

# The Miami Chief.

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## RICT COURT IN SESSION

Honorable District court of County was called to session morning by Sheriff Coffee, he direction of Judge W. R. District Attorney Pickens, Stenographer Reynolds, Clerk and several attorneys in atten-

and Jury was given a spec- impressive lecture on law en- and with their foreman, Cowan, the following eleven work to see about law viola- Roberts county.

B. Cross  
as Crossan  
Chas. Christopher  
A. Covey  
I. T. Gill  
Chas. L. Thomas.  
F. F. Rasor  
Joe H. Parcell  
Pearl Wade  
M. W. O'Loughlin  
G. W. Hodges

ocket is not very heavy as however some few cases of in- will be tried, among them is a of J. W. Philpott vs Samuel which grew out of the sale of e of oil stock in the Cunningha-

ed Gas Company.  
ee or four cases are noted on iminal docket.  
Following is a list of the jurymen oned on the peti jury for the however many of them were ed owing to having a heavy sth to look after.

John G. McClellan  
Joe Smyers  
J. A. King  
J. E. Seitz  
Orville Thornburg  
D. D. Payne  
J. A. Newman  
Dallas George  
W. P. Thornhill  
Byron Williams  
D. W. Stribling  
Porter Pennington.  
Knox Pipkin  
A. W. Chisum  
G. W. Wells  
H. R. Kitchen  
P. W. Robertson  
M. W. Sullivan  
L. A. Maddux  
Boots Weckesser  
C. L. Matheres  
Chas. Patton  
Joe Tolbert  
Fred Chisum  
J. A. Morrison  
Smith Meador  
G. C. Springer  
J. W. Philpott  
B. F. Talley  
J. L. Selber  
Herbert Brown  
J. Foreman  
Chas. Burnett  
M. Saul.  
C. E. Hale  
John Webster  
Jim Looney  
J. P. Robertson  
Judge Kinney  
H. J. McCuiston

## NEW CHRISTIAN PREACHER

The local church of Christ have ured the service of Elder Varce, so with his family moved to Miami is week and are occupying the Mrs. e Cunningham residence near the urch.

Elder Vance will preach for the iami Church regular every Sunday orning and evening, and for the sketen Church on Sunday after- ons. He is also arranging for me mid-week meetings which will e announced later.

WANTED—Maize threshers to resh 25,000 tons of heads, 20 cents er hundred. Write to the county gent of Dawson County, Lamesa, Texas. 6-2tc

## PRISONERS CHOKED SHERIFF AND TRY TO ESCAPE

Sunday afternoon when Sheriff Coffee entered the jail to give the four prisoners their supper, the 3 who were recently detained therein for attempting to steal the Martin Automobile, pounced upon him and after overpowering and choking him down, took his gun, gave him a hard lick on the head with their fist and started to run. A fourth prisoner who is charged with attempting to cash a forged check did not try to escape, but when the crowd gathered, remarked that he wasn't wanting out. Soon everybody was after the three men who only a few minutes ago went up the draw east of town, and after a lively little foot race, they were back in jail and under lock and key in their cells, but the fourth man was now missing. A search was made for him up the canyons, some passing trains were searched very closely and an organized effort was getting together to make a thorough search, when he was discovered on top of the cells in the jail building, and said that he had been asleep, lying flat up there and not visible from the floor.

## 32 DEGREE MASONIC TEAM HERE LAST FRIDAY

Captain O. T. Nicholson with his team of 32 degree Masons treated the Miami Blue Lodge to some fine degree work Friday of last week. The team consisting of Mr. Nicholson acting, W. M., Jewel Lyle, S. W., Atty Clark J. W., F. E. Stephens, S. D. and Rep. H. E. Hill, J. D., all 32 degree masons and all of Shamrock Lodge No. 929 conferred several degrees in a most impressive manner, and deserve much credit for their time and effort in behalf of Masonry.

Aside from a large attendance of local members, several brethren of Wheeler and Mobeetie Lodge were present. Refreshments were served before the closing ceremony and Captain Nicholson and his team went to Pampa Saturday morning for the purpose of putting on some work for that lodge. Several applications were made by Miami Masons for the Scottish Rite work.

## \$150,000,000 MORTGAGE

The largest mortgage in more than one way ever filed in Roberts county was by the Empire Oil and Gas Company, et al, to the Equitable Trust Company of New York, trustees in the sum of \$150,000,000. The document is too voluminous for any ordinary man to peruse and understand off hand. It contains 138 printed pages, 7 x 10, and is a regular book itself. The recording fees which will be over \$50 is quite an item within itself. The instrument effects oil matters in 50 counties in Texas and a large number in Kansas and Oklahoma. Just what it means in detail, the Chief would not attempt to explain, but citizens of the county are at liberty to read the document and find out for themselves. Suffice it to say that it will be the largest mortgage filed in this county for some time to come, unless some fellow takes a notion he wants all the wheat in the county and makes a part payment giving a mortgage for the balance.

Next week I will organize a class of school boys who wish to study music but do not care to take up piano. The class will study the theory of music and will have the foundation work which will prepare them for the study of any instrument they may wish to take up later. Those interested may see me at the auditorium or phone 108. Mrs. Aurelia Baker.

## BIGGEST SCHOOL OPENING IN HISTORY OF OUR SCHOOL

Two new Teachers and two New Departments added. Large enrollment and many visitors.

The opening of the Miami Public School Monday morning was one of the most interesting occasions that has ever been held in our town. Two new teachers have been added this year, making us a total of twelve teachers, and aside from the various improvements in the Domestic Science and other departments, a course in Shorthand and Typewriting will be offered. A new room was added to the present building for this purpose, and it appears now that if we enlarge our school much more, there is going to be some new buildings needed.

The opening exercises were entered into with much zeal and enthusiasm, such as no one but County Superintendent J. K. McKenzie can put into the soul of school children. After an appropriate song and an opening prayer, led by Rev. Pennington, Trustee C. R. Cowan made some very interesting remarks, both to the students, teachers and patrons. This was followed by the introduction of Clayton Heare, a graduate of the Miami High School of the class of '13, also a graduate of the Texas State University, who spoke very interestingly upon the value of a college education.

Miss Fay Jackson, also a graduate of the Miami Class of '13 and of the College of Industrial Arts gave the young folks, and the older ones too, some good food for thought on the journey through life. This was followed by some interesting remarks by Cleave Coffee, Jr., James Kivlehen, Miss Lucile Gill and Eldon Dyer, all graduates of the Miami High school, and who are now preparing to enter college.

Mrs. W. R. Ewing, President of the Home Progress Club told some things which the Club has accomplished for the school, and what the Club is now trying to do for it. The Club has had the Miami Public School at heart since its organization, and are due the credit for the installation of the domestic Science Department, and are now working to get Manual Training in the school. Mrs. Ewing invited all the teachers and families, and the trustees and their families to a special entertainment prepared by the Club for them at the Domestic Science rooms in the afternoon.

Superintendent C. A. Gilley made some announcements regarding the free text books, the music course offered, and some rules to be followed by the students, announced a meeting of the teachers for the afternoon, and the school opening closed by singing America, followed by a closing prayer by Eld. Vance.

Mrs. Baker will have her Piano Studio either in the School Auditorium or at the Kivlehen residence across the street from the school, and we understand also that Prof. Meyer of Amarillo will offer a course in voice this fall.

Following is a list of teachers revised from last week.  
C. A. Gilley, Supt., teacher of Latin.  
H. H. Crain, Principal and teacher of Mathematics.

Miss Opal Bell, Domestic Science.  
Miss Ruth Hudson, English.  
Miss Dortha Gerlach, History.  
Miss Beula Rhone, Seventh grade.  
Miss Lilla Gray, Sixth grade.  
Miss Ruth Haynie, Fifth grade.  
Miss Helen Baird, Fourth grade.  
Miss Musa Carter, Third grade.  
Miss Johnston, Second Grade.  
Mrs. C. A. Gilley, Primary Dept.  
The enrollment in the rooms this week are as follows, and while the numbers are not exactly correct, they are nearly so, but several new students are being enrolled daily, and it appears that we are going to have by far the largest attendance in the history of the school.

The High School rooms have an enrollment of approximately 78.  
First grade, 40  
Second Grade, 31  
Third grade, 24  
Fourth Grade, 24  
Fifth Grade, 40  
Sixth grade, 40  
Seventh grade, 21.  
A total enrollment of 298.

There has been times when some articles like wheat or corn would be so high that some fellow would suggest that the bank vault be cleared of their cash and it stored in them. Looks like everything is going to need a vault, except money. Hard cash is of course much in demand, but it is losing its social value when it comes to purchasing power.

## AT FORTY

By J. R. Ransome, Jr., in the Clearburn Enterprise.

I am forty years old today. A great many people do not live as long as I have lived already, and accomplish a great deal more, while numbers of them live a great deal longer and yet are unknown outside of the village in which they toil. At forty the passions of life are mellowed by the experiences of time, and one feels the slowing up of pulse once fiercely beating with hopes in which limitless ambitions were centered. At 40 one knows a great deal more than he did at twenty. He has mixed and mingled with the world, elbowed the eager crowd in the market places, tested the caliber of friends, felt the venom of enemies, has had hopes blasted, ambitions destroyed, has suffered and in the silent watches of night has lain awake and felt his heart beats, while tears of regret fell from weeping eyes. At 40 the average man has had his share of happiness. He has been able as he turned on to the great eternal home, to pluck from the garben of hopes some memory-making moments. Here and there among the fragrant flowers is the recollection of a friendly hand-clasp, a kiss from scarlet lips, while beating hearts tell in wild tattoo the love that riots there. Out from the fleeting years there are recollections of baby fingers, of chubby arms clasped tightly around daddy's neck in trusting tenderness and sincere devotion. These were June nights when 'neath twinkling stars with hands clasped, a newly married man and wife projected plans for the future and beckoned for the coming of their sweet anticipation from out of the mystic garden of dreams where hope sang of happiness. There are friendly offices that come floating back along life's dark and rugged tracks, acts of sympathy, comfort and assistance that filled their hearts with thankfulness. There come drifting from the memories of the days of long ago the sweets of mother's love, the undying devotion of her who gave me life, and, with patience and in pain, cared for my infant and when little feet could not yet patter over the floor, and baby prattle was but a meaningless sound. Then father's kindly face, while in his eyes shown the love that was in his heart, always sacrificing that I might be comfortable and happy, is a picture hung in the gallery of my heart, and brother and sister, and the playmates of my youth, the girls with golden tresses, the lasses whose hair was brown, the boy, comrades of the old swimming pool, who, bare-foot and brown, fished, gathered freckles in the sun, as loyal as ever grew among the Texas flowers, or breathed on Texas plains. As men come and go, as fortunes ebb and flow I have had reasonable success, and ought to be happy. I have my family to look after, a loving wife and four children, whom my friends say I ought to be proud of, and I confess that I am. I have a small business where I can be useful to others, and at the same time earn a living for my family. Among those who know me I have the average number of true friends, while others hold me as an honest man, worthy of their confidence. I have acquired a philosophic thought that helps me to turn the barbs of stinging disappointments, that hurt me in my youth, so that they miss my heart, causing only slight abrasions on the flesh. But in spite of all the gracious goodness of providence, I feel a sadness in my added years. I know that I have passed the line that starts the journey down the hill of life, and too soon the halting, stumbling step will come along with age, when with senses dulled, passions dead, ambitions fled, in the corner I may have to sit and from the storehouse of memory, clinging fast about the days that have long since past, conjure up pictures painted there for the time when the shades come on, and the shadows lengthen on the garden walk.

## COMMISSIONERS COURT

The Honorable Commissioners Court of Roberts County was in session Monday of this week. Commissioner H. T. Gill of Presnet No. 1 resigned last term and J. A. Meade was appointed in his place. No business of special importance came before the court. They will hold a special session of the court on the 25 of this month.

Claude Lard came in this week from Arkansas where he has spent the past few weeks.

## SUMMER GROCERIES

A proper diet requires that we eat different variety of food during the warmer months of the year.  
—The consumption of heavy foods should be lessened and those of lighter nature be substituted.

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## MICKIE SAYS

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## How We Lead in Swine

Of cattle the world contains probably 475 million head, of which the United States has about one-seventh. Of Sheep the world contains about 500 million head, of which the United States has about one-tenth.

Of swine the world contains in the neighborhood of 180 million head, of which the United States contains considerably more than one third.

In other words, swine are less numerous than either sheep or cattle in the world at large, but are more numerous than either in the United States. Or the same classes may be considered in this way:

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In swine the United States is easily first, and this year has more hogs than her ten nearest competitors all combined. The closest of these are Brazil, Germany and Russia.

So the greatest abundance of swine is perhaps the most noteworthy difference of the United States and most other countries.

The first number of this years Lye-cum course will be here on Thursday, October 2, announcement of what the number will be will be here later.

Carpenters started work this week on a new addition to the J. R. Durrett residence. Mr. Durrett is having an addition built equalizing his present house in size, joining this house, with basement, etc. When completed Mr. Durrett will install a heating plant and other modern improvements.

## BEWARE OF THE MAN

Who regularly deposits his earnings in the bank. HE WILL DEFEAT YOU IN LIFE'S RACE.

Some of his depository you might not think worth banking but his bank book will show a larger sum than the credit side of yours. And it's the sum on the credit side that makes business opportunities. If you have no regular banking place we would be pleased to have you open an account with us.

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W. L. MATHERS, V-Pres  
W. I. WHITSEL, V-Pres  
H. E. BAIRD, Cashier  
H. A. TALLEY, A-Cash.

# ROAD BUILDING

## MEET DEMANDS OF TRAFFIC

Construction of Freeway Highways Should Be Stopped—Permanency Should Be Sought.

J. J. Hill, in a speech in Minneapolis, January 23, 1910, said: "If the problem of the railroad terminals be neglected for the next five years as it has for the last ten, it will blight every form of activity by paralyzing the whole trade."

W. C. Brown, president of the New York Central lines, said November 5, 1912: "If cars are kept in motion at the average speed of freight trains at present time, they would make on the average four times the mileage they do now. The trouble is the cars, as a rule, are held longer to load and unload than the time involved in the actual movement of the cars—that is, the terminal had the railroad by the throat and was choking three-quarters of its efficiency out of it. The prediction of Hill was absolutely correct. A period of acute congestion in railroad transportation had already set in



Motor Truck Adapted to Carrying Farm Produce.

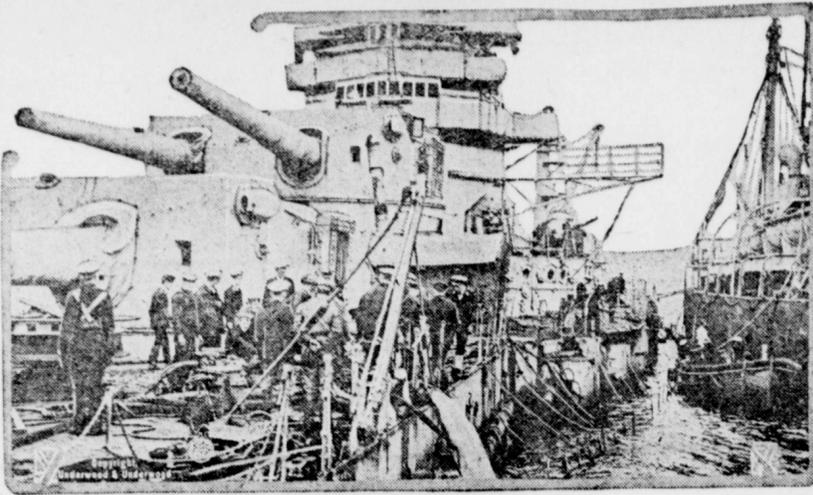
and would have gone to the bitter end of paralyzing every form of activity had not the motor truck, which had no terminals, gone to the rescue. Now at this time, May 1, 1919, another thing has got the motor truck by the throat and is choking three-quarters of its efficiency out of it.

This time it is the dime museum freak construction of our so-called good roads, not by tying up the motor truck as the locomotive was tied up in the terminal, but by knocking it and its trailers to pieces, thus cutting short the life of the rolling stock, as well as making it move slower and with not over one-quarter of a load over the imperfect surfaces. Increasing the cost of motor-truck transportation way beyond what it ought to be for what the motor truck does, as well as limiting the amount it can do way down below the normal, writes Frederic J. Nash, in New York World. Had these roads been properly constructed they would have gone to the stock exchanges and been bought and sold there, like every other kind of transportation securities.

As it is, they have gone to pieces and left the bondholders, the states, counties and townships, their hands on their heads and only a scrap heap of bad roads to show for them. These freak roads, had they been offered on the stock exchanges with only themselves as security would not have sold for one cent on the dollar. They are built on the credit of the states, counties and townships through which they passed. This at the rate of two hundred millions of dollars per year. A speed of 150 miles an hour on the beach at Daytona, Fla., was made last Lincoln's birthday, a rate of speed which the locomotive has never been able to reach. Anything beyond a three-ton truck load is more than a freak highway can safely carry, while the ordinary normal load of the freight car on its railroad is 50 tons. If these few things could be combined in the highway—absence of terminals, a rate of speed beyond that of the railroad, a freight-carrying tonnage equal to that of the railroad, a cost of the upkeep less than that of the railroad, this would multiply our present means of transportation seven or eight times and give this country a prosperity during the next dozen years such as we have never even dreamed of. We want to change our form of highway construction over night and put our highway securities on the stock exchanges and not our highways on the dump heap. Highway stocks and bonds based on the value of this properly-constructed highway will pay a higher rate of interest than the railways ever have, for it will do much more work.

"I have seen men come into that hospital of ours with bloody blurs where their faces had been. Fed through tubes and kept alive. I have seen their remaining bits of skin stretched over the raw places, which filled with new flesh under careful treatment, and finally they have gone out into the world with new faces."

## SALVAGE WORK ON SCUTTLED GERMAN FLEET



View of the salvage work being done by the British on the war vessels which the German crews scuttled in Scapa Flow.

# Doctors Remake Wounded Heroes

### Red Cross Worker Tells of Marvels of Reconstruction Surgery.

## EASY TO GIVE MAN NEW FACE

### Soldiers Brought to Hospital in France With Countenances Merely Blurs Sent Away With Normal Visages.

New York.—Miss Eva Hammond of the American Red Cross, who returned recently from Europe after nearly five years' service with the allied armies, and who wears decorations of the British and French governments, told of the wonderful results achieved in reconstructive surgery by the surgeons of the American and allied armies. Miss Hammond, whose home is in San Francisco, was attached to the staff of the American Red Cross hospital in Neuilly, France.

"It is surprising how many things can be done to a man by a shell and leave him still living," Miss Hammond said. "And the things that can be done to make it worth while for him to go on living are even more surprising."

"Dental surgery is one profession that has gone ahead from the impetus of the war in leaps and bounds. The marvels that the doctors of dentistry performed were not entirely unknown before the war, but they were in the theoretical stage. There was no chance to put these theories into practice, except in widely isolated cases. The war proved that those theories were sound and practicable; it afforded them a means of development. There is nothing impossible in dental surgery now."

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## CLEARED OUT BOLSHEVIKI



Silvestras Zukauskas, commander in chief of Lithuanian army, who has cleared his country of the "Reds" after much pitched fighting, and is now protecting Americans doing relief work in that section. Paris says, "General Zukauskas is one of the most remarkable men in the war." A hero of many battles, distinguished in the Russo-Japanese war, successfully defended Lithuania against the Hun, and afterwards the bolsheviki.

# Explorer Attacked by Prehistoric Bird

London.—Baron Munchausen, says the Daily Express, is reincarnated in the person of Ivan Levey, who describes an encounter with a prehistoric moa in the wilds of North Island, New Zealand.

He was assaulted, says Levey, by a 14-foot moa, a class of beast that had been generally supposed to be extinct.

Its color was light brown and its body huge and bulky. There were no signs of wings, the legs were disproportionately massive, almost elephantine, and the three-toed feet were "stumpily ponderous."

A small head rested on a long ostrich-like neck. The moa uttered a deep, booming noise, says Levey.

In time it will almost disappear. A man who had been the victim of a freak shell which had ripped out every one of his teeth, leaving him otherwise unharmed, was supplied with new gums and a complete set of upper and lower false teeth. I have even seen a man with his brain bulging down over his eye from a jagged cut in his skull. The brain has been carefully pressed back in place, and the head fitted with a metal plate. This operation leaves the patient perfectly normal so far as his mental condition is concerned. He is, however, unable to go about much in the hot sun, as strong heat affects him, and he cannot drink because it irritates the brain."

Sometimes, Miss Hammond said, a patient would be brought into the hospital with his leg smashed to pieces. Instead of making a hurried amputation, every effort was made to save the injured limb. It was put into a frame, and in a short time the smashed bones would take a position, knit, and begin to grow together, while the splintered bits would gradually work their way out of the leg through the flesh.

More Houseless People in This Country Today Than Ever Before.

## SITUATION DUE TO THE WAR

### Great Scarcity and High Cost of Materials Check Building Operations—Little Work Done During Past Four Years.

Washington.—The United States today is facing the greatest shortage of houses since man ceased to live in caves and huts of brush and made for himself and family the hearth and home that became the temples of civilization. During the recent session of the National Association of Real Estate boards, in Atlantic City, Secretary Redfield of the department of commerce, declared that the nation will require 1,000,000 additional homes during the current year to care for the growing population, for whose shelter no provision was made during the four years of war in Europe.

In addition to the needs of the United States, Secretary Redfield declared that, in December, England, France and Belgium also will need 1,000,000 homes, not to mention the requirements of Russia, Austria, Italy, Serbia, Roumania, Turkey and other nations in which millions of buildings were laid in ruins during the period of hostilities.

Was Caused Lack of Building. The perplexing situation now existing in the United States is said to be due entirely to the war. During the years of hostilities, the scarcity and high wages of labor and the scarcity

and high cost of materials prevented the construction of houses which the natural growth of population rendered necessary. Then came Secretary McAdoo's appeal for the restriction of building operations to a minimum during the war. For a time building virtually stopped. Funds that otherwise might have gone into homes, business blocks, and factories were invested in Liberty bonds.

Nor have some of the causes which checked building operations disappeared with the war. Materials are almost as scarce and in many cases more costly than they were during the struggle. Whatever reduction of wages may have occurred in some of the countries, there is none in the United States, and as a result there appears to be no definite program for the prompt and speedy erection of homes in the United States.

## VILLA RUNS FIVE MILES DAILY

### Mexican Rebel Leader Takes Up Physical Culture to Keep From Getting Fat.

El Paso, Tex.—Francisco Villa is a physical culture recruit. When he was at Villa Ahumada en route to attack Juarez, he was seen by residents of that little town doing setting-up exercises every morning in front of the home of Jesus Ysletas, which he had appropriated as his headquarters.

After fifteen minutes of this the rebel leader would run the full length of the main street of Villa Ahumada twenty times to cover the five miles he set as a task for himself each day.

"Keep the stomach from getting fat. It makes riding easier," he said to one of the interested spectators.

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SEALED TIGHT KEPT RIGHT

## HEARTBURN Caused by Acid-Stomach

That bitter heartburn, belching, repeating, indigestion, bloating after all are caused by acid-stomach. It is the only first symptoms of heartburn. It is a warning of awful troubles if not treated. Headache, biliousness, rheumatism, indigestion and other stomach troubles are traceable to ACID-STOMACH. Thousands—yes, millions—of people ought to be well and strong as they are because of acid-stomach. The stomach in the midst of plenty because it does not get enough strength and vitality from the food they eat.

Take EATONIC and give your stomach a chance to do its work right. EATONIC brings quick relief for heartburn, indigestion and other stomach troubles. It proves digestion—helps you get full from your food. Thousands say EATONIC is the most wonderful stomach remedy in the world. Brought them relief when all else failed.

Our best testimonial is what EATONIC will do for you. So get a big bottle of EATONIC today from your druggist. Five days—if you're not pleased, send it back and get your money back.

## EATONIC FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

## Eczema MONEY BACK

Without question if Hunt's Salve fails in the treatment of Eczema, Tetter, Ringworm, Itch, etc., become discouraged. Hunt's Salve has relieved hundreds of cases. It is a sure cure for all kinds of skin diseases. Try it today. Price 50c. Sold by A. B. Richards Co., Birmingham.

## HUNT'S Salve

## PARKER'S HAIR BALMSAN

A hair restorer. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For restoring color and beauty to gray and faded hair. Price 50c. Sold by A. B. Richards Co., Birmingham.

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## Getting Madder All the Time

Bobby noticed that his friend Jimmy was sitting on little Willie's nose while the latter was faced to ground in a helpless position.

"What are you sitting on Willie's nose for?" demanded Bobby.

"Oh, I'm just going to sit on his nose. I count a hundred, 'cause my mamma told me to always count a hundred when you are angry before you strike anyone, and I don't want him to get away."

## MURINE'S

Resists, Refreshes, Soothes, Strengthens—Keep your eyes strong and healthy. They're the Smart, Healthy Eyes. If Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Safe for Infant or Adult. At all Druggists. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Company, Chicago, Ill.

THIN AND NERVOUS, TRY PHOSPHATE

Like Plain Nitro-Phosphate... Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

has one step to consider the host of people who are searching continually some method by which they may increase their flesh to normal proportions by filling out of ugly hollows, the rounding of protruding angles with the roundness of health and attractiveness, it is no wonder that many and varied suggestions about this line appear from time to time in public print.

While excessive thinness might be attributed to various and subtle causes in certain individuals it is a well-known fact that the lack of sufficient phosphorus in the human system is very largely responsible for this condition. Experiments on man and animals by many scientists have demonstrated beyond question of doubt that a body deficient in phosphorus becomes nervous, sickly and thin.

It seems to be well established that this deficiency in phosphorus may now be met by the use of an organic phosphate known throughout English speaking countries as Nitro-Phosphate.

Through the assimilation of this phosphate by the nerve tissue the phosphoric content which absorbed in the blood normally read by nature soon reduces a welcome change in our body and mind. Nervous tension disappears, vigor and strength replace weakness and lack of energy, and the whole body soon loses its ugly hollows about the eyes, becoming again in a glow of perfect health and beauty and the will and strength to be up and doing.

CAUTION.—While Nitro-Phosphate is unsurpassed for the relief of nervousness, general debility, etc., those taking it who do not desire to put on flesh should use extra care in avoiding fat-producing foods.

Let Cuticura Be Your Beauty Doctor

All druggists. Soap 25, Ointment 25 & 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. 2, Boston."

WIFE GAVE HIM INSPIRATION

Author, at His Wit's End for Plot, Got Excellent Idea From His Better Half.

How the idea of a new book was suggested in an unexpected manner to the author is told by William J. Locke in "The Rough Road."

"One evening a couple of months after I had finished 'The Red Planet,' I was tearing my hair and saying that this time I really had come to the end of things and would never again have the ghost of an idea for another book, when my wife, who was sitting on the divan in the drawing room playing unconcernedly with our little Pekinese—she had heard this cry of woe so many times before—addressed this little beast—I love him dearly, by the way—in the maddening tone of which we both are guilty: 'Why doesn't he write a nice book about you, darling? Whereupon I clapped my hand to my forehead and cried: 'I will! I will write a story about a man brought up like that dog and pitched into my study and set to work on the scheme.'"

Women Dry Fish Nets.

It would appear that every line of labor is open to women. They are now seen on the wharves in Portland, Maine, as gill-net spoolers. Each day, after a trip to the fishing grounds, the gill-nets have to be dried, and these reels are so arranged that the nets lie across them and are wound up similar to a piece of thread on a spool; in fact, they are gigantic spools. One reel will hold a great many nets, which are ready for use again in twenty-four hours. Women are now doing this sort of work. Many of them are wives of local fishermen. They receive fifty cents for each box of gill-nets they spread on the reel. The women average from \$4 to \$4.50 a day.

Preliminary.

"My dear," said hubby, "we simply must decide on where we are going during my vacation. I wish you'd make up your mind."—Boston Transcript.

Watch-Cigar Cutter.

A combination watch and cigar cutter is a new novelty just brought out for the man's pocket.

Don't Go From Bad to Worse!

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An Oklahoma Case

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HOME TOWN HELPS

FREE PLANS FOR DWELLINGS

United States Housing Corporation's Scheme to Assist Own-Your-Own-Home Committees.

The fact that plans for dwellings prepared by the United States Housing Corporation during war time for various government projects, are to be made available for general public use by the own-your-own-home section, information and education service, United States department of labor, will serve to stimulate the interest of women in all parts of the country in this movement.

Several types of houses have been selected, and the plans for these will be given to own-your-own-home committees which are now carrying on campaigns in more than 40 cities. These plans are for dwellings that will best serve the needs of average families. Beauty and utility have been combined in the most practical manner and the plans are capable of many variations. It is explained that the purpose is not to interfere in any way with the work of local architects by thus providing government plans, free of cost, but it is expected that when the estimates in widely separated states are compiled the information will be of value to prospective home owners, while it will afford comparisons of the varying cost of construction in many parts of the United States. The employment of local architects is advocated.

Requests that local own-your-own-home campaigns be started without delay were sent out by the United States department of labor to 400 cities. Letters were addressed to mayors, labor organizations and the clergy, as well as to clubs and other associations that have expressed willingness to aid the campaigns. While there are now 40 cities conducting well-advanced own-your-own-home campaigns, nearly 200 others have started the work of stimulating building.

SEES NEED FOR ZONING LAW

Writer Points Out Why Exclusively Residence Districts Should Be Afforded Proper Protection.

Chicago is asking the Illinois legislature for a zoning law—a law that will permit cities in Illinois to say what part shall be reserved for residence purposes. This is a thing that every city in the country has some interest in because it is a step in the right direction, asserts the Davenport Times. There must be factory and commercial districts, of course, and there must also be residence districts. But it isn't fair to a man who has developed a residence property, beautified the grounds, and arranged the house to suit him, to have all of sudden, some sort of business concern established next door, to the detriment of his home. Every city in the country has numerous examples of just that sort of thing. Restricting residence property is going to become more and more the thing as the years go by. We have a few districts in Davenport that are thus protected, but there are many other districts where the people who own homes have no protection at all from the possibility of undesirable construction and business enterprises on the lots next door.

Building a House for Sunshine.

One of the problems of modern city planning is to get sunshine. For example, to quote a Canadian city planner propounding what almost sounds like a conundrum: "How shall a detached building be constructed and oriented so that not only the exterior wall surfaces, but also the surface of the ground around them shall have the direct rays of the sun for as long a time as possible on December 21?" The problem, it appears, can be worked out, and has been, in the case of at least one town, in which each house, and even each building in the business section, is a solution of this technical problem. It appears also that the way not to do it is to follow the long established custom of many builders in the north temperate zone and square the walls of the building with the points of the compass. The town that gets all possible sunlight has no north and south or east and west streets, and the walls of its structures stand at various angles with the weather vane, if there is one, on the church steeple.

Own Home.

The ownership of homes makes for the spirit of co-operation for the good of the community, based upon full appreciation of the fact that no man's real success can be built upon the failure of those around him. Of the lasting impressions that one gains upon going to a new town are the character of its inhabitants and the character of the houses that they live in.

Roller-Skating in Business.

Roller-skating, once indulged in only for pleasure, has now become an important accomplishment in many business houses. Several large mail-order houses in both Chicago and New York require office boys to know how to get about on skates, giving them a carefully worked-out route between the different departments.

FIGURES OF AMERICA'S PART IN WAR PASS ALL FORMER RECORDS

Col. Leonard P. Ayers Prepares a Remarkable Statistical Summary Showing Comparative Costs in Men, Money and Material for All the Countries Engaged—Cost to the United States Is \$22,000,000,000.

STUDIES U. S. EDUCATION



Dr. Salas Marchan, prominent Chilean scholar, who with his wife is in this country studying the educational system for the benefit of his government.

Washington.—The war cost the United States directly about \$22,000,000,000, or nearly enough to pay the entire cost of running the American government from 1791 up to the outbreak of the European war. For every hundred American soldiers and sailors who served in the war with Germany two were killed or died of disease during the period of hostilities. The number of men serving in the armed forces of the nation during the war was 4,800,000, of whom 4,000,000 served in the army.

These facts are set forth in a statistical summary of "The War With Germany," compiled under the direction of Col. Leonard P. Ayers, chief of the statistics branch of the general staff of the army.

This summary, just published by Colonel Ayers by direction of the secretary of war, is a complete review of America's participation in the war against Germany condensed into less than 150 pages. It is a detailed summary of American military operations, and yet the long statistical tables usually found in official reports are entirely lacking.

Col. Leonard P. Ayers is the only officer from civilian life who has risen to the position of chief of a division of the general staff. Before the war he was a director of the Russell Sage Foundation. He was chief statistical officer of the peace committee. After his return here he received the distinguished service medal.

Some of the Figures.

Some of the statistical summaries in the report show: The war cost the United States considerably more than \$1,000,000 an hour for over two years.

America's expenditures in the war were sufficient to have carried on the Revolutionary war continuously for more than a thousand years at the rate of expenditure which that war actually involved.

During the first three months expenditures were at the rate of \$2,000,000 a day. During the next year they averaged more than \$22,000,000 a day. For the final ten months the daily average was over \$44,000,000.

The total war costs of all nations were about \$185,000,000,000, of which the allies and the United States spent two-thirds and the enemy one-third.

The three nations spending the greatest amounts were Germany, Great Britain and France, in that order. After them come the United States and Austria-Hungary, with substantially equal expenditures.

The United States spent about one-eighth of the entire cost of the war

and something less than one-fifth of the expenditures of the allied side.

The total battle deaths of all nations in this war were greater than all deaths in all the wars in the previous hundred years.

Russian battle deaths were 34 times as heavy as those of the United States, those of Germany 32 times as great, France 28 times and the British 18 times as large.

Infantry Suffered Most.

In the American army the casualty rate in the infantry was higher than in any other service, and that for officers was higher than for men.

For every man killed in battle seven were wounded.

Five out of every six men sent to hospitals on account of wounds were cured and returned to duty.

Pneumonia killed more soldiers than were killed in battle. Meningitis was the next most serious disease.

The British sent more men to France in their first year of war than we did in our first year, but it took England three years to reach a strength of 2,000,000 men in France, and the United States accomplished it in one-half of that time.

In the physical examinations the states of the middle West made the best showing. Country boys did better than city boys, white better than colored and native better than foreign born.

Most of the troops who sailed for France left New York. Half of them landed in England and the other half in France.

Of every 100 Americans who went over, 49 went in British ships, 45 in American ships, three in Italian, two in French and one in Russian shipping under English control.

American cargo ships averaged one complete trip every 70 days and troop ships one complete trip every 35 days.

The cargo fleet was almost entirely American. It reached the size of 2,600,000 deadweight tons, and carried to Europe about 7,500,000 tons of cargo.

Work of Engineers.

American engineers built in France 83 new ship berths, 1,000 miles of standard gauge track and 538 miles of narrow gauge track.

The signal corps strung in France 100,000 miles of telephone and telegraph wire.

Prior to the armistice 40,000 trucks were shipped to the forces in France.

Construction projects in the United States cost twice as much as the Panama canal, and construction overseas was on nearly twice as large a scale.

The entire number of American machine guns produced to the end of 1918 was 227,000.

The Browning machine guns are believed to be more effective than the corresponding weapons used in any other army.

American production of rifle ammunition amounted to approximately 3,500,000,000 rounds, of which 1,500,000,000 rounds were shipped overseas.

The number of rounds of complete artillery ammunition produced in American plants was in excess of 20,000,000, compared with 9,000,000 rounds secured from the French and British.

In the first 20 months after the declaration of war by each country the British did better than the United States in the production of light artillery, and the United States excelled them in producing heavy artillery and both light and heavy ammunition.

At the end of the war American production of smokeless powder was 45 per cent greater than the French and British production combined. The American production of high explosives was 40 per cent greater than Great Britain's and nearly double that of France.

Out of every hundred days that

American combat divisions were in line in France they were supported by their own artillery for 75 days, by British artillery for five days and by French for one and a half days.

In round numbers, America had in France 8,500 pieces of artillery, of which nearly 500 were made in America, and Americans used on the firing line 2,250 pieces, of which over 100 were made in America.

Airplane Production.

When the United States entered the war the allies made the designs of their planes available to Americans, and before the end of hostilities furnished from their own manufacture 3,800 service planes.

Aviation training schools in the United States graduated 8,602 men from elementary courses and 4,028 from advanced courses. More than 5,000 pilots and observers were sent overseas.

There were produced in the United States to November 30, 1918, more than 8,000 training planes and more than 16,000 training engines.

The American air force at the front grew from three squadrons in April to 45 in November, 1918. On November 11 the 45 squadrons had an equipment of 740 planes.

Of 2,638 planes sent to the zone of the advance for American aviators, 667, or nearly one-fourth, were of American production.

American air squadrons brought down in combat 755 enemy planes, while their own losses of planes numbered only 357.

American divisions were in battle for 200 days and engaged in 13 major operations.

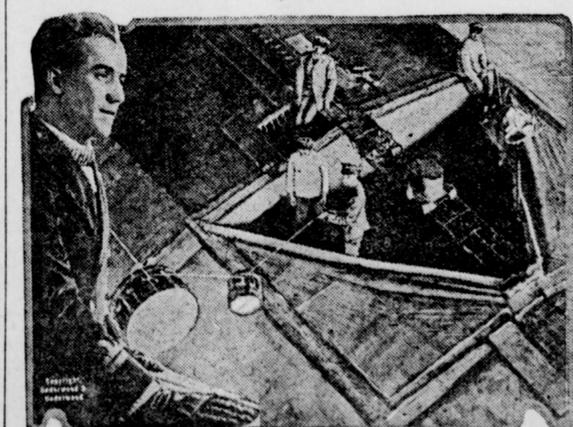
From the middle of August until the end of the war the American divisions held during the greater part of the time a front longer than that held by the British.

In October the American divisions held 101 miles of line, or 23 per cent of the entire western front.

In the battle of St. Mihiel 550,000 Americans were engaged, compared with about 100,000 on the northern side in the battle of Gettysburg. The artillery fired more than 1,000,000 shells in four hours, which is the most intense concentration of artillery fire recorded in history.

The Meuse-Argonne battle lasted for 47 days, during which 1,200,000 American troops were engaged.

BRITISH AIRSHIP PREPARING TO FLY TO INDIA



The R-33, sister ship to the R-34 which recently made the flight to the United States and back to England, is reported to be making preparations for a flight to India. The photograph shows drums being hoisted aboard the R-33 prior to the airship's 81-hour trip over the British isles. Insert is a portrait of Capt. M. G. Thomas, her commander.

WRESTLING PARSON IN ARMY

Soldiers Thrown by Chaplain Currie of Second Division Promise to Go to Church.

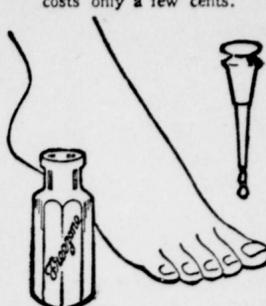
With the American Forces in Germany.—Chaplain E. S. Currie of the Second division has become known among the American forces on the Rhine as "the wrestling parson" in his go-to-church campaign, which he inaugurated recently among the soldiers.

Chaplain Currie has been putting on an exhibition in Leutesdorf every night the last few weeks, and each man he throws promises to induce five other soldiers to accompany him to church the Sunday following the wrestling match.

The contests have been held in the Leutesdorf playhouse. Chaplain Currie has been taking on different men from the Third battalion of the Sixth marines each night. Reports to the chaplain's office of the Second division say that Chaplain Currie has been winning about 75 per cent of the matches.

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The Last Word. Mistress—Now, Bridget, there's no use of further argument as to how the dish should be prepared, but our ideas on the subject are so different that it is evident one or the other of us is crazy. Bridget—True for ye, mum—an' sure it isn't yerself 'd be kapin' a crazy cook.—Boston Transcript.

A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

Miss Kelly Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

Newark, N. J.—"For about three years I suffered from nervous breakdown, and got so weak I could hardly stand, and had headaches every day. I tried everything I could think of and was under a physician's care for two years. A girl friend had used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and she told me about it. From the first day I took it I began to feel better and now I am well and able to do most any kind of work. I have been recommending the Compound ever since and give you my permission to publish this letter."—Miss FLO KELLY, 476 So. 14th St., Newark, N. J.



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A breach of confidence and friendship not only makes one feel bad toward the individual, but has a tendency to help a fellow lose confidence in humanity.

The new line of Santa Fe railroad in Ochiltree county is now in six miles of the new Hansford County town of Spearman, and it is reported that they will have trains running in to this town next month.

Every town in the Panhandle is crying for rent houses. We saw enough vacant houses in New Mexico and Colorado this summer to house several Panhandles, but who is going to take the contract for moving them down here, and no Panhandle family wants to move to that country to make his home.

An exchange says, "a lawyer in a courtroom may call a man a liar, scoundrel, villain, or thief, and no one makes complaint when court adjourns. If a newspaper prints such a reflection on a man's character there is a libel suit or dead editor. This is owing to the fact that the people believe what the editor says."



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Quite often a man feels conscious free to do or act in a certain way, and yet will convict his fellowman for doing the same thing, even under the same convictions of mind. It is an old and often repeated fact, and yet is renewed in everyday life and ever to a great extent whether or not a thing is right or wrong, depends in our own minds altogether upon "whose ox is gored."

It is said by experts that a fellow who is afraid he is going crazy is the most sane man living, but the man who is dead sure that he is sane and will never have the least tendency to go crazy is likely to become the biggest "nut". The same rule will also work with the fellow who is ever so dead sure he is right, and believes everybody else wrong. Nine times out of ten, the man who is surest that he is right is the very farthest from it.

One of the most pleasant occasions of each year is the visit to the opening of school. Too often not many grown people attended this delightful exercise, and yet, one cannot help but be brought back to the pleasant days of youth and be benefited by the radiance from the beaming eyes of the school children when they look into the bright and eager faces of the child who is eager for the first bell to ring; for the first lesson to be recited, and for the opportunity to learn. If there is love in your heart, you cannot help but love children and their presence.

We are still sleeping upon our good future prospect to help make Miami a better town. The Commercial Club is still unorganized. Our county Commissioners have took the initiative in helping to boost Roberts county, by being the first county in the district to assure our full cooperation with the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce. But the big bunch of other counties have come in and are going after the needs of the Panhandle. The P. P. C. of C. is an organization ready and willing to help and are awaiting a chance to do everything possible for us, but the proper way to ask such an organization for assistance is through a commercial body.

Until the producers learn to their own satisfaction, that it is cheaper for them to put up their own meat, can fruit and vegetables and use all homemade goods wherever possible, high prices are likely to avail. We could never understand why a man will sell his feed and hogs, have them shipped to Kansas City and fed and butchered and then resold to him at three or four times what he got for them. Home grown and home cured meats are always better anyhow, and so long as the American Farmer and Stockman will pay the packing houses a big profit to care for their meat, the packing houses will pay their workmen a big salary for preparing it and the farmer will always experience high prices.

Weddings are as numerous this summer as the "flu" was last fall. A bigger portion of the marriages are by returned soldier boys. Why not? The American son who spent several months in training, several months in France was broadened in mind and character, and more fully realizes the pleasures of a home; the duty of life and the foundation to all happiness. He sees the folly of trying to live a happy and contented life alone. He is ready to come to a full realization that the real pleasures of life come from making others happy. We can make others happy by doing something for them. There is more real pleasure in buying a new dress, a bunch of flowers or a nice present for a sweet young bride, or even a dime worth of candy or an ice cream cone for a small child whom you love than there is in spending several hundred dollars, "out with the boys"

A man remarked to us this week, "that if you got mad every time the other fellow did not what you think he should, you would be mad all the time." Indeed it is true, and that is exactly why some people are mad all the time. They expect everything of the other fellow, and yet, they think he is crazy if he don't allow them to think and do as they believe and as their convictions run.

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### TEXAS MAN TREATED FOR CANCER

Col. W. A. Poage, Member of State Legislature after giving up all Hopes, says he is cured.

The recent death by cancer of an intimate friend caused Col. W. A. Poage, 103 Lylee Ave., Waco, Texas member of the state legislature to make the following statement:

"I feel that I am permanently cured of my cancer trouble. In August 1917, I came to your place in Kansas City suffering with a bad cancer on my face. I had given up almost all hopes of recovery for I had been treated by some of the best doctors in Texas, and had grown steadily worse under their treatment. I suffered a great deal of pain. Two weeks after you began to treat me I grew better and in three months felt that I was easily cured. The day I went to you was the best day of my life."

The above was written to Dr. O. A. Johnston, Suite 560, 1324 Main St. Kansas City, Mo., the physician who treated Col. Poage so successfully. Dr. Johnston is perhaps the best informed man in the United States today on cancer. He conducts a large institution for the treatment of cancer, in connection with which is also maintained a laboratory for scientific cancer research. Thousands of cases have been investigated and treated in the past twenty years. This treatment is entirely nonsurgical. Purely medical measures only are employed that is, external applications to destroy the cancer and internal medicine to purify the blood.

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The Woman's Auxiliary of the M. E. Church held their meeting this week at the church house, beginning at 3 o'clock. After roll call and the reading of the minutes, a bible lesson for the afternoon was conducted by the teacher, Mrs. J. R. Durrett. Friday (to-morrow) afternoon, immediately after school turns out, all the boys and girls belonging to the Methodist Sunday School are requested to meet the ladies at the church, and bring their hoes and rakes, for the purpose of helping clean the church lawn of its healthy growth of weeds, and getting the church yard in condition for the social which is coming next week. After the lawn has been cleaned, refreshments will be served to all the workers. Wednesday afternoon, September 17, a Japanese program will be given at the church. This program promises to be one of the most interesting of any we have had lately, and its purpose is to learn more of the country to which we are sending our bible woman. All the ladies of the town are invited to

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Bible study every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Preaching every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Preaching every first and third Sunday nights of each month. There will be no preaching on the second and fourth Sunday nights. There will be preaching at Laketon on the second and fourth Sunday nights. Song practice every Friday night, and Men's bible class will meet every Saturday night at 8 o'clock. This is done to give the young men who are in school a chance to attend the Men's Bible study. The Ladies Bible Class will meet every Friday evening at 3:30. These bible studies are for the members of the Church, but excludes no one. The public is cordially invited to come and be with us in our bible studies, at our preaching hours and if you are not attending church and bible studies at any other church in town, we insist that you come to our Church house at the stated hours for our services.  
F. S. Vance, Minister.

Homer Tolbert of Littlefield spent Saturday with Miami friends. Homer states that his wife recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at Amarillo and is recovering nicely.  
Mrs. Henry Finch and daughter of Plainview visited the D. B. McGregor home last week.  
Bob Dial and Herbert Smith came in last and this week and are the latest two Miami boys to return from service in the army. This begins to get very near all of our boys back home again, and of which the home people are proud as well as the boys.  
C. M. Hockett now of Camden, Arkansas spent part of the week here and sold his Miami residence to Joe Cunningham. Mr. Hockett states that they like Arkansas fine, and are living within four blocks of the L. B. Robertson family who are also enjoying life in that state.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lyons and children left first of the week for a short visit with relatives at Guyman, Oklahoma.  
Mrs. A. D. Howard has been nursing a sick patient near Mobeetie the past week.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Worly of Gainsville are here this week visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. G. Pennington.  
Doyle Smith who is employed at Wichita Falls has been spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Cox of near Mobeetie spent Sunday afternoon in our city visiting and looking for a boarding place or house to rent that their children might be given the benefit of the Miami School.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams and children of near LeFors moved in last week and are occupying one of the D. S. Christopher residences near the school, and the children will attend the present term of school. Mrs. Williams is a sister to Mrs. J. K. McKenzie, and this good family are among the many new families coming to Miami who are welcome to our splendid school facilities.  
F. R. Jamison, Secretary-Manager of the Panhandle Plains Chamber of Commerce, and Hamlin Palmer, Traffic manager of Amarillo spent a short while in our city Saturday afternoon.  
W. S. Tolbert spent first of the week in Miami looking after business interests.  
Thos. Cook and R. O. Runion of Wichita Falls was here Monday looking after business interests. Mr. Cook had the good fortune recently of having his company bring in a 3700 barrel oil well, and he owns a big portion of the stock in the company.  
Atty. and Mrs. N. P. Willis of Canadian were visitors in Miami first of the week.  
J. R. Webster has been spending the week on his farm near Groom where he is getting some threshing done.  
G. A. Halstead of Ontario, Oregon is here this week looking after his wheat interests.  
Misses Margurite and Grace Christopher left first of the week for Harper Kansas where they will enter the Christian College at that place. Mr. and Mrs. Christopher expect to move there as soon as threshing is over.  
Misses Ruth and Lillian Dial returned Monday from Greenville and Dallas where they have been visiting for the past few weeks.  
J. A. Latham who recently purchased the Swain section of land on the South Plains has rented the Daughette residence in Miami and moved his family here for school.  
Marriage license were issued Monday to Mr. John W. Schaffer and Miss Ada Black, both of Miami.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Whatley expect to spend the winter in South Texas and they rented their house to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gilley, who moved to the place last week.  
H. H. Crain, Principal of our Public Schools has rented a residence of Grandpa Christopher and moved his family to it this week.  
C. S. Seiber purchased a new Buick car and is "sportin around" a little this week.  
Mrs. Jack Mt. Gomery left first of the week for Clarendon where she will visit her parents a short time.  
The three year old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Florence Maddux was run over Tuesday by an automobile and received three broken ribs. The child was playing at the rear end of the garage as the car was being backed out. It is getting along nicely since the accident.  
W. G. Lyons, one of Roberts counties biggest wheat farmers purchased another half section of land this week. He bought a half of the Swain section from J. A. Latham, getting the improvements, which are a set of the best improvements in the Panhandle. Mr. Lyons will make the new place his home, although he owns several other pieces of land in the county, and will this year plant near 800 acres of wheat. When good farmers who have tried this country for several years are still purchasing land, it is a pretty good indication that the land is worth the money.

The Study Club met with Mrs. W. R. Ewing on last Friday afternoon. A course of study based upon the National Geographic Magazine was adopted for the coming year. Other items of business were discussed pertaining to the Club work. At the close light refreshments were served to the members and to two guests, Mesdames N. S. and C. B. Locke.

We wish to take this method of extending our sincerest appreciation to those who were so kind and consoling during the recent illness and death of our beloved mother, daughter, and sister, especially would we mention Dr. and Mrs. Gunn to whom words are inadequate to express our appreciation.  
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CHAPTER XIV—Continued.

Lying there, he made swift calculations. The quarry, no longer of use to the builder, was reasonably sure to be abandoned. In all probability some sort of a stone-cutter's shed would be found nearby. It would provide shelter from the fine rain that was falling and from the chill night air. He remembered that O'Dowd, in discussing the erection of Green Fancy the night before, had said that the stone came from a pit two miles away, where a fine quality of granite had been found. Two miles, according to Barnes' quick calculations, would bring the pit close to the northern boundary of the Curtis property and almost directly on a line with the point where he and Sprouse entered the meadow at the beginning of their advance upon Green Fancy. That being the case, they were now quite close to the stake and rider fence separating the Curtis land from that of the farmer on the north.

"Good," he said, more to himself than to her. "I begin to see light. Are you afraid to return here while I go down there for a look around? I shouldn't be gone more than a couple of minutes."

"The way I feel at present," she said, jerkily, "I shall never, never from this instant till the hour in which I die, let go of your coat-tails, Mr. Barnes." Suiting the action to the word, her fingers resolutely fastened, not upon the tail of his coat but upon his sturdy arm. "I wouldn't stay here alone for anything in the world."

"Heaven bless you," he exclaimed, suddenly exalted. "And, since you put it that way, I shall always contrive to be within arm's length."

And so, together, they ventured along the edge of the pit until they reached the wagon road at the bottom. As he had expected, there was a ramshackle shed hard by. It was not much of a place, but it was deserted and a safe shelter for the moment.

A workman's bench lay on its side in the middle of the earthen floor. He righted it and drew it over to the boarding. . . . She laid her head against his shoulder and sighed deeply. . . . He kept his eyes glued on the door and listened for the first ominous sound outside. A long time afterward she stirred.

"Are you cold? You are wet—" "It was the excitement, the nervousness, Mr. Barnes," she said, drawing slightly away from him. "Isn't it nearly daybreak?"

He looked at his watch. "Three o'clock, sir," he said. There ensued another period of silence. She remained slightly aloof. "You'd better lean against me," he said at last. "I am softer than the best boards, you know, and quite as harmless."

"Thank you," she said, and promptly settled herself against his shoulder. "It is better," she sighed. "Would you mind telling me something about yourself, Miss Cameron? I should like to know whether I am to address you as princess, duchess, or—just plain Miss."

"I am more accustomed to plain Miss, Mr. Barnes, than to either of the titles you would give me."

"Don't you feel that I am deserving of a little enlightenment?" he asked, smiling. "I am working literally as well as figuratively in the dark. Who are you? Why were you a prisoner at Green Fancy? Where and what is your native land?"

"Mr. Barnes, I cannot answer any one of your questions without jeopardizing a cause that is dearer to me than anything else in all the world. I am sorry. I pray God a day may soon come when I can reveal everything to you—and to the world. I am of a stricken country; I am trying to serve the unhappy house that has ruled it for centuries and is now in the direst peril. The man you know as Loeb is a prince of that house. I may say this to you, and it will serve to explain my position at Green Fancy; he is not the prince I was led to believe awaited me there. He is the cousin of the man I expected to meet, and he is the enemy of the branch of the house that I would serve. Do not ask me to say more."

"Your sympathies are with the entente allies, the prince's are opposed? Is that part of Sprouse's story true?" "Yes." "And O'Dowd?" "O'Dowd is anti-English, Mr. Barnes, if that conveys anything to you. He is not pro-German."

"Wasn't it pretty risky for you to carry the crown jewels around in a traveling bag, Miss Cameron?" "I suppose so. It turned out, however, that it was the safest, surest way. I had them in my possession for three days before coming to Green Fancy. No one suspected. I was to deliver them to one of their rightful

owners, Mr. Barnes—a loyal prince of the blood."

"But why here?" he insisted. "He was to take them into Canada, and thence, in good time, to the palace of his ancestors."

"I am to understand, then, that not only you but the committee you speak of, fell into a carefully prepared trap. The treachery, therefore, had its inception in the loyal nest. You were betrayed by a friend."

"I am sure of it," she said bitterly. "If this man Sprouse does not succeed in restoring them—oh, I believe I shall kill myself, Mr. Barnes."

The wail of anguish in her voice went straight to his heart. "He has succeeded, take my word for it. They will be in your hands before many hours have passed."

"Is he to come to the Tavern with them? Or am I to meet him—" "Good Lord!" he gulped. Here was a contingency he had not considered. Where and when would Sprouse appear with his booty? "I—I fancy we'll find him waiting for us at the Tavern."

"But had you no understanding?" "Er—tentatively." The perspiration started on his brow. He was thinking of something else; his amazing stupidity in not foreseeing the very situation that now presented itself. Why had he neglected to settle upon a meeting place with Sprouse in the event that circumstances forced them to part company in flight? Fearing that she would pursue the subject, he made haste to branch off onto another line.

"What is the real object of the conspiracy up there, Miss Cameron?" "You must bear with me a little longer, Mr. Barnes," she said, appealingly. "I cannot say anything now."

"You said that tomorrow night would be too late. What did you mean by that?" She waited a few seconds and then removed her head from his shoulder. He heard the sharp intake of her breath and felt the convulsive movement of the arm that rested against his. There was no mistaking her sudden agitation.

"I will tell you," she said, and he was surprised by the harshness that came into her voice. "Tomorrow morning was the time set for my marriage to that wretch up there. I could have avoided it only by destroying myself. If you had come tomorrow night instead of tonight you would have found me dead, that is all. Now you understand."

"Good God! You—were to be forced into a marriage with—why, it is the most damnable—" "O'Dowd—God bless him!—was my only champion. He knew my father. He—"

"Listen!" he hissed, starting to his feet. "Don't move!" came from the darkness outside. "I have my gun leveled. I heard me name taken in vain. Thanks for the blessing. I was wondering whether you would say some-



"Don't Move!" Came From the Darkness Outside.

thing pleasant about me—and, thank the good Lord, I was patient. But I'd advise you both to sit still just the same."

A chuckle rounded out the gentle admonition of the invisible Irishman.

CHAPTER XV.

Large Bodies Move Slowly—But Mr. Sprouse Was Smaller Than the Average. There was not a sound for many seconds. She was the first to speak.

"I am ready to return with you, Mr. O'Dowd," she said distinctly. "There must be no struggle, no bloodshed. Anything but that."

O'Dowd spoke out of the darkness: "You forget that I have your own word for it that you'll be a dead woman before the day is over. Wouldn't it be better for me to begin shooting at once and spare your soul the everlasting torture that would begin immediately after your self-produced decease?"

A little cry of relief greeted this quaint sally. "You have my word that I will return with you quietly if—" "Thunderation!" exclaimed Barnes wrathfully. "What to you think I am? A worm that—"

"Easy, easy, me dear man," cautioned O'Dowd. "Keep your seat. Don't be deceived by my infernal Irish humor. It is my way to be always polite, agreeable and—prompt. I'll shoot in a second if ye move one step outside that cabin."

"O'Dowd, you haven't the heart to drag her back to that beast of a—" "Hold hard! We'll come to the point without further palavering. Where are ye dragging her yourself, ye rascal?"

"To a place where she will be safe from insult, injury, degradation—" "Well, I have no fault to find with ye for that," said O'Dowd. "Bedad, I didn't believe you had the nerve to tackle the job. You may be interested to know that up to the moment I left the house your absence had not been noticed, my dear Miss Cameron. And as for you, my dear Barnes, your visit is not even suspected. How the devil did ye do it, Barnes?"

"Are you disposed to be friendly, O'Dowd?" demanded Barnes. "If you are not, we may just as well fight it out now as later on."

"You are not to fight!" she cried in great agitation. "What are you doing? Put it away! Don't shoot!"

"Is it a gun he is pulling?" inquired O'Dowd calmly. "And what the deuce are you going to aim at, me hearty? I have a bull's-eye lantern with me. From the luxurious seat behind this rock I could spot ye in a second. Having said as much I now propose arbitration. Would ye mind handing over that tin box in exchange for my polite thanks and a courteous goodby to both of ye?"

"We have no box of any description, Mr. O'Dowd," cried she triumphantly. "Thank heaven, he got safely away!" "Do you mean to tell me you came away without the—your belongings, Miss Cameron?" exclaimed O'Dowd.

"They are not with me," she replied. Her grasp on Barnes' arm tightened. "Oh, isn't it splendid? They did not catch him. He—"

"Will you both swear on your sacred honor that ye haven't the jewels in your possession?" "Unhesitatingly," said Barnes. "I swear, Mr. O'Dowd."

"Then," said he, "I have no time to waste here. I am looking for a tin box. I beg your pardon for disturbing you."

"Oh, Mr. O'Dowd, I shall never forget all that you have—" "Whist, now! There is one thing I must insist on your forgetting completely: all that has happened in the last five minutes. What I am doing, Mr. Barnes, would be my death sentence if it ever became known."

"It shall never be known through me, O'Dowd. I'd like to shake your hand, old man."

"God bless you, Mr. O'Dowd," said the girl in a low, small voice, singularly suggestive of tears. "Some day I may be in a position to—" "Don't say it! You'll spoil everything if you let me think you are in my debt. Bedad, don't be so sure I shan't see you again, and soon."

"Tell me how to find Hart's Tavern, old man. I'll—" "No, I'm dashed if I do. You ought to be grateful to me for not stopping you entirely, without asking me to give you a helping hand. Good-by, and God bless you. I'm praying that ye get away safely, Miss Cameron. So long, Barnes. If you were a crow and wanted to roost on that big tree in front of Hart's Tavern, I dare say you'd take the shortest way there by flying as straight as a bullet from the mouth of this pit, following your extremely good-looking nose."

They did not wait for the break of day. Taking O'Dowd's hint, Barnes directed his steps straight out from the mouth of the quarry and pressed confidently onward. In answer to a question she informed him that there were no fewer than twenty-five men in Green Fancy, all of them shrewd, resolute and formidable.

"I cannot, for the life of me, see why they took chances on inviting me to the house, Miss Cameron."

She was silent for a moment, and when she spoke it was with great intensity. "Mr. Barnes, I had your life in my hands all the time you were at Green Fancy. I shudder now when I think of what might have happened. Before you were asked to the house, I was coolly informed that you would not leave it alive if I so much as breathed a word to you concerning my unhappy plight. The first word of an appeal to you would have been the signal for—for your death. That is what they held over me. When I spoke to you on the couch that night, I—oh, don't you see? Don't you see that I wantonly, cruelly, selfishly risked your life—not my own—when I—"

"There, there, now!" he cried, consolingly, as she put her hands to her face and gave way to sobs. "Forgive me," she murmured. "I didn't mean to be so silly."

"It helps, to cry sometimes," he said lamely. "The first faint signs of day were

struggling out of the night when they stole across the road above Hart's Tavern and made their way through the stable yard to the rear of the house. His one thought was to get her safely inside the Tavern.

The door was locked. He delivered a series of resounding kicks upon its stout face. Revolver in hand, he faced about and waited for the assault of the men who, he was sure, would come plunging around the corner of the building in response to the racket. But there was no attack.

At last there were sounds from within. A key grated in the lock and a bolt was shot. The door flew open. Mr. Clarence Dillingford appeared in the opening, partially dressed, his hair sadly tumbled, his eyes blinking in the light of the lantern he held aloft.

"Well, what the—" Then his gaze alighted on the lady. "For the love of—" began the embarrassed Dillingford. "What the de— I say, can't you see that I'm not dressed? What the—"

"Give me that lantern," said Barnes, and snatched the article out of the unresisting hand. "Show me the way to Miss Thackeray's room, Dillingford. No time for explanations."

"Well, for the love of—" "I will take you to Miss Thackeray's room," said Barnes, leading her swiftly through the narrow passage. "She



"How is She? Is She Resting? Does She Seem—"

will make you comfortable for the—that is until I am able to secure a room for you. Come on, Dillingford."

Miss Thackeray was awake. Through the closed door she asked what on earth was the matter.

"I have a friend here—a lady. Will you dress as quickly as possible and take her in with you for a little while?"

There was no immediate response from the inside. Then Miss Thackeray observed, quite coldly: "I think I'd like to hear the lady's voice, if you don't mind. I recognize yours perfectly, Mr. Barnes, but I am not in the habit of opening my—"

"I guess I don't need to dress," said Miss Thackeray, and opened her door. "Come in, please. I don't know who you are or what you've been up to, but there are times when women ought to stand together. And what's more, I shan't ask any questions."

She closed the door behind the unexpected guest, and Barnes gave a great sigh of relief. "Say, Mr. Barnes," said Miss Thackeray, several hours later, coming upon him in the hall, "I guess I'll have to ask you to explain a little. She's a nice, pretty girl, and all that, but she won't open her lips about anything. She says you will do the talking. I'm a good sport, you know, and not especially finicky, but I hate to—" "How is she? Is she resting? Does she seem—"

"Well, she's stretched out on my bed with my best nightgown on, and she seems to be doing as well as could be expected," said Miss Thackeray dryly. "Has she had coffee and—"

"I am going after it now. It seems that she is in the habit of having it in bed. I wish I had her imagination. It would be great to imagine that all you have to do is to say, 'I think I'll have coffee and rolls and one egg' sent up, and then go on believing your wish would come true. Still, I don't mind. She seems so nice and pathetic, and in trouble, and I—"

"Thank you, Miss Thackeray. If you will see that she has her coffee I'll—I'll wait for you here in the hall and try to explain. I can't tell you everything at present—not without her consent—but what I do tell will be sufficient to make you think you are listening to a chapter of a dime novel."

He had already taken Putnam Jones into his confidence. He saw no other way out of the new and somewhat extraordinary situation.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Be Kind and Patient. There is more special grace requisite and manifest in watchful perseverance in little kindnesses and habitual patience at home, in abstinence from conversational disparagement of others, and in resistance to habits of sloth and undue self-indulgence in private life than in the performance of great public duties under the observation of multitudes.

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THE name with which Licenciado don Gonzalo Jimenez de Quesada and his warring hosts christened the Andean plateau

was Santa Fe. To that nobleman nothing seemed more fitting than to give to the land he had discovered the name of his birthplace—that classic Santa Fe founded upon royal command of Ferdinand and Isabella opposite the opulent Granada, to vex the multitude of heretic Mohammedans who aroused the jealousy and resentment of the Spanish by their fiestas and tourneys; the valor of their sons, the Moorish beauty of their women, and the unequalled romance of their arched windows, stone lacework, and balconies adorned by expert goldsmiths.

And what a thrill the conquistador must have felt, yet what homesickness must have been awakened within him as he gazed upon a plain watched over by two somber hills, so like that of his own land, with the Moorish Granada guarding the Castilian city, writes W. F. Anzola Samper in the Bulletin of the Pan American Union. But the Valley of Castles (Valle de los Alcázares), the Teusquillo or recreation spot of Zapa de Bacata, its rightful possessor, was renamed by the new lords in mail and gorget. Bacata fled, abandoning his dominion, to die in the heart of the forest, never knowing that after centuries justice should be paid him; that the "very noble and loyal city" should bear his name, slightly modified, as decreed by the Emperor Charles V in 1540. On December 3, 1548, it was given a coat of arms portraying a black eagle on a gold field, with an open pomegranate in each claw, and bordered by golden branches on a blue field.

Old and New Are Mingled. Bogota, the intellectual and cultured capital city, molder of thought, home of savants and thinkers, is a metropolis which, while offering to the tourist no startling display of New York or Parisian skyscrapers, boulevards or Broadways, claims attention by reason of the gifts with which nature endowed it. Spring is there eternal; the climate is ideal; the fertility of the soil surrounding is extraordinary.

Bogota conserves vestiges of her colonial period. Over the portals of rambling old houses which defied the ages are to be seen coats of arms. The century-old churches, venerable relics of the past, guard beneath panels of gold and costly wood collections of masterly paintings; Byzantine cornices of arabesque designs about the granite pilasters which support arches, and under dais of wrought gold and silver the choir lofts are to be seen; long spiral staircases, massive towers, and belfry spires stand out against the clear sky, just as they did centuries ago.

On the other hand, the tendency toward twentieth century building is irresistible, and the most up-to-date talent is displayed in the erection of luxurious homes or public buildings in Bogota today.

The national capital situated on the southern side of the Plaza de Bolivar, resembles the Church of the Madeleine in Paris, and is considered one of the best stone edifices in South America.

Along the entire western side of the plaza extends buildings uniformly of pure French style, and along the northern side modern buildings occupied by banks and commercial houses; the eastern side is occupied by the cathedral, a massive structure, the towers of which rise 30 meters, and some few old houses.

In the heart of the plaza there is a small park which attracts notice principally because of the statue of Bolivar the Liberator, which rises upon a marble pedestal in the center of the square, being one of the finest works of the Italian sculptor, Tenerani.

From the Plaza de Bolivar the main thoroughfares extend in every direction, almost all paved with asphalt and kept in excellent condition by a municipality. Calle Real, the principal business street, and Florian street are the most bustling of the city. The former, a wide thoroughfare, merges into Republic avenue (Avenida de la Republica), flanked by modern buildings and traversed by electric cars.

Called the Athens of the South. The Colombian capital has been the patron of science. The astronomical observatory, National Library, the academies, museums and universities form a group of institutions which maintain the right of Bogota to be considered the "Athens of the South," the name with which a European scholar christened her. The observatory owes its existence to the efforts of the naturalist, Celestino Mutiz. It is octagonal in form, 2,436 meters above sea level, hence, is one of the highest of the world and possesses a valuable set of instruments for taking observations. The academies were established by devotees of science and art. The language academy recently took possession of a new building. The Museum of Bogota contains objects of art and considerable historic worth. Museum of Natural History, founded by the Christian Brotherhood (Hermanos Cristianos) possess extensive collections. The universities happily own adequate buildings. Recently the building to be used for anatomic lectures was completed, equipped with like the corresponding building of the University of Paris. Public instruction is becoming constantly more widely diffused and Bogota is the center of secondary schools supported by government.

Cultured and Prosperous. Bogota, by the refinement of its inhabitants and the luxury in evidence might be taken for a European city. Culture is marked; foreign news is received promptly; desirable features of Paris and London are imitated to the extreme narrowness of streets, many of the architectural features of the city cannot be explained; nevertheless, upon contemplating the constant progress of the city and its development, one is led to the conclusion that Bogota will come an imperial city in the western world, the heart of the plateau extends 16 leagues from north to south and 8 from east to west. Economically Bogota is on a footing, being a commercial and banking center of constantly growing importance. There are five banks, large capital, the American Mercantile bank (Banco Mercantil Americano) having been established last year at present the establishment of another is under consideration. Success of financial enterprises, the export houses have founded here and there and importation is conducted on rather a large scale. Foreign companies in the United States and Europe are added factors in Bogota's development. Industry also is being plotted. Tread and textile industries compete with foreign fabrics and the production of foreign fabrics and Stock raising is increasing considerably on the plain, the strains have been carefully selected from the market is plentiful.

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"You want to get away from people," said the doctor wisely. "Your nerves are in a badly shattered condition. You must get somewhere you will be entirely alone."

"Alone!" exclaimed the patient. "You have me wrong doctor. I'm a night watchman."

#### Nothing but Trouble.

"Every have any trouble with your automobile?"

"Yes. Ever since I got it, all my wife's relatives expect me to be their chauffeur."

#### Stung.

Harry and Grace each received a nickel with which to buy candy. They hurried down the street to a little shop, where the tempting array of chocolates in the window and the inviting sign, "The Busy Bee," above the door, lured them within. They made their purchases and left. Once out on the sidewalk, Harry held up his sack, in which rattled wee particles of candy.

"Busy Bee," he sported. "No wonder they call it if everybody who goes in there gets stung like we did." —Indianapolis News.

## IT'S NOT YOUR HEART; IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to the kidney trouble.

The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, dizziness, backache, stomach trouble, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago.

All these derangements are nature's

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### ALLIGATOR HAS GOOD POINTS

South Carolina Newspaper Gives Some Reasons Why Indiscriminate Killing Should Be Stopped.

The alligator is another good citizen whose usefulness is overlooked, for killing alligators has been from time immemorial a popular pastime. In Louisiana it was found that when the alligators were killed off the muskrats multiplied and destroyed the levees; also the cotton-mouth moccasin, the grasshopper and the carp increased wonderfully. Whereupon protection was given to the alligators. This lacertilian, to give him his correct family name, has probably kept the muskrat away from the South Carolina coast, for the muskrat is unknown on the coast. If allowed to multiply the alligator will make inroads on the carp, the grasshopper and the cotton-mouth, all undesirable members of our fauna. The sum total of the alligator's evil doing amounts to this: He catches a dog now and then; once in a long while pulls a hog or bites the tail off a cow, for sundry stump-tailed cows along the Atlantic Coast Line right of way have met misfortune in this way. The cow, the dog and the hog are out of place when the alligator can get at them; but at best very little of this happens. —Charleston News and Courier.

**Our Claim to Distinction.**  
We may not have much that entitles us to fame, but when we are dead and gone we may be written down as one who lived through these high cost of living days and never went on a strike for higher wages.

Why is it we always need a handkerchief most on the day we forget it?

### Belgium Recuperating.

The rapid growth of the railway services in Belgium is helping restore normal conditions in that country, which was regarded as having among the best means of communication before the war. At the beginning of December, 1918, Belgium had available only 395 cars with a tonnage of 3,700. At the beginning of June, 1919, Belgium had in service 9,104 cars with a tonnage of 123,361. Now 1,656 freight trains run daily in Belgium.

Agitation for a plebiscite in Dutch Limburg under the direction of the League of Nations is going on in Belgium, where expressions in favor of this movement are being made by every commune under the leadership of the committee on national politics. They set forth that the Belgians in Dutch Limburg are in the majority and never were Dutch.

### Belgium After the War.

Statistical students of the cost of living in Brussels show that for necessities the price of which may be designated as 100 in April, 1914, Brussels paid 639 in January, 1919, or nearly a sevenfold increase. There has been a constant drop since January, reaching 564 in February, 403 in March, 344 in April and 333 in May, 1919. Articles not necessities have come down from 615 in January to 406 in May, and clothing, shoes, coal and light represented by 516 in January, have dropped to 351 in May.

**Giving a Guess.**  
"What's this?" asked one, as they gazed at the zebra.  
"Must be a war horse with service stripes."

Noah was six hundred years old before the knew how to build an ark—don't lose your grip.—Silver Threads.

## The KITCHEN CABINET

It has been said that a man is known by absorption, meaning that we can tell the quality and type of any one's life by the things he allows to absorb him.

### DISHES FROM CORN AND EDIBLE GRAINS.

The coarser foods are quite necessary in our diet and should be used freely at all times of the year.



#### Hominy Gems.

Pour one cupful of scalded milk over half a cupful of cornmeal, add one-fourth of a cupful of cooked hominy, a tablespoonful of sugar, the same of shortening; mix well, cool and add yolk beaten thick and the white stiff. Sift in one and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder and a little salt; beat well and bake in hot buttered gem pans.

**Hominy and Pecan Croquettes.**—Boil a half cupful of hominy with a half-teaspoonful of salt in two cupfuls of water five minutes, then put into a double boiler and cook two hours or over night in a double boiler. Add two tablespoonfuls of shortening, half a cupful of chopped pecans and a teaspoonful of scraped onion. Cool and shape in cylinders. Beat one egg lightly, add two tablespoonfuls of cold water, roll croquettes in crumbs and egg, then in crumbs again and fry in deep fat. This makes one dozen croquettes.

**Scotch Oat Crackers.**—Put two cupfuls of rolled oats through the meat grinder, add one-fourth of a cupful each of milk and molasses, one and a half tablespoonfuls of fat, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of salt and one-fourth of a cupful of raisins or nuts cut in bits. Mix well, roll very thin and cut in fancy shapes. Bake 20 minutes in a moderate oven.

**Oatmeal Tomato Soup.**—Take half a can of tomatoes, one-third of a cupful of oatmeal, two cupfuls of water, one tablespoonful of sugar, half a small onion, pepper and salt to taste, a bit of bayleaf and two tablespoonfuls of peanut butter. Cook one hour; rub through a strainer, add seasoning, if needed, and serve hot.

**Corn Flour Griddle Cakes.**—Take one and one-half cupfuls of sour milk, the same of corn flour, three-fourths of a teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of salt and one well-beaten egg. Beat well with a wire whisk and bake on a hot griddle.

It would be narrowness to suppose that an artist can only care for the impressions of those who know the methods of art as well as its effects. Art works for all whom it can touch.—Elliott.

### BALANCING THE MEAL.

We hear much about well-balanced meals these days and it is the desire of every home-keeper to have her meals well balanced, appetizing as well as attractive. When we speak of balancing a meal we mean giving all the food principals in their proper proportion in each menu, or getting the amounts in during the day; if lacking in one meal, make it up in the next, so that the day's meals will give the proper balance.

The amount of food to be taken by individuals differs so greatly that there is no fixed rule that one may follow. Age, climate, physical condition as well as occupation are important factors in determining the amount to serve, but it is safe to say that in the average dietary we may cut out one-third of the food we daily consume, masticate the two-thirds twice as long as is the habit and great benefit will be noted in one's health. This advice is only given to the well padded individual; those who are thin are so because even if good eaters, the food is not assimilated.

When serving a heavy main dish with the accompanying vegetable or two, the dessert should be light, one easy of digestion and with little bulk. If the main part of the meal is light, not preceded by a cream soup, let the dessert be a richer one.

The generous use of milk in desserts will give a better balance to the dinner in which only a small amount of meat is served, while at meatless meals more milk may be used as well as fish, cheese, beans and peas in order that there may be no lack of protein (the tissue building body) in the diet.

**Coffee Custard.**—Scald two cupfuls of milk with two tablespoonfuls of finely ground coffee, and strain. Beat three eggs lightly, add one-quarter cupful of sugar, one-eighth teaspoonful of salt and one-quarter teaspoonful of vanilla. Strain into buttered molds and bake in a pan of hot water. Unmold and serve well chilled with whipped cream.

**Grape Juice Cream.**—Take one cupful of grape juice, one tablespoonful of lemon juice, sugar to sweeten and a pint of thin cream. Freeze by stirring in the ice cream freezer. When this is carefully made it is the most beautiful watermelon pink and tastes as good as it looks.

Nellie Maxwell

## Imitations Are Dangerous.

AN OHIO druggist writes to "The Practical Druggist," a prominent New York Drug Journal, as follows: "Please furnish formula for Castoria. All the formulas I have worked with are either ineffective or disagreeable to administer."

To this "The Practical Druggist" replies: "We do not supply formulas for proprietary articles. We couldn't if we wanted to. Your experience with imitative formulas is not surprising, but just what is to be expected. When Castoria is wanted, why not supply the genuine? If you make a substitute, it is not fair or right to label it Castoria. We can give you all sorts of laxative preparations for children, but not Castoria, and we think a mother who asks for Castoria would not feel kindly toward you if you gave her your own product under such a name."

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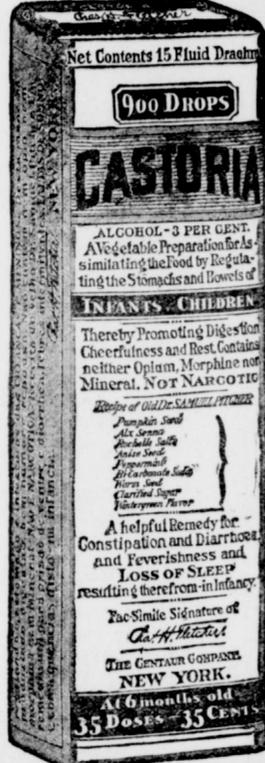
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#### Dead Loss.

She—I can never be yours. Here are your presents.  
He—All very fine. But what about those cigars I gave your father and those quarters I gave your little brother?—Boston Evening Transcript.

Every man does a little detective work to the extent of trying to locate the soap in the bottom of the bathtub.

#### Warned Her.

"Where are you going?" asked the butcher's wife.  
"I'm going out to get some butter."  
"Well, say—don't buy it at that store across from my place. The man over there borrowed my scales this morning."—Boston Evening Transcript.

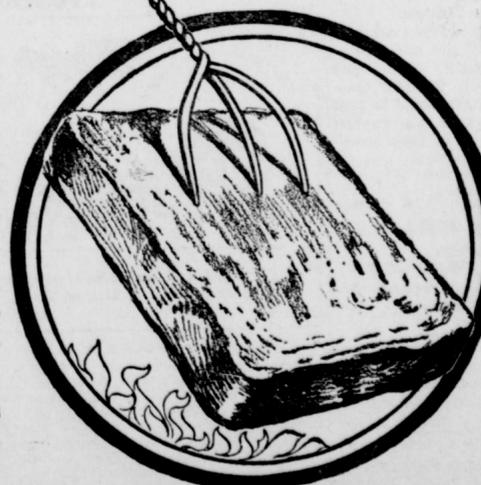
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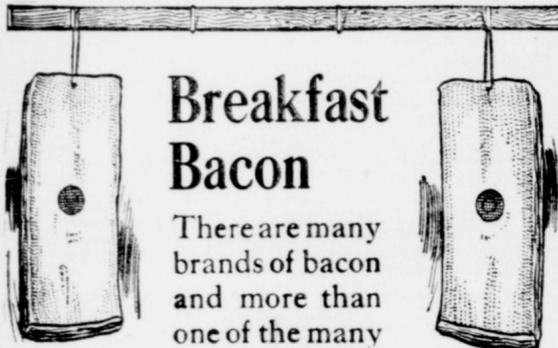
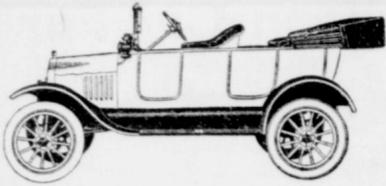
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