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### MRS. CUNIE MORRISON DIES IN AMARILLO

Mrs. Cunie Morrison, 24, wife of W. G. Morrison, died at 11 o'clock Tuesday night at the family home, 308 North Polk St. Mrs. Morrison has been in poor health for several months, and had recently moved here from Colorado.

The body will be sent by the Griggs Undertaking Company to Hedley, Texas, on the Denver train Thursday morning where the body will be buried in the family burying ground. Mrs. Morrison was a member of the Methodist church, and the funeral will be at the Methodist church Thursday afternoon, conducted by the pastor.—Amarillo News, Wednesday.

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### THE QUEEN ESTHERS

The Queen Esthers met Jan. 5th at the home of Hazel Boone. Fourteen members and teacher were present.

In the business session, the business of the year 1922 was summed and minutes made. The class as a whole adopted several resolutions for the following year. After which we adjourned.

Delicious refreshments were served. During the social hour an interesting program was rendered. A nice time and a good meeting reported by all.  
Reporter.

### THE QUEEN ESTHERS

The Queen Esthers met Feb. 8th with Edith Heath, seven members and the teacher being present.

In the business meeting it was decided to coil our room and buy a rug to cover the floor. Motion made and seconded that we adjourn.

The refreshments were much enjoyed by all.

We invite all girls from fourteen to seventeen to come and join the class. Urge all to be present at class meeting on the first Thursday in each month.  
Reporter.

### FOR SALE

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### MONEY MONEY

to loan on farms. See me.  
R. E. Newman

### AGOGA CLASS MEETING

On last Tuesday evening the Agoga class, a part of the former Gideon class of the First Baptist church, met with their teacher, Mrs. Y. F. Walker, and discussed some future plans of the class, after which two very charming but rather queer looking young ladies served delicious refreshments to all present.

Listen, boys! Every member of the Agoga class is especially requested to be on hand promptly at 10 a. m. next Sunday. Bring somebody with you.

### IF YOU WANT WATER READ THIS

I have some on my water line who pay promptly by the month. And some who pay promptly by the quarter. And some that I guess will pay away off yonder somewhere in the future.

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## DUTCH COLONIAL PLEASING HOME

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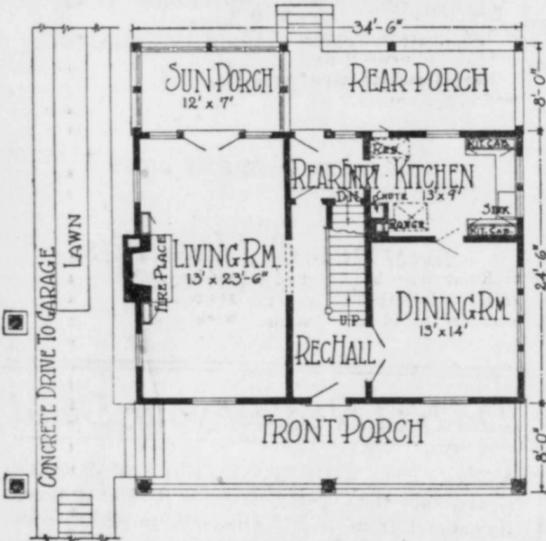
### THE PORCH ADDS TO BEAUTY

This Design Is Always Popular With Home Builders—It Is Attractive and Its Appeal Is Immediate—Not Expensive.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD

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There is a "something" about a Dutch Colonial house that immediately attracts the eye. That something has been variously termed "charm," "atmosphere," and like expressions.



First Floor Plan.

Whatever it is, it is certain that this home design is popular with a great many prospective home builders. And none is more attractive than that shown in the accompanying picture.

To say the least about it this home is attractive. Its appeal is immediate. The broad porch, the pleasing lines of the roof, the broad dormer with its well-balanced windows, the trellis surrounding the roofed driveway, and the artistic brick work of the outside chimney all give a favorable impression to the eye.

While this appears to be a large home, the floor plan that appears with the exterior view shows that it con-

the first floor is given over to the living room, with the sun porch adjoining it at the rear. This room, to the left of the entrance hall, is 13 feet wide and 23 feet 6 inches long. In the center of the outside wall is set the fireplace, with its outside chimney. Back of the living room and connected with it by double French doors is the sun porch, 7 feet wide and 12 feet long.

At the right of the hall on entering is the dining room, also of good size, being 13 by 14 feet. At the rear is the kitchen, 13 by 9 feet. A broad rear porch is reached from the kitchen through a rear entry.

A study of the floor plans will show how really homelike and how light and pleasant these rooms are. All are plentifully supplied with windows; each is a corner room. In the kitchen are specified the many built-in features that make the work in that department more easy and efficient.

Viewed from many standpoints this is a home building design that is most excellent. It has a pleasing exterior appearance; it is not large, but has sufficient room for a family of fair size. Built of lumber and brick it will not be costly to build. Yet the owner will have a house of which he may well be proud and his family will have a comfortable home.

When planning to erect a new home it is economy to make a close study of the needs of the family. Then when the size of the house is determined,

## Styles in Season's Coats;

### Spring Styles for Kiddies

THE story of winter coats has been told, and it is interesting and excellent. The styles show much uniformity, with two predominating types, the straight line and the bloused models, finding about equal numbers of admirers. More or less lustrous pile fabrics, in quiet colors, showing much similarity in texture, are universally used for them.

There is no reason for reviewing them now except that, at this time of

peek at the styles already launched for spring is enlightening.

There are a great many fabrics available for children, but those most extensively used for dressy clothes are flat crepes, crepe de chine, taffeta and printed silks. For everyday wear, ginghams, Peter Pan cloth, cotton and wool crepes, find themselves in the company of heavy Irish linen.

One of the outstanding few



TWO MODELS THAT OFFER SAFE INVESTMENT

the year coats may be bought to advantage; for merchants will shave the price in order to close them out. As there are no indications of radical changes in the styles it is good business to buy good garments of conservative designs while the prices are at their lowest, and have them ready for next winter.

Two models that are types that will prove a safe investment are shown in the illustration, one of them a straight-line model and the other a bloused coat. The straight-line affair trimmed with black caracul fur in bandings across the bottom, at the front and back. These, with long sequences of handsome buttons, define panels at

tures of the spring styles appears in the combination of two fabrics and two colors in dresses, and applique trimmings providing strong color contrasts, are already established in the styles. Once again ginghams and organdies will bear each other company, and gay little organdie frocks, with bright, contrasting stitchery, as ornamentation, will make flowerlike dresses for little ones. The most extreme color contrasts are found among the linen frocks, as tangerine and white, bright yellow and lavender green.

For the printed silks, lace and ribbon are used as trimmings, the lace in inserts and the ribbon in wheels or festoons. Quite a lot of atten-



TWO FROCKS IN PLAIN FABRICS

each side. Three large buttons provide the front fastening and caracul collar and cuffs contribute a rich finish that will outlast several seasons' wear.

The bloused coat at the right is in taupe gray, embroidered in self color, with heavy silk floss. A taupe fox collar and a rich ornament for fastening are important style features.

"In silk attire my lady goes," and so do all the feminine members of her family down to the little three-year-olds—when they are much dressed up. Now that the time of year has come when winter weather makes indoors attractive and the children's sewing is under way, a

lion is given to sleeves, which are sometimes slashed, and berthas of lace, or edged with lace, indicate that designers gather what they can from the "mode for grown-ups and adapt the new styles to little ones.

In the two frocks illustrated plain fabrics are very simply designed and brightened by needlework in gay, colored floss. These models might be developed in heavy cotton or linen, or in washable silk.

Julie Bottomley  
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Nature never explains. Some of her performances are past that.

### Motor Cars in Belfast.

The 10,000 cars in the city of Belfast show that there are more cars in this city than in any other in the United Kingdom of the same size and commercial importance. Within the past nine months, 1,246 motor vehicles have been registered. The wholesale price of petrol is, however, higher than in some parts of the United Kingdom Vice Consul George H. Barringer reports to the Department of Commerce.

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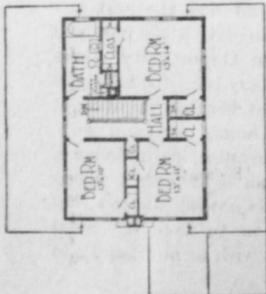
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Second Floor Plan.

ains but six rooms. The dimensions of the building exclusive of the porches are 34 feet 6 inches, by 24 feet 6 inches. Downstairs there are three rooms and a sun porch; upstairs there are three bedrooms and a bathroom.

As will be seen by the plans this home has the balance of the Colonial design both in its exterior appearance and interior arrangement. The windows are balanced on the outside. Inside a central entrance hall divides the rooms.

Practically one-half of the house on

there are hundreds of good home building designs of different exterior appearances from which to choose. In this matter of selecting a home design, the local architect, building contractor and material dealer are experts who are ready to help the home builder. They are experts in the building business and their advice is well worth seeking. Generally speaking, it costs nothing, but in many cases they have been able to save the owner money, and to make suggestions that get him a better home than though he depended on his own judgment.

### Peculiar "Pipe Organ."

A giant "pipe organ," with a strange medley of notes, is formed by the long barbed wire fence that guards the 1,000-foot bluff at the summit of Stone mountain, near Atlanta, Ga., says Popular Mechanics Magazine. The hollow iron posts supporting the wires of the fence have in them slits of about half an inch on the side facing the bluff. These form a series of whistles when struck by the wind. And as the slits are at varying heights and every shift of the wind includes a new group of posts, a weird, everchanging sound is produced. The fence was ordered built after several persons had fallen to the rocks, nearly 1,000 feet below. On the side of the bluff, Gutzon Borglum, the American sculptor, is now engaged in cutting a mammoth memorial to the southern Confederacy.

### Beaver and the Deer.

E. H. Jones of Stratton, a well-known guide of that section, offers a solution as to the reason for the scarcity of deer in places where they have been numerous before. A large part of it he attributes to the work of that busy little animal the beaver. The beaver, he says, builds a dam across a brook that flows through a swamp. This overflows the swamp, kills the evergreens and drives the deer from his winter home.—Portland Press-Herald.

## Don't Get C-O-U-E d

*Autosuggestion is the crystallization of thought from the subconscious mind; food thought for the pschyco-optimist.*

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## Hedley School Notes

### SENIOR NOTES

The Seniors have all had very bad colds, and perhaps you would smile if the reason were told:

They all took a foot-wash last week one day, and since then they have suffered severely, they say.

So much sickness abounds this week that in cheerful tones we dare not speak; We're in good health now, and good spirits too,

But at just any time we may take the flu.

James Hays flew from school one day and, in fact, he's still away, He flew from school to fix the flu, And now we hear he has the flu.

In Civics class, one day last week, Miss Cannedy just chanced to speak of Lincoln's life and knowledge rare, Then boldly Alva did declare:

"Yes, Abraham was quite a throttle, Why he caught lightning in a bottle, Then electricity he invented

Which for us much work has prevented."

Then when his idea was corrected

His knowledge was by all respected

Even if his stump speech was quite wrong

It proved his mem'ry of history long.

We will just add one more word, then--

Please don't get Abe mixed up with Ben.

### JUNIOR JOTS

We are pow'ful glad to wel come Hixy back in school.

Alma Adamson, Alice Grimsley, Annie Brown and Ernest Johnson are flying, or 'have flu'

When it rains it pours, they say We b'lieve it, too. Here in

this one week we have suffered

Geometry ex.m. Cicero theme, and--

"Compensation." Now, you can remember this: We

were not so particular about the

compensation.

J--is for jots you read,

U--is for unity we need,

N--is for noise we make,

I--is for ice we break,

O--is for oil we burn,

R--is for "rot" we learn,

S--is for something good we're doing.

All are for the best class going.

(Here's hoping the Junior Reporter recovers from the flu immediately.--Supply)

### SOPH SPECIALS

The following people have re turned to school after a few days

ick leave: Ora Curtis, Leland Pickett, Beulah Kirkpatrick and

Leon Reeves

Sarah Hays, Nita Culwell and

Jewell Mobley are compelled to

miss school on account of the flu

Ray Moreman and Ansil Adamson

failed to report at school

Monday and Tuesday.

A letter was received from

L. Alie Clifton last week thanking

the Class for the flowers sent

him. We trust Pete will soon be

with us again.

A Soph jist will!

Bill Mobley did at least one

good deed while in Canyon: He

found a pretty girl's fountain

pen. On returning it he was

offered, as a reward, a "yankce

dime" Now we all knew that

there is something wrong with

Bill, for he would not accept the

reward

been with mamma's new bag?"

"Ina," said Lulu, "first can't we

hear something about your visit?

How is--"

Her eyes consulted Dwight. His

features dropped, the lines of his face

dropped, its muscles seemed to sag

A look of suffering was in his eyes.

"She'll never be any better," he

said. "I know we've said good-by to

her for the last time."

"Oh, Dwight!" said Lulu.

"She knew it, too," he said. "It--

it put me out of business, I can tell

you. She gave me my start--she took

all the care of me--taught me to

read--she's the only mother I ever

knew--" He stopped, and opened his

eyes wide on account of their dimness.

But eventually they were back

again before that new black bag. And

Di would say nothing. She laughed,

squirmed, grew irritable, laughed

again.

### FRESH "KNUZ"

Miss Trapp has been moving some of the pupils this week, and Hazel thinks she's got the best of it. Wonder why?

Ruby Mosley, who has been attending school in Lela Lake, has enrolled in the eighth grade here.

Porter Pierce was seen trying to get prunes from a peach tree, as Mr. Biggers had just been talking about pruning peach trees.

Mollie Clifton has been out of school for several days.

Some other pupils who have been absent because of sickness are: John Cooper, Willis Pickard, Gwyneth Everett and Alice Bishop

The "flu cough" is very bad when Miss Cannedy is having her Latin class. But when she made the remark, "All who can't listen to the lesson without coughing shall have their lesson after 8:30," the coughing soon ceased.

### P. T. A.

A very interesting meeting of the Parent Teachers Association was held Feb 3rd. A lively business session was preceded by a unique program rendered by the Cicero class, under direction of Miss Cannedy, Latin teacher. The following numbers were given:

Latin Song--Class.

Cicero's Oration-- Gertrude Noel.

Debate concerning the Merits of Cicero and Cautline Affirmative: Gladys Cloninger, Gertrude Noel, Vera Brinson. Negative: Alma Adamson, Jessie Lee Pool, Cecile Cloninger.

Song, Latin Interpretation of "Long, Long Trail"--Class.

These Romans were dressed in navy togas with the stripe trimming characteristic of rank of the senators. Their program was certainly enjoyed.

Then, following the business session, delicious refreshments of sandwiches and coffee were served by the social committee.

By the time this article goes to press, the Association will have held another meeting. Here is hoping you will have attended.

If you are not a member, be prepared to join when the membership committee calls on you.

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Their lovely home was beautified with cut flowers, and Valentine suggestions were used in decorations. The table was very attractive with a basket of red carnations in the center, surrounded by kewpies holding hearts with letters spelling the names of the honorees.

In "Forty Two," Miss Alma Anderson and Murray Wolfe won high score.

Those present included: Mrs. Justice, Misses Blanche Temple, Myrtle Reeves, Mary Harris, Imogene Moreman, Alma Anderson; Messrs. Murray Wolfe, Clarence Clifton and Herman Kirkpatrick.

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### ROTAN ARTISTS INVITED TO GIVE RADIO PROGRAM

A number of musical artists of Rotan have been invited to give a radio program from the Stamford broadcasting station, and were to have filled this engagement last Wednesday night, but asked that the date be set up farther ahead on account of so much sickness and the very disagreeable weather we are having.

Rotan musicians can furnish a very excellent program, both with instrumental and vocal music, and we are sure those over the United States who "listen in" to the Rotan program when it is rendered will enjoy the treat. Rotan is becoming rather well known as a musical town, and in addition to having a large number of musicians, Rotan can boast of some very accomplished performers and composers.

Mrs. E. R. Dy and Mrs. Edward Harris, each of whom was to appear on the radio program, have had pleasing success as composers--Rotan Advance.

The Mrs. Edward Harris referred to in the above article is a former popular Hedley girl, Miss Ina Reeves, daughter of Mayor and Mrs. W. E. Reeves.

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### LETTER FROM WALKER

#### CHAPMAN IN CALIFORNIA

Santa Anna, Calif., Feb. 5th, 1923.

Dear Home Folks:

I am feeling fine and hope you all are, too. Am having some of the most wonderful times of my life. I will tell you of my trip to Long Beach. Alton and Lena went with me. We had to go thru Seal Beach; it's just a small town, and the ocean water backs right up through the middle of the town. Here we saw thousands of seals--sure enough seals, wild ones, too. They come out on the beach to sun, and you can get pretty close to them; and believe me, it isn't like going to a show and seeing them in cages. The road runs along by the ocean. We passed several of the movie stars' homes. Fatty Arbuckle has about the swellest home.

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In crossing the lobby in the hotel at Savannah, Georgia, Lulu's most pressing problem had been to know where to look. But now the lobbies in the Hess house lobby did not exist. In time she found the door of the intensely rose-colored reception room.

Lulu entered. She had no idea what to say. When Di looked up, started up, frowned. Lulu felt as if she herself were the culprit. She said the first thing that occurred to her:

"I don't believe mamma'll like your taking her nice satchel."

"Well," said Di, exactly as if she had been at home. And superadded: "My goodness!" And then cried rudely: "What are you here for?"

"For you," said Lulu. "You—you ought not to be here, Di."

"What's that to you?" Di cried.

"Why, Di, you're just a little girl—"

Lulu saw that this was all wrong, and stopped miserably. How was she to go on? "Di," she said, "if you and Bobby want to get married, why not let us get you up a nice wedding at home?" And she saw that this sounded as if she were talking about a tea-party.

"Who said we wanted to be married?"

"Well, he's here."

"Who said he's here?"

"Isn't he?"

Di sprang up. "Aunt Lulu," she said, "you're a funny person to be telling me what to do."

Lulu said, flushing: "I love you just the same as if I was married happy. In a home."

"Well, you aren't!" cried Di cruelly, "and I'm going to do just as I think best."

Lulu thought this over, her look grave and sad. She tried to find something to say. "What do people say to people," she wondered, "when it's like this?"

"Getting married is for your whole life," was all that came to her.

"Yours wasn't," Di flashed at her.

Lulu's color deepened, but there seemed to be no resentment in her. She must deal with this right—that was what her manner seemed to say. And how should she deal?

"Di," she cried, "come back with me—and wait till mamma and papa get home."

"That's likely. They say I'm not to be married till I'm twenty-one."

"Well, but how young that is!"

"It is to you."

"Di! This is wrong—it is wrong."

"There's nothing wrong about getting married—if you stay married."

"Well, then it can't be wrong to let them know."

"It isn't. But they'd treat me wrong. They'd make me stay at home. And I won't stay at home—I won't stay there. They act as if I was ten years old."

Abruptly in Lulu's face there came a light of understanding.

"Why, Di," she said, "do you feel that way, too?"

Di missed this. She went on: "I'm grown up. I feel just as grown up as they do. And I'm not allowed to do a thing I feel. I want to be away—I will be away!"

"I know about that part," Lulu said. She now looked at Di with attention.

Was it possible that Di was suffering in the air of that home as she herself suffered? She had not thought of that. There Di had seemed so young, so dependent, so—squirm. Here, by herself, waiting for Bobby, in the Hess house at Milton, she was seriously adult. Would she be adult if she were let alone?

"You don't know what it's like," Di cried, "to be hushed up and laughed at and paid no attention to everything you say."

"Don't!" said Lulu. "Don't!"

She was breathing quickly and looking at Di. If this was why Di was leaving home, . . .

"But, Di," she cried, "do you love Bobby Larkin?"

By this Di was embarrassed. "I've got to marry somebody," she said, "and it might as well be him."

"But is it him?"

"Yes, it is," said Di. "But," she added, "I know I could love almost anybody real nice that was nice to me. And this she said, not in her own right, but either she had picked it up somewhere and adopted it, or else the terrible modernity and honesty of her day somehow spoke through her, for its own. But to Lulu it was as if something familiar turned its face to be recognized.

"Di!" she cried.

"It's true. You ought to know that." She waited for a moment.

"You do it," she added. "Mamma said so."

At this onslaught Lulu was stupefied. For she began to perceive its truth.

"I know what I want to do. I guess," Di muttered, as if to try to cover what she had said.

Up to that moment, Lulu had been feeling intensely that she understood Di, but that Di did not know this. Now Lulu felt that she and Di actually shared some unsuspected sisterhood. It was not only that they were both badged by Dwight. It was more than that. They were two women. And she must make Di know that she understood her.

"Di," Lulu said, breathing hard, "what you just said is true, I guess. Don't you think I don't know. And now I'm going to tell you—"

She might have poured it all out, claimed her kinship with Di by virtue

of that which had happened in Savannah, Georgia. But Di said: "Here come some ladies. And goodness, look at the way you look!"

Lulu glanced down. "I know," she said, "but I guess you'll have to put up with me."

The two women entered, looked about with the complaisance of those who examine a hotel property, find criticism incumbent, and have no errand. These two women had out-dressed their occasion. In their presence Di kept silence, turned away her head, gave them to know that she had nothing to do with this blue cotton person beside her. When they had gone on, "What do you mean by my having to put up with you?" Di asked sharply.

"I mean I'm going to stay with you."

Di laughed scornfully—she was again the rebellious child. "I guess Bobby'll have something to say about that," she said insolently.

"They left you in my charge."

"But I'm not a baby—the idea, Aunt Lulu."

"I'm going to stay right with you," said Lulu. She wondered what she should do if Di suddenly marched away from her, through that bright lobby and into the street. She thought miserably that she must follow. And then her whole concern for the ethics of Di's course was lost in her agonized memory of her terrible, broken shoes.

Di did not march away. She turned her back squarely upon Lulu, and looked out of the window. For her

She Turned Her Back Squarely Upon Lulu and Looked Out of the Window.

life Lulu could think of nothing more to say. She was now feeling miserably on the defensive.

They were sitting in silence when Bobby Larkin came into the room.

Di flew to meet him. She assumed all the pretty agitations of her role, ignored Lulu.

"Bobby! Is it all right?"

Bobby looked over her head.

"Miss Lulu," he said fatuously. "If it ain't Miss Lulu."

He looked from her to Di, and did not take in Di's resigned shrug.

"Bobby," said Di, "she's come to stop us getting married, but she can't. I've told her so."

"She don't have to stop us," quoth Bobby gloomily, "we're stopped."

"What do you mean?" Di laid one hand flatly along her cheek, instinctive in her melodrama.

Bobby drew down his brows, set his hand on his leg, elbows out.

"We're minors," said he.

"Well, gracious, you didn't have to tell them that."

"No. They knew I was."

"But, silly! Why didn't you tell them you're not?"

"But I am."

Di stared. "For pity sakes," she said, "don't you know how to do anything?"

"What would you have me do?" he inquired indignantly, with his head held very stiff, and with a boyish, admirable lift of chin.

"Why tell them we're both twenty-one. We look it. We know we're responsible—that's all they care for. Well, you are a funny . . ."

"You wanted me to lie?" he said.

"Oh, don't make out you never told 'em."

"Well, but this—" he stared at her. "I never heard of such a thing," Di cried accusingly.

"Anyhow," he said, "there's nothing to do now. The cat's out. I've told our ages. We've got to have our folks in on it."

"Is that all you can think of?" she demanded.

"What else?"

"Why, come on to Bainbridge or Holt, and tell them we're of age, and be married there."

"Di," said Bobby, "why, that'd be a rotten go."

Di said, oh, very well, if he didn't want to marry her. He replied stonily that of course he wanted to marry her. Di stuck out her little hand,

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She was at a disadvantage. She could use no arts, with Lulu sitting there, looking on. "Well, then, come on to Bainbridge," Di cried, and rose.

Lulu was thinking: "What shall I say? I don't know what to say. I don't know what I can say." Now she also rose, and laughed awkwardly.

"I've told Di," she said to Bobby, "that wherever you two go, I'm going too. Di's folks left her in my care, you know. So you'll have to take me along, I guess." She spoke in a manner of distinct apology.

At this Bobby had no idea what to reply. He looked down miserably at the carpet. His whole manner was a mute testimony to his participation in the eternal query: How did I get into it?

"Bobby," said Di, "are you going to let her lead you home?"

This of course nettled him, but not in the manner on which Di had counted. He said loudly:

"I'm not going to Bainbridge or Holt or any town and lie, to get you or any other girl."

"Come on, Aunt Lulu," said Di grandly.

Bobby led the way through the lobby. Di followed, and Lulu brought up the rear. She walked awkwardly, eyes down, her hands stiffly held. Heads turned to look at her. They passed into the street.

"You two go ahead," said Lulu, "so they won't think—"

They did so, and she followed, and did not know where to look, and thought of her broken shoes.

At the station, Bobby put them on the train and stepped back. He had, he said, something to see to there in Milton. Di did not look at him. And Lulu's good-by spoke her genuine regret for all.

"Aunt Lulu," said Di, "you needn't think I'm going to sit with you. You look as if you were crazy. I'll sit back here."

"All right, Di," said Lulu humbly.

It was nearly six o'clock when they arrived at the Deacons'. Mrs. Bett stood on the porch, her hands rolled in her apron.

"Surprise for you!" she called brightly.

Before they had reached the door, Ina bounded from the hall.

"Darling!"

She seized upon Di, kissed her loudly, drew back from her, saw the traveling bag.

"My new bag!" she cried. "Di! What have you got that for?"

In any embarrassment Di's instinctive defense was hearty laughter. She now laughed heartily, kissed her mother again, and ran up the stairs.

Lulu slipped by her sister, and into the kitchen.

Dwight had come home. Lulu could hear Ina pouring out to him the mysterious circumstance of the bag, could hear the exaggerated air of the casual with which he always received the excitement of another, and especially of his Ina. Then she heard Ina's feet padding up the stairs, and after that Di's shrill, nervous laughter. Lulu felt a pang of pity for Di, as if she herself were about to face them.

There was not time both to prepare supper and to change the blue cotton dress. In that dress Lulu was pouring water when Dwight entered the dining room.

"Ah!" said he. "Our festive ball gown."

She gave him her hand, with her peculiar sweetness of expression—almost as if she were sorry for him or were bidding him good-by.

"That shows who you dress for!" he cried. "You dress for me, Ina, aren't you jealous? Lulu dresses for me!"

Ina had come in with Di, and both were excited, and Ina's head was moving stiffly, as in all her indignations. Mrs. Bett had thought better of it and had given her presence. Already Monona was singing.

But no one noticed Monona, and Ina did not defer even to Dwight. She, who measured delicate, trout occasions by avoidpous, said brightly:

"No, Di. You must tell us all about it. Where had you and Aunt Lulu been with mamma's new bag?"

"Ina," said Lulu, "first can't we bear something about your visit? How is—"

Her eyes consulted Dwight. His features dropped, the lines of his face dropped, his muscles seemed to sag. A look of suffering was in his eyes.

"She'll never be any better," he said. "I know we've said good-by to her for the last time."

"Oh, Dwight!" said Lulu.

"She knew it, too," he said. "It—it put me out of business, I can tell you. She gave me my start—she took all the care of me—taught me to read—she's the only mother I ever knew—"

He stopped, and opened his eyes wide on account of their dimness.

But eventually they were back again before that new black bag. And Di would say nothing. She laughed, squirmed, grew irritable, laughed again.

"Put an end to this, Lulu," he commanded. "Where were you two—since you make such a mystery?"

Di's look at Lulu was piteous, terrified. Di's fear of her father was now clear to Lulu. And Lulu feared him, too. Abruptly she heard herself temporizing, for the moment making common cause with Di.

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TUBERCULOSIS TEST TABLETS

Perfection of an Apparatus is Considered Big Aid in Campaign for Eradication.

Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.

The United States Department of Agriculture announces the perfection of an apparatus through the use of which tablets to be used in the ophthalmic test for tuberculosis in cattle may be manufactured in sufficient quantities to supply the demand.

The material used in making these tablets takes up moisture from the air so readily that unless atmospheric conditions are ideal it is impossible to shape the material into tablets. In practice it was found possible to manufacture them during only about thirty days in the year, until the new apparatus was devised.

The ophthalmic test, while not official, has become very important in the fight against tuberculosis in cattle, and several million tablets are now needed annually to supply the demand.

Under the former system of making them only when the humidity and temperature of the air permitted, it was impossible to keep up with the demand.

The apparatus, which was designed in the bureau of animal industry, consists of a specially constructed, closed chamber in which air is cooled and dried by having the moisture frozen out of it by circulating over brine coils. The air then passes over electric heating coils, which raise it to the proper temperature, without changing the moisture content. This air is then supplied to a working box, where the tablets are to be made.

This box is arranged to admit the hands of the operator without opening

it to the outside air, the temperature being regulated by means of a thermostat.

The new device enables the department to make test tablets in sufficient numbers at any time of the year, regardless of atmospheric conditions, and is an aid in the nationwide campaign for the eradication of tuberculosis in cattle. This same means of regulating the relative humidity may be used in making other medicinal tablets than those used in the tuberculin tests.

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To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Donley County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of John Patton, deceased; the unknown heirs of Hamilton Patton, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mary Bennett, deceased; and the unknown heirs of Nancy Patton, deceased; Pierce Patton, Mary Fesler and husband James Fesler; Vina Fields and husband — Fields, and the unknown heirs of the said Pierce Patton, Mary Fesler and Vina Fields and each of them, deceased, who are alleged to be non residents and the residences of said unknown heirs is unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Donley county, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof in the town of Clarendon, Donley county, Texas, on the 19th day of February, 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 17th day of January, A. D. 1923, in a suit numbered 378 on the docket of said Court, wherein Abbie Lee Patton is plaintiff and the unknown heirs of John Patton, deceased; the unknown heirs of Hamilton Patton deceased; the unknown heirs of Mary Bennett deceased; and the unknown heirs of Nancy Patton —, deceased, Pierce Patton, and his unknown heirs if he be deceased and have heirs; Mary Fesler and her unknown heirs if she be dead and have heirs, and Vina Fields, and her unknown heirs if she be deceased and have heirs, and the said Pierce Patton, Mary Fesler, and Vina Fields, are defendants, the cause of action being alleged as follows: That Abbie H Patton is dead; that she died in Donley county, Texas, on or about January 11th, 1923, intestate with out having made any will, leaving as her heir and her only heir the plaintiff in this cause, and at the time of her death the said Abbie H. Patton was lawfully seized and possessed of the following property: all Lots 17 to 20, both inclusive, in Block 44 of the town of Clarendon, Donley county, Texas, and some money on deposit in her name in the Donley County State Bank, Clarendon, Texas, and further alleging that plaintiff does not know whether any of the defendants be living or dead except those alleged to be dead, and does not know whether any of those dead left heirs, nor the names or residences of such heirs if there be heirs, and further alleging that defendants named, John Patton, Pierce Patton, Hamilton Patton, Mary Bennett, Vina Fields, Mary Fesler, and Nancy Patton —, were the children and only children of David Patton deceased, who died in the state of Illinois in the year 1874, and his first wife; that plaintiff's mother, Abbie H. Patton, was the second wife of said David Patton, deceased, and that plaintiff was the only child of said second marriage, and that the property herein described was the separate property and estate of the said Abbie H. Patton deceased, acquired by her with her separate funds and estate, and declaring that plaintiff is her only heir, and entitled to all said estate, and praying for judgment so declaring. And you will summon said defendants by making publication of this citation for four consecutive weeks in some newspaper published in your county.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand at my office in Clarendon, Texas, this 30th day of January, A. D. 1923.

Leon O. Lewis,  
Justice of the Peace  
of Precinct No 2  
Donley County, Texas

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Donley County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon K. E. Bain, Hugh Bain and K. Bain, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice's Court for Precinct No 2 Donley County, Texas, to be held at my office in the city of Clarendon, Donley county, Texas, on the 4th Monday in February, A. D. 1923, the same being the 26th day of February, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No 1208, wherein M. T. Howard is plaintiff and K. E. Bain, Hugh Bain and K. Bain are defendants; the nature of plaintiff's demand being as follows:

Suit upon one certain promissory note, dated at Clarendon, Texas, August 7th, A. D. 1919, in the principal sum of \$158.88, bearing ten per cent interest per annum from date till paid; payable to M. T. Howard; waiving demand of payment, notice of non payment, protest, and notice of protest, and consenting that time of payment may be extended from time to time without notice thereof; also providing for ten per cent attorneys fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection; signed by K. E. Bain as principal and maker, and by Hugh Bain and K. Bain, as sureties thereof.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand at my office in Clarendon, Texas, this 30th day of January, A. D. 1923.

Leon O. Lewis,  
Justice of the Peace  
of Precinct No 2  
Donley County, Texas

### LEGAL NOTICE

The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Donley County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to make publication of this notice by publishing the same in some newspaper published in said county once each week for three successive weeks previous to the third Monday in February, 1923, same being the 19th day of February, 1923, the return day thereof.

State of Texas. No 138

To All Persons Interested in the  
Minors, Lela, Cecil, and Chester Melton:

Mrs. Serena M. Andis, guardian of the estate of said minors, Lela, Cecil, and Chester Melton, has filed in the County Court of Donley county, Texas, her final report of the estate of said minors together with her application to be discharged as guardian of said minors, and which will be heard by our said County Court on the third Monday in February, A. D. 1923, the same being the 19th day of February, A. D. 1923, at the court house of said county in Clarendon, at which time all persons interested in the said named minors may appear and contest said final account, should they desire to do so, at which time testimony will be received in behalf of the guardian as to matters pertaining to the estate.

Witness Lottie E. Lane, Clerk

County Court, Donley County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Clarendon, Donley county, Texas, this January 17, A. D. 1923.

Lottie E. Lane,  
Clerk County Court  
Donley County, Texas  
By Chas. Dean Jr., Deputy.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Donley County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to make publication of this notice by publishing the same in some newspaper published in said county once each week for three successive weeks, previous to the third Monday in February, 1923, same being the 19th day of February, 1923, the return day thereof.

State of Texas. No 177

To All Persons Interested in the  
Minors, Olaf, Charles M., and James Anderson:

G. A. Anderson, guardian of the estate of said minors, Olaf, Charles M., and James Anderson, has filed in the County Court of Donley county, Texas, his final report of the estate of said minors, together with his application to be discharged as guardian of said minors, and which will be heard by our said County Court on the third Monday in February, A. D. 1923, the same being the 19th day of February, A. D. 1923, at the court house of said county in Clarendon, at which time all persons interested in the said named minors may appear and contest said final account, should they desire to do so, at which time testimony will be received in behalf of the guardian as to matters pertaining to the estate.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness Lottie E. Lane, Clerk of the County Court of Donley county, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of office in Clarendon, Texas, this 30th day of January, A. D. 1923.

Lottie E. Lane,  
Clerk County Court,  
Donley County, Texas

### CONSTABLE'S SALE

Jec P. Devine vs. Victor Swanson No 72.

In Justice Court, Precinct No 3, Donley County, Texas.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale to me directed in the above entitled cause, from the Justice's Court in and for Precinct No 3, Donley county in the State of Texas, dated the 18th day of February, A. D. 1923, and numbered 72 I have levied upon and will sell for cash, with out appraisal, at public vendue to the highest bidder, on the 27th day of February, A. D. 1923, at Hedley, Texas, in the county of Donley, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o. m. the following described property, to wit: Four office chairs; seven dining chairs; one cook stove; one dining table; two cook tables; one typewriter desk; one Woodstock typewriter; one office desk; one steel filing cabinet; one typewriter chair; all dishes and cooking utensils.

Said property being levied upon as the property of Victor Swanson to satisfy said execution and order of sale issued out of said court in favor of Jec P. Devine and against Victor Swanson for the sum of thirty (\$30.00) dollars.

This the 16th day of February, A. D. 1923.

W. E. Whitfield,  
Constable Precinct No 3,  
Donley County, Texas.

swanson to satisfy said execution and order of sale issued out of said court in favor of Jec P. Devine and against Victor Swanson for the sum of thirty (\$30.00) dollars.

This the 16th day of February, A. D. 1923.

W. E. Whitfield,  
Constable Precinct No 3,  
Donley County, Texas.

### BRAY ITEMS

Again Sunday afternoon Sunday School was attended by a small crowd. The weather being so cold, and there being so much sickness in the community, kept many from attending.

With a broad smiling face and merry twinkling eyes, Mr. Reeves came to school last Monday. His week end visit in Clarendon and with home folks in Jericho prompted the good feeling which he expressed to his room.

A number went to a surprise party to the Frost home Friday night. Each one of the party reports 'a jolly good time.'

Correspondent

### BAKERY AND RESTAURANT

Fresh Bread and an abundance of Good Things to Eat at all times. Cold Drinks and Confections. Come to see us.

W. A. Armstrong

Subscribe for The Informer

### IS YOUR CHILD

### EQUIPPED?

Five million school children in this country—a fourth of all the children in all the schools—are not equipped for the work. And what they lack is the most vital weapon of all—GOOD EYE SIGHT. They are given splendid school houses, a full equipment of school books, and yet neither parent nor teacher realizes that many of these children are fighting with the broken sword of Faulty Vision.

Headaches, Nervousness, Listlessness, these proclaim the sapping of energy that is probably due to uncorrected Eyesight. Difficulty in keeping up with school work is a suggestive symptom. The child who buries his head in his books, the child who squints, cannot learn his lessons properly and is thus not fully armed for the competition of later life.

### THE DUTY IS YOURS

### AND NOT THE CHILD'S

These handicapped children have never looked through any eyes but their own, and assume that all children see exactly as they do. Naturally, they have not complained about their eyes, and their parents accordingly never dream that their eyes are not normal.

Your child's chances in life may depend upon your taking action now in this matter of Eyesight. The Wells Worth Scientific Staff, through many years of research work, has contributed much toward better vision for the school children of America. GET THE FACTS ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S EYES.

### V. R. JONES

### REGISTERED OPTOMETRIST

Office: Masonic Bldg.  
MEMPHIS, TEXAS

for appointment Phone 452

We measure for the Frames; test and measure for the Lenses of each individual, and Glasses made accordingly are as individually theirs as their thumb print.

### AT THE HEDLEY DRUG STORE

FEBRUARY 19 and 20

Mrs. Martha Jefferson



**How's Your Appetite? Are You Nervous? Sleepless?**

Brushyknob, Mo.—"Two years ago I was in poor health and was not able to do all my work; I had a dull headache all the time. I also had a hurting in my back and one of my limbs would take spells of hurting and would feel numb. I could not sleep good at night, did not eat much, and my nerves were in bad shape. I told my husband I could not go much longer, so we decided to write to Dr. Pierce, Pres. of Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y. He said for me to take the 'Favorite Prescription' and the 'Golden Medical Discovery' also some 'Pleasant Pellets' (all of which I got at the drug store) and I soon began to get better. All the disagreeable symptoms left me and I felt like a different woman."—Mrs. Martha Jefferson, Box 4.  
Write Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for free confidential medical advice.

**Mummy Understood.**  
"Mummy, why do gentlemen take spewriters to the theater?" asked Sammy, gazing at his father's machine.

"They don't, darling. Whoever put such an idea into your head?"

"Father told Mr. Brown he was taking his to see 'Decameron Nights' to-night."—London Tit-Bits.

**The Perfect Lady.**  
"What are you?" a woman was asked in an English court.  
Witness—I am a perfect lady.

**Loosen Up That Cold With Musterole**

Have Musterole handy when a cold starts. It has all the advantages of grandmother's mustard plaster WITHOUT the blister. You just apply it with the fingers. First you feel a warm tingle as the healing ointment penetrates the pores, then comes a soothing, cooling sensation and quick relief.

Made of pure oil of mustard and other simple ingredients, Musterole is recommended by many nurses and doctors. Try Musterole for bronchitis, sore throat, stiff neck, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, croup, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pains and aches of the back or joints, sore muscles, sprains, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest. It may prevent pneumonia and "flu." 35c and 65c, jars and tubes.

Better than a mustard plaster



**St. Joseph's LIVER REGULATOR**  
Large Can 25¢

**Itching PILES**

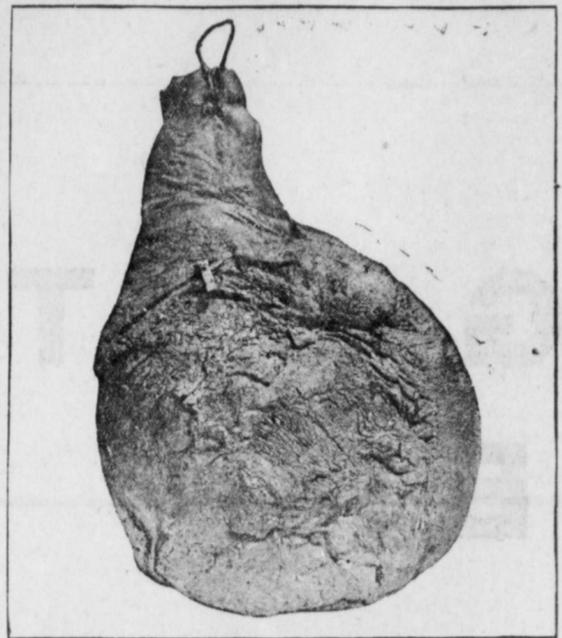
PAZO OINTMENT instantly Relieves ITCHING PILES and you can get restful sleep after the first application.  
All druggists are authorized to refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of ITCHING, BLIND, BLEEDING or PROTRUDING PILES. Cures ordinary cases in 6 days, the worst cases in 14 days. 60c.

**Cuticura Soap**  
SHAVES Without Mug  
Cuticura Soap is the favorite for safety razor shaving.

**Tutt's Pills**  
SPEEDY RELIEF FOR CONSTIPATION

**DORSEY**  
OFFICE FURNITURE STATIONERS Lithographers, Printers Account Books DALLAS

**DIRECTIONS FOR COOKING OLD HAM**



A Ham Should Be Thoroughly Cooked Before It is Eaten.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The United States Department of Agriculture gives the following directions for cooking an old ham, as for example, one that has been home-cured and perhaps hung for a year or two before using.

Soak the ham several hours, thoroughly remove all mold and loose pieces, and rinse well. Cover with cold water, add two tablespoonfuls of vinegar, one-half cupful brown sugar, four cloves and one bay leaf, and heat to boiling. The amount of cloves and bay leaf may be increased if desired for larger hams. Reduce the heat to a constant simmer and allow the ham

to cook at this temperature at the rate of from 20 to 30 minutes for each pound in weight. Remove from the fire, but keep the ham in the liquor in which it was cooked until cold, then remove from the container and allow to drain.

Take off the skin, score the fat in inch blocks, and cover with a coating of brown sugar and crumbs. Stick with cloves one inch apart.

Bake in a slow oven until nicely browned, basting at intervals with one-half cupful of water and one tablespoonful of vinegar. A ham should always be thoroughly cooked before it is eaten.

**MANY HOUSEKEEPERS SAVE IN USING SOAP**

**Naphtha Helps to Loosen Dirt in Various Garments.**

**Solutions Will Keep Indefinitely if Covered to Prevent Evaporation—Chipped or Flaked Pieces Are Convenient.**

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

If the supply of hot water is limited, naphtha soap may be used to good advantage with cold or lukewarm water, for the naphtha helps loosen the dirt in the clothes.

It is not economy to use a poorly made soap, which may contain free grease or an excess of lye, or both. This is sometimes the case with home-made soaps, but need not be so if good directions (for example, those that come with the commercial lye in tin cans) are carefully followed. Making a soap at home may not be good economy where the fat can be sold for use in a soap factory, the United States Department of Agriculture believes, but it may be a thrifty practice where the fat would otherwise be thrown away.

Dirt is removed more quickly and with less danger to silk, wool and all colored and delicate fabrics if the soap is well dissolved in the water, rather than rubbed on. Many housekeepers use a solution or jelly made by heating one pound of soap in five gallons of water, and add enough of this to the water to make suds. A more economical solution, to be used only for white cottons and linens, is made with one-half pound of soap and one-quarter pound of soda to five gallons of water. Soap solutions keep indefinitely, if covered to prevent evaporation. Chipped or flaked soaps dissolve easily in hot water without special heating and are convenient for use in the boiler, the washing machine or for occasional fine laundering. They can be bought economically in barrel lots from laundry-supply houses or manufacturers, and some are retailed in small packages. Cake soap can be rubbed into chips on a household grater; or, if dry, put through a food chopper.

Dye soaps are supposed to clean and dye at the same time. It is safer, however, before using the dye soap, to wash the garment clean with white soap and water. The best results come from dipping a garment in a generous quantity of water to which the tint has been added. The color is always fainter after drying than while the garment is wet. The tinting is usually not permanent and the process should be repeated with each laundering.

**PEANUT MEAL QUITE USEFUL**

Mixed With Starchy Flours It Makes Very Palatable Cakes, Gums and Hot Breads.

When the blanched kernels of peanuts from which the shells have been removed are used in making oil, the press cake can be ground into meal and used with wheat, corn and similar starchy flours to make very palatable and nutritious cakes, gums and hot breads, says the United States Department of Agriculture.

**Profit in Easter Lilies.**

A Mississippi farm woman told at a recent short course at the Agricultural and Mechanical college of Mississippi how she had made \$150 this year from a single Easter lily given to her nine years ago. With the help and advice of the county extension agent that lily was planted and grown out of doors until, according to reports received by the United States Department of Agriculture, a regular business has been built up, with a steady demand for the lilies.

**KEEP WATER VESSELS CLEAN**

Coolers Should Be of Such Material as Porcelain or Enamelled Ware—Scald Often.

The greatest care is required to keep household water vessels clean and in good condition. Water coolers should be of some material, such as porcelain or enameled ware, which is easily kept clean. They should be scalded at frequent intervals. The ice, if it comes in contact with the water, should be of known quality. Doubtful ice should be kept from contact with the water. Many families cool drinking water by putting it in the ice box in glass fruit jars or bottles.

Where it is believed or known that the water supply is not pure, a filter should be used. If a filter is used, every precaution should be taken to keep it clean and in good condition. United States Department of Agriculture specialists suggest. An earthenware filter may be cleaned by thorough scrubbing with a brush. Then it should be placed in a pan or kettle of water and boiled. A small piece of wood should be placed under the jar to prevent direct contact with the heated bottom of pan.

**All Around the House**

Save liquor from sweet pickle, and use in mince meat.

Red gooseberry jelly makes a good substitute for guava jelly.

Potatoes will be dry and floury if the salt is not added until they are nearly cooked.

To remove stains from marble apply a mixture of saleratus and whitening with a damp cloth.

To remove paint from any fabric, no matter how long it has stood, take equal parts of turpentine and ammonia.

If the bottom crust of the fruit tart is rubbed with the white of an egg it will prevent the juice from soaking into it.

When you find a small hole in your aluminum pan, hammer the outside of the pan directly over the hole. It will immediately close and make the pan ready for use again.

**IF SICK, BILIOUS! START YOUR LIVER**

Don't Take Calomel! "Dodson's Liver Tone" Acts Better and Doesn't Gripe, Salivate or Make You Sick—Don't Lose a Day's Work—Read Guarantee!

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

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

or stomach sour, just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone tonight.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick.

**10 Cents Gives Charming New Shade to Old Lingerie**  
**POTNAM FADELESS DYES—dyes or tints as you wish**

Millions strive for wealth, thousands for fame—and possibly a dozen to be good.

**Cuticura Soothes Itching Scalp.**  
On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make them your everyday toilet preparations and have a clear skin and soft, white hands.—Advertisement.

**ALL HE WANTED TO KNOW**

Merchant Evidently Believed in the Saying, "It Isn't What You Used to Be."

Some time ago a young man went to a great store in Chicago to apply for a position and was fortunate enough to be shown into the office of the merchant prince himself, to whom he stated the object of his call.

The merchant was favorably impressed with his appearance and address, and after asking him a few questions relative to his business experience, promised him a place in his employ. But the caller, who evidently had expected to be more rigorously catechized, thought it best to volunteer additional information.

"If you wish," he began, "to know something of my antecedents—"

"I don't care to know anything about your antecedents, young man," interrupted the merchant with a smile. "If your subsequent are all right, you'll do. You may report to Mr. Smith next Monday."—From Everybody's Magazine.

**The Result.**

"So the ladies of the elite league raised the poker game that has been running for months upstairs over the Palace drug store?" asked old Riley Rezzidew of Petunia.

"E-yah!" replied Constable Slackpitter. "And now, darn it, I ain't got a place to loaf of an evening."—Kansas City Star.

It requires extraordinary ability to enable a man to be profitably and safely dishonest.

If you are disappointed with your lot, put it in the hands of a real estate agent.

Red Cross Ball Blue is the finest product of its kind in the world. Every woman who has used it knows this statement to be true.—Advertisement.

**WAR TAUGHT PEOPLE THRIFT**

One Good Effect, at Least, Came as Result of the Gigantic World Conflict.

While Christmas savings clubs originated about 15 years ago, the World War is credited with the tremendous growth recently in the number of depositors, and, of course, the totals of savings.

The weekly payment system for Liberty bonds, regular purchases of Thrift and War Savings stamps and more or less regular frequent contributions to the war funds got the average American into the habit of putting aside something out of the pay envelope.

"Employers adopted the system of taking the payments out of the salary, and as the amounts were only a dollar or two a week, it wasn't missed so much," explained a Hyde Park banker to the Woman. "When it was all over employees generally realized how easy it was to save. They just got the habit, and the Christmas club idea was almost doubled in a year's time, 1920 to 1921, in membership."

This year there were 5,000,000 depositors and deposits of \$100,000,000.

**Simple Matter.**

"Don't be afraid," said an aviator to a timid passenger. "All you have to do is to sit quiet."

"I know all about that," retorted the passenger. "But suppose something happens and we begin to fall?"

"Oh, in that case," the aviator reassured him, "you are to grasp the first solid thing we pass and hold tight."—Legion Weekly.

A man with a grievance never misses an opportunity to mention it.

The contents of a bald man's head may be valuable even if he has no lock thereon.

One bottle of Dr. Feery's "Dead Shot" will save you money, time, anxiety and health. One dose sufficient, without castor oil in addition. Advertisement.

**KNEW WHAT HE WAS DOING**

Obvious Advantage in This Gentleman's Manner of Wearing His Diamond Ring.

The gentleman, obviously of Hebrew extraction, had assembled his friends round the festive board. After having discussed satisfactorily the various delicacies provided for their delectation they were called upon to admire and appraise all his new and numerous possessions. But of all the latter the one of which he was most proud was a truly magnificent ring, which, however, was so turned as to display the diamond on the inside of his hand.

His brethren noticed this peculiarity and one of them remonstrated:

"Vy, Isaac," he said, "it is a good ring—I never saw a better. But it is on the wrong way round."

Isaac gave him a look of eloquent pitying contempt.

"Oh, what nonsense you do tell me," he replied. "I ask you, Cohen, Does one talk like this (holding out his hands, palm downwards), or like this? (palm upwards).—Buffalo Express.

**Forgot All About It.**

In Indianapolis is a certain "old boy" who delights to see a boxing match. A friend gave him a ticket to the matches in Tomlinson hall Thanksgiving afternoon. The boxing fan, joyous over the prospect, went to see a doctor, did a few errands, absorbed in a matter of little consequence and—as he put it—"bedogged" if I didn't go home and forget all about the fights until after they were all over!"—Indianapolis News.

Save for a rainy day and don't forget that life has some cloudbursts.

Polse is the best thing. It keeps one firmly planted on both feet.



**Off to school on a winter morning**  
—fresh and rosy—or pinched and chilly? That's a matter for Mother to decide.  
Children, as well as grown-ups, need a hot mealtime beverage that is wholesome, invigorating, and free from harmful after-effects.

Coffee is known to be harmful—especially to children. That is why so many thoughtful mothers give their children delicious Postum. This pure cereal beverage gives needed warmth and comfort, has delightful flavor and aroma, and is free from anything that can injure the health of children or adults.

Your grocer sells Postum in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) prepared instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages) for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared; made by boiling fully 20 minutes.  
**Postum FOR HEALTH**  
"There's a Reason"  
Made by Postum Cereal Company, Inc., Battle Creek, Michigan



# **CLOSING-OUT SALE!**

**Biggest Bargains Ever Offered  
In Hedley**

## **The Sale is Now On**

**WE ARE LEAVING TOWN, AND  
ARE SELLING**

**Regardless of Cost!**

### **STONE & BLAKE**

**HEDLEY, TEXAS**

**HEDLEY, TEXAS**