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IN SOCIETY'S REALM

Little Men and Women.
Mrs. Willard Scoville made the fourth birthday of her little son Field, a very happy event Saturday afternoon by giving a children's party at her cozy home corner of Burnett and Thirteenth streets. The absorbing game, which caused much hilarity among the little tots was pinning the tail on the donkey. Their fruitless efforts were ludicrous in the extreme, and a box of candy was awarded Jack Murray as the most successful contestant. For happiness personified, commend us to the win- some world of babyland. Many and sundry were the birthday offerings for the small host, and ice cream and cake so dearly loved of children were served to Anderson Kemp, Elizabeth Carrigan, John Rhea Duke, Mary Fran- ces Collier, Lucille Smith, Mary Jo Kell, Pinta Huff, Elizabeth and Kerry Brown, Ruth and Dorothy Nolen, Pierce Langford, Judith Sherrod, Flora Bruce Greenwood, Virginia and Emma Elizabeth Miller, Jack and Mathew Murray, Joel Fisher, Charlie Bower and Clabe Emanuel. Mrs. Dr. Miller ably assisted the hostess in steering clear of any Scylla and Charybdis that might threaten to capsize so rail a craft. "Heigh-ho! Babyhood! Tell me where you linger! Let's toddle home again, for we have gone astray; Take this eager hand of mine and lead me by the finger Back to the lotus-lands of the far- away."

"42" Party.
Taking place among the important events of the week, socially was the large "42" party given Saturday after- noon by Mrs. P. P. Langford, 900 Bar- nett street, honoring Miss Conway of Bryan, guest of Mrs. G. D. Ander- son, and Misses Fry and Hook of Mexico, Mo., guests of Miss Bishop. Pretty compliments were paid to the early spring in dainty decorations of cut flowers and plants, and that it was an occasion of rare enjoyment it is needless to add. After an interesting number of games brick cream and cake with an accompaniment of fruit punch and daily confections was served the following guests: Mrs. Will Eppler, E. E. Saunders, Claude Woods, Newton Maser, E. F. Jones, Robbie Sherman, Mike Walker, Oral Jones, Orlopp, Mark Moore, Mytinger, Little, Shepperd, Wade Walker, Ben Chil- dress, Thorburn, Hines, Kirby, Bruce Greenwood, Mark Walker, Barron, El- kins; Misses Porter, Icie White, Bell, Childress, Bishop, Gertrude Fry, Mex- ico City, Mo.; Willie Hook, (Mexico City, Mo.) Conway of Bryan, Gertrude Mathis, Kell Carrie Kell, Kemp, Ward, Ratney, Taylor, Stafford, Robinson, Brooks, Randall, Denny, Adickes, Lucy Barwise, Nina Barwise, Clopton, Young, Ingram, Gibson, Gardner, Ada Wood, Skinner, Temple Thomp- son, Butts, Eva Benson.

Needles and Thimbles.
A congenial coterie of young ladies has formed a pleasant and profitable club in which Tuesday afternoon of each week is spent with needles and thimbles. Contrary to the old belief an industrious hand puts a quietus on volumes of gossip, and lifts one from aimless idleness to self-respecting ac- tivity. The meeting this week with Miss Esther Goraline, 708 Travis street, was of paramount importance, and to the uninitiated there would seem to be "method in their mad- ness." A peep into their constitution and by-laws might reveal many a hid- den mystery. We are safe in saying however, that the young lady whose trousseau is complete is not of this number. The membership included Phoebe Bishop, Sadie and Carrie Kell, Jewell Kemp, Virlan, Mathis, Esther Goraline, Tempe Thompson and Mrs. Mark Walker. Complimentary to the guests of the afternoon, Miss Willie Adickes of Huntsville and Misses Ger- trude Fry and Willie Hook of Mexico Mo. dainty refreshments were served consisting of a salad course with min- ute.

Merry Maids and Wives.
In a very gracious manner, Mrs. E. P. Greenwood filled the role of host- ess and cordially welcomed the "500" club to her lovely home, corner of Tay- lor and Ninth streets, Wednesday af- ternoon. Four tables of players in- cluded the following list: Mesdames Mat. Noble, Orlopp, Webb, Kahn, My- tinger, Somers, Norton, Baker of Dal- las and Misses Tressa Lee, Bonnie Skinner, Icie White, Lillian Avis, and Lillian Denny. It was Mes. Webb's good fortune to carry off the prize a beautiful cut glass nappy. Ice cream and cake daintily served were a most refreshing adjunct to the social con- clusion of the afternoon. Mrs. Alex Kahn will be the next hostess.

Miss Allie Conway of Bryan who is the guest of Mrs. G. D. Anderson was the inspiration for an informal gather- ing of a few friends Tuesday evening at the corner of Burnett and 10th streets. The guests included Misses Sadie Kell, Esther Goraline, Willie Adickes, of Huntsville, Jewell Kemp, Virlan Mathis and Allie Conway; Messrs. Orville Bullington, Alex Brit- als, Dr. Felder and Garrison, Wm. Bonner and Walter Priddy. The time was spent in games and conversation and a dainty ice cream course was the last but not least of the enjoyable features of the evening.

SOCIETY PERSONALS.

Mrs. Baker of Fort Worth has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. McCleskey.
Mrs. Baker of Dallas has been spend- ing a week with her friend, Miss Icie White on Tenth street.
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. White will leave in a few days for San Antonio for the benefit of her health.
Mrs. Lassiter of Seymour is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. B. Smith, 1209 Austin street.
Mrs. Boone, who has been visiting her friend, Mrs. F. A. Joseph, left this morning for Kansas City.
Mrs. H. B. Patterson is delegate to the Sunday School convention in Fort Worth and left Thursday for that place.

Mrs. Russell Alken of Nocona was a pleasant visitor in the home of Dr. Miller Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.
Rev. R. R. Hamlin, pastor of the Christian church is attending the con- vention at Fort Worth but will return in time to fill his pulpit as usual.

Dr. Du Val was called to Granbury, Tuesday by the serious illness of his father, who died that night. The de- ceased was also an uncle of Mrs. R. E. Huff.

Mrs. Walter Keith of Stamford after making a brief visit to her friend, Miss Grace Chamberlain went to Fort Worth for a visit of some length to her father and sisters.

A card from Mrs. McKee Friday an- nounced that her sister, whose sudden illness called her to Chicago, some weeks ago, is a slight degree improved, and hopes are entertained that she may recover.

Miss May Ruth Ingram—the efficient pipe organist of the Presbyterian church is leaving today for California. Many thanks are due her for her faith- fulness in this line of church work and sincere expressions of esteem will follow her to her new home.

The popular shoe man, Mr. E. H. Ingram, left with his family on the 1:30 train for Longbeach, Calif. Mr. Ingram has been a lifelong sufferer from headaches and only finds relief in the coast country. A summer in this salubrious climate will probably decide their future location. Many good wishes accompany them.

The many woman friends of Mrs. Mattie Blair who formerly lived here will be glad to know that she is rapidly recovering her health. She was prostrated with sciatic and went to Mineral Wells as soon as possible and as her improvement became more pronounced, returned to her home in Dal- las.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Blair and daugh- ter, Kathleen, leave Monday in their touring car for Fort Worth where Mrs. Ed Lysaght will entertain a house party. From there they will extend their trip to Dallas and West- ford visiting their daughter, Mrs. Herbert Hughes in the former place and a host of old friends in Weather- ford which was their former home. Mrs. Blair and Kathleen will then pro- ceed by rail to New York and spend the spring vacation with Wiley, Jr., completing their little tour in about a month.

Supper Party.
After witnessing the spectacular at- traction, America, at the opera house Monday night, a merry crowd of happy young people adjourned to the new Westland and enjoyed an after-theatre supper. Those comprising this num- ber were Misses Tressa Lee, Bonnie Skinner, Icie White, Lena Mallock, Lillian Denny, Jewell Kemp, and Phoebe Bishop; Messrs. W. S. Penick, F. P. Avis, R. J. Martin, W. M. Bonner and W. F. Weiss.

Vesper Service.
The Y. W. C. A. will hold a vesper service Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Presbyterian church. We like to emphasize again this pleasing and profitable service. All members and friends are earnestly solicited to lend their presence and support to this most worthy organization. Mrs. Dutton who is so efficient in this line of work, will direct the meeting and take for her theme "Old Testament Types" and the treatment will be of special significance to young girls.

500 Club.
A number of guests added interest to the games of the 500 club with Mrs. Dr. Miller, Thursday afternoon at her commodious home corner of Tal- leghent and Travis streets. These reg- ular meetings have just enough inter- est to enhance the social interest without showing after effects. Those attending were Mesdames R. E. Huff, M. M. Walker, Blair, Woodward, J. T.

A GREAT MONEY SAVING EVENT FOR MONDAY AND TUESDAY

You can pay more, and some people do, but its because they don't know this store and its stock—Everyone who knows, is a Pennington buyer, getting more value for less money than any other store in or near Wichita Falls. Demonstrations of this fact can be had any day at this store—Special proof is to be had in these Specials Monday and Tuesday, sales that are putting seasonable merchandise in the hands of the people away under value. Not an item, worthy of note, but will be found in our complete stocks

"PUT US TO THE TEST" HERE ARE TIMELY OFFERINGS THAT SHOULD CROWD THIS STORE TO ITS CAPACITY MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Pretty New Serpentine Crappe Yard 12c.
More than a dozen styles to select from, all pretty bright new patterns, marked at the yard **18c**
Book-Fold Madras, 28 inches wide, all new spring styles, light and dark colors, marked at the yard **12 1/2c**
REP in Novelty, dark brown, red, black and Copenhagen, 27-inches wide on sale at the yard **25c**

SPECIAL SALE CRASH TOWELING 8c YARD

25 pieces cotton crash for towels, plain white and some with red border, our regular 10c value on sale Monday and Tuesday at the yard **8c**

Yard Wide Hope Bleached Domestic—Yard Monday and Tuesday 8 1/2c

Monday and Tuesday we shall place on sale one case yard wide bleached Hope Domestic, our regular 12 1/2c quality at only the yard **8 1/2c** Limit 10 yards to a customer.

Always Have two Corsets.
Don't wear one corset continually. It isn't sanitary and you will not get the maximum service from your corset if you wear it every day. Buy two corsets so you can change fre- quently.

HENDERSON Fashion Form Corsets

This will allow you to all one while the other is being worn. The very best corset investment you can make is to buy two Henderson models. You will be surprised and pleased to note how much longer they will wear. There are no better corsets than the Henderson. From the lightly boned gir- die to the practical reducing corset, Henderson models in- clude all styles and shapes that can be possibly needed. The moderate prices of Hen- derson Corsets will allow every woman to purchase one of these desirable models. Visit our corset department and examine the new styles of corsets just received. Our salesladies are at your service for demonstrations and fittings. Buy two of any of these Henderson Corsets at the exceptionally low prices quoted if you want real corset bargains: **\$1.00 \$1.50 \$2.50**



LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Chemise, Corset Covers, Drawers, Gowns and Undershirts, marked at each 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and up.
NEW IN LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR
A splendid display of Ladies' Hand- some Dresses, Skirts and etc., un- doubtedly what you want is being shown here. Come and see. Hand- some Dresses of Mesaline, Foulard and Marquise, Embroidery Linen and lace. Black and white novelties, all sizes, small, medium and large. We are sure you can find what you want from this big showing. Dresses \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.50, \$11.85 to \$25.00. Skirts—\$3.00, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$15.00 to \$17.50.



Ladies' New Footwear.

We invite your special at- tention to our exceptional line of ladies' new Spring Footwear, a most gratifying as- sortment in all the new leathers and lasts at \$2.50 to \$4.00.

Men's Shoes for Spring Wear Ready.

The Newest Styles are al- ways shown here first. Our offering of Crossett Shoes for spring is now complete. In this show we have succeeded in getting away from the common place in footwear and are prepared to show you styles of unusual character and beauty which can be worn with perfect comfort. The Crossett & Abbott Shoe is famous throughout the country as a fashionable shoe that is comfortable. Come in and let us show you the new styles at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00.

10c Ladies' Sleeveless Vests on Sale Monday and Tuesday—Each 8c

25 dozen Ladies' Sleeveless Vests, our regular 10c value, compares favorable with the 12 1/2c kind, on sale for those two days at only each **8c**

A GREAT SALE CURTAIN SWISS AND COL- ONIAL DRAPERIES MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

A sale that will possibly interest every lady in Wichita Falls. More than 100 pieces to select from, mostly all new patterns. Every one that is inter- ested in house-keeping should certainly take advan- tage of this sale, as this is the season of the year that the goods are in demand. We shall not attempt to describe these goods, but suggest that you come at once and see for yourself.
\$1.00 Values on sale at only the yard **89c**
75c Values at only the yard **67c**
65c Values on sale at only the yard **57c**
60c Values on sale at only the yard **53c**
35c Values on sale at only the yard **29c**
30c Values on sale at only the yard **26c**
25c Values on sale at only the yard **21c**
20c Values on sale at only the yard **17c**
15c Values on sale at only the yard **12c**
12 1/2c Values on sale at only the yard **10c**
10c Values on sale at only the yard **8c**
7 1/2c Values on sale at only the yard **6c**
VAL and TORCHON LACE AND INSERTION TO MATCH VALUES TO 10c, MONDAY AND TUESDAY—YARD 5c.
More than 10,000 yards Val and Torchon Lace and Insertions to match, bought away under regular price, worth in a regular way to 10c a yard, all will go on sale Monday and Tuesday at grand choice the yard **5c**

NEWEST WHITE DRESS LINENS.

Washable white dress Linens, best qualities we ever had for the price. Make selections while the stocks are complete.
Sheer Lawn—35-inch white sheer lawn, grass bleach, marked at only the yard **35c**
Arg Linen—35-inch round thread Arg Linen (white) warranted all pure linen, marked at only the yard **65c**
Embroidery Linen—36-inch white Embroidery Linen round thread finished, all pure linen, on sale yard **50c**
Linen Sheeting—12-inch Linen Sheeting, a real nice quality, marked at the yard **75c**
Linen Sheeting—White Linen Sheeting, 30 inches wide, the kind that usually sells at \$1.25 a yard; our price the yard **\$1.00**
Linen Waisting—White Linen waisting, All pure linen, yard wide, marked at only the yard **50c**
Table Damask—Positively the largest and most complete line of Table Linen we have ever shown and at these prices are great bargains—yard 25c, 30c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00 to **\$1.25**

NEW SILK AND CREPE KIMONOS.

By far the largest and prettiest line of new Silk and Crepe Kimonos we have ever shown; see big display in our center show window marked at each \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$4.50, up to **\$16.50**

7 1/2c Book-Fold Percale on Sale at the yard 6 1/2c
Reds and blue figured Percales our regular 7 1/2c value on sale Monday and Tuesday only at the yard **6 1/2c**

Genuine Amoskeag Utility Book-Fold Gingham Yard 10c.
Two cases Amoskeag Utility book-fold Gingham, plaids, stripes and solid colors, marked at the yard **10c**

LADIES' SLEEVELESS VESTS AT 5c.
Monday and Tuesday we shall place on sale 20 dozen Ladies' Sleeveless Vests, at only each **5c**

Hydrogen of Peroxide Bottle 10c.
Just the kind that the drug stores sell at 25c on sale here Monday and Tuesday at only the bottle **10c**

PENNINGTON'S THE BIG BUSY STORE

Hemstitched Scarfing. Pure white, a beautiful quality, suitable for dresser scarfs, 17 inches wide, marked at the yard **35c**

So many men can get enthusiastic about everything but their work. There isn't much hope for the drunkard who is proud of it. A boy's idea of a good time is to eat too much.

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT NEWS

Northwest Texas and Southwest Oklahoma

MUCH ACTIVITY IN ELECTRA FIELD

GREATER INTEREST MANIFESTED THAN EVER BEFORE BY DEVELOPERS.

DERRICKS ARE GOING UP

Reported That Five New Storage Tanks Will Be Built in a Short Time.

Special to The Times. Electra, Texas, March 11.—There is now more activity in the Electra oil field than at any time since the field has been opened.

In addition to work on several wells now going down new derricks are being built and it is announced that three new storage tanks are to be built one on the Bywaters and two on the Waggoner lease. The derrick by Bywaters No. 2 is completed and about ready for the drilling machinery, which we understand will be placed immediately.

The location of Bywaters No. 2 is about five or six hundred feet directly north of Bywaters No. 1 and comes very near the railroad right of way.

The location for the Waggoner No. 7 will be about eight hundred or a thousand feet west of Bywaters No. 2 and the north location on the Waggoner lease. With the completion of the Waggoner No. 7 there will be a little cluster of ten wells owned by the Texas Company.

Frank Cullinan and a party of prominent oil men from Henrietta were here this week looking over the field. It is understood that their visit will result in an important announcement which will be forthcoming shortly. Among the other visitors this week were Vice President Donohue of the Texas Company and J. E. Buhann pipe line and tank foreman for the same company.

When a man tries to break all speed records in an automobile, he is the one who lives up to that old-fashioned slang wagger of betting his neck.

Try a Times want ad.

BAYLOR COUNTY IS AFTER GOOD ROADS

Movement Has Been Launched to Vote \$100,000 in Bonds at Early Date.

Seymour, Texas, March 11.—Sentiment in this county is almost unanimous in favor of good roads and a movement has been launched here to vote a road bond issue of \$100,000 as a starter in building a network of macadamized roads in Baylor County. Individual members of the county commissioners' court favor a road bond election and it is certain that bonds in any reasonable amount will be voted if the matter is placed before the people.

One of the greatest needs of this section is better roads and many land owners say that good roads will increase the value of their farms fully five dollars an acre.

WAR OVER, SNYDER BEGINS GROWING

Many Improvements of Substantial Nature Under Way in Swanton County Town.

Snyder, Okla., March 11.—Since Governor Cruce put a quietus on the county seat war and conditions have resumed a normal tone, the business men of the city have awakened to the fact that city building is a source of considerable amusement as well as profit. The improvements already planned will reach over \$100,000, and this is but a small part of the amount that will be spent here in building operations before the year is done.

The new Garland building at Sixth and F streets, the foundation of which was laid before the last cold weather will be when completed, one of the finest buildings in the city. It will be 40 by 140, on the ground, three stories in height and will be built of reinforced concrete. The lower floor will be used for business purposes and the upper floors will be divided into offices. It will cost approximately \$15,000.

Gerhart & Vogel, hardware and implement dealers, have contracted for an addition of brick to their present

WORK ON SEWERAGE TO BEGIN AT ONCE

Memphis Ready and Contractor on the Ground to Start the Construction.

Special to The Times. Memphis, Texas, March 11.—Another week will see the work of installing a fine sewerage system in Memphis in active operation. The contractor is now on the ground and will proceed to get busy at once as the filling is now arriving and the ditching machinery will arrive early next week.

Thus after a year or more of vexatious delay and the over-coming of many obstacles, the people of Memphis are to see their hopes realized in the installation in our city of the best sewerage system of its size in Texas because we have the best water supply of any city in the state, big, little, old or young.

Some panhandle towns have committed the folly of putting in expensive sewerage systems without first securing an adequate water supply to operate them in other words, "put the cart before the horse." Memphis, however, never does things by halves so the first problem was to get the water. Two of our progressive citizens undertook the contract and we have the problem solved for all time thanks to a little brains and foresight. With the securing of an adequate water supply the question of putting in a sewerage system was easy barring a lot of legal tangles and red tape.

Byers, Texas, March 11.—Byers enjoys the distinction of shipping more corn than any other point on the entire Fort Worth & Denver and Wichita Valley systems and from present indications the coming season will be a record breaker in that line. Not only is the corn acreage in the Byers country this spring the largest ever known but the corn is being planted under exceptionally favorable conditions. Most of the farmers broke their land early and the ground was ploughed deep. The rains a few weeks ago falling on the ploughed ground went down into the soil thus conserving a good supply. The corn is being planted a full two weeks earlier than usual and the early start will give the corn plants just that much better opportunity of maturity.

Farmers who have been in this section for fifteen years say they never saw such a good prospect for wheat and oats.

A number of farmers have been sowing alfalfa this week and intend to give this profitable plant a fair trial in this section. The soil here is believed to be particularly adapted to alfalfa and it is expected that within a few years this will be one of the big crops in the Byers country. Among those who are sowing alfalfa are: I. H. Irwin, J. M. Milton Irwin, R. P. Grogan and Dr. G. A. Foote.

HOG RAISING IN WILDARGER

Business Being Conducted on a Successful Scale by Property Holders.

Special to The Times. Vernon, Texas, March 11.—Perhaps the most car of hogs that has ever been prepared for the markets in this or adjoining counties is that now being held by the firm of Crawford & Mink at their pens just north of town. These gentlemen have about 120 head of Poland China and a few Berkshires, that have been finished especially to be entered at the Fat Stock Show which opens in Fort Worth next week, it being the intention to make shipment next Sunday or Monday.

It will be interesting to the hog raisers of this county to note the growth made by this consignment. They fattened last July and August, coming from J. A. White's herd. On the 6th day of January, they averaged 144 pounds; on February, 207 pounds; estimated weight at this time, 250 pounds. The entire bunch has been finished on soaked corn and cotton seed meal, and are pronounced by hog experts as the best ever raised in this part of the state. They are now less than a year old and cannot fall to attract the attention of the experts who will be at the Fat Stock Show.

The fact that this entire bunch has been finished without a single one becoming diseased only goes to verify the oft-repeated assertion that no place in the world is free of diseases common to hogs than Western Texas. With our cheap feeds and facilities of growing them, there is probably part of the country that offers as great returns to the hog raiser.

PROSPECTS GOOD IN BYERS COUNTRY

Old Citizens Say Condition Better Than They Have Ever Seen at This Season.

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IMPROVEMENTS AT ARCHER CITY

Farmers Interested in the Appearance of Their Homes and Surroundings.

Archer City, Tex., March 11.—The Henrietta & Southwestern's new combination passenger and baggage coach was brought to this city for the first time last Monday evening. It is a nice one and a credit to the road.

The Railroad Commission has authorized the issuance of bonds to the amount of \$354,000, and it is presumed that they will be issued at once, though nothing can be ascertained as to what the purpose of the issue is. There are rumors that the road will be extended from this place, but no announcement has been made locally of that intention.

A good many Archer County farmers are building new residences and otherwise improving their farms. Among the improvements now under way that may be mentioned are the following:

W. R. Pace is building a new house on the North Fork farm.

J. M. Ductworth is building a residence on his place 2 miles east.

D. E. Britain is having a beautiful residence built on his place in the Copper Hill community.

W. L. Scott is building an addition to his residence here.

The improvements being made on the Archer (formerly) Dale Hotel are about complete.

Look for the Stager sign (the red S) when in need of a sewing machine. 811 Ohio Ave. W. A. McClellan, managing salesman. 255-4

PETROLIA HAS TWO NEW WELLS

TWO FLOWING OIL WELLS REPORTED BROUGHT IN AT THAT FIELD.

ONE IS A LARGE GASSER

Much Activity in Evidence and Further Reports Are Expected Soon.

Petrolia, Texas, March 11.—This morning the report was sent in that there were two great flowing oil wells and one gasser brought in last night. The Byers No. 7 being brought in as a large gasser, but little oil, while the Holloway and Fultz wells are reported to be flowing and are said to be better than any we have ever had here before.

No one yet knows how much the wells are making, as they yet remain to be tested, however, it was reported that the J. M. Guffy No. 1 is making over one thousand barrels per day.

A brick manufacturing plant, better railroad facilities, another railroad bridge across the Wichita river, better roads, graded streets and other civic improvements were only some of the matters attended to by the Commercial Club at their last regular meeting on last Monday night.

Petrolia's enthusiastic business men present. The meeting was the most business has been accomplished.

As a reader of the future of Petrolia you cannot justly judge, because no man knows what is in store for

Up to the present time we have witnessed one of the most steady growths ever witnessed by any town in the United States. It is not that of a boom of two or three years and then drop back into the grave with all the so-called boomed towns of today, but it has been a growth of building that will continue in the future and not throw any hardship on the town.

We have the natural resources to justify steady advancement and therefore we do not hesitate to point out the future destiny of Petrolia, the oil city of the West.

Never since the first corner stone was laid here has the town taken a stand-still, but has continued to grow, not only in population but in resources and enterprises, and today we are numbered among the few towns which are not having to look to future prospects for natural resources on which to base their foundations to build up a city of enterprising and industrious people.

LAWTON IS DOING ADDITIONAL PAVING

Near Two Hundred Thousand Dollars Will Be Spent for Work.

Lawton, Okla., March 11.—The amended specifications for paving in this city were adopted by the Council last night. They are now almost identical with the old specifications with the exception of a number of changes that close up all loop-holes. The city engineer and paving committee have changed them so as to conform with the wishes of the majority of the councilmen.

An advertisement for bids will be published in the daily press for 30 days, at the end of which time—April 15th—the bids will be opened and the contract awarded.

This contract will include almost all of the side streets in the old townsite, with the exception of two, which were knocked out by remonstrance. A avenue will not be paved on account of a remonstrance.

The engineer's estimate of the cost of paving was adopted by the Council. It is approximately \$155,727, and when the work has been completed, almost every street in the original townsite will be paved.

GROUND BROKEN FOR EBERSTADT BUILDING

Amplified Meeting the Demand for Additional and Better Business Houses.

Special to The Times. Amarillo, Texas, March 11.—Ground has been broken for the Eberstadt building on Taylor between Fourth and Fifth streets and in close proximity to the Deandi theatre. The excavation is being made, and a force of men engaged to do the foundation work.

When the foundation shall have been completed, other workmen are ready to begin the erection of the walls. It is understood that this building is being raised responsive to a popular demand for more and better business buildings.

While the contract has not been let for the erection of the building in the Grand Opera House block, it is understood that Mr. Eberstadt is determined to build and that just as soon as all arrangements have been completed so that bids may be asked received.

ELECTRA ORGANIZES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Practically Every Business Man Has Enrolled as a Member of the Organization.

Special to The Times. Electra, Tex., March 11.—To promote the general good of the town, to herald its advantages to the outside world and in every way promote the prosperity and the growth of the town, a Chamber of Commerce has been organized here and practically every business man in the town has enrolled as a member. At the organization of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night the following officers were elected: President, H. V. Magee; vice-president, G. G. Kemp; secretary, E. W. Marriot, treasurer, A. T. McDonald.

One of the first acts of the new organization was the appointment of committees to add new features to the First Saturday Auction, Trades and Sales Day in the way of prizes and amusements. This first Saturday celebration has proven a great success here and has brought many hundreds of dollars in trade to Electra that would probably have gone to Wichita Falls and other points, had there been no Trades day celebration at this place.

The regular meetings of the Chamber of Commerce will be held on the first Tuesday after the first Saturday in each month. The following enrolled as members on the night of the organization:

H. V. Magee, G. G. Kemp, E. W. Marriot, A. T. McDonald, C. Herndon, A. N. Richardson, W. J. Sheldon, S. Wallup, J. A. Fisher, F. L. Powell, M. O. Turner, H. T. Hoxie, J. Attaway, C. Badgett, J. B. Moore, W. A. Cannon, T. F. Morrow, R. E. Meyer, P. Livingston, J. R. Blackman, B. F. Gillis, F. B. Woodruff, H. McHugh, A. L. Robb, G. C. Woodruff, C. G. Cobb, Jno. Anderson, S. Walker, E. Schlafke, D. T. Cross.

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Altus, Okla., March 11.—Tuesday afternoon Mayor J. P. Orr started the east big engine at our new power house. The big engine and dynamo moved off smoothly as though they had been run for months, and for one-half hour, all present looked on with admiration. After a tryout of this engine, Mr. J. L. Hughes, president of the council turned the throttle on the west big engine, and it, like its running mate, moved off as nicely as any machine ever set in motion.

These two big engines and dynamos are the largest and best in any city of the state, outside of Oklahoma City, and it will not be long until the people of Altus will be enjoying a perfect light from our new plant.

NORTHWESTERN TO BUILD A DEPOT

New Structure Will Be Erected at Altus to Meet the Demand of Station.

Altus, Okla., March 11.—Although there has been no official announcement it is generally understood that the W. F. & N. W. is to erect a new freight depot and lay additional track at this place in the near future. The freight depot will probably be located about one block west of the present station. The company has had officials in the city this week making surveys for the proposed improvement. It is said that plans for the proposed freight depot have been accepted, but the contract for construction has not yet been let.

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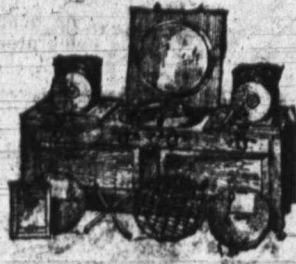
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Young Men Should Aid in the Development of the Resources of Their Country.

By Associated Press. Atlanta, Ga., March 11.—The young manhood of the South should determine that they will not be characterized as a people with a rich past and a meagre present, declared Dr. Clarence J. Owens, commander-in-chief of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, and commissioner of immigration of the Southern Commercial Congress, in an address before the Congress here today. Dr. Owens spoke on the duty of the young men of the South in aiding in the development of the resources of their country. His address in part is as follows:

"This Congress dramatically marks the semi-centennial of the birth of a nation. Fifty years ago the South entered into a union, based upon an interpretation of the constitution, for the support of principles and traditions inherited from the fatherhood of the past. Today the sons of the men who contended in the halls of legislation and who offered their lives amid the storm and shot and shell gather here beneath the folds of the Stars and Stripes, in the presence of the Chief Executive of the United States, to pledge their loyalty to the South's union, which, in the providence of God, will produce a 'Greater Nation through a greater South.'"

"In pledging allegiance to 'Old Glory' we are not untrue to our fathers. That flag was baptized in Southern blood and the stars the South added in the field of blue, light up the land with the solemn reliance of Nations' glory."

"There were two interpretations of the Constitution, each supported with the most powerful pledge mankind can offer, that of life, fortune, and sacred honor. The question involved demanded a solution. It was solved by the clash of arms and the decision of the age was accepted. From the horrors of the desolation emerged the fact that the Union could not be destroyed, neither could the individual states of the South be blotted out. In the surrender of arms, in the recognition of the States' Rights by the Federal government, in the oath of allegiance of the men of the South to the old flag and in the readmission of the states to the old relation of Statehood, there is to be found the tie that binds national life today and there also, wherever men have failed to be true to the agreements of that period, may be found the explanation of any delay in the full reconciliation of the contending parties."

"Prior to the War of Secession, the South was represented in the halls of National legislation by statesmen of the purest ideals and the loftiest constructive methods. There are exceptions to the charge I am about to make; four years out of the National life left a condition into which smaller men rushed and it is conceded that for the past forty-five years, many, both North and South, have held of floor by fighting over the questions that were forever settled and accepted by appealing to the ignorance and prejudice of the populace by resorting to infamous subterfuges in an effort to continue discord and misunderstanding. The man from the South who would discriminate against the man from the North and the man from the North who would discriminate against the man from the South, having his argument on the differences of the past, settled as they were, by honorable men, should be branded as a traitor to National strength."

"The thought of this hour is not one of restoring lost pride of ancestry, but rather one of defining our unworthiness to be sons of such a line of stalwart men. There are young men of this period who are proud of their

fathers and yet have no sense of the lack in themselves of the virtues that made their sires great. Parentage is nothing unless we are worthy of that parentage; the vital question of the moment is, 'Who are you?' and the demand is that we shall be led forth from greatness inherited toward greatness achieved."

"The young manhood of the South should determine that they will not be characterized as a people with a rich past and a meagre present. Who is making history today that the coming generations will cherish and boast about? Few only, in contrast with our many noble sires. There are many who know more about their father's record than they know about their own duties and responsibilities. The only lasting monuments that we can raise to the leaders of the past, are the lives of those who can put as much glory and power into times of progress and peace as our fathers put into battle and into sieges."

"What is the problem of today? Fifty years ago it was a constitutional question. Today it is in the realm of a fast appreciation of natural resources, in a fuller conception of ability both natural and acquired and in the union of the constructive forces of our civilization for the uplift of the Southland, a homogeneous section of the country. The obligations of the hour is to make adequate contribution in all that goes to make the nation illustrious and great."

"Fifty years ago our fathers did not know fully of the treasures hid beneath the surface of the earth; fifty years ago our people were not deeply interested in agriculture and in the industries. These statements are not made by way of comparison with any part of the United States during that period but rather by contrast with the activities of this age. These statements are not made to reflect upon those who wrought a half century ago, for they were true to the obligation of their day."

"The hour has come, when the South's new union must be perfected; when the States with a common interest, agriculturally, commercially, and industrially must be bound together in a new compact for the interpretation of resources and for the removal of every misconception concerning the South."

"The Southern Commercial Congress is the highest expression of this new union of the South. It is a confederation of all commercial bodies, business institutions and individuals, business leaders for the purpose of bringing to pass in our day a condition where the South will know itself and will be known. The Congress is actually bringing the South back into National life. With the headquarters at the National capital, the organization is in touch with the several Federal departments and is able to interpret the constructive efforts of the government in terms of the needs of the South. Just as the dynamo creates a new field of electric force, in which things in the Southern Commercial Congress that there has been made possible for us a new field in which we may plan and work and do as we are led on by inspiration, led on by the divine impulsion which will make the generations go from good things into better."

"Here in the presence of captains of industry and finance, of governors of states, of the Chief Executive of the Nation, we must pledge our fealty to this union of all the uplifting forces in our Southern civilization. We stand here today and reverence the men of fifty years ago; will our sons stand here fifty years hence and reverence us?"

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PERSONAL MENTION

W. W. Gardner left this afternoon for Archer City.

H. G. Williams, from Petrolia, was in the city today.

Henry Ford from Holliday was here today transacting business.

A. L. Gibson, from Hereford, is in the city visiting relatives.

Dr. S. H. Brunside is quite sick at his home on Seventh street.

J. N. Elrod of Alvord, Texas, was in the city yesterday on business.

J. C. Hunt is attending the State Sunday School rally at Fort Worth.

Rev. J. W. Morgan, from Iowa Park, was among the local visitors here today.

Mrs. R. E. Chambers, from Austin, is in the city the guest of the Westland.

M. M. Hamill of the Henrietta Seachlight, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. P. Jackson will leave tomorrow for Arlington, where she will visit relatives.

Pat Dowling, claim agent of the Denver Road, is here today attending County Court.

Mrs. P. A. Harp from Kirklind is in the city visiting Mrs. J. B. Nall at Floral Heights.

H. P. Nichols, a prominent oil man, from Petrolia, was here today transacting business.

—Ike Mobley, foreman of the L. F. Wilson ranch in Archer County, was here today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barkley, from Petrolia, were in the city today, the guests of the Westland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gardner left this afternoon for Archer City, to visit Mrs. Gardner's relatives.

Mrs. I. C. Lane, who has been visiting relatives in the city, left today for her home at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clower, from Mangum, Okla., are in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Case.

The friends of C. P. Fowler will regret to learn that he is quite sick with grippe at his home, 1508 Travis.

Mrs. L. J. Massie, from Vernon, is in the city visiting her daughter, Miss Glenn, who is student of St. Mary Academy.

Geo. E. Leberman and family, of Orth, Texas, were in the city today en route home from their visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Holt returned last night from San Antonio at which place they have been to pay the last sad rites to Mr. Holt's brother who died in that city recently.

Harry Lipsey, a popular Denver passenger engineer for the Denver Road with headquarters at Fort Worth, is in the city attending court.

Mrs. S. C. Curry, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. P. Collier, and her mother, Mrs. Mary Jones, left this afternoon for her home at Clarendon.

Mrs. J. H. Cardin and Earl Cardin of Fort Smith, Arkansas are expected to arrive tonight for a visit with Mr.

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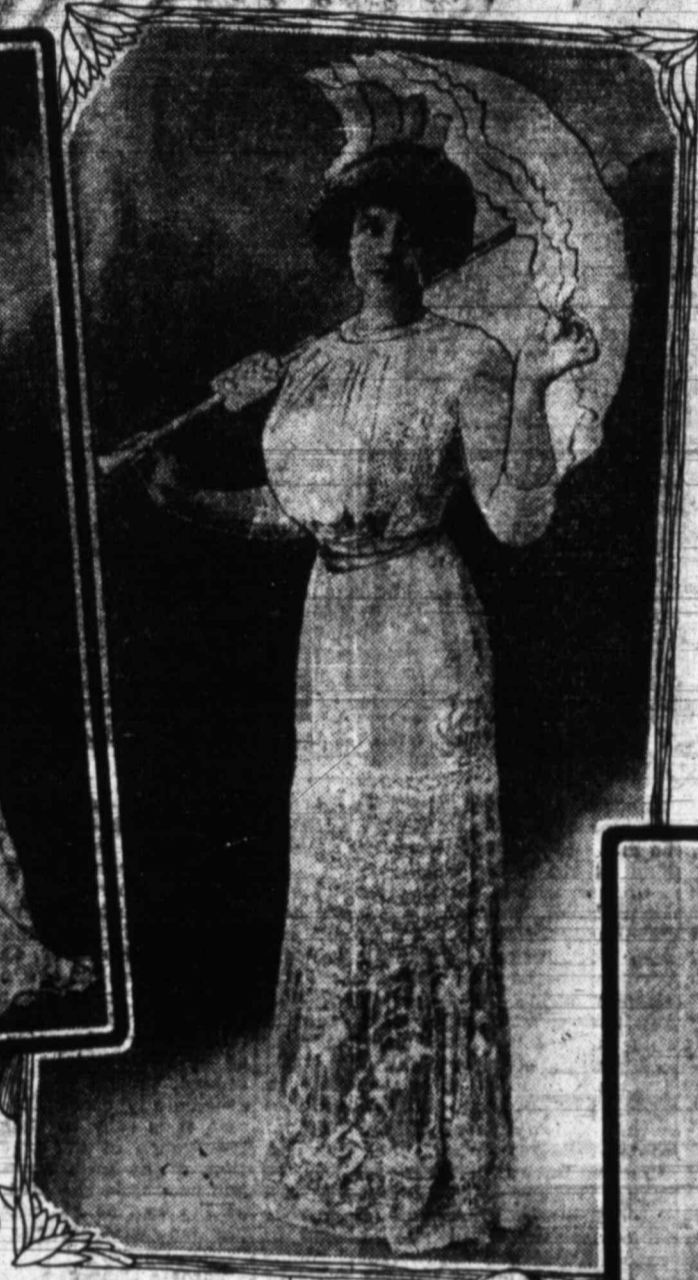


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Silver Embroidery the Newest Fancy—Tulle Veils More Youthful Than Heavy Lace Heirlooms—Lovely Lace and Voile Frocks

A wedding dress wonderfully embroidered with silver—that is the sensation over which all New York interested in sartorial developments, or occupied with definite wedding plans for spring brides, is more or less stirred, up just now.

The most important bride of the season—in fact the most important bride of several seasons, wore at her wedding in February a superb bridal gown of white satin almost covered with embroideries of silver lilies; yet so exquisitely soft and thin was the satin and so marvelous was the workmanship of the silver embroidery that the costume did not suggest heaviness, nor was it, in fact, any heavier than an ordinary handsome brocade satin would have been.

The Most Beautiful Bridal Robe of the Season

The lily-embroidered skirt which, as has been said, was quite plain, falling in simple and rather scant lines from high waistline to floor, had a high girde of the soft, draped satin and above this a little bodice of white chiffon also embroidered in lilies and cut out in a very modest square at the throat.

In addition to these diamond brooches the little bride—who is really but a girl of 18—wore a double rope of diamonds from which hung a square diamond ornament with three diamond pendants. Time was when custom permitted the bride no jewels except pearls and of these only a moderate number, set in a brooch or strung in a necklace, were permitted. Now, however, the fashionable bride may be ablaze with diamonds and still be considered quite correct; but custom does draw the line at colored gems, and pearls and diamonds are the only jewels which the bride may wear with her white robes.

A Wedding Gown Embroidered with Crystal

Scarcely less beautiful than the silver-embroidered bridal gown which has set the dressmakers arow, is a crystal-headed wedding gown which was worn by another February bride. Over a straight, rather scant gown of

the soft yet not heavy white satin which is used for such purposes now, was draped a knee-length tunic of white chiffon on which were sewed tiny white crystal beads in a sprinkled, close effect. Around the bottom of the tunic was a deep border of very rich, heavy crystal-bead embroidery and below that was a narrow fringe of the beads. The chiffon tunic extended from shoulder to knees and was girdled in at the high waistline under the folds of the white satin. There was a court train which hung from the shoulder and which, though attached to the skirt at the back, was really quite separate from it.

These court trains are not only stately and graceful, but they are really a very practical feature; for by and by, when the bride is transformed into a dinner or dancing frock—as most wedding gowns are now—the skirt, a season or two in its original state—the heavy court train may be removed, leaving the complete gown for use as a foundation-slip over which to drape chiffon or some other diaphanous fabric.

The satin used for the long court train will also come into service as a rich lining for an evening coat, or for some other equally good purpose.

A Wedding Costume Designed by Worth

The beautiful bridal dress, pictured on today's page, was voted by a commission of fashion experts, to be absolutely perfect in style and detail, according to present accepted requirements of convention, fashion and correctness of taste. The gown is a creation of Worth, who has for years been the favored courtier of those seeking distinction and elegance in dress rather than eccentric or conspicuously novel effects. The gown was made for a young and beau-

tiful lady of title and the whole costume—gown, veil and small accessories—embodies absolute perfection, according to highest authorities in dress.

This wedding gown is made of the new lappel, very soft satin and this is mounted over a foundation of even softer and much thinner satin. There is a court train which has the stipulated nine feet on the floor length; but the skirt of the gown is straight and simple, fitting the figure closely at the hips. The material of the skirt is carried up to form a draped bodice which crosses in surplice effect over a yoke of white shirred chiffon, the shirrings forming tiny tucks

spiritual suggestion that even the richest floral bouquet cannot equal. Bridal prayerbooks are bound in unusual style in pure white leather, or in bright scarlet leather, and sometimes from between the pages of the wedding service, hang long bookmark streamers of narrow white satin ribbon tipped with lily of the valley sprays.

Since the Gould-Decies wedding, which of course set bridal fashion for the spring as far as Manhattan is concerned, slipper rosettes have been the ultra smart notion for Miss Gould's little white satin slippers were trimmed with big rosettes of pleated white chiffon centered with pearl ornaments are appended, these ranging from large rosettes and butterfly bows to tiny little bows of velvet sewn with crystal beads. The white roses made of folded satin ribbon and centered with rhinestones are particularly dainty though not as smart as the big pleated rosettes of chiffon and knotted ribbon. It takes a very pretty and a very tiny foot, however, to stand the test of a big slipper bow and the woman who really cares about appearance of her feet beneath her bridal robes will not risk the more or less clumsy rosette, but will wear one of the smaller ornaments that do not break the line of instep and toe.



A Shower Bouquet of Valley Lilies and Fern.

Wearing stockings, whatever else in the costume is sacrificed, should be of the finest thread silk. There are bridal stockings, hand embroidered and set with lace that cost as high as a hundred dollars a pair, but the average bride will be satisfied with dainty thread-silk ones with a bit of embroidery on the instep, at five dollars or less. A wonderful pair of wedding stockings brought over from Paris for an April bride-to-be,

in groups of three. The long, close sleeves are also of the shirred chiffon, but the surplice drapery at the bodice comes far down over the shoulder, giving the long line considered desirable just now. The bodice is embroidered with tiny pearl beads and there is a very little pearl bead trimming, used as a finish. Where the surplice bodice closes, at the left side there is a cluster of orange blossoms, part of the blossoms drooping over the skirt. More orange blossoms are used to catch up the folds of the veil and at the end of the court train the veil is caught again with the flowers.

A Becoming Arrangement of the Wedding Veil.

Picture Bridesmaids

There is more and more tendency to get away from the conventional pink or pale yellow bridesmaid idea. The bride who wishes her wedding to be individual and interesting now scores the field of art for an idea in bridesmaid costumes that shall be different from anything thought of by any previous bride. Some of the bridesmaids at recent weddings have looked as though they had stepped directly from old picture frames to take part in the ceremony, and some of these quaint costumes are very beautiful. Many of this year's bridesmaids have worn the little lace-trimmed caps which have proved so becoming that their popularity is assured for another season at least. The six maids who will attend a certain New York bride during Easter week will wear white chiffon frocks draped over gold tissue. The skirts being banded in at the knee with garlands of dull gold roses. On their heads the bridesmaids will wear frilled caps of gold net and gold lace, a pink and a blue rose, being set at the front of each cap. Pale pink roses centered by blue hyacinths will be carried by the maids.

Bridesmaids' costumes like the one pictured will be worn by the attending maids of another little Easter bride.

were displayed to some women guests at a luncheon the other day. These stockings were of the sheerest, finest possible thread silk and from toe to within six inches of the knee ran a long inset of real Brussels point, the design showing a winged cupid aiming his arrow upward at a heart. The heart, wrought most beautifully in crossed stitches on the Brussels net ground, was surrounded by two love birds and all around the design ran a border of true lovers' knots. Six hundred francs had been paid for the stockings, including the custom-house duty.

The bridesmaids' souvenirs at the Gould-Decies wedding were especially pretty; each of the six maids receiving a gold vanity box on the lid of which was the prospective owner's monogram in blue enamel and beneath it the initials G. D. set in diamonds. Inside the lids of the oblong gold cases were the words, "From Vivien," engraved in a fac-simile of the bride's own handwriting.

One of the prettiest methods of arranging the wedding veil noted this season was that adopted by a little bride whose wedding was held at Tuxedo earlier in the winter. A band of white satin ribbon was bound around the head, fillet fashion, over the tulle folds and large cabuchons of orange blossoms arranged, rather primly in cartwheel effect with an edge of green leaves were attached to the ribbon band over the ears. This gave a 'quaint, bonnet effect on the head, from which the long folds of the veil streamed out most gracefully at the back.

Bridesmaids' Frocks in Green and White

Green seems a queer color for a wedding, but since the Gould-Decies bride in early February green and white has been the fashionable wedding color scheme. At this wedding the church was a veritable hanging garden, the walls being banked with green, against which was the happy white of small blossoms, and feathery sprays of lilies-of-the-valley depended from the ceiling on long trailing ropes of smilax. The bridesmaids wore simple little white frocks over soft white satin, the satin petticoats just dragging on the floor all around, and the chiffon tunics being sprinkled with tiny white satin roses set in green leaves. In their hair the bridesmaids wore garlands of green leaves, and as all of the young women had dark tresses this garland effect was beautiful. The maid of honor and the two little flower girls who attended the bride were also dressed in white chiffon, with green garlands in their hair. The effect of this leaf-green with the white chiffon in combination with the feathery white of the church decoration, was indescribably delicate and lovely. No more beautiful wedding has ever been known in New York.

White Serge "Traveling Suits"

What is called by popular custom the "traveling suit" of the bride or the "going-away" suit is really, of course, not a traveling suit at all. Few brides would care to consider the mention and curiosity sure to be aroused by a costume as elaborate and as dainty as the usual "going-away" suit if the same were worn in railroad train, steamboat or other public conveyance. But the going-away costume, even though it be a dainty affair, reserved after the wedding, for very special occasions, always suggests by its material an interesting workmanship the genus traveling costume, and this spring many brides are donning for the last farewell moments with their wedding party the white serge or mohair suit which is sure to be included in the trousseau.

These white tailored suits bid fair to be extravagantly popular this year, and every bride will be sure to indulge in one. White serge or mohair with trimming of white braid, cord and loop makes a charming little suit of this sort, built, of course, on the prevailing lines of straight, scant skirt and jaunty hip-length jacket. The new Lady Decies wore, as a going-away costume, a smart little "traveling suit," of black and white in hair stripe effect, and it is safe to say that many spring brides will follow her example. A charming costume of black and white half-striped English mohair is illustrated, and this chic little suit, designed by a French courtier, and built for an April bride, will offer suggestions to many another bride-to-be.

Three Beautiful Lace Costumes

Much lace is used this spring and the little bride, who, with her new estate, may adopt matronly effects if she pleases, will revel in the rich lace hitherto considered "too old" for her use, for lace, especially heavy, handsome lace, is of course, much older in effect than untrimméd diaphanous fabrics.

Three beautiful trousseau costumes trimmed with lace are illustrated. One of these is a tea coat of French val insertion, sewed in rows and mounted over cloth of gold. Small gold roses and loops of gold cord trim this graceful garment which falls in straight unbroken lines from shoulder to knee.

Another beautiful lace coat is the one worn over a lingerie gown of buff and lace. This coat is of Irish crochet, made by hand in a convent near Dublin. It was designed and fashioned for a young Irish bride, and the fine baby Irish is beautifully combined with a heavier pattern showing the bride's flower in bold relief on an open crocheted neck.

Irish lace was used also to trim the white voile frock shown in another photograph. The very sheer white voile is laid in minute pin tucks, set in groups, and in addition to the band of rich lace there are hand embroidered, also made in an Irish convent.

You may have observed that the man with a fool idea gets a lot of encouragement from his friends.

There is a good deal of talk about henpecked husbands, but did you ever really know of one?

Too many men turn down the real opportunities, and hang on to what are merely slim chances.

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Making the BRIDAL COSTUME COMPLETE

No bride of sentiment would—if she could afford it—ever wear her wedding robes a second time. The white gown, with all its exquisite, snowy accessories, would be laid away forever in choicest lavender and kept as a sacred reminder of this one supreme day. But alas! few are the brides who could, after spending the substantial price which the most simple bridal outfit in traditional costume style must cost, lay away such a costume for merely sentimental reasons. The lovely bridal gown must be worn again and again at succeeding weddings and receptions. By and by perhaps it is even denuded of its bridal train to be transformed into a dancing frock. It may after a time even sink into the oblivion of a white slip, worn beneath a new frock of chiffon. The bridal slippers are worn until shabby and shapeless and holes are danced in the bridal stockings, but there are three times of the wedding costume which are usually kept just as they are—the veil, the orange

blossoms and the white gloves, with finger ripped for the ceremony of putting on the ring.

If the wedding gown has long sleeves, short gloves may be worn and this little sentiment of keeping the ripped glove need not prove an extravagant one. The handsome lace veil is usually a heirloom, loaned to the bride, who is only one of a long train of happy little brides to wear it, but the tulle veil with its cluster of orange blossoms should be kept always in the white box with the ripped glove.

One of the happiest methods of keeping a record of the events immediately preceding a wedding, as well as an account of the wedding itself, is the bride's book, which, within daintily appropriate covers, includes plenty of blank pages for the insertion of interesting notes, clippings from newspapers, autographs of all concerned, sample bits of the wedding gown, the bridesmaids' frocks and some of the trousseau costumes.

Lilies of the valley are the traditional bridal flower and a most beautiful wedding bouquet of these fairy-like blossoms is pictured, the valley lilies being arranged in shower effect, on long streamers of white ribbon, which depend from the large bouquet. The construction of this bouquet with the spray of lilies wired separately and mingled with maidenhair fern, is especially delicate and lovely. Miss Vivien Gould, on her marriage day, carried a long sheaf of ascension lilies, tied with white satin ribbon, her bridal gown being embroidered with the same kind of lilies. This little sheaf, while undoubtedly an innovation in the way of bridal bouquets, had too much of a funeral suggestion to be really a success, and it is unlikely that the sheaf of ascension lilies will supersede the beautiful lilies of the valley in favor of wedding use.

There is a fad, just at present, for the carrying of a bridal prayerbook instead of the large bouquet, and it is

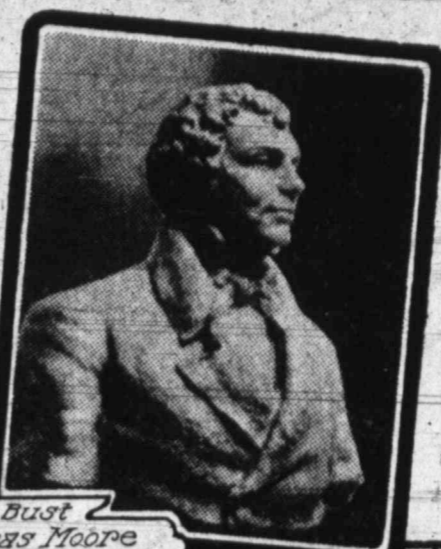
Jerome Connor, the IRISH SCULPTOR, and His Memorial to Moore



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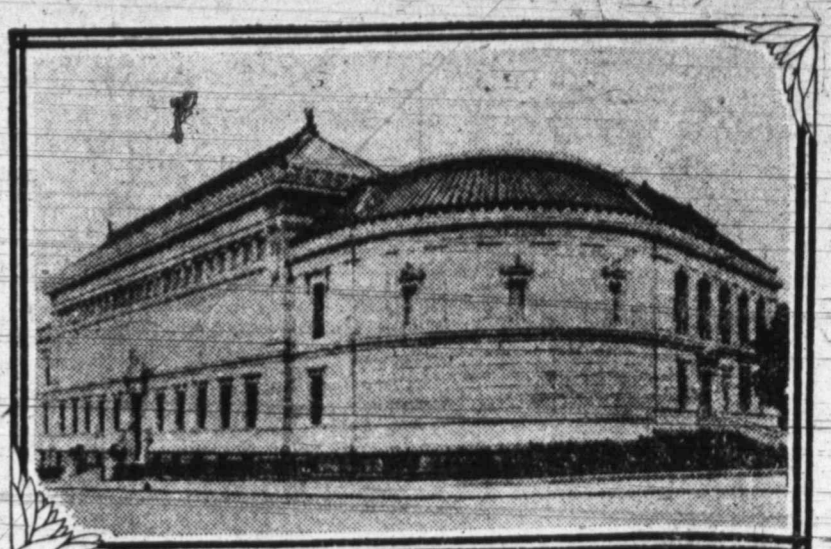
Thomas Moore
as a Young Man



Connor's Bust
of Thomas Moore



Jerome Connor at Work in his Studio on the Moore Bust



The Carcoran Art Gallery at Washington D.C.

As may be surmised by all readers of the newspapers who keep in touch with current events, this bids fair to be a great year in several respects for Ireland and the Irish. Especially significant is it that the spring season, when with the recurrence of St. Patrick's Day, the great Irish holiday, there always comes an opening of the well-springs of Irish sentiment in America, should see the active inauguration of one of the most interesting and most important of these movements in behalf of Celtic prestige.

The movement in question is an awakening of the Irish people, on both sides of the Atlantic, to their duty and privilege in honoring Ireland's illustrious dead. The raising of funds by popular subscription for the erection of memorials to Erin's most famous sons has gone on simultaneously in the Emerald Isle and in the United States. The latter has become the home of so large a proportion of the Irish people seeking escape from intolerable political conditions at home that it has sometimes been dubbed the "annex" of Ireland. However, with all due respect to the agitation on the subject in Ireland the fact remains that it is the Irish-Americans in the United States who have the first tangible achievement to their credit in this commemorative field.

The first product of this crusade for then during recognition will be, naturally enough, a tribute in bronze to the immortal Thomas Moore, the greatest of Ireland's bards. The counterfeited presentation of the sweet singer of Erin has been made possible by the generosity of one hundred prominent Irish-Americans who have borne the expense of the metal effigy and the patriotism of Jerome Connor, the great Irish sculptor, who, as a labor of love, has modeled the heroic size bust of his eminent countryman. A somewhat similar undertaking has been under way for several years past in Ireland. Mr. Connor having been chosen as the sculptor of the statue that is to be erected in Dublin, but by means of the memorial now nearing completion the Irish-American will beat out their brethren beyond the seas in paying tribute to the author of the world's most beautiful love-poems.

The new bust will be placed in the Carcoran Art Gallery at Washington, a private citizen of the nation, has which, for all that it was endowed by

come to be generally regarded as Uncle Sam's own museum of fine arts. And although the preparations are not yet complete, an effort will be made to have the dedicatory exercises quite as significant as a tribute to Moore as is the heroic bronze itself. It is expected that the President of the United States and other prominent men will be present and the address of the evening will be delivered by the eloquent Bourke Cochran, an Irish orator, who is expected to fairly outdo himself under the spell of such an occasion. A chorus of 300 voices will sing Moore's most famous ballad, "The Last Rose of Summer" and an effort is being made to have John McCormack, the grand opera tenor—possessor of the most wonderful voice Ireland has ever produced—sing several of Moore's touching songs that are known and loved all over the world.

The project for the present memorial to Moore in the United States originated in rather an odd way and was, indeed the outgrowth of the project above mentioned to provide a suitable statue of the poet in Dublin. A granite statue of Moore was erected in Dublin in the year 1854, or soon after his death, and stands to this day in College Green, in the Irish metropolis. However, it has never been considered satisfactory. Indeed, eminent admirers of Moore have repeatedly denounced it as a caricature. With a view to undoing the harm done by so unfortunate a representation, a body of 150 prominent Irishmen several years ago launched a project for replacing the Dublin statue with a worthy memorial. Mr. Connor was chosen as the sculptor for the proposed memorial and at once set to work to prepare for the task, not only by a special course of reading and an exhaustive search for every existing likeness of his subject, but also by talking with all the men now living in America or in Ireland who had known the poet in life and could give first-hand impressions of him and intimate details of his personal appearance.

However, after the sculptor had spent some time in Ireland, visiting all

The places most closely identified with Moore's history and inspecting such relics of him as have been preserved there came an unexpected turn of affairs, which made it necessary to postpone for a time the active furtherance of the statue project. This development has also halted for the time being the twin project to restore the grave of Moore in Bromham Churchyard in Wiltshire county, England, and to erect over the grave which had fallen into disrepair, a memorial in the form of a Celtic cross. However, in the case of the long-neglected grave, partial or temporary repairs have been made through the instrumentality of several public-spirited Irishmen.

Although the Dublin project to honor Moore was to be held in abeyance, Sculptor Connor did not, upon his return to the United States from his latest journey to Ireland, seemingly lose interest in the matter. On the contrary, he devoted all the time he could spare to the modeling of a bust of Moore, designed to perpetuate the impressions of his subject which he had received during his Irish tour, and tentatively expected to serve as a study or preliminary model for the portrait statue at Dublin when he should be called upon to execute it. Several prominent and well-to-do Irish-Americans chanced to see this bust in its partially completed state upon the occasions of visits made to the Connor studio for other

purposes, and they suggested to the sculptor that he permit his work to be made the vehicle of an Irish-American tribute to the bard.

Connor, who is nothing if not a loyal Irishman, was making laud and generously offered to donate all his own work free of charge if the subscribers to the memorial fund would simply defray the expense of having the bust cast in bronze. Of course, this was readily agreed to and it is the bronze piece, weighing some 300 pounds that is now to be presented, in effect, to the nation. Plaster replicas—that is, duplicates of the original in the less expensive but not less effective white plaster—are to be made in considerable numbers, and through the beneficence of prominent Irish-Americans will be placed in school rooms and the assembly rooms of Irish societies in various parts of the country.

The new bust of Moore is of heroic size—that is, approximately twice life size, and shows him at his prime, the sculptor having availed himself of the artist's traditional privilege to represent his subject at the age which he can be shown to the best advantage. It will, as a likeness, however, have the merit of distinct novelty for most persons, in as much as it represents the bard as a man of mature years and more robust stature than the few not well authenticated portraits which have hitherto had circulation and which show Moore as a

young man, presumably at an age somewhere between 20 and 30. The costume in the bust, with its great coat and loosely-knotted bow tie is also in contrast to the jacket and stock of the gallant which have been made familiar through the regulation likeness. However, the curling hair and the dreamy eye of the poet are admirably portrayed in the portrait bust and the ensemble presents a face of more character than is reflected by the portraits above mentioned. Indeed, though the sculptor does not ascribe any particular age to his subject, it is easy to imagine that in his indulgence of the traditional admiration of the Irish for a "big man" he has portrayed the poet as he appeared at the age of 38, when he produced his masterpiece, the Oriental idyll, "Lalla-Rookh."

Jerome Connor, the sculptor, who is just on the eve of realizing his long-cherished ambition to secure enduring monumental recognition for Thomas Moore and other Irish heroes, is a personality almost if not quite as interesting as the famous bard who was born almost a hundred years before him. Moreover, this ambitious sculptor, with all his refreshingly lofty ideals has had a career almost as picturesque as that Irish bard who in his day died in popularity with Byron and Scott. Connor is Irish to the core, not only in sentiment, but in artistic aspirations. Indeed, he might almost be said to be the first notable expo-

nent of Irish ideas and ideals in this field of endeavor.

Connor says that man belongs to his people and that if he tries to get away from that idea he can never afterward hope to look the world in the face. So imbued is he with this feeling of allegiance to one's native land with any thought that it would result directly in commissions for work, although the project for a statue of Moore at his birth place attests that Ireland is yet willing to come to America for creators of her memorials as she did in the memorable case of St. Dauden's "Parnell." And incidentally it may be explained that no sooner will the statue of Moore be completed than Connor is to start work upon a statue of Robert Emmet. Indeed it is Connor's life ambition to not only hand down to posterity statues of Emmet that will endure because of their artistic merit, but also to be the author of the epitaph of Emmet, which is prohibited to be written until Ireland has taken her place among the nations of the world.

Born in County Kerry 25 years ago, the parents of Jerome Connor brought him to this country when he was less than 11 years of age, but not before he had commenced to manifest in boyish fashion the talent that was in him. The manifestation was not hailed with much delight by Connor's father, for the good man was a contractor, and his son's method of indulging his genius at carving on all the blocks of stone that came under his notice. The Connor family settled in Massachusetts, the mecca of so large a portion of the 25,000 Irish that immigrate to this country every year. Here the lad went to school and here he amazed his otherwise despairing teachers and mitigated his mischievousness by wonderful drawings on the blackboards with colored crayons.

When he was only 13 Connor ran away to New York "without leaving his address," as he expresses it, with that wit which at every angle of his conversation proclaims him a true son of Erin. He was determined to win his way in the art world and he did it at first by working at stone carving for a livelihood while he sought recognition in more ambitious lines. This latter same when at the age of 18, a year after he had gone in seriously

for sculpture, he exhibited at the Boston Art Club the portrait head of a boy that was so enthusiastically received that he has since duplicated it in marble a number of times for wealthy art lovers.

Later he had studios in Boston and New York and spent six years at Syracuse, N. Y. This latter interval was especially notable, because it enabled Connor to gratify the ambition common to so many workers in the field of art to portray the Indian in all his glory. The Irish sculptor was attracted to the Iroquois Indians of New York because of their ancient history and high order of intelligence, not less than by the magnificent physical attributes, which make them ideal art subjects. The Indians, on the other hand, took Connor to their hearts, making him an honorary member of the Onondago tribe and bestowing upon him the Indian name Gese-hwa, which may be interpreted as "of the sun family." Possibly this honor was inspired by the fact that the sculptor with his straight, black hair, high cheek bones and deep-set eyes, looks for all the world like an Indian. Indeed, when he was among the New York Indians Connor frequently served as a member of the Indian baseball team, and when he was attired in the fantastic costume of the Indian players, consisting of orange awateer, blue trousers and red cap, no spectator ever questioned the identity of the player.

Thom as Moore, whose career parallels that of Connor in its picturesque features, was likewise the son of poor parents, and he also disclosed his talents in youth by his skill in lyric poetry. He studied at Dublin University and at the Middle Temple, London. When 24 years of age he obtained a position under the British Civil Service in the colony of Bermuda. It was during the term of his appointment as member of the Indian baseball team in the United States visiting New York, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Boston. After his return home he married Bessy Dyke, an actress of admirable character. He was much in the public eye, but never more conspicuously than when the police interrupted a duel in which he was engaged with a classic critic of his verse. Later the combatants became cordial friends. Moore, with proverbial Irish longevity lived to the age of 73, but in his later years was not dependent wholly upon the earnings of his pen. For nearly 20 years before his death he received a literary pension of \$1,500 a year, and this was later supplemented by a civil pension of \$500 a year.

Stray Topics From Little Old New York

New York, March 11.—The harem skirt has made its public debut in New York, thanks to the efforts of the ambitious press agent, and to say that it proved a sensational success is putting things mildly. The other day, on a sunny afternoon, two young women, dressed in harem skirts, made their appearance at Forty-second street and Fifth Avenue. In a few moments a crowd gathered and followed them down Fifth avenue. Soon the crowd was dense enough to interfere with street traffic and business in the vicinity came to a standstill. The congestion became so great that the two traffic policemen on duty at that point could make no impression upon it. As the harem skirts struggled on down Fifth avenue, a hoarse, excited mob followed in their wake. By the time Forty-fifth street was reached the crowd had swelled

from curb to curb and every one seemed bent on getting a look at the kind of dresses. At Thirty-ninth street the crowd had closed in on the women, who were plainly nervous. Finally they could not proceed on account of the crowd, which blocked their way. For a while they were compelled to listen to all kinds of complimentary remarks, but at last, with considerable difficulty, they succeeded in reaching the curb and climbing in a taxicab standing there. They showed unmistakable relief when the taxi started and quickly whisked them away from the rude and curious mob.

The path of true love never runs smooth. 'Tis an old saying, but just as true today as it was when the expression was first coined. The daughter of a wealthy Jewish lawyer in this city and her lover, an elevator boy

in the apartment house where the girl lived with her parents, can vouch for the correctness of the old adage. The girl became acquainted with the elevator boy during her frequent trips on the lift and soon a warm friendship sprang up between the two. The boy, being poor and different, remained rather passive in his demonstrations of sentiment, but the girl, accustomed to do very much as she pleased, showed ready and often gifts upon the boy. Finally the call love between the unequal couple led to the result which was to be expected. The young lovers went to Hoboken together and were married there by an accommodating Justice of the Peace. For some time the girl kept the marriage secret but at last she told her father, who promptly drove her out of the house. She went to live with her young husband, but the dream of blissful love was not of long duration. Her father set the machinery of his wealth and power going and a few days later the husband of the young bride disappeared. It

is believed that her father had the boy removed to some private insane asylum and that he intends to keep him there until the foolish marriage has been annulled by the courts.

The sportive effect produced by sitting in a barber chair and listening to the gentle and continuous babbling of the barber's everlasting monologue is well known to all patrons of tonsorial parlors. As a rule the soothing effect of the operation is not unwelcome and not fraught with danger. But there are exceptions and one of these, the case of a man in Summit, N. J. should be a warning to men not addicted to the "safety" razor. The man referred to went to a barber shop to have his whiskers and moustache trimmed. He became very sleepy in the chair and yawned so vigorously that he dislocated his jaw. A doctor had to be called to reset the man's jaw.

One of the local papers published a bird-show the other day, the author of which has all the most expert nature fakers "skinned to a frazzle." According to the story a woman in Flatbush found on the back porch of her home some time ago an injured sparrow. She took the bird in, cared for it until it was again able to fly and then offered it its freedom. But so attached had the bird become to her, that it would not leave. Then the kind woman had an attack of illness, as a result of which a considerable part of her hair came out. Now comes the wonderful part of the story. The bird, noticing that its benefactress was rapidly becoming bald, saw a fine opportunity to show its gratitude. It began to fly out and every time it came back it brought a few long hairs of the exact shade of his friend's hair. Only once or twice he made a mistake in the shade of color and then the bird seemed greatly mortified. Thus by degrees, the bird supplied its benefactress not only with enough hair for a switch, but also for puffs and a "rat." Let anyone try to beat that story! Some time ago a telegraph operator living at a hotel on Third avenue was robbed of \$70 by a burglar who enter-

ed his room while the telegrapher was asleep. To guard against a repetition of the robbery, the victim arranged a little trap. He placed a push button within reach of his bed and arranged with the proprietor of the hotel that, in case he should ring the bell in the bar room, the clerk or the bartender on duty should at once come to his room with a revolver. The other night, toward morning, the operator heard a noise under his bed, which aroused his suspicion. He quietly reached for the button and when the noise was repeated, pressed the button. A few moments later the hotel clerk, armed with a big revolver burst in to the room and, at the same moment, the telegrapher jumped out of bed. The two men found a burglar under the bed and turned him over to the police. It is believed that the prisoner is the same burglar who had robbed the operator some time ago.

A wave of purity and morality has struck the Board of Aldermen of New York City and so solicitous have they become for the ethical welfare of the citizens, that they are considering a warfare against the use of profanity on the stage. Shakespeare and a number of other old modern playwrights are to be placed under the ban and 4-15 PROPOSED to revoke the license of every theater which permits the use of profanity in any play. The only difficulty seems to be that the aldermen cannot agree upon what constitutes objectionable profanity.

"THIS IS MY 78th BIRTHDAY."

William J. Beal, Dr. William J. Beal, famous as a botanist and for forty years a member of the faculty of the Michigan Agricultural College, was born in Adrian, Mich., March 11, 1833, and spent his boyhood on a farm. He graduated from the University of Michigan in 1859 and spent the next ten years in teaching school. In 1870 he became professor of botany in the Michigan Agricultural College and continued in that position until last fall, when he resigned on account of age. Dr. Beal is the first president of the Association of Botanists of the United States and first president of the Society for the Promotion of Agricultural Science. He has served also as president of the Michigan State Academy of Science and as secretary of the American Pomological Society. He is the author of several well known works on botanical subjects.

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