, October 14, 1918.

FREDERICK O. GASKINS, Corporal, Company 4, 118th Infantry.

The Distinguished Service Cross was awarded to Corp. Gaskins in recognition of distinguished gallantry resulting in his death in action near La Haine Menessee, France, October 16, 1918.

JACKSON D. BURKE, Sergeant-Major, 1st Battalion, 22th Infantry.

Sergt. Maj. Burke was decorated for the display of exceptional energy, bravery and loyalty to duty at Cantigny, France, May 28 to 30.

ARTHUR J. FORREST, Sergeant, Co. D, 354th Infantry.

Sergeant Forrest received the Distinguished Service Cross for conspicuous gallantry in action with the enemy near Remonville, France, November 1, 1918.

KELAND BROWN, Corporal, Company B, 61st Infantry.

Corporal Brown, whose home is at Iowa Falls, Ia., was decorated for unusual bravery in action on the Cote St. Germaine, France, November 5, 1918.

THOMAS D. AMORY, Second Lieutenant, 26th Infantry.

Lieutenant Amory (deceased) was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for conspicuous gallantry in action near Verdun, France, October 2,

1918. Lieutenant Amory was detailed to lead a patrol on a hazardous and important mission of locating the main defense line of the enemy.

DAVID B. BARKELEY, Private, Co. A, 356th Infantry.

Private Barkeley (deceased) was decorated for conspicuous gallantry in action near Pouilly, France, November 9, 1918.

FRANK J. BART, Private, Co. C, 9th Infantry.

Private Bart was decorated for conspicuous gallantry in action with the enemy near Medeah farm, France, October 3, 1918.

ARTHUR L. WALTERS, Sergeant, Company B, 2nd Ammunition Train.

Sergeant Walters risked his life to save others while on duty near Beaumont, France, November 9, 1918.

WALDO M. HATLER, Sergeant, Co. B, 356th Infantry.

Sergeant Hatler was decorated for exceptional heroism in action near Pouilly, France, November 8, 1918.

ABE L. ALLEN, Corporal, Co. B, 23th Infantry.

Corporal Allen won the Distinguished Service Cross for bravery in action near Cantigny, France, May 22, 1918.

GAIL H. SAGER, Corporal, Co. D, 108th Infantry.

Corporal Sager was decorated for extraordinary heroism in action near Ronsoy, France, September 29, 1918.

Was He From Kentucky?

The principal of a certain high school found a cigarette stub in the basement of the building.

WHY DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND SWAMP-ROOT

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

LADIES CAN WEAR SHOES

One size smaller and shoes last longer after using Allen's Foot-Ease, the anti-skin powder for the feet.

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"Going to the banquet tonight?" "No. Thank heavens, the wife is ill and I've got to stay home."

Snowy limes are the pride of every housewife.

Between Dudes.

"I say, old fellow, let's go shooting, eh, what?"

"Nothin' in it, old chap. We shouldn't bag anything but our trousers, y' know."

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The tortures and discomforts of weak, lame and aching back, swollen feet and limbs, weakness, dizziness, nausea, as a rule have their origin in kidney trouble, not "female complaints."

Next time you feel a twinge of pain in the back or are troubled with headache, indigestion, insomnia, irritation in the bladder or pain in the loins and lower abdomen, you will find quick and sure relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules.

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West Philadelphia, Pa. - "During the thirty years I have been married, I have been in bad health and had several attacks of nervous prostration until it seemed as if the organs in my whole body were worn out."

That's Enough. Edith - "Is your engagement announced yet?" Alice - "Well, I've told you, haven't I?" - Boston Transcript.

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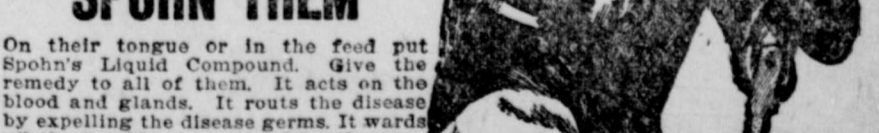
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Grow Wheat in Western Canada One Crop Often Pays for the Land

Advertisement for Western Canada wheat farming, including a map and text about fertile land and government agents.

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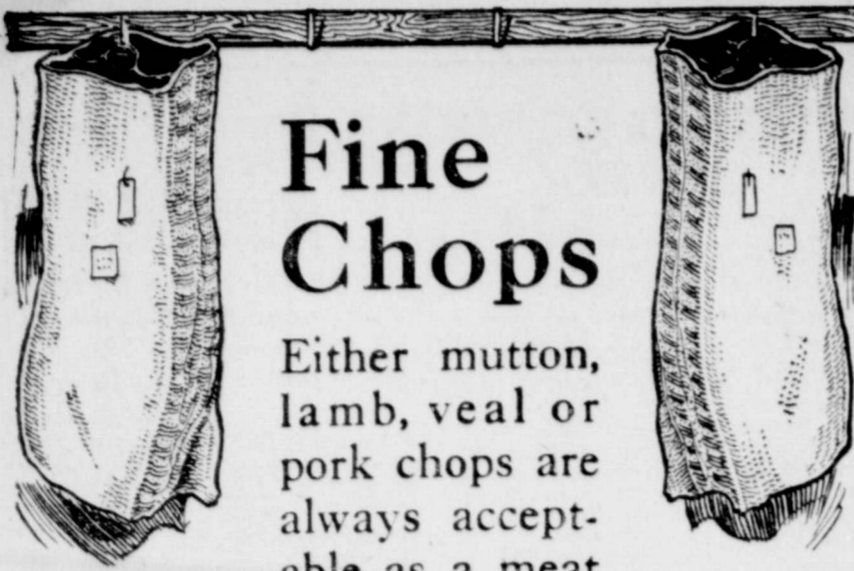
Why do hundreds of thousands of Americans now drink Postum in preference to coffee?

The better health from a 10 days' trial in your home will tell.

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Two sizes, usually sold at 15c and 25c.

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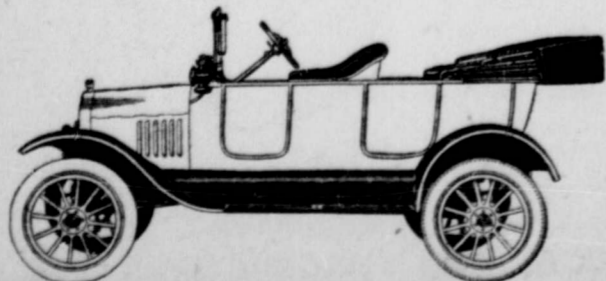
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