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W. B. Hart another of our prescription clerks, is a graduate from the pharmaceutical department of the University of Texas, located at Galveston, and he received his degree of Ph. G. after having completed the prescribed course with proficiency in every branch of the art.

J. J. Waller, another prescription clerk with the Cos-Hart firm, is also a graduate of the University of Texas, department of Pharmacy. Both Mr. Hart and Mr. Waller have been engaged in the work of filling prescriptions for eight years.

If you desired to have the portrait of your wife, or your mother painted, would you take it to a sign, or a portrait painter? This is a fair question, for upon prescriptions hang the life or death of the sick. There are two kind of prescription clerks: the apprentice kind, who follow it as a trade, and the trained kind follow it as an art. We take a pardonable pride in our work. It is our art. We believe that we know our business, for we have been tried by the highest standards and our work has been pronounced good. We have put in years of hard study, combined with years of hard practice and the result is at your disposal. We feel that in art it is always cheapest to obtain the best. We believe that we can give you better service than you can obtain elsewhere, for while you may get good service elsewhere you assume a chance, you run a risk that you do not have to shoulder when you send your prescription to Cos-Hart. Our firm is the only firm in San Angelo where every one connected with the prescription department is not only a registered pharmacist, but is also a graduate pharmacist.

And are our efforts appreciated? To this we will say yes, indeed. We now have a score of leading physicians here requesting their patients to patronize us and we state with all the emphasis we can command that not one cent, either directly or indirectly, tribute do we pay for this trade. These doctors appreciate the necessity of having their prescriptions filled by people who are trained in a skillful manner and their patients reap the benefits. We may say in passing that we have never solicited the assistance of a physician.

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UNDERTAKERS IN SCRAP FOR STIFFS

HARRIS COUNTY THREATENS TO PROSECUTE TO STOP THEM.

COUNTY JUDGE TALKS

Contract for Unclaimed Bodies Has Been Awarded to One Concern. Others Must Keep Hands Off.

Houston, Aug. 14.—That something of a controversy exists between the local undertakers over the handling of unclaimed bodies was made plain yesterday, when an order was passed by the county commissioners court instructing County Attorney R. L. Whitehead to proceed, either by criminal prosecution or civil proceedings, against all undertakers engaged in handling unclaimed dead, except the firm authorized by contract with the county to act in that capacity.

It has been the practice in Houston for years on the part of all undertaking firms to take in charge unclaimed bodies, regardless of whether they had a contract with the county or not.

According to the plan followed, the bodies are received by the undertakers and held while an effort is made to locate relatives; in the event relatives are found who are willing to pay for the funeral expenses, the undertaker thereby derives the benefit. Should the undertaker be unsuccessful in his efforts to locate relatives, the body is buried in potter's field.

County's Contract. The contract for caring for the pauper dead of Harris county, which is also asserted to include unclaimed dead, was awarded some months ago by the Commissioners to the Settegast-Kopf company at a price of twenty-five cents per head for each body buried. At this price the official undertakers can not make money on their contract unless they handle the bodies of the unclaimed dead, in which event they would stand a chance of obtaining a profit from those bodies that are claimed after death by relatives living away from Houston.

As the situation now stands, the bodies of the unclaimed dead in Houston are about evenly divided between the undertakers, thereby making the firm's contract with the county to handle the pauper dead unprofitable. Instances where bodies have been received by undertakers who are unauthorized to care for the unclaimed dead and held for a few days, only to be turned over to the county undertaker after it had been determined that relatives could not be found, have been brought to the attention of the commissioners court.

County Judge Talks. In speaking of the situation yesterday, County Judge Amerman said: "We propose to go after these undertakers who make a habit of grabbing bodies and holding them while an effort is being made to find relatives; and if it becomes necessary we shall proceed against them criminally."

A question that presents itself in this connection, is whether a justice of the peace, who holds an inquest over the body of an unclaimed, would have the authority to designate which undertaker he desired to handle the case.

It is said that a body can not be classed as that of a pauper until after it is determined that relatives can not be located will care for the funeral. These questions will first be looked into by County Attorney Whitehead before any action of a definite nature is taken.

On the other hand, it is stated that an undertaker who is engaged in handling unclaimed bodies might, in order to avoid the possibility of being proceeded against by the county, establish a small cemetery of his own and bury such pauper dead there as he might handle.

E. S. Eberle, manager of the Dallas branch of the American Press association, who has been camping on Spring creek with the Wells-Fargo magnates, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. J. Malcolm Brown and babies returned Saturday to their home in Fort Worth, after a two weeks' visit to Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Hendricks.

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Don't Marry Young Advice of Countess

London, Aug. 14.—May Sutton's action in breaking her engagement on the ground that no woman should marry before she was 25 years old has provided newspapers with an excellent subject for discussion. Many interviews on the subject are being printed. The most interesting interview was given by Countess Cardigan today.

"My opinion is," she said, "no girl knows her own mind in her teens at least. I did not when young. It was all very romantic and charming at 18, but no girl really knows the heart of a man until she is in her twenties. Man at 28 is 48 in experience, and how can schoolroom beauty permanently dispose 'the adorable she' who has filled the happy youthful years of that man's life.

"Cynics scoff at these turned 'down' pages. Believe me, they are the most sacred of any. Man's love is most perfect when after years of disappointment, he meets one woman who gently knits up his lost ideas and bids him forget. I married a most chivalrous, popular hero of the Crimean War. I had known him when a mere girl and my girlhood's admiration gradually ripened into love. Lord Cardigan never disappointed me. I was no longer intense, but with the loss of the first glamour of youth there came an appreciation of maturity, and I could recognize the salient points of a man far more than ever

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before, and could judge them from a critical standpoint of a girl who has nothing to forgive. My advice is, never marry too young. "Love becomes intolerable when it is hampered with links of doubt and disillusionment.

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Don't throw dead chickens in the street. Phone the scavenger.  
Don't drag your dead dogs in the alley behind somebody else's barn and leave them. Phone the scavenger.  
Don't haul your dead animals a short distance out of town and dump them on the other fellow's lot. How would you feel toward your neighbor if he should do you that way? Just be reasonable and either haul this kind of stuff to the dump ground or phone the

scavenger.  
Don't dump tin cans and trash on other people's property. They have to go to the expense of moving it themselves.  
Don't break bottles in the street and leave them there to snag horses and damage vehicles and barefooted boys. This is a dangerous practice and evidently must be a thoughtless one. So let's think in the future and at least throw bottles out of the roadways.  
Cut your weeds and let's clean up for the normal committee.  
These don'ts are offered by Mayor Paul, who is exerting every effort to transform San Angelo into a spotless town. He asks that the matter be considered seriously, for this is a subject that deserves the greatest attention at present.  
The normal board is coming to San Angelo expecting to see a clean town, and Mayor Paul is doing everything in his power to have the committee satisfied.  
Already the city is actively engaged in the good work, and if the citizens will only do their duty, San Angelo will be cleaned from one of the town to the other.

#### EQUIPPED.

Plenty of Bait and Ice Carried Along by Fishing Party.

One of the liveliest crowds that has left San Angelo in many moons started Saturday morning for a fishing trip on Dove and Spring creeks. A Press-News man took an inventory just before they pulled out, and it is his opinion that they had "everything" necessary for the trip. They have some of the best fishermen ever in the crowd, and all who have not had any fish to eat this season will not be apt to get any for some time, as this bunch will catch all their fish in the streams.  
In the party were Benson Maxwell, Ike Snowden, Robert Harris of Fort Worth, Doc Dougherty, H. O. Jones and F. S. McDonald of Temple.

#### Entertain.

The San Angelo club will entertain Monday evening with a dance at the rooms of that organization. The list is in the hands of Sam Hodges or may be found at the rooms. An extra large attendance is expected and an enjoyable occasion is in anticipation.

#### Party.

Little Miss Lanham Bates, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bates, celebrated her eleventh birthday Saturday by entertaining a crowd of her friends at the family residence in East San Angelo. Many games were played and Allie Tolbert carried off the prizes.  
Refreshments were served during the afternoon, and a delightful time was enjoyed by all.  
Those in attendance were: Misses Mary White, Mollie and Onie Turner, Sophie Albertal, Marie Hewitt, Minnie May Cain, Willie May DeLong, Margaret Clark, Wylie Belle Bunyard, Allie Tolbert, Lucy Spencer and Master Wilby Smith.

Miss Brevard Templeton has just been appointed treasurer of Ellis county. Miss Templeton has many friends here, as she kept books for the Park Dry Goods company in 1905.

Mrs. A. W. Smith and children have returned from a trip to Houston, Galveston and other points on the coast.  
When hungry hunt the Legal Tender restaurant.

#### Nice Contract.

The SB Electric company has been awarded the contract for wiring the Orient passenger depot. This same firm wired the freight depot some time ago. This speaks well for their work. They were not the lowest bidders, but received the contract anyway. Mr. Bunyard, the manager, states that he is getting plenty to do, but is just as anxious for business. They moved to No. 30 North Chadbourne street so they would have more room.

W. C. Bryson of Sonora left Friday for Brady on business.

All kinds of grain and hay at Neely Bros'.

Mrs. J. F. Matthews and children are visiting Mrs. Matthews' mother at Coleman.

O. H. Lutz took advantage of the low rate on the Santa Fe Saturday and went to Galveston to spend Sunday.

Edgar Ivey and family, who have been visiting friends and relatives in San Angelo, returned Saturday to their home at Lometa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gordon left Friday for a visit to Mrs. Gordon's sister at Dublin for a week. Mr. Gordon was formerly one of the owners of the City drug store, which was sold recently. He has not decided yet what he will do, but states he will stay in San Angelo.

S. W. Booker is in Ballinger on business.

Robert Perry left Saturday for South Texas.

A. B. Connor of Sherwood was in the city Saturday on his way to Gatesville to visit friends and relatives.

T. T. Harris went to Brownwood Saturday to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Tom Barton was a passenger on Saturday's afternoon train, en route for Bertram to visit her parents.

E. H. Ross, who is connected with the general superintendent's office of the Santa Fe, returned Saturday to his headquarters in Galveston.

# EVELYN NESBIT TELLS OF WANTS

DENIES STATEMENT THAT SHE ASKED FOR \$500,000.

## ONLY DEMANDS SUPPORT

Blames Morschauer for Changed Attitude of Husband's Family—He Told Her to Go to Work.

New York, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw was angry last night when a leading newspaper published an alleged interview with her which young Mrs. Thaw says never took place. The interview told in detail of her coming to the door of her studio apartments in West Thirty-third street swathed in a wrapper and telling things at length.

As a result of Mrs. Thaw's indignation she invited the reporters to her apartments last night and when all had assembled she gave forth a statement.

There are oil portraits of Mrs. Thaw

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by Mann and Carroll Beckwith adorning the walls of her little flat, and a baby grand piano and bits of furniture of artistic excellence. Also there are more, much more, than the required five feet of books, a kitchenette and other things.

"I learn from the papers," Mrs. Thaw began, when all had assembled around the mission table in the center of the room, "that Mr. Morschauer says I have made a demand on the Thaw family for a settlement of \$500,000. The statement is absolutely untrue. I never asked Mr. Thaw or any member of the Thaw family for anything except to support me, which is my right."

Mrs. Thaw had a book of notes on her lap which she had prepared against the coming of the newspaper men. From time to time she referred to the note book.

"It is only since Mr. Morschauer has become counsel for Mr. Thaw," Mrs. Thaw continued, "that Mr. Thaw has assumed an attitude of indifference toward me. I suppose this is to Mr. Morschauer's advantage."

"In what way?" Mrs. Thaw was asked.

"Well, I suppose Mr. Morschauer now is getting the money that formerly was sent to me. The more litigation and trouble there is, the better,

of course, for Mr. Morschauer.

"Since a year ago this summer I've had several interviews with Mr. Morschauer. The first time I talked with him was toward the end of last summer. At that time Mr. Morschauer seemed to think that I was not entitled to support.

"Can't Go on Stage." "You've worked before," was Mr. Morschauer's idea. "Why don't you go to work again? You ought to. He forgot there is nothing for me to do but to go on the stage, but I reminded him of this. Mr. Thaw took me off the stage. Now it's impossible for me to go back again. Do they want me to go into vaudeville—to be a sort of freak to be stared at? The one way I had of earning a living has been taken away from me by Mr. Thaw. I can't go back to the stage as an actress now; I can only go as a sort of showgirl to be stared at. I shan't do that."

"I work constantly in my studio here modeling from life, but I can not earn my living that way yet. It will take five or six years more of study to fit myself as a sculptress—it's a long road."

"Have you received any commissions for your work of modeling?" somebody asked Mrs. Thaw.

"I've had two orders for portrait busts," she answered proudly. "But what is that? Mr. Morschauer maintains that the \$70 a week I am supposed to receive, plus the \$200 a month extra, has been sent to me regularly. It hasn't. I haven't yet received the \$200 that was supposed to come to me the first of the month and I haven't got the \$70 for the last week, either."

"For four months last summer I didn't receive a cent at all from the Thaw family. Naturally I ran into debt during that period, debts that I've had a beautiful time paying off since then. I think this shows that some of Mr. Morschauer's statements are not correct. I have a rent bill each month of \$90 to pay here, which eats into a \$100 bill, doesn't it? And then there are electric light bills and other things to pay too."

"I absolutely refuse," declared Mrs. Thaw emphatically, "to sacrifice myself for Mr. Thaw any longer. I do not consider that I am in any way responsible for his past acts or incarceration. The least he can do now is to support me. Long before I ever met him he had dragged himself through the mire in London, Paris and New York. I had nothing to do with that."

"Mr. Thaw's attitude has changed since Mr. Morschauer took his case. When Col. Bartlett and Mr. Russell Peabody were alive and had charge of Mr. Thaw's case they advised that I be treated decently for what I had done for Mr. Thaw. They were both good, conservative men—New York lawyers. But with this Poughkeepsie lawyer from up-State, Mr. Morschauer, the more litigations that happen the better for him. I believe he once said: 'I'll be Harry Thaw's lawyer as long as his income from coke lands hold out.'"

"Did you ever receive \$50,000 a year from the Thaw estate, as has been stated?" was asked Mrs. Thaw.

"Never," she answered. "At one time when I had the house in Park avenue—where Mrs. Mary Thaw used to come and visit me by the way—I received \$1000 a month, sometimes more, but it takes all that sum to run a New York home. That \$1000 was paid me from the time Mr. Thaw was in the Tombs until Mr. Morschauer took his case, a year ago last June. That's the money Mr. Morschauer now is getting and which I should get. I don't think \$12,000 a year is so very much to ask for the

wife of a millionaire, is it?

That Agreement.

"In October last an agreement was made whereby I was to receive \$500 a month. It seems to have been a theoretical agreement. While I was on the stand during the first and second trial—while Mr. Thaw's neck was in danger—the Thaw family could not be too nice to me. They sent me gushy letters about 'dearest Evelyn.' Mrs. Thaw and Alice Thaw did. I was sacrificing my reputation, everything, then for them. I was Mr. Thaw's wife, and as I saw it seemed to me that I should do all I could for him or be a quitter."

"The only thing I have ever asked of them was to set aside a trust fund for me—I didn't want the money in a lump sum, where I might be tempted to spend more of it than I should, but just the income. They decided to do this at the time I agreed to have my marriage annulled on the ground that Mr. Thaw was insane when I married him. The papers of the annulment were served on Mr. Thaw, and Mrs. Thaw also accepted service. "For some reason the whole matter was dropped. When I saw that the Thaw family had failed in their agreement to set aside the trust fund I naturally withdrew my suit for the annulment of the marriage."

Mrs. Thaw was asked here whether the sum she had asked to be set aside was \$500,000. She hesitated.

"Well," she replied, "I asked for an income of \$1,000 a month. In view of the money at the disposal of the Thaw family I think my request for an income of \$12,000 a year very small. All I wanted, however, was to get out of this miserable business for good and all."

White Plains, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, mother of Harry Thaw, declined to make any comment on the story printed in the morning papers that Evelyn Thaw had demanded \$500,000 from the Thaw family, except to say it was simply childish.

Harry Thaw is said to have remarked to a keeper that the story was "rubbish and absurd."

### Breaks Door Secures Her Dry Clothes

New York, Aug. 14.—A woman under middle age, comfortably dressed but wet with rain, went into the Broad-Exchange building at 25 Broad street shortly before 8 o'clock and asked to be taken to the floor where Joseph A. Dunn, a member of the Consolidated Exchange, has his office.

"You can't go up unless you have a pass or permission from the tenant," the elevator man told her.

"But I'm his wife," she protested. "She was then taken up to the fourteenth floor."

A number of scrubwomen were working on that floor and she asked Winifred Rush to give her the key to room 1419. Mr. Dunn's office.

"Indeed, I won't," said the scrubwoman.

The caller pitched into the scrubwoman and took a broom away from her. Other scrubwomen ran for the elevators, calling for help. The visitor then broke the glass in Dunn's office door with the broom, reached in and sprung the catch lock open and went in. She produced a key from her stocking and unlocked a suit case standing in a corner.

Policeman Speer arrived just then and found the woman changing her

clothes, which were wet. From the suit case she secured dry ones and when she came from the office Speer arrested her.

At the John street station she gave her name as Mrs. Catherine Dunn of 52 East 124th street. She told Lieut. Kinney that she wanted her dry clothes. She was sent to the night police court and Speer was told to tell Magistrate Barlow that the woman had talked of pursuing Marconi sound waves, but he neglected to do so, and the woman, in default of \$100 bail,

was sent to the Jefferson Market prison to await further examination today. Joseph A. Dunn lives in Brooklyn with Thomas P. Scott of 2329 Eighty-fourth street.

"Mr. Dunn is away on his vacation," said Mr. Scott. "If he has a wife it's news to me, and he has lived with me for nine years."

At the address the woman gave in Harlem no such person is known. But there were clothes in the suit case that were evidently not Mr. Dunn's apparel.

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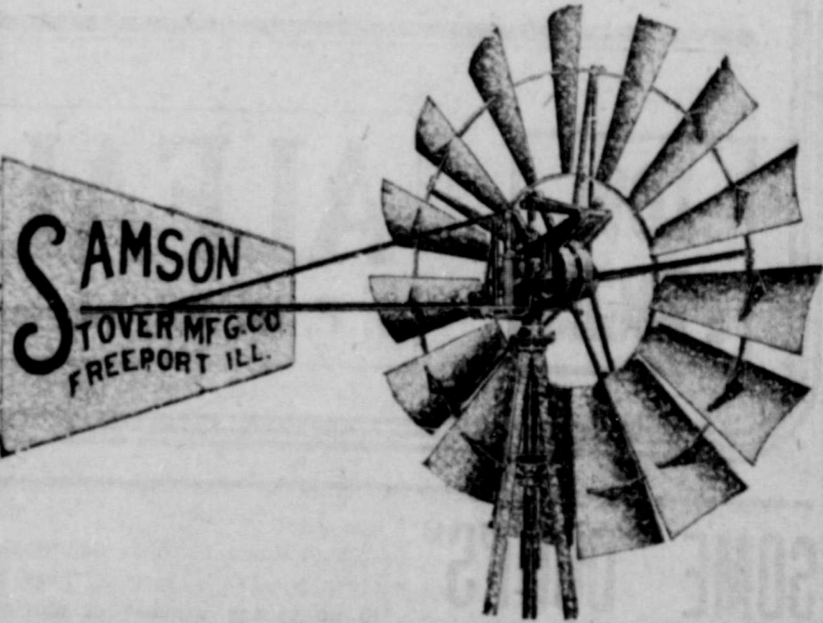
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**The Man  
From  
Brodney's**

By **GEORGE BARR  
M'CUTCHEON**

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"Ah, how wonderful!" cried Neenah, with ravishing candor. "A prince for a husband and the glorious Sahib"



Jacob von Blitz stepped into the light. Chase for a lover all your life! Ah! The exclamation was no less than a sigh of rapturous indorsement.

The princess stared at her first in consternation, then in dismay. Before she could find words to combat this alarming prophecy, so ingeniously presented to her reflections, Selim and Hollingsworth Chase returned to the chamber. She was distressed, even confounded, to find that she was staring at Chase with a strange, abashed curiosity growing to her eyes—a stare that she suddenly was afraid he might observe and appreciate. A wave of revulsion, of shame, spread over her whole being.

With the swiftness of lightning she recalled the things that had been said of more than one grand dame in Europe—aye, of women at her own court. Even a princess she had known who—but for shame! she cried in her heart. It could not be. Despite herself a cruel, distressing synch came over her as he approached, his eyes glowing with the light she feared, yet craved. Was this man to remain in her life? Was he? Would he come to her and wage the unfair war? Was he honest? Was he even now coveting her as other men had coveted the women she knew and despised? She found herself confronted by the shocking conviction that he knew she could never be his wife. He knew she was to wed another, and yet— It was unbelievable. She met his eager advance with a quick, shrill laugh of defiance and noted the surprise in his eyes. Dim as the light was, she could have sworn that the look in those eyes was honest. Ah, that silly Neenah! The reaction was as sudden as the revolt had been. Her smile grew warm and shy. "Von Blitz has been here," he was saying half diffidently, still searching deep in her eyes. "He's played hob. And he's likely to return at any minute."

"Then let us go quickly. I have no desire to meet the objectionable Mr. Von Blitz. Isn't it dreadfully dangerous here, Mr. Chase?"

"Mr. Chase?" he said, with his winning smile. "Now?"

"Yes, now and always Mr. Chase," she said steadily. "You know that it cannot be otherwise. I can't always be a fool."

His face turned a deep red; his lips parted for retort to this truculent estimate, but he controlled himself.

"Yes, it is dangerous here," he said quietly, answering her question. "As soon as Selim bars that door upon the inside we'll go. I was a fool to bring you here."

"How could you know what the dangers would be?" she asked.

"I'll confess I didn't expect Von Blitz," he said dryly.

"But you did expect"— she began, with a start, biting her lips.

"There's a vast difference between expectation and hope, princess." Neenah had joined Selim at the door when the men re-entered the chamber. Now she was approaching with her husband.

"May Allah bless you and profit for himself, excellencies," said the good Selim. Neenah plainly had advanced her suspicions to the brown body servant. Geneva blushed, and then her eyes blazed. She gave the girl a

scornful look. Neenah smiled happily, unreservedly, in return.

"Allah help us, you should say, if Von Blitz returns," interposed Chase hastily. "Is the door barred?"

"No, excellency. The bars have sprung. I cannot drop them in place. As you know, the lock has been blown away. The charge sprung the bolts. We must go at once."

"Then there is no way to keep them out of the chateau?" cried Geneva anxiously.

"They can go no farther than this room," explained Selim. "We lock the double iron doors from the other side—the door through which you came, most glorious excellency—and they cannot enter the cellars above. This is the chamber which opens into the underground passage to the coast. The passage was made for escape from the chateau in case of trouble and was known to but few. My father was the servant of Sahib Wyckholme, and I used to live in the chateau."

"Once there was a boat, a launch, which lay hidden below the cliffs on the north coast. The passage led to this boat. It was always ready to put out to sea. But one night it was destroyed by the great rocks which fell from the cliffs in an earthquake. When I came here I at once thought of the passage. You will see that the doors into the cellar cannot be opened from this chamber. The locks and bolts are on the other side. I knew where the keys were hidden. It was easy to unlock the doors and come into this room. I found that some one had been here before me. The door to the passage had been forced open from without, cracked by dynamite. Many of the treasure boxes have been removed. Von Blitz was here not an hour ago. He wears boots. I saw the footprints among the naked ones in the passage. They will come back for the other chests. Then they will blow up the passageway with powder, and escape from the chateau through it will be cut off. I have found the kegs of powder in the passage and have destroyed the fuses. It will be of no avail, sahib. They will blow it up at the other end, which will be just the same."

(To be continued.)

**Neck in Rope  
When Help  
Reaches Him**

St. Louis, August 14.—Charged with murdering a month old infant which he had snatched from the arms of its mother, James Pullman of Belmont, Ill., escaped lynching at Edmonton, Ill., through the arrival of a score of deputies in automobiles.

A rope had been placed about his neck and a mob was dragging him to a telephone pole in one of the city's main streets when the officials charged the mob and rescued him.

The baby was found in a slough, the skull crushed and the body found a foot deep in thick mud, having been placed in the ground and stamped under with feet.

A woman in a funeral procession witnessed the act and gave the alarm. Pullman and the mother of the child, May Williams of Duncannon, Ill., were in St. Louis today trying to find a home for the infant, which was born a month ago in a maternity home here. Falling to find a refuge, the girl started for her home, to throw the child and herself on the mercy of her father.

Pullman accompanied her on the interurban car and as they reached the suburbs of East St. Louis he snatched the child from her arms and jumped off. She followed him, but he eluded her in a swamp in Edmonton, an East St. Louis suburb. The girl went on to Belleville, where she swore out a warrant for Pullman, alleging paternity.

Pullman was seen in Belleville two hours later and had disposed of the child. He was arrested and a charge of murder entered against him. He declared that he had given the baby to a woman who said she was willing to care for it. Accompanied by two deputies, he was taken back to Edmonton and the swamp was searched.

A mob collected when the charge against him became known and a rope was tied around his neck after the two deputies had been beaten off.

Surrounded by two hundred infuriated men, he was dragged to a nearby telephone pole. A man had started to climb the pole with the rope when reinforcements arrived in automobiles from East St. Louis and Pullman was saved. He was hustled into a machine and taken back to Belleville.

Pullman, shivering with fear, was subjected to a severe examination but maintained his innocence, declaring that the baby was alive. He also asserts his innocence of the paternity charge.

Foeling is running high against him in Belleville and since the baby is found to have been murdered another attempt to lynch him is feared. Special deputies have been sworn in by the sheriff and the jail is strongly guarded.

Paul Manget, who has been sojourning for several weeks on John Chambers' ranch near Van Court, was in the city Friday and Saturday on a business trip. Mr. Manget is a product of St. Louis, but he declares that West Texas is home from now on.

**Big Mayor is  
Arrested For  
Blackmailing**

Philadelphia, Aug. 14.—Accused of having attempted to blackmail President James McCrea of the Pennsylvania railroad by threatening to dynamite the companies most important bridges and stations unless paid \$45,000, a man of apparent culture and standing, who professed to be Abram C. Eby, mayor of Burkeville, Va., was arrested here after having been led to believe that the railroad would accept his terms. The prisoner was arraigned before United States Commissioner Craig and was held in \$10,000 for the September term of the federal court, charged with devising a scheme to defraud by using the United States mails.

Eby's alleged scheme was daring. He made use of his alleged Masonic connections in the negotiations and exacted what he asserted were fraternity oaths to make the payment of the money binding upon the railroad officials. The man's sanity is in doubt.

The amount demanded, \$45,000, was declared to be only a part of what the writer had lost on Reading stock while the Pennsylvania was making war on it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nolte left Friday for Galveston and Houston on business. Mr. Nolte will return in a few days and Mrs. Nolte will visit several East Texas points.

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## PRE-SEASON ENTHUSIASM ENCOURAGING

Letters are being received from all over the state from E. Lowrie from players and managers, who are either contemplating entering the West Texas league next season or want to sign up with the local team. Enthusiasm seems to be breaking out to a great extent even before the close of the present season.

Among the many communications received was one from Standifer, the Blues' catcher this season, making a bid for a berth next year, and also informing Mr. Lowrie that he has a line on several top-notchers who would come here for reasonable inducements. Standifer was the star catcher in West Texas this season and he will be welcomed with open arms upon his return. "Waking up?" said Mr. Lowrie. "I should say so. I never saw so much pre-season enthusiasm in my life, especially at this stage of the game. We won't have any lack of towns making bids and we will have all the material necessary. Now I am going to say one thing. I have previously stated that in case I have charge of the home team I will have a winner if money and labor can make one. Of course we can't afford to pay big league salaries, but we will make it interesting

for any player that comes our way, if he has any class. Naturally, the citizens will be expected to aid materially in the cause, but I am confident they will do so if assured a high class team."

### In Old Mexico.

A letter was received in the office of The Press-News Saturday from the redoubtable fishermen led by Easy Nimble, who left San Angelo the early part of the week for Devil's river in a big auto owned by Clarence Webb.

All are in excellent condition, both physically and mentally and report a jolly good time. They crossed over into Old Mexico Saturday, and will be back in San Angelo in about a week.

### Family Reunion.

A family reunion was held last week at the residence of J. D. Joyce. Mrs. Joyce had three brothers and one sister visit her from Parker county, which constitutes the entire family. The youngest of these is 54 and the eldest 76. All are hale and hearty, and it was a happy reunion. J. F. and George D. Strain, two of the brothers, left Saturday for their homes in Weatherford.

The San Angelo Conservatory can teach you anything in music at reasonable terms.

J. D. Bird of Eldorado was in the city Saturday on his way to Marble Falls to visit friends and relatives.

E. R. Thompson left Saturday to visit in Galveston and Corpus Christi.

## BUSINESS CLUB MEETS MONDAY

MORGAN JONES PROPOSITION ON TABLE FOR CONSIDERATION.

## HE MEANS BUSINESS

Owing to Importance of Matter President Broome Thinks Full Attendance Should Be Present.

More railroads! That is what is before the Business club at the present, and the matter will be considered Monday night at the regular session of that organization. Morgan Jones has submitted a proposition to the people of San Angelo, and with such a proposition on hand, serious consideration is necessary; so every member of the organization is requested to be present.

Such matters must receive concerted attention, and with the great majority of the business men of the city together, definite action may be taken without delay. Morgan Jones, the man who submitted the proposition, is the person who promoted the Abilene and Southern railway, which is now making such rapid strides toward completion. Therefore, it is to be surmised that the proposition is not of the wildest variety.

Other matters of great importance are also up for consideration.

### COS-HART.

Thousands Visit This Institution During Evening—The Reason Why.

When a new wrinkle is vitalized from a novel idea it is perfectly natural that the public mind should exhibit a zestful interest. Perhaps that is why the drug store of Cos-Hart was filled with people all Saturday evening. Cos-Hart a few weeks ago decided to have music of Saturday evenings in their drug store, merely as a sort of aid to whiling away the time still more pleasantly as the white-aproned fizz fellow served soda water. That idea "took" all right, but Saturday Cos-Hart decided to add perfume to the music, and tube roses were distributed to the ladies who called during the evening.

It is just this sort of "at homes," these novel adjuncts to a business; these little out of the ordinaries that are making Cos-Hart an institution. And it should be mentioned that before any business can become an institution it must first be a store. Cos-Hart dates from Jan. 1 last. There are firms in San Angelo that have been here for thirty years that have not attained the growth that these young business men have had. It's the new things that are generally the better things. Cos-Hart are the originators, of new ideas—the progressive kind, at that.

### Real Estate Transfers.

Paul Abstract & Title company's report of real estate transfers recorded August 14:

John Clem et ux. to Concho Lumber company. \$9000; conveys lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 83, Fort Concho addition.

J. T. Valentine et ux. to M. A. Moon et al. \$300; conveys lot 10 and south half of lot 11, block 69, Angelo Heights addition.

West Heights Land company to E. L. Rogers, \$300; conveys lot 3, block 25, and lots 3 and 4, block 2, West Heights addition.

E. C. Perry to C. H. Wolf, \$3500; conveys block 23B, subdivision 1, Collyns' ranch.

Mrs. Lee Jones to H. DeWolf, \$2500; conveys lots 8 and 9, block 5, Ellis addition.

Do you want to master the violin or piano? If so, inquire at the new Conservatory of Music.

W. Davis, who has been in charge of the commissary department of the Orient here, left Friday for Seattle, Wash., where he has a more lucrative position offered him.

# TARIFF REVISION BY PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, A Special Session of Congress has been held, a quorum of both the Upper and the Lower House being present, and by an overwhelming majority it having been decided that the people of the country are in favor of Revision, and that in a downward direction.

THEREFORE, I, Charles B. Henderson, president of the C. B. Henderson Company, "The House That Saves You Money," do hereby order and proclaim that the merchandise of this store be admitted to the homes of the people of the City of San Angelo, Tom Green County, Texas, and of those of the whole of West Texas, to the very limits of the trade territory of this metropolis of Concholand, **absolutely duty free** for a period of one week, beginning Monday, August 16th and ending at 10-30 p. m., Saturday August 21st, 1909.

AND I DO HEREBY Further Proclaim to the people of San Angelo and all Concholand that prices will be lower during this one week than they have been in many seasons and that this is the opportune time for them to provide themselves with the necessities of life at a very small cost, the tariff—profit—having been abrogated and annulled for this week in order that the citizens of Concholand and their friends from foreign parts may have the opportunity of witnessing real tariff revision downward.

Witness my hand and the great seal of the corporation on this the 15th day of August, the year of our Lord 1909, and of the existence of "The House That Saves You Money." the fourth.

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## FINE HORSES SECURED FOR FALL RACING

"I secured a bunch of fine horses for our fair while away," said Bob Andrew, who is back from Lampasas, having attended the fair in that city. "It was a pretty good fair," he said "but it didn't come anywhere near being the class with the fair we are going to have this fall. The attractions were all right as far as they went, but they didn't go far enough."

"The airship was a fluke all around. They only succeeded in getting it off terra firma once, and they had it hitched to a stake rope that time. It would have given Wilbur and Orville Wright fits to have seen the horrible exemplification of their art that was produced. However, the airship that will be on exhibition in San Angelo

will not be on that order. I understand that we are to have one of the best aeronauts in the business.

"I secured promises of about fourteen fine horses while down there, the best in the state. The majority of them are harness horses, and beauties, everyone of them. The harness horse is coming into his own nowadays; people are realizing that a harness race is about the top notch exhibition in the sport of kings. These horses are of the real swift variety. They can make a half in 1:04. That wasn't told to me. I saw them do it."

"From the present indications it seems that we are going to have a bunch of horses here this fall second to none in the state."

Attorney and Mrs. J. Curtys Simons have returned from a six weeks' pleasure trip in the great northwest and on the Great Lakes. They attended the Alaska-Yukon exposition at Seattle. On the whole they declare it was the most enjoyable outing of their lives.

### PAINT ROCK.

Lumber Company Buys Property from W. W. Walker—\$500 for One Lot.

Paint Rock, Tex., Aug. 14.—The I. D. McCallom Lumber company purchased today lot 2, block 22, from W. W. Walker of Bell county, for \$500 cash.

This property is on the corner of Roberts and Pecan streets and is two blocks south of the public square.

The contract has been let for the building of the piers for the railroad bridge across the Concho, and the work is progressing nicely.

Mrs. H. C. Reid is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. L. Long, at Ballinger.

Oscar Frink returned Saturday from a trip to Wynnewood, Okla., where he went on legal business.

William Nance and sister, Miss Mary Nance, returned Saturday to their home in Lometa, after visiting friends and relatives.







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## OPEN LETTER TO ALL THE PEOPLE

**COS-HART TELLS WHY THE BUSINESS OF THAT FIRM HAS GROWN EVERY MONTH.**

To the Public. Dear Sirs: We want to have a heart to heart talk with you. We want to tell you why we think the Cos-Hart firm has done a larger business every month since it first started in business here last January. In having this heart to heart talk we will be frank, be candid and will not draw on our imagination for a single thing.

The primary object of a drug store is of course drugs. To be a good druggist one must have a comprehensive knowledge of drugs of all kinds. He must know more than merely the Latin names. He must know what drugs can be compounded, what drugs will not mix, what is a proper dose to give and, in fact, everything there is to know about drugs. He must also know exactly how to put drugs together so as to produce the exact mixture the doctor wants. This can only be learned through study, and through experience.

Now take the prescription clerks in our store. Every one of them is a graduate pharmacist. Every one of them is trained in the technique and has spent not hours, nor weeks, but years in obtaining a thorough, a complete and an intricate knowledge of drugs and chemicals. When a prescription is brought to the Cos-Hart store to be filled it is filled by one who has been trained in the intricacies of compounding by the brightest minds of this country. The ingredients that go into the prescription are the purest that can be obtained and they are selected by men who know and appreciate the value of purity. These pure ingredients are mixed with years of study, of careful training and with care and accuracy, themselves the result of this training. The result is the doctor gets exactly what is desired. The patient responds to the treatment; for it is the treatment the doctor ordered—and Cos-Hart secure another pleased customer.

Our J. F. Cosgrove has been filling prescriptions for twelve years. Prior to his first work as a compounder of drugs he studied four years at the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and he graduated from that technical institution with the degree of Graduate of Pharmacy.

W. B. Hart another of our prescription clerks, is a graduate from the pharmaceutical department of the University of Texas, located at Galveston, and he received his degree of Ph. G. after having completed the prescribed course with proficiency in every branch of the art.

J. J. Waller, another prescription clerk with the Cos-Hart firm, is also a graduate of the University of Texas, department of Pharmacy. Both Mr. Hart and Mr. Waller have been engaged in the work of filling prescriptions for eight years.

If you desired to have the portrait of your wife, or your mother painted, would you take it to a sign, or a portrait painter? This is a fair question, for upon prescriptions hang the life or death of the sick. There are two kind of prescription clerks: the apprentice kind, who follow it as a trade, and the trained kind follow it as an art. We take a pardonable pride in our work. It is our art. We believe that we know our business, for we have been tried by the highest standards and our work has been pronounced good. We have put in years of hard study, combined with years of hard practice and the result is at your disposal. We feel that in art it is always cheapest to obtain the best. We believe that we can give you better service than you can obtain elsewhere, for while you may get good service elsewhere you assume a chance, you run a risk that you do not have to shoulder when you send your prescription to Cos-Hart. Our firm is the only firm in San Angelo where every one connected with the prescription department is not only a registered pharmacist, but is also a graduate pharmacist.

And are our efforts appreciated? To this we will say yes, indeed. We now have a score of leading physicians here requesting their patients to patronize us and we state with all the emphasis we can command that not one cent, either directly or indirectly, tribute do we pay for this trade. These doctors appreciate the necessity of having their prescriptions filled by people who are trained in a skillful manner and their patients reap the benefits. We may say in passing that we have never solicited the assistance of a physician.

In experience, in training and in capacity we feel that we are able to offer to the sick the best aid to the doctor in getting well. We feel that we are doing a good work here. San Angelo is the smallest city we have ever practiced in, but we believe the future of this place is as bright as one could wish. We want to grow with the growth of San Angelo. We know we can give you a perfect service. We want you to give us a trial. We can offer you experience, skill and purity

of ingredients. And these offer you a hope of health that cannot be estimated in a dollar and cent way. And you should also bear in mind that our exceptional facilities are not charged. We throw them in. You pay us no more for superior work and superior medicine than you pay elsewhere. We deliver promptly anywhere in the city. Call in and let us tell you more about this question. It is interesting—and entertaining too, we hope.  
Yours very truly,



## UNDERTAKERS IN SCRAP FOR STIFFS

**HARRIS COUNTY THREATENS TO PROSECUTE TO STOP THEM.**

## COUNTY JUDGE TALKS

**Contract for Unclaimed Bodies Has Been Awarded to One Concern. Others Must Keep Hands Off.**

Houston, Aug. 14.—That something of a controversy exists between the local undertakers over the handling of unclaimed bodies was made plain yesterday, when an order was passed by the county commissioners court instructing County Attorney R. L. Whitehead to proceed, either by criminal prosecution or civil proceedings, against all undertakers engaged in handling unclaimed dead, except the firm authorized by contract with the county to act in that capacity.

It has been the practice in Houston for years on the part of all undertaking firms to take in charge unclaimed bodies, regardless of whether they had a contract with the county or not.

According to the plan followed, the bodies are received by the undertakers and held while an effort is made to locate relative; in the event relatives are found who are willing to pay for the funeral expenses, the undertaker thereby derives the benefit. Should the undertaker be unsuccessful in his efforts to locate relatives, the body is buried in potter's field.

### County's Contract.

The contract for caring for the pauper dead of Harris county, which is also asserted to include unclaimed dead, was awarded some months ago by the Commissioners to the Settegast-Kopf company at a price of twenty-five cents per head for each body buried. At this price the official undertakers can not make money on their contract unless they handle the bodies of the unclaimed dead, in which event they would stand a chance of obtaining a profit from those bodies that are claimed after death by relatives living away from Houston.

As the situation now stands, the bodies of the unclaimed dead in Houston are about evenly divided between the undertakers, thereby making the firm's contract with the county to handle the pauper dead unprofitable.

Instances where bodies have been received by undertakers who are unauthorized to care for the unclaimed dead and held for a few days, only to be turned over to the county undertaker after it had been determined that relatives could not be found, have been brought to the attention of the commissioners court.

### County Judge Talks.

In speaking of the situation yesterday, County Judge Amerman said: "We propose to go after these undertakers who make a habit of grabbing bodies and holding them while an effort is being made to find relatives; and if it becomes necessary we shall proceed against them criminally."

A question that presents itself in this connection, is whether a justice of the peace, who holds an inquest over the body of an unclaimed, would have the authority to designate which undertaker he desired to handle the case.

It is said that a body can not be classed as that of a pauper until after it is determined that relatives can not be located will care for the funeral.

These questions will first be looked into by County Attorney Whitehead before any action of a definite nature is taken.

On the other hand, it is stated that an undertaker who is engaged in handling unclaimed bodies might, in order to avoid the possibility of being proceeded against by the county, establish a small cemetery of his own and bury such pauper dead there as he might handle.

E. S. Eberle, manager of the Dallas branch of the American Press association, who has been camping on Spring creek with the Wells-Fargo magnates, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. J. Malcolm Brown and babies returned Saturday to their home in Fort Worth, after a two weeks' visit to Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Hendricks.

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## Don't Marry Young Advice of Countess

London, Aug. 14.—May Sutton's action in breaking her engagement on the ground that no woman should marry before she was 25 years old has provided newspapers with an excellent subject for discussion. Many interviews on the subject are being printed. The most interesting interview was given by Countess Cardigan today.

"My opinion is," she said, "no girl knows her own mind in her teens at least. I did not when young. It was all very romantic and charming at 18, but no girl really knows the heart of a man until she is in her twenties. Man at 28 is 48 in experience, and how can schoolroom beauty permanently depose 'the adorable she' who has filled the happy youthful years of that man's life?"

Cynics scoff at these turned down pages. Believe me, they are the most sacred of any. Man's love is most perfect when after years of disappointment, he meets one woman who gently knits up his lost ideas and bids him forget. I married a most chivalrous, popular hero of the Crimean War. I had known him when a mere girl and my girlhood's admiration gradually ripened into love. Lord Cardigan never disappointed me. I was no longer intense, but with the loss of the first glamour of youth there came an appreciation of maturity, and I could recognize the salient points of a man far more than ever

before, and could judge them from a critical standpoint of a girl who has nothing to forgive. My advice is, never marry too young.  
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Don't drag your dead dogs in the alley behind somebody else's barn and leave them. Phone the scavenger.  
Don't haul your dead animals a short distance out of town and dump them on the other fellow's lot. How would you feel toward your neighbor if he should do you that way? Just be reasonable and either haul this kind of stuff to the dump ground or phone the

scavenger.  
Don't dump tin cans and trash on other people's property. They have to go to the expense of moving it themselves.  
Don't break bottles in the street and leave them there to snag horses and damage vehicles and barefooted boys. This is a dangerous practice and evidently must be a thoughtless one. So let's think in the future and at least throw bottles out of the roadways.  
Cut your weeds and let's clean up for the normal committee.  
These don'ts are offered by Mayor Paul, who is exerting every effort to transform San Angelo into a spotless town. He asks that the matter be considered seriously, for this is a subject that deserves the greatest attention at present.  
The normal board is coming to San Angelo expecting to see a clean town, and Mayor Paul is doing everything in his power to have the committee satisfied.  
Already the city is actively engaged in the good work, and if the citizens will only do their duty. San Angelo will be cleaned from one of the town to the other.

**EQUIPPED.**  
**Plenty of Bait and Ice Carried Along by Fishing Party.**  
One of the best crowds that has left San Angelo in many moons started Saturday morning for a fishing trip on Dove and Spring creeks. A Press-News man took an inventory just before they pulled out, and it is his opinion that they had "everything" necessary for the trip. They have some of the best fishermen ever in the crowd, and all who have not had any fish to eat this season will not be apt to get any for some time, as this bunch will catch all their fish in the streams.  
In the party were Benson Maxwell, Ike Snowden, Robert Harris of Fort Worth, Doc Dougherty, H. O. Jones and F. S. McDonald of Temple.  
**Entertain.**  
The San Angelo club will entertain Monday evening with a dance at the rooms of that organization. The list is in the hands of Sam Hodges or may be found at the rooms. An extra large attendance is expected and an enjoyable occasion is in anticipation.

**Party.**  
Little Miss Lanham Bates, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bates, celebrated her eleventh birthday Saturday by entertaining a crowd of her friends at the family residence in East San Angelo. Many games were played and Allie Tolbert carried off the prizes.  
Refreshments were served during the afternoon, and a delightful time was enjoyed by all.  
Those in attendance were: Misses Mary White, Mollie and Onie Turner, Sophie Alberthal, Marie Hewitt, Minnie May Cain, Willie May DeLong, Margaret Clark, Wylie Belle Bunyard, Allie Tolbert, Lucy Spencer and Master Wilby Smith.  
Miss Brevard Templeton has just been appointed treasurer of Ellis county. Miss Templeton has many friends here, as she kept books for the Park Dry Goods company in 1905.  
Mrs. A. W. Smith and children have returned from a trip to Houston, Galveston and other points on the coast.  
When hungry hunt the Legal Tender restaurant.

**Nice Contract.**  
The EB Electric company has been awarded the contract for wiring the Orient passenger depot. This same firm wired the freight depot some time ago. This speaks well for their work. They were not the lowest bidders, but received the contract anyway. Mr. Bunyard, the manager, states that he is getting plenty to do, but is just as anxious for business. They moved to No. 30 North Chadbourne street so they would have more room.  
W. C. Bryson of Sonora left Friday for Brady on business.  
**All kinds of grain and hay at Neely Bros'.**  
Mrs. J. F. Matthews and children are visiting Mrs. Matthews' mother at Coleman.  
O. H. Lutz took advantage of the low rate on the Santa Fe Saturday and went to Galveston to spend Sunday.  
Edgar Ivey and family, who have been visiting friends and relatives in San Angelo, returned Saturday to their home at Lometa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gordon left Friday for a visit to Mrs. Gordon's sister at Dublin for a week. Mr. Gordon was formerly one of the owners of the City drug store, which was sold recently. He has not decided yet what he will do, but states he will stay in San Angelo.  
S. W. Booker is in Ballinger on business.  
Robert Perry left Saturday for South Texas.  
A. B. Connor of Sherwood was in the city Saturday on his way to Gatesville to visit friends and relatives.  
T. T. Harris went to Brownwood Saturday to visit friends and relatives.  
Mrs. Tom Barton was a passenger on Saturday's afternoon train, en route for Bertram to visit her parents.  
E. H. Ross, who is connected with the general superintendent's office of the Santa Fe, returned Saturday to his headquarters in Galveston.

## EVELYN NESBIT TELLS OF WANTS

DENIES STATEMENT THAT SHE ASKED FOR \$500,000.

## ONLY DEMANDS SUPPORT

Blames Morschauer for Changed Attitude of Husband's Family—He Told Her to Go to Work.

New York, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw was angry last night when a leading newspaper published an alleged interview with her which young Mrs. Thaw says never took place. The interview told in detail of her coming to the door of her studio apartments in West Thirty-third street swathed in a wrapper and telling things at length.

As a result of Mrs. Thaw's indignation she invited the reporters to her apartments last night and when all had assembled she gave forth a statement.

There are oil portraits of Mrs. Thaw

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by Mann and Carroll Beckwith adorning the walls of her little flat, and a baby grand piano and bits of furniture of artistic excellence. Also there are more, much more, than the required five feet of books, a kitchenette and other things.

"I learn from the papers," Mrs. Thaw began, when all had assembled around the mission table in the center of the room, "that Mr. Morschauer says I have made a demand on the Thaw family for a settlement of \$500,000. The statement is absolutely untrue. I never asked Mr. Thaw or any member of the Thaw family for anything except to support me, which is my right."

Mrs. Thaw had a book of notes on her lap which she had prepared against the coming of the newspaper men. From time to time she referred to the note book.

"It is only since Mr. Morschauer has become counsel for Mr. Thaw," Mrs. Thaw continued, "that Mr. Thaw has assumed an attitude of indifference toward me. I suppose this is to Mr. Morschauer's advantage."

"In what way?" Mrs. Thaw was asked.

"Well, I suppose Mr. Morschauer now is getting the money that formerly was sent to me. The more litigation and trouble there is, the better,

of course, for Mr. Morschauer.

"Since a year ago this summer I've had several interviews with Mr. Morschauer. The first time I talked with him was toward the end of last summer. At that time Mr. Morschauer seemed to think that I was not entitled to support.

**Can't Go on Stage.**

"You've walked before," was Mr. Morschauer's idea. "Why don't you go to work again? You ought to. He forgot there is nothing for me to do but to go on the stage, but I reminded him of this. Mr. Thaw took me off the stage. Now it's impossible for me to go back again. Do they want me to go into vaudeville—to be a sort of freak to be stared at? The one way I had of earning a living has been taken away from me by Mr. Thaw. I can't go back to the stage as an actress now; I can only go as a sort of show freak to be stared at. I shan't do that.

"I work constantly in my studio here modeling from life, but I can not earn my living that way yet. It will take five or six years more of study to fit myself as a sculptress—it's a long road."

"Have you received any commissions for your work of modeling?" somebody asked Mrs. Thaw.

"I've had two orders for portrait busts," she answered proudly. "But what is that? Mr. Morschauer maintains that the \$70 a week I am supposed to receive, plus the \$200 a month extra, has been sent to me regularly. It hasn't. I haven't yet received the \$200 that was supposed to come to me the first of the month and I haven't got the \$70 for the last week, either.

"For four months last summer I didn't receive a cent at all from the Thaw family. Naturally I ran into debt during that period, debts that I've had a beautiful time paying off since then. I think this shows that some of Mr. Morschauer's statements are not correct. I have a rent bill each month of \$90 to pay here, which eats into a \$100 bill, doesn't it? And then there are electric light bills and other things to pay too.

"I absolutely refuse," declared Mrs. Thaw emphatically, "to sacrifice myself for Mr. Thaw any longer. I do not consider that I am in any way responsible for his past acts or incarceration. The least he can do now is to support me. Long before I ever met him he had dragged himself through the mire in London, Paris and New York. I had nothing to do with that.

"Mr. Thaw's attitude has changed since Mr. Morschauer took his case. When Col. Hartlett and Mr. Russell Peabody were alive and had charge of Mr. Thaw's case they advised that I be treated decently for what I had done for Mr. Thaw. They were both good, conservative men—New York lawyers. But with this Poughkeepsie lawyer from up-State, Mr. Morschauer, the more litigations that happen the better for him. I believe he once said: 'I'll be Harry Thaw's lawyer as long as his income from coke lands hold out.'

"Did you ever receive \$30,000 a year from the Thaw estate, as has been stated?" was asked Mrs. Thaw.

"Never," she answered. "At one time when I had the house in Park avenue—where Mrs. Mary Thaw used to come and visit me by the way—I received \$1000 a month, sometimes more, but it takes all that sum to run a New York home. That \$1000 was paid me from the time Mr. Thaw was in the Tombs until Mr. Morschauer took his case, a year ago last June. That's the money Mr. Morschauer now is getting and which I should get. I don't think \$12,000 a year is so very much to ask for the

wife of a millionaire, is it?

**That Agreement.**

"In October last an agreement was made whereby I was to receive \$500 a month. It seems to have been a theoretical agreement. While I was on the stand during the first and second trial—while Mr. Thaw's neck was in danger—the Thaw family could not be too nice to me. They sent me gushy letters about 'dearest Evelyn.' Mrs. Thaw and Alice Thaw did. I was sacrificing my reputation, everything, then for them. I was Mr. Thaw's wife, and as I saw it it seemed to me that I should do all I could for him or be a—quitter.

"The only thing I have ever asked of them was to set aside a trust fund for me—I didn't want the money in a lump sum, where I might be tempted to spend more of it than I should, but just the income. They decided to do this at the time I agreed to have my marriage annulled on the ground that Mr. Thaw was insane when I married him. The papers of the annulment were served on Mr. Thaw, and Mrs. Thaw also accepted service.

"For some reason the whole matter was dropped. When I saw that the Thaw family had failed in their agreement to set aside the trust fund I naturally withdrew my suit for the annulment of the marriage."

Mrs. Thaw was asked here whether the sum she had asked to be set aside was \$500,000. She hesitated.

"Well," she replied, "I asked for an income of \$1,000 a month. In view of the money at the disposal of the Thaw family I think my request for an income of \$12,000 a year very small. All I wanted, however, was to get out of this miserable business for good and all."

White Plains, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, mother of Harry Thaw, declined to make any comment on the story printed in the morning papers that Evelyn Thaw had demanded \$500,000 from the Thaw family, except to say it was simply childish.

Harry Thaw is said to have remarked to a keeper that the story was "rubbish and absurd."

**Breaks Door Secures Her Dry Clothes**

New York, Aug. 14.—A woman under middle age, comfortably dressed but wet with rain, went into the Broad-Exchange building at 25 Broad street shortly before 8 o'clock and asked to be taken to the floor where Joseph A. Dunn, a member of the Consolidated Exchange, has his office.

"You can't go up unless you have a pass or permission from the tenant," the elevator man told her.

"But I am his wife," she protested. She was then taken up to the fourteenth floor.

A number of scrubwomen were working on that floor and she asked Winifred Rush to give her the key to room 1419, Mr. Dunn's office.

"Indeed, I won't," said the scrubwoman.

The caller pitched into the scrubwoman and took a broom away from her. Other scrubwomen ran for the elevators, calling for help. The visitor then broke the glass in Dunn's office door with the broom, reached in and sprung the catch lock open and went in. She produced a key from her stocking and unlocked a suit case standing in a corner.

Policeman Speer arrived just then and found the woman changing her

clothes, which were wet. From the suit case she secured dry ones and when she came from the office Speer arrested her.

At the John street station she gave her name as Mrs. Catherine Dunn of 32 East 124th street. She told Lieut. Kinney that she wanted her dry clothes. She was sent to the night police court and Speer was told to tell Magistrate Barlow that the woman had talked of pursuing Marconi sound waves, but he neglected to do so, and the woman, in default of \$100 bail,

was sent to the Jefferson Market prison to await further examination today. Joseph A. Dunn lives in Brooklyn with Thomas P. Scott of 2329 Eighty-fourth street.

"Mr. Dunn is away on his vacation," said Mr. Scott. "If he has a wife it's news to me, and he has lived with me for nine years."

At the address the woman gave in Harlem no such person is known. But there were clothes in the suit case that were evidently not Mr. Dunn's apparel.

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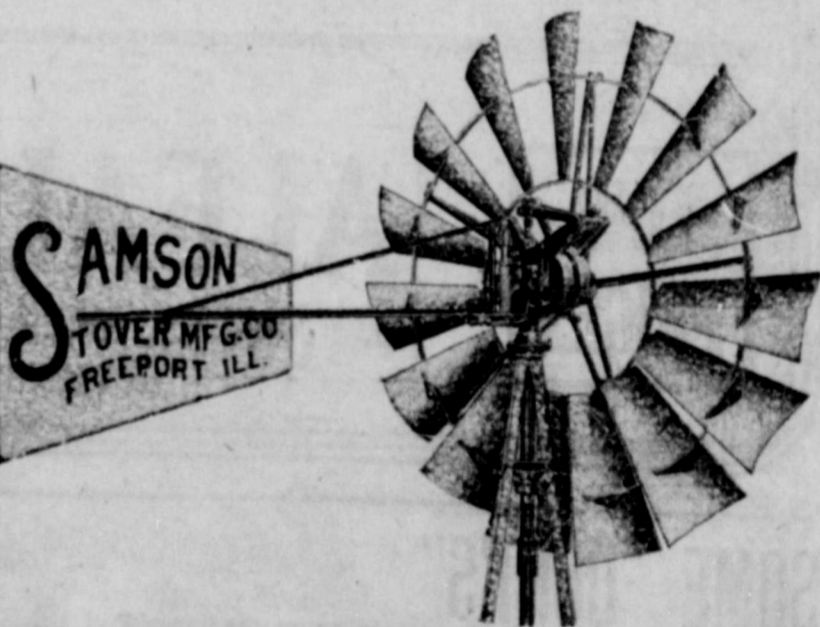
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"Ah, how wonderful!" cried Neenah, with ravishing candor. "A prince for a husband and the glorious Sahib!"

Jacob von Blitz stepped into the light Chase for a lover all your life! Ah!" The exclamation was no less than a sigh of rapturous indigestion.

The princess stared at her first in consternation, then in dismay. Before she could find words to combat this alarming prophecy, so ingeniously presented to her reflections, Selim and Hollingsworth Chase returned to the chamber. She was distressed, even confounded, to find that she was staring at Chase with a strange, abashed curiosity growing in her eyes—a stare that she suddenly was afraid he might observe and appreciate. A wave of revulsion, of shame, spread over her whole being.

With the swiftness of lightning she recalled the things that had been said of more than one grand dame in Europe—aye, of women at her own court. Even a princess she had known who—but for shame she cried in her heart. It could not be. Despite herself a cruel, distressing shyness came over her as he approached, his eyes glowing with the light she feared, yet craved. Was this man to remain in her life? Was he? Would he come to her and wage the unfair war? Was he honest? Was he even now coveting her as other men had coveted the women she knew and despised? She found herself confronted by the shocking conviction that he knew she could never be his wife. He knew she was to wed another, and yet—it was unbelievable.

She met his eager advance with a quick, shrill laugh of defiance and noted the surprise in his eyes. Dim as the light was, she could have sworn that the look in those eyes was honest. Ah, that silly Neenah! The reaction was as sudden as the revolt had been. Her smile grew warm and shy.

"Von Blitz has been here," he was saying half diffidently, still searching deep in her eyes. "He's played hob. And he's likely to return at any minute."

"Then let us go quickly. I have no desire to meet the objectionable Mr. Von Blitz. Isn't it dreadfully dangerous here, Mr. Chase?"

"Mr. Chase?" he said, with his winning smile. "Now?"

"Yes, now and always Mr. Chase," she said steadily. "You know that it cannot be otherwise. I can't always be a fool."

His face turned a deep red; his lips parted for retort to this truculent estimate, but he controlled himself.

"Yes, it is dangerous here," he said quietly, answering her question. "As soon as Selim bars that door upon the inside we'll go. I was a fool to bring you here."

"How could you know what the dangers would be?" she asked.

"I'll confess I didn't expect Von Blitz," he said dryly.

"But you did expect"—she began, with a start, biting her lips.

"There's a vast difference between expectation and hope, princess." Neenah had joined Selim at the door when the men re-entered the chamber. Now she was approaching with her husband.

"May Allah bless you and profit for himself, excellencies," said the good Selim. Neenah plainly had advanced her suspicions to the brown body servant. Geneva blushed, and then her eyes blazed. She gave the girl a

scornful look. Neenah smiled happily, unreservedly, in return.

"Allah help us, you should say, if Von Blitz returns," interposed Chase hastily. "Is the door barred?"

"No, excellency. The bars have sprung. I cannot drop them in place. As you know, the lock has been blown away. The charge sprung the bolts. We must go at once."

"Then there is no way to keep them out of the chateau?" cried Geneva, anxiously.

"They can go no farther than this room," explained Selim. "We lock the double iron doors from the other side—the door through which you came, most glorious, excellency—and they cannot enter, the cellars above. This is the chamber which opens into the underground passage to the coast. The passage was made for escape from the chateau in case of trouble and was known to but few. My father was the servant of Sahib Wyckholme, and I used to live in the chateau."

"Once there was a boat, a launch, which lay hidden below the cliffs on the north coast. The passage led to this boat. It was always ready to put out to sea. But one night it was destroyed by the great rocks which fell from the cliffs in an earthquake. When I came here I at once thought of the passage. You will see that the doors into the cellar cannot be opened from this chamber. The locks and bolts are on the other side. I know where the keys were hidden. It was easy to unlock the doors and come into this room. I found that some one had been here before me. The door to the passage had been forced open from without, cracked by dynamite. Many of the treasure boxes have been removed. Von Blitz was here not an hour ago. He wears boots. I saw the footprints among the naked ones in the passage. They will come back for the other chests. Then they will blow up the passageway with powder, and escape from the chateau through it will be cut off. I have found the kegs of powder in the passage and have destroyed the fuses. It will be of no avail, Sahib. They will blow it up at the other end, which will be just the same."

(To be continued.)

**Neck in Rope When Help Reaches Him**

St. Louis, August 14.—Charged with murdering a month old infant which he had snatched from the arms of its mother, James Pullman of Belmont, Ill., escaped lynching at Edmont, Ill., through the arrival of a score of deputies in automobiles.

A rope had been placed about his neck and a mob was dragging him to a telephone pole in one of the city's main streets when the officials charged the mob and rescued him.

The baby was found in a slough, the skull crushed and the body found a foot deep in thick mud, having been placed in the ground and stamped under with feet.

A woman in a funeral procession witnessed the act and gave the alarm.

Pullman and the mother of the child, May Williams of Duncanville, Ill., were in St. Louis today trying to find a home for the infant, which was born a month ago in a maternity home here. Failing to find a refuge, the girl started for her home, to throw the child and herself on the mercy of her father.

Pullman accompanied her on the interurban car and as they reached the suburbs of East St. Louis he snatched the child from her arms and jumped off. She followed him, but he eluded her in a swamp in Edmont, an East St. Louis suburb. The girl went on to Belleville, where she swore out a warrant for Pullman, alleging paternity.

Pullman was seen in Belleville two hours later and had disposed of the child. He was arrested and a charge of murder entered against him. He declared that he had given the baby to a woman who said she was willing to care for it. Accompanied by two deputies, he was taken back to Edmont and the swamp was searched.

A mob collected when the charge against him became known and a rope was tied around his neck after the two deputies had been beaten off.

Surrounded by two hundred infuriated men, he was dragged to a nearby telephone pole. A man had started to climb the pole with the rope when reinforcements arrived in automobiles from East St. Louis and Pullman was saved. He was hustled into a machine and taken back to Belleville.

Pullman, shivering with fear, was subjected to a severe examination but maintained his innocence, declaring that the baby was alive. He also asserts his innocence of the paternity charge.

Feeling is running high against him in Belleville and since the baby is found to have been murdered another attempt to lynch him is feared. Special deputies have been sworn in by the sheriff and the jail is strongly guarded.

Paul Manget, who has been sojourning for several weeks on John Chambers' ranch near Van Court, was in the city Friday and Saturday on a business trip. Mr. Manget is a product of St. Louis, but he declares that West Texas is home from now on.

**Big Mayor is Arrested For Blackmailing**

Philadelphia, Aug. 14.—Accused of having attempted to blackmail President James McCrea of the Pennsylvania railroad by threatening to dynamite the companies most important bridges and stations unless paid \$45,000, a man of apparent culture and standing, who professed to be Abram C. Eby, mayor of Burkeville, Va., was arrested here after having been led to believe that the railroad would accept his terms. The prisoner was arraigned before United States Commissioner Craig and was held in \$10,000 for the September term of the federal court, charged with devising a scheme to defraud by using the United States mails.

Eby's alleged scheme was daring. He made use of his alleged Masonic connections in the negotiations and exacted what he asserted were fraternity oaths to make the payment of the money binding upon the railroad officials. The man's sanity is in doubt.

The amount demanded, \$45,000, was declared to be only a part of what the writer had lost on Reading stock while the Pennsylvania was making war on it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nolte left Friday for Galveston and Houston on business. Mr. Nolte will return in a few days and Mrs. Nolte will visit several East Texas points.

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## PRE-SEASON ENTHUSIASM ENCOURAGING

Letters are being received from all over the state from E. Lowrie from players and managers, who are either contemplating entering the West Texas league next season or want to sign up with the local team. Enthusiasm seems to be breaking out to a great extent even before the close of the present season.

Among the many communications received was one from Standifer, the Blues' catcher this season, making a bid for a berth next year, and also informing Mr. Lowrie that he has a live on several top-notchers who would come here for reasonable inducements. Standifer was the star catcher in West Texas this season and he will be welcomed with open arms upon his return. "Waking up," said Mr. Lowrie, "I should say so. I never saw so much pre-season enthusiasm in my life, especially at this stage of the game. We won't have any lack of towns making bids and we will have all the material necessary. Now I am going to say one thing. I have previously stated that in case I have charge of the home team I will have a winner if money and labor can make one. Of course we can't afford to pay big league salaries, but we will make it interesting

for any player that comes our way, if he has any class. Naturally, the citizens will be expected to aid materially in the cause, but I am confident they will do so if assured a high class team."

### In Old Mexico.

A letter was received in the office of The Press-News Saturday from the reputable fishermen led by Easy Nimitz, who left San Angelo the early part of the week for Devil's river in a big auto owned by Clarence Webb.

All are in excellent condition, both physically and mentally and report a jolly good time. They crossed over into Old Mexico Saturday, and will be back in San Angelo in about a week.

### Family Reunion.

A family reunion was held last week at the residence of J. D. Joyce. Mrs. Joyce had three brothers and one sister visit her from Parker county, which constitutes the entire family. The youngest of these is 54 and the eldest 76. All are hale and hearty, and it was a happy reunion. J. F. and George D. Strain, two of the brothers, left Saturday for their homes in Weatherford.

The San Angelo Conservatory can teach you anything in music at reasonable terms.

J. D. Bird of Eldorado was in the city Saturday on his way to Marble Falls to visit friends and relatives.

E. R. Thompson left Saturday to visit in Galveston and Corpus Christi.

## BUSINESS CLUB MEETS MONDAY

MORGAN JONES PROPOSITION ON TABLE FOR CONSIDERATION.

## HE MEANS BUSINESS

Owing to Importance of Matter President Broome Thinks Full Attendance Should Be Present.

More railroads! That is what is before the Business club at the present, and the matter will be considered Monday night at the regular session of that organization. Morgan Jones has submitted a proposition to the people of San Angelo, and with such a proposition on hand, serious consideration is necessary; so every member of the organization is requested to be present.

Such matters must receive concerted attention, and with the great majority of the business men of the city together, definite action may be taken without delay. Morgan Jones, the man who submitted the proposition, is the person who promoted the Abilene and Southern railway, which is now making such rapid strides toward completion. Therefore, it is to be surmised that the proposition is not of the wildcat variety.

Other matters of great importance are also up for consideration.

### COS-HART.

Thousands Visit This Institution During Evening—The Reason Why.

When a new wrinkle is vitalized from a novel idea it is perfectly natural that the public mind should exhibit a zealous interest. Perhaps that is why the drug store of Cos-Hart was filled with people all Saturday evening. Cos-Hart a few weeks ago decided to have music of Saturday evenings in their drug store, merely as a sort of aid to whiling away the time still more pleasantly as the white-aproned fizz fellow served soda water. That idea "took" all right, but Saturday Cos-Hart decided to add perfume to the music, and tube roses were distributed to the ladies who called during the evening.

It is just this sort of "at homes," these novel adjuncts to a business; these little-out of the ordinaries that are making Cos-Hart an institution. And it should be mentioned that before any business can become an institution it must first be a store. Cos-Hart dates from Jan. 1 last. There are firms in San Angelo that have been here for thirty years that have not attained the growth that these young business men have had. It's the new things that are generally the better things. Cos-Hart are the originators of new ideas—the progressive kind, at that.

### Real Estate Transfers.

Paul Abstract & Title company's report of real estate transfers recorded August 14:

John Clem et ux. to Concho Lumber company, \$9000; conveys lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 83, Fort Concho addition.

J. T. Valentine et ux. to M. A. Moon et al., \$360; conveys lot 10 and south half of lot 11, block 69, Angelo Heights addition.

West Heights Land company to E. L. Rogers, \$300; conveys lot 3, block 25, and lots 3 and 4, block 2, West Heights addition.

E. C. Perry to C. H. Wolff, \$3600; conveys block 22B, subdivision 1, Collyns' ranch.

Mrs. Lee Jones to H. DeWolf, \$2500; conveys lots 8 and 9, block 5, Ellis addition.

Do you want to master the violin or piano? If so, inquire at the new Conservatory of Music.

W. Davis, who has been in charge of the commissary department of the Orient here, left Friday for Seattle, Wash., where he has a more lucrative position offered him.

# TARIFF REVISION BY PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, A Special Session of Congress has been held, a quorum of both the Upper and the Lower House being present, and by an overwhelming majority it having been decided that the people of the country are in favor of Revision, and that in a downward direction.

THEREFORE, I, Charles B. Henderson, president of the C. B. Henderson Company, "The House That Saves You Money," do hereby order and proclaim that the merchandise of this store be admitted to the homes of the people of the City of San Angelo, Tom Green County, Texas, and of those of the whole of West Texas, to the very limits of the trade territory of this metropolis of Concholand, **absolutely duty free** for a period of one week, beginning Monday, August 16th and ending at 10-30 p. m., Saturday August 21st, 1909.

AND I DO HEREBY Further Proclaim to the people of San Angelo and all Concholand that prices will be lower during this one week than they have been in many seasons and that this is the opportune time for them to provide themselves with the necessities of life at a very small cost, the tariff—profit—having been abrogated and annulled for this week in order that the citizens of Concholand and their friends from foreign parts may have the opportunity of witnessing real tariff revision downward.

Witness my hand and the great seal of the corporation on this the 15th day of August, the year of our Lord 1909, and of the existence of "The House That Saves You Money." the fourth.

Every vestage of Summer Goods must go. Be on hand early as you can.

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## FINE HORSES SECURED FOR FALL RACING

"I secured a bunch of fine horses for our fair while away," said Bob Andrew, who is back from Lampasas, having attended the fair in that city. "It was a pretty good fair," he said "but it didn't come anywhere near being the class with the fair we are going to have this fall. The attractions were all right as far as they went, but they didn't go far enough. "The airship was a fluke all around. They only succeeded in getting it off terra firma once, and they had it hitched to a stake rope that time. It would have given Wilbur and Orville Wright fits to have seen the horrible exemplification of their art that was produced. However, the airship that will be on exhibition in San Angelo

will not be on that order. I understand that we are to have one of the best aeronauts in the business.

"I secured promises of about fourteen fine horses while down there, the best in the state. The majority of them are harness horses, and beauties, everyone of them. The harness horse is coming into his own nowadays; people are realizing that a harness race is about the top notch exhibition in the sport of kings. These horses are of the real swift variety. They can make a half in 1:04. That wasn't told to me. I saw them do it.

"From the present indications it seems that we are going to have a bunch of horses here this fall second to none in the state."

Attorney and Mrs. J. Curtis Simmons have returned from a six weeks' pleasure trip in the great northwest and on the Great Lakes. They attended the Alaska-Yukon exposition at Seattle. On the whole they declare it was the most enjoyable outing of their lives.

### PAINT ROCK.

Lumber Company Buys Property from W. W. Walker—\$500 for One Lot.

Paint Rock, Tex., Aug. 14.—The L. D. McCallum Lumber company purchased today lot 2, block 22, from W. W. Walker of Bell county, for \$500 cash.

This property is on the corner of Roberts and Pecan streets and is two blocks south of the public square.

The contract has been let for the building of the piers for the railroad bridge across the Concho, and the work is progressing nicely.

Mrs. H. C. Reid is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. L. Long, at Ballinger.

Oscar Frink returned Saturday from a trip to Wynnewood, Okla., where he went on legal business.

William Nance and sister, Miss Mary Nance, returned Saturday to their home in Lometa, after visiting friends and relatives.

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