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#### COX AND ROOSEVELT NOMINATED

overnor James O. Cov of Ohio nominated by the National Demconvention in San Francisco day of this week. Franklin D. evelt, Assistant Secretary of the was nominated for Vice Pres-Roosevelt is a distant relaof the late "Teddy" and also reto the Astor family. He was ed to the senate from New York 910-1912 and appointed to the position in 1913 which he has

e forty Texas voters stayed with loo in the presidental nominauntil the last ballot. With both main candidates for president Ohio, Senator Warren G. Hardrepublican, and Gov. James M. democrat, looks pretty promishat Ohio will have the honor of shing the next Chief executive.

#### OPULAR COUPLE MARRY MONDAY

Dallas George and Miss Helen married Monday at Pampa, acng to a telegram received from

on their way to Amarillo. bride of this wedding is pure-Miami daughter, she was born ared in Miami, and the youngughter of Cashier and Mrs. H. ird of the Fist State Bank. raduated from the Miami Pubnool in 1915 at the age of six-Spent four years in school at in the C. I. A., graduating understood. that school last year and taught

our home school the past term. Mr. George is a son of the late J. d Mrs. George of this place and respected young citizen of our the family having moved here years ago from Henrietta,

wedding is a culmination of a ear courtship and does not a surprise to friends. We by friends are theirs.

## CANADIAN LOSES SUNDAY

the game, and another is seen a shrine or altar to her name."

## ARSON COUNTY GASSER

ue drilling.

TO TRADE, Some registered it. China Pigs with someone.

BIG MUSICAL FESTIVAL

The Last Day of Chautauqua Will Be a Big Musical Treat for Everyone



last day of our chautauqua, has made a notable advance in chautauqua music. They have refuted once and forever the old belief that American audiences do not care for the best in music. The people of chautauqua audiences do resent music given for the purpose of demonstrating technical ability, but we will welcome the real, throbbing, vibrating music of the great composer when it is so given that it may be

Buy a season ticket and get the | If you believe in our town, believe | If you believe in clean streets and Chautauqua habit. Get started on in our boys and girls believe in our alleys, in flowers and grass picts, in the opening day and you will not churches and schools and believe in buildings both sightly and useful-if miss a session. A season ticket is a clean entertainment for our town, you for chautauqua believes in these real investment.

will boost for our chautauqua.

That is what Buck's Orchestra is doing, interpreting for the popular audiences the greatest music of the old masters. Their programs are for all people. Pienty of popular numbers. They present violin, 'cello, clarinet, flute and cornet solos and orchestral music.

Harold Buck, organizer, director and violin soloist of the company, studied under some of the great masters, is a graduate of the American Conservatory of Chicago. He has assembled a group of eminent musicians around him and had made a distinct repu-

MIAMI CHAUTAUQUA JULY 15-19

## OUIJA AND H. C. L.

the they will make their home "The most worshipped household." Monday of this week a small sec-

a game from the Unbeaten to inhabit the Ouija Board, a simple Local showers have been visiting before returning to Washington. h less than they came on their base and a pencil at the apex. Ouija week. list. Happy Jack Abbott, an is believed to reveal herself in writme pitcher for Miami and Moing as she moves the pencil over pathis morning, and continued to up in ian down to two scores, while lieve every word that Ouija writes; the day, thoroughly soaking the earth, locals succeeded in getting around nevertheless they treat the spirit and stopping all harvest for a few ur times. A large crowd was out with great hardness. Never have I days.

pled for next Sunday with the "H. C. L. is a devil who makes eillo Cubs and the local team on very worlding moan many times per Oscar Webster, acting Postmaster day. His full map is the High Cost of Miami, was notified this week to ell be, but necessity of course of Living, but all the World is too expear at Canadan on the 17th to

the end of H. C. L., and that is that grown man according to the postal he would lose his power when all the laws, but he is now and will take the World refused to pay tribute to him." examination next week. handle, July 6 .- The Guif Pro- Thus might a Man from Mars retion Company's test on the 4-6 port on the two favorite subjects of ly pointed out, prices as may be for

15 miles north of Panhandle, conversation in America. No strang-high priced articles, and ask "Ouija" ruck a gas flow yesterday estimated er to our customs could be greatly what can be done about it. ween eight and ten million cubic blamed for misinterpreting the atten-! The money they have saved while

t according to announcement made tion that Ouija gets. The country waiting will thus profit them by buyis in a rather "Ouija" state of mind. ing more goods. In addition, if they gas was found at a depth of Instead of getting its feet down on have had their money invested while 317 feet and oil operators and others pressing problems, the cost of living, waiting in some such security as War interested in Panhandle develop- by increasing production and build- Saving Stamps, it will have earned are highly elated over the re- ing up the country's capital through interest for them.

increased savings, it prefers to spend Whether for temporary or permaunderstood the company will fits increased earnings as freely as nent savings, War Saving Stamps are may be for high priced articles, and an ideal form of investment, since ask 'Ouija" what can be done about they are always worth more than was

> As the Savings Division of the easily converted into cash. Treasury Department has consistent-! -BUY W. S. S .-

## RAIN AND SOME HAIL

mi, however they returned no god in The World is known as the tion of our country was visited by at Congressman Marvin Jones of this to that effect. However, wher- Ouija Board, and the most feared severe hail storm. A heavy rain fell district spent a short while with Mithey may live, the good wishes devil the H. C. L. Every family has over most all the territory from here its Ouija, and not only whole fam- to Mobeetie and hail struck the ami friends Friday morning while ilies but sometimes whole neighbor- George and Mathers ranches a few passing through our town to the shoods gather in the early evening to miles east of town and reached town, North side. Mr. Jones stated that ask Ouija questions as to the future." doing considerable damage to the he would make a return visit to our

## EXAMINATION FOR P. O.

ust add another game to our cited over his alleged misdeeds to use take the examination for Postmaster teams honor list. made but one prediction concerning tion was held before Oscar was a

'paid for them, and are quickly and

CONGRESSMAN MARVIN JONES PASSES THROUGH

Canadian Ball Team came "Ouija is the spirit supposed, by wheat in the country and town gar-town and spend some time with us with colors flying Sunday to the quaint belief of the Worldings,

## MICKIE SAYS

DAB WI THO OT VAR THOO TI WITH TH' EDITOR, FER SOME DAY YOU'LL HAFTA GO TO HIM FER A FAVOR 'N IF YOU'VE ALL THE TIME BEEN THROWIN' TH' HARPOON INTO HIM, YOU'LL PROBABLY BE OUTA LUCK, PER EDITORS IS ONLY HUMAN, 'ATS ALL!



Come and see us about your

## GROCERIES

We have appreciated the big harvest trade in groceries this store has been receiving, and are still dispensing the best groceries on earth at the lowest margin of profit of anything on the market. We want your threshing bill for groceries. your harvest bill, your ranch bill, and your family grocery order. Fact of the matter is, we are in the grocery business and are equipped and prepared to serve you with anything you want to eat. We acknowledge that we don't handle the lower grades of canned goods because we don't believe in eating that junk. We do handle QUALITY groceries and are willing to live and let live on our profits. Give us a trial.

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J. H. DIAL, PROP.

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We sell the famous O. M. Franklin Vaccine.

Duniven & Elkins, Props.

Austin, Texas, July - The honor deaths from this disease now as beterm has just been compiled. In computing the score of the students an A is counted as 12, a B as 9, a C as 6, a D as 3. The best one per cent of upperclassmen made scores of 64 up; the best one per cent of the best one per cent of the students as to diet, it is safe to say that fully ninety-nine out of every hundred cases recover. Mr. W. G. freshmen made scores of 63 up. The Campbell of Butler, Tenn., says' "I remaining groups made scores lower have used Chamberlain's Colic and than these, but above 45 in the case Diarrheoa Remedy for summer complaint in children. It is for ahead of

list for the spring term is Eldon Sherman Dver.

J. A. COVEY & SON ARE SELL. ING KEROSENE OIL, DELIVERED & COME TO THE TO THE TRACTOR MEN AT 19 4 CENTS PER GALLON. PROMPT & for your Bran and other feed. SERVICE. SEE US FOR YOUR & KEROSENE, GAS OR OILS. J. A. COVEY & SON.

Summer Complaint in Children. There is not anything like o many

list of the University for the spring fore Chamberlain's Colic and Diar-Student from Miami on the honor purposed."

S. M. Drum, Prop.

## **PERSONALITY**

The old idea that a banking institution should be cold and impersonal in its dealings with depositors is decidedly out of

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H. E. BAIRD, Cashier H. A. TALLEY, A-Cash.

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Line of Tractors and Threshers

Fully Guaranteed. Come in and let us Make you a proposition and price on one of these dependable machines.

D. K. HICKMAN

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This bank combines Strength and Service to a remarkable degree. The strength of this bank lies in its large resources, capital and surplus. Its financial strength is backed by ten years of banking and a record of honorable business dealing. EVERY ASSURANCE OF POSITIVE SAFETY. PERSONAL AND BUSINESS CHECKING ACCOUNTS ARE INVITED

## THE BANK OF MIAMI

Roberts County Depository
Individual Responsibility over \$400,000.00

H. Russell, President. J. F. Johnston, V-Pres. Thos. J. Boney, Cashier. Jas. B. Saul, A-Cashier.

When the war ended there were

more than 300,000 rabbit carcasses in

storage. These were finally sold as

fertilizer to the farmers in the vi-

inity of Hutchinson. The promoters

of the rabbit meat "war baby" appeal-

d to the war claims board and the

echnical committee passed on their

claim. A settlement resulted which

the claimant accepted as satisfactory,

despite the fact that it represented

only a small fraction of the amount

An interesting claim advised on by

the technical committee was that aris-

ing from the unprecedented demand

for castor oil which the Liberty motors

when it was decided to produce Lib-

oil, even if the allied airplanes had

castor oil beans, and more than 8,000

Probably the greatest caster oil

acreage in the world was planted in

the southern states during that peri-

od, the seed being supplied by the de-

partment of agriculture. Farmers

plowed up other crops to put in castor

oil beans, and the government scouts

dld everything possible to insure a tre-

nendous supply of castor oil. In some

cases men were even exempted from

military service to grow the beans, be-

However, there followed a sad awak-

ening. The bean vines grew luxuri-

antly but there was less than one bean

cally no crop. Investigation showed

pod per plant, and there was practi-

that while the seed had been success-

fully imported, the small insect which

fertilizes the plant had been forgotten.

claims board claims aggregating sev-

Other claims of all kinds were ad-

justed through the advice of the tech-

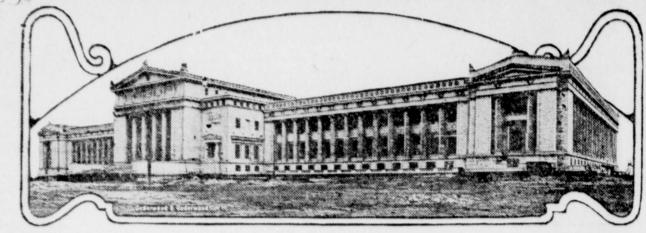
ing up its contracts.

Revival of Mississippi Traffic

As the result of this futile castor off

cause the need was so vital.

## Field Museum, Chicago, Moving Into New Homa



This is the new building of the Field Museum of Chicago, to which all the vast collections of the museum are being moved from their temporary home in Jackson park.

## Hundreds of Millions Saved

Will Be Dissolved.

## FROM POWER TO CASTOR OIL

the Great Kansas Rabbit Meat Claim Along With Some 200,-000 Others.

ing the country several millions of dot. an increase of 1,900,000 horse power, not needed their supply. The governlars through adjusting more than 24. and the government agreed to assist in ment sent out scouts all over the 000 war contracts which were abrupt- financing the construction of the new South to induce the farmers to plant ly terminated by the armistice, the power plants. technical advisory committee of the When the armistice came these agriculturists put in crops. war claims board of the war depart- plants were not completed, and there ment is about to be dissolved, accord- was a clause in the contracts whereing to Campbell Scott, who organized by the government agreed to use powthe committee under the direction of er for a certain length of time. In ad-Benedict Crowell, assistant secretary dition, the contracts bound the govof war and director of munitions. The ernment to pay its proportion of the committee, which was composed of ex- cost of the plants on a basis of their perts in practically every branch of value three years after the signing of engineering and manufacturing, was peace. In settling these power con organized to meet the critical situa- tracts all these factors had to be contion which developed as soon as the sidered. The technical committee war claims board attempted to settle solved the problems in a manner the 30,000 contracts in existence at the which was considered fair to all conclose of the war.

tracts involved questions of a highly In contrast to the power contracts tained when it is understood that there be glad to obtain a supply of rabbit were more than 20,000 sectors to be glad to obtain a supply of rabbit claims are still contain to the same still contain the same celvable nature which were in exist- backing he needed. ence on Armistice day would have shortly afterward there began a meant the tying up of practically 60 wholesale slaughter of rabbits in the not more than 1 per cent of the \$3.500,-

work of the investigations which were agreed to procure rabbits. A packing a score of cases. Among the experts completed by the technical committee plant was erected, and there ensued prominently concerned in this work is the fact, contrary to general belief, a perfect deluge of rabbits of all kinds, were Campbell Scott of New York, more than 99 per cent of the contraction the domesticated Belgian hares chairman of the committee; W. D. tors were found to be scrupulously to the fleet-footed jackrabbits of the Ennis, who handled the power and mehonest in their dealings with Uncle western prairies.

of the contractors," said Chairman shipped to a near-by training camp. war contracts; Colonel Frank B. Malt-Scott vesterday, "had undertaken their To the dismay of the rabbit man, the by of Philadelphia, who acted as exwork with the prime idea of assisting quartermaster refused to accept it. pert on construction and contracts intheir country in a time of peril, While holding that "it was not an article of volving civil engineering; Arthur W. they did not forget that business is issue," as government regulations have Hixon of New York, who advised on business, many of them might have it. It then developed that the war de- chemical and metallurgical contracts;

pealed to the court of claims from was entirely destroyed. the awards made to them. This shows the painstaking work done by the technical committee of the war claims board."

## Claims Big and Little.

Some of the claims adjusted were distinctly of an extraordinary nature. They ranged from the adjustment of the great power contracts in the Pittsburgh district, which involved 1,900,-000,000 horse power, to the re-arrangement of the rabbit meat industry which had sprung up in Kansas. Incidentally, the castor oil contractsthe oil to be used for Liberty motorshave come up before the technical committee. The fact that the entire amount of more than \$3,500,000,000 worth of war contracts was settled at 12 per cent of their total face value shows that real Americanism pervades the industries of this country.

"It is the biggest job of arbitration the world has ever known," is the way in which a prominent member of the administration characterized the work of "unscrambling the war."

One of the most highly technical contracts, and one which required deep investigation, was that affecting the power supply of the Pittsburgh district. This district, the chief products of which were munitions and steel of every kind, was practically tied up in government work during the last year of the war. Additions were ployees were added, and as soon as of the Birmingham.

War Unscrambling Almost Fin- the contracts were well under way a serious power shortage developed. ished, Technical Committee Only 40 per cent of the necessary power was available and the munitions companies were forced to arrange their shops so that they could use the power in rotation.

This cut down the possible output developed. Castor oil was then the practically 60 per cent and the gov- only oil these motors could use, and nment immediately undertook to pro-Incidentally the Committee Adjusted vide the additional power needed. Con- erty motors by the tens of thousands tracts were made with three compa- the government set out procuring an nies to supply 1,900,000,000 kilowatt adequate supply of this lubricant. Ali hours of electric power, which at the the castor oil beans in the world would ordinary New York rate would be not have made a sufficient quantity of Washington.—After assisting in sav- worth about \$165,000,000. This meant

### Rabbit Meat Problem.

technical nature, and it was to settle was the settlement of the rabbit-ment these that the technical committee was claims. These arose from an excess organized. Many of the contracts in- of patriotism and were not covered by volved had been let on a basis of the contracts. When food conservation war lasting four or five years more; was being advertised as generally necthe great majority had been placed essary, a public-spirited citizen of flict. An idea of their scope is ob- tion that the war department would were more ten 20,000 contractors meat for the men in training camps. no basis of settlement has been arwho, in turn, had let sub-contracts to History does not state just where the rived at, but the farmers seem satismore than 200,000 others. In fact, to Hutchinson man obtained this infor-fied that they will get a "square deal." have finished the war contracts for mation, but he made all speed for this munitions and supplies of every con- city and here obtained the financial

per cent of the manufacturing re- vicinity of Hutchinson, Kan.. Three 000,000 worth of claims went through ources of this country.

An outstanding feature of the great and was distributed to all those who carbon tory settlement was reached in all but As soon as a carload of cold-stor-

"We found that the great majority age rabbit meat was ready it was tions on plants and structures built for thade much more money than they did. partment could not use the rabbit ment | Fred E. Rogers of New York, whose "Of course, it is true that the small and the carload was shipped to this work concerned mechanical and maminority took the viewpoint that the city. The markets here refused to chine equipment, and George B. Frankgovernment had made the war and absorb it, and in despair it was forter of Minneapolis, who investigated therefore should be made to pay for it. shipped to England, the impression chemical and explosive contracts. but when it came to adjusting their being that the British were quite hun- All told there were nearly a score claims even these were found to be gry enough by that time to relish Kan- of the leading engineers and industrial fair and reasonable, indicative of the sas rabbit. However, fate intervened, experts of the country, who spent good spirit which prevailed. Only 20 the ship was set on fire by shells from practically a year of their time in asout of 24,000 contractors have ap- a German U-boat and the rabbit meat sisting the war claims board in clos-

# RIVAL FROCKS OF



THE FOREMOST American de edge makes the loose girdle and out tion and making of clothes, but they sash end at the side. A bit of French have arrived at the point of excel- ingenuity is revealed in the smock made for summertime dress-up oc- quirements of this delightful dress. casions, shown with the millinery and costumers are establishing branches rival frock. The skirt, of two flounces to Paris, and perhaps other things.

of flowered georgette with an accor- ribbon slips under the peplum at the tures must look out for him. dion plaited skirt and plain, short front where two large roses are posed. smock, cut in the kimono style with The airiest of hats, of black malines is roaring now and giving them a great elbow sleeves. The sleeves are turn- and narrow ribbon, and black satin scare. He banged against his door ed back in a cuff and a little frill slippers with steel buckles are of the made of the plaited georgette finishes same aristocratic class as black chanthem. Two-toned ribbon with picot tilly lace.

signers concede the wonderful lines the square neck, but wider ribtalent of the French, in the concep- bon is used for the bow and single lence where they are not afraid of which develops extra fullness and comparisons. Here we have an op- length at each side. A leghorn hat, portunity to consider an American and fringed and wreathed with ostrich, a French frock, side-by-side, and both and satin slippers live up to the re-

Our American costumer has made footwear selected for them. French use of black chantilly flouncing in the of their houses in this country, but is attached to a plain bodice with full it is more significant that Americans peplum. The long sleeves flare at the are sending millinery and footwear wrists and there is a fold of fleshcolored georgette at the front of the From Paris comes the lovely frock square neck. The girdle of blue satin

## Midsummer Brings Its Blouses



N EPILOGUE to the story of sum- | model its tailored character. Wide sleeve persists, except for the tailored bon girdle. styles. Tricolette was a second thought with designers and has proved immensely popular. Just now it has joined forces with georgette and these two are used together, with the tricolette appearing in wide panels on the front of sheer blouses to provide a smart vest for the street or formal

Nearly all the new smocks are very short, made of georgette with embroidery for decoration. Those for afternoon and dinner wear are in high brown. With this dress a brown straw colors and often use a plain and a figured pattern in combination. Orange, flame, turquoise, emerald, rose and jade and hair ribbons should be worn. A fearful and fine and dangerous they green are in high favor and they are little blue-and-white striped organdie are. That was what I was thinking embroidered in other brilliant colors. Georgette maintains its position as the favorite material for blouses, but fine voile is very close to it-may outrival it as summer advances. These lovely and practical voiles are reasonably priced and other blouses show a decline that is promising. Voile is ideal for wear with street suits and wash satins or pongee silks are its competitors in tailored models.

A blouse and a smock of georgette

are shown in the picture, both of them examples of long-sleeved designs. The blouse is in a very light tan color, and cherries with twigs and foliage are emwide tucks at each side of the front and above the cuffs help give this soft, graceful lines.

A mer blouses might easily be tucks are unusual, but a great many longer than the story itself for mid- models employ very narrow ones and summer has modified the earlier styles pin tucks like those that embellish the and added some new ideas to those smock pictured. An attractive detail that the spring has brought in, in this smock appears in velvet ribbon The popularity of elbow and shorter bands at the waist, and a velvet rib

I celia Bottomley

For Little Girls.

Among the smart tailored frocks recently brought out for little girls, one especially good-looking dress was of talk to them. tan linen with a cuff hem of dark hat, or a tan-colored one with brown band, and brown shoes and stockings ins and relatives I have, how great and frock recently seen had stripes of the waist running vertically and of the skirt horizontally. Color combinations are approved, a yellow linen frock having cuffs and collar of lavender linen.

Gingham Trims Tricotine.

This is to be a season of bright contrasts, so behold even tricotine frocks trimmed with a collar and vest of French gingham, the edge of the latter frilled well down toward the hem of the skirt.

Draped Skirts Are Becoming. Draped skirts are becoming to the broidered in beads and silk. Very slim woman or the debutante, and when made of voile or taffeta fall is



PUMA LION

"I'm an American Puma or mountain tion," squealed the Puma, and my name is Mike.

"Some of my family are quite vicious and dangerous, the way all members of the great wildcat family can be, and then again we can be tame and friendly. That is, if we're made friends of and if we're tamed when we're young and have the right sorts of tame dispositions, which, after all, the great majority of creatures have.

"There's Leo, the second, in the next cage. He is over seventeen years old. He is the father of almost all the lions around here. There is Helen, though. He is not Helen's father. Helen is the wild lioness and says she is glad that Leo isn't her father. She doesn't think Leo is nearly wild enough, though, gracious, most would think so.

"And I don't believe they would like to see Leo free to see whether he would be wild enough or not.

"There is that Siberian Tiger pretending he feels sleepy, but if anything turned up that was wild enough for him to do he would do it. It's rainy today and he feels drowsy and is perfectly happy playing with that bone as a little dog would do.

"Then there is the Leopard standing up and waving his paw to the people passing. They think that is a great sight. I doubt if they would, though, if he were on the opposite side of the street and should do that. "That would be a different sight! That would be a joke.

"Ah. he has handsome spots and he is now admiring every one of them himself. He is a great admirer of his own spots and they are handsome. But he is a treacherous wild creature.

"In fact there isn't a creature in the whole cat family that is as wild as the leopard. The tiger is a wild one, too,

"He is very handsome as he lies there so contentedly playing with the bone. His whiskers are very fine. But he too is wild and treacherous. Crea-

"There is the great lion, old Leo; he and they thought for a moment, a horrible moment, he had opened it. He is a bluff, that old lion. He roars and gets the children standing in front of him, saying, 'Oh, isn't he terrible and wild!' He's wild enough but not nearly so much so as the leopard and the tiger. No, indeed.

"There are the llamas in the next house. Their heads are out in their yards and their bodies inside. I don't mean that they've left their bodies in corners of their houses while their



"Why Hello, Pussy Cat."

heads are separate from them. They just want to wet their heads and see the outside world without getting wet all over. But it's a funny sight.

"There goes Leo talking to the children again! "Why, hello, Pussy cat, me-ow; I can me-ow, too," said the Puma. What do you think of all this and when did

you come?" "I came from the out-of-doors," said the cat as he took a seat upon the floor. He had just walked into the zoo house. "I didn't want to get wet." "What do I think of it all?" the cat

asked. "Me-ow, me-ow, I think it is

glorious.

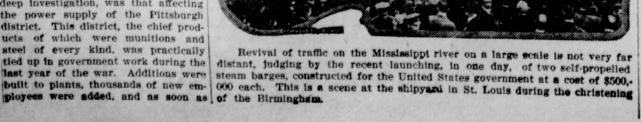
"I love seeing all these wild creatures and knowing that I, too, belong to the great family of cats. Gracious, if some of the people who know me could hear me speak like this they would be surprised. But never mind; I won't tell them. I will purr when I

"But once in a while I do love to come in the zoo here and I like to sit on the floor and think what fine couswhen you spoke to me, me-ow, me-ow, ended the cat.

"I had an idea it was, a good idea that it was," said the Puma; "yes, me-ow, me-ow, I know you're a cousin and there is a bit of wildness even in you!"

Two Sides.

Every street has its sunny side, and every path in life has its opportunity side. But some girls, even on a cool day will walk on the shady side of the street, and others will take the side of the path which belongs to discouragement. If that has been your way, cross the street without waiting to get to the corner. Get on the sunny side, the side of opportunity.-Girls' Com-



## **NERVOUS PROSTRATION**

Mrs. J. Christman Proved That Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a Remedy for this Trouble.

Binghamton, N. Y.—"I was in a very ervous condition for over a year, my mind was gloomy, could see no light on anything, could not work and could not

have anyone to see me. Doctor's medicine did not help me and Lydia E. Pinkha m's Vegetable Compound was re-commended. I took t and am now

well. I recommend it to all afflicted with nervous prostration."—Mrs. J. ('HRISTMAN, 193 Oak Street, Binghamton, New York.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vergetable Companyed, made from rectal.

Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from nervous prostration, displacements, inflammation, ulcera-tion, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion and dizziness. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the

standard remedy for female ills.

If there are any complications about which you need advice write in confidence to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Teaching Music to the Young. Children are now taking in the musical work in the Roman choirs as early as seven years of age, says a writer in the Etude in discussing the importance of early training in music for church purposes. They are not merely taught in the music they are to sing, but are given a very thorough drill in solfeggio, and, when necessary, at the proper time in harmony and in music in general.

The Cuticura Toilet Trio

Having cleared your skin keep it clear by making Cuticura your every-day tollet preparations. The soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal, the Talcum to powder and perfume. No tollet table is complete without them. 25c everywhere .- Adv.

One's wife never gets mad when he finds fault with the meals-if they live in a boarding house.

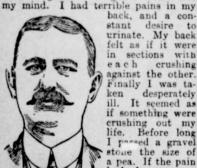
It is easier to dodge responsibility than it is to dodge the result.

The strength that flowers in beauty is twice strong.-Richard Barton.

## Frantic With Pain

Doan's However Brought Complete Recovery and Trouble Has Never Returned

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if something were crushing out my life. Before long I proced a gravel stone the size of a pea. If the pain had been any more intense

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## CONDENSED CLASSICS

THE LAST DAYS OF POMPEII

By EDWARD BULWER LYTTON on by Prof. William Fenwick Harris of Cambridge. Mass.



Edward George Earle Lytton Bulwer more familnovel readers Bulwer - Lytton. was born in Lon-don, May 25, 1803. men who have achieved fame as

later and Bulwer said that the disappointment embittered his whole life. At Cambridge, he won a medal for the age! excellence of a poem and published another book of verse

In 1827, he had sufficiently recovered from his premature love affair to marry, against his mother's wishes, a brilliant beauty of society. The match was fore-doomed to be unhappy, for both Bulwer and his wife were too unrestrained to live together. They quarreled were legally separated on the crowd; 'behold how the gods pro-

Bulwer was rapidly winning renown. His first novels were successes but it was not until "The Last Days of Pompeli" (1834) that his fame was assured. Nine years later appeared "The Last of the Barons," which many good judges have considered his best work. He wrote numerous other stories, novels of society, of crime, of mysteries, of family life. He was the most successful dramatist of his time. He dabbled in journalism. For 10 years he was a member of parliament, was shadow of the volcano. later secretary for the colonies, and in 1866 was raised to the peerage as

'the lions await thee.' had bent his limbs so as to give him- brilliant, gay, witty, descendant of a self the firmest posture at the expect- nobler race frivolling himself away and season. ed rush of the lion, with his small and amid the coarser pleasures of the Roshining weapons raised on high, in the mans, until finally all that was fine faint hope that one well-directed in him was brought forth by his love thrust might penetrate through the eye for Ione of Naples, who, like himself, to the brain of his grim foe.

"But to the unutterable astonishment of all, the beast seemed not even aware of the presence of the criminal. At the first moment of its release it halted abruptly in the arena. raised itself half on end, snuffing the upward air with impatient sighs; then suddenly it sprang forward, but not on the Athenian. At half-speed it circled round and round the space, turning its vast head from side to side with an anxious and perturbed gaze, as if seeking only some avenue of escape: once or twice it endeavored to leap up the parapet that divided it from the audience, and, on failing, uttered rather a baffled howl than its young priest of Isis, who, much to the deep-toned and kingly roar. It evinced no sign either of wrath or hunger; its tail drooped along the sand, instead of lashing its gaunt sides; and its eye, though it wandered at times to Glaucus, rolled again listlessly from him. At length, as if tired of attempting to escape, it crept with a moan into its circus turned their eyes toward. Vesucage and once more laid itself down vius, they beheld "a fire that shifted

"The first surprise of the assembly at the apathy of the lion soon grew into resentment at its cowardice; and the populace already merged their pity for the fate of Glaucus into angry compassion for their own disappointment. The manager called to the

"'How is this? Take a goad, and prick him forth, and then close the

door of the den.' to obey, a loud cry was heard at one forth from its bosom a shower of of the entrances of the arena; there was a confusion, a bustle, voices of burning stone! Over the crashing remonstrance suddenly breaking forth, vines, over the desolate streets, over and sudden silence at the reply. All the amphitheater itself, far and wide, eyes turned in wonder toward the quarter of the disturbance; the crowd tated sea, fell that awful shower! No gave way, and suddenly Sallust ap- longer thought the crowd of justice or peared on the senatorial benches, his of Arbaces; safety for themselves hair disheveled, breathless, heated, was their sole thought. Each turned half exhausted. He cast his eyes hastily around the ring. 'Remove the ing, against the other.' Athenian,' he cried; 'haste, he is innocent! Arrest Arbaces the Egyptian; he is the murderer of Apae-

"'Art thou mad, O Sallust!' said the practor, rising from his seat. 'What means this raving?'

"'Remove the Athenian! Quick! or his blood be on your head. Practor, ship and put to sea and all but Nydia delay, and you answer with your own had fallen into exhausted slumber, life to the emperor! I bring with me the eye-witness to the death of the she murmured, "may you be happy priest Apaecides. Room there! stand back! Give way! People of Pompeil, times remember Nydia!" fix every eye upon Arbaces; there he sits. Room there for the priest Calenus!

"Pale, haggard, fresh from the jaws of famine and of death, his face fallen, fancied he saw something white above his eyes dull as a vulture's, his broad frame gaunt as a skeleton, Calenus was frame gaunt as a skeleton, Calenus was supported into the very row in which (The Boston Post). All rights reserved.

Arbaces sat. His releasers had given him sparingly of food; but the chief sustenance that perved his feeble limbs was revenge!

> cried the mob. 'Is it he? No, it is a dead man!' "'It is the priest Calenus,' said the

"The priest Calenus! Calenus!"

practor, bravely. 'What hast thou to say?

"'Arbaces of Egypt is the murderer of Apaecides, the priest of Isis; these eyes saw him deal the blow. It is from the dungeon into which he plunged me, it is from the darkness and horror of a death by famine, that the gods have raised me to proclaim his crime! Release, following will be appreciated:

the Athenian—he is innocent!" "It is for this, then, that the lion spared him. A miracle! a miracle!' cried Pansa.

> iarly known to "'A miracle! a miracle!' shouted the people; 'remove the Athenian-Arbaces to the lion!

"The power of the practor was as a reed beneath the whirlwind; still, at youth and had a his word the guards had drawn them selves along the lower benches, or career than most which the upper classes sat separate from the vulgar. They made but a achieved rame as novelists. At the feeble barrier; the waves of the hu-age of 15, he dis-man sea halted for a moment, to entinguished himself able Arbaces to count the exact mo volume of poems ment of his doom! In despair, and in and by falling so violently in love that he became and muching crowd when right above highly morbid and rushing crowd, when, right above when his proposal of marriage was not them, through the wide chasm which taken seriously by the father of the girl he loved. She died a few years

"He stretched his hand on high;

quarreled, were legally separated and continued to quarrel in print for years. tect. the guiltless! The fires of the avenging Orcus burst forth against the false witness of my accusers!"

The fires of the "avenging Orcus" were those of the great eruption of Vesuvius in 79 A. D. Toward such a melodramatic climax, furnished him by Nature, the author had been spinning the lives of his characters in the little city which nestled under the

The converging threads of the story Baron Lytton. He died on January 18, are many, giving in the final weaving a complete picture of the life of Pompeii-its shops, tiny palaces, baths, LAUCUS the Athenian, forum, theater, circus, and all that thy time has come, said daily took place in the energetic life a loud and clear voice; of this toy copy of Rome at the beginning of the Christian era. The story "'I am ready,' said the Athenian. He centers around Glaucus the Athenian. was a child of Greece. And alongside this tale of love runs the pathetic story of Nydia, the blind slave girl, who centers all her hopes of happiness in winning the affection of Glaucus. To this end she gains possession of a love potion which the opulent Julia has had prepared in the belief that it will bring to her the much-desired Glaucus. In reality the potion is a poison which will drive the unfortunate drinker mad. It is designed by the sinister Egyptian Arbaces to clear his path to Ione from his rival Glaucus. In his raving, Glaucus comes upon Arbaces just as the latter has killed Ione's brother Apaecides, a annoyance of Arbaces, has embraced the new Christian faith. Arbaces throws the guilt upon poor Glaucus with apparent success. But the priest Calenus was a hidden witness, with the final result shown in the great episode of the book. As the crowd in the and wavered in its hues with every moment, now fiery luminous, now of a dull and dying red, that again blazed terrifically forth with intelerable glare. Then there arose on high the universal shrieks of women; 'the men stared at each other, but were dumb. At that moment they felt the earth shake beneath their feet; the walls of the theater trembled, and beyond in the distance they heard the crash of falling roofs; an instant more and the mountain-cloud seemed to roll to-"As the keeper, with some fear, wards them, dark and rapid, like but more astonishment, was preparing a torrent; at the same time it cast

ashes mixed with vast fragments of with many a mighty splash in the agito fly-each dashing, pressing, crash-

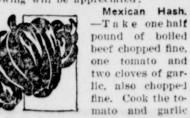
It was save himself who could in that night of horrors. Of the many episodes seen in the flashes of light was that of blind Nydia guiding Glaucus to Ione, and then leading both to safety, she the only one at home in the darkness in which she had always lived. And then, when they had gained a "May the gods bless you, Athenian!" with your beloved one; may you some

A sailor, half dozing on the deck, heard a slight splash on the waters. Drowsily he looked up, and believed, as the vessel merrily bounded on, he

For the world in general food is prepared and eaten at home; and no matter how many farmers and butchers have conspired to provide us with good vitiate the product in an hour.-Helen Campbell.

#### DISHES WITH CHILI.

For all who like peppery dishes the



mato and garlie in a little fat for a few minutes, then add the meat and one-half teaspoonful of chili powder, one onion chopped fine, salt and pepper to taste. Then add the broth in which the meat was cooked and cook for twenty min-

Boiled Ham .- Cover the ham with water and let it come to a boil. Add half a cupful of brown sugar, one teaspoonful of chili powder and set back to simmer for three hours, then remove the skin. Put the ham in a roasting pan, cover with bread crumbs, stick in it a few cloves and sprinkle with chili powder. Put into a hot oven to brown.

Tripe Mexican Style .- Put tripe to cook in boiling water until tender. Add one clove of garlic, chopped fine, two tablespoonfuls of chili powder and one can of hominy. Stir and let cook until well done. Serve hot,

Kidney With Chili .- Cut up the kidney into small pieces. Add one onion cut fine, put the kidney and onion into a saucepan with hot fat and let them fry. Add salt and pepper, one bay leaf, two tablespoonfuls of chili powder and a little flour. When smooth set in broth or hot water for a sauce, with a dash of vinegar.

Carne de Olla .- Brown three or four pounds of rump roast in two or three tablespoonfuls of lard, then add two tablespoonfuls of chili powder and one bay leaf. Put all into a casserole with a half cupful each of carrot, turnip, and one onion with three stalks of celery, all cut in bits. Then add two cupfuls of soup stock ton. "We live at Streatham. You or water. Cover and cook in a moderate oven three hours. A sauce may be made with the liquor in the pan. to ask us." Add flour and chili powder to ticken

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sleeplessness

little at a time, beating well. Serve civilization.-World's Work. hot. The blood is drawn from the brain to the stomach and the sleepless

Hamburger.—Take hamburger steak and pork sausage, half and half. Place for instance, parboiled beans in the bean pot, with a small onion, cover with a layer of meat, then a layer of beans, another layer of meat and beans. Add salt, doing. mustard, molasses and water as usual to the bean pot and bake all day

Roast Beef With Onions .- Put a rolled roast of beef in a baking pan and surround it with even-sized onlons. Bake, basting as usual, basting the onions as well. Serve with the onlons as a garnish to the platter of roast. Potatoes may be added and roasted with the onlons, if desired.

Stuffed Calves' Hearts.-Wash two hearts, removing arteries. Parboil in salted water for 20 minutes. Drain, stuff and sew. Season with salt and pepper, roll in flour and brown in a frying pan in any sweet fat. Put into a casserole, add small onions, carrots and new potatoes with broth to cook and bake until the vegetables are ten-

Carrot Salad .- Take one cupful each of cooked carrots and potatoes diced. one-half cupful of celery, one-half cupful of nuts, two hard-cooked eggs; marinate with French dressing for two hours. Serve with a thick cooked dressing.

Escalloped Tomatoes With Eggs .-Prepare escalloped tomatoes using bread crumbs and the usual seasoning. Place in a baking dish and over the top drop as many eggs to peach as there are persons to serve. Put into a hot oven and bake until the eggs are

Cabbage With Cheese .- Cook a hard small head of cabbage until tender to boiling salted water. Drain, place on a chop plate and pour over a rich white sauce in which one cupful of theese has been melted. Cut the cabpage into ple-shaped pieces and serve with the sauce.

Necie Maxwell



Mint Coining Gold Again.

Honey Yield Higher.

For the first time in four years the The average yield of surplus honey coinage of gold was resumed during in 1919 was 50 pounds to a colony of May at the Philadelphia mint, the out- honey bees, as estimated by the bureau put having been 15,000 double eagles of crop estimates, United States dewith a value of \$300,000. Though partment of agriculture. This is conworking on one shift of eight hours, siderably above the average of 45 instead of two, the mint also turned pounds in 1918, and of 41.6 pounds for out 8,890,000 pieces of minor coins of the five years, 1913-17. The relative the value of \$1,427,000. This included proportions in which the honey of the 340,000 half-dollars, 2,186,000 quarters, last two years was marketed are in-4,000,000 dimes and 3,399,000 peunies. dicated by 59 for extracted honey, 31 In addition 11,040,00 pieces of silver for comb honey, and 10 for bulk honey. and nickel were turned out for the re- About one-third of the product goes

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### MEANT WELL, PERHAPS, BUT- MIGHT TRY THE TOY SHOP

One Can't Help Thinking Mrs. Clayton Certainly Youthful Swain's Income Might Have Expressed Her Sentiments Better.

The young couple on their honeymoon had come from Yorkshire to man entered a jeweler's shop, and in London on the first stage of their wed- glib speech informed one of the imding journey. In Regent street they maculate assistants that he wished to chanced to meet Mrs. Clayton, from purchase a birthday present for his their native town.

"My dear Miss Jones!" cried the change of name.

ished the blushing young wife. "It is strange," agreed Mrs. Clay-

must come and have tea with us." "Thank you! It's very kind of you

"Not at all-not at all," gushed Mrs. Clayton. "You know how it is. When penser of gold and diamonds, in his you're in a strange city, people you most suave and charming voice, "I'm never thought much of at home seem afraid you've come to the wrong place; like dear friends, don't they?"-Lon don Tit-Bits.

Improved Living Conditions.

Perhaps, as the luxury taxes indiflicts so many at this season of the cate, not far from \$8,50,000,000 have shop in a breathless hurry one day. year, a tonic is been spent on indulgence since the good, but take it armistice; yet there are signs that the litely, "will you change any eggs that masses are not wasting all their in- are not good?" creased income. Living conditions for and tender green the laboring man have improved, and vegetables. For he will never go back to the conditions of the past. A Cincinnati company in hot egg nogg will the iron trade reports that there is a be found most demand today for 12 bathtubs where soothing. Beat an egg very light, add there was a demand for one ten years one cupful of scalded milk, a pinch of ago. Certainly that is an indication salt and a little sugar if liked, with a of better living conditions and a sign grating of nutmeg. Add the milk, a of progress in the forward march of

Just So.

When we speak of a resort being Baked Beans With Sausage and exclusive we don't necessarily mean that it is fashionable. There's heaven,

A smudgy poodle is crying evidence that its owner has wearied in well-

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A flashily dressed, effeminate young

sweetheart. No, he remarked, he hadn't any idea a teaspoonful of salt, pepper to taste, good lady, and then offered her good as to what he really wanted, but whatwishes as the bride explained her ever it might be, he declared emphatically, it must be a suitable token of "But fancy meeting like this!" fin- his esteem, and at the same time come within the possibilities of his income. "And what," inquired the assistant,

"if I may ask the question, is your in-"Fifteen dollars a week," was the

prompt reply. "In that case," remarked the disyou're more likely to be suited at the toy shop around the corner."

A little girl went into the grocer's "Please, Mr. Brown," said she po-

"Certainly, my dear!" answered the kindly old man. "Well, the one you sold me just now

is no good," said the little one, "so will you please change that?" "Yes, where is it?" asked the gro-

"It's outside on the step," was the reply. "I've just dropped it!"

Wise is the husband who, instead of

trying to be all things to all men, tries to be all things to one woman. Agree with a contentious man and

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had so many burglaries of late that ity, powerful voice, manly physique the business men of that town have banded together and offer a standing ences. reward of \$250 for the arrest and We are delighted to have Dr. Shepconviction of anyone burglarizig their herd on our chautauqua program, eve-

sumed in this town to support the of the piano-accordian. right kind of bakery, and enough den- The piano-accordian is one of the they got it all. Good professional men at either of these positions will until you hear him play this re-

The Lockney Beacon states that all tractors chould have removable lugs or cleats in order that they might travel public roads without doing Editor Ben Smith or ourselves don't know much about tractors. We never saw one without removable lugs, but it might be some job to remove them sometimes. However they may build them different at Lockney.

J. E. Murfee's store was burglariz-\$500 or more. The thieves broke a glass in the rear door and helped in the line of wearing apparel, and also wrecked the cash drawer and made away with pennies and all. A reward of \$100 has been offered for the thief. Pampa needs a night 'watchman during harvest time while there are so many transients in our midst .- Pampa News.

Rev. Atticus Webb, President of the Anti-Saloon League of Texas claims there are over 1000 whiskey stills working in Texas every day and named one county which he claims Texas is indeed a large state, but not large enough to support a thousand wildcat whiskey stills. We don't believe there is that much lawlessness in a half dozen states. We hope the rest of the state is still civilized and if it is not, the good people better nove to the Panhandle where we are always law abiding.

While all the towns of the Panhanile are cutting weeds and cleaning up in order to prevent an expected drama, "The Melting Pot." a four-act attack of typhoid fever, it would be drama written by Israel Zangwill, her well for Miami to look after our health situation. One case of typhoid fever will cost more than it will to clean up the town, and an outbreak of several cases would be delorable for any community. We have little typhoid fever in the Panhandle as any part of the state provided we use any methods at all to

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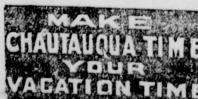
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"Snooks" Mathers spent Friday and Saturday with homefolks in Miami. This medicine always wins the He is at present employed on the good o non if not the praise of Durham-O'Bryan ranch near Ama-

Misses Mary Stine of Pecos and Katherine McGregor of Amarillo are visitors this week with Mr. and Mrs. Donald McGregor.

Misses Beth Mathers and Edna Gill who are attending school in Canyon pent Saturday and Sunday in Miami.

Happy Casey was down Sunday and Monday from Amarillo where he

Mrs. T. L. Graham received the very sad news of the death of a sister, Mrs. J. W. Sumner, which octurred June 19th in Indiana. Mrs. Graham recently spent a few weeks with the sister. The Sumners at one time lived here.

Joe M. Smith received a letter from his son, Atty. Lee Smith who is now in New York City, a Special Tax Attorney for the Revenue Department. Lee states that New York is too full of Jews to suit him, and that he is anxious to get back to Texas. He has been in Washington for the past two years in this position, and was recently sent to New York, with four other special tax representatives of the gov-

O. C. Elliott has been confined to his bed for the past week suffering with rheumatism. He is reported improving today.

Miss Bessie Gray is visiting relaives in Pampa this week.

Chas. Kuehn left Sunday for Pampa where he has accepted a position with the Panhandle Lumber Com-

Misses Bessie Coffee and Cora Orr spent Monday of this week in Mobeetie with relatives and friends.

Sam Sanders went to New Mexto first of the week to look after ome road building.

Miss Mary Roberts of Hereford i visiting this week with Miss Cora Orr. Mr. and Mrs. John Kuhns left first WHAT A FORD of the week for Hot Springs, N. Mex.,

was a visitor at the Sam Sanders that may see a Ford safety film. home first of the week.

past four weeks.

n Miami last Friday.

Jenkins of Greenesville, Texas, al- shop. Maybe, a tooth brush is all he

Springs, Colo., where they will spend Ford men.

Sunday with Mrs. N. S. Locke.

of the United Brethren Church.

Mrs. Olive Dixon and daughter, Miss Olive left Sunday for Virginia where they will spend a few weeks this summer.

Clarence Huber spent Sunday in Amarillo with his mother.

P. K. Burham was down from Panhandle Saturday shaking hands with Miami friends. Mr. Burham states that wheat is much better here than around Panhandle.

spent Sunday with Miami relatives. days 8 A. M. to 10 P. M.; Sundays G. C. Fitzgerald was up from 1 to 6 P. M.

Quanah last week and returned, taking his two children with him. week with homefolks in Miami.

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Miss Lessie Lawrence of Mobeetie fruit, hot coffee or soup and after

Now supposing that this is the Mr. and Mrs. Tom Arnold of Mo. man's pay day. After subtracting meetie came in yesterday from Hot living expenses, he may deposit the Springs N. M., where they spent the remainder toward a Ford Investment Certificate. Finished with the day's Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lee and work, he can go to the shoe store for children of Mobeetie were shopping shoes for himself or son who is in Miami last Friday. (school; or to the grocery store where, Albert Convre was here Monday among, other things, he can buy a getting repairs for his harvest ma- sack of flour made from wheat grown on Henry Ford's farm-where Ford-John Arrington was in Monday on tractors do the work-and ground from his Washita farm and ranch, in Henry Ford's flour mill, and then John states that he will begin thresh. hauled by Ford trucks to the Ford ng this week, having already start. store where it is sold to Ford men; or he may want to order a custom-Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Price of Seattle made suit, or buy one ready made

Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. John which he does in the Ford clothes so Mrs. N. E. Abbott of Greensville needs, but he gets it at a Ford store. are visitors this week at the R. D. Then, he can purchase his meat in the Ford market. Or order his winter's Mrs. Dan Kivlehen and small boys supply of coke from the Coke departleft first of the week for Colorado ment. Everything is sold at cost to

If this Ford man wants to rent a Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Seiber left last house, he goes to the Ford rental exweek by automobile for Colorado change; Legal advice is given him by Springs and other places of the tour. the Legal Aid Department. But possibly he is a student in the Ford Summer Complaint Quickly Relieved Fly time is here, and we can help

library on the way out. Mr. and Mrs. John Stump returned Then he may go to the Ford Ath- and Diarrhoea Remedy and it releivlast week from Kansas where they letic Field for a set of tennis or for ed me almost instantly," writes Mrs. spent a few days at the convention baseball practice., Possibly he de- Henry Jewett, Clark Mills, N. Y. This sires to take his family to a Ford is an excellent remedy for colic and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Craig went to Band Concert that evening; he pro- diarrhoea and should b kept at hand Amarillo for Saturday and Sunday cures tekets before driving home in by every family. this Ford car.

O. M. Cox was over the fourth THE WATER IS FINE. LETS GO! from his Gageby farm getting har- Come and take a swim in Anvil Park Lake 5 miles East of Canadian. Jno. A. Newman came in Sunday This is one of the finest lakes in the from Chicago, where he has been in entire Panhandle, fitted up with cominterest of the Moody Oil Company, modious lockers. Thousands of gal-He expects to return to Wichita Falls lons of fresh water flew in and out soon and continue with that com- daily. This is one of the means of refreshing yourself after one of these Dread Lee and family of Mobeetie hot, sweltering days. Hours: week

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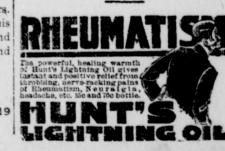
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s, as this is sold under guarantee of

back if it fails to remove freckles.

He-Are you fond of birds -Well, I do like a jolly lark now and then, but I hate a jay.



WAR MATERIAL DISTRIBUTED

Equipment Turned Over Promises to Be Great Aid in Carrying Out Road Building Plan.

To date the war department has turned over to the United States deany hard corn, soft corn, or corn be partment of agriculture approximately tween the toes, and the hard skin cal- 24,000 motor vehicles, as provided in congressional legislation empowering A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs the latter department to distribute this little at any drug store; apply a few war material among the state highdrops upon the corn or callous. In- way commissioners for use in road building, allotments of the vehicles you lift that bothersome corn or cal- to be based on the amount of federal which the war department has to release. Of this total 12,000 have been delivered to the states. The remain-No. Mande, the young business man der will be distributed as fast as railwho advertises for sealed proposals way cars can be secured for their the bureau of public roads, in charge of the matter, believe that within two or three months all of the vehicles will have been delivered to the states. aid in carrying the large road build-

The state highway commissioners are also interested in securing allotments of tractors, steam shovels, locomotive cranes, antomotive cranes, ing English lands, people-and, above industrial railway track, dump cars all, English history-Chester, sixteen and industrial locomotives which re- miles distant, would be an ideal place | tions have been made at intervals, as main to be disposed of by the war in which to set out upon such a pil- is the custom in practically all Eurodepartment. A measure known as grimage. the Kahn bill, directing the secretary of war to release this material for the state highway commissioners, has ginnings of England. Chester's anpassed the senate and has been re- cient walls still surround the site of ported out of committee in the house.



Type of Motortruck Turned Over to States to Aid in Road Building.

Until the secretary of war has been directed by congress to turn out this equipment it is not likely that it will be available for state distribution.

## MAKING ROADS WITH BRAINS

Most of Heavy Work Incident to Highways Is Being Done by Machinery-Cost Is Less.

As help is scarce, and increasing traffic makes good roads a necessity, more and more of the heavy work incident to highways is being done by machinery.

At one time the work of leveling and road building had to be done largely with the pickax in the hands of work men, and with shovels and teams. Now gasoline engines, motor trucks, and huge power-propelled cranes do all of the heavy work. In the pew method the expense is less than by the old method, for machinery is always cheaper than human labor, in that a mate rial saving of time is effected.

Good roads are an economy to any section of the country, as they permit produce to be hauled to market just when it will bring the most, and property is always worth more which borders well-constructed highways. Try to buy a farm along a concrete road and you will find the location makes a big difference in the price asked.

## REDUCE COST OF MARKETING

It Can Be Brought About by Farmers Using More Trucks, Trailers and Automobiles.

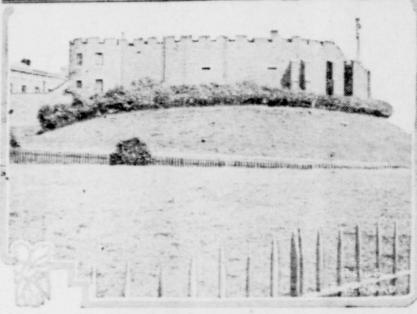
The high cost of marketing that is such a factor in the cost of living will be reduced when the roads are improved and farmers use more trucks, trailers and automobiles in reaching city markets with their products.

## UNPAVED ROADS UNCERTAIN

When Weather Is Good They May Be Passable If They Have Been Continuously Dragged.

Unpaved roads vary with the weather-paved roads are constant. When the weather is good, dirt roads may be passable if they have been continuously dragged, but they are not roads for truck and automobile traffic, so characteristic of the highways today when properly constructed

# are Olde



The Castle, Chester.

In 1541, after the dissolution of the

ter, and remains of Norman construc-

it dates from the twelfth to the six-

teenth century. Since 1819 restora-

"The Chester Imp."

In monastic times the abbey was

rich and of much importance. The

"Chester mysteries," or miracle plays,

were performed each year before its

gates, when a fair was held on the

feast of St. Werbergh, the patron

saint of Chester. A curious custom

their interiors. Perched coyly in a

corner high up on the cathedral, is

found in two flags draped on the wall

of the south aisle of the cathedral

which were carried by the British at

the battle of Bunker Hill; not far from

these are displayed the colors of the

A wonderful work of restoration to

eleventh century. It was occupied by

a Norman bishop in 1073, but in a few

ing apart from it are the picturesque

SUNDAY DAY OF MERRIMENT

wise Uneventful Lives of Filipino

It is the women of Manila who mar-

on their heads, can be seen striding

Strong and happy, they wade

through the streams and the mud,

calling out to one another as they go,

and only stopping to get a fresh light

for their cigars from some one of

their number or some one whom they

chance to meet. Once at market they

chat, smoke, laugh and barter for

green squash, a live chicken, eggs,

hours over a few small tomatoes, some

fruit, sugar or anything they happen

to have, and toward noon they strag-

gle home, having had a good visit and

Sunday is the only really strenuous

day for the Filipinos. It is the big

market day when people come from all

the surrounding country, and it is the

time when cockfights are allowed. Men

spend a good share of their time dur-

ing the week in training their pet roost-

ers, and on Sunday, early and late,

they can be seen going to and from

the pit, carrying their gamecocks un-

Excitement runs high and their joy-

ous shouts can be heard for a long

way. Some women can attend the

fights, but most of them do the double

duty of attending mass and then pat-

ronizing the market, which is just

across the street from the church. All

day Sunday they are active and excit-

able, but the next day they settle

back into their quiet, uneventful lives,

Inducement.

Husband and wife were at the movie

"Why is it you never made love to

show. During a love scene she nudged

-Chicago Daily News.

hubby and inquired:

der their arms.

sold or exchanged their wares.

capital city, where market is held.

Men and Women.

such a toke, known as "The Chester

pean cathedrals.

W cities in England retain | Hugh Lupas, with the aid of Norso distinct a flavor of medi- man monks, established here a Beneeval times as "Rare Olde dictine monastery-one of those Chester," on the River Dee. early centers, not alone of religion, Winchester is hoary with age-so are but of learning, also. This equipment promises to be a great Gloucester, Canterbury, Coventry and countless other places in the kingdom. | monasteries by Henry VIII, the abbey writes Katherine Shepherd Smith in | church became the Cathedral of Chesthe Springfield Republican.

But should one disembark at Liver- tion, dating back to 1093, are incorpool with a mind intent upon study- porated in the cathedral, but most of

There, more easily than almost anywhere else, one can trace the very bethe Roman deva, or Devana Castra (camp of the Dee). The Anglo-Saxons called it Chester.

#### Phantom City of the Past.

The Romans, whose occupancy last- prevailing among builders in the mided four centuries, selected this high. dle ages was that of carving grotesque picturesque spot overlooking the river figures-not only on the exteriors of and the mountains of North Wales, churches, like gargoyles, but often on for the station of their famous 20th Legion.

Excavating a solid rock to a depth of four to ten feet, upon which to Imp." found the camp, they built roundabout their defensive walls.

The Roman camp was in the form of a parallelogram and Chester followed the same lines in the original pal thoroughfares now cross at right | Chester Guards, borne at Quebec. angles the rocky Roman oblang.

After the Romans there came turn, the Weish, Saxons, Danes and Church of St. John. This was a ca-Normans. Chester was not taken by thedral church and dates from the late William the Conqueror until 1070.

In viewing the city the walls claim ne's first attention. The present years he removed the seat of his residents seem to Mve in a phantom | bishopric to Coventry. The church as city of the past, and almost to be a restored today-a gem of Norman part of that medieval period in architecture—includes only sections which they are so well versed. They of the nave and transepts that betell you, apologetically, that only on longed to the original structure, Standthree of their four sides do the walls follow the exact lines of those built | ruins of the ancient choir. by the Romans, and that they are not of earlier date than the fourteenth

But a stroll of two miles upon these great arms of masonry, which | Practically Only Break in the Otherhave encircled the city for seven hundred years, should satisfy the most exacting antiquarian.

As one traverses this now peaceful promenade, frequent reminders of a ket the produce there. Early every turbulent past are encountered. The morning long lines of these farmer most impressive of these-perhaps wives, with great cigars in their because the most tangible-is the mouths, and large baskets of wares Phoenix, or King Charles tower, bearing an inscription recording that along the narrow trails toward the from this tower King Charles I, in 1645, viewed the battle of Rowton Moor, and a local chronicler relates how the king "witnessed with growing mortification and despair the defeat of his army and the overthrow of his last field force."

Besides the King Charles tower whers bordering the parapet of the old walls are the Bonwaldesthorne and the water tower; then there are those known as Morgan's Mount and Pemberton's Parlor.

## Historic Watch Towers.

During all the asmults made upon Chester these and other watch towers, long since dismantled, were vantage points for the guardians of the old city, who, when scanning the valley of the Dee and the mountain passes of nearby Wales, gave little beed, we can believe, to the beauty of the paporama spread out before them, which today claims the attention and delight of every beholder. Bonwaldesthorne, clothed with vines and reached by the greenery of swaying tree tops, is by far the most picturesque of towers.

Chester Castle is rather disappointing, but much as one wants a eastle to be up to the mark, everything else in Chester is so satisfying that this one "fly in the ointment" should be overlooked.

The only remaining relic of the Norman period, during which time the castle was built, is the Julius Caeser tower, a square keep, which, having been incased in red sandstone, has now an adequate appearance of age.

Chester Cathedral, like many others in England, is interesting, both in itself and for its history. Since the time of the Roman deva the ground upon which it stands has been occupled by a Christian church.

## Farm Live Stock

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Tennessee Department of Agriculture Urges Breeders to Join Better Sires Crusade.

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readers of the current issue of the Monthly Bulletin of the Tennessee department of agriculture.

"It means the passing of the scrub," the Bulletin continues.

"It means greater success in Hvestock production and consequently greater prosperity for the people, "Good-bred stock will outsell the scrub every time.

"If you want better stock consult the county agent in your own county or else write to the division of extension, Knoxville, Tenn.

"Now is, the time to put Tennessee on the live-stock map.

"If you believe in better live stock and poultry join this movement. Tennessee has natural advantages for wonderful live-stock development, but the 'better sires' crusade will do much to hurry along this development."

### BEEF PRODUCED FOR FAMILY

More Is Bought From Village Butcher Than Is Raised on Farm-Little Veal Killed.

The farmer buys more beef than he takes from the farm. Only about 10 per cent of meat furnished by the average farm is beef. In the north and west the average consumption of beef per family is nearly 300 pounds and in the south it is less than 100 pounds, according to the United States department of agriculture.

The beef animal killed for home use may be a beef steer or an unprofitable cow, or a heifer that does not promise to be a good producer and would not bring a good price for beef on the market. Very little veal



A Steer, An Unprofitable Cow or a Poor Looking Heifer May Be Used for the Family Table.

is killed on the farm for home use. Much of the beef bought by farmers is bought in the summer from village butchers who operate meat wagons or cars in the country. On the average LICHTRING OIL farm there are no facilities for keeping fresh meat during warm weather.

## PLAN TREATMENT OF LAMBS

Attention Attracted in Many Localities to Value of Docking and Castrating Lambs.

The value of castration and docking of buck lambs destined for market is attracting attention in many localities where the practice has not been generally followed. In Braxton county, W. Va., for example, the farm bureau plans a demonstration of the value of castration and docking by sending to market one carload of buck lambs that have not been thus treated, and at the same time a carload of buck lambs that have been docked and castrated. The prices will be compared, and a forceful object lesson is expected. Farmers in Gilmer county, of the same state, expect to dock and castrate all their buck lambs in the coming year.

Failure to follow this practice generally is regarded by officials of the Bureau of Animal Industry. United States department of agriculture, as a weak point in agriculture, and they recommend the practice to all farm-

## \* LIVE STOCK NOTES

\* First-class draft horses are very

The pig grows upon what it eats. While it should not be overfed, it must be supplied with all it will eat up clean for best development and

Docking gives the lambs a neater and more uniform appearance. Longtailed lambs collect dung, which often causes maggot trouble during hot weather.

If you have an ambition to make a success as a breeder, to improve the breed and establish a reputation for raising a choice lot of extra pigs, it requires you to acquaint yourself with all of the best feeding experience to be had.

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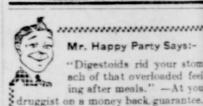
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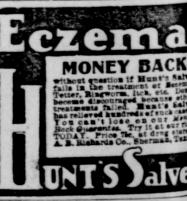
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The Next Step.

"I see that hotel landlords are con templating renting their rooms by the hour." "Yes. Landlords will be renting

their flats to us by the day next."



chap."-Film Fun.

me like that?" "Because," he responded prosaically. "I didn't get paid for it, like that The state of the s



broke the silence with a protest.

here as prisoner to Bill Lacy."

your remaining at all."

cipient mustache.

be paid."

that."

him?"

"Yes senor."

you are safe with me."

into a true friend.

"In your care, senor? The girl is

"So I told Mendez," he said indiffer-

ently. "But he is in ill humor this

morning and took small interest in the

affair. It was only when I promised to

take full charge that he consented to

"If there is evil done, the debt will

Cateras laughed, one hand at his in-

"Billy Lacy, you mean, no doubt.

That is a matter for him to settle with

Mendez. It is not my affair, for I only

obey my chief. However, senors, 'tis

no evil that is contemplated, only we

prefer guarding the secrets of this val-

ley ourselves. That is what angers

Mendez, the fact that Lacy uses this

rendezvous as a prison during our ab-

sence. We found one here when we

returned—guarded by an American.

Now you come with another. How do

we know what may result from such

acts? What sheriff's posse may be on

your trail? Bill Lacy! Dios! if Bill

Lacy would make prisoners, let him

keep them somewhere else than here.

Mendez takes no prisoners-he knows

a better way than doing things like

"Of which I am well aware," bow-

ing gallantly. "Otherwise I should not

have interfered and offered my serv-

ices. You know what to do with your

team; then the both of you report to

Casas at the upper camp-you know

"Tell him I sent you. He will have

his orders; they are that you be shot

if you attempt to leave before Mendez

gives the word. 'Tis not long now till

we learn who is chief here-Bill Lacy

or Pascual Mendez. Come, senorita,

Concealing a dread that was almost

him to touch her hand and assist her

to clamber over the wheel. Under

some conditions the change in captors

might have been welcomed-certainly

she felt no desire to remain in the

hands of the two who had brought her

there, for Sikes, plainly enough, was a

mere drunken brute, and Moore, while

of somewhat finer fiber, lacked the

courage and manhood to ever develop

Yet she would have infinitely pre-

ferred such as these-men, at least, of

her own race-to this smirking Mexi-

can, hiding his devilish instincts be-

"Come, Take This Spitfire. Caramba!

We'll Teach Her!"

hind a pretense at gallantry. He had

in his own way, rendering the chief's

suspicions of Lacy more acute and

thus gaining permission to assume full

charge. Her only hope was to go her-

self into the presence of the leader

and make a plea to him face to face.

Cateras, smiling, pressed her arm with

"Wait," and her eyes met his, show-

ing no sign of fear. "You take me, I

presume, to Senor Mendez? I am an

American woman, and you will yet pay

dearly for this outrage. I demand an

interview with the chief and refuse to

into laughter. "Why, what power have

you got, you little fool? Do you know

where you are? What fear do we have

of your d- Americanos. None!"

and he snapped his fingers derisively.

"You refuse! Ha!" and he burst

go with you until it is granted."

"This way, senorita."

his fingers.

"But, senor, this is a woman."

#### JIM GETS A CLEW.

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Synopsis. - Frederick Cavendish, ew York man of wealth, receives letter from an old friend, Jim Vestcott, urging him to come at nce to Colorado. Deciding to go, ne employs a lawyer, Patrick Enright, to draw up a will leaving est of his estate to charity, with mere pittance to John Cavendish, his cousin and only relative, a dis-solute youth. That night Frederick "avendish is murdered in his apart-Cavendish inherits the estate.. Two onths later Enright informs John Cavendish of the existence of the and offers, for \$100,000, to say othing of it. John agrees. Stella onovan, newspaper writer, learns om Frederick Cavendish's valet nat he is not satisfied the body ound was that of his employer. e is directed by Farriss, city edi-r of the Star, to follow up the se. Stella learns of the will Entht had drawn up, also of John endish's infatuation for Celeste Rue, chorus girl. A conversa-n Stella overhears between Ceand John Cavendish convinces Frederick Cavendish is alive, victim of a conspiracy engi-ered by Enright to secure his and that Celeste knows ere he is hidden. Ned Beaton. orious gunman, is also men-ned. Celeste is about to leave Haskell, Colorado, and Stella is red by Farriss to proceed there At Haskell Stella, repreting herself as a magazine r, makes the acquaintance of Westcott, Frederick Cavenh's partner. Westcott resents the erest taken in Stella by Beaton, m he knows only as a visiting Yorker, and worsts him in a encounter. Stella confides in who believes Cavendish is Celeste and Enright join ton at Haskell. While visiting mine an attempt is made to Westcott. Tracking the as-Westcott listens to a between Beaton, Enright d Bill Lacy, local desperado. He we and a prisoner of Lacy.

## CHAPTER VIII .- Continued.

t leaves evidence of his presence d becomes a marked man. Ce-

otel, kidnaped and taken to the

visits Stella and discovers her

m New York?" The quick eyes Mexican again sought her face. is to be held prisoner?" s, senor."

hen I will ride with you to Men-'tis well to have the matter.

ptly over with." wagon rumbled on, Moore urgthe wearied team with whip and to little result. Sikes remained ot, glad of the change, striding in front, while the Mexican rode the wheel, his equipment jinthe sunlight flashing over his attire. He made a rather galfigure, of which he was fully conglancing frequently aside into hadow beneath the canvas top to glimpse of its occupant. At last eyes met, and he could no longrbear speech, his English expres-

irdon, senorita, I would be held friend," he murmured, leaning "You know Senor Mendez?" shook her head negatively.

a bit precise.

Tis strange! Yet I forget you from New York. They know here on this border. If you ask men they will tell you. Even Lacy takes his orders from ual Mendez. He care not who he who he fight-some day it come urn, and then he liberate Mexico The day is not yet, but it will

ut you, senor?" am his lieutenant-Juan Cateras,"

he bowed low, "and I ride now to im of his guest."

watched him as he spurred forproud of his horsemanship, and g every effort to attract her at-Moore turned in his seat, and

me tin soldier," he said sneer-"that's a feller I always wanted ck, an' some day I'm a goin' ter

wagon lurched down a steep splashed its way across the narream and up the other side, the s straining in their harness to harp snap of the driver's whip. A ring precipice of rock confronted and at its very foot stood two s of log construction, so closely nbling their stone background as almost imperceptible at the disof a few yards. Sikes leaned on fle waiting, and as Moore halted inting team and leaped over the to the ground Cateras came from one of the open doors and d the intervening space on foot. as smoking a cigarette, the blue of smoke circling above his

n the still air. lady is to be placed in my he said almost insolently. hand, senorita."

"We spit on the dogs. I will show you

He gripped her shoulder in his leau hand, his eyes glaring into her face savagely. The grasp hurt, and a sudden anger spurred her to action. With a quick twist she freed herself and, scarcely knowing how it was done, snatched the heavy driver's whip from Moore's hand. The next instant, before the astounded Mexican could even throw up his arm in defense, the infuriated girl struck, the stinging lash raising a red welt across the swarthy cheek. Cateras staggered back, his lips giving utterance to a curse.

Again she struck, but this time his fingers gripped the leather and tore it from her hands with sufficient force to send her to her knees. With a spring forward the man held her in his grasp, all tiger now, the pretense at gentleness forgotten. He jerked her to her feet with fingers clutching her neck mercilessly.

"Here Silva, Merodez," he cried, "come take this spitfire. Caramba! We'll teach her.'

Two men ran from between the huts and Cateras flung her, helpless from her choking, into their grasp.

"Take her within-no, there; the second door, you fools."

Breathless from effort, a mere child in their grip, Miss Donovan struggled vainly. They forced her through the door and Cateras, still cursing furiously, followed, the whip in his hands.

#### CHAPTER IX.

Westcott Finds Himself Alone. It never occurred to Westcott on his

scape through the darkness that his night's adventure would in any way endanger Miss Donovan. He was on the property of La Rosita Mining company upon his own account, and not in reference to the Cavendish case at all -or, at least, this last was merely in-

From where he lay he could see across the bare, rock-strewn hillside to the distant hut, outlined by the gleam of light within, and perceive the black silhouette of the shafthouse. He could dimly distinguish figures as they passed in and out of the glare of light, and was aware that Moore had been found and carried within the hut, but remained ignorant of the fact that the leaving of a knife in the window had revealed his identity. There was no attempt at pursuit, which gave him confidence that Lacy failed to comprehend the importance of what had been overheard, yet he clung to his hidingplace until all the men had re-entered

It was late the next morning before Westcott rode into Haskell and, stabling his horse, which bore all the marks of hard riding, proceeded toward the Timmons house. He had utilized, as best he could, the hours overpowering, yet realizing the impossince that cavalende had departed from La Rosita to put his own affairs in order so that he might feel free to camp on the conspirators' trail and risk all in an effort to rescue Cavendish. The night had been a hard one, but Westcott was still totally upconscious of fatigue-his whole thought centered on his purpose. As he rode slowly up the street in the bright sunlight his mind reverted to Stella Donovan. Eager for the greeting which he felt assured awaited him, he strode through the open door into the office. The room was vacant, but as he crossed the floor toward the desk the proprietor entered the opening leading into the barroom beyond.

"Hello, Jim!" he cried at sight of the other. "Thought you'd be back, but d--- it, yer too late-she's-she's gone; almighty pretty girl, too. I told the boys it was a blame shame fer her ter run off thataway."

"Who has run off?" And Westcott's hand crushed down on the man's shoulder. "What are you talking about?" "Me! Let up, will yer? Yer was

here hopin' ter see that New York girl, wasn't yer?" "Miss Donovan? Yes." "I'd forgot her name. Well, she

ain't vere-she's left." "Left-gone from town?" "Sure; skipped out sudden in the

uight; took the late train East, I reck-

on. Never sed no word to nobody-

just naturally packed up her duds an' Westcott drew a deep breath. "Surely you do not mean she left

without any explanation? She must have paid her bill." "Oh, she was square enough-sure.

She left money an' a note pinned to her pillow; sed she'd just got a message callin' her home-want ter see whut she wrote?" "You bet I do. Timmons!" Timmons waddled around behind the

desk and ran his hand into a drawer. Evidently he considered the matter a huge joke, but Westcott snatched the paper from his fingers impatiently and eagerly read the few hastily penciled hastened ahead to Mendez; told a tale

> "Have received a message calling me East at once. Shall take the night train, and inclose sufficient money to pay for my entertainment.

> "S. D." He stared at the words, a deep crease between his eyes. It was a woman's handwriting, and at first glance there was nothing impossible in such an action on her part. Yet it was strange, if she had departed so suddenly without leaving any message for him. His eyes narrowed with aroused suspicion as he looked up from the slip of paper and confronted the amused Timmons across the desk.

"And that was ali, was it-just this note and the cash? There - nothing addressed to me?"

The hotelkeeper shook his head. 'When did you see her last." "'Bout nine o'clock, I reckon; she drink o' water."

"How much longer were you up?" "Oh, maybe an hour."

"No message for Miss Donovan up to that time?" "No."

"You left the door unlocked?" "Sure; them New York fellers was both out. I oughter waited till they come in, maybe, but I was plum' tired out.'

"When did they come back?" "Oh, 'bout midnight, I reckon. Bill Lacy an' Matt Moore was along with

"I see! And these New York people -they are still here?" "They wus all three down ter break-

fast; ain't seen nuthin' of 'em since." "What became of Lacy?"

"He's down in his saloon; he sed if you showed up, an' asked fer him, ter tell yer that's whar he'd be."

"He told you that? He expected me to show up, then?"

"I reckon as how he did," and Timmons grinned in drunken good humor. "He's pretty blame smart, Bill Lacy is; he most allars knows whut's goin' ter happen." He leaned over the desk and lowered his voice. "If yer do hunt him up, Jim," he said confidentially, "you better go heeled."

Westcott laughed. The first shock of the discovery of Miss Donovan's disappearance had passed, and he was himself again. He must have time to think and arrange some plan and, above all, must retain a clear mind and proceed coolly.

"All right, old man," he said easily, "I'll try and look out for myself. I haven't eaten yet today. What can you find me in the larder?"

Although feeling the need of food, Westcott entered the dining-room of the Timmons' house more desirous of being alone than for any other purpose. He realized that he was suddealy brought face to face with a most serious condition, and one which must be solved unaided. So Bill Lacy expected him? Had left word where he was to be found? What was the probable meaning of this? Westcott did not connect this message directly with the strange disappearance of Miss Donovan. Moore must have recognized him during their fight, and reported to his master who it was that had been discovered listening at the window. Realizing the nature of that conversation, Lacy naturally anticipated being sought the very moment Westcott came to town. That was what this meant. All right, he would hunt Lacy as soon as he was ready to do so; and, as Timmons suggested, would go "heeled."

But the girl? What had really be come of the girl? Westcott drew the brief note from his pocket, smoothed out its creases and read the few words over again. The writing was unquestionably feminine, and he could recall seeing nothing Miss Donovan had ever indited, with which it could be compared. But would, she have departed, however hurriedly, without leaving him some message? Unconsciously he still held the letter in his hand when the waitress came in with his breakfast. She glanced about to make certain they were alone and leaned over, her lips close to his ear. "Is that the note they say that New

York young lady left?" "Yes, Sadie," in surprise. "Why?" "Well, she never wrote it, Mr. Westcott," hurriedly placing the dishes before him, "that's all. Now don't yer say a word to anybody that I told yer; but she didn't go East at all; she wus took in a wagon down the desert road. I saw 'em take her."

"You saw them? Who?" "Well, I don't just know that, 'cept it was Matt Moore's team, an' he wuz drivin' it. I didn't see the others so es to be sure. Yer see us help sleep over the kitchen, an' 'bout one o'clock I woke up. I thought I heard a noise outside, an' got up an' went to the winder. I couldn't see much, not but there was three or four men out know, an' they had a woman with 'em. She didn't scream none, but she was tryin' ter git away; wunst she run, but they caught her. I didn't see no wagon then; it was behind the ridge, I reckon. After a while it drove off down the south trail, an' a little later three men come up them outside stairs

still 'bout it, too." "You couldn't tell who they were?" "They wa'n't like nuthin' but shadders; it was a purty dark night. Say, did you ever hear tell of a Mexican named Mendez?"

"Well, rather; he's a cattle thief, or worse. Arizona has a big reward out for him, dead or alive."

'That's the gink, I bet yer; has he got a hangout anywhar 'round this country?"

"Not so far as I know. What makes you suspect this?" Sadie leaned even closer, her voice trembling with excitement, evidently

convinced that her information was of utmost importance. "You know the feller they call Enright, I reckon he's a lawyer?"

"Well, he was doin' most of the talk-

for that; but that was the direction

Matt Moore drove off last night-

there's Enright comin' downstairs

Westcott nodded.

in', an' I was foolin' round the sideboard yonder, pretendin' ter clean it up. Nobedy thought I was in ear distance, but I got hold ov a word now an' then. He kept tellin' 'em 'bout this action.

Mexican, who's a friend of Bill Lacy, an' I judge has a place whar he hangs out with his gang somewhar in the big "Was anything said about Miss Don-

Westcott puts up a good "Not by name; they was too smart

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

came down inter the dinin' room fer a | now; won't yer hav' some more cakes, HOME TOWN

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Westcott pushed back his chair and rose to his feet. He had extracted all the information the girl possessed, and had no wish to expose her to suspicion. There was no longer a doubt in his mind as to the fate of Miss Donovan. She had been forcibly abducted by this gang of thieves, and put where her knowledge could do them no harm. But where? The clue had been given him, but before it could be of any value he must learn more of this Mexican, Mendez. The fellow had always appeared a rather mythical character, but now became suddenly real. The marshal might know; if not, then he must choke the truth out of Lacy. Determined to make the effort, he muttered a swift word of thanks to Sadie and left the room.

From the open doorway Westcott took careful survey of the street, adjusting his belt so that the butt of his revolver was more convenient to the hand. He had no conception that his coming interview with Lacy was to be altogether a pleasant one, and realized fully the danger confronting him.

At that moment the little marshal. his broad-brimmed hat cocked over one eve, emerged from the narrow alley-



"What the H- Does This Mean?" He Demanded Hotly.

way between the Red Dog and the adjacent dance hall, and stood there doubtfully, his gaze wandering up and down the deserted street. As Westcott descended the hotel steps the mar- sible-planting several kinds of simshal saw him, and came forward. His "Hello, Jim," he said rather briskly. "Had a little trouble up your way last

night, I hear. "Nothing to bother you, Dan; my Mexican watchman was shot up through a window of the shack."

"Kill him?" "Instantly. I told the coroner all about it. Whoever the fellow was I reckon he meant the shot for me, but poor Jose got it. Seen Bill Lacy this morning?"

The marshal's thin lips smiled grimly as his eyes lifted to Westcott's face, "He's back there in his office. That's what I stopped yer for. He said he rather expected ye'd be along after a while. What's up between yer, Jim? There ain't goin' ter be no fight er nuthin'?" anxiously.

Westcott laughed. "I don't see any use for any," he answered. "But Bill might be a bit

touchy. Maybe, Dan, it might be worth while for you to hang around. Do as you please about that." He turned away and went up the wooden steps to the door of the Red

'nough so I could swear to nuthin'; Dog. The marshal's eyes followed him solicitously until he disappeared there just across that little gully, you within; then he slipped back into the alleyway skirting the side of the building until he reached a window near the rear.

Westcott closed the door behind him and took a swift view of the barroom. There were not many present at that hour-only a few habitual loafers playing cards. Westcott recognized most back into the hotel. They was mighty of the faces with a slight feeling of relief. Neither Enright nor Beaton were present, and it was his desire to meet Lacy alone, away from the influence of these others. He crossed to the bar.

"Where's Bill?" he asked.

"Back there," and the dispenser of drinks inclined his head toward a door at the rear. "Go on in."

The fellow's manner was civil enough, yet Westcott's teeth set with a feeling that he was about to face an emergency. Yet there was no other way; he must make Lacy talk. He walked straight to the door, opened it, stepped into the room beyond, and turned the key in the lock, dropping it into his pocket. Then he faced about. He was not alone with Lacy; Enright sat beside the desk of the other and was staring at him in startled surprise. Westcott also had a hazy Impression that there was or had been another person. The saloon keeper rose to his feet, angry, and thrown completely off his guard by Westcott's unexpected

"What the h- does this mean?" he demanded hotly. "Why did you lock the door?"

fight against odds.

help, not only to himself, but to the country, during the war-garden time, and the experience he gained from his war-garden activities then has since helped him in the fight to win out against the high cost of living.

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It will add considerably to the ease of gardening as well as to the looks of the plot if the vegetables are planted in nice straight rows instead of helter-skelter. Besides, it will utilize

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If you plant such crops as beets, radishes and onions in beds these can be made four to six inches high by digging narrow paths around the beds with a hoe and throwing the soil upon

If the drainage of your garden is not good it is well to grow cabbage, cauliflower and similar crops on small ridges thrown up with the spade or hoe. Other crops, among them early peas and celery, should be planted in shallow trenches scooped out with a hoe. When these plants grow the soil is gradually worked back around the

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Attacking the American billboard from a new angle, Mr. Joseph Pennell declares that "the lumber expended in unnecessary and unsightly billboards in this country would rebuild nearly everything destroyed abroad. The paint wasted here would cover all the new buildings, and the labor would be of incalculable benefit in what we hear is the great essential of producing more." The argument should do much to help the anti-billboard campaign, for, although many will hesitate to believe that Mr. Pennell's arithmetic is altogther correct in so nice a balance between billboards in America and "everything destroyed" in Europe, there will be plenty to agree that the unnecessary erection of American billboards consumes a vast deal of material that would be very helpful in the erection of buildings in Europe. Meantime the billboards multiply, and by so doing add constantly to the evidence of their own undesira-

## His Fears Realized.

Jane and John, twins, are exceptionally fond of each other, John seemingly much the older with the proprietarial solicitude for Jane's welfare. Jane had spent the week end out of town and as the train drew into the station, John was there to meet her. Quickly noting the newly bandaged finger, he exclaimed, "I just knew you'd get hurted if I wasn't along to take care of you!"

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