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BRITISH AND FRENCH SMASH GERMAN LINES IMPORTANT GAINS ARE REPORT.

ED IN SECTION NORTH OF THE SOMME.

ITALIANS LINES ADVANCE

Constanza and Mangalia, Black Sea Ports Held by Teutons, Are Shelled by Russians.

London .- The French troops in the somme region of France and northeast of Verdun have again smashed the German lines hard. North of the Somme, between Les Boeufs and Sailley-Saillisel, and on the St. Pierre Vaast wood sector important gains were made in violent fighting which proceeded throughout Sunday, according to the French official communication. The attack on the St. Pierre-Vaast wood, which was made from three sides simultaneously, netted the French three trenches on the northern side and the entire German positions on the southern outskirts of the wood.

To the north, despite the stormy weather, the British overran a front of a thousand yards and captured the hills in the neighborhood of the Butte de Warfincourt.

Keeping up their offensive in the Verdun region, the French have been enabled to occupy the entire village of Vaux and also the town of Damloup, a mile east of Fort Vaux.

Italian Front, Violent fighting continues south of Gorizia, where the Italians are endeavoring to break the Austrian lines and advance on Triest. Fresh gains have been made by King Victor Emmanuel's men on the Carso plateau. In the Transylvania Alps the Austro-Germans and Roumanians are still at deadly grips, with both sides claiming successes at various points. No News From Dobrudja.

There is still no news forthcoming from the Dobrudja region of the Roumania shedding light on the situation there. Both Constanza and Mangalia, ports on the Black sea held by the forces of the central powers, have again been shelled by Russian war

Small gasas for the Germans on the Russian front south of Dvinsk and in Galazia and in the Carpathian mountains for the Russians are recorded in the Berlin and Petrograd

and to govern itself by chosen repre-

centatives of the nation. Thus the

official communications.

GEN. SIR DOUGLAS HAIG

New portrait of General Haig, commander of the British forces in France, to whom is given much of the credit for the terrible offensive of the allies on the west front. Military authorities say that his conduct of the battle of the Somme will put his name among those of the great generals of

history. \$6,500,000,000 GAIN IN BANK RESOURCES Push French Out in Region of Bi-



Washington .- Growth of the coun-

GERMANS EVACUATE FORT VAUX, VERDUN RETIRE TO POSITIONS LESS EX POSED TO FIRE OF FRENCH ARTILLERY.

NOT WORTH COST TO HOLD With Douaumont in Hands of French Place Could Be Defended Only

at Great Sacrifice.

Berlin .-- Fort Vaux at Verdun was evacuated on the night of Nov. 1 and in accordance with prearranged plans, according to the German military leaders, who indicated they considered the sacrifices involved in its retention out of proportion to its value in the present German strate gic scheme.

Forts Douaumont and Vaux, it was explained, formed such a material element in the defense of Verdun as long as they remained with unimpaired armament in French hands that they had to be put out of ac tion in order to cripple the fortress and once this was accomplished the ruins of the forts, with the armaments removed, possessed no such importance to the Germans and served chiefly as targets for the French artillery.

Now that Fort Douaumont had passed again into French possession Fort Vaux no longer, in the opinion of the German leaders, justified the heavy sacrifices necessary to retain the ground about the fort, which is ill-adapted to defense against attacks from the south and west. Fort Vaux was therefore abandoned and the German lines retired to positions less

exposed to the French artillery. GERMANS RECAPTURE TRENCHES

ache and Capture 412 Frenchmen.

London.-In a vigorous counterattack launched with huge effectiveness the Germans facing the French south of the Somme river in France have recaptured parts of their former trenches north of La Maisonette and in the region of Biaches. In addition 412 Frenchmen were made prisoners by the Germans. To the north of the river, however, both the

French and the British succeeded in advancing their lines-the British between Les Boeufs and Morval and

the French northwest of Sailly-Sail-



Charles D. Mahaffie of Portland,

MANY OF THESE ARE REGIS-TERED AS VOTERS.

OTHER FRAUDS ARE ALLEGED Statement Declare: Plans to Violate Federal Statutes Have Been Found

in Several States. that 60,000 negroes have been trans. for the Bradley

FOR TEXAS ORE BEDS Member of Federal Circuit Court of Appeals for Twenty-Four Years. NEWLY INVENTED PROCESS WILL Waco, Texas .-- Ill health of five EMPLOY NATURAL GAS AS years resulted in the death here of REDUCING AGENT. Hon. Andrew P. McCormick, judge of

peals for the fifth circuit. Judge Mc-Cormick passed away in his apart-WILL LESSEN COST BY HALF ments at the State House hotel, where he resided for the last three years. The body was prepared for burial and sent to Dallas.

Texas Iron and Steel Company Closes Contract With Reduction Company, Making Building Possible.

Chicago .--- Unusual possibilities in of the hip and obliged him to use a men of business affairs and work-a-day the development of the east Texas wheel chair. He was, however, an burdens are becoming zestfully interfron ore beds are disclosed in the active member of the circuit court announcement by Chicago and New of appeals up to the time of his York bankers and business men in. death.

BIG REDUCTION PLANT JUDGE A. P. M'CORMICK DIES SEEKING FOR LIGHT

the United States circuit court of ap-

Judge McCormick had a severe fall

Judge McCormick took his first terested in the United States Reduc-tion company that the first plant in federal office in 1879, when he was the world for reduction of iron ore appointed United States attorney for without the use of coke will be built the Eastern district of Texas. Beon or near the large deposits of iron fore he could qualify for that posiore in east Texas and near the oil tion congress had created the Northand gas fields of east Texas and Lou- ern Judicial district of Texas and isiana. This plant will employ a new Judge McCormick was appointed process of reduction, recently invent- judge by President Hayes. On March caps at the poles of the earth were ed by Charles S. Bradley, an invent. 17, 1892, he was elevated to the ciror of international reputation, in cuit bench.

Andrew Phelps McCormick was which natural gas is used as fuel inborn on his father's farm on the San stead of coke. The United States Reduction com- Bernard river, in what is now Brapany has acquired the exclusive right zoria county, Dec. 18, 1832.

to use the Bradley process of reduc-Shows Largest Population Gain. and Canada. This company has also Dallas has outstripped all other tion of iron ore in the United States closed a contract with the Texas Texas cities for gains in population Iron and Steel company, which con. since 1910 and has taken first rank trols a large part of the east Texas with a total of 124,527 inhabitants, ore beds, for the exclusive right to according to figures obtained from use the Bradley process in Texas ter. the census bureau of the United States department of commerce. San ritory Antonio is second, with a population

Millions of Tons of Ore.

The Texas Iron and Steel com- is confined to an area of 17.5 square pure as the petals of the lily. pany controls large tracts of east miles within the city limits, against Texas lands underlaid with several an area of 36 square miles for San hundred million tons of high-grade Antonio. The figures for Dallas do more turning to the Bible with referore. These ore beds lie in Cass, not include the population of five ence to great topical lines of inquiry, Marion, Anderson and Henderson large suburbs, one of which is High- so as to apply the wonderful words counties. Many prominent bankers land Park. Houston is credited with of life, the examples of living testi-JUSTICE DEPARTMENT CHARGES ested in the Texas Iron and Steel 104,562, and Waco 33,385. and business men of Texas are intercompany.

Cuts Cost in Half.

Baptists Raise \$700.000. The Bradley process of reduction, Dallas, Texas .- The Baptists of it is claimed, will produce high-grade Texas raised \$700,000 in cash for all pig iron and steel direct from the purposes during the last year, Dr. J. tions of men with their fellowmen in ore without the use of coke. By em. B. Gambrell, corresponding secretary ploying natural gas and eliminating of the executive committee of the the coking process, it is claimed that Baptist General convention of Texas iron ore can be reduced by this pro- announces. He is preparing his re- of lesson series that are arranged cess at less than one-half the cost port for the annual convention at to give the study of the word the apunder the methods now employed in Waco Nov. 23. He said his report plication to modern thought and ex-Washington.-An official estimate blast furnaces. The claim is made will be the best in the history of the perience that is so much needed. "The

Men Turning to the Bible to Find Wisdom to Deal With Prac-

cal Things.

It has come to be felt in these days of efficiency demands and of conservation energy that the Bible is a storehouse of wisdom for practical life. And these stories have not been sufficiently valued and applied to the experience of men in society. The swing of the Protestant churches at his residence in Dallas five years toward Bible study and particularly ago, which brought about paralysis men's Bible classes, indicates that the ested in the application of biblical truth to themselves and their environment. Heaven is not made more distant to the spiritual vision because men are not using the churches simply as astronomical observatories, from which to descry the stars of hope and of faith and of reward in the heavenly planetary. The eternities do not suffer because the temporalities are cared for. One can be satisfied that the ice much more extensive, if he has sufficient geological knowledge to perceive the glacial drift in the stone and gravel deposits that run across the continent at a certain general parallel. So one can be assured of the fact of heaven, because he has constant evidence to his eyes and experience of graces and goodness in human hearts that are not of the earth earthy and must be of the heavens heavenly. So much pulpit labor is employed in painting heaven and its holiness when there are so many of God's children garbed in the tatters of sin and poverty and ignorance who should be of 123,831. The population of Dallas clothed in garments as radiant and as

What the Bible Has to Say. The Bible classes are more and modern living. What has the Bible to say of the many burning questions of the day? What are its suggestions for the solution of the intricate relathe numerous contacts of life? The Bible classes throw much light upon these subjects, those that use the type entrance of thy word giveth 1

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stored. The rule of the knout has been abolished. Poland has been given back to western civilization." The manifesto issued at Warsaw and Lublin decrees that Poland shall be "a national state with a hereditary monarchy and a foundational government." The exact frontiers of the kingdom of Poland are to be outlined later.

KILL 6 IN BATTLE WITH I. W. W.

Everett, Wash., Posse Prevents Party of 250 on Ship From Landing. Everett, Wash .- At least six were killed and 40 wounded Sunday in a pitched battle at the Everett city wharf between 250 members of the Industrial Workers of the World and a posse of 150 citizens headed by Sheriff Don McRae. Sheriff McRae is among the seriously wounded. The industrial workers came here from Seattle on the steamer Verona.

After the shooting, in which about thousand shots were exchanged, the Verona turned around and started back to Seattle. Many men were seen to fall on the deck of the steam er and others, panic-stricken, jumped overboard. Some were taken from the water, but others disappeared and it is believed they were drowned. The Verona reached Everett short-

ly before 2 o'clock. The coming of the party of invaders had been announced in messages sent to Everett from Seattle headquarters.

Trouble Outgrowth of Strike. The trouble between the Industrial Workers of the World and the authorities at Everett has been latent for several months and was the outgrowth of a strike here.

War Sub as Convoy to Deutschland.

New London, Conn.-The German armored submarine U-57, sister ship of the U-53, which recently sank five her return trip to Germany, according to a statement by Captain Paul enig. Rumors were in circulation here of the presence of French and British cruisers off Block Island, No Man's Land and Nantucket shoals, but there was no confirmation.

try's banking resources since passage lisel. In the latter engagement 60 of the federal reserve act is put at Germans were captured. Autonomy Restored to Poles. Berlin .- "The Polish provinces oc "were the scene of a great and momentous historic event Sunday. Germany and Austria-Hungary, by joint action, proclaimed Warsaw and Lublin the kingdom of Poland and react was passed, to July, 1916, includ- In the Rothenthurm pass region Berestablished the right of the Polish ing nearly all of the first two years lin records a new success for the city alone. nation to control its own destinies, of the European war. to live an independent national life

in interest charges."

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Austro-Germans, but admits that "This stupendous increase in bank- southwest of the Szurduk pass the ing assets and available capital," says Roumanians have forced the Austrothe statement, "has been accompnied German columns to fall back.

by an unprecedented quickening which has amounted in many cases to an DEUTSCHLAND IS HERE AGAIN. official announcement that actual outburst of business activity in every state and in practically every German Merchant Submarine Arrives

at New London on Second Trip part of every state. Coincidentally there has been a marked reduction to America.

The increase in resources, it is said, is greater than the total resurces of all the country's banks a harbor here early Wednesday morn- district, announced that investigators little more than a decade ago.. In ing. New England the three year's in- Captain Koenig said the Deutsch- registration colonization of voters, inrease has been 21 per cent; in the land left Bremen on October 10 and timidation and the use of money to the train, carrying the loot away in as Pastor Russell, died suddenly the Bible classes are doing a work of crease has been 21 per cent; in the land left Bremen on October 10 and the use of modely to and the use of modely to and the use of modely to an the second and the use of the use of the use of the use of the use o the middle states 32 and in the west incident. The entire crew comprises said, had occurred in Illinois, Ohio

Great Increase in Deposits.

years ago, the statement says. and growing tendency toward decen. have a large cargo of chemicals. months from May 1 to Sept. 12. this only a few persons were aware that purposes.

year, deposits in New York city de she was there. creased nearly a quarter of a billion follars. increasing heavily meanwhile in country banks.

The total resource increase in the south was \$302,000,000, middle states \$1,481.000,000, western states \$395,-000,000, Pacific states \$325,000,000, insular possessions \$40,000,000.

All the states of the union, except three, show great increases in deposits. The exceptions are Alabama, Mississippi and Oregon. The four states showing the highest percent-Dakota 52, Wyoming 49.

1,820 Merchant Ships Sunk.

New York .- One thousand eight hundred and twenty merchant ships with an aggregate gross tonnage of Vessels off the New England cost, is expected to act as a convoy to the undersea freighter Deutschland on 27 months of the war ending Nov. 1, board at \$1,931,000,000. They are dis-27 months of the war ending Nov. 1, according to figures compiled from advices published here by the Jurnal of commerce. A table showing the losses estimates those of the entente allies at about 75 per cent and neu-trais at nearly 18 per cent, with Teu-trais at nearly 18 per cent. board at \$1,931,000,000. They are dis-munition, according to the communi-cation. The war office reported the capture of 4,371 prisoners, bringing the total in the new offensive in this region to 8,679. The first day of the new offensive cost the Austrians the and the altered position of the United

tupied by troops of the central pow-ers," says the Overseas News agency, of the treasury. The record is de-keeping up their advance, on the of justice in a statement declaring clared to be without a parallel in the Transylvania front the Roumanians that a number of the negroes have BANDITS ROB TRAIN; KILL 29. history of this or any other nation. The figures cover the period' from July, 1913, a few months before the resh gains have been made by them. into thousands of false names in one

> The statement, issued with the sanction of Attorney General Gregory, gives warning that conspiracies to intimidate voters will be promptly prosecuted. It is the department's first cases of fraud have been developed by its investigators.

Evidence of Election Frauds. Chicago .- Frank C. Dailey, in

New London, Conn .- The German charge of the government's investi-

25 men. The Deutschland appeared and Indiana.

in the outer harbor shortly after mid-Deposits since the reserve act went night and proceeded to the dock of New York City Faces Coal Famine. into force has made an unprecedent-ed jump also. Their total increase Captain F. Hinsch of the Forward-unprecedented increase in the price is put at six and a quarter billion ing company accompanied, by Dr. R. of domestic coal to \$12.50 a ton here dollars, or 31 per cent, nearly as E. Black, the health officer, and other retail merchants notified the public great as the resource increase. Banks and trust companies are a tug. The usual quarantine regula and limitation of deliveries to one lending three and a quarter offlion tions were waived and the Deutsch- ton a customer would avert a famdollars more than they were three land tied up at the dock near the ine. The soaring prices are due to North German Lloyd steamer Wille- the enormous demands of manufac- the third quarter of the calendar Railroads Entering Torreon Are Cut. Emphasis is laid upon a distinct had. The Deutschland was said to turing plants, which are working year established a new high record at either full time, overtime or double tralization throughout the country of The submersible, under her own time; the shortage of unskilled labor "excessive reserves heretofore piled power, slid into a "pocket" that had at the mines, the freight car shortup in eastern cities." This has been prepared for her at the wharf age, the premature consumption of especially true during the last few at 2:25 o'clock. The craft's entry the reserve stock and the utilization months. In the four and one-half into the harbor was so silent that of domestic coal for manufacturing of surplus for the quarter amounting also south and east of the Coahuila

\$400.000.000 in Mortgages.

St. Louis, Mo .- Mortgages for \$400,-37,500,000 Dozen Eggs in Storage. Chicago.—After hearing charges by 000,000 were filed by the St. Louis Alderman Protzel that there were 37.- & San Francisco Railway company at 500,000 dozen eggs in Chicago in cold Clayton, Mo. One of \$250,000,000 is storage at present, while the price is a prior lien in favor of the Central soaring about 45c, the city council Trust company of New York and health committee invited United Daniel K. Catlin of St. Louis, trus-States District Attorney Cline to at- tees. An adjustment mortgage of tend the next meeting of the com-mittee at which an effort will be ers' Trust company and Edward F. made to show collusion on the part Swinney, trustees, and an income of the middlemen and producers to mortgage of \$75,000,000 is in favor age of increase in deposits are Okla- control the price of foodstuffs. A of the Union Trust company and Jay homa 54 per cent, Arizona 53, North Michigan farmer testified that half a Herndon Smith, trustees. The mortdozen Chicago operators control egg gages were given as the final step in prices through the middle west. the Frisco reorganization.

Foreign Obligations \$1,931,000,000.

Italians Take 3.948 More Austriane Rome .-- In the zone from Gorizia to Washington.-Obligations of for the Adriatic sea the Italians have eign governments, bankers and mer- captured additional points of vantage chants now held in the United States from the Austrians and taken 3,940 more prisoners and guns, machine guns and quantities of arms and am

process that it will denomination. An unusually large ported recently from the south into revolutionize the iron and steel indus- per cent of the churches are in splensix and one-half billion dollars in a While in the Dobrudja region of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and other try and may change the steel map of did condition and all phases of activthe last 12 months, he said.

Passengers Relieved of Belongings, Forced to Disrobe and Give Up Clothes.

shooting the 29 Carranza military troller. This is an increase of \$7. needs. The life of Moses, the lives of guards of the southbound passenger 628,249 over the previous year, or ap. any of the Old Testament worthies. train which left Juarez Monday, Vilia proximately 35 per cent. The figures the underlying social laws that are bandits looted the train, robbed the cover road district bonds, levee irri- found in the books wherein are passengers and even took the cloth- gation and drainage bonds, county framed the legislation for a new soing from the women passengers. Dr. and city bonds and common and inde- ciety-the Jewish theocracy-are re-Haffner, of El Paso, a German pas- pendent school district bonds. An plete with incalculable resources of senger on the train, who was mistak- increase is shown in each instance material for present-day utilization. en by the bandits for an American, except in county bonds. Road bonds Above all else the life and the words was struck over the head by one of amounted to \$6,152,000, an increase of Jesus offer to the world a fund of the bandits, who used his gun as a of \$2,050,000.

club. Dr. Haffner was not seriously

senger train as it was approaching that Mr. Russell was ill at the time the extraction of truth from the Word. Laguna station. The bandits could of leaving Los Angeles for New York. Thus they are not trammelled by the be seen plainly by the engine crew Charles Taze Russell was president and passengers before the train was of the Watch Tower Bible and Tract tarian viewpoint. They are a fine orstopped, but because of the nature of society of Pennsylvania and of the the country, escape was impossible. International Bible Student's association of London and prominent au-

U. S. Steel Earnings \$85,817.067. thor of studies on the Scriptures. He New York .-- Total earnings of the 1852. United States Steel corporation for

\$85,817,067, exceeding the previous olated, according to a report received best statement, that of the preceding here by government agents from guarter, by \$4,691,019. Net income of semi-official sources in Juarez. The stational is reported to have been railroad is reported to have been record by \$3,822,316 and the balance cut between Jiminez and Torreon and to \$51.859,450 represents an increase metropolis. From the same source it of \$3,894,915. was reported that Villa captured a

Washington .- Reports from 124 out that town last Friday. The entire of 185 railways whose revenues ex- Santa Rosalia garrison is said to ceed \$1,000,000 issued by the inter- have joined the Villa bandits. state commerce commission, show that their net revenue from railway "Statistics for the biennium endoperation ran up to \$245.558,236, an ing Sept. 1, 1916, show," according to increase of more than \$40,000,000 over Superintendent W. F. Doughty, "that the previous report. A complete re- bonds were issued by independent nort for July shows that all the roads and common school districts for the of \$1,000,000 revenue or more had a purpose of repairing, erecting and net revenue of \$107,558,005. The com-making addition to school buildings, I lingered not. And lo! I had passed plete operating revenues were \$302,-907,817 and total operating expenses buying school equipment and furni-\$195.369.812.

Gainesville, Texas-The brick buildig occupied by the Elite confectionery and news stand on East California street, collapsed, completely 200 bandits who held up the Mexican demolishing the soda fountain and fixtures, entailing a loss of \$8,000. Ex- station was a part of Jose Ynes Salacavation for the basement of a new zar's command of 2,000 men, which building pext door is believed to have are guarding the Mexican Northwestweakened the walls of the Elite. Severn railroad west of Chihuahua city. weakened the waits of the line. Set eral persons in the building narrowly all passengers on the train, includ-ing was owned by George Rice and the contents by A. B. Guinn.

says the psalmist. And the light of the Word is the leading needed by manity have improved materially during kind.

Much Taught by Sacred Book. It would be difficult to overestimate

the effects upon society of the hun-\$22,575,427 Issued in Bonds. Austin, Texas-Improvement bonds dreds of thousands of men engaged in issued and registered in Texas during Bible study, especially as this study the fiscal year ending Aug. 31, last, takes the form of seeking interpretaaggregated \$22,575,427, according to tions of biblical history experience Chihuai a City. Mexico.-After figures compiled by the state comp- and wisdom in the light of modern

practical suggestion, implication and

mandate that should be employed gation into vote frauds in the central district, announced that investigators injured. The bandits, who were in have found evidence of fraudulent registration colonization of voters, in- Sylvester Quevedo, then abandoned sell of Brocklyn, N. Y., widely known of inward spiritual experience. Hence while aboard a Santa Fe train at tremendous potentiality. They do not the command which held up the pas- lo, of heart disease. It was learned courage hypocrisy; they are aimed at limitations of denomination or secganizing agency and are promotive of true brotherhood and of practical Christianity in the life of the times.

was born in Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 16, MAJESTY OF HUMBLE THINGS

Christian Will Not Despise Even the

Smallest, Remembering That All the Earth Is God's.

Let us not forget the humble things, nor despise the things that are weak. The fountain on the hillslope may yet become a river. The chubby hand may wield the scepter of nations. The voice of the child may yet utter its message to waiting thousands. "Evermore," exclaimed Doctor Matheson, "let me reverence the prosaic things. Evermore let me uncover my head in the place that seems a desert. Let me walk solemnly by the rill, it may one day be a river. Let me tread with awe the village street, it may one day be a city. Let me stand with veneration before the squalid child, he may be a Shakespeare one day. Once with proud feet I passed a hovel by; the great event of the world-the babe whose swaddling bands were to enfold, all nations! The gold and the trankincense and the myrrh were there, and the motherhood that taught thy fatherhood, and the wisdom that had found a new worship, and the star itary authorities in Juarez that the that had lit a new hope! When I am tempted to despise the desert, let me central passenger train at Laguns remember, O Lord, the majesty of the

> I do love my country's good with a respect more tender, more holy and profound than mine own lifehakespeare

bandits when they left Laguna.

larger number of Carranza prisoners

Gainesville Building Collapses. Part of Salazar's Command. El Paso, Texas-Government agents have received information from' mil-

purchasing sites therefor and for ture to the amount of \$6,669,225.

Railroads Show Big Revenue Increase in Santa Rosalia when he occupied

El Paso, Texas .- Torreon is now is-

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"Subscribers fatting to get their paper on time, will confer a favor by 1e porting same to us.

Now, that the election is over, let us forget our differences and work in common for future success

Somebody has got to go back to farming or famine will be a condition instead of a thing of which we read.

In the wars of the future, Providence will be on the side which can enlist the greatest number of chemists and machinists.

The time was, when we would go a day's journey to see a horse race; but, today, we would not go two rods to see one. They are too slow.

The persistent visits of oil prospectors to Sterling indicates that some day the pound of the drill will be heard in the land. They must think that there is something here, or they would not persist in their prospecting.

The cream separator is said to be a dangerous competitor of the booze still. The malted liquor, or beer, is poured into the cream separator and a few turns of the handle separates the alcohol from the water. Alcohol is lighter than water, and is therefore thrown to the top by centrifugal force in the same manner that cream is separated from mill

Home and State, official organ the Anti-Saloon League, jubilantly tells us that "that extensive use of the motion picture screens throughout California is being made by pro- After he looks at the big sheet for hibitionists. A large majority of awhile, he decides that he does not of the shows display slides free of know "straight up" about it, folds charge. It is the best publicity of it up and passes it in without a ed by a close margin. And yet, only a few weeks ago, which results it its being thrown since Tuesday, but this morning the For Railroad Commissioner:

Evangelist Ham, official agitator of out. the Anti-Saloon League, declared Of course, the Board i

STEADILY GOING UP!

Most every day we receive notice of the advance in the price of some line of merchandise. We have been advised to advance the price on men's shoes \$1 per pair. and many other things in proportion.

Buy Now

For every day you wait means money lost.

C. W. Workman



The latest dispatches almost assure the election of Woodrow Wilson and Thomas Marshall are elect- For Governor:

the campaign, says a dry leader." mark on it to indicate his choice. The result has been in doubt

news came that was but little or Mayfield THOMAS BRENNAND, SR., IS DEAD

Last night, at 12:30 o'clock, Thos. Brennand, Sr., died at his home here from injuries received in a fall. from a ladder about two weeks ago. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Malcom Black, assisted by Reverends Everitt and McWhorter. at the Baptist church this afternoon at 1 o'clock, after which the remains will be taken to Colorado, where interment will be made tomorrow at 10:30, a. m.

Deceased was born in the County of Yorkshire, England, December 17, 1834, and came to America in 1858. In 1862, he married and settled in Wisconsin. He came to Texas in 1876, and settled in the Concho country in 1879, where he resided until his death.

He was twice married. By his first wife there were six children, four of whom survive him as follows: W. H. Brennand of Roswell, N. M.; T. G. Brennand, of Sterling City; Mrs. J. A. Robertson, of Chase City, Va.; and R. S. Brennad, of Colorado.

His second wife, "Aunt" Mary Brennand, died here more than a year ado.

He was the first County Commissioner to represent Precinct No. 4. and was present as a member of the Commissioners' Caurt at its first sitting at the old Kildare ranch in 1891

Thomas Brennand was always a good citizen, a kind neighbor and a friend to the man who was "down" and out" and needed a friend. His simple, unassuming and kind-heart-

ed ways made friends of all who same address \$2.00. Save \$1.00. All Sterling mourns the loss of a American \$2. You save \$1.

good citizen, and we join these who Pictorial Review 2 years \$2. Save mourn. To his bereaved children, \$1.00. the News-Record offers sincere sym-

pathy in this hour of sorrow. Notice

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Respectfully.

Prof. and Mrs. S. Kellogg (the latter being better know as Mrs. J. E. lework \$1.25. es out of nine resulted as follows: 170

Republican electors 170 in this science, and Mrs. Kellogg semi-weekly papers.

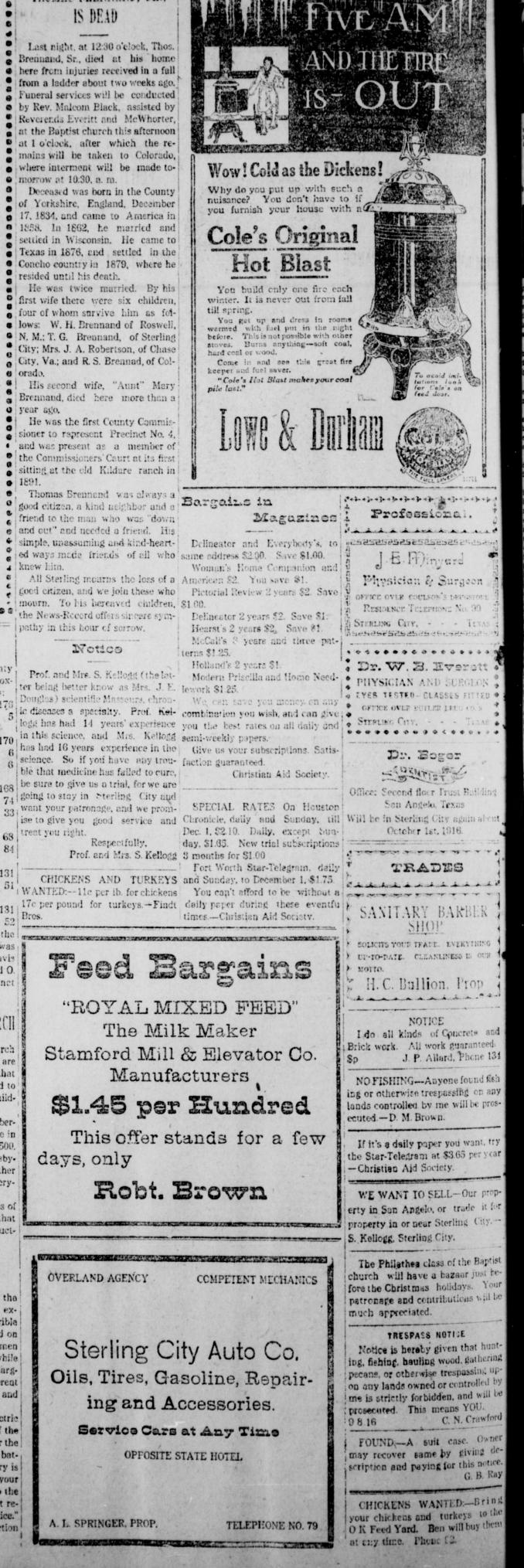
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has had 16 years experience in the Give us your subscriptions. Satisscience. So if you have any trou- faction guaranteed. ble that medicine has failed to cure,

168 be sure to give us a trial, for we are going to stay in Sterling City and



picture shows "dirty, low-down, hell- help Mr. Voter make out his ticket, born things, made possible by low if it is asked, but many men are too elected by a margin of less than 10 Hurdleston and brainless people," or words to sensitive to ask for help in such electoral votes. So close was the that effect. Do you remember it? matters because they feel that it is contest in some of the states that a reflection, and to ask it would be the result cannot be positively as- County Prohibition: -West Nows

Remember it? Surel But did it an acknowledgement of ignorance. certained until the official count is ever occur to you that Bro. Ham There is too much red tape made, but it is generally conceded has said many things besides his about our elections. Six per cent prayers? If present indications are is too great a loss in our represen- that the Democrats have won. any criterion, this brother's forbears tation, and the sooner these mat- The next Congress will be Demomust have been among those who ters are simplified so that the aver- cratic by a majority of about 10 in entertained themselves by roasting age man can cast an intelligent bal- the Senate and from 10 to 18 in the regular nominees, W. F. Kellis was witches. Later on, when roasting lot, the better it will be for the House. witches was no longer amusing to commonwealth.

the saints, they devoted much lung energy to cussing the fiddle and telling the people that it was the only musical instrument in hell. When common sense and reason be-

OFR SCHOOL

We appreciate very much the cogan to rule, the much abused fiddle operation you gave us last week became the evangelists side-partner, when you kept your children in Today-that is, not long ago-Bro, school while the fair was in prog-Ham condemned the moving pict. ress. You have no idea of how ure show to the sootpits of perdition; much it helps the teacher to have but it won't be long now, until the your boys and girls at school every good brother's descendants will be day, and at school promptly. proclaiming the sins of others (not Our report for the month just their's) through the medium of the past (October) shows an enrollment movie. Such people are always of 188 pupils. Since the first of looking backward, and are ever this month there has been added ready to oppose progress and new three more, which gives us the total things. We laugh at the supersti- enrollment of 191. The attendance tion of the cornfield nigger who re- percentage for the past month was lies on his rabbit's foot to bring him 94.8% of enrollment. We think luck, but until some of our white this a good report on attendance. · people who pose as leaders and We owe this to you parents who

teachers learn that spooks and dev. believe in sending your children ils are only creatures of superstition, every day if possible. One room in the lower part of Sambo has the laugh on us.

Too Much Red Tape

Over six per cent of the votes thinking favorably toward the new cast at the Sterling City box were school building. thrown out by the election board hast Tuesday because the voters failed to make out their tickets properly.

Neither the Board nor the voters were to blame for this. While the operation of making out and prop- This good old mother of Israel erly marking a ballot appears sim- passed away on Saturday, October Hill. ple to the man who has studied the 28th, and was buried at East Union _____Andy Pool. matter, yet, to the man who has burying ground near her late home had no opportunity, or has failed to Sunday at 2:00 o'clock. The funer- Mary Tom Allen. study it, it is an intricate problem. al services were conducted by Rev.

When a man offers to vote, he is W. A. Roper, pastor of the Baptist handed a hig document, the like of church in Kosciusko. Mrs. McWhor- the meditations of my heart be acwhich he has never seen before, and ter was relict of the late Williams ceptable in thy sight, O, Lord, my paired and filled with "juice." cir cird to a booth where he is sup- C. McWhorter, who preceded her to strength and my redeemer." posed to make his choice in cerrit. the Great Beyond some thirty-odd | C:20 c'eleck, p. m.

no doubt but that Wilson had been Gilmore Constitutional Amendment: For Against

Texas, Hurdleston has won over No. 1.

Gilmore.

years ago. She was 84 years and 12 days old. She was the mother Subscriptions for a new church of eight children, four of whom are building for the Presbyterians are living, viz: Mrs. B. T. Fullilove, Mrs. now being taken. We learn that Lily Bell, P. B. McWhorter, Jr., all Rev. Malcom Black has offered to of this county, and Rev. J. D. Mc- donate a beautiful site for the build-Whorter, of Sterling City, Texas, ing.

Mrs. McWhorter was a life-long People are subscribing very liber-Christian and died in the faith. She ally to the enterprise. We have in was devoted to her family and was mind two men who will give \$500, a kind neighbor and friend. No Subscriptions will not be by Presbyharm word could truthfully be terians alone, but, like the other spoken of her. She lived more than church buildings in Sterling, everyher allotted three score and ten, body will have a hand in it.

and the machinery of her being We have not learned the plans of gradually wore out. To the be- the building, but it is rumored that reaved relatives we extend our it is to be a handsome brick structheart-felt sympathy .- Kosciusko ure..

pleasant duty.

At the Brick Garage, an electric

battery charging apparatus of the

latest type has been installed for the

teries. If your storage battery is

starter and lights, take it to the

(Miss.) Herald.

The subject of the above obituary the building has 53 pupils. This was the mother of the beloved number is too much for one teacher. We need more room and more teach-this place, to whom we join in exteaching force. We hope you are tending sympathy.

B. Y. P. U. Program

Mrs. Catherine McWhorter

Yours for service.

"Herod's Fate."-Mae Austin. run down and fails to operate your "Let the words of my mouth and

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Against Special Road Tax 131 For Bros Against 52 In addition to the election of the elected County Surveyor, Jeff Davis In the contest for the unexpired Hide and Animal Inspector, and O. term of Railroad Commissioner of H. Graham Constable of Precinct NEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCI

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OPFOSITE STATE HOTEL.

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President in charge.

Leader in charge: Marjorie Allen, ing a battery has a very different 1. "James put to Death by Her- meaning, and is a very safe and

od."-Harvey Foster. "Peter put in Prison."-Tom "Peter Prayed out of Prison." "Peter outside the Prison." _ purpose of charging run down bat-

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quick and delicious salad dressing as follows: Rub to a paste the yolks of three

hard-cooked eggs and two tablespoonfuls of olive oil; add salt, paprika and white pepper to taste, then add slowly two taespoonfuls of good vinegar; add

dually half a cupful of cream, and en well mixed beat it two minutes th an egg beater; set on the ice unthoroughly chilled; this is particuy good for potato or any vegetable

gue is recommended to be used place of suet in mince ples; then dish. y may be served cold and are equalas good as hot.

French fried potatoes, if rolled in uch improved.

when boiling ham add a few cloves

plain, everyday kind.

onfuls of finely minced ham

ettuce.

unful of boiling water, until thick, oven. an add four tablespoonfuls of butter cook five minutes: remove from

Apple Pudding .-- Put lavers of butped apple, a little sugar and cin- | flour to make the mixture quite stiff. m, then another layer of toast, Roll out thin and cut in small cookies. Intered. Pour over a custard, using pint of milk and two eggs, a little

n the school of experience everydy pays his own tuition and nobody

It and sugar. Bake until the custard

raduates.-Judge: lany men owe the grandeur of their

wer of place and lordly way I only pray for simple grace to look my neighbor in the face full honestly from day to day.-J. W. Riley. WHEN HONEY IS PLENTIFUL.

Honey deserves more attention in cookery than it now occupies. In many

places where honey is abundant it is already holding its place with sugar which it surpasses in sweetening pow-Baked Apples .-

Peel and core a half dozen fair sized apples. Mix one cupful of fine bread crumbs, three tablespoonfuls of honey, a half teaspoonful each of cinnamon and lemon extract. Fill the centers of the apples with the mixture

and bake in a well greased baking

Honey Corn Bread .-- Thoroughly nix two pounds of cornmeal and a quarter of a pound of flour; add four neal before frying will be found cupfuls of water. Stir well for three minutes; beat two eggs, add two teaspoonfuls of honey, two of salt, one whatever canned fruit juice is at tablespoonful of melted butter and one nd, such as peach, pear, quince, apri- and a half cupfuls of liquid yeast; or the juice from pickled peaches mix and stir all the ingredients together, beating occasionally for a half

Patty shells seasoned with grated hour. Pour into a deep, greased pan make e delicious change from and set in a warm place for two hours to rise. Bake in a moderate oven New York Sandwich .--- With three ta- until the top is a golden brown.

Honey Spice Cake .- Stir togethes and two tablespoonfuls of finely until creamy one and a half cupfuls ed onion. Add one well-beaten of honey and three-quarters of a cup-, and when well mixed, drop by ful of butter, add gradually two well fuls into hot drippings; pat in beaten eggs, one-half cupful of milk, and when delicately brown on alternating with three cupfuls of flour turn and saute on the other, in which two teaspoonfuls of baking place between slices of bread, powder has been sifted. Add a cupand cut in sandwich form. ful of currants, the same of raisins, and a tablespoonful of allspice. When Pralinea-Boll together two all mixed turn into a deep, well fuls of brown sugar, a quarter of greased pan and bake in a moderate

Gingersnaps .-- Into a double broller put three-quarters of a cupful of butstove, add a cupful of pecans and ter, one cupful of honey and two tea-

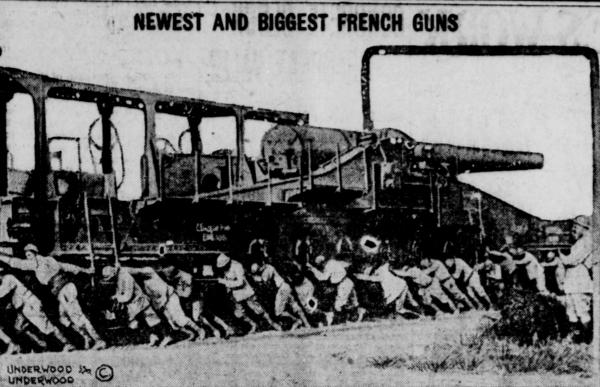
for one minute, or until thick spoonfuls of powdered ginger. Allow ingh to drop by spoonfuls on a but- the mixture to cook three minutes after the boiling point is reached. Remove from the fire and set aside to toast in a baking dish, cover with cool. When almost cold, stir in enough

> From four things God preserve us-; a painted woman, a conceited valet, salt beef without mustard and a late dinner.-Italian.

"One likes the pheasant's wing, and one the leg." BRACE OF BIRDS.

In cooking game it must be remem-

bered that such birds as quail and



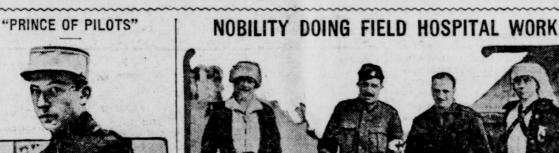
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This huge gun is the latest type and one of the largest guns being used by France. It is said to be superior to iny other piece of ordnance now used on the battlefields of Europe by any of the warring powers. Photograph shows a small army of men moving the monster into position on the firing line

COMFORTS OF HOME ON THE BATTLEFIELD



This English Tommy has picked out an unusual spot, in this scene of rack and ruin, to take a snooze, but after sleeping on the hard ground he has been unable to resist the comforts of home that the fortunes of war have turned up in such an unusual manner. His snooze is liable to be broken up at any minute by the thunder of shell fire.



HIGH COST OF LIVING

This is a serious matter with housekeepers as food prices are constantly going up. To overcome this, cut out the high priced meat dishes and serve your family more Skinner's Macaroni and Spaghetti, the cheapest, most delicious and most nutritious of all foods. Write the Skinner Mfg. Co., Omaha, Nebr., for beautiful cook book, telling how to prepare it in a hundred different ways. It's free to every woman .- Adv.

FAMOUS SCIENTIST AS CHEF

Visitors Mistaken in Thinking Metchnikoff Was Engaged in Laboratory Experiments.

One day some distinguished visitors who had arrived in Paris and were being escorted about by a committee were taken to call upon the late Ppofessor Metchnikoff (the famous scientist who believed that the secret of long life lay in diet) toward the hour of noon. The laboratory was all but empty, as most of the workers had departed for that sacred meal, the French dejeuner. But Metchnikoff was there himself intent upon a vessel he was holding over a gas burner.

"It must be a very interesting experiment that keeps you engaged even at this hour," remarked one of the committee.

"Look for yourself," said Metchnikoff, and, continuing to stir with a glass tube, held up the dish so that a delicious fragrance rose to the noses of the visitors.

"That's what I'm working at," he laughed, "banana in slices, fried in butter. It is excellent."-World's Work.

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Entertaining Was Too Strenuous. A five-year-old boy had spent the morning at the home of a neighbor, who owns a beautiful collie pup. The youngster and little dog had romped about the lawn in high glee, until in play, the collie scratched the lad's leg with its teeth. Hurrying home, the child told his mother the dog had bit him, and that he was not going over to see its owner again.

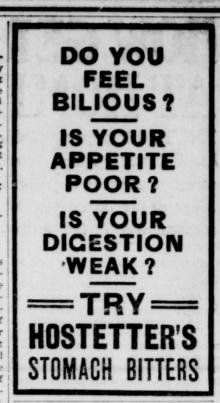
"You should be ashamed to talk that way, son," the mother replied. "You know you love the puppy, and the L.'s have been lovely to you. They have entertained you all morning."

"Entertained! Entertained!" exchew on.'

Pimples, boils, carbuncles, dry up and give up his orders. disappear with Doctor Pierce's Golden "Orkers!" Medical Discovery. In tablets or liquid. my orders?" -Adv.

Not the Simple Life.

Little Dorothy had acquired a fixed



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His Many Duties.

When young Farmer Giles left the happy homestead and plowed fields to claimed the boy. "They have enter- join the army there was not a prouder tained me for the dog over there to man in the land. The first time he was doing sentry-go the officer of the guard came by and called upon him to

"Orders!" shouted Giles. "Give up

"Yes, certainly. What are you here for?" demanded the officer, sharply.

"Oh, I'm here to walk up and down, habit of eating Sunday dinner with her stand at attention, wink at the girls, two old and beloved friends, the look after Sergeant Murphy's bit of Browns, who lived just across the garden and see that nobody pinches street. Coming home she found her his spades; also to see you ain't about own family seated at their table en- when they fetch the beer for the ying a substantial but plain dinner. guardroom prisoners, and should you come on the scene to-" A slight wave of contempt crossed her But the officer had completely colface. lapsed .-- Pittsburg Chronicle Telegram. "Why, what did you have for dinner?" her mother asked. What He Would Do. "Baked chicken, rice, hot biscuits, It was his first night on guard, and, mashed potatoes, candied sweet potatoes, cranberries, plum jelly and other of course, Mike Flaherty was on delinquencies," loftily asserted the lit- watch against officers and such-like, tle maid .- The Christian Herald. questioning him on his duties. As it happened, he was at a station guarding a magazine of powder that Quite a Different Thing. had arrived during the day. Suddenly The beautiful girl's smiles changed the orderly officer came pround and, o a dark frown after the usual formalities, commenced

AUTUMN FISH.

Now that oysters are again in seanice dish to serve is the following: Take a cupful of two cupfuls of flaked cooked fish, and a cup-ful of oysters chopped rich white sauce and fine. Butter a dish, put in the fish, then a laver of white sauce, then the

ead oysters with Tartar sauce to that the distinct and characteristic ful each of chopped parsley, mayonnaise dressing.

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ib meat added to rich white sauce served on toast makes a nice seon dish. Crab meat and chopped hat huntoked eggs makes a nice sandgathering oyster crabs are deliciou ssind upas an entree or for luncheon as rolled by bstantial dish. Wash and dry each in milk and seasoned id will be fry in hot fat. Lay on a pa y and surround with lemon

POSTSCRIPTS

essed-air locomotive has been on one large Cuban sugat to avoid all danger from

roads of the United State 1 128,200,000 tons of coal last or 24 per cent of the total pro-

orted to have fallen recently in the state of Perna

very hot.

partridge, like chicken, being white meat, should never be served underdone, while duck, snipe, woodcock and pigeon are dark meat and they are best served rare and

If there is a fishy flavor or odor to wild duck which is objectionable, parboil them in a little oysters; seasoning well, soda water with a piece of charcoal

cover with white sauce and if roasted, place a few stalks of and buttered erumbs. celery in the bird. As most game Brown well in the oven. lacks fat this is supplied by larding -This is a good dish for with fat salt pork and basting well chilly night. Cut off the black part during the cooking. As the seasoning the clam if the soft-shelled ones of game makes or mars it, care should used; chop the clams and fill after to taken not to overdo the seasoning. ing seasoned into small ramekins. The dish to be served, no matter what er with a rich piecrust and bake it is-bird, fish, flesh or vegetableshould not be so deluged with flavors

he as first course. Add one table- flavor of the food itself is lost. Wild Ducks With Turnips .- Cut up

ales, capers and olives to a cupful the bird in neat pieces for serving. Slice one large onion and one carrot. Hot Shrimps.—Let the shrimps soak ke water, dry and clean them, but-or butter in a saucepan and put in ta baking dish and put in a layer white sauce made with cream, then nicely browned. Strain off the fat, with sauce, sprinkle with buttered hour. Peel eight turnips, cut four of them into quarters and fry them brown in hot butter; put them with s dish that touches the spot. Use the duck to finish cooking. Boil the

of clams, added the last 15 min- other turnips in salted water until to the hot soup. Fry a slice of soft, then rub them through a sleve; pork, cut in dice; add an onion put them in a saucepan with one tablether and cost them until tender; with salt and pepper, stir in four taadd milk, the clams and crackers, blespoonfuls of hot cream and heat ng the clams to cook without beagain. Take up the duck, dish it on the hot mashed turnips and arrange

in Fritters.-Beat the yolks of the fried quarters around it. Strain the liquor from the duck, remove the each of butter and lemon fat, and thicken with a teaspoonful Beat it up well and let stand of flour. Pour it over the duck and hours. Then add chopped clams that it will be a thick drop batter; serve, or serve the sauce separately. two or three at a time to avoid

serve a cheap cut of lamb. Cut pleces of lamb taken from the neck or shoulder in convenient sized pieces for serving. Roll each piece in seasoned flour and lay in a dish; add sufficient potatoes, minced onion, in layers; fill the dish with stock, having the potatoes on top. Bake in a slow oven for three hours, adding more liquid from time to time as needed.

nellie Maxwell

Natives of Algeria bury with the dead the medicines used by them in their last illnesses ston's noted old American house ldest hotel in town, is to be dem

A novel fan that resembles the factric affair is driven by a in its base, gas or deatured alcohol being the fuel used. To treat persons with defective

ech apparatus has been in the pressure of the tong when certain sounds are uttered.



An interesting photograph of nobility doing field hospital work in France. On the left the Duchess of Sutherland at her tent hospital at Boubourg, France, installed by her after her hospital in Dunkirk was evacuated. She has lately reinstalled the hospital at Dunkirk. Standing at the side of the duchess is the Count de Balbiani, chief of a section of the American ambulance, who was decorated for his work with his section during the bombardment of Dunkirk. He is now in the American aviation corps. On the right is the Viscountess Benoit d'Azy, who has done splendid work in Dunkirk during the bombardment. Her husband was the naval attache in Washington during Roosevelt's administration.

AFTER A BLOODY BATTLE IN FRANCE

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Everyone of these guns represents a soldier dead, wounded or captured. Most pictures of stacked guns represent them as being on the night before the These guns are after the battle. They have been picked up on the battle. field in a drive on the western front. bloody

POSTSCRIPTS	Pith of sunflower stalks, which is about ten times lighter than cork, is
laws so rigidly that even telephon- on that day is prohibited. hinese ship eggs long distances in i condition by coating them with aste made of sen salt, vegetable es and water. pon the basis that every grain of at will produce fifty, a German hematician has figured that the d year progeny of a single grain ld feed 300 men.	extensively used in Russian life-saving apparatus. Fuel-saving is the purpose of a re- cently patented ring to be placed around the burner of a gas or oil stove to protect its flame from drafts and concentrate its heat. A Frenchman is the inventor of a five-cylinder motor that can be at- tached to the rear fork of any bicycle to drive it at as high speed as its frame will stand.
brate its 75th anniversary. The col-	Tests in Italy of plowing with elec- tric motors have demonstrated that it costs about half as much as if horses

much as steam pl scopic mounting for a telescope and a chair for a person using it that is claimed to keep the glass in the direc-tion in which it originally pointed irrepective of a vessel's mo

had been used and about two-thirds as

"You deceiver !" she hissed. "I hate VOH !!

The young man dropped his hat in astonishment. "Hate me?" he gasped; "why it was only yesterday you said you loved every hair on my head."

"Yes, villain; but not every hair on your shoulder !" as she held aloft a long golden one .- Stray Stories."

Ultimatum.

Crabshaw-The cost of most things has doubled on account of the war. Mrs. Crabshaw-Then you'll have to give me a hundred instead of the usual fifty for Christmas.

It's unlucky for a mouse to meet a

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to question Mike. Officer-What would you do if the magazine blew up?

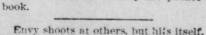
Mike-Go up with the report, sir.

Leap Year Is Going.

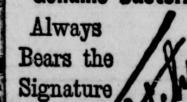
"Kate'is a self-possessed woman." "Yes, to her sorrow."-Boston Evening Transcript.

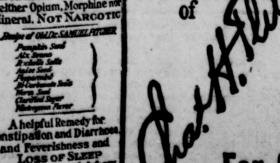
Later on one may have an opportunity to walk on the pavements made of his good intentions.

When a woman knows her husband like a book, it is usually his pocket-









For Over Thirty Years

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tical parties are represented-and no one seems horrified.-London Chron

"The family says either one of two songs will do," said the undertager. Ch "You can have your choice between "Crossing the Bar' and 'I've Reached a pa the Land of Corn and Wine," War as Wonder-Worker. War is a rare wonder-worker. Less than ten years ago the proposal to establish a municipal milk supply for London was supported only by the wol

more daring progressive candidates All the rest shrank from it in horror and all over the metropolis moderates denounced it as rank socialism. Now denounced it as rank additions—it is --with considerable additions—it is coolly and unanimously put forward by a commission on which all poli-tical parties are represented—and no

Nungesser of the French army avia-

tion corps and known as the "Prince of

Pilots." He has the distinction of hav-

been wounded many times. At

ing won all the military medals. He

the beginning of the war, Nungesser

was a cavalryman. As such he was

promoted for distinguished service,

but refused to accept the promotion,

saying that he wished to learn flying.

He entered the flying corps, and with-

in three months had taken part in 53

What Did He Sing?

An Indianapolis dentist, who in ad

dition to the accomplishment of drill-

ing molars, can sing in a fine tenor

voice, has a brother-in-law who is an

undertaker. When the undertaker

gets up against it for vocalists to sing

at funerals he asks his dentist relative

to help him out. This he did recent-

ly when a bartender was to be buried,

"What shall I sing?" asked the den-

bombarding expeditions.

ege has sent institutions, the best known being the Withingtons of Harvard.

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For ventilating in places where blas ing is being done there has been in-vented a varnished canvas pipe, which has the adventage of being practically proof again damage it collapses if struck.

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eams above the porch effectively fin ish off this part of the house. The flower box built beneath the wide window above the porch is flared out at the bottom to harmonize with the sloping roof.

GREAT VALUE The room arrangement of the bungaow is simple and effective. The living room extends from one side to the other of the front part of the house, Enables Builder to Get Effects at and has a fireplace at one end. Six windows and the front door admit light to the room, assuring a pleasant place for the entertainment of afternoon guests. In the rear of the living room the dining room occupies one side of LENDS ITSELF TO NOVELTY the house and the bedroom the other.

A three-window bay is built into the

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tained without the necessity of a great which their product offers, and equip-

ment for the casting of a variety of outside wall in each of these rooms. sizes and shapes is now installed' in The opening from each of the rooms to their plants. the front part of the house is cased.

A second consideration which has The kitchen is centrally located in placed the concrete block in favor the rear of the house with the bathamong those who desire a thoroughly room on one side and the rear porch high-grade exterior finish is found in on the other. The rear porch is really the beautiful facings which may be built as an additional room and will made an integral parts of the block. prove to be a valuable addition to the This feature is a development which space provided in the kitchen. The is largely responsible for the widening porch floor is lower than the kitchen field which the concrete building floor. There are two steps in the pasblock serves. Closely allied with the sage to the kitchen and two steps from use of various crushed natural stones the porch to grade. Space is provided in the facings is the development and for the refrigerator on the porch, use of white cement, which may be where it may be iced without tracking used either alone or in combination dirt into the house. The basement is with a number of pigments, resulting entered from the rear porch. Closets in the production of any shade of a are provided in the bedroom, kitchen

and rear porch, and a cupboard is set The use of these materials enables | into the wall in the kitchen. the manufacturer to produce very The utility of this room arrangement close imitations of highly expensive will be easily realized. A large, bright stone at a reasonable cost. Marble, living room, such as is provided in this



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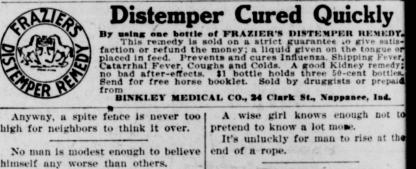
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Chesterfield of the Fields. "Father, what do they mean by a

Improvement.

Mrs. Josiah Cowles, the new presi-

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HAT is a spy? Although it is well known that the spy systems of the warring nations are very potential and of the most fur-reaching nature, very few persons outside of the secret or so-called "spy"

service know anything about the actual work of the secret organizations. In Germany and in Japan the secret serv-'ice work has reached the highest state of perfection, says a writer in the New York Tribune.

How a person becomes a spy and how he or she afterward carries out the work depend upon the group of secret workers that the novice is introduced to or thrown in contact with through circumstances.

The volunteer or self-appointed spy 'is not to be considered in the following account, but merely the professionals or accredited investigators.

Germany has four classes of "splonen," as they are called in the vernacu- trumpet or listening cone when rolled lar, but never officially. The system up. Also, the confetti "patronen" or comprises (1) the emperor's private cartridges that prove so essential in staff, about 60 men and 9 women; trailing are frequently used. These (2) the War Office staff, which now small cartridges filled with white, pink numbers 6,000; (3) the government or pale blue confetti or small pieces secret service, about 500 officers and of paper and a small piece of mirror 8,000 men and 180 women, and finally glass form important paraphernalia to the (4) "geheimpolizei" on secret the spy that has to keep closely to his police, who are similarly situated as quarry for miles after miles of crowdthe American police detectives, but far ed streets or from trolley cars to trains more efficient, and their number is and even through the mazes of busy legion. Then there is a small contin- office buildings, as the following will gent attached to embassies and lega- show tions.

Almost without exception the first profession may seem childish and exthree groups comprise persons who treme. Yet the Wilhelmstrasse brains have evolved into the secret service. of the great imperial secret service It is very seldom that an adult person prefer those methods and they prove steps from any "open" occupation into the most efficient after all. the work. An endless chain is conand they often do in other ways than his office or rendezvous for his daily the natural, there are always assist- assignment, unless he has an unfinishants that are ready to step into their ed task that requires no further inboots. These recruits are "graduates" structions. Cafes or cigar stores ane and have gone through the preliminary the best places. From a waiter or attraining course that is probably de- tendant or some lounging customer he scribed here now for the first time.

The "students" are first given thorough tests for hearing, sight and mental activity. These tests are similar to morning a system of the most extraordinary calisthenios is practiced. One is to meet a colleague at a certain in that the right si



object and the trailer use machines. This difficulty has been overcome by the fact that few licensed chauffeurs dare to refuse the co-operation with the police and none of the out-of-town drivers can be long unknown to authorities

With the small piece of mirror used as a periscope the cleverest men precede instead of follow their objects. In street cars, for instance, the trailer often sits in front of the object and observes his motions with the little piece of glass. The apparent adjusting of a

To the outsider these tricks of the palm of the hand.

After making sure that he carries stantly being forged. When spies die, his regular equipment the spy goes to receives verbal orders or information that reveals his day's task. Spies, because of the nature of their work and

street corner the man turns and

their personal peculiarities, are never those used by the railroads. Each trusted beyond their daily task. For instance, one morning the sleuth

of the most curious things is the side bank for the purpose of observing the twist of the head, which is practiced doings of two foreigners that are susso long that the graduate can place pected of being ammunition agents. his or her chin against the point of Sleuth A follows one man. At the

pair of spectacles or the twirling of a mustache will enable the trailer to observe the person sitting behind, when the small mirror is concealed in the Few persons believe that a person walking ahead or sitting in front of them are "following" them, and many are thrown completely off their guard. Another important factor is the telephone espionage. Few secret messages can now be sent by a suspected person number of colors. through the hotel telephones. Every word is usually recorded by shorthand operators that are let in on the line and even the scraps of torn paper

from the waste baskets of the rooms of suspected guests are pasted together on transparent paper and turned over to the police. Names in hatbands, tailors' labels in clothes and other details are observed and reported, and woe be to the one who registers under a different name than that of the labels in his coat.

Where there is the slightest incon-

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any shape, and novel masonry is ob-

deal of chipping and shaping of the blocks by the mason. It is not necessary to use blocks having a monotony of size and shape, for all up-to-the-minute concrete building block manufacturers are aware of the possibilities

position for a long while. This enables his trailer also turns, and in so doing the spy to stand with the ear against a streaks the wall of the building with a wall or a door and listen for hours peculiar purple chalk, of a color not without getting a stiff neck and used generally. He keeps on following fatigue. To stand motionless for hours, his man and at every corner he marks to walk over a creaking floor without the building so deftly and so inconspimaking a noise, to walk on creaking cuously that a bystander does not nonoiselessly and to insert keys, to tice it. As long as the object keeps stair unlock doors in silence are some of the | walking straight ahead the trailer only stunts practiced. The most treacher- marks one side of the corner, but if ous stairways are negotiated by walk- the object turns he marks both sides of ing close to the walls, and the noisy the corner, showing that he has turned floor plank is mastered by a gradual to the right or left. If then the object and firm pressing motion. The cross- should board a car, the sleuth will beams of a floor are easily located by crush one of the white confetti carthe experienced, and are usually stable | tridges with his fingers and the persisand silent. tent little pieces of paper fall to the

It is wonderful what the noises in a street and stick in the crevices between wall in even the most silent house will the cobblestones or the paving blocks. reveal. The spy is taught to eliminate or even cling tenaciously to the asthe obvious sounds. He presses the ear phalt, defying both sweepers and flat against the wall; plaster is better brooms for hours. If the object changes than wall paper, but solid wood is cars the trailer will drop a pink cluster good, and a thin door panel is still of confetti and the chalk marks will better, provided the door fits snugly tell the story as they alight. and has good support. When the sleuth is relieved that eve

Graduates that understand various ning he does not have to leave his obdanguages are much in demand, and ject out of his sight. The sleuth that vet each country prefers a native born. relieves him will merely take up the The members of the secret service are thread from the bank and will, as a seldom armed, but when weapons are rule, in incredibly short time locate his formance. required they prefer the ammonia pis- man in any part of the city. This is tol, as it is silent, does not kill, but dis- much more easily done in European ables the victim by blinding him for a cities, as the streetcar systems are not short period, and it can be used at any so intricate and the streets are usually but those who know declare that the distance up to 60 feet. paved with cobblestones or bricks. The

A full-fledged spy also carries the "signal," the open sesame of every- abroad. In Berlin, for instance, there thing German. The signal has perhaps are the most pretentious homes and never been seen by an outsider. It is thousands of shops and stores without a silver framed shield about as large | telephones.

as the palm of the hand, with a black ber, according to the possessor. This certain that he did not take a car at "Signal" is shown only in the most ex- that point, which would be revealed by treme cases, and will carry the bearer past any sentinel or bodyguard even ject and the trailer are in the block up to the emperor's personal aids and they will be soon seen or a flock of himself, if necessary.

The shadowing spy also carries a

gruity there will be the most strenuous system of espionage until the suspect is either in the toils or the authoritles are satisfied that he or she is harmless.

Invisible paraffined pages are often placed three or four sheets down in pads of telegraph blanks so that copies are obtained of messages when powlered charconl is shaken over the paraffined sheets. Wherever the parafined impressions are, the charcoal will adhere and the lettering comes out quite closely. By varnishing the copy a permanent copy is obtained, and such copies are often produced in evidence. Also every telegraph office in Germany is open for inspection by the secret service men.

More than one-half of the higher class spies are required to have some ostensible avocation or business, and frequently their wives and children or their most intimate friends do not know that they are in the service. They receive their salaries in the most roundabout ways at times, and are, as a rule, not extravagantly or even well paid. The members of the emperor's

staff get from 5,000 to 25,000 marks per annum and a bonus upon special per-The cost of maintaining the esplonage system of Germany previous to

and during the war has been enormous, results are well commensurate with telephone is not so readily available the expenditures.

Different.

Hamilton, O., has celebrated its on

Denmark's deficit for the last fiscal

vear was \$12,000,000, due to the ex-

traordinary expenses of the army and

indred and twenty-fifth birthday.

Susan Hicks, though not a pronounred man-hater, took little interest in

When the chalk mark is missing the the masculine portion of humanity. She velvet ground on which is embossed in second or relay sleuth is convinced often boasted that she never wasted silver the great Prussian eagle on one that his predecessor on the case or the her time reading the stories women side and the "W. II." on the other, for present incumbent of the case is in the are supposed to enjoy. One day, how-"Wilhelm II." It also has a small num- block. He walks back after making ever, she was discovered with a popular magazine in her hand.

"Why Susan, you are reading a love story !" exclaimed her sister in amaze the confetti on the ground. If the obment, as she glanced at the illustration.

navy.

"I'm not," replied Susan crossly, confetti will show near the entrance. These means are not always avail-"They're married."

INTERESTING ITEMS

A tiny electric lamp is mounted on . the handle of a safety razor of Eng- left \$1,000 for the support of four pet tish invention.

North Dakota has \$64,000,000 worth of land set apart as school endow- tados Unidos Mexicanos" and "Repubment.

Mrs. James Rodie, age ninety-nine, of Melrose, Mass., says eating candy has prolonged her life.

To launch a boat in the seas, which rose and fell like mountains among the vessels of the fleet seemed hope- cheese each year. The price has risen less. There was a call for volunteers since the beginning of the war from and more than enough to man the boat about 20 cents a pound to about 35 offered their services.

A London dispatch says a recent German army order commands strict just 28 cents to be nominated for presining dead bodies.

Nellie Powell, who died in Cleveland,

Henry R. Chase, age thirty, chief of he Portland (Me.) police, is said to be Mexico has two official names, "Esountry. lica Mexicano."

Japanese publicists believe that vertical axis rotary motor for hyro-Japan is the most prosperous country planes that can be completely protectin the world. ed from water.

This country imports between 2,000,-The artichoke, which originally came 000 and 3,000,000 pounds of Roquefort from Barbary, is not a botanical specles, but a variety of the thistle, which grows spontaneously all along the African coast of the Mediterranean from cents a pound, in France. Morocco to Palestine.

It cost A. W. Smith of Topeka, Kan., Two honey "mines" have been found in the heart of the business district of economy on the battlefield. Sandbags dential elector. "With 12 men running Marysville, Pa. One over the office of must be counted with heavy penalties for 10 places," said Smith, "I felt that Dr. G. W. Stratton has been known for attached for loss, leather and metal I should do something to stir up in- ten years. The other in the attic of articles must be collected and dead terest in my own candidacy. So I the city hall was not discovered until soldiers, both friends and enemies, are wrote 14 letters to personal friends the honey began to leak through the stripped of boots and clothes. Can-vas is no longer to be used in wrap-tionery, so the only money was for crawled into the attic and removed the stamps." barrels of honey.

granite, sandstone and limestone may design, is considered a necessity by be imitated with such exactness that those who take pride in making the there is nothing gained in the use of most of their home. The numerous the true material. The surface of the windows are pleasant and an abunfaced block is, as a rule, finished in dance of healthful sunshine is admit. one of two ways. After the cement ted into the house. The interior is has taken its initial set, the crushed fully capable of furthering the good imstone is exposed by the use of water pression given by the exterior design. and a steel wire brush. This surface

is rough and produces much the same Li Hung Chang's Grandson, effect which is obtained by the use of W. G. Anchung Kung, grandson of rough natural stone. Those stones the great Chinese statesman, Li Hung which are capable of taking a polish Chang, who is at present on tour of in their natural state may be closely the United States to study problems imitated by the use of the crushed ma- relating to agriculture, made an inspecterial, which is allowed to set firmly tion of the water front here. He was in the face of the block, and then the particularly interested in studying the surface is planed down smooth and work of discharging tropical fruit from polished. In addition to these two the refrigerating steamers. The young methods of facing it is possible to tool man's father is foreign secretary of the surface of the block in any desired the Chinese republic. Kung expects to

be appointed commissioner of agriculway. In the structure, the block may be ture in one of the Chinese provinces used to carry out the effect which the on his return. He is a graduate of home builder is striving for. One man Cambridge university, England. He may be pleased with the massive ef- has spent much time in the southern fect obtained by the use of large blocks states studying the cotton, rice and suin the entire structure. Another finds gar plantations. He predicts the coms desires realized in the combination plete awakening of the whole of Ching of concrete blocks with other building within 20 years .- Boston Post. materials. In the latter class of

buildings an effect which has been well Why We Should Be Fat.

demonstrated by the use of ornamental A liberal allowance of fat is needful brick may be obtained with equal suc- for perfecting the shape of the body. cess by the use of concrete blocks in Fat gives form and roundness to the the construction of the porch on a body. Fat is needed to help maintain frame house. and regulate the body heat. Fat peo-

The illustrations present a bungalow ple do not feel uncomfortable from which has been designed with a porch the chilling blasts of winter as do of distinctive concrete blocks. In this their less favored lean and lank brothcase the architect has found it possible ers. Fat acts as a reserve substance to greatly improve the appearance of which the body can draw upon for the structure by including the chimney nutrition in case of emergency, too. in the porch effect. The facing used If one is inclined to grumble about his is composed of marble chippings and weight let him think what it would white cement. The surface of the mean to him to be deprived of his use block is left rough, the marble being ful protective covering of fat. De exposed by the steel brush. Two sizes terioration in health usually results are used in the walls and special-size when there is a marked loss of fat

the youngest chief of police in the The work is laid up in alternate wide and narrow courses and is pointed French inventors have developed a with dark-colored mortar. The heavy

columns of the porch are balanced by the chimne, which is largely responsible for the manner in which the porch seems to blend into the house design.

white surface of the porch and chimney, it is necessary that the trim be white throughout. The dark stained surface of the shingle-covered walls stands in pleasing contrast with the white surface. There are numerous special features in the exterior design. The roof is a low-gable type with flat roof dormers on the sides. Bafter ends are exposed, and heavy brackets support the roof where it extends out

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York about dress. "Women, once they get interested in The book of life in one word is our movement," she said, "dress more sensibly. They give less thought to love. dress. I may claim, in fact"-Mrs.

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she ended, "that these women star making their own clothes and stop If you would get information from picking their friends' clothes woman, pretend indifference. pieces."-Exchange.

The spilled milk of human kindness is the only kind worth crying over.

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Ahead of Him. "Do you ever ask your wife's advice about things?" "No, sir; she doesn't wait to be asked."

Evidently Affinities. "So you think that we are made for each other, do you?" she said. "Yes," he replied ; "I'm heavily in debt, and you've got all kinds of money." Boston Transcript.

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Too Bad, Indeed.

Mrs. Commuter had lain awake with a headache till one o'clock. Then in the balance of the night she had responded to several calls for a drink, a doll, and all the other nocturnal infantile orders. At five in the morning, as she was just beginning to round out the first continuous hour of slumber, the little six-year-old girl called softly from her nearby crib: "Mother."

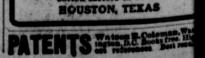
No answer. Again, a little louder: "Mother !" Mother said nothing. Again the child's voice, this time mezzo-forte :

"Mother !" "Well, what is it?"

"Mother, isn't it too bad that one o Harry McCole's polliwogs died?"

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Omar-Why do you think so? Heiny-He has no faith in mankind. Omar-Oh, that's easily explained.

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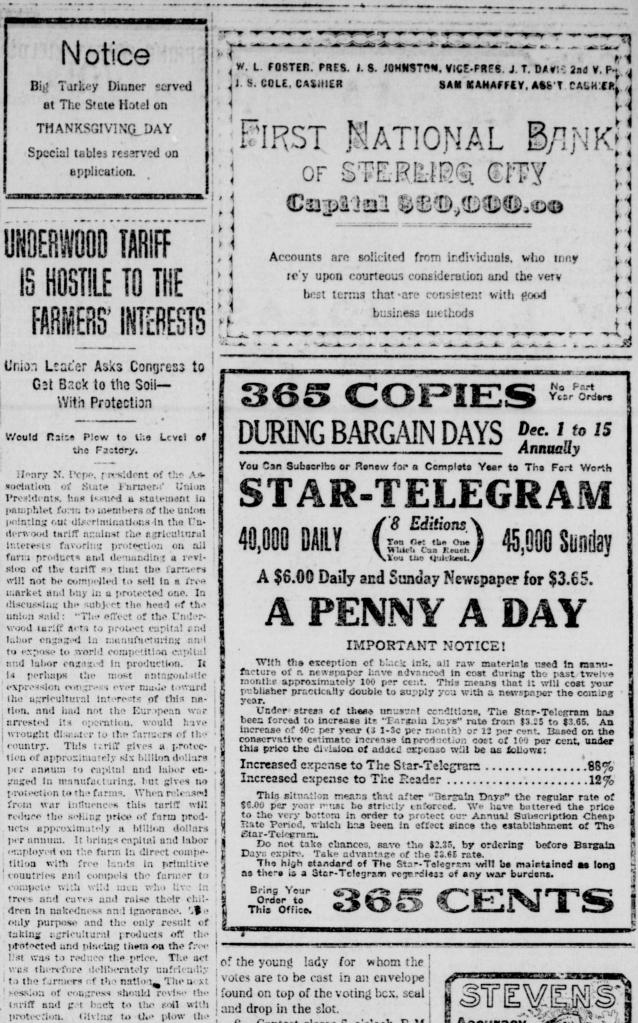
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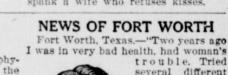
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"I did not ask him for money,"

George indignantly denied. "I said

that Grace's beaus gave me a quarter

every time they saw me, except one,

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Awful Good Time.

party, where they had been guests of

The children returned from the

"Did you behave yourselves nicely?"

"Then you had a good time, didn't

While some of us have more up

and downs in this world than others,

we'll all be on the dead level sooner

You will look ten years younger if you

himself came into the room.

and he was a tightwad."

Johnny and Susie Wilkins.

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some as a "subnormal" school (which

very often is more normal than "sub")

and the other morning several of her

pupils were gathered around her read-

ing a very interesting (?) story, such

as is printed in school readers, and

one sentence ran, "The little Jap-

anese girl greeted them warmly, etc.'

the teacher, who by the way was

showing off her pupils and the method

of teaching them to an interested

young man who had been brought in

by the principal to watch her labors.

There was a great deal of brow-

puckering and the word "greet" failed to register on any brain. Finally she

said, "If I were to come into the room

where you were, what would you do?"

There was a second silence and puz-

"What is meant by 'greet?" asked

on herself.

the pen."-Rochester Times.

Judge Steers of Brooklyn, N. Y., spank a wife who refuses kisses.

a much better yielder than any spring wheat. The figure shows roughly where winter wheat can be grown.

(2) Durum wheat (the black column) has outyielded all other groups of spring wheat at all of the stations

(3) Fife wheat (light slant-lined column) is the highest yielding com- than the large single gate for the reamon wheat in the northern and western part of North Dakota. It is also well adapted to eastern North Da-

An easy way to make the double gate is here described. It is presumed

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Double Gate for Farm.

and the four hinges are made fast, the

post well tamped, and the gate is then

sawed in two in the center (as shown

This method will bring both gates

Realize High Profits-Grow Some

Leguminous Crop.

A primary consideration in every

gardening project is to make and keep

the soil as fertile as possible. With-

out high fertility we cannot hope to

realize high profits. Use lime occasion-

stable manure when the price is right.

Whenever possible, manure should

be spread as soon as made. A wagon,

or better, a manure spreader, should

all as a second

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Other Is Neglected-Easy Plan

Described Herewith.

The making of the double gate on

the farm is a task that for some rea-

son or other is usually neglected. The

double gate gives much better service

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You'll know it next morning because you wake up feeling fine, your liver will be wo your headache and dizziness gone, your st will be sweet and your bowels regular. Y feel like working; you'll be cheerful; full of

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely veg therefore harmless, and can not salivate. to your children. Millions of people are Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous ca

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A Reducer.	Beware of the Dog.	Plenty More.
"Did your doctor tell you to eat less	A policeman taking his usual round	Algy Montmorency decided t
luxuriously?"	espied in the back premises of one	some boxing lessons.
"No. I read the market quotations."	house a dog-kennel.	He is one of those tall, thin, n
	Seeing the lady occupant of the	people who sometimes manage
Its Use.	house busying herself outside, he ques-	a reputation for great energy by
"Pa, what's a legal technicality?"	tioned her as to whether she had a li-	of the fact that they are phy
"It is a way, my son, of putting down	cense, and was informed in the nega-	incapable of sitting still for more
justice by law."	tive.	a minute at a time.
	"Oh!" said the officer, "I will call	Having found a broken-nosed
Split the Verdict.	again in a few days."	fessor," he began his lessons in
With faces solemn and stern, the	True to his word, a few days hence	ble art, so called. He had a wor
"good men and true" took their places	he presented himself at the front door	belief in his own powers of le
in the jury box.	of the lady's house, and demanded of	and after a third lesson began to
"Well, gentlemen," asked the judge,	her the license.	that boxing was a very much
"are you agreed upon your verdict?"	"I have none," she said.	rated accomplishment.
"We are, my lord," replied the fore-	"Well," said he, "I shall have to	It was too easy.
man.	prosecute you."	He therefore began to hit ou
"Do you find the prisoner guilty or	"For what?" inquired the lady.	on one occasion, having made a
not guilty?"	"For what! Why, of course, for	shot, found himself on his back
"We do."	keeping a dog without a license."	floor.
"You do!" exclaimed the judge,	"Oh !" rejoined the lady, manifesting	"I say, I say!" quoth he,
startled. "Do what?"	a bit of amusement, "I only keep a ken-	jerky manner of his kind. "I sa
"We find the prisoner guilty or not	nel; it saves me from being annoyed	know, it's not necessary to know
guilty," replied the foreman seriously.	so much with beggars."	down like that, is it?"
"But-but you can't return such a		"Bless you, no, guv'nor !" and
verdict !" expostulated the judge.	CUTICURA COMFORTS BABY	the bull-headed professor. "Get
"Well, I'm afraid we've got to," said		I'll show you thirteen other way
the foreman sadly. "You see, my lord,	Suffering From Itching, Burning	Carlos and a second
six of us find him guilty, while the	Rashes, Eczema, etc. Trial Free.	Frosty Air Aids Hearing.
other six think he's not; so we've		Science says that the loudn
agreed to let it go at that."-Ex-	Give baby a bath with hot water and	sound varies inversely as the
change.	Cuticura Soap, using plenty of Soap.	of the distance, says the P
0	Dry lightly and apply Cuticura Oint-	Science Monthly. This is mere
Spartan Women Suffered Untold Tortures but who wants to be a Spartan? Take	ment gently to all affected parts. In-	other way of saying that if you
"Femenina" for all female disorders.	stant relief follows and baby falls into	three times as far away fro
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neys. Avoid eating meat as much as possible; avoid too much salt, alcohol, tea. Drink plenty of water.'

For those past middle life, for those easily recognized symptoms of inflamor if uric acld in the blood has caused rheumatism, "rusty" joints, stiffness, get Anuric at the drug store. This is

a wonderful eliminator of uric acid fering women and tell them the good and was discovered by Dr. Pierce of they have done and do today for me." Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. If your -MRS. BETTIE FLEMING, 1225 druggist does not keep it send 10 cents Clinton Ave.

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Suggesting a Change.

Willie is six years old, and when George was an imp, his sister said, his mother punished him recently and she thought her mother ought to he did not resent it, but decided to raise her children better, which made have it out with her. mother laugh.

"It hurts you to whip me, doesn't it, ""What has poor George done now?" mother?" he said. "Yes, dear," said his mother, "it know," said Grace, aged sixteen, "he

hurts me very much." "And you only do it to make me to give him some money. The very idea

good?"

"Yes, dear."

"Well, mother, forget it next time and it will make me gooder.'

CAPUDINE

-For Headaches-

Try it and be convinced. Good for aches in back and limbs also-Assists Nature to get right and stay so. It's Liquid-easy to take .- Adv.

Of Foreign Growth.

"I studied painting abroad," said the artist, with conscious pride. "That explains it," said his rustic critic. "I knew I had never seen a cow like that in this country."

Safer Plan.

The poet may hitch his wagon to a "We had an awful good time," they star," but the wise man anchors his answered. "Johnny and Susie both airship to the earth. got lickings."-Newark News.

Few men are disappointed in love until after they face the parson.

Anger manages everything badly. or later.



vorite Prescripsota. tion and 'Golden (4) The Preston group (heavy Medical Discov-ery' and to-day I slant-lined column), as shown here, contains three different varieties. weigh 172 lbs., then I only

The only important one is the Preston. (5) Bluestem wheat (dotted column) is hardly equal to Fife except in eastern North Dakota. There and in Minnesota the bluestem wheats are well adapted and most largely grown.

that a 16-foot gate is to be built, and MOLES DEVOUR MANY GRUBS to do so we build the gate, (as shown), all in one piece. It is then set in place

Bill of Fare Also Includes Earthworms, Cutworms and Other Insects, but Not Potatoes.

at A). Before you kill the mole let him have a big dinner of grubs, if you on a line, and they will be sure to would follow the suggestion of J. E. close evenly. It is a good plan to place Guthrie of Iowa state college, who has the two center sidepleces about onefound that ground moles will eat more half inch apart, and make two saw than their weight of grubs in one day cuts, cutting out the extra half-inch if they can find them. The mole's bill which will prevent the rain from swellof fare also includes earthworms, cut- ing the gate, which may prevent its worms and various insects, but not closing evenly. potatoes which he is sometimes accused of eating. Of course, severe SOIL FERTILITY IN GARDENS measures are necessary and he humps up the lawn, but unless he so con-Without It Farmer Cannot Expect to ducts himself it is evidently better to leave him to his grub-consuming activities. Rolling lawns will often discourage the operations of moles.

MACHINES IN PUBLIC FAVOR

Marked Increase Noted in Certain Farm Implements-Corn Huskers

Census figures between 1909 and 1914 show a marked increase in certain farm implements. Corn huskers and shredders and corn and bean harvesters show the greatest amount of increased popularity.

Other implements showing a gain in public favor are grain drills, spring-

CLEANLINESS IS BIG FACTOR

Plenty of Fresh Air and Liberal Use of Disinfectants Are of Greatest Importance.

be placed where the manure can be Cleanliness is the most important shoveled from the gutters directly infactor in the successful raising of to it to save handling twice. As soon poultry and it doesn't consist alto- as filled, it should be hauled to the gether in the removal of dirt from field and the manure scattered, not the henhouse. It includes also plenty plled in little heaps for later scatter. of fresh air and the liberal use of dis- ing.

Score One for Humus.

Load for Young Horse. No humus, no soil; no soil, no crops; A young horse should not be expectno crops, no money; no money, no ed to pull as large loads or put in as contentment; no contentment, no hapmany hours at hard work as a piness; no happiness, no use o' living! matured one.

Successful Pig Raising. Too Much Grain for Calf. Good beds and dry sleeping quar-Avoid giving too much grain to the ters are indispensable to successful calf. Enough to be eaten up clean pig raising. in a few minutes.

Best Grain for Poultry. Never Make Good Horse. Kaffir corn is one of the very best A stunted, neglected colt will never grains for poultry, and more suitable than Indian corn. make a good horse.

War Has Enabled Organization to Boston. Sold everywhere .- Adv. Gain a Foothold in Both Austria Fixing for Company.

"Yes."

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and Russia. Mrs. Shimmerpate said, as she fastened her husband's tie: The T. M. C. A. is one of the biggest and most efficient religious under-

akings in the world. So practical is do for me." the nature of its work, and so carefully are its finances administered by competent business men that it is eas-Umson's." ler to raise money for Y. M. C. A. than for any other religious work. Plans for its world-wide activities next padlock." year call for the expenditure of \$4,500,-000. The war has enlarged its European field, and \$2,000,000 of the budget will be spent there. From Switzerland to central Russia the association is now maintaining 250 graded schools and colleges of which instructors as well as students are prisoners of war. The total enrollment approximates 3,250,000 men. For the first time in its history the Y. M. C. A. has gained a foothold in Austria and Russia. There is no other religious organization that could have so promptly and so efficiently taken up the opportunities for service offered by the European war, ministering to Jews, Catholics and Protestants, all on equal footing. Along the Texas border where American troops have been stationed. the Y. M. C. A. has founded stations, and nearly 40 schools in which Spanish is the most popular course. Half a million dollars has been laid out for the work in Texas, and a million for

"Hide the apples in the cistern." "Yes." bush." "Here ! Here !" "And nail down the harn " matter?" boys with her."-Harvard Lampoon. Price 25c and 50c.-Adv. the industrial department in various ble for a meal." railroad centers throughout the coan-"Yes, unless it's eggs." try.-Leslie's

A Growing Custom

The custom of placing Grape-Nuts on the table at all meals is growing in American homes.

Both children and grown-ups help themselves to this delicious food as often as they like. It contains the entire nutriment of wheat and barley. digests quickly, and is wonderfully energizing.

Every table should have

zled looks and then (from a tall boy of sixteen): "I'd hug you." The visitor, with his handkerchief Grape-Nuts to his mouth, sped from the room, and his shouts of laughter could be heard a block, while the teacher, with cheeks "There's a Reason" covered with blushes, carefully explained "greet" as it was meant in the school reader.—Columbus Dispatch.

that an automobile runs bett "Before you go downtown, dear, cause the negine gets larger st there are a few things I wish you would of oxygen. Another result sounds are heard more loudly. ever, the report of a gun high the mountains is like the sound "Take the cat and dog over to Mrs. exploded firecracker. DON'T GAMBLE "Fasten the pump handle with a that your heart's all right. sure. Take "Renovine"-a hea nerve tonic. Price 50c and \$1.00. "Put the garden hose in the attic." His First Name Is Fortune "Hunter tells me he is going ry an heiress. I asked her age "Put a wire fence around the rose couldn't tell me." "Oh, it isn't her age Hunter i ested in, its her heritage." "Fortheloveofmike, dear, what's the Wood can be hardened and proofed by boiling for a few "Your sister is coming over to spend in olive oil. the day and she is bringing her six It takes a divorce lawyer to silver lining to a domestic cloud on the first of the month by taking now a bottle of Mansfield Cough Bal-sam for that hacking, hollow cough. No man ever gets discour trying to live without labor. Strong Drinks Irrit With the exception of the stage villain every man has some good points Strong drinks like beer, whi tea and coffee, irritate the kid and habitual use tends to we them. Daily backache, with "It must be hard to see people scramache, nervousness, dizzy spell a rheumatic condition shoul taken as a warning of kidney ble. Cut out, or at least mod the stimulant, and use Doan's KNEW WHAT HE WOULD DO ney Pills. They are fine for kidneys. Thousands recom Pretty Schoolteacher Evidently Had Inspired Affection in Heart them.

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