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"LONG GREEN"

From the time the Doctor gives you a few quick slaps and hands you over to the nurse, until your friends "SAY IT WITH FLOWERS" the question of money enters into every ones very existence

That is to say, from INFANCY and ALL THRU LIFE it is perfectly natural to think of money as matter of fact it is as a man once said "money will make the pot boil though the devil pour water on the fire."

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BIRD & DEAN FAMILY OUTFITTERS

SEAGRAVES MAN OUT FOR REPRESENTATIVE BROWNFIELD HIGH SCHOOL CLOSED LAST FRIDAY

Seagraves, April 29 .- Much inter-Brownfield school closed last Fi st is being aroused in this county oncerning the compaign being waged day after a reasonable successf Chas. W. Roberts, superintendent f Seagraves public schools for elec-Baldwin, of Slaton. Mr. Roberts is Gaines county's on- grades.

During his three years residence in this county Roberts has worked hard for the development of West Texas, in the matter of better schools, roads and churcher



Some of the things emphasized in

A mill tax in support of our State

chool system, with certain percent

o go for the maintenance of the rural

A more rigid enforcement of the

is platform are:

and churches.

term considering a bad start. M of the parents are well plea. tion as State Representative from the 119th district, to succeed R. A. the object of the term. Practically all of the children passed to the higher The graduating class composed

Alfred Stone, Lillian Williams, Vio-let McBurnett, Lou Bingham, Alfred Daniel and Roy Redford. The fol lowing program was rendered by the class: Song: America by Audience; Invocation by Rev. J. W. Baughman; Salutatory by Alfred Stone: Clas History by Lillian Williams; Class Proprecy, by Violet McBurnett; Song by Class; Valedictory by Alfred Dan-iel; Graduating address by Rev. C. E. Ball; Farewell Song, by Class.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL

are glad to see our Sunday chool improving and so much inerest in the lesson what the wises and best parents wants for his own child, that must be the community want for all its children. No little child should be without religious training for it is essential to the growth of his character as the proper food is to its body, this training should be in the Sunday School well as in the home, because of the ease with which the child learns and retains even unto old age, we can not begin this training too early, the

WHAT THE RAINS WILL parents in the home are the ones MEAN TO BROWNFIELD whose privilege it is to begin this re-

ligious training. It is a pity that so The recent splendid rains do not many through thoughtlessness neglect only mean much to Terry County in this sweet duty. Parents of Brown- the way of bumper crops this fall but it may mean many building opfield, stop and ask your heart and see that your children are in one of erations and public necessities for the city and people.

A more rigid enforcement of the laws, and a modification of the sus-pended sentence, with a view to cor-recting abuses. **Brownfield** Texas For some time a Light and Ice Plant has been talked in Brownfield recting abuses. Go take a peep at those Monrose Overalls, and in fact, pretty well all the money Selling the State Prison Farms and sing the convicts on the county SUNCING CONVE has been subscribed toward the erec-SINGING CONVENTION sold by a money back Guarantee. We Guarof these plants, but on account roads of the recent dry weather these op Equalization of the tax burdens by antee these overalls to absolutely please you The South Plains District Singing forcing East Texas to pay their just erations have been temporarily tabled Convention, composed of the 122nd in every detail. If you are not satisfied with but with the rains which have been proportion of taxes, also by taxing representative district will convene abundant and almost insured a good the large tracts of land held for purein Brownfield Saturday, May the 20, crop, we look for these things to be the wear for the price you pay, return them ly speculative purposes at the same and continue over Sunday, May 21st, revived right away. value as the improved farms adjato us and receive your money back or a new 1922. The various county singing TERRY COUNTY BLESSED WITH ABUNDANT RAINS WELL, WE'LL HAVE SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT The Legion boys already have a cent to it. convention of the district are pre- large hall under construction and an-THREE THIS YEAR Establishment of an A. & M. Colparing to send delegates here and other large Gin plant will be under pair. lege in West Texas, preferably or The Herald was not able to report total of the rainfall last week for the reasons that they fell to late to get a report on, but up to this (Mon-day) about 2 1-2 inches of rain has fallen in Terry County, since last In spite of the fact that last Sunquite an aggregation of singers are construction in the next few weeks top of the Cap Rock. expected. V. O. Stamps and his and these with other buildings talk-April 25, 1922. Mr. A. J. Stricklin, Editor and Prop. Cutting up the University land lo-cated in West Texas into small tracts, quartette are expected, and this fea- ed of or planed, we look for lots of A. B. COOK & SON ture alone will be well worth the work of this nature in the next iew Terry County Herald, not exceeding 320 acres and selling convention assembling here. Brownfield, Texas. it to actual farmers, with a small payment down, and the balance scat-The Store Of Quality And Satisfaction months. The Secretary after co-operation It is a conceeded fact that Brown-Dear Sir: of all class meeting here and hope field is in real need of a modern I am in receipt of your letter o Tuesday morning. tered over a long period of time at that this will be the crowning day of hotel and no better time than right Sunday that they will go over the the 17th inst., calling attention to It is the general opinion of the cit-izens of the county that the county is being taken in this work. The a low rate of interest giving preferall of the conventions on the Plains. now could be had for the erection the fact that more cotton was ginned ence to ex-soldiers. W. B. BISHOP, Secretary. has never been in better shape at this time of year, and great things are expected in Terry County this year. The outlook for a fruit crop was Baptist in Terry County last year than in a of the needed addition to our town. following is a report for last Sunday. Establishment of the county unit Let the building operations go on. number of other counties shown in plan of education as indorsed by the Attendance Offering CHURCH OF CHRIST the summary of cotton ginned, by State Teachers' Association. \$5.33 129 counties, for Texas. As stated in your JIM KING SERIOUSLY INJURED \$2.52 A better marketing and credit sys-127 The outlook for a fruit crop was never better. The trees are literally loaded with fruit, and as May the 1st is here with no freeze, it is a pretty safe bet that it will not be killed from that source, the only fear now is hail. Total 384 letter, there were two ginneries which Bible School every Sunday at 10: tem for the farmers, whereby he may \$6.00 were active in Terry County last year. To publish the totals of cotton secure credit for a length of time A.M. \$2.12 Jim King, a stock farmer of the commensurate with his needs and at \$1.68 Worship begins at 11:00 A. M. ginned for these two establishments Tatum, New Mexico country started a rate of interest enjoyed by comwould enable either to estimate the number of bales by the other, and in this way the publication would be Lord's Supper at 11:45 A. M. to Brownfield last week with a four mercial interest. \$17,65 384 **MAKE ASSURANCE** mule team after supplies and just as Bible Class each Wed. at 3:30 p.m. 9 remodeling of our State Judicial Stock have come through the win-ter in good shape and in a few more we -- grass will be abundant. he got even with the residence of H. system in such a manner that the Song practice every Wed. night. disclosing the operations of indivi-dual establishments. We are, there-LITTLE RAYMOND DAY SER-D. Leach, west of Gomez, last Friday punishment of the guilty will be more **DOUBLY SURE.** Preaching every 1st and 3rd Sunafternoon, the dogs ran out and frightened his team. Just about that time Mr. Lovelace of Tokio, ran by IOUSLY HURT SUNDAY certain and the obtaining of justice lays at 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P.M. fore, unable to give the information ...e goose is hanging a mile high much surer and cheaper. for any counties in which there are in Terry. These and other important matters Everybody please be on time. Vis-Raymond Day, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Day of only two gins active. will be discussed with the voters of him in his car and this extra fright Trusting that you will appreciate the district by Roberts in the next tors are always welcome. caused the lead team. 'o turn square Suppose you intend buying a piece of real estate. the Tokio community was brought to the local sanitarium Sunday evening Very truly yours, C. B. Glasgow, Minister. around in the road overturning both month. Very truly yours, W. M. STEWART, Director. Suppose you are reasonably sure that the title is O. K. wagons. In jumping from the wagon he landed on his right foot crushed -----0------+ about 9:00 o'clock with a fractured **AMERICAN LEGION** VIRGIL HEAD BADLY Suppose you have every reason to believe in the honesty BIRTHDAY PARTY MINST' L Return Date, Ma, 13th, 1922 skull where he will receive medical U. S. Dept. Com.; Bureau of the the foot and broke the limb in two HURT AT BALL GAME and integrity of the other party. + | attention. Census. laces between the foot and the knee. On Friday afternoon, April the The little fellow was found late Some Good Changes. No Re-He was rushed to the local sani-Suppose you have a personal knowledge of the history of During the baseball game last Fritwenty-first, Miss Jimmie Thomas served Seats Sunday afternoon in the horse lot tarium in Mr. Lovelace's car, where day between the Tahoka and Brownthat piece of ground running back a number of years. celebrated her ninth birthday, with a Employees of the Bureau of Enin an unconscious condition and it Admission 25 and 50 Cents is fractured limb received immedfield teams one of the local boys party. There were a number of her And then suppose, after you buy it, a flaw in the title deis thought that a horse ran over him. graving and Printing who have lost iate attention and he is resting as Doors open at 7:00 P. M. threw his bat behind him when he little friends present and she received their jobs might find an opening in He is resting well at this writing. well as could be expected at this started to run for first base and the velops that makes it necessary for you to spend a great deal several nice little gifts. Germany .- Boston Transcript. bat striking Virgel on the bridge of time. Outdoor games were the chief of money and time, to say nothing of annoyance, in defendthe nose and cheek bone, rendering amusement and seemed to be enjoying your title. him unconscious for some time. ed by all. Cake and lemonade was HARRIS HAPPENINGS He was rushed to local physicians Why not make assurance doubly sure? served to the following: Mary D. and Margaret Scuddy, Helen Ruth, Raywho rendered him medical aid and at You can rely on our service. By Sand Bur his writing he is doing splendidly. men, Mary and Johnnie Corning, Mazie Ball, Dorothy Chapman, Anis (Delayed) THE HAPPY PATCH; THREE-IN-ONE CLUB The clouds keep coming but no Wilcox, Erline Lauderdale, Esther ain. Suppose our town will come C. R. RAMBO, Abstracter Mae Franklin, Lilliam Fosset, Leila ometime tho. Our farmers are busy Flake, Ethel Walters, Edwa Earle BROWNFIELD, (Terry County) TEXTS getting their land in shape for plant-Am sorry I did not report Happy Covey, Douglas, Dick and Will Chap-**A COMPLETE LINE OF** ig when it does rain. Patch Club in the last two weeks. man, Nonnie Lauderdale, Cecil, Jake There was a dreadful standstorm on Monday and an all day rain which Gathings, Albert Ball and the little Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fitzgerald came this week from Fort Stockton. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ellington acwas enjoyed so much. hostess .- One present. companied by Mrs. J. W. McDowell, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hill Friday. The Happy Patch Club met with Mrs. Herwell in the home of Mrs. Heavy and Shelf Hardware DIED S. T. Murphy and family visited Dewey Murphy and family Saturday night and Sunday. Hurst, no business came before the all members present were Mrs. Evans, wife of M. L. Evans, busy for an hour or more, and a of this city died Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander, accompanied by Miss Thelma Latham variety of fruits were served. Ad-6:00 o'clock and was buried in the GROCERIES journed to meet with Mrs. Hardin, Brownfield cemetery at 1:00 o'clock visited relatives at Brownfield Sat-April 24, 1922. Again we all had Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Evans had urday. They brought back a brand new incubator. We'll know where to go to get fried chickens after a ton holes, all had a jolly good time. been complaining for several days Fruit was passed and a while more of and in fact was in bed most of the time, but few expected her death so while. work. It was suggested that Mrs. suddenly, about 5:00 o'clock Satur-Miss Thelma Latham spent Thurs-Hardem play the violin, so all right, day morning she awakened her husall put our work away and over to day night at the Chrestman home. We have a complete line of Staple band and told him she was dying, and Arthur Cobb made a business trip Miss Daugherty's we went and there past away in another hour. to Brownfield Thursday. Mrs. Hardin and Miss Daugherty and Fancy Groceries in stock at all On account of the inclmency of Whenever you laugh you aid your digestion and add something to the "shine" of life. Then let's make it gave us some real music and was enthe weather, funeral services could joyed by all. We then adjourned to not be conducted at the talk at the Glasgow made a short talk at the home after which the body was layed times, and are in position to get your glisten. orders out at once. P. & O. Implement, to rest to await the resurrection NOTICE TO STREET TAX PAYERS A TIMELY HINT FOR THE POULTRY RAISERS Wagons ~nd Harness The Herald deeply sympathizes We have a nice assortment of flowwith the bereaved in the loss of the **Original Coles Hot Blast Stoves** All parties owing Street Tax can pay same with \$3.00 until the 15th A Portales man has found a rem-edy for the neighbor who habitually lets his chickens run loose in his neighbors' gardens, says the Clovis Journal. This man drilled small wife and mother. er seed. **Charter Oak Stove and Ranges** of May, after that date the cost will be \$5.00. All parties owing city taxes will be charged 10 per cent Our Baby **Perfection Oil Stoves**



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None Better penalty after the 15th day of May. Our babe has come from God knows NATIONAL CASH GROCERY holes into many grains of corn and B. W. STINSON, where, **Alladin** Aluminum Our hope, our joy, our pride to be; attached threads to them with cards City Tax Collector. bearing the inscription: "I have been "The Home of Light Crust Flour" By order of Council. His pink-toed feet and curly hair and Enamel Wares. The second Russian relief ship has sailed from New York, carrying Our life is his, our love his slave, again I will not come back, so it is **Diamond Edge Tools and Cutlery** R. W. Headstream, Mgr. **Good Year Tires and Tubes** 4,000 tons of food and medical sup- We'll live the years for him alone; up to you. The careless neighbor saw the card dangling from the bill of the return-ed chicken and naturally understood. plies to Odessa. There are six other In joy free, in sorrow brave, A full line and all sizes. ship chartered by the American re-| With tender care we'll guard our organization yet to sail. own. The best gas and oils. We sell only the best and well known goods. See us when in need of any thing in our line We want your trade **TEXACO** Kerosene **Motor Oil** Gasoline Why so much carbeurator trouble? It is because you are using different grades of gasoline. Have your carbeurator adjusted for straight run Texas gasoline and see that you always get Texas gasoline when you fill your car, and you will do away with this trouble. Texas gasoline is straight run and alway the same. Be a TEXACO user and have less automobile troubles Holgate-Endersen Hardware Co. YOURS FOR QUALITY **BROWNEIELD, TEXAS** THE TEXAS C W. M. Adams, Agent Phone No. 5. PANY All and the second s

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One year: In Terry county, \$1.00 rest of Texas, Oklahoma and New There is urgent need for extending our restriction of immigration. Mexico, \$1.25; all other states, \$1.50. The six month rate on the above The idea has been in mind for some The six month rate on the above will be 50c; 65c and 75c. The three month rate will be 25c; 35c and 40c. Advertising Rates on Application will be 50c; 65c and 75c. 35c and 40c. Advertising Rates on Application. Russell, was commissioned a special

immigration inspector to go to Eu-rope, make a study of immigration, and report.

Place to Check

Stream of Aliens

not prevent a tremendous number--

much more than the three percent-

from coming to the United States

who agree to get clients into America in spite of the restrictions cause most of the trouble," Miss Russell has reported. "These poor clients

usually get no further than Ellis Island where they are deported, and the broker denies the responsibility.

"Too many defectives are allow-ed to sail only to meet the bitterest

disappointment on their arrival. It

isn't the fault of the consular agents

who must vise all properly certified

El Paso has seen something of is. There have been Europeans

in Juarez in recent months who said

they were lured to this side of the

first, whence crossing the border into the United States would be

not be admissible at any time, and

Can anyone imagine a worse sit-

uation for poor aliens in a strange

country, six thousand miles away

scienceless passport brokers report-

Year-Round Food

That ice cream is now regarded as

eaten almost as much in winter as in

publed in the last ten years.

ad been exceeded.

ed by Miss Russell.

Evelyn's cousin.

"Unscrupulous passport brokers

and trying to get in.

passports."

Is At the Source

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The three percent quota immigra-tion law is in effect, and it does restrict immigration. It keeps cut most of the veritable horde of im-migrants who would fairly swamp Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 22, 1922. us if no bars were up. But it does

For County Judge D. J. Broughton

For Sheriff and Tax-Collector Wood E. Johnson

For County and District Clerk H. R. Winston

For Tax-Assessor J. C. Green

Mrs. Mumford M. Smith W. R. Bridges R. W. Glover

For County Treasurer Mrs. Lula Smith

For Public Weigher Pre. Nos. 1-2 E. A. (Aut.) Graham

Atlantic in the hope of getting into the United States. They were ad-vised, however, to enter Mexico 'Single Tax Would easy. So they were stranded in Juarez. Some could not enter the United States because they would Solve Present Land Problem' others because the three percent quota from their countries already

"The single tax as a solution of the land question will be the dominant and question will be the dollared issue of 1924 in Texas," declared William A. Black of San Antonio, executive secretary of the Single Tax sibly they were victims of the conleague of Texas, who is in El Paso in the interest of that movement. He added: "And the land question

Without having seen her full re-port, especially the recommenda-tions, one wonders whether it would must be solved and set right if peace and prosperity are to maintain in not be a good idea to have immi-Texas Single tax sentiment is spreading gration agents at the consular of-



red lips dragged down at the corners! Her heart fl ttered at the thought of

his rage if by chance he got an inkling of her duplicity.

CHAPTER I.-Occupying a dilapidated shack in the Silent City, a squatter settle-ment near Ithaca, New York, Polly Hop-kins lives with her father, small Jerry, and an old woman, Granny Hope. On an adjacent farm, Oscar Bennett, prosperous farmer, is a neighbor. He is secretly married to Evelyn Robertson, supposedly wealthy girl of the neighborhood. Polly alone knows their secret. Marcus Mac-Kenzle, who owns the ground the squat-ters occupy, is their determined enemy. Polly overhears a conversation between MacKenzie and a stranger, in which the former avows his intention of driving the "The huzzy won't be there long, my friend," returned Marcus, gritting his teeth. "I've a plan to put her out with the rest. Why you stand by those people has always puzzled me, Percival." "They're a forlorn lot," replied Robert, flushing. "Now, what about Hopformer avows his intention of driving the squatters from his land. The stranger kins?

A look of contempt settled on Macsympathizes with the squatters, and earns Polly's gratitude. Kenzie's face, and he flung out his hands as if throwing away something he detested.

CHAPTER II.-Evelyn Robertson dis-covers from her mother that they are not rich, as she supposed, but practically liv-ing on the bounty of Robert Parcival, "He'll serve his time," he retorted abruptly, "and when he does come back, his brats won't be where he left

CHAPTER III.-Polly learns from Eve-lyn that the sympathetic stranger is Rob-ert Percival. Evelyn charges Polly with a message to Bennett, telling him she can give him no more money, and urging him to be patient. She already bitterly re-grets her infatuation with and marriage to the ignorant farmer. Keeping her eyes on her husband, Evelyn uttered an exclamation. How somber and forceful he seemed with

that network of wrinkles across his broad brow. Anger distended his nostrils, and the look he had fixed upon CHAPTER IV .- Polly conveys her mes-Robert was full of compelling strength. sage, and Oscar makes threats. He in-sists Evelyn meet him that night. Polly "You're both sickening," she broke has her father and Larry Bishop, a squat-ter who has suffered from the enmity of MacKenzie, take an oath to do him no out fretfully. "Perfectly sickening!" "Now listen to me, Eve," ejaculated

Robert, turning to her. "You know CHAPTER V. - Evelyn unsuccessfully tries to get money from her mother with which to buy off Bennett and induce him very well that I'm interested in the Hopkins family-"

to leave the country, giving her her free-dom. She is really enamored of Marcus MacKenzie. At the arranged meeting that night Bennett threatens Evelyn with exposure unless she procures money for him. She did not look at him until his sentence was chopped off in confusion. Then she threw him a peculiar glance. "Oh, I know that well enough !" she rejoined, dropping her eyes, "but what CHAPTER VI .- Polly meets Robert Permakes me so impatient is that the seccival, and they are mutually attracted. Poliy's feeling being something like ado

ond you and Marc come within speak-

ing distance, you begin an argument

about them. Why can't you both make

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fices in Europe where immigrants over Texas rapidly, Mr. Black said, and while he has been in El Paso only about to embark appear to have a few days, he has already obtained considerable support here. their passports vised. These agents could be kept informed by the bu-State officers are: John W. Gaines, reau at Washington as to the stand-

San Antonio, Chairman; C. A. Teag-le, Houston, vice chairman; J. M. ing of the quotas and be governed accordingly in allowing immigrants Pendent, Waco, vice chairman; J. B. to start for our shores. They could Lewright, San Antonio, treasurer, also turn back many obviously defective and inadmissible. They could and Mr. Black.

nswer letters of inquiry and propa-Amendment Necessary. gandize through Europe against vi-cious passport brokers. It would be The single tax, Mr. Black explained, would have to be brought about a service to intending immigrants in Texas through a constitutional amendment, which he believes will if they were turned back on their own soil and not put to the ex-pense of crossing the Atlantic twice be voted by the people-. The plan is that public revenue

shall be obtained entirely by land in vain. taxes, and that improvements be free If any treaties or less formal un-

erstandings with foreign powers of all levies. "The single tax is the solution of were necessary before it would be the house shortage," he said. "If you possible to do this they would be want more residences, make the easy to negotiate.-Southwest Magbuildings tax free. Do not make the azine.

man who builds pay more taxes than his next door neighbor with vacant dential districts to be free from Ice Cream Has slums, don't penalize the ones who Increased to a

erect fine buildings. Would Encourage Factories. "The single tax is the solution of

the more factories desire. If you want more factories and bigger payrolls, make your factories tax free. The city of Pittsburg, Pa., has ex-empted factory machinery from taxation for a long time, and look at the a food instead of a delicacy and is factories there.

summer is the statement made today "Single tax will make the owners by the dairy manufacturing special-ists at the Cornell college of agriculof valuable sites in business districts erect larger and more modern buildture, Ithaca, N. Y. The - amount ings, because if the land is paying a heavy tax, they will be forced to build property that will produce rev-

enue in proportion. "In this regard, remember that cream was manufactured than in land values are made by the people 1920, the cream probably being made and not by the owners. The more into butter. From the figures availpeople there are in a place, the greater the land value. Is it not just that able it is estimated that the average consumption decreased from slightly the people should get some of the

money they create? Would Mean Building Boom-"More and more people are com-ing to adopt these views every year. ing 1921. In the city of Pittsburg, already building values are assessed only 60 percent as much as the land itself. In western Canada, land improvements timates which are more or less accur- by their minutes one by one. When and the system is traveling eastward

"Adoption of the single tax plan will mean a building boom, because landowners could not afford to leave their property unimproved. You would then have all the improvements needed, and no one could leave his property unimproved and wait for it to increase in value as a result of improvements by the other fellow adthis cream was made into butter, joining, without paying a penalty."---El Paso Herald. of butter down.

....... AMERICAN LEGION MINSTREL. Return Date, May 13th, 1922 Some Good Changes. No Re-served Seats Admission 25 and 50 Cents Doors open at 7:00 P. M.

poultry, eggs and cream.

FOR SALE or trade, one block of

CHAPTER VII.-Overhea people ?"

CHAPTER VII.—Overhearing a conver-sation between Polly and Robert Perci-val, Bennett, really caring nothing for Evelyn and fancying himself in love with Polly, waylays the girl when she leaves Percival and abuses and threatens her. Percival returns and thrashes the farmer. Her cousin walked to the window and stared out into the garden. A Percival returns and thrashes the farmer. He asks Polly in what way he can aid her and she begs him to help the squat-ters. Percival is rich and influential, though lacking the power of MacKenzie, but agrees to do his best. MacKenzie visits the Hopkins shack with an offer to the squatters, through Hopkins, to leave the vicinity, offering them a trilling sum of money. The offer is refused and MacKenzie threatens to burn their piti-ful dwellings and leave them homeless. nervous cough came from MacKenzie. "I won't do it, Eve," asserted Robert presently, flinging around. "Something's got to be done for Polly Hopkins. She's so young and unhappy !" "Young and pretty, you mean, Bobs," laughed Marcus disagreeably. "Why don't you marry the trollop and put an end to your philanthropy? Ben-

CHAPTER VIII .- Polly visits Perciva nett's dead; so he can't interfere with Robertson home in an effort vou ! enlist his aid, and he is on the point of declaring his love for her, when the gir

Percival's fists doubled as fleeing declaring his love for her, when the girl, in a panic, flees. MacKenzie asks Evelyn to be his wife. The girl agrees to marry him after he has bought the Bennett farm and got rid of the squatters. Rob-ert fails in an effort to secure the aid of Mrs. Robertson and Evelyn in a proj-act to help, the Silvet (fity people blood left his face wax-white. Throwing her work into a basket at her side, Mrs. MacKenzie arose.

held out a trembling hand, and swayed

as if she were going to fall. She

"What's the matter, dear heart?" he

She knew he did not require an an-

"Never mind now, Bob," she said

After Percival's departure, Marcus

gathered his wife into his arms and

sat down with her on his knee.

"There now. sweetheart !"

faintly. "Please go away like a good

kissed his hand.

boy.'

looked so stricken and ill that Marcus

"Marcus," she snapped, "you're perect to help the Silent City people. fectly disgusting! Now here I speak exclaimed, much concerned, my mind! I don't ever intend to sit in the same room with you two unless she hid it against his coat.

CHAPTER IX.-Knowing Bennett's in-fatuation for Polly, Evelyn tries to in-duce the girl to promise to marry him, he having agreed to release Evelyn to secure Polly. In love with Percival, though scarcely realizing it, the girl re-fuses. Meeting Robert next day, he tells her he loves her, and she acknowledges a similar feeling for him. MacKenzle lays a trap for Hopkins and the latter is arrested. squatters. She marched to the door, her lovely quiet. That's all !" head held high; and Marcus strode after her.

"Come back here, Evelyn," he or-CHAPTER X.-Polly goes to the Rob-ertson home to enlist Percival's aid in freeing her father. MacKenzie jeers at her. He is also deaf to Robert's plead-ings, and the latter, though assuring Polly of all the help he can give her, feels himself noverless dered. "How dare you talk like that to me?

It was the first time Marcus had spoken to her just that way; and the darling!" was all he could say. sharpness of his tones and the glitter himself powerless. in his dark eyes sent a sudden rage piness against her husband's breast CHAPTER XI.-A week later Polly lone during a heavy thunder storm with through her. She whirled squarely for a long time. upon him. At the sight of her face he took a backward step. He had never

her little brother and Granny Hope, has a visit from Evelyn. She tells Polly something has "struck" Oscar. The two nanufactured each year has almost women carry him from the road into th They point out, however, that duris insensible. Polly sets out shack. He is insensible. Polly sets out to get a doctor. She meets Percival, who accompanies her back to the hut. Evelyn te'ls Robert she is there on a visit to small Jerry. She insinuates that Ben-nett is Polly's sweetheart. Robert be-lieves her, since the girl, true to a prom-ise to Evelyn, does not deny it. He con-ducts Evelyn from the hut, after bitterly demonsing Polly for her duplicity. Ben ng the past ten years slightly less ice place. "I said exactly what I meant," she told him. "I positively refuse to listen Now you both understand, don't you?" Suddenly she went deathly pale,

denouncing Polly for her duplicity. Ben-nett dies and Evelyn is free. over 19 pints, or 55 ordinary tencent dishes for each person in the United States, in 1920, to about 15 CHAPTER XIII 1-2 pints, or 46 ten-cent dishes dur-

in the

caught her to him. Everything but Cream used for butter: There are No more unhappy girl lived in all of his lovely young bride faded from his Tompkin's county than Poliy Hopkins | mind. no accurate census figures to show the production of ice cream, but es- Seemingly never-ending days dragged ate are made each year. These fig- she woke up in the morning she wisher cried. "Sit down a minute! There! You know very well, Eve darling, I ares show that 257,820,490 gallons it were night! When she crawled inte didn't mean to be brutal." f ice cream were manufactured in the United States in 1920, and 216,- bed she wished it were morning! And 569,212 gallons in 1921. This shows every twenty-four hours brought rea shortage in 1921 of 41,251,278 gal- newed anguish to Jerry. Pollyop spent sobbed hysterically against his arm. lons. This shows a shortage in aver- most of her time trying to soothe him age ice cream would equal 16,078,-029 pounds of butter, or 873,556 And thus the two little walfs lived ert. in a low voice. until the news spread through the Si forty-quart cans of twenty-percent cream. Undoubtedly a large part of lent City that Evelyn Robertson and Marcus MacKenzie were going to be

married in a fashionable church in which would tend to force the price Ifhaca The wedding day dawned bright with It is interesting to note that the sunshine; and, together with Jerry, first estimate of the production of ice cream, in 1911, was 138,000,060 Pollyop went into town, hid herself in galons and that there has been a the thick shrubbery in Dewitt park steady increase, with the exception of 1914 when the production fell off 8,600,000 gallons, until 1921. and satched with tormented soul the gorgeous display of riches.

She saw Evelyn in all her beauty soothed, and he drew her head to his BRCTHERS & Brothers will pay and the resplendent Marcus; also the shoulder and kissed her. "Don't cry haughty Mrs. Robertson, leaning on the highest market price for your any more !" the arm of Robert Percival. How pale his face was! Great tears blinded Pol-

Mr. Mathews and daughter, Miss ly's eyes as she wondered vaguely and hear quarrels between you and Rob- straight to his side. Alice, after a three weeks visit with bewilderedly if he ever thought of her. Brownfield lots just north of Geo. E. his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Baughman, Tiernan's home. It's the J. C. Doo'ey left Friday morning for their home lots. Write S. D. Lofton, Rd A., Box in LaVeta, Colorado. Mrz. Baugh-man accompanied them home for a 241. Post. Texas.

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MacKenzie studied her keenly, town. I want to buy of you at your "Then I'll get a doctor today," he own price all the land the squatters are on. That would relieve-" A flush covered the girl's face, and "Squatters again, eh?" came in quick interruption, "My dear Robert," you keep your conversation off the "I don't need a doctor, darling," she MacKenzie placed his fingers on the

whispered, "but I do want care and back of his chair and watching his wife, proceeded, "I really dislike to be A strange unknown thrill shot abrupt in my own family and in your house, but you know there is such a "Look at me, beloved," he begged, thing as a man minding his own busiquivering. He forced his wife's face ness." up to his and searched deep into the

A deep flush rose to Percival's blue eyes. "Eve, my love, my own brow. "I am minding my own business,"

Then Evelyn rested in supreme haphe shot back. "If it's your will to persecute a girl who's almost dead with grief, it's mine to help her if I can. This last thing you're trying to put One cold blustering morning a little over is abominable !"

seen the blue fade from his wife's eyes while before Thanksgiving. Evelyn In rough impatience Marcus sat and a gleam like bright steel take its MacKenzie came down to breakfast down, Evelyn dropping into her place alone. She was very pale, and her opposite him.

eyelids showed signs of weeping. The "From your interest one would think night before her husband had let loose you had a more intimate reason than to wrangles about the Silent City. the reins upon his violent temper. He just humanity, Robert," he sneered had arrived home at a late hour. broadly. "Is that it?"

chafing and irritable. Into Evelyn's pale face rushed a mass of color, and she shrank back as Awaking his wife from a sound if she had received a blow. As quick sleep, he demanded to know if she ly the flush receded, leaving her whiter were cognizant of the fact that Robthan before. ert was trying to obtain a pardon for

Robert came forward to the table. Hopkins. Several representative citi-"You're perfectly right, Marc," he zens, among whom were two distinconfessed almost inaudibly. "I do love guished lawyers, had approached him on the subject. Polly Hopkins-1-1-" MacKenzie interrupted him by ris-"And that isn't all," he fumed. "I ing to his feet, his handsome face sufstarted something else today, and he's fused with anger.

trying to block me." swer and gave him none; she only He jerked at his collar so violently that the stiff linen tore with a whin-"Neither did i, Evelyn," said Robing sound.

Mrs. MacKenzie struggled to her "D-n that thing," he exploded and He went to his counsin's side inthrew the ruined neckwear on the feet and began to cry. stantly, begging her forgiveness. The "I can't stand any more," she whimfloor. "I won't stand any more intergirl turned her head and impulsively ference.

pered, "I simply can't, Marc. The way you both quarrel over those people "If you don't want to bring Bob to terms," he went on, "I will! That's gets on my nerves. You promised me. my word! I've held my peace as long | Marcus, you wouldn't ever do i as I can !-Good God, now, don't start | again."

All the concentrated rage he had to cry !" gathered in the past few weeks burst But in spite of his imperious comforth in a vicious snap. mand, Evelyn had wept long after her "Then tell your precious cousin to husband's heavy breathing told her that he was asleep.

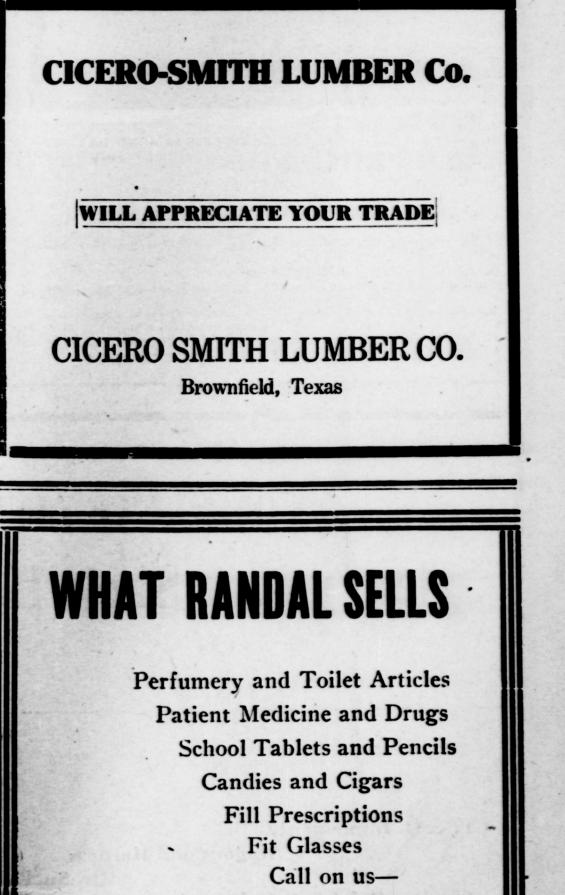
keep his nose out of my affairs, my dear! I'm perfectly capable of attend-Next morning, walking into the dining to them. I don't wish to sell that ; ing room wearily, she found her cou-"It makes me so nervous," Marc. sin, Robert, standing near the window, land, but I do intend to get rid of that dear," she explained, sitting up, "to his hands in his pockets. She went tribe; and both of you might just as well understand it now as later."

He said it with such forceful

"Then it's time I cleared her out."

he answered. "A squatter in the fam

ily-a thief-a liar-"





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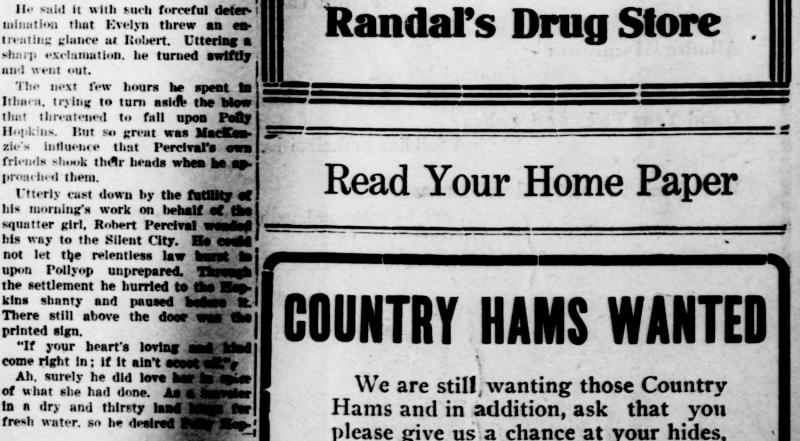
It was a long, sad night which she spent after that event, but still she lived on and carried her heavy burden in silence. Week by week she counted on her slender fingers the months which would have to be lived through before Daddy Hopkins could come home. Oh, how she wanted to steal into his arms, to lay her head against him and to be sure he was in the Silent City for ever and ever! Jerry must have him, too, and many were the promises she made to the child during the wild fall weather of the Storm country that perhaps tomorrow Daddy would come, perhaps the next day, until the child's face too gathered an expression as if he were always listening for footsteps outside the hut. The autumn rains had no more than set in before Marcus MacKenzie took up again his persecutions of the squatters. On his return from his wedding trip he and Evelyn went to live with Mrs. Robertson for the winter. One day Percival approached Mac-Kenzie with another request that he use his influence to liberate Jeremiah Hopkins. "It's wrong for his daughter to stay in such a place alone with that frail child, Marc," protested Robert earnestly. Evelyn looked up from her sewing. In her own happiness the thought that her handsome cousin loved the squat-"Come Back Here, Evelyn," He Ordered. "How Dare You Talk Like ter girl had lapsed in her memory. That to Me?" Her eyes went from his troubled face

to her husband's. Marc's expression was dark and forbidding, and his full

treating glance at Robert. Uttering a caught the hand she laid on his arm. "You've got to help me now, Eve." sharp exclamation, he turned swiftly he began, without other response to and went out. her greeting. "It's all very well for The next few hours he spent 1 Ithaca, trying to turn aside the blow Marc to take a high hand in some matters, but this thing he's planning that threatened to fall upon Polly Hopkins. But so great was MacKenis brutal." "I can't do anything with him," zie's influence that Percival's own cried the girl. "He told me about it friends shook their heads when he aplast night ; and I talked and talked till proached them. I'm hoarse. Bob, why don't you go Utterly cast down by the futility of away somewhere?" his morning's work on behalf of the Robert shook his head dismally. squatter girl, Robert Percival we "I can't Eve, I can't," he returned. his way to the Silent City. He could "I know what Polly is, but she's young not let the relentless law burst i and-and-' upon Pollyop unprepared. The He paused, brushed back his hair the settlement he hurried to the Her and hurried on: kins shanty and paused before it. "I love her, that's all! If Marc con-There still above the door was the tinues in- Ah, here he comes." printed sign. "If your heart's loving and king The door flung open, and MacKencome right in ; if it ain't scort after zie strode into the room. He came to a halt at the sight of his young wife Ah, surely he did love her ha and her cousin. of what she had done. As a "What's up?" he exclaimed testily. in a dry and thirsty land h "Bob wants to talk to you, dear," fresh water, so he desired explained Evelyn, in a conciliatory tone. She had learned in the past kins. Vain had been his months that suppressing her own temtear her image from his he per was to travel along the lines of he had been tempted to least resistance. and take her out of her "Well, have some breakfast." was cumstances, but each t the angracious reply. "Sit down, both came to him, the vision of you." farmer killed it. "I've had my breakfast," answered Broodingly his eyes Robert. "I waited to have a word row lake and the east ert. And-and-I don't feel very well." with you, Marc, before you went into (Continued on

'Bob," she breathed

The young man turned upon her and



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to give Jerry up for a little while, just a little while-" She snatched her hand away, the document fluttering to the floor. In a moment she had picked up the child from the cot and hugged him to her breast.

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Polly

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Country "Old Marc ain't come for the baby, has he?" she shrieked, her tone highpitched and strained. "He's mine, Jerry is. I'm goin' to keep 'im here till Daddy comes home; so you might as well all scoot." In the stillness that fell as her voice

broke, each man was impressed with the martyrdom she was passing through. Robert had never imagined a person could go so white and still be alive. With an ejaculation, hoarse and defiant, he sprang to her side. "Polly," he cried. "My God, don't

Illustrated by R. H. Livingstone look that way! Listen to me!" "Can he take the baby?" fell monotonously from her blue lips. "That's just what he can do, Miss

(Copyright by Little, Brown & Company) Hopkins," thrust in MacKenzie. "The law says a child can't stay in a place like this. You'd have seen that if

you'd taken the pains to read the paper. Put some wraps on the child,

Polly stood with Jerry gripped tightly against her; and, frightened, the little boy began to cry.

"I want my Daddy Hopkins, Pollyep," he whimpered brokenly. Polly looked so dreadful that for a moment MacKenzie was silent. Her

eyes had an expression of such hate and deadly determination in their singular brown depths that for a moment he held his breath.

"If you take him," she spoke at last, -"why, d-n you, I'll kill you !" At first MacKenzie eyed her contemptuously. What did such a girl's threats mean to him? Then he laughed. And that laugh stung the

sensitive girl more than if he had struck her. "You took our Daddy Hopkins," she

you, don't you?"

Old Marc and his deputies she saw no to him she gave no heed. There Still Above the Door Was the relenting. Printed Sign, "If Your Heart's Loving and Kind Come Right In; If It Ain't Scoot Off."

here, I say." He remembered how he and Polly Hopkins had sat together on the ragged rocks, watching the clouds sweep

Suicide Is On the "Pollyop," he pleaded. As she raced through the doorway, he called: "Wait -wait-" Decrease Says An In an instant he was out beside her. speaking her name softly, imploringly.

She paid no heed to him, but flung up Insurance Journal her arms. And then she laughed! Marcus MacKenzie was standing beside

his horse, and on beyond in the lane a carriage was rolling away, from which Fewer suicides were reported in came piteous screams from Jerry. 1920 than in the year before, accord-"Pollyop," entreated Robert. ing to a review prepared for the But Polly had bounded from him to-Spectator, an insurance journal, the ward the man and the horse. report indicating that the rate of "I hope," she shrieked at MacKenzie, 1920 was the lowest on record-12.3 "I hope your hands'll wither off; I'm per 100,000 of population, compared with the maximum rate of 21.5 per wishin' all you love'll die before your 100,000 for 1908.: This report is eyes, an' every dáy I'll be askin' Grancontrary to the opinion of the statisny Hope's lovin' God to d-n you till tician of the Save-a-Life League last you drop rottin' in your grave." ummer that the number of suicides Marcus had halted with his foot in in the previous year was much greatthe stirrup. He had heard every word er than in the year before. The year she had uttered; and drops of cold of the highest rate, it is observed in sweat gathered on his brow. Then, the latest figures, was one marked with an oath, he vaulted into the sad- by a large number of business fail-This was even more the case dle, put the spurs to his horse and galloped up the hill after the retreating 20.8. In 1914 the rate was 20.9.

carriage. From reports already received for Robert was leaning limply against 1921, says the Springfield Republithe side of the shanty when Polly can, it seems probable that a consid-Hopkins turned swiftly back. He spoke erable increase will be shown over to her; and she looked dazedly at him the figures for 1920-"apparently Then she laughed again, directly inte reflecting in some degree the indushis face; and the young man, almost some alarmists reports and estimates as distraught as she, tried to take hold have suggested.

The geographical distribution is inof her. "You scoot, too," she said to him; teresting, says the Republican in its "get out, an' stay out; an'-an' tell analysis of the figures, tho, things your lily-livered cousin, I say, I hope this paper, the significance of this if she ever has a baby it won't have distribution can hardly be estimated no eyes to see 'er with, nor no mouth in the absence of information concerning social conditions. San Franto kiss 'er with-I hopecisco shows the highest rates in three "Oh, God!" groaned Robert. "Oh, God!" groaned Robert. Before he could get back his wits, 47.6, 46.4 and 43.7. Omaha's rateshe had rushed past him into the 41.5-was highest in 1920. The lowshack, slammed the door and barred it est rates in these periods were Newton. Mass., 3.2; Charleston, S. C., against him. For more than two hours Polly Hop. 5.8; Somerville, Mass., 6.4; Massillon, kins lay face down on her cot. During O., zero According to the Republi-

can: that time her loving heart had broken "A world survey of suicides preand died within her. She had no longer pared by the statistical bureau of

told him, drooping a little at the tell- an incentive view, no more a desire Spain for the period 1906-1917 ing, "but Jerry- He's my baby, an' I to look forward to Daddy's home-com showed the United States, with a rate of 161 suicides for 1,000,000 inhabkeep him in the shanty till his pappy ing. comes home. You hear, the hull of When at length she crawled to the itants, 13th among 26 countries, of floor, all signs of tears had disap which Saxony, with a rate of 350 Her eyes were roving from one to nother, but her voice lowered on each under the point of the state of the point of the state of the point of the word, because in the steady gaze of one left to love save the billy goat, and ranking is based does not appear. It

it certain, however, that authoritative In her aimless wandering about and adequate records have been gen "I'd rather he'd die," she screamed. the shanty she paused before the re- erally lacking.

ing increased care in guarding its

"Tabulation of the statistics by "I'd rather he'd be next to Granny production of "The Greatest Mother in Hope in the graveyard !- Get out of the World." Polly did not care for means employed in suicide cover her any more either. Deliberately she only the years from 1910 to 1919 in-

The scene was even more nerve-took an old coat and hung it carefully clusive in the Spectator's report. The negling than MacKenzia had expected racking than MacKenzie had expected. over the glorious solemn face. She this period a marked falling off in



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over the sky above, like flocks of birds across wonder-blue water. With a groan he threw off these memories, and striding forward, he rapped on the hut door. Polly Hopkins opened it, looked at girl beat at him with all her energy, sign. him, bent her head but spoke no word. "I want to talk to you, child," was the excuse he gave; and still silent, she moved backward and allowed him

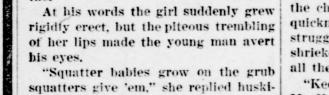
to enter the room. Now that he was there, Robert feit as if he could not force his tongue to say the things she must hear. He was oppressed by his utter failure to keep the promise made that day before "The Greatest Mother in the World," and knew not how to explain it. "Polly," he had commenced, when Pollyop, because she was so tired, so forlornly helpless, began to sob bitterly. The sight of him after all these weary days quite overcame her. "Don't," he interjected impetuously.

"Please don't do that." Her tears only added to the remorse that scourged him and gave new vitality to his passion; but, like a wall of fire between them, burned his jealousy of Oscar Bennett.

"I want to help you," he stammered. Pollyop shook her head. "You can't do nothin' unless you get my daddy back," she whispered. "Jerry'll die-" This gave a slight opening, and Rob-

ert grasped at it eagerly. "I came to talk about him," he interrupted. "Now please don't cry any more. Don't! Sit down a minute." He placed her in a chair, going white as his hand touched her. "You say the child is ill, Pollyop?" he went on, but paused as Polly nodded her head. "Yep, he's k all right," she re-

turned, wiping her eyes. "Then perhaps if he went away somewhere, to a place where he'd have good food and care until his father-"



ly. "All they need is bread an' beans "If you lay one finger on my men. I'll an' love." she hesitated and swallowed hard before she continued: "An' lots of love! That's what's ailin' Wee

Jerry. He wants his daddy!" "But, Polly !" Robert tried to check the flow of her words, but she ran on : "He'd die sure in a strange place. from the bed and throw it around Wee

Nope! Jerry stays in the shanty with | Jerry.

shoulders?

There was such an air of finality in her inflection and appearance that twitched Percival groaned within himself and

"Get out with him before she cuts nervously paced the length of the up any more," growled Marcus, as room and back. He simpl ould not Polly bounded forward only to be met this year providing the strikes in tell her. How could he ; Ther by the speaker's outstretched arms. burden upon the already bowed young

"If you make another scene, my goods market in New York improves lady," he rapped out, "I'll have you ar- in the opinion of George E. Rutan, rested for obstructing the law. And wool buyer from Boston, who has Then the matter was taken out of . his hands. The roll of carriage wheels,

remember this, huzzy, I'm going to get ing over the situation. He says that an unusual sound in the settlement. came distinctly to their ears ad you next."

"Take him away from her, Bowers," never wanted to look upon it again- the use of poison, evidently reflecthe ordered, turning to one of the men. Never-Never! The man spoken to stepped forward Then, taking the ax, she went out sale and distribution. No attempt is

in evident unwillingness; but a shout and, as deliberately as she had hidden made to tabulate suicides by cause. from MacKenzie made him grab for from view the picture, so did she hack Material for such a grouping is very the child. With one hand the frenzied from above the door the welcoming inadequate, a fact which carries a pretty direct moral for social workers. Business and industrial rever-

but he struck down her slim young When it lay at her feet, battered and ses, it is suggested, are a rather frefingers as if they had been twigs. partly broken, she muttered over the quent cause. In general, the report Thrusting one arm around her, he words, "If your heart is loving and notes that 'there has unquestionably caught Wee Jerry by the shoulders. kind come right in. If it ain't scoot been a lowering in moral fiber on the part of many weak-minded mem-

She had learned by lesson at last. Hearts were not loving and kind, after unequal to meet the struggle of an all. Then, with powerful strokes of "Suicides of children are parthe ax, she split the slab in pieces. ticularly distressing, tho the Spec-Unfathomable depths of hate and re- tator's report, correcting some recent venge had swallowed her soul! Polly grossly & ggerated statements, declares that there is no evidence to be Hopkins was done with love forever! derived from any source that child (To Be Continued) suicides in this country show 'an alarming rate of increase.' In 1909

the number of suicides of children under 15 was only four-tenths of 1 LIVE STOCK ACTIVITIES • per cent of the whole number of suicides. It is manifestly, however, ************ with the young that much of the ef-fective work of prevention can be done. The new attention which is

Buys 900 Cattle being given to mental hygiene, in-The recent sales of 764 head of cluding the problem of the backward hree and four-year-old steers to and sensitive child, has a direct and Oklahoma parties and the purchase of 900 steers and forty bulls was reported in San Angelo Wednesday morning by Leslie C. Riordan, whose ranch is located in Glasscock coun-

J. A. Rutledge returned Wednesty, thirty-five miles west of Sterday from a visit with relatives at ling City. Rains averaged two inches soak- Farwell, Texas.

ed Sterling and Glasscock counties Tuesday night, said Mr. Riordan at Tuesday night, said Mr. Riordan at the Landon Hotel, and rain fell all man at Fort Worth, was out last the way from Sterling City to San week looking over his property, the Angelo as he came down on the big Mallett ranch in Hockley county. train Wednesday morning. The rains We understand that Mr. Devitt is were certain to cause a heavy rise shipping out a large number of steers. in the North Concho, in Mr. Rior-

Joe T. Banks, principal of our dan's opinion. The sale of 764 three and four- school for the past year, and wife,

year-old steers by Mr. Riordan re-cently was to LeForce Brothers & in Munday, Texas. Mr. Banks in-Polly Struggled Madly, and the Child Shrieked and Clung to His Sister Friend of Vinita, Oklahoma. Ship- formed us that he would return here With All the Puny Strength He Had. ment was made from Sterling City in a few weeks to help in the erecon April 1. Since then, Mr. Riordan tion of the new Gin.

But to disengage the boy's clutch from has purchased 150 yearling steers

the chestnut curls called forth all the from L. C. Proctor & Sons of Upton THE HERALD and the Plains quickness the man possessed. Polly County for delivery May 5 at his Plains Magazine, published at Lub-struggled madly, and the child ranch. In addition, 250 head of bock, together, one year for \$1.75 shrieked and clung to his sister with three-year-old steers have been in Terry county. bought from Cowden & Edwin in all the puny strength he had.

Indrews County. From Hill Brothers of Midland, team came over last Friday a Andrews County. "Keep away, Percival," snapped

MacKenzie, pushing Robert backward. L. C. Proctor & Sons and Chris wholloped it on to our school boy-, Schaffer of Big Spring, Mr. Rior- to the tune of 15 to 11. However,

take the girl along to jail." To save the girl he loved, Robert compelled himself to stand by while Company of Midland and Elliott dan has bought 500 steers, three's Brownfield boys on account of the strange diamond as the game was the boy was torn bodily from her. He saw one of the men drag a blanket Cowden of the same place, forty played on the regular baseball dia-head of high grade Hereford bulls mond instead of the school diamond.

were obtained. MOORE BROS. of Lubbock for White & Swearington of the H-S ranch in Sterling County will ship auto tops and curtains, made or re-

Then he snatched at the girl, but she quickly eluded . grasp: How awfully her eyes glowed, and how her face old steers.—San Angelo Standard. Tank

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Rev. C. E. Ball attended the Baptist Association at Meadow, every day last week.

Methodist church.

Miss Jones, who was one of the teachers in the Brownfield high school ALL KINDS of frait and vegeta- for the past year, left for her home

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who delivered the anniversary ad-dress for the "Odd Fellows" at the Central church Sunday, left for his home in Plainview Monday morning.

MONEY TO LOAN on Farms and Ranches at 8 per cent. Liberal terms. eo. W. Neill, City.

Misses Maurice and Erma Hardisty left Saturday for their home in Slaton. These young ladies were teachers in the Brownfield high school un-Rev. Geo. W. Shearer, presiding Elder, of the Lubbock District was here Saturday and Sunday. He preached in the afternoon at the til the term ended Friday. They were accompanied home by another teach-er, Miss Lucile Langhorne, who will remain with them until joined at Slaton by her sister, Mrs. Earl Alex-ander, who will accompany her home at Henderson, Texas. MONEY TO LOAN on Farms and

> FOR FARM or Ranch loans, see C. R. Rambo.

> Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Lemmon left last Saturday for Dallas. Overland, where they will visit relatives at that

oung calves for sale at the O. K.

Enoch Hunter returned last Wed-

sister in her last illness and death.

His sister, Mrs. Effie Howington died

Saturday, April 15th at 9:30 p. m.

day following. We deeply sympa-

thize with Mr. Hunter in the loss of

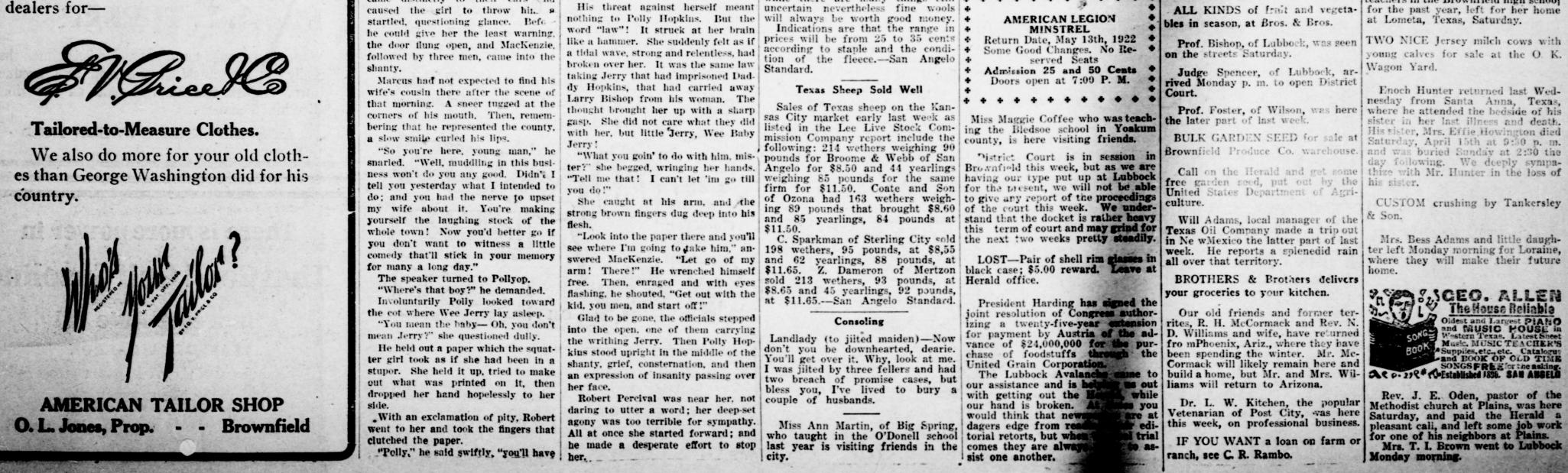
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Mrs. Bess Adams and little daugh-

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Rev. J. E. Oden, pastor of the Methodist church at Plains, was here

Monday morning.

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> FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

A Small Army Is A War Menace According to Secretary Weeks, In Speech Before Appropriation Com.

Washington, April 25 .- The 150,- no "adequate provision" for keeping 000 enlisted strength Army bill, pass- up their trainnig since the war had ed by the House, provides military structure below the safe minimum of the Nation, Secretary Weeks told the Senate Appropriations Committee in before the committee as to the "physenate Appropriations Committee in before the committee as to the phy-urging that appropriations for the next fiscal year, permit a force of 13,000 officers and 150,000 men to be maintained in the Regular Army. Should the House proposals prevail, be said, and in his opinion "these colhe added, not only would the regulars lateral nonmilitary benefits" alone | suffer, but over-seas garrisons would justified the department's training be "inadequate" and the development plans and the expense they involved. of "citizens' components of our na-tional defense system" would be ser The Army service school system is of "citizens' components of our na-

By Sunshine We have had rain in abundance. Weather still cloudy and we are look for more rain. Mr. McDonough from Carroll Co

PLAINS LOCALS

ty this week. Mr. Bartlett and Williams from West of town was doing business in Brownfield this week.

Several of our people attended a box supper at Moreland school house, Friday night. A nice program was also rendered by the school. On account of the recent rains and the condition of the roads our mail has been very irregular this week. Judge Lynn from south part of the county was in town Saturday. Leslie McLairen also from South part of the county was in our town Thursday. W. H. Oyler was on the sick

this week. of vital importance in the national The infant child cnecked. Allbuittain, living south of town, died "I am aware of no issue that at the preparedness plan, the war secretary and was buried here Sunday afterpresent time threatens to involve us declared. in international complications," As to the Army's gas warfare work Weeks said. "There is no evidence Weeks said that while ultimate abol-W. E. Earnest, Geo. Cleaveland. of foreign designs against us; we ishment of such warfare might come Bob Knight, Arthur Davis and Mr. must, however, recognize that thru- by international agreement, "it would Fillingem, attended the funeral of out the greater part of the world a be fatal to us to give up the series Mr. Jim Bowen, of the Bledsoe comcondition of instability prevails which of experiments and investigation, munity and one of Yoakum County's renders the permanence of world which were conducted during the best citizens, who died and was buried war and have been carried on since," near Snyder this week. peace uncertain until that moment had arrived. As Would Invite Aggression. "It is certain that to remain weak to aviation, he expressed desire that IF MOTHER SHOULD PRESENT HER BILL and unprepared in the face of such a provision for its development in the situation is to invite aggression. It Army should be larger than the deis morever essential not only that partment was now asking, and add-we maintain a reasonable state of ed: preparedness, but that it should be a "I do not hesitate to predict that services rendered which had to b natter of international knowledge in any future war its importance will paid, and conceived the idea

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and the consequent reorganizing re- ed the occurrence of the World War, ing coal six times, 20 cents; fe

General Pershing declared in testifyquired. Weeks said the House bill made ing before the committee in behalf cents; for going 10 errands, "inadequate provision for the healthy of the War Department's plea for an cents; for being good twice, growth of the National Guard and for its proper field training." "As to organized reserves," he pointed out that it was sought in peace times— only to create the officer framework among all nations as among individ-only to create the officer framework and the annual training of the re- uals, he said, has invariably sent the read as follows: serve forces, on whom the war time machine would depend. The War Department had asked for only funds to train 20,000 of the 65.000 reserve loss of life, and left us staggering nursing him in a long illness, nothofficers during the coming year, as under financial burdens." ing; total, nothing."

THE RESULT OF ADVERTISING as the old one, is because we have and his lips quivered. Then he took advertised consistently since going the money back to his mother, threw

When a reporter asked Mr. Addi- into busines in Midland. The success that she would let him do lots of son Wadley, advertising manager of is largely a matter of advertising. the firm of Wadley Wilson Company | The hrader times get, the more we to write a concise statement of the intend to advertise. We have only reason why he adevrtized, he paid begun as yet."-Mid'and Reporter.

one of the highest tributes to the cificacy of advertising when he said: "You tell them we are too busy tak- Lizzie, Lizzie, fuel eater ing care of the results of advertising Was a Ford, you couldn't beat 'er to tell why we advertise. The only Up hill she wouldn't run so well reason that we are moving into this But down hill she run likenew building, which is twice as large



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When Willie saw the 75 cents was pleased; but when he read hi mother's bill, his eyes grew dim

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first named weighed in at 650 "Illiteracy is mental bondage. pounds; that of the second named Free 5,000,000 souls" is the appeal weighed in at 700 pounds. The which Mrs. Josephine Corliss Presfirst one received \$51.35 for his ton of Olympia, Washington, Genyearling; the second one received eral Federation of Community Serv-\$55.60. The price paid in each in-stance was \$7.90, which was 90c above the recognized high for yearice, is sending out to each of her state chairmen. Illiteracy conferences are being held by clubwomen lings. But they were beauts, as a in many states. In some few states commission man termed them, far each clubwoman has pledged herabove the standard set for the socalled best."-San Angelo Standard.

self to "teach one illiterate to read and write." If each member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs would do this during the com-ing year two-fifths of the illiteracy in the United States would be re-Moody Davis shipped a car of fed and finished black pole calves to the Fort Worth market this week and not only topped the market but led any thing shipped from Garza

by several points. Again we say it pays to finish cattle before ship-ping. They sold for \$9.75.—Post City Post.

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paint the town red there's one who would like to paint it blue. The Deleware Mountain Ranch Company of Toyah, Texas, recently C. R. RAMBO will make you a loan on your farm or ranch property. sold about 200 coming two-year-old steers to Bud Coffee of San Angelo, May 14 is Mother's Day. Payday shipment being made from Big Lake s Father's Day. Hair braids made by Mrs. C. E. Lake merchant and former resident of San Angelo, who was here Wed-nesday and Thursday. J. Elison Carroll and C. C. Sanders bought 100 coming two-year-old



