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STERLING CITY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 1916.

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TURDAY NIGHT ALMOST PAR. ALLEL THAT OF JAN. 31.

ARE PEPORTED INJURED

av Night Bombardment of Scot tish and English Territory An-nounced, but Details Unavailable.

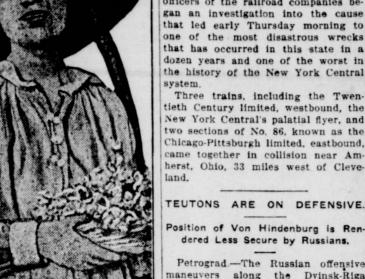
London-The coast of Scotland and northern and southern counties England were attacked by Zeppe-Sunday night, according to an cial announcement by the secrery of war. Bombs were dropped at jous places. No details are avail.

with the exception of the big air id on Jan. 31, when the casualties are 67 persons killed and 117 in-red, the Zeppelin raids of Friday ad Saturday nights caused greater us of life than any previous aerial tack this year.

The total casulaties for the two ights, according to an official re-ort, were 59 persons killed and 166

As some compensation for this loss life, however, the British public nds satisfaction in practical proof forded of a great improvement in he defensive methods dealing with erial incursions. For the first time ince the inception of this method of arfare, not only has one raiding appelin been brought down and its rew taken prisoners, but the official neen a Zeppelin and a British airounting to a height of 9,000 feet, ew over the raider and dropped sev ral bombs on its with effect. The achine of Lieutenant Brandon was it several times by machine gun llets from the Zeppelin. It is still aknown whether the Zeppelin in this fight was the L-15 which was brought down off the Thames estuary another craft which is believed have dropped its machine gun setrol tank and other parts. in connection with Lieutenant Brandons 'exploit is an unconfirmed but interesting report from Copenhagen that a Danish fishing vessel served at a great distance in the North sea what appeared to be a alf-submerged Zeppelin. Saturday night's raid was much

serious than that of Friday. Acthese one or two rai ceeded in passing the coast, the other being turned back. Sixteen ersons were killed in this raid, of hom six were women and children. About a hundred persons were in-



Miss Irene Gibson, daughter of Charles Dana Gibson, the artist, is engaged to George B. Post, Jr., son of the late George B. Post, the architect. von Hindenburg less secure and will,

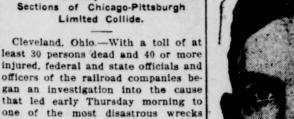


MISS IRENE GIBSON

Bernstorff is Said to Have Sent Information to Berlin Which Caused Resignation.

Washington .- With all evidence in. now command along the left bank of dicating that the British channel the Dvina and their successful opersteamer Sussex, carrying American ations in the Riga district are concitizens, was the victim of a torpedo, sidered a solid foundation for a furit was stated authoritatively here ther advance as soon as the spring that if a German submarine made thaw is over and the ground becomes the attack the imperial government firm. would disavow the act, punish the

tich and satisfy the United States New York -Captain Hans Tauscher and Verdun, the Germans launched a Ser on the field of victory. For five that the act was in violation of in- said to be an officer in the German great infantry attack on the Hauthat the act was in violation of its said to be an officer in the German great infantry attack on the Hau-structions. Thus it seemed that the navy and reputed to be the head of court-Bethincourt sector. In succession wilder court at the deserve in the next day or two it is believed faith. That saying of our Lord also issue might narrow down to the questhe Tauscher Arms company of this sive waves the Germans were thrown tion of whether the United States city as well as the American repre- into the fray but all of their attempts ment. President Wilson is awaiting with the Sussex, aboard which several Americans narrowly escaped death, liam M. Offley, a special agent of the positions. In the Argonne they are but as to the sinking of the British department of justice. steamship Englishman. One American life is said in the latest official reports to have been lost when the Englishman went down.



the history of the New York Central Three trains, including the Twentieth Century limited, westbound, the New York Central's palatial flyer, and two sections of No. 86, known as the Chicago-Pittsburgh limited, eastbound, came together in collision near Amherst, Ohio, 33 miles west of Cleve-

THIRTY KILLED IN WRECK

Twentieth Century Limited and Two

TEUTONS ARE ON DEFENSIVE.

Position of Von Hindenburg is Rendered Less Secure by Russians.

Petrograd .- The Russian offensive naneuvers along the Dvinsk-Riga ront, although apparently local in character and unimportant as compared with more sweeping, spectacular movements that have marked warfare on the eastern front, have al. He is a graduate of Baylor university ready rendered the carefully constructed positions of Field Marshal

it is thought here, determine the

course of the coming spring campaign. The fighting now has developed from isolated encounters along a tenmile front, to a general engagement extending more than 35 miles along the lines. German troops that were taking part in an advance believed to have been intended by the Germans are occupied in defending their positions of last fall, and it appears to observers here that Field Marshal von Hindenburg's spring campaign will be defensive rather than the offensive one that was expected.

Since the first blows struck by the Russians along the northern sector the Russian situation has continually improved and the heights which they

submarine commander, offer repara- American Agent for Krupp Arrested. and the nine miles still between them

VILLA KILLS 172 U. S. CAVALRY FIND VILLA MEN; KILL 31 GUERRERO DEFENDERS BANDITS WERE SURPRISED AS MEXICAN AND AMERICAN TROOPS THEY WERE CELEBRATING ARE BELIEVED TO BE CLOSING GUERRERO MASSACRE. IN ON BANDITS. San Antonio, Texas .- After killing every one of the 172 men in the gar-**BELIEVE END IS VERY NEAR** rison at Guerrero, Francisco Villa moved northward Thursday and now is somewhere near the headwaters of

Villa, Crippled, is Hurried to Safety the Santa Maria river, according to When Americans Burst on Camp unofficial information secured by Gen. Like Thunderbolt.

El Paso, Texas .- Four hundred American cavalrymen, under the command of Col. Geo. A. Dodd, whirling down from the granite slopes of the the United States and Mexico wer great continental divide, have fallen like a thunderbolt on the main body information was regarded by General of Francisco Villa's bandits at the San Geronimo ranch, scattering them and driving the bandit chief, wounded and crippled, to seek a hiding place his pursuers in fight or make another in the mountains over which he has ruled for so many years. Villa was hurried from danger in a carriage.

Thrill Along Border.

The battle occurred March 29. The his troops and that of the Mexican news of the brilliant exploit of the government are such that Villa can American troopers was flashed over not easily escape without a fight. Am the Mexican wires into Juarez Friday erican troops are converging in col and sent a thrill along the border. For 17 hours the veteran Colonel Dodd and his picked riders of the so far south that they would be able Seventh and Tenth cavalry drove to join with the Carranza forces in down the valley of the Santa Maria river. At the end of a 55-mile ride

they burst upon the unsuspecting Villista camp, where 500 bandits were celebrating the massacre of 172 Carranzistas two days previously at Gur- over the Northwestern railroad, no rero. Villa, shot through the leg and news concerning that development of with one hip shattered, was hurried the situation was given out. from the scene, barely in time to escape the onslaught of the soldiers of the north.

for fear Villa adherents or other ban-The bandits made a brief but hope dits might seize the supplies in tranless stand before the fierce charge of sit, as Carranza granted the expedi-Colonel Dodd and his troopers. Then tionary force permission to use the they broke and fled, leaving 31 dead railroad on condition that the supon the field, including their command- plies be shipped as commercial freight er, General Eliseo Hernandez. Two and that no guard be placed aboard machine guns, a number of horses, the trains. Special effort will be made rifles, ammunition and equipment fell to keep secret the time of departure by the Germans to break through the into the hands of the victors. of each train bearing supplies for the Among the known wounded is Pab. American troops in Mexico.

lo Lopez, Villa's lieutenant in the Columbus raid. The American casual-

NO WORD RECEIVED OF VILLA. ties were four privates wounded. Driven Into Mountains.

Conviction Grows That Badnit Es acped Into Mountains.

Funston. At the head of a consider-

able force Villa was reported to be

on the San Geronimo ranch or the

Quemada ranch, west of Chihuahua

City and near the Mexican North

western railroad, and troops of both

believed to be closing in on him. This

Funston and his staff as probably cor

rect. If correct it appeared that very

soon Villa either will have to face

break through the tightening line of

General Pershing has been advised

of the report as to Villa's location and

it is known that the disposition of

umns from the north and it was indi-

cated that a part of them had gone

preventing his escape in that direc-

Other than that no supplies for the

troops in the field had crossed into

Mexico from El Paso for shipment

It is understood that information

regarding the plans is being withheld

troops.

tion

The American soldiers did not lin-San Antonio, Texas .--- Unless Franhours they drove the enemy into the cisco Villa is definitely located with-

NEED FOR Imperative if the Church and the World is to Be Ready for

His Coming.

In spite of the fact that Jesus himself said, "No man knoweth the day nor the hour when the Son of Man cometh," there has been a great deal of speculation as to the date and the manner of our Lord's second coming. Such speculation is idle and unprofitable. It is more to our purpose to ask. "Are we ready for his coming? Is the church ready? Is the world ready? When the Son of Man cometh, shall he find faith upon the earth ?"

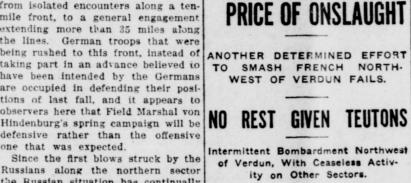
That is rather a startling question. Perhaps you are inclined to answer at once, "Of course he shall find faith upon the earth, for is not the church upon the earth, and is it not the church of Jesus Christ? Was it not founded by him, nurtured by his spirit, redeemed by his blood! Surely, if nowhere else, he shall find faith in the church, for it is built on faith and lives by faith in Jesus Christ."

True that is where it ought to be found. Not only a faith that recites a creed, no matter how elaborate it is and how logical it is, but a faith that is a living, active, glowing, burning power in the lives of its people. A faith which offers prayers, not as a mere habit, but as if it expected to be heard. Lots of prayers are offered as if they never expected an answer. A faith which offers gifts and service. not as if wrung out by hard necessity, but as if it were a privilege to give unto the Lord and all honor to serve him. A faith that places not reliance on things that are temporal, but banks on things that are eternal.

If Jesus came now, would he find faith upon the earth? Would he find it in the church of which you are a member? The church needs no apology, for it is our Lord's own institution upon the earth. I would not apologize for the church, but for many people who are in the church. The church needs no apology, but as an organization it often needs a rebuke and an awakening.

Necessity for Faith.

If you want to know how much power the church has and how efficient it is, know that its power and success are according to its faith. Jesus said "If ye had faith as a grain of mustard seed. ye could remove mountains. There is hardly any limit to what the church could accomplish if it had faith. I do not believe that the world, the flesh and the devil could place enough obstacles in the way of the suggests to me that he expects great things from his people. The trouble is that the people of the church use up their time and energy in spectacular attempts to remove molehills, You remember that one time Jesus came into a certain section of the country, and he found himself powerless to work any deeds of might or mercy there because of their unbelief. God himself cannot work through that channel, but wherever there is a man of faith there is a storage plant of nower for heavenly influence The faith which Jesus demands ex. presses itself in service. A person may be loud in profession of faith :n Christ, but I doubt his sincerity when I see that he will not do a stroke of work for the upbuilding of his kingdom. You say, "I love the Lord Jesus Christ," but do not ask me to believe it if you are not striving to express that love in service for him.



London-Another determined effort French lines northwest of Verdun has

resulted in failure and with heavy losses to the Germans. After days of intense artillery prep-

aration for another effort to lessen the six miles intervening between them and the Paris-Verdun railway

giving the German lines no rest,

while in the Vosges the artillery ac-

tion has been marked on both sides.

son is the new member of the house of representatives from the Twentyfifth district of Illinois. He is a Republican, and a lawyer by profession. Mr. Denison was born at Marion, Ill. at Waco, Tex., Yale and the Columbian university law school. **GERMANS AGAIN PAY**

Germans Still Bombard Verdun.

The Germans are still carrying on ong offensive operations northeast and northwest of Verdun, About four and one-half miles northeast of the fortress they penetrated the Caillette wood, just outside of Fort Dolaumont, after a violent bombardment. From part of this wood the French, h an immediate counter attack, drove the invaders back.

Another powerful attack was deliv ered against that portion of the Avocourt wood held by the French, but here the French barrier fire and machine guns held the Germans without gain.

The French now have entirely evacuated the village of Vaux and have drawn their line south of the town, but are in its immediate out

Germans Claim Gains.

Berlin says that northeast of Hautourt, the Germans have entirely cleared the French from about 1,000 Mards of trenches, where they remained since the victory on this sector March 30.

Alreraft have been very active round Verdun. The French brought down three German machines, but Berlin asserts that the aerial combats have resulted in their favor. Greater activity than usual has een displayed in the fighting between the Germans and Russians in the region of Baranovichi southwest of Minsk. Elsewhere on the Russian cont the situation is unchanged. Three British and one Norwegian teamer have been sunk by submatines or mines.

Dodd Will Get Promotion.

El Paso, Texas .-- Col. George A. which made the famous Dodd's ride, attacking a superior force after the 17-hour ride. Colonel Dodd will retire next July because of his age, he be-

Exports and Imports Greatest Ever.

Washington .- America's exports and mports both were greater in February than in any previous month in country's history. Figures assembled in the bureau of foreign and total value of \$409,836,525, exceedber. Imports reached \$194,000,-Total exports for eight months orable trade balance of \$1,295,217,462 shown for the last eight months. Seen missing since the blizzard begap from the local postoffice

Why Von Tirpitz Resigned.

According to information here, the miral von Tirpitz proposed to conduct a relentless submarine campaign against all shipping to the British ports and was asked what, in his opinion, would be the effect of such campaign upon neutral nations, particularly the United States. The ambassador's reply is said to have been an important factor in the re-

tirement of the admiral.

Tokio .- The Japanese steamer Wa- ers from a score of states and a numkatsu Maru, bound from Nagasaki ber of foreign countries were at the for costal points, has been wrecked sales, 60 prospective purchasers comon a sunken rock. Eighty-nine pas- ing from Fort Worth, Texas, by spesengers and 16 sailors are believed to cial train. have been drowned. The Wakatsu

clined.

Maru was a vessel of 252 tons.

Mine Explosion Kills Six.

Johnstown, Pa .- Stx men are known to have been killed and at least two others are missing as a result of an explosion of gas in the Robindale mine of the Conemaugh Smokeless Coal company at Seward, eight miles west of here. Thirty men are regularly employed in the mine, but because of a strike only a few reported for duty.

Culberson Against National Prohibition

public a letter he wrote to Royal A. Ferris of Dallas Feb. 14, in which he opposed the Sheppard nation-wide pro-Dodd, the commander of the column hibition amendment. "I am opposed to the adoption of the prohibition is to be made a brigadier general at amendment to the constitution of the tion as a reward for his bravery in son's letter, "believing that the police powers, which include dealing

ment."

Eleven Dead in British Storm.

London -- Eleven deaths have been reported as the result of the great storm which swept the British isles Tuesday. Although the storm has domestic commerce show exports had subsided, railway, telegraphic and telephonic communication is still demoring by \$50,000,000 the record set last alized throughout the United Kingers valued at \$2,856,301,570. A fav- the hills when the storm broke. Five sailing vessels in Bristol channel have

declaration from the Berlin govern- was arrested here by federal author- fire of the French guns and fire of ities on a warrant charging conspir- the French infantry. acy. Captain Tauscher is the husban1 There is still an intermittent boindeep concern the receipt of conclu- of Johanna Gadski, the grand opera bardment going on northeast of Versive evidence not noly in regard to singer. The warrant was sworn to dun, and in the Woevre region the "on information and belief" by Wil- French have begun shelling German

\$60,000 Fire at Moody.

Moody, Texas .- Fire which broke On the British front in the St.

out in the building occupied by the Eloi sector the Germans opened a Snell Hardware company Sunday heavy artillery fire on the British ambassador was advised that Ad- morning completely destroyed this forces, holding the ground gained by age perhaps will reach \$60,000 to them Monday. The British artillery building and many others. The dam- replied effectively and according to

\$75,000. The losses were partially the British official statement these covered by insurance. Fire was kept positions still are in the hands of from spreading further by the volun- the British.

teer fire department. No casualties. 46 Shorthorns Bring \$35,000. the German lines have been with-Muscatine, Iowa .- At the live stock sale at the Upper Mill farm near Wa-

pello; 46 head of Shorthorn cattle have suffered heavy casualties. A semi-official dispatch from Ber- alarm was given. Think 105 Drowned as Steamer Sinks brought \$35,000. More than 600 buyline says that the Russians have at- Villa is reported to have been in a

metres and that their losses have not awoke the bandit to action.

been less than \$0,000 men. Wilson Prefers Shadow Lawn.

Washington .- Pres. Wilson plans to tinue.

occupy Shadow Lawn, the summer home in New Jersey offered him by Asks Investigation of Paper Situation. the state, as soon as congress ad- Washington.-A resolution for an journs and in case congress is in investigation of the news print paper session during the summer probably situation by the department of com- that the number may have been con- for transportation of supplies to the will spend week-ends there. He has merce was introduced in the house been urged to accept several other by Representative Copley of Illinois, known as to the number wounded, will be given a fair trial and in the places for the summer, but has de- Much of the supply of raw material although it is presumably in propor- meantime the United States will not

for print paper that came from Ger- tion to the dead. many, Norway and Sweden was cut 43,000 Eggs Held Up at Fort Worth. off by the war. Other material is

Fort Worth, Texas .- More than 43,- being shipped from this country to Washington .- Sen. Culberson made 000 eggs are being held by the state Europe for use in the manufacture pure food department, pending settle- of munitions, the resolution says. An ment of a suit filed by J. T. Brim, in- opinion is asked on the advisability spector, who will be called upon to of placing an embargo on raw may destroy the lot if his contention is terial. true that the eggs are unfit for use.

An injunction forbids the selling of British Aeroplanes Missing After Raid the conclusion of the present expedi- United States, said Senator Culber- the eggs until the settlement of the London.-Three British aeroplanes suit. The eggs were condemned folwhich took part in a raid on Gerlowing work of the department that man airship sheds in Schleswig-Holwith the liquor question, should con- extended over two weeks. Complaints stein Saturday are missing. Two Gertinue to be reserved to the states and of shipments to other cities led to man patrol vessels were sunk and a ing 64 years of age at the present not vested in the general govern- the investigation. The eggs, if fresh, British destroyer is believed to have are worth about \$540. been lost.

T. & P. Mail Car Held up in Louisiana Hurricane Sweeps Over Great Britain

Shreveport, La .-- Robbers boarded London .-- Great Britain has exper-Texas & Pacific mail train No. 23 at ienced the worst hurricane and blizthe depot at Shreveport as the train zard in the recollection of the present was pulling out. They entered the generation. Details of devastation mall car, bound and gagged two mail and destruction come to London from clerks and took from the car two various sources. Rivers were flooded pouches of registered mail and left and railway trains held up for hours the train at Shreveport junction, about in the drifted snow; houses unroofed dom. Nine of the deaths were in of the contents of the registered down, particularly in the northern two miles from the depot. The value and trees and teelphone poles blown packages is not known, and no infor- counties and Wales. The greatest mation regarding them can be gained fury of the blizzard appears to have \$10,000 to \$15,000, been in the Midlands.

and canyon, where roads or even here that General Pershing will betrails are unknown and where a mis- gin a dogged search for him in the would be willing to accept such a sentative of the Krupps Gun works, were put down by the curtain of step means death to horse and rider. mountains west and south of Guer-They halted only after the chase had rero. Since the defeat of Villa's led them ten miles from the battle force March 29 in and near Guerrero field and the fugitives were scattered General Pershing has had lightly when by faith in their God they ought far and wide in little bands of half a equipped mobile detachments of cav- to be removing mountains. dozen men each. alry sweeping in whirlwind fashion

> Villa's career has ended, his power through the district about the headhas been broken. His death or cap. waters of the Santa Maria river in ture is only a question of days, per- efforts to locate the elusive bandit, haps only hours-such is the conclu- reported to have gone in that direcsion reached here, as little by little tion after being desperately wounded.

Villa May Not Be Injured.

There is increasing belief that General Pershing may have been deceived in regard to the direction taken by Villa and even concerning his injuries. Some information has been received indicating that he was not injured at all and that, instead of going northeast of Guerrero, he had moved into the hills to the south and east, a direction American army officers had expected him to take.

Villa Reported Wounded in Leg.

tacked in their new offensive with small tent nursing his injuries when he had received a message from Ma-60 divisions over a front of 120 kilo- the crash of the American volleys dera, Mexico, which stated that Villa cizing the church and finding fault Gavira said the message came from The extraordinary hold the bandit Heavy Italian bombardments of has over his followers is shown by what he considered a reliable source, but that he had wired General Bertani at Madera for confirmation.

Will Use Mexican Railway.

Washington.-General Carranza's While thirty-one of the bandits are agreement for "commercial" use of known to have been killed, it is said the Mexican Northwestern railread siderably larger. Nothing is yet American expedition hunting Villa press for an extension of further def-

Pershing Using Railroad.

ed that Francisco Villa nearly lost have been using the Mexico Norta- out works is dead." his life a few days ago on the Corral- western railway for a distance of itos ranch a short distance from Co- about 140 miles between Casas praise. The Christian life is hardly lonia Dublan, Chi., Mex., where he Grandes and Madera daily for about tortured and put to death five Mexi- ten days to transport troops and supcans. One of his victims leaped upon plies, according to Walter Warren, a him and was strangling him when negro trooper in Troop A, Tenth cav- greatest force which has been given the Villista officers beat him senseless alry, who has reached here. Warren, with the butts of their guns. Mucio who has been invalided at Fort Bliss. Polanco was the name of the Mexi- asserted that 12 men were injured in faith prays as one who talks with his can who almost succeeded in ending the wreck on the road near Musical friend, and knows that what he says

Fire Loss Was 621/2 Per Cent in 1915.

Austin. Texas .- The state fire innovement among the people here in surance commission has completed the dairy line and several have it scompilation of results from operabought separators and are shipping tion of fire companies in Texas durcream. They are realizing a nice pro- ing 1915. The loss ratio is 623% per fit from their cream. cent, against \$1 per cent for 1914. As

a whole, the companies made a very Greenville Lumber Sheds Burn. small amount of money in Texas in Greenville, Texas .- The sheds and 1915, according to the rule of calculating 35 per cent gross premium as office of the Greenville Lumber comcovering all expenses. The net prempany were destroyed by fire Sunday morning. The loss is estimated at iums totaled \$10,570,693 and net losses \$6.621.792

Peace and Harmony.

Faith expresses itself in peace and El Paso.-Gen. Gabriel Gavira, Car. harmony. Satan disrupted the Garranza commander at Juarez, said that den of Eden with false insinuations. When you spend your energies in critihad been shot in the leg. General with every good work that is attempted. Satan is chuckling at your elbow. for you are doing his work. When the Son of Man cometh shall he find faith in you?

Faith expresses itself in liberality. Nothing of any account for the upbuilding of the kingdom of God or for the good of humanity has ever sprung from infidelity. God has given unto us means, not only for our own gratification, but for the good uses to which we may put them. Not, how little will salve our conscience, but how much our circumstances will permit, should be the standard of our giving. And when I see the niggardliness of many who call themselves Christians I have grave doubts as to the Columbus, N. M .- American troops reality of their faith, for "faith with-

Faith expresses itself in prayer and possible without prayer, and every strong man in the kingdom of God has been a praying man. Prayer is the into man's keeping, for it moves the arms of the Almighty. The man of is heard and taken account of. The church which is strong in prayer is the church of power. Worldliness in the church always means weakness. "When the Son of Man cometh, shall he find faith upon the earth?" What shall we say! "Lord, we believe, but help thou our unbelief."-Pennsylvania Grit.

God has delivered yourself to your care, and says: I have no one fitter to trust than you. Preserve this person for me such as he is by nature; modest, beautiful, fatthful, noble-Epictetus.

Villa's career.

Much Interest in Dairying. Bullard, Texas .- There is also a

Austrian positions on the Doberdo the fact that their first thought was heights and along the Isonzo con- to save him. Unable to walk or ride, he was hurriedly placed in a light wagon and driven over the rough mountain trails to some secret lair.

inition of the arrangement.

Mexican Attempts to Strangle Villa. Columbus, N. M .- It has been learn-

station March 21.

the details of "Dodd's ride" seep across the border. It seems impossible that the crippled defeated bandit can long remain hidden even in the mountainous wastes in which he has sought refuge. Saved by Followers. From meager details which have

In the Postavy region of the Rus. reached here from Mexican and Amsian front Berlin reports that the erican military sources Colonel Dodd's onslaughts of the Russians against men made their way unnoticed through the deep gulches which split stood and that the attacking forces the foothills in all directions and were almost in the camp before the **Cattle and Real Estate** Loans

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It is proposed to have another state prohibition election. Jones, he pays the freight.

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The tirade of Cyclone Davis against such men as Jeff Davis, Robert Toombs, Alex Stephens and other Southern patriots does not look good to the old Confederate veterans and they have lost no time in expressing themselves in no uncertain terms. In his speech which he is franking over the country, he grossly insults the memory of our dead heroes and makes every patriotic Texan blush with the shame of the accident which sent him to Gongress to misrepresent us and our

The latest substitute for booz

these are cheap substances. Two of wind struck the camp fire and set them, lime and salt, are produced in the grass on fire. She joined Mr. abundance in our State. Sulphur is White in his fight to save the range. produced in large quantities in Lou- When they looked back to their Isiana, and will probably be pro- camp, the tent was on fire, and beduced in this State in large quanti- fore they could return, it and its ties before a great many years. contents were consumed. There is no reason why the caustic We learn that all of Mr. and Mrs.

soda could not be made in this State White's clothing, with the exception as we produce the salt required and of that which they were wearing, we have an inexhaustible supply of together with all their bedding, was coal.' burned; also about seventy-five or

the tanning industry leads Dr. Dow- Their loss will probably reach \$750. ell to declare that the things lacking are insignificant and easily supplied. Here are some figures that will doubtless appeal to the B. I. M. I. T. Association and others interested in

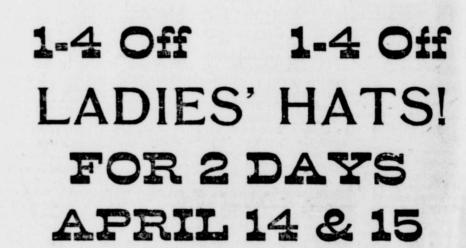
the movement. the team, but they saved the flock were 804,533 beeves slaughtered in by their heroic work. It kept the wholesale and retail slaughter Yet, notwithstanding the scarcity of boys busy all the time to keep the houses in Texas in 1909. There the presence of outside people, our goats out of the fire and many of were 64,031 beeves slaughtered on s dered Nov. 10, 1902, at the Sterling them had their coats scorched by the farms of the State. The number of calves slaughtered was 333.-

"Before another winter comes on," 652 for the slaughter houses, and said Mann, "I intend to procure a 22,445 on the farms. The number card for the day by executing their tent that will shelter 1500 goats or of sheep and lambs was 97,403 for part of the program in a most adthe slaughter houses and 9,396 on mirable manner. sheep. I may never need it again, the farms. I was not able to find

pounds in 1909, thus increasing tied. and a season in the ground for the about 100 per cent in ten years.'

These figures are also taken from window was won by C. W. For Sale, or, will trade for cattle points out that notwithstanding the

the census report by Dr. Dowell, who Workman. This was the work of One big, fat, stout horse, and good tremendous production of raw hides. S. Kellogg. tf. the production of leather in Texas be a masterpiece of fine art in that ment-a force probably large



Maxwell Owners to Aid Pershing

El Paso, Tex., April 1 .-- Owners of In short, an examination into the eighty jars of fruit was lost. They 140 Maxwell motor cars, living in supply of other things needful to had recently stored their furniture." and around El Paso, have banded together and have offered their services and their cars to Gen. Pershing of the United States Army, for use as he sees fit in any movement of troops.

. The motorists have all signed an agreement to place their cars at the disposal of the army. Many of them have expert knowledge of the roads through Northern Mexico. Tie cars are all in shape for instant service.

While the roads of Northern Mexico are far from ideal, the country between El Paso and the populous districts of Chihuahua is such that motor cars can travel almost anywhere, with the occasional help of a small crew of workmen who can

smooth out the roughest parts. The scouring of the mountains for Villa is logically the function of The rain is worth millions to the increasing rapidly, being 13,079,101 the Miss Chic Graham won second cavalry. This would leave the patrol of the roads and the movement of the various Mexican towns along the line to infantry or the motoring contingent.

> The Maxwell fleet is great enough to provide swift transportation for Miss Louise Branch and proved to 600 men and their marching equipenough to do anything except en- . gage in a pitch battle with a large, hostile army.

> > That the United States would .. fight its next war in motor cars was predicted some time ago by Walter E. Flanders, president of the Max- ... well company. It was this sugges- .. tion which galvanized the Texas Maxwell owners into concerted action under the leadership of the Buquor Motor Co., El Paso Maxwell distributors.

The formal tender of the cars was an impressive sight. The owners We are authorized to announce gathered at the Buquor garage, fill- the following caudidates subject to ing the streets for several blocks. the action of the Democratic Prim-The route to Fort Bliss, where the ary to be held July 22, 1916 formal tender of the cars was made, For JUDGE OF THE FIFTY-FIRST JUDICIAL was lined with cheering Americans DISTRICT OF TEXAS: and scowling Mexicans. The tender **J W Timmins** OFFICE OVER COULSON'S was made to Gen. Purshing by A. FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY. P. Buquor and the motorists were J. A. Thomas assured that if conditions made FOR COUNTY JUDGE possible the use of their cars in the Jeff D. Ayres suggested way, the offer would be A. R. Pool accepted. Dr. W. B. Everett Moving picture operators register-Pat Kellis PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON ed the parade and the ceremony for FOR SHERIFF & TAX COLLECTOR EYES TESTED-GLASSES FITTED reproduction all over the country as B. F. Roberts OFFICE OVER BUTLER DRUG CO.S an evidence of Texas patriotism and R. M. Mathis - - - TEXAS STERLING CITY. preparedness. C. J. Dunn L. F. Clifton W. C. Blanks Dr. W. B. Norris W. L. Emery Withdraws -OENTIST. FOR COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK D. C. Durham Office: Suite 403, Trust Building We are authorized to withdraw B. A. Austin San Angelo, Texas he name of Judge W. C. Blanks FOR TAX ASSESSOR Regular trips to Sterling City, from our announcement column for W. E. Allen district judge. H. Q. Lyles, Jr. Judge Blanks authorizes us to FOR COUNTY TREASURER TRADES thank his many friends for the en-R. B. Cummins couragement and courteous treatment accorded him during his can- FOR COMMISSIONER AND JUSTICE OF didacy PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 1 Judge Timmins is at present with-SANITARY BARBER J. A. Jackson out an opponent. SHOF FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3. M. Odom SOLICITS YOUF TRADE. EVERYTHING WHO WANTS TO DIE ? UP-TO-DATE. CLEANLINESS IS OUR A. L. Springer Not you, of course! Then it be- FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4 MOTTO hooves you to keep that erratic J. S. Johnston R. M. Mathis, Prop stomach in better working order. Talk it over with us the next time Posted All persons are hereyou pass our store, and most likely by forbidden to hunt, fish, gather we have a "life preserver" for you. pecans, haul wood, drive stock or Most people live to a ripe old age in otherwise trespass upon any lands BROWN & PLARUE this community, and we sell most of owned or controlled by us. 1-815. them "life preservers,' too. We have DEALERS IN W. R. MCENTIRE & SON the limit. It seems that old "Skymany makes, all good, and you can AUTOMOBILES AND ACCESSORIES ATTENTION, LADIES. - On Thurstake your pick The cost won't Repair work a specialty day afternoon of each week, special break you, and the remedy may attention will be given to ladies' Butler Drug Co. make you. Oils and Gasolines work at my barbershop in the First Blacksmithing and Horse-A DIVINE COVENANT. State Bank building. Try us for a massage or shampoo .- R. M. Mathis shoeing. Terms: 30 days. All bills God Almighty gave Eve to Adam with the pledge that she would be his his opinion with some "long green." less than \$1.00, cash POSTED helpmeet and with this order of com-Our boys seemed to think Frank panionship, civilization has towered to its greatest heights. In this rela-Anyone found hunting-most es-House could ride Skyrocket and said tionship, God has blessed woman and pecially hunting-fishing, gathering so and backed their sayings with man has honored her and after four pecans, hauling wood, or otherwise WE WANT TO SELL-OUT some "long green." And it came to thousand years of progress, she now trespassing upon any lands owned erty in San Angelo, or trade it for proposes to provoke God to decoy or controlled by me will be prose- property in or near Sterling City. pass that Frank House rode old Skyman by asking for suffrage, thereby by amending an agreement to which cuted. You'd better keep out. S. Kellogg, Sterling City, she was not a party. Woman, remember that the Israelite 10-17-13pd W. J. Mann scorned a divine covenant, and as a also gave up-his bunch of "long POSTED result wandered forty years in the Notice is hereby given that driv-MARES WANTED .- To breed to wilderness without God. Likewise Bon Bon, Percheron stallion No. ing any stock across, working stock man should remember that it is a Altho it was muddy and the atdangerous thing to debase woman by 3254, weighs about 1900 pounds, or otherwise trespassing upon any Rome tried lowering woman's tendance was light, our Trades day seat brown. Colts to show. Terms: lands owned or controlled by me standard and an outraged civilization tore the clothes off the backs of the was a success and everybody wants \$10, colt insured. Can pasture mores. hereby fortidden under pail human race and turned them roam in the world naked and un-8 miles north of Sterling City. J. E. prosecution. E. F. Atkinson eshamed. Davis 1-14-11

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

W. D. Lewis On Mission of the Farmers' Union

W. D. Lewis, president of the Texas Farmers' Unit whose tenure of office expires by limitation in August has issued the following farewell statement to the farmers:

"The Farmers' Union stands before the Texas today proud as a King; glorying in its act ments and boasting of its possibilities of service to the men who follow the plow sounds the bugle call of organization. yoeman to rally around its colors. In business it sia or education and co-operation; in the homa for Sally and the bables; in government it stands

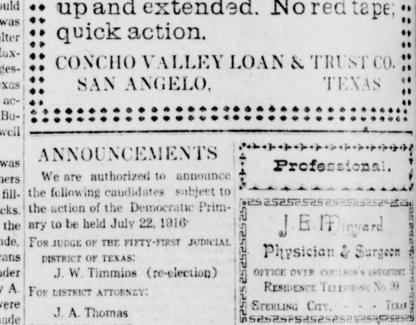
constructive statesmanship. At the moment it directs the farmers to warehousing and financing the present cotton crot arise and salute King Cotton, a sovereign in wh this Sizte is involved and a ruler whose scenter : gold. A King at whose loom nature weaves, and an whose shrine millions kneel and sing his praise. Stri family and your country by joining the Union and b great economic force that is uplifting this state and Union is the plowmen's hope. Without organization himself nor be helped by others, and through erganizat

When the Texas Farmers' Union belds its annual August 3rd, every farmer in Texas should pause and of the men gathered there to render a patriotic and uns culture. This organization, born in the cotton fields geographically, it covers almost the whole of until. economically, it deals with every question in which t who bare their backs to the summer sun are involved better marketing system, rural credits, cheap money tific production, agricultural legislation and has carri cation and co-operation in season and out. "he Farmers' Educational and Co-operative

question of organization squarely before every farme The farmers of the nation contribute more and

than any other class of business. They have bet higher rate of interest than any other line of industr products and have less to say in fixing the price than and they have had more political buncombe, and less than any other class of people. The farmers can onl business, in government and economics as w equitably the fruits of their labor through organizati Texas soil who desires to help himself and his fellow around the Union

MONEY TO LOAN On improved farms and ranch. es; Vendor's lien notes taken . up and extended. No red tape: ..



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The recent heavy rains somewhat "The 1910 census shows that there cut the attendance here of our monthly Trades day last Monday town and country people turned out and made the day one of pleasure and profit.

The band boys proved a drawing

The guessing contest at the Workbut it will be worth the money to what per cent of the slaughtering man store proved one of the most know that I have the means to was done by the retail slaughter interesting events of the day. Mrs. houses. The production of hides is N. A. Austin won first prize and litcountry, for it means grass for stock pounds in 1899 and 27,478,391 prize. The third prize, we learn was The blue ribbon for the best show

called "Elixir de tomcat" or "Rip Gazzard." It is made by taking two gallons of corn meal, three pounds of dried apples and ten pounds of sugar added to five gallons of plain water. This mixture is mixed in a vessel and set out in the sunshine for about a week to ferment, and when it is done, it is said to beat the "four full quart" stuff a city block in spiritual matters. A dose of it is guaranteed to make a jackrabbit kick the pants off a bull dog, or cause Billy Bryan to don a geestring and breech clout and hunt the natives with a tommyhawk and scalping knife. "Elizir de tomcat' is said to have originated in Kansas where corn is plentiful and the booze store is a long way off.

It Rained

Last Friday morning saw the last of the drouth that had prevailed for past six months over West Texas. It began about 6 o'clock in the morning and rained almost without intermission until about 10:30 Saturday night. The total precipitation was 31% inches.

The fall was so steady and slow that it all went into the ground where it was mostly needed. The river did not even get muddy from the rain.

A heavy cold north wind precattle perished.

herds were wiped out.

by good management only lost three. He says two of his flock did not hides are necessary to the produccome home and he went in search tion of leather?" he asks. for them and found them in com- Here is a summary of his reply: pany with three road tunners en-

and warm. Walter Mann had 500 goats in used in tanning the highest grades fire which destroyed their camp 12 til he gave up. Skyrocket's owner charge of Walter Foster and lost only of leather, and the supply of oak- miles north of here.

two or three. He reports that Mr. bark in Texas is inexhaustable. Be-Foster rounded the goats up in a sides, mineral tanning is now an ac- established a camp inf the Hix paslive oak thicket and kept a big fire complished fact, threatening to dis- ture, where he has his sheep, and going for two days and nights. He place certain of the old vegetable had burned the grass off a considerhad a Mexican to assist him during substances. Other chemicals used able space in which to place his tent. the time and they kept a team go- in tanning are common salt, lime, Mrs. White had prepared dinner, to see it repeated on the first Moning all that time hauling wood to sulphur, and caustic soda. All of, and was in the tent when a whirl

On Friday and Saturday, April 14 and 15, we are going to give 25 per cent_1-4 off of every Lady's Hat in the store. Easter is near at hand, and we want to give the ladies a bargain in a hat for that occasion. Come in and see the latest styles whether or not you buy.

We are prepared to fit the men and boys, from head to foot, with new Easter clothes.

REMEMBER EASTER

C. W. Workman

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WHY NOT PRO DUCE LEATHER IN TEXAS?

Austin, Texas. - Pointing out that vailed during the rainstorm and a among the states of the Union Texgreat number of sheep, goats and as is sixth in the production of in the production of leather," Dr. among the "outlaws." He was a leather, Dr. Chas. T. Fowell, instruc-

The goats seemed to have suffered | tor in Chemistry in the University of the most. In some instances entire Texas, seeks some explanation of this curious state of affairs. His

g ats during the entire storm and to Buy-It-Made-in Texas boosters. "What other raw material besides

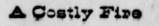
"Vegetable tanning substances.

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line. is insignificant The broncho busting tent was well "Nearly every other raw material necessary to the great tanning in- patronized. There was some tall dustry," he says, "is obtainable in bucking and fine riding and the

quantity between the Red River and crowd enjoyed the performance to the Rio Grande "The reason Texas is twenty-ninth rocket" was the favorite horse Dowell concludes, "is principally be- mighty hard horse to ride and his cause these facts are not generally owner knew it. He was of the opinknown, and consequently capital has ion that none of our Sterling boys not been attracted into the State for could navigate Skyrocket's hurri-G. G. Ainsworth worked with his conclusions are of especial interest the development of this and other cane deck. He said so. He backed

chemical industries



A few days ago Mr. and Mrs. A sconced under a ledge of rock safe Now sumac grows in Texas and it is L. White had the misfortune to lose a first-class source of this material most of their personal effects in a rocket without any steering gear un-

> Mr. White, a few days prior, had green." day in May.



WORKS AT TWELVE YEARS AGO HOUSEWRECKING Ojeda Says He Has Had No Luck of Sight Is No Serious

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KILLED TENTMATE

Since He Shot Miller Near Manila.

San Francisco.-Confessing that h had killed his tentmate near Manil; over twelve years ago, and that he wished now to surrender and atont IS WELL DONE for his crime, W. A. Ojeda, an exsoldier, gave himself up to the po-

lice. pown Buildings Without Much Ojeda says the man he killed was George D. Miller, who enlisted in the army from Omaha under the name of George Moore, and that the crime occurred in the camp about four miles out of Manila during the night of teley, Cal.-Blindness is no se-

June 27, 1903 "We enlisted together, and were sent to the islands with the Eighteenth battery, field artillery," Ojeda



Shot Him as He Lay Asleep.

bushel per acre."

is being done now along those told the police. "For reasons which I and the time will come when a d man will have no more difficulty cannot explain I was always afraid securing a position than anyone of Miller, and was finally driven to killing him out of a feeling of self. protection. I shot him as he lav asleep in our tent one night. I used his revolver, so that it would appear to be

> a case of suicide. That is how the authorities viewed it. "I have never had any luck since then, and though I have married and raised three children, everything has gone wrong. I want to square myself on this thing and then start over

again.' Ojeda says his family is now at Cedar Hill, Tex. He claims to have been raised at Hollister, Cal.

MEN LURED BY "RICH WIDOW" Much-Married Enchantress Tells How

She Wheedled Money From Would-Be Husbands.

San Francisco .- Wedded four times, and the mother of ten children, Mrs. adding a handful of flaxseed meal or Thompson Nigro Bryant Isaacson cornmeal, but this sort of fat is not Christianson admitted the other day a full substitute for butterfat. before United States Commissioner



STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

Appearance of the Surface of a Wheat Field in Spring-Rolling Corrects This.

For several years comparative tests | rowing after rolling was not as good have been made by the Nebraska ex- as rolling alone, probably due to loosperiment station of harrowing and roll- ening up the plants again after the ing winter wheat, the following ac- roller had pressed them firmly into count of which is given by Mr. E. G. the soil. Montgomery:

Early spring rolling of winter Plats were seeded to Turkish red grain, pressing the earth as it does winter wheat, some sown broadcast, firmly about the plant roots, produces others put in with a press drill. Some good results. When frost comes out of the plats were harrowed in both in the spring it is very apt to leave fall and spring, while others were har. the soil filled with small cracks or checks, especially around the plants. rowed only in the spring, while a third If these checks are closely examined, set was rolled. it will be seen that a large number of

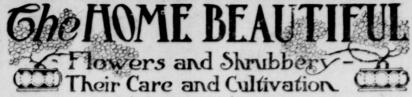
It was quite evident from the results that no benefit was derived from roots are thus exposed, and if the This month the boys and girls wander out of doors away from the routine the harrowing. In fact "harrowing the harrowing. In fact "harrowing broadcast wheat resulted in an aver-wet at the time of rolling—and it and spring beauties. hepaticas and spring beauties. hepaticas age loss of almost three bushels per should never be rolled when wet-rollacre, while harrowing drilled wheat resulted in a loss of nine-tenths of a ing aids in no small degree to form too many of our wild flowers, because a surface mulch.

The results from rolling were confore, point quite clearly to the con- blossoms to gather. clusive. In no year did it fail "to give clusion that under ordinary conditions an increased yield, the average in- of normal seasons in humid regions crease being 5.1 bushels per acre." The rolling was given early in the by rolling to make the practice profit- many of the most beautiful and valspring, soon after frost was out, and able, while harrowing is not to be recabout the time growth started. Har- ommended under such conditions.

FARM FERTILIZERS WHOLE COW'S MILK **IS BEST FOR CALF** HAVE GREAT VALUE Indigestion Often Results When Barnyard Manure Improves Soil Young Animals Are Raised and Makes It Easier to Hanon Skim Milk. dle-Other Benefits.

(By GEORGE H. GLOVER, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins, Colo.) Calves raised on skim milk are Barnyard manure has value on the farm aside from that as a fertilizer. It improves the physical conditions of usually runty, pot-bellied, and suffer the soil and makes it easier to handle. indigestion. Whole cow's milk is a Its decay produces heat and its presperfect food for the calf, but skim ence aids chemical and bacterial procmilk is not. When the fat is removed esses. Moreover, it absorbs and holds a substitute is sometimes made by a large amount of water and helps to aerate the soil. The benefits of these indirect aids to plant growth are in some cases worth as much as the fer-

It is still a debatable question tilizing power of the manure.





Japanese Anemone or Wind Flower.

APRIL IN BIRDLAND GARDEN FOR BUSY WOMAN

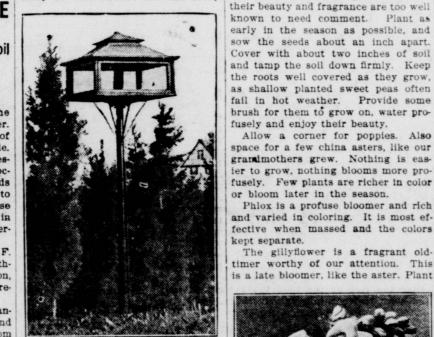
By L. M. BENNINGTON.

This month the birds mate, and Every woman ought to have a gar-many new ones come from the South. den. The change that takes a woman weather continues dry they are killed all over the woods and fields looking of housework is a good one. It affords TO WASH WINDOWS QUICKLY This spring I hope they will not pick brain of the woman who spends most

of her day indoors. There is health for both body and brain in working it is feared that in time there will The Nebraska experiments, there- not be many of our beautiful native in a garden.

They have been ruthlessly plucked and thrown aside for so many years winter wheat is sufficiently benefited by thoughtless children that a great uable species have run out of existence

In their walks in the woods this ed care. spring it would be very interesting without a corner for sweet peas. They to the boys and girls to take up the study of wild flowers and the study



BREAD MADE IN A HURRY

Just as Good as When Done in the Ordinary Way and Quickly Ready for the Table.

Break two cakes of yeast into one up of water at blood temperature. Put a tablespoonful of sugar on the yeast to stimulate its quick growth. While this soaks, warm two cupfuls of milk with one cupful of water. This, with the water over the yeast, makes a quart of wetting, sufficient for four loaves.

In a large mixing bowl put several sieves of flour and make a depression in the middle of the flour, into which put a level tablespoonful of salt and a heaping tablespoonful of lard. Pour the liquid and the yeast upon the flour and mix with the hands, working the flour from the outside into the liquid in the middle of the mass. Make a stiff dough and lift the ball out, putting away any remaining flour for future use. If the flour is granular, let the dough lie on the board for ten minutes, covered with a warm bowl, that the flour may properly absorb the moisture. If the flour is not granular, this wait is not necessary

Now shape the dough without knead. ing, lay the ball in a buttered bowl, and butter the surface of the dough to keep it soft. Cover and let it double in a warm place, an hour to an hour and a half. If you wish still further to hurry it, set the bowl in warm water and place a smaller bowl of warm water on the lid of the large bow! containing the dough.

When doubled, shape quickly into the baking pans for the second rising and bake when again light. This recipe is excellent for use when one must have bread in a hurry. Half of the dough may be made into crusty rolls.

to the overworked muscles and tired As in Most Other Cases, There is a Right and a Wrong Way of Doing It.

Take a large cloth, a yard long, pat There are a great many flowers that it into a close swab like a sponge. require very little care and give won- Wet soppy, but not dripping, with waderful returns for the little time ex- ter. Dent the center and pour in kerpended. My advice to the woman who osene and sop it into the face of the has not much time to give to her gar. cloth. With this swab quickly wash den is to plant only the flowers that the outside of the windows to loosen will give the best result for her limit- all flyspecks, dust, old paint or alkaline deposit. Follow at once with a No lover of flowers can afford to be large, soft and dry cloth.

The first cloth leaves it smeary, but bloom in wonderful profusion and the polishing will make it very clean their beauty and fragrance are too well and shiny. This first swab will clean known to need comment. Plant as a large number of windows, simply early in the season as possible, and turning so as not to scratch the glass sow the seeds about an inch apart. with the dust on it. The polishers Cover with about two inches of soil need not be renewed until damp.

and tamp the soil down firmly. Keep The windows become very brilliant the roots well covered as they grow, and clean and there is no freezing of as shallow planted sweet peas often water, or wetting the hands, as gloves fail in hot weather. Provide some can be worn. Especially good in cold brush for them to grow on, water pro- or windy weather.

The same method can be used in-Allow a corner for poppies. Also side. Pure kerosene can also be used, space for a few china asters, like our but the above combination appears grandimothers grew. Nothing is eas- to more quickly soften the varieties ier to grow, nothing blooms more pro- of deposit.

Keep Cupboards Clear.

The majority of women do not seen. and varied in coloring. It is most ef- to realize the danger there is in acfective when massed and the colors cumulations in closets. The dust and lint from old clothes are very inflam-



Does All the Work Himself.

rough life in darkness entirely will benefited more by the exercise of und common sense."

Wife and a Homestead.

Cloutman was married six months eral years he has spent the sumer months in Calaveras county, here he claimed a homestead and akes a living selling brooms. In inter he plies his trade as wrecker this city.

ABY WEIGHS BUT 24 OUNCES used to insert in the papers. Most of

Mant is Perfectly Formed and is Fed With a Medicine Dropper-Expected to Live.

Tiltonsville, O .- The women of this own are interested in a tiny mite of manity which arrived at the home of beeph Benson, who is twenty-four mars old, and whose wife is eighteen ears old. The infant, a girl, is formed ectly, but weighs only 24 ounces. Benson's wedding ring can be pped over the baby's hand and down its elbows. The child is fed with medicine dropper. The attending hysician believes that if the baby's de can be sustained for seven months, will have no more trouble than a ormal child.

WEDS ON A DEATH THREAT

ong Says He Married Mrs. McFadden for Fear She Would Kill Him.

Easton, Pa .- The contention of Rober W. Long that he married Anna Mc Fadden because he was afraid that her nother, Mrs. Moses McFadden, would kill him unless he did, failed to get bin a divorce. Judge Stewart has med an opinion sustaining the report of the master, which refused a decree of divorce.

Long swore that on January 18, 1911, Mrs. McFadden and her daughter vised his tailoring establishment, when Mrs. McFadden informed him that unas he married Anne immediately she ould kill him. After the wedding, he taid, he went to his own home. He ther supported his wife, nor did ever make any demands on him maintenance. They had no chiltren. In his application for a divorce claimed the marriage was inbecause he was coerced and betame a bridegroam against his better judgment.

Aged Couple Married 71 Years. Burkittsville, Md.-Mr. and Mrs. aberry J. R. House, aged ninety and eighty-seven years, respectively, tated their seventy-first wedding versary at their home here by entertaining their five children, eight andchildren and 16 great-grandchil-

Krull in San Francisco that she had whether it pays in the long run to been using the mails for three years to rob the future cow by stunting the calf wheedle money out of confiding men for the sake of immediate profits. The under promise of marriage.

Mrs. Christianson confessed that she away from the cow is the usual thing had received thousands of dollars from | in the dairies and, assuming that it is her victims by representing herself as an economical thing to do, the quesa wealthy and lonely widow eager to tion is how to feed calves on artificial resume the blissful life to be found in happy marriage. The only plea that

she made in her defense was her desire for fine clothes and her love for A He is about thirty years old. For her twelve-year-old invalid son, Joey. She admitted that her former husband. Isaacson, proved an exception to all the men she ever knew by getting all of her money.

"I have a long list of business men in San Francisco, Oakland and other cities who answered advertisements I

them were after the money of the supposed wealthy widow, but I fooled them. I suppose I shall have to take my medicine for fleecing so many easy a few days. marks," she concluded.

REMEDY FOR BLOAT ALL FOR HIS RHEUMATISM

Man Tries Five Ways of Sulcide in One Short Day and Fails.

Chicago .- Stephen Bader, sixty-one years old, 845 West Lake street, despondent over his rheumatism, tried five times to end his life, but failed in each attempt. He will live. In the morning, he said, he severed his left wrist and lay down to die. It didn't work. Then he cut in order his right wrist and his throat. Then the clock struck twelve, and he knew he stabbed

himself twice over the heart. At three o'clock he decided he would end all by drinking wood alcohol. His groans brought help.

MAKES HIS HOME A HOTEL Charge Brought by San Francisco Woman Wins Her a Divorce.

San Francisco.-Gretchen E. Best has been granted a divorce from Otto

Best, a Los Angeles chemist, because he considered his home a hotel and his wife an unnecessary encumbrance. "That seems to be a prevailing weakness nowadays," said the judge who tried the case. "Too many men consider their homes merely a place to sleep and eat and their wives as servants, and if the wives refuse to be merely servants then they are considered nuisances."

Toddling Baby Burned to Death. Dobbs Ferry, N. J.-Helen Bernice Broderick, eighteen-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Broderick, tell against a grate fire in her parents' home while learning to walk and sus-

tained fatal burns.

Killed by His Own Trap. Austin, Tex .- While setting a wolf trap on a ranch near here Alfred L. Cook accidentally shot and killed himself with the weapon he intended to use against the wolf.

These are observations made by F L. Kennerd, agronomist in the Northwest experiment station at Crookston, practice of taking the calf immediately in response to numerous questions received from farmers.

never be given enough skim milk to

entirely satisfy their hunger. If indi-

gestion develops, they should be kept

on short rations for a day or two. If

scours develop a little formalin added

to the milk, combined with a restrict

ed diet, will usually control it within

GIVEN IN BULLETIN

Experts of Kentucky Station Rec-

ommend Solution of For-

malin as a Drench.

The cause of and a remedy for clo-

No. 5, recently issued by the Ken-

Red clover blossoms contain about

3.6 per cent of sugar, alfalfa blossoms,

2.8 per cent; white clover blossoms,

2,4 per cent. After being eaten by

stock this sugar undergoes rapid fer-

mentation and is converted into car-

bon dioxide. This causes the bloating

Formann is a trade name for a 4

per cent solution of formaldehyde gas

in water and may be obtained at any

drug store for about 40 cents a pint.

One-half ounce of formalin in one

Prevent Scabby Potatoes.

To prevent a scabby crop of pota

solution of one-half pint of formalin

water. Then dry and cut the tubers

Plant Some Swiss Chard.

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When it is added that barnyard manure is worth perhaps \$2.50 a ton, and that each farm animal produces from food and keep them growing properly. five to seven tons per 1,000 pounds of During the first few weeks the calf live weight each year, it is easy to see is not capable of digesting normally that as a fertilizer the material should any food save whole cow's milk. If not be wasted. he must subsist on skim milk, a little

The best practice is to haul the stuff flaxseed meal or cornmeal had better directly from the barn to the fields. If be added to the ration. The milk this is done, there is little loss through should always be given warm and fermentation or leaching. never when it is frothy. Calves should

DRAINAGE ADDS TO **ACRES AND PROFITS**

Practice Improves Physical Condition of Soil by Making It Porous and Friable.

be drained. Even uplands may often are made of grass, fine moss and hair be drained with profit, especially hill- plastered together with mud and lined sides subject to erosion or inclined to with soft feathers and wool. The be "spouty." Indeed, drainage is phoebe's call is "Phoe-e-be! Phoeprofitable wherever it is necessary to e-be!

the fullest use of the land. It is not uncommon for lands too wet for cultivation to produce, when of May, near our dwelling houses, in ver bloat have been found by D. J. drained, 60 or 70 bushels of corn or the apple orchard, in the pear trees, Healy and J. W. Nutter of the Ken- oats to the acre. On much of the and on grape arbors, and in the vines tucky agricultural experiment station. drained land the increase of yield is of the plazza, provided the cats are not These facts are announced in Circular from 25 to 100 per cent, and by the too numerous. increase yield and the decreased cost of cultivation the value of the land

is often doubled. Drainage improves the physical condition of the soil by making it more porous and friable.

Drained land can be plowed earlier in the spring than undrained land. Health conditions are also improved by the drainage of swamps and stand-

The authors of the bulletin strongly ecommend for acute bloating one ing water. quart of 11/2 per cent solution of for

Seed Corn Inspection. malin. After this is administered. Take a look at the seed corn. See wooden block should be placed in the animal's mouth, and the animal should that it is drying out in good shape. be given gentle exercise if it can be Then plan on testing in a box rather than in the field.

New Place for Onions. Do not put onions where they grew last year, or the onion-maggot will cause you trouble. Select a new place kle sand over the surface and again quart of water is the proper solution | for them; and change all the crops around. They will do better.

Scrape Off Loose Bark.

Scrape the loose bark from th toes, soak the seed for two hours in a fruit trees. An old broom is splendid for this purpose. Burn the scrapings (formaldehyde) in fifteen gallons of to get rid of hidden insect eggs.

Best Size of Drakes.

Medium-sized drakes are better than large ones for breeding for mar-Swiss chard should be included in ket.

Increase Egg Production. A little moistened food is relished "greens" and is a rapid grower. It may be sown at the same time as early cabbage and transplanted to frames or and will slightly increase egg produo tion.

An Automatic Food Shelter That Holds Four Quarts of Chicken Feed and Supplies It as Required to the Birds.

of birds, and they would learn to love the woodland beauties quite as well as their own stems and plants, and too well to pick them and let them die in a few hours.

This spring the kingfisher comes back to his favorite haunts, and we hear him as from a limb overhanging the river, with a harsh, loud cry he drops down and seizes the yellow belly on which he has had his eye so long, awaiting the opportunity to secure a good dinner in this way.

The phoebe, which we all know and love to hear in the early springtime, commences to build the last of this Lands that are too wet for the most month. Their nests are found under profitable production of crops should the eaves, bridges or oli barns, and

> When robins are mated, they build from the middle of April to the first

Robins are very domestic, often rearing three broods in a season.

During this month we have the brown thrush, whose song is a rest for the weary. He begins to sing early ir the morning, and his voice can be heard above al others, ringing out like a silver bell.

Again he is the last bird to sing at sunset. When all the others have put their heads under their wings and 'gone to Nod and" the thrush's sweet

song is heard from the woodland.

TO SOW SEEDS

Remember in sowing seeds, to cover them their own depth. Fine, dustlike seed should be scattered along the line and pressed into the soil. Sprinpress the surface of the soil. Place a thin piece of muslin over the soil and water carefully. The muslin prevents the seed being disturbed. When the seed breaks the soil, remove the muslin.

WHEN THE GROUND THAWS

As soon as the ground thaws enough to permit it, dig in the manure that has been used to mulch the trees. shrubs and plants. It is not wise to althe bark to soften and permit the entrance of injurious spores.

The gillyflower is a fragrant old- mable. Lighting a match to look for timer worthy of our attention. This some article in a crowded closet, or

By E. VAN BENTHUYSEN.

is a late bloomer, like the aster. Plant taking a candle into such a place often causes fire. Old clothing, rags, waste paper and every sort of rubbish should be cleared out of closets. A spark in a dusty closet has been known to ignite a whole building; even an accumulation under bureaus and sofas is dangerous. If you do discover a fire in your closet close the door and get a bucket of water and a broom. "A wet broom is the best fire extinguisher ever invented," said an official of the fire department. "You can throw a solid sheet of water with it or only a spray; you can beat a fire out with a broom or you can pull down a blazing curtain with it."

Nut Gingerbread.

Cream together one-half cupful of butter, one-half cupful of lard and one cupful of sugar; add one cupful of good molasses and one cupful of sour cream (one cupful of sour milk may be used in place of the cream); beat thoroughly, then add one tablespoonful of ginger, one teaspoonful cinnamon and a cupful of nut meats that have been cut into small bits; dissolve a small teaspoonful of soda in a little lukewarm water and stir in; use enough flour to make a soft dough that can be rolled; flour the pastry board well and roll out to the thickness of about an inch (if you do not wish a thick cake); cut into squares and cover the top with chopped nuts and a little sugar; bake in a quick oven. If desired, an egg or two may be added to the batter.

Stuffed Onions.

Place eight large Bermuda onions. peeled and washed, in a baking dish. Cover with boiling water slightly salted. Bake them half an hour or till a

wire will pierce them, then turn off the water, then with a sharp, thinbladed knife take out the heart with ing glory is an old favorite that has no out breaking the outer walls, fill the equal for covering porches, fences, or cavity with minced cold chicken and for training over unsightly buildings. fine bread crumbs, seasoned with Plan to have a garden this year, no melted butter. Sprinkle crumbs, but matter how little time you think you tered, over the dish until it almost have to give to it. Your health will touches the top of the onions. Cover them and bake half an hour.

Silver Parfait.

Boil one cupful of sugar in one cupful of water until it threads. Pour it over the stiffly beaten whites of three eggs and beat again. When cool add one pint whipped cream, flavor with two teaspoonfuls of any kind of flavoring desired. Pack in ice and salt and let stand until firm. One day for a company dinner I picked a tew choice strawberries, mashed in a sieve and added whole, have also added cherries whole, and the effect is very pretty .- Exchange.

Bread Pudding With Onions.

Mix half a pound of breadcrumbs with a teaspoonful of sage, two ounces of onions, pepper and salt, with threequarters of a pint of milk. Add two eggs well beaten and bake in a quick oven.

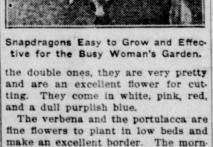
Cuttings of house plants may be made as late as April, and far north during the first of May. Fill a soup low a heating mulch to remain about plate, or other shallow dish, with clean the roots or trunks, as it may cause sand, and plant the cuttings in it. Be sure to keep the send wet, and the dish in a sunny window.

HINT TO AMATEURS

them when they are young and tender and haven't formed a root.

be so much better for the time spent out of doors that you will find you will hurry up the work in the house to get out to your garden.

Learn to thin ruthlessly. Plants that grow too close together never do well. Pinch off all suckers from fruit and ornamental shrubs. Don't let weeds get a foot high and then pull them, disturbing the surrounding flowers; better let none be pulled out. Go at





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Editorial Confession.

"Better interview this Lady Eglantine," suggested the managing editor of the New York Daily Squash. 'Why, she's a hen. A hen can't do anything but cackle." "Well, we've printed worse inter-

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THE RUSSIAN CZAR

THE CLAR AND CLAREVITCH By SERGE N. SYROMIATNIKOFF. Editor of "Rossia."

EW Americans have had the opportunity to speak with the czar, except diplomatists and Mr. Melville Stone, manager of the Associated Press, but many would like to know something about him aside from political gossip and slander. Does he live in a golden cage, surrounded by elderly titled gentlemen of the court, inaccessible to the people? I have been asked. 1 will answer this by giving a few established facts. To tell the enire story of his life would be to tell the Russian

history of the last twenty-one years. Three weeks after his accession to the throne, November 14, 1894, he married Princess Alix of Hessen, sister of the Grand Duchess Elisaveta Feodorovna, wife of his uncle, Grand Duke Sergil Alexandrovich.

The czar rises at seven o'clock, and before nine he has finished his, modest breakfast and begun his daily work. He reads the newspapers, telegrams and other information presented to him, and makes a note of all interesting matter. The time from ten to eleven o'clock is assigned to walking, but nearly always from ten to half past ten o'clock he receives the reports of the officials of his household or gives special audiences to dignitaries or men who interest him, and only during the time until eleven o'clock does he walk one or with his son, accompanied by two Scotch At eleven o'clock he returns to the hounds. palace and tests the food of his infantry regiment or of his bodyguard. A sample of the soldiers' food in a locked stewpan is brought to him by the chief noncommissioned officer of the regiment. After the test of the food the reports of the ministers begin, lasting until luncheon.

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CZARINA AND DAUGHTERS

of two." Sounds like a modern business man's complaint.

The children of the czar rise as early as their father, but spend their mornings in the upper apartments of the palace and generally meet him for the first time at luncheon. But the emperor sends them to bed, kisses them good night and blesses them with the sign of the cross. Before and after meals he and his family make the sign of the cross, and the children thank their parents after meals. Five o'clock tea is served also in private. During meals "service talk" is not allowed-then reign jokes and merry tales. After dinner the emperor likes to read aloud Russian classics, chiefly the work of the humorists. He is fond of Gogol and of the works of Gorbunov, a famous actor, writer of humorous stories, whose books the father of the emperor. Alexander III. also enjoyed. He is a student of Russian history and an admirer of the father of Peter the Great. the "most gentle" czar, Alexei Mikhailovitch. His motto is: "A state is strong and powerful only when it worships the covenants of the past. He is president of the Russian Historical society, organized by Emperor Alexander III.

The children adore their father and obey him ly. He plays with them.

The czar and his family like the opera, particularly Russian, but they also like Wagner. They prefer the ballet and comedies to other dramatic performances

Likes to Play Dominoes.

Only intimate friends are invited to the infrequent evening parties in the palace. The emperor never plays cards, but plays dominoes sometimes and likes billiards. The daughters of the czar like dancing, but now they have become helpful nurses in the hospitals and take care of wounded soldiers. The czar likes the balalaika orchestra, Cossack choirs and dances. Once after seeing a vivid and animated dance of the Cossacks the czar said, thanking the soldier dancers: "The blood runs quicker. It seems as though one could smash everything looking at them.

The czar has a strong belief in the heavenly origin of his power. When saying in his manifesto of June 3, 1907: "The Lord God has intrusted us with the czar's power over our people and before his throne we will give an answer for the fate of our empire," he expressed his conviction on the religious origin of the Russian mon-He has church services, cld rites, old archy church hymns. When meeting priests he kisses, their hands and they kiss his

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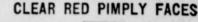
keeps right on doing.

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-Adv.

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New German Aircraft.

Details regarding a Teuton hydroaeroplane which fell into the hands appears now, after a number of of the Russians in the Riga region of the Russians in the in that they ufacture string from paper. In disclose the thoroughness with which pearance the new string is exactly German aircraft are finished and ilar to the genuine article, and equipped. To quote from the report enough for tying parcels of quit of the Morning Post correspondent at fair size. According to a promin Petrograd: "All the necessary manipu- wholesale stationer the usual h lating parts of the machinery are of string and twine are now practi made luminous at night with a radium | ly unobtainable, and as this new pa composition. There is a special newly string can be sold for less than invented lever to facilitate handling real article is at present fetching the plane in darkness, and a special bids fair to come into general use. compass, and seats are provided for may be added that this string is u three. The hydroaeroplane carries a extensively at Woolwich arsenal, searchlight, a maxim and a rifle, with an adequate supply of ammunition.

and the bombs, five on each side, of ten pounds weight apiece.' Vassar Students Work.

show that 50 students are working best. People get into a habit of t their way through college, and that ing medicines to relieve some in 96 of them have earned some money disorder which nature would no for that purpose. Two girls earned effectually cure if they only erere \$175 and \$190 running a book and fur- a little patience. Once the habit niture exchange. Tutoring at 75 cents formed it cannot be given up. If he an hour is another good source of in- prices compel people to give up the come. Some of the girls work in the favorite medicines, the war will i candy kitchen and at other occupations of the kind. munity.

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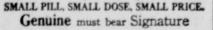
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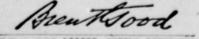
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A Day's Activities.

The luncheon is informal. There he meets his family for the first time in the day. Sometimes the officers of the suite on duty that day are invited. After luncheon the emperor receives officials and deputies, and from four to five o'clock he walks, drives, rides on a bicycle, or canoes and goes boating with his son or with his daughters and the empress. From six to eight o'clock he works again in his study. From eight to half past nine he dines with his family, and from that time to twelve or half past he works again. He never rests during the day, yet keeps cheerful and unwearied. Sometimes, when he finishes his task earlier than usual, he reads to the empress at her evening tea. Before going to bed he prays. The czar works about ten or twelve hours a day, of which he spends no fewer than four hours alone; he sleeps not more than seven hours, and only about six hours are given to meals and relaxation with his family.

On the eve of holy days the czar goes to the evening church services at half past seven o'clock, and on holy days he goes to mass at eleven. The rest of the time on holy days he works as on week days.

Every evening, at home or abroad, the emperor writes his impressions in his dairy.

Possessing an excellent memory and a clear method of thinking, the czar writes in a clear hand, quickly and without erasures. His thoughts are expressed simply and briefly; he does not like long phrases and foreign words. He always writes his orders, even to the nearest officers, on the block notes with pen and ink. The emperor does not like to speak by telephone, and there is none in his study. One is placed in the room of his servant. Sometimes he directs his aid-de-camp or his secretary to transmit his orders verbally or by telephone. The persons concerned are notified in advance, in the event that there should be any change in the time set for audiences or for receiving reports.

The tables and settees in the emperor's study are covered with state papers, but they do not lie there long; questions are decided and carried out The emperor always knows where the at once. required papers are. He puts the reports, after he has read them, in envelopes and seals. He reads easily all handwritings, even the most difficult italics of the seventeenth century.

The private charity of the emperor is extensive. He gives not only by hundreds but by thousands and ten thousands of rubles.

The difficult work of the government the czar does alone-he has no private secretaries. He has some help from the officials of his household and the officers of his suite. Officers of the field chancellery decipher and cipher telegrams and make drafts of letters, but he said once, quite truly: "I am doing three men's work. I wish everyone knew how to do the work at least

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Wine that has no "morning-after"

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colony at Palm Beach.

ple toys and comforts them during illness. His love for his son is boundless. He not only walks with him, but he takes him to military shows, builds sand and snow fortresses with him, digs ditches, cuts wood, breaks ice, does carpenter work, arranges boating parties. The emperor is a good sportsman. He is a great walker, rider and bicycler, plays tennis and ninepins and is a good oarsman, swimmer, diver and shot.

At family dinners the czar prefers Russian cooking. He likes cold boiled suckling pig. beet soups. gruels and pancakes and drinks the Russian malt drink "kyas," the old recipe for which was taken from the monastery of Sarov. The champagne served in the palace is always Russian.

The period of Lent is strictly observed. During the first, fourth and seventh weeks and on Wednesdays and Fridays of other weeks Lent lasts seven weeks-even fish is excluded from imperial meals. Only vegetables are served. During his holidays in Crimea or in the Finnish archipelago the czar enjoys walks of from ten to fifteen miles, visits farms with his children and picks mushrooms and berries. He is so tireless that only two officers of his suite, Komaroff and Drenteln, could accompany him in his mountaineering in Crimea.

The imperial family takes part in the joys and sorrows of their servants. The female servants leave the palace only in case of death or marriage. In the latter case they receive the right to visit their masters. As examples of the most devoted servants may be mentioned the servant of the empress, Kondratieff, the attendant of the heir apparent, the sailor Derevenko, and the nurse of the imperial children, Maria Vishniakova, For them and for the soldiers and officers of the regiments that bear their names the imperial family arrange a brilliant Christmas tree.

On Easter the czar kisses three times each of his servants, who congratulate him upon this great holy day, the empress giving her hand to be kissed. During the first three days of the Easter holidays the czar has to kiss more than 3,000 persons and present each one with a small Easter egg of gold, silver or Ural stones.

The czar's hunting is in charge of a special administrator of the imperial hunts, this office being part of the ministry of the court. The grounds are in Spain, Province of Petrokof, at Skernevitsy, near Warsaw, and in Bieloviej, near Brest-Litovsk.

There are private hunts, when the emperor goes alone or with a few intimate friends, and great hunts, with a large number of hunters, patterned after an old elaborated ceremonial, with prickers, beaters, hounds, hunting horns, torches and bonfires. He shoots deer, bears, hares, pheasants and, in Bieloviej, bisons.

The emperor is ver, cautious, strictly observing the rules, and never allows himself a shot which might hurt the beaters. He is an excellent shot and his bag is always filled. Once, near Vyborg, Finland, he killed a fox. The Finnish law rewards a hunter with five marks (\$1) as a premium for each carnivorous animal killed. The czar received the premium and issued a receipt for five marks. This receipt is kept in the Vyborg citadel.

yearly about 16,000 tons of ore.

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The Chinese are not isolated in

sins and receives sacrament twice during the Great Lent before Easter, and a third time before the anniversary of his ascension to the throne.

The czar is a good soldier. In Crimea once he put on all the equipment of a soldier of the Sixteenth regiment of sharpshooter; and took a long walk with rifle and knapsack for the purpose of trying out the soldiers' outfit. He ordered that he be enlisted in the rolls of the first squad of this regiment and received a certificate in the name of soldier Nicholas Romanoff. The life of the Russian army and navy and the well-being of the Russian soldiers and sailors are objects of his strenuous concern. He chose a simple sailor, Boatswain Derevenko, a peasant of the Volhynia province, to be the attendant o. his son. The union of the czar with his soldiers and peasants is his purpose. To have a legal way of hearing the voice of the people the czar established the state duma, or house of representatives. In his speech from the throne May 10, 1904, at the opening of the first duma, he said to the representatives of his people, summoned ' the St. George's Salle of the winter palace: "Tue solicitude for the well-being of the fatherland, intrusted to me by Providence, induced me to convene the elects of the people for help and legislative work. With ardent faith in the bright future of Russia I welcome in your persons the best men, whom I have ordered my beloved subjects to elect. Difficult and complicated work is before you. I believe that the love for your country and the fervent desire to serve it will rouse and unite you. As for myself, I will defend the unshakable institutions granted by me, in strong belief that you will give all your strength and self-denying service to your country in ascertaining the needs of the peasants. so close to my heart; in educating the people and developing their well-being, remembering that for the spiritual greatness and prosperity of the state not only freedom, but order based on right, is necessary. May my ardent desire to see my people happy and to transmit to my son in inheritance a state strong, well organized and civilized be fulfilled.

"May God bless the work before me in union with the state council and the state duma, and may this day be marked as a day of renovation of the moral countenance of the Russian land, as the day of the revival of her best forces.

"Begin with reverence the work which I have intrusted to you, and justify the confidence of the czar and the people.

"May God help you and me!"

In October the czar and the czarevitch visited the trenches on the southwestern front, and the czar was many times under the artillery fire of the enemy. As this bravery, by the tenure of article 7 of the statute of the military order of St. George, entitles an officer to a cross of St. George of the fourth class, the council of knights of St. George of the southwestern armles resolved to ask the emperor to accept this cross. The commander in chief of the southwestern armies also asked permission to confer upon the czarevitch a silver medal, with a St. George's ribbon, for bravery in having visited the wounded at the station Clevan, in the sphere of the enemy's artillery fire.

Land of Cocoa Cultivation. Throughout their whole area the Portuguese provinces of Sao Thome

and Principe, West Africa, are under cocoa cultivation to such an extent by the sour odor of fermenting cocoa.

against 468 for 1914

Canal Benefits Honolulu.

telegraph and telephone wires and 9 ,000 miles underground. Shipping at the port of Honolulu has An acre of good fishing ground at increased considerably as a result of

where a scientist has invented a meth- ter R. In nearly every case it is the sea will yield more food in a week the opening of the Panama canal. Ar. od of removing the alcohol without last letter even the English born child than an acre of the best land will in rivals for 1915 were 591 vessels, a cno year.

To Health

is right living, and in this one's daily food plays a big part.

For building active brains and vigorous bodies, Nature demands in the daily diet certain nourishing elements richly supplied by the field grains-but lacking in many foods.

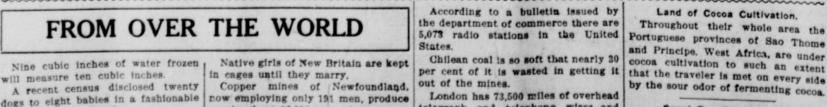
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the famous pure food, is made of whole wheat and malted barley. It furnishes all the rich nutriment of the grains, including their vital mineral salts-potash for brain and nerve centers, iron for the blood, lime for the bones, and other elements necessary for life and health -all in splendid proportion.

Grape-Nuts has a delicate nut-like flavour; comes fresh, crisp and ready for instant serving; is easily digested, and gives a wonderful return of mental, physical and nervous energy.

Convenient and economical, Grape-Nuts with cream or good milk is a well-balanced ration that makes for better health and efficiency.

> "There's a Reason" Grocers everywhere sell Grape-Nuts.





TO WIN TEE PRIZE

a horse or in fact any other live stock has got to be in first class condition. And that can only though we charge no more for it

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be attained by supplying the best Miss May Sullivan, who is attendof feed. To be sure of getting ing school at Abilene, was here the such, better give us your order. past week visiting her mother, of He handle only only the best, Sterling City, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Walling. She returned to Abilene Monday .- Rob-

BEN FINDT ert Lee Observer.

Miss Belle Lyles entertained last night with a "hen" party in honor of Miss Florence Miller, of Abilene.

enables us to do auto repairing in Rev. J. B. Atkinson, of Knickerthe shortest possible time consistent bocker, came up last Friday to meet with good work. So if you don't his daughter, Miss Lula, who has want your car out of commission just finished teaching a term of any longer than is absolutely necesschool at Lacy. sary send it here and you'll get it

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cushing, of Konohassett, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Currie, of Big Springs, attended the ball here last Monday night.

Mrs. Mary Shortt, who has been visiting at Robert Lee, returned last Monday night

roof joists be sound and thor-Dr. and Mrs. Lee of Garden City, oughly seasoned. You can rip were guests of our town last Monup and replace the flooring any day night.

Have your shoes neatly repaired and they will last twice as long. L. right Get our joist, which comes Knaecker, Churchill residence. 4t W. B. Atkinson was visiting his trouble by shrienking or split- parents at Knickerbocker last week.

Mrs. Mary Bowden, who has spent the winter here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis, left last Wednesday for her home at Springdale, Ark.

Miss Mary Nelson has been employed to teach the Mulberry school. Miss Nelson has just finished a term at the Morrow school.

\$5.00 Reward: Will be paid for the return of a stick pin: gold and a bunch of grapes formed with pearls. you have given me in the past Valued highly because of its being and sincerely hope to have you a gift. Apply at this office.

> Fowler and James McEntire are at the R. B. McEntire ranch. We learn that they intend to stock and

son's lease expires. Westbrook.

Contractor Lem Latham has a operate it in the future.

erv's new brick garage. It will be the Tweedle feed store and wagon about 90 days before the building yard last Saturday.

MONARCH MILK MAKER

Composed of 20 per ct. Molasses, 18 per ct. Cotton Seed Meal, 611-2 per cent. Ground Threshed Maize Heads, and 1-2 per cent. Ground Rock Salt. Protein, not less than - -12 per cent 1.90 per cent Nitrogen Free Extract, not less than - - - 50.00 per cent Crude Fibre, not more than ______ 17.00 pe STAMFORD MILL AND ELEVATOR COMPANY, 17.00 per cent.

Stamford, Texas. Try it and increase your supply of milk and butter \$1.50 per 100

pounds. Sold by Ben Findt, O. K. Wagon Yard. tf

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

J. S. Cullinan ON TEXAS ECONOMIC LEACUE.

League, my motive was to help form an association that could voice the sentiment and promote the interests of

those engaged in producing and distributing the products of the earth. Having belonged to this class all my life and having occupied various positions in business from laborer to manager and owner. I have come in personal contact with most of the hardships encountered by those engaged in productive pursuits and I feel that much of the suffering we undergo is preventable and that improved conditions can be easily brought about through more active and intelligent citizenship. I have resided Sen actively identified with many lines of business, and in direct touch with

In assisting in the organization of the Toxas Economic

industrial conditions of the state. It has been my aim to influence capital to Texas, to give employment to labor and to see Texas institutions spread over

I have faith in the people and in the future of the State and I want those who feel likewise and have a permanent interast in the State's welfare to join me in this work. The only qualification is that Citizenship. Federal, State and Community in the order named, be placed above class interest, and a more diligent study of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States be pursued. The men engaged in productive pursuits should manage civilization. Much

of the incompetency and inefficiency in our public affairs is the result of indifference and impatience of the producing classes in dealing with important public problems, leaving their solution to the non-producing classes, who should take orders from, and not give orders to, society. If business men, farmers, laborers and all factors in productive industry would discharge more fully the responsibilities of citizenship, many of the fundamental evils from which we suffer would automatically disappear, revealing a more capable and efficient commonwealth. I have unbounded faith in our system of government and believe that the serious difficulties which we encounter are due to incompetency and degeneracy of important branches of government and society over which the citizenship, as a whole, has neglected to exercise a proper supervision and has failed to demand a high order of efficiency and integrity. We should look to the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution

of the United States for guidance and apply their principles to the problems of the day. As citizens we enter into a contract with government as the 'party of the first part" and unless we perform the services agreed, we have no right to share the bencits of government and certainly no cause for complaint against organized society for evils which the performance of our duty as citizens would easily correct. We want to invite the people of Texas to study and discuss citizenship, determining our rights and privileges under government with a view of enjoying more fully the life, liberty and pursuit of happiness set forth in the Declaration c? Independence and guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States.

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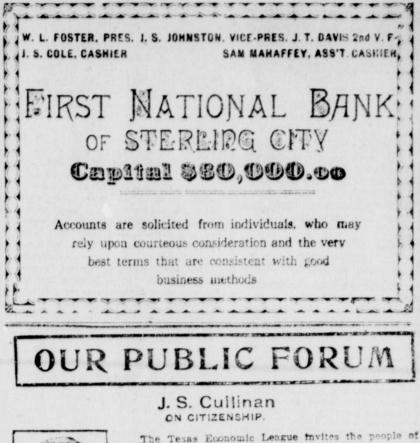
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J. F. Morrow, of Robert Lee, was a visitor here last week.

force of men at work on W. L. Em-





The Texas Economic League invites the people of Texas into a discussion of citizenship, but before we can intelligently study so important a subject we must first define it. What is citizenship? Who is the best American citizen? Scarch the statute books for a demnitical of citizenship and unless one is a member of the legal profession we immediately become entangled in a laborinth of confusing and oftimes contradictory laws seeking to promote or restrain most every form of humon activity, much of them good, some of them bad and sin-ers indifferent. But laws come and go; the Constitution 's permanent. The preamble of our Federal Constitution

constitution of the United States and one cannot escape the conclusion that the best American citizen is he who is most free, patriotic, just, happy an i active and who hands down to posterity a civilization more capable than ha found it. The spirit of our country is freedom and no man can become a true American citizen unless he is free.

Turning a moment from documents of State pertaps the best authority on citizenship, and one universally accepted by the public, is Webster's International Dictionary, which defines a citizen as 'A momber of a State: a person, native or naturalized, of either sex who owes allegiance to government and is entitled to reciprocal protection from it." Further, 'A eitizen as such is entitled to the protection of life, liberty and property at home and abroad

We now have before us the authoritative definition of citizenship by both covernment and society and in order that the most humble citizen may fee perfectly free to enter into a study and discussion of this subject. I will briefly outline my conception of what citizenship involves, for the work of the Texa. Economic League will be in vain if the most lowly citizen does not feel freto give serious thought and expression to his obligation to government and his responsibility to his fellow men.

Applied to able-bodied adult males, with which I take it we will have chiefly to do, a citizen's duty, in return for the rights, privilege and protection outlined above, would seem to be: First, to expend sufficient labor tion, or auxiliary occupations, viz., manufacture, transportation at bution, to support himself and his family in comfort. Second, co conform to all laws framed in the interest of society under the Constitution. Third, con-tribute his just proportion to the maintenance of government in personal ime, payment of taxes or, if need be, bearing arms in the defense of the nation

in reaching the above conclusions I have ascamed that under our system of government citizens are owners in common and are entitled to the rights and benefits of government during the term of their natural lives and for such period only.

HUMAN NATURE.

The average cotton production of the world is 13 bales per 1,000 Crawford-Do you approve of population, and the average for celling regetables by weight? Texas is 1,000 bales per 1,000 Crabshaw-Yes, if you'd get more that way .- Judge.



time. You can't do that with the roof. So when building build in any size and you'll have a roof that will never cause you any ting.

South Texas Lumber Company



wholesome home cooking at the State Hotel

To my friends

AND

customers

I thank you all for the patronage

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receive courteous treatment and

Notice

Prof. and Mrs. S. Kellogg (the latwill be ready for occupancy.

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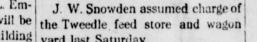
Mrs. Josephine Ramsey is visiting a shopping expedition.

her brothers, Emette and Curry G. W. Allard, Jr., has taken charge

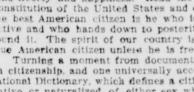
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from their ranch last Wednesday on

of the Gity Barber Shop, and will



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Back aches? Stomach sensitive? A little cough? No strength? Tire easily? All Tire easily? All after effects of this dread malady. Yes, they are catarrhal Grip is a catarrhal disease You can never be well as long as catarrh remains in your system, weakening your whole body with stagnant blood and unhealthy secretions.

You Need PERUNA

It's the one tonic for the after effects of grip, because it is a catarrhal treatment of proved excellence. Take it to clear away all the effects of grip, to tone the digestion, clear up the inflammed membranes, regulate the bowels, and set you on the highway to complete recovery.

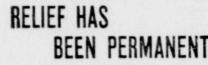
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Reporter-Is there anything doing In your line of business? Merchant-Yes, one of our bill collectors who has been working on com-



mission starved to death last week.

Says Cardui Built Up System When Other Medicines Failed. Believes It Saved Her Life.

Redmon, of R. F. D. 1, this place, writes: "I wish to state that before in a slow oven or fireless cooker. Pears having taken Cardui, my condition of and peaches may be cooked in a simihealth was all run-down, and had been | lar way, only, instead of being sliced, that way ever since my marriage two they should be pared, halved and the years ago last May. I only weighed seeds removed, and they should not be 107 pounds. My average weight is stirred during the cooking. The vari-135 pounds. I had such awful pains ous sun-dried fruits may also be baked at times I could hardly go ... severe pains in my back and abdomen, washed thoroughly, soaked overnight and could scarcely do my work ... I in water to cover, the proper amount could not lift anything heavy.

date for an examination



Brown soup stock is made from beef and vegetables or veal, beef, fowl and vegetables. Veal with onion and celery seasonings make white stock, or chicken and veal together with celery, onion and seasonings make white stock. Cream soups are generally made without stock, milk or cream being liquids used and foundation from fish or vegetables. Chicken stock is made from fowl, resembles white

stock, but is not so rich. Don't expect a soup to be good unless it is properly seasoned, and a good, tasty soup is not made with a pound of meat and a gallon of water. Patience and good material are necessary factors in good soup making. Cut the meat in small pieces, cover with cold water, let stand one hour, then heat gradually. This method draws out all the nutritive and flavoring qualities of the meat. Allow one pint of water to each pound of bones and meat, or about three-quar-

ters meat and small portion of bone. If soup is to be made from scraps of cold meat, you should add fresh meat to give added flavor. Sweet herbs for seasoning are necessary and are composed of parsley, bay leaf, cloves, peppercorns, thyme and marjoram. If you desire a clear soup, do not let stock boil rapidly. Long, slow cooking is necessary. Stock with coating of fat will keep a week in hot weather and several weeks in cold weather

To Clear Soup Stock .- Take white and shell of one egg for every two quarts of strained stock. Beat white, add crushed shell to cold stock, pour kettle and stir constantly until boiling point is reached. Boil three minutes without stirring, then simmer gently for ten minutes. Strain through fine sieve and cheesecloth. Repeat as needed and serve. If these directions are followed an absolutely clear soup will be the result.

APPLES COOKED IN BEANPOT

Delicious Sauces and Other Relishes May Be Prepared in That Receptacle.

A specialty of a well-known tearoom is old-fashioned red apple sauce. served with whipped cream, remarks a writer in Good Housekeeping. It is rich, and of beautiful color, as much unlike ordinary apple sauce as can be imagined. Inquiry brought forth the fact that it was baked in the beanpot, sliced apples and sugar being put in Hendersonville, N. C .- Mrs. M. A. alternately, a little water added, and the whole cooked at least eight hours

I had to good advantage. They should be of sugar added, together with any de-"In November, 1913, I began taking sired flavoring, and the baking done Cardui. I thought I would give it a three to six hours, according to the quantity. Figs need lemon juice and Hopes Women Will Adopt This Habit As Well As Men

Glass of hot water each morning helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Happy, bright, alert-vigorous and vivacious-a good clear skin; a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood. If only every woman and likewise every man could realize the wonders of drinking phosphated hot water each morning, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks." "rundowns." "brain fags" and pessimists we should see virile, optimistic throng of rosycheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from any druggist or at the store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do .- Adv.

Gaston-Mon dieu! and what shall we do if the water freezes? Sandy-Sit down, ye fool!-Lam.



district and other points.

STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

THE EUROPEAN WAR A

April 3, 1915.

Germans repulsed French in for-

est of Le Pretre and west of Mul-

hausen, but were checked near

Russians gained in Carpathians

Turks repulsed British landing

British government took control

April 4, 1915.

Germanc took Drie Grachten

Austrians retreated from Beskid

Germans repulsed Russians near

German submarines sank British

teamer City of Bremen and other

Three German steamers sunk by

Turkish cruiser Medjidich suni

German taube bombed church

near Ypres, killing 12 women and

April 5, 1915.

French captured trenches In For-

Reims continuously bombarded.

Russians made steady gains in

Carpathians, Bukowina and North

Turkish squadron sank two Rus-

America's demand on Germany for

reparation for sinking of the Frye

April 6, 1915.

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Argonne and Le Pretre forests.

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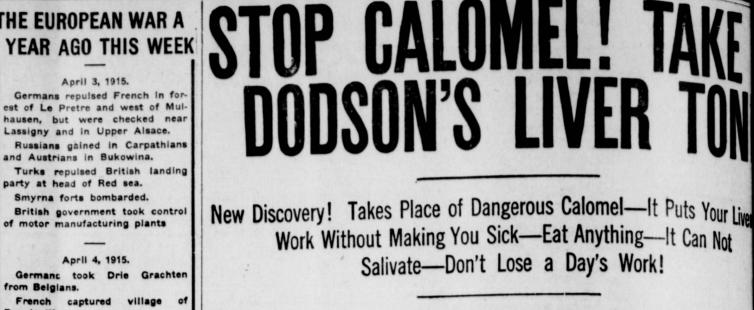
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> Norfolk. Austrian aviators raided Podgo-

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I discovered a vegetable compound that does | a day's work. I want to see a bottle of this the work of dangerous, sickening calomel and I want every reader of this paper to try a bottle and if it doesn't straighten you up better and quicker than salivating calomel just go back to the store and get your money.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your thirty feet of bowels of the sour bile and constipation poison which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable.

I guarantee that one spoonful of this harmless liquid liver medicine will relieve the headache, biliousness, coated tongue, ague, malaria, sour stomach or any other distress caused by a torpid liver as quickly as a dose of vile, nauseating calomel, besides it will not make you sick or keep you from ous calomel.

derful liver medicine in every home here Calomel is poison-it's mercury-it attac bones, often causing rheumatism. Calomel gerous. It sickens-while my Dodson's Tone is safe, pleasant and harmless. Eat thing afterwards, because it can not salivate. it to the children because it doesn't upset the ach or shock the liver. Take a spoonful t and wake up feeling fine and ready for day's work. Get a bottle! Try it! If it doesn't do e VOL.

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The inhabitants of Cochin China pre- fer rottan eggs to fresh ones. NO MALARIA—NO CHILLS. "Plantation" Chill Tonic is guaranteed to drive away Chills and Fever or your money refunded. Price 50c,—Adv. Common Sense. "Darling, fy with me." "Stay down on earth, Freddie, and Til consider your proposal." STOP SCRATCHING! RESINOL RELIEVES ITCHING INSTANTLY That itching, burning skin-trouble which keeps you scratching and dig- ging, is a source of disgust to others, as well as of torment to you. Why don't you get rid of it by using Resi- nol Ointment? Physicians have pre- scribed it for over 20 years. In most	Col. Churchill and His Father. Winston Churchill is bound to re- mind those old enough to remember of his father, Lord Randolph, a man who made everybody sit up in joy or wrath, but who never achieved much of anything except mischief; brilliant and interesting but erratic and un- convincing.—Hartford Times. Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a Gen- eral Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System 50 cents. French soldiers at the front are al- lowed one pint of wine a day. Great Britain is divided into eight munition areas.	A Hero's Nightmare. Wounded Soldier (to man cot)Charlie, I just 'ad a mo ble dream. I dreamt I 'eard th tle to charge, and I was a 'ou tious objector!" ERTYSIPELAS AND CHILBL Alleviated and cured by the Tetterlae. It is an old establis well known remedy for Ecem ter, Ground lich (the cause a worm Disease). Infant Sor Chaps, Chafes and other forms diseases. J. R. Maxwell, Atlanta Ga, u suffered agony with a seren ecrema. Tried six different and was in despair, when a b told me to try Shuptines Ta After using 13 worth of your not say too much in its praise. Soap 15a. Chafes at durgits of by soap 15a. Completely cure not say too much in its praise. A young widow knows that the est way to catch a successor late lamented is to run away fu
cases, it stops itching instantly and heals eruptions promptly. It is very easy and economical to use. Sold by all druggists.—Adv. Nitro-Glycerin From Garbage. The war and the resultant demand for nitro-glycerin are given as the reasons for a legal contest which has	Sudden Death Caused by Disease of the Kidneys The close connection between the heart and the kidneys is well known nowadays. When kidneys are diseased, arterial tension is increased and the heart functions are attacked. When	After Grip The Spring Fever? This is the time of year out for trouble! We feel we blood seems hot-no appent time to clean house! This is

been begun for a contract to remove the kidneys no longer pour forth waste, the blood is clogged and we the garbage of the city of New York. uremic poisoning occurs and the per- from what is commonly called It has cost New York \$3,750,000 dur- son dies, and the cause is often given ing the past 17 years for the removal as heart disease, or disease of brain of its garbage, but a company now or lungs.



Don't stay Gray! Here's an

Old-time Recipe that Anybody Can Apply.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and attractive. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with won-

'Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Com-

pound," you will get this famous old

preparation, improved by the addition

of other ingredients, which can be de-

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Com-

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A Proviso.

"I won't, if it is to call me down.'

Take a Glass of Salts to Clean Kid

neys If Bladder Bothers You-

Meat Forms Uric Acid.

up at your office, my dear."

STOP EATING MEAT IF

"Don't be surprised if I call you

KIDNEYS OR BACK HURT

and beauty to the hair.

ease.-Adv.

In the Trenches.

French made fierce attack on St Mihiel. French occupied Gussainville, but vere repulsed east of Verdun. Russians advanced on Rostok

ass, but were repulsed in effort o cross the Dniester. Austrians bombarded Serb towns on the Danube and Save. German submarine caught in net off Dover.

> April 7, 1915. French made gains in Woevre

Austrians bombarded Belgrade and gained ground along River

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rind and may be served half-cold from derful effect. the casserole with a decoration of out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a 50 cent bottle of

Lobster With Cream Sauce.

For this you will need one lobster other medicines failed. I feel and look (three pounds live weight), one tablespoonful of flour, five mushrooms, one praising it to my friends,... for I can tablespoonful of butter, one-half pint

A well-known downtown druggist Boil the lobster by first plunging it savs it darkens the hair so naturally head downward into warm, not boiling and evenly that nobody can tell it has water, putting over a quick fire and bringing quickly to a boil. A mediumbeen applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw sized lobster should boil half an hour. this through your hair, taking one a big one three-quarters. Cut into strand at a time. By morning the gray dice. Put the butter in a frying pan hair disappears, and after another ap and, when melted, add the flour. Do plication or two, it becomes beautifully not brown, but mix until smooth. Add dark and glossy. the milk and stir constantly until it boils. Add the mushrooms, chopped pound is a delightful toilet requisite fine, salt, pepper and lobster, and stir for those who desire a more youthful

until thoroughly heated. Serve in pa-

Chocolate Rice Cream.

Wash the rice (Carolina rice of good quality) and cook gently in milk with a piece of stick vanilla and some sugar

until thoroughly swelled and tender. Remove the vanilla. When cool stir in enough cream to make the rice like a thickish lumpy-looking custard. Place in custard glasses and scatter powdered chocolate over. To four ounces of rice allow one and three-quarters pints of milk and four tablespoonfuls of sugar. Use a double milk saucepan and cook long and slowly.

Casserole of Lamb.

Boil one cupful of rice. Chop fine one and one-half cupfuls of meat, season with one teaspoonful each of parsley, onion and celery, minced fine, salt and pepper to taste. Moisten with gravy or hot water to pack nicely. Butter a mold, line bottom and sides one-half inch deep with the rice, pack in the meat, cover with rice and steam 45 minutes. Turn out on a platter and pour over it tomato souce. This is attractive looking as well as tasty.

Jellied Meat.

One cupful of beef which has been cooked and put through meat chopper, one-half cupful of breadcrumbs, salt. pepper and sage to taste. Mix well, then stir into this two-thirds cupful of boiling water which has had one-half an envelope of gelatin dissolved in it. Pack in a cocoa can and set in a cool place. This makes delicious cold meat, and is a good way to use up the scraps

Lemon Pie.

Take one lemon grated rind and juice, one cupful sugar, one cupful milk, two tablespoonfuls flour, two eggs, butter size of an egg, separate yolk from the whites, mix yolks with sugar and flour, add milk and melted outter. Beat the whites stiff and add Put in deep pie plate and bake last. very slowly 40 minutes.

To Prevent Blankets Shrinking. After washing woolen blankets dry them on curtain stretchers to prevent them from shrinking.

April 8, 1915. Russians captured Smolnik, east

of Lupkow pass. French ship Chateaubriand sunk by German submarine off isle of Wight.

pended upon to restore natural color One Austrian aeroplane beat three Russian planes in midair. Germany offered reparation for sinking of the Frye, but justified the act. Belgians reported west side of

Yser canal freed of Germans.

April 9, 1915. French announced complete occupation of Les Eparges.

Desperate fighting on heights of the Meuse. Germans retook Drie Grachten from Belgians. Great Austro-German army confronted Russians in strongly for-

tified lines on southern slope of Carpathians. Use of alcoholic drinks forbidden in French army of the Vosges.

CHUNKS OF INFORMATION

Farming and pig rearing are the staple industries of Serbia!

In Russia the people are divided Eating meat regularly eventually into three "stocks," Great Russians, White Russians and Little Russians. British vital statistics show that there has been more marriages and less births since the war has been in progress.

Apparatus invented in England for preserving fish in carbonic acid gas under pressure is said to keep them perfectly fresh for at least six months. For retail dealers there has been

invented a machine that will take coal from a pile and pour it into bags for handling at a rate of 25 tons an hour. Two cities in Colombia on opposite sides of the Andes mountains will be connected by a steel ropeway more than 37 miles long which will transport both passengers and freight.

The first white woman to be married in what is now the city of Topeka, Kan., and who still lives there at the age of eighty-eight, is Mrs. Hattie A. Bunker. She was a native of Woburn, Mass., and went into the territory of Kansas 61 years ago.

Government experts estimate that of the 26,000,000 horse power, which it is possible to develop hydroelectrically in the United States, 19,000,000 horse power lies west of the Rockies.

Chinese Appreciation of Jade. The remarkable resonance of jade is a peculiar quality, which gives it great importance in Chinese estimation; to such an extent that "singers"

chimes" of 24 different pieces and tones were sometimes constructed. Occasional use is also made of the natural form of the jade bowlders, which are lound in river beds.

bidder explained that after treating the garbage with steam, grease is extracted, and from this grease glycerin is made, from which in turn nitroglycerin may be manufactured.

Trench Frost Bite.

An article in the Lancet discussed the so-called "frost bite" from which many soldiers suffered while fighting in the trenches in Flanders last winter. It is characterized by swelling. pain, and disturbance of sensation in the part affected, but not by the necrosis or death of the tissues which occurs in true frost bite. The names "frigorism" and "frigidism" have been suggested for it. The conditions causing it are cold, wet and interference with the circulation in the leg and foot by tight puttees and boots. A very thin layer of moderately dry air between the skin and the external cold water or ice enables the heat of the circulating blood to keep the parts free from "frigorism," and this can be obtained by wearing bags of very soft thin oilskin on the lower limbs, in conjunction with woolen socks. Nothing tight must be worn around the leg.

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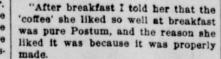
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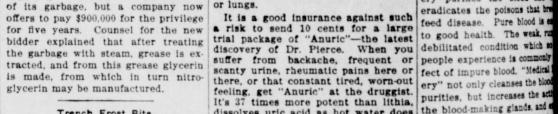
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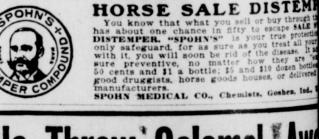
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