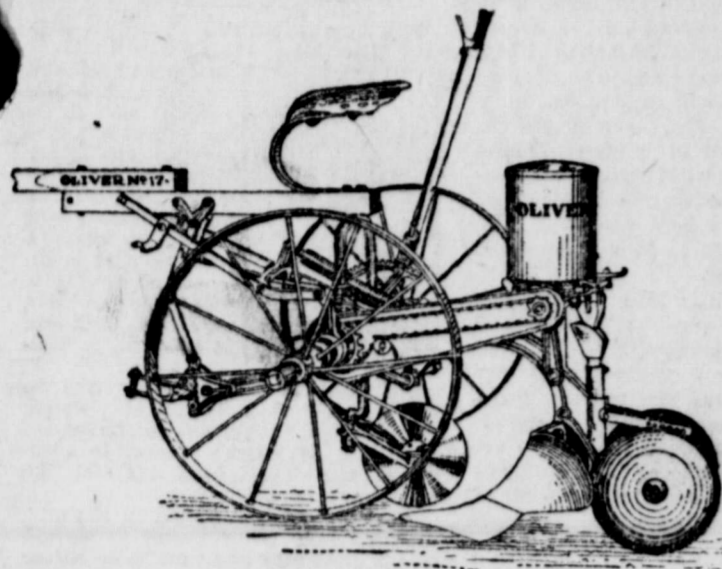


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The Junior Class of Hedley High School will put on a "Box Supper" at the Dreamland Theatre next Thursday night, April 29th, at 8 o'clock. **EVERYBODY COME, AND BRING A BOX.**

In addition to the Box Supper, there will be a dandy Western picture—"Two-Fisted Thompson," featuring Lester Cunes. You'll miss a mighty pleasant evening if you stay away. Admission 15c and 25c.

MARCELING

I have just completed a course in Marceling, and will Marcel at my home for 50c. Call 139 for appointments.

Mrs G Z Sherman.

HEDLEY GETS THE NEXT DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Rev J. W. Hawkins, Methodist pastor, Mrs. Hawkins and Mrs. M. G. Whitfield, delegates, and R. R. Mobley, lay leader, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in attendance upon the District Conference at Wheeler. There was a good attendance, about 100 delegates and ministers being present—and no doubt there would have been more had weather conditions been more favorable.

Hedley is to entertain the next District Conference, having defeated Pampa for that honor.

The Hedley party, on their return, reached home only a few minutes ahead of the rain and hail storm Wednesday evening.

WOMENS CLUBS HOLD CONVENTION AT CHILDRESS

Mrs. Ed Dishman and Mrs. Hobart Moffitt were in Childress Tuesday and Wednesday as delegates from the 1919 Study Club to the fifth annual convention of the seventh district Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. A large number of delegates and visitors were in attendance and the meeting was a success in every particular. The convention will be held at Quanah next year.

REVIVAL AT MEMPHIS

Bro. Mason of this city is conducting a revival at the Nazarene church in Memphis. Rev. Amos R. Meador, pastor of the Nazarene church here, is doing part of the preaching, and success is attending their efforts.

BLACK MAMMOTH JACK

—a good one—will make the season at my place, 9 miles north-east of Hedley.

Bill Luttrell.

T. E. Johnson, one of the editors of the Amarillo Daily News, was a pleasant visitor at this office last Saturday. He was here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Johnson, at Giles.



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MASS MEETING CALLED FOR MONDAY NIGHT

A mass meeting of all people interested in the Hedley Independent School District is called for next Monday night, April 26th, at 8 o'clock, in the school auditorium.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss ways and means of financing the school.

This is a matter of vital concern to all of us. Remember the time and place—and **BE THERE**. By order of the Board of Trustees.

HALF AND HALF COTTON SEED FOR SALE.

\$1.00 per bushel.

W. I. Rains.

TIMS-ADAMSON

Mr. Leonard Tims and Miss Alma Adamson of this city were united in marriage last Saturday afternoon about seven o'clock, in Memphis, Elder A. D. Rodgers officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by Bill Johnson, Miss Ila Acord, Hugh Crawford and Miss Alice Grimley.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Adamson, while the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tims. They are among our finest and most popular young people with a host of true friends. They will make their home in Hedley.

The Informer joins with everybody in the community in wishing them long life and much happiness.

LOST—Between Hedley and Childress, one small suit case containing child's clothing and jewelry. Finder notify Will W. Holland, Hedley, Texas, and receive reward.

SENIOR BANQUET

On Friday evening, April 16 in the basement of the First Baptist Church, tuned in on Station K N O W, in form of a Radio Banquet. It was given by the ladies of the First Baptist Church and sponsored by the Baptist Students Union.

The Class colors were very effectively carried out in the decorations and menu. Several very interesting numbers were given. In an after dinner speech, Mr. Reark, teacher in Wayland College, Plainview, gave some fine advice on how and why to choose the right kind of college.

The Senior Class are very appreciative for the enjoyable entertainment and encouragement for further education they received.

ICE! ICE!

Olen Bailey has opened up his ice house at the old stand, just east of the postoffice, and can supply all his customers on short notice. Call on him for ice, in large or small quantities.

See the little girls' Silk Sox at Adams Dry Goods & Notions.

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 Wild ducks do not go helter-skelter north and south when the seasons change, says the Baltimore Sun. They travel by well-defined air lanes, explaining why out of 10,000 lakes in Minnesota, for instance, there are about 9,000 where a wild duck is never seen. These lanes in the air are known as duck "passes" and invariably new flocks find them, and year in and year out travel the same course.

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 Lift Off—No Pain!


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


Honor American Woman
 Mrs. Carl Akeley of New York, wife of the African explorer, has been honored by the Canadian government which named a mountain after her. Mrs. Akeley is the former Miss Mary L. Jobe, explorer. A peak in the Canadian Rockies will be named Mount Jobe.

Why buy many bottles of other vermifuges when one bottle of Dr. Perry's "Dead Shot" will work without fail? Adv.
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 By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

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 "Tell me not of the rubies and diamonds of kingdoms, the histories of fame,
 But give me that friendship that weeps o'er my sorrows,
 Yesterday, today and forever the same,
 A friendship that trembles the voice of its giver,
 And tightens the hand with love's friendship grasp,
 And whispers the words that are sweetest and purest,
 Forgetting the fearful regrets of the past."
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Among the NOTABLES
 TRAJAN

THE year of Trajan's birth is variously given as 52 and 53. He was the son of a man who had been a common soldier and who had fought his way up to be governor of Asia. Trajan was educated in strict fashion as a soldier and carried on the military successes of the family. Nerva, being emperor of Rome and not a strong power, decided to adopt this favorite son of the army as his own son and successor, hoping to gain more popularity with his people and a stronger hold over his own soldiers.
 At Nerva's death, Trajan was near what is now the city of Cologne, in Germany, and he decided to make the strengthening of the northern frontier his life work. He stayed on two years, subduing the German tribes, and when he returned was greeted with real love by the people.
 He was simple and democratic, he held no expensive courts, kept no useless courtiers, so there were no plots against him. During his reign, he had trouble with the Dacians in the north, again and again, and carried on wars fought over the ground where many of our own soldiers fought south of Verdun. An unsuccessful campaign in the East broke his heart and his health, and he returned to Italy, and died in the year 117.
 Besides military victories, he built roads and bridges that still survive in France and southern Germany, and strengthened the republican spirit of the great Roman empire. Undoubtedly he was one of the greatest emperors.
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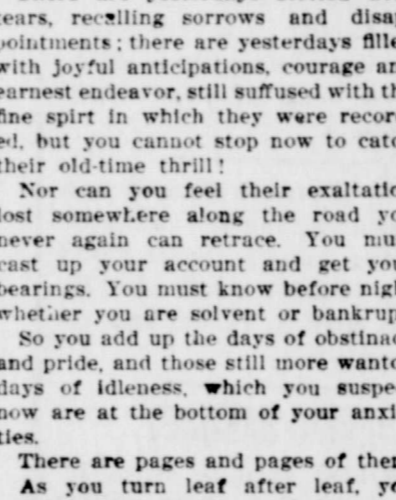
The Hotel Stenographer
 By Roe Fulkerson

"HOT cat," exclaimed the House Detective slapping the newspaper in his hand. "The political pot is boiling."
 "Sort of tempest in the tea-pot dome," agreed the Hotel Stenographer. "But I am glad it all came out. Now we know why we pay twenty cents a gallon for ten-cent gasoline, and why the gentle flivver mopes in the garage because an honest owner is unable to take his family out for an airing."
 "Engines and their owners both knock about the quality and price of gasoline, Kelly. The oil magnets say they cannot produce it for less than twenty or twenty-five cents a gallon. But nobody ever realized until now there was such an overhead of salaries in the oil business."
 "All you needed was a second citizenship to a prominent politician, and you could get on the pay roll of an oil company."
 "My cousin married a policeman, and I know how it is. Every time anybody gets pinched for wrong parking on our block they come to me to go see Mary and get her to use her influence with her husband to speak to the captain of the precinct to get 'em let off for a two-buck collateral forfeited. They always invite me to a party or give me a theater ticket when they come to see me about it."
 "This oil game seems about the same. If you are kin to somebody who is high up in official circles, you get on the pay roll which is the oil man's equivalent to the theater tickets, and the party invitation I get for seeing my policeman cousin-in-law."
 "If long usage makes right, then this is, but it looks to me like a lot of politicians had started something they cannot stop. If they get a lot of the high-salaried people on the pay roll who add so much to the cost of flivver feed, I should worry."
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SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT
 By F. A. WALKER

VANISHED YESTERDAYS
 IF YOU have lived one score years beyond the day you were first taught at your mother's knee the difference between right and wrong, you have had in that time to do with as you pleased, over seven thousand yesterdays, gone to return no more.
 What did you do with them?
 What formidable columns of yesterdays confront you when you set them off on the debit and credit sides of your life-book, and take account of your past behavior?
 There are yesterdays blotted with tears, recalling sorrows and disappointments; there are yesterdays filled with joyful anticipations, courage and earnest endeavor, still suffused with the fine spirit in which they were recorded, but you cannot stop now to catch their old-time thrill!
 Nor can you feel their exaltation lost somewhere along the road you never again can retrace. You must cast up your account and get your bearings. You must know before night whether you are solvent or bankrupt.
 So you add up the days of obstinacy and pride, and those still more wanton days of idleness, which you suspect now are at the bottom of your anxieties.
 There are pages and pages of them. As you turn leaf after leaf, you wonder whether others in their experiences have faced so many blots, eruptions and unkept promises as are now mocking you in your day of trial. Alas, yes!
 The world contains many such men and women, who, like you, would gladly give all they have if they could turn backward and reclaim their vanished yesterdays, and transform them by some magic touch into days of beauty and loveliness.
 With all the wrecks of these vanished yesterdays before you, you must be rather a poor sort of human being if you cannot turn the lessons they teach to profitable account.
 It is not possible to recall them, but it is possible to patch up your strength and brace your courage.
 Nor can you help some emotion when you read of the lost battles, but you can buckle on a new armor and begin a new fight, which by watching the todays, and turning each one to real account, you can yet win victory and wear a crown of honor!
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THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY


 The young lady across the way says it's wonderful how well her father keeps and his blood pressure is 60 or 70 points higher than the average for a man of his age.
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THE NEW AFFLICTION
 By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

Behold her fixed and glassy look,
 Behold her wrinkled brow!
 How was it reason thus forsook!
 The lady, anyhow?
 Behold her pale and pallid face:
 Her maddened gaze is fixed on space,
 What does she seek, and also why,
 This lady with the glassy eye?
 Around her are the ones she loved,
 But now she sees them not;
 The little circle where she moved
 It seems she has forgot.
 For now she looks in manner wild
 On what was once her darling child,
 A child she scarce remembers now;
 Ah, yes, what ails her, anyhow?
 How sad a reason, disenthroned,
 When reason's light has died,
 Alas, how grievously she groaned,
 How deeply then she sighed,
 Her gaze is fixed upon the star,
 As if she sought in realms afar
 The author of some awful doubt;
 I wonder what it's all about?
 Behold her face, her empty face;
 Intelligence has fled,
 Her maddened gaze is fixed on space,
 I wonder, as I said,
 Just what she seeks where planets whirl—
 I wonder just what ails the girl?
 Ah, I have it! I declare,
 It's just the cross-word puzzle stare!
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Mother's Cook Book

THE UNEXPECTED GUEST
 IT AMUSES most of us when we read of the efficient and capable housewife who, confronted with unexpected guests, goes to her larder and greets a cold fowl, a bunch of crisp celery and a jar of mayonnaise, which she quickly prepares into a delectable salad. With rolls, coffee and preserves, she sets before her guests a most agreeable luncheon. How wonderful, when true, but the pity is, it isn't. The fact is, she is more often confronted with a dish of cold boiled potatoes, a dried tomato "leaning hard against its withered skin," and a tough and world-weary steak, which has refused to nourish the family.
 Anyone, efficient or otherwise, with a well-stocked larder, may produce an excellent meal, but the woman who has to start in from the vegetable cellar and the flour barrel, to prepare a meal and still looks out cheerfully on life, is both an optimist and a genius.
 To fortify this optimism an emergency shelf is indispensable. Even when the grocery is just around the corner, it is wise to have a well-stocked shelf. Each housekeeper will stock her shelf with the accessories and relishes especially adapted to her needs.
 A few cans of fish, such as salmon, sardines, tuna, lobster and codfish balls, which may be used in various dishes, hot, cold or as salads.
 A few cans of vegetables such as asparagus, string beans, tomatoes and peas. A jar of salad dressing and one of cheese, olives, pickles, a few cans of soup of different kinds, jams and jellies and a few packages of crackers or biscuit.
 Two or three kinds of cookies stored in air-tight jars, a fruit cake to be used on state occasions. With such a supply, a cupful of tea, coffee or cocoa, one may furnish many different kinds of appetizing meals.
 If fortunate enough to live in the country with plenty of eggs, butter, milk and cream, one need never fear a raid of unexpected guests.

Nellie Maxwell
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How It Started
 By JEAN NEWTON

'STOOL OF REPENTANCE'
 WE ARE familiar with this expression in reference to those people who are supposed to realize that they have done wrong and who wish to be forgiven or excused for their sin or whatever mistake or misdemeanor they may have committed. "Let him take his place on the stool of repentance," has often been said, "before he expects consideration from us."
 The saying comes to us from the records of an old custom, current in the Middle Ages in Scotland. The "stool of repentance" was a low stool on which persons had to sit who had committed an offense which brought upon them the censure of the church. Remaining on the stool throughout the service, at its conclusion the penitent had to stand up and receive the censure of the minister for his transgression.
 We are familiar also in common speech, when the reference is to a person who is a strict disciplinarian or one who does not forgive easily, that he or she "will make you sit on the stool of repentance for that!"
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Great Personages of the Bible
 By REV. LEONARD A. BARRETT

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 In summer in Palestine the dew is so copious that it supplies to some extent the absence of rain and becomes important to the cultivators of the soil and shepherds. The copiousness of the dew in that country is indicated by the sign given to Gideon that Israel was to be saved by his hand. From the fleece exposed throughout the night there was wrung in the morning a bowl full of water, but the earth surrounding the fleece was dry. The miraculous element of the episode is not the quantity of dew wrung from the fleece, but the fact that the surrounding ground was dry, no dew having fallen upon it.

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 Dew is aqueous vapor which has condensed on bodies during the night in the form of minute globules. It is occasioned by the chilling which bodies near the surface of the earth experience in consequence of the radiation of heat during the night. The heat received by the surface of the earth during the day is given off or radiated during the night, and the surface becomes cooler than the air, which condenses the vapor in the air, which is deposited on the surface of the earth in minute globules. This is dew. Practically the same thing takes place when a bottle of cold water is brought into a warm room. The bottle becomes covered with moisture, owing to the condensation of aqueous vapor upon it, that is, the vapor floating in the warm air of the room. When the sky is clear at night the radiation of heat from the surface of the earth goes on rapidly. The surface becomes chilled and there is an abundant deposit of dew. When the sky is clouded the clouds in turn radiate heat toward the earth and the surface only experiences a slight chilling. The aqueous vapor of the air is not condensed when it comes in contact with the earth, and there is no deposit of dew.
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WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound


 Mrs. Annie Kwikski of 526 1st Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis., writes that she became so weak and run-down that she was not able to do her housework. She saw the name Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the paper and said to her husband, "I will try that medicine and see if it will help me." She says she took six bottles and is feeling much better.

Mrs. Mattie Adams, who lives in Downing Street, Brewton, Ala., writes as follows: "A friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and since taking it I feel like a different woman."
 With her children grown up, the middle-aged woman finds time to do the things she never had time to do before—read the new books, see the new plays, enjoy her grand-children, take an active part in church and civic affairs. Far from being pushed aside by the younger set, she finds a full, rich life of her own. That is, if her health is good.
 Thousands of women past fifty, say they owe their vigor and health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and are recommending it to their friends and neighbors.

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 Keep your horses working with SPOHN'S. Standard remedy for 32 years for Distemper, Strangles, Influenza, Coughs and Colds. Give to sick and those exposed. Give SPOHN'S for Dog Distemper. Sold by your druggist. If not, order from us. Small bottle 10 cents, large \$1.25. Write for free booklet on Diseases.
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Cemetery Lots Now Free
 No pauper grave will be the fate of any resident of the town of Milton, Mass., remarks the Dearborn Independent. The town has a beautiful cemetery in which any citizen may have a lot for the asking.

BEAUTIFY IT WITH "DIAMOND DYES"
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 An airplane introduced in Germany weighs only 125 pounds, and is so small that the driver has to lie down in it while flying.

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 Removes Dandruff—Stops Hair Falling—Restores Color and Beauty to Gray and Faded Hair—50¢ and 1.00 at Druggists.
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Local Announcements

The Informer is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

For District Attorney
HARWOOD BEVILLE
Re election, second term

For District Clerk
MRS FLORA G WHITE
Re election

For District Judge
J. R. PORTER
Re election, second term

For Sheriff and Tax Collector
M O BARNETT
W L CRANE
M. W. MOSLEY
EDWARD CARLSON

For County Treasurer
MRS ANNIE PARK
Re election, second term

For Tax Assessor
MISS EULA NAYLOR
J H RIBBEY
J O ADAMSON

For County Clerk
MISS LOTTIE LANE
Re election
L. A. STROUD
CHAS. M. LOARY

For County Commissioner Precinct 3
J P SPILES
S. J. AYER
W E CHRISTIE
J S. BEACH
R. L. FAIRRIS
A B BYNUM
J P WALDRON

For Public Weigher at Hedley
J LES HAWKINS
HERMAN KIRKPATRICK
LUKE A HART
P. C. JOHNSON
T. E. (Tom) BAILEY
J. W. SWINNEY

For County Commissioner Precinct 4
J R RAIN

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Good No 1 wire Bois D'Arc fence posts, 6 to 6 1/2 feet long. For prices delivered on track in car load lots, write R. C. Paine, 1232 Athletic Club Building, Dallas, Texas

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Physician and Surgeon
Hedley, Texas
Office Phone 8
Residence Phone 20

No. 953 Official Statement

OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE Guaranty State Bank

at Hedley, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 12th day of April, 1926, published in the Hedley Informer, a newspaper printed and published at Hedley, State of Texas, on the 23rd day of April, 1926.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security.....	\$ 85,105.27
Loans secured by real estate worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon.....	2,000.00
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	169.88
Bonds, stocks and other securities.....	31,100.00
Real estate (banking house).....	3,250.00
Other Real Estate.....	11,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	3,400.00
Cash on hand.....	4,598.15
Due from approved reserve agents.....	14,092.31
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand.....	796.12
Int. in Dep. Guaranty Fund.....	1,947.07
Assess. Dep. Guaranty Fund.....	2,029.42
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange, undoubtedly good.....	1,579.32
Other Resources: Bankers' Acceptances.....	26,892.12
Total	\$188,454.66

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 25,000.00
Certified Surplus Fund.....	8,000.00
Other Surplus Fund.....	1,000.00
Undivided Profits, net.....	3,393.56
Individual Deposits, subject to check on which no interest is paid.....	111,726.46
Individual Deposits on which interest is paid or contracted to be paid.....	None
Public Funds on deposit: City.....	\$36,720.74
School.....	2,613.90
Total	\$245,390.16

STATE OF TEXAS)
County of Donley J. We, J. G. McDougal, as president, and C. L. Johnson as Asst. Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
J. G. McDougal, President
C. L. Johnson, Asst. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17th day of April, A. D. 1926.
P. T. Boston, Notary Public
Donley County, Texas.
Correct—Attest: (Seal)
W. B. Quigley |
T. J. Dunbar | Directors
J. W. Noel |

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

For April 25, 1926
Missionary meeting: Mexico
Leader, Pauline Caldwell
Scripture—Annie Brown
Study the Map of Mexico; Why Send Missionaries to Mexico?—Mr. Weaver.
Baptists and Catholics Contrasted; Romanism Obscures the Gospel—Lattimore Ewing
A Peep at Mexico's Past; Mexico's Natural Resources—John Cooper.
Our Missions in Mexico—Lucille Caldwell.

NEATSFOOT OIL

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CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Pastor, Rev. Amos R. Meador.
S. S. Supt., M. A. Josey.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
N. Y. P. S. 6:30 p. m.
Preaching 8:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Thursday, at 8:00 p. m.
The public cordially invited to worship with us.

MONEY TO LOAN ON Farm—
at 7 per cent.
R. E. Newman

REVIVAL NOTICE

The summer revival of the Nazarene church will begin July 30th, embracing the first three Sundays in August.
Rev. R. M. Hooker of Plainview will do the preaching.
The public is urged to attend this meeting.
The Pastor.

No. 94 Official Statement

OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK

at Hedley, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 12th day of April, 1926, published in the Hedley Informer, a newspaper printed and published at Hedley, State of Texas, on the 23rd day of April, 1926.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security.....	\$126,108.83
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon.....	8,230.80
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	2,400.23
Other Real Estate.....	17,517.92
Furniture and Fixtures.....	1,041.44
Cash on hand.....	5,635.71
Due from approved reserve agents.....	45,039.28
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand.....	2,995.46
Interest in Depositor's Guaranty Fund.....	5,156.18
Assessment Dep. Guar. Fund.....	3,235.00
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange, undoubtedly good.....	2,664.40
Other Resources.....	791.45
Total	\$220,816.70

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock.....	\$ 25,000.00
Undivided Profits, net.....	9,370.64
Individual Deposits, subject to check on which no interest is paid.....	166,126.68
Time Certificates of Deposit.....	4,253.78
Public Funds on deposit: City.....	15,000.00
Cashier's Checks.....	1,025.60
Total	\$220,816.70

STATE OF TEXAS)
County of Donley J. We, T. R. Moreman as Vice Pres., and F. E. Anderson as Asst. Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
T. R. Moreman, Vice Pres.
F. E. Anderson, Asst. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 16th day of April, A. D. 1926.
C. L. Johnson, Notary
Public, Donley County, Texas.
Correct—Attest: (Seal)
J. C. Donaghy |
James Donaghy | Directors
P. T. Boston |

GILES NEWS

Mrs Arthur Ranson is on the sick list this week.

Mrs Elmer Hays and children of Clarendon spent the past week end with relatives here.

Miss Ruth Johnson came down from Amarillo Saturday and will spend some time here with her parents, Mr and Mrs. C. Y. Johnson.

Mrs W. L. Cope visited her daughter in Lelia Lake Thursday of last week.

Mr and Mrs Buck Frisbie and children were here Sunday from Carey, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bailey were here from Hedley Saturday to attend the funeral of Grandpa Stotts.

Mr and Mrs H. C. Ballard of Memphis were Giles visitors Monday morning.

J. F. Shaw, from Collingsworth county, was here the first of the week, visiting his sister, Mrs W. L. Cope.

Mrs Rollie Beckwith and little son were here a short time last week, the guests of Mrs. E. L. Mevi and L. E. Beckwith. They were en route from Wichita Falls to Amarillo where they intend to reside in future.

Editor T. E. Johnson and little daughter, Kathryn, were down from Amarillo Sunday, visiting the editor's parents, Mr and Mrs C. Y. Johnson.

A large crowd of Memphis singers attended singing at this place Sunday night. We failed to get all their names, but here are the ones we knew: Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Neely, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hawkins, and Mr. Todd. We surely appreciate their coming and hope they make it a point to come regularly.

GRANDPA STOTTS CALLED UP YONDER
Last Friday, Giles was made

ad by the death of one of our most estimable citizens, W. M. Stotts, or "Grandpa," as we all loved to call him. He was born Dec 25 1846, in Coffey county, Tenn., and moved to Lamar county, Texas, 49 years ago, living there and in Delta county until 1915, when he came to the Panhandle. During the last eight years he lived here in Giles. He is survived by a wife and ten children, seven sons and three daughters, all of whom, with the exception of one daughter, were with him during his last hours.

He was taken ill about a month ago and from the first there was small hope of his recovery, yet loving hands and faithful hearts did all that could be done, but death was victorious in the conflict.

He was a tender husband, a loving father, a true and faithful friend, loved and respected by all who knew him. We feel that Giles has indeed lost one of her best citizens.

He was laid to rest Saturday at 3:30 p. m. at the Fairview cemetery at Memphis. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. D. Rogers of that place. A large crowd was there to pay their last tribute of respect to the departed one.

Have good prices on Peter Pan and Kalbanie Gingham. Adams Dry Goods & Notions.

Mr and Mrs M. T. Howard of Clarendon were guests of the Informer family Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Abe Viyard and children left last week for a vacation trip to Niagara Falls, Washington, D. C., Florida, Cuba and other places. They expect to be away about two months.

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If you want to see what an honest-to-goodness feed can do for a flock of baby chicks, just give us a ring and say "I want Purina Chick Startena and Purina Poultry Chows for my chicks." Purina Chows have the stuff in 'em, and we just want you to feed Purina for a few weeks and then compare your chicks with any flock in this part of the country!

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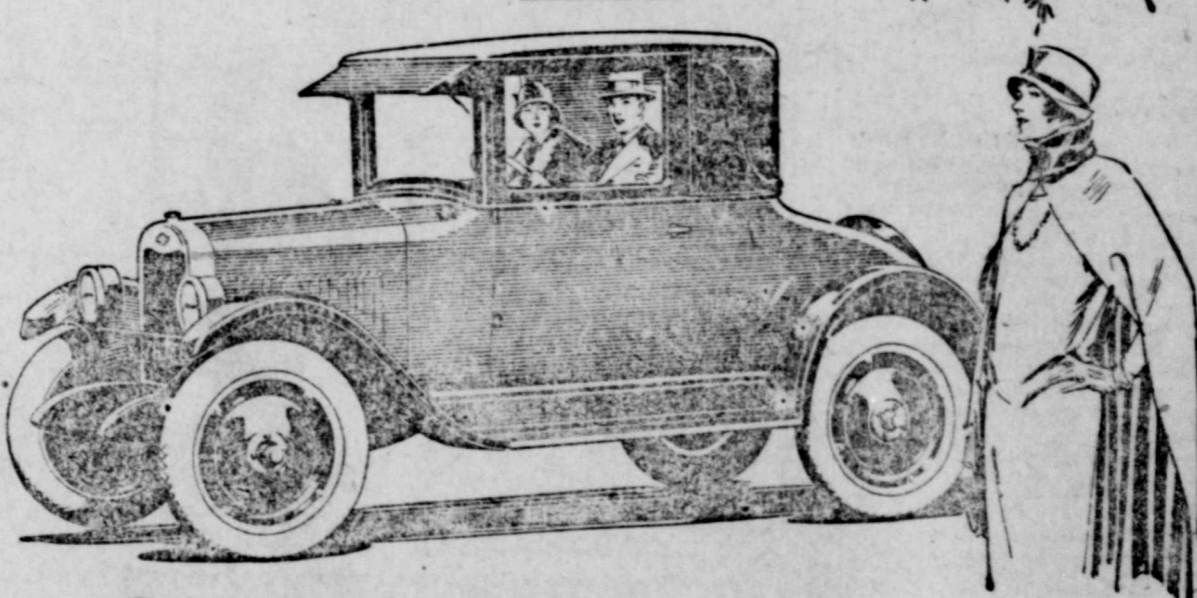
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Expert Tonsorial Work
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You Will Be Pleased With Our Service. Try It.
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Don't delay taking Tanlac another day. Stop at your druggist's now and get a bottle of this, the greatest of all tonics. Take Tanlac Vegetable Pills for constipation.

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"Vaseline" Jelly relieves chafing, diaper rash, cradle cap, scurf, and other inflammations. Wonderfully soothing and healing. Indispensable in the nursery.

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Nurse's Advice
Rid Her of Pimples
Brooklyn, Mrs. Minnie Fensterer writes—"My pimples and blackheads got so bad I feared it was eczema. I confided in a nurse friend of mine. I had been troubled with constipation and indigestion for some time. She advised me to try Carter's Little Liver Pills. You can see by my picture that the treatment has done wonders, and I am now free from constipation."
Chronic constipation many times causes pimples. Carter's Little Liver Pills encourage the bowels to eliminate the poisons.
Druggists, 25 & 75c red packages.

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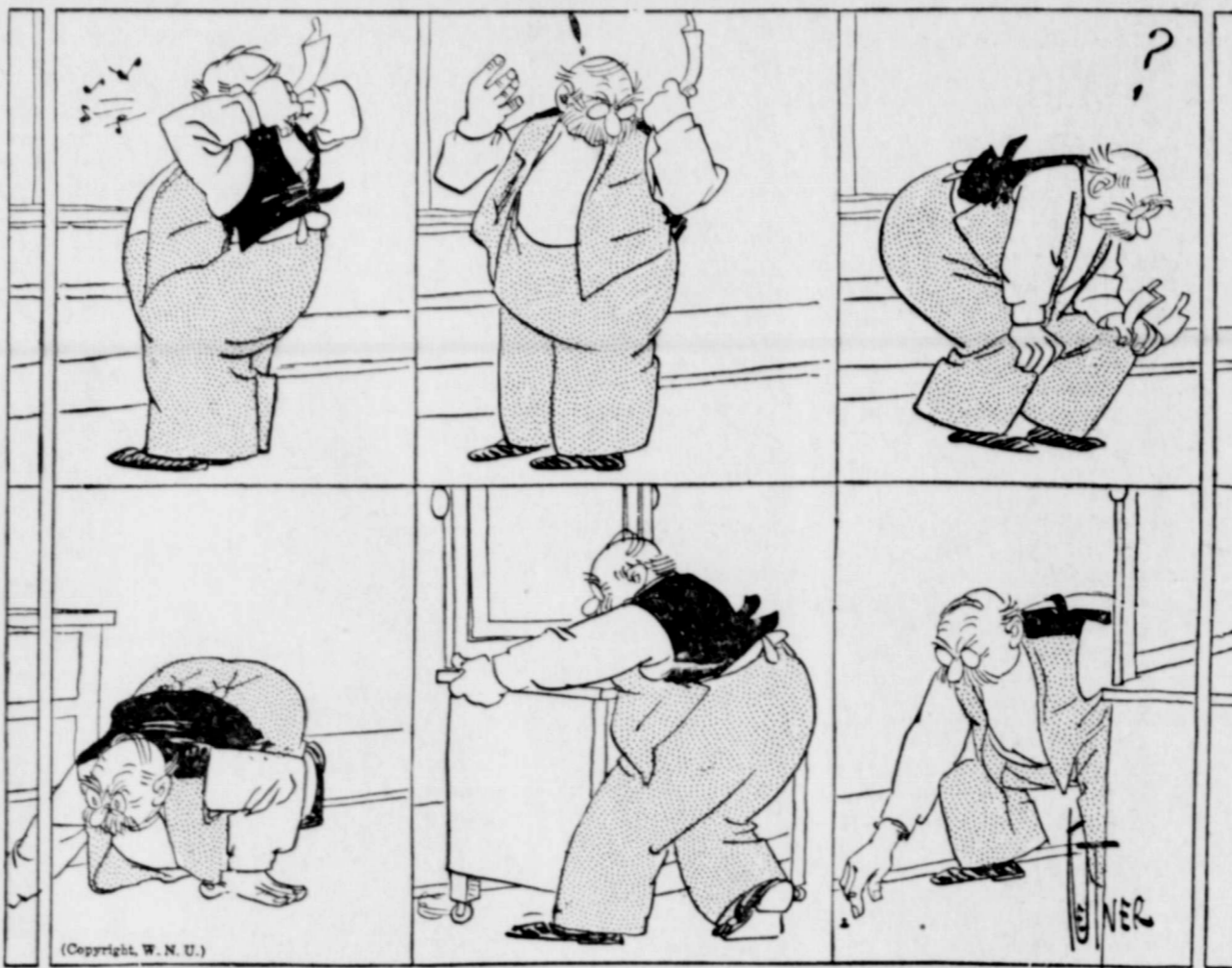
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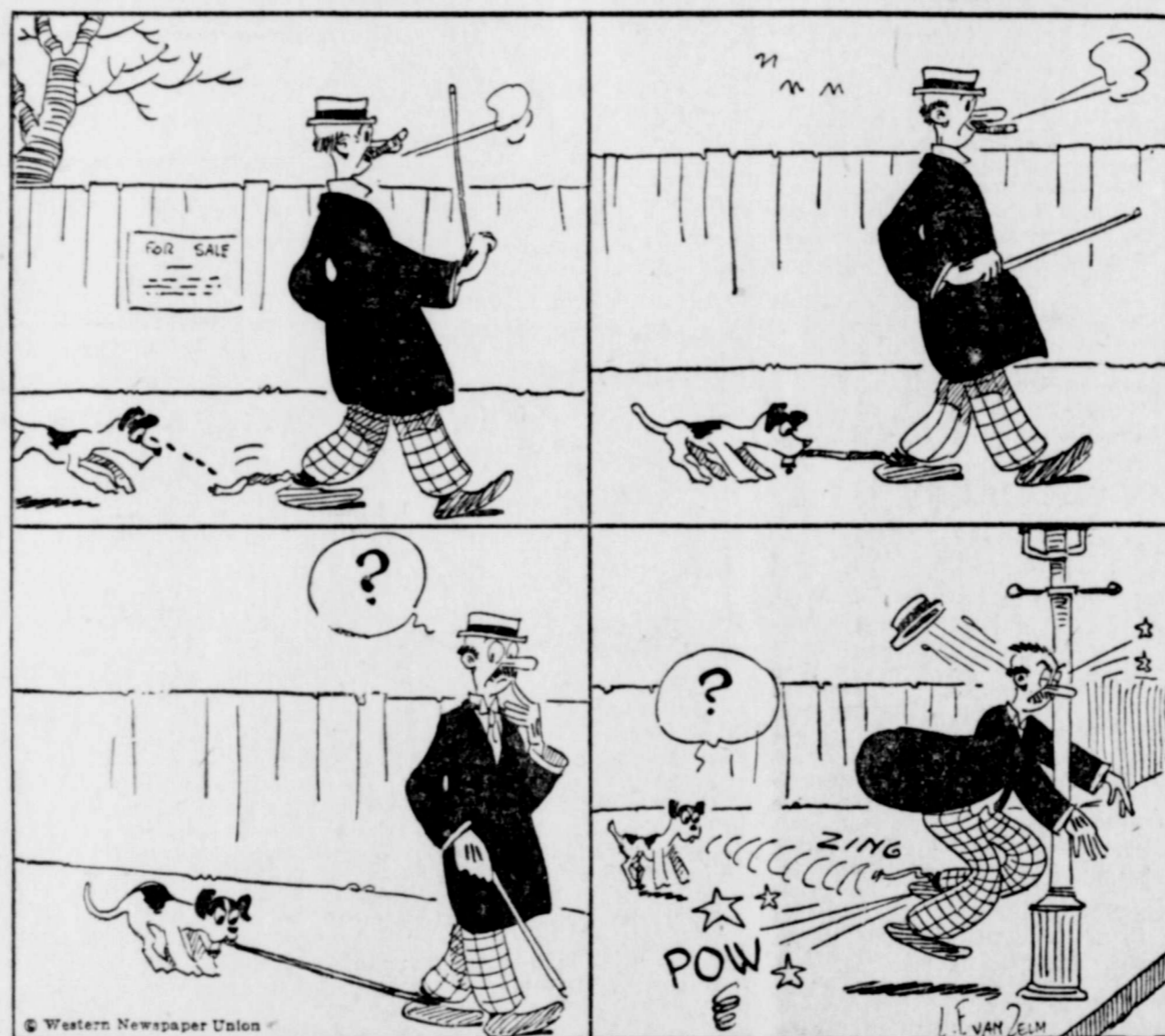
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Through With It
He—So they sold their country home?
She—Oh, yes! All their friends had been to visit them!

Gambling Gambler
"He's a born gambler."
"Why?"
"He tried to match his wife's dress."

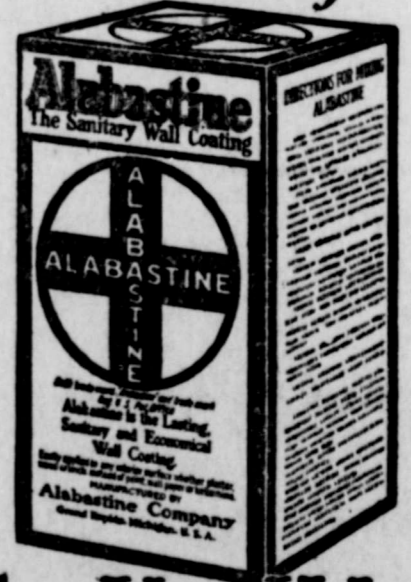
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The Wife-Ship Woman

By HUGH PENDEXTER

Author of "Kings of the Missouri," "Pay Gravel," "A Virginia Scout," etc.

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WNU Service

CHAPTER XIV—Continued

She had difficulty in adjusting some twigs of the hedge to her liking, and her voice was so low I could scarcely hear it as she said:

"I told you once that should you feel the same as you did that time on the river—that second time on the second river—there could be no harm—Ah, I put shame on myself to speak more."

"And I repeat I am a very foolish man and must have love where I love," I stammered.

"Such a hard man!" she sighed, with a quick uplift of her eyes; and I could swear she was laughing at me.

"You brought me here to have me propose marriage to you?" I blurted out.

"It is shameful to make me say that. But it is true," she murmured. Even then I feared she was sacrificing herself to me because of some absurd sense of gratitude.

"But your pride—" "Enough of that word!" she fiercely cried, clutching both my hands and turning eyes filled with tears for my inspection. Then humbly:

"Does monsieur find pride in me now? Or does he find a poor, homeless, homesick girl with no friends, no people?"

My arms would have closed about her slim form had she not had a second thought. Withdrawing from me and holding her head high and haughty she accused me:

"You dared to think wrong of me on that island off Biloxi! You dared to think weakness of me because I came on that terrible ship! Not a word, monsieur! I will listen to no defense!"

As poor Joe Labrador would have said, "Ah, that Mademoiselle Dubois-garde!" In her moods she was as irresponsible as a butterfly, and as irresistible as a sunbeam. I lied bravely and sternly, and severely lectured her for presuming to read my thoughts and then to convict me on whatever conclusions she might happen to form. The rigidity of her pose gradually relaxed while I talked. By the time I had finished a discourse on the evilness of "pride" she was quite limp. And when for the third time I asked her to marry me she did not refuse.

Our wedding was two weeks old and I was still as ardent a believer in fairytales as any Frenchman. Then my host demanded my attention, and informed me that the man who was so insistent on seeing Mrs. Brampton was again calling.

"I believe the fellow must be crazy, William, but it's for you to dispose of him. He bothered her some before you came."

I vowed I would scalp him, and directed the butler to bring him into the rose-garden back of the house. He came, and behold he was the man who had yelled to me as I furiously galloped up the plantation road in search of a wife. What was more astonishing he was Jules Mattor, my boatman when I escaped from Pascagoula bay.

I sternly inquired his business with Mrs. Brampton, and with much squirming and twisting, he told me how he had brought her a message from Biloxi, it being written by no one less than his excellency, Sieur de Bienville.

"And, monsieur, I have waited six weeks, and she will give me no answer to carry back. If I go without an answer his excellency will believe I did not do his business, and he will use a hard hand. Mademoiselle would not give me an answer. Cannot monsieur, who is so big and strong, induce madame to write just a word?"

I sent a boy to fetch Mrs. Brampton. As she entered the garden and beheld Mattor she stilled slightly, but there was nothing but happiness in her face.

"Madame, this man, Jules Mattor, says he brought you a message from Sieur de Bienville and fears he will be punished if he returns without an answer."

"So?" she softly answered. "Then he should have an answer. And has monsieur, my husband, been told what the message contained?"

"I doubt if the messenger knows. I certainly have not asked him."

I turned aside and became interested in a rosebush. With a swish of skirts she was at my side and explaining:

"They found out directly after I sailed. Word came by the very boat which followed the Maire, the very boat Bienville went out to the island to meet that night you escaped from Biloxi. Think of it! That very night Bienville had his orders from my uncle, the marquis, and if you had been a day late they would have bundled me back to France and you would have no little wife to make you happy this day."

I gaped at her stupidly and muttered:

"The trail is very blind, madame. I find a sign here and there."

"Foolish one! I knew it would come in time. That was why I was determined to marry you before you leashed the truth."

"Aye? Well, you did it." "Because I feared that once you learned the truth your silly English pride would send you back to the terrible forest and that abominable river, and I would return to France, or stay here unweid. Here is the message. Read it."

She pulled a paper from the bosom of her gown, but I refused it, suggesting that she tell me what she would. She settled herself primly on a rustic settee and made an imperious little gesture for me to be seated.

"It is like this, my love. My mother was a de Baude, a distant kinswoman of Comte de Frontenac—"

"Pride!" I exclaimed, beginning to understand.

"Her family would have none of her because she married a Dutchman. After both she and my father died an uncle was named as my guardian. He is a friend of Monsieur le Regent, and being a marquis and having great wealth, he is a very sad dog. His tastes and Monsieur le Regent's are the same. The two plan to marry me to an execrable creature, who has much gold, a great family



"You Brought Me Here to Have Me Propose Marriage to You!" I Blurted Demanded.

name, and the morals of the devil. I refuse to marry the beast. Terrible times follow. I am fresh from the convent. I know little of the world. I am terrified when my uncle, the marquis, says it is the regent's will that I marry his choice at once. They bring the man to me.

"He is hideous, and old enough to be my father. I swear I will not wed him. My uncle the marquis, says I shall. I am nearly insane. But there are wonderful stories being told about the Mississippi country. Every one is making a mountain of gold just by buying John L'as' stock. The very servants gossip about the magic of Louisiana. Every one is kind. There is nothing but happiness. The day draws nearer the hateful wedding. I can kill myself, yes; but life is young; life is sweet if not poisoned."

"I dress in a maid's gown and take a few of my jewels and escaped to the coast. The day I reached the port I learn an immigrant ship is about to sail. I go aboard just as they are about to start. Ah, such women-wolves were in it! Then that island and Biloxi! Then that odious la Nouvelle Orleans—the second Paris! I was crazed with fear and horror, monsieur. So I wrote to you. That is all."

Unhappiness in Wake of Avoidable Worry

The thing which causes us to worry is either something that can be remedied, or can't. The thing to do is to look it squarely in the face. Swallow an unpleasant truth or so if necessary, but get down to the issue, is the advice of the Montreal Family Herald.

If the cause cannot be changed, there is only one thing to do—don't think about it. Force yourself to shut it out of your consciousness. Just close your mind to it, and let the blow fall when and where it will. Since you can't stop it, you might at least save your strength for the finish.

But most of our worries are avoidable. We worry because we suddenly think, two hours after we left the house, that we maybe didn't turn off

This Name of Poet

So then, gentlemen, in the eyes of men of your refinement, I would have this name of poet to be regarded as sacred: it is a name to which barbarism never yet did violence. Rocks and wilderness echo the voice; savage brutes are often swayed by melody and stand stock-still; are we, whose education has been of the highest—are we not to be touched by the accents of a poet?—Cicero.

"Very good. I am glad it is cleared up. Nothing from those experiences can ever come into your life to make you sad."

She rose and asked: "Are there no questions, my dear?" "No questions, sweetheart."

She glanced down at the letter and laughed aloud as a child does when immensely pleased.

"Ciel! But I forgot Sieur de Bienville's letter! I have told you nothing of it. I must have no secrets from my husband. It seems his orders are to place me on the first ship returning to France. He is much concerned to have me go back. Monsieur le Regent is vastly interested; and that means Monseigneur L'as will do anything to get me back."

"D—n them all! All France can't get you back?" I cried.

"O-o-o!" and she drew back in a pantomime of fear. "Such terrible words my husband speaks! But his excellency writes most politely. He the same as says I shall dictate my own future. A ship will take me from Charles Town, or Pensacola, as I wish. It is arranged with the English government that I may go in an English ship, if I wish. I am warned not to return by way of the river, as it would be too dangerous. You should feel very proud to find me a woman of so much importance. Now you know all. Will you keep me?"

"Against all Europe!" I told the top of her head.

She struggled free and cried: "But you never ask about the old pirate. Such a polite husband! I know you die of curiosity. He was an undergardener at my uncle's country place. He saw me steal away from home, and he followed me. He was a very wicked old man. He followed me on board the ship, planning to make a fortune out of my disappearance. He knew there would be a great search and a big sum in gold offered. He would wait in the new world till he could drive the best bargain; then he would betray me. He was very wicked."

It was all told. I felt humble and meek, but took care it should not show. So I urged her to get rid of Mattor by sending an answer to Bienville.

"Ma foi! As your wife I think it would be better for Mr. Brampton to write the answer," she replied. "Else why did I keep this poor man waiting until you came here and married me?"

We've traveled far together since those old brave days, and many of the myths have been killed out of the valley. A miracle she never wearies of contemplating is our twin boys. I called them English and she dared up and declared them to be French, and before I could join the issue she was in tears, and saying they were neither French nor English, but were Americans. And so she brought them up to consider themselves. A second miracle she could scarcely comprehend was their astounding growth until they were my equal in stature. And her pride! It towered above all other pride she had ever felt, as the heavens overtop an ant-hill. Their obedience and reverence when with their mother was very beautiful for me to watch. As they became Americans and carried her along with them I ceased calling myself English; for one must go with one's folks, or else feel very lonely.

Narbome and Labrador; Six Fingers and Damaon the Fox. The good and the bad. Yet somehow the mighty river utilized both elements to give me my wife. And I wonder if its other seemingly blind purposes may not contain some hidden good for those who ultimately build cabins in the valley.

[THE END.]

the electric iron in the kitchen, or because we have a house full of company in the evening and nothing seems ready, or because the children won't eat their vegetables, but will fill up on candy, or any number of small things that are the result of our own carelessness or our inattention to duty.

Many Kinds of Oaks

There are 300 kinds of oaks trees having vastly different characteristics, but they have one common feature, and that is they all produce acorns. The white oak is so called because it has a rather white bark, while the black oak's bark is quite dark, black to all intents and purposes during the "wood age." Live oak was always preferred for shipbuilding and for heavy duty, but just why it was named "live" is a matter of doubt.

At one time the island of Nantucket was covered with live oaks, but the land was denuded of this timber years ago during the whaling activities, when several shipbuilding yards flourished on the island and a great fleet of whalers was built there.

Forest fires last year burned over 30,000,000 acres of ground—an area greater than that of New England.



THE SHEEP DOG

"It's not every dog who is so lucky," said Bally Shannon.

"Ba-ba-ba-a-a," said the sheep. "You are more than polite to us. You are kind and complimentary."

"We love you for it."

"I am glad to welcome you as my assistant," said Lady Dale. "I know you will do good work for you have come to me with such splendid recommendations."

Bally Shannon wagged his tail and looked very much pleased.

Bally Shannon was an Irish Wolf-hound and Lady Dale was an Alredale Terrier—and the sheep were sheep!

Lady Dale guarded the sheep in the park, which was a part of the big zoo.

She saw that no harm came to them. For a good many years she had had another dog to help her, but the other dog had been taken back by his master who had found he missed him so much.

"I hear you are very brave," said Lady Dale.

And the timid, shy, nervous sheep looked at Bally Shannon and said:

"Are you really very brave?"

Bally Shannon wagged his tail, barked a little, which meant a laugh, and said:

"Well, I don't know about that. I'm here to look after you, though, and look after you I will."

The sheep beated happily and the other dog looked as if she were quite satisfied.

"Won't you tell us some of your experiences?" she asked.

"You have had such wonderful ones at various times in your life, I am told."

"The most extraordinary one I ever had was when I lost my master when a vessel was sunk—that is, I thought at first that I had, but he was rescued later and when he has finished a trip around the world he will come back here for me."

The sheep were about to weep when Bally said he had lost his master, but now they were smiling again, jostling each other to get near to Bally so they would not miss a word he said.

"I swam about, sometimes catching at a bit of broken wood, and for two



Lady Dale Guarded the Sheep.

whole days I found neither land nor people nor boats.

"But at last a ship picked me up."

"I was dreadfully ill for a little while."

"They said that no other dog could have stood such hardships, and I was proud of that because I hate a creature who will give in while he can possibly hold out!"

"But though I have had such a hard time I am well now and I am a jolly, playful old fellow as you will all agree."

And, as they all agreed and were all rejoicing, little Maggie, in her far-away garden, was shouting with happiness because the hyacinths had come up in spite of a very cold snap they had had, even with snow on the ground in the middle of spring.

"You little dears, you dear little things," was the way Maggie greeted her hyacinths.

And the hyacinths were so fragrant and showed how much they liked the greeting they received.

The robins hated the cold weather but Maggie fed them and looked after them all she could, and how they did appreciate it.

But to Maggie it seemed wonderful that the flowers had come out even after the bad, bad weather.

"My dear little hyacinths, you little dears, you little dears," Maggie said to them again and again and again.

Mary Wanted a Set

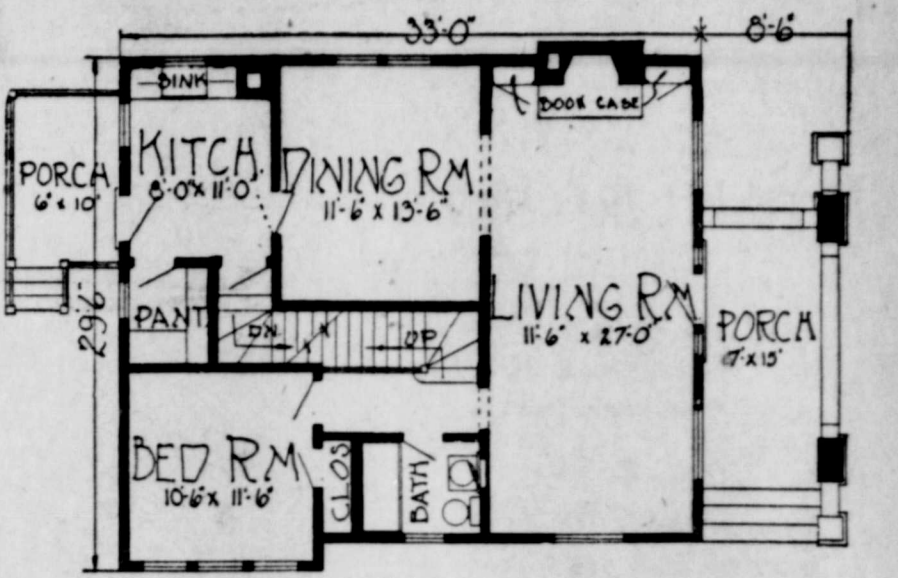
Little Mary went for a visit in the country and was duly taken out to the barn to see all the interesting things there—little pigs, a baby calf, and, in a box filled with hay, old black Tabby with three little black kittens busily getting their breakfast.

Mary turned to her friend, said wistfully, "Oh, Miss Margaret, do you suppose we could get a set like this for our house?"

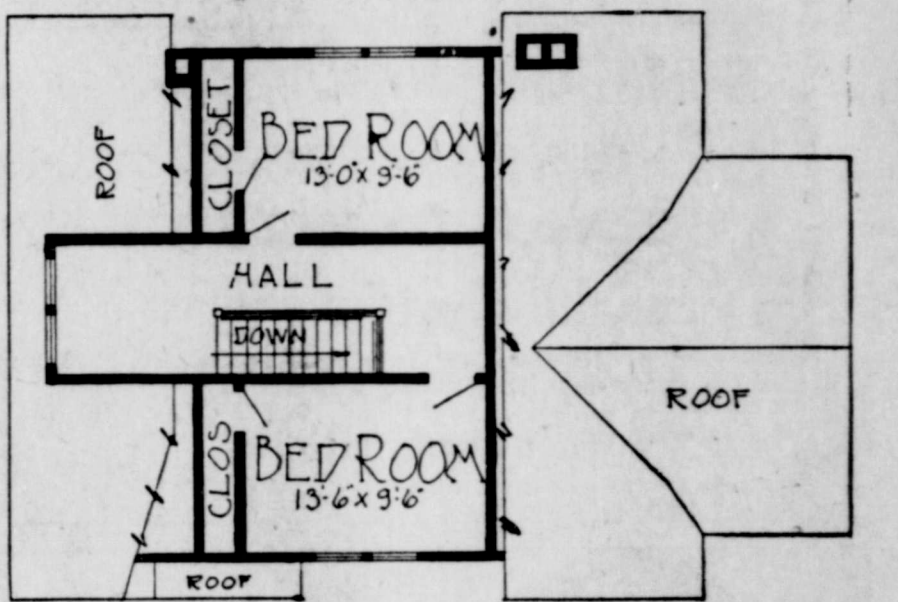
Reminder for Auntie

The twins, Ruth and Roberta, were visiting their aunt. Their birthday was only two days distant. Ruth, evidently fearing that her aunt had forgotten about it, climbed into her lap and whispered in her ear: "Auntie, day after tomorrow is Roberta's birthday. Don't you think that it would be just awfully nice if you would bake her a little birthday cake with candles on it?"

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First Floor Plan.



Second Floor Plan.

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There are many and various ideas of how a house should be planned, depending not only upon the particular requirements of the family which is to occupy it, but also upon the individual taste of the future owners. Certain requirements, however, seem to fall into groups which will satisfy a large group of people having similar tastes and requirements. One of the arrangements which seems to be greatly in demand is the provision of a first-floor bedroom and bath, and this is satisfactorily met by the plan which is shown.

The outward appearance of this house is highly satisfactory. Its lines are simple and effective. The sweep of the roof, the curve of the eaves and the brick porch combine in an air of solidity and tie the house closely to the site. Plain concrete foundation and plain board siding are given a relieving touch by the attractive brickwork in the porch and its pillars, the timbered stucco in the porch gable and the curve of the roof at the eaves.

Across the entire front of this house extends a living room, 27 feet long and 11½ feet deep, with a fireplace and built-in bookcases at one end. From this living room there are two arched doorways. The wide one opens into a dining room of medium but ample size, beyond which is the

kitchen. The latter is a small, compactly arranged room where every inch of space is made to count. From it there is a stairway leading to the basement and a large pantry opens off of one corner, while a rear door admits one from the back porch.

The other door from the living room gives access to the first floor sleeping quarters. On this side of the house there is the bathroom and beyond it a bedroom, the latter provided with a large, roomy closet. Both bathroom and bedroom open off a hall into which the door from the living room leads, and here is placed the stairway leading to the second floor.

The second-floor space is much smaller than the first-floor space, but sufficient to accommodate two large bedrooms. These are placed at either side of a central hall. They measure 13 feet long and 9½ feet wide and each has a large closet extending clear across one end. Windows are provided on one side only, but good cross ventilation can be obtained through the hall and through the opposite room. When these bedrooms are left open the second floor receives ventilation from three sides. For the small family of limited means the second floor could be left unfinished till requirements and finances dictate the addition of this space.

There is no bathroom on the second floor and this would be considered a serious inconvenience by many people. The difficulty might easily be overcome, however, by some rearrangement of the floor space. This could be done without greatly affecting the size of the rooms, as there is considerable space in one end of the hall which is not actually used.

Quiet Tones Best for Sleeping Porch

The paint brush can make the sleeping porch one of the cheeriest places in a house.

For the most part it is well to have the walls and the woodwork of the sleeping porch painted some quiet, restful color, such as soft greens and delicate grays; to add a touch of brightness, the furniture might be painted light dainty shades of pink, blue, cream or rose.

The iron bed is practical for the sleeping porch, and can be painted as well as the wooden bed. However, more and more home builders are coming toward the use of concealed beds, which can be folded into a panel in the daytime and leave the porch free for other uses.

Floors in sleeping porches should be well varnished to keep them waterproof and clean. The ceiling should be painted a lighter tint than the walls—preferably light cream. The bed, with its gay chintz cover, may be protected from sudden rainstorms by an oilcloth covering. The windows should have shades, but no draperies.

Not Easy Task to Pick Bedroom Color

Much thought and care should be expended upon the decoration of bedrooms.

For it is not an easy task to achieve a setting which is quietly restful without being depressing, and at the same time cheerful without being too gay. It is to our sleeping rooms that we retire in search of repose and relaxation. To obtain those results, the nerves should not be excited by brilliant color nor the spirits lowered by a somber environment.

Also, a bedroom should express to a certain extent the personality which is to occupy it. There should always, for instance, be a marked distinction between the scheme of decoration planned for a man's room, and that which is to serve the purpose of a feminine occupant. Simplicity in furnishings and an appearance of solid comfort should characterize the man's bedroom, while milady's boudoir may indulge in more delicate fabrics and a greater daintiness of color and design.

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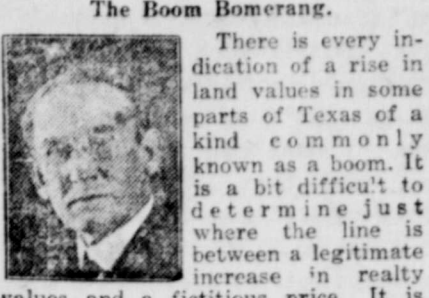
colored shirred georgette accent the popular idea of combining a plain material with the gay print.
 Abounding in intriguing style whims are the new waistcoats and blouses which Paris so modishly creates in colorful complement to the smart two-piece tailored suit. In behalf of the fashionable blouse, French stylists have commanded both gay print and colorful polka dot.
 The use of pompadour print in combination with a monotone fabric is stressed in the O'Rossen model to the left in this picture. Not only is the employment of gay print unique, but the sleeves of plain white shantung are an innovation. The normal waistline is subtly suggested by the clever manipulation of a fitted girdle. That there is a touch of lingerie in the lace fichu foretells the coming vogue for these effects. More and more are lace accessories enhancing the spring costume.
 Likewise the companion blouse in this illustration boasts a touch of lingerie, for the gilet is of plaited batiste. On this blouse of rouge-crepe, O'Rossen, whose art supreme expresses itself in tailored effects, places a tie-collar of white crepe with huge red polka dots done in outline. The belt of white kidskin is piped with red.
 Touches of color appear in detail on the white silk blouse or that of wash satin in pretty colors or white. The Parisian blouse glorifies the idea



other of the lovely hallowed silks done in pastel colorings. These bespeak an exquisite realism in design as well as tone and tint. Perhaps the demure, the very modest patterning, would prove of greater appeal. Very well, for such there are the daintiest all-over designs done in perfect symmetry even to the point of being prim. The last word from authentic style headquarters declares the simpler patterned silks as very smart for the spring frock.
 For the mind of modernistic trend there are silks in resplendent color. Some repeat the glorious colorings of rich stained glass cathedral windows. Even more colorful silks seem to say: "I represent a futuristic art of cubes and squares and triangles and bold colors." Polka dots from little to big are also featured this season. The gown to the left in the picture denotes this tendency. Its panels of solid
 with novel bright pipings and colorful buttons.
 Shantung in colors or white is the smart blouse material this spring. The fabric is exploited in exact match colorings to one's cloth suit. Coral, peach, perverche blue, putty, beige, gray, bois de rose and green, also bright red and navy shantung is styled with contrasting pipings or stitchings done in a tailored way.
 Three outstanding items expressed in the latest Parisian blouse types are neckties, jabots and gilet or vestee effects, to which a fourth may be added—namely, narrow novelty belts which are a part of the design, fashioned to harmonize with the general color scheme. French stylists take delight in using bright colored buttons which emphasize a tailored finish.
JULIA BOTTOMLEY.
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THE PASSION

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The Boom Bomerang.
 There is every indication of a rise in land values in some parts of Texas of a kind commonly known as a boom. It is a bit difficult to determine just where the line is between a legitimate increase in realty values and a fictitious price. It is safe to say that where prices are so high on real estate that it can not be used with profit for the purposes to which it is adapted when values have become fictitious and imprudent Florida real estate has advanced to its present proportions, not because it is worth the price at which it sells, but because Florida has become the playground of the wealthy Easterners who can afford to pay high for their pleasures. Texas can hardly hope to attract enough rich people from the North to create any great competition among them in acquiring pleasure resorts or estates on which to spend their easily earned fortunes. The Texas resort area is too large for that to be possible. Besides, too large a number of them are already permanently settled in California and Florida. Florida would never have had its unprecedented boom but for its accessibility to New Yorkers.

Burned Children Dred Fire.
 Large numbers of people have been attracted to Florida who are not rich and who could not afford to own Florida real estate permanently at the prices to which it soared. They were lured there through prospects for speculation. Many of these were able to sell while prices were still advancing and made money. Those who bought at top prices with the hope of reselling stand to lose money. These are numbered by the thousands. They will likely have to sell at whatever they can get, and many of them, scenting another boom along the Texas coast, will hurry to Texas to recoup their losses, buying in the hope of a repetition of the happenings in Florida. Should enough of these speculators come and put enough energy into their efforts to inflate prices, Texas coast real estate will advance perceptibly, for the speculative mania spreads like wildfire. Texas real estate, in almost all parts of the state, is as yet reasonably cheap. It is worth the prices it brings either for investment or for use. It should advance steadily in value in proportion to the increase in population throughout the country. A few favored spots may increase in value out of their due proportion. But whenever prices advance beyond a revenue producing point they are likely in time to recede and somebody will lose money.

Not Knocking Texas Investment.
 What I have said may sound somewhat like a knock, but it is intended merely as a warning. Texas is too vast to become a playground for the wealthy from other states. In a small way we may reasonably hope to attract and hold tourists, but not in the vast hordes that have gone to Southern California and Florida. We can't build values on a playground basis; we must do it on the basis of returns on investment. Where this can be done there is no better investment than Texas real estate; where it can't be done it is speculation pure and simple. If you have money with which to speculate and desire to use it that way no one objects to the use you make of it, and some speculators get large returns, but for every purely speculative gain there will be somewhere, sometime and to somebody a like loss. There is nowhere better opportunity for investment than in Texas, but speculation is risky and those who have been caught in its foils elsewhere are likely to be a little chary.

Acquiring Knowledge of Values.
 If all people were equally expert in knowing values there would be less poverty. Evaluation is a study unknown to most of us. As a rule we are inclined to place a low value on a property with which we are familiar and a high valuation on that which is less known. Proximity is likely to cheapen a thing in our estimation unless we are skillful in appraising values, and very few are. For that reason many people are constantly selling what they have at less than its worth and buying elsewhere at excessive prices, in that way keeping themselves impoverished. If you are seeking safe investment, as distinguished from speculation, it is a pretty good rule to study values close at home and invest there with discretion, rather than place your money in distant localities. There isn't a locality in Texas where good investments may not be made, but the places where profitable speculation may be done are few.

Abusing the Weather.
 Most of us who were busiest in our complaints about the heat and the dry weather last summer are now just as busily complaining about the cold and the rains. The weather man, however, seems able to stand it.

Cleaning Up The Towns.
 Texas newspapers are all appealing to the people to clean up the back yards and alleys. It is strange that such appeals have to be made, but most people appear indifferent to what is at the back of their places so the front is presentable. I know a man who has his front yard fastidiously neat and his back yard disgustingly dirty, who has good cement walks where he can see them from his front door, but whose neighbors have to wade in mud or take to the streets when they use his walks at the back of his luxurious home. Do you know any such people?

Take a quick away
SHREDDED WHEAT
 Its always ready-to-eat

British Racing Grows
 Interest in horse racing in England has been increasing greatly. Statistics issued by the Racing Calendar show that during the last flat racing season 4,690 horses ran under Jockey club rules, this being the greatest total on record. In 1827 only 1,100 horses ran during the season.

"Careful Walkers"
 When pedestrians were brought before a Washington (D. C.) judge recently for "jaywalking," he organized the "Careful Walkers' club" with administration of this oath: "I solemnly promise I will not deliberately violate any of the traffic regulations made relative to pedestrian control."

Children Cry for
Fletcher's CASTORIA
 MOTHER:—Fletcher's Castoria is especially prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and, by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving natural sleep.

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of **Dr. J. C. Fletcher**. Absolutely Harmless—No Opium. Physicians everywhere recommend it.
Listen!
 Tourist—And how do you make a living, my good man?
 Westerner—I herd sheep.
 Tourist—Did you? I didn't hear anything.
 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.
 The poor we have always with us, says the proverb; and they are full of criticism.
Didn't Want Much
 "Brown's about the nerviest chap I ever knew."
 "What now?"
 "He mounded into a motor car store yesterday and asked the salesman to give him a sample."
 A torpid liver prevents proper food assimilation. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills tone up the liver. They act gently but surely. 312 Pearl St., New York. Adv.
 In two years the number of tramps relieved in the Suffolk (England) casual wards has grown from 17,000 to 28,358.

Genuine BAYER ASPIRIN
 SAY "BAYER ASPIRIN" and INSIST!
 Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 25 years.
DOES NOT AFFECT THE HEART
Safe Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions. Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocetioester of Salicylic acid.

A Child's Laxative Which Mothers Can Rely On
Dr. Caldwell's SYRUP PEPSIN

To Dr. W. B. Caldwell, of Monticello, Ill., a practicing physician for 47 years, it seemed cruel that so many constipated infants and children had to be kept "stirred up" and half sick by taking cathartic pills, tablets, salts, calomel and nasty oils. While he knew that constipation was the cause of nearly all children's little ills, he constantly advised mothers to give only a harmless laxative which would help to establish natural bowel "regularity." In Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin mothers have a regulating laxative which they can depend upon whenever a child is constipated, bilious, feverish or sick from a cold, indigestion or sour stomach. All children love its pleasant taste. Buy a large 60-cent bottle at any store that sells medicine and just see for yourself how perfectly it cleanses and regulates the bowels of infants and children.

PROG
PASTIME 1
 CLARENDON
 for week beginning Sa
 Saturday, 24th—Fox
 Buck Jones
The Fighting Bachelor
 Sav, this is Buck's newest picture, and—
 talk about thrills. A man's nerve, this
 is by far his best picture, and they are all
 good. See this one without fail. Also
 Good Comedy. 10c-30c.

Monday-Tuesday, 26th and 27th
 Paramount Super Special—
 Harold Lloyd, in
For Heaven's Sake
 This is by far his best bet, and he is the
 Comedy King today. More money was
 spent to make this comedy production
 than has ever been spent on any other
 three of his productions. You can not
 afford to miss it. 23c-50c.

Wednesday-Thursday, 28th and 29th
 Fox Special—May McAcroy and
 Ford Sterling, in
The Road to Glory
 It's the Devil's Highway—a highway of
 thrills, a trail of romance. Chance gave
 her happiness, chance took it away, and
 chance returned it to her. Also Aesop's
 Fables. 10c-30c.

Friday, 30th—Producers Picture
 Vera Reynolds, Edmund Burns, in
The Million Dollar Handicap
 This is a race track story, full of all the
 thrills that come from the national sport.
 Also Good Comedy. 10c-30c.

QUEEN THEATRE
 Saturday, 24th—Leo Maloney, in
The Trouble Buster
 A Western play full of comedy, thrills,
 and love. Always a good show. Come
 and see for yourself. 10c-25c.

ICE! ICE!
 Glen Bailey has opened up his
 ice house at the old stand, just
 east of the postoffice, and can
 supply all his customers on short
 notice. Call on him for ice, in
 large or small quantities.

See the little girls' Silk Sex at
 Adams Dry Goods & Notions.

Citation on Application for Letters of Guardianship
 No 478

The State of Texas,
 To the Sheriff or Any Constable
 of Donley County—Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded to
 cause to be published once each
 week for a period of ten days be-
 fore the return day hereof, in a
 newspaper of general circulation
 which has been continuously and
 regularly published for a period
 of not less than one year in said
 Donley county, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas
 To All Persons Interested in the
 Welfare of Billy Gordon Yoakum, Minor:

Mrs. Bill Yoakum has filed in
 the County Court of Donley
 county, Texas, an application for
 Letters of Guardianship upon
 the person and estate of said
 minor, Billy Gordon Yoakum,
 which said application will be
 heard at the next term of said
 Court, commencing on the first
 Monday in May, A. D. 1926, the
 same being the 3rd day of May,
 A. D. 1926, at the court house
 thereof in Clarendon, Texas, at
 which time all persons interested
 in the welfare of said minor may
 appear and contest said applica-
 tion, if they see proper to do so.
 Herein fail not, but have you
 before said Court on the said
 first day of the next term there
 of this writ, with your return
 thereon, showing how you have
 executed the same.

Given under my hand and the
 seal of said Court, at office in
 Clarendon, Texas, this 21st
 day of April, A. D. 1926.

Lottie E. Lane,
 [Seal] Clerk County Court,
 Donley County, Texas
 By Helen Wiedman,
 Deputy.

First Baptist Church
 Every department of the work
 of our church is growing in in-
 terest, in attendance and in
 power. The congregations last
 Sunday were even above our ex-
 pectations, and we expected
 good crowds. Some came late
 and could not find a seat any-
 where except in the front row of
 the choir platform, and went
 away. If they will come before
 7:45 p. m. next Sunday, they will
 find room. The special service
 on Tuesday night had a crowded
 house and many standing to hear
 the message. The free moving
 picture show was excellent for a
 church service, too. The weather
 does not hinder us; we have
 crowds "rain or shine."

Next Sunday morning the text
 will be found in Math 20:1-16
 "Why stand ye here all the day
 idle?" A great crowd expected
 for the evening hour the text
 will be in Rom 13:13-14. The
 theme will be, "The Charleston
 Flappers." The coarse glaring
 immoral films are being produced
 and screened for propaganda by
 the "Wets," Catholics and Jews.
 The wave of immorality which
 threatens to deluge and destroy
 Christianity in our country is
 being inspired and instigated by
 the bad films in the picture
 shows throughout the land. We
 are publishing special announce-
 ments for the sermon and special
 invitation to all the "Bootleg-
 gers," "Old Warts," "Alley
 Rats" and "Film Fans." It al-
 ways has been the Devil's policy
 to pretend that preaching
 against sin makes things worse.
 It is too late to run in bad shows
 and "cuss the preacher" and
 growl around in the dark. We
 expected opposition, anyway,
 and actually thought it would
 come from that source. The
 Lord and the Truth will win the
 victory. We aim to hit the sore
 place with our gospel lance.
 Come on in, boys; it is going to
 happen anyway. The best thing
 for a boy is a hot point and a
 lance. We urge the pussyfooting
 minister and the "Old Gink" to
 come on in and hear us rather
 than to hear about us.

A big free hearted, open house
 welcome to everybody in town.
 J. H. McCauley, Pastor.

Have ladies' Silk Hose for One
 Dollar in almost any color you
 may want.
 Adams Dry Goods & Notions.

Mrs. Chas. Baldwin of Lamesa
 was in Hedley the first of the
 week, visiting her daughter,
 Mrs. G. Z. Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp, from
 Vernon, were here the past week
 visiting at the J. A. Pirtle home.
 Mrs. Kemp is Mrs. Pirtle's sister,
 and Mr. Kemp is one of the
 owners of the Hedley Motor Co.

Mrs. Tom Trent attended the
 funeral of Mrs. Charles Good
 night, at Goodnight, on Monday
 of last week. Mrs. Goodnight
 was Mrs. Trent's aunt.

Frank Dunaway was here the
 first of the week from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adamson
 and daughters and Miss Jean-
 nette Adamson, from Shamrock,
 spent last week end with home
 folks here.

Garland Tomberlin of Ama-
 rillo spent Saturday and Sunday
 with relatives here.

T. M. Little Sr., of Clarendon,
 was a business visitor in Hedley
 one day this week.

Read the financial statements
 of the two Hedley banks in this
 issue of the Informer. These
 institutions are in healthy con-
 dition, as usual.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday School at 9:45.
 Preaching at 11:00
 Singing at 3:30
 Senior League at 7:00
 Preaching at 8:00

At the morning preaching ser-
 vice I plan to speak on The Holy
 Ghost and His Work Today. At
 the evening hour I plan to use as
 my text the first verse in the
 Bible. I used that one time last
 year, and may repeat some
 things said at that time. I am
 using this again by request from
 more than one. It comes up now
 on account of the Sunday School
 lessons being along in that part
 of the Bible at this time. The
 text will be, "In the beginning
 God created the heavens and the
 earth."

The singing in the afternoon is
 in keeping with our plans made
 some time ago, to meet on each
 second and fourth Sunday after-
 noons for this purpose.
 Next Sunday is Missionary
 day in the Sunday School, also.
 Let all remember this in plan-
 ning their offering.
 We shall be glad to have all
 who care to worship with us
 next Sunday.
 J. W. Hawkins, Pastor.

DR. ATTIGUS WEBB IS VISITOR IN OUR CITY

Dr. Attigus Webb, Superinten-
 dent of the Anti Saloon League
 of Texas, and Mr. Ellis, field man
 of that organization, were in
 Hedley Tuesday night. In spite
 of mud and threatening weather,
 a great crowd greeted them at
 the First Baptist church where
 Dr. Webb delivered a strong ad-
 dress on different phases of the
 nefarious liquor traffic, stressing
 the need of "eternal vigilance"
 on the part of all lovers of sobri-
 ety and clean living. The motion
 pictures shown following the ad-
 dress were appropriate and fur-
 nished food for serious thinking.
 Dr. Webb is also editor of
 Home & State, a mighty good
 paper for every prohibitionist to
 have in his home.

HEDLEY MAY HAVE GAS IN THE NEAR FUTURE

A number of Hedley citizens
 went up to Clarendon Monday
 night and attended a mass meet-
 ing called for the purpose of
 considering proposals to connect
 with a gas line running from one
 of the Panhandle fields. Two
 propositions have been submitted
 and are being considered,
 we understand.
 Some definite action is expect-
 ed at another meeting to be held
 the coming week.

Have good prices on Peter Pan
 and Kaibonie Gingham. Adams
 Dry Goods & Notions.

DELBERT KINSEY TO UNDERGO OPERATION

Delbert Kinsey, son of Mr.
 and Mrs. C. L. Kinsey, is quite
 sick, and was taken to the hospi-
 tal at Clarendon for an appen-
 dicitis operation. We understand
 they will operate tomorrow.
 Delbert's many friends hope
 for his early and complete re-
 covery.

Mrs. R. B. Adams is again at
 her place of business, having re-
 turned from Wichita Falls the
 past week.

Yesterday was "Junior Day"
 in the Hedley schools, and the
 young folks pulled off a street
 parade that was "worth the
 money."

BLACK MAMMOTH JACK
 —a good one—will make the sea-
 son at my place, 9 miles north
 east of Hedley.
 Bill Luttrell

TWO MORE MEETINGS OF PARENT-TEACHERS

On Thursday, April 29, the
 Parent Teachers Association of
 Hedley will meet to elect officers
 for the next year. We urge
 every member to be present at
 this election and cast your vote
 for officers whom you believe
 will be the best fitted for the
 places.

A school without a live P. T. A.
 is more or less crippled. The
 parents and teachers seldom get
 together on matters of vital con-
 cern to both; therefore, neither
 knows nor understands the oth-
 er's wishes or plans.

April 29 will be Trustees' Day
 to entertain. The subject is
 "Punishment"

1. The Object of Discipline—
 D. C. Moore
2. The Object of Punishment—
 J. A. Tollett.
3. Punishment should always
 stand in relation to the offense;
 it should not be merely an atone-
 ment for an offense committed,
 but it should show the nature of
 the offense.—T. E. Bailey

While not all the names of the
 Board appear on the program,
 we request the presence of all
 seven men, as well as all other
 patrons and friends of our school
 who wish to see the next year
 the very best in the history of
 Hedley school.

One week following, on May 6,
 the program will be given by the
 First, Second and Third Grades.
 Come to each of these meetings.
 Don't forget the dates.
 Elna Horne, Cor. Sec'y.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howard
 and two daughters, of Memphis,
 stopped here a short while last
 Sunday afternoon en route home
 from Amarillo.

J. D. Swift and Chas. Lowry
 of Clarendon, were visitors in
 Hedley one day this week.

Mrs. Ruby Coble has returned
 from a several weeks visit with
 her sister, Mrs. Garvin McCas-
 kill, at Wellington.

Mrs. Clyde Adams left Thurs-
 day for her home in Amarillo,
 after a visit with relatives and
 friends in this city, Wellington
 and Childress.

The Rose Confectionery
 MOTHER'S DAY WILL SOON BE HERE
 Don't fail to see our Mother's Day Candy, with a
 "motto" on each box. Look before you buy. The
 DOUGLAS CHOCOLATES ARE THE BEST.
 Don't forget our delicious Ice Cream Sandwiches
 C. H. MEADOR, Proprietor

Corner Cafe and Market
 A GOOD PLACE TO EAT
 We carry a full line of Fresh and Cured Meats, and
 can save you money on your meat bill.
 WE STRIVE TO PLEASE
 W. B. LAURENCE, Proprietor

QUICK SERVICE STATION
 FEDERAL TIRES
 ACCESSORIES
 GAS and OILS
 ROAD SERVICE
 LADIES REST ROOM
 We'll Treat You Right. Give Us a Trial
P. L. Dishman, Prop.
 Phone 107 Hedley, Texas

SEE US FOR YOUR
AUTO TOP WORK
 In this line we do a class of work that can not be
 equaled in this section, nor excelled anywhere
J. H. RUTHERFORD, SADDLERY
 CLARENDON, TEXAS

WHY WORRY ABOUT THAT Battery Being Down?
 when we can charge it back up in eight and ten hours, and
 rebuild same and make it stand up. We will sell you a
**Genuine Ford Six Volt 13-plate Battery with wood or rub-
 ber box for \$15 00. Guaranteed.**
 We have a work shop equipped with all kinds of tools and
 machinery for work on Ford cars, and where there is good
 equipment you get best results. We stand behind all of
 our work, and assure you **Strictly First Class Service.**
**Why are Ford parts better than imitations? Because of
 Ford steel alloys and Ford heat treatment. Ford heat treat-
 ment is 10 years in advance of methods in use elsewhere.**
 We have that Good Gulf Gasoline, that Texaco Ford Chat-
 terless Oils, the Pennant Ford Oil, all kinds of Mobiloils,
 and you can get exactly the right kind of oil and gas here--
 so why worry about it? Drive here and we will see that
 you get what you want and need.
 At Clarendon, we have the best equipped shop in Texas.
 We invite you to call on us there. We'll be glad to see you.

Hedley Motor Co.
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 HEDLEY, TEXAS CLARENDON, TEXAS