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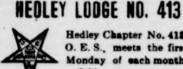
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Thursday night, April 25. at the Waters of Minnetonka"

federated clubs throughout the of the Panhandle state celebrated. The funds headquarters at Austin.

COUNTY SINGERS

The Donley county singing 5. at Lelia Lake. All singers of following report: the county are urged to be pres

NOTICE

Monday, May 6 All members thanks, the good women in par are arged to be present.

in trade given away each day, so graciously welcomed us in be will be appreciated

W M. Biffle. Prep.

ATTENTION

For flat tire service, phone 66. We have a road service car equiped with free air and hot copy be furnished the less paper patches. Just phone 66 and for publication. Signed, count the minutes.

Phillips Service Station.

The quarterly meeting of the Baptist W. M U. of the Panhandie association was held with the Laundry. We appreciate your First Baptist Church at Turkey business. Thursday, April 25.

1919 STUDY CLUB

The 1919 Study club met in the home of Mrs Payne, Wednesday, April 24, with Mrs Lovall hostess, Mrs Webb being leader of the program.

Roll call, favorite composer. Jud Browning's account of Rubinstein, playing, Mrs. Kutch.

A reading, "Apple Blossom Time" Thereas Webb.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Spalding. Kutch, Meffitt, Simmons, Weils, Webb, Watt, Kinslow, C. B. Johnson, Payne, and the hostess and Miss Theresa Webb.

Lee Newlin and family of Tha lia spent the past week end in Medley and Clarenden Mr. and Mrs. Nowlin were re elected to teach in the Thalia schools next year, Mr. Newita being Supt. there.

A. O. Yates and wife of Clarendon were in Hedley Tuesday.

A new shipment of Brache candies. Also Mother's Day candy in boxes at

Miss Maurine Goin of Conway spent last week end with homefolks here.

Mrs. J P Alexander returned 10 cen to her home in Meles. Tuesday after a visit of several days with friends here.

HIAWATHA PRESENTED DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The district conference held the American Legion ball, the in Hedley this week was one of 1919 Study club presented Miss the best attended and most ther Theresa Webb in "Hiswatha" oughly enjoyed by all Some 200 Miss Webb was beautifully cos delegates and preachers attend tamed to represent Hiswaths ed, with fine reports from all and the poem wenderfully liven over the district Two of the Mrs Bob Watkins opened the outstanding features of the con program with a piano solo, "By ference was the sermon of F. D Grimes, frem Polk Street, Ams This program was in commen rillo, and Rev J W Story, one oration of Woman's Day, and all of the beloved pioneer preachers

Many interesting discussions made were sent to permanent were had on the different de partments of the work The fol lowing resolutions were unanimously adopted by the confer ence before adjournment

We, your committee on reseconvention meets Sunday, May lutions beg leave to submit the

Whereas the Clarenden die trict conference has been se royally entertained and every com fort of members and visitors has been eared for therefore The Hedley chapter of the be it resolved that we extend to Eastern Star lodge will hold its the pastor Rev A. V Hendricks annual election of officers on and his people our sincere ticular who prepared and served to us such spendid meals To the paster of the First Baptist church our deep appreciation I have opened up the E Z Way for his words of welcome in be Helpy Selfy Laundry, south of half of the churches of Hedley high school building. 25 cents To the Mayer of the town who Ask as about it Your business half of the people. And to the entire citisenship who opened their homes and contributed in any way to the entertainment of the conference.

> We respectfully request that a copy of these resolutions be recorded in our minutes and a

C. E Jamesen J. R. Perter T. E. Johnston

NOTICE

Beginning Monday, May 6, cows, horses, hogs etc. which are found running loose will be picked up and put in the pound. Owner must pay charge of \$1 00 and reed bill for release of same. C. E Johnson, Mayor

Mrs. C. E. Johnson and Ernest Johnson are visitng in Eastland

Mrs Ciarence Davis is visiting in Wheeler this week.

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Just Cleaned Up

Friend Wife-Mercy! Wath has happened to you? Your clothes are torn, and you're all smeared with mud and then more mud.

Mr. Scrapleight-I had words with that fellow on the corner, and he cleaned me up.

Bad News "You have my sympathy, old man."

"Why?" "My wife got a new hat, and she's calling on your wife tomorrow.

Cutting and Slashing "Why are you reducing?"

"Oh, to cut down expanses."-Lon don Answers.



Pepper Again Seen as Trouble Maker

Cause of Contention.

Washington. — Failing companies closed their doors and 23,500 tons of pepper-several years' supply-piled up in London warehouses during the recent attempt by London speculators to corner the world supply of white

"This is not the first time pepper has caused excitement," says the National Geographic society. "This flery commodity was long a cause of contention between the early European trading companies operating in India and the Far East. Pepper cargoes raised the ire of rival sea captains of the Seventeenth and Eighteenth centuries, and, along with other spices, led to pitched battles among Portuguese, Dutch and English.

"Mitive to the moist forests of southwestern India, especially the Malabar coast, black pepper has long been orized by Eastern peoples to quicken languid appetites. They used it not only as a pungent condiment, but even as a medicine. For centuries pepper was the staple article of commerce between India and Europe.

Most Prized of All Spices.

In the Middle ages, pepper was prized above all spices. The most important early English guild was the Pepperer's Guild. At that time, the

Siam's Youthful King



This most recent photograph of little eleven-year-old . Prince Ananda, of Siam, shows him decked out in royal dress, as he will be clad, when crowned king of Siam, sometime late in May, succeeding his uncle, King Prajadhipok. who abdicated.

Commodity Long Has Been spice was so valuable it frequently took the place of money. Soldiers swaggered off with pounds of it as part of their booty. People received rewards in pepper, often paid their rent in pepper, and when a will was read, held their breath to hear how

much pepper they had been bequeathed. "The constant cry for pepper, and its high price, was largely what set canny Portuguese explorers searching for an all-sea route to the Indies. Vasco da Gama, sailing around the Cape of Good Hope, reached the home of pepper, the Malabar coast, in 1498. Venetians and Genoese who until then had practically monopolized the trade in pepper, now watched the Portuguese sail away with it. The Portuguese held the pepper purse-strings until the Seventeenth century. Under their control, less pepper was raised on the Malabar coast, but its cultivation was extended to the islands of the Malay archipelago. Malacca, a port on the west coast of the Malay peninsula, became a great pepper em-

porium. "So flourishing was the trade in pepper and other spices that in 1595 the Dutch organized an East India company; in 1600 Queen Elizabeth chartered the English East India company Danish, French, Swiss and other or ganizations followed rapidly on their

"Most important commercially and historically of all these companies was the English East India company.

Forced to Raise Pepper.

"For years, pepper was the object of England's trade with Sumatra. There the company made contracts with rajahs who were obliged to compel their dependents to cultivate pepper. Each native family was forced to plant 1,000 pepper vines, and each bachelor 500. The system of compelling natives to raise pepper for the company to buy was practiced by Dutch East Indian colonies until fairly recent times.

"A second system of cultivation fostered by European trading companies was to lend the Malays money with which to cultivate pepper. But since most of the borrowers never paid back the loans, often whole villages under cal laws became liable for the debt, and in effect, 'pepper slaves.'

"Although black pepper claims a lot of relatives scattered throughout the tropics, these do not include sweet peppers, red peppers, and chillies, which belong to an entirely different family.

"The pepper vine is a symbol of perseverance, a plant that simply doesn't know when it is licked. Taken from its natural habitat in the moist leafmold of shady jungles, it will grow in plantations, though often given scant shade, and on poor soil, if fertilized. Although it climbs freely in jungles, sometimes up to 30 feet, it continues to thrive on plantations when tied to a rough-barked tree, hardwood post, or even a stone post. and kept pruned to about twelve feet."

The Drive Against Crime

LEONARD A. BARRETT

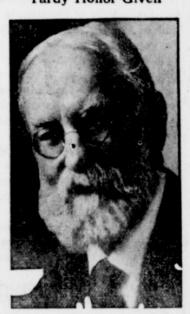
The attorney general's concerted ef-

fort to abolish crime is worthy of our hearty approval even though we may not agree with all the methods in volved. To set in motion certain forces under direct

federal control, for the purpose of eliminating crime and establishing detective agencies for locating criminals, is a praiseworthy procedure. But, let us ask, are such or ganized efforts the most important task in driving out

crime? The most serious menace in our social life is not the criminal, but the conditions in our modern society which tolerate the criminal and encourage him in his crime. Crime is fundamentally a moral and not a legal problem. We can no more rid the country of crime by legislation than we can solve the problem of world peace by adding an amendment to our con-

Tardy Honor Given



Gen. A. W. Greeley, leader of the Arctic expedition of 1881, has been voted a congressional medal of honor by congress. The general is ninetyone years old. He has not left his Washington home for many months and the medal will be presented to there. His Arctic expedition reached the farthest North of any up to that time. Of his 25 men, 18 died on the trip.

stitution. We tried by legislation to force prohibition. How miserably we failed. In the drive against crime. forces are to be reckoned with other than discovery and punishment of the

So long as crime is exhibited on the silver screen as a daring adventure, and certain portions of the public press glorify the criminal, we will not get far in eliminating crime. It is one thing to cut down the Canadian thistle which destroys the field. It is quite another thing to tear it up by the roots so it will not grow again. Discovery and punishment of crime is only a part of the task. It is like cutting down the Canadian thistle. It does not get at the source or cause. Youth goes wrong through neglect perhaps more than by deliberate choice. Why not find more wholesome recreation and honest work for the idle youth of our land. Unpunished crime is a subject upon which an entire volume could be written. Delay in court proceedings and successful efforts to thwart justice do not lessen the inclination to crime Remove politics from our courts and business from crime and we shall have taken a long step forward in creating the support of public sentiment with out which any drive against crime cannot succeed. Abraham Lincoln said. "Without public sentiment no cause can win. With public sentiment no cause can fail. The man who creates public opinion is greater than the legis lator who formulates law, as public opinion makes the enforcement of law a possibility."

6. Western Newspaper Union

Sharks Afraid of Man Sharks are afraid of man and will not attack him unless cornered. This is the opinion of Dr. Clinton L. Baker, blology professor at Southwestern unl versity. The educator said man-eating sharks are a myth and pointed out that like lions, they will never attack without provocation,

CANDLES certainly are decorative ends to throw on oven fires before utilities. There is no light more beburning wax helps to ignite the wood. A bit of candle is just the thing to use to wax thread when sewing. The candle end can be rounded or slightly shaped for the work basket if the wax is pressed into shape after it is slowly warmed, enough to be molded.

A Smart Table Decoration of Colored Candles and Matching Ribbons.

coming to individuals. It softens blem-

ishes, and accents beauty. It acts in

the same way on things in a room. The

mellow rays shimmer on silver when

candles light a dining table. And they

bring out prismatic lights in glass and

lend charm to china. Then apart from

their illuminating excellence, the can-

dles themselves can be ornamental.

Colors can be caught in them that are

wanted to be accented in a color

scheme for a room or a table. Or again

the color of the candles may decide

the color scheme for table decorations.

satin ribbon the same color as the can-

dles to lay across a table from center-

piece to candlesticks. The ribbon forms

one or more bows at the centerplece

and the long ends extend to the candle-

sticks. One homemaker keeps sets of

candles and ribbons to match, pink,

blue, gold, silver, orchid, etc. The initial cost is the chief expense, as one

set of tall candles generally does for

To increase the longevity of candles

nger, as the wax is chilled and does

not melt readily, but keeps the wicks

well oiled. This is not only a thrifty

measure, but a sightly one, as the drip

from melting candles does not increase

their beauty. By the way, remember

that three candles should not burn on

a table. There may be two, four or

After candles have served their spe-

cific purpose, the ends can be put to

good use. Tie a piece of thin cloth

about a bit of candle and it makes an

excellent flatiron polisher and smooth-

er. Rub it over the face of the iron

while it is hot, and rub the iron over

a piece of old cloth or heavy paper.

Then iron with it and note the im-

provement.

any other number, but three is incor-

put them in the refrigerator for some hours before lighting. They will burn

more than one dinner.

One attractive plan of this sort uses

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Study in Contrasts



A study in contrasts. A chamots vellow tacket of imported ribbed woolen tops a black skirt of the same fabric. An interesting version of the cowl neck is employed in the printed black and yellow silk blouse. Sult from Rose Some persons always save candle Amado. Hat from Lilly Dache.

criminal. Picked for Postage Stamp Series



When President Roosevelt and Postmaster General "Jim" Farley sat down choose the ten greatest American natural wonder pictures as illustrations for the national park series of postage stamps, they selected the Great White Throne, towering master of Zion National park, as one of them. Its gleaming white precipices defy venturesome climbers, its plateau-like top untrod by man. Zion National park to southern Utah is a summer mecca for tourism from all

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Rich Menday 2:30 p m W. M. S. 4 00 p m. Y. W. A.

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M E Wells, Pastor.

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HEDLEY LOBGE NO. 991



meets on the 2nd Thursday night in each month.

All members are arged to attend. Visitors are welcome.

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

GRAND JURY REPORT

State of Texas. County of Donley District Court, Donley County.

To The Honorable Judge of Said

We, your grand jury, duly em panelled for the March Term. A D. 1935 of the District Court of Donley County, Texas, make to the court the following report of our deliberations:

1. We have been in session eight days; we have examined church or society doings, when ad-mission is charged, will be treated Jury by subpoena and approximately twenty five witnesses who volunteered to come before us with information. We have pursued the investigation of all matters before us as thoroughly as was possible for us to under the means at our hands. We have heretofore returned inte open court 10 felony bills of indictment and we herewith retura into court one misdemeanor indictment. We have voted bills of indictment in all cases where we deemed the evidence sufficient to sustain a conviction;

2 We have examined the county jail and find that same is urgently in need of some repairs which are necessary if same is to be safe for the keeping of prisonera. We find the jail in good condition with reference to sanitation and the inmates report that they are well cared for

8. We find from a study of the cases presented before us that our Sheriff. Mr Pierce and his deputies have been diligent, faithful and effective in the dis-11:00 charge of their duties and we 6.30 p. m. feel that if peace officers over the 7:30 state should discharge their du would make little head way in the State We commend the citizen of the county for their coopera tion given in the enforcement of Brother Frank E. Chism will the laws and for the work done preach in Hedley, at the Jhurch by those called to jury services of Christ, the second Sanday of and we feel that this spirit of cooperation goes a long way toward keeping this a clean county and one free entirely of organized

morning from 10 to 11 o'clock. 4. We feel that the time spent Everyone is cordially invited to in our investigations has shown us that there is a break down in the home life of many of our young people, which is responsible for some of the deplorable conditions we find It seems that parents should be more careful to know where their sons and 10:45 a. m in Prayer. Song and daughters are at night and what company they are keeping. A failure to do this presents homes with a shadow and a young and useful ife often ruined or at least marred by atragedy that prob ably would not have presented itself had the mother and father watched over the unfortunate one more carefully and thoughtfully.

5 We are unable to give a refirst Wednesday in each port on the audit of the books of the county for the reason that the report of the auditor is not ready and this, we are informed, will be ready and available for the next grand jury.

6 We thank the court for his forbearance, courtesy and interest shown in us and in the enforcement of the law, during our deliberations.

7. We thank the District Clerk toe District and County Attor. seys and the bailiffs for their assistance during the time we have been in session

We have completed our delib erations and ask that we be dis charged

Done at Clarendon Texas this the 25th day of April, A D 1985 J G McDougal, Foreman.

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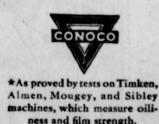
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"SLUGGER" SMITH

By R. H. WILKINSON

TO MAN," said Elmer Stone. "was ever more proud of his sobriquet than David 'Slugger' Smith."

Slugger was a small man, puny, almost emaciated in appearance-a friendly sort of person, the type of man toward whom you instantly warm without knowing why; a man, great of spirit and generous of heart.

'Sam Cook just called David, 'Slug-It was toward the end of the annual baseball game between volunteer Hook and Ladder No. 1 of Dexter and Hose 3 of Bartlett. David, an ardent follower of the big leagues, himself an enthusiastic player and a third baseman of whom all Dexterites were proud, stepped up to bat in the last half of the ninth, with the score 2 to 2, and slugged out a home run

"Sam, who was seated beside me in the bleachers, exclaimed: 'What a slugger that guy turned out to be!' The name seemed to suit David fine. It was sort of catchy and somehow suggestive of the reason for its origin.

There was, as usual, a celebration that night in the firehouse, and David was the hero of the hour. Sam proposed a toast to 'Slugger' Smith. and everybody cheered and applauded and thought the moniker well bestowed.

"David was ordinarily a modest and reticent type of man, but that name tickled his vanity. He grinned from ear to ear, and you could tell by the look in his eyes that he was mighty proud to be called 'Slugger.'

"That night after the celebration David went home and, emboldened by the flattery of his teammates (a boldness augmented by several generous mugs of Peter Sayles' very best home brew) woke his wife, Dora, from a sound slumber, and apprised her of the great honor that had been bestowed upon

"It was, I suspect, the home brew that freed David's tongue, for Dora Smith approved not at all of her husband's enthusiasm and interest in the national sport. She frowned upon his association with such ordinary people as myself and Sam Cook. And since the day of their wedding, five years before, she had never ceased trying to convince him that baseball was a degrading and vulgar pastime.

"For Dora had social ambitions. She wanted to be somebody, to travel in smart company, to be distinctive and aloof. At that time Dexter had no group of people that could be classed as aristocrats, but Dora had dreams of such a group, with herself in the role

"And so when David, with boyish enthusiasm and righteous pride, told how he had earned his sobriquet, his ardor was almost instantly squelched by cold and condemning stares, by harsh and cruel scolding, by unsympathetic and unfair upbraiding. Fortunately, David had fortified himself with enough home brew to dispel any oppressiveness which might have been his reaction to such a rebuff, and, more fortunately still. Dora had that evening received a · letter, the contents of which had excited her to a high fever and left little room in her mind for other matters. Hence the tirade was cut unusually short, and David crawled into bed to dream blissful dreams of slugging home runs for Hook and Ladder No. 1.

"Dora woke him early the next morning. Fully clothed she sat on the bed's edge, and held the letter in her hand. Even to David's sleep-drugged brain was borne the knowledge that some thing important was about to happen He rubbed his eyes, sat up and prepared to listen. Dora beamed.

'David, it's happened! We're rich. "David blinked. 'Rich?"

"'Richer than I'd ever dreamed David, just listen to this: Uncle Thom as, my mother's brother, who lived in Boston, died two weeks ago, and bequeathed us his entire fortune. Nearly a million dollars!"

"David looked concerned. 'Say, that's a shame. Tom was a good egg. What

"Dora's glance hardened for an instant, and then she was beaming again. Think of it, David, a million dollars! Think of what it means! Travel! Meeting smart people! Mingling with the highest of society! Oh, David. we'll be the envy of everyone in Dex-

"David wasn't exactly agog over the idea, and protested at giving up his job and accompanying his wife on a trip abroad. But he was a mild mannered man, easily persuaded in preference to asserting himself. During the next two weeks, while Dora was packing and making preparations for their tour, he went around town with a doleful look on his face, a look that brightened only when some one addressed him by his newly acquired sobriquet. If some one on the opposite side of the street shouted at him: 'Hi, Slugger!' you'd see a grin appear that

would warm the cockles of your heart. "We hated to see David go. He was a regular fellow, liked by us all, a good mixer, an unselfish friend. He told us they were to be devoted to acquiring culture and a snooty attitude.

"And despite the fact that none of us could ever conceive of David as an ar istocrat or anything more superior than the hero of Hook and Ladder No. 1's baseball team, we felt sad the day of his departure. Somehow it seemed he was stepping out of the role in which we had always known him and into another and stranger character.

"This fear was substantiated when. from one source or another, we began to hear news of the Smiths' social climb. Due mostly to Dora's determination and initiative they had advanced far and succeeded in making an impres-

sion on some of Europe's high society. "This news was further supported when it became known that Dora had invested several thousands of dollars with a genealogy expert and acquired among other things, a coat of arms, and a large book containing details of the Smith family as far back as Capt. John Smith. A little later we were advised that mail addressed to Mr. or Mrs. David Smith would be ignored; if we wanted to communicate with Slugger we must address the envelope to D. Richard Smythe, which was, Dora discovered, the correct way of spelling and pronouncing the good old name.

"This latter information was disturbing. It forced us to admit that our conjectures regarding 'Slugger' Smith were wrong. He had succumbed at last, gone high hat, become an aristowould undoubtedly look down with scorn and contempt upon his onetime cronies.

"Our last remaining hope was dashed asunder when one day the train from Boston deposited Slugger and Dora at Dexter's depot. Those of us who, as usual, were gathered on the platform to check up on the train's arrival, were saddened by what we saw. There was Slugger in a cut-away coat and striped trousers, carrying a little snow-white Pomeranian dog under his arm. He followed Dora across the station platform and looked right through us as if we had been so much thin air.

"It was sad. None of us addressed him. We would have felt uneasy doing so. He seemed strange and unreal; he wasn't the man upon whom we had bestowed the sobriquet of 'Slugger' and who had been proud of the

being about town during the next few days. And always he looked through us or falled to turn his face in our direction at all. We did not attempt to renew old friendship; we were too fearful of being humiliated and scorned.

"The thing might have gone on indefinitely had not Bob Terril, who had secured a position in Boston shortly after the Smiths departed from Europe, returned to town one day and confronted David in the post office that evening. Bob of course had no news of David. was not aware of the great transformation that had taken place in the onetime crony to us all, and at sight of him he let out a whoop and came across the floor. 'Slugger! I'm a son of an ox! By all that's holy, what is this, a masquerade!" he ejaculated again, and reached out and whacked David between the shoulder blades.

"And then something very surprising happened. Instead of spurning Bob's greeting with a look of scorn and contempt, an expression of serene happiness appeared on his face. He grinned from ear to ear and thrust out his

"'Thanks, Bob,' he said, his tone husky, 'thanks. I-I was afraid every one had forgotten about that name of mine. I was afraid to speak to anyone; afraid they wouldn't call me 'Slug-

Frozen Grasshoppers in Glacier for Many Years

Probably one of the most curious sights of the world is a glacier full of frozen grasshoppers. This is known as Grasshopper glacier, and is to be seen in Montana, observes a writer in the Montreal Herald. The huge mass of ice, under the crush of which the grasshoppers are buried, is under the shadow of Granite peak, a 13,000-foot mountain. Millions of grasshoppers are embedded in the ice of the glacier, and no one knows how many thousands of years they have been there. Those near the surface are plainly seen through the clear ice.

Just how the grasshoppers came to be in the ice is a matter which has long perplexed scientists. One idea is that the insects were suddenly killed by a cold blast of air when crossing the mountains on one of their periodic flights southward. Falling, they became buried in ice and snow.

Electric-Magnet Finds Tools Among the most successful ways of fishing for tools lost at the bottom of an oil well a mile and a half deep is a powerful electric magnet which is lowered into the hole. When contact can be made, the magnet lifts them quickly to the surface. Broken bits, tubing catchers, spearheads, slips, bailer bottoms, and various other metal parts are lost in drilling or later operations and must be recovered or the hole deviated around them. The bigger the hole the larger the magnet that can be used with a consequent greater lifting power. Magnets are constructed from 31/2 to 24 inches in diameter. A 9-inch magnet has a lifting power of 1,500 pounds plate stock. The apparatus is installed in a truck on which is mounted the cable drum.

Buried in Mortar

Probably the principal point of interest in Algiers is the tomb of St. Geronimo, a Christian martyr of the Sixteenth century, who was killed by being smothered in a block of mortar. The cast may be seen in the museum of Mustapha Superieur, in the suburbs

Meaning of Word "Hooverize"

The word "Hooverize" was coined from the name of Herbert Hoover when he was United States food administrator during the World war. It means to economize in the use of food; use certain foods sparingly or not at all and substitute others.

OUR COMIC SECTION

Events in the Lives of Little Men

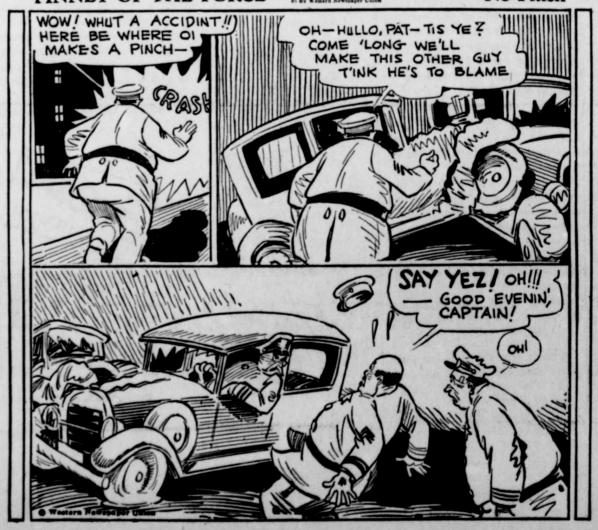




FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Loughlin

No Pinch



TREMENDOUS TRIFLES

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

A HISTORIC CIGAR WRAPPER

"H ALT!"
B. W. Mitchell of Muncie, Ind., a private in Company F of the Twenty-seventh Indiana Volunteer infantry in the Army of the Potomac, neard that command with a feeling of relief. He was tired after the long march that his general, George B. McClellan, had ordered on that not September day in

Then his eyes sparkled. A prize! It was his lucky day, though it happened to be the 13th. Three cigars, wrapped in a small piece of paper and tied with a string, lay at his feet. He ripped off the paper and started to throw it away. Then he swore softly . and ran quickly to his sergeant who made haste with him to the colonel. He took one look at the paper and a few minutes later it was in the hands

of General McClellan. It happened to be Special Order No. 191, signed by Gen. Robert E. Lee, who was leading his ragged hosts in gray north, singing "Maryland, My Maryland!" It revealed how Lee had divided the two wings of his army, and told of the routes over which they were moving. It was addressed to Gen. D. H. Hill, but some staff officer or courier had used it for a cigar wrapper, and then lost it.

George Brinton McClellan was a champion "staller," but this little piece of paper wrought a magic change in him. Here was his chance to smash the invading army. For once he moved with incredible speed. Within two hours he had a division on the march toward South mountain as the first step toward driving a wedge between Lee's divided force.

Just in the nick of time the amazed Confederate commander learned the reason for the Union leader's swift action, so he changed his plans. The result was that the gray "Army of Liberation" was forced to the defensive, Pennsylvania spared from invasion and there ensued the "bloodlest battle of the whole war." . . . that of Antietam. Lee lost 10,000 men and McClelian 12,140 . . . a total casualty list of 22,140, all because of a piece of paper wrapped around three cigars!

A CAPTAIN'S COMMISSION

F, IN the summer of 1777, a young Pennsylvanian had been given the commission of captain instead of second lieutenant, many an American settler in the Ohio valley would probably have been saved from Indian tomahawks and Simon Girty would not have come down in history as the "White Renegade," a "monster," and

a "wretched miscreant." At the outbreak of the Revolution, around Fort Pitt joined the Patriot cause. He served loyally and well until a disagreement with his superior led to his discharge. When Gen. Edward Hand took command at Fort Pitt Girty's enemies spread the story that he was plotting with the British. He was jailed on suspicion but, when

brought to trial, proved his innocence, Despite this injustice, Girty belped enlist men for the Continental army and hoped to be rewarded with a captaincy of a newly-organized company. But the command was given to John Stephenson and Girty was offered another second lieutenant's commission. To be slighted thus rankled in his heart so he made his way to Detroit and offered his services to Gen. Henry Hamilton, British commander there,

This was the beginning of the reign of terror which the "White Renegade," as leader of many an Indian war party, spread along the Kentucky and Ohio borders for nearly 20 years. How different frontier history might have been if Simon Girty, instead of Stephenson, had been made captain of a company in the Continental army in 1777!

AN UNWASHED SPOON

EARLY in 1800, a young Frenchman named Daguerre began to experiment with the "Diorama." The reflected light from a scene was made to come through an aperture and make picture on the opposite wall. Lenses were used for strengthening the images and here was a camera in almost working order.

Daguerre thought that nature should take her own pictures and that light could be made to record itself. He began many futile experiments, hunting for a chemical that would make a picture forthright. For more than two years he was a recluse, shut in his laboratory and refusing to see even his closest friends. He wanted to be the one lucky enough to make the discovery. One day, by a queer occurrence, he stumples on the secret.

He had eaten his ncon-day mea! and not waiting to wash his spoon, he tossed it in one of his cupboards. There was a metal plate coated with lodine on the shelf and the silver spoon young man opened the cupboard door at breakfast time to get his spoon and found a clear picture of it on the metal

plates with todine of silver and then followed the experiments which re-sulted in successful photography.

GERMAN ATHLETICISM

Before long all German students of both sexes will have to take a course of sports and gymnastics for the first three terms of their academic careers. The obligatory course will comprise gymnastics, athletics, boxing, swimming and shooting, and there will be interschool and inter-university charapionships. After one year students will be examined for a sports diploma. Unsuccessful candidates will not be allowed to begin their fourth term.

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ADVICE TO WOMEN



Call for Man-Tailored Jacket Suit

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



'class" with accessories that are eyeitem, then-on with the Easter style parade!

It is not that the strictly man-tailored short-jacket suit is the only type sponsored by leaders in fashion for the new season. On the contrary, suitbuying is a bewildering problem these species from the softly styled bolero, cape-sleeve jacket, also with-a-cape sort, to the tailored one-piece-dress variety which, when topped with its inthe part of a jacket-and-skirt tailleur. Then, too, the swagger-coat suits are as smart as the smartest. In fact any costume is in fashion this season just so it's a suit.

However, there comes the crucial moment in the life of every fashionfollowing woman when she must arrive at a definite decision as to "what to buy" in way of a new spring outfit. Reducing generalities as to style trends in the suit realm to a concrete unit we are inclined to believe that the advice offered in the first paragraph of this discourse on suits is as about as safe and sane and stylepromising as any we can suggest. We assure you that there is a decided flair tailleur will look when its owner tops among the best-dressed women for it with one of the stunning new natthe strictly man-tailored jacket and ural chamols hats, tying a stitched skirt versions, two pleasing exponents of which we present in the illustration herewith.

There is no need to dwell upon the satisfactions the whole season through that one gets out of a neat dated-up-to-the-moment suit such as pictured to the left. A classic type diversion. such as this is the very foundation of

filling and chic down to the minutest | a successful wardrobe. No matter how many frills and furbelows and sweetly feminine pretty-pretty clothes one may possess, when it comes to "something to wear" which will prove equal to every daytime occasion, there is nothing which can take the place of a good-looking suit, as is this model. It days. The range takes in every known is tailored of slate blue men's suiting with a white overcheck. The jacket has that easy-at-the-waist look which is indicative of the newest silhouette. The blouse is white challis printed in evitable jacket, is so styled as to look | red and black dots with an ascot scarf neckline.

The companion suit to the right accents the vogue for contrast. Also it is a smartly feminized interpretation of a masculine fashion in that the black broadcloth of a man's dinner jacket is combined with the striped fabric of formal trousers. Under this ultra chic braid-trimmed jacket milady wears a very dainty batiste blouse which has a jabot and collar with fine val lace-encrusted edge.

The beauty of a strictly tailored suit is that miracles can be worked in its appearance by varying the accessories worn with it. For example, fancy how stunning the double-breast scarf of the identical chamois about her throat, carrying a chamois handbag and wearing gloves of matching chamois. A navy blue sailor of the new rough spun-glass straw, with navy blue footwear and other accessory items would likewise prove a pleasing

C. Western Newspaper Union.

SPRING SUITS ARE OF RABBIT WOOL

Fifth avenue shops already are showing rabbit wool suits for spring in soft pastels. The favorite style consists of a one-piece dress on shirtwaist lines, with a loose hip-length jacket in a deeper tone of the same color. The frock is tailored to the last notch, has short sleeves, a monogrammed ascot of self-material, a saddle-leather belt and a kick pleat in the skirt.

The jacket, in a darker tone, is loose and casual, and may be worn admirably with springtime prints or sweaters and skirts.

The new spring weight rabbit woolens come in soft, silky shadow checks and stripes, diagonal and otherwise, are soft as the proverbial kitten's ear and as light as a spring zephyr.

There's a putty color that is grand in combination with a dark brown jacket, felt crusher hat, brown leather beit and brown accessories.

Three-Piece Ensembles to Be More and More Popular

Three-piece ensembles continue to be more and more popular. As a change from the winter woolen or fur coat with one-piece dress, there are novel ensemples for all hours of the day, composed either of a full jersey or woolen dress with cape to match, sometimes with an additional sort of waistcoat or cardigan jacket, of three-quarter or rather seven-eighths coat in the same material as the dress underneath. or matching its trimming; also of very smart afternoon velvet coats trimmed with fur and shorter than the dress in the same velvet, completed by a lame

or rayon chenille tunic. Rug Into Coat Cashmere rugs used for sports clothes are a novel idea for spring. The soft silky rugs, resembling cam el's hair, are used in tones of beige and brown to fashion loose three-quar-

ter length coats and trim suits.

PEACH-BASKET HAT By CHERIE NICHOLAS



If anyone asks you to describe the new peach-basket hat just tell them c has a crown which narrows at the op and a brim which slopes to the edge. An inverted peach basket inspired this new shape which is quite the topic of conversation among milliners here and abroad. The model pictured has one of the very narrow brims although some peach-basket chapeaux widen their brims into picturesque and flattering mushroom effects. Belting ribbon and a stiffened mesh veil trim the navy blue milan straw peach-basket hat here shown. Many of the wider brimmed models are made of stitched fabric, either crepe or taffeta and some few navy or black satin models are to be seen.

Scarf the Thing The scarf is among the indispensables of this season's wardrobe. Plain materials and plaids, every shape and size, are augmented sequin and os-trich feather scarves.

Suits for Spring Fashion says "Suits for spring with a capital S." Jacket suits, cape suita, topcoat suits-all are in favor

RENDER TRIBUTE TO "APPLESEED JOHNNY'S" LABOR

He was a gentle lunatic, "Johnny Appleseed." Or perhaps he was a saint. His first appearance in history, where he is now secure of his niche in the saga of American ploneering, is in the year 1800 when he is seen drifting down the Ohio in a strange craft with a queer cargo: two canoes lashed together bearing a load of rotten apples from the cider presses of Pennsylvania. His errand is to plant apple seeds in the wilderness that orchards may be there awaiting the white settlers when they arrive. This was his errand for 46 years. Like a good many other beneficent cranks he is supposed to have been born in Boston, and perhaps the wine of revolution mixed with his blood, for his birth year is given as 1775. Of holy, books he had two: the Bible and Emmanuel Swedenborg, which he read aloud to border families by the light of cabin fires; he ate no meat, killed no living creatures-not even venomous reptiles-befriended animals, went unharmed, though all but naked, in a savage wilderness that teemed with wild beasts and Indians, and these last venerated him as a powerful "medicine." In 1812 he spread the alarm of an impending Indian attack and saved hundreds of settlers from massacre. But more than saint, he was artist, and his art-form was the apple. It was a passionate conviction with him that the tree should be raised from the seed, and he chose his orchard sites for fertility and picturesqueness with the fastidious taste of poet and painter, fenced the enclosure, and returned each year to tend his trees. Ohio people still remember him with affection for his were the first fruits of their wilderness.-Boston Globe.

Agriculture Displaced

Agriculture, long the leading employer in Florida, now ranks in second place because of the expansion of manufacturing and mechanical industries, reports the University of Florida.

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Page Papa

Teacher-Willie, what is an adult? Willie-One that has stopped growing except in the middle.

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SYNOPSIS

The luck that brought the Boston Lawrences to California at the begin-ning of the gold rush has deserted the present generation. From a 4,000-acre ranch, their holdings have shrunk to a small farm, and the old family home in Clippersville. Phil, now twenty-five, has gone into the iron works, Gail to the public library and Edith to the book

department of Clippersville's largest store. Sam is in school, and seven-teen-year-old Ariel is becoming a problem. Phil is fascinated by "that terrible" Lily Cass, whose husband has deserted her. Young Van Murchison, scion of a wealthy family, returns from Yale, and Gail has visions, through marriage with him, of the turning of the Lawrence luck. Dick Stebbins, Phil's best friend, has the run of the house. Ariel is sneaking out of the house at night for joy rides. Phil suggests, to his sisters" consternation, that they invite Lily Cass to the house. Gail goes with Van for a week-end with Phil is fascinated by "that terri goes with Van for a week-end with the Chipps, his uncle and aunt. She is received coldly by Mrs. Chipps and her guests. At a roadhouse Gail sees a raccon-coated man helping Ariel into roadster. Ariel admits she was at the place, at night, and displays no re-

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morse, Gail is gloomy as she considers

the family's outlook.

Best of all had been the morning after a dance, when, waking in the big hotel on the hilltop, Gail had breakfasted in pajamas-the silk pajamas Edith had won when she won the Hope Chest at the Catholic fair last year.

After breakfast the party had split and scattered, Gail going off with Van in the roadster.

They had gone to the Cliff house and apostrephized the seals that were barking harshly on the rocks behind the drifts of fog; they had had tintypes taken on the board walk, and had tried all the swings and chutes. They had come downtown again and lunched on a roof above old Chinatown; hearing the cars honking in the streets below and the fishmen crying their wares. They had bought ginger and li-chee nuts, had lingered long at the theater doorway, studying the cheap little photographs, bursting into fresh laughter as they pretended to translate the hieroglyphics to one an

An idiot-yes, but Van was a most lovable idiot, the ideal idiot with whom to spend a silly day like this, when one's senses were still dreamy and dulled with the excitement of a gala night, and when one had him to oneself-not showing off, not given any chance to be drawn away, innocently to hurt one's feelings. This day in Chinatown was one to be marked with a white stone for Gail.

At four they had known they must start for home. It would take almost two hours to drive to Clippersville; Gall had not dared prolong the fun too far. Van had landed her safely at her own gate at six o'clock, and she had gone into the dim old brooding house, that was close and dark to night, with a sudden realization of the limitations of the place-the stupid-

"I've had the best time I ever had in my life!" she could tell them over and over again, exhausted by sheer felicity. She told them the jokes, the situations, the events, in an inconse quential jumble. Edith had listened eagerly, sympathetically; Phil was not at home. Ariel had listened, too, but

"Ariel had an experience last night. She went out for a casual drive with the Camps after the movie." Edith had said, "and they broke a spring, and it was nearly midnight when she got in! Phil and I were terribly frightened."

Gail's eyes and Ariel's had flashed together. But even when they were alone Ariel had not been communica

"You run your affairs and let me run mine!" she had said, not rudely,

"But it wasn't a broken spring, Ariel?"

"I say it was."

Gail had been too anxious to get back to her own dreams and memo ries to worry, even about Ariel.

The day had had its marvelous mo ment. It had come at four o'clock, when she and Van, laughing over the purchase of dragons, bowls, candle sticks, and charms in the sandal-scented, opium-scented interior of a dark little Chinatown shop, had been re-

luctantly forced to a consideration of

the flying time. "Yep, that's so, we can't stay in town-we ain't married yet!" Van had said, with his wild laugh.

It wasn't much. But it was enough for her to remember happily now; it owed that he did think of it, that it

was in his mind. "We ain't married yet!" It would have been a little better if he had not put it in the vernacular. Still . . .

She went to sleep dreaming of the

heart was very tender toward Van tonight. He had been a charming companion today, this big tweed-clad man with the well-filled wallet and the shining open car. Gail liked the memory of his smiling lean face grinning at her. She liked his clothes, his speech; she liked his references to places and things that belonged to a world of leisure and luxury that she did not know.

Almost every week-end was spent at the ranch in Los Gatos now, and between the Mondays and Fridays Gail lived in but a dreamy half-consciousness of what went on at home. The women of Van's set had taken her up. and when the Chipps were back at home, as they frequently were in midweek, Mary Spence or Lucia would come to Clippersville to stay with Lenore, and they would all straggle into the library during the dull forenoons to report their shopping expeditions, or to try to coax Gail to come off with them to a country club lunch-

Life, at this accelerated pace, fairly burned her up. The new pleasures en chanted her, but never satisfied, leaving her always straining for more; which indeed was the position of them all-Lenore, Mary, Van, Fred, to say nothing of their elders. They went everywhere, anywhere, they did any thing and everything that might prom ise fun. Breakfast on the Maccleishes yacht, for example; life on the Mac cleishes' yacht had nothing to do with sailing or the water. The yacht might as well have been moored ten feet underground in a coal mine, for all its gay party ever saw of the sea. Yet there was something distinguished about being asked to spend a weekend on a real yacht!

The glory spread far ahead of it and far behind it. Gail saw her name in the Clippersville Challenge more than once during this amazing summer, listed among the guests at affairs whose distinction a few months back was beyond her wildest dreams.

She had a feverish feeling some times of having lost Edith, lost Phil and Sam and Ariel, lost touch with her work at the library and her duties at home-one could not live two lives, after all, and Van's very exactions were a delight, an answer to her wild young ardent prayers of last spring. Nothing mattered but that she should please him, should keep close to him. She grew wittier, quicker, gayer as the weeks went by; their talk together was merely a quick cross-fire of repar-

One night in late August she and Van walked home from a movie in Clippersville. The night was insufferably hot, and the audience was glad enough to straggle out into the black darkness of the Calle, where the air was some degrees cooler.

"Whew! That was frightful" Gall breathed, turning her bared head up



Easily Have Put His Arm About Her.

to the stars, shaking back her tawny mane. "This is a snorter!" Van commented.

"Los Gatos tomorrow, hey? And into

the pool." The moon had not yet risen, but there was an odd light in the world, at nine o'clock; whitewashed surfaces

and the adobe walls of the oldest buildings wore an odd pale glimmer of white. The upper branches of the great trees over the Calle rustled wearily in a hot wind. "Maybe we'll go over to the beach

Sunday," Van said. "I wish we were there now!"

"Take you in a minute!" he offered eagerly. The girl laughed.

"A hundred miles," she said drily. "And we'd get so hot going over, and be so tired coming back, that we wouldn't gain much."

"Ice cream at Dobbins'?" he suggested.

"Kind of mussy." But she turned toward the drug store none the less; the opportunity to be seen by all the town, having soda at Dobbins' with Van Murchison, must not be over-

All Clippersville came in and out of Dobbins' on a hot summer evening, and she kept wheeling about on her high stool to greet library acquaint-

ances and neighbors and friends. "How-do, Miss Lawrence." "Hello, Gail." "How-do, Gail." "Good evening,

Miss Lawrence!" They all saw that she was with Van

Murchison.

Ariel came in and put her slim arms bout Gail from behind and kissed the right wave of tawny hair over Gail's

"Take our places," Gail said, potting down. "We're done!"

She walked along beside Van sil ly in the street. The man kept up his regular stream of chatter for a min-

ute; somehow it jarred tonight. Gaff broke across it suddenly.

"The reason I wanted to come away was-my brother Phil was in Dobbins',

"Your brother Phil was!" "Yes. 'Way over in the corner, in one

his girl was with him."

of the twosomes." "Why didn't we yell at him?" Van

asked simply. She had to have sympathy; she had to test him. With a sudden letting down of the bars she said, "Because

"And don't you like her?" Van de-manded, with his delighted air of discovering something amusing. "I despise her!" Gail answered som-

"Not really!" he exclaimed ecstatically. "What? Phil's girl?"

"She's not a girl, really, and it's very serious," Gail said, determined to sober him. "She's a divorced woman, and she has three little boys about three and two and one-"

"Oh, I love it!" Van said with relsh. "Phil! Old sober-sides! I adore it! I'm crazy about it!"

"Van, how can you say so!" Gail reproached him, hurt, "She's a terrible girl; she comes from Thomas Street Hill; she was one of the Wibsers." "Oh, I think it's perfectly grand!" Van said, with his raw, joyous laugh.

"Think of the trouble and expense saved-his family all ready-made!" But suddenly perceiving that she was not amused, and that a genuine mood of anger and disappointment was keeping her silent, he changed his tone and said rallyingly, lightly:

"Why, what do you care who your brother marries! You don't have to marry her4 It's his funeral." "I suppose so," Gail conceded after

a moment, wearily. "Want to jump into the car and rush off somewhere and get cool?" "It would take too long, and I'm too tired, and I promised Edith to be home

early. She gets nervous." The car was parked a hundred feet from the Lawrence gate. Gail went to the fence that had once been their meadow fence, and leaned on the bars and stared into the night that was now lighted by the moon.

"Phil's marrying would simply wreck our home," she said, reverting to the topic deliberately, desperately.

"Oh, forget it! He won't marry her," Van assured her easily.

"I think," she began, a little thickly -"I think what worries me is Ariel. She's proud, she's so sensitive-' "Shucks! She isn't any prouder or

more sensitive than you are!" Van said unsympathetically. He hated to be serious, Gail knew. He was hating it

"The thing about Ariel is," Gail pursued resolutely, "that she is running around with that Buddy Raisch crowd -of course they may be a perfectly decent crowd underneath-"

"Why, she's nothing but a school child!" Van said, in distaste and displeasure.

"Well, she's not such a school child but what she lets Buddy Raisch take her out in his roadster-'

"Oh, I love it! d think it's price-Van exclaimed, laughing, as Gail's troubled voice fell still.

"I don't know what to do about it," she added timidly, "what you would think I ought to do, Van?"

He was interested now, but in an annoyed, reluctant sort of way. He said quickly:

"I? For heaven's sake, what should I know about it? It seems to me if she's such a fool she likes to run 'round with a bounder like that, why, let her do it!"

"But you don't understand, Van,"

Gail said patiently, "She's only seventeen-she won't be eighteen until next Christmas." "That wasn't no hindrance to the

late Miss Juliet Capulet!" Van reminded her joyously.

Gail laughed faintly, and was silent, "I'll come for you early tomorrow."

Van presently said, "How's nine o'clock? That gets us to the ranch at

The girl felt cold, unresponsive, heavy.

They were standing close together at the old fence rail; he night easily have put his arm about fer. But he never attempted that sort of thing; Gail wondered sometimes if it were some queer lack in her that prevented him, or some missing quality in him.

Going into the house she determined that she would not go down to Los Gatos at all tomorrow, and felt a great relief in the thought. If they wanted her they could make a special over-

ture next week. She wandered away to her own room, returned in pajamas, brushing her thick mop of tawny-gold hair. "Phil was at Dobbins' tonight," she

said suddenly, "with Lily." Edith opened her lips to speak, made no sound. They stared at each other.

"He wasn't!" Edith whispered after awhile.

"At Dobbins!" "In one of the twosomes-the alcoves. "Oh. Gail!" Edith wailed.

"I know. It's awful." "He's crazy," the younger sister said darkly. They brooded upon it in si-Gall felt tired and blue; discouraged

about Phil, about Ariel, about her own hopes and plans concerning Van. A nse of futility, of helplessness, was heavy upon her as she went slowly downstairs and slowly moved about the kitchen, pressing her white linen, ening her printed chiffon. TO BE CONTINUED.

New York Has High Buildings Of approximately 400 buildings in this country more than 20 stories in height, built are in New York.

Dental Hygiene

The Road to Health

By DR. R. ALLEN GRIFFITH HOW TEETH INFECT THE

SYSTEM

WITH the exception of venereal disease, every disease, every germ that enters the human system must enter through the mouth, nose or a break in the skin. The mouth is the most extensive breeding place for germs. Before any disease can gain a foothold in the human system, it must have a place of incubation and a period of incubation and that place is the un-

clean mouth. Where are the pneumococcus, the tubercle bacillus, the virus of scarlet fever, measles, croup, etc., most fre-quently found? In the unclean human mouth. We are not astonished when we find millions of chains of the six varieties of streptococci and millions of pneumococci in the average mouth and these are among the dangerous disease germs. All of these micro-organisms are absorbed from spaces around and between the teeth into the mucous membrane of the mouth and into the tonsils. They are swallowed into the stomach and drawn into the lungs. Constant and persistent doses of micro-organisms and their toxins ultimately break down the resistance

of the healthy human organism. The germs found in diseased teeth and septic mouths are swept into the stomach with solid and liquid food and infected saliva. While many of them are destroyed, many of them pass into the intestines where they set up putrefaction and manufacture toxins and food poisons. These have a special predilection for nerve cells.

The absorption of micro-organisms and their toxins into the circulation is responsible for rheumatism, arthritis and endocarditis. The micro-organisms are carried by the blood stream to the joints and heart where they produce these destructive diseases. This has been proven by injecting into guinea pigs cultures made from the mouths of persons so infected, the same diseases being produced in the guinea pigs. Also, treatment of the mouth has caused an improvement or

cure of the diseased conditions. Without treatment of the mouth, the cure of many of these diseases by systematic treatment otherwise has failed and will continue to fail.

At the Century of Progress in Chicago in the dental exhibit was shown the fossil jaw of a mammoth which contained a dental abscess that would hold three and one-half quarts of pus. Who knows but what this dental abscess may have caused the death of

even this immense prehistoric animal? THE FIRST PERMANENT TOOTH

THE first permanent tooth comes and seventh years. It comes in just back of the baby teeth and is frequently mistaken for a baby tooth because it does not replace another tooth. It is called the six-year molar, and is the largest and most important tooth in the dental arch.

The six year molar is of the greatest concern to dentists. Most dentists are familiar with the troublesome nature of the tooth. It drives more children to the dentist than all other

teeth combined. If we are to do the most for children we must save the six-year molars. When the six year molars are extracted the dental arch is robbed of its 'support. It soon collapses. The teeth in front of it fall backward and a space appears between the front teeth. The beautiful, symmetrical curve of the face is lost, and nothing

can restore it. The six-year molars are particularly valuable because they do most of the chewing for a period of five years. These four teeth take their places when the child is six years of age, the upper biting squarely upon the lower. There are no teeth back of them until the child is twelve years of age, when the second molars come

In front of them are the baby molars which are small and frail and are not made for chewing heavy food. If the baby molars are lost or decayed they cannot assist the six-year molars in chewing food. Thus, for five years, the four six-year molars are compelled to chew all the food that goes to nourish the rapidly developing child. The six-year molars also act as a prop to hold the jaws apart while the other permanent teeth are coming in. The pressure of the jaws falls upon these four teeth until the other back teeth come in between the ages of ten and twelve, and in case one or two of these first permanent teeth are lost, the jaws are not held open the correct distance and the jaws close upon the other teeth that are only part way in, forcing them out of line and prevent-

ing them from coming entirely in. The only proper way to care for your children's teeth is to place the child in the care of a dentist at three years of age. He will keep the child's teeth free from decay if the visits are made at frequent intervals. He will fill small cavities as soon as they ap-pear, and keep the teeth free from stains and tartar. He will tell you how to keep the mouth in a clean. healthy condition, and if this rule is followed the permanent teeth will come in in a clean, healthy mouth free fr:m decay.

ROMAN STADIUM MODEL FOR ALL

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The last word in stadium construc tion was spoken many years ago. It isn't the Rose Bowl or Olympic sta-dium in Los Angeles, but an arena 200 feet high with an external cir-

cumference of 1,900 feet. It was begun 72 years after the birth of Christ. It was called the Flavian amphitheater and later the Coliseum. It held more than 85,000 persons and could be emptied in ten minutes.

Built a little less than 1,900 years ago, it lacked no comfort or conveni-

ence of a modern football stadium. The Chicago stadium and Madison Square garden are marvels of modern engineering skill and amusement building construction! They are just about fair. About the only thing they have that the Romans didn't have are ice-making machines. And had there been any ice sports in those days, or had Italy had a colder climate, the Romans would have had

the machines, too. After all, you visit the Palatine rooms, dressing rooms, showers, dens for wild animals, runways for them, prisons for the condemned criminals and Christians and storerooms for the vast collection of properties used in the shows.

The arena also could be flooded and used as a swimming pool. Remember how tickled the late Tex Rickard was when he managed to do that in the old Madison Square garden. I don't even know whether it can be done in the present New York garden. And the only outdoor stadium I know of that can be used for swimming is the Rose Bowl in Pasadena. I saw that one under water.

Ever been in the garden during the circus and wendered what would bappen if Clyde Beatty's beasts should suddenly knock down those flimsy looking cages and start running amuck in the arena and leap into the boxes?

The Romans thought of that one

A railing ran around the inside of the amphitheater. All around the top bars of the rail were revolving cylinders, so that the wild beasts couldn't get a foothold. When they leaped for the rails, as they often did. the cylinders spun on the bar and

they slid off. You may still see the locker rooms conveniently placed just outside the arena, where the gladiators changed clothing and donned their armer to prepare for the show, sometimes bebind silk curtains drawn across the little cells in the walls of which were stuck flambeaux to give light. No doubt the names of the heroes were embroidered on the silk curtains .-Paul Gallico, in the Kansas City

Fanciers Credit Dogs

With Ability to "Talk" ilderwall, a Great Dane that died recently at Little Compton, R. I., was one of a very few dogs credited by fanciers with an ability to speak. This animal, so his master and acquaintances said, was selftaught and was able to express him-

self in a limited way in the English The people most likely to shrug their shoulders at this are people who have not come into much close

contact with intelligent dogs. It is probable that Boulderwall possessed the "gift of gab" beyond the ability of most members of his race, but it is equally probable that many other canines try to make themselves understood in human language, and sometimes fail because of the inattention or indifference of listeners, more than because of their

own limitations. Certainly many dogs have vocabularies of their own, and there is not the slightest doubt about the ability

of those with well-developed brains o understand simple conversations. Indeed, in the presence of many dogs, prudence of expression is as advisable at times as it is in the presence of children. We know dogs, too, with a sense of humor that

crinkle their eyes and would laugh human fashion if they were physically equipped to do it. What would happen if it were possible to develop a breed of dogs with palates and lips which would permit clear articulation might be extremely interesting.-Detroit Free



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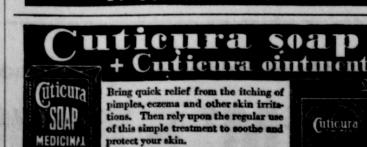
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