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Clean-Up Day

Tuesday, June 8, is Designated by Mayor

Following the annual custom of having a certain day as Clean-Up Day in Hedley, and believing it is necessary for the promotion of the health of the citizens of the town to have everything as sanitary as possible, and knowing it will add to the civic attractiveness to remove all unsightly rubbish, I hereby designate and proclaim Tuesday, June 8, CLEAN-UP DAY.

Let every citizen, big, little, old and young, make a determined attack on all trash, filth, rubbish, etc., with deadly weapons, such as hoes, rakes, pitch forks, shovels and fire, and continue the battle until the foe is vanquished. Burn all trash burnable, pile all tin cans and rubbish, and cut all weeds, and let us have a clean town once more. Where possible, every merchant, clerk and office man are asked to close up, for a short time at least, and join in the fight of cleaning the premises, streets and alleys. Arrangements can be made with Mr. Hawley to haul your unburnable rubbish.

T. R. MOREMAN, Mayor

ENLISTMENT AND EDUCATIONAL RALLY

An enlistment and educational rally will be held at the Baptist Church Saturday night and Sunday July 3-4, for the purpose of creating interest in Christian education and in Goodnight College. A number of good speakers are on the program and a good meeting is expected.

SUNDAY SCHOOL RECORD

The Baptist and Methodist Sunday schools had the following record for last Sunday: Baptist, enrolled 145, present 75, new pupils 6, collection \$1.84. Methodist, enrolled 139, present 96, new pupils 0, collection \$1.53.

WHY THEY LAUGHED

At a recent revival meeting in a near by town a butcher arose and said that he was the wickedest man in town and had given his customers short weight for years. "I'd go to hell if I should die tonight," he continued. Immediately an old deacon, who was in the grocery business started the hymn, "If you get there before I do, look out for me I'm coming too." And then the grocerman wondered why everybody laughed.—Exchange.

SUNDAY CLOSING

By order of our County Officials, beginning with Sunday May 30th, we will not sell any Cigars, Tobacco, Cold Drinks or Kodak Supplies on Sunday. Our customers will please make their purchases on Saturday to run them over Sunday as no one working here has time or inclination to accept a term of free board at a Clarendon Hotel or Rest. Hedley Drug Co.

Naylor Springs

T. L. Naylor and Dr. Fields and wife attended the Fifth Sunday meeting at Lakeview.

J. S. Hall and wife left last Friday for Stratford for a few days visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. J. R. Kirkwood. A long distance states their visit lengths on account of heavy rains.

Mr. Parmley and family visited his sister, Mrs. J. W. Bland, this week.

T. W. Austin and family accompanied by his mother, and sister, Miss Bettye, and cousin, Miss Lou Naylor came down from Amarillo Saturday for a short visit with T. N. Naylor and family.

The gentle rain that fell Saturday night was appreciated by the farmers.

The hospitable home of J. D. Drippon and wife was opened to the young people of this community last Friday evening in honor of the latter's brother, Lewis P. Fields, who has just returned from college for a few days visit with relatives. The guests were royally entertained with a number of interesting games after which came the serving of delicious ice cream and cake refreshments. At a very late hour all returned to their homes with good wishes for their host and hostess.

NELDA.

Sweet Potato Plants For Sale

Nancy Hall, Pumpkin or Dooly Yam, Triumph or Florida Yam. Price 25c per 100; \$1.15 per 500; \$2.25 per 1000; \$2.00 per 1000 in lots of 5000 or more. Terms cash with order. Ready for shipment May 1st to July 1st.

J. A. Hawk.

20-6t Lelia Lake, Texas.

SCHOOL BOARD SELECTS BALANCE OF FACULTY

The trustees have selected the other two teachers for Hedley school. They are Mrs. U. J. Boston, primary, and Miss Eunice Wimberly. The teachers are all residents of this place and their qualifications as teachers have been tested, so we may look for a banner school year next term.

POPULAR COUPLE GET MARRIED

One of the strange pranks played by Dan Cupid was the result of a trip to Memphis by a crowd of young people last Sunday. On the way here two of the bunch, Dr. C. G. Strickland and Miss Bess Gray, decided to get married and on arrival in Memphis went out to the home of Miss Frances Roberts, and brought her to the court house where she issued them a license. Their efforts were then directed to the finding of a parson to tie the knot. After a third attempt one was located on the street in the person of President Moore of the Goodnight Baptist college, who was in the city to fill the pulpit at the co-operative meeting at the Methodist church Sunday night. In company with Rev. Moore they then repaired to the home of Mrs. E. L. Houghton, who is a friend to the brides, family, where they were married. They returned to Clarendon Sunday evening.—Memphis Democrat.

Dr. Strickland will be remembered as having practiced for Dr. Ozier last year while he was away.

TALKING ABOUT HEDLEY CITIZENS WHO COULDN'T SMOKE

Hedley, Texas, June 1.—Signs of nervousness were displayed by a number of Hedley's most prominent citizens Sunday. The reason at first was hard to find, soon proved itself when the following question with fervor was asked: "Can you give me a smoke?" At a recent meeting of county and city officials it was decided that no cigars or tobacco will be sold on Sunday at Hedley. This went into effect this week, and some of the men had failed to remember until it was too late.—Daily Panhandle.

W. O. W. NOTICE

All members of the Hedley Camp are requested to be present at the meeting Friday night June 11. Also all members of Rowe Camp are cordially invited. Will have cake and cream on the side. J. M. Bozeman, C. C.

Memphis' annual co-operative meeting began last Sunday. Evangelist singer Ed Phillips is leading the singing, and during the first two weeks the local pastors are doing the preaching; the last two weeks an evangelist will have charge. We wonder if every denomination will have its own clique and clan and hold its own meetings, or if all will unite in one great and glorious company, when we all live in the next world. The sooner Hedley people can co-operate in every movement, religious, moral and civic, the sooner may we expect to have a town where others will want to cast their lots, and where the non religious will become interested.

GERMAN DIPLOMACY WHAT THINK YE

Had German diplomacy not heretofore been the subject of much criticism the reply drafted by the high officials of that country to the American note is in itself sufficient cause to believe the country to be unusually weak in diplomatic efforts. It will be remembered that in the beginning of the European conflict the Kaiser in a number of instances placed the blame on the acts of his diplomatic representatives. In this case he can hardly seek to evade the responsibilities of state by placing them on the shoulders of others. The German Emperor would not allow a document of this importance to be transmitted until he was familiar with its contents. The German language does not lend itself readily to diplomatic usage. In this latest case, however, there has been no attempt upon the part of those who have drafted the answer to pass lightly the chief demands of the United States. In almost every case they were ignored absolutely. The language of the President's note, was unmistakably clear. President Wilson is gifted with the ability to state a fact clearly, pertinently and yet with dignity. In his reply to the German answer we may rightly expect a masterpiece in a forceful upholding of the National honor and an appeal for all humanity.—Amarillo Daily News.

CLUB MEETING

Hedley Commercial Club meets next Tuesday night to elect officers. It is desired that every member and prospective member attend this meeting.

ANNUAL BANQUET AT MEMPHIS ENJOYED BY HEDLEY CITIZENS

Thursday night of last week G. A. Wimberly, Joe Devine, A. A. Teel, B. W. Moreman, S. C. Richerson, U. J. Boston and the writer went to Memphis and attended the Annual Banquet of the Memphis Commercial Club. To say we enjoyed the occasion would be putting it mildly.

The banquet was served to about 200 men by the ladies of the Christian church, and talk about good things to eat—they served them—even to fried chicken.

The orchestra and some of the ladies entertained with music and readings while the banquet was in progress. After the banquet cigars were passed a round and all proceeded to smoke up, especially the speakers. Several splendid talks were made and some business transacted by the Club. They decided to have a celebration of some kind in July.

Take it from the bunch from Hedley, the Memphis Club is a live factor in that town. It does things. And all co-operate instead of cross fire. This town could do much more than it does if all our people would get in harness instead of just a few. Some of the liveliest wires in the Memphis Club are farmers.

Homer Mulkey and H. Lott were here from Clarendon Tuesday.

Ordinance No. 8

An Ordinance Providing for the Securing of License for Shows and Peddlers to Operate in the City of Hedley, Texas.

Art. 44. Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Hedley, Texas, that it shall be unlawful for any show and all peddlers, except those that are exempt by State laws, to operate within the corporate limits of the City of Hedley without first securing license, which shall cost from \$2.50 to \$5.00.

Ordinance No. 9

An Ordinance Establishing a Speed Limit for Automobiles and Motorcycles in the City of Hedley, Texas, and Prescribing a Penalty Therefor.

Art. 45. Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Hedley, Texas, that hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person to drive an automobile or motorcycle at a rate of speed exceeding fifteen (15) miles per hour within the corporate limits of the City of Hedley, Texas.

Art. 46. That any person violating this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction, he shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$25.00.

Special

Jack Reid has opened up a Garage at the Whitfield blacksmith shop. Jack is a natural mechanic, and is fully prepared and capable to do any kind of automobile work, and solicits your patronage in that line. All work guaranteed. Automobile, steam engine and boiler work a specialty. Ample house room for autos.

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A Few Suggestions for BOOSTING Hedley

Don't be the man who put sit in city.
Building good homes builds a good town.
Save a little money and save a lot of worry.
Good roads lead not only to town, but to money.
A nice front porch has prevented many an old maid.
Be a live one and the town will never be a dead one.
Why should the town muzzle dogs and not knockers?
When someone plans to help the town, plan to help the plan.
The best plans a man can have to the future are house plans.
A good way to make the world better is to begin with the home town.
A town is like a perambulator: it isn't much good unless it is pushed.
Don't spend all your time telling what you could do if you had some time.
Be like a ball player. The thing he is always working for is home.
Be one of the leaders of the town, if you can; but, anyway, keep up.
If you think a cow can't laugh for joy, let somebody sell you a good silo.
Don't be a grouch. Everybody in this town wishes you well, even the doctor.
Let's not be trying to stop something all the time. Let's start something.
A good town will do more to keep the boys at home than good advice.

A town is like a girl. It is wonderful what a little fixing up will do for her.
Opportunity knocks once at every man's door; better be home when the lady calls.
The world owes every man a living, but the street corner is a poor collection agency.
Don't look for soft snaps; the hard snaps are the ones that have the ginger in them.
Don't spend so much time talking war that you haven't time left to talk business.
If you would like to have somebody working for you, put a little money in the bank.
It improves the soup to throw a little pepper into it.
Same way with a town.
If you spend all you earn, some other fellow is banking your money.
Many a young man goes away to seek his fortune when Fortune is seeking for him at home.
You've got to be a citizen in order to vote; but you've got to do a good deal more than vote to be citizen.
If you will consider the men in this town who are well off you will find that most of them made their money here.
The big things were all done in the big towns. The greatest poem in English language was written in a country churchyard.
There is only one better man than the man who gets behind and pushes, in a effort to improve the town, and that's the man who leads and pulls.

Club Women Aroused Over Petty Grafting
By LILLIAN SWINNEY, St. Louis, Mo.

Club women all over the country are becoming aroused over the petty grafting endured from some merchants. It is the very smallness of the sums involved that makes the practice so exasperating. When a half cent, or less is too small for the individual to make a fuss over, the number of them filched from thousands of women amounts to a large sum in the course of a year, thus adding materially to the profits of the merchants. The number of times that the person is called upon to suffer from this insignificant cheating also makes the sum taken count to them in the long run.

Certain stores carrying a cheaper grade of merchandise make it a practice to price goods in fractions of a cent; thus 2 1/2, 12 1/2, 6 3/4 and the like are favorite combinations in some stores. One would suppose that two articles purchased at the same counter at the same time and put upon one check would amount to five cents, when each was marked 2 1/2 cents, but by some peculiar method of figuring twice 2 1/2 comes to six cents, in some of these stores.

A favorite trick is to mark popular articles 12 1/2 cents and refuse to sell more than one to a customer. Even when the buyer is willing to pay 13 cents for the article, it is annoying to be compelled to pay more than the advertised price, though it be but the half-cent. There is a strong love of justice in many persons, and even while quite willing to pay out considerable sums for cheap, or for desired merchandise, they seriously object to being deliberately cheated.

This matter will be brought to the attention of club women and a movement started either to have half-cents coined to meet this kind of business or else to stop purchasing at stores that mark prices in fractions of a cent. This kind of grafting bears most unpleasantly upon the poorer class of buyers, for whom every cent counts in the necessities of their families.

Being More Practical in Love Making
By Theresa T. Meyer, St. Louis, Mo.

The most vital question to any young woman is whether her future husband can support her at least as well as she has been supported. I have always contended that a man should acquire enough property to take care of his wife and child before he had either. Man must have been placed on a pedestal by some girls. If there was such a thing as the love they speak of those women wouldn't be down in Springfield striving for woman's rights.

On account of injustice in laws women are made selfish, but it is the man who is generally selfish. Most true women marry for love, only to find that the sentiment is entirely on their side. Will this love continue when they find out they have married a drunkard, loafer or libertine, or perhaps a man who hoards out a dollar grudgingly while he spends many over a bar?

Most women marry with ideals in regard to a home and all that makes a home, only to find out that the man they married had selfish ideals. Love will follow respect, but respect must follow justice.

The comforts that money can buy will be a balm to most women for man's shortcomings.

My advice to young girls is to look into the practical side first and then find their ideal if he can be found.

Where the Innocent Suffer the Most
By Rev. J. W. Hudson, Washington, D. C.

I have come to think that Sherman was wrong. War is not hell. I have been studying up hell lately to find out what it is like. I have asked the men of theology and they have told me that hell is a place where the wicked are punished.

But war is nothing like that. When I look over at the European war I find it is a place where the innocent are being punished, where the innocent suffer the most—innocent women and innocent children, looking for the return of fathers and brothers and husbands who will never come back, innocent soldiers who had nothing to do with the cause of the war, who are fighting for "the grand old flag."

Don't blame the soldiers. They are not to blame for the war. They would be to blame if they didn't fight for their flag and their native land.

But the people to blame are the people who don't suffer—the diplomats, the rulers, the counsellors, who were not on their jobs well enough, who did not have the welfare of the people at heart sufficiently to keep peace between the nations.

People Living on "Nothing a Year"
By E. L. ARMSTRONG, Aurora, Ill.

All criminals are punished more or less for their crimes. But there is one kind of offenders who prove a menace to society and who go along unpunished and that is the class who find it possible to live well without paying any of their just and everyday debts.

They also have enjoyment from new pianos, washing machines and so on by purchasing them on the installment plan. They damage these articles as much as possible before they are surrendered on account of delinquency in payments.

This loss honest people must make up for by having to pay exorbitant prices.

Upon investigation it will be found that this class is usually the poor leisure class—the lazy.

We need more rigid regulation of this class of people.

Excessive Sums Are Asked in Lawsuits
By Byron C. Froend, Indianapolis, Ind.

How often do we hear this said: "So-and-so sued So-and-so for \$100,000, or \$50,000, or \$25,000," or some other huge sum! In the popular mind being sued in this way is almost equivalent to owing that much money and not paying it.

There is little doubt that many reputations for sound credit have been injured by such loose talk.

Under our court system it is as easy and as cheap to sue a man for \$1,000,000 as for \$1, if the suit is brought in the circuit or superior court. This is wrong. Reputable concerns should not be subjected to suits for absurd amounts. The remedy is easy enough.

All that is necessary is to set a maximum limit for which suit may be filed for the usual fee, and then charge an additional fee of \$1 or \$5 thousand for each additional thousand asked. This would stop responsible firms from asking for damages.

HOUSE DESIGNED FOR LARGE LOT

Structure Most Suitable for Erection in Small Town or Village.

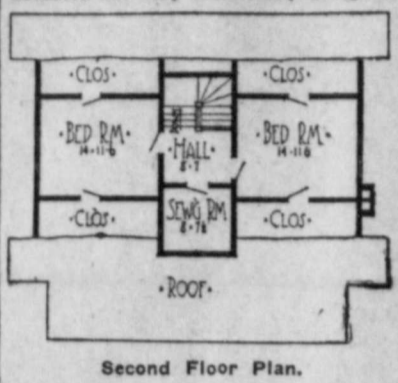
LAI D OUT FOR SIX ROOMS

Proper Arrangement of Light is One of the Features That Make the Building Eminently Desirable—Buffet in Dining Room a Feature.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.
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al height of 7 1/4 feet of headroom, and \$50 or \$100 is saved in the cost of construction. These details are worked out locally regardless of the general plan of the superstructure, because it makes no alteration in the manner of building except that the studs are two or three feet longer, more or less.

The plan of this house provides for four rooms and a bathroom on the first floor, and there are two bedrooms and a sewing room on the second floor. The sewing room is lighted by the front dormer. The back dormer window lights the stairway. These dormers are very artistically designed



Second Floor Plan.

as a relief to the long sloping roof, as well as for admitting light to the center of the upper story.

The two bedrooms are lighted by double windows in the gables. The fashion of using double windows is a good one for looks as well as for light. Large gables require some kind of an interruption to the general smooth, straight siding as a relief. For that reason the wide projection of roof shuts away some of the light, so that when single windows are used in this capacity the bedrooms are likely to be somewhat dark. The bedrooms are 14 by 11 feet 6 inches in size, with four extra large clothes closets or store rooms. This is a way of utilizing every square foot of floor space down to a point where the roof comes within a few feet of the floor.

The downstairs rooms are very nicely arranged for comfort and for convenience in doing the house work. The parlor and the dining room, being connected by a wide archway, are almost like one room. The parlor is made very attractive by the large chimney and fireplace, with bookcases in the corners. These bookcases are about five feet in height, which necessitates the placing of the windows over these bookcases at considerable height; but there is an advantage in this, because the light comes from a different angle, and these small high windows, in connection with the triple window in front, light the parlor in a very satisfactory manner. Likewise the dining room is lighted by the wide windows in the rear wall and by two narrower windows in the box seat.

A built-in buffet is constructed against the blank wall in the dining

The fashion of building a house with considerable width of frontage is prevalent in a great many towns and villages of the middle West. Ordinarily, such houses require wide lots, which probably is the principal reason why they are not so much built in cities, where land values are very much greater.

In most towns and villages the residence streets are lined with shade trees, so that after the noon hour there is considerable shade, which is a great relief from the hot morning sun. It is noticeable that a shady lawn usually is cool. Large shade trees, with the branches trimmed up a distance of twelve or fifteen feet above the ground, are said to possess a suction which draws the air under the branches and creates a breeze even on a comparatively still day. The real reason is that there always is a breath of air moving across the landscape. When the advancing current of air meets an obstruction like a tree, it parts and passes around the object in every direction. Part of the moving air is compressed between the tree branches and the ground. Because of the restricted area the air moves faster, which accounts for the pleasant sensation of a light breeze that is so often noticed under shade trees in the summertime.

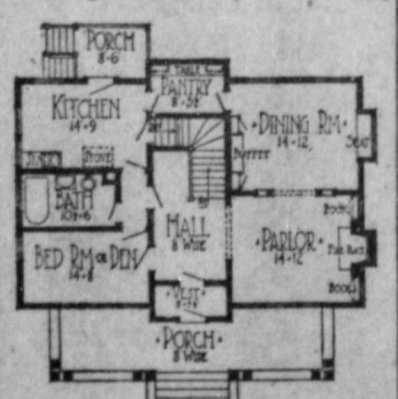
This house should be built on a lot at least fifty feet in width—sixty feet would be better. The frontage may be either north or west. If it is necessary to front towards the east it would be better to reverse the floor



plans and put the living rooms on the sunny side of the house. It makes a great difference in the comfort of a house to have the living rooms face in the most desirable direction.

The general appearance of this house from the street is exceptionally interesting and pleasing. There is something light and airy and clean-looking about the design and finish.

The house is constructed in the usual way of building a wooden house over a solid cellar or basement wall of stone, brick or concrete. The materials for the wall must be selected according to the locality. Stone, sand,



First Floor Plan.

lime, cement, etc., are heavy commodities, so that freight rates mount up. For that reason each community has figured out the cheapest and most satisfactory way of building up to the surface of the ground. If cellar-wall material is locally convenient, the walls are carried up to the bottom of the first floor joists. If cellar-wall material is scarce or expensive, then cellar walls usually extend only to the surface of the ground.

All is laid on top of this low wall and the studding started from the sill in the usual way, but there is a furring strip gained to the studding two or three feet above the top of the wall. This furring strip supports the floor joists, so that the floor is usually

His Choice.
"Unlucky at cards, lucky in love." "Humph!" sneered the cynic. "I'd rather be lucky at cards."

His Pleasure.
Fond Mother—"You will be five years old tomorrow, Willie, and I want to give you a real birthday treat. Tell me what you would like better than anything else."

Willie (after thinking earnestly for five minutes)—"Bring me a whole box of chocolate creams, mother, and ask Tommy Smith to come in and watch me eat them."

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Exercise and Music Together.
"Myrtle is in a quandary."
"What's the matter with her?"
"She loves music, but she needs physical culture."
"Yes?"
"But she hasn't time for both."
"I can tell her a way out of the difficulty."
"Indeed?"
"Yes; just tell her to buy an accordion."

Uses of "Dutch Courage."
"Dutch courage" is likely to be a subject of considerable controversy before the war is over, and in England some opposition has been stirred up by the forwarding of rum for the use of the troops in France, says the Springfield Republican. How far the czar's prohibition ukase extends is not yet quite clear; the Russian officers are said to be abstaining from rum, but whether no alcoholic drinks at all are allowed does not yet appear. That Germany is not going so far is shown by the report, if it is correct, that among the daily supplies requisitioned from Antwerp are 2,000 bottles of wine. And if the cellars of champagne have been spared, things have indeed changed mightily since 1870. In his Sudan campaign Lord Kitchener allowed his men no spirits; if a ration of rum is now to be served it may be on account of the supposed exigency of the climate. Even in this respect the weight of scientific opinion is against alcohol, and the views of polar explorers, which should carry some weight, are divided. But English veterans of the Boer war seem to favor the ration of rum, perhaps as a creature comfort rather than on scientific grounds.

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"But, Mamie, you are a fine upstairs girl, and I thought you were going to stay. Be reasonable. What is the matter?"
"Well, ma'am, when you went shopping yesterday, didn't you lock up your desk so that not a single letter could be read?"
"I did."
"And when the family is at dinner, there isn't a decent, comfortable place behind a door for me to sit and listen to the conversation. And when you are out nights, do you lock up the piano and phonograph?"
"We do."
"Then, ma'am, I'm going, and let me tell you as long as you do these things you'll get no decent, self-respecting girl to work for you."—Life.

Love's Labor Lost.
"I had tough luck the other night."
"What was the matter?"
"I promised my wife to be home at ten o'clock."
"And didn't get home until two o'clock, I suppose."
"No, I was home at 9:30."
"I don't see any tough luck about that."
"My wife was fast asleep and I didn't get any credit for making good."
—Detroit Free Press.

The chances of being struck by lightning are four times greater in the country than in the city.
Japanese mills are suffering from a shortage of cotton supplies.



A Message For You—
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THE BATTLE OF THE TIRES

[Agricultural and Commercial Press Service] It is interesting to watch the forces of civilization battling for supremacy. The struggle now going on between the rubber and the iron tire promises to be the liveliest contest of the Twentieth Century.

The struggle is a silent one and there are no war correspondents to write vivid descriptions of the conflict but the results are more far-reaching to present and future generations than the war of Europe.

The rubber tire has been maneuvering for point of attack for several years and has captured a few unimportant positions in traffic, but it has now pitched a decisive battle with its iron competitor by hurling a million "jitneys" at the street railways and the battle is raging from ocean to ocean. Upon the result of the struggle depends the future of the rubber tire. If it is compelled to retreat, its doom is sealed, but if it wins the battle it will revolutionize the transportation methods of this nation.

If the rubber tire conquers the street traffic its next struggle is with the railroads of the country, and then the greatest battle between economic forces ever fought out on the face of this earth is on, for iron is the undisputed master in transportation, and is fortified behind billions of dollars, and millions of men.

Stephenson applied the steel tire to an iron rail in 1814, but it was 1869 before the golden spike was driven at Promontory Point, which bound the country together with bands of steel. It took the iron tire fifty-five years to creep from ocean to ocean, but the rubber tire while warm from the creative mind of the inventive genius sped across the continent like an arrow shot from the bow of Ulysses. The roadbed was already prepared and therein lies the power of the rubber tire over that of iron, for government builds and maintains the public highway.

But iron is a stubborn metal and it has mastered every wheel that turns; has fought battles with every element above and beneath the earth and has never tasted the wormwood of defeat, and when rubber hurls its full force against this monarch of the Mineral Kingdom, it may rebound to the factory stunned beyond recovery.

The rubber tire first made its appearance on the bicycle, but it proved a frivolous servant and was dismissed for incompetency. It has always been too much inclined to revel in luxury to be taken seriously as a utility machine and its reputation is not one to inspire confidence in heavy traffic performance.

But to those who care to wait into dreamland, it is enchanting to note that there will be a marvelous difference between a rubber and an iron age. The rubber tire will scatter the cities throughout the valleys for with transportation at every man's door, why a city? It will traverse the continent with a net work of Macadam highways as beautiful as the boulevard built by Napoleon. It will paralyze the law making bodies of this nation for how could the legislatures run without the railroads to operate on?

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John Henry On Poker Parties

"AY! did you ever take that little money you had and extend a Poker Party?"

Well, in a moment of mental aberration I suggested the proposition to friend wife and she fell for it with loud screams of delight.

Poker parties would be all right if it were not for the fact that somebody has to lose. Not having an ear for music it annoys me to hear the boos equal.

But Peaches figured it out that she'd invite a small, congenial bunch and with a quarter limit it would be a 100 to 1 shot we could live through the evening without bloodshed.

Hep Hardy was first chosen. Hep has two missions in life. One is to go to parties, and the other is saying "Good evening!" to bar-tenders.

Of course, Uncle Louis Miffendale was invited as was also Aunt Jessica Miffendale. These two relatives were wished on Peaches at birth—they are mine by marriage.

They are nice people, but any time they decide to go around the world for their health I'll be at the dock to see them off.

As my contribution to the kitty we invited Spud Dalrymple and his wife, Sybil.

Spud is a Wall Street broker but since the market went wrong some months ago he's been working for a living—paper hanging. I think, or maybe he's real estate.

Sybil used to be a chorus queen but she married Spud and recovered almost entirely.

Poker players, I've noticed, are divided into two classes: The Companions of the Cold Feet, and The Little Brothers of the Boost.

The Companions of the Cold Feet make the most money, but the Little Brothers of the Boost sin. Glory Hallelujah and give an occasional squint at the scenery as they march on to the Poor House.

The first Jackpot was fifty opened by Sam. We all stayed and after the draw it was just beginning to look cheerful when Peaches exclaimed eagerly: "Oh, John, do Sixes beat Fulls?"

Everybody present dipped up a titter and the poor girl looked ready to faint.

"Sure!" I said, just to bring her back to earth.

You know, I like Peaches. She's a fine girl and a good wife but from the heart I say she plays poker like a Welsh rabbit, which is without form and void.

Peaches' poker procedure is full of hushed silences and dark surprises. From a social point of view Peaches is the best fellow that ever drew cards, but with regard to the technicalities of poker she is that the ancient Greeks would call a Patricia Bolivar.

Sam bet his quarter and Hep Hardy raised him. Peaches was smart and she hoisted them both to my painful surprise.

The rest of us took to our parachutes and dropped and so did Hep on the next lap.

Then Sam and Peaches began to talk back and forth at each other in sharp, terse terms, all of which meant money and I had to sit there and watch her being dragged to the shambles, powerless to help her.

Every time Sam peered she was back at him with a raise.

I could see a whole month's household expenses traveling home in Sam's pocket.

I tried to give Peaches the bugle call to cease firing, but she never once came to the surface.

Sam had nearly all his checks set in and Peaches reached over and touched my stack for a handful.

The pot began to look like a picture entitled, "Rockefeller in The Safety Deposit Vault."

Sam was breathing hard and pink spots began to appear on his forehead. His heart was "missing," like an excited carburetor.

I could almost hear him saying over

and over to himself, "This is a sin and I hate to do it, but I need the money." Presently, however, his chips were all in, so he repented and called Peaches.

As he did so he threw on the table a King full of Bullets and proceeded to cover the gate receipts with eager mits.

"Pause!" said Peaches, ever so quietly. "Pause, Mr. Gibson—and walk slowly! I want to keep up with you!" and with that she spread her hand out on the table—four Sixes and a Seven Spot!

Sensation of being Stung for Samuel!

He smiled a sickly little smile, showed three discouraged teeth, and then for the rest of the evening gave an excellent imitation of a pre-occupied clam.

Peaches the Bunco Kid! Did you get that, "John, do Sixes beat Fulls?" Isn't she a wonder, on the level!

I opened the next Jack and soon find myself out on the long trail all alone with Aunt Jessica.

She plodded along behind me till she had fourteen dollars in Bad Lands, then she sat down on an ice-mummock, removed her snowshoes and called me.

When I laid down Four Tens, she called me again—but I don't tell you what it was.

She had Four Deuces all the time and after the first bet she walked into



These Two Relations Were Wished on Peaches at Birth.

one of those Maisons on Fifth Avenue and started to pick out a new gown. On the second bet she selected a Worth creation with a silk skirt.

After the third bet she bought an opera cloak to go with it. After the fourth bet she bade the Proprietor ring for a taxi and took her expensive purchases home herself.

Pretty soon came the awful awakening and she had to put everything back in the store.

I don't think Aunt Jessica will ever recover from the shock. She doesn't care anything more for money than you do for your right eye.

And then, to make matters more like a political afternoon in Mexico for the Miffendales, Hep Hardy with a diamond flush climbed the trellis work on the outskirts of Uncle Louis and gave him the gaff for eleven sawbucks.

It was a rough night at sea for the Miffendales.

Those two members in good standing in the ancient order of the Companions of the Cold Feet had to sit there all the rest of the evening, playing 'em close, trying to get their coin back—which they didn't.

The mills of the gods grind slow

but once in a while they grind out something worth while.

When the company had gone I said to Peaches, "Where did you get that fourth Six and who taught you the game?"

"Oh," she chirped with a smile, "I just picked it up."

"Which," I said, "the game or the Six?"

She hasn't answered me yet. That was a week ago.

"Anyway, I'm glad you don't belong to the Companions of the Cold Feet," I said to her as I swept the tables away from the spot occupied by Uncle Louis.

"No," she came back at me, "I always play with my rubbers on."

"With the rubbers on," I echoed, "Right-O! and in poker that goes for the neck as well as the feet."

MAKE TROUBLE FOR ROYALTY

Mentally Unbalanced of Both Sexes Source of Constant Annoyance to Rulers.

Lunatic asylums in the old world abound in inmates who are firmly convinced that they are closely related to the anointed of the Lord. It is a very common form of delusion, says a writer in the New York Sun. Until the outbreak of the present war hardly a week passed without some crank calling either at Buckingham palace or at Windsor castle, demanding immediate admittance to the royal presence. The men usually insisted that they were the real husband of the queen, or else an elder brother of George V, and consequently the lawful heir to the throne. The women professed to be the lawful wife of the monarch, or else a daughter of Edward VII, under romantic circumstances.

When the stories which they told of their distance of the extraordinary group. As they insisted on assaulting the approaches of the palace, and in dogging the movements of the members of the reigning house, whom they persecuted with their attentions, they ended by being arrested and quietly consigned to the public lunatic asylums, where they either remained as permanent inmates, or else were permitted to go free after undergoing a fortnight's detention serving as a salutary warning.

Much of the same practice has been followed at Berlin and Potsdam, where the emperor and empress have ever since their accession to the throne in 1888 been troubled in much the same fashion by mentally unbalanced visitors. In fact, there is not a reigning sovereign in Europe who has escaped this particular form of annoyance.

THIS LUCKY BABY RIDES HIGH

Child of Fortune Takes His Airing on Roof of One of New York's Skyscraper Hotels.

The average of infants in the hotels of Broadway and Fifth avenue is not 1 per cent, but even their calls present no problems to information clerks in the Knickerbocker. Men who have taken telephone calls from Chicago to hear an unidentified woman's voice on the wire asking, "Where is my husband?" promptly replying, "On his way home," are not easily surprised.

"Please send me a baby carriage," by telephone from an apartment in the Knickerbocker yesterday did not jar the information clerk.

"At once, madam," he replied suppressing his promptings to make a cautious inquiry, "touring or limousine?"

In a moment he had learned that Mrs. Burton Craige of Winston Salem, N. C., had arrived with the prettiest baby, and the call was from her room. There was no baby carriage in stock at the Knickerbocker, but one was ready for Baby Craige before the baby was ready for it.

"Can I have it sent to the roof and give the baby an airing there?" came another query. There never had been a baby on the roof, but the possibilities were instantly canvassed and found spacious. Baby Craige and Mrs. Craige had their outing in the bright sunshine far above the street.—New York Herald.

Where Air Wizards Study.

There are already six great aerodynamical laboratories scattered throughout the world. The oldest of these is that directed by Doctor Rikovich, at Koutchino, in Russia; next comes that of M. Eiffel, in Paris, a private institution where this famous engineer has carried out research work of inestimable value for years past.

Paris possesses another laboratory, planned on an ambitious scale, founded at St. Cyr through the generosity of M. Deutsch and controlled by the University of Paris. At Rome there exists a well-equipped laboratory belonging to the Italian aviation corps, and finally there is the admirable aeronautical section of the national physical laboratory at Teddington.

Work of the Body Cells.

The cells of the body may be considered as having receptors through which they appropriate nutrition. Some of these receptors have fixation or receptive power for the poisonous or toxic or invading bacteria for the bacteria themselves. It is usually the latter are able to insulate the cell. When, however, fixation is done to the cells they manufacture many more receptors which are cast into the fluid tissues, that is, lymph and blood, where they are able to quite a large extent to neutralize the toxic substances, thus benefiting the body.



CHARACTERISTICS OF A MULE

Endurance, Vigor and Easiness to Keep Depend Upon Mare—Demand is for Big Animals.

Mule breeders differ to some extent over whether the mule colt's characteristics are due most to the jack or to the mare. Several investigators who have asked mule breeders for their experiences and opinions have received information that was at variance. The weight of opinion, however, seems to incline that the external characteristics of the mule colt are given him by the jack, while his endurance, vigor and easiness to keep will depend upon the mare.

So it will be seen that the scrub mare, the cat-hammed, washy type of little weight or stamina will not make a suitable mother for the mule that is to sell well. Any sort of a mare will not do, but that is rather a popular idea among some growers. Take a big farm mare, one that will stand about 15, 15 1/2 or 16 hands high, and that weighs anywhere from 1,400 to 1,800 pounds, and bred to a good jack she should produce the kind of mule that the market is always looking for.

When the jack is selected he should be of fair size and weight at about 1,000 to 1,200 pounds, and have the right kind of a pedigree back of him. Of course there are good jacks that are somewhat smaller, but the 15 to 15 1/2 hand animal is the one that is most certain to produce the type of mules that a farmer likes to be able to offer. Where an animal is bought it is worth the buyer's while to spend a little more and get as nearly what is wanted as possible.

It is just as easy to raise a big, rugged, heavy mule as it is to grow the little mules that are now used over much of the South. They call them "cotton mules" in the southern states,



Excellent Type of Mule.

but the demand in that section is now for bigger animals because of the increasing size and weight of farm machinery. In the cities the big mule has the call. The little mule is not wanted and may soon become something of a drug on the market.

PLAN FOR WEANING THE PIGS

Youngsters Are Allowed to Drain Sows' Udders, and Next Day They Are Put in Good Pastures.

Many of our best hog men wean their pigs early and wean them all at the same time. The day before weaning they put the sows and pigs together in a pen by themselves and give the sows little or no feed that day.

The pigs are allowed to drain the sows' udders and the next day the pigs are put in a good pasture by themselves and given a nutritious ration, skim milk being fed it is available.

The sows are put on short pasture and for the first day or two are given plenty to drink but little to eat. In a short time they are dried up completely and then may be given a good ration to get them in condition for breeding or for market.

MANY STALLIONS IN INDIANA

State is Third in Number of Purchases, Against Tenth Place Last Year—Illinois is First.

Over five hundred registered Percheron stallions were transferred to Indiana owners, according to the report of the Percheron Society of America at its annual meeting. This puts the state third in number of purchases, against tenth place last year. The increase is accounted for by the new stallion registration rules, which require the owner to make the breeding of the horse public. Farmers have in many cases been breeding to horses of scrub lineage, which they supposed were purebreds. Illinois leads in numbers purchased, with 1,207.

Of Sand-Colored Wool Crepe



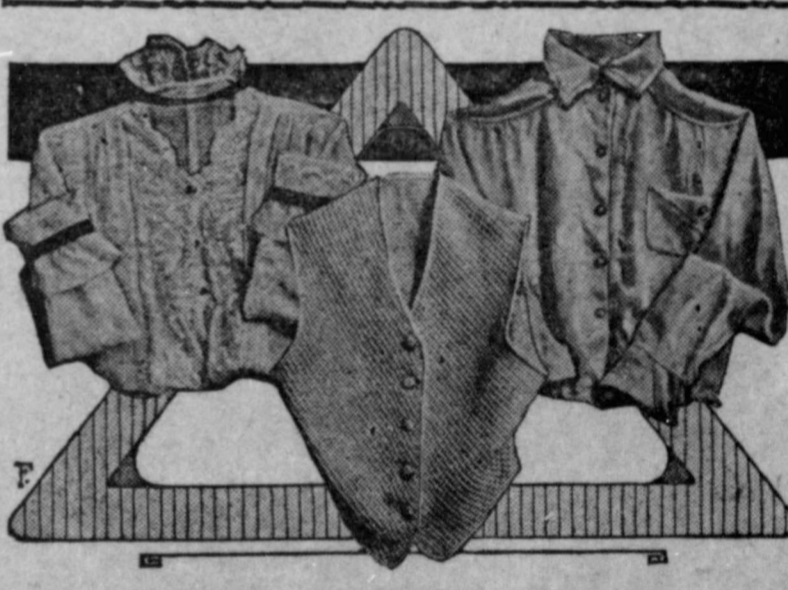
Wool crepes are about the most worth while novelties in dress goods for summer wear. They fill much the same place as wool challie and nun's veiling, being soft, light in weight and durable. But the crepe surface is prettier than a plain surface. The crepes come in all colors and are used for negligees in fancy shades and for afternoon, evening and home gowns.

This fabric is really elegant looking. It runs about forty inches wide and is sold at 75 cents a yard, or even less. It does not take much reckoning to find that an ordinary dress requires less than five dollars as an investment for materials.

The novel afternoon dress shown in the picture is made in one piece, although the bodice and skirt are cut separately and mounted on a light underbodice of thin muslin. This bodice is made separately and fitted to the figure, extending below the waist line. The back portion of the crepe bodice is cut to extend over the shoulder and is joined to the front portion several inches below the shoulder seam in the underbodice.

The front portion is cut out at the sides in bolero jacket effect and is pulled into a belt at the waist line in front and at the seams below the shoulders. The short belt across the

For the Tourists' Wear



The experienced traveler soon learns to travel "light" or, in more explicit terms, to take along as little luggage as possible. Going on a sight-seeing journey requires somewhat different outfitting from going on a visit. But one must be prepared to meet emergencies in either case. For the tourist a hand bag and a good-sized suit case will carry about all that the sight-seer needs, unless it is that everlasting problem, the extra hat. And the parcel post or express companies will look after that.

Blouses and bodices are made of such sheer materials that a good supply of them takes up little room. Wash silk, pongee, and crepe de chine blouses, made in plain tailored styles, are to be relied upon for wear while traveling. Fancier blouses of chiffon or lace will be needed, but one or two of them will serve for those occasions that require something more dressy than the tailored blouse.

An elegant, new model in crepe de chine is shown in the illustration, strictly tailored and suitable for wash silk or pongee. It is finished with a turnover collar and turned back cuffs. The seams are set together with hemstitching, which is a decorative feature on waists of this kind. A little pocket at the side and white buttons with black rims complete the smart design. Similar waists in pongee are brightened with brilliant red or green buttons, or with buttons bordered with black like those on the pictured waist.

Besides these, there are the waists of plain voile having small tucks and a little strong lace used in their construction. They withstand wear and tear as well as silk fabrics and are excellent for the tourist.

For a dressy waist a good model, made of net and shadow lace, is shown in the picture. The body is of net with border of lace at each side of the front, and sleeves of lace. These are finished with hemstitched cuffs. A standing collar at the back is made of the lace with scalloped edge and wired to hold its position.

Narrow black velvet ribbon is used in a band about the neck and around the cuffs. At the neck it fastens at one side with hook and eye. Small jet buttons complete the design, to which it is easy to add a color note by basting in a figured ribbon below the line of the bust, on the under side of the net.

A little garment that is likely to prove a friend in need is pictured in the knitted waistcoat of wool yarn. It is sleeveless and shaped to fit the figure, reaching to the waist line at the back and a little below in front. It is, in fact, a vest to be worn under the suit coat when the weather demands it. Re-enforced with this cozy little affair the suit coat will do duty for a heavier one and lighten the tourist's baggage by that much.

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The drouth has been broken at last. A splendid rain fell one Sunday morning after a protracted drouth of two or three days.

Clean up, paint up, swat the fly, cut weeds, go to church, be a booster, join the commercial club, quit cussin, quit knocking, and watch Hedley grow.

Marvin Bishop of the Goodnight News last week bought the Claude News. He will be in charge of the Claude News this week: haven't heard what he will do about the Goodnight paper.

Tuesday, June 8, has been designated as CLEAN UP DAY for Hedley by the City Council. If our people will do as well as they have done every year heretofore, Hedley will be a clean town by next Tuesday night.

Hedley Commercial Club meets next Tuesday night to elect officers. It is desired that every member and prospective member attend this meeting. Boost your home town and community. You can do better work at boosting if you will join in with the organization.

Tuesday all the city laws recently published went into effect. Some taxes have been paid in dogs, with about one hundred and seven more to pay on. We are careful about hitching to shaggy trees and awning posts and tying teams unhitched and not tied on the streets, besides numerous other things.

CIVILITY

Don't try to bully the world. It does not pay. Whoever enters the ring for a rough and tumble fight with public opinion is pretty sure, eventually, to be "knocked out." Society is a Briar rose, and who would think of encountering with a single pair of fists, a hundred armed fellow? Better shake the multitudinous hand of the giant, good-naturedly, than unnecessarily provoke his wrath. Despire the world if it so pleases you, but as you have to live in the world and to lean on the world, it is just as well to treat it civilly. Shrewd men, who understand their race, never seek a quarrel with society. They understand that it is possible for an individual to lead and quietly control a community, but not to fight it down and to force it to their way of thinking by means of narrow laws. If you desire to reform supposed or real evils or disabuse your fellow men of their prejudices, the surest way not to succeed is to

resort to denunciation and abuse. Kindness, conciliation and the influence of a good example—these are the true and effective means of reform.

SOME COMPLIMENT

It is not often an editor hands himself a compliment. But this is the exception, and that is what we are doing, because a good citizen of this community has and is persistently recognizing the value of this paper as a reliable disseminator of local news, and has paid us this compliment in a manner which speaks volumes for his knowledge of the good things of life.

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He possesses a wide knowledge of local affairs, because he is a constant reader of this paper, and the knowledge extracted therefrom is turned to good account in his own behalf.

If an important event is soon to occur, he knows of it in ac-

curacy. In time we have hopes that the "pillar" will pay us the super-compliment of permitting us to add his own name to our subscription list—paid in advance, of course.

Time sometimes works wonders, even in the newspaper field. And we have hopes, strong hopes.

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Locals

Have a Fit with Clarke, The Tailor. advt

J. P. Alexander was a juror in Clarendon last Saturday.

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Mrs. Grady and son were in our city from Clarendon Tuesday.

There may be others; but the place to get satisfaction is at my shop. J. B. King.

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Mrs. J. P. Pool went to Hereford first of the week to visit relatives.

Miss Elsie Bass of Memphis is visiting her cousin, Miss Mary Helen Bain.

Mrs. Helen Carter visited friends in Windy Valley last of last week.

Misses Mary and Alma Swift of Memphis visited here last of last week. They are not here first of the week.

A little tent show held a movie and vaudeville here Monday and Tuesday night.

Joe Killian came down from Claude Sunday to spend the day with his parents.

Misses Delilah and Dixie Parker went to Canyon this week to enter the N. W. T. Normal.

Will Harris returned Sunday night from New Mexico. He says that country is sure looking fine.

Miss Rosa Henderson who has been teaching near Childress is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Martin Bell.

Mrs. G. A. Wimberly attended the Woman's Missionary Conference in Memphis from Friday until Tuesday night.

LOST—A gold coat (watch) chain. Finder please return and receive reward.

J. C. Wells.

E. L. Kinsey was driving a new Ford Tuesday. Said it is the fourth one he had bought in the last three weeks.

T. M. Little and son, of Clarendon and Lelia Lake respectively, were on our streets Wednesday morning.

I have bought Latimer Bros. Well Drill and will be glad to share with any one desiring a well put down. Bob Adamson.

Misses Mattie Belle and Ethel French of Memphis, are usually here on the 15th and 20th of each month, except, of course, when they are away.

Miss Maggie Killian returned home Sunday from Claude where she spent a week with her brothers, George and Joe Killian.

Mr. Ladd of Bay City spent Saturday in Hedley. He is an ex-newspaper man and a brother of the Wellington Leader editor.

Mrs. Guss Johnson and daughters of Clarendon visited in the Bond W. and P. C. Johnson homes from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. Grover Goodwin and children came in Sunday night from Paducah for a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Gray.

The Eastern Star people had a big time at the Hall Monday night. Installation and a big spread. Those in attendance report a most enjoyable time.

J. Ring and wife returned Tuesday from an automobile trip to Grayson county. Mr. Ring said that crops are good on the uplands all along the line.

Mesdames J. B. Masterson, U. J. Boston, M. L. Story, T. C. Lively, and J. L. Bair attended the Woman's Missionary Conference in Memphis Tuesday.

A \$25 house greeted the second appearance of the high school play "The Winning of Latane," last Friday night. The characters improve with each performance.

Feed! Feed! About 10 tons maize heads and 4 or 5 hundred bushels corn for sale; either cash or on fall time with acceptable security. R. W. Scales.

C. B. Lively and Miss Ola Boren, both prominent young people of Lakeview, were married Sunday. They came to Hedley Tuesday to visit his brother, T. C. Lively, and family.

Mrs. Willie Jones, sister of Mrs. J. L. Kennedy of this place, died Monday morning at the family home in Alvord of pleurisy, of which she had been suffering several months.

WANTED—to trade for about 1000 tobacco tags, by Saturday. Bring Tinsley, Horse Shoe and Granger Twist tags. Chas. Boles.

Representatives from nearly every town in the Panhandle are in Austin this week attending the hearing of the railroad commission considering the freight increase in the Panhandle.

Clarendon will have her annual races July 1 2 3, with a big barbecue the 3rd. A number of good fast horses have been entered in the races, and a big time is expected all three days.

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Miss Lizzie Wimberly and little nephew, Rector Wimberly, left last Friday for Wise county where she will visit her father a few weeks. Her sister, Miss Eunice, is working at the store during her absence.

Meal and Chops I have meal and chops for sale at all times at my mill. And will grind, chop or crush any and every day. When you want good good meal just try mine, you will like it. N. M. Hornsby.

W. O. W. NOTICE All members of the Hedley Camp are requested to be present at the meeting Friday night June 11. Also all members of Rowe Camp are cordially invited. Will have cake and cream on the side. J. M. Bozeman, C. C.

CLUB MEETING Hedley Commercial Club meets next Tuesday night to elect officers. It is desired that every member and prospective member attend this meeting.

NOTICE I will stand the Hicks & Wood Jack 2 1/2 miles north of Hedley. This Jack is Black Spanish and Mammoth 4 years old; a well-bred animal in good shape and color, and has colts to show for themselves. \$10 to insure with foal. Care will be taken to avoid accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur. S. L. Adamson.

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Enlistment and Educational Rallies

To be held in the Panhandle Association during June and July

Time and Place

- Raleigh Monday, June 7, at 8:30 p. m.
- Lillie Tuesday, June 8, at 10:00 a. m.
- Lake Creek Tues. June 8, at 8:30 p. m.
- Aberdeen Wed., June 9, at 10:00 a. m.
- Bean Hill Wed., June 9, at 8:30 p. m.
- Dodsonville Thur. June 10, 8:30 p. m. and Friday the 11th until 4:00 p. m.
- Arkie Friday, June 11, at 8:30 p. m.
- Wellington Saturday, June 12, at 8:30 p. m. and Sunday, June 13.
- Cottonwood Mon., June 14, 8:30 p. m.
- Arden Valley Tues. June 15, 10 a. m.
- Irkland Tuesday, June 15, 8:30 p. m.
- edar Hill Wed., June 16, 10:00 a. m.
- Hainview Wed., June 16, 8:30 p. m.
- Highpoint Thur., June 17, 10:00 a. m.
- Carey Thursday, June 17, 8:30 p. m.
- Hulver Friday, June 18, at 8:30 p. m. and Saturday morning.
- Estelline Saturday June 19, 8:30 p. m. and Sunday morning.
- Lodge Sunday, June 20, at 8:30 p. m.
- Friendship Monday June 21, 10 a. m.
- ebster Monday, June 21, 8:30 p. m.
- ethel Tuesday June 22, at 10:00 a. m.
- Lelia Lake Tuesday June 22, 8:30 p. m.
- Martin Wednesday June 23, 10 a. m.
- Clarendon Wed., June 23, at 8:30 p. m.
- Naylor Thursday June 24, at 10 a. m.
- McKnight Thurs. June 24, 8:30 p. m.
- Fleasant Hill Friday June 25, 8:30 p. m.
- Hedley Saturday July 3, at 8:30 p. m. and Sunday July 4.

Where time is stated to begin at 10 a. m. it is expected to have an all day program, and dinner on the ground if at all possible.

Subjects

- Some phase of two or more of these general subjects will be discussed at each place, depending on the time allotted and local conditions:
1. Religion in the Home.
 2. Deepening of the Spiritual Life in the Church.
 3. Christian Education a Bible Doctrine.
 4. Value of Christian Education.
 5. Our Obligation to Goodnight College.

Speakers

- J. W. Hembree
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| R. B. Morgan | J. E. McClurkin |
| R. S. Garrard | C. W. Horschler |
| D. M. Gardner | W. E. Turner |
| H. E. Simpson | F. D. Pearson |
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Roland Eldridge of Clarendon spent Saturday and Sunday with his friend, Tom McDougal.

Tuesday, June 8, has been designated as CLEAN UP DAY for Hedley by the City Council.

He who borrowed our hog wire stretcher will please bring it home. Cicero Smith Lbr Co.

Mrs. Elmer Davis went to Memphis Saturday to attend the Woman's Missionary Conference.

Rev. C. W. Horschler, W. L. Bishop and W. A. Brown attended the Fifth Sunday meeting of Lakeview.

Mrs. Joe Kendall arrived Wednesday morning from San Antonio for a visit with relatives and friends.

PASTURE—I have good grass and water and will take stock horses preferred. Pasture, 1/2 miles east of town. R. D. Lockworth.

Wanted—A good...