

# THE HEDLEY INFORMER

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## HALLOWE'EN WITH THE AMERICAN LEGION

We take this means of expressing our gratitude for the cooperation of the community in making our Hallowe'en program at the school auditorium a success. We wish to thank you individually and collectively—one and all—for the support accorded our efforts, and we hope to do still better next time. We are glad that everyone present seemed to enjoy the occasion immensely.

Prominent among the program numbers are:

Sam Brooks and his Hedley Orchestra, composed of Miss Bulman, piano; Murray Brooks, clarinet; Ernest Johnson, violin; Sam Brooks, cornet.

Then came Bill Huffman's Quartette, composed of Roy Swafford, 1st tenor; Joe Nipper, 2nd tenor; Bill Huffman, baritone; S. J. Ayer, bass; which was much enjoyed.

Another outstanding feature was the two vocal solos by Robt. Watkins, with piano accompaniment by Miss Bulman.

Clarence Clifton made an able auctioneer, aided by other Post members.

Colonel Thaxton of Giles and Bro. Don Wright rendered two short but select and timely readings, assisted by Bud Greer.

First prize of \$250 cash was awarded Miss Lois Simmons for the most unique costume.

Second costume prize of \$250 cash went to Rolla "Ann" Brunley.

Coyte Doherty drew the third prize, a box of cigars, being the oldest soldier present in point of service, he having served three years and 18 days.

Little Miss Gertrude Reed presided over the contribution box with much credit despite her tender years.

Several talks were made by Legion members, in costume. The Hallowe'en spirit was much in evidence in the audience, for a good portion came masqued and costumed.

We are sorry that inclement weather kept many away from our first attempt at entertaining. We hope next time the conditions will be favorable, and that we will be able to give a bigger and better entertainment.

After the auction sale, all present participated in the delicious eats prepared by the fair

## DORCAS CLASS ENERTAINS TUESDAY EVE

On last Tuesday evening at the basement of the Baptist Church the members of the Dorcas Class entertained their husbands and the general officers of the Sunday School.

The basement was decorated to suit with black cats, owls and bats, and the jack o lanterns casting a mellow light over all, while the shadows cast weird reflections along the wall, giving it all a rather "spooky" atmosphere.

The guests were greeted on the stairs by three spoons, this causing great fun.

Each gentleman guest received a name in a sack, and this was his partner throughout the evening. Various games, fortunes, jokes, and a reading, "The Black Cat," were enjoyed.

A delicious salad course was served to about thirty guests.

**WANTED:**—February and March hatched pullets. Special price for White Wyandottes. Also a few roosters. Mrs. Chas. Kinslow. Phone 87.

## GOOD POSITIONS

Times are prosperous, positions plentiful. Our scholarships guarantee \$75 to \$100 a month positions or your money back. Ten times as many positions as graduates. Write for Guarantee Contract, finest catalog in the South, and **SPECIAL ORDER** 10. Address Draughon's Practical Business College, Abilene or Wichita Falls, Texas.

Mrs. S. L. Adamson returned Tuesday from Amarillo, where she has been for a week with her daughters.

ladies of the community. Then we all adjourned, pronouncing the occasion a grand success.

## FARM LOAN MONEY

I have plenty of money to loan on farms, and will give you Quick Service. Come in and see me and let us talk it over.

The rate of interest is low, and the reliability of my company is without question.

L. A. STROUD,  
Hedley, Texas.

## MRS. McCORMICK'S BEAUTY CREAM

IS THE FEATURE AT OUR STORE THIS WEEK. It is a combination cream and powder that soothes, enlivens and beautifies the skin. Beauty Cream is an ideal complexion beautifier, affording the protection your complexion requires when exposed to the varied changes of the winter weather. SEE OUR

### Fine Window Display

We will give each customer that calls for them a Thimble or Paper of Needles, FREE, on

Saturday, Nov. 3, 1923

Remember, we are headquarters for everything in Drug merchandising.

Try the Drug Store First. If It's Sold in a Drug Store, We Have It

**HEDLEY DRUG CO.**

*The Rexall Store*

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in every way, when buying goods from us. We appreciate your Grocery trade. Quality, service and moderate prices.

**PAY CASH AND PAY LESS**

**Barnes & Hastings**  
CASH GROCERY CO.

*Think!*

*Opportunities Are Slipping By!*

Have you thought of the opportunities that have slipped by because you had no money to take advantage of them? A good bank account is the remedy for that trouble.

THE FIRST STATE BANK WILL  
APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS

**The First State Bank**  
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CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$200,000.00

## Announcement

We are pleased to announce that we have secured the

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Everyone knows the high quality of Nyal's Medicines, Rubber Goods and Toilet Articles.

"Once a trial, always Nyal"

Come to Us First for Everything  
in the Drug Line

## BROOKS PHARMACY

"A Pleasure to Please"  
PHONE 70

## DO YOU VALUE FRIENDSHIP IN BANKING?

We realize that GOODWILL is the foundation of this bank. Its employees are never too busy to confer with you or advise with you in any matter. This is first of all a friendly bank. All we ask is a chance to prove to you that we desire your Goodwill.

**Guaranty State Bank**  
Deposits Guaranteed



# CHILDLESS HOMES MADE HAPPY

Presence of Little Ones a Great Blessing

## Four Interesting Letters

Cortland, N. Y.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because I was weak and wanted to become strong and have a child. My husband read about it in the 'Cortland Standard' and thought it might help me. It certainly did for I now have a lovely boy fifteen months old who weighs forty pounds. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to my friends and you can certainly use my testimonial in your little books and in the newspapers, as it might help to make some other childless home happy by the presence of little ones as it has done mine."—Mrs. CLAUDE P. CANFIELD, 10 Salisbury St., Cortland, N. Y.

### A Message to Mothers

Hamilton, Ohio.—"I have known about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound since girlhood, having taken it when I was younger and suffering from a weakness and backache. Lately I have taken it again to strengthen me before the birth of my child, as I was troubled with pains in my back and a lifeless, weak feeling. I think if mothers would only take your wonderful medicine they would not dread childbirth as they do. I recommend the Vegetable Compound to every woman."—Mrs. JOSEPH FALCOIN, JR., 532 S. 11th Street, Hamilton, Ohio.

### Detours Bring Customers.

The motoring public is frequently annoyed by signs marked "Detour" which compel them to leave a good road for a bad one for some distance. They are even more annoyed when the new route is not properly marked out and as a result they sometimes get temporarily lost. A small boy upstate, quick to grasp the situation, fashioned a few detour signs of his own which he erected and which diverted traffic by his father's house.

Then he built in his front yard a small stand at which he sold ginger ale and lemonade to the thirsty and weary travelers and did a good business until the authorities removed the signs and the street once again became a rarely traveled thoroughfare.—New York Sun and Globe.

### Why Not?

If certain medicinal spring waters benefit human beings why should they not be good for horses who have similar bodily structures? So thought a well-known English horse trainer and his ailing horses at Doncaster are now being supplied with water from the famous Harrogate springs, in spite of laughter of his friends. Did not Epsom salts originate in a spring near the famous race course at Epsom? And is there any significance in that fact?

### The Flaw.

"I suppose you are very happy?" "Yes," sobbed the bride, "but I could be happier. If my husband would only want to do the things I want to do, and never want to do the things he wants to do I think life would be perfect."

St. Louis, Mo.—"I want to tell you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me seven years ago. I was run down and had a weakness such as women often have. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and after being married sixteen years became the mother of a sweet little girl. I now have four lovely children—three fine boys and the little girl six years old. I had longed for children all the while and wept many a day and envied every woman with a child. I was 36 years old when my first baby was born. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman who is ailing with female weakness."—Mrs. J. NAUMANN, 1517 Benton St., St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo.—"My mother took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound when I was a girl, and when I was troubled with cramps I took it, and later when I married I again took it to make me strong as the doctor said I was weak and run down and could not have children. I took it and got along fine and now I have three girls. So you know why I keep the compound in the house. I am a well woman and do my work and sewing too."—Mrs. JULIUS HARTMAN, 2501 W. Dodier St., St. Louis, Mo.

Edible Drinking Cup Appears. With the increase in popularity of water ices among patrons of refreshment pushcarts, ball park caterers and other vendors the edible drinking cup is appearing. It is of graham cracker ingredients and some are lined with chocolate.

Early in the season water ices were served in paper or paraffin cups. As these were not consumable they created a problem of litter. The new kind of cup, like the cone for ice cream, provides a cake for the water ices. It is also finding a field as a container and accompaniment for soft drinks.—New York Sun and Globe.

Different. The comedy cinema actor stopped a man he knew. "Look here," he began, "I understand you said last night that I have no sense of humor. A remark of that kind, made publicly, in the presence of other people, is very damaging to a man in my position, and—" "Hold on," interrupted the other. "I never said you had no sense of humor. What I said was that you had no sense of honor."

"Ah!" beamed the actor. "I thought there must be some mistake. I felt certain you would never run down a gal behind his back."

Swiss Adopt Signal System. The installation of an electrically operated signal system on the Swiss government railways is said to be the first for that class of service in Europe.

Lives of some statesmen remind us that it is sometimes better to be obscure.

# GOOD DAIRY BARN MAKES FOR PROFIT

If Properly Built It Is Good Investment for Farm.

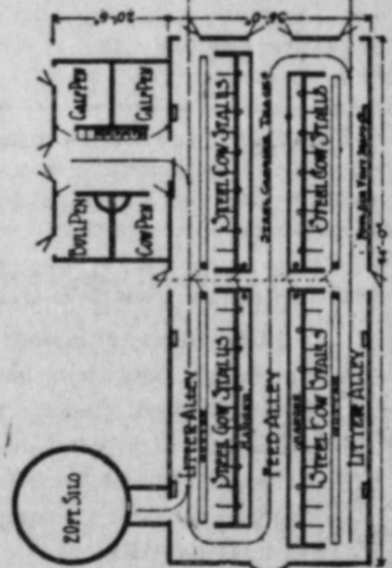
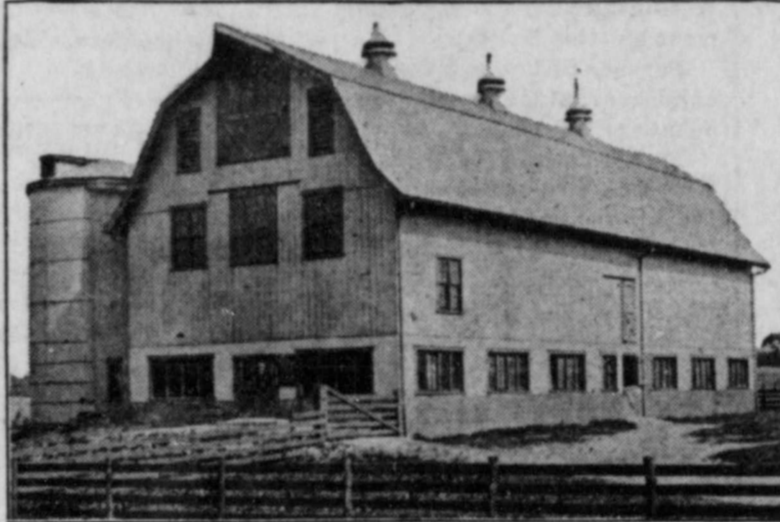
## CARE OF STOCK IS IMPORTANT

Dairy Barn Cannot Be Genuinely Useful Unless Planned With Reference to Requirements of Each Farmer's Herd.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD  
Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building work on the farm, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1327 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

A modern dairy barn with its silo and yard demands fully as careful planning as the farm house and its attendant buildings. Just as the farm house must serve its occupants the whole year through, so does the dairy barn serve the herd day by day, for even in summer its care adds to the ever-present chores.

A dairy barn cannot be bought like so many yards of gingham or like the lumber for a fence. It must be carefully planned with the requirements of the herd in view, likewise for the cutting down of unnecessary labor. All the modern developments in sanitation, which mean so much to the farmer in the profitable production and sale of dairy products, must be considered and followed to the best of the builder's ability. Light is equally as important as cleanliness.



and proper ventilation and drainage not only ease up the work but keep the herd in a condition which removes any particular worry over sickly or unhealthy cows.

Of course, stalls, mangers, gutters, alleys and pens are nowadays standardized units which can be installed in any barn, regardless of its style and size. But our object is the planning of a particular barn as a whole, like the one illustrated.

This one was carefully located with reference to the other buildings of the farm. It was placed a distance of 200 feet from the house, and in a direction which sheltered it from the direct blow of hot summer winds. This left the open yard running across the south and east angle, with the barn's long axis north and south. By this means sunlight was inveigled into the stalls as much as possible.

The ceiling height is 8 1/2 feet, and the well-proportioned gambrel roof gives fine hay storage space above. The width of the main structure is 36 feet; the length, over all, is 94 feet, and two rows of stalls run lengthwise of the barn. As a general rule it will be found that the width of a dairy barn is best kept between 32 and 38 feet. This width makes the framing less an expense than it otherwise might be, the storage of hay becomes more unsatisfactory and the light is cut off from the inside to a great extent. Of course the objection to width does not apply to length. This latter dimension can be made to fit the herd requirements, and the barn even carried around in an L or U shape, to give a more sheltered yard.

Observe that the cows face a central feed alley, equipped with steel carrier tracks. This gives entrance by two doors, and lessens the danger of crowding in and out, there is better

light for milking, the gutters get the sanitation value of sunlight, and the ventilating system does not present any particular problem in order to function satisfactorily. The litter alleys have steel carrier tracks which make this part of the chores something taken care of easily and with dispatch.

The stalls are 3 feet 6 inches wide; the length of stall platform from curb to gutter is 4 feet 8 inches. The mangers can be of metal, wood or concrete, and of a style, width and height which discourage bossy from snouting too much feed into the alley. The drinking troughs each serve two cows. Adjoining are cow pen, bull pen and calf pens. The latter are necessary at calving time, and might serve with the cow pen as a hospital when cows are sick. Or, bossy may be segregated for the purpose of testing on milk and butter yield over a certain period. The floor is of concrete, with wood block or cork brick standing platform. Drains serve the bottom of each manger and gutter, leading out to a concrete manure receiving pit.

## HAD A PASSION FOR ANALYSIS

Stendahl Was Also a Novelist, Critic and Author of Glorified Guide Books.

Stendahl's own literary activity could hardly have been more diversified. He was at the same time a novelist, a musical and dramatic critic, and author of a history of painting and a number of glorified guide books. Everything he wrote glows with energy and sincerity. His heroes persist in battering down prejudice, and when, as in "Rouge et Noir," they end on the scaffold, they meet death still scoffing at the hypocritical deities of society. Stendahl would have scorned the modern conception of history as a series of trends and movements.

History in his eyes was a succession of great men bending destiny to their

will. The Girondins failed because in a time of crisis they relied on intelligence rather than force of character. Such was Stendahl's philosophy of history, and so far as the cult of energy goes it was neither very original nor very interesting. The fascination of the man lies in the other half of his character. Compare his "Memoirs d'un Touriste" with any other contemporary book of travel, and Stendahl's greater cosmopolitanism is at once apparent. He can discuss Andrew Jackson, the Edinburgh Review, the Gothic architecture, with equal gusto.

With the best will in the world, intellectual curiosity cannot be kept within national limits. Stendahl was born with a passion for analysis. The fortunes of a certain lieutenant of artillery created within him an abnormal appetite for knowledge and sensation. If he was ruthless in satisfying these cravings, he was at least ruthlessly honest in recording the fact to himself and to posterity. He will never be as popular abroad as he is at home, because the Frenchman thrills to what is not and to what is clear to a degree that no foreigner can understand. We envy his intellect and we respect his sincerity; but for all that, we pass by on the other side.

He'd Prove the Reverses.  
"How often must I tell you that you can't fight with boys, Mary?"  
"Oh, but mother, I can! I ought to see Jimmy Park's nose!"—London Answers.

Try Lifting a Piano.  
"That shoplifter must be out of his mind."  
"Why?"  
"I just saw him enter a piano store."—

The Tamer.  
Solicitor in Bow County Court—And your wife goes in terror of this lodger? Husband—Well, I would hardly say "terror." She soon brings him round with a broom.—London Tit-Bits.

Speed.  
City Girl—I suppose you find the girls around here a bit slow?  
Yokel—Slow! Why—no—there's Flo Martin can milk her 15 cows store breakfast!—London Opinion.

An Artist.  
Solicitor at Marylebone—Is your husband working?  
Wife—Well, I suppose you'd call it that. He paints the spots on rocking horses.—London Tit-Bits.

Possibly.  
"Too much rush these days."  
"Huh?"  
"In the last ten years we have made more history than we can sort out in fifty."—

**A Grateful Mother writes:**  
Galveston, Texas, March 12, 1920.  
Anglo-American Drug Co., New York, N. Y.  
Dear Friends:  
I want to tell you, as well as thank you, for what your preparation has done for my baby. He was a little, cross, crying baby, awfully constipated all the time, when I started to give it to him. But now he is a big, fat baby, and I cannot speak too highly of your preparation.  
I know there is nothing that can come up to Mrs. Winslow's Syrup for a baby and I feel that it was a God-sent blessing to me. I will tell my mother what it has done for my baby.  
With all good wishes to you and your preparation.  
Respectfully,  
(Name on request)  
Diarrhoea, colic, flatulency and teething troubles are relieved by this safe, pleasant preparation. Non-narcotic, non-alcoholic.  
**MRS. WINSLOW'S SYRUP**  
The Infants' and Children's Regulator  
Open formula on every label. At All Druggists.  
ANGLO-AMERICAN DRUG CO., 215-217 Fulton Street, New York  
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**Two pleasant ways to relieve a cough**  
Take your choice and suit your taste. S-B or Menthol flavor. A sure relief for coughs, colds and hoarseness. Put one in your mouth at bedtime. Always keep a box on hand.  
**SMITH BROTHERS**  
S.B. COUGH DROPS MENTHOL  
Famous since 1847

**WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC**  
A Fine Tonic. Builds You Up. Prevents and Relieves Malaria - Chills and Fever - Dengue

Technicality.  
An alleged dope peddler in Frisco had his stomach pumped by government officials to see if he had swallowed any dope. Now he claims his rights were violated because he was forced to give evidence against himself.

## NEARLY TWO MILLION

Sounds like a big figure, and it is big. That many times during the year people go to their nearest store and ask for Black and White Ointment, because they have come to depend on this wonderful preparation to keep their skin free from pimples, blotches, bumps, eczema, rash, tetter, "breaking out," etc.

You won't know what real happiness and fun is until you make yourself presentable, so to speak, to the people who want to associate only with those who are good to look at. Begin using Black and White Ointment and feel the thrills girls, women and men experience when they see their ugly skin clearing up, feeling smooth and looking lovely.

It is economically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have it.—Advertisement.

Utilize a Hot Spring.  
Heat from a hot spring in the Pyrenees equivalent to a ton of coal an hour is being used by a French fruit raiser to force fruits so that they can be gathered for the market before their regular time.

## WOMEN CAN DYE ANY GARMENT, DRAPERY

Dye or Tint Worn, Faded Things New for 15 Cents.

## Diamond Dyes

Don't wonder whether you can dye or tint successfully, because perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with "Diamond Dyes" even if you have never dyed before. Druggists have all colors. Directions in each package.—Advertisement.

Worth It.  
Doctor—I will examine you for \$10. Patient—Go to it; if you find it I will give you half.

The prices of cotton and linen have been doubled by the war. Lengthen their service by using Red Cross Ball Blue in the laundry. All grocers.—Advertisement.

Some of the things you ought to know can be learned in no other way than by reading the advertisements.

**SHINOLA**  
AMERICA'S HOME SHOE POLISH  
Black - Tan - White - Ox-Blood - Brown  
Shinola preserves leather as paint preserves buildings.  
Quick and easy to use.  
SHINOLA HOME SET  
Makes Shining Easy  
Contains Shoe Polish  
Cleans around the sole and  
applies the polish thoroughly.  
Shoes in a hurry.  
Lamb's Wool Polisher  
just for the hand. Brings  
the brilliant Shinola shine  
with a few strokes.

**Why take the risk?**

**MANY** have found by their own experience that coffee's effect is harmful. Health authorities warn against risking the growth and development of children with the drug element in coffee.

Why take chances with your health, and thus risk comfort, happiness—success?

There's both safety and satisfaction in Postum as your mealtime drink. You'll thoroughly enjoy its delightful flavor and aroma. Postum contains nothing that can harm you. As many cups as you like at any meal—with no penalties to pay in wakeful nights and daytime dullness.

Your grocer sells Postum in two forms: Instant Postum (in tin) prepared instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages) for those who prefer the flavor brought out by being fully 20 minutes. The cost of either form is about one-half cent a cup.

**Postum FOR HEALTH**  
There's a Reason

# Star-Telegram Bargain Rates

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## Before You Build-- See Us

Talk over with us your building ideas—it costs nothing and we may be able to suggest something of benefit. Among the many distinctive home plans we have to show you may be just the one for your need and means. We have, ready for your inspection and use, complete stocks of dependable building material. We are here to serve you to the best of our ability and welcome a chance to demonstrate that ability.

**Cicero Smith Lumber Co.**  
U. J. BOSTON, Manager

## Franklin Said:

"If you would know the value of money, go and try to borrow some."

We all know how hard it is to get hold of money—and how easy to get rid of it. If you want your money to go as far as possible, then let us figure with you on your next Grocery bill, and you will find our store a good place to trade.

Crawford Grocery Co.

## J. C. Wooldridge Lumber and Coal

QUALITY AND SERVICE  
OUR MOTTO

Be sure you figure with us before  
you buy

E. R. HOOKER, Manager

## We Want Your Trade

If good reliable goods, lowest possible prices, fair and **SQUARE DEALING** and polite attention can get it, we can count on you for a customer. Phone 162.

**Square Deal Garage**  
ROY SWAFFORD, PROP.

## MISS REEVES IN RECITAL

The following report of a recital at Big Springs, in which Miss Myrtle Reeves of this city took a leading part, is taken from the Big Springs Herald:

A delightful hour was afforded the public Friday night with the recital given by Misses Reeves and Willis and assisted by Miss Hardy and Mr. Chenault. The appreciative audience which filled the auditorium of the First Baptist Church heard a well planned program of reading, piano, voice and violin.

Miss Reeves commenced the program with a selection from "Young Lochinvar" and concluded it with "That Old Sweetheart of Mine." She was especially pleasing in her number, "At the Soda Fountain," in which she showed much individuality of expression.

Miss Willis never fails to charm with her playing. We have learned to look forward eagerly to her appearance. She finished music with honors at the Texas Christian University and is now teaching at home. Her career will be followed with interest.

Miss Hardy always receives a hearty response from her audience. Her lovely voice and gracious personality insure it. Miss Hardy studied this summer at San Antonio where she received exceptional encouragement upon the qualification of her voice.

Accompanied by Miss Winslow whom he introduced, Mr. Chenault played many general favorites. Mr. Chenault found the town starved for violin music and has been cordially received.

We trust that this is the beginning of a season filled with like entertainments.

**WANTED:**—February and March hatched pullets. Special price for White Wyandottes. Also a few roosters. Mrs. Chas. Kinslow. Phone 37.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mann have ordered a copy of the Informer sent each week to their son, Midshipman R. E. Mann, at the U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland.

**WANTED:** Men or women to take orders for genuine guaranteed hosiery for men, women and children. Eliminates darning. Salary \$75 a week full time. \$1.50 an hour spare time. Cottons, heathers, silks. International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa.

## SENIOR B. Y. P. U.

Devotional Lesson: Learning to Be Content.

Song, "On Christ the Solid Rock I Stand."

Prayer

Song, "I Am a Child of the King"

Scripture Lesson—by E. Mer Marsalis.

Introduction—by Marguerite Cooper.

Contentment and Happiness—Birdie Stogner.

Content but not Complacent—Faye Cooper.

The Beggar and the King—Allie Mae Caldwell.

Worry Hinders Growth—Henry Benson.

Contentment Essential to Service—Velma Raney.

If there are any among you who are discontented, come to B. Y. P. U. Sunday night and we will tell you why you are, and will also give remedy. All members report 100 per cent, and help put our Union on the A. 1. Roll.

"Naught but God can satisfy the soul."

**SCHOOL SUPPLIES**, pencils, tablets, loose leaf binders, paper—anything you need at Farmers Equity Union.

## For Shabby Floors

Below you will find the correct paint, varnish, enamel or stain to use on your floors.

These recommendations are taken from the "Household

Guide," prepared by the Sherwin-Williams Company as a dependable guide in all finishing work. See the complete "Guide" at this store.

### HOUSEHOLD GUIDE

FLOORS, Interior (wood)	TO PAINT Use product named below	TO VARNISH Use product named below	TO STAIN Use product named below	TO ENAMEL Use product named below
Concrete	S-W Inside Floor Paint stands repeated scrubbing	Mar-Nat Varnish water proofing, heat proof	S-W Inside Floor Paint the exclusive stain	S-W Concrete Floor Finish high gloss, durable
Porch	S-W Concrete Floor Finish also with water seal	S-W Porch and Deck Paints		

## THOMPSON BROS.

Hardware and Furniture, Hedley, Texas



## POSTED NOTICE

My pastures are posted according to law. No hunting allowed. Come play with me, but leave your guns at home.

J. E. Blankenship,

J. M. Mobley, former Hedley resident, writes in to have his Informer mailed to 190 9th St., San Bernardino, Calif., where he and his family now reside. He is well pleased in his new home.

**HAVE SOME SMALL FARMS** to sell on easy terms or trade for cattle. J. T. Warren, Clarendon, Texas.

George M. Reed attended to business in Clarendon Tuesday.

**SCHOOL SUPPLIES** of every kind. Prices are right. Farmers Equity Union.

## I HAVE BOUGHT THE DELIVERY BUSINESS

of Walter Deal, and offer you very best services in return for your patronage,—both old and new customers.

Phones No. 21 and 121.

HERSEY MOBLEY, Prop.

Joe Fuller, who is working in Hedley, visited friends in Wellington last Sunday.—Wellington Leader.

**640 ACRES OF GOOD FARM** land to sell, the buyer to improve land and pay one third and one fourth of crops for two years, then small payments.

J. T. Warren, Clarendon, Texas

**WANTED**—Washing, ironing, quilting or plain sewing. Mrs. Dea

## EYE SIGHT IS PRECIOUS

WHY RUN THE RISK

of ruining your eyes with glasses that don't fit, or with cheap, poorly ground glasses?

Try a Pair of My Glasses and Be Convinced.

## CHAS. FLESHER

Registered Optometrist  
at Brooks Pharmacy  
Hedley, Texas

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UNDERTAKERS'  
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## HAYTER BROS.

The Home of Good Clothes for Men and Boys  
CLARENDON, TEXAS

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Sep 25



**HINDERCORP**  
Keeps you from all the  
bad, makes walking easy,  
gives. Eliminates Chills.

**KEEP EYES WELL**  
Dr. Thompson's Eye Water  
throughout them. At drug stores or  
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of collecting old accounts.  
debtor just what the average col-  
lector attempts. Try it today; it works.  
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gain. \$1.00 safety razor, four blades  
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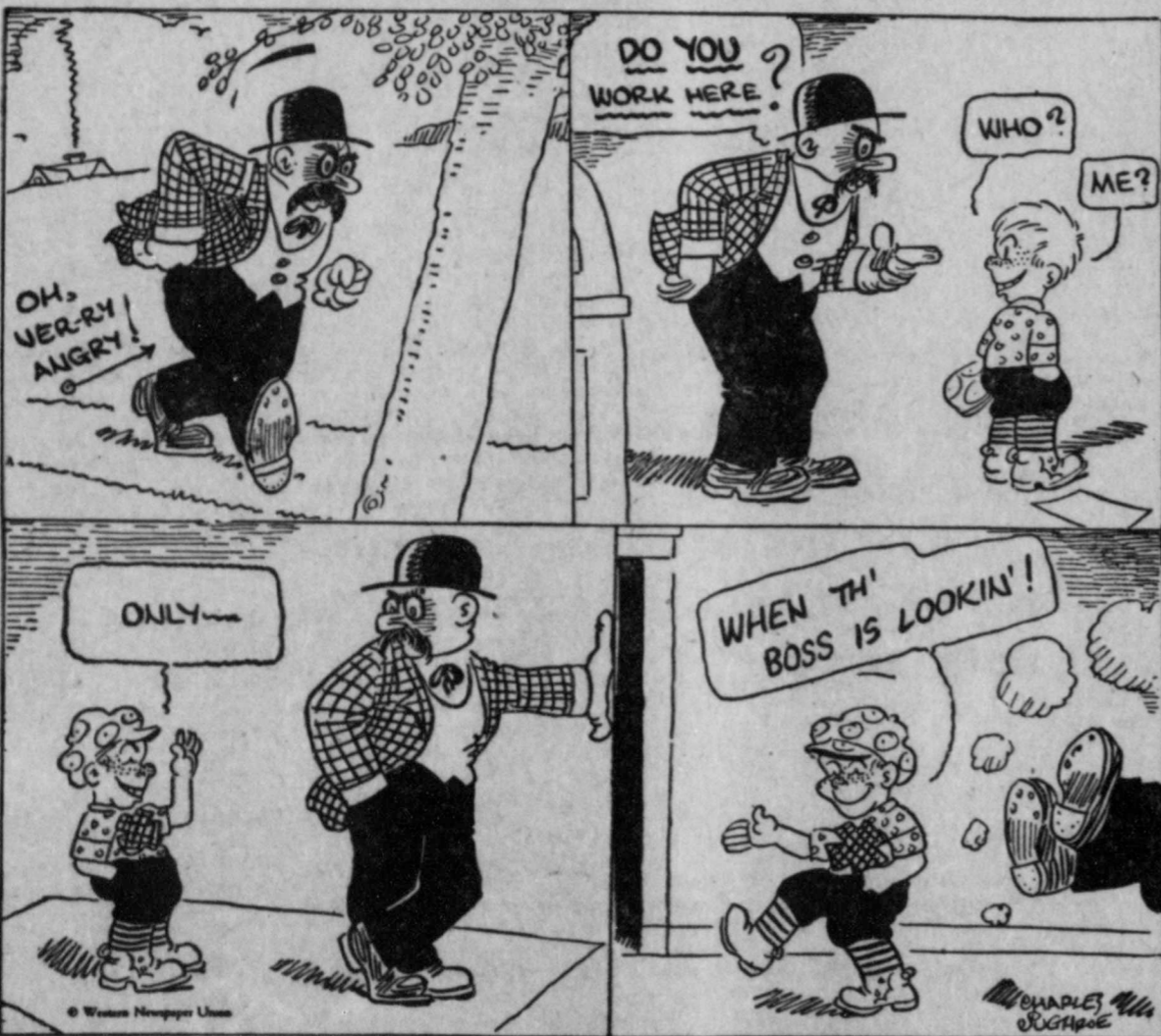


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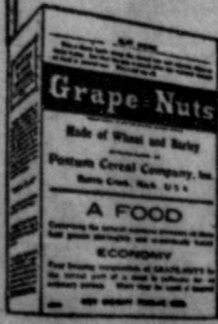
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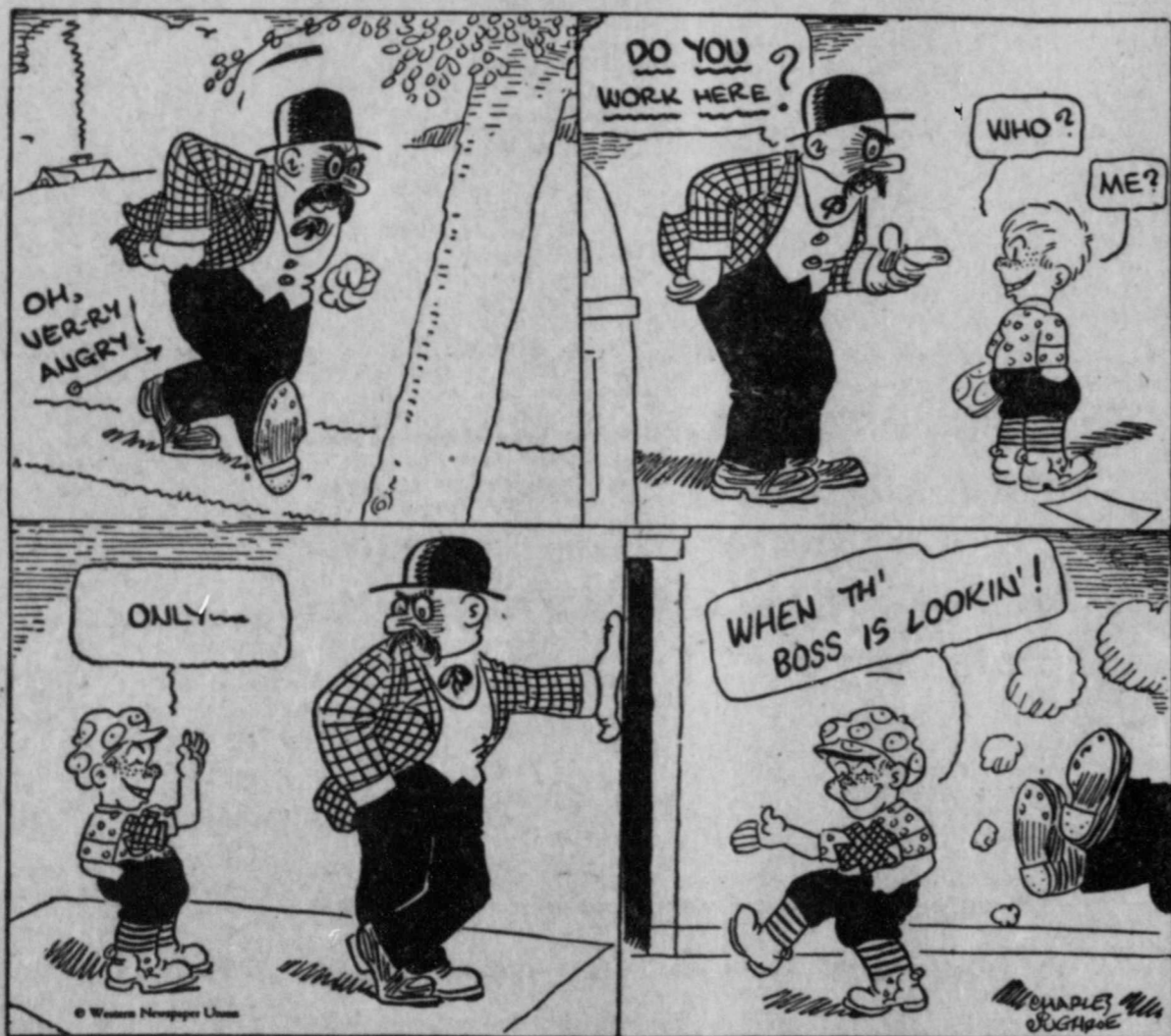


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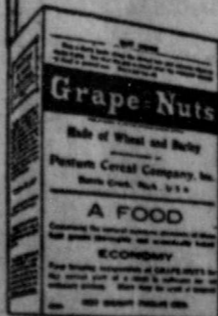
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Then we were sent back to the 5th grade room where we enjoyed a talk on "Why We Celebrate Hallowe'en," by Mr. Snider, after which we were served apples and ginger snaps.

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**POSTED NOTICE!**—This is to notify the public that my place, four miles north of Hedley, is posted according to law. No hunting or fishing. Trespassers will be prosecuted.

B. E. Harris.

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Joe Gilliam was a visitor in Clarendon the past week.

**STRAY STOCK FOUND!**—A bay mare with white hind feet and a mule about 1 1/2 hands high. Owner come and get them. J. G. McDougal.

E. R. Hooker, lumberman of Hedley, spent Sunday in Wellington with home folks.—Wellington Leader.

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John Ryan of Clarendon was a Hedley visitor Tuesday.

One town in Kansas invites tourists with this sign at the town's entrance: "This is Lone Wolf. Speed limit 105 miles an hour. Fords do your best. Watch us grow."

Cottons Picker's Salve at Brooks Pharmacy.

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The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Donley County—Greeting:

Mrs. Della Lafon, Community Administratrix of the estate of herself and Joe Lafon, deceased, having filed in our County Court her final account of the condition of the estate of said Joe Lafon, deceased, and herself, together with an application to be discharged from said community administration, you are hereby commanded that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Donley, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto if any they have, before the December, 1923, term of said County Court, commencing and to be held at the courthouse of said county in the city of Clarendon, on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1923, the same being the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1923, when said account and application will be considered by said court.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in Clarendon, Texas, this the 16th day of October, A. D. 1923.

Lottie E. Lane,  
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Baptist Hospitals of the United  
 States—Mrs. Peninger.

The Life of Jonah—Mrs. G. C.  
 Heath.

Reading, Mary Has Chosen the  
 Better Part—Mrs. Clyde Bridges.

Mrs. Peninger was elected  
 President of the Class to succeed

Mrs. Clemens, who is now our  
 Teacher.

Dainty refreshments were  
 served.

**WANTED:**—February and  
 March hatched pullets. Special  
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**BRAY NEWS**

J. F. Stiles was called to Qua-  
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 death of Mrs. Stiles' uncle, Mr.  
 Stewart. They have the sym-  
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Mrs. Foote, from Turnersville,  
 Texas, is visiting Miss Thava  
 Davis.

Bro. Crow, accompanied by  
 Bro. Fitzgerald, was here Satur-  
 day night and Sunday, and was  
 greeted with good audiences  
 considering inclement weather,  
 this being his last service before  
 Conference. We would regret  
 to see him go, as he has served  
 well. We wish for him the very  
 best at Conference.

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Singing Sunday night was  
 well attended in spite of a heavy  
 fog. But the lights went out  
 and we had to go home in the  
 dark.

The young people were about  
 equally divided as to entertain-  
 ment Sunday in the homes of  
 Mrs. Brown and Mrs. McBride.

Mrs. Wright is enjoying visits  
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 nephew, John Ramsey, and fam-  
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 gather some of their crops.  
 Miriam.

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 comes, says the Groom Booster.  
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 on a certain day—they read it  
 and approve or criticize—and  
 never wonder if there isn't some  
 way in which they can individu-  
 ally help to make it still better.

It is in the towns where there  
 is no community paper that the  
 people realize its real value.  
 They feel the lack of a good  
 weekly paper, and if they have  
 ever let a paper die for the lack  
 of proper support, they are more  
 than eager to have another one  
 start, that they may correct  
 their mistake, and give the aid  
 they withheld from the first one.

There is an old saying that  
 you will never miss the water till  
 the well runs dry. And the same  
 thing holds good with the home  
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 know how much good it is doing  
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The moral is: Pay up your  
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For your convenience, I will  
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The office in Clarendon will be  
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