WHITE & WALKER **BUY LEWIS & SON** GIN AT HEDLEY

The Hedley gin has changed hands. White & Walker, wellknown ginners of this country, closed a deal this week for the gin property of W. L. Lewis & Son and have taken charge. R. C. Walker was up from Memphis last Friday investigating and negotiating for the gin.

The new company has a boll cleaner and thresher on the road which will be installed by Monday and will almost double the capacity for bollie ginning, makan out put of about 20 bales per day. As there is something like four hundred bales of unginned cotton piled up over the gin yard, and as there are several hundred more to be pulled and hauled in, the ginning business will last for several weeks yet. The two thousand mark will soon be reached and in the wind-up push the twenty-five hundred bales closely. If the gin had ginned all the cotton that was raised in the Hedley territory the past year the total would have been a thousand more.

White & Walker say they expect for next season's work to have twice the number of stands, pressess, etc., and if necessary will build another gin to take care of the cotton. They also claim they will put in a coal yard, will buy cotton, and will have WASHINGTON'S BIRTHlots for teams, and will have every convenience that up-to-date gins have for customers.

This will indeed be a great help to Hedley and the country in general, and is an enterprise that a town must have, and the better the gin the better for the

Plant shade trees.

BROOM FACTORY NOW IN TOWN

W. C. Smith has moved to town and is getting his broom factory installed. He has been making the brooms at his place a mile south, but will from now day morning at the family home on make them in town. He is selling local merchants brooms for their trade and they meet Rowe cemetery, and the funeral the requirements of the housekeepers. Besides the large G. H. Bryant, Methodist postor number of brooms Mr. Smith of this place. Mrs. Tate was a sells here he is shipping quite a good Christain woman and her lot out to other towns.

Improved Cotton

If you want a cotton that will children of the deceased. mature early, write to me. -O. B. BURNETT, MEMPHIS, TEXAS.

WADE WILLIS ANNOUNCES

The announcement of Wade Willis candidate for County and District Clerk appears in this issue. Wade has been giving splendid service to the public in the office to which he wants to be re-elected. He is known to the voters of the county as an made a splendid record that will speak well for his serving anothyour earnest and careful consideration before casting your vote in the democratic primary in

Boost for your town.

TWO COUPLES GET MARRIED

Tuesday two young couples drove to Clarendon from near Bridges and Miss Jessie Looney. Miss Morris is a daughter of J. F. Morris north of town, Miss Hodge Adamson near town. The grooms are splendid young men of the community. The Informer joins the friends of the two married couples in wishing them

Tree planting time.

DAY ENTERTAINMENT

Friday night, Feb. 23, the Hedley school will entertain the public at the Auditorium with a music recital by Miss Calloway's class, and a five-act drama, 'Cornelia', by the school. It promises to be an interesting program and the public is invited to attend. This is to be for Washington's Birthday.

Grade the streets.

DEATH OF MRS. TATE

Mrs. T. V. Tate died Wednesnear McKnight of dropsy. She was buried Thursday at the services were conducted by Rev. life was filled with doing good. The Informer extends sympathy to the aged husband and the

Insure your dwelling.
J. C. Wells

GRAY COUNTY

JAIL DELIVERY

Hedley, secured license and were his liking. He also asked that ready for distribution we will united in marriage. They were his trunk be sent C. O. D. to have to add a few ciphers to the Mr. Claude Prescott and Miss Shawnee, Ga. where his mother right-hand side of the figures in Maggie Morris, and Mr. Homer lives. A search was immediately in- Uncle Sam is too slow for Texas. Looney is a daughter of Mrs. them explained that the man a long and happy life. his shoe, -McLean News.

stituted and later two of the men were captured. One of

Gordon, who was charged with having burglarized the Cook Thursday to qualify as trustee store, manipulated the delivery, of the Hedley school, having been unlocking the heavy lock with a appointed to take the place of J. spring taken from the sole of R. Boston who resigned first of

UNCLE SAM TOO SLOW FOR TEXAS The following editorial that ap-

Officials of the county were Texas has been a puzzle to amazed Sunday morning when Uncle Sam ever since she was upon a visit to the jail it was admitted into the Union and has found that the door stood open caused his statisticians more and all of the prisoners had made trouble than all other states efficient, accommodating and their escape. There was no combined. We develop so fast trustworthy officer, and has trace of the prisoners, four in that we outgrow our statistics number, and no clue as to the while Uncle Sam is at work on manner in which the lock was the adding machine. The Cener term. Give his candidacy turned. In the empty jail was sus Reports which are being found a note from one of the made public from time to time prisoners named Phillips, who read like ancient history. While was held pending his trial for Uncle Sam was calculating the bootlegging. This note was ad- number of acres of land under dressed to Siler Faulkner and cultivation, we turned over a among other things it contained million and half acres of virgin a word of thanks to that gentle- soil; since the census was taken man for kindness shown during there have been a quarter of a his incarceration, stated he was million people born in Texas and taking his leave on account of 150,000 immigrants have settled the fact that the atmosphere of in the State. By the time the the open country was more to census reports are printed and order to bring them up to date.

W I. Rains went to Clarendon

Build more good residences.

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WE GIVE YOU WHAT YOU WANT

THE QUALITY DRUGGIST

TRESPASSING ON RAILROADS COMMERCIAL CLUB

peared in the Fort Worth Record of February 6 offers food for reflection by the people of Texas.

A few days ago a citizen of Del Rio and his littte boy were killed by a railroad train while they stood on a bridge looking at the water rushing over a dam below. They had been walking for pleasure and stopped on the bridge, which is not far from a curve. The noise of the rushing waters prevented them from hearing the train and the curve prevented the locomotive engineer from seeing them until it was too late.

The incident recalls a statement by Hon. Brown F. Lee of San Angelo, recently published in the Texas press. Mr. Lee cites figures showing that 130 out of 279 persons killed by Texas railroad trains last year were trespassers, and that 49,113 trespassers were killed in the United States, being 76 per cent of all killed in the operation of railroad trains during a ten year period. As he suggests, something ought to be done to stop the trespassing upon railroads. Human life is too valuable to be sacrificed by carelessness. Be sides, there is an element of rank injustice in requiring a railway company to pay damages for injuries to persons who have no right to be upon its tracks.

The law wisely provides for the protection of railway employees and passengers by requiring elaborate and multiplied safety devices. It does so for and for the preservation of the til the public watering trough happiness of relatives and friends It should also, devise some method for at least minimizing death and injuries to trespassers.

A railroad track should not be used as a footpath or a prome-

Railroad corporations manage to keep livestock off their right of the club, and those who are of way by fences and stock not, who live in Hedley should guards, but these do not deter will upon any railroad track that last and all the time, and that human trespassers who move at lies in the direction of their jour-

ney. Crossing railroads upon the public highways, which is necessary, causes many deaths and injuries which it is impossible to prevent. But trespassing beyond the highway ought to be night and, if not a member, prohibited by law with penalties join. At least you are welcome

of average intelligence. Sound public policy in the protection of human life and simple zen, and you are a citizen. justice to the railway corporation call for some legislative effort to arrest the decade harvest of 49,113 trespassers upon railway tracks. That number of persons represents a small city and sev- principalship of Hedley school eral million dol'ars a year in pro for the remainder of the term. ductive energy, not to mention He is giving splendid satisfaction the homes sorrowed, the women and it is gratifying to his friends widowed and the children or to know a home by is successful

ELECTS OFFICERS TRANSACTS BUSINESS

There was a large and enthusiastic crowd out at the Commercial Club meeting Tuesday night, and for interest and good feeling there couldn't have been a better meeting.

Election of officers was the first business to be disposed of, as the out-going officers had served their full time.

L. A. Stroud was elected president

O. H. Britain, vice-president. J. B. Masterson, sec-treasurer. R. H. Jones, W. R. McCarroll and Rev. G. H. Bryant, board of directors.

Pres. Stroud, after a nice talk of acceptance, presided over the meeting. The question of public water, sanitation, good streets and being alive to the interests of the farmers and the community in general, were discussed. As to the best way to solve the problem no one knew, but it was the sentiment of the club to investigate the proposition of incorporating as a town as the means by which to bring about the most favorable conditions, and a committee was appointed to investigate and report to the club next Tuesday night.

The water for teams of farmers and travelers has for the last few months been furnished in the Cicero Smith yard. After discussion no better way could be decided upon for the present. We believe it will not be long unwill be placed on Main street. At least the club will do its best to that end.

The club wants to do the best things for the town. If anyone knows of a better way to solve such difficulties it is his duty to get up and say so. The members bear in mind the fact that the trade must be considered first, the best way to help the town along is by pulling together. One balky citizen can retard a town's growth as much as a hundred true pulling spirits pull.

Attend the meeting of the club at the hall next Tuesday sufficient to restrain the person whether you enroll as a member or not. Hedley needs the support and influence of every citi-

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KENDALL & GAMMON

THE INFORMER HONOR ROLL

Following have paid subscriptions since last issue.

T. R. Kidd. W. M. Dyer. J. B. Pettit.

G. A. C. Roy.

J. H. Richey. Bob Adamson, Clayton, N. M.

AGED MAN DIES

Mr. Hill, aged about 72 years, who, with his son, lived on the Shannon place northeast of town, died last Friday and was buried here Saturday. Besides the son living with him another son was up from Mereta, Texas, for several weeks before his death.

If it's Locust shades you want, I have 'em. Phone or see, J. M. Brokaw.

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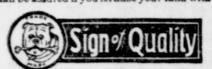
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NO SYMPATHY THERE.



Henderson-I'm not living mother-in-law any more." Henpeck-I don't blame her.

He Did Not Wonder.

One of the worthless of a Fife village happened to be working in his garden with a very small spade, when a neighbor came on the scene and remarked: "Man, Jamie, that's a gey wee spade ye're working wi'. Ma laddies have bigger spunes for suppin' their paritch wi'."

Without glancing up, "Jamie" replied: "Ma mannie, I dinna winder at it when I see their father's mouth."-Tit-Bits.

Post **Toasties**

A Treat So Sweet; Add Cream Then Eat.

Post **Toasties**

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SYNOPSIS.

Elam Harnish known all through Alaska as "Burning Daylight," celebrates his 30th birthday with a crowd of niners at the Circle City Tivoli. The dance leads to heavy gambling, in which over \$100,000 is staked. Harnish loses his money and his mine but wins the mail contract. He starts on his mail trip with dogs and sledge, telling his friends that he will be in the big Yukon gold strike at the start. Burning Daylight makes a sensationally rapid run across country with the mail, appears at the Tivoli and is now ready to join his friends in a dash to the new gold fields.

CHAPTER IV .- Continued.

In the meantime there was naught ounce on a good poker hand, so he sacks. staked his life and effort on the hunch that the future held in store a big strike on the Upper River. So he and pany's storekeeper. his three companions, with dogs, and sleds, and snowshoes, toiled up the on and on through the white wilder- guitty of an outrageous burst of merriness where the unending stillness was | ment. never broken by the voices of men, the stroke of an ax, or the distant tons?" the storekeeper demanded. crack of a rifle. Gold they found on and in the following May they returned to Sixty Mile.

Ten days later, Harper and Joe Ladue arrived at Sixty Mile, and Daylight, strong to obey the hunch that had come to him, traded a third interest in his Stewart town site for a third interest in theirs on the Klondike. They had faith in the Upper Country, and Harper left down-stream, with a raft-load of supplies, to start a small post at the mouth of the Klondike.

"Why don't you tackle Indian River, Daylight?" Harper advised, at parting. "There's whole slathers of creeks and draws draining in up there, and somewhere gold just crying to be found. That's my hunch. There's a big strike coming, and Indian River ain't going to be a million miles away."

"And the place is swarming with moose," Joe Ladue added. "Bob Henderson's up there somewhere, been living off'n straight moose and prospecting around like a crazy man."

as well, Indian fashion, loading them told him things in confidence. with thirty pounds each. Depending on the report of Ladue, he intended to clusion. "I didn't sluice it, or cradle follow Bob Henderson's example and live practically on straight meat. terday, on the rim-rock. I tell you you When Jack Kearns' scow, laden with the sawmill from Lake Linderman, And what's on the bed-rock down in tied up at Sixty Mile, Daylight bun- the bottom of the creek they ain't no dled his outfit and dogs on board, way of tellin'. But she's big, I tell turned his town-site application over to Elijah to be filed, and the same day was landed at the mouth of Indian River. He continued down Hunker to the Klondike, and on to the summer fishing camp of the Indians on the Yukon

Here for a day he camped with Cara boat, and, with his dogs on board, after staking, had gone on down to drifted down the Yukon to Forty Mile. Then it was that Carmack, his brother-in-law, Skookum Jim, and Cultus Charlie, another Indian, arrived in a canoe at Forty Mile, went straight to the gold commissioner, and recorded three claims and a discovery claim on Bonanza Creek. After that, in the Sourdough Saloon, that night, they exhibited coarse gold to the skeptical crowd. Daylight, too, was skeptical, and this despite his faith in the Upper Country. Had he not, only a few days before, seen Carmack loafing with his Indians and with never a thought of prospecting? But at eleven that night, sitting on the edge of his bunk and unlacing his moccasins, a thought came to him. He put on his coat and hat and went back to the Sourdough. Carmack was still there, flashing his coarse gold in the eyes of an unbelieving generation. Daylight ranged alongside of him and emptied Carmacks sack into a blower. This he studied for a long time. Then, from his own sack, into another blower, he emptied several ounces of Circle City and Forty Mile gold. Again, for a long time, he studied and compared. Finally, he pocketed his own gold, returned Carmacks, and held up his hand for

"Boys, I want to tell you-all some-You-all can see it by the color. Cargot faith to come along with me?" No one volunteered.

"Then who-all 'll take a job from a thousand pounds of grub?"

tomary speed, Daylight paid them their wages in advance and arranged the purchase of the supplies, though he emptied his sack in doing so. He was leaving the Sourdough, when he suddenly turned back to the bar from the

"Got another hunch?" was the query.

"I sure have," he answered. "Flour's sure going to be worth what a man will pay for it this winter up on the Klondike. Who'll lend me some money?"

On the instant a score of the men who had declined to accompany him to show for it but hunch. But it was on the wild-goose chase were crowdcoming. As he would stake his last ing about him with proffered gold-

> "How much flour do you want?" asked the Alaska Commercial Com-

"About two ton." The proffered gold-sacks were not frozen breast of the Stewart, toiled withdrawn, though their owners were

"What are you going to do with two

"I'll tell you-all in simple A, B, C the bars, but not in paying quantities, and one, two, three." Daylight held up one finger and began checking off. "Hunch number one: a big strike coming in Upper Country. Hunch number two: Carmack's made it. Hunch number three: ain't no hunch at all. It's a cinch. If one and two is right, then flour just has to go sky-high. If I'm riding hunches one and two, I just got to ride this cinch, which is number three. If I'm right, flour 'll balance gold on the scales this winter."

CHAPTER V.

Still men were without faith in the strike. When Daylight, with his heavy outfit of flour, arrived at the mouth of the Klondike, he found the big flat as desolate and tenantless as ever. Down close by the river, Chief Isaac and his Indians were camped beside the something big is going to happen, Circle City. But at Sixty Mile they had learned of the strike, and stopped ing a shaft close by the stream, and off to look over the ground. They had he had heard their whip-saw going as a flutter, as he expressed it; and lin- light landed his flour, and their report He did not wait for an invitation, but gered a few days longer arranging his was pessimistic. But an hour later, he was present the first day they meager outfit. He planned to go in at his own camp, Joe Ladue strode in sluiced. And at the end of five hours' light, carrying a pack of seventy-five from Bonanza Creek. He led Daylight shoveling for one man, he saw them pounds and making his five dogs pack away from the camp and men and

"She's sure there," he said in conit. I panned it, all in that sack, yesyou, big. Keep it quiet, and locate all be none surprised if some of them claims yielded as high as fifty thousand. The only trouble is that it's spotted."

mack, a squaw-man, and his Indian Creek remained quiet. A sprinkling brother-in-law, Skookum Jim, bought of men had staked; but most of them,



ered With Butter.

Forty Mile and Circle City. The few that possessed sufficient faith to remain were busy building log cabins thing, he said. "She's sure come-the against the coming of winter. Car blower in this country before. It's was slow, for they had to saw their new gold. It's got more silver in it. lumber by hand from the standing for est. But farther down Bonanza were mack's sure made a strike. Who-all's four men who had drifted in from up river. Dan McGilvary, Dave McKay, Dave Edwards, and Harry Waugh.

frames on which they were drying sal- gold from the grass-roots, and who moment and thought long thoughts. mon. Several old-times were also in had panned the rim at a hundred oth- Then he finished the washing, and camp there. Having finished their er places up and down the length of weighed the result in his scales. At summer work on Ten Mile Creek, they the creek and found nothing, was cu- the rate of sixteen dollars to the ounce there three years now, swearing bad come down the Yukon, bound for rious to know what lay on bed-rock. the pan had contained seven hundred He had noted the four quiet men sink and odd dollars. It was beyond anything that even he had dreamed. His fondest anticipations had gone no Daylight decided to go Indian River just returned to their boat when Day- they made lumber for the sluice boxes. farther than twenty or thirty thousand dollars to a claim; but here were claims worth half a million each at the least, even if they were spotted. He did not go back to work in the take out thirteen ounces and a half of shaft that day, nor the next, nor the

> and it had come from off bed-rock. rabbit skin robe, strapped on his back. The first fall snow was flying that day, he was out and away on a many-days' and the Arctic winter was closing tramp over creeks and divides, incan shake it out of the grass-roots. down; but Daylight had no eyes for specting the whole neighboring territhe bleak-gray sadness of the dying. tory. On each creek he was entitled short-lived summer. He saw his visto locate one claim, but he was ion coming true, and on the big flat chary in thus surrendering up his was upreared anew his golden city of chances. On Hunker Creek only you can. It's in spots, but I wouldn't the snows. Gold had been found on did he stake a claim. Bonanza bed-rock. That was the big thing. Creek he found staked from mouth to Carmack's strike was assured. Daysource, while every little draw and light staked a claim in his own name pup and gulch that drained into it was adjoining three he had purchased with likewise staked. Little faith was had plug tobacco. This gave him a block in these side-streams. They had been A month passed by, and Bonanza two thousand feet long and extending staked by the hundreds of men who in width from rim-rock to rim-rock. had failed to get in on Bonanza. The Returning that night to his camp at most popular of these creeks was the mouth of Klondike, he found in it Adams. The one least fancied was Kama, the Indian chief he had left at Eldorado, which flowed into Bonanza, Kama was traveling by ca- | just above Carmack's Discovery claim. noe, bringing in the last mail of the Even Daylight disliked the looks of El- Housley, year. In his possession was some two dorado; but, still riding his hunch, he Green ville, hundred dollars in gold-dust, which bought a half share in one claim on it Daylight immediately borrowed. In for half a sack of flour. A month writes: return, he arranged to stake a claim later he paid eight hundred dollars for for him, which he was to record when the adjoining claim. Three months he passed through Forty Mile. When later, enlarging this block of property, Kama departed next morning, he car- he paid forty thousand for a third cold which

next. Instead, capped and mittened, a

light stampeding outfit, including his

pan, I knew I had seed at last.'

strike, Burning Daylight now became

the hero of the strike. The story of his hunch and how he rode it was

he had ridden it far and away beyond

the boldest, for no five of the luckiest

held the value in claims that he held.

And furthermore he was still riding

the hunch, and with no diminution of

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A man is as young as he feels-and

a woman, but she doesn't always

daring.

nanza. "It will sure be the gosh-dangdest stampede that ever was,' Daylight chuckled, as he tried to vision the excited populations of Forty Mile and Circle City tumbling into poling-boats and racing the hundreds of miles up wonderful washing: the Yukon; for he knew that his word would be unquestioningly accepted.

given him by the other men on Bo- of all the creeks.

gold. It was coarse gold, running from

pinheads to a twelve-dollar nugget,

One day in December Daylight filled a pan from bed-rock on his own claim and carried it into his cabin. Here a fire burned and enabled him to keep water unfrozen in a canvas tank. He squatted over the tank and began to wash. Earth and gravel seemed to fill the pan. As he imparted to it a circular movement, the lighter, coarser particles washed out over the edge. up-river strike. And I tell you-all, mack and his Indian relatives were oc- At times he combed the surface with clear and forcible, this is it. There cupied in building a sluice box and his fingers, raking out handfuls of aint never been gold like that in a getting a head of water. The work gravel. The contents of the pan ditold up and down the land. Certainly minished. At is drew near to the bottom, for the purpose of fleeting and tentative examination, he gave the pan a sudden sloshing movement, emptying it of water. And the whole bottom showed as if covered with but-They were a quiet party, neither ask ter. Thus the yellow gold flashed me, cash wages in advance, to pole up ing nor giving confidences, and they up as the muddy water was filtered herded by themselves. But Daylight, away. It was gold-gold-dust, coarse Curty Parsons and another, Pat who had panned the spotted rim of gold, nuggets, large nuggets. He was Monahan, accepted, and, with his cus- Carmack's claim and shaken coarse all alone. He set the pan down for a look it.

"Who-all's Got Faith to Come Along With Me?"

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failed to cure.

done now?" "Oh, nothing, of course. What did you say to that aristocratic Mrs. Pin-

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ing feet. All experiments have proven successful. Read what he says: "I began the use of Resinol Ointment about ten years ago for piles; results satisfactory; finally used it for all local troubles, and lastly for perspiring feet, and it was more than satisfactory, and that after I had spent over a hundred dollars for different

remedies and medical fees without re-

sults. Since then have recommended

it to dozens of people, and it has never

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lieving scalds and burns, chilblains,

cracked lips, itching, blackheads, boils,

or any form of eruptive skin disease,

"D. L. KILLIAN,

"Memphis, Tenn."

gleton?" "Well, what did I say?"

"And right after I warned you against your awful breaks. You said to her: How time flies! I suppose your young hopeful will soon put on long trousers."

"Well, what's the matter with that? Friendly, wasn't it?"

"Friendly! Mrs. Pingleton has but one child, and she's a young woman of 20!"

SUFFERED FOURTEEN YEARS.

A Terrible Case of Dropsy and How It Was Cured.

Mrs. W. R. Cody, 603 Tenth St., Lewiston, Idaho, says: "I was so lame and sore I could hardly move. Headaches were frequent and my whole body bloated. I



my shoes. Kidney secretions bothered me and my nerves were unstrung. I betaking Doan's Kidney Pills and soon the swelling diminished. The backache and other troubles quickly disappeared, and I was completely

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ber the Name-DOAN'S." 50c, all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Not Militant.

"The social function at Mrs. Comeup's the other afternoon ended in a drawn battle."

"What? Not a quarrel?" "No, just a teafight."

BAD CASE OF GRIP

Caused Sore Throat and Tonsilitis. Restored by Peruna.

Mr. W. H. Ten nessee. "Five years ago I took a

very severe ried a number of letters for Daylight, claim, and, though it was concealed resulted in addressed to all the old-timers down in the future, he was destined, not la grippe. I river, in which they were urged to long after, to pay one hundred and never was so come up immediately and stake. Also fifty thousand for a fourth claim on bad off. I Kama carried letters of similar import, the creek that had been the least liked was in bod In the meantime, and from the day weeks, and he washed seven hundred dollars from | when I did a single pan, and squatted over it and get up I had thought a long thought, he never again to nsilitis touched hand to pick and shovel. As and sore he said to Joe Ladue the night of that | throat.

"I tried to cure this for eighteen "Joe, I ain't never going to work months, but it gradually got worse. A hard again. Here's where I begin to doctor advised me to have my tonsils cut use my brains. I'm going to farm gold. out, but I did not like the idea. Another Gold will grow gold if you atl have doctor examined me, and told me the the savvee and can get hold of some same thing. I finally got a bottle of for seed. When I seen them seven Peruna, and after I had taken one bottle hundred dollars in the bottom of the my throat was better. I bought and used a dozen bottles, and saw I was going to The hero of the Yukon in the get well, and I did." younger days before the Carmack Ask Your Druggist for a Free Peruna

Almanac for 1912.





THE KITCHENS



When nothing tempts you to stray; Then without or within no voice of sin Is luring your soul away. But it is only a negative virtue

Until it is tried by fire And the life that is worth the honor of

earth
Is the one that resists desire.

MEAT DISHES FROM LEFT-OVERS.

Meat is so costly that never a scrap should be wasted. The bones can be used in soup and the gristle and tough portions likewise.

Breslau of Beef .- Mix a pint of chopped cold cooked beef with the yolks of three eggs; add a half pint of stock, two tablespoonfuls of butter and a half cup of bread crumbs, a cup of thin cream, a teaspoonful of salt and one of minced parsley, and pepper to taste. Put into buttered ramekins and set in a pan of water to bake in the oven. Cover with buttered paper and bake thirty minutes.

Ham Timbales.-Beat two eggs, add three-fourths of a cup of rich milk and a quarter of a cup of cream, one cup of chopped cold cooked ham, a teaspoonful of salt and a dash of pepper, a fourth of a cup of soft bread crumbs. Mix all together and turn into buttered timbale molds, set in a pan of water and cover with buttered paper and bake until firm in the center. Turn out of the molds, surround with sauce and put a sprig of the middle. Add a tablespoonful of parsley in the top of each timbale. This may be steamed in a quart mold if desired

Creamed Chicken With Curry of Rice .- Melt a fourth of a cup of butter, cook in it a fourth of a cup of flour and half a teaspoonful each of paprika and salt; gradually stir in a cup of milk and a cup of cream. Cook until smooth and thick, then add a pint of minced chicken. Keep hot over water.

Cook an onion in a tablespoonful of butter, add three tablespoonfuls of curry powder, a half cup of milk and a half cup of water. Cook until smooth. Have ready a half cup of cooked rice; add this to the curry mixture, remove the onion, add a tablespoonful of butter and a dash of pepper and dispose as a border on a dish with the creamed chicken in the



duty wed, deeds, both great and small,

The world may sound no trumpets, ring The book of life the shining record tells. -M. S. Browning.

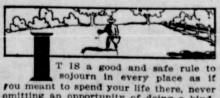
EASY DESSERTS.

wholesome of desserts and an ideal their lunches to school. They may be either baked or steamed in cups.

Rice Custard .- Take two cups of good way to serve chicken: good rich milk, add a half cup of cold without cream.

Floating Island .- Scald a pint of lated sugar and the beaten yolks of two eggs, cook until smooth, and when serve poured over the chicken. cool add a teaspoonful of vanilla. Cook the whites beaten stiff and sweetened with two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar, by dropping in spoonfuls on to boiling water. Arrange the islands on the custard and put a cube of jelly on each.

Prune Pie.-This is an exceptionally good pie. Wash one and a half pounds of prunes and soak over night in water to cover. Cook in the same water and remove the stones, cut prunes in quarters and add a half cup of sugar, a tablespoonful of lemon juice and a few grains of salt. Reduce the juice to one and a half tablespoonfuls. Line a pie plate with crust and dredge with flour, cover with the prunes, dot with butter, put on the upper crust and bake in a hot oven. Baked or boiled custard may be made more elaborate by the addition of cocoanut for flavor or chocolate, grated, may be added, if one cares for that combination.



omitting an opportunity of doing a kind-ness or speaking a true word or making -Ruskin.

FISH AND FISH DISHES.

To steam fish prepare and clean the lay in a deep pan in a steamer with the futility of it?" "Of course," re-Make a white sauce to serve with the while."-Puck.

from the juice which gathers in

Boiled fish should be served with highly seasoned sauces as the boiling extracts so much of the flavor of the fish. It is an extravagant method of cooking.

Fish Rabbit.—Bone sections of any fresh fish; dip in seasoned butter and place close together in a deep plate. On top spread a mixture of fine crumbs and grated cheese moistened with milk and seasoned. Bake until the cheese mixture is done and browned.

Fish Forcemeat.-Chop any raw white fish and mix with each pound two eggs, one cup of thick white sauce, or a cup of thick cream and a cup of bread crumbs, season with salt, pepper, onion and lemon juice. This may be used to stuff fish or to roll up in turbans, or cook in the form of croquettes, or steam in a mold, or shape in small balls and cook in water and use as a garnish for soup. Small fish are usually rolled in cornmeal or flour before frying and are cooked in hot salt porl fat in a frying

Salt .nackerel should be thoroughly soaked, flesh side down over night or longer, then place in the oven with a little water and just before serving pour over a cup of sweet, thick cream;

when hot serve. Baked Fish .- Spread butter over a baking pan or lay in slices of salt pork, sprinkle over it an onion minced fine, lay on this a thin slice of fish or any small whole fish, split down vinegar and spread the fish thickly with flour and butter rubbed together. Bake until the fish is tender and serve with a sauce made from the gravy in



They make up the item of life. But the virtue that conquers passion And the sorrow that hides in a smile,

It is these that are worth the homage of For we find them but once in a while.

MEATS FOR THE TABLE.

Variety is the spice of life and the progressive housekeeper is con- do it by giving them a chance to help stantly varying the diet so that monot- themselves; and if I can uplift or inony is never a bugbear. It is easier spire let it be by example. That is to go on day after day cooking the to say. I desire to be radiant-to radisame old dishes, it takes study and ate life.-Elbert Hubbard. planning to make a variety and keep within the allowance for the table DISFIGURED WITH CRUSTS Are close-knit strands of unbroken thread, expenses In many homes with the same allowance there is a vast differance in the food, because it is the last thing planned for and studied. eczema from the top of my head to In such establishments there is my waist. It began with scales on my

bound to be waste. Custards, when eggs are reasonable, ning the meat dishes or there is need- crusts. My ears looked as if they had are one of the easiest and most less expense. It is not niggardly to been most cut off with a razor, and buy as little as is ordinarily con- my neck was perfectly raw. I suffered one for children who have to carry sumed and one can always "water untold agony and pain. I tried two the porridge that all may dine," in doctors who said I had eczema in its case unexpected company arrives. A fullest stage, and that it could not Sweet Gum and Mullein for coughs,

cooked rice. Beat the yolks of two and cover with hot water, allow it of the genuine Cuticura Remedies, eggs, add six tablespoonfuls of sugar to cook slowly until tender, boiling which cured me of eczema when all and a pinch of salt, add this to the will toughen the tenderest meat, else had failed, therefore I cannot rice mixture and cook like a soft cus- About half an hour before serving add praise them too highly. tard. Take from the fire and add the a teaspoonful of sait and a slice of beaten whites of the eggs and vanilla onion, more salt will be needed, but months, but am now entirely cured, to flavor, serve cold in cups, with or add it to the broth if necessary. and I believe Cuticura Remedies are rich milk, add a half cup of granu- broth with a half cup of cream, when 8, Dancy, Miss., Oct. 27, 1910. hot pour over a well-beaten egg and

> neck of mutton and cut into small started with a fine red rash. My pleces, add three carrots and four back was affected first, when it also onions, cover with boiling water and bring to a boil; stew slowly for 45 minutes then add five potatoes, pepper and salt to taste, and serve very hot seemed to help me until I began to Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria with the vegetables around the meat use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment.

Nellie Maxwell.

He Knew His Business.

along with a young woman, evidently her daughter, and a young man. A man to buy a paper.

"G'wan and buy one. I want to sell out and git home to my maw! She's by herself." The boy hung on until he was dismissed by a negative nod. Then he approached the elderly woman.

"No, I can't read," said the woman,

with a smile. "I'm German." Then the young man was approached again. "You kin read. Go ahead and buy one. You kin read it to her." "No, my eyes are bad. I can't see

very well." But the newsboy was determined to make a sale. "Well, buy one for your girl," indicating the younger woman; "she's got pretty eyes!" And, needless to say, he made the sale.

Accommodating.

"Why do you argue with your wife?" fish, wipe dry in a cheese cloth and asked the bachelor. "Don't you know a slice of onion, a bit of bayleaf and a plied the married man, "but I have to few pepper corns and a little salt. allow her a little pleasure once in .

IOWA WOMAN WELL AGAIN

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trouble in all its dreadful forms;

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"Some time ago I was taken with body. I suffered untold itching and As meat is our most costly food it is burning, and could not sleep. I was reasonable to give thought in plan- greatly disfigured with scales and be cured. I then tried other rem-Stewed Chicken .- Cut up the fowl edies to no avail. At last, I tried a set Cough.

"I suffered with eczema about ten Take two tablespoonfuls of flour, the best skin cure there is." (Signed) moistened with water, add to the Miss Mattie J. Shaffer, R. F. D. 1, Box the window-panes would be shat-

"I had suffered from eczema about four years when boils began to break Irish Stew .- Take one pound of the out on different parts of my body. It spread over my face. The itching was almost unbearable at times. I tried different soaps and salves, but nothing In Use For Over 30 Years. One box of them cured me entirely. I recommended them to my sister for her baby who was troubled with tooth little girl?" asked the neighbor. eczema, and they completely cured her baby." (Signed) Mrs. F. L. Marber told ma yesterday that I could have

Although Cuticura Soap and Oint- troit Free Press. ment are sold everywhere, a sample newsboy persistently asked the young of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. L, Boston.

> Valor and Discretion. "What is the difference between valor and discretion?" remarked Mrs. which she had been reading the lead-

ing article on the operation in Tripoli. "Valor," replied Brown, "is bawling kicker. into the ear of a champion pugilist the asertion that he is a rufflan you could knock into fits."

"And discretion?" "Is doing it over the telephone."

is to convert it into cash.

MEAN TRICK PLAYED BY FATE

Chances Are That Statesman Had a Hard Time Explaining Matters to His Wife.

The story is that it happened about ike this:

A representative from Indiana came on to Washington when congress started up, and engaged comfortable living quarters before his wife arrived. She reached there some time later on a Saturday night. The next morning she said:

"Now, Ralph, we'll go to church, of course. Which church have you been

attending?" "Wh-er-uh, which one, you say?" repeated the congressman. "Why, there's a mighty nice little church down here just a couple of blocks. It's such an easy walk that I've been going there rather than to some of the more fashionable churches."

"All right, if you feel at home there, that's where we'll go," said the congressman's wife. "We haven't much time, anyhow."

So they put on their things and went to the little church down the street. When they got inside they made a startling discovery.

They were the only white people in the church.-Philadelphia Ledger.

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Her Logic.

It was the week before Christmas. Emery and his younger sister, Mildred, were debating very seriously the reality of Santa Claus.

Emory, with finality. "Why, there must be," insisted his

"There isn't any Santa Claus." said

sister. "How could they make pictures that look just like him?"

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One of the Perils of Divorce. "How do you like your new papa, "Not very well," was the reply.

The elderly woman was walking ger, Drehersville, Pa., Sept. 6, 1910. picked out a better one myself."-De-

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The Fountain Head of Life Is The Stomach

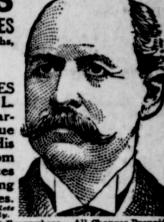
A man who has a weak and impaired syamach and who does not properly digest his food will soon find that his blood has become weak and impoverished, and that his whole body is improperly and

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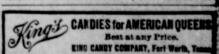
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but in wet weather or on dark all the time heretofore. nights they are hardly safe or easy to travel. By incorporating and using the amount, paid to the county road fund tax, on our streets the town can gradually get her streets in better shape and have a better system of

Since the shed room has been moved now would be a good time to move the Adamson building back in line with all the other buildings on Main street. The phere surrounding same. But, around with a list and get more tions. And more especially how ways and build a thousand cities.

Build more good residences.

ruin and devastation in its track; and that is through the alley, clean up your premises and a which for bad odor, unsightlivoid sickness and possibly death ness and unhealthfulness, is not among your loved ones. Last surpassed. The question is, year a clean up campaign was must the town continue in riskmade and successfully too, ex- ing health, happiness and wealth cept in a few cases where citizens by putting up with all the unabsolutely refused to do a thing sanitary conditions she now has. even after the hauling was offer. About the only sure and proper ed free of charge to them. In way to control such conditions corporate and the sanitation of is to incorporate. Hedley will be of the very best. There is no other way to solve the sanitation question properly.

Plant shade trees

tled in some way.

No, Hedley is not trying to put on metropolitan airs by doing a announce the following candi- few things that any town with no dates for the offices named, sub- more than a store or a store and ject to the action of July 27, 1912, a half should do, that has the interests of the public at heart. If it should become necessary for the town to go to great expense to hold the trade, i-gum she'd have it to do or lose out in the race for supremacy. To grow and pull trade the pocket-book must be touched more or less; yet, after all, it will surely come back ten-fold in increase of trade and property values. For every dollar in regular circulation some one has worked a tired brain or muscle, and for every dollar that is brought to town some one has to dig up its equivalent in goods, or brain or muscle work. When a town comes to a full realization of its duties to its territory then it will get busy as Hedley is now Ordinarily the streets of Hed- doing. It can be done without ley are most of them passable, any more expense than has been

Boost for your town.

When the warm spring rains come and all the back alleys are full of the filth of the town, wont it be an odoriferous trip to pass along any street or alley where such tilth has been allowed to go rampant? Wethinks there will be few who enjoy such scenery and mellifluous(?) atmosis the business part of town to perform in going to the postoffice? A business man has not any too much time to spare in Should an epidemic of any going way round, and must disease hit Hedley it would work needs go straight as possible,

Do you read the Informer?

REAL WINTER

The backbone of winter is often When a town gets to the point decried by people who hubble where the business men of the around the fireside; whenever town need to be up and doing old Boreas kicks up his heels something for the comfort and they send up a package of lachryconvenience of the customers, mose spiels and sigh for a counwho, by the way, are mostly try where snow isn't found. farmers and their families; then where roses and lillies will bloom it's time to go to thinking hard. the year round. But I love a We all know that if the trade of country with all kinds of snow, all the farmers should stop we'd where winter has whiskers clear all have to close up our places of down to his toes, where blizzards business and hunt other fields of cavort and the icicles cling all labor. So let us get busy and over your features till thawed in do those many things for the the spring. For cold is a tonic of us. When Hedley proves to you as gay as an unlicensed pup; the citizens of the whole commu- it fills you with ardor to do hefty figure that the profit on the extra Greenland hills is better than Great Men. amount of goods sold thereby any one's cottonwood pills, while will four times pay the expense languorous zephrys will fill you of looking to the comfort and with bile and make it hard labor convenience of the people who to burble and smile. There's ome to trade. The question is energy, health and a solace in orthy of thought and can be cold! The backbone of winter is better than gold.—Walt Mason

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XXII. ACTION

HEN Demosthenes was asked to assign three reasons for his success in life, he replied: "First, ACTION, second, ACTION, and third, ACTION, and this marvelous Athenian is recognized as the most polished and powerful product of Informer will pledge one day's how may we avoid perambulating the human race. Since the dawn of history, men of action have work on the moving, and if sev. along such places? By going moved the world and civilization owes its advances to men who eral others will do likewise, the around? Well, that's one way, by words and deeds have turned the wheels of progress. An building can be moved back with but should one be located in the hour of action is worth a lifetime of hesitation. Texas needs center how can he get to the men of action to start a million plows, build factories, construct lay of money. Some one start outside to go around such condi- 50,000 miles of railroad, improve 140,000 miles of public high-



DEMOSTHENES IN ACTION.

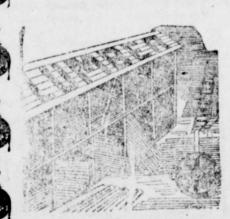
Let him who would make his life a message to mankind arouse trade that is by right demanded that braces you up and makes thoughts from their dumb cradies and make them whirl like a potter's wheel; awaken ambition from its leaden slumber and make it surge and climb the towering heights of fame and power; nity that she wants and will things; the healthy man likes it stir nations unborn like a tremendous force moved by a divine appreciate the trade, then every and dances and sings. A wind hand and speak in accents yet unknown mighty words that sway business man in town can safely whooping down from the white and inspire the human heart as it leaps to glory. Texas Needs

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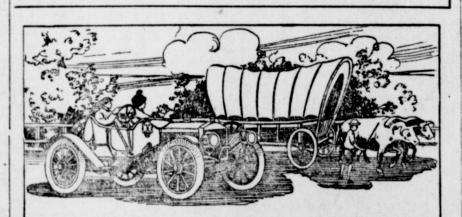
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Let us wake up and build good roads.

Locals

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Roy Kendall and wife spent Sunday in town.

J. E. Cates and wife were down from Lelia Lake Sunday.

Fred Bales and wife were up from Memphis Sunday visiting.

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T. R. Moreman made a business trip to Clarendon Tuesday.

The health of the people of a town depends largely upon the sanitation of the town.

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E. J. Kelley and wife of Holdenville, Okla., are visiting his brother-in-law R. E. Painter.

Remember that J. C. Wells writes fire insurance.

J. G. McDougal met with the other members of Commissioners Court in Clarendon this week.

Wednesday night prayer meetings become more interesting and larger crowds attending each night.

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The four days old infant of Wednesday and was buried here yesterday.

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ISTORY tells us that the battle of Winchester was won by
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TEXAS

It's almost as easy to give good advice as it is not to follow it.

Among the things that we were not thinking of ordering is a new alpha-

Persons with no other form of amusement can watch the days grow

It is difficult for some men to be good when they have a good chance to be otherwise.

A fresh egg of the season comes straight from a fresh chamber of the cold storage warehouse.

St. Louis girl, twelve years old, wants a divorce. Some of them certainly acquire the habit early.

Germany has seventeen dirigible war balloons and England is fortunate in being too busy to worry.

A Connecticut woman found a diamond in a leg of lamb. And she wasn't anywhere near Winsted at the time. A girl umpired a baseball game in

California the other day. Those California women certainly are heroines. An imperial edict in Pekin orders the cutting off of queues. Switches

A divorce law has been passed in the Philippines, but it will be a long time before Manila achieves the fame

and rats ought to be cheaper next

of Reno. Every time a Mexican patriot tires of work and longs for a little easy money, he organizes a new "revo-

Many a man who believes in doing the greatest good to the greatest number regards number one as the great-

lution."

It has been decided by a court that collecting tips is begging. Thus the democratization of the bench proceeds delightfully.

A Philadelphia physician says that mince pie, taken in moderation, will cure insomnia. About how many triangles, doctor?

New York's new "whispering whistle" for trains would be a great institution to introduce to Willie, the gifted office boy siffleur.

The trouble with the man who goes to see a doctor generally is that he wishes to be cured in a day of ills it has taken him years to acquire.

The Bostonian who claims that the earth is flat would have been considered a wise and conservative man in brothers and companions of alarms. the days of Christopher Columbus.

Texas. Since when has Winsted, Conn., been transplanted to Texas?

again. And yet people who live in the neighborhood probably think that Home, Sweet Home is a great little song.

If you are a hotel guest, don't give boy, and then go to bed, for a cry of "fire!" would put you in a predicament.

we are losing our sense of smell." From which we may infer that he doesn't live in a boiled cabbage neighborhood.

"An eastern highbrow asserts that

The household furniture of the future may be made of concrete, as Tom Edison says, but it will be necessary to hire a derrick and a freight train on moving day.

A jury awarded \$200 damages to a woman who sued because a man failed to marry her after sixty proposals. That places a handy and exact price upon a proposal.

The frony of fate appears to have been demonstrated in the case of the famous surgeon who was operated on sun; and the sturdy cedars that thrive upon the cruel mountain topsfor appendicitis when his trouble was caused by gallstones.

It is announced that shoes are to cost more, and the family man will perhaps feel grateful that a long succession of such announcements has made him somewhat callous.

Reindeer meat is to be shipped from Alaska to Chicago, so that it may be served in the restaurants in Chicago. Unless it is going to be a good deal cheaper than steak it will not be likely to cause much of a sen-

Motor cars in New York last year have killed 89 persons and injured 855. Strikes us that it is safer to be a guide or a football player than an innocent bystander in New York.

Judge Mulqueen of New York, on being told that some one had stolen the trousers of a Tombs prisoner, observed: "You would better make ! most thorough investigation of this It would be a great calamity to find thieves in the Tombs." Some would say, on the contrary, that that is just the place for thieves.

Future Changes

End of Progress Is Seen in Years to Come

By T. RAYLE RUCE



ALL know that the nations of the world are beginning to enter into a change of all things, political, economic and social.

The nations must expand and find new territory for their surplus populations because the countries cannot produce enough foodstuffs for their support. The ground which for years has produced a hundredfold is exhausted. The nations seek virgin soil and in doing so will come to blows. Africa will be the theater of future conflicts.

Civilization, which is progress in all things, is like a mighty wave that rolls onward all obstacles. It sweeps before it all that was, mankind, animals and plants, and puts in their stead whatever is needed for its support. We know how progress drove the red man, the beasts of the forest, the trees thereof before its tireless march until they became extinct. The same thing will occur as the plains of Siberia, of South America shall be settled and cultivated. The original inhabitants will disappear. The tents of the Lapps and Patagonians will make room for cities, their feeding and hunting grounds become farms. With them will vanish those wild animals and plants which are now their sup-

This must occur in Africa as well. The original inhabitants will be driven farther and farther until with the help of various diseases, which accompany progress, the black race will be no more. The white race will

dwell in cities where formerly the Matabele had his hut. Farms will flourish where stood the primeval forest with its animal life.

It may take hundreds of years before this shall be accomplished. Then a mighty hand will call a a halt and progress is at its end. Civilization will have killed itself.

As the physician gives stimluants to his dying patient to prolong life, so will silence come to the help of the exhausted ground, until it becomes utterly unproductive. Progress is dead.

Migration of nations, wars, as of old, will be the the rule, the stronger surviving. A new race will inhabit a new earth, which will resemble the old one only in its outlines.

Man Living From Hand to Mouth

People are inclined to complain a good deal over the precariousness of life. We hate to live from hand to mouth. Yet it is much less than the standard grades away a part of the cement and sand, is precisely from this element of our earthly career that our noblest qualities come.

Endow a man so that he never has to worry about money, remove him from all temptations, insure him against ever falling ill and his soul will shrivel up like a bean.

The strong, free, sweet souls are those who every day are stepping out into the

All that manly charm which plays like a halo around the soldier, the cowboy and the explorer of wilds is due to the fact that men in such enterprises are

The more settled and wealthier portions of civilization are full of Jack rabbits with horns are said to emall, dried up, spidery souls who have retired on a settled income. They be plentiful in the grand old state of are fatal to life of any kind and particudarly to young life; hence most

of the youth emigrate. They go west. The west is greater than the east because the east Vesuvius has been throwing mud is settled and the west is unsettled. In the east are old religions, old, customs, old families, old laws and old institutions-all full of rats and fever. In the west is fresh air.

One reason a king cannot be a great soul is because he cannot lose his job. Another reason is that "the king can do no wrong." Take away a your only pair of trousers to a bell- man's right to sin and you assassinate his moral character.

It is even better, morally, to be a gambler than to be endowed. "It is not," says Carl Hilty, "for the needs of luxury that God is

Man Who Keeps on Smiling

to be had, but for daily bread."

By JANE L. RUSSELL

There are husbands and husbands. And, like any other plant in the universe, each one thrives as his particular nature responds to his environment. "The well-fed man-" speaking in the broader sense of the term, or the comfortable man, is a mere hothouse plant that blooms and looks that the old-fashioned, imitation, rock cost down, for it is the towers and pleasant amid the warmth and beauty of a conservatory, and when set in the open degenerates into only a suggestion of its former bloom.

Let me hunt for the wind berries that hold their heads above the snow; the blossoms that brave the winds and storms and

which same may be transported into unwonted luxury with no loss of hardihood. Just such a nature I would seek in the man I marry.

A man who has struggled through vicissitudes, having lost no whit of his smiling nature, who is strong enough to brave any storm of misfortune, keeping ever the beauty of his nature beyond destruction, who has attained a measure of success and who can live in it with no sacrifice of the virility of his manhood.

With such a man marriage would be contentment, and contentment is happiness.



By E. W. WOODS

I have noticed that horses when they are compelled to remain in the open cold turn their heads to the wind, and it seems to me that they stand in this way because they thus present the least heat surface of their body to the cold.

And also in this attitude they secure the greatest possible natural protection from their hairy coats, inasmuch as the wind forces the individual hairs more closely against the body.

If this looks reasonable to teamsters, they should turn their horses' heads to the cold wind every time possible.



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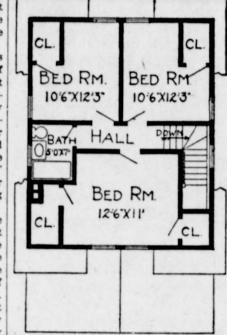
The accompanying illustrations show a concrete house design, which, although simple and inexpensive, can be made exceedingly attractive. The lower portions of this house, the foundations and first story walls, are made of concrete blocks of uniform size; and right here is where a most artistic and interesting effect can be obtained by means of a proper surface finish on these blocks.

The concrete block industry has passed through a number of years of experimentation. It has suffered at the hands of inexperienced block makers whose product has been used by amateur and unskilled house designers, the result in general being a poor building material used in an awkward and inappropriate way. The little block men have talked "cheapness" until this fine material was in danger of becoming discredited for anything but cheap work.

The recent "cement shows" have proved conclusively, however, that there have been giant strides in the concrete block industry, both in the manufacture of the blocks and in the methods of finishing them, and of using them in modern construction. The complaint has been made that blocks absorb so much water that any house made of them is always very damp. At several of the exhibits, however, demonstration concrete

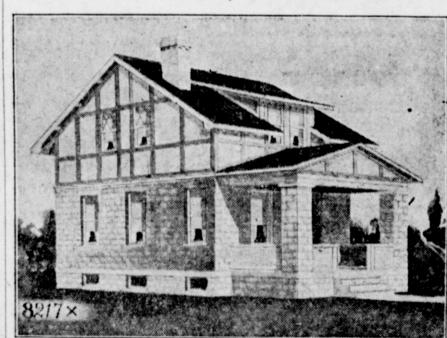
Mr. William A. Radford will answer | ing it in a half-inch layer next the face plate of the block machine, any one of the unique and artistic surface finishes is easily obtained.

One of the most interesting of these surface finishers is produced with fine pebbles, one-eighth to one-quarter inches in size. A layer of the mixture containing these pebbles is placed a quarter to a half inch thick next the face plate of the mold with the ordinary concrete block mixture filling the remainder. The intense pressure is applied and the block removed. The end of the first day the

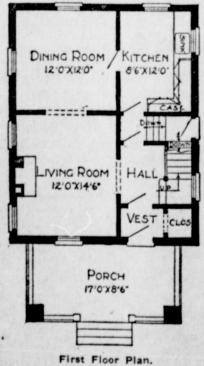


Second Floor Plan.

blocks were made showing an absorp- face of the block is scrubbed with a tion of less than one per cent, which wire or fiber brush which brushes there. Along the chief streets are of brick and building stone. These leaving the pebbles exposed. The surblocks were made with a very wet face is then brightened by being mivture and were put under great washed over lightly with water to



pressure in the molds by simple, me- | which a small amount of muriatic acid equipment used for compressing these of all different colors and shapes the sure compacts the material to such really appreciate the beauty and charan extent that it is as nearly imper- acter of this material. vious to water as any building material can be.



are now being made, however, are at \$2,500. finished in an infinite variety of ways. There are faces with pebbles showing of different sizes and colors; there are faces formed of variously colored sands; there are marble dust faces and crushed granite faces. In fact, by the simple process of selecting the material to produce the sur-

chanical means. The business-like has been added. As these pebbles are blocks allowed a comparatively lean interesting character of this surface mixture to be used, resulting in the finish can be easily imagined; yet one low cost block, but the extreme pres- has to see a wall of these blocks to With material of this kind a house

would not need to be elaborate nor The complaint has also been made decorated in any way to attract favoragainst concrete blocks that they are able attention. In fact, square cut, inartistic and uninteresting in ap- simple designs are most effective for pearance. And it must be admitted work of this kind. This keeps the angles, bay windows and fancy porches, complicated roofs, etc., that run into money in building, without making any reasonable return in the way of conveniences or utility.

This house is almost square in its general outline, being 22 feet 8 inches wide by 28 feet 8 inches. It has a simple gable roof, the slore of the roof being toward the front, A low dormer window breaks the line of this roof. A simple square porch projects in front. The concrete block wall from grade to the second floor line is designed to have one of these attractive surface finishes. The second story harmonizes with this; yet, is lighter in effect. Cement plaster on wood lath, divided into panels in English half-timber style is used for the second story. The whole building has the appearance of durability and comfort. It would certainly be a desirable addition to any neighborhood.

The floor plans will show the convenient arrangement of this house. The first floor is nicely laid out with large living room, and dining-room, kitchen, stair hall, etc. There are three good sized bedrooms and bath on the second floor. The cost of this face finish deserved most of the hard house, using first-class materials and things said about &. The blocks that workmanship throughout is estimated

Precept Upon Precept.

"How dare you, sir!" exclaims the beauteous creature, after the methodical young man has kissed her.

"Why, didn't you just agree with me when I said that I believed in 'a place for everything and everything in tace finish desired and then deposit its place'?"-Chicago Evening Post.



SCHOOLS OF TOWN PLANNING

Man Who Adds to Beauty of City Is Given Encouragement in Europe.

Ancient Athens and Rome set us an example of civic centers in the Acropolis and the Forum.

Frankfort, says the New York World, purchased a number of medieval buildings near the city hall and restored them to the original style that they should be in harmony with

Berlin has a school of town plan-

Germany has experts like Stuebben, Fischer, Gurlett, Henrici and Baumeister, who give advice on town planning and travel from city to city. It is a new profession-"staed-

tebau." Frankfort has built an exposition hall about the size of Madison Square

garden. Munich has a group of exposition buildings comprising an auditorium, a theater, a hall for exhibits and a summer concert garden.

When a new street is opened in Brussels or Paris, prizes running as high as \$4,000 in Brussels and equal to one-half the street tax in Paris are offered by the authorities for the most artistic facades.

Vienna remits a percentage of taxes to landlords who will tear down an old building and put up a bigger and better one. Copenhagen gives a prize exery year

to the architect who designs the most sightly building and best harmonizes with the older buildings about it. Paris requires that all office and house fronts shall be periodically re-

paired or repainted, so that the street shall appear neat and fresh, All wide Paris streets are in effect parks. They have rows of shade trees. Many of them have a central park strip planted with trees, grass and flowers, and benches are placed

perhaps 100,000 trees, a large number for a city so compactly built. In practically all European cities pavements are kept constantly in good

repair. All those European cities whose good government has something to teach America are managed not by politicians but by experts.

SCHOOL GARDEN GREAT HELP

Supplies Initiative and Responsibility Lacking in Child Who Goes to Work Early.

Those who have made a thorough study of the subject have found that the children who leave school early, for hard work, are of little value to their employers, because of a lack of initiative and proper sense of responsibility. No home training in this line is given them at any age, and in this the school garden may be of great help.

After a child has laid out his garden with tape or other measure, drawn it to a scale, laid out each small ab lotment for several sorts of plants, fertilized and dug over and smoothed out his little garden, he has well defined ideas and knowledge concerning lines and their length, relationships; and of areas, volumes, etc. A knowledge of the amount of seed he sows, weighing, measuring or even estimating the subsequent crop and computing its money value has in it all the fundamentals of a business education. Add to this the study of soils and their formation, effects of heat and moisture and the many other points developed in school garden work, and you have largely made over the once comparatively blank brain space into a practical working machine.

For Protecting Green Cement.

After laying a new concrete sidewalk it was not long since the custom to protect it from marring while it was still soft by spreading over it tar paper, which was held down by sticks laid across it or perhaps by light stones laid on it here and there, a not altogether satisfactory method, for under these light and unevenly placed weights the paper was likely to shift or to blow up in places. But nowadays while it is hardening the new pavement is protected in a much more perfect manner by spreading over the tar paper that has been laid upon it a uniform thin layer of sand, this being one of the innumerable improvements, large and small, characteristic of modern ways of doing things.

Variety of Tone. "The presence of the Flimdings lends considerable tone to our neigh-

borhood." "Stylish eh?"

"Well, not exactly. One of the daughters is taking singing lessons, the oldest boy practices several hours every day on the trombone and the Flimding twins are always crying."

Hostile Relations. Jack Perkins-What relations exist between you and Miss Richleigh? Tom Poore-Her father and mother

MRS. SCOTT WELL AGAIN MEADOWBROOK

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I praise Cardui for these good results. I recommend the medicine to my friends, because I know it is good, safe and reliable. It helped me wonderfully, and I can truthfully say that Cardui is the best medicine I have ever taken."

Be sure that Cardui, the woman's tonic, will bring you help, if you will use it regularly, and for a reasonable length of time.

You know you can depend on Cardui, because you have read of so many who are enthusiastic in its praise. Cardui has stood the test of time, the supreme test of merit.

Cardui is successful. It has been found to relieve womanly pain and build up womanly strength. Try Cardut. It will help you.

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The Thin Girl's Temper.

No thin woman can afford to lose her temper. "Nothing," says a good authority, "will make you so angular or give your face such an undesirable look as the free indulgence of your own will." A girl who was thin to a really painful degree gained 30 pounds in 60 days on the following regime: Twelve hours' sleep a day; a wellventilated and cold room to sleep in, with plenty of fresh air all night; light down coverlets for warmth and hot-water bags at the feet if they are cold; loose, light clothing at all times, with plenty of space about the chest, shoulders and waist: a diet of cereals, cocoa, fresh fruits or starchy vegetables, potatoes, beans, etc., milk and cream-everything of a warming. fat-producing nature in the way of food; warm baths, though not too frequently.

Labor Question. Lady of House-You say you work? At what? Hobo-At intervals.

THE WAY NOWADAYS.



Hoax-My daughter has reache the age when a girl begins to this of marriage.

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Joax-Just seven years old, eh? SURPRISED DOCTOR.

Illustrating the Effect of Food.

The remarkable adaptability of Grape-Nuts food to stomachs so disordered that they will reject every. are employed almost exclusively for thing else, is illustrated by the case of a woman in Racine, Wis.

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When the doctor heard of it he told me to take several small portions each day, because he feared I would grow tired of it as I had of all other food. "But to his surprise, (and that of

everybody else), I did not tire of Grape-Nuts, and became better day by day, till, after some weeks, my stomach entirely recovered and I was able to eat anything my appetite craved.

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Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a rea-

Rape is popular with hogs.

NOTES From

Be gentle with all animals.

horses often.

better equipment.

thing for poultry.

pork in all.

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the winter.

and well aired.

hens are retained.

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than suspected.

ble lot of cows.

most desirable horse.

veloped it loses its value.

of the pasture field.

The farmer must have a horse.

Examine the collars of your work

The proper time to spray fruit trees

Well-bred, well-selected pigs, make

A horse in order to keep in good

condition should be well bedded every

A machine in the shed is worth just

The brood sows should have all the

The cleaner the feed and feeding

It is conducive to health to feed

Those seeds, like the elm and soft

Never work a team of colts togeth-

Filling up the neglected holes about

the drinking tank is now in order.

The man who calls improved stock

"fancy stock" will have an account to

settle with his Maker on the judgment

Carry your good care of the ewes

replace the fountain waterers or there

may be a burst fountain some cold

After the strawberry bed has been

set and cared for through the sum-

mer, it should be mulched through

The milk should be strained through

one thickness of clean white flannel

and then should be quickly cooled

Wise turkey breeders will not

breed from the same tom more than

one year unless the same breeding

No matter how highly bred and care-

The first thing to do with the newly-

born lamb is to get it full of the ewe's

living is equal to that of the calf's.

the correction of soil abnormalities.

The neck and shoulders of a horse

are points that must not be over-

looked when buying. A weak neck and

a narrow breast do not go with the

During the winter the dairy farm-

er has more time to figure out his

be to get a better and more profita-

and profitable cattle are kept.

Fill them up now and avoid trouble.

er until they are thoroughly broken,

maple, which ripen in May or June,

belong to the "sooner" class.

as they will worry each other.

hogs when they can have the range

places, the better the quality of the

bright clover or alfalfa hay that they

about two machines left in the fence

is during the dormant season.

more profit on the food eaten.

By William Gitt

Very fat fowls are poor layers.

A horse suffering from colic should be kept quiet.

Asparagus may also be forced near cellar furnaces.

As tillers of the soil, earth worms constitute a great army.

Put kerosene on the roosts frequent ly to keep down chicken lice.

Teach the colt to eat a mixture of oats, wheat bran and linseed meal.

There is something in the first milk that the calf needs, and should have.

consideration in these days and nights. The demands on the foal's digestive system for nourishment is very great.

Remember to treat your cow with

With the better poultry is coming A flock of ewes rightly handled should produce 125 per cent. of lambs. A heated chicken house is a bad

It is the income from each sheep that should determine the value of the flock.

Every progressive keeper separates the light-colored honey from the dark

Unless the bird is extremely valuable the ax is the best remedy for a sick chicken.

The cow that is allowed to fall off in her milk flow is seldom made to regain it at a profit.

Skimp your sheep on good pasture and they will skimp you on mutton. Works both ways.

Rabbits do great damage to young trees during winter, especially when snow covers the ground. The use of fruit is a great help

toward keeping in good health, and

more of it should be grown. It's a mistake to expect the miraculous or abnormal from your cows. Bet-

ter make them work naturally.

If sows are expected to raise a fall litter, it is best to wean the spring pigs at from 8 to 10 weeks old.

When there is good stuff in the feed box the heifer soon learns to be a good barn cow when night comes.

Do not try to winter the cows without grain. Wheat bran, corn-meal and oil-meal will be found valuable. Sheep are comfort lovers and the silo.

man who neglects to provide them Parsnips may be allowed to rethis fall as far as feeding plenty of with good, dry shelter makes a costly nice bright oats to keep them in con-Irregularity in feeding-that is, a The old troughs will soon have to

good ration one day and a poor one whole milk. The safety lies in light the next, will play havoc with the best feeding. of cows.

Peach trees can be planted any time comes next. between last and first frost; the earlier in the winter they are planted obtained green food for winter is the better.

A queen bee lives from two to five birds that are to become next seayears, workers from forty-five days to son's breeders. six months, and drones seldom more net profits that measure the success than five weeks. of a dairy business.

Some breeders claim that six or seven weeks is long enough for the pigs to remain with the sow, but this, I think, is extreme.

The pig is merely a meat-producing machine and the more he is fedfully cultured a colt may be if it is not carefully trained and properly dewith good judgment, of course-the more meat he will turn over.

All living plants have definite needs every day during their growth, and if first milk, after which its chance for these needs are not supplied fully or regularly bad results must follow.

For general or common use, caus-While the orchard is coming into tic or burnt lime or ground limestone bearing try vegetable growing as a side line. This makes one of the surest and best resources of income.

Wetting the hoofs with a sponge It will pay to buy wheat bran to and clean water every day, or simply mix with the barley or corn meal for dipping each foot into a pail of wafeeding cows. Bran and barley meal ter, will keep the feet from becoming half and half makes good meal for

The best roosting-place for young bulge under a load is often overlook-If there are two kinds of roughness turkeys is on branches of trees. They ed. Note in the illustration how the for the cows this winter it will be better to feed of both at the same time will not suffer from exposure, and the open life will make them strong rather than to feed out one then start

and healthy. Look out for a collar that rubs a Some milkers handle the teats as it lap of flesh at every stride of the they were made of rubber and devoid horse. It is liable to wear a gall on of all feeling; but, strange to say, his neck, and much sooner sometimes there are nerves in the udder which are very sensitive.

> We like to see the cows approach their master in the yard to be scratched and petted. It shows that they are used to kind treatment and are not afraid of him.

In the feeding of live stock there is a chance for a large leak and yet plans for improving his system of have it unknown. The most economfarming. The great question should | ical feed is the one that supplies the animal's needs at the least expense.

The safest bull the dairyman can It would be easier to keep good use is generally a cross bull. At first men on the farm if the dairy farmers this may seem a strange assertion. would keep better cows. A man ap- The reason, however, is simple. The preciates the opportunity of handling bull that is known to be cross will algood stock, and he realizes that some | ways be watched. On the other hand, responsibility is placed upon him if it is easy to put too much confidence he knows that nothing but valuable in a tame bull that may suddenly be come cross.

PREPARE FOR SPRING and 100 pounds of cotton seed meal per acre at or before planting time.

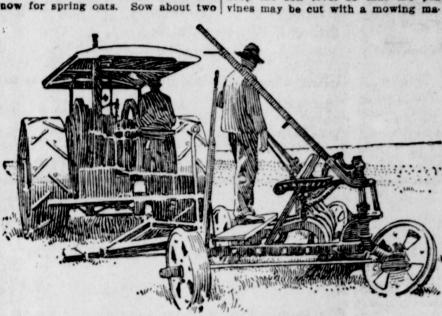
Soil Should Be Made Ready for This corn must be cultivated very Various Crops.

Break Several Acres of Grass Land for Pastures-Nitrate of Soda Should Be Applied as Top Dressing for Spring Oats.

Flat break several acres of good grass land now and thoroughly pulverize the surface by the use of a har-

Plant Iowa grown seed corn the latter part of February or the first of March. rapidly as it will not wait on us like late corn. It can be cut when in heavy roasting ear and fed stalk and ear. That is, we can begin feeding this corn when in heavy roasting ear.

Flat break some of the most productive soil now for early peas. Thoroughly pulverize the soil for about one inch deep about the tenth of April with a disk harrow, ajax Jarrow, section steel harrow or some simiar implement; lay off the rows about row. This land will furnish excellent 20 inches apart and plant about one grazing. Prepare for good woodland peck of New Era pea seed per acre pastures by clearing and early burn- and cover, leaving the soil level. Cultivate two or three times in order to Flat break some very fertile soil keep the soil level so that the pea



Easy to Plow With Gasoline Engine.

bushels of pure Burt oats about the | chine. Cut the vines when the first last of February and cover with a disc pods begin to ripen. This variety of harrow, ajax harrow, cutaway harrow, peas mature about ten days earlier section steel harrow or some similar than the speckled pea. implement. Apply about 75 pounds of tion. Cut the oats when in the dough stage and an excellent hay will be obtained. A good pasture, oat hay, and very little corn will keep plow horses in good order.

Thoroughly prepare very fertile soil | the fall. for early corn. Apply a mixture of 25 pounds of nitrate of soda. 100 engine plowing a field at an average pounds of 16 per cent. acid phosphate, rate of twelve acres per day,

Expand your feed supply with a

main in the garden soil all winter.

Skim milk is less digestible than

As a single grain feed for eggs

wheat has them all bested. Oats

Perhaps the best and most easily

It is not too early to select the

It is not the gross income but the

Careful dressing of market fowls

sometimes means a difference of two

or three cents per pound in market-

All pure bred sires are not good. In

A flock will go through a winter in

It has a dry roof, but no flock will

We not only need to develop a good

working stomach on a calf, but a

good acting heart. This cannot be

Plan Shown Whereby Inside Braces

That Are Often in the Way

Can Be Dispensed With.

The plan of making a box rack so

it is strong in the center and will not

center standards pass down below the

heavy sides and are bolted on the bot-

tom crosspieces. With this plan inside

braces that are often in the way can

Much Depends on Team.

A good team of horses or mules is

the backbone of a small farm. When

the backbone of a thing is broken or

out of commission the whole works

go to pieces. Take care of the team.

The Burbank Potato.

be dispensed with.

ever thrive on wet footing.

plenty of exercise.

scalded alfalfa.

pure blood.

tor shovels greased for winter?

The oat crop, the early corn, and nitrate of soda about the first of April | the pea vine hay are ready for feedas a top dressing. It will diffuse ing about the 1st of June. Thus we through the soil without any cultiva- see that we can cut our feed bill down to the lowest point by decreasing our cotton acreage to some extent.

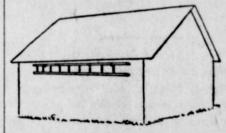
Follow the oats, corn and peas with peas sown broadcast and a large crop of peavine hay will be obtained in

The illustration shows a gasoline

HANDY PLACE FOR A LADDER

Can Be Well Sheltered by Placing Under Cornice of Low Building -Two Spikes Enough.

The illustration calls attention to the necessity of having a handy place for the ladder where it will be out of the way and where it will be pretty well sheltered by the cornice. On nearly every farm here is one or Are the plow lays and the cultiva- more low buildings with posts not



A Ladder Hanger.

that makes a convenient side to hang a ladder. Two heavy spikes or lagscrews can be driven through the siding and into the studding.

Use Leather Halter.

buying rams it is just as necessary to Use a leather halter rein instead of study individuality as it is to have a chain when tying horses in their stalls. They may become entangled and the leather rein may possibly good shape in an open shed provided break and release them without serious injury, while the chain will hold and oftentimes cause their death.

Silage for Greatest Success.

done without pure air, sunlight and To the up-to-date and progressive dairymen and to the most advanced cattle feeders the use of the silo and BOX RACK MADE SUBSTANTIAL the feeding of ensilage is recognized as being necessary to the greatest success in their respective lines of business.

Making Harness Last Longer.

Harness oil and elbow grease used ogether on the harness will pay mighty good money on the investment. Harness costs are going up, and the more we conserve the harness the better for all concerned,

Greenhorn Buying Horse.

The greenhorn, when he goes to purchase a horse, generally takes from one to six greenhorns with him to assist in choosing the animal. The dealer, under those circumstances, generally outwits them all.

Much Work About Plant.

Do not harbor the mistaken notion that there is not much work to be done about a poultry plant. To be sure the work is light, comparatively, but you will find it to be about the busiest job you ever undertook.

Should Keep Out the Dust.

Do every possible thing to prevent The Burbank potato is said to be dust in the cow stable. Sprinkle land adding seventeen million dollars a plaster over the floor after cleaning year to the agricultural output of this the cow stable. It will absorb all liquids and preserve the boards.

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES

They Are Closely Observing Public Health Conditions.

An examining physician for one or the prominent Life insurance Com-panies, in an interview on the subject, made the astonishing statement that the reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kid-ney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large major-ity of applicants do not even suspect

that they have the disease. He states that judging from his own experience and reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one prepara-tion that has probably been more suc-cessful in relieving and curing these diseases than any remedy known. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kli mer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of cures. We find that Swamp-Root is strictly

an herbal compound and we would advise our readers who feel in need of such a remedy to give it a trial. It is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes-fifty cents and one-dollar. However, if you wish first to test its wonderful merits, send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle, absolutely free. When writ-

ing be sure and mention this paper.

Coming Financer. In a certain country village, where co-operation has a firm hold on the inhabitants, and where the "trading check" habit also flourishes, one little girl proudly called to another: "We've got a new baby at our

house!" "Where did you get it?" was the re-

"Oh, the doctor brought it." "Now, why," queried the thrifty little sympathizer, gravely, "didn't you buy it at the store and get either a dividend or a trading stamp? The doctor doesn't give either, does he?"

THE PEEVISH CHILD NEEDS TREATMENT

When a child sulks drowsily, or is fretful, it is usually due to some slight disorder of the digestive organs, and a mild laxative is very often all that is necessary to restore cheerfulness and buoyancy of spirits.

In cases where the use of a gentle, effective laxative stimulant is indicated, many of the best physicians are now prescribing Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This preparation is admittedly the perfect laxative, being mild, yet positive in its action on the bowels, and far preferable to vicient cathartics and purgative waters. It is very pleasant to the taste and is an ideal remedy to regulate and strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels. Its easy, natural action makes it especially desirable in the case of children, a dose at bed-time being sure to have the desired result next morning, with no at-

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is sold by druggists everywhere in 50c and \$1.00 bottles. If you have never tried this splendid remedy, write to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 201 Washington St., Monticello, Ill., for a sample. He will be very glad to send a trial bottle without any expense to you whatever.

Any man ought to get three square meals a day if he is able to work and able to keep from being worked.

Constipation causes and seriously aggravates many diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Dr. Pierce's Pellets. Tiny sugar coated granules.

Even if a woman can't afford a new hat she can criticise her neighbor's.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS
Tour druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT falls to cure any case of Itching, Blind,
Bloeding or Protruding Files in 6 to 14 days. 50c. One thing rarer than a day in June is a woman who has nothing to say.

Money makes the mare go; the lack of it makes her go hungry.

"How Are You, Today?" Feel Poorly? **Appetite** Gone? Bowels Constipated? YOU SHOULD TRY It is a proven health maker and preventive of Stomach IIIs, Grippe and Malaria.

MEXICAN MUSTANG

FOR HORNET STINGS.

Locals

Imperial Shop for Barbering.

J. R. Boston was in Clarendon Tuesday.

Have you thought very seriously about planting trees this year?

Alec Alexander was here first of the week visiting E. H. Willis.

Jasper Brokaw transacted business in Memphis Wednesday.

Mrs. E. H. Willis entertained some of the young ladies last Friday night.

FOR SALE-Three pairs of turkeys.

Mrs. W. T. White.

Arthur Beady made a trip to Wellington Saturday returning Monday.

W. M. Dyer came home to spend Sunday, will finish his business at Lark this week.

R. W. Talley, candidate for tax assessor, was down from Clarendon Saturday meeting the voters.

H. C. Jennings of Gainesville arrived last week to look over the business of the Wooldridge

W. E. Reeves and O. C. Hill attended a meeting of the Knights Templar at Memphis Tuesday night.

Mrs. Sylvester Dubbs and children of Clarendon visited her sister Mrs. J. M. Brokaw this if you want the best of drugs, week.

FOR SALE -- 1 full blood Jersey cow giving milk, 4 years old with 3 months old calf, for \$50.

J. G. McDougal.

Norman Myers went to Dallas ing. last week and bought a runabout auto which arrived first of the

itches, and you have that don't- and is much improved. care feeling. Get in shape by being worked over at Imperial.

Miss Jessie Adamson returned Wednesday from Clayton, N. M., where she has been visiting her sister and brother Bob who have taken up land there.

residence number two; having the Troy Steam laundry and finished number one which is you are sure to get first class Home Phone 121 occupied by Mr. Painter and work. family.

FOR SALE-Fresh bread, fine candies, cigars, tobacco, apples, oranges and many other things to satisfy the inner man at Next Thursday is a good day to Moore's Restaurant.

T. R. Moreman had the shed room moved from the building occupied by Wood Bros. to the back of his business lot and is making it into a ware room.

fifteen acres of land this week line. from J. G. McDougal east of the grove and is hauling lumber and will build a five or six room restdence which he will move into as companied home by her sister, soon as completed.

Killian & Son DRAYMEN

We want to do your Dray Work and will give you satisfactory service.

one No. 3, and we will get your order

See Those Beautiful

Embroideries and Red Seal Ginghams for Spring.

We have just returned from Market and our goods will arrive the first of next week. We bought nothing but the latest line of merchandise in the Staple, Fancy and Novelty. Our Shoe stock is complete as we bought a full line of SPRING OXFORDS for men, boys, ladies, misses and children--nothing but the newest styles; no old or even last year styles. Remember we make a specialty of Shoes, we give you our 10 years experience in fitting.

WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF MILLINERY

Remember this will be no Last Years Styles.

Let us order your Spring Suit. We represent M. Born and International Tailoring Co. and will guarantee you a perfect fit an satisfaction.

Our Grocery stock is complets and we sell the Famous Belle of Wichita and White Rose Flour; Use one sack and you will be a regular customer

FRESH GROCERIES ARE BETTER.

Quality Our Slogan

M & M CO.

Corner Brick

Go to the Albright Drug Co. A. M. Sarvis, M. D. sundries, candies, cigars, daily

Frank Slay and wife were here first of the week from Groom. He is a barber and was looking over Hedley with a view to locat-

Mrs. J. G. McDougal went to Goodnight Sunday to see her brother, Paul Pyle, who was When you are blue, your face sick. Paul came down Tuesday

Shave at the Imperial.

E. H. Willis has a contract to build a residence for Biggers of Amarillo on his place five miles southeast of town, which will Nicholas F. Williams, D. V. S. be occupied by W. H. Henry.

Bring your dirty clothes to the M. C. Hamilton has started Imperial and let us send them to

> It's about time to put out shade trees. A number of citizens have bought trees to plant soon, are you one of the number?

I write plate glass, fire and tornado insurance in the strong. est of companies.

J. C. Wells.

Albright Drug Co. for your J. A. Morrow of Giles bought wants in the drug and sundry

> Mrs. W. M. Dyer visited in Memphis this week and was ac-Mrs. J. T. Newman and children, who will visit Mrs. Dyer and brother D. C. Moore.



by notifying me concerning their terest. If you will bring or will sell or trade for good young whereabouts at any time.

C. F. DOHERTY

Physician and Surgeon

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J. B. Ozier, M. D. Physician and Surgeon

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endon held quarterly conference Hedley school will entertain the here Saturday and Sunday. His public at the Auditorium with a sermons Sunday were great and music recital by Miss Calloway's very much appreciated by the class, and a five-act drama, congregation.

Stop! Listen

Blessed are they that do hunger and thirst after the good things to eat, for they shall be filled-provided they buy and eat at Moore's restaurant at Hed ley, Texas.

The Informer will greatly appreciate it if the public will Anyone find hand in all the local items, such the Informer folks on their ing stock as visitors, parties, dinners or straying off any other event that would be of ton. branded two interest to the public. It is the circles will desire of the management to mare, 6 years old. gentle to ride, confer a fav publish everything of local in- work anywhere, none better; send in all such items you will cattle. be helping yourself, your friends Phone 29--- 21-2r Hedley, Texas and your paper.

GOOD ROADS



OUR MOTIVE POWER HAS IMPROVED FROM THE OXEN TO THE MOGUL.

The human event next in importance to the invention of the wheel was the development of motive power, beginning with the domestication of animals and gaining its greatest distance when metal was substituted for muscle. The subjugation of substance and the harnessing of the elements and making them a faithful, reliable and obedient servant to mankind has been the crowning event of our civilization, but our road improvements have not kept pace with our advancement in motive power. Build roads and keep up with the procession.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTH-DAY ENTERTAINMENT

Friday night, Feb. 23, the bargain. "Cornelia", by the school. It promises to be an interesting program and the public is invited RES to attend. This is to be for Washington's Birthday.

Tree planting time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins and daughter Mrs. Kirby stopped over a few hours Tuesday with way to Clarendon from Welling-

FOR SALE-Good young

A. F. Waldron. Hedley, Texas.

FOR SALE-Two milch cows with young calves. R. W. Scales.

A few shoats weighing from 50 to 75 pounds for sale at a J. G. McDougal.

When in need of any of the necessities of the inner man call at this Restaurant. We try to have what the public wants in the way of good things to eat. Try our

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Give me your patronage.

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Every 1st and 3rd Monday nights John D. Waldron,

Consul A. N. Wood, Clerk I. O. O. F. Lodge

meets every Saturday night.

C. Y. Tate, N. G. J. H. Richey, Secretary

A. F. & A. M. Meets Saturday night on or after the full moon.

W. R. McCarroll, W M S. A. McCarroll, Secretary

CHURCHES BAPTIST, Jas. A. Long, pastor First Sunday in each month.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Preaching every First Sunday, Rev. Holmes, Pastor.

METHODIST, G. H. Bryant, pastor. Every Second Sunday morning and evening.

PRESBYTERIAN every Third Sunday. Rev. Hagan, Pastor.

BAPTIST, J. W. Hembree, pastor. Every Fourth Sunday SUNDAY SCHOOL every Sunday morning. T. R. More-

man, Superintendent. PRAYER MEETING Every Wednesday evening.

DONLEY COUNTY OFFICIALS

Judge, J. H. O'Neal Clerk, Wade Willis

Sheriff, J. T. Patman Treasurer, Gus Johnson Assessor, G. W. Baker

Surveyor, J. C. Killough Commissioners: G. A. Anderson, Pct. No. 1 R. E. Williams, J. G. McDougal, Pct. No. 3

Roy Kendall, Justice of the Peace Precinct 3, K. W. Howell Constable Pct. No. 3, J. W. Bond

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