

# THE HEDLEY INFORMER

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NO. 48

**SYRUP BUCKETS WANTED**  
Gallons and half gallons, with lids. 10c per gallon. Bring them to Barnes & Hastings store.  
E. P. Ford.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m.  
Preaching at 7 p. m.  
Cal O. Wright, Pastor.

## FARMERS TO HAVE A MEETING SATURDAY

W. B. McGinnis, national organizer for The Farmers Equity Union, will address the farmers of Hedley and vicinity tomorrow (Saturday, Oct. 16) at 2 p. m. at the tabernacle, including the aims and purposes of the organization will be stated. The speaker is a well known and experienced farmer and is expected to be one of the most artistic. The hog exhibit, headed by Frank Clark's "Jayhawker," and the pure bred cattle, headed by J. A. ranch Herefords, are attracting much attention. A hog, constructed of kafir corn and milo maize, and a Hereford, made of cotton, kafir, maize and millet, with sweet potato nose and cotton boll eyes, is a big and interesting feature. Among the feature exhibits are included: A 93 pound pumpkin. A sweet potato vine with 48 potatoes on it. Samples of ribbon cane 16 1/2 feet high. Unusually large cabbage heads and other vegetables such as okra, beets, potatoes, tomatoes, beans, peas, etc. Big array of canned goods of various kinds. Fruits of many varieties, apples, pears, peaches, grapes, apricots and cherries. Samples of long staple cotton heavily laden with bolls, alfalfa, corn, and feedstuffs of all kinds. The county's natural advantages, rainfall, and the fact that we have not known a crop failure in more than thirty years, are being advertised to the crowds that visit Donley County's booth.

First Class Work and Courteous Treatment at Hedley Garage.

## GROCERY DELIVERIES

As some customers have misunderstood the agreement about delivering groceries, we are requested to reprint it. The daily delivery hours are: 8 to 11 a. m. 3 to 5 p. m. All goods ordered up to 11 a. m. will be included in the morning deliveries. All goods ordered up to 5 p. m. will be included in the afternoon deliveries.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Boone left Monday night for Fort Worth. Mrs. Boone, who has not been enjoying good health for some time, will undergo treatment at the Johnson and Bell sanitarium.

Hemstitching and Pizoting done accurately and promptly at the old price. Address all orders to Mrs. T. F. Benton, Memphis, Texas.

Dr. F. N. Reynolds and R. B. Adams attended a special meeting of the Knights Templar last Monday.

FOR SALE - Thoroughbred Rhode Island Red Roosters. Elmer Williams.

## REV. MOBLEY'S SON DEAD

Wilford Mobley, 14-year old son of E. C. Mobley, noted minister, writer, world traveler and Chautauqua lecturer, was found dead at the family home, Rogers, Ark., last Sunday, having accidentally hanged himself while playing "wild west." The lad's father was pastor of the First Christian Church at Amarillo for five years, and the family is well known over Texas. Burial at Weatherford. Rev. Mobley delivered a lecture at the Chautauqua in Hedley on the evening of the 7th of this month.

A full line of Gas, Oils and Greases at Hedley Garage.

## DONLEY COUNTY'S FAIR EXHIBIT IS GOOD

The Donley County exhibit at the State Fair in Dallas is calling forth many favorable comments at the hands of the daily papers of Texas whose representatives are taking in the big show. The quality of our products is pronounced tip top, and in arrangement of display the Donley county booth is declared to be one of the most artistic. The hog exhibit, headed by Frank Clark's "Jayhawker," and the pure bred cattle, headed by J. A. ranch Herefords, are attracting much attention. A hog, constructed of kafir corn and milo maize, and a Hereford, made of cotton, kafir, maize and millet, with sweet potato nose and cotton boll eyes, is a big and interesting feature. Among the feature exhibits are included: A 93 pound pumpkin. A sweet potato vine with 48 potatoes on it. Samples of ribbon cane 16 1/2 feet high. Unusually large cabbage heads and other vegetables such as okra, beets, potatoes, tomatoes, beans, peas, etc. Big array of canned goods of various kinds. Fruits of many varieties, apples, pears, peaches, grapes, apricots and cherries. Samples of long staple cotton heavily laden with bolls, alfalfa, corn, and feedstuffs of all kinds. The county's natural advantages, rainfall, and the fact that we have not known a crop failure in more than thirty years, are being advertised to the crowds that visit Donley County's booth.

Special prices on Boys' Suits. W. A. Armstrong.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeBord, of McKnight, Saturday, Oct. 9th, a boy.

FARMS TO RENT to parties who will buy teams. Cash or terms. Also want pickers to gather cotton now on the place. W. H. Moreman.

Mrs. W. E. Reeves and son, Leon, have returned from a stay of several weeks at Sulphur, Okla. Miss Myrtle went from Sulphur to Dallas, where she matriculated at S. M. U.

Send us your material for covered buttons; all styles and sizes to suit your particular garment, at the old prices. Write for our price list. Mrs. T. F. Benton, Memphis, Texas.

Mrs. B. W. Moreman orders the Informer sent to her son, Walter, who is attending T. C. U. at Fort Worth.

Bulldog Grip Clothes Pins at KENDALL'S.

Many Informer subscriptions are due. If yours is, pay us.

Mrs. J. B. Masterson has gone to Dallas to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Strickland, and attend the Fair. She is accompanied by her daughter, Miss Lois.

Pumpkins and sweet potatoes are two of The Informer man's favorite articles of food. We were presented choice specimens of both last Saturday by our good friend, J. N. Benson.

## CAR OF FLOUR

Have just received a fresh car of PEACEMAKER Flour. Also big shipment of Bran, Shorts and Meal. A Guarantee goes with these goods. Let us supply you.

Everything In Groceries

PAY CASH AND PAY LESS

Barnes & Hastings  
CASH GROCERY CO.

## Michigan Salt

Shipment just received

See Us for Anything You Need in the Grocery Line

PHONE 10

## L. T. Hullum

## THE PARTNERSHIP OF MAN AND WIFE

Home Engineering is the most important business man and wife are engaged in. It is the greatest partnership in life. In successful home building there is need of a growing bank account—money should be saved and kept track of, else home engineering will be fraught with difficulties.

The friendship, courtesy, service and accommodations of this bank are freely offered to the home builders of Donley county.

May we help you by safely caring for your money, making it "go further" for you? A growing bank account is an anchor to windward.

(By the way, have you bought that other War Savings Stamp this month?)

The First State Bank  
HEDLEY, TEXAS

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$50,000.00

J. C. Donegby, President J. R. Benson, Cashier

## Dr. F. N. Reynolds DENTIST

Office over Forbis & Stone's store  
HEDLEY, TEXAS

Office hours: 8 to 12, 1 to 4. Phone

## A Complete Line of

Hardware, Implements  
Standard Brands

Household Furnishings  
Everything for the Home

Leather Goods  
A Complete Assortment

Queensware  
Large and Varied Collection

Pathe Phonographs  
and Records—The BEST

Moreman & Battle

Everything In Hardware and Furniture

## Your Produce

IS WANTED HERE. I will pay top prices, and am always in the market, winter or summer, rain or shine. Cream Tested on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Phone 93

R. S. Smith

The Produce Man

## "IF I ONLY HAD THE MONEY"

WHAT IS YOUR DREAM?

Is it to own your home some day? to be farm? to set up in business for yourself? own a car? Is it to give your children a better start in life than you had? An education for your boy or girl? To be on a street, free from financial worries? To be somebody, successful and prosperous?

IF YOUR DREAM IS ONE OF THESE, you need more money than you now have, and it will only come through saving. Start a bank account with us and it constantly. We will help you to make your dream true by assisting you to invest your savings properly. take care of you when you need financial help. are marketing your crop this fall, save and invest wisely, then your dream will come true.

Guaranty State Bank







# ATTENTION FARMERS

We now have some Ford Trucks and Fordson Tractors on hand, and can make immediate delivery. Can sell you a Ford Truck, complete with a hardwood body and cab, for \$843.00. Fordson Tractor for \$855 00.

WITH A FORCSON TRACTOR you can do all kinds of plowing, breaking, listing and cultivating, and you have belting power for threshing, grinding, etc. In fact, a Fordson will work for you in some capacity the year round.

We sell the UNIVERSAL THRESHER, and with a Fordson and two men you can thresh one thousand bushels of grain a day.

Can get you a FORD CAR now in a very short time. See us for any Ford product.

## Clarendon Motor Co.

J. T. PATMAN, Mgr. CLARENDON, TEXAS

### B. W. M. U.

Met Monday afternoon. The lesson was interesting and instructive.

Next Monday will be our business meeting. Don't wait for an invitation. Come.

Press Reporter.

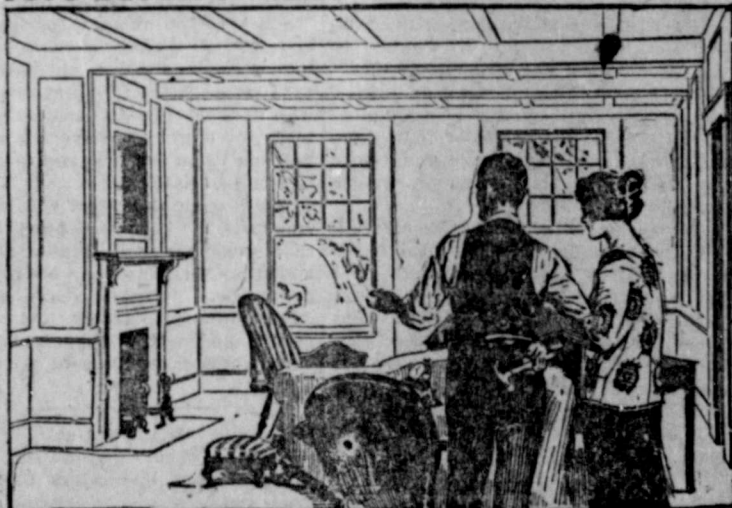
### THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

The Church of Christ meets at 10 a. m. each Lord's Day at the Presbyterian church for Bible study and church work.

Brother G. O. Wood will preach each first Lord's Day.

## BEAVER BOARD

FOR BETTER WALLS & CEILINGS



### Skillful Work without Skilled Labor

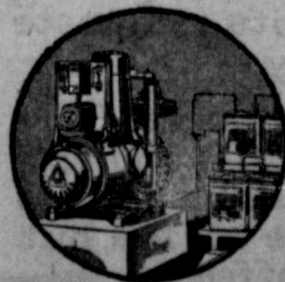
Plasterers hard to get? Skilled labor scarce? No need to hold up your new building, repairing, or remodeling on this account. Build better walls and ceilings with sturdy panels of Beaver Board. Do the work with hammer, saw, and nails. These big lumber panels will never crack or fall, and

after they are painted and decorated they can be easily washed with soap and water. They are permanent, too, for Beaver Board lasts as long as the building. Beaver Board is always carried in stock by us. Ask us for free literature and prices. We deliver it, of course.

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## DELCO-LIGHT

ELECTRICITY FOR EVERY FARM



By installing Delco-Light you have your own power plant,—dependable electric service. Electric lights will make your home cheery and bright. Electric power will pump the water and in other ways save you time and labor every day. IT RUNS ON KEROSENE.

Write for Catalog.

T. S. KEMP ELECTRIC CO. CLARENDON

### TEXAS PANHANDLE IS FAST GROWING SECTION

According to figures compiled by B. N. Timmons of Washington, D. C., the Panhandle leads the entire Nation in development during the past decade, both rural and urban growth showing remarkable increase.

There are now 44 incorporated towns in this area, with population of 89,374, as compared to 29 incorporated towns with population of 59,232 in 1910. An increase of more than 50 per cent. And there are a number of good sized towns, including several county seats, in the Texas Panhandle that are still unincorporated.

There are now 28,000 acres in this area. In 1910 there were 21,000; in 1900 6,000. Donley is near the head of the list in farm gains.

Let us embroidery-chainstitch your new fall dress; beautiful designs at your disposal. Nothing adds so much to your garment as beautiful embroidery. Done accurately by machine, by expert workmen. Mrs. T. F. Beaton, Memphis, Texas.

### PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES

The attendance at school was cut down considerably this week by cotton picking. The attendance this week was as follows: Monday 185, Tuesday 183, Wednesday 185, Thursday 181, and Friday 180.

Pupils did not stop out to pick cotton until this week, except a very few; and from inquiry it would seem that not any more intend to stop to pick cotton.

Oldfield, Federal and Goodrich Tires and Tubes at Hedley Garage.

### BIBLE SCHOOL ORGANIZED

At the First Christian Church, Bible School opened Oct. 20th with E. H. Watt acting superintendent and Miss Ruby Watt at the piano.

After devotional services, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Otis Alexander, Supt.; W. E. Williams, Asst. Supt.; Mrs. E. C. Herd, Sec.-Treas.; Mrs. Julia Alexander, Pianist.

We are glad to note that more than fifty per cent of the membership were present. The several classes were organized and we are ready to work in earnest for the uplifting of humanity and the saving of souls.

Come and worship with us. Bible School promptly at 9:45. Communion at 10:45 every Lords Day. Welcome! Come!

Boys' Suits a specialty. W. A. Armstrong.

Misses Esta and Ruby Shaw, who are teaching at Verno, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shaw.

Stove Pipe, 25c a joint, at KENDALL'S.

### NOTICE TO GRAVEL HAULERS

All parties are hereby warned not to haul gravel from my gravel pit on the Clark land without first making arrangements with me. D. G. Moore.

LOST—A man's suit case, on road between Hedley and Memphis. Two suits, overcoat and other wearing apparel in it. Initials B. P. T. on inside coat pockets. Finder express grip to B. P. Taylor, 407 North St., San Antonio, Tex. Liberal reward.

A general line of Ford Generator and Starter Parts at Hedley Garage.

# A Great Reduction Sale

COME AND GET WHAT YOU NEED THAT I CARRY IN MY LINE, AT A BIG REDUCTION IN PRICE, beginning

## Saturday, October 9

First Come, First Served

A good line of Dress Goods, Shoes, Boys' Suits, Men's Work Clothes, Hats, Caps, Hosiery, Blankets, Underwear, Notions.

Everything at a Bargain

Come and See, and Get Our Prices Before You Buy

## W. A. ARMSTRONG

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NOTICE.—Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The Informer will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Headquarters for Cotton Gloves KENDALL'S.

B. E. Harris has returned from Houston, where he attended the Confederate Reunion.

JUST RECEIVED a car of nice Jersey MILK COWS. For sale. See me. Van Boone.

John and Will Harris attended to business here this week.

JUST RECEIVED—A car of White Billow Flour—good as the best. Every sack guaranteed. Tims & Culwell.

Mack White, former Hedleyan, is here from Alvord this week, greeting old friends and attending to business.

### NOTICE TO TEACHERS

The County Teachers' Institute, composed of the counties of Childress, Hall, Collingsworth and Donley, will begin on Monday, Dec 20th, 1920, at Donley, Texas.

W. T. Link, Ex. Donley

### NEWS FROM BRAY

Everybody at Bray is at work while the harvest time is here.

There were services at Bray Sunday. A large attendance and everybody seemed to be rejoicing. We also had a real good song service in the afternoon.

J. L. Allison and a part of his family, from Clarendon, attended the services. Mr. Allison said he was glad to be at another good singing at Bray. W. T. Youree and family of Hedley also attended. We were certainly glad to have these good people with us.

There was a party at R. L. Duckworth's Saturday night. The crowd was entertained with music by the Davis brothers.

Mrs. W. M. Horn and daughter, Miss Ella, made a trip to Clarendon Monday. They were accompanied by Miss Nora Morrison, who remained for dental work.

There was singing at M. L. Peninger's Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lyle are the proud parents of a baby girl.

The Foster family is doing well at present, except that Leon has had fever again for the past two days.

Little Dreamer.

### DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES

For District Attorney W. H. CHILDERS

For County Judge W. T. LINK

For County and District Clerk W. E. BRAY

For County Treasurer MRS. WILLIE GOLDSTON

For Sheriff and Tax Collector J. H. RUTHERFORD

For Tax Assessor HARRY WARREN

For Commissioner, Precinct J. B. PICKETT

For Public Weigher at Hedley J. S. BEACH

Accordian Pleating done at the most reasonable prices. Mrs. T. F. Beaton Memphis

### GRAZING LAND

I want to hear from grazing tracts—2 to 5 sections. I have money for such projects. full data. A. L. Little

Little Dreamer.

Subscribe for

## NEW PERFECT



OIL COOK STOVES

Give abundant heat for all cooking purposes. Burns the New Perfect Cook Stove for a long time.



### BAD RISK TO KEEP SICK

Insurance Companies Won't Take a Man Who Suffers Continually From Stomach or Liver Troubles.

Acworth, Ga.—"We have used Black-Draught in our family for years, and can say I never have found a liver medicine that could equal it," writes Mrs. J. A. Millwood, of this place. "It is fine for indigestion, headache and sour stomach," she continues.

"I use it for the family, and certainly feel it has saved me a lot of money."

"I am glad to recommend Black-Draught, and am sure if others would use it they would be as glad as I've been."

Thousands of families keep Theford's Black-Draught in the house all the time, for use at the first sign of indigestion, constipation, colic, colds and fever, thereby preventing illnesses that might develop seriously.

When you notice that you are bilious, have a bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, offensive breath, or if you are dizzy at times, restless, sleep poorly—do not neglect your liver. It is calling for prompt treatment. Use Theford's Black-Draught. Its merit is widely acclaimed from long, satisfactory use.

Your druggist sells Black-Draught.

—Adv.  
A cruel heart ill suits a manly mind.  
—Homer.

### "FREEZONE"

Lift Off Corns! No Pain!



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly! Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

At a round table the herald is useless.

### LEMONS FOR FRECKLES

Girls! Make a Bleaching Beauty Lotion for Few Cents.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into bottle containing three ounces of chard white, shake well, and you've the best freckle and tan lotion, d complexion beautifier, at very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of chard white for few cents. Massage this sweetly scented lotion into the face, neck, and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and skin soft and rosy-white the skin shines. Yes! It is harmless and tastes.—Adv.

trouble for a man to brag good judgment when he makes

### LIVE GENIUS CALOMEL OF SEA AND DANGER

Favorite Medicine Now and Refined from All Available Effects. "Calomel's New Name."

Who can ingeniously do next? For wireless telegraphy, gas, colorless iodine, tasteless, comes nameless calomel preparation called "Calomel's New Name."

Best Results Obtained by Firm Hand, but Never by Abuse. Give Bull Good Attention.

## DAIRY THE DAIRY

CLEANLINESS IS BIG ASSET

Duty of Every Dairy Farmer to See That Output is Wholesome—It Lessens Complaints.

Farmers who produce clean milk possess a business asset the value of which many do not fully appreciate. The public is better informed, by far, than it was a few years ago regarding the value of pure milk as a food. It knows more of the dangers of unclean milk. Therefore, as a business proposition as well as from a sense of duty, every farmer owning milk cows should see to it that the output is wholesome.

Clean milk benefits not only the consumer but the milk producer as well. Most producers of market milk have experienced the chagrin of having a shipment of milk refused or returned because it reached the market sour, tainted, or otherwise in poor condition. Although such milk may be used for feeding pigs, it usually is a complete loss to the producer, since the cost of transportation back to the farm usually exceeds its value.

Frequently, also, the producer depends on a certain market as an outlet for his milk and has no means for utilizing small quantities at uncertain intervals, even if he had it at the farm. Another important consideration is that unpleasant effect which the receipt of sour, tainted, or otherwise unsalable milk has upon the purchaser. Delivering milk of that kind usually results in the loss of the confidence of the dealer, or, if it is delivered directly to the consumer, the loss of customers.

Clean milk means fewer complaints, a better class of patrons, and a steady market for the product. Carelessly produced and improperly handled milk may be the means of spreading dis-



Milkmen Should Exercise Greatest Care in Keeping Milk Clean.

ease. Every owner of a dairy herd should consider it his duty to himself and to the community to keep only healthy cows, supply them with wholesome food, and keep them in clean, comfortable quarters. The milkers and all who handle milk should realize that they have in their charge a food which is easily contaminated and should take every reasonable precaution to keep it clean.

### PREPARATIONS REPEL FLIES

Fish Oil is Principal Ingredient in Several Mixtures Recommended for Stock.

While there are various preparations on the market designed to keep flies from cows or other live stock, the farmer can make a good fly repellent by using any of the following mixtures: Fish oil, 3 parts; kerosene, 1 part. Fish oil, 100 parts; oil of tar, 50 parts; crude carbolic acid, 1 part. Fish oil, 1 1/2 pints; kerosene, 1 1/2 pints; resin, 1 1/2 pounds; laundry soap, 2 cakes. Mix thoroughly and add enough water to make 3 gallons. Fish oil, linseed oil, or kerosene, 1 pint; coal tar dip, 1 pint; laundry soap, 1 1/2 bar; hot water, 15 pints. Mix thoroughly so as to form an emulsion. The fish oil is the principal ingredient that repels the flies.

Either a brush or a hand-sprayer can be used to apply any of these mixtures. The sprayer will be more convenient. Applications will have to be made at frequent intervals to be effective.

### GIVE BULL GOOD ATTENTION

Best Results Obtained by Firm Hand, but Never by Abuse. Give Bull Good Attention.

## Through Palestine By Rail



Bedouins of Palestine.

ONCE upon a time Moses took 40 years to travel from Egypt into the Promised Land. Today the Palestine Military railway is doing it between midnight and dawn, every day of the week, writes Clair Price in Asia. I stood at my carriage window, entering Palestine to the metronome-click of 30 miles an hour. Below me, the rails were bedded in golden sand, up the slope of which the green of the adjacent fields lay like surf on a yellow beach.

Ludd was a small railroad yard in a vast pool of sand, with Welsh coal cinders specking its yellow expanse. With its passengers leaning out its windows calling into the station crowd "Ya weiled," the Officers' Special pulled in on its way to Haifa shortly after seven o'clock and came to a dignified stop alongside the little "jerk-water" train for Jerusalem.

An Arab veiled, wearing a fez and a station porter's brassard, strapped my luggage to his head, transferred it to the Jerusalem train, demanded a tip of ten piastres (50 cents), accepted half the amount and was finally routed with the wrathful air of a man who has staked a gold mine and has found it contained only quartz. The Jerusalem train consisted of a London & Southwestern locomotive and three ancient Egyptian State Railway passenger cars, bearing on their wooden sides the chalked words which designated them for "officers," "batmen" and "civilians."

### Arrival at Jerusalem.

I finally lost interest in the fidgety train and went to sleep. It was an Arab porter's "Khowajah, khowajah," which brought me bolt upright and awake. He was gathering up my luggage. The rest of the passengers had left. I followed him out of the car and into the crowd of British soldiers and pith helmets and shorts, Egyptian military policemen in "fezzes" and shorts, Baluchistan soldiers in turbans and shorts, Zionists in khaki drill, and native porters, who moved about on the fenced-off platform. My porter led me into the cool dusk of the customs barrier, on toward the quarantine barrier and thence around to the area of the station. Jerusalem was nowhere in sight. I climbed into an arbutus with eyes narrowed to slits against the glare of the limestone surfaces, and was driven away from the station at a gallop to the accompaniment of a furious jangling of bells and the harsh grinding of iron tires on a crushed limestone road. We rounded the low hill and sighted Jerusalem a mile away—a savage ravine ribboned with glaring white roads and crowded on the farther slope by a huge modern German church with a brief length of ancient gray wall retiring modestly beyond it.

On the very roof of Palestine, overlooking the Dead sea, a quarter of a mile below the keels of the craft of Jaffa, the walled city of Jerusalem lies between the Hinnom and Jehoshaphat ravines, as New York city lies between the North and East rivers. It overflows into a dusty red-and-white modern suburb to the north, as New York overflows into the Bronx.

### Haifa's New Importance.

The physical Jerusalem is small, but the spiritual Jerusalem is the scene of such a world panorama that, although I went there to stay a day or two, I should be there yet, had I not cast a fleeting glimpse at the expense account. With a movement order to Haifa, I finally drove back to the Jerusalem station one evening, and found like All Baba returning to a world after six miraculous hours in the Robbers' Cave, boarded the little train that conveys of Jerusalem-Lod.

of empire, one column of which rests on South Africa and the other on India. It is the peak of the British Cape-to-Cairo-to-Calcutta project.

Leaving Haifa, we skirted the foot of Carmel and issued into the broad plain, with the black skin-tents of Bedouin dotting the flat green distances and with 13 of us, all tangled up like the sultan's signature, in a carriage built for eight, talking of the Crusaders and the Camel Corps, and untangling ourselves intermittently to hang out of the windows with our kodaks, as the low cone of the Mount of Transfiguration disengaged itself from the horizon far ahead. We passed Afuleh, where the greatest cavalry maneuver in military history enabled the Australians to smash the Turkish rear in September, 1918, and we squeezed across the car to see where "Nazareth lies just over that hill." We saw the green plain give way gradually to a tumultuous, burnt-up country; we saw our locomotive rounding sharp curves ahead of us, with "the hedgehogs" running along the footboards of the train in the free-and-easy, ride-as-you-please manner of the East. We began winding down into a scarred valley of yellow buttes, a steep blue horizon and a willing heat, with dynamited bridge-structures lying shapeless under the new bridges we crossed. To the accompaniment of the clicking of many kodaks, we finally sighted the twisting blue of the Jordan. Sighing for a watermelon we went down into the Gehenna of Galilee.

### Into Damascus in the Night.

Night came down over the Hauran; we lighted a stump of candle in our crowded carriage and dined on bully beef, eggs, apricots and a nip from somebody's flask as a liqueur. Some time in the night, the train moved slowly through the moonlit streets of a city of some size, and finally came to a stop under the electric lights of a modern train-shed. We roused ourselves and stepped out upon the concrete platform of the magnificent new Kanawat station in Damascus. With the luggage leading, we creaked out into the moonlight and the chorus of the bull-frogs along the Barada river. We crossed the bridge and the distant thud of the Ramadan gun greeted us.

Damascus is purely Arab. It is as thoroughly of the desert as the Arab himself. Once it was greater than Aleppo, greater even than Baghdad; it was the greatest of the great old caravan ports that lie along the rim of the Syrian desert. It still faces toward the desert, and its hat-wearers come away to it from salt water, come in by its back door. We lodge in its Levantine hotels (when we are able) and we spend our days in cursing its Levantine waiters and our nights in cursing its Levantine wines. For us, Damascus is old and dusty and tumble-down. But to the Arabs who come, through weeks of crossing the desert, to alight at last from their caravans of belled camels before its East Gate, Damascus offers the miracle of its rivers of running water. For them, Damascus wears the sacred green turban of its orchards. For them, Damascus is the City of Paradise.

### Hard to Interpret.

Private Washington Lee—Yassa, I knows most all about dese insigniums. De cross guns is for de infantry, and de cross flags is for de signallers. Private Stonewall Grant—Yas, and de pineapple is for de ordnance, and de corkscrew is for de medicals, but what I can't figure out is does dat dere pen-ten-shry stand for de M. P.'s?

### Pretty Ornament.

First soak a brick—a new one is best—in water and then cover it with flannel and lay it in a dish of water near a window. Sprinkle cress, flax or grass seeds freely on the flannel. The seeds soon germinate and send their roots through the flannel, and in due time the brick is covered with verdure and looks very pretty.

# WRIGLEY'S

5¢ a package before the war

5¢ a package during the war

and

5¢ a package NOW

The Flavor Lasts So Does the Price!



### CATS DISRUPTED THE ZOO

Released to Clean Up Despised Rats, They Terrorized Lions, Leopards and Tigers Alike.

An army of cats, turned loose in the zoo at Highland park, Pittsburgh, Pa., to clean out the rats, has shown the fallacy of many tales of ferocity told of wild denizens of the jungle.

Rats had become so numerous at the big zoo that it was found necessary to take some means of ridding the building of the pests, and the head keeper decided on cats—just the plain alley breed. An advertisement brought them in droves, and they were turned loose in the cages, cellars, supply rooms and lofts.

No sooner had the cages been invaded than pandemonium broke loose. Lions, tigers, panthers, pumas and leopards failed to recognize a distant relationship, and many of them went clear frantic with fear. Other animals, including the elephants, were not so timorous, but hippo and rhino were only a few seconds in making up their minds that discretion was the better part of valor.

The poetry of motion is portrayed by the picture of a beautiful girl with a bug down her back.

Certainly luck counts. So do brains and pluck.

### LITTLE ADVICE FOR GROCER

Would Be Wag Had Picked Out the Wrong Woman on Whom to Exercise His Wit.

There was an expression of melancholy ringed with resentment on Mrs. Brown's face as she entered the grocer's shop.

"I want," she began impressively, "to talk to you about them eggs I had last week. They weren't anything like as fresh as they might have been."

"That's strange," replied the grocer, who fancied himself something of a wag. "We always have an almanac hanging up in the fowl run to keep the hens up to date."

"Oh!" came the retort with crushing emphasis. "Then all I have to say is that somebody with brains about as added as them eggs has been misleading the hens with last year's calendar. Just you hang up a 1920 card, my good fellow, and maybe them chickens 'll start working overtime to catch up to it!"

### Of Little Use.

"The lady ain't got no old clothes to spare, but she offers us an old grass rug."

"It will be of but little use to me, I'm no Hawaiian dancer."

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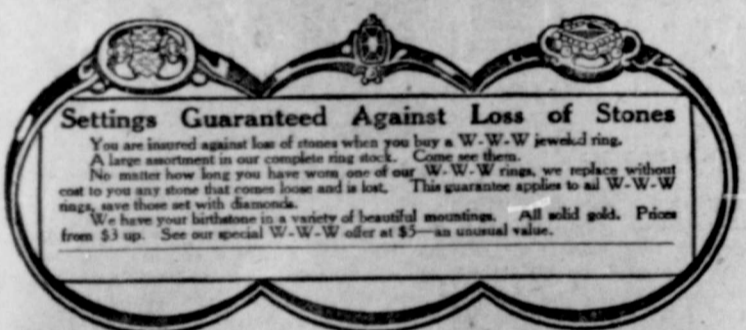
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## ANOTHER LETTER FROM "UNCLE JACK" SPURLIN

The Informer man is in receipt of a letter from our good friend, J. J. Spurlin, requesting that we send his paper to Springdale, Ark., instead of Rogers. The letter is a very interesting one. Among other things, he says:

Have bought us a forty acre farm 2 1/2 miles southwest from Springdale, on the Ozark Trail; so if you or any of the other folks around there decide to come to see me, you can just hit the O. T. at Hedley and never change roads until you stop at my house. We have fourteen acres in apple orchard, and it is as full as I've ever seen. They are hauling apples here now just like the folks will be hauling maize there soon. I have seen 50 or 60 loads of apples waiting to get weighed. When I go along the road, and see apples all along, I think of think of you folks and wish you had at least those that are wasting here.

Well, we have just had a four days county fair at Fayetteville. Mr. Gerner at Lella Lake can tell you about it, as he was there one day. A Mr. Porter had 101 articles off a 40 acre farm, besides his cows, hogs, horses and poultry. I wish the folks around Hedley could have seen that exhibit. We had our hogs in the fair; lots of good hogs there, but we carried off several blue ribbons. Tom won in the sweepstakes with his sow, Lady May, so you know he felt fine.

We are still well pleased here and think this is a fine country. I bought a big farm wagon load of pumpkins for \$5, to feed my hogs, but I guess we'll have a few pumpkin pies before they're all gone, so if any of the folks around Hedley want to eat pumpkin pies with me, tell them to just get on the O. T. and drive over. Am living in Springdale at present, but will be on the farm after Jan. 1st. We often think of Hedley and our many good friends there, and long to see them, but we just have to shut out the longing and go on. With very best regards, I remain as ever  
Yours truly,  
I. J. Spurlin.

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A letter received last week by the Informer man from Rev. J. M. Mizell informed us that he was leaving for Marlin in the hope that beneficial treatment for his physical ills might be obtained there. We join his other Hedley friends in the earnest hope that his recovery may be speedy and complete.

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### CHRISTIAN CHURCH MEET; MEMPHIS WINS CONTEST

(Written for last week)

The Church of Christ in Hed-  
ley enjoyed entertaining the  
Clarendon and Memphis church-  
es Sunday in their new house.  
Memphis and Clarendon had  
been in a Sunday School contest  
throughout the last quarter. The  
points of the contest were: at-  
tendance, one point; new pupils,  
one point; Bibles brought, one  
point; chapters read, one point.  
The agreement was that at the  
end of the contest the con-  
testing churches would meet at the  
Hedley, all bringing full baskets  
of good things to eat, and hold a  
union service, at the close of  
which the losing school would  
serve the dinner. The contest  
provoked great interest from the  
start, which grew to the close,  
nearly 30,000 points being made  
during the twelve Sundays. The  
final results were kept secret, to  
be announced just before dinner.

The day was beautiful. Claren-  
don came, with banners and  
singing, 140 strong; Memphis  
came in, looking like a loser, with  
less than half that many.

A great Sunday School was  
held in the new house, then a  
communion service conducted by  
officers from the three churches,  
Hedley, Clarendon and Memphis  
— 18 in all — was enjoyed. The  
sermon was preached by the  
Memphis minister, his subject  
being "The Local Church," which  
was very helpful and inspiring.  
The singing was conducted by  
Bro. Huckleberry of Clarendon.  
Prayer was offered by Brother  
Wright, minister of M. E. Church  
South of Hedley.

At the close of this great ser-  
vice, the results of the contest  
were announced, and, to the sur-  
prise of all, Memphis won with a  
small margin.

Then the great company of  
some 500 souls went to the tab-  
ernacle, where a spread fit for  
any crowd on earth was enjoyed  
by all.

At 2:30 p. m. another service  
was held at the church. Bro.  
Huckleberry preached the ser-  
mon, which all appreciated.

It was announced that regular  
services would be held in the  
new church, beginning at 9:45 a.  
m. next Sunday, when the Sun-  
day School would be reorganized,  
and that Hedley would use the  
Claude minister for one or two  
Sundays in each month.

All were pleased; many were  
heard to say: "This is the best  
I ever saw. May we have many  
more such days in the Panhan-  
dle."

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