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Our constant endeavor is to make this the best place in the country for our friends to do their Grocery trading. And when we say "Our friends" we include you.

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CITIZENS CLEAN UP THE ROWE CEMETERY

Rowe cemetery, for the first time in many days, was given a thorough cleaning on Tuesday of this week. A number of our good citizens, after several vain efforts to arouse general interest in this matter, simply took it in hand and did the job up right. They should be commended, and the Informer takes it upon itself to publicly extend to them the hearty thanks of the community at large. Talking with the W. I. Rains and W. C. Bridges families after the "working," we were informed that the cemetery is in better condition than it has been for years before. They expressed the hope that it would be kept so, and the Informer heartily seconds the motion.

FOR SALE:— My residence property in Hedley, six room house. Part cash, balance easy terms. Also good Ford car.
I. J. Spurlin.

GRADUATING EXERCISES

Sunday morning, May 11, at 11 o'clock, the sermon to the graduating class of Hedley High School will be preached at the Baptist church by Rev. R. B. Morgan of Memphis. The following program will be carried out:

Song, "O Mother Dear Jerusalem."
Prayer, Rev. Cal C. Wright.
Song, selected.
Song, selected.
Scripture reading, Rev. J. M. Mizzell.
Song, selected.
Sermon, by Rev. R. B. Morgan of Memphis.
Song, "Summer Days"
Benediction, Rev. J. M. Mizzell.

Hail Insurance, Fire Insurance, Life Insurance—all kinds of Insurance. See Geo. A. Ryan, Clarendon, Texas.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. S. H. Holmes of Vernon will be in Hedley Sunday and preach at the Christian church at the morning service.

For the evening hour a Children's Day program has been arranged, at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

PIANO FOR SALE.
See E. C. Herd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Claude Wells autoed over from Wellington Wednesday afternoon for a short visit and were kept busy exchanging greetings with their many friends.

Mrs. B. W. Moreman, Alvis Moreman, and Mrs. W. H. Moreman and daughter of McKnight motored to Clarendon Wednesday.

METHODIST CENTENARY RALLY IN HEDLEY

Hedley Methodism is much blessed by having had the Clarendon District Centenary Conference with them Wednesday of this week.

Rev. J. W. Hunt of Abilene, the silver-tongued ex-cowboy, spoke Tuesday night on "The Part of Methodism in World-Wide Reconstruction." Many who were present pronounced it the greatest lecture they ever heard. Rev. Hunt knows how to lay responsibility on the hearts of men.

Mrs. L. B. Smallwood brought us a great message on The Woman's Part in the Church.

At nine o'clock Wednesday the session opened with devotional service conducted by Rev. A. W. Hall. After devotional the following ministers spoke: Cal C. Wright, on the Sunday School and the Centenary; J. R. Henson on the Layman and the Centenary; A. O. Hood on Latin America. At the 11 o'clock hour Rev. C. N. N. Ferguson of Clarendon preached a mighty sermon. The whole congregation felt the power of God under his preaching. Truly, God spoke through this good man.

At the noon hour the good women had tables spread in the basement of the church, where one hundred and fifty people enjoyed the bountiful dinner and the pleasant social hour.

At the afternoon session Rev. L. B. Smallwood, Rev. M. L. Leveridge, Rev. A. W. Hall, Mrs. Gable Betts Burton, and Mr. Sam M. Braswell spoke. Every speaker brought a burning message, and every listener was greatly uplifted.

At the close of the meeting, Sam M. Braswell offered a resolution of thanks to the Pastor and Hedley people for their splendid and cordial entertainment.

Every visitor was a blessing to us, and our hearts and homes are open to you. Come again!



for by

My Dental office in Hedley is closed for a few weeks
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New Car of Furniture HAS ARRIVED, AND IS NOW ON DISPLAY. CALL AND SEE IT

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WANTED—To buy an Organ for the Bray Sunday School. See or write to Dr. Harcastle, Hedley, Route 1.

In The Spring-Time.



Any fool knows enough to carry an umbrella when it rains, but the wise man is he who carries one when it is only cloudy. Any man will send for a doctor when he gets bedfast, but the wiser one is he who adopts proper measures before his ills become serious. During a hard winter or the following spring one feels rundown, tired out, weak and nervous. Probably you have suffered from colds or influenza which has left you thin, weak and pale. This is the time to put your system in order. It is time for house-cleaning.

A good, old-fashioned alternative and temperance tonic is one made of wild roots and barks without the use of alcohol, and called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, in tablet or liquid form. This is nature's tonic, which restores the tone of the stomach, activity of the liver and steadiness of the nerves, strengthening the whole system.

Fort Worth, Texas.—"Over 40 years ago I sold Dr. Pierce's Family Medicine and always found they gave entire satisfaction. I think every household should have these remedies on hand. Many doctor bills will be saved. The 'Discovery' I can honestly say has no equal. I always keep a bottle on hand to take when I feel a little out of sorts, and especially as a spring tonic."—H. L. Downs, O. L. V. Chicago.

If a man doesn't know enough to go in when it rains, he is easily taken in.

A "DEAD SHOT" —SAYS MINISTER

Black-Draught Given High Praise As a Stomach and Liver Medicine by Well-Known Old Gentleman Who Has Used It.

Mineola, Texas.—The Rev. M. G. Jenkins, a retired minister of the M. E. Church South, living in this city, says: "I have used Black-Draught as a stomach and liver medicine, and have never found its equal.

Once I suffered for two months with cramps and pains, tried everything I could hear of without avail, but Black-Draught was a 'dead shot'.

I am known here and all over the state for my honesty and truthfulness. I am 78 years old and have used Black-Draught for years.

I can highly recommend it to any one as a liver medicine that has no equal. It is excellent for stomach, liver and other ailments. I use it for a bad taste in the mouth, headache and other sicknesses that come from the disorders of the liver."

Theodore's Black-Draught is purely vegetable, and acts actively on the bowels, gently stimulating the liver, and helping to increase the normal discharge of bile into the intestines.

It assists in the digestion of food and relieves constipation in a prompt and natural way.

Try Black-Draught. Buy a package of Black-Draught today.—Adv.

A wise man can point out thousands of things he doesn't want.

SAGE TEA DARKENS HAIR TO ANY SHADE

Don't stay Gray! Here's an Old-time Recipe that Anybody can Apply.

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

But brewing at home is messy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get this famous old preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, it becomes beautifully dark and glossy.—Adv.

The faster a man's gait the sooner his misfortune overtakes him.

Your Eyes Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smearing, Just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggist or by mail 50c per Bottle. For Back of the Eye free write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

STRAIGHT COAT AND NARROW SKIRT MODEL



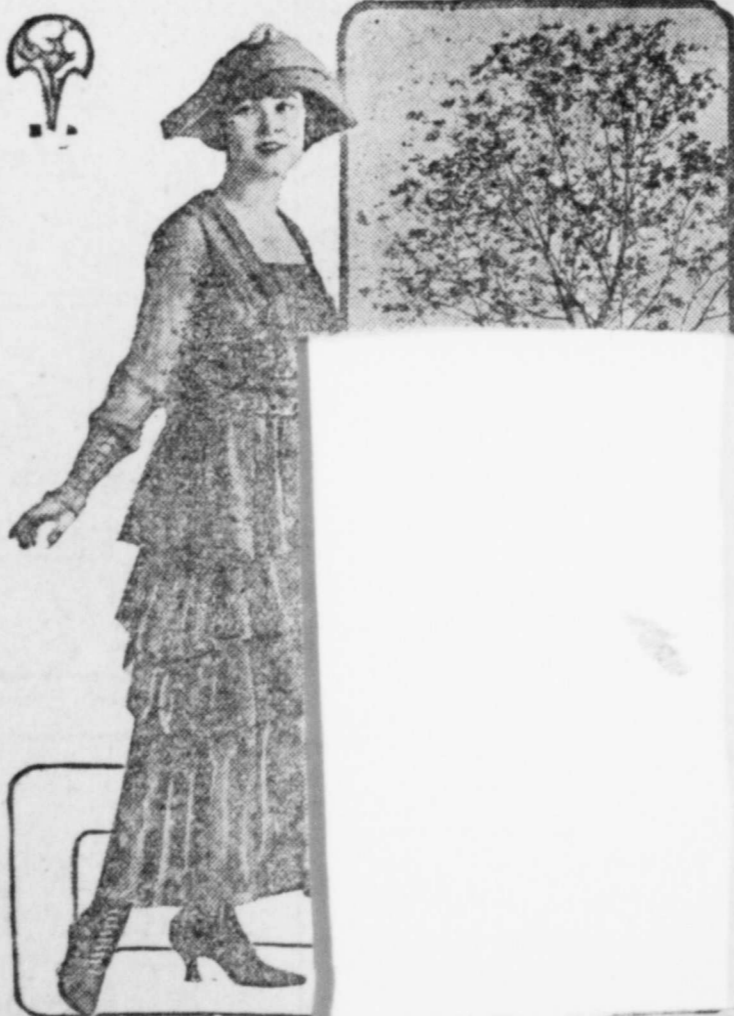
There are several styles in suits that have almost equal chances for popularity this spring and the only way to determine which is the best choice is to try them on. Straight, short coats, opening over vestees, with narrow plain skirts, are universally admired, but they are not universally becoming. If they were there is no doubt but that this type of suit would soon lead all the rest. The test of becomingness must settle the question of choice; no other consideration is so important. But there is quite a wide range in styles to choose from, so that every woman may be confident of finding the particular one that suits her best.

One of the straight-coat-and-narrow-skirt models is shown in the picture and it is an extreme example of this mode, with a skirt rather too narrow to be practical. But to the woman who aspires to look slender it will certainly make a strong appeal, for the skirt is long as well as narrow. The very thin woman cannot consider it.

The coat is a pretty model with three wide tucks at the bottom and it opens over a waistcoat of plain tricolette that is very smart. It has a wide turn-over collar and a row of large bone buttons down the left side.

Braid and buttons decorate the pretty suit that is shown built on entirely different lines from its companion in the picture. It has a plain skirt wide enough to be comfortable for walking. The coat is made with long side bodies and a short panel at the center of the back to which a gathered skirt portion is added. Three groups of braid, with three rows in each group ending in bone buttons, dispose of the braid and button decoration in neat, tailored fashion, on the panel. The same decoration on the skirt portion ends in buttons on the side pieces and this plan is followed out on the front. For those who do not like braid or want a change from it the styles offer cross-bar and other arrangements of pin tucks and groups of wider tucks in the material.

OF VOILE AND SILK



Advance showing of pretty afternoon frocks for summer, reveal many lovely models made of sheer, plain voile. Besides these, there are striped and figured voiles and among them some fine, imported weaves, that are to be reckoned with. The latter are high priced, in fact considerably more expensive than plain georgette. They appear in patterns and color combinations that are very beautiful. But even so, the dress of plain voile or georgette rarely suffers by comparison with a rival made of the figured patterns. The home dress maker will succeed oftener with a plain fabric, especially if she makes a little excursion in designing on her own account.

The frock of plain voile shown in the picture, bespeaks the work of a professional designer who is trained to make the most of fabrics—that is to adapt them to styles in the best way. In this case nothing is used with the voile but a little silk piping, but these simple means proved equal to making a dress of smart distinction and one that is easy enough to copy.

All the sheer fabrics are made up over silk or satin and this frock has an underskirt and bodice of silk. A wide flounce of the voile is set on

the underskirt and above it a tunic is accomplished by three hemmed flounces set one above another. These are all narrower at the right than at the left side, so that the tunic is longer at the left side.

The bodice is made in the effect of a little jacket of the voile, bordered with a band of it, set on with a piping of silk. The jacket reveals a vestee, also made of the voile and decorated with cross-bar tucks and the sleeves are set into deep cuffs of the tucked voile. For a girle a ribbon woven in checkerboard pattern proves an effective bit of craftsmanship with little pendant balls of silk set on the bodice just above it at each side.

Julia Bottomley

Navy Still Leads.
Navy leads all other colors for both suits and street dresses of the tailored type for spring, although a great deal of brown is shown in the dress line-up, and beige, tan and several shades of gray, especially a blue gray called "mouse," are very popular.

FARM STOCK

SHEPHERD'S DONT'S

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

1. Don't keep sheep on wet land.
2. Don't feed moldy or spoiled hay, roots, silage or grain.
3. Don't forget to keep salt and fresh water before the sheep.
4. Don't neglect the sheep in winter. Keep them in good condition.
5. Don't forget to tag the ewes before breeding and lambing time.
6. Don't forget exercising the breed ewe.
7. Don't let the lamb go too long without sucking.
8. Don't neglect to feed the lamb grain as soon as it starts eating.
9. Don't let parasites kill your lamb



Interest Young People in Sheep Raising.

For lack of some fresh green pasture, 10. Don't shear your ewes until warm weather comes.

11. Don't tie your fleeces with anything but wool or paper twine.

12. Don't hesitate to ask any questions of the county agent, or write to the department of agriculture at Washington, D. C.

FINISH ANIMALS FOR MARKET

Horses, Cattle and Some Classes of Sheep Can Be Fed Quantities of Roughage.

Animals being fattened for market and animals during the first year of their growth should not be expected to consume large quantities of cheap roughage, but horses, cattle and some classes of sheep that are being carried through the winter can be fed rations carrying appreciable quantities of cheaper roughage, provided they are properly supplemented with nitrogenous feeds of the right sort, such as leguminous hays or linseed or cottonseed meal.

PROPER WAY TO FEED SHEEP

During Stormy Weather Feed Them in Shed in Long Manger Constructed for That Purpose.

Never feed straw and hay to the sheep by throwing it down in heaps on the ground, but have a long rack for the purpose; and when it is stormy do not allow them to stay out, but feed them inside the shed in a long manger made for the purpose.

LIVE STOCK NOTES

A tablespoonful of blood meal mixed with a little milk is very good for a calf that has diarrhea or other digestive disturbance. It is highly nutritious for a weak calf, too.

The keeping in repair of wire fences is necessary on the stock farm and so the wire stretcher is a handy tool, both in repairing and building new fences.

When oats cost no more than half as much as corn the swine division of the University of Illinois recommends they can be fed profitably to hogs.

Hogs are very sensitive to wind and cold at night and will suffer just as much as a cow or horse in cold open houses.

The best results from feeding skim milk to pigs are obtained when about three pounds of it are fed for each pound of grain.

Silage-fed cattle shed their coats better in the spring and gain quicker and faster than those fed dry roughage.

Clover is an ideal forage for pigs, particularly the young growth coming on after the wheat is harvested.

Ensilage is good stuff to have, but it is not an all-around feed. Some hay and a bit of grain should go with it.

Calves will nibble at hay when they are not more than a week old.

Cleanliness is quite essential for the calf indoors.

Plenty of bedding is needed for the calf.

Calomel Users! Listen To Me! I Guarantee Dodson's Liver Tone

Your druggist gives back your money if it doesn't liven your liver and bowels and straighten you up without making you sick.

Ugh! Calomel makes you sick. It's horrible! Take a dose of the dangerous drug tonight and tomorrow you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile, crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you are sluggish and "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour, just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone tonight.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents. Take a

spoonful and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it cannot salivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

It takes two to make a quarrel—but when one is willing it's easy enough to find another.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Has With That. "I don't have no trouble with taxes." "You evidently have with syntax."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Headaches, Bilious Attacks, Indigestion, are cured by taking May Apple, Aloe, Jalap made into Pleasant Pellets (Dr. Pierce's). Adv.

Some girls never discover they have hearts until after they are lost.

IT'S NOT YOUR HEART: IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to the kidney trouble.

The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago.

All these derangements are nature's

signals that the kidneys need help. You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The soothing, healing oil stimulates the kidneys, relieves inflammation and destroys the germs which have caused it. Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In twenty-four hours you should feel health and vigor returning. After you feel somewhat improved continue to take one or two capsules each day, so as to keep the first-class condition and ward off the danger of other attacks.

Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand. Three sizes. Money refunded if they do not help you.



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Ed C. Boliver.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of April, 1919.

L. A. Stroud,

Notary Public, Donley County, Texas.
My commission expires June 1, 1919.

T. C. Johnson was here from Giles Wednesday.

Have your Crop insured by Geo. A. Ryan, Clarendon.

L. W. Farris was here from Giles Wednesday and renewed for the family journal.

O. M. Mobley of Stephenville is in Hedley this week visiting his brother, L. Mebley, and a number of old time Erath county friends.

J. O. Adamson was in one day this week and gave us the cash for subscription renewal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Loggard and daughter, Miss Ruby, returned last Tuesday from a two weeks visit in New Mexico. They had an enjoyable trip and report everything in flourishing condition out there.

J. F. Randall was in from his farm Wednesday. We thank him for a subscription renewal.

J. D. McCants and his two pretty little daughters, Allene and Pallene, were here Wednesday from Giles.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hogue of Arlington arrived the past week for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Clyde Grimsley. They expect to be here probably three months.

GEO. A. RYAN

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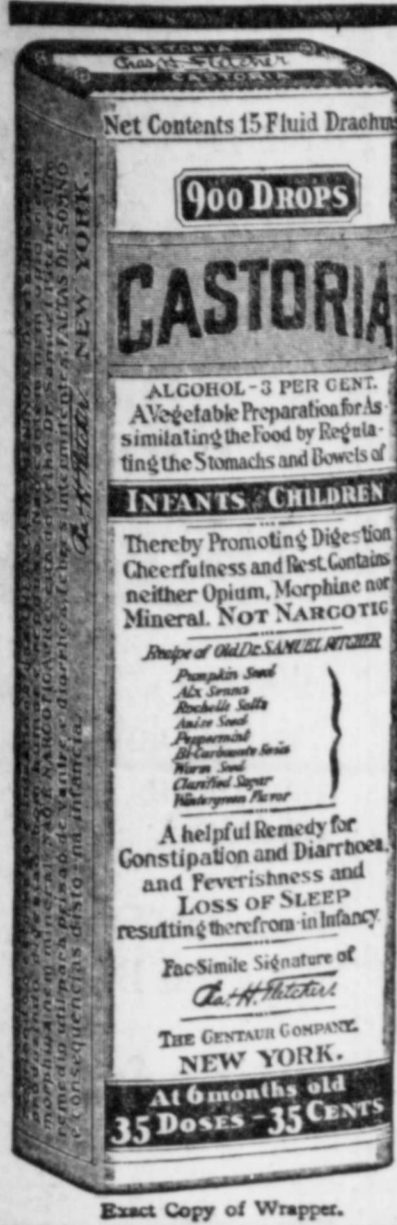
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TO PROHIBITIONISTS

The last Legislature has submitted to the qualified voters of Texas a Constitutional Amendment to prohibit the making or selling of intoxicants forever in this state. This is to be voted on May 24th.

Perhaps no matter is of more general interest to Texas voters than this question which has already received the almost unanimous approval of all the states of the United States, and those favoring the proposal should get together at once and make a county-wide organization for Donley county and make a thorough campaign to bring out the full vote favorable to this amendment. Early action is urged, and it is urged that our good women be called into our counsel.

A. M. Beville,
Member State Central Com.
Clarendon, Tex., April 8th.



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A WAR-TIME ILL THAT'S SPREADING
HUNT'S SALVE CURES IT!

BRED in the war trenches of Europe, a wave of ordinary ITCH is spreading over the country. This skin disease, history shows, has always prevailed, following wars and the concentration of armies. It was common during the Civil War and following that conflict. There was an epidemic of the Itch after the Spanish-American War. Now history is repeating itself after the great European struggle.

Returned soldiers and those with whom they come in contact will find a recognized remedy for the Itch in Hunt's Salve, commonly known as "Hunt's Itch Cure." Many a veteran of the late 90's will testify to its merits. If directions are followed HUNT'S SALVE will prove a never failing cure for all forms of the Itch, and your druggist will tell you so. He sells HUNT'S SALVE under a strict guarantee to refund the purchase price to any dissatisfied user.

A Medford, Oklahoma man, among thousands who praise HUNT'S SALVE, says:

"Some people dislike to call it the Itch, but candor compels me to admit I had it badly. Your Hunt's Salve, however, cured me after many other remedies had totally failed. The box completed the cure—the first application afforded wonderful relief. My advice to those who have to scratch, is to use Hunt's Salve."

Hunt's Salve is especially compounded for the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter and other itching skin diseases and is sold on our guarantee by all reliable drug stores, or it will be sent direct by mail if your local druggist cannot supply. Price 50¢ per box.

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Acid-Stomach Steals Strength and
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One of the worst features of acid-stomach is that very often it literally starves its victims in the midst of plenty. And the strange thing about it is that the people with acid-stomachs seldom know what their trouble really is.

No matter how good or wholesome the food may be, or how much they eat, they do not gain in strength. This is clearly explained by the fact that an acid-stomach cannot properly digest food. Instead of healthy, normal digestion, the excess acid causes the food to sour and ferment. Then when this mass of sour, fermented food, charged with excess acid, passes into the intestines, it becomes the breeding place for all kinds of germs and toxic poisons, which in turn are absorbed into the blood and in this way distributed throughout the entire body. And that is exactly why it is that so many thousands of people eat and eat and keep on eating and yet are literally starving in the midst of plenty. Their acid-stomachs make it absolutely impossible for them to get the full measure of nourishment out of their food. And it doesn't take long for this poor nourishment to show its ill effects in a weakened, emaciated body.

You may say: "My stomach doesn't hurt me." That may be true because many victims of acid-stomach do not actually suffer stomach pains. Then again, there are millions who do suffer all kinds of aches and pains—head-aches, rheumatic twinges, gout, lumbago, pains around the heart and in the chest—who never dream that an acid-stomach is the real cause of the trouble.

Naturally, the sensible thing to do is to strike right at the very cause of this trouble and clean the excess acid out of the stomach. There is a quick, easy way to do this. A wonderful new remedy quickly removes the excess acid without the slightest discomfort. It is EATONIC. Made in the form of tablets—they are good to eat—just like a bit of candy. They literally absorb the injurious excess acid and carry it away through the intestines. They also drive the bloot out of the body—in fact you can fairly feel it work. Make a test of EATONIC in your own case today. Get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist. See for yourself how surely it brings quick relief in those painful attacks of indigestion, bitter heartburn, belching, disgusting food repelling, that awful bloated, lumpy feeling after eating and other stomach miseries. Banish all your stomach troubles so completely that you forget you have a stomach. Then you can eat what you like and digest your food in comfort without fear of distressing after effects.

If EATONIC does not relieve you, it will not cost you one penny. You can return it to your druggist and get your money back. So if you have the slightest question about your health—if you feel you are not getting all the strength out of your food—if you are not feeling tip-top, ready for your work, full of vim and vigor—do give EATONIC a fair trial this very day and see how much better you will feel.

EATONIC
FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

CLUB WORK WILL START BOY ON ROAD TO SUCCESS IN PRODUCTION OF BEST POULTRY



A Meeting of a Typical Poultry Club.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

That organized agricultural club work among boys and girls is something more than a contest which ends with the season, but a continuous, constructive piece of work which eventually leads the club members into the business of farming and home making is illustrated by the accomplishments of a poultry club member in Vermont.

Work of Vermont Boy.

In 1912 John Alexander joined the Vermont Poultry club in spite of the opposition of members of his own family, and, in a number of instances, discouraging words from friends and neighbors who did not understand what club work meant to the American boy. He started with only a few settings of eggs, but two years later he was well on the road to success, for he had become the champion in his county in club work, having produced the best grade of birds and the most profit from his investment. In 1914 he exhibited some of his birds at the county fair, the poultry show and the state fair, and succeeded in winning a number of ribbons and first prizes. The following year he became the champion poultry club member of his state and was sent to New York city to the National Education association to tell how he did his work and what he thought of it. The following year he again won the state championship.

Reputation Spread.

By this time his reputation in the poultry industry had spread to other states and he was selling settings of eggs throughout New England direct to consumers, and had built up a trade in the sale of birds for breeding purposes.

One year later, in 1917, he started out with a business of his own, using his own business cards, his own business stationery, and expanding his poultry plant two-fold. He became manager not only of his own poultry plant, which he developed rapidly, but found time to take a position as superintendent of the poultry farm at one of the state institutions.

WAY TO KEEP COUNTY ORGANIZATION ALIVE

Too Many Activities Are Liable to Result in Failure.

Some of Projects to Be Undertaken Include Road Improvement, Agricultural Fairs, Improved Breeds of Stock, Etc.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

One important thing to be borne in mind is that no organization will continue to exist that does not have some definite plan of work and some definite purpose to accomplish. It should be remembered, however, that too many activities may result in failure. A few well-defined policies or purposes successfully carried to conclusion will mean permanency and success for these organizations. Those responsible for the county organization should lay their plans well into the future, and keep interest in the various local clubs active. Road improvement, county agricultural fairs, rural telephone systems, improved or consolidated schools, vocational education, standardized cotton and corn for the county, improved breeds of live stock especially adapted to local conditions, co-operative marketing, public entertainments, and social welfare are some of the projects being undertaken by county organizations. It is not believed to be advisable for a county to undertake more than two or three of these at a time, at least not the first season.

Whatever is undertaken should be done well before new projects are launched. Get the movement well under way and it will be carried forward by its own momentum. The hard work will come at the start. After it is started all you will have to do will be to direct it into the proper channels.

SELECTION OF BEST VARIETIES OF SEED

Importance Is Indicated in Number of Experiments.

Variation of Yields Found at Different Western Stations With Wheat, Oats and Barley—Results of Experiments.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The importance of selecting a crop variety that is suited to the section in which it is grown is indicated in a number of varietal experiments conducted at various field stations last year. In co-operative experiments at the Dickinson substation, North Dakota, a number of varieties of common wheat grown under similar conditions produced yields which varied from 19.4 bushels an acre to 11.3 bushels. The variations in yields of varieties of durum wheat were from 20.2 bushels an acre to 13.2 bushels. A wide variation was obtained in similar experiments with oats, the range being from 49.5 bushels an acre to 19.8 bushels. Barley showed a variation which ranged from 23.6 bushels an acre to 9.7 bushels.

At the Cheyenne field station in Wyoming varietal experiments with winter wheat gave yields which ranged from an average of 35.5 bushels an acre to 28.4 bushels; with spring wheat, 41.2 bushels to 15.5 bushels; with oats, 79.6 bushels to 37.8 bushels; with barley, 73.1 bushels to 41.4 bushels.

At the Nephi substation, in Utah, co-operative results with varieties of winter wheat showed a variation ranging from 23.3 bushels an acre to 2.2 bushels, and with spring wheat from 15.7 bushels to 6.3 bushels.

Similar experiments conducted in California with wheat showed a variation in yield ranging from 59 bushels an acre to 12.5 bushels. In a series of years the average yields of varieties usually do not vary so widely as these yields of a single year, but it is generally found that certain varieties give better average yields than others and are therefore more profitable.

WATER SUPPLY IS IMPORTANT

There Should Be Plenty for Home and Barn and It Should Be as Handy as Possible.

The water supply is very important. Not only should there be plenty of water for the home and the barn, but it should be convenient. Why not put in a system of water pipes and put water under pressure in the house and barn? You will find it so satisfactory that you are likely to wonder how you managed to get along without water handy.

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The RIVER

When the Colorado Burst Its Banks and Flooded the Imperial Valley of California

By EDNAH AIKEN

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WITH HARDIN GONE, HIS AIDS DISORGANIZED, WHAT WILL RICKARD SAY? INNES ACTS TO SAVE HER BROTHER'S FACE.

Synopsis.—K. C. Rickard, an engineer of the Overland Pacific, is sent by President Marshall to stop the ravages of the Colorado river in the Imperial valley, a task at which Thomas Hardin, head of the Desert Reclamation company, has failed. Rickard foresees embarrassment because he knows Hardin, who was a student under him in an eastern college, married Gerty Holmes, with whom Rickard once thought himself in love. At the company offices at Calexico Rickard finds the engineers loyal to Hardin and hostile to him. He meets Mr. and Mrs. Hardin and Innes Hardin, the former's half sister. Innes is bitter against Rickard for supplanting her brother. Hardin discovers that Rickard is planning a levee to protect Calexico and puts him down as incompetent. Gerty thinks her husband jealous. Gerty invites Rickard to dinner and there plans a "progressive ride" in his honor. Rickard pushes work on the levee and is ordered by Marshall to "take a fighting chance" on the completion of Hardin's pet project, a gate to shut the break in the river. In the midst of Gerty Hardin's progressive ride, which is begun despite a terrific wind and dust storm, word comes that the river is raging and every man is wanted on the levee.

CHAPTER XV.

On the Levee.

Hardin did not go home that night. He was feeling the quick irony of his position; his duty now to protect the levee he'd ridiculed; now the only hope of the towns! The integrity of the man never faltered, though his thoughts ran wild. Like the relentless hounds of Actaeon, they pursued him, barking at his vanity.

He started the anxious ranchers at sacking sand. Bodefeldt ran up to tell him that there was a hill of filled sacks over in Mexicali. "Rickard had a bunch of Indians working for a week."

The confusion of the shy fellow did not escape Hardin. Oh, he knew what Bodefeldt was thinking, what every one was saying! They were all laughing at him. The coincidence of this extraordinary flood had upheld Rickard's wild guess, haloed his judgment. It was all a piece of his infernal luck. Sickening, that's what it was! His orders scattered. He ran up and down the levee, giving orders; recalling them when he found he was repeating Rickard's.

This new humiliation, coming on the heels of the dredge fiasco, put him in execrable temper. He shouted his orders over the noises of the night. He ranted the men, bullied them. No one did anything right! Lord, what he had to put up with! The other men, the ranchers and engineers, saw in his excitement certainty of the valley's doom.

The wind and the darkness contributed to the confusion. Eager shovels were tossing up earth before anyone could tell where the danger point would be. The water was not yet high enough to determine the place of battle. Sacked sand was being brought over from Mexicali. Fifty pair of hands made short work of Rickard's "hill." Lanterns were flashing through the darkness like restless fireflies. The wind and rushing water leaded the sound of the voices. It was a battle of giants against pygmies. In the darkness, the giants threatened to conquer.

At three in the morning, a horseman rode in from Fassett's, one of the big ranches to the north, cut by the New river.

"The river is cutting back," he called through the din, "cutting back toward the towns."

A turn in the gorge, a careless dump-pit had pulled the river like a road horse back on its haunches. It was kicking back.

"They are short-handed up there. They need help."

"Dynamite," cried Silent and Hardin antiphonally. They happened to be standing near.

"We must have dynamite," bawled Hardin. "Are the wires down between here and Brawley? We must get a wire somehow to Los Angeles, to rush it down here this morning."

"It's here. There is a carload on the siding," yelled Silent.

Hardin did not need to ask by whose orders it was there. An angry scowl spoiled his face.

"Put some on the machine." He was turning away.

Silent called after him. Did Mr. Hardin think it was safe? There was no road between the towns and Fassett's. The night, the explosive—should they not wait till morning? The question threw his late chief into a rage.

"Did I ask you to take it?" It was the opening for his fury. "Safe! Will the towns be safe if the river cuts back here? The channel has got to be widened, and you talk of your own precious skin! Wait till I ask you to take it. Get out the machine. I'll take it to Fassett's myself."

Silent left the levee, smarting. He backed the machine out of the shed and sped through the darkness toward Mexicali, where the car of explosives was isolated.

Hardin, buttoned up to the ears, his soft hat pulled tight over his forehead, was waiting impatiently. Here was something to be done; he coveted the activity.

"I thought you were never coming," he grumbled.

"Let me take it!" pleaded the engineer.

"Nonsense, there is no danger." Hardin saw personal affection in the plea. He put his hand affectionately on the man's shoulder.

"You go home and catch a nap; this is my job." He was standing on the step. "Crank her."

There was nothing for Silent to do but to get out. Hardin pointed the long nose of the car into the darkness. She was off like the greynhound she suggested, missing a telegraph pole by half an inch.

"Who is in charge here?" a woman's voice was piercing the racket of wind and wave.

The dawn was breaking. Down the New river he could see the wind whip-



She Collided With a Man.

ping the water into whitecapped fury. "Vicious," he muttered. "Those heavy waves play the Old Harry with the levee."

"Where is my brother?"

"Miss Hardin" cried Silent.

"Where is he?" demanded Innes. Her hair streamed away from her face. Her cheeks were blanched. Her yellow eyes, peering into the dusk, looked evilish. Her wind-sparked skirts clung to her limbs. To Silent she looked boyish, as though clipped and trussed. "Where is my brother?" she repeated.

Silent told her without reservations where he had gone and why. There was no feminine foolishness about that sister of Hardin's. A chip of the old block. Funny, the men all thought of her as Hardin's daughter on account of the difference of age. As to a comrade, proudly, he bragged of the taking of the dynamite over that roadless waste.

"Whom did he leave in his place?"

Silent knew, only, that he himself was not in charge! Hardin had ordered him to bed.

"Maybe Mr. Estrada?" she hazarded.

"He is not here, he went down the road to look after the track. Hardin went off in such a hurry, I guess he told nobody," chuckled the engineer, still glowing.

"Then I'm it!" cried Innes Hardin.

"Will you take my orders, Silent?"

"Sure," he chuckled again.

Through the rush of the wind and water came the whistle of a locomotive.

"A special!" cried Silent. Hardin's sister and his friend looked at each other, the same thought in mind: Rickard, in from the Heading!

On her face Silent saw the same spectacular impulse which had flashed over Hardin's features a short time before.

She put her hand on his arm. "Silent, you're his friend. Straighten this out. We can't have him come back—spry—and find this." She waved her hand toward the disorganized groups.

"I'd take more orders," suggested the engineer.

"Then send a third of them home. Tell them to come back tonight at six. Send away the other third, tell them to come back at noon. Keep the other shift. Say you'll have coffee sent from the hotel, tell them Hardin says to stop wasting stuff. Tell them, oh, tell them anything you can think of, Silent, before he comes." Her breakdown was girlish.

She could hear the signal of the locomotive; coming closer. Then she could hear the pant of the engine as it worked up the grade. It was a steady gentle climb all the way from the junction, two hundred feet below seal level, to the towns restin' at the level of the sea. It quickened her thought of the power of the river. Nothing between it and the tracks at Salton. Nothing to stop its flow into that spectacular new sea whose basin did not need a drop of the precious misguided flow. She could hear the bells; now the train was coming into the station; she would not wait for Silent. She did not want to meet Rickard.

No one saw her as she left the levee. She passed Silent, who was issuing orders. She heard him say, "The boss says so."

She took the road by the railroad sheds, to avoid the dismissed shifts, moving toward town. At full speed, she collided with a man, rounding the sheds' corner. It was Rickard. Her veil had slipped to her shoulders and he saw her face.

"Miss Hardin!" he exclaimed. "Whatever are you doing here?"

"I was looking for my brother."

"You ought not to be out at night alone here."

"It's morning!"

"With every Indian in the country coming in. I'll send Parrish with you."

She recognized Parrish behind him. She tried to tell him that she knew every Indian in Mexicali, every Mexican in the twin towns, but he would not listen to her. "I'm not going to let you go home alone."

She blinked rebellion at the supplanter of her brother. But she found herself following Parrish. She took a deep pride in her independence, her fearlessness. Tom let her go where she liked. She had an impulse to dismiss Parrish; every man was needed, but he would obey Rickard's orders. MacLean had told her that! "They don't like him, but they mind him!"

Rickard made his way down to the levee. "Where is Hardin?" he asked of every one he met. Silent came up to explain that Hardin had gone up to Fassett's just a few minutes ago to carry dynamite. The river was cutting back there. "Good," cried Rickard, "that's bully!"

"He left me in charge," glibly lied the friend of Hardin. "Any orders, sir?"

"Things are going all right!" began the manager. He stopped. From above came a dull roar.

"Dynamite!" cried Rickard.

The friend of Hardin had nothing to say. "I thought you said he went only a few minutes ago?" demanded his chief.

There was another detonation. Down the river came the booming of the second charge.

"That's dynamite for sure," evaded Silent.

"Not a minute too soon!" declared Rickard, going back to his inspection.

CHAPTER XVI.

Rickard in Town.

The town woke to a matter-of-fact day. The sensational aspect of the runaway river had passed with the night. The word spread that the flood waters were under control; that the men had gone home to sleep, so the women got breakfast as usual, and tidied their homes. The Colorado was always breaking out, like a naughty child from school. Never would the cry of "The river!" fall to drag the blood from their cheeks. But relief always came; the threatened danger was always averted, and these pioneer women had acquired the habit of swift reaction.

That afternoon, Mrs. Youngberg was to entertain at the A B C ranch the ladies of the Improvement club. It was a self-clarification meeting, to celebrate the planting of trees in the streets of Mexicali, and to plan the care of their planting. Mrs. Bilim drove into town to get Gerty Hardin. Neither woman had seen her husband since the interrupted drive the night before.

"I don't know whether I should go," Mrs. Hardin hesitated, her face turned toward the A B C ranch. "Perhaps there is something we could do."

"I have just come from the levee," Mrs. Hardin's jolly face had lost its apprehension. "The water has not risen an inch since breakfast. Most of the men have been sent home. When Howard didn't come home to lunch, I grew anxious. But Mr. Rickard says he sent him to Fassett's with more dynamite."

"There he is," thrilled Gerty.

Mrs. Bilim's eye swept the street. "Where? Your husband?"

"No, Mr. Rickard. Passing the bank. There, he's stopped. I wonder if he is going in? You call him, Mrs. Bilim."

Obediently her friend hailed Rickard. He turned back to the windy street. He felt boyish; the crisis was giving him mercurial feet. He loved the modern battle. Elements to pit one's brains against, wits against force!

Gerty Hardin's face was flushing and paling. "The river," she faltered. "Should we be alarmed, Mr. Rickard?"

Smiling, he assured her she should not be alarmed; the levees would protect the towns.

"Mr. Hardin is up at Fassett's ranch, he will be coming back today. I told your husband, Mrs. Bilim, to catch a nap and then relieve Mr. Hardin."

Gerty found a significance in his words. He had said "Mr. Hardin," and "your husband, Mrs. Bilim." It was enough to weave dreams around.

"We can't do anything, Mr. Rickard, to help!" urged Gerty Hardin, her voice tremulous.

"I hope we won't have to call on you at all."

There was no excuse to linger. Gerty threw a wistful little smile at parting.

CHAPTER XVII.

Opposition.

The second night of the flood, the women of the towns dragged brush and filled sacks for the men to carry. It was past midnight when Innes Hardin left the levee. While her feet and fingers had toiled, her mind had been fretting over Tom. Two nights, and no rest! It was told by men who came down the river how Hardin was heroically laboring. She yearned to go to him; perhaps he would stop for a few hours to her entreaty. But an uncertain trail across country, with the dust-laden wind in her face? She decided to wait for the dawn. A snatched sleep first, but who would call her? She would sleep for hours, so weary every muscle. Her mind fixed on Sam as the only man in town who had time to saddle a horse for a woman.

She went in search of him. She found that the long adobe office building had already taken on the look of defeat, of ruin. The encasements had been torn from the partitions; the doors and windows were out. The furniture had been hauled up to high ground farther away for safety. She went hunting through the ghoully shew for the darky, turning her lantern in every dark corner. She knew that she would find him sleeping.

Then she heard steps on the veranda. She ran toward them, expecting to see Sam. She swung her lantern full on two figures mounting the shallow steps. Rickard was with her sister-in-law.

"Oh, excuse me!" she blurted blunderingly. Of course Gerty would take a wrong intention from the stupid words!

The blue eyes met those of Innes with defiance. It was as though she had spoken: "Well, think what you will of it, you Hardins! I don't care what you think of me!"

What indeed did she think of it? Why should she feel like the culprit before these two, her words deserting her? It was Gerty's look that made her feel guilty, as though she had been spying. To meet them together, here at midnight, why should not they feel ashamed? She had done nothing wrong. And Tom down yonder fighting—and they make his absence a cover for their rendezvous.

"I'm looking for Sam!" The effort behind the words turned them into an oratorical challenge.

"So are we. I want to send him home with Mrs. Hardin. She's worn out."

"She can go home with me. I am going directly. As soon as I give a message to Sam." She instantly regretted her words, abruptly halting. It came

"He won't let me go."

"Who won't let you?" But she knew. "Casey. Says he'll send some one else. I said as nobody else'd make Hardin stop. He said as that was up to Hardin."

Of course, he wouldn't let Wooster go!

"Orders me to bed," spat Wooster. "Wonder why he didn't order gravel, too. It's spite, antagonism to Hardin, that's what it is!" She believed that, too. Tom was right. Rickard did take advantage of his authority.

She did not see Rickard until he stood by her side.

"I'm sorry not to spare Wooster, Miss Hardin. But there's stiff work ahead. He's got to be ready for a call. If Hardin insists on spoiling one good soldier, that's his affair. I can't let him spoil two."

Wooster shrugged, and left them. "Spoiling good soldiers!"

"I've taken Bodefeldt off duty. I told him to relieve Hardin."

Bodefeldt who blushed when anyone looked at him! He would be about as persuasive to Tom as a veil to a desert wind! She turned away, but not before Rickard saw again that transforming anger. Her eyes shone like topazes in sunlight. She would not trust herself to speak. Wooster was

waiting for her. Rickard could lead the man repeat. "I'm sorry, Miss Hardin. It's an outrage. That's what it is."

Queer, they couldn't see that it was Hardin's fault; Hardin who was up the river fighting like a melodramatic hero; fighting without caution or reserve, demoralizing discipline; he couldn't help admiring the bulldog energy, himself. That was what all these men adored. He'd clenched the girl's antagonism, now, for sure! How her eyes had flashed at him!

Hello! There was a tree floating down toward the station house. . . .

"Bring your poles!" he yelled.

CHAPTER XVIII.

The Passing of the Waters.

Babcock came rushing down from Los Angeles that morning to see what in thunder it was all about. He asked every one he met why some one didn't get busy and stop the cutting back of that river? There was no one at the offices of the company to report to

him! Why, the building was deserted. Oglivie's letters had prophesied ruin. It all looked wrong to him. Going on to the levee, he met MacLean, Jr., who was coming away. The boy told him vaguely that he would find Rickard around there, somewhere.

"I'll hunt him up for you."

"Why, they are letting it get ahead of them!" Babcock's manner suggested that he was aggrieved that such carelessness to his revered company should go unpunished. Something, he told MacLean, might have been done before the situation got as bad as this!

His excited stride carried him across the dividing ditch, which now was carrying no water, into Mexicali. MacLean had to lengthen his step to keep pace with him. The havoc done to the Mexican village excited Babcock still more.

Estrada, just in from his submerged tracks, was lounging against an adobe wall. His pensive gaze was turned up-stream. The posture of exhaustion suggested laziness to Babcock, who was on the hunt for responsibility. He was more than ever convinced that the right thing was not being done.

Estrada took his eyes from the river. Babcock looked like a snapping terrier taking the ditch at a bound. MacLean, Jr., a lithe greynhound, followed.

"What the devil are you doing to stop this?" A nervous hand indicated the Mexican station gleaming in its fresh coat of paint; to the muddy water undermining its foundation.

Estrada drew a cigarette out of his pocket; lighted it before answering.

"Not a thing. What do you suggest?"

A big wave struck the bank. The car on the siding trembled.

"Another wave like that and that car'll go over," cried Babcock, jumping, mad. "Why don't you do something? Why don't you hustle—all of you?" He would report this incompetence.

Down the stream came a mass of debris, broken timbers, ravaged brush, a wrenched fence post, a chicken coop. A red hen, clinging to its swaying ship, took the rapids.

"Hustle—what?" murmured Estrada.

Babcock glared at him, then at the river. His eye caught the approaching wreckage. Men came running with their poles. The caving bank was too far gone. The instant the drifting mass struck it, there was a shudder of falling earth, the car toppled toward the flood waters, the waves breaking into clouds of spray.

Human responsibility fell to a cipher. The river's might was magnificent. Even Babcock, come to carp, caught the excitement. "Come, MacLean," he cried. "Watch this! The station's going!" He joined Estrada by the adobe wall.

"Have a cigarette?" murmured Eduardo.

What will the valley do? Facing tremendous losses if it does not push the damage suits filed against the railroad, it faces utter ruin if the railroad abandons the fight against the river. Marshall puts the issue squarely up to the ranchers, but is no bluffing? Go on with the story in the next issue of this paper.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)



"Orders Me to Bed."



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Dear Sister and All:

I have been disappointed today by not getting a pass to Cologne, have walked myself almost down and now will try to write you a few lines of probably uninteresting news.

I decided several weeks ago to go some place every Sunday, but failed today. I intended to go to Cologne today to see the old cathedral, which is "shervehl grassen" (or very great) in name as well as in structure. I want to see it, and think I can before I come home. It is 153 meters (498 feet) high, and as great the other way they tell me, and so old I don't know how to write it down. Anyway, it's several years old. Then I want to go to Neuwied and see some things there that are pretty old.

I have been to Trierer, where all the archbishops, earls, and all the kaiser's big men stay—but the kaiser himself does not. He has a palace here, and a complete house, stables and all; a church too. We have a protestant church meeting in the kaiser's church every Sunday. It surely is nice inside and we have church in real formality there—pipe organ, a real choir and a program to go by. The room has many beautiful pictures in it; the most beautiful is the one back of the choir. It is about eight feet high and fourteen feet long, and is a painting of Christ and the Disciples at the Last Supper. Underneath it are seven marble panels of blue; the rest of the room is as white as snow, except the furniture which is a golden oak; the seats or pews and all from the stage back is white. The ceiling has fine big paintings of Christ in His work while on earth. I can't remember them, as it was dutch script and I couldn't write it—or even read it. The castle or palace is guarded and we can't see on the inside, except in the church part.

There are five big churches in town, the oldest having been built by the Romans in 836 A. D. and is called the St. Castor church. I was in that to see the tomb of a little girl with which there is a legend connected. Its present form dates from 1200 A. D. There is one street called Lohr street which is a part of the old Roman Road built by Aurelian in 270 to 275 A. D. They are all old and have heard the thunders of several wars, but I can't realise they are so old; they show their antiquity, but you can't conceive of that length of time. Some of the old castles show they have been there for a long, long time; others do not.

Things concerning peace are pushing up now and we will be home some time this year, but don't think I am coming in at any moment, for it will be June anyway.

I went over to the Red Cross tonight and got a cup of coffee—real coffee, a doughnut, two sandwiches, and a chat with a chubby little Red Cross girl who was a nice, plump little thing, and I wanted to love her she was so nice to me. Her hands were so soft and warm—just like her heart I know. I think I'll go over again and—get something more to eat. The Red Cross and Salvation Army have won my heart. The Salvation Army give us boys in the commissary pie and doughnuts every Friday; we surely do enjoy them too. The Y looks after the officers in that respect mostly. They have a bunch over here who are not able to work but are willing to take up some dutchman and give him a job because he has been interned over here and says he

is an American and can speak English. The dutch gave them warning and plenty of time to get out before the war, so I say darn 'em, put in the brig and let them stay over here. They think more of them than us I guess. Is it not the Y. M. C. A., but a bad bunch the Y. M. C. A. selected to send over here. They are fellows who never had a job, or the most of them are so I will say, and they are getting good money. They and most of the officers are having a better time than they ever had; why should they rush us home and spoil their jobs?

Had a letter from Grandma Bond and from Uncle Nolen today; dated March 7. They were all well. Give my love to all and ruffle up Earl for me. Let me know when the 36th lands in Ft. Worth, or across, and when any of the boys come home tell 'em to write me "koot a sweet." Write soon.
Lovingly,
Sam.

W. A. Pierce and family have returned from a visit to relatives at Crawford, Okla.

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CLARENDON, TEXAS

There will be a Sunday School Rally and All Day Singing, with dinner on the ground, Sunday, May 11th—the second Sunday in May, at Bray.

Dr. and Mrs. F. N. Reynolds and baby left Thursday for Amarillo, and expect to be absent three or four weeks.

O. C. Hill was down Tuesday from Clarendon. He reports everything all right, except that he's been plowing ole Beck a little toe steady to suit him.

H. A. Holcomb, E. W. Blain and Herbert Dysart, Wellington business men, were visitors in Hedley Wednesday.

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New Perfection Oil Stoves

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Always in robust health, B. W. D. Barnes could ride, shoot and get his man. He was everything a sheriff in Warren Co., Tennessee, should be until overtaken by a complication of catarrhal troubles of the stomach, bowels or other organs. Dr. Hartman's Famous Peruna Tonic has been a standard household remedy for forty-five years. If you are sick and suffering, write The Peruna Company, Dept. A, Columbus, Ohio, for Dr. Hartman's Health Book. It is free. Your dealer has Peruna in both tablet and liquid form. If you want health, insist upon having Peruna. Your dealer will give you a Peruna Almanac.

The Brighter Side.
"The floorwalker reported me for inattention and I've been banished to the hardware department."
"Don't let that bother you, son. Although the hardware department may lack distinction, it's much easier to sell a submergible than it is to sell a lady of fashion a pair of gloves."—*Birmingham Age-Herald.*



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Tell your druggist you want genuine "California Syrup of Figs." Full directions and dose for babies and children of all ages who are constipated, bilious, feverish, tongue-coated, or full of cold, are plainly printed on the bottle. Look for the name "California" and accept no other "Fig Syrup."

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"Very often it is for-tune."

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The Family League.
Knicker—Is Jones the boss?
Boeker—No, his wife and children make six votes to his one.

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The KITCHEN CABINET

I read within a poet's book
A word that started the page:
"Stone walls do not a prison make,
Nor iron bars a cage!"
Yes, that it true, and something more:
You'll find, where'er you roam,
That marble floors and gilded walls
Can never make a home.
—Henry Van Dyke.

THE "BEST BERRY" Dishes.

The strawberry will soon be plentiful, yet while it is still a luxury we may use them in small amounts for a garnish or accessory.

Devonshire Pie.—Line a pie plate with rich pastry and bake it. Also bake a two-inch ring; this may be made by cutting around a large pie plate to make a large circle and then cutting around a smaller plate placed in the center of this. Use care to handle the ring without breaking it. Fill the pastry shell with Devonshire cream. This is prepared by scalding the milk the day before then skimming the cream and whipping it. Add a cupful or more of sweetened, very ripe berries and cover with the ring. Heap cream in the center and serve. A most attractive dish and one that is not hard to prepare.

Strawberry Ice.—Wash and hull one quart of strawberries, sprinkle with one cupful of sugar and let stand two hours. Mash and squeeze through a double cheesecloth. To the juice add one cupful of water and lemon juice to taste. Freeze, using three parts of ice to one of coarse salt.

Strawberry Baskets.—Beat the yolks of four eggs until thick, add one cup of sugar and beat two minutes, the sugar should be added gradually; add three tablespoonfuls of water. Put one and one-half tablespoonfuls of cornstarch in a measuring cup and fill up with flour. Mix and sift with one and one-fourth teaspoonful of baking powder, one-fourth of a teaspoon of salt, and add to the first mixture. Fold in the whites of the eggs beaten stiff and add one teaspoonful of lemon extract. Fill buttered gem pans and bake in a moderate oven. Cool and scoop out the centers and fill with sweetened crushed berries mixed with whipped cream.

Bomb Mouseline.—Line a mold with strawberry ice and fill with the following: Beat one cupful of heavy cream to stiff peaks, add one tablespoon of strawberry syrup, cover equal.

The W No No

Hail! King Apple!
The apple is the king of fruits in value of crop as well as in the estimation of apple lovers. For the apple crop of 1918 a value of \$230,000,000 has been estimated, or nearly three-eighths of the value of all fruits.

A BRIGHT, CLEAR COMPLEXION
is always admired, and it is the laudable ambition of every woman to do all she can to make herself attractive. Many of our southern women have found that Tetterine is invaluable for clearing up blotches, itchy patches, etc., and making the skin soft and velvety. The worst cases of eczema and other torturing skin diseases yield to Tetterine. Sold by druggists or sent by mail for 50c by Shuptrine Co., Savannah, Ga.—Adv.

Whoopie!
"Heigh-ho!" cried the spirited nag, as he found his bridle on the barn floor and proceeded to smash the snaffle to smithereens, "I should say I've done my bit."

Many people imagine that Worms or Tapeworm cannot be gotten rid of entirely. Those who have used "Dead Shot"—Dr. Peary's Vermifuge, know that they can. Adv.

One way for a lawyer to rise at the bar is to stand on a chair.

Hot Finnan Haddle Canapes.—Fry one-half tablespoonful of chopped onion and two chopped mushroom caps in three tablespoonfuls of butter five minutes. Add two tablespoonfuls of flour and two-thirds cupful of thin cream. At the boiling point add two tablespoonfuls of cheese, the yolks of two eggs, well beaten, and one cupful of flaked finnan haddle. Season with salt and cayenne. Pile on pieces of toast, sprinkle with cheese and buttered bread crumbs and bake until brown.

Maryland Fried Chicken.—Clean, singe and cut in pieces for serving, two young chickens. Plunge into cold water, shake off and dip at once into flour to get as much to adhere as possible. Try out one pound of fat salt pork, cut in pieces and cook the chicken in the fat until well browned on all sides. Serve with a gravy made with the fat in the pan with thin cream and flour for thickening.

Nellie Maxwell

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Drop Freezone on a touchy corn, then lift that corn off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic! No humping! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation. Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

Romantic Girls Are Costly.
Dick—Do you like romantic girls, Harry?
Harry—I don't. When you make a hole in your salary buying them expensive flowers they tear them apart, repeating: "He loves me—he loves me not."—*Pearson's Weekly.*

WHY DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND SWAMP-ROOT

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

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The Contrast.
dear, the coal and flour are all 't help it, Maria; I'm all in."

Cuticura Improve Your Skin. Sing and retiring gently smear face with Cuticura Ointment. Off Ointment in five minutes Cuticura Soap and hot water. It's wonderful sometimes what Cuticura does for poor complexions, dandruff, and red rough hands.—Adv.

He's only one person worse than I am and that's the person who I know any.

"O Happy Day" sang the laundress as she hung the snowy wash on the line. It was a "happy day" because she used Red Cross Ball Blue.

No matter how early a man finds out he made a fool of himself some woman knew it first.

GIRLS! BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR WITH "DANDERINE"

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Besides doubling the beauty of your hair at once, you will shortly find new hair, fine and downy at first, but really new hair growing all over the scalp. Costs little.

A Fixed Listener.
She—Look at that sour-faced old maid who has been sitting in one place trying to find out what the couples coming near her are saying. Isn't she a regular sport-spilling wallflower?

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER
Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Sold in all civilized countries. Give it a trial.—Adv.

It's all right for a man to leave his better half if he leaves her plenty.

The blush of a queen is a royal flush.

The Cause.
"So the play failed because of the weakness of its love interest."
"Yes; another case of heart failure."

INFLUENZA—
Do not neglect an aching, Grippy cold—it may develop into Influenza.

Take CAPUDINE at once. It's liquid—Quick relief. Trial bottle 10c—two doses. Larger sizes also.—Adv.

Bringing the Wrinkles.
"Time, after all, is the great vaudeville artist." "The old fellow is a headliner all right."

No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GIBBY'S FISH OIL BEST CHILL TONIC, given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or devour the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 50c per bottle.

Sometimes a fellow calls making a lot of darned fool mistakes getting experience.

A friend in need is almost a twentieth century rarity.

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C. A. Hicks.

CAGLE-MOREMAN

Just at press time we are informed of the marriage of Mr. W. P. Cagle Jr. and Miss Verdie Moreman, at seven o'clock yesterday evening at the Baptist parsonage, Rev. J. M. Mizell officiating. A number of friends and relatives, including the groom's father and sisters, witnessed the happy event.

Mr. and Mrs. Cagle are two of our most excellent young people, charming, intelligent and industrious, and they start life together very auspiciously. Our very best wishes to them.

FORD FOR SALE—1918 model, in good condition. Cash or terms. R. A. Carter, at Thompson Bros. store.

GARD OF THANKS

A word of thanks to the neighbors who have been so kind to me in my sickness, especially to Mrs. Evans and daughter, Mrs. Williams and family, Mrs. Moffitt and family, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. McDougal and family, and many others. Also to Brother Wood of the Nazarene church, who visited and comforted us. We feel very thankful. May God bless you and help you in your troubles, is our prayer.

Mrs. S. E. Allen,
Mr. and Mrs. Starnes.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday is MISSIONARY DAY in our Sunday School. Special program. Don't forget the missionary offering. Be on time with a studied lesson.

Preaching at morning and evening hours. We are moving forward; get in line.

Cal C. Wright, Pastor.

All kinds of FARM LOANS.
Geo. A. Ryan, Clarendon.

B. W. M. W.

Had our regular meeting last Monday, with several present, and enjoyed a splendid program. Ladies, we beg that you be with us next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

HOGS! HOGS!

I have a registered big bone sow, with four sow pigs, for sale. Pigs are from Will Rains' fine male. T. B. Norwood.

Claude Wylie, who recently returned from Army service and has been visiting his mother, Mrs. W. A. Wylie, of the Bunker Hill community, left yesterday to resume his work with the T. & B. V. railroad.

Vegetable Plants for Sale

Sweet Potatoes, Cabbage, Tomatoes and other plants. Write for circular.

T. Jones & Co.
Clarendon, Texas.

The B. W. Moreman residence was sold this week to Mr. Akers of Wichita Falls, a cousin to Judge Akers of Giles. The family will move here about June 1st. D. C. Moore handled the deal.

FOR SALE—Baby walker, good as new. S. D. Myers.

REVIVAL MEETING

We have decided to begin our revival meeting at the Hedley Missionary Baptist church on the 3rd Sunday in July—the date being July 20th.

Everybody invited to attend and help us in this soul-winning campaign.

W. S. Crawford, Pastor.

Mrs. Maek Franklin and son of St. Jo are here on a visit to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Will Walker, of McKnight community.

FURR AND CULWELL

Another important business deal was closed the past week when O. R. Culwell purchased an interest in the Furr Grocery Co.

Mr. Culwell needs no introduction to Hedley people from the Informer man, since he is better (and, we came near saying, more favorably) known here than we are. He has lived here ten or twelve years, alternating between farm and business activities, and has a large circle of friends in this territory.

The Furr Grocery Co. is a comparatively new institution in Hedley, but it is progressive and prosperous, and we predict will remain so as long as its affairs are in the hands of such men as Claude Furr and O. R. Culwell.

HAIL INSURANCE

Yes, if you want Hail Insurance on your crops I would be glad to write it for you. Good reliable old line company.

D. C. Moore.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The Sunday School convenes promptly at 10 a. m., F. M. Acord superintendent.

The pastor, Rev. J. M. Mizell, will preach at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The church will observe the communion at the close of the morning sermon.

Mid week prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to all these services.

J. M. Mizell, Pastor.

MILLINERY

There will be a stock of Millinery opened in Hedley for the Fall season, 1919, the time of opening and the place to be announced later.

Watch for the announcement.

Jim Sherman, Member National Collectors' Association, Clarendon, Texas.

The Informer, \$1.00 per year

WINDY VALLEY PICK-UPS

There was no singing Sunday on account of the rain, but every body come next Sunday.

J. B. Stogner has gone to Dallas to undergo an operation.

Bob and Nettie Phelan returned Sunday from Clarendon. Bob has been taking treatment, and is better, we are glad to state.

Archie Shaw visited home folk at Hedley Sunday.

Mrs. Lorraine Bagwell and children of Goldston returned home after a short stay with the Bills family.

Laymon Garland has the small pox.

Rev. Mr. Jones of Lelia Lake preached here Sunday morning and night.

Clyde Atteberry shipped a bunch of steers Tuesday.

J. Phelan and wife visited his parents Sunday.

The Victory Loan speaking was postponed on account of bad weather. It will be one night this week.

Lee Phelan of Lelia Lake visited home folk here Sunday.

A big rain fell Sunday, washing the land pretty much.

There were a number of visitors to Hedley this week.

Bashful Nell.

LOOK HERE

If you want anything in the way of town lots or a small tract at the outer edge of the town of Hedley, from one acre up to several acres, improved or unimproved, let me show you what I have for sale—for I believe I have some places worth the money.

D. C. Moore.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Harris, a fine 8 1/2 pound boy, one day this week. Congratulations to the proud parents and best wishes to the little man.

Mrs. O. R. Alexander and little son are here from Dalhart on a visit to home folks.

J. T. Patman of Clarendon was a business visitor here Wednesday evening. He said they had a regular 4th of July crowd and a big time all day with the two airplanes that spent the day there. Some stunt flying was pulled off, a few passengers were taken up, as well as bond selling contests and other things.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sullivan motored over from Wellington Wednesday after Grandma Sullivan, who has been visiting the W. E. Stone family.

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