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WHITE CREST and PEACEMAKER **FLOURS**

The BEST to be had. EVERY SACK guaranteed.

Everything in Groceries

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Are always found here in abundance and at moderate prices.

Canned and staple goods of standard advertised brands. Fruits, Vegetables, Country Produce.

Try us with your next order of Groceries. We aim to please.

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ARE CLEAN, CONVENIENT AND BUSINESSLIKE

They add to your security; they form a receipt for bills paid; they obviate the necessity of carrying currency around and of making exact change; they form a written record of expenditures.

This bank offers the convenience of a checking account and of an affiliation with a modern financial institution.

Smith decided to give Hedley other towns where I am known people a produce market second and have resided. There is one to none, the produce business standard that every business

year in the business, 1918, saw first and money second. I feel "Smithy" pass out to farmers that the statements below will in this community the sum of convince the most skeptical that nearly \$20,000, which was con this is my motto. sidered a huge amount for such by products of the farm.

increase over the previous year are within my power to render. of between 50 and 60 per cent. dle produce as a side line.

of course we agree with himespecially as to advertising.

\$2.50 to \$5 00 each.

L. A. Strond, Hedley, Texas.

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION

As stated to the congregation last Sunday morning, the First Baptist church will be requested To Whom It May Concern: at the next Sunday morning ser. It has been our pleasure to vice to accept my resignation as know Dr. F. N. Reynolds almost pastor, effective with the close of from his infancy, and until the this month. Having signified my past several years he has lived acceptance of the pastorate of here continuously. His father is the First Baptist church, Hal one of our most substantial stock lettsville. Texas, this action be- farmers and owns very valuable

ences have been varied, mixed carried out by him. with anxiety, but we have found friends true and sympathetic, garding Dr Reynolds will be and as we turn our faces towards furnished on request. another field, we do so with the recollections of many kindnesses shown and of friends whom we expect to meet "over there." If we have been helpful to any, we give Him the praise; if we have To Whom It May Concern blundered, it was but human, for

J. M. Mizzell, Pastor.

FOR SALE-Some Coal and Household Goods.

J. M. Mizzell.

H. W. Richey and family have moved from their farm near Le lia Lake to Haskell, which location they will try to like better times. Wishing him much suc than Donley county. However, cess who ter he may be, we are they baven't bought property there, nor sold here, so we pect them back after

HEAVY GROWTH SHOWN "AN INTRODUCTION IN PRODUCE BUSINESS TO THE PUBLIC"

R S Smith, the Produce man. In order that the people of has an ad on this page offering Hedley and vicinity may know top prices for poultry with which who I am and what I stand for, I to fill a car he has on the side- make the following statements track here for the balance of and produce the fellowing facts which are statements made by Which reminds us that up to some of the leading citizens of some two years ago, when Mr. this town and community, and here was a sort of hit and miss man should have; one dynamo that should guide every business It is not so now. His first transaction. That is: Principle

In a business sense, I stand for Hedley and the advancement But during 1919 he just went of the little city in any manner on smashing records, piling up a possible In a professional sense \$30,090 business for the year, an I stand for the best services that

I have built an office on Main Which is quite some produce street, just opposite the First business, when you consider that State Bank, and as far as I know several other Hedley firms han today I will live and die in this city. Any one desiring dental Smithy attributes his success services will receive the best in to hustling and advertising, and dentistry by calling at my office. I have an extensive practice at the present, but, like all other progressive men, I desire more. FOR SALE- 10 cheics thor. Those who entertain any doubt oughbred R. I. Red Cockerels, as to my sincerity as a man or good color, shape and size, price my ability as a dentist, after reading the statements below, I do not desire as a patient.

BUSINESS

The Albany National Bank Albany, Texas

property in this county. Dr. A good congregation at all ser- Reynolds is a graduate of our vices is earnestly desired; in fact State School of Dentistry, and we want to serve here, as at oth has been very successful in his er places, until "the train bears practice. We commend him as an honorable young man of sterl Our stay has been short with ing worth, and believe that any the Hedley people; our experi- contract he may make will be

Any further information re-

Yours very truly, W. G. Webb, Cashier.

The Bank of Miami Miami, Texas

This will introduce to you Dr. 9. N. Reynolds who was a citizen of our town for three years, also was a customer of this bank for three years. We have always found Dr. Reynolds to be honest and upright in all his dealings with us, and anyone having dealings with him will always find Dr. Reynolds agreeable and willing to do the right thing at all ours very truly,

Branker.

Implements

EVERYTHING IN HARDWARR AND FURNITURE

Harness and Leather Goods Auto Supplies, Etc.

Moreman & Battle Everything in Hardware and Furniture

POULTRY WANTED!

I NOW HAVE A POULTRY CAR IN HEDLEY, AND IT WILL BE HER UP TO AND INCLUDING SATUR DAY, JANUARY 17th.

I want to buy your Poultry, and am paying the following prices:

> Hens 20c **Old Roosters** 8c Stags 12c

Bring them in right away and get the Highest Market Prices, in Cash.

Phone 93

R. S. Smith

The Produce Man

One Man In Five

Did you know that twenty men every twenty-five are unable to save ey? Only five succeed.

WHICH ARE YOU GOING TO BE? Make a New Year's resolution and sta an account with a Bank that will help help yourself.

waranty State Bank FOLEY, TEXAS

and Surplus \$35,000.003

Colds Break

Get instant relief with "Pape's Cold Compound"

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quif blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a cold and ends all grippe

The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of your head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness, stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist on Pape's!

Her Worst Sin.

In the sewing circle of a small town there was an old Scottish woman whom the other members loved to hear talk.

"What was the worst thing you ever did, Mrs. McCillop?" one of them asked one day to start her going.

"The wor-r-st thing?" said Mrs. Mc-Cillop. "You couldna guess! Once when I was a wee thing, I stoppit the ciawk wi' a sweetle!"

Sometimes alarming symptoms. Wright Indian Vegetable Pills stimulate the dige tive processes to function naturally. Adv.

Sounds Encouraging.

Bacon-I see a Danish chemist, of Copenhagen, has sold a patent for making artificial leather to a Norwegian concern which expects to establish factories to manufacture it in several countries.

Egbert-Wonder will this reduce the cost of the sandwiches served at railad lunchrooms?

ASPIRIN FOR HEADACHE

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin-say Bayer



Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin' in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin: Prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin toxes of 12 tablets rost few cents. Aspirin is trade of Bayer Manufacture of Monocidester of Salicvlicacid .- Adv.

> son, Originator of Riddles. irst riddle ever recorded was ed by Samson in the Book s, 14th chapter, 14th verse.

e Cuticura Toilet Trio eared your skin keep it clear g Cuticura your every-day rations. The soap to cleanse the Ointment to soothe and alcum to powder and pero tollet table is complete m. 25c everywhere.-Adv.

aid to be the food of love, rriage there is apt to be a 'iver and bacon

ERINE" PUTS EAUTY IN HAIR

> mass of long, gleamy tresses



me" save your hair and aty. You can have lots strong, lustrous hair. y lifeless, thin, scraggly

Helaise "He says-

t bottle of delic

DON'T WHIP!

Stop Lashing Your Bowels with Harsh Cathartics but take "Cascarets."

Everyone must occasionally give the bowels some regular help or else suffer from constipation, billious attacks. stomach disorders, and sick headache. But do not whip the bowels into activity with harsh cathartics.

What the liver and bowels need is a gentle and natural tonic, one that can constantly be used without harm. The gentlest liver and bowel tonic is "Cascarets." They put the liver to work and cleanse the colon and bowels of all waste, toxins and poisons without griping-they never sicken or inconvenience you like Calomel, Salts, Oil,

Twenty-five million boxes of Cascarets are sold each year. They work while you sleep. Cascarets cost so little too .- Adv.

Easily Settled That.

"I've got something I must teh ou, John," she said, looking up from the shoulder where her curly head was

"Well, I'm afraid you wen't marry me if I tell you." His eyes widened, but he drew her

a little closer to him. "Is that so?" he said.

"I-I am a somnambulist, John!" Thereupon, after a long and puzzled

pause, he said: "That's all right, darling. If there isn't a church of that kind in the village, we can get married at a registry office."

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP.

A cold is probably the most common of all disorders and when neglected is apt to be most dangerous. Statistics show that more than three times as many people died from influenza last year, as were killed in the greatest war the world has ever known. For the last fifty-three years Boschee's Syrup has been used for coughs, broachitis, colds, throat irritation and especially lung troubles. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning. Made in America and used in the homes of thousands of families all over the civilized world. Sold everywhere .- Adv.

Pershing Decorated.

A young American soldier had just anished painting a door panel in one Paris. With his paint can in his hand bumped into an officer in uniform who was hurrying in an opposite direction. As the officer brushed the splashed paint from his uniform the soldier made profuse apologies.

time you and your paint come around were, were insignificant. the corner.'

The officer was General Pershing.

Kind Preferred.

"I can paint a speaking portrait of sour wife.

"Couldn't you paint a picture of her in what you artist fellows call still

KEEP IT HANDY

If you paid a specialist \$25.00 for a prescription, you would not get anything that would give quicker relief for Croup, Catarrh, Colds, or Sore Throat, than VACHER BALM, which only costs 30c in jars, or tubes.

Write for Samples and Agent's Prices. Beware of imitations. E. W. Vacher, Inc., New Orleans, La.-Adv.

Surely a Perfect Excuse. When in doubt tell the truth. "Is it true," demanded the woman's dean sternly, "that you were

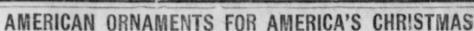
found smoking cigarettes?" "Yes," said the girl. "What explanation have you fer your unladylike conduct?"

"I didn't know it would be foundout," said the girl. The dean's brow relaxed. "I couldn't give a better reason my-

self! You are excused."-Pittsburgb

A SOFT, VELVETY SKIN

should be the ambition of every woman as there is nothing so attractive as a fair, smooth skin. Neither soaps nor powders can give this. The sands of southern women knoexperience that Tetterine wi' rid the skin of its disfigur and blotches and give t clear appearance so Tetterine is sold by by mail for 50 Savanna





An interesting photograph showing American girls in an American factory making American Christmas tree ornaents from American material colored with American dyes. Experiments for the past three years have shown that the United States can make these trinkets as successfully as Germany.

33,000,000 Aliens Absorbed by U.S.

8,400,000; Germany 6,000,000.

NOTHING LIKE IT IN HISTORY

Interesting Facts Brought Out In an Analysis of Immigration and the Foreign-Born Element in Population of Country.

Washington,-"High hope for the proposed Americanization program is held out by a study of the remarkable way the United States has absorbed the amazingly large foreign element of its population," says a bulletin from the National Geographic society.

In describing the volume of this influx, not generally realized, which was halted by the European war, the bulletin quotes from a communication to the society as follows:

"Who can estimate our debt to immigration? Thirty-three million people of the halls of the Hotel Crillon in have made the long voyage from allen shores to our own since it was prohe hurried around the corner and claimed that all men are born free and equal, and liberty's eternal fire was kindled first on American soil!

"History records no similar move ment of population which in rapidity or volume can equal this. Compared Charms for Ills Lose Ground When "Oh, that's all right," replied the to it, the hordes that invaded Europe officer, "only be less speedy the next from Asia, great and enormous as they

"Of the 33,000,000 who have come more than 14,000,000 still live among physicians doing relief work in Monteus, and their children and children's negro tell of some curious methods of children are now in good truth bone of treatment employed by the inhabitants our bone and blood of our blood,

hundred million line in the number of thought of the natives is to apply Its citizens, and it is interesting to chewing tobacco, horsehair or a fresh note the composition of that popula- rabbit skin with the hair facing inside.

11,000,000 Colored People.

dians, Chinese, etc. Then there are favorite remedy is to pull off the ani-14,500,000 people of foreign birth mal's ear and rub the wound with it. among us. In addition to these, there are 14,000,000 children of foreign-born Saint Vascilla, whose shrine is situatfathers and mothers and 6,500,000 chil- ed on the summit of a mountain bedren of foreign-born fathers and na- tween Podgoritza and Nikisic. Every tive vice versa. When all of these have week thousands of devout Montene been deducted from the 100,000,000 grins come to this mountain shrine only 54,000,000 remain of full white seeking cure for their ills. native ancestry.

who are of foreign stock-that is, for- ancient shrine have not been se numereign born or the children of a foreign- ous. For the natives have found that born parent-include some of the most their ills can be cured much nearer illustrious citizens of our republic.

more than 4,000,000; Great Britain, with scarlet fever, was brought to the station, one block distant.

Ireland and Britain Contributed with a little less than 4,000,000, and hirth or long residence in America be-Scandinavia, with something less than 2,000,000, have together with Germany, contributed more than half of the total immigration to our shores since the beginning of the Revolutionary war.

"When we take the German immigration to the United States between than have remained behind. 1776 and 1890 and compare it with that from other countries, a somewhat startling result, and one usually unsuspected, is disclosed. The total arrivals to America. of aliens in those 114 years aggregated 15,689,000, of whom more than 6,000,-000 were British and Irish and 5,125,-000 were Germans, which shows that one alien out of every three arriving tury of our existence was a German.

Trends Different Since 1890. "Since 1890 the trend has been very different. With more than 17,000,000 Texas and the Dakotas. immigrant arrivals since that date,

their homeland and those who have died since their arrival, it will be seen that there are fewer than 1,000,000 former subjects of the kaiser in this country who have not been here more than 26 years. Of more than 8,000,000 people of German birth and immediate ancestry among us, fewer than 1,000,-000 fail to have the background of hind them.

"It is interesting to note the other foreign elements that have entered into the makeup of American population since 1776. More Irish people have crossed the seas to become part of us

"Austria-Hungary stands next on the list of contributors to the immigrant stream that has flowed from Europe

"Italy has sent us enough of her people to duplicate the population of Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, Oregon, Nevada, Utah, Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico, while England's and Scotin America during more than a cen- land's contribution, 3,889,000 in all, together with Ireland's 4,500,000, gives a total of 8,389,000, or plenty to populate all of the states lying west of

"The Russians who have come to only 1,023,000 have been Germans. If our shores number 3,419,000. They from this number a proper deduction could replace one-half of the populais made for those who returned to tion of New England."

WOMAN WORKS 15 HOURS A DAY

Marvelous Story of Woman's Change from Weakness to Strength by Taking Druggist's Advice

Peru, Ind.—"I suffered from a dis-placement with backache and dragging down pains so badly that at times
I could not be on
my feet and it did

not seem as though I could stand it. I tried different any benefit and but an operation good. My drug-gist told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I took it with the result that I am now well

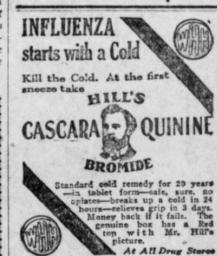
and strong. I get up in the morning at four o'clock, do my housework, then go to a factory and work all day, come home and get supper and all day, come ages and get supper and feel good. I don't know how many of my friends I have told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—MRS. ANNA METERIANO 36 West 10th St., Peru, Ind.

Women who suffer from any such ailments should not feel to try this toward.

ments should not fail to try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound.



Lion Had Long Life. Authorities differ as to the age limit normal span of a lion's life at about twenty-two years. A lion which died in the Tower of London in 1760 had lived in captivity over 70 years.





For Horses, Cattle and Sheep OLD KENTUCKY MFG. CO., Inc., Paducah, Ky



iron soup pot. It required four days to get her over the many mountain In another instance a farmer carried

UNIQUE CURES ARE USED

Remedy for Wound.

Tobacco Quid Montenegrins'

Red Cross Aids Suffering Mountaineers.

Niegosh, Montenegro, - American of this little mountain country. When "Not long ago America crossed the a Montenegrin is wounded the first Common ink is considered a sovereign remedy for burns. To stop bleeding "To begin with, there are 11,000,000 sores or wounds cobwebs are used. colored people, including negroes, In- When a person is bitten by a dog, the

The patron saint of Montenegro is

But since the arrival of the Ameri-"Yet the 33,000,000 American people can physicians the pilgrimages to the home and with greater certainty at any "An examination of the statistics of of the numerous Red Cross dispen-

his typhus-afflicted wife on his back a distance of 65 miles and at the end of the journey fell exhausted on the steps of the Red Cross hospital. He was rewarded for his labors, however, four weeks later by the complete recovery of his wife.

CAB BREAKS HEART OF KING EDWARD'S HORSE

Paris .- Minoru, pet racer of the late King Edward, the only horse that ever won a Derby forthe royal house of Windsor, is dead in Paris. He died of a broken heart. It was the King's dying request that Minoru never should be sold. But Lord Beresford's stable manager disregarded this wish and sold the magnificent steed for a song. Minoru stood his new job one daythen he lay down and died.

Victims of Smash Rode to Safety. Coldwater, Mich.-Except for bruises neither John Ambrose nor his wife, was hurt after a ride on the cow-American immigration shows that saries and clinics. The inhabitants catcher of a passenger train, during since the foundation of our govern- come from the remotest mountain re- which time the woman's head was only ment the United Kingdom of Great gions. They are carried in all sorts a few inches from the car wheels. The Britain and Ireland has contributed of conveyances, wheelbarrows, donkey train hit their automobile, but the en-8,400,000 of her people and Germany carts, buffalo wagons or on horseback. gineer did not know he had struck more than 6,000,000. Ireland, with In one case an old woman, suffering anything until the train stopped at a

EXPORTS SHOW INCREASE

3,173,859 bales at \$513,405,022 for the ing period of 1918. dairy products exported in 40,618 a year ago. While

en months of this year ported during the 747,514 pounds your al oils reached kept

est grain or

"Oh, what pretty olives," she exclaimed, moving toward the rear of the store. Ed looked, as he was a man, and hadn't noticed such things. "Oh-o-oo," she blushed a bit, "may

I step behind your counter a moment? mounted to \$69,494,243. You see I-my-just a moment." Ed turned and went to the front of the store. Suddenly she up and 335,776,252, a heavy in- thanked him and started to the door. e total of \$782,353,845 He remembered and looked. The bot-

asked sweetly. Ed got the borde.

tle w on the counter. "He ly," he explained, "here's of milk." But the lady Then he look It wasy open

gallons, worth cash



PLENTY OF GOOD CLOTHES

You can find here everything you need for winter wear. Moderate prices.

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The home of good clothes for men and boys CLARENDON, TEXAS

ATTENTION, KODAKERS!

As you have to mail your films out of town, why not send them where you know you will get what you ask for?

We finish them RIGHT. Why? We know how, and are equipped to put them out.

Our business is increasing daily.

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"The Home of Good Pictures"

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NEW KODAK PRICES

Effective Saturday, Nov. 22, as follows

Developing film (any size) 10c per 6 exp.
Printing 2 1 4x3 1.4 (No 2 Brownie) 4c each
Larger sizes 5c each Smaller sizes3c each
Printing any size on post-cards
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Money Must Accompany All Mail Orders

The Kodaker's Friend"

713 Main Street

Memphis, Texas

R. D. KING DEAD

Mrs. F. M. Osborn and Mrs. W. J. Burrows were called to Alba, Wood county, one day last been doing some jack rabbit chasweek by a message announcing ing of late, and out of 67 races the criticall illness of their fath- the hounds have made 63 catches. er, R. D. King.

A message from them shortly after their arrival brought news of his death.

Mr. King was well known and esteemed by many Hedley citizens, the family having resided here for three years some twelve to fifteen years age. He was a good man, and his death is a severe less to his family and the to you. community in which he made

The Informer extends sympa thy to the bereaved ones.

FOR SALE

Young work mules, good size, good colors, good style, home blemishes, no snides.

Also good young mares, gentle and broke to work.

Prices satisfactory. Kyser Stock Farm, near Bray. Phone 132, 3L S.

H. C. Brumley and son. Rolla, the Brumley ranch, a few miles her sister, Mrs. E C. Herd. northwest of Hedley.

FOR SALE-7 horse gasoline engine and feed crusher, in good shape. An actual bargain.

J. G. McDougal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown have disposed of their household goods and left Tuesday for Palacies, where they seek health betterment. J. W. Ble er went with them for stay. We hope to they're looking f

COFFINS

MRS. DAVIS DIES

The sad news reached Hedley Sunday evening that Mrs. Mary C. Davis, wife of A. G. Davis, had passed away at the family home in Bray community.

Funeral services were held in Hedley Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. L. J. Crawford, after which the body was tenderly laid to rest in Rowe cem

Mrs. Davis had suffered il health for many months, but she bore it all with patience and courage, and her death, though not altegether unexpected, was a great and grievous loss to her family and many friends. She was a loving, devoted wife and mother, a good neighbor and a helpful friend.

Surviving her are her husband and ten children—seven boys and three girls-eight of whom live at home, one in Coryell county and one at Slaton.

The Informer deeply regrets the passing of this good woman, and sincerely sympathizes with the bereaved ones.

FOR SALE-About forty well bred pigs. Price from \$8.00 up. Also some young Jersey milk cows. One mile south and half mile east of Windy Valley. G. W. Conner.

Born, January 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Beedy of Floy dada a daughter. The Beedys formerly lived in Hedley, and have many friends here who will join us in good wishes to the lit tle newcomer, her parents and grandparents.

FOR SALE -- A Holstein Bull. coming two years old. R. L. Adamson.

J. Fred Smith, who lives out on Rte. 1, is the owner of some championship greyhounds. He's Which is goin' some.

LET US BEAR YOUR TAILOR BURDENS!

We are preparing to give you

better, quicker service. Let us have your Spring Suit oreers, to prove our guarantee

Satisfaction is the thing. O. K. TAILOR.

Mr. and Mrs. B & Harris left this week for San Antonio, to remain the balance of the winter.

MEAL FOR SALE

grown stock, no wire cuts, no at 4c per pound, at the Ozark D. H. Sorrell.

> Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Lynn are leaving this week for Lubbock, where they will reside. Our good wishes go with them.

Miss Lucile Craft of Memphis were in town Wednesday from was here the past week, visiting

POSTED NOTICE

This is to notify the public that my pasture is posted, and no hunting or trespassing is allowed. Violators of this rule will be presecuted.

Will Harris.

IF WHAT YOU WANT IS TO BE HAD IN A FIRST CLASS DRUG STORE ...

WE HAVE IT.

Hedley Drug Co.

The Amarillo Daily Tribune

THE NEW DAILY NEWSPAPER ORGANIZED IN AMARILLO with a capital off \$100,000 will begin publication early in February, and announces its subscription list now open.

THE TRIBUNE will be a FIRST CLASS newspaper, with full leased wire news service, giving the news of the day, together with full live stock and grain market reports up to the minute.

THE NEWS OF THE PANHANDLE and Plaine Country will be especially featured, with proper consideration given to cities and towns within the territory of which Amarillo is the logical commercial center.

Your co-operation in making this a truly great new paper for this section of Texas is sincerely requested.

The subscription price is \$6.50 per year in advance.

The Tribune representative will be here soon

At Highway Garage

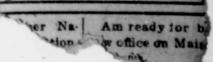
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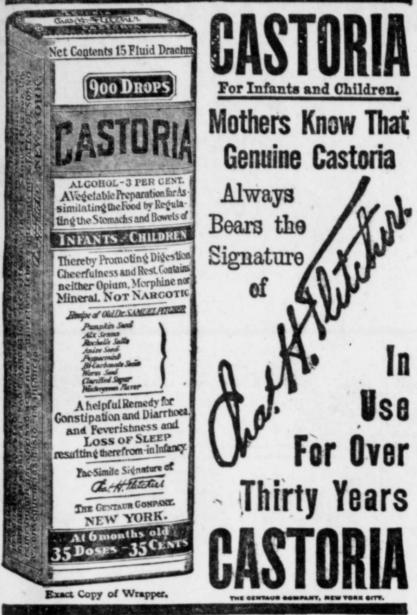
Authorized Agent Ford Parts, R. cine, Goodyear and Globe Casir Globe Fabric Casings are guar teed for 6000 miles; Globe Co guaranteed 8000 miles. 30x3 equivalent in every measuren to 31x4 Fabric, \$30.40. 32x? equivalent in every measure to 33x4 Fabric, \$39.40.

Lone Star Tubes, guaranted give satisfaction.

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The Garage of Steady Service





IN EVERY STABLE SPOHN'S DISTEMPER COMPOUND

is the one indispensable remedy for contagious and infectious diseases among horses and mules. Its success as a preventive and cure for DISTEMPER, PINK EYE, COUGHS and COLDS for more than twenty-five years is the highest tribute to its merit as a medicine. It is endorsed by the best horsemen and live stock men in Amarica. Buy it of your druggist.

SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

The Price of Pork Chops and Bacon

Here are reasons why the fine, fresh pork tenderloins and pork chops, or savory ham, or crinkly bacon, which you enjoy for breakfast, cost much more per pound than the market quotation on live hogs which you read in the newspaper:

An average hog weighs 220 pounds.

Of this, only 70 per cent (154 pounds) is meat and lard.

So, when we pay 15¢ a pound for live hogs, we are really paying more than 21¢ a pound for the meat which we will get from these animals, even after taking into account the value of the by-products.

But people show a preference for only one-third of the whole-the pork chops, fancy bacon, and choice cuts from juicy hams.

This means that when we are selling Premium bacon at 431/24 per pound wholesale and Premium hams at 30¢, there are other parts for which we get as low as 6¢ or 8¢ per pound. The net result is an average profit to us of less than 1 a pound.

The choice cuts are higher because of a demand for them.

Another thing: Only 35 pounds of the entire hog-or about 1/6th-is usually marketed at once. The rest must be pickled, cured, or smoked. This takes months, and adds to the costs which must be met.

Swift & Compa, for 19

These Are Real Furs EASY MATTER TO ARRANGE Cannot Praise this



you are among the number, be pre- may be altered in style. pared to find prices far higher than garment, or fur set may be considered a fairly safe investment, and nothing in Christmas gifts is more

as moderately priced even at some- for years.

Just now, with Christmas near, the thing like five hundred dollars for the shops are featuring fur garments and finest grade. The coatee 🖢 a great fur sets, knowing by experience that favorite, and this one is cut on sima certain percentage of people will be ple and gracious lines that promise sure to purchase them as gifts. If well for a day in the future when it stoutly. "It would be so horrid when

The glorious cape at the right of you have ever known them, and the the group is made of dark mink skins prospect of their being reduced is not and has a very large shawl collar. It heerful. Garments made of the finest is fringed at the bottom with long and and rarest skins are prohibitive, ex- short tails and there is no skin that of ports, interior navigation and railcept for the very rich, the price of all gan outshine it for beauty. Mink is roads, elts and the price of labor having a durable fur, and there is an adgone steadily higher for several sea- vantage in having a cape of it; for cons. The finest skins have reached capes are never out of style. So beauthe limit and are reported to have tiful a garment need not concern itmade a slight decline, while those self as to whether it is more or less that are more common have made an popular than other styles. But such a advance all along the line. Wages are cape is more than likely to have its not likely to decrease for sometime, price mark written in three figures. and fur-bearing animals grow scarcer. It is expressed in terms of thousands In view of these things a good fur probably, but these are real furs with

The handsome fur set that holds the center of the picture is as rich and as durable as its companions. It is a In the group shown above, a coatee, short cape-scarf of very dark brown cape and a scarf and muff set, ap- martin finished with tails and muffler pear in three of the most popular collar, having a round muff matching kinds of fur. The coatee at the left, it, as a life companion. This is a is made in Hudson seal with small brilliant and very beautiful fur classed muffler collar and full dolman sleeves. as "hard" by furriers on account of It is a graceful garment, warm with- the way it resists wear and keeps its out being heavy and may be classed luster. It may be counted on to last

Pretty Neckpieces



persuaded that the neck unadorned blue silk. A net guimpe worn under can hold its own against one that is this collar, has a high collar finished clothed with pretty furbelows. As with narrow beading. usual, the approaching holidays find be a joy to its recipient. Just a few everyone pieces are grouped together in the picture above.

The scarf she top of the group, is knitte ray yarn

Be not mistaken about neckwear of lets and hemstitching done in light

There are a great many ties made neckwear departments in the stores all of narrow velvet and silk ribbons and blossoming out with collars, fichus, ornamented with beads like that ties, scarfs, guimpes, jabots and ves- shown in the picture. Beads and ribtees, singly and in combinations and bons of all colors are used in these made of many different materials. gay little neckpieces. There are also Leading off are lace and net, following very popular vestee and collar sets close are organdle, batiste, scrim and made of net and lace, organdle and crepe georgette. Then there are nar- lace or of these fabrics used alone. row silk or velvet ribbons in ties, and Wide silk ties for younger girls, and an army of knitted scarfs. And ev- handsome jabots for matrons finish up ery article is a possible gift that will displays that include something to suit

Evening Wraps. ing wrap is a thing apart. me style relation to the , but it has a much broadthe matters of material, Rich satin, sumptuous

gnificent brocades are pression. And it is in that one finds the to describe and to imitate. The le is one of strfkmpt the inamy

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duced to take a holiday. "'He's terribly run down,' said Nore, 'but he won't lay off-says he'd

"'Humph!' said Blanc. 'What is your brother's profession, may I ask? 'Chiropodist,' said Nore.

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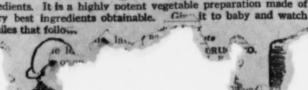
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"IF YOU CAN SWIM, JUMP FOR IT!"

Synopsis.-In 1832 Lieutenant Knox of the regular army is on duty at Fort Armstrong, Rock Island, Ill., in territory threatened by diaffected Indians. The commandant sends him with dispatches to St. Louis. He takes passage on the steamer Warrior and makes the acquaintance of Judge Beaucaire, rich planter, and of Joe Kirby (the Devil's Own), notorious gmbler. Knox learns Judge Beaucaire has a daughter, Eloise, and a granddaughter, Rene, offspring of a son whom the judge has disowned. Rene's mother is a negress, and she and her daughter, never having been freed, are slaves undr the law, although the girls have been brought up as sisters. Kirby induces the judge to stake his plantation and negro servants on a poker hand unfairly dealt by Joe

the girls have been brought up as sisters. Kirby induces the judge to stake his plantation and negro servants on a poker hand unfairly dealt by Joe Carver, Kirby's partner. Kirby accuses the judge of cheating. Beaucaire, infuriated, drops dead. Knox tries to induce Kirby's give up his stolen winnings. Kirby and Carver throw Knox overboard. 'The lieutenant swims ashore and reaches a hut. Knox lies unconscious for ten days. Recovering, he finds he is in a cabin owned by Pete, a "free nigger," who had shot him, mistaking him for an enemy. His dispatches have been forwarded. Recovering from his wound, Knox sends Pete to bring Haynes, Beaucaire's lawyer, and they arrange, with Pete's help, to get the women to the cabin of an abolitionist, Amos Shrunk, before Kirby comes. At the Beaucaire place Knox overhears a conversation between the sheriff and his deputy, and learns the truth about the situation. He is witness to an interview between Kirby and a girl who says she is Rene Beaucaire. Kirby insults the girl, and Knox attacks him. Believing Kirby dead, Knox explains affairs to the girl, and she agrees to try to escape with him. They fail to find Pete where he had been posted, so Knox seizes the sheriff's keelboat, along with Sam, the slave left in charge, and they begin their voyage up the river. Next day a steamer passes and Sam recognizes Kirby on board. At Shrunk's place they find Pete, Shrunk and Carver murdered—the work of Kirby, Kirby then steals their keelboat, leaving only a skiff. celboat, leaving only a skiff.

across.

de bank.

point settled in my own mind I felt

I must have been absent in the

neighborhood of two hours, and they

had returned to the bank of the creek

some time in advance of me. As I

Sam hailed, offering to row the boat

"All right," I replied, confident we

were alone. "It will save me another

"No, sah; leastways not much. We

rud see up de Illinois mor'n ten mile,

Ah reckon, but dar wa'n't no boat no-

whar, 'cepting an ol' scow tied up to

"I thought so. The keelboat has

"I saw her smoke; she was hidden

Rene greeted me with a smile as I

by a hig bend just below. Don't sit

permitted to go on alone. To this

suggestion, however, I would not con-

sent, and the girl finally yielded her

reluctant permission for me to ac-

company them until she could be

safely left in the care of white friends.

where-with those two in Kirby's

hands, already well on their way to

I knew her real thought was else-

there staring at me-come across."

wetting. You saw nothing?"

gone down the Mississippi."

"Yer done saw her, sah?"

ready to rejoin the others.

CHAPTER IX-Continued. -10-

"It is my guess," I said, "that their only thought was to get away before crime was discovered. Rene, would you be afraid to remain here alone for a little while?"

She glanced about into the gloom of the surrounding woods, her hesitancy answering me.

"It is not a pleasant prospect I admit, but there is no possible danger. Kirby has gone, beyond all question, but I wish to learn if I can the direction he has taken. All this must have happened only a short time ago-while we were at the cabin. The keelboat can scarcely be entirely out of sight yet on either river if we could only find a place to offer us a wide view."

"But could I not go with you?" "Hardly with me, for I intend to swim the creek and try to reach the point at the mouth of the Illinois, from where I can see up and down the Mississippi. I am going to send Sam asked a number of questions. I anback through the woods there and swered these as best I could and then have him climb that ridge. From the explained, so far as I deemed it detop he ought to have a good view up sirable, the general nature of the the valley of the Illinois. I suppose plans I had made. The Illinois route you might go with him."

"Ah, sure wish yer wud, missus," to venture it, although Rene pleaded dingly. "Ah earnestly that she and the negro be ain't perzackly feered fer ter go 'loue, but Ah's an ol' man an' Ah reckon as how a young gal wus likely fer ter see mor'n Ah wud. 'Pears like Ah's done los' my glasses."

A faint smile lighted up her facea mere glimmer of a smile.

"Yes, Sam, I'll go," she said, glancing up into my eyes and holding out St. Louis. Try as she would, she was her hand. "You wish me to, do you

"I think it will be fully as well. You

still retain the pistol?" She nodded her response, and without delaying my departure longer, I lowered myself into the water and swam toward the opposite shore, creeping forth amid a tangle of roots and immediately disappearing in the underbrush. I found a rough passage for the first few rods, being obliged to almost tear a way through the close growth and unable to see a yard in advance. But this ended suddenly at the edge of the sand flat, with the converging waters of the two rivers visible just beyond. My view from here was narrowed, however, by high ridges on both sides, and with a desire not to expose myself to any chance eye, I followed the line of forest until able to climb the slope, and thus attain the

erest of the bluff. From this vantage point the view was extensive, both up and down the unable to banish from her mind the big river, as well as across to the op- conception that she was largely to posite bank. Along that entire sur- blame for their misfortune, or subfare but three objects met my gaze- merge the idea that it was cowardly a small island, green with trees, seem- in her to seek escape, while leaving ingly anchored just beyond the mouth them in such peril. I lingered, talkof the Illinois; a lumbering barge alling with her for some time after Sam most opposite me, clearly outlined had fallen asleep, yet the only result against the distant shore, and barely was the bringing of tears to her eyes away below a thin smudge of smoke, she would de whatever I believed to downward, my muscles aching pain- deciphered the lettering across the arising from behind a headland, as be best and right. She appeared so though curling upward from the stack | tired and worn that I left her at last what this was the stolen keelboat, found refuge, aoping she might fall

speeding toward St. Louis. able course to pursue—to work our tree, and it was already growing dusk tinued to believe that I had actually my une way quietly up the Illinois by night, when she came forth again from her sunk beneath the surface, some full keeping close in shore to avoid any retreat and joined us in a hastily prepassing steamer, until we arrived close pared meal. Beardstown. Undoubtedly there vere blacks in the town, both slaves free negroes, with whom Sam assisted her to a seat at the stern, ation. Poor Sam had d easily establish an acquaintance. wrapping a blanket carefully about freedom in death, crushe

his means we would soon be able ontify that particular preacher dank shadows already best care I hoped to the lide I took possession of the dank shadows already best chill. believing the negro would course the girl kout in the born into d the be

doubt if I had taken a dozen strokes, my whole attention centered on my task, when the sudden rocking of the boat told me he had scrambled to his feet. Almost at the same instant my A'mighty! Dar's de keelboat, sah. Dey's goin' ter ram us!"

I twisted about in my seat, caught a shadow, and leaped to my feet, an oar I poised to strike when the speeding pulted into the black water

CHAPTER X.

The Loss of Rena,

There was the echo of an oath, a planking, a strange, half-human cry would be impossible until after day-The sudden violence of the blow must I struck the water clear of both boats, the boat's stern, while we floated siand so far out in the stream that lently on through the black mystery. when I came again struggling to the surface I was in the full sweep of the grated against something immovable; current, against which I had to struggle desperately. In the brief second slowly about, until it also caught, and appeared at the edge of the wood that intervened between Sam's shout I could feel the full volume of downof warning and the crash of the two pouring water against my body. The boats I had seen almost nothingonly that black, menacing hulk, looming up between us and the shore, more fighting to keep my head above water and not to be swept away, I was able to realize instantly what had occurred. craftily waited this chance to attack we would decide to make use of the rowboat, which he had left uninjured for that very purpose, and that we would venture forth just so soon as the night became dark enough, he had hidden the stolen craft in some covert scrambled up on the slippery log, and along shore to await our coming. Then he sprang on us, as the tiger stretched utter desolation; wherever springs on his prey. He had calculated well, for the blunt prow of the speeding keelboat had struck us squarely, crushing in the sides of our ed by low-lying shores, forlorn and deoffered the only hope, and we decided frail craft and flinging me headlong.

others I could not for the moment de termine. The darkness shadowed everything, the bulk of the keelboat Each bank of the river appeared about alone appearing in the distance, and that shapelessly outlined. The craft void of promise. However, I chose bore no light, and had it not been for the west shore for my experiment, as a voice speaking I doubt if I could the current seemed less strong in that have located even that. The rowboat | direction, and was about to plunge in, could not be distinguished-it must determined to fight a way across, have sunken, or else drifted away, a helpless wreck. The first sound my faint wreath of smoke curling up into ears caught, echoing across the water, was an oath, and a question: "By the southward. As I stared at this -! a good job; do you see that fellow anywhere?"

"Naw," the response a mere growl. "He's a goner, I reckon; never knowed whut hit him, jedgin' from the way he upended it.'

"Well, then he isn't likely to bother us any more. Suppose he was the tionably some steamer was pushing its yellow fangs. white man?"

"Sure he wus; it wus the nigger who was up ahead. We hit him, an' he dropped in 'tween ther boats, an' went down like a stone. He never forth into full view, heading out that the Illinoy militia is called out. yeeped but just onct, when I furst toward the middle of the river in a gripped ther girl. I don't reckon as search for deeper water. she wus hurt et a'l; leastwise I never aimed fer ter hurt her none."

"Has she said anything?" fainted. I dunno, but that's ther way the bird, Kirby?"

"Oh, hold on to her there awhile, long as she's quiet. I'm going to try the steam again, and get outside into the big river. H—, man, but this figures grouped forward, the great hasn't been such a bad night's work." wheel astern splashing the water, and

up the water astern. Confident of crept up the slender staff at the bow with the current; and far and a reluctantly given pledge that I permitted the current to bear me the crisp breeze. A moment later I fully from the struggle, and with no white front of the pilot house-Advenof some steamer. I felt no doubt but in the little glade where we had keep well out of sight of the occuother thought in my mind except to turer of Memphis. pants of the boat. To be perceived by where the approaching boat might be asleep. I doubt if she did, although I them and overtaken in the water bound, or my re-This struck me as the most reason. dozed irregularly, my back against a meant certain death, while if they consirous only of yield me an unexpected opp Sam and I stowed away in the boat serve Rene. The few word, whatever provender remained, and I had made sufficiently pl

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gain possession

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ough I had not been invis- to be recognized

thus

veil of darkness, I resoived solemnly | end until it was ended right. In that blood, nor for the fact that she was a slave in her master's hands. To my quable, girlish woman, in the unrestrained power of a brute, and dependent alone on me for rescue. That was noose struck my shoulder. enough; I cared for nothing more.

With silent strokes I waited patiently until the steady chugging of the engine grew faint in the distance, and then finally ceased entirely.

Uncertain which way to turn, and conscious of a strange lassitude, I permitted myself to be borne downward in the grip of the water. Suddealy something drifted against my ears distinguished the sharp chugging body, a black, ill-defined object, tossof an engine straight ahead; then ing about on the swell of the waves, came his shout of alarm, "God and instinctively I grasped at it, recognizing instantly the shell of our wrecked boat. It was all awash, a great hole stove in its side well forvague glimpse of the advancing ward, and so filled with water the added weight of my body would have gripped in my hands. Scarcely was sunk it instantly. Yet the thing remained buoyant enough to float, and prow ripped into us, and I was cata- I clung to its stern, thankful even for this slight help.

There was no occasion for fear, although I became aware that the sweep of the current was steadily bearing us farther out toward the center of the broad stream, and soon felt convinced harsh, cruel laugh, the crash of that escape from my predicament of fright from the negro-that was all. light. The struggle to keep afloat was no longer necessary, and my head have hurled me high into the air, for sank in relief on the hands gripping at

Suddenly the wrecked boat's bow then became fixed, the stern swinging blindly floating boat had drifted upon a snag, seemingly the major portion of a tree, now held by some spit like a shadow than a reality. Yet now, of sand. I struggled vainly in an attempt to release the grip which held us, but the force of the current had securely wedged the boat's bow be-I had been mistaken; Kirby had not neath a limb, a bare leafless tentacle, fled down the river; instead he had making all my efforts useless. I found a submerged branch on which to us at a disadvantage. Convinced that stand, gripped the boat desperately to prevent being swept away, and waited for the dawn.

It seemed a long while coming, and never did man gaze on a more dismal, ghastly scene than was revealed to me by those first gray gleams dimly showing in the far east. All about my eyes turned the vista was the same—a wide stretch of restless brown water surging and leaping past, boundserted. How far I had aimlessly drift-What had been the fate of the ed downstream during the night was a mere matter of conjecture. I possessed no knowledge of where I was. equally bare and desolate, entirely dewhen my eyes suddenly detected a the pale sky above a headland far to it became black and distinct, tossed about in the wind. I watched intently, clinging to my support, scarcely trusting my eyesight, while that first wisp deepened into a cloud, advancing slowly toward me. There was no longer doubt of what it was-unquescourse upstream. Even before my ears could detect the far-off chug of sharp point of the headland and came

It was an unusually large steamboat for those days, a lower river packet, it, if we have ter stop an' pick eny I guessed, with two funnels painted "Not a d-d twitter; maybe she's yellow and a high pilot house surmounted by a huge brazen eagle. At females do. What shall I do with first, approaching me, bow on, I could perceive but little of its dimensions, nor gain clear view of the decks, but when it veered slightly these were revealed, and I had a glimpse of a few wheel astern splashing the water, and The steam began to sizz, settling between, a long row of windows reswiftly into a rhythmic chugging, as flecting the glare of the early sun. the revolving wheel began to churn Even as I gazed at this vision a flag being safely hidden by the darkness, and reaching the top rippled out in

> Indifferent at that moment as to otion on board: delate escape from icament, I mandden fire

to myself that this affair should never with my eye and leaped as far out as possible, striking out with lusty moment of decision I cared not at all strokes. The swift current swung me for Rene Beaucaire's drop of negro about like a chip, and swept me downward in spite of every struggle. I was squarely abreast of the boat, almind she was but a woman, a sweet, ready caught in her suction, and being drawn straight in toward her wheel, when the looped end of a flying

> "Keep your head, lad!" roared out a hoarse voice. "Hang on now, an' we'll get yer."

It was such a rush, such a breathless, desperate struggle I can scarcely recall the details. All I really remember is that I gripped the rope and made no struggle to reach land, but clung; was dragged under again and again; was flung against the steamer's side, seemingly losing all consciousness, yet dimly realizing that outstretched hands grasped me and lifted me up by main strength to the narrow footway, dropping me there in the pool of water cozing from my



"Yes, He's All Right, Sir; Just a Bit Groggy."

clothes. Someone spoke, lifting my head on his arm, in answer to a hail

from above. "Yes, he's all right, sir; just a bit groggy. What'll we do with him?"

"Bring him along up to Haines' cabin and get him the old suit in my room. You might warm him up with a drink first. You tend to it, Mapes." The liquor I drank out of a bottle burnt like fire but brought me new strength, so that with Mapes' help I got to my feet and stared about at the group of faces surrounding us. They were those of typical river men, two negroes and three whites, ragged, dirty and disreputable. Mapes was so bushily bearded that about all I could perceive of his face was the eyes, yet these were intelligent, and I instantly picked him out as being the mate.

"How long yer all bin roostin' on thet snag?" he questioned, evidently somewhat amused. "Dern me, stranger,

"I was caught there last night," I answered, unwilling to say more. "Boat got snagged in the dark and went down."

"Live around vere. I reckon?" "No; just floating. Came down the Illinois. Where is this steamer

bound?" "H-l alone knows," dryly. "Yeller

Banks furst, enyhow; we're loaded with supplies."

"Supplies! For Yellow Banks?" in surprise. "Why, what's going on there? My friend, there aren't ten families within a hundred miles of that place."

Mapes laughed, his mouth opening like a red gash, exhibiting a row of

"No, I reckon not; but thar's a h-? ov a lot o' fellers thar whut ain't fam the engine the boat itself rounded the liles but kin eat. Didn't yer know, pardner, thar's a right smart war on: an' is a-marchin' now fer Yeller Banks? They're liable fer ter be that too afore ever this d-n scow makes more blame fools outer the river. Come on, let's go un."

"Wait a minute. This is an Indias war? Black Hawk has broken loose? "Sure; raised particular h-l. We heerd down et St. Louee he'd killed bout a hundred whites, an' barned sum ov 'em-ther ol' devil."

"And where is he now?" "Dunno; never wus up in yer afore We bin runnin' 'tween St. Louee an' New Orleans, till the gov'ment took us. Maybe the captain kin tell yersumwhar up Rock river, I reckon wharever that is."

We climbed the steep steps to the upper deck, and were met at the head of the ladder by the captain, evidently desirous of looking me over. He was a solidly built individual, wearing white side whiskers and a bulbous nose, and confronted me not alto-

gether pleasantly. "All right, are you? Water pretty "avet, I reckon. Been sticking on w long?"

> hours; but my boat war re we lodged there." laughed and winked

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"Sure, I will, but where does he in tend to go?"-Indianapolis News.

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"No, nor the way I dress, either." returned his wife.

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at all " "I see," said Crittick; "you this on one of the other day don Tit-Bits.

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"AN INTRODUCTION TO THE PUBLIC"

(Continued from Page One)

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Dr. Reynolds, and any favors they all speak highly of him shown him will be appreciated.

Yours very truly, P. K. Deats, Cashier.

First National Bank Sapulpa, Okla.

To Whom It May Concern: I have known Dr Reynolds for many years and have found him to be an upright and worthy young man. Dr. Reynolds is a graduate of the Texas State Dental College and has been in the practice for nearly five years, which is an attest of his proficiency in his profession. I there fore bespeak for him the confi dence and patronage of any com munity of which he may become

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This is to advise you that I have known Dr. F. N. Reynolds for some two or three years, and have had considerable dealings Dr. F. N. Reynolds for the past with him, as he has been for the fifteen years, and know him to be past twelve months a regular man of most excellent family customer of this bank, and I and worthy in every respect. He wish to state that I have always is sober, honest, industrious, and found him to be honest and reli able in his business dealings, and feel that you can rely upon any statement which he might make may undertake, for he makes you with reference to any prop osition. I have not known Dr Reynolds intimately during all his earnest, sincere manner is of this time, but know most of the people who live in the town of Miami, Texas, where Dr. Rey most heartily recommend nolds came from to this city, and Yours very truly,

T. E. Durham, Vice Pres.

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This is to certify that I have known Dr. F. N. Reynolds for about five years. He did some crown and bridge work for me, the total cost of which was \$144 I consider the work to be of great service to me and that Dr. Reynelds is a very fine dentist.

> T. M. Cunningham, President Bank of Miami.

Hedley, Texas.

I take pleasure in recommend ing Dr. Reynolds as a good den tist. I have had considerable dental work done during my life time, at various places, and have found Dr. Reynolds to be a very fine dentist after having him do a large amount of work for me. The services rendered were of little pain and very attractive and substantial. Those desiring more information regarding him will receive same by talking with me.-J. W. Webb, M. D., County .Health Officer.

Amarille, Texas

I have had dental services rendered me in Chicago, Kansas City, Wiehita and various towns. Dr. F. N. Reynolds of Hedley made one large bridge and several gold fillings for me. The work he did was very satisfactory and I feel that it has been of great value to me in the preservation of my health. I therefore take much pleasure in recommending Dr. Reynolds as an accomplished dentist. - J. W. Miller, Vice Pres. International Leasing and Producing Co.

Hedley, Texas.

Dr. Reynolds made a large anterior bridge for me and I am well pleased with same. I consider bim a very fine dentist and heartily recommend him as a master of his calling. - J. M.

Hedley, Texas.

Dr. Reynolds made me two large anterior bridges and they are giving good service. I consider the work very fine, and also consider that the services rendered have been of great value to me. - Mrs. T. E. Bailey.

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Rev. J M. Mizzell spent the past week in Texarkana looking after property interests.

J. I Steele, a former Hedleyan who now lives at Dalhart, was a visitor here the past week.

J. L. Allison of Clarendon has been a visitor in Hedley two days this week.

Miss Ruby Mobley was a visitor in Memphis last Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Kinslow and Mrs J. K. Caldwell and little daugh ter have gone to Marlin for the benefit of their health.

J. T Baia was here Tuesday Offices in White Bldg. from Clarendon.

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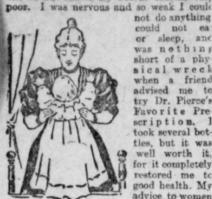


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A MOINER'S EXPERIENCE Houston, Texas.-"After the advent o one of my babies my health became very



or sleep, and was nothing sical wreck when a friend try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I took several botwell worth it, for it completely good health. My

advice to women give 'Favorite Prescription' a trial, it will wrely help them."-Mrs. E. L. Brown, 2414 Freeman St.

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Houston, Texas,-"When I had become all run-dc 7n, weak and nervous and was feeling miserable all the time I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It was only necessary for me to take two bettles to build me up in health and strength. Favorite Prescription' is an excellent tonic for women,"-Mrs. F. E. Gouge, 2615 N.

THE "BLUES" Caused by **Acid-Stomach**

Millions of people who worry, are despondent, have spells of mental depression, feel bits and are often melanchely, believe that these conditions are due to entside influences ever which they have little or no control. Nearly always, however, they can be traced to an internal source—acid-stomach. Nor is it to be wendered at. Acid-stomach, beginning with such well defined symptoms as induced in the desire of the well defined symptoms as induced in the such as the well defined symptoms as induced in the well defined symptoms as induced in the well defined symptoms as induced in the well of the well of the well of the well of the well defined symptoms. The nervous system becomes deranged. Digestion suffers. The blood is impoverished. Health and strength are undermined. The victim of acid-stomach although he may not know the cause of his aliments, feels his hope, courage, ambition and energy slipping. And truly life is dark—not worth much to the man or weman who has acid-stomach hold you back, wreck your health, make your days miserable, make you a victim of the "blues" and gloomy thoughts! There is a marvelous modern remedy called EATONIC that brings, oh! such quick relief from your stomach miseries—sets your stomach to rights—make, it streng, cool, sweet and comfortable. Helps you get back your stomach to rights—make, it streng, cool, sweet and comfortable. Helps you get back your stemach to rights—make, it streng, cool, sweet and comfortable. Helps you get back your stemach to rights—make, it streng, cool, sweet and comfortable. Helps you get back your stemach to rights—make it streng, cool, sweet and comfortable. Helps you get back your stomach to rights—have used BATONIC with such marvelously helpful results that we are sure you will feel the same way if you will just give it a



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The combination of the colonial and Dutch styles of architecture, which commonly is called the "Dutch colonial," is a popular type of dwelling. The Dutch colonial has the beauty of the colonial, without its plainness; the sloping Dutch roof, with the wide dormers, makes possible an economical use of the space within the four walls. And one point about the Dutch colonial is that it may be a small house,

the sun parlor, and contains only seven the house they want. It has what is rooms; still it has the exterior ap nowadays termed "class." pearance of a large home.

of this house is secured by placing suit with the material dealer, conthe door in the center and preserv- tractor and architect. These three ing the balance with duplicate sets of home building experts can materially windows on either side. The porch help the prospective builder with sugat the entrance is patterned after the gestions that will save mistakes in old homes of New England, having construction and make for economy in only a slight roof projection, which is the cost of the home. And it is easy supported by round columns. The for the amateur to make costly misslope of the roof and the wide dor- takes-mistakes that oftentimes bring mers, in which the window balance disappointment after the new home is

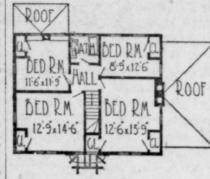
is maintained, denote the Dutch.

without the necessity or dirtying any of the living rooms.

On the second floor are four good bedrooms and the bath. Each bedroom is a corner room, opening off a central hall. This arrangement also brings the bathroom close to the bed-

rooms. For the family living either in town or on the farm this design will furnish a home that will accommodate a goodsized family; it is modern in every re spect, and has a most attractive exterior appearance. The house itself is rectangular in shape, with straight walls, which makes for economy in

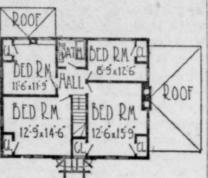
This is the time in the year when home builders are busy studying plans and deciding on the sort of house they will erect next spring. There are many types of houses to be considered. The bungalow is a city favorite and is becoming more and more



Second Floor Plan.

popular in the smaller towns and rural sections; the story-and-a-half house but it appears large and substantial. always is in demand, as are the two-Such a house is shown in the ac- story houses of various designs. Howcompanying illustration. Here is a ever, after all have been considered, Dutch colonial house that is only 32 there are hundreds of home builders by 26 feet in dimensions, exclusive of who will pick the Dutch colonial as

Before deciding on the home build-The colonial effect in the exterior ing design, it always is well to concompleted.



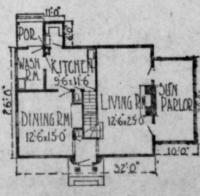
This Dutch colonial is of wood frame! Building a home is a step that no



construction set on a concrete founda-| man ever has regretted. It is better tion. It has a full basement with a than putting money in the bank. The concrete floor, supplying plenty of first cost is returned to the builder in room for the heating plant, fuel stor- saving of rent, but the greatest conage, and for the storage of fruit, vege- sideration is the satisfaction and comtables and other articles, such as the fort he and his family derive from garden tools, etc.

The arrangement of the rooms follows closely the colonial. The cen- ning to build a home. tral entrance leads to a hall on one side of which is the living room and CUPID PUT IN SECOND PLACE on the other the dining room. The stairs to the second floor also run out

of the hall. The manner in which the living room and sun perlor are combined in this house is unusual. The living room is large-12 feet 6 inches by 25 feet. In the center of the wall that separates the living room from the sun parlor



First Floor Plan.

un parlor. The latter is 19 by 9 feet in dimensions and has almost continious windows. These two rooms, which virtually are one, provide the family with a commodious, comfortable loung-

ing place. The dining room, also, is a cheery room. Piaced at the co he house, it has windows faci 's 12 feet 6 inches of the

their home.

It is never too early to begin plan-

Professor of Economics Asserts That Man's Brain Guides in Selection of Life Partner.

The time-honored theory that Cupid shoots his darts at random and does not stop to consider the shape of a nose, the lift of an eyebrow or is the open fireplace, and on either the turn of chin, is directly challenged slde is a glazed door leading to the by Prof. Samuel N. Page of Omaha,

This bold man, a student of economics and physics and long associated with the University of Kansas, made the startling statement in New York that instinct warns man away from the long-faced woman as a mate and lures him to rounded contours. But the intellectual brow, the straightlipped mouth, the hatchet jaw have their place in the scheme of things. Although a drug on the marriage market, the thin, big-boned woman is infinitely more valuable in the business and professional world and is unequaled as a man's pal and as a "good fellow." The "soft and pliable" type of woman, said the professor, though chiefly of herself and wanted t in a rosemisted world of lov romance, while the angular, tual girl had business capac hold on man's mind, if not affections. If the round-faced wor

winner in her associatio the thin, angular mar face and the taut js top dog in the world Page. He is more brilliant, more acqu



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Oh, Boy! The teacher was instructing the primary grade in the correct use of like and love. She told them they must say, "I like apples and ice cream,"

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Frank Simmons, A. C. Muncie, G. O. Wood,

parents, Mr and Mrs. B. F. Lyle | monthly or quarterly. this week for Texhoma, where they will make their home.

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W. S. Malone and family have meved, and he requests us to change his Informer address to Memphis Rte. 2, from Hedley

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Mr. and Mrs. Claud S. Currey left the past week for Lindale, where they will reside. The In-Hedley happenings.

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Rural Carrier Examination

The United States Civil Ser vice Commission has announced an examination for the County of Donley, Texas, to be held at on any land I own or control. Clarendon on Jan 24, 1920, to fill the position of rural carrier at Hedley, and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from other post offices in the abovementioned county. The examination will be open only to citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a post office in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in Form No. 1977. This form and ed. \$70.00 per acre. Terms. application blanks may be ob tained from the off entioned above or from the

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Program for January 19, 1920:

Topic: Forces Needed for the World's Reconstruction. Eph.

Southern Methodism on Euro pean Soil- Mrs. Culwell.

A Three Fold Challenge-Mrs.

Five minute talk on The Need of the World for Reconstruction Mrs. Kendall.

An Ideal Missionary Society-

Each member of the W. M. S. s urged to be present. Bring and urge them to join us, that we may make this the greatest year's work we have done. Let each member reconsecrate her Also, we will have preaching self to God and His work, for

Supt. Publicity.

NOTICE!

Heretofore some few of our rural phone patrons have expect ed us to carry them for twelve months. Under existing condi-J. E. Willingham and family, tions it works a hardship on us of Alice, Texas, have been here to do this, and from this time on the past week visiting the lady's we ask them to make settlement

Hedley Telephone Co.

G. C. Brinson and family have moved to Clarendon The Informer will pay them weekly visits, and we wish them well.

LOST- A \$5.00 bill, between hotel and bank, If an honest person found this, I'll get it back -if not, goodbye.

A J Sibley.

J. T. McIntosh was here from Quail a few days ago, and renewed for The Informer and Dallas

FOR SALE-Two brand new Fords-self starters. R S Smith.

R. M. Webb was in town Sat urday from Bray, renewing for The Informer and Dallas News,

TWO BLUE BELLE Oil Stoves, good as new-one 4 burner, one I want 500 pigs, just weaned 5 burner - for sale at a bargain. Thompson Bros.

> L. W. Farris of Giles was here one day last week, and has our thanks for subscription renewal.

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Positively no hunting allowed H. M. Crawford.

J. W. Forbis is off on a buying trip to Eastern markets. Mrs. Forbis and little daughter are with home folks at Wellington during his absence.

FOR SALE-My quarter sec tion of land 21 miles northeast of Hedley. Good land, well improv-H. Hoggard, Owner.

NOTICE-All those owing me se inger work will please loggard, at the City and settle same. G. W. Evans.

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13 50 coat suits, special price	
\$32 50 ladies' coats, special price	\$23.75
22 50 ladies' coats, special price	16.50
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11 50 dresses, special price	8 25

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