THE HEDLEY INFORMER

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HEDLEY, DONLEY COUNTY TEXAS DECEMBER 14, 1934

NO. 6

Xmas Gifts

Do your Xmas shopping here. You'll find a wide variety of gifts to select from, with prices that will surprise you.

> Hedley Drug Co. PHONE 3 This Store is a Pharmacy

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Brother Frank E. Chism will presch in Hedley, at the Church of Christ, the second Sunday of each month

Everybody is invited to come out and bear him.

Hible Classes every Sunday morning from 10 to 11 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to auend.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School st 9:45 a m. C E Johnson, Superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. B T & at 6:80 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. W. M. S, meets Monday at 3 p m ; Y. W. A. at 4:00. M. E. Wells, Pastor.

WEST BAPTIST CHURCH

Byren F. Todd, pastor Sunday School at 10:a.m. Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sundays and on Saturday before the 2nd Sunday. Morning service 11:00 a m. Evening service 8:00 Visitors are siways wel-

B. Y. P. U. and adult Bible Sunday at 7:00 P. M.

The Informer, \$1.00 per year.

MOSLEY HOUSE BURNS Hedley friends extend simps thy to the M. W. Mosley family of Clarendo in the loss and damage of their household goods. when their residence caught fire | ness session was held.

roosters, \$1 00 each. Mrs C. A Waddell

wife

THE METHODIST CHURCH

A V. Hendricks, Pastor Sunday School Sunday morn. ng at 9:45. Clarence Davis, Supt. Epworth League at 8:00, Martha morning and evening each Sun-

NAZARENE CHURCH

E. F Robinson. pastor Sunday Bible School, 9:45 a. m. Preaching Service, 6.80 p. m Presching Service, W M S. Wednesday, 2:30 P m Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:15 We Welcome You

COTTON GINNED

Up to Wednesday noon, the three Hedley gins and the Me 2705 bales of cotton

There were 5.782 bales of cotton gianed in Donley Co , prior to Nov 14 1984, as compared with 15,601 bales ginned to Nov. 1. 1933, according to info mation received from Tom A Ballew, collector of cotton statistics for the Dept , of Commerce, Bureau of the Census

HEDLEY P. T. A.

Met Thursday, Dec 6. A program on responsibility of the home to the community was rendered Leader, Mrs Z T Beaty, opened with the Lord's Prayer. Mother singers Mesdames Weils. Moffitt. Hooker and Simmos sang. Sweet and Low and In the Gloaming Miss Mary L Haw child consideration for other the sympathy of the entire com members of the family and effect of the teaching on leadership.

Mrs. Webb read a paper on chi'd friendship The meeting was turned back to the president, Mrs Bridges, and a short busi

The tress Mrs Besty, reported \$6 00 cleared from the Ex For Sale -- 15 AAA barred rock banquet A count was taken on the mothers, and teachers of the different grades The second, third, sixth, eighth and eleventh Winford Pond and Paul Anglin tied Numbers were fixed and Queen and Misses Dean Jenkins and the one drawing number 5 won Addie Lou Jones spent the week the \$1 00 The third grade was end with C E Thompson and the lucky one Mrs. Wells dismissed with prayer.

> The program for Dec 20, will be a Christmas program by the grades, a benefit program for P T. A. Admission 10 15e Publicity Chairman.

Miss Verdun Johnson, who formerly made her home with the Dr. Walker family, writes that she would like very much to get the Hedley Informer. So the paper will find its way each week to her Oklahoma City ad dress, the Christmas gift of Dr. 11:00 and Mrs Walker.

> For Sale-Some nice fat hogs, weight about 200 lbs. 7 miles north of Hedley J T. Bain.

PRE-XMAS SPECIALS

Pre Xmas specials for tw reeks, beginning Dec. 8

Suits cleaned and pressed 85c trade We give tickets. Dresses cleaned and pressed 85e or 8 for \$1 00

Repair work free We are now modernly equipped for four or five hour service. All est cash prices for your produce. work guaranteed. Come in and

H. Mobley's Tailor Shop.

A bargain in house and lot at

Eula Nanney, Hedley

Engene Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs & C. Bell, was carried to an Amarillo bospital last Wednesday, and under went an appendi citie operation. His condition was considered very grave at

Mr and Mrs. Homer Bridges of Bartlesville, Okla. visited re- day evening, Dec 21, at 7:80. latives in Hedley last week

first, but he is reported better

at this time

For Trade or Sale-one set of big fat hog

MRS. EDNA GATES DIES

Beath has again invaded our town, this time calling the aged Knight gin had ginned a total of Mrs Edna Gates, who lived with ber daughter, Mrs. J E Carwile Mrs. Gates was born in Monroe. La March 9, 1865, and died Dec 6 being in her 69th year

The deceased moved from her native state to Texas when she was 14 where she had since made her bome. The past eight menths she lived in Hedley. At an early age she was converted and joined the Baptist Church. and has lived a consistent and devoted Christian life When she was 20 years old she was mar ried to J. W. Jordan, and later to R T. Gates.

Four daughters survive as follows: Mrs. T Von Heuverswyp of Natalia, Texas; Mrs Mason Crow, Brawley, Cal : Mrs Laura Edwards, Woodland. Texas, and Mrs. J. E Carwile of Hedley All were at her bedside when the end came. The bereaved have

NOTICE

I have taken over the Nipper store and will serve school lunches. Also have a nice line of school supplies, candies, gas and oil. All lunches 5c for those who like a bowl of hot soup, a cup of choc olate or a cake Come in Motorine oil and Germ processed Get the best. Mrs E M Me-

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Give semething useful and pretty for Xmas

ATTENTION

Thempson Auto Salvage Shep is located in back of Bailey ice house. We buy, sell or trade. General repair work.

Don't forget we are headquar ters for Santa Claus. We have a nice line of gifts, and you cannot beat our prices.

B. & B. Variety

NOTIGE

stere in the building formerly occupied by the Equity Union. We will at all times handle a complete line of staple and fancy groceries, and will endeavor to give service that will please you. We will appreciate a part of your

> G. L. Armstrong John Aufill

We also have in connection a gream and poultry station. High Operated by C. C. Stanford.

NOTICE

We have opened a beauty paror in the former location of the Ko Zee Beauty Shop, and are prepared to take care of your beauty needs We will appreciate your consideration.

Charm Beauty Shoppe

XMAS PAGEANT

will present a Xmas pageant, "When The King Came," on Fri-

You can get felt insoles, viscel shee eil, leather shee strings, and other shee accessories at

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Barnes & Hastings Grocery Co. PHONE 21

Chunn & Boston

Prices Good Friday and Saturday

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Chase & Sanborn dated, Ib 31c Special ground, 2 lb.

1 lb. Seda 12c 2 lb. Soda 19e

- NIIT Swans Down, pkg. 29c \$1.85

Mincemeat, 3 pkgs. 25c Hershey's Cocoa, 8 oz. 8c Cocoanut, Ib. 23c

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We buy Cream, Eggs, etc.

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Christmas

Gifts

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this year. We have a good

selection of high grade arti-

cles at a reasonable price.







Crime Laboratory Uses New Methods

Test Tubes and Microscopes Trace Criminals.

Washington .- Test tubes and micro scopes, no less than machine guns and high-powered rifles, are the government's weapons in its relentless campaign against crime.

In a suite in the new Justice department building. Director J. Edgar Hoover of the division of investigation has established one of the world's most complete and modern crime labora-

Scientists in those quiet rooms, working over bits of hair, scratched bullets or fragments of paper, develop many of the clews that enable armed federal agents in the field to go after crimenals with the certainty they are getting the right man.

It was a laboratory expert, Charles Appel, who gave important evidence in the preliminary hearing of Bruno Hauptmann, Lindbergh kidnap-murder suspect. Appel analyzed Hauptmann's handwriting and held it identical with that in the ransom notes.

Typewriting is Traced.

If a criminal seeks to protect him self by using a typewriter, he is scarcely less safe. On file in the laboratory are specimens of writing made on ev ery known make and model of machine. In each are minute variations that stand out like a sore thumb-to the

Messages written with "secret" ink

Bought by Giants



Bill Terry already is revamping the New York Giants for the next season. It is announced that Dick Bartell (above), star shortstop of the Phillies. has been acquired in return for four players and an unnamed sum in cash. The four traded are John Ryan Johnny Vergez, George Watkins and John

ODD THINGS AND NEW-By Lame Bode

PROBLEMS OF A HOSTESS!

PEOPLE, THERE ARE 40,320 DIFFERENT

WAYS OF SEATING.

THE AIRCRAFT BASE

SARATOGA, ACTUALLY CARRY

TOR TRUCKS TO HANDLE

PS, LEXINGTON AND

AT A DINNER TABLE FOR EIGHT

WETLESS

WATER WETS

CAUSE IT CLINGS

IN WATER, OBJECTS

MAY BE DIPPED AND

REMOVED WITHOUT

WETTING.

WATER-

are secret no longer when the laboratory gets them. An ultra-violet light brings out most hidden writing in an

instant and, if it won't, chemicals will. Thousands of watermarks are on file. to aid in tracing the kind and source of paper used in ransom notes, extortion threats or other documents bearing on a crime. The laboratory is assembling specimens of the tracks made by all known kinds of automobile tires.

Hair Carefully Studied.

A bit of hair found at the scene of a crime may lead to important evi-With a microscope and specimen of hair, the expert can tell wheth er the hair fell out, was pulled out or cut off: the race and approximate age of the person from whom it came. From the tiny oil glands at the roots they can even make a good guess as to whether the person was fat or lean.

"Some people even claim they determine sex, height and other characteristics of a person from a sample of hair," explains Chief L. C. Schildren of the division's identification unit, but we don't think you can go quite that far."

More than one criminal has been con victed because of the fact that every gun makes minutely different scratches on bullets fired through it. Given the bullet used in a crime and a suspected gun the ballistics expert can determine quickly if that gun actually was used.

The expert fires a shot through the gun. The two bullets are placed under a double microscope, connected by a single eye piece. If minute scratches blend into a single image it is certain that the two bullets came from the same weapon.

White Enamel

Charm, cheer and restfulness are provided by white and ivory enamel on woodwork. The light rays are radiated and a soothing and restful influence imparted. These two finishes also render a simple dignity indicative of good taste, and harmonize unusually well with drapes and furniture of any color

Hold Those Horses

Rockford, Ill,-Still on the city's tatutes, aldermen discovered, is a law which provides a \$25 fine for a person who places a sign on the street which might frighten horses.

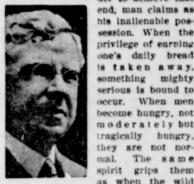
School Chalk Color Causes Eye Strain

Lincoln, Neb.—It's not bad writing, but the color of the chalk used on school-room blackboards that causes eye strain of pupils. Addressing the Southeastern Nebraska Optometrists' association here, Dr. Leo G. Miller said that yellow chalk on the blackboard is much easier to see, causes less eye strain, requires letters only twothirds to three-quarters the size of those in white chalk.

THE RIGHT TO LIVE

LEONARD A. BARRETT

The universal demand is "the right to live." Whatever is necessary in order to achieve that



hts inalienable possession. When the privilege of earning one's daily bread is taken away. something mighty serious is bound to occur. When men become hungry, not moderately but ragically bungry, they are not normal. The same spirit grips them as when the wild

beasts kill as well as risk all sorts of hazards in order to obtain food for their offspring. The innate right to live has been the cause of nearly all the revolutions in history. When the so-called upper classes claim the privflege of "let him get who can," the submerged population claim the same right, and then we have war.

Heads Auxiliary



who was elected national president of the American Legion auxiliary at the annual convention in Miami.

Where economic restlessness exists. there is a strong undercurrent frequently dangerous and abnormal which. regardless of all consequences, claims

the right to have its daily bread. It is folly to attempt to stifle this nner urge. The English queen may have decreed that all unemployed persons either find work on a certain day or go to prison, but that does not always settle it. Prison bars may limit the activities of the physical, but have never yet silenced the power of the mental and spiritual forces. The Roman emperor murdered the martyrs. but the cause which led them to their death still lives, while Rome is only ancient history.

The whole world today is surcharged with a spirit of "the struggle to survive." The so-called dole generously distributed is in danger of being pressed too far, especially when it lowers the morale. Some persons are endeavoring to rise above it; especially that person who modestly insists upon your acceptance of an article offered for sale instead of keeping the money you offered as an act of charity. The supreme need of the day is the preserva tion of self-respect, thus avoiding the menace of a lower standard of those values which constitute one's right to live. When mutual confidence has been restored the problem of unemployment will be solved and men will have th privilege of earning their daily bread. 6. Western Newspaper Union.

Guillotine a Trophy

Paris.-The guillotine which was sed during the French revolution to chead 1,000 condemned nobles and en sold at auction here

K EEPING children well shod is one in common. They focus attention on the problems of parents. Apart the thing or things of importance. It from the cost, which may be consider able, there is the still more important matter of suiting the shoe to the foot. Adults who have trouble with their feet realize that shoes have a great deal to do with it. A child cannot know about such things. What he wants is new shoes and some children

are too easily satisfied. There are few things which please a little tion rather than stimulation, child's vanity more than to display on his feet a pair of new shoes. It is an event to be taken to the shoe store and have the sole attention of sales person and parent while various pairs of shoes are tried on, and discussed. Sometimes he feels rather out of it, although the shoes

when purchased are to be worn by him, for conversation quite over his head will go on about the shoes, and why they do or do not fit. All the time he is conscious of the ones which he likes best, and often insists on having a hearing.

While it is a wise thing to buy children's shoes rather big for them, it is unwise to get them too large. The shoes will not support the foot in just the right places. The instep of the shoes may come too near the ball of the foot, and the width will permit the toes to rub against the inside of the shoe. Adults find that corns are made worse, if not actually caused, by wearing shoes that are too large, as well as those too small.

A Child's Foot.

The bones of a child's foot are still in a somewhat formative state, and they should not be forced into strained positions, lest they become slightly de formed, not enough to show, but enough to give trouble later on.

The matter of high and low heels is one that should be taken into account in misses' and adults' shoes. It is now recognized that not every foot feet need high heels. But the reverse is more likely to be true, as more feet peed low-heeled shoes than high. However, one woman I knew had constant trouble with her feet and finally went to a famous orthopedic doctor. put her into fairly high-heeled shoes and she found that her "sensible" shoes had never been the kind for her feet. Part of her trouble was immediately relieved by the higher heels However a very small tapering heel which is sometimes excellent for a dancing shoe should not be for walking shoes. While regulation walking shoes do not have them, very often one sees adult, young persons espe cially, wearing them on the street. Trouble is in the offing for women who wear such heels at such a time. The type of shoe should suit its use.

Children's Studies.

There are certain sure ways to get children to learn things. Teachers and parents who wish the best results in knowledge of those under their training do well to realize them. One is subject. These ways have one thing fore.

is of small value to prod a child's mind. He has other things to think about besides those parents and teachers want him to consider. A child's mind is not inactive. It may be miles away from the subject that is in the mind of the instructor, but there is too much that is new and strange in the world in which the child finds himself for him to be unresponsive to them. The young mind needs direc-

@. Bell Syndicate.-WNU Service

Twin Sweater Set



The inevitable twin sweater set is a complement of tweeds. This set is of the softest imported dark wool in a dark hunter's green. Hand-sewn peccary gloves-another tweed requisite.

Amateur Ornithologist Saw Bird Kill Itself

Wellsburg, W. Va .- An amateur ornithologist here claims to have seen a quail commit suicide. Harry T. Bownman, a trolley-car

nductor, went groundhog hunting on his day off and came back with a dead quail and a strange story. "I was coming over a small knoll when I saw the bird." Bowman told

of a cliff, then fly straight down, hitting its head on a rock. "The bird repeated the procedure several times, and on the fourth trial,

his friends. "It would fly to the top

died of a broken neck." Except for a small blister on the

back of the bird's neck, the quail was plump and apparently well. Bowman maintains that the suffering caused by the blister led the bird to kill itself.

Naval Radio Stations Save Nation \$3,300,000

Washington,-Naval radio stations saved the government more than \$3,-300,000 in the last year.

More than half the saving, according to the Navy department, was on com-munications handled for departments other than the navy.

Thirty-six shore radio stations and 43 radio direction-finding stations are maintained by the navy, at a total cost of \$795,684.43. It was said that during the last fiscal year naval comto arouse curiosity about the thing. munications have been operated at less

The other is to awaken interest in a cost and with fewer men than ever be-



Making Life Masks of Indians

William H. Egberts, chief preparator in anthropology for the Nationa museum in Washington, is now engaged in developing life masks of Blackfeet and Sloux Indians, for an exhibition of the department of physical anthropology He is seen here putting the finishing touches to the mask of a chief of the Blackfeet, as he is surrounded by unfinished products of his craftsmanship.

MANY good shots prefer the singlebarrel gun. Guns in this class are the pump-gun, the automatic, and also the so-called "over-and-under." The last named is really a double barrel gun. But its barrels are superimposed, one on top of the other, so that it offers the single-barrel alignment of the true single-tube guns such as the pump and auto-loader.

The reason they give for their preference is that the single tube is easier and quicker to aim. And more accurate to aim.

In my opinion, this preference is largely imaginary. I, too, shoot the single-tube gun and prefer it to the double-barrel. But I have tested myself time and again on the skeet field and find that I shoot just as well with

either type of gun. The single-barrel shooter's most commonly expressed objection to the double-barrel gun is that the twin barrels confuse him and cause him to "cross-fire." What he means is that his eye unconsciously lines up either one of the barrels, usually the left barrel in the case of a right-handed shooter, instead of lining up the center of the gun on the target. Obvious-ly, if your eye is unconsciously aiming the left barrel of a double-barrel, the chances are that you will almost cer-

tainly shoot behind the flying target. My answer to the single-tube versus the double-barrel gun controversy is this: If you are so conscious of your gun that two tubes out there instead of only one confuses you-then I say you are paying too much attention to your gun, and you are not shooting a shotgun the way a shotgun should be shot!

In the first place, your eyes should be at "universal focus." In other words, your eyes, both wide open, should be aware of everything in a fairly wide field of vision. Roughly, I should say that about 60 per cent of your vision should be concentrated on the target, about 30 per cent on the gun, and about 10 per cent dispersed over an area perhaps ten yards on both sides of the target. I think this proportion is very nearly correct for

shots in the open. Note the great advantage of this, say in quall hunting for instance. Your faithful old dog stands on rigid point. You walk in carefully and flush the covey. Up they go with a roar. With your eyesight correctly proportioned to the first bird you pick out, to your gun, and to the remaining birds-you quickly knock down your first shot, wing like a flash on the second, which your 10 per cent vision makes you keenly aware of, and if you are quick enough in your gun handling and are shooting a repeater you may even get in a third shot. And after all the shooting's over you know where the main body of the birds went and you can immediately start for the right patch of cover to begin taking

The man who uses too much of his vision in watching his gun-or the man who shoots with one eye closedcan't begin to do this. After the first shot he is floundering, and when his eyes finally focus on the second bird he needs the range of a full-choke barrel to catch it-and the third shot on the rise is almost impossible. Moreover, usually he will be in the dark as far as knowing where all the rest of the birds flew to.

For the frequent shot one gets in thick woods and brush-especially on grouse, and quite often on quall-here I think the really good shot seldom sees his gun. His vision is concen-trated about 80 per cent on the target and 20 per cent dispersed over an area around and ahead of the target. This is called the "snap" shot. It is pure, instinctive gun pointing. It can be extremely accurate. But it should be used only in emergency—never in open country where easy, deliberate aiming is possible. For the deliberate aim is the surest killer.

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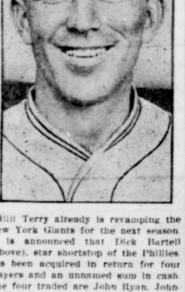
Denmark's Bicycle Rider Always Has Right of Way

In Denmark, writes Harry A. Franck in "A Scandinavian Summer," the bicycle always has the right of way. There are no exceptions and no excuses. Automobile drivers who dislike dodging bicycles ought certainly to leave their cars behind when they visit the little land of the Danes. True, most two-wheeled riders there usually hold out a hand to right or left when about to swerve from a straightforward route-so habitually, in fact, that many Danes unconsciously do so even on foot! and not a bad idea at that. But a cyclist may cut in from either side at any time on any street or read.

An excellent highway runs up the from Copenhagen to Hamlet's Elsinore and the popular sea beach beyond. But it is not open to automobiles on Sundays during the summer.

Sundays during the summer.

The constant motionless sailing through the air of solemn faced people on bicycles—high-hated ministers of the church, frock-tailed ministers of the government, haughty ladies in limousine garb, stodgy old ladies from the country, waiters in full dress, irrespective of the hour of the day—is one of the principal sights of Denmark. of the principal sights of Denmark, its most distinguishing characteristic. Out in the country old peasant women whom you would never suspect of mounting anything more unseemly



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The State Of Toxas County Of Don'ey

Notice is bereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Donley County, on the 16th day of October, A B. 1984, by Walker Lane Clerk of Company, a corporation, in a cer tain cause in said court. namber 1787 and styled Realty Trust Company vs E L. Kennedy, et al. placed in my bands for ser vice. I Guy Piere . as Sher ff of Donley County, Texas, did on the 28 d, day of November, A D. 1934, levy on certain real estate situated in Donley County, Texas, described as follows. to wit:

The West one half of Lot 4 and all of Lots 5 and 6 in Block 88. situated in the city of Clarendon. County of Doniey, State of Tex as, and fronting 125 feet on the south side of First street in said citi: and.

w pereas. \$94 06 of said judgment 1- a foreclosure of a special assessment lien on the west one parf of Lot 4. Block 88. City of Carendon. County of Donley, State of Texas, fronting 25 feet on the south side of First street in said city; and.

Whereas \$168 21 of said judgment is a foreclosure of a special assessment lien on all of Lot 5, Block 88. city of Clarendon, County of Donley, State of Tex as, fronting 50 feet on the south side of First street in said city; and.

Whereas, \$168 21 of said judgment is a forec osure of a special assessment lien on Lot 6, Block 88, city of Clarendon. County of of First street in said city,

of E L Kannedy and wife. Nannie Kennedy and Parmers State Rank, a banking corporation, and that on the first Tuesday in Jan-"exas, between the hours of said District Court, under sjudg. 10:00 o'clock A M. and 4:00 ment in favor of Realty Troat O'clock P. M , by virtue of said levy and said order of sale. I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash. to the highest bidder, as the property of the said E L. Kennedy and wife. Nannie Kennedy, and Farmers State Bank, a banking

And in compliance with law, I give this netice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Hedley Informer, a County. Texas

Witness my hand, this 28rd, av of November, A D 1984 Guy Pierce, Sheriff of Donley County. Texas

By Guy Wright, Deputy

NEW DEAL BRIDGE CLUB

The 42 club met in the Dr. Webb home Tuesday night Dec. with Mr. Gilliam and Mrs Webb as host and hostess Those attending were: Messrs and Mesdames Roy Jewell, Marvin Whittield, J B. Masterson, B L Howard, R E Mann, Chunn, Sherman, Watt, Mrs Bush Mr. Gilliam. Theresa and James Webb and Dr. and Mrs. Webb

We meet Mondap night Dec 17. in the B. L Howard home

You can get felt insoles, viscol Donley. State of T-xas, and shoe oil, leather shoe strings. fronting 50 feet on the south side and other shoe accessories at Kendall's.

The State Of Texas County Of Donley

Notice is hereby given that by us y. 1985, the same being the virtue of a certain order of sale lat day of said month, at the jesued out of the Honorable Die courthouse door of Deniey triet Court of Donley County, on County, in the city of Clarendon, the 28rd day of November, A D 1984 by Walker Lane. Clerk of said District Court, for the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred Two And No 100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of C. W. Bridges in a certain cause in said court, number 1889 and styled C. W. Bridges vs R D Starkey, placed in my bands for service. I. Guy S. Pierce, as Sheriff of Donley County, Texas, did on the 24th day of Nov. A. D 1984, levy on certain real estate situated in Donley County, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

Being out of and a part of J. newspaper published in Donley W Singleterry pre emption survey in Donley County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning in the East boundry line of said 160 acre pre emption survey, at a stake the 8 E corner of a forty acre tract, out of said tract sold by W. M. Cavness, to F. Caraway.

Thence south 377 1 7 yards to stake in said east line;

Thence west 641 28 yards to west line of said 160 acre survey; Thence north 377 17 yards with the west line of said pre emption survey to S. W. corner of said F. E. Caraway 40 acre

Thence east 641 23 yards to the place of beginning containing 50 acres of land out of the J. W Singleterry pre emotion survey in Donley County, Texas,

And levied upon as the prop

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE And levied upon as the property SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE erty of R D. Starkey, and that on the first Tuesday in January, 1985, the same being the lat day of said month, at the courthouse door of Donley County, in the city of Ciarendon, Texas, be-R D Starkey

give this notice by publication, tude of the people toward their in the English language, once a present electric rates for service ley County. Texas.

day of November, A. D. 1934

County, Texas. By Guy Wright. Deputy

HEDLEY LODGE NO. 991



A. F. and A. M. meets on the 2nd Thursday night in each month

All members are urged to attend Visitors are welcome.

> L. Spalding, W. M. C E Johnson, Sec.

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The KENNEL MURDER CASE

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SYNOPSIS

Philo Vance, crime expert, investigates the supposed suicide of Archer Coe. With District Attorney Markham, he goes to Coe's house. They find Wrede, a friend of Coe's, there; also Signor Grassi, a guest. The door of the death chamber is bolted from the inside. They force it. Coe is seated, a revolver in his right hand and a bullet hole in his temple. He is clothed in a dressing gown, but wears street shoes. Markham thinks it is suicide. Vance says it is murder. Medical Examiner Doremus declares Coe had been dead for hours when the bullet entered his head. A wound made by a dagger, is found on the body, and there is proof that Coe was fully dressed when he was stabbed. The investigators find he was stabbed. The investigators find a wounded Scottish terrier in a room of the Coe house. Vance declares the animal will prove an important connecting link. Brisbane Coe, Archer's brother, is believed to have left for Chicago the previous afternoon, but his dead body is discovered in a closet in the Coe home. Vance interrogates the Chinese cook, Liang. Brisbane died from a stab in the back, as in Archer's case. Vance, searching Brisbane's coat, finds waxed thread attached to a bent pin, and a darning needle.

CHAPTER VI-Continued

"I suspected from Wrede's manner that he had found his Latin rival with the young woman. There was probably a most painful scene, and poor Wrede was given his conge. It's very sad. He doesn't like Grassi-he doesn't at all like him. But I doubt if he really suspects him of killing Archer -though I'm sure Wrede doesn't put it beyond him-"

"Then why the insinuations?" "More subtlety, Markham, Wrede thinks that, if we turn our attention to Grassi, we will push past the straw man, so to speak, and find somebody

"Whom, In the name of heaven?" "Miss Lake, of course. Wrede has become vindictive and bitter. My asking him about Miss Lake as a possible suspect put ideas in his head-he knows of the acute antagonism that has always existed between her and Archer. Therefore, when he was humillated a moment ago in front of Grassi, he turned her over to us, as it were, with Grassi as a smoke screen."

Grassi entered the library. "I understand, sir," Vance addressed him, "that Mr. Archer Coe had consented to sell you certain items from

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his collection." "Yes," the Italian replied; "that is true. I informed Mr. Wrede of the fact a moment ago. My reason for so doing was that Mr. Wrede practically ordered me out of the house-on the Lake, I presume-and I informed him that my business here was not comuch as a considerable part of Mr. Coe's collection belonged technically to me. It was necessary for me to remain to arrange for packing and shipment."

'And what did Miss Lake say?"

The Italian seemed loath to answer, but at length he said:

"Miss Lake broke off her engagement with Mr. Wrede, And then she asked him to leave the house and remain away."

"I say, Mr. Grassi"-Vance spoke suddenly-"do you think that Miss Lake killed her uncle?"

The Italian stared at Vance. "I-1-really, sir, I-"

"Thanks awfully for the effort," Vance remarked. "I can quite understand your feelings. But I should like to know why you didn't tell us before of Mr. Coe's agreement to dispose of some of his collection to you. Was the agreement written or verbal?"

"Written." The man reached in his pocket and handed Vance a folded paper. "At my request Mr. Coe wrote that letter to me yesterday." he explained. "I wished to cable the news

Vance unfolded the letter and read it, with Markham, Heath and me look ing over his shoulder:

"Signor Eduardo Grassi. Dear Sir.

In confirmation of our recent conversation, I hereby agree to sell to you, as a representative of the Museum of Antiquities at Milan, the following pieres in my private collection:

Then came a detailed list of forty or fifty items, including many of Archer Coe's most famous and valua ble specimens of Chinese art. The date at the head of the document was October 10.

Vance put the letter in his pocket. "We shall keep this for the present," he told Grassi, "It will be perfectly safe, and it will be returned to you anon. The authorities may wish to refer to it."

Grassi bowed in polite acquiescence "And now," Vance concluded, "I shell again ask you to wait in your own quarters until we send for you."

Grassi went out, with obvious relief. Sergeant," Vance said, "could you get me a sheet of that note paper on Archer Coe's desk? And his fountain

The sergeant went opstairs and re turned shortly with the paper and the

After an inspection Vance said: "It is certainly Coe's note paper; and Archer's pen wrote the letter. Most significant."

He returned Grassi's letter to his | pocket, and went toward the front

"Cheer up, old dear," he exhorted Markham. "It's not nearly so black as it seems. The clouds are beginning to disperse. We have all the data now and it's simply a matter of arranging them and interpreting them correctly. "I wish I could feel so optimistic." grumbled Markham, following Vance

into the vestibule. Vance halted and, turning, regarded the perplexed Heath.

"Oh, by the by, Sergeant," he said; "one or two little favors-there's a good fellow. Will you check up at once on the-shall I say alibis?-of Miss Lake and Signor Grassi?"

"That's easy," snorted Heath. "Two good men can do that in a few hours.

"And," added Vance, "you might give this house another search. I'm dashed interested in a blunt instrument that might have been used for striking Archer and the wee Scottle. I noticed that in the fire set in the living room everything was intact in

the rack but the poker." Heath nodded, "I get you, sir. If there's a poker in this house, I'll lay hands on it."

"Stout fella!" Vance continued toward the front door. "And speaking of dogs, sir," Heath

added, "that guy Wrede told me he was very fond of the animals. Owned one before he moved." "Ah!" Vance paused, "Did he men-

tion the breed?" "It was a Doberman Pinscher,"

Markham informed him. "Now, that's deuced interestin', y' know," Vance murmured. "Be so good, Sergeant, as to have the bolt on Arch-

er's door fixed while we're lunching. I'll want it in perfect working order when I return." The sergeant grinned broadly. "So that's on your mind, is it? . . .

Sure, I'll have it fixed." We walked through the invigorating autumn air to a small French restaurant in West Seventy-second street near the Drive. Vance talked at length of dogs in general and of Scottish terriers in particular. Finally he smiled waggishly at Markham.

"I know I'm boring you. But you've been thinking much too strenuously all the forenoon, Your brain needs a little relaxation-and what could be more soporific than my cackle about dogs? . . . And while I'm on the subject, I want to tell you, Markham, that the little wounded Scottie Gamble discovered behind the library portieres strength of his engagement to Miss is a beautiful specimen of what a Scottle should be. Poor little devil, She certainly didn't deserve that und, and I hope she'll have her re venge by helping us find the murderer, I think I'll phone and see how she's getting along."

He went out and returned shortly to the table. He looked more cheerful. "The doctor says she's not as badly hurt as he thought at first. She's eating. No fever. Be pretty normal by tomorrow."

He took another sip of wine.

"And that means that I'll be pretty busy tomorrow. I'll have to visit the American Kennel club and perhaps interview a few Scottle judges." "I can't see the connection-" Mark-

ham began.

"But there is a connection," insisted Vance, "It is no coincidence that a wounded dog is in a strange hostile house at the exact time of a murder. And it's reasonable to assume that it was admitted to the house by the murderer, either accidentally or for a purpese. In either case it will be a definite clew. The ownership of the dogand especially the address of the own er-will give us something pretty definite to work from. The migrations of the dog last night will throw much light on the movements of the person who came to the Coe house. From the dog's presence we may argue several very interestin' and illuminatin' possibilities. First, that the dog did not arrive before the murderer, because Archer would have thrown her out-

"But Archer might have been the person who injured her." "If he had, he would not have left

her behind the curtain beside the IIbrary door; he would have thrown her down the front steps to the street.

"But Brisbane?"

"Ah! If it had been Brisbane, then the dog was already in the house, or else she followed him in. If she was in the house and it was he who infured her, he was killed at almost the same instant; for if he had been able to, he, like Archer, would have put the dog outside. Therefore, in case the dog was there and Brisbane injured her, then It follows that the murderer didn't see her or left her there with some definite purpose in mind. As for the dog having followed Brisbane in, I think it highly unlikely. Dogs do not sneak in front doors between stran-

"But she followed some one in, obviously," Markham argued, "-unless, of course, she was deliberately brought

"That is true," Vance admitted, "and that is a point that puzzles me. She might have followed some one even a stranger—tes the house, provided

he had left the door open; but the murderer would scarcely have left the front door open-in fact, I imagine he would have taken pains to shut it securely. And the vicious injury given the dog seems to indicate that her presence in the house was not deliberate-that, in fact, the person who found her was surprised and, perhaps, frightened. Being afraid he would be seen if he turned her out, he acted impulsively and sought to kill her lest she should start barking and attract attention. My conclusion is that the dog's presence was not discovered until after the murder."

"Your reasoning is clear enough," Markham told him, "but I don't see in what way it is helpful to us."

"It eliminates certain possibilities; it narrows down certain movements of the murderer; and it leads to a specific interpretation of the two crimes-the murder of Archer and the murder of Brisbane."

"Forgive me if I cannot follow your

esoteric ratiocinations." "Perpend, Markham." Vance was genially patient. "It is highly unlikely -not to say impossible-that the dog could have followed any one in the front door without being seen. If she had been deliberately admitted, she would probably have not been injured and left behind the portieres. Therefore, in view of the various factors of the situation, I believe the dog entered the house through an open door. And as the murderer would not have left the front door open, we may, as a hypothesis, assume that he entered by the rear door. And this would be in keeping with the nature of the crime. Furthermore, it is not at all unlikely that he would have left both the gate and the rear door open so that he could make his escape without unnec-



"I Can't See the Connection," Markham Began,

ess'ry noise. In that case the dog could easily have followed him in through the open gate and door, without being seen or heard. And the place where the dog was found-just outside the library door-was a logical spot, for the dog would have come in through the kitchen and dining room and into the library."

Markham nodded slowly. "Yes. All that is quite reasonable But, after all, anyone could have come

in the rear door." "Provided he knew the lie of the land, was familiar with all the domes tic arrangements-and could have ob tained a key. Also, provided he knew that all the servants would be away

that night." Vance looked up thoughtfully. "Yes, Markham, already that little Scottie has narrowed down our investigation. Unwittingly she has pointed out several valuable clews to us. She has helped us, no end. And I have a

feelin' she's going to tell us a lot It was about half-past three when we returned to the Coe house. The sergeant was bustling about, giving orders.

"I've got something for you, sir." He swaggered a little as he led us into the library and pointed to the large center table, "There's the poker -and it's got blood on it."

Vance went up to it and examined it closely. He picked something from It between his thumb and forefinger, and went to the window.

"Yes, there's dried blood on it-and also a coarse brindle hair." He turned and nodded, "It was this poker, Markham, which wounded the Scottle. And undoubtedly, too, Archer Coe was struck with this poker. The shape of its blunt end coincides perfectly with the wound on Archer's head."

He frowned and looked at the vase in which he had found the bloodstains. "And, Markham, that poker belongs in this room-in that rack beside the fireplace, just in front of the place on this divan where Archer Coe was sit-ting when Gamble went out last night. More evidence that something sinister and horrible preceded the crime up-stairs. And it took place in this room."

"And," argued Markham, doggedly, "Archer Coe's body was found up-stairs, with his clothes changed, and the lights on, and the door boiled on the inside."

"Yeah," supplemented Heath, "and | with a gun in his hand and a bullet in his head." Vance nodded despondently.

"I know all that, Sergeant. That's the terrible and baffling thing about the crime. The signposts of death all indicate this library, yet teath itself was elsewhere. And there's no clear road leading between the two places. By the by, Sergeant, where did you find the poker?"

"That's one on you, sir. You looked at it this morning and didn't see it. I found the poker in that chest-"

"The teakwood chest beneath the east windows? You found the poker in that chest?" "That's what I'm trying to tell you."

Vance sat down and drew deeply on his cigarette. "Who has been in the bedroom, Sergeant, since we went to lunch?" he

asked presently.
"No one, sir!" Heath was emphatic, "Burke's guarded it every minute while you've been away. The butler helped him fix the door, but didn't get three feet in the room, And it was me, and no one else, that searched the

room." Markham came forward. "What's the idea, Vance? Why should the sergeant's finding the poker

upstairs bother you?" Vance exhaled a long ribbon of smoke, and looked directly at Mark-

ham. "Because, old dear, that chest was

empty when I looked in it this morn-

CHAPTER VII

The Scented Lipstick Vance's declaration left us both perturbed and mystified. Markham was the first to speak.

"Are you certain, Vance? Maybe you overlooked-"

"Oh, no." Vance made a gesture of finality, "It wasn't there-oh, quite. Some one put it there after I'd examined the chest." "But who, in heaven's name?"

"Come, come, Markham." Vance

smiled grimly. "One doesn't know, y' know. But I'd say it was the same person who tucked the dagger under the cushion of the chair in which Archer passed away." "The dagger?"

"Yes, yes-the dagger. That mystery is at least cleared up-the poker explained that incongruity. The dagger didn't belong in Archer's boudoir. Quite the contr'ry. Its presence there confused me abominably. Both the poker and the dagger belonged in the library here. And they weren't here, d' ye see-they were where they shouldn't have been, where they couldn't possibly have been. . . . gap-a mishap-a bit of superficial thinkin' on some one's part. Panic? Yes, that's what it was. Movin' things from one place to another. Silly idea. People always think that by movin things they can confuse an issue. More often they merely clarify it."

"I'm glad you see some clarity in this damnable situation," Markham grumbled.

"Oh, but I'm not blinded by any dazzlin' illumination yet. I wonder. . . The sergeant projected himself iras citly into the discussion

"If some one did cache the dagger and the poker upstairs, who'd have had the opportunity? That's what I'd like to figure out."

"Almost anyone might have done it Sergeant," returned Vance lazily, Both Wrede and Grassi have passed back and forth before the room while we were downstairs."

Heath thought a moment. "That's right. And then do you remember how that Miss Lake rushed to the chair when she first came in the room and put her arm back of the corpse? She coulds stuck the dagger under the seat with all of us looking at her. And that cagy butler, he coulds done it."

"And don't overlook the Chinam Gamble sent him to fetch Miss Lake's breakfast tray while we were all downstairs."

Heath grasped at this remark. "That's the guy!" he declared.

"Just a minute, Sergeant!" Markhara suppressed him with a gesture and turned to Vance. "If, as you believe, the dagger and poker were tak-en from this room and hidden in Coe's bedroom this morning, the inevitable couclusion is that the murderer is one of the persons who have been in the house this morning." "Not necessarily." Vance shook his

head mildly. "There are several persons here who know more than they've admitted. . . . No, no, it was a stupid act. The murderer couldn't have done it. It was some one else-some one who didn't know all the facts. The murderer was too clever to do a fool-ish thing like that—to hide weapons where they never could have been. . . The murderer wanted the weapons found in this library. That's why he tried to hide the dagger twice-on in the egg-shell Ting yao vase, and the second time in that Yung Cheng Ting yao. And he wanted the poker to be found on the hearth-with the ains on it. He wanted the wea-

was sitting when Gamble left the house last night. He figured on this library being the murder room. And then something went wrong-the murder room shifted. Something strange and diabolical happened. The corpse, with a bullet wound in his head and a revolver in his hand, decided on the bedroom upstairs. And when the mur-

derer came back, it was too late to rearrange the setting-" "Came back? Too late?" repeated Markham, "What do you mean?

"Just that." Vance halted and looked down at the district attorney. "Oh, he came back-he had to come back. Brisbane was killed hours after Archer. And the reason he was too late to transfer the scene of the crime was that Archer's door was bolted on the inside. The scene of his murder had shifted-and he, the murderer, was locked out. He knew last night that neither the dagger nor the poker could be found in the bedroom. Therefore it was not the murderer who placed them

there this morning. . . ."

At this moment Gamble appeared at the door. He was worried and apolo-

"I'm very sorry, sir, to interrupt," he began, "but an item-if you know what I mean-has just occurred to me

or nothing of it, but in view-"What's the Item?" Markham snapped.

Ordinarily I would have thought little

"It-it's this little gadget, sir," Gamble stuttered, laying a small cylindri-cal metal lipstick holder on the table. "I found this in the wastepaper basket in this room this morning before I discovered the master's body upstairs, and I threw it out. But a few minutes ago I began thinking about this terrible affair-'

Vance picked up the holder and removed the top.

"Practically empty," he mused. "Not gold case—therefore thrown away." He smeared a little of the rouge on his finger and smelled it. "Duplaix's Carmine. Made for blondes. . . . Most interestin"." He looked at Gamble. "You left the house last night, when?"

"Between half-past five and six, sir. couldn't say exactly."

"And you are quite sure Mr. Archer Coe had no visitor at the time?"
"Oh, quite, sir." Gamble was again becoming worried. "As I told you..."

"Yes, yes. So you told me." Vance was watching the man from under lazy eyellds. "But a lady seems to have been here. . . . Do you know of any appointment Mr. Coe may have had with the possible owner of that lipstick?" "An appointment with a lady?" The

butler, for some reason, seemed shocked, "Oh, no, sir. I'm sure Mr. Coe had no such appointment. He was-if you understand me, sirmost abstemious man."

Vance dismissed him bruskly. "That will be all, Gamble.

When the man had gone, Vance looked waggishly at Markham "I fear, old dear, despite Gamble's assurances, that Archer did entertain a lady yesterday afternoon between let us say, six o'clock and eight-

which is probably about the time he Heath was growing impatient. "I can't see that it makes any difference anyway. Suppose the old boy did have a dame in for a visit—that's

not explaining the cockeyed things that happened here last night. What about that bolted door upstairs? You had something in mind, Mr. Vance when you asked me to get that bolt fixed, didn't you?" "My notion was a bit vague, Bergeant." Vance crushed out his cig-

arette. "Of course, people don't get murdered in bolted rooms except in detective novels; and something Miss Lake said to me suggested that I might find a solution to that peculiar and illogical circumstance." "What was that?" Markham curtly

"When she was talkin' about Brisbane, don't y' know. You remember she mentioned that he was interested in criminology and was sufficiently clever to cover his tracks if he'd decided to go in for murder. A significant remark, Markham."

TO BE CONTINUED.

Where Spanish Is Spoken Countries in which Spanish is the principal language spoken include Spain, and the few remaining Spanish colonies, including the Canary islands, Dio de Oro and some other African odds and ends; the Philip pines, where Spanish ranks with English as an official language; Porte Rico, Santo Domingo, Cuba, and some lesser West Indian Islands; Mexico, and all of Central and South America, except Brazil, the Guianas and British Honduras.

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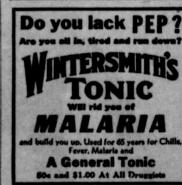
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A NEW ATTITUDE TOWARD FOOD RATIONS

The depression we are now in is



nothing new in the world's history. We have had many depressions before. But there is something new in the way we are ap-portioning food to the needy. In for-mer times it was a bare subsistence In this ige, however, most relief organizations ask: What must a family be given to maintain health?

The maintenance of health and the maintenance of a bare subsistence ration are two entirely different things.

Particularly are health officials concerned with the maintenance of health among growing children. The children of today are the rulers of tomorrow

For the past twenty years the United States has had the healthiest young people in the world. This is because we did not have to make the dietetic sacrifices the leading European countries did during the war and post-war

Our young people had food enough and the right kind of food. It is up to us now to see that the standards of nutrition are not lowered to the danger point.

Especially should relief organizations remember that milk is the most important food a child can have, for "milk builds bone and muscle better than any other food." One quart a day per child is the ideal ration, and never less than three-fourths quart per

If the expenditure is fairly ample, then, according to Dr. Henry Sherman, nutrition expert of Columbia university, who quotes Lucy H. Gillett of the American Child Health association, the food money should be divided into tifths:

One-fifth, or more, for milk and One-fifth, more or less, for vegetables

One-fifth, or more, for bread and cereals.

One-fifth, or less, for meats, fish and One-fifth or less, for fats, sugar and

other groceries. But if the amount of food money has to be drastically curtailed, then the money should be divided into thirds:

One-third for milk and cheese. One-third for vegetables and fruits.

One-third for bread and cereals. "Let retrenchment of expenditures," says Doctor Sherman, "take the form, first, of foregoing' the purchase of foods of other groups, and, next, of selecting the cheaper or cheapest forms or articles within each of three groups just mentioned as essential. From certain standpoints two forms of milk of milk is nutritionally more fike any other kind of milk than is any other food. A crisp green vegetable or a julcy fruit may seem much preferable to a potato; but with expenditure forced to a sufficiently low level, the cheapest vegetable to be had can carry the nutritional responsibility for the whole group of fruits and vegetables

during an emergency period." Let us hope that each community has some philanthropist who will donate, through the winter months, a teaspoon of cod liver oll to each needy child under two years of age, as a preventive against rickets.

A point that is not sufficiently stressed. I believe, in low cost rations, is that cheap foods can be made palatable and interesting. At home demonstration fairs, instead of prizes being given to fancy dishes, they should be given to the cook who can produce the best bean or pea or potato soup, using only cheap materials. For instance a bit of bay leaf and rutabaga added to pea soup gives it distinction. Onlons are cheap and give good seasoning. A writer commentator, discussing present living conditions in Europe, stated that the Germans lived better on the same food expenditure than the English did, because the German women made their

A food that should be used much more frequently is whole wheat grains. Whole wheat offers one of our cheapest, best balanced foods.

Slow boiling over a low fire for six hours will cook wheat grains. The cooked cereal contains starch, which is fuel; protein, a tissue builder; some fats and vitamins. The fats and vitamins are in the germ of the grain. Wheat swells to four times its volume after boiling. When you boil the wheat, add to it eight times as much water, and never pour off excess liquid; boil it into the grains. Add salt of course. Wheat cooked this way has a nutty flavor; it is most tasty of all the cereals, and one does not tire of

One pound of wheat grains contains 1,600 calories. Each cup of cooked wheat contains 200 calories or body wheat contains 200 calories or body energy producing units, in addition to a well-balanced starch, protein, salt and vitamin content. Whole milk, cream, or condensed milk and sugar can be added for goodness and to increase the food value.

A person could live on whole wheat and milk for a long time, with the addition of onions, potatoes and tomatoes to combat scurvy. Children would need cod liver oil to prevent rickets.

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Events in the Lives of Little Men









SUCCESSFUL TOUR

"We must go to Stratford," a tourist on a visit to England said to his wife.

"What's the use of that?" asked "We can buy Stratford postcards in London."

"My dear, one travels for some thing more than to send postcards! I want to write my name on Shake speare's tomb!"-Montreal Star.

And He Went His Way Sinister-Looking Individual (sig-

nificantly)-Is yer 'usband at 'ome ma'am?

Lady (resourcefully)-Well, If he's finished his revolver practice, he'll be playing in the back garden with our bloodhounds. Did you want to see him?-London Tit-Bits.

SAFETY FIRST



"Why did you tell Freddy I wasn't

"Well, dad said he was a cake eater an' he ain't gonna eat any of that new cake ma just made."

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She-You think that is the way to fame? He-I don't give a hoot for the fame, it is the way to fill a pocket book, and that's what interests me.

The Whole Story

"Hello, Smith, old man, haven't seen you for some time." "Been in bed seven weeks."

"Oh, that's too bad. Flu, I suppose? "Yes, and crashed!" - Montreal Star.

Back to Early Standards

"Are there any gangsters in Crim-son Gulch?" asked the traveling man. No. sir." answered Cactus Joe. We shoot things out for ourselves. The Gulch continues to favor rugged ndividualism."

CO-ORDINATION



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Old-Fashioned Phrase

"Does your parrot talk?" "Yes; he says 'I beg your pardon." "Hm-m! Must be a very great

Not Missing Anything

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Her View of It

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Hard Luck's Limit They were discussing their bad

"Do you know, Bill," said one, "my luck is so dead out that if I threw a dollar bill into the air it would come down an income tax demand note."

Warning

Cities Star.

Mrs. B .- What made you count your change so carefully after paying our bill? Mr. B .- The clerk kept saying that honesty is the best policy."-Border

Length, Not Breadth First Voter-How long did the candidate speak, Bill? Bill-About an hour and a half.

First Voter-And what was It all Bill-He didn't say.-Exchange.



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REWARD OF MERIT

By WILLIAM H. LEACH 6. McClure Newspaper Syndicate, WNU Service.

LL Crawfordsville had crowded into the little town hall for the homecoming celebration. The dignitaries of the occasion were organizing at the entrance for the march to the platform. There, village officials and the local preachers crowded around the speaker of the day, eager to be recognized as part of the essentials.

The platform was empty save for the chairs carefully arranged and one man who sat at one end. He was a huge hulk of a fellow, dressed in a well worn doughboy uniform with a deceration on his breast. A pair of large dark glasses covered his eyes

The speaker noticed him and turned to the chairman in inquiry. Soldier of the World war." he ex-

plained. "The only one we have who won a croix de guerre." "Blind?

"Blind as a bat, and stone deaf." "How did he get his decoration?" The chairman brought up his hands

in Indication of Ignorance. "In fact, I don't know much about bim. No one does. One of the papers got hold of him some way and we

brought him in for the celebration. Eager to come, too, when we finally got the message across to him." "Ump! Too bad." the speaker, evidently relieved that he would have little competition for attention, turned

back to his group and they marched to their positions. It was a great day for Crawfordsville. But it was a greater day for Peter

He might be blind as a bat and deat as a post but his imagination was see ing wonderful sights on this day. His mind surveyed twenty years in a secend. He saw plenty and famine, wars and peace, pain and joy, love and hate. But above all these rather petty things -- petty to him just now-he saw one great ideal of human service; he saw the justification of a life-long ambition which had been handled roughly but now came to claim its own.

It was just twenty years before that he had stood on the platform of the village school of Crawfordsville and received his diploma.

Senator Harrington had addressed the class which was graduating. His subject had been "The Compensation of Public Service." He recounted the story of his own life, telling of the rise of the barefoot boy to a position of great responsibility.

Young Kelly had eagerly listened to each word. He could still recall, word for word, parts of that great address,

"My young gentlemen," the senator had said, "there is but one rule to a successful and happy life. That is the standard of unselfish service. All other things fail. All that glistens is not gold But it is written in the very lifeblood of the universe that the man who serves his fellow men will be smiled upon by the gods. The law of service never falls. The reward of sacrificial living may be long delayedthe mills of gods grind slowly-but the reward is inevitable. Sooner or later his fellow citizens will call him from his brmble abode of labor and place the crown of public esteem upon his brow. Some day he may stand as I stand here, before those whom he has served, beloved and respected by all. His words then will be the golden apples of advice which they consume with engerness and affection"

From that day Peter Kelly began to Of course he had to start in a rather

lowly enpacity.

He got a Job as timekeeper in the local woolen mills, but the opportunities for service are present in a place as common as that. He found himself lending aid to the families of those who toiled More than once he paid the doctor bills for some hard-pressed toiler. The men took the money and smiled at what they considered his naive philosophy. They thought that If was the bunk. But the mills of gods grind slowly. He could afford to wait.

Then b-Il broke out on earth and World war was on. Pete kissed his old father and mother goodbye and joined the first contingent of volunteers in the county. For a time he really tasted the sweets of public es-

There were parties, dinners and pret-

In the fever of the moment he married one who swore that she would be faithful to him till death and he marched away with a proud and hap-

War was not all that he expected it

Where he looked for idealism he fought lice and muddy trenches, profanity, dirty stories, lights and sex. But he kept the flame of idealism high. His heart had been touched in a way that the others could not understand.

He was fighting for democracyfighting that wars should be no more -fighting to go back to Fanny and bear her words of approval.

Then one day he woke up in the

the smooth hands of the nurses as they moved and washed him. He did hear their voices, so he learned he was deaf. When the handages ing changed he found that he ould not see. He was blind.

hat a penalty to pay in the fight

One day they stood him up in a line

and some one pinned a medal to his breast and kissed him on the cheek. Afterwards it dawned upon him that

he had been honored. But there had been no thrill. It was all a part of military regime. Then they brought him back across the ocean and placed him in a school. He learned to listen by the pressure of the hand and they taught him a useful trade—that of making brooms. Finally as full fledged broom-maker he went back to Crawfordsville.

His mother was still alive and he started the broom industry in the woodshed of his home.

His old mother would lead him around as he sought to make his sales. Fanny, the war bride, had secured a divorce on the grounds of desertion. At least, that was the reason the judge gave the public.

In reality the magistrate felt that no bright girl should be tied for life to blind tete Kelly to pay for a moment's

So in the back room Peter Kelly worked on his brooms all day long. He worked with his tingers but his sightless eyes looked toward the heavens. The eyes both saw and pleaded. He was making brooms which would make housework lighter. It was honorable employment. There was the pleading that some day his own townspecale would call him forth and express their loyalty to him.

Every time a compensation check came his mother used the opportunity to protest.

"It's a fool you were. Peter." she would say. "What's the use of the money when you can't see nor hear. Your fine friends have forgotten you. They gave you dinners when you went away. But they won't buy your brooms

Peter would shake his head. "Is takes time," he would say, "but the rewards of service are sure.' Then one day two men called at the house to see him.

They asked the mother if he had really received the French decoration for bravery. She proudly displayed

Then they gave the invitation for him to participate in the homecoming celebration. Peter was to have a seat of prominence on the platform.

latest style trends.

openwork pattern as you see.

means confined to evening fashions; on

the contrary, the newest thing going

in the way of a fur piece is the fur

cape which can be worn with either

the cloth coat or the dress, if you pre-

fer, which is made of a wintry good-

looking woolen. The idea is conveyed

in the stunning outfit to the right in

the group. Here is something practi-

cal and smart. The color of this su

perb Russian lynx which forms the

cape, blends in with the tone of the

cloth to perfection. A particularly lik-

able feature of this handsome cape is

that while it is really a separate piece,

it looks as if it were really an applied

trimming. When you stop to think of

it, what a worthwhile possession a

separate fur cape such as this is-

wear it with anything, dress, coat or

Thus, at last, comes the hour of tri-

Now the great hour has arrived. Unable to hear a word said his mind draws its own pictures. He hears the speaker giving a word picture of the battle in which he fell. Leaning forward in his chair he nods to the audience. He thinks he bears cheers. He knows that they soon will be calling on him to say something. He knowshas known for years-just what he will say when the time comes.

In the meantime the program goes smoothly on. A local preacher gives the invocation. A quartette sings. The chairman introduces the speaker in a ten-minute speech. The great man steps up and orates. The entire assembly, tired with sitting on folded chairs, rises and sings America. The platform officials march to the rear of the hall. The people start to leave

It is not until the room has been practically vacated by the noisy, sweaty throng that the chairman notices that Peter has been left on the platform. He motions to the custodian to go to the platform and bring him

The custodian touches his arm. The blind soldier interprets it as his cue to speak. He takes one step forward and smiles. Then in the heavy unregulated voice, so common to those who cannot hear, he begins:

"Fellow citizens. This tribute which you have today paid me touches my very heart. More than that it justifies my philosophy of life. I nave always believed and still do believe that when one sacrifices for his country and his fellowmen, sooner or later, the reward will come. Sometimes it is long delaved but it comes. The mills of gods grind slowly. Let the little boys and girls here treasure these words in their

Again the custodian touched his arm. He yielded to the touch and accompanied him from the patform, Proudly he marched through the central alsle to the door, nodding to one side and another as he went.

People generally were not much impressed with the quality of the meeting. Most of them agreed that the speaker was awful. "Full of baloney," one expressed it. "Wasn't the blind broom-maker funny sitting on the platform," said another.

But the day ended in a flame of beauty for Peter Kelly and a strange spirit of peace took possession of his soul. For the spirit of service had received its reward.

Japan's Doll Theater

The doll theater has been a major amusement in Japan for 300 years. It possesses a thousand ballad-dramas written in collaboration by 200 playwrights. Almost life-size, each doll is handled by three men who, dressed in black, hold it in their hands. Thus all movements have a precisien and spontaneity which is not obtainable by cord manipulation. The dolls move their eyes, mouths and eyebrows, smoke, and "play" musical instruments with the orchestra.

Clean, Oil Locks

Troublesome interior door locks can be removed easily for cleaning and oiling. The screw on the stem of one door knob should be loosened and the knob pulled off or unscrewed. The oth er knob and the rod can then be drawn out. The lock is released by the loosen ing of two screws, and the mechanism exposed by removing a loose plate to be found on one stde and secured by a

Furs Are Gorgeous This Winter CHAIR BACK AND

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



new separate fur pieces and "sets" which include muffs, the more sumptuous and the more spectac- | suit. This young woman's hat, if you ular the better do they interpret the are wanting to know, is a brown antelope felt trimmed with leather. The most important bit of news in regard The big theme among furriers this to this hat is that it has an embossed season is capes-capes that are made monogram at one side of the crown of furs so gorgeous and grand they look worth a king's ransom. To illustrate, see the cape centered in the picjust over the right eye. It is mono-

grammed because the fashionable thing ture. This luxurious silver fox cape is to do is to monogram most everything this season. semi-circular in shape, fastens on the left shoulder and has four tails falling Mademoiselle sitting so placidly in to the back. The beauty of capes such the picture has on one of those sleek, as this is that they can be worn with patrician looking full-length gray kiddifferent costumes, imparting an air of skin coats which are so beautifully distinction wherever they go. Of slenderizing. The model shown has a course, we do not have to call attendouble sailor collar (turn it up or tion to the attractive evening gloves down) which is youthful in line and exwhich this lady is wearing, for no ceedingly flattering. The sleeves are doubt they registered at first glance. full below the elbow, which is a characteristic feature of many of the new-They are of white suede, shirred in an est coats. The black felt sombrero is edged and banded with black wool. The separate cape theme is by no

If you are having a suit tailored, let it reflect Russian inspiration in that its tunic-like coat be bordered with fur all around, even up the front or sidefront fastening. There should be an upstanding collar fencing the throat. A cossack turban of matching fur with a muff of the same are essential to complete the picture.

The three-quarter coat, all of fur, with wide belt across the front and full peasant sleeves, is also a favorite. Other fur style notes point to the return of gray squirrel into favor, also borders of tawny, showy furs around hemlines or bandings of flat furs such as caracul or nutria. A black cloth cossack outfit with bandings, tall turban and muff of black caracul, is chic.

C. Western Newspaper Union.

THREE NEW GOWNS **NOVEL TO EXTREME** By CHERIE NICHOLAS

Three dresses Parisiennes like: One from Mirande called "Pour Plaire," which, interpreted, means "to please," and it should, for it is a dinner frock in black velvet with the lower portion of the bulbous sleeves made of bright blue velvet. It has a belt of the bright blue velvet, too, and the neckline is shaped something like a stirrup, round in the back and squared off in the front.

The second model is by Rosevienne and named "Satnico," after the novel new fabric of which it is made, combining satin with a mat surface. It is an afternoon dress of flame-colored satin combined with incrusted diagonal bands of the reverse side of the satin

which is mat. The third item is from Irmone, who has called it "Ciros." It is a coat in brown wool trimmed with frosted brown lamb as collar and cuffs. Both collar and cuffs are small and discreet, and the coat has a tallored look about it at first glance, but on second glance you see it is also a semi-dress coat.

Trains Will Be in Vogue

This Winter, Says Paris Trains will be in vogue this winter. Some have a long panel that starts at the waistline at the back; others feature a Watteau pleat or court mantle effect at the back.

Worth shows trains with a long flared volant that develops from the back of the dress. Maggy Rouff has formal dresses with a wing effect that is used for a train. Augustaber nard obtains effects by several shirred volants that are continued down to the ground in irregular effects.

Parchment for Buttons

Thick parchiment made up into odd buttons add to the long line of novel-ties being launched this year. They are available curled up on the edges ancient scrolls or just slightly bent like bits of peanut brittle.

NEW HIGH TURBANS



Hats have gone frankly Russian Here is one of the high turbans which is distinctly of Russian influence. It is fushioned of black hatters' plush. Not only have hats gone Russian, but costumes in the winter mode bespeak this influence in no uncertain terms. In every collection there is a predominance of Cossack tunics, Cossack turbans, wide-belted Russian effects, high military-looking collars and fur borderings galore.

Neckwear Is Feminine There is a revival in delicate, truly feminine neckwear. Very smart are the new styles in sheer chiffon, com-bined with lace and trimmed with metal thread stitching, especially in

ARM REST DESIGN

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



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He Shouldn't

Edithe-My flance lost all his money in the stock exchange crash. Bessle-I bet you feel sorry for

Edithe-Yes, he'll miss me.

GUNSTON MANOR CLASSED AMONG WORLD'S FINEST

Within a radius of five miles about Mount Vernon, which was land owned either by Washington or his friends, many landmarks have been restored and now form a new frame for the home of our first President Among Mount Vernon's most historical neighbors is Gunston hail. This noted house can be reached from Mount Vernon by the Richmond road in about twenty minutes, but the distance by river, the route often taken by the Washingtons, is not more than five miles.

Of the house there, Paul Kester, brother of Vaughan Kester, who wrote "The Prodigal Judge" while the two were living at Gunston, says "It is easily one of the great houses of the world and its glory has not departed." Beautiful architecturally and historically interesting as the house is, it is the garden which spells magic for the visitor.

The view of the river and Maryland shore is inexpressibly lovely one sits in a pergola at the end of the garden and sees that vast panorama of hills and water. It is said that the Mount Vernon boxwood was slipped from that of Gunston hall and it may readily be, for though the present house was not built un-This set in a conventional tulip til 1758 it took the place of an

earlier one built in 1725. The house was the manor of the vast Mason plantation, larger than that of Mount Vernon with its farms. It remained in the hands of the Mason family until the Civil war, . longer period of tenure than Mount

Vernon in the Washington family. Washington's diaries make constant reference to visits and dinners between his own and the Mason fam-

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BANKHEAD ACT

ellen.

If the Bankhead Act is to continue in operation in the next Act? erop year the Secretary of Agriculture must first find that two season's experience with the thirds of the persons who have type of control embodied in the the legal or equitable right as Bankhead Act Numerous diffi owner, tenant, share cropper, or culties, obviously, have been en in the United States for such act for the coming year, many of squad. 16 35c crop year favor a levy of a tax on these difficulties can be avoided Sat 15. Hoot Gibson in an allotment made to meet the choose. probable market requirements

to express their opinion as to the facts and reach a decision whether the Bankhead Cotton Control Act should be made of fective for the 1935 86 crop year In submitting this question, it is ment of the objectives of the cotthe desire of the Agricultural ton adjustment program Adjustment Administration that that cotton producers shall have possession of all available facts to guide them in reaching a decision. The choice is theirs and the Adjustment Administration is in no sense seeking to impose its views upon farmers to influence their decision

Cotton farmers must decide whether, in their opinion, the ad- the voting places are as follows: justment of cotton production ments of the present emergency Chamberlain school house; G. F. Novelty. 10 25c Will the efforts of a small minor- Leathers, Lelia Lake school Wed. Thurs 19 26, Constance ity of noncooperaters, the ten- house; Nelse Robinson, Midway Bennett. Herbert Marshall, in dency toward more intensive cul- school house; O L Jacobs, Windy tivation, and the possibility of Valley school house; O L Jacobs new lands coming into cotton Hudgins school house; W. C. production combine to increase Bridges, Hedley, City Hall; A E total production above the point Ranson, Giles school house; B. appears, is the central question house; Gordan Ira Thomas, Skitinvolved in a decision on continu. let school house; Gordan Ira ing the Bankhead Act for next Thomas Whitefish school house; year. Or, stated in another way: Wilson Gray, Goldston school Do cotton producers want the house; W. A Bailey' Ashtola mechanism afforded in the Bank- school house

head Act as a supplementary control to the current efforts under the Agricultural Adjustment

Coston farmers have had one

It is my hope that cotton pro-Cotton farmers are being asked ducers will examine carefully all based upon considered judgment as to whether the Bankhead Act is needed to assure the attain-

H. A. Wallace Secy. of Agriculture

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the ginning of cotten in excess of But it is for the cotten farmer to The Cowboy Counceler Newman and wife, and son, Vir-

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Peck's Bad Boy

Not all bad not all good Just a regular fellow that the grown ups wi'l like as well as the kids. Also Radio row musical, and Rythm in the bow. carteen in colors 10 25c

Tues 18

Down to their last Yacht Judges to hold the election and (Makers of Flying Down to Rio) with Mary Boland, Ned Sparks, Edwin Baley, Glarendon Court Polly Morgan and others. Lots under the voluntary contracts is House; Nolie Simmons, Sunny. of beautiful girls, dancing, sing sufficient to meet the require view school house; R. W. Moore, ing, and our Bank Nite. Also

Outcast lady

Scandal forces an innocent woman to become a world wanderer harrowed by wagging tongues and pointing fingers Also Irven which seems desirable? That, it A. Kyser, McKnight school Cobb in Ballad of Paducah Jail Webb 10 25e

Fri. 21. Neil Hamilton, Florence

Fugitive lady

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. C. B Dixon was de ight. fully surprised Sunday, Dec. 9, with a birthday dinner celebrating her a venty fifth birthday Those present were: C. B Dick son, W T Dickson and family, J G Dickson and family, H G Dickson and wife, J G. Guilland family, C. H. Blanks and wife, W. C Quisenberry and wife, M. F Quisenberry and family. Alpas Brown and wife, R E. A western with all the trimmings gil Mr and Mrs Bishop, Rev. Thrills, spills and laughs Also F. E Chiem. Mrs. George Arm-Cartoon comedy. Matines 10c strong. Grandmether Killingsworth, Mr. Brown, J P Devine, Miss Wands Horn, Charles and

Mrs Dickson received many nice gifts and all enjoyed a very fine dinner

Positively no hunting or trespassing allowed on my place. R. H Jones

Left From Last Week

1919 STUDY CLUB

The 1919 Study club met in the home of Mrs. W. H. Moffitt Wednesday Nov. 28, with a most beautiful Thanksgiving program, with Mrs. Burden as leader.

Roll call. Quotation on thanks Song. Praise Him, club Thanksgiving story, Mrs. Lov-

Quartette, Mesdames Thomp-

son, Noel, Simmons and Moffitt Thanksgiving reading, Theresa

Delicious refreshments in keeping with the Thanksgiving season were served to Mesdames Noel. Beaty, Watt. Kutch, Howard, Webb, C. L. Johnson, Lovall-Burden, McEwin, Simmons, C. E Johnson, Kinslow, Spalding, Reast. Thempson, and hostess. members Guests were Mesdames Bob Watkins and P. L. Dishman and Misses Otey Wat kins and Myrtle Reeves.

A group of friends and relatives enjoyed a big Thanksgiving dinner with all the "trim mings" at the home of Mrs. Lis sie Kempson. Those enjoying the occasion were: Rev and Mrs. family. W. E. Lawson. Bill Griffin and family. D B Kempson, Oscar Kempson and family of Ashtola

Mr. and Mrs Walter Brown and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, urday, Dec. 14 and 15, to collect and Miss Theims Clark of Pamps taxes spent Thanksgiving in the T. E Bailey home

L A Tucker and wife of Estelline and R ? Newman and fami ly of Weilington spent Sunday with home folks here.

Miss Pauline Pickett of the Memphis Hospital staff was Hedley visitor Saturday and at tended the Bx Senior banquet

Wells spent Thanksgiving with home folks here

Misses Mary Hope and Ruth

Lee Nowiin and family of Thalis were Hedley visitors last Thursda

Miss Peggy Caldwell, who is teaching at Leslie spent Thrnks giving here

Harrison Hall returned first of the week from Slidell, where he visited his mother in law. Mrs. Doyle, who was injured in a car wreck on Nov 25 She is report ed somewhat improved at pres.

Miss Maurine Goin, who is teaching school at Rock, visited home folks during the Thanks giving boildays.

Miss Basel Stewars, who is in nerse's training at the Northwest Texas Hospital at Amarillo, visited home folks the past week

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Apples, bulk, pk. 25c Popcern, Jolly Time, 2 cans 23e Bak. Powd., Dairy Maid, 2 lb. 21c Crackers, 2 lb.

English Peas, 2 No. 2 cans 25c

21c

25c Tomatoes, 3 No. 2 cans 10c Steak, forequarter, lb. 150 Steak, choice cuts, lb. 15c Sausage, pure pork, Ib. 20c Cheese, full cream, lb.

Sweet Potatoes, pk.

33c

5c

Highest Prices Paid for Cream and Eggs

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