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**1924 Model**

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Each month makes a big saving at the end of the year. That's why it pays to buy from us.

We handle everything in the general merchandise line.

**SANDERSON MERCANTILE CO.**

**WORLD'S FAMOUS SHOOTING COMING**

Those who love good, clean sport and particularly shooting, don't fail to be on hand Thursday, August 7th, to see "Ad" Topperwein, the world's greatest rifle shot. The exhibition will take place at 3:30 p. m., just east of Lewis Legon's home on the hill. There is no admission fee.

Topperwein is now touring the middle west demonstrating his ability with firearms. He will give exhibitions of shooting with various styles of shotguns and rifles and everyone interested is invited to attend and see the remarkable shooting by the champion. Topperwein in his shooting uses 11 guns.

**TRIBUTE TO GOV. NEFF**

The following tribute to Gov. Neff was written by one of the members in his party that were here last week, and was handed to us. As it is such a good article we pass it on to our readers: "Every time Gov. Neff speaks, I get a new picture of him; he never speaks twice alike. He reverts his old mother's memory—she died, at 91, in the mansion, four months after his inauguration. He is fitting up a park as a monument to her memory. The land, eight acres on the Leon River, was deeded by Mrs. Neff to the State of Texas. The Governor wrote his mother's will before she died. Sometimes when I watch the Governor when he is speaking, I think of him as a Lincoln without his whiskers."

**NEW OIL TEST TO BE MADE IN TERRELL COUNTY**

Messrs. R. J. Dunn and Thacher of the Cooperative Investment Company of Houston arrived in the city the first of the week and are to go to work. Rigging and material have been in town for several weeks. Mr. Dunn states that after hauling the material to their holdings they will start drilling on a test well and later they put in a larger outfit. The Cooperative Investment Company hold about 30,720 acres of land 13 miles southeast of Sanderson.

I wish to thank the people of Sanderson for the trade they have given me. Many of my customers seem anxious to be able to continue with the line, so for your convenience I have asked Mrs. Druse and Mrs. McLymont to take over my samples, and I ask for them the patronage and courtesy you have shown me. Again thanking you,  
Mrs. J. T. Farley.

**RATTLE OF THE RAIL.**

Fireman L. C. Gillespie has arrived from El Paso to take a regular freight run out of here.

J. C. Rhodes has recently returned from a trip to El Paso.

Engine 743 is just out of the back shop at El Paso.

Night foreman W. Carter is on a two weeks leave of absence in which he will visit El Paso, Del Rio, Houston and other points.

L. Robey and G. Avant spent a few days on a fishing trip this week.

E. P. Halley returned Friday from a trip to El Paso.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**

I have 60 head bred Billies for sale or trade, they were raised by Max Luckie. For further information see or write, Wickliffe Edwards, Sanderson, Texas.

**PRIMARY RETURNS**

The Democratic Primaries were held last Saturday and the biggest ballot in Terrell county at a primary election was polled that day. Following are the complete returns from all precincts: United States Senator—

- Sheppard 112
- Davis 18
- Maddox 3
- Governor—
- Collins 1
- Whit Davidson 48
- Ferguson 5
- Lynch Davidson 16
- Pope 0
- Barton 0
- Robertson 65
- Dixon 0
- Barkett 1
- Lieutenant Governor—
- Edwards 61
- Miller 38
- Malone 9
- McCall 11
- Attorney General—
- Moody 79
- Melson 7
- Ward 33
- Wall 11
- Comptroller—
- Baker 31
- A. J. Smith-Moulden 7
- Don F. Smith 35
- Terrell 3
- Bell 24
- 25
- State Treasurer—
- Terrell 149
- Supt. Public Instruction—
- Marrs 143
- Commissioner of Agriculture—
- Sparkman 49
- Terrell 74
- Land Commissioner—
- Sargent 16
- Robison 110
- Binkley 8
- Railroad Commissioner, 6 Year Term—
- Gilmore 30
- Weaver 75
- Vason 16
- Railroad Commissioner, 4 Year Unexpired Term—
- West 14
- Smith 75
- Nabors 29
- Spicer 5
- Chief Justice Supreme Court—
- Wear 58
- Buck 25
- Cureton 35
- Court of Civil Appeals, 8th District—
- Pelphery 39
- Gibbs 19
- Harper 59
- Judge 63rd Judicial District—
- Jones 113
- Henry 41
- Attorney 63rd Judicial District—
- LaCrosse 89
- Veltmann 47
- County Democratic Chairman—
- Joe Kerr 81
- Lurence 7
- Bodkin 4
- Jim Kerr 2

**BOY BREAKS ARM**

Last Sunday morning, while riding a burro in company with Frank Robie, little Dickie Mussey had the misfortune to break his arm. The burro had been going at a good speed, but it stopped all of a sudden, throwing Dickie to the ground. His arm was broken at the elbow, and just above the elbow.

The dance given at the Kerr Hotel last Friday night by the Sanderson Athletic Association was a decided success in every way. Quite a large number of visitors from the nearby towns and surrounding ranches were in for the dance. The music was furnished by the Musical Five, of this city—the one jazz band that is hard to beat.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Strange left Sunday morning for San Antonio with their son, Baird, who was suddenly stricken with appendicitis. Monday he was operated on at the Kinney Sanatorium, and Mr. Strange returned home Wednesday stating Baird was doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cargile and baby are visiting relatives in Uvalde and Montell.

**The Window of Prosperity**



When you make it a habit to pass a part of your earnings through the Receiving window of this Bank each pay day you are looking regularly through the Window of Prosperity.

The opportunities to become wealthy today are more plentiful than ever before, but you must make a start by Saving.

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Fruits, Vegetables, Ham, Bacon.  
YOUR TRADE SOLICITED  
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<b>DRY GOODS</b> The Season's New and Best Styles	<b>GROCERIES</b> We Have Everything That's Good to Eat
<b>DRESS GOODS,</b>	<b>Canned Vegetables and</b>
<b>MEN'S SUITS,</b>	<b>Fruits,</b>
<b>HATS, CAPS,</b>	<b>Jellies, Jams,</b>
<b>BOOTS AND SHOES.</b>	<b>Teas and Coffee.</b>
<b>HARDWARE</b> We Are Headquarters for	<b>FURNITURE</b> We Have a Nice Line of
<b>Hardware, Oil, Paints</b>	<b>Chairs, Rockers, Tables,</b>
<b>Stoves, Pipe Fittings,</b>	<b>Dressers, Beds,</b>
<b>Wire, Nails,</b>	<b>Springs and</b>
<b>Studebaker Wagons</b>	<b>Mattresses.</b>
<b>LUMBER</b> Anything You Want in	<b>Doors, Cement, Lime</b>
<b>Building Material, Sash</b>	<b>Brick, Roofing,</b>
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After Every Meal

It's the longest-lasting confection you can buy—and it's a help to digestion and a cleanser for the mouth and teeth.



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With home care for convalescents and friends. Two blocks from the Methodist Hospital. Good beds and the right diet, with proper oversight. References furnished.

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FROM  
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25¢ AND 75¢ PACKAGES EVERYWHERE

**Head Over Heels**  
Voice of (from above)—Jane, is that fellow gone?  
Jane—Hopelessly, papa.  
What fault are you in pursuit of today? And is it in yourself?

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Lame and achy in the morning? Tortured with backache all day long? No wonder you feel worn out and discouraged! But have you given any thought to your kidneys? Weak kidneys cause just such troubles, and you are likely to have headaches, too, with dizziness, stabbing pains and other kidney irregularities. Don't risk neglect! Use Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Doan's have helped thousands. They should help you. Ask your neighbor!

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Mrs. L. T. Akers, 2820 W. Jones St., Greenville, Texas, says: "The flu left my kidneys weak and there was a steady ache in my back. Mornings I had a lame, sore feeling across my kidneys and felt tired and not much like being up and around. My kidneys were weak and acted irregularly. The first box of Doan's Pills gave me relief, and the second box cured me."

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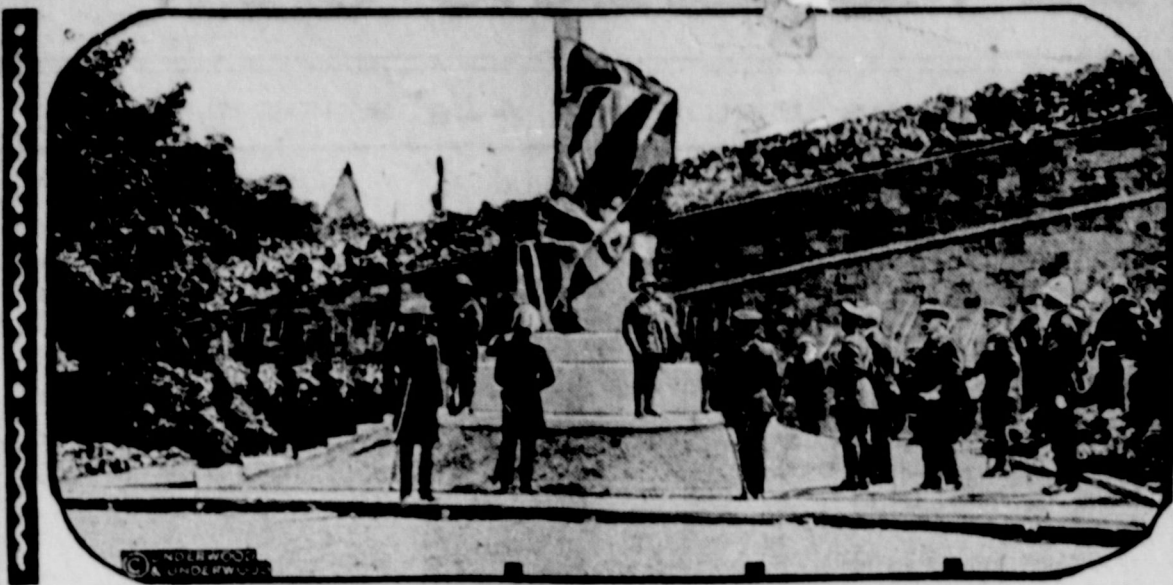
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General Garibaldi, war hero and a recent convert to the fascist ranks, was buried Saturday at Rome, Italy, with military honors. All branches of the army and navy were represented at the services.

Martial law has been declared at Teheran, Persia. Several persons suspected of complicity in the killing of the American vice consul, Robert Imbrie, who died Friday from injuries received when he was beaten by a fanatical mob while he was photographing a sacred fountain, have been arrested.

## Unveil Tribute to War Dead



The "Cross of Sacrifice" memorial to victims of the late war, unveiled at Quebec by Baron Byng of Vimy, governor general of Canada.

## Take Survey of Highway Traffic



Government and county investigators are making a survey of the roads of Cook county, Ill. With the information obtained they plan to base specifications for more serviceable highways throughout the United States. Picture shows investigators weighing and examining a truck.

## LAWYER AT 18



Miss Edith Judith Friedman, eight-year-old, is said to be the youngest woman ever graduated from a law school in this country. Besides graduating at this tender age, she won second highest honors at the St. Lawrence University Law school, Brooklyn, N. Y.

## IS PRIZE SPELLER



Mrs. Anna Wehbart, mother of five children, recently won a spelling match at Cincinnati in competition with thousands of parents and teachers. Mrs. Wehbart correctly spelled more than 15,000 words.

## Great Britain's First Mine Layer



The first mine layer of the British navy, built especially for the purpose, was launched at Devonport by Lady Chelmsford, wife of the first lord of the admiralty. For the first time since the war, the ceremony included the christening, a bottle of wine being broken over the bows. The picture shows the vessel, H. M. S. Adventure, entering the water.

## Honored by Sons of Revolution



Rev. Walden Myer offering prayers at the statue of Rochambeau in Washington on the occasion of the 175th anniversary of the birth of the French patriot who aided the American cause.

## TEXAS FARM NEWS

(By S. C. Hoyle, Editor Extension Service Publications A. and M. College of Texas.)

**Exhibits Entered in Community Fairs.**  
At a meeting of the directors of the Dublin Fair it was decided that the exhibits, other than livestock and poultry, would be entered strictly on a community basis and the standard community score card was adopted. Six of the communities in Erath County have already completed their organization along this line and others are working toward this end. The consensus of opinion among the farmers and citizens of Dublin is that the fair last year was worth the time and care expended to make it possible and that it had done more to create interest in agriculture than anything which had been done in many years. A spirit of co-operation is much more in evidence this year than at the same time last year and with an equal amount of effort the fair promises to do better in every respect than last year.

**Team Work.**  
The value of team work is being forcibly illustrated in Brazos County in the work being done by the Community Clubs. Even during the busy crop season the attendance at Community meetings has ranged from one hundred to three hundred at each meeting. At these meetings various and sundry problems concerning the improvement of home and the farm have usually received first consideration in the preparation of the program. A number of communities have become interested in the building of a tabernacle for the annual county singing convention which later developed into plans for a county-wide playground and meeting place for all large gatherings. The fact that some communities offered more than a thousand dollars to provide a singing convention tabernacle, according to first plans, is evidence of the live community spirit which has been developed since the rural organization work began in these respective communities.

**Club Work in Menard County.**  
One of the principal things the agricultural club boys of Menard County have planned to do in 1924-25 is to feed out a car of fat lambs. These lambs are to be shown and marketed at the time of the Ft. Worth Show in March 1925. Some work has already been done toward getting the right kind of lambs located for the feeding demonstration, and much valuable information should be imparted to the club boys through this work.

## FLOOD CONTROL IS PLANNED FOR MANY TEXAS COUNTIES

Austin, Tex.—Field work on a reclamation survey of the Colorado River in Matagorda and Wharton counties has just been completed by Major Arthur A. Stiles, state reclamation engineer, in co-operation with flying corps of the army stationed at Kelly Field.

The survey extends from the mouth of the Colorado River in Matagorda County and extends through Wharton County, a distance of 40 miles, passing through Bay City.

This reclamation work was made possible by the action of the last legislature in remitting the state taxes to these counties for flood control work. Major Stiles said that maps of the region surveyed will be ready soon.

Major Stiles also announced that field work has just started of a reclamation survey of the Lower Rio Grande River in Cameron and Willacy counties. This work is to be made in co-operation with a corps of engineers from the regular army at Fort Sam Houston.

The major portion of the expense for this flood control work is to be borne by the counties interested in the project.

## Texas Publisher Shot to Death

San Antonio, Tex.—James Stitz is in McMullen County jail following the shooting of Jay R. Secrest, candidate for the legislature and editor of an oil journal published at Three Rivers. Stitz is alleged to have shot Secrest when the two men came near each other in automobiles while returning from the oil fields in McMullen County. Secrest died within a half hour after the shooting. The trouble is said to have arisen over an attack against Stitz in Secrest's paper. Stitz is a former deputy sheriff at Three Rivers.

## \$4,750,000 Bond Issue Authorized

Washington.—Announcement was made Wednesday by the interstate commerce commission that authority has been granted the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad to issue \$4,750,000 in 6 per cent gold notes and to pledge \$5,100,000 of prior lien mortgage gold bonds as collateral security therefor.

## Fails to Reach Verdict

Marlin, Texas.—A mistrial resulted at Marlin Monday in the case of Commodore Bullock, charged with murder in connection with the death of Sheriff Moorehead of Brazos County. The jury was discharged after being out 60 hours without having reached a verdict.

Corpus Tax Rate \$1.68  
Corpus Christ, Texas.—The city tax rate has been placed at \$1.68 on the \$100 valuation by the city commissioners.

**DEMAND**  
**TANLAC**  
The World's Best Tonic  
Over 100,000 people have testified that TANLAC has relieved them of:  
Stomach Trouble, Rheumatism, Mal-Nutrition, Sleeplessness, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, Loss of Weight, Torpid Liver or Constipation.  
"Ask Anyone Who Has Taken TANLAC"  
OVER 40 MILLION BOTTLES SOLD  
For Sale By All Good Druggists

Retire within thyself, and thou wilt discover how small a stock is there.—Persius.

If your eyes are sore, get Roman Eye Balm. Apply it at night and you are healed by morning. 312 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

"Every abridgement of a good book is a stupid abridgement."—Proverbs of France.

**Take It at Night. Makes Morning Bright.**  
**St. Joseph's LIVER REGULATOR**  
for BLOOD-LIVER-KIDNEYS  
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**MOTHER!**  
Clean Child's Bowels  
"California Fig Syrup" is Dependable Laxative for Sick Children

Hurry, Mother! Even a fretful, feverish, bilious or constipated child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to sweeten the stomach and open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. It doesn't cramp or overact. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs.



Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on the bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

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A vegetable-bile aperient, adds tone and vigor to the digestive and eliminative system, improves the appetite, relieves Sick Headache and Biliousness, corrects Constipation.  
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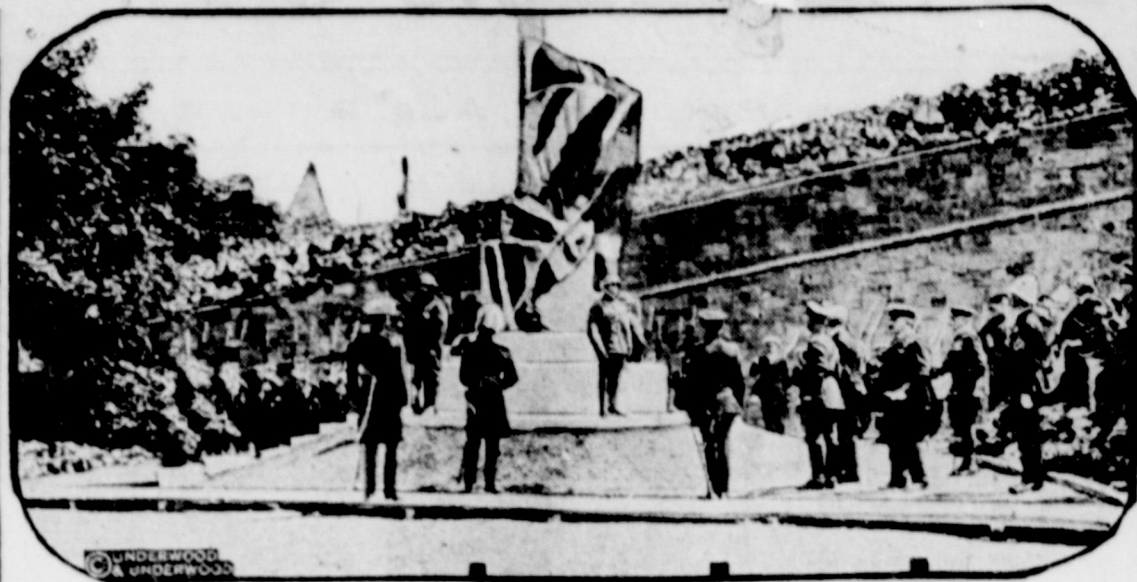
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General Garibaldi, war hero and a recent convert to the fascist ranks, was buried Saturday at Rome, Italy, with military honors. All branches of the army and navy were represented at the services.

Martial law has been declared at Teheran, Persia. Several persons suspected of complicity in the killing of the American vice consul, Robert Imbrie, who died Friday from injuries received when he was beaten by a fanatical mob while he was photographing a sacred fountain, have been arrested.

## Unveil Tribute to War Dead



The "Cross of Sacrifice" memorial to victims of the late war, unveiled at Quebec by Baron Byng of Vimy, governor general of Canada.

## Take Survey of Highway Traffic



Government and county investigators are making a survey of the roads of Cook county, Ill. With the information obtained they plan to base specifications for more serviceable highways throughout the United States. Picture shows investigators weighing and examining a truck.

### LAWYER AT 18



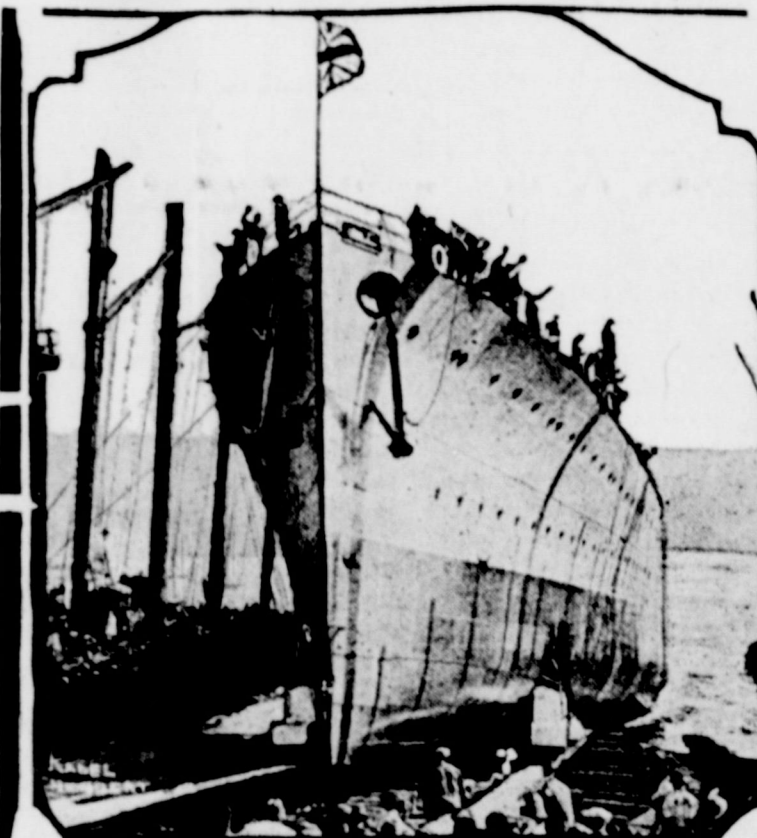
Miss Edith Judith Friedman, eight-year-old, is said to be the youngest woman ever graduated from a law school in this country. Besides graduating at this tender age, she won second highest honors at the St. Lawrence University Law school, Brooklyn, N. Y.

### IS PRIZE SPELLER



Mrs. Anna Wehert, mother of five children, recently won a spelling match at Cincinnati in competition with thousands of parents and teachers. Mrs. Wehert correctly spelled more than 15,000 words.

## Great Britain's First Mine Layer



The first mine layer of the British navy, built especially for the purpose, was launched at Devonport by Lady Chelmsford, wife of the first lord of the admiralty. For the first time since the war, the ceremony included the christening, a bottle of wine being broken over the bows. The picture shows the vessel, H. M. S. Adventure, entering the water.

## Honored by Sons of Revolution



Rev. Walden Myer offering prayers at the statue of Rochambeau in Washington on the occasion of the 1924 anniversary of the birth of the French patriot who aided the American cause.

## TEXAS FARM NEWS

(By S. C. Hoyle, Editor Extension Service Publications A. and M. College of Texas.)

**Exhibits Entered in Community Fairs.**  
At a meeting of the directors of the Dublin Fair it was decided that the exhibits, other than livestock and poultry, would be entered strictly on a community basis and the standard community score card was adopted. Six of the communities in Erath County have already completed their organization along this line and others are working toward this end. The consensus of opinion among the farmers and citizens of Dublin is that the fair last year was worth the time and care expended to make it possible and that it had done more to create interest in agriculture than anything which had been done in many years. A spirit of co-operation is much more in evidence this year than at the same time last year and with an equal amount of effort the fair promises to do better in every respect than last year.

### Team Work.

The value of team work is being forcibly illustrated in Brazos County in the work being done by the Community Clubs. Even during the busy crop season the attendance at Community meetings has ranged from one hundred to three hundred at each meeting. At these meetings various and sundry problems concerning the improvement of home and the farm have usually received first consideration in the preparation of the program. A number of communities have become interested in the building of a tabernacle for the annual county singing convention which later developed into plans for a county-wide playground and meeting place for all large gatherings. The fact that some communities offered more than a thousand dollars to provide a singing convention tabernacle, according to first plans, is evidence of the live community spirit which has been developed since the rural organization work began in these respective communities.

### Club Work in Menard County.

One of the principal things the agricultural club boys of Menard County have planned to do in 1924-25 is to feed out a car of fat lambs. These lambs are to be shown and marketed at the time of the Ft. Worth Show in March 1925. Some work has already been done toward getting the right kind of lambs located for the feeding demonstration, and much valuable information should be imparted to the club boys through this work.

### FLOOD CONTROL IS PLANNED FOR MANY TEXAS COUNTIES

Austin, Tex.—Field work on a reclamation survey of the Colorado River in Matagorda and Wharton counties has just been completed by Major Arthur A. Stiles, state reclamation engineer, in co-operation with flying corps of the army stationed at Kelly Field.

The survey extends from the mouth of the Colorado River in Matagorda County and extends through Wharton County a distance of 40 miles, passing through Bay City.

This reclamation work was made possible by the action of the last legislature in remitting the state taxes to these counties for flood control work. Major Stiles said that maps of the region surveyed will be ready soon.

Major Stiles also announced that field work has just started of a reclamation survey of the Lower Rio Grande River in Cameron and Willacy counties. This work is to be made in co-operation with a corps of engineers from the regular army at Fort Sam Houston.

The major portion of the expense for this flood control work is to be borne by the counties interested in the project.

**Texas Publisher Shot to Death**  
San Antonio, Tex.—James Stitz is in McMullen County jail following the shooting of Jay R. Seerest, candidate for the legislature and editor of an oil journal published at Three Rivers. Stitz is alleged to have shot Seerest when the two men came near each other in automobiles while returning from the oil fields in McMullen County. Seerest died within a half hour after the shooting. The trouble is said to have arisen over an attack against Stitz in Seerest's paper. Stitz is a former deputy sheriff at Three Rivers.

### \$4,750,000 Bond Issue Authorized.

Washington.—Announcement was made Wednesday by the interstate commerce commission that authority has been granted the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad to issue \$4,750,000 in 6 per cent gold notes and to pledge \$6,100,000 of prior lien mortgage gold bonds as collateral security therefor.

### Fails to Reach Verdict

Martin, Texas.—A mistrial resulted at Martin Monday in the case of Commodore Bullock, charged with murder in connection with the death of Sheriff Moorehead of Brazos County. The jury was discharged after being out 60 hours without having reached a verdict.

**Corpus Tax Rate \$1.68**  
Corpus Christi, Texas.—The city tax rate has been placed at \$1.68 on the \$100 valuation by the city commissioners.

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List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1923, for the Taxes of 1923, in Terrell County.

Reported in Compliance With Provisions of Chapter Fifteen, Revised Civil Statutes of 1911.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF TERRELL. I, F. N. HARRILL, Tax Collector of said County, do hereby certify that the land and lots listed below and assessed on the tax rolls of said County for the year 1922, are delinquent for the taxes of 1923, and that there was no personal property for seizure and sale as required by Article 7692, Revised Statutes of 1911, and therefore I am entitled to credit for the taxes shown herein reported delinquent.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONERS' COURT. WE CERTIFY THAT we have examined the following Collector's report of lands and lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Terrell County for the year 1922, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1923, and find the same correct, and that F. N. HARRILL, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes shown herein, as follows, to-wit:

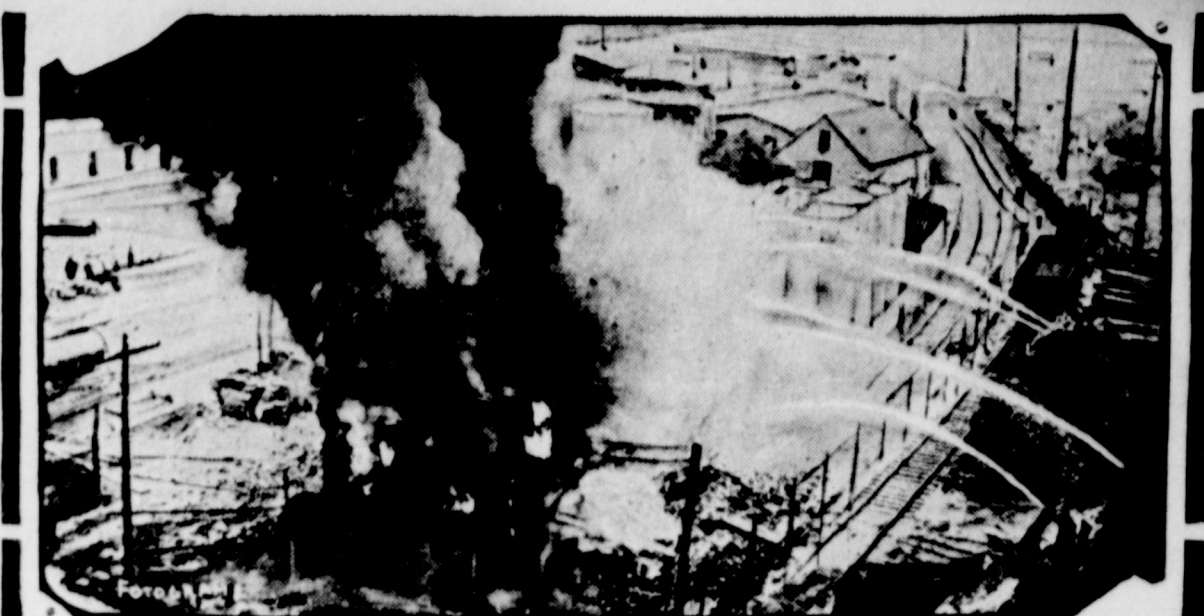
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Given in open court this 11th day of June, A. D. 1923. G. J. HENSHAW, County Judge, W. A. COCHRAN, JAS. J. TAYLOR, J. M. CORNER, W. J. BANNER, County Commissioners of Said County.

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Oil Blaze in Heart of Columbus, Ohio



Firemen in Columbus, Ohio, had a hard fight on their hands when four 4,000-gallon tanks went up in flames that burned for eight hours. They diverted the blaze from a quarter million gallons of oil nearby, that would have meant destruction for a whole section if it had caught on fire. Unusual photograph shows firemen fighting blaze.

See Weak Points in Architecture

American Public Pays Little Attention to Art in Building, Say Experts.

Washington.—Weak points in national architecture were a subject of prolonged discussion at the architects' convention held in this city. The arguments were picturesque, but did not start any public debate whatever on the question of the builder's art.

Interest in their aims and achievements. They point out that so long as men live in houses architecture will play a more intimate part in their lives than any other art. The trouble is that until the public begins to regard its building as art it will learn very little about the technique of architecture; and yet until it knows something about the technical values it is not likely to take much interest in the artistic side of construction and designs.

Another example of unfitness is the building that is so rigidly artistic that it fails to be practical. The rooms, it may be, are drafty and badly lighted. The interior is poorly arranged for efficiency. Convenience has been sacrificed to effect, and the result cannot be termed fine architecture in the broadest sense.

With these ideas in mind, it is interesting to note a few of the high spots touched by the architects in their discussion of precedent. This is the subject which apparently worries the modern designer more than any other. Painters have their impressionist and German Seeres Predicts Death of Industrialists.

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branches, German state carriages, French landaus, English coaches, Irish jaunting cabs—all sorts. "A salesman was explaining the difficulties met with in adapting a splendid reproduction of a Greek chariot to the necessities of an automobile; how concealment of the motor and provision of an invisible third wheel to take the weight borne by the tongue and horses in the original were strokes of genius. To objection of a possible customer that an arrangement which required one to stand while driving was uncomfortable the salesman replied that, although a seat would be a convenience, integrity of design prescribed its use—that a reputation for scholarly design was of too great value to be jeopardized by violated precedent."

The architects were more or less agreed that there is little prospect of a great American style in architecture until the work that has been done by the old masters. The most unconventional designers agree that they must draw on the ideas and technique of the great original designers of history. Their point is that in the Golden Ages of creative art designers managed to evolve buildings that expressed the spirit of the people and the times. The Italian renaissance artists did not feel that the Greeks and Egyptians had thought out all the possible variations of construction and that a sensible man could do no better than stick to their models.

Wage-Earning Urged on Would-Be Brides. Berkeley, Cal.—The best training for matrimony a girl can get is by procuring employment for a while, in the opinion of Miss Cleo Murland, associate professor of vocational education at the University of California. "As an apprenticeship for marriage," said Miss Murland, "wage earning is an essential feature. Economic freedom of women is a determining factor in the length of the pre-marriage period, in the stability of the home and in its maintenance. The self-respect of a woman, as well as her position in the family, is determined in part by her ability to be economically independent. More and more the daughter, as well as the son, seeks employment as soon as school days are over."

Miss Murland classified as the three distinct phases in a woman's development the time preceding marriage, the time of family responsibility, and the time of middle age when she is released from these responsibilities. She explained her views at a recent conference of educators. It was the conclusion of the conference that a girl should be educated both as a homemaker and as a potential wage-earner.

German Seeres Predicts Death of Industrialists. Munich.—Elsbeth Ebertin claims to know what is destined to happen in Germany in 1924-1927. Her prediction for this spring, made in February, included failure of banks, and death of several "very rich personalities," and the revelation of fraud on a large scale.

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# Friends or Enemies?

DRAWINGS BY REXUS BRUCH CLEVELAND

## Who is to Determine What are Vermin and Who is to Exterminate Them?



CROW



AMERICAN EAGLE

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN  
THE nature lovers, naturalists, humane society members and sportsmen are finding 1924 an exciting year. They are still discussing the slaughter of the American eagle in Alaska, where the inhabitants have killed 25,000 of the great birds in the last five years for a bounty of 50 cents and are now working overtime for a bounty of one dollar. And now comes along another astonishing thing—a campaign against "vermin," initiated by a gunpowder company and promoted by advertising and prizes!

The gunpowder company poses as a public benefactor. The opponents of the campaign charge that it is purely a commercial proposition. One result is a nation-wide controversy among all classes on various aspects of the situation: What are vermin? Which are the friends and which the enemies of man among the various animals and birds condemned by the gunpowder company as vermin? Who is to decide? Who is to wage war on them? Is it advisable to destroy nature's balance? Is the campaign beneficial or harmful?

The gunpowder company's list of animals and birds condemned as vermin includes snapping turtle, woodchuck, porcupine, bobcat, red squirrel, water snake, field rat, gopher, weasel, hunting house-cat, great horned owl, snow owl, goshawk, crow, blackbird, starling, English sparrow, kingfisher, Cooper's hawk, sharp-shinned hawk.

Experienced woodsmen—who are always practical naturalists—know that a big snapping turtle eats many a duckling; that a bobcat is a pest; that a weasel is a terror; that some of the hawks and the great horned owl are fair game; that the red squirrel has little to recommend him. But they would not pick on the kingfisher. They would admit that the porcupine kills many trees and is an unmitigated nuisance in a camp, but they would not have it exterminated for the reason that it is the only edible animal that an unarmed tenderfoot, lost and starving in the woods, can catch and kill.

The hunting cat—the house cat gone wild—is an outlaw which has no friends among sportsmen and few defenders even among cat lovers. Its days are numbered. Nation-wide legislation will before long exterminate this menace to bird life.

The starting has few friends, if any. Eugene Schieffelin in 1890 brought 120 birds to this country and liberated them in Central park, New York city. From these 120 starlings have come the millions that have spread north, west and south. In Providence, R. I., for example, great flocks this spring were using the state capitol as a roosting place. They apparently could not be kept away. And the state house was an awful mess.

Insects! There's a danger mark. Science tells us that the insect is man's most dangerous enemy. And all the resources of science are engaged in warfare against the insect tribes which threaten to eat up the world. Birds are nature's balance against the insects—recognized as such by a document of no less importance than the international treaty between the United States and Canada.

The upsetting of nature's balances in the animal world has proved dangerous by experience. The West Indies imported the mongoose to kill off the snakes. It also killed off all small animal life and bird life. Australia imported rabbits and had to spend millions to keep from being eaten



Crow, Blackbird, Hawk

out of house and home. The United States has comprehensive laws against the importation of animal life and they are strictly enforced as a matter of national protection.

The American Nature association is one of the organizations concerned over the situation. Its organ, the Nature Magazine (Washington) has this to say, among other things:

What are vermin? Which are predatory animals? What steps should be taken, if any, against marauding members of the bird and animal world, and who is to dictate these steps?

signed to bring about concerted action against the vermin in the interests of the farmer and the sportsman. Incidentally the campaign will stimulate the market for shells.

There has arisen, however, a wide disagreement among experts about this campaign. Officials of the United States Department of Agriculture assert that certain of the birds listed should not be widely killed. At the same time they agree that some of the birds and animals are predatory and could be classified as vermin. There is disagreement, as well, among the officials of the various states, and between state laws relating to game and firearms.

The association made inquiries in the states and found that the laws relating to the open carrying of firearms range from strict prohibition, except during the hunting season, to no restriction at all. The laws and opinions as to the vermin list vary as widely. In Virginia, for instance, the department of game and inland fisheries had instituted a campaign for vermin control in advance of the gunpowder company. Here is the department's statement:

We believe that the matter of vermin control in America has never heretofore received the proper attention and that a control of the vermin which prey upon useful wild life and game birds and animals is just as necessary for their conservation as bag limits, hunting seasons and other restrictions in the interest of the hunter. We are not unmindful of the fact that some of the hawks and some of the owls are probably more beneficial than harmful. We do not believe it is possible, nor would we desire, to exterminate the crow or any other species of bird or animal, however, we do believe that by greatly reducing the number of predatory birds and animals we can effect a great saving in useful wild life. We find, so to speak, two schools of thought in this matter—one headed and dominated by ultra theorists and scientists, the other by the dead practical man, who has no vision and often walks over a precipice before he sees it. We believe there is a middle ground upon which practical wild life conservationists should travel and so far as we can we propose to do this.

Massachusetts allows the licensed hunter to kill at any time all the birds on the gunpowder company's list, except the kingfisher. Pennsylvania opposes the campaign. Ohio's laws allow the killing of the chicken hawk, blue hawk, Cooper's hawk, sharp-shinned hawk, great horned owl, English sparrow and goshawk. Tennessee protects only the woodchuck and the game warden states that it has always been permitted to kill owls, weasels, crows, blackbirds and hawks, as they are deadly enemies to the quail. In New Hampshire there is a bounty on bobcats. Nature Magazine goes on to say:

Beyond these considerations there are questions of greater importance. They are questions of principle and practice. One effect of this campaign will be to loose in the fields and woods, outside of the hunting season, thousands of guns on their shoulders ready to shoot and find out what they shot afterward. It will immeasurably increase the casual hunting season hazards to the tramp, the pickpocket and the passing automobilist from the stray and ill-directed shot. And how many who would enter such a contest merely to win prizes could be trusted to spare game or harmless species provided no vermin present themselves?

It is difficult even for the naturalist to distinguish the different species of hawks on the wing at gunshot range. For every 40 turtles killed, perhaps only one will be a snapping turtle. The kingfisher, because nature endowed him with an appetite for fish, usually minnows, may suffer because he preys on the sportsman's prey.

Nature struck a balance in the wild life world. It created friends and enemies, protectors and attackers, conservatives and liberals in an instinctive existence of wild winged and furred beings. There is danger in attempting to change that balance except upon the most final of evidence. Danger lurks as well in the authority given the local dealer to determine whether the evidence submitted by contestants is really what it is represented to be. Valuable members of the bird or animal world may be killed and add points to the score of the contest shooter.

The American Nature association stands definitely in favor of sportsmanship, in season, properly restricted and with proper penalties for its abuse. The evidence, today, however, is too indefinite and opinions too varied to grant to a powder company authority to declare open war upon any group of animals.

From a reading of the hundreds of columns being printed in the press of the country it appears that the controversy has become largely centered upon the crow. The pros and cons of this feathered defendant are being weighed in the scales of popular opinion. And it may be said right here that this alleged bandit in shining blue is an interesting defendant. He has been clever enough to survive and increase, notwithstanding the settling of the country. He has learned the ways of man and has adapted himself to changed conditions. He knows from afar whether a man carries a stick or a gun. He perches on scarecrows.

He can count five guards in a cornfield up to five. The flocks are captured. Communities hold caucuses in numbers that blacken a field. They have sentinels and signals. Anyone who thinks crows cannot converse after a fashion of their own is not familiar with their ways.

The counts in the indictment against the crow are many. The farmer charges that he can devastate a field of young corn in less time than it takes to plant it; that he eats fruit and melons and vegetables; that he attacks young chickens in the eyes of mired and injured sheep. Sportsmen say that he hunts out the nests of quail and eats the eggs. Nature lovers accuse him of preying on the young of birds and of small wild life.

In Madison and Antelope counties of Nebraska the farmers have an idea that the crows spread cholera germs. They have failed to get the legislature to offer a ten-cent bounty, so they have established an annual "crow roundup." This last year they killed 13,000 crows. This year 225 hunters in two days killed and retrieved 17,000 and a few over. The crows' feet were put on exhibition. There was a banquet, a theater party and a dance. The Far West and Southwest have a very different feeling about the crow. He is protected in California, and a group of neighboring states. The Humane Association of California, representing 30 allied humane organizations, called upon the gunpowder company "to close its unwise, unwarranted and cruel contest and withdraw its offered prizes." The association has the opinion of state scientists that the crow does far more good than harm.

Manifestly the crow, if he is to be acquitted before the bar of public opinion, must be proved to be a champion destroyer of insects. T. Gilbert Pearson, president of the National Association of Audubon Societies declares:

The accused is not altogether a bad bird. If he were better understood he would have more friends than foes. He eats great quantities of insects in the cornfield. The crow is an economic factor in farm life, and the present organized effort to annihilate the species recalls the mob spirit which was aroused against the pelican for its legendary ravages upon fish.

The court of last resort is undoubtedly the United States Department of Agriculture. That department has issued a bulletin by E. R. Kaimbach of the bureau of biological survey.

"Some of the complaints against the crow," Mr. Kaimbach says, "are well-nigh traditional, while a few of its beneficial habits have long been matters of common knowledge. Irreconcilable differences of opinion regarding the crow's worth have often been the rule among residents of a community, and it has been only recently that sufficient information has been assembled from most parts of the bird's range to allow a thorough study of its habits." And he goes on:

What a bird eats or does not eat is the first question to be answered in an inquiry into its economic status. About 25 per cent of the yearly food of the adult crow consists of animal matter. In this are found insects, spiders, earthworms, crustaceans, the remains of reptiles, amphibians, wild birds, and their eggs, poultry and their eggs, small mammals, and carrion.

Over two-thirds of the animal food, or about a fifth of the whole diet of the crow, is composed of insects, and these include many of the most destructive pests with which the farmer has to deal. The remains of various insects constitute about 7.5 per cent of the crow's annual food. They are a promiscuous lot, some beneficial, some neutral, and others, which comprise the major portion, highly destructive. Orthoptera, including grasshoppers, locusts and crickets, form about an equal quantity, but the damage this order of insects inflicts far exceeds that done by the various beetles. In fact, the short-horned grasshoppers especially are destructive, and while these insects have never been such serious pests in the eastern states as in some parts of the West, the damage they do in the latter country amounts to many millions of dollars. In August and September grasshoppers form nearly one-fifth of the crow's food. Caterpillars form about 1.5 per cent of the diet of the adult, nestlings, however, eat nearly four times as much.

The size and the voracious appetites of crows make these birds especially valuable in times of outbreaks of one or another of the insect pests upon which they feed. In feeding on mammals the crow supplements the good work of hawks and owls by tending to hold in check rodent pests. As a carrion feeder the crow only supplements the good work of the turkey buzzard, especially along river banks and tidal flats.

Mr. Kaimbach, writing in Nature Magazine, is emphatic on other points of importance. He says, in part:

Furthermore, what chance is there of proper game law enforcement if the excuse for shooting a crow will afford a universal, logical, and urgent reason for being asked? Experienced administrators of game laws realize the added difficulties of such a situation. In fact an anti-crow campaign conducted in this manner might well be looked upon as one of the most disastrous blows at efficient game law enforcement since the passage of the migratory bird treaty and the warden service by putting a stop to spring shooting.

And yet, aside from these specific objections, is there not something still more fundamental at issue in a situation of this kind? Organized and privately financed propaganda, with all the import that usually goes with that word in current usage, has been invoked to formulate public opinion regarding the economic position of a wild creature—a creature in which sound economic principles and logical scientific reasoning alone should prevail.

### Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

#### BETTER THAN GOLD

FOR ages it has been the custom of the larger proportion of earthlings to bow to the yellow god of gold and worship it, overlooking in their insane idolatry the wondrous, enduring riches that lie at their feet, disregarded and trodden down.

Children come into the world with shining eyes and laughter on their lips. They are as blithesome as birds in the springtime until they are taught by their parents to look reverently upon the cold face of the god of mammon.

Then comes a change in their speech and deportment. The little rich child is instructed to look with disfavor upon the little poor child, so a sharp line of distinction is drawn between them and each goes his or her way, unfriendly towards each other.

A bitterness springs up in their hearts. As the years come and go, it grows to pride, disrespect and hate. Then follow the oft-repeated tales of history—strife, war, bloodshed, tears and sorrowing—tales that have been told over and over with rancor since the creation of man.

The happiness which the children know is crushed to death beneath the ponderous weight of gold. The carefree laughter which they brought with them has flown away beyond their reach, and they have become hard-faced and sordid, like the rest of us, thinking and dreaming mostly of earthly wealth and power.

There are some noble spirits, however, who scornfully turn their backs upon the false god, refusing to bow down to it or admit its supremacy.

These are the salt of the earth, whose saving substance may redeem the idolaters.

You will find them among the faithful, the charitable, and big-hearted, working earnestly for the betterment of mankind, unimpaired of riches, forgetful of everything else except the life in which gold loses its value in the august presence of character and divine possibility.

Are we among these faithful ones, or are we cowards?

Do we tremble in terror at the monstrous god of wealth, its pomp and splendor and power, or do we, like the faithful, consider it merely a myth of time, doomed to banishment with the oncoming dawn of eternity?

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### The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way says a microscopic examination shows that there are 5,000,000 red corpuscles in an apparently healthy person's blood, and it's certainly a wonder we live at all.

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### Reflections of a Bachelor Girl

By HELEN ROWLAND

WHAT constitutes a "popular fellow"? The ability to tell a good story to men, and a good lie to a woman.

Every girl hitches her wagon to a star, in these days; but that never seems to prevent her from wanting a husband, if only as a parachute in case of disaster.

Advising a husband how to rule his wife or a wife how to manage her husband is deliberately juggling with N. T. But the world will always be full of intrepid "advisers," who keep the rest of us busy "picking up the pieces."

Nothing helps a woman's morale, in times of trouble, like a brand-new marcel, a freshly powdered nose, and an admiring glance from a good-looking stranger.

Between climbing onto a pedestal in order to reach a man's ideal, and having to step off of it, every now and then, in order to get down to his level, the average wife feels almost as though she were committing polygamy.

If a man were as careful about selecting a wife as he is about selecting a bootlegger, and as cautious about signing his name to a marriage certificate as he is about signing it to a check, there would be fewer sentimental bankrupts in the hands of the Reno receivers.

No matter what noble principles a man may stand for, his wife feels just.

### Has Anyone Laughed At You Because—

By ETHEL R. PEYSER

You never buy trolley tickets ahead?

You probably live on a small allowance and buying in bulk, though best always, is unfeasible for you. Then, too, when you have the tickets you always feel that you must pay the other fellow's carfare. This becomes too costly even if it is a great joy to you. So you have wisely not accumulated tickets until you need them. Often, indeed, you have lost your tickets. "The dear little things" are vagrant and easily stray away. On the whole, buy as you ride, unless the saving is great—but do not live in heaven!

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Your get-away here is: Buying, if nothing else, is your own trouble.

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### SCHOOL DAYS



### Mother's Cook Book

Never attempt to bear more than one kind of trouble at once. Some people bear three kinds—all they have had, all they have now and all they expect to have.—Edward Everett Hale.

#### HELPFUL SUGGESTIONS

A LARGE chicken is much more economical to buy than a small one, as the proportion of meat to bone is greater. After all the meat is removed, the bits too small to serve on the table may be used in a salad or a cream sauce or two. The bones, with a stalk of carrot, covered with cold water and simmered for several hours, will make a most delicious soup.

Many a child has been taught to like tea or coffee by having the milk warmed by either of those beverages. This is a most pernicious habit to form. Milk may be warmed with hot water or heated milk may be given the child if a hot drink is desirable, but tea or coffee in any form should never be allowed. Weak tea or coffee is more harmful than a well-prepared concoction, some of our dietitians tell us, as the weak solution sets up a fermentation, causing our stomach and other digestive disorders. The safe thing is to leave such beverages for older people who ought to be able to withstand such indulgence, if ill effects result from their use.

#### Everyday Cake.

Beat four tablespoonsful of butter to a cream, add one-half cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of chopped raisins, two egg yolks beaten light, one-fourth of a cupful each of maple and corn syrup, one-half cupful of milk; add one and three-fourths cupfuls of flour, a teaspoonful of cream of tartar, half teaspoonful of soda, one-half teaspoonful each of salt and nutmeg all sifted together. Add the stiffly-beaten whites of the eggs and turn into a shallow pan. Sprinkle with chopped nuts and dredge with sugar. Bake in a moderate oven about an hour. When a cake for a special occasion is wanted, the following will be the one to prepare:

#### Onions With Cheese.

Cook even-sized onions until tender, place a layer in a baking dish, cover with a rich white sauce and a half-inch layer of finely-sliced cheese; cover with another layer of onions and white sauce, sprinkle with buttered crumbs and place in a hot oven to thoroughly heat through and brown the crumbs.

My brother's bigger, big and strong. And yet we always get along. As long as I will try to do the things that brother wants me to. When there is no one else around to play with, then he digs the ground. And builds me castles big and grand. As long as I will bring the sand. And horse is something else we play a lot of times, most every day. He likes to play with me; of course he does if I will be the horse.

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# THE RED LINE TRAIL

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## "JAMES CARR!"

**SYNOPSIS**—Thrown from his auto in a New York village, a man is carried unconscious into the home of a Miss Edith Grant. A doctor discovers he has been shot, fatally. Consciousness returning, he beholds "millions." He begs that Henry Archman, millionaire resident of the vicinity, be sent for, declaring he has important papers for him. Archman cannot be reached by phone, but word is sent that his secretary is on the way. A man announcing himself as Archman's secretary, Akin, arrives, talks with Morbach, and leaves with a package he gives him. Morbach dies. Archman's arrival, with his secretary, reveals that the man posing as Akin is an impostor. Archman denounces Edith Grant as a girl endeavoring to snare his son Harry. Archman, it appears, has yielded to the importunities of his family—his wife, daughter Nellie and Hester—seventeen years old, and son Harry—and moved to New York in an endeavor to gain recognition by the Four Hundred. They have not succeeded. Mrs. Archman is bitter over her failure, particularly mourning the fact that she has not been "taken up" by a Mrs. Van Kull. Archman orders Nellie to get ready for a long journey with him. He refuses to reveal their destination to his wife, declaring it is "not his secret." Nellie tells Bess she is in love with James Carr, a youth working on Archman's ship, El Rio. She gives Bess a message for him. Archman and Nellie depart.

## CHAPTER IV

### Quick Decisions.

Muttering wrathfully to himself, Henry Archman strode out of the Grant cottage and sprang into his car. Nellie Archman, though as much exercised as her father, both by the accusations he had brought against Miss Grant and by the as yet unexplained presence of Carr, and his ambiguous admissions, yet lingered for a moment to take a formal leave. Conventions bind women more tightly than they do men.

"I am sorry," she said. "I cannot leave that father is justified in being as he did. I am sure he will tell you so himself later, and will thank you for your efforts to enable him to hear what Mr. Morbach wanted to say. Good-night."

Edith bowed. "Thank you, Miss Archman," she said gratefully. "This is not the time nor the place for explanations, but I can assure you that your faith is not misplaced. Good-night."

As Nellie came out of the door Archman called to her impatiently. "Get in here, Nellie," he ordered sharply. "Akin can follow in your car. I want to talk to you."

Nellie obeyed in silence. She expected her father to refer to the scenes at the cottage and she was ready and indeed curious to listen and learn.

Archman, however, disappointed her. He threw over the lever and the automobile leaped away like a live thing, splitting space like a hand-guided cannon ball. No swifter could it have gone had its driver been possessed by the seven devils of Scripture. No man could drive at such a pace and spare any attention to anything else. Nellie knew it and settled herself back to wait.

Not till the gates of his big stone house were reached did Archman slacken speed and turn to the girl. "I'm going to take you on a trip with me, Nellie," he said. "We start in an hour. Pack a suitcase with what you need most. We don't take any trunks."

Nellie's eyes widened. "Good gracious! Father," she began.

"I can't discuss the matter. It's an emergency. Get ready!"

"But, father, where are we going? When will we be back?"

"God knows. Not for weeks, certainly."

Nellie's face blanched. "I can't go away like that, father," she protested.

"You must go. You heard the doctor's version of Morbach's message. You are the girl I am to bring. There's no time to lose. I must get you there before he dies."

"Before he dies?" demanded the girl.

"I can't tell you now. It would take too long. Besides, I am not sure myself. And it is his secret, not mine. The matter is imperative. Get ready at once."

Archman's tones had lost their ferocity. They were subdued, and he spoke solemnly. Nellie's protest died on her lips. Never before had she seen her father awe-stricken.

The car rolled up to the steps of the house. Archman stopped it and jumped out and helped Nellie to descend. "Hurry, daughter!" he said. Then he turned to the footman who came hastening out. "Leave the car here, James," he ordered. "Fill the gas tank and see that it's in good shape. I'll want it again tonight."

He turned and hurried into the house into which Nellie had already preceded him.

Bess met him at the steps. "Oh, father!" she cried. "What's it all about?"

Archman half paused. "I can't talk now, Bess," he answered, as he passed. "Ask Akin. He's just behind. Or ask Nellie. She'll want you to help her pack, anyway. Where's Harry?"

Bess clutched at her head. "Help Nellie to pack!" she echoed. "Good gracious! Harry isn't home! He went out just after you did."

Archman's brows darkened. "I guessed as much," he growled. "Tell your mother I want to see her in five minutes. And help Nellie to get ready." He passed on up the stairs.

Bess started after him. Then she ran to seek her mother and deliver the message. This done, she raced up the stairs to Nellie's room.

Meanwhile Archman had hurried into his office and sat down at his desk. He jerked the telephone toward him. "Long distance," he ordered curtly. "Give me New York—Des Moines, 58641. Quick, central!"

A moment later the phone tinkled and he picked it up. "Hello! Is this Captain Bunker? Good! Do you know my voice, captain? Hush! No names. This phone may leak. It's leaked once tonight already, or it's got the credit of it. When can you put to sea? Yes! I know you need coal and stores and all that. What I want to know is the earliest possible moment you can be ready for a two thousand-mile trip. Five days! Five days! D—n! Oh, very well! If you can't go, now listen. I'll be at your house some time before morning. Wait up for me. I'll give you instructions then. Understand? All right. Make no mistake. That's all."

Archman slammed the receiver back upon the hook and looked around. "Come in!" he ordered brusquely. "Come in, Martha!" he called. "I want to talk to you. The summons has come at last."

"Yes! It's come at last. It didn't reach me. The messenger was murdered and his papers have been stolen. But I've had warnings, and I can guess what he wanted to say. I've got to start at once."

Mrs. Archman paled. "Murdered?" she gasped. "Will you be in danger?"

Archman jerked his shoulders impatiently. "Of course not," he responded. "Now, Martha, don't you go worrying. Everything will be all right."

"But where are you going?"

"I can't tell you. It's not my secret."

"But when will you be back?"

"I don't know. I may go to Argentina first. I'll try to keep you informed as to my movements, but you mustn't worry if I fail to do so. I may take Nellie on with me or send her back."

"Nellie! You're taking Nellie?"

Archman's eyes widened. "Yes! I thought you understood. It's for Nellie that I'm going."

Mrs. Archman's pleasant face grew paler. "You've never explained about Nellie," she began.

"I've explained all that I could or can. The secret isn't mine. When I brought the child home I told you that it was only for a time—that some day she would be required of us. The time's been slow in coming, but it's come at last."

"But why tonight! Can't you wait till tomorrow?"

"Tomorrow will be too late. I've got to try to outrun the thieves who stole that paper. I'm going south by railroad and on by any means that offer. I can't tell you how. The El Rio will follow as quickly as it can—probably in five days. Get Nellie's trunks packed and send them on board. I don't know whether I will come back myself or go on to Argentina. I don't know anything except that I must get Nellie away before the thieves have time to watch and follow us."

"But who are the thieves?"

"I can't tell you. That is, I can't tell you who is behind the thing, though I guess, I know the actual thief. It's that Grant woman."

"Who?"

"An actress who calls herself Edith Grant. She's snared Harry."

"Harry! My Harry?"

"Yes! Your Harry." Archman spoke grimly. "I don't blame the boy very much. They chose their agent well. Morbach died in her house. Harry's mad about her. That's what I was talking to him about tonight."

"He—he isn't planning to marry her, is he?"

"Maybe he is. But you can bet your last dollar that she isn't planning to marry him. No! Don't worry about that. She'll drop him when she gets through with him. And, after all, the quickest way to cure a fool is to give him his head."

Mrs. Archman did not pursue the subject. She had unbounded faith in her ability to manage her son. "I haven't been troubled about Harry," she said. "But I have been about Nellie."

"Nellie! Nonsense!"

"It isn't nonsense," Mrs. Archman hesitated, then went on. "Only tonight she told me that her idea of a princess was to stand shoulder to shoulder with her husband and fight the world with him. She was thinking about some particular man, Henry."

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Just Talk



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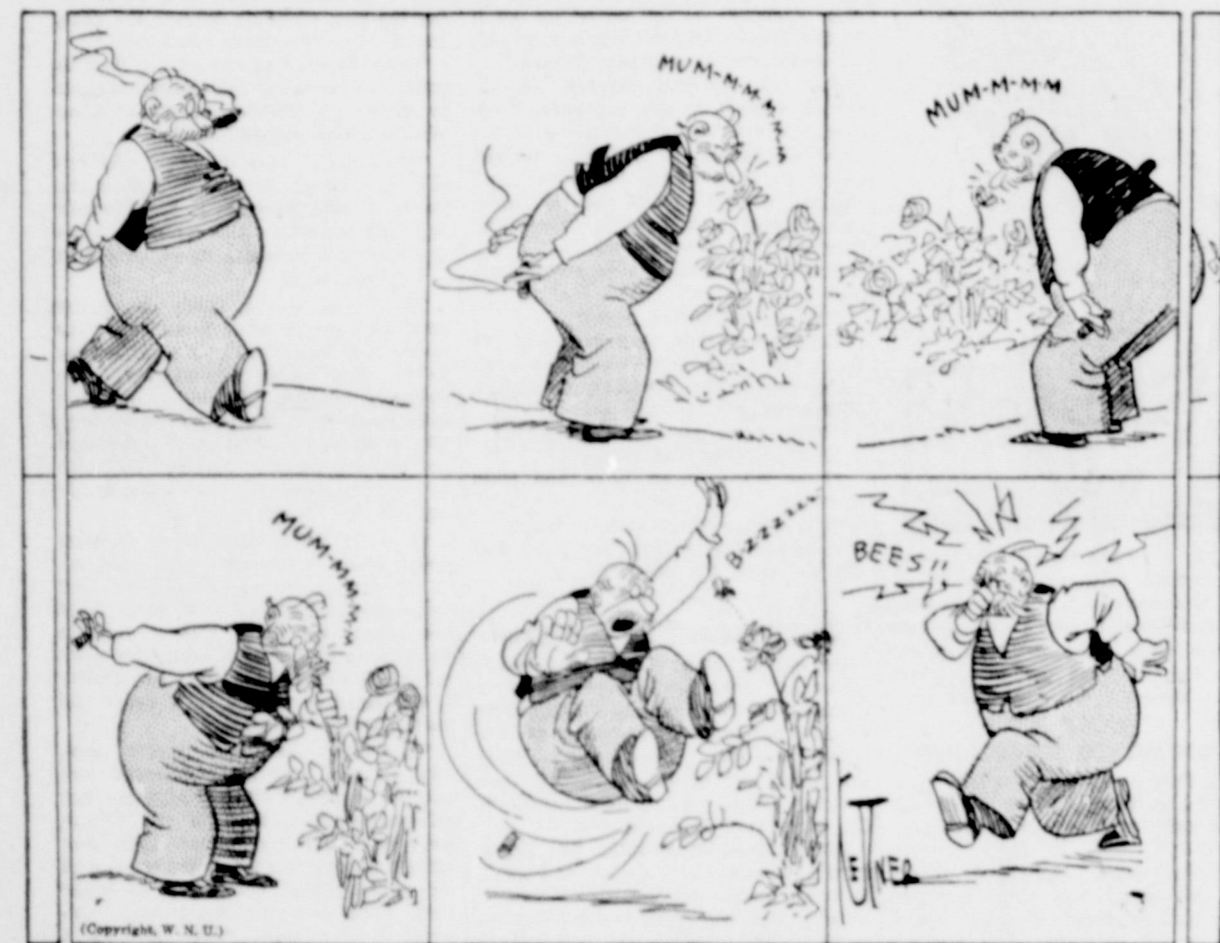
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## LIVE STOCK

HOW TO KEEP FLIES AWAY FROM ANIMALS

There is probably nothing that will keep flies away from live stock, to the extent that they will not be more or less irritated by them.  
Most of the coal tar products used for "dips" to kill external parasites are useful when used over the body, well diluted and applied from a spray pump. Oil or tar or pine tar can often be used to advantage in protecting places that have become sore from the irritation of flies.  
The following mixture has usually given as much satisfaction as any other: Synthetic oil of sassafras, four ounces; lard, or neatfoot oil, two pints, and crude petroleum enough to make one gallon. This will cost about \$1 a gallon.  
A less expensive mixture and one that will not need to be applied as often as the other is as follows: Fish oil, 100 parts; oil of tar, 50 parts, and crude carbonic acid, 1 part.

The best time to "swat the fly" is before he is born. Allowing piles of manure to accumulate in the stables and yards, for flies to breed in, and then applying some kind of "dope" to keep flies away from the animals, is inconsistent, to say the least.—G. H. Glover, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins, Colo.

## Separate Self-Feeders Are Gaining Popularity

Self-fed hogs gain 7.4 per cent faster than when hand-fed, according to thorough tests at the Missouri agricultural experiment station. Yet hogs self-fed require no more feed to produce a given amount of gain than when hand-fed. Hence the practice is a labor saver. When each feed is placed in a separate self-feeder the hogs will choose the different feeds so that the gain will be both rapid and economical.  
Experiments here have shown that the proper use of supplementary feeds like tankage, linseed oil meal or wheat middlings increase the profits derived from swine feeding. A ton of tankage saves 100 bushels of corn. A ton of linseed oil meal saves 90 bushels, and a ton of wheat middlings saves 38 bushels.  
These experiments have shown that fattening hogs gained 23 per cent faster on a ration of corn and wheat middlings than on corn alone, 32 per cent faster on corn and linseed oil meal, and 38 per cent faster on corn and soy beans.  
The saving of grain resulting from the use of pasture crops is found to be from 20 to 50 per cent.

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**Raising Orphan Pigs Is Rather Difficult Task**  
It is a very difficult task to raise young pigs, since they must be fed from six to eight times per day for the first week or so. After that the time between feeding may be increased.  
Whole, sweet, fresh cow's milk is considered best. Don't adulterate it. Sow's milk is richer in all nutrients and especially fats than cow's milk.  
Hand-fed pigs are more likely to be overfed than underfed when it is understood that a sow has only about one quart of milk per day for a whole litter of pigs. A little more cow's milk can be fed than sow's milk. Add a few middlings to the milk when the pigs are about two weeks old. The great danger with pigs fed by hand is indigestion. A little castor oil is good for this.

## Feeding Saves Fertility

Feeding stock saves fertility that would otherwise be lost if feeds were sold directly off the farm. A ton of alfalfa hay or barley contains \$6.00 to \$8.00 worth of fertility value. 75 per cent of which the steer will return to the farm if the manure is carefully handled.

**Live Stock Jots**  
White hogs are more subject to sun-sand on rape pasture than red or black hogs.  
Ohio is the eighth state in the Union in value of live stock. Iowa is first and Texas second.  
Some brood sows give twice as much milk as other sows and where litters are large will become rather thin even though fed heavily.  
Do not overlook the guard rails in the farrowing pen. They will prove a haven to the little fellows, especially if the mother is large and clumsy.  
If the old gray mare "isn't what she used to be" is there a likely colt coming along to take her place?  
Keep the pigs growing from the day they are born until the day they are sold. Those to be kept for brood sows should be separated and fed for growth and not for fat.  
Nearly all of the common hog diseases can be prevented by keeping the hogs well fed, clean and free from worms and lice, and by providing dry, clean shelter, yards and places to eat.

## FRONT PANEL EFFECTS LATEST; EXQUISITE LACE-LADEN HATS

MADAM MODE'S latest whim is to bring the fullness of the skirt to the front. This front panel treatment is carried out not only in dressy costume but even in tailored suits some of the newest skirts are plain fitting at the back, with plaits brought to the direct front.  
When it comes to the daintier frocks fashioned of graceful silks, chiffons, crepes and voiles, the front fanciful effects assume the picturesque. Just as in the accompany-



Madam Mode's Latest Whim.

ing picture where the effect is not unlike that of the fascinating frocks worn by ladies of the old French court, whose silken skirts opened to reveal a petticoat ornate with exquisite handwork. Only in this case Madam Mode chooses to use a front panel effect of accordion-plaited chiffon, reserving the luxury of embroidery for the overpart. Of unusual interest are the handsome corner floral motifs, because they are embroidered with fine ribbon, after the manner of the lovely rococo ribbon work so popular during the Louis XVI period.  
The color scheme of this adorable frock is poudre bleu for the crepe silk with petticoat effect in silver gray, the ribbon flowers worked in French tones emphasizing old rose, green and silver.

The idea of front panel effects is interpreted also in interesting manner throughout simple daytime models. Straight-line black satin dresses opening, redingote fashion, over a front of plaited white georgette which extends from neck to hem, are of distinguished style. A row of fanciful buttons often traverses the center box plait, the crystal kind being preferred.  
Even tubular dresses carry out the front panel effect. A particularly interesting model is made of peach-colored wash ratine. It preserves the stylish tubelike silhouette at the back, revealing at the front a plaited panel of sheer white cotton voile caught into a plain band of the fabric, forming

ber of cocoa lace hats. The shapes are often those that droop at the sides, quite like the charming model shown in the center left of this group. Lace, a very filmy sort, is draped about the crown which in the picture is of finest milan straw although transparent cocoa hair hats are equally in favor. Also brown malines shapes which preserve a desired transparency. A large soft lace bow effect halves the hat in a mist of cocoa-colored silken mesh as fragile as a cobweb in its delicate lace-entred brims, such as is shown in the upper left corner, are fashionable. They serve as the foundation over which is draped an airy fairy expanse of lace.  
Vells, in name, but really decorative trims, are some of the lace curtain effects adjusted to hats of straw or satin according to preference. There is such a mode illustrated below to the right. It is a very dark-brown satin with an interesting crown. The veil is a radiant light brown, which shows a threading of gold metal in its patterning.  
Large bows of lace or shirred malines or smoothly covered fabric shapes are very frequent. Usually a drape of the lace curtains the brim edge. Sometimes one end of the lace is brought down to serve as a neck scarf, not from the utility standpoint, but purely for picturesque effect.  
Designers are also using narrow lace edgings. Carrying out the light



Group of Interesting Hats.

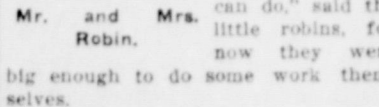
a low straight-across neckline. Plaited ruffs of the white voile form collar at the back and sleeve finish. Clever cross-strappings of the ratine indicate the low waistline and hold the plaiting in place.  
The vogue for lace continues uninterrupted, both for costume and chapaneau. Perhaps that is because the mode still exploits themes Spanish. To the milliner the picturesque mantillas of seneo and senorita ever prove an inspiration. The fascinating head-

## Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

### FRED'S FRIENDS

Fred had made friends with Mr. and Mrs. Robin. Mr. Robin was very fond of a good dinner and so was Mrs. Robin and the little robins had appetites as well.  
"I shall get a delicious worm," said Mr. Robin as he stuck his beak down into the soft lawn, for it had rained very recently.  
"And I shall get one, too," said Mrs. Robin.  
"We shall try and see what we can do," said the little robins; for now they were big enough to do some work themselves.  
Their mother let them do a good deal of marketing but she always let them eat what they got.  
"I'm so practical," said Mr. Robin, "that I think of worms as well as of singing."  
"And I'm so practical," said Mrs. Robin, "that I think of worms as well as of listening to your beautiful singing."  
"We're so practical," said the little robins, who didn't know what practical meant, being sensible about attending to plain, necessary things, but thought practical meant simply the joy of eating.  
"That we, too, get the worms," said Fred had another friend, a beautiful goldfinch, and the goldfinch sang for Fred.  
You see, Fred was out camping for the summer and so he had a chance to make many out-of-door friends.  
A chipmunk was also a friend of Fred's and Fred fed him nuts.  
A katydid was another friend and became really quite tame.  
A frog was another friend of Fred's and the frog took up his abode near the tent where Fred slept, as there was a little pond nearby and the frog found the pond was a splendid pond in which to live and eat and see what was going on about him.  
There were a good many fruit trees around but it seemed to Fred as though many of his bird friends enjoyed the bugs and worms and insects and only took a little fruit now and again as though by way of dessert or candy.  
A wren was a very friend of Fred's and this wren was very fond of grasshopper salad.  
"I don't bother about any fancy salad dressing," the wren seemed to tell Fred.  
"I enjoy my grasshopper salad plain."  
But every night the frog seemed to be talking to Fred and this was what Fred thought he said:  
"Goog-a-room, goog-a-room, nice pond this. How can you live in a tent when there is a pond nearby?"  
"Goog-a-room, goog-a-room, goog-a-room, that is beyond my frog understanding."  
"Here in the pond there are so many good things to eat. It is cool here and pleasant and I enjoy myself a great deal."  
"I should not care about sleeping in a tent. Goog-a-room, goog-a-room, I do not need blankets with which to cover myself up."  
"I would not care about sleeping in a cot. No, that is something I would not care about."  
"Goog-a-room, goog-a-room, what silly creatures people are."  
"They come to the country and they sleep in cots. Why don't they come to the country and camp out in a pond?"  
"That is something I can't understand."  
Fred thought to himself that the frog was a very interesting frog and he liked his out-of-door friends.  
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But Fred knew he would not like to live in a pond or in a tree. No, the cot felt very comfortable every night, and the blankets good and warm!



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**She Missed Her Mother**  
Jean had spent a fortnight in the country and was accounting the many, many pleasures she had experienced during her visit.  
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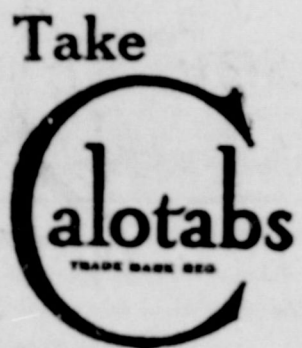
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MUSSEY BROS.

### Church News of Sanderson

Tomorrow is Rev. M. F. Bells regular appointment for Sanderson. All are cordially invited to come to the services at 11 A. M. and 8:30 P. M.

Rev. D. A. Adams filled his appointment last Sunday, July 25th, his family being sufficiently recovered to enable him to do so.

Quite a number of pupils as well as teachers were absent from their places in the Presbyterian Sunday school last Sunday. Only 38 were present—the smallest number ever—and you were all greatly missed. All are cordially invited to be present next Sunday with all memory work prepared.

We would be so very glad if those children who have any of the song books belonging to the Presbyterian Sunday school will kindly return them, quite a few missing and we shall need every book when the meeting begins. It is quite easy, unthinkingly, carry away the book you were using with the others you have with you. Thank you.

—Regular Correspondent

We are receiving letters regarding the new fall materials, samples of which will begin coming in about August 1st. We are growing enthusiastic and will enjoy showing you the line, so if you are not called upon at a convenient time, drop in and see Mrs. McLymont or ring Mrs. Druse. Either will be happy to serve you and help you find that which you want, be it a small scrap of cambric or a lovely dress pattern.

Mrs. Druse & Mrs. McLymont.

Misses Mary and Eilene Kroeger, Frances Ledbetter, Mrs. O. P. Kroeger, and Mr. Wangler returned to their home in San Antonio last Saturday after a delightful visit with M. O. P. Kroeger, of the Kroeger-Hayner Construction Company. While here they were the recipients of many social functions.

Mrs. Buelah MacCalmont and children left Thursday for Chester, West Virginia where they will make their future home.

Mrs. P. F. Robertson returned Thursday from a visit with relatives and friends in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Eerguson and children returned Thursday from a visit with relatives in Floresville, Texas.

Sheriff F. N. Harrell took a deserter to Marfa, Sunday and placed him in charge of the Army Officers at that place.

Mrs. H. R. Laurence and daughter Miss Sydney have returned from Ft Stockton where they visited relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lea came in Monday from El Paso, Texas where Mr. Lea has been for medical treatment. Mrs. Lea visited her sister Mrs. Preston at Prescott, Arizona while she was away.

Mr. R. E. Corder came in the latter part of last week from Los Angeles, California to visit his mother Mrs. N. H. Corder and other relatives.

W. E. Stirman, President School Board, District No. 1.  
Mrs. M. Becker returned the first of the week from El Paso where she visited relatives.

### SANDERSON LOSES A FAST GAME TO MARFA NINE

The first game to be played in Sanderson's new ball park was played last Sunday afternoon, when the fast nine of Marfa crossed bats with the local club.

The game was exceptionally a fast one. The score was 0 to 0 up to the 3rd inning when Marfa went on a rampage by getting two hits, a walk and four tallies. When Sanderson came in for bat in the fourth inning it seemed as though they were in for a rally but when the inning ended they scored but 2 runs. In the 6th inning both teams scored 2 runs apiece and both pitchers tightened down and the final score was Marfa 6; Sanderson 1. The score:

MARFA.		SANDERSON.	
AB.	R. H. E.	AB.	R. H. E.
Barnes, c.	4 1 2 0	Sharp, 3b.	5 0 0 0
Devolin, 1b.	5 0 0 0	C. White, 1b.	4 0 2 1
Arthur, ss.	5 1 0 0	Reynolds, 2b.	3 0 0 0
Kelly, 2b.	5 0 1 0	Buchanan, lf.	3 1 0 1
O'Donald, rf.	2 0 0 0	M. White, ss.	3 1 0 0
Dunaway, lf.	3 1 0 0	Stovell, cf.	4 1 1 0
Height, cf.	3 0 1 0	Lowry, rf.	2 1 0 0
Bailey, 3b.	2 2 1 0	Duke, c.	4 0 1 1
Howard, p.	3 1 1 0	Cavender, p.	2 0 0 0
Totals	32 6 6 1	*Robertson	0 0 0 0

SCORE BY INNINGS:	
Marfa	0 0 4 0 0 2 0 0 0—6
Sanderson	0 0 0 2 0 2 0 0 0—7

Summary: Two base hits, Duke, Height, Howard; Sacrifices, M. White, Stovell, Devolin, Arthur; left on bases, Marfa 4; Sanderson 6; base on balls, off Howard 3; off Cavender 4; struck out by Howard 13; by Cavender 5; hit by pitcher by Howard (Lowry) by Cavender (Bailey). Time 2:15.

Misses Mary and Grace Edwards and John Edwards returned to their home in Luling, Texas after a pleasant visit with their uncle John M. Edwards at Free.

Edgar Purington, a former ranchman in this section of the country, was in town the first of the week shaking hands with his many friends and renewing acquaintances.

W. J. Ferguson, local Ford dealer, received a car load new Fords Friday.

Jim Nance delivered a sport model Dodge touring car to Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Daggett and he also delivered a Chevrolet touring car to M. A. Cavender.

#### NOTICE

The State of Texas, County of Terrell. Take notice that the School Board of Common School District No. 1, Terrell County, will receive Sealed Bids, up to two o'clock p. m., August 4th, 1924, for the Transportation of the children in scholastic age, at Dryden, Texas, to Sanderson school, for the school term of 1924-25.

Upon award of contract, said School Board will require of contracting party a good and sufficient bond for the faithful performance of the terms of said contract on the part of the party awarded contract.

Bidder will be required to furnish transportation by auto at his cost and expense and should bid accordingly. Mail or present bids to M. A. Cavender, Secretary of School Board, Sanderson, Texas.

W. E. Stirman, President School Board, District No. 1.  
M. A. Cavender, Sec'y.



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For District Judge: JUDGE JOSEPH JONES, (Re election.)

For District Attorney: JULIAN LACROSSE.

For County Judge: G. J. HENSHAW, (Re election)

For Sheriff & Tax Collector: W. J. BANNER, F. N. HARRELL, (re-election) J. J. NANCE.

For County Attorney: J. CALVIN STAN-ELL.

For County & District Clerk: LUELLA LEMONS, (re-election)

For Tax Assessor: W. J. FERGUSON, (re-election) HENRY GATES, BEN DAWSON, B. GREEN.

For County Treasurer: FRANK K. HARRELL, (re-election)

For Commissioner Precine No. 1: W. A. COCHRAN.

For Consable Precet. No. 1: TOM PARSONS.

#### Notice in Probate—Writ

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terrell County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Terrell State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof.

Notice. The State of Texas, To all persons interested in the Estate of N. H. Corder, Deceased:

Alexander Mitchell and R. T. Corder, Executors of said Estate, has filed in the County Court of Terrell County, an application for final settlement of the Estate of N. H. Corder, Deceased which will be heard at the next regular term of said Court, to-wit: on the 4th day of August A. D. 1924, at the Court House thereat, in the town of Sanderson, Texas at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, if they see proper. Here fail not, under penalty of the law, and of this Writ make due return.

Given under my hand and seal of office, in the town of Sanderson, Texas the 8th day of July A. D. 1924. (Seal) Attest: Luella Lemons, Clerk County Court, Terrell County, Texas. 4 t.

\$3,500 IN CASH First Prize is \$2,000.

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### Official Statement Of The Financial Condition of the Sanderson State Bank

at Sanderson, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1924, published in the SANDERSON TIMES, a newspaper printed and published at Sanderson, State of Texas, on the 12th day of July, 1924

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$ 226,597.13
Loans, Real Estate	0 0 0 0
Overdrafts	1,328.71
Bonds and Stocks	2,600 00
Real Estate (Banking House)	6,876.00
Other Real Estate	900 00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,014.86
Due from other banks and bankers, and cash on hand	173,514.25
Interest in Dep. Guaranty Fund	4,867.38
Assessment depositors guaranty fund	3,511.61
Acceptances and bills of exchange	0 0 0 0
Other Resources: U. S. Treas. Cert. of Indebtedness	100,093.00
Total	\$520,793.93

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund	29,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	10,377.65
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	0 0 0 0
Individual Deposits, subject to check	414,057.73
Savings deposits	300 00
Time Certificates of Deposit	15,995.16
Demand Certificates of Deposit	176.59
Cashier's Checks	0 0 0 0
Bills Payable and Re-discounts	0 0 0 0
Certificates of Deposits, issued for money borrowed	0 0 0 0
State Funds	0 0 0 0
Bonds Deposited	0 0 0 0
Other Liabilities, Dividend Unpaid	0 0 0 0
Total	\$520,793.93

STATE OF TEXAS } We, Joe Kerr as president, and H. R. COUNTY OF FERRELL } Laurence, as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JOE KERR, President.  
H. A. LAURENCE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th day of July, A. D. nineteen hundred and twenty four.

(Seal). E. F. Howard, Notary Public, Terrell County, Texas.  
Correct—Attest: Alexander Mitchell, James Kerr, J. C. Stansell } Directors

### BASE BALL This Afternoon 3 o'clock Sanderson Athletic Field

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