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The Tri-County Fair

Big Bend combination, much interest shown. Committee meeting. Marfa for first year

Preparations for the largest and best fair ever held in the Highland, Big Bend, Davis Mountains section are now under way. This is to be a Tri-County Fair, exploiting the live stock, agricultural, horticultural, mining, poultry and other industries of the Big Bend Section, and it is proposed that this Fair shall be largely educational, its purpose to draw the Davis Mountains and Highland Country, in general, into closer co-operation, and to foster and encourage all industries of this section. At a luncheon meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, held Wednesday, a great deal of enthusiasm was expressed over the proposed organization—The annual Tri-County Fair. Fifty members were present, with H. A. Coffield, chairman. The guests were, J. W. Burns, Fort Worth, Secretary Texas Highland Association; T. B. Wood, District Agent, A. & M. College Extension Service, J. D. Jackson, Shirley Scales, T. R. Moody, N. S. Rose, J. E. Casner, Alpine; J. W. Merrill, W. S. Miller, and J. B. Scobee, Fort Davis; J. W. Burns, T. B. Woods, J. D. Jackson, J. W. Merrill made splendid talks in which they praised the Chamber of Commerce activities and recommended the Tri-County Fair project.

H. L. Hord, acting president of the Chamber of Commerce announced that the Waterworks-Sewage proposition was not dead. Appointed, P. A. Griffith, Gus Raetzsch, W. P. Murphy and G. C. Robinson, as a committee to study data and figures submitted by different engineering companies now in the office of the C. of C. and report on same at next regular meeting of the C. of C. June 23. Mr. Hord says, in view of the fact that the majority of citizenship are in favor of these necessary improvements, they must be put over.

COMMITTEE MEETS

A meeting of nine committeemen, with other representative citizens and visitors, met in the offices of the Highland Breeder's Association following the Chamber of Commerce luncheon meeting. This meeting, conducted by T. C. Mitchell, president of the Highland Hereford Breeders Association, was held for the purpose of considering the location, planning the organization and electing officers for the proposed Tri-County Fair for Presidio, Jeff Davis, and Brewster Counties. W. B. Mitchell, J. C. Fuller and H. T. Fletcher, composed the committee for Presidio County; J. W. Merrill, Barry Scobee and W. S. Miller for Jeff Davis, county; J. D. Jackson, J. E. Casner, and Shirley Scales represented Brewster County. The fair for this year, it was unanimously decided will be held in Marfa, Camp Marfa offering whole hearted co-operation.

A permanent location will be passed on at a later date. The following officers were elected: H. T. Fletcher, Marfa, President; J. W. Merrill, Fort Davis, Vice-President; J. D. Jackson, Alpine, Vice-President. These officers will select from the different industrial centers of the three counties, their board of directors who will assist in putting over the Association. J. C. Fuller was appointed to draw up a Constitution and By-Laws which will be submitted at a mass meeting of the three Counties, for ratification. J. W. Burns, Fort Worth, Sect'y Texas Highland Association and T. B. Wood, District Agent, A. & M. College Extension Service, were present at the meeting and offered helpful suggestions for a permanent, successful Tri-County Fair for the Big Bend Section.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Beginning on Sunday the 19th of June the Model Market will close its doors at 8:30 A. M. No phone orders will be taken after said time. Doors will be open on Sunday from 6 to 8:30 a. m.

H. T. Fletcher, D. G. Attends Convention

H. T. Fletcher, Governor of the 42nd District of Rotary International, with Mrs. Fletcher, left Wednesday for the Convention of Rotary International which convenes at Denver, Colo., June 14 to 18, inclusive. This Convention will be attended by delegates from 2,400 clubs in 35 nations all over the World. The 42nd District of Rotary International, of which Mr. Fletcher is Governor, includes the state of New Mexico and a number of Texas towns west of the East line to New Mexico and south to the Rio Grande. Before returning to their home in Marfa, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher will visit points of interest in Colorado.

A GOOD SPRAY FOR THE HOME VEGETABLE GARDEN

At this time of the year the plant ophids do considerable damage to the home gardens and it is very essential to spray to hold down insect damage. The plant ophids which are sucking insects should be sprayed with the following mixture. Take three and one-half pounds of hydrated lime and place in can of some kind that has a lid. The regular one gallon molasses can is desirable for this purpose. Then place one-half pound of quick lime on top of the hydrated lime, and sprinkle four ounces of black leaf 40 on top of this and stir in. The lid is placed on then and it is a good idea to shake it up well before using. This is then applied with any of the hand dusters in the dust form.

For chewing insects, such as the potato beetle use Lead arsenate, 1 and one-half pounds to 50 gallons of water. The lime can be secured at the lumber yards and the black leaf 40 and Lead Arsenate at the local drug stores.

R. S. Miller, County Agent.

Judge Chas. Gibbs of Midland Tex as candidate for Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals at El Paso, was a visitor to Marfa yesterday.

PROMINENT VISITOR

J. W. Burns, Fort Worth, Sect'y Texas Highland Association is visiting in Marfa. Mr. Burns, prior to his acceptance of the Highland office, was prominently identified as head of the Animal Husbandry Department of the A. & M. College. Mr. Burns, in company with W. B. Mitchell, noted stockman of Marfa, has just completed a 1,500 mile automobile trip, covering the Plains and Panhandle and the Big Bend Sections of Texas, Marfa being the last leg of the trip. This tour was made for the purpose of talking with the farmers and cattlemen of these sections and looking into their agricultural and livestock interests. Mr. Burns was the guest of the C. of C. on Wednesday, where he spoke in behalf of the proposed Tri-County Fair, pointing out its many advantages and giving the membership the benefit of his extensive experience with fairs, especially with Fort Worth Livestock Fairs.

THE PAISANA ASSEMBLY

The fifth annual meeting of the Paisano Baptist Assembly will be held this year on July 23rd to August 1st inclusive.

FARM PARTY

First of the week Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Casner of Alpine, returned from their farm near the Depot on the river, where they entertained a number of their friends. Among those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. King Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Allen, Rainey Casner, Jack Edwards, Miss Pauline Terry, and Miss Brookie Cook of Alpine; Miss Ora Lock, Miss Fitzgerald, Milton Gillett and A. Ligon of Marfa.

Miss Mary Lee Greenwood returned home this week from Alpine, where she took a special course in Music at Sul Ross.

Miss Johnnie Henderson of Alpine has purchased from Mrs. John J. Hart, the Authorized Marinello Shop, and will take charge on the 1st of July.

Mr. Leo Church of Tulsa, Oklahoma came in Monday morning to spend a while with his mother Dr. Ellen Church.

MARFA PARTY VISITING

HISTORIC BREWSTER SPOT

A party consisting of Capt. and Mrs. J. B. Gillett, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Evans and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Colquitt and family and Milton Gillett all of Marfa, passed through Alpine Tuesday enroute to Southern Brewster county where they are going on a camping trip. The party will camp at the old headquarters of the G4 ranch where Capt. Gillett lived 40 years ago when he was manager of the G4 outfit. They will camp on the exact spot where, in 1886, Capt. Gillett helped to construct a stone corral which was located at the headquarters ranch house and a portion of which still remains standing. The G4 outfit was owned by General Gano of Dallas and was one of the largest ranches in this section of the country. The old headquarters are located on Terlingua creek a few miles this side of the mining village of Terlingua, this county.

Capt. Gillett has lived in this country for many years and is one of the best known and most prominent citizens of west Texas. He served for several years on the Texas Ranger force and is author of the now famous book, "Six Years With the Texas Rangers," which is now in the second edition. The book deals with Captain Gillett's experiences with this body of hard-riding and straight-shooting cowboy law enforcers of the great Lone Star State when the law of the land was the six-gun.

—Alpine Avalanche.

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Valedictorians Address

Delivered by Edna Mae Scott, Marfa High School, Class 1926.

I bargained with life for a penny, And Life would pay no more, Hower I begged at evening, When I counted my scanty store. For life is just employer, He gives us what we ask, But once we have set the wages, Why, we must bear the task. I worked for a menial's hire, Only to learn dismayed, That any wages I had asked of Life Life would have gladly paid.

We are endowed with power greater than the universe and greater than all the countless world, because we have a mind and the ability to think. All the multitudinous wonders of creation are but reflections of the beauty within ourselves, waiting for unfoldment. We are the keepers of great responsibilities, the inheritors of the treasured wisdom of the ages. Our lives are shaped for grand purposes, but in stead of claiming our kingship like slaves trembling under the lash of fear, we go hither and thither, struggling with circumstances and jostled by adversity as we, the 1926 Graduates of Marfa High School let us live, work and love. Live until living becomes a joy; work until useful efforts becomes a chant of praise; love until the light that never was on land or sea, floods our lives with its eternal radiance. Live, work and love until we have no time for fear. Then in the majesty of new found strength and new born freedom, we will fit into God's plan where every man is a success; the water of our lives will be changed into wine, and our voices lifted up in a glad, unbroken song of victory.

The privilege of living in such a civilization as ours is today has not been granted to all men and we realize it. Never again, we believe, will darkness threaten to envelop this world in the gloom of ignorance; certainly not while schools like ours are teaching truth and wisdom and goodness. Not while war.

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An Asset Often Over Looked

The fact that your home town merchant is always at "home," That your home town merchant- your friend- prizes your friendship and confidence, therefore makes no wholesale "Guarantees" that he does not expect to make good, but does make good, when he "Guarantee" not just a "Guarantee" to do so.

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Says He Felt Drunk Most of the Time

Brooklyn, Mr. Fred G. Marquart writes:—"I felt drunk most of the time. My head was dizzy. I couldn't think clearly. One day I dropped a coin and when I stooped to get it I got so dizzy I almost fell. I later found out that the cause of this condition was constipation. This was overcome by a short course of Carter's Little Liver Pills. My appetite has doubled, and my dizziness has entirely left me."

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Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THANK-YOU'S COMPANION

Thank-You's companion used to go about with him a great deal. He was a good-natured creature, not particularly remarkable, and not particularly clever, but well-meaning and pleasant and nice. Thank-You's companion was named "Don't-Mention-It."

You probably have often seen them together. Or, at least, you have heard them when they have been holding one of their conversations.

Thank-You never speaks when the companion is along, too, without the companion adding his little name-speech to the talk. They do not let their speeches be said by the same person. Each shows that he is a separate individual by each having a different person make his speech. For instance you will hear one person say: "Thank you." And you will hear the other person say: "Don't mention it."

Well, when you hear these two speeches, made by two different people, yet who are speaking together, you will know that Thank-You and Don't-Mention-It are around.

Thank-You will suggest to one person that he use his name, and Don't-Mention-It will suggest to the other that he answer by using his name. Well, one day Thank-You and Don't-Mention-It were off having a little picnic together.

They each talked in the funniest way you can imagine. Whenever Thank-You took a sandwich or a glass of ginger ale or a piece of cake he would say to the sandwich or the glass of ginger ale or the piece of cake:

"Thank you."

Whenever Don't-Mention-It took a sandwich or a glass of ginger ale or a piece of cake, he would say to the sandwich or the glass of ginger ale or the piece of cake:

"Don't mention it."

They were so in the habit of making these speeches they just talked that way to the food they were eating.

And instead of Don't-Mention-It thanking for what he was eating he never thanked anything or anyone but just said: "Don't mention it."

"Really," Don't-Mention-It said after they had finished the picnic, "I am a silly fellow and perhaps I'm not so polite after all."

"When you say 'thank you' I say 'don't mention it'."

"But I say it after you have mentioned it. I don't tell you ahead of time not to thank or not to bother about mentioning or speaking any thanks or appreciation."

"I say it afterward."

"I don't know that I'm very sensible or very polite."

"Oh, yes," said Thank-You, "that's all right. It's right for me to thank and it's right for you to say: 'Don't mention it.'"

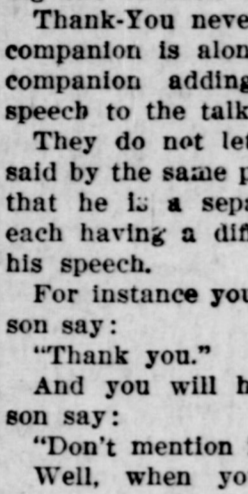
"For when you say that, it means that you accept my thanks but that you consider you should not accept too many thanks and that it was a pleasure to do for me."

"Oh, what you say is all right."

"Oh, very well," said Don't-Mention-It, "of course I'm at least well-meaning even if I'm not a brilliant fellow. You're so much finer a looking gnome-chap somehow."

"I don't know that I would say that," said Thank-You, "but thank you, just the same."

"Don't mention it," said Don't-Mention-It.



"Thank You."

"Don't mention it."

"Thank You."

"Don't mention it."

On the Wrong Side
Johnnie (to the new visitor)—So you are my grandma, are you?
Grandmother—Yes, Johnnie, I'm your grandma on your father's side.
Johnnie—Well, you're on the wrong side. You'll soon find that out.—Los Angeles Two Bells.

Thought Well of Jimmy
Jimmy's mother told him he must not go across the street to see the twins so often, as they would get tired of him. "What, tired of me?" said Jimmy. "I guess not. Why, they like me next to their bottle."

Dinner Interfered
Caller—Won't you walk with me as far as the street car, Tommy?
Tommy (aged seven)—I can't.
Caller—Why not?
Tommy—Cos we're going to have dinner as soon as you go.

BLOUSES IN IMPORTANT ROLE; SILK AND WOOLEN TAILLEURS

IN THE drama of the mode this season blouses are not top-liners—the one-piece frock is in the lead, followed by jumper frocks and other two-piece affairs that rival the blouse. But the distinctive part played by the blouse is important: it is indispensable with tailored suits and in sports clothes and it is a part of more formal modes. In tailored blouses there are some very interesting novelties and some new developments of familiar types. Among the former, high-necked overblouses of silk, in plaid pattern, with four-in-hand ties to match, are featured along with similar blouses of printed silks in other patterns. These

Itselt into the realm of evening clothes, but this eccentric invasion of new territory failed to kindle any enthusiasm and soon languished, while trim and dignified tailored clothes for daytime wear have flourished and grown popular. Suits and frocks are presented for summer in both woolen fabrics and silk crepes and certain new style points are featured that distinguish the garments of the present season from those of yesterday. One of the novel ideas that is proving its worth is the combination of two patterns in materials—that is, a plain fabric and a striped or checked fabric, in suits or dresses. Another is the attention given to lingerie accessories, particularly pique vests, which are introduced in a variety of designs. A third novelty appears in fancy weaves in tweeds and in the use of lively colors in sturdy tweeds and homespun. Suits of a more formal type are developed in smooth cloths.



BLOUSE OF CHECKED SILK

include blouses with scarf collars and it is noticeable that scarfs are featured in other types of blouses. Long and narrower scarfs are wound once about the throat, crossed at the back, and tied at the front. Strictly tailored, mannish overblouses of cotton broadcloth are represented, and in this and other styles the shirt bosom and vestee effects at the front are popular. Striped and bordered silks and cottons are handled ingeniously in blouses of simple design for sports wear. These are cut on lines similar to the white and black blouse of checked silk shown in the picture. In

Even when an unusual model compels a second and a third glance, one cannot always determine whether to class it as a two-piece dress or a suit. An example of this kind is shown at the left of the sketch; it is presented by its designer as a two-piece tailored dress, made of biege-colored crepe, with garnishment of fine plaits, and is a delightfully dainty and dignified ex-



WHAT PARIS OFFERS

materials with striped borders the plain portion is used for the blouse and the border for the hip and sleeve bands. Georgette crepe, in plain colors, is used for attractive blouses of the dressy type and lace in narrow frills or short panels is sparingly used on them. Little flat buttons, covered with the georgette, are also noteworthy finishing touches, and models of this kind are usually high-necked and long-sleeved. Included in the tailored modes as they are presented by Paris—and the rest of the world—this season, are suits, frocks that look like suits, two-piece and one-piece dresses. The revival of tailored styling even extended

ponent of good style for spring and summer wear. Navy blue charmeuse or twill serves for the trim and crisp suit sketched at the right, with gilet and undersleeves in white, which might be either of crepe de chine, batiste, or of sheerer materials. This is a model which would look well developed in livelier colors, as tan, gray or light green. But even in dark colors such an expanse of white at the front gives it a springtime look. Paris sponsors the very short skirt for those who have shapely legs and have not left youth too far behind.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

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People have to live first before they can see, and they don't think until they are fed, and one needs always to have had enough turnips to see in them anything except food.—Mrs. Wilkins.

FOOD FOR THE DAY
The French are wonderful cooks, but they look with dismay upon our huge, juicy roasts and steaks. Mark Twain said: "There is here and there an American who will say he can remember rising from a European table d'hote perfectly satisfied; but we must not overlook the fact that there is here and there an American who will lie." **Onion Soup With Eggs and Cream.**—Cut up six white onions thin and fry in a tablespoonful of butter until a light brown. Add a quart of water and a pint of milk. Season with a teaspoonful each of salt and sugar, a dash of red pepper and a pinch of mace. Cook slowly for an hour and strain; beat four eggs until light, add a cupful of cream and a tablespoonful of cornstarch, mixed with a little cold water; cook until the starch is well cooked before adding the eggs, as the soup must not be boiled after adding the eggs or it will curdle.

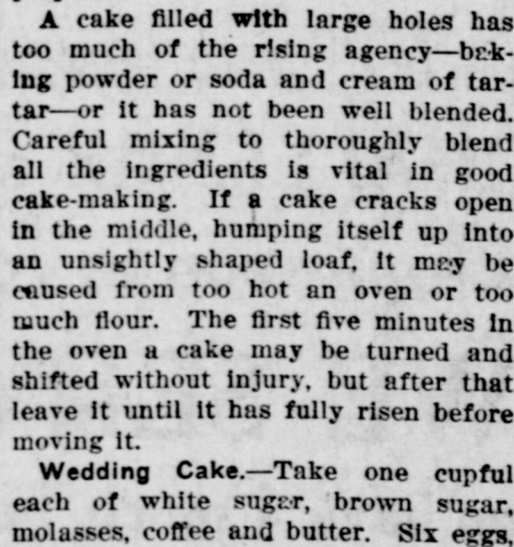
Jellied Chicken.—Dress, clean and cut up a four-pound fowl. Put in a saucepan with two slices of onion; cover with boiling water and cook slowly until the meat falls from the bones. When partly cooked add half a teaspoonful of salt. Remove the chicken, reduce the stock to three-fourths of a cupful, strain and skim off the fat. Decorate the bottom of the mold with parsley and hard-cooked eggs cut into slices. Pack in the meat, freed from skin and bones, and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Pour over the stock and place the mold under a heavy weight. Keep in a cold place until firm. In warm weather add a teaspoonful of gelatin to the stock.

Merridale Pie.—Take two cupfuls of drained crushed pineapple, one-half cupful of red currant jelly, one tablespoonful of confectioner's sugar, and one stiffly beaten egg white. Mix the pineapple, jelly and sugar and beat vigorously with an egg beater, then fold in the beaten egg white and turn into a baked pastry shell. Sprinkle with one-half cupful of grated coconut and place in the oven until brown.

Baked Chicken With Bananas.—Melt one-fourth of a cupful of butter, add one large onion thinly sliced, cut two young chickens into pieces for serving, cover and cook slowly, turning often; after cooking ten minutes add one cupful of chicken stock and cook until the meat is tender. Remove the chicken, put stock and onion through a sieve and add one and one-half tablespoons each of butter and flour cooked together until smooth. Season with salt, pepper and a bit of cayenne. Arrange the chicken on a platter, pour the sauce around it and garnish the rim of the platter with sliced bananas which have been fried in butter. A teaspoonful of lemon juice and one-half teaspoonful of sugar may be used to taste the bananas while cooking.

Choice Cakes.
Wise mixing and careful baking are important points in successful cake making. If the cake is to be baked an hour, watch the oven the first quarter or twenty-five minutes to see that it begins to rise; the second quarter it should finish rising and begin to brown; the third quarter it should finish browning and begin to shrink from the sides of the pan; the last quarter finishes the baking. If the cake begins to brown in the first quarter, it will not rise sufficiently, so careful following of this rule will insure a good cake, provided it has been well prepared. A cake filled with large holes has too much of the rising agency—baking powder or soda and cream of tartar—or it has not been well blended. Careful mixing to thoroughly blend all the ingredients is vital in good cake-making. If a cake cracks open in the middle, humping itself up into an unsightly shaped loaf, it may be caused from too hot an oven or too much flour. The first five minutes in the oven a cake may be turned and shifted without injury, but after that leave it until it has fully risen before moving it.

Wedding Cake.—Take one cupful each of white sugar, brown sugar, molasses, coffee and butter. Six eggs, one teaspoonful of soda, two pounds of raisins, one pound of currants, one-half pound each of finely sliced citron and chopped dates, the same of figs, one pound of walnut meats chopped, one-half ounce each of orange and lemon extract, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful each of cloves, nutmeg and allspice. Two cupfuls of chopped apples and salt to taste. Add four cupfuls of flour and steam three hours, then bake one. This fruit cake will keep for months and is better made at least two months before it will be served. Steaming the cake first insures a moist, good-flavored cake.



Julia Bottomley.
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Nellie Maxwell

LIVES ON FARM IN OKLAHOMA

Happy Woman Praises Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

In a sunny pasture in Oklahoma, a herd of sleek cows was grazing. They made a pretty picture. But the thin woman in the blue checked apron sighed as she looked at them. She was tired of cows, tired of her tedious work in the dairy. She was tired of cooking for a houseful of boarders, besides caring for her own family. The burdens of life seemed too heavy for her failing health. She had lost confidence in herself.

One day she began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and her general health began to improve. She took it faithfully. Now she can do her work without any trouble, sleeps well and is no longer blue and timid. This woman, Mrs. Cora Short, R. R. 9, Box 396, Oklahoma City, Okla., writes: "Everybody now says: 'Mrs. Short, what are you doing to yourself? I weigh 135 and my weight before I took it was 115. I have taken seven bottles of the Vegetable Compound.'"

Other women who have to work hard and keep things going may find the road to better health as Mrs. Short did, through the faithful use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Ask your neighbor.

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Literary-minded people form a circle apart, into which no one can enter except the like-minded.

Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot" not only expels Worms or Tapeworm but cleans out the mucus in which they breed and tones up the digestion. One dose does it. Adv.

Most people are willing, even anxious, to celebrate a great man's fame.

Tired, Lame, Achy?

Are you dragging around with a constant backache? Feel weak, worn and achy; so miserable you can't enjoy a moment's comfort? How about your kidneys? Well, kidneys filter off body poisons. But when the kidneys slow up, poisons accumulate and upset the system. Backache is apt to follow, with sharp pains, dizziness and annoying kidney irregularities. Don't delay! If you suspect faulty kidney action, use Doan's Pills. Doan's have helped thousands—are recommended the world over. Ask your neighbor!

A Texas Case
Mrs. Tom Edwards, Delta Mill Section House No. 13, Conroe, Tex., says: "Mornings my back was so lame and achy I could hardly get up. Sharp pains seized me across my back and I had terrible dizzy spells and every night went black before me. My kidneys were disordered. I used Doan's Pills though, and they rid me of this trouble."

DOAN'S PILLS

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Foster-Milburn Co., Mfg. Chem., Buffalo, N. Y.

Community Building

Beauty of Evergreens Spoiled by Crowding

Throughout the year there is nothing more pleasing or ornamental around the base of the house than a foundation planting of evergreens, but in a good many instances it is overdone by crowding. In a year or two the shrubs grow together and only their tops and faces can be seen. If better judgment were used and the plants set more widely apart, so that each plant could be seen separately, a much finer effect would be attained. Put the taller varieties at the back, but not too close to the base of the house, with dwarf varieties at the front interspersed with some upright junipers to take away any stiffness in appearance. The knife or shears should be employed freely, for evergreens can stand considerable cutting.

Many people do not like colors immediately about the house, but the varied greens of evergreens are restful and at the same time they add a touch of brightness to the home surroundings. There are especially beautiful shades to be found in the fall and winter, from dark green to light green, yellow, golden and bronze, purple blue, silver and white. One who intends to have a foundation planting about his home should visit the nurseries to observe the various tones and shades before he makes his selection of evergreen plants. It is really wonderful to watch the changes. For, like human beings, evergreens become tanned in summer, and in winter return to their natural color.

Insulation of Walls an All-Year Benefit

Home owners often overlook two things about insulation. They may insulate their houses to reduce their winter fuel bills without realizing that they also get another benefit, greater comfort in summer. For insulating materials prevent the passage of heat through walls, roofs, ceilings and other parts of the home. They prevent it from passing out of warm rooms in winter and from entering cool rooms in the torrid days of summer. So insulation is a hot-weather proposition, too.

Many owners think that a home can be insulated only when it is first built. They do not realize that a simple remodeling job will lay a cooling blanket over rooms that tend to get too warm in summer.

This applies especially to the bungalow or small two-story house with unfinished attic. The whole roof is exposed to the sun so the attic becomes hot and this heats the living quarters below.

Careless of Repairs

It is indeed curious that, while we avoid, in so far as we can, any depreciation of our other investments, many of us do not adequately protect our home investment. We are constantly paying "neglect taxes" on our properties, which may be greater some years than the government taxes.

Some idea of the extent of our carelessness may be gained from the knowledge that repairs to property, due entirely to neglect, cost American property owners about \$1,500,000,000 a year. This truly appalling figure indicates a very deplorable condition. It is a sum nearly four times as great as the annual fire loss.

This condition is due to utter carelessness on the part of home owners. The man who raises an awful "howl" if he thinks he is being "done" out of a little money, often does not realize that necessary repairs on his property may soon cause him really big losses.

Playground Competition

One hundred and seventy-eight cities have entered 311 playground and athletic fields in the national playground beautification contest announced by the Playground and Recreation Association of America.

Forty-one states and Canada are represented by the cities competing for the \$5,650 in cash prizes and nursery stock to be awarded by the Harmon foundation.

New York is the most populous competitor, and Anteville and Coward, S. C., are the smallest, each boasting 100 persons. However, the metropolis will not compete directly against the villages, as all entering cities are divided into three population groups.

The Home Town

Man loved not Athens in her golden days More tenderly than these the tree-lined town, Which, lacking muses for a wilder praise, Lives in their hearts in still and sweet renown.

The market square, the wagons in the dawn, The streets like music when their names are said, The Sunday spire, the green, untrammeled lawn— These be the things on which their hearts are fed.

—David Morton, in "The Town."

Roof of High Importance

From both architectural and decorative standpoints, the roof treatment is the keynote of the house. No matter whether the roof is flat or sloping, the handling of its color will be one of the greatest factors in adding to or taking from the attractiveness of the dwelling.

SHORT SEASON FOR FRESH ASPARAGUS Enjoy Delicious Vegetable While Supply Lasts.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The season for fresh asparagus is relatively short, so it is a good plan to enjoy this delicious vegetable many times and in many ways while the supply lasts. Asparagus should always be cooked as soon as possible after it is cut. It toughens and loses flavor very rapidly if allowed to stand.

To prepare it for cooking trim off any tough ends, brush carefully, and scrape off the larger scales. Wash so as to remove all sand and particles of earth which may have lodged under the scales. Fresh, tender, home-grown asparagus does not need the vigorous scraping so often given to the mature stalks with tougher skins. Asparagus may be cooked whole, or cut up in inch lengths and boiled in slightly salted water. The cooking time of fresh tender young stalks cut up in this way may be only five to ten minutes; at most, twenty or twenty-



Photograph by U. S. D. A. Cutting Up Asparagus to Cook It Quickly.

five minutes' cooking should be enough, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

Season the cooked asparagus with salt, pepper, butter, and a little cream, if you have it. Let it stand in a warm place for a few minutes and then serve, either alone or on toast. Many people who have been accustomed to serving the whole stalks accompany them with mayonnaise or vinaigrette—similar to French dressing—or with hollandaise or white sauce. These sauces may be used equally well with the cut-up asparagus. Pass the sauce separately.

The water in which asparagus has been cooked can be used in many ways and should be saved. It makes a delicious soup when seasoned, with a little cream or milk added. This may be thickened or not, as preferred. Asparagus stock is an improvement to soups made from other vegetable juices, such as tomato, onion, or celery. It combines well with cream of chicken soup, and can be made into a good sauce to use with left-over as-

paragus in making other dishes. Cooked asparagus may be used in making scalloped dishes, croquettes fritters, vegetable loaf, timbales, or added to almost any soup, stew, or vegetable salad. Vegetable combinations are increasingly popular, and such dishes as cut-up cooked asparagus with new diced creamed potatoes, or with peas, give variety to the menu, and make profitable use of small amounts of each vegetable. An asparagus omelet is an appetizing lunch-omelette dish, as is French toast with asparagus sauce, made with the stock.

By the use of a pressure-cooker, the surplus of home-grown asparagus may be canned. Some of the delicate, fresh flavor will of course be lost, but nevertheless asparagus is one of the best of the canned vegetables.

High Value of Cabbage as Source of Vitamines

Cabbage salad has many possibilities. Either white, green or curly cabbage may be used. Chop it fine, and combine with a dressing made as follows: Beat one-half pint of thick whipping cream until stiff; add 4½ tablespoonsfuls of lemon juice, 2 tablespoonfuls of fresh grated horseradish, a grating of onion, a few drops of tabasco, and salt to taste. These seasonings may be changed according to individual preference, but be sure there is enough dressing in proportion to the cabbage. Just a dash of cayenne pepper may be used if you do not have tabasco. If the horseradish is in vinegar use only 2 tablespoonfuls of lemon. Half a pint of cream will make dressing enough for about 3 cupfuls of finely chopped cabbage, which will serve six people.

This salad may be served alone on a cabbage leaf, or it may be served on lettuce, or on either may be placed a slice of pineapple and on that a good thick covering of the cabbage salad. A still more elaborate salad may be prepared by adding grated cheese to the pineapple-cabbage combination. A very attractive way to serve this cabbage, if it is made from curly cabbage, is to hollow out the head and use it as a bowl from which the salad is served.

The value of cabbage as a source of vitamines, especially when uncooked, cannot be pointed out too many times, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

Recipe for a Delicious Pork and Parsnip Stew

Different in its combination of flavors from those of the regulation beef or lamb stew, and very delicious, is this dish which gives the housekeeper a chance to make use of home-grown meat and home-stored vegetables if she lives in the country. If her supplies are bought at city markets she will have no trouble in getting the necessary ingredients.

½ pound fresh lean pork	1 cupful cut potatoes
1 ounce salt pork	2 tablespoonfuls flour
½ cupful sliced shallot or onion	1½ teaspoonfuls salt
3 pints hot water	1 cupful cut parsnip
Pepper	

Cut the fresh pork in cubes and place in the water. Boil it till tender. Cut the salt pork in thin slices and add it to the partially cooked meat. Allow about twenty minutes for the potatoes, parsnips and onion to cook, adding them when the meat is almost done. Mix the flour with a little cold water and use it to thicken the stew. Season and serve.

In Town and the Country

By H. IRVING KING

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JOHN COPPERFIELD hated country life and had not much use for the country in general. But Celia Bucklin lived in the country—and that made a difference, even to John. He had often wished that it were otherwise, but he had to admit to himself with a sigh that she would not be happy except amid the woods and fields and that the roar of the elevated line would never make up to her for the calling of the whippoorwills, nor the rattle of the dumb-waiter for the babbling of the brook.

He went down to Brookville—where Celia lived—as often as he possibly could get away from business and attended there garden parties, picnics and other sylvan diversions with an assiduity only equaled by that of the mosquitoes in stinging him and the ants in getting into the ice cream. And he pretended to like it because "it would please Celia." The nights in the country were especially awful to him. The strange, weird, subdued noises got on his nerves; he longed to fly back to roaring Manhattan and get a good night's sleep.

He had met Celia when she was on a visit to some cousins of hers in the city, and had taken great pleasure in showing her about and expatiating upon the beauties of Manhattan; but all the time she had babbled of green fields and sylvan joys.

He proposed and was accepted—and he and Celia sat on the piazza of the lonely old house of her fathers and discussed the future. "We will build a little house over there on that hill," said he, "so that you will be near your people and your friends. It is quite a ride to and from the city daily; but I shall not mind it when I know that you are waiting to meet me when I come home."

"But John," said Celia doubtfully, "are you quite sure you would be content to live always in the country?" "Oh, certainly," he replied; "anywhere would be paradise to me if you were there, dear."

"But do you like the country?" insisted Celia. "Of course—immensely," he prevaricated.

Then he went on to picture their happy life to come in their quiet, country home—growing quite eloquent on the subject. Celia did not enthuse as he had expected her to over the prospect; she seemed, on the contrary, rather sad and pensive. He returned to the city the next morning, and the day following he received a letter from Celia. It was a curious letter; John could not make it out; something had happened; what was it? She hinted several times that, perhaps, their engagement had been a mistake—that they were not going to be as happy as they had thought they would. But in the next line would be a pledge of love and a willingness to be resigned to fate.

John pondered. Then he saw it all! It was that handsome young fruit-grower whose great orchards were contiguous to the estate of Celia's father. He had been hanging around Celia for years. Once, at a picnic, a country busybody had joked him upon his "cutting out Pete Pryor." Peter and Celia had been to school together as children; he was of the country, a scowler of cities; just as Celia was. She had been captivated by his, John's, city manners and city clothes; but after the fatal "Yes" had been spoken had realized that it was Peter Pryor she loved, after all.

John slept quite as badly that night. In spite of the soothing sound of the neighboring elevated, as he had been accustomed to in the country with the ghostly calling of those infernal whippoorwills driving away slumber. Next morning he hung onto his accustomed strap, alighted at his accustomed elevated station and walked offcward sadly. Should he write Celia a letter telling her that she was free; or should he go down to Brookville and personally give back to her her troth and resign her to the bucolic fruit-grower?

At the entrance of the office building where John did business he encountered two ladies—the cousins of Celia whom she had been visiting when he first met her. "Why, how do you do, Mr. Copperfield," cried the elder of the two. "Aren't we early birds? You see, we are leaving for Bar Harbor today and had to see our lawyer before we started. How are you and Celia coming on? When are you going to be married? Oh, it will just be delightful for Celia to come to live in the city. She has always wanted to. She just hates country life; but has never been able to get away from it for more than a week or two at a time. Good-by. That lawyer must be in by this time."

That evening John arrived at Brookville. "It's all right, Celia, old girl," he cried, as he took her in his arms. "We'll forget that bungalow on the hill. The five-room-and-bath flat handy to the elevated is all engaged. Come in town with me tomorrow and we'll pick out the furniture."

"Oh, John, you dear," she replied. "How did you know what I wanted? Won't we be happy?" And they were.

Quite So

Father—Do you know what time it is?
Sutor—Ten to.
Father—Ten to what?
Sutor—Your own business.—Tiger.

MAKE RHUBARB JELLY TO EAT WITH MEATS



Photograph by U. S. D. A. Young Tender Plants Make Good Tart Jelly.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

When very young tender rhubarb of mild flavor is in season, some of it can be used to make good tart jelly. It will be necessary to add pectin, either homemade or commercial, to the rhubarb juice, to make a firm product.

If you do not have the pectin on hand, send to the United States Department of Agriculture for Department Circular 254, "Homemade Apple and Citrus Pectin Extracts and Their Use in Jelly Making," which tells how to make it. Two kinds of pectin, apple and lemon, can be used successfully with rhubarb. The lemon pectin with the rhubarb gives an unusually attractive color.

Pink Skin Stalks Best.

Select rhubarb stalks with as much red or pink skin as possible. Wash and trim stalks of rhubarb, being careful not to remove the bright-colored skin. The addition of extra pink skin improves the color of the juice. Cut the rhubarb into half-inch pieces and place in a granite pan. Add one cup-

ful of water for each pound of rhubarb.

Cook until tender, then strain through four thicknesses of cheesecloth. There should be about one and one-quarter cupfuls of juice for each pound of rhubarb.

Add six tablespoonfuls of lemon pectin extract and one and one-quarter cupfuls of sugar for each cupful of rhubarb juice, and boil. The ordinary jelly test cannot always be depended upon in the case of rhubarb, particularly if the stalks are not very young and tender, because there are certain gummy substances present which cause the hot juice to sheet from the edge of the spoon, but which do not assist in making a jelly. It is therefore wise to cook rhubarb jelly somewhat beyond the usual jelly test.

Flavor of Old Is Strong.

The flavor of old rhubarb is apt to be strong. When it is to be used, the addition of one or two pieces of lemon or orange peel to the stems as they cook may perhaps be considered an improvement.

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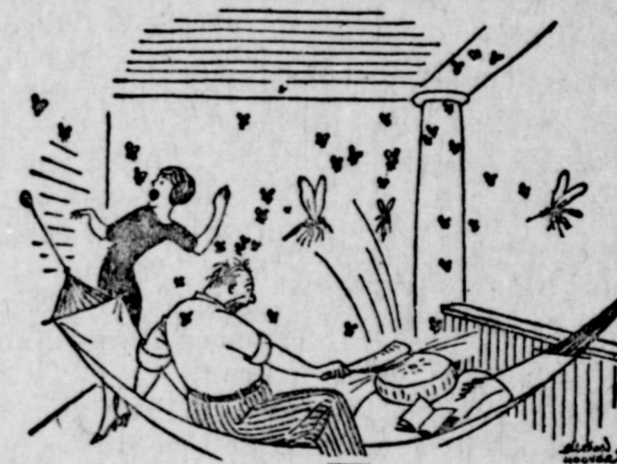
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their speed on some race track other
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sters have the right of way, and
they always have it or assume that
this prerogative is theirs, but there
is danger of some little child not
seeing or hearing this modern Jug-
ernaut might be killed—but who
cares?

We have received a copy of the
Latham Leader, published and edited
by Mr. Frank Ritchie at Latham,
Kansas. Mr. Ritchie for four years
published the Fort Davis Post at
Fort Davis, Texas. He is a newspa-
per man right—can edit, set up, get
the news, ads, etc., and above every-
thing else, is the best collector that
ever kicked a job press or fought
with an old Washington that ever
published a small town weekly in
the State of Texas. He will make a
success of the Leader—as much so as
it is possible—in a small town—
without a main street. "Here's look-
ing at you, Frank—how!"

Dr. Butler of Columbia Universi-
ty says that in the approaching e-
lection the liquor question cannot
be avoided. He has contemptuously
referred to the Anti-Saloon League
as a "Money Collecting Agency to
pay a few good Salaries", and that
"the smartest thing its bosses ever
did was to blackmail both the Repub-
licans and Democrats."

In this connection a late Editorial
in the El Paso Times is suggestive.
The article is headed "Borah and
Nullification," and is as follows:

Senator Edge, in citing the 14 and
15th amendments to the constitution
Senator Borah has an argument that
has never been satisfactorily answer-
ed by the dries—especially our south-
ern ones—since the 18th patch we
put on the constitution.

The two earlier amendments do
not bother the northern dries to any
great extent—they are satisfied not
to be especially interested in them
and to let it go at that.

The southern dry not only dares
attack the nullification of these
amendments, but he cannot keep
his political craft trimmed to the
wind if he enters into any discus-
sion concerning them.

The wets are more at ease—both
north and south. The Southerner
admits the earlier amendments have
been nullified and regard such nulli-
fication as right and proper—the
only way out of an impossible po-
litical situation.

But Senator Borah is too honestly
minded and clearly logical to ig-
nore the analogy of the two situa-
tions. He is about the only dry of
any standing who has based his op-
position to modification on the
straightout proposition that modifi-
cation means getting intoxicating
liquor—and getting intoxicating li-
quor means nullification of the 18th
amendment.

Every straight thinking man
knows that intoxicating beverages
and the 18th amendment are dia-
metrically opposed. Borah's claim
that the amendment should be re-
appealed first is an honest one.

But unless he admits that he is
willing to have one amendment nul-
lified while he insists another
must be enforced, Mr. Edwards has
got him on the defensive.

DR. A. G. CHURCH DIES SUDDENLY AT MARFA

Dr. A. G. Church, well known
physician of Marfa and the Big
Bend Country died suddenly at his
home in Marfa last Tuesday about
4:30 p. m., following an attack of
acute uremic poisoning. Dr. Church
had been apparently well up to
about 9 o'clock on the morning of
his death, according to Dr. Marvin
Turney of Alpine who attended him.
Dr. Turney was called and left here
immediately arriving there about
10 o'clock. Dr. Church showed
some improvement and Dr. Turney
came back to Alpine but was called
back again about 3 o'clock. Dr.
Church died a few minutes after Dr.
Turney arrived.

Dr. Church lived in Alpine about
two years and was well known all
over this county. He was very
active in fraternal work and at the
time of his death was the grand
Junior Warden of the Grand Encamp-
ment I. O. O. F. of Texas.

Funeral services were held at
Marfa yesterday afternoon the Odd
Fellows having charge of the ser-
vices.

—Alpine Avalanche.

DR. A. G. CHURCH.

Like a thunder from a clear sky
the news of the death of this good
and useful man shocked the entire
country.

Tuesday morning, while not feel-
ing well, he was about his duties
with the sick and afflicted and ere
the middle of the afternoon he was
gone—Uremic poisoning being the
direct cause.

In spite of all the skill of his fel-
low Physicians, of both Alpine and
Marfa, and the ministrations of
loving friends he passed on into
that country, from whose borders
none hath returned.

After appropriate religious sevices
he was laid to rest, yesterday after-
noon, Marfa Cemetery, under the
auspices of the Odd Fellow Lodge,
of which he was a devout and
honored member, being at the time
of his death Grand Junior Warden
of the Grand Encampment of Texas.

He is survived by his wife and
two sons, an aged mother and one
brother, all of whom were present
at the last sad rites. Peace to his
ashes, honor to his memory, and
solace to all bereaved.

—Alpine Industrial News.

RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS, Our Allwise, Com-
mander-in-Chief, the True Living
God, has called to his last Camp
and resting place, our beloved Cap-
tain A. G. Church, and

WHEREAS, our hearts are heavy
with sorrow, and our ranks are
depleted in number, and a Cheva-
lier beloved by us all, both for his
splendid character and untiring
many deeds, will be with us no more,
and

WHEREAS, he leaves many sor-
rowing friends, and bereaved fam-
ily and relatives, to answer the last
muster, and receive his Heavenly
reward,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLV-
ED, that this Canton publish this
order, a resolution of respect and
sympathy, and may our band ever
prosper by having had this noble
character as our leader, and may
his work, begun, continued and so
well progressed, continue, and ever
be a leading and guiding light to
us.

And be it further resolved that
this order be published by this Can-
ton, and a copy hereof given to
his bereaved family, and may their
sorrow be only brightened, by the
knowledge that Captain's life was
well spent and that there is a great
re-union through the Resurrection
of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Done at Canton Headquarters,
Marfa Canton No. 5, Marfa, Texas,
this June 3rd, 1926, by order of
Commandant Kegerise.

E. H. Kegerise
M. L. Hopson
H. H. Weyerts.

MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of
the Marfa Lodge observed their an-
nual memorial day service on the
8th with an impressive Service, held
at the Cemetery Tuesday evening,
from 7 to 8 p. m. The program was
given in order as follows: Song,
"Jesus Savior Pilot Me." Prayer, by
Thompson McDonald. Song, "My
Faith looks up to Thee." Reading,
"In Remembrance of Our Depart-
ed Brothers and Sisters", by Ruth
Niccolls. An impressive and ap-
propriate talk by Rev. M. A. Buhler;
Decorating the graves; Song "Abide
With Me". Benediction by Mr.
Murtha.

EVERYTHING GROWS HERE

Diversified farming in Presidio
County is becoming more pronoun-
ced. A number of Farmers in the
Rio Grande Valley of Presidio Coun-
ty, are specializing in Onions, Cab-
bages, Cantaloupes and watermelons
and it is believed by County Agent,
R. S. Miller and representative farm-
ers of the section, that within a
short time, truck gardening, on a
large scale, will be developed in
this region. Fennell and Bogel of
Ruidosa are specializing in Bermuda
Onions. Mr. and Mrs. Fennell, on a
recent visit to Marfa, brought spec-
imens of large, white Bermuda On-
ions, raised on their farm this year,
the size and quality of which can-
not be surpassed anywhere in the
State. Mr. Fennell, for a number
of years, Vice-President of the Mar-
fa National Bank, three years ago,
resigned this position and purchased
a farm at Ruidosa on the Rio Grande,
and now with his partner, Gally
Bogel, is one of the most progres-
sive farmers in Presidio County. O-
ranges and other citrus fruits are
being successfully grown on the
Crawford ranch in the Southern part
of the County. A number of oranges
and lemons from this orchard, at-
tracted great attention at the San
Angelo Fair in the Fall of 1925.

VACCINATE YOUR DOG

There is now prevailing in many
parts of the Country, seemingly an
epidemic of Rabbits or Hydropho-
bia. It might become a great deal
worse when the dog Star Sirius be-
comes in the ascendant during Aug-
ust. See a veterinary surgeon and
have your dog vaccinated. Do it Now

FINE—VERY FINE

H. M. Fennell this week presented
the New Era with a dozen Onions
raised on his place. He says that one
of his farmers planted 900 bulbs
and from these four or five families
for several weeks have been gather-
ing and eating onions, and the other
day the remains of the crop were
gathered, about 400 pounds, that
the onions, averages over one-half
pounds each. And we have been ship-
ping them in from points 500 miles
off.

VALENTINE NOTES

Bill Cole and Dr. Vick are now
doing further work on their mine.

Mining activities have commenced
near Candelaria. Parties are work-
ing on the old property known as
the Silter Claims.

SWARMING

A swarm of bees lit in a cotton
wood tree just back of the old Mar-
fa house this week. Henry Schutze
says that he has on hand now about
every thing for sale and he supposes
the bees were looking for a hive.

The casing has been set on Tootle
well No. 1, and drilling will be re-
sumed in a few days.

The contract for the drilling of
the Marland well 6 miles from the
Tootle No. 1 to 3,000 feet was com-
pleted several days ago and it has
been decided to drill 500 feet more.
Both gas and oil has been encounter-
ed.

Manuel Calanche of Valentine has
moved to the "White House" on the
river below Pilaes and has planted
several acres in cotton.

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ciency is accomplished—followed by more power and greater mileage.

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Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Fennell came in this week to meet their daughter Miss Elizabeth who is a student at the State University.

Everybody has been asking "When can we have DUCO to brush on at home" we have it now.
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The Mexican Consul now located at Presidio, Lic. L. Gutierrez Otero, was a Marfa visitor Tuesday.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. James Galoway of San Antonio, on May 29, a daughter, Alice Dorine.

All Cotton Mattresses, Cheap at—
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Mrs. John J. Hart and Mrs. H. H. Kilpatrick were visitors to Presidio Friday.

Mrs. Ida Lee Jordan was happy to have as her guest last week, her sister, Mrs. C. B. Beaver, and her two grandsons, Charles and George Jr., Beaver of Pearsall and cousin L. Devibis, who made the trip through in their auto. They returned home Wednesday and were accompanied by Mrs. Jordan who expects to visit there for a few weeks.

Large Assortment of Congoium Rugs at—
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Ware Hord was taken sick suddenly Friday and taken to El Paso last Saturday for medical treatment.

ODD FELLOWS ELECT OFFICERS

At a meeting of the Odd Fellows last Tuesday J. H. Fortner was elected Noble Grand, E. J. Murtha, Vice-N. G. and E. F. Nicolls, Clerk. The appointive officers will be selected later.

Last week the city of Presidio was visited by a rain accompanied by a wind of almost cyclonic force damaging several houses, the gin and the new water tower. Total damage about \$1,000.00.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Petross left last evening for Denver, Colo., where they will attend the Rotary International Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray of Fort Davis were visitors first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Yates.

Gold Seal Congoium rugs 9x12 feet for \$41.00, and other sizes with prices in proportion at—
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Rev. S. F. Marsh returned Friday from his vacation trip to Missouri. He reports having had a wonderful trip.

Prices reduced on all kinds of Furniture at—
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Mrs. Creed Taylor had with her this week a niece Miss Bessie Granger of Marathon.

Mrs. Wang has returned from a two weeks vacation spent with her parents at Presidio, Texas. She opens her music class in piano and voice for the summer on June 7, in the same studio, at her home.

Dining Room, Living Room and Bed Room Suits Cheap at—
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Clyde Kerr, Trice Davis, Nolan Aiken, Kenneth and Mr. F. C. Mel-lard returned Thursday from Kansas and other point in the Middle-West.

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Mr. Albert Logan of the Bunton ranch near Shafter, was circulating among his friends here Thursday.

DELIGHTFUL SURPRISE BREAKFAST

The beautiful flower garden in the back yard of Mrs. Frank Barton was the scene of a very delightful surprise breakfast Tuesday morning when Mrs. Barton, Mrs. Marsh and Mrs. Dennis entertained about 20 young ladies, complimenting Miss Hilda Marsh, on her sixteenth birthday. The guests began to arrive about 8:30, and were served with an elegant three course breakfast, that had been arranged on the lawn. And the lovely floral setting formed a charming background for this happy party. Immediately after breakfast the gifts to the honoree were opened which were numerous and beautiful. Following were all manner of delightful games and contests filling the entertainment program, with the guest enjoying them with the glee and enthusiasm of young girlhood.

WOODMAN CIRCLE HOLD MEETING

The Woodman Circle met Monday afternoon at the W. O. W. Hall and held their regular, monthly meeting. The Guardian Mrs. Maggie Kerr presided. Eight members were present and a good meeting was held.

MISSIONARY MEETING

The Missionary Society of the First Christian Church held its regular monthly meeting Monday afternoon at the Church parlors. The present officers were re-elected to serve during the ensuing year namely: Mrs. John Harris, President; Mrs. A. G. Church, Secretary; Mrs. L. C. Britz, Vice-President; Mrs. E. Williams, Treasurer. The Society voted to hold their meetings at night, through the summer months and will meet the second Monday at 8:00 p. m. Mrs. H. H. Kilpatrick was leader for the afternoons program and those taking part on the program were as follows: Mrs. Harris, the Devotional; Mrs. E. Williams, reported the years work; Mrs. Se-crest, reported from the Missionary Register those outgoing Missionaries and those home on furlough. The Society voted to be Sponsor for a church social to be held each month. Mrs. Buhler will be leader for the next meeting.

RECITAL

Mrs. Floy Wang presented her piano class in a recital at the Baptist church May 20. The program lasted just an hour and was enjoyed very much by the parents and friends. The house was beautifully decorated in American Beauty roses. Those who took part in the program were: Elizabeth Hord, Daisy Lee Cor-der, Mary Nicolls, Dora Dowe, Clarice Raetzsch, Viola Shaw, Barbara McDonald, Hilda Marsh, Thelma Means, B. T. Corder, Mary Belle Wooley, Zelda Hurley, Verna Set-tle, and Billie Ake.

Rev. M. A. Buhler filled his ap-pointment at Presidio Friday evening. This was his last appointment there. The new Pastor Rev. Claude Wingo appointed for this Western district composed of Valentine, Pres-idio, Grand Falls, and Best has ar-rived and expects to make Marfa his head quarters.

The Marfa Rotarians and the Al-pine Rotarians crossed bats in a game of base ball, in Alpine. The Marfa Club lost to them by a score of 6 to 5. The Alpine Club had their College Coach for a pitcher but this didn't scare the Marfa Club as you can see from the score. Friday some were very much under the weather, said is was caused from something not agreeing with them. Supposedly their ehov, but you can't fool us.

See the Rhineland Refrigerator at—
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Mrs. and Mrs. N. A. Arnold and lit-tle son left today for Pearsall for a vacation and visit with old time friends and relatives. They were accompanied by Mrs. Van Adams and little son, Mrs. Adams will visit at the home of her mother in Pear-sall.

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- Fountain Pens
- Furniture
- Guns
- Glass Ware
- Government salvage
- Hardware (all kinds)
- Harness and Saddles
- Iron Castings
- Kitchen Hardware
- Jewelry
- Jugs
- Kitchen Harware
- Locks and Keys
- Luggage
- Lamps and Lanterns
- Lawn and Garden Supplies
- Musical Instruments
- Mechanical Tools
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- Store Fixtures
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MARFA CHAPTER No. 344 O. E. S., meets the 3rd. Tuesday evenings in each month. Visiting members are cordially invited to be present.

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FRIDAY—
DORIS KENYON
The Half Way Girl
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SHOW STARTS AT 8:00 P. M.

Mrs. John J. Hart has been on the sick list this week.

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This Child Is a Musical Wonder



Irvin Lester Labov of Philadelphia can manage a 25-piece orchestra. Ever since he was a few months' old he's been holding drumsticks, and now people everywhere marvel at his ability. Photograph shows this wonder in action with drums and bells.

Silence Lures Ships to Death

Mystery of "Graveyard of Pacific" at Last Is Solved.

Victoria, B. C.—The mystery of the "Graveyard of the Pacific," where scores of ships have piled up on the rocks near this city, at last has been solved. Scientists who have investigated the amazing reports of deep-sea skippers are convinced that a "zone of silence," through which no fog signals will penetrate hovers about the southern end of Vancouver Island and makes Race Rocks one of the most feared places in the seven seas. No foghorn, however loud, is sufficient to warn ships which are caught in the silent zone, investigators report, and only a complete change in the location of present lighthouses will cope with the problem.

This weird phenomenon has been suspected for many years. Masters of ships entering the Strait of Juan de Fuca, inbound to the United States and Canada from the Orient, have reported that they could not hear the powerful sirens of the Race Rocks lighthouse, while these signals were deafening at other points not far away. Masters of vessels which have been wrecked near Race Rocks asserted that they heard no warning from the shore. Year after year ves-

sels from many lands have joined the large company already resting in the graveyard.

Strange Experience Reported.
The matter has been brought definitely to the attention of the Canadian authorities by the strange experience of the Holland-America freighter Eemdyk, which piled up on Bentick Island, not far from the Race Rocks fog signal. Capt. A. Rynink, master of the ship, reported that no signals could be heard before the fog-hidden rocks of Bentick Island were grinding into the vessel's hull. Masters of other vessels further away than the Eemdyk from Race Rocks, however, heard the signals clearly.

Experts who have been investigating these reports have concluded that tide and wind sweep together at certain times off Race Rocks and create a zone of "dead air." A ship, once in this space, is insulated against outside sounds apparently. The zone of silence shifts over a radius of many miles under the influence of changing winds and tides, it is believed. This is the only explanation scientists can find for the fact that ships have experienced the inability to hear signals at many points where at other times conditions are quite normal.

Sound Fails to Penetrate.
On one occasion investigators on board a small tug could see the light-

house keepers' figures at Race Rocks, a few hundred yards away, and yet could not hear the noises which were heard plainly at other places miles away. The weather at this time was quite clear, which showed that fog has nothing to do with the silent zone.

Shipping men believe that the problem can be overcome by the removal of the Race Rocks lighthouse fog signals to a point out of line with the silent zone. In this way it is hoped the "Graveyard of the Pacific" would be made as safe as any other portion of the Pacific coast of America. Much has been done for shipping in this area already by the powerful direction-finding wireless station established by the Canadian government at Pachena, on the west coast of Vancouver Island. From this station vessels ascertain their position by wireless and thus avoid the shore. After they have entered the Strait of Juan de Fuca, however, they depend upon foghorns to warn them away from the rocks. It is at Victoria that they are in danger of becoming surrounded by the fatal vortex of "dead" air through which no warning sounds can be heard.

Calls Cancer Noncontagious After Experiments on Self

Berlin.—Cancer is not contagious when brought in contact with a healthy human body, in the opinion of Dr. Hans Kurtzahn, in the surgical clinic of Koenigsberg university.

Doctor Kurtzahn has astonished a convention of German surgeons now in session here by reporting that he had experimented on himself, transferring a patch of cancerous growth from a patient's pectoral gland to his own thigh. The cancer cells, he reported, soon died, being unable to live in a healthy body.

In an effort to test whether cancer could be cured through a serum, Doctor Kurtzahn also extracted blood from himself after an injection of cancer bacilli. He reported that he had found negative results in the serum made from this blood.

The experiments, which were made five months ago, left Doctor Kurtzahn perfectly healthy. The German physician's willingness to experiment upon himself in the study of cancer has been acclaimed by his colleagues as an act of rare heroism.

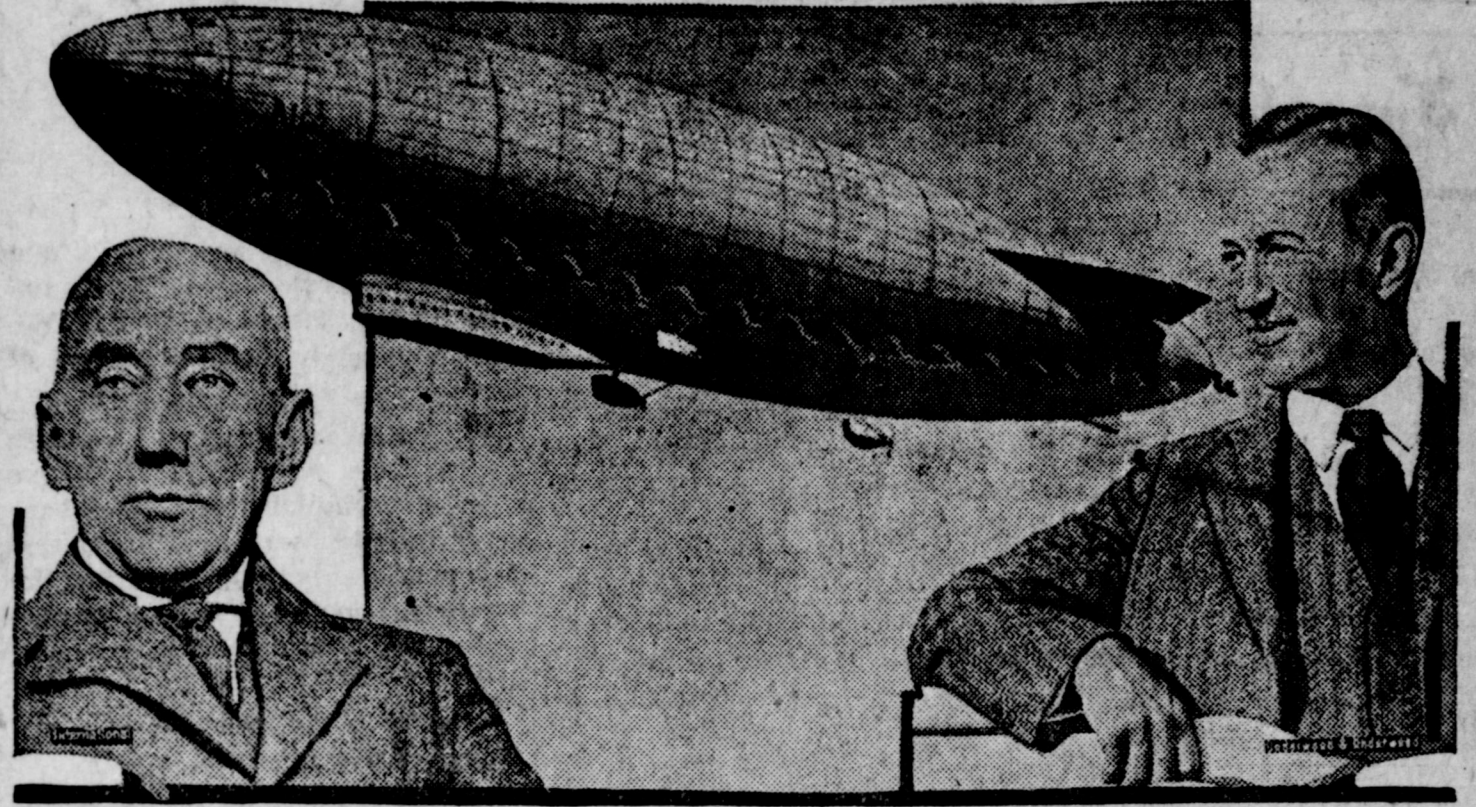
Birds' Trills Rival Roar of Gotham "L"

New York.—Thousands of bird lovers are included in New York's teeming population, and it has been noted that they reside almost entirely in those sections given over to households of moderate incomes.

Along the roofs on several of the East side's drab and tortuous streets can be seen a succession of pigeon cotes and the ubiquitous canary trills bravely against the roar of the elevated from frequent windows along the tracks.

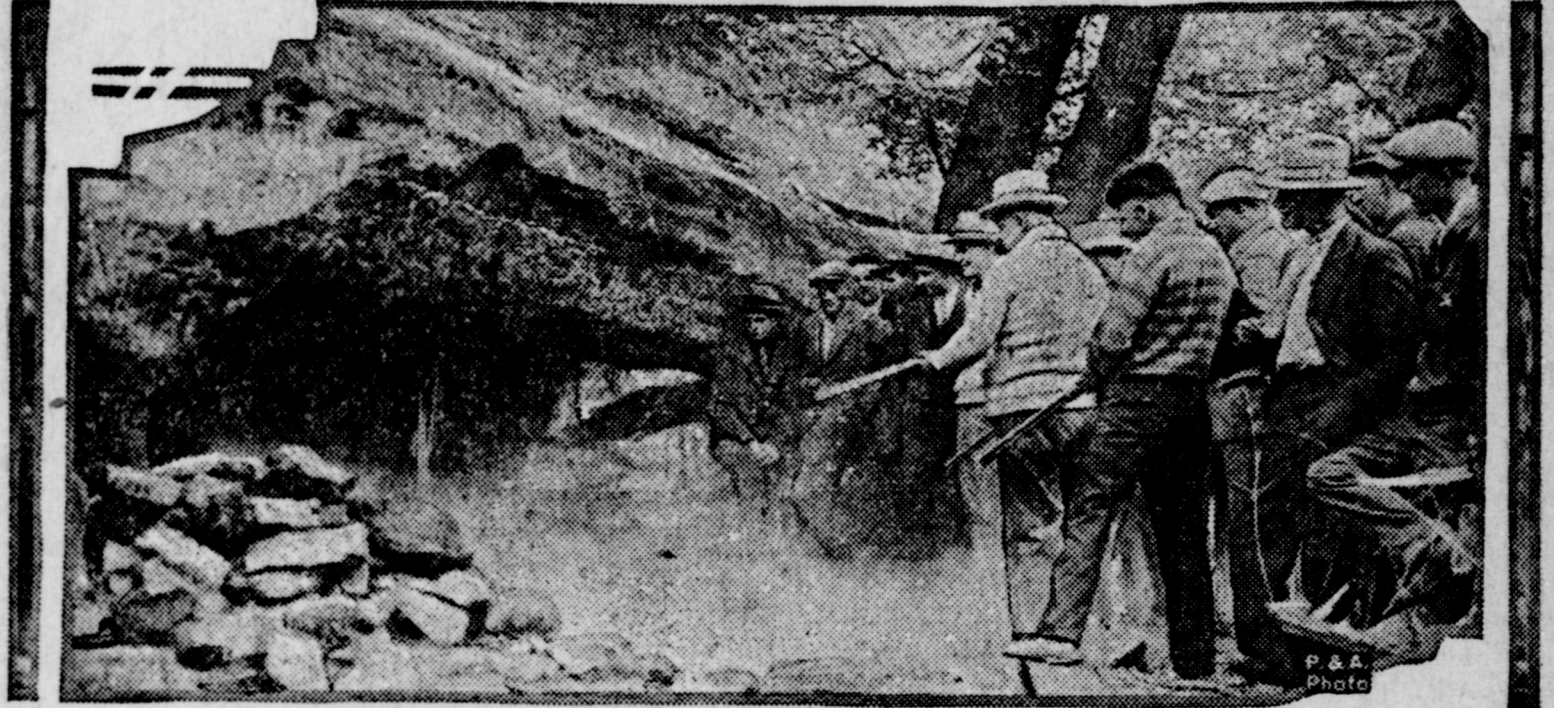
The pigeons of Custom House square and Battery park are well known to tourists, as are the robins of Central park (in season), but only the cliff-dwellers of Broadway know that at certain well established corners the assertive sparrow meets in daily, noisy convention.

Norge Carries Amundsen Expedition Over the Pole



Wireless messages from Captain Amundsen said the airship Norge, carrying his expedition, sailed over the North pole at 1 a. m., Wednesday, May 12, Norwegian time. Next day it reached Alaska. Our illustration shows the Norge with Captain Amundsen (left) and Lincoln Ellsworth (right), his American companion.

Tear Gas Used in Hunt of Escaped Convict



When it was reported that James Price, one of the seven convicts who escaped from the Illinois penitentiary at Stateville, was hiding in a cave near Ottawa the sheriff of La Salle county and his posse drenched the cavern with tear gas before venturing within it. The man was not found there, however.

President Gets His Buddy Poppy



President Coolidge received the first "Buddy Poppy" from the hands of little Beverly Moffett, daughter of Rear Admiral William A. Moffett, in the presence of officers of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, who are sponsoring the sale of the poppies for the veterans' benefit.

MRS ELLA HAMLIN



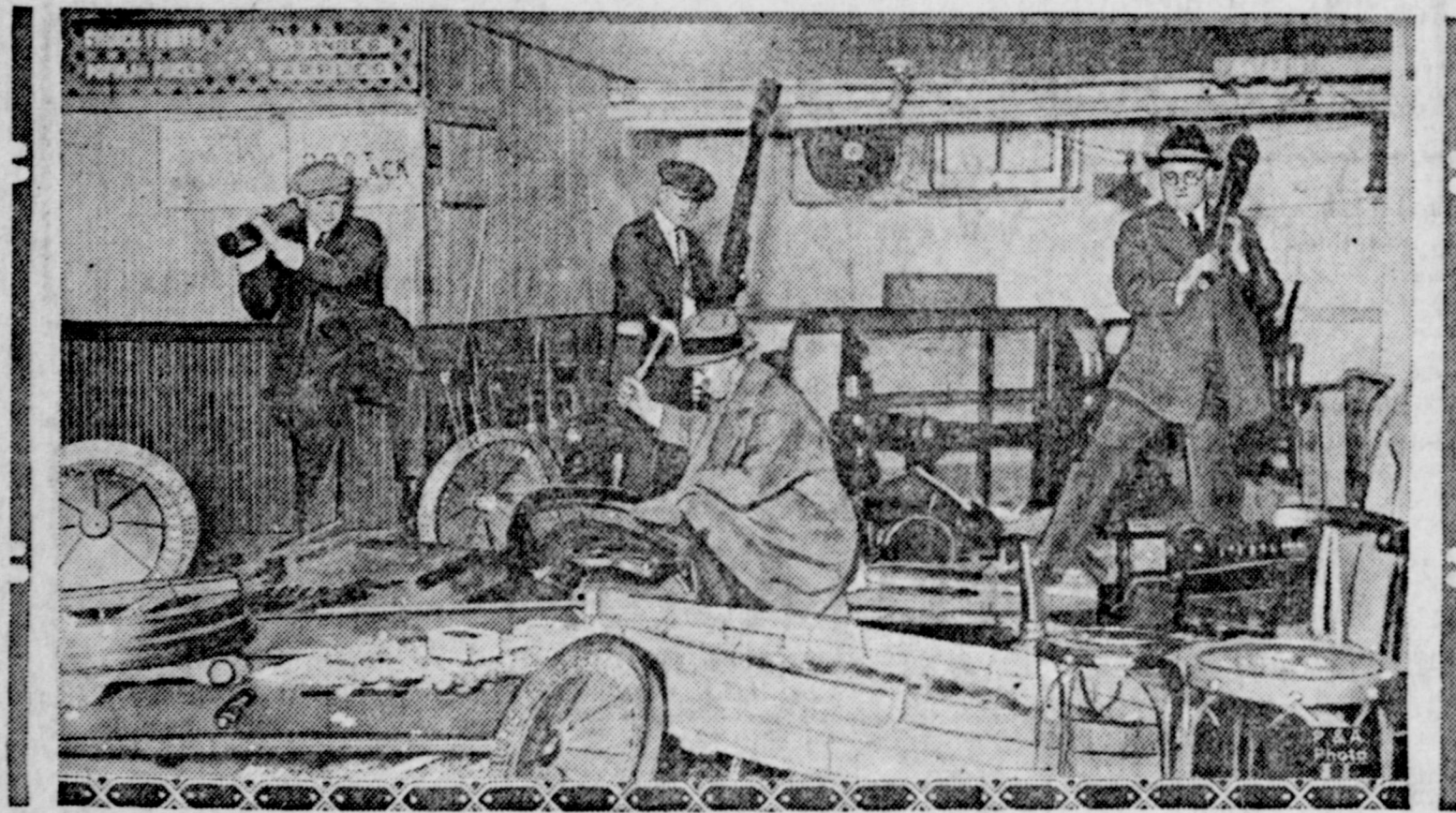
Mrs. Ella Bushnell Hamlin, Davenport, Iowa, who has announced her candidacy for congress from the Second district of that state. Her platform is of a radical nature and is attracting national attention. Mrs. Hamlin says: "I am in favor of eliminating the sex line and abolishing all of the women's clubs. The women themselves are raising up barriers between women and men. If the women are desirous of entering politics, let them go in with the men. I am utterly opposed to the idea of the United States joining the League of Nations and the World court. I am, in favor of developing our internal waterways to the limit." Mrs. Smith is a journalist.

HOST OF PRESIDENT



It is announced in Washington that the summer White House will be located on Rainbow Lake, near the village of Gabriels, N. Y., in the heart of the Adirondacks. The camp which the President will occupy is a part of the immense estate in the fir, pine and birch woods owned by Irwin R. Kirkwood, Kansas City publisher, shown above.

Chicago Police Very Busy After Gang Murders



As one result of the latest murders by gangsters in Chicago the police and other law officers are engaging in a clean-up campaign, directed especially at Cicero, a suburb just outside the city limits which has been headquarters for many of the thugs. The picture shows officers wrecking one of the gambling houses which have been running openly.

MOTHER AND CHILDREN SEPARATED BY THE BIBLE

Literal Interpretation of Scriptures Is Cause for Rift in Kansas City Family.

Kansas City, Mo.—Mrs. Leona Benedict, thirty-one, widow, with the aid and advice of Juvenile Judge Henry Meade, Kansas City, Kans., mapped out a definite campaign to win back the love of the three older of her six children.

To win that love and change their determination not to live with her, she must drive from their minds the belief that she is wicked in that she has bobbed her hair, wears a red hat and has jewelry in the form of a wedding ring.

During this love drive the children will live with families neutral between the mother and the officials of a children's home operated by the Mennonite church in Kansas City, Kans.

Slowly but persistently the mother hopes to persuade the children they need not interpret literally the fifth and sixth verses of the eleventh chapter of First Corinthians, which says: "But every woman that prayeth or prophesieth with her head uncovered dishonoreth her head; for that is even all one as if she were shaven. For, if the woman be not covered, let her also be shorn, but if it be shame for a woman to be shorn or shaven, let her be covered."

When the father of the children died, leaving the mother without means, she accepted an offer of the Mennonites to care for them temporarily.

She obtained employment as a housekeeper in a Kansas City home, and, after months of saving and arranging to have two rooms in the employer's house, she sought to obtain custody of the children.

Ella, nine; Catherine, eight, and Lester, five, were willing, but Helen, thirteen; Edith, twelve, and Roy, ten, rebelled.

The mother employed a lawyer and appealed to the juvenile court. There the children pointed to their mother's hair and hat and ring and quoted the Bible verses.

The children frankly said they had formed their beliefs since entering the institutional home.

"Mother does not read the Bible every day," Helen, spokesman, told the Judge.

A second hearing found the children equally determined and then it was that Judge Meade assumed the Solomon role and devised a plan whereby the mother might have a chance to win back her children's love.

If, after a few months, she is unable to change their views, the children will be adopted in homes where they now are living.

"I'll win them yet," said the mother. "Mother love is not weighed by length of hair."

In Memory of Founder of Esperanto



Scene at the unveiling in Warsaw, Poland, of a memorial to Dr. Ludovic Zamenhof, the founder of Esperanto, which he hoped to make the universal language.



The Wife-Ship Woman

By Hugh Pendexter AUTHOR OF 'KINGS OF THE MISSOURI,' 'BY GRAVEL,' 'A VIRGINIA SCOUT ETC'

CHAPTER XI—Continued

Then he was inspired to add: "But why not let me stay here while you take mademoiselle. She would wish you for her guide. She was a young wildcat when we tried to stop her from entering the village before you gave the word."

"I am the one Damoan must capture or kill. Every one else, even mademoiselle, comes second in his plans. He will not leave the feast so long as I am there. It must be as I say. Wander about the village and use your wits in looking for a loophole. I will talk with mademoiselle."

To the girl I briefly repeated the orders I had given to Labrador and Six Fingers and told her I would work out the details during the day. As I had anticipated she immediately interposed objections. She would go nowhere with Six Fingers unless I was present. Labrador's company made no difference. She would not leave the village unless in my company.

"But I will overtake you," I insisted. "It is most important that I reach Virginia with the least possible delay. I shall not waste any time in following you."

"And if not for me you would already be well on your way there," she murmured. "Oh, monsieur, you are very brave! I wish I could have told you different when you spoke to me of your heart!"

Her naivete in bringing up what I supposed to be most strongly forbidden caused my mind to swirl in confusion. I could only mumble:

"We were not to speak of that again."

She further bewildered me, as, with the innocence of a child, she corrected me:

"Not for you to speak of, of course. But surely it is for me to speak of when I wish." Then sympathetically, "And does it hurt monsieur too much if I speak of it?"

"I think it does," I promptly answered, beginning to feel very uneasy. "Yes, I am quite sure."

"Then it must not be mentioned," she sighed. "I did not fully understand. I only wanted monsieur to know I regretted."

"It is all ended. You will be ready to go with my friend?"

"Yes, I will go."

I bowed and backed from the opening. She followed me a few paces, and I was disturbed to see she was fighting to control some violent emotion.

"Monsieur."

"Yes, mademoiselle Dahlskaarde."

"If I knew I was never to see you again there is something."

"Yes? Something?"

"Something I think I should say."

My curiosity pricked; for she was such a mixture of enigmas that one could never guess where her words would land. I had seen her as haughty as a marquise. Now she typed extreme youth and an entire lack of worldly wisdom. So conscience stifled curiosity, and I declared:

"But you will see me again. Tonight. On the river. My leaving this place is nothing. There will be a feast. Damoan will be there to watch me. His Indians will be there to help him. That gives you a free road. When I decide you have made a good start I shall laugh at them and leave."

"Merci, monsieur," she stilly said. "You have saved me from an indiscretion. I have all confidence in your confidence."

And yet, as I walked away, there was the temptation to go back and ask her to tell what she had withheld. I tried to blame my interest in her shifting moods to my long withdrawal from civilization and its types of dainty womanhood. This, in defense of my peace of mind. The sight of Damoan leaving the stockade in company with the chief's grandson helped me to tear my thoughts from the girl and concentrate on the grim problem of the night. For, notwithstanding my assurance in talking with mademoiselle, I had no idea just how I was to escape that night.

On reaching the cabin I found Labrador waiting for me. His dark face was anxious, and he asked:

"Where is that old pirate?"

"I thought he was with you."

He shrugged his shoulders helplessly.

"Ah, that old pirate! He was with me. At my heels. Then, pout! He was gone. Hell snatch him! I have walked and walked around this cursed death-trap, peeping into every cabin, and he is not."

I resigned myself philosophically to Six Fingers' disappearance. If he was gone then that was an end of one of mademoiselle's worries. I remembered seeing Damoan leaving the village. I began to suspect his going was a part of the game to catch Six Fingers out of bounds and do him to death. It was while I was explaining this to Labra-

por that Six Fingers entered the cabin and stood grinning at us in a peculiar manner.

"Back again? Where have you been?"

"Adrift," he coolly answered. "I grew tired of this devil's cage. The woman interested me for a bit, but they blacken their teeth, and when they smiled I ran. I went outside."

"You are lucky to be back alive. What is the matter with you? Your legs and arms are wet?"

"I went to a brook and washed."

"How did you go without my seeing you, little spider?" asked Labrador.

Six Fingers chuckled.

"It was as simple as sailing into the wind. In the fence back of mademoiselle's cabin is a hole. It is covered from sight by vines. I saw a fowl enter the vines. She did not come back. I cruised inshore and cast the lead. I found the hole. Labrador, the big pig, was sailing before the wind. I slipped through the hole and went to the brook. And here I am, all safe and sound."

"Yet you are lucky," I warned. "Damoan and his Choctaws have been outside all the morning."

This washed the grin from his wrinkled face.

I was not satisfied with Six Fingers' explanation of his excursion outside the stockade. How could I know that he had not met Damoan outside the village and had made a compact with him? Narbonne was dead, and there was no possible chance to continue the quest for Acaanibas. I warned Labrador:

"Say nothing to Six Fingers about tonight's plans. There is a look in his eyes that tells me he is trying to hide something from us," I said.

"When I start with mademoiselle tonight I shall give him no chance to spoil the plan. Of course we shall go through the hole in the stockade?"

"Of course. And I will keep Six Fingers with me. He frightens the girl."

At midday I went to mademoiselle's cabin and called her out and informed her of the hole in the palings and warned her to be ready to leave by means of it.

"You are determined not to go with me?" she asked.

"If I planned that way none of us could go. I shall be right behind you. I shall keep Six Fingers with me."

"I will not fall you, monsieur," she whispered.

There remained nothing now but to wait until evening. Owing to the brief time allowed for preparations the hunters could not roam very far, and some of these were returning continually, usually with strings of small game. I tried to get some rest against the exertions of the night, but each returning hunter was greeted with much shouting, and sleep was impossible.

It was twilight when Damoan returned to the village. He went out of his way to pass within a rod of me, and the look his dark eyes gave me was one of triumph. Yet I could not comprehend any immediate danger. The peace smoke would not blow away without some warning, plus an announcement as to when it could be renewed.

With the going down of the sun the Huma women began running about the village, cackling excitedly. Fires were started in the opening before the chief's cabin. Kettles were hung over the fires and the various kinds of game were dumped in, the contributions ranging from squirrels and water-fowl to deer meat. Damoan kept to the other side of the village and had his Choctaws posted about the exit. He believed he had us bottled up until the protection of the calumet had ended.

When it grew so dark there was no danger of being closely observed I walked to the girl's cabin, and was pleased to find the Indian women had succumbed to the temptation of the twinkling fires and had left mademoiselle unattended. I instructed her:

"After I have gone back I want you to steal behind the cabin and see if the hole is there as Six Fingers described."

"It is there. I saw him when he came through it."

"Then be ready for Labrador to call for you. When he comes you must act swiftly. Do as he says."

"The other?"

"I've told you he stays with me. He is acting queer. He's been up to some mischief. He may have bargained to sell us out."

To my astonishment she instantly denied this possibility, declaring: "He would never sell me. No, no, monsieur. He is evil, but he wants me to escape from this village and from the man you call the Fox."

More of the mystery! I made no comment, but repeated my request

that she be in constant readiness to go with Labrador. Then I wished her a stout heart and good luck.

She came to me and took one hand in both of hers and held it to her heart, and without a word retreated inside the cabin. I began to realize how horrible the whole situation must be for her. She was denied the tonic of action and must dully wait, always fearing the worst. I was back at my cabin in time to meet Little Turkey and six warriors, who, as an escort of honor, came to lead Labrador, Six Fingers and me to the feast. As we walked between them and entered the freight I beheld the chief's grandson and a delegation of warriors performing the same courtesy for Damoan the Fox. Behind Damoan came all of his Choctaws except four left to guard the exit.

The chief gave the sign for the feasting to begin. Minute portions were tossed over the shoulders for the ghosts, and the peace calumet was hung up on a pole by the side of the chief and was made the recipient of scraps of meat and rations of beans. Strong Bow looked up and down the double line of men, bolting the meat like dogs, and asked me why the white woman was not standing among the Indian women to watch the feast. I told him she was a queen in her own country and not used to standing while men ate, and that she preferred remaining in her cabin until the dancing began, when she would appear. Damoan grinned widely and murmured:

"She will stand while I eat, my friend."

I pretended not to hear, and Damoan stared at me curiously, trying to fathom my mind. Like the fox he feared a trap, but so long as I and my male companions were within immediate reach he could not reason out where we had a single chance. Six Fingers never raised his eyes from his food, and yet he was not hungry. Labrador devoured huge portions of under-

your English head for two days if it was known that you had broken the law?"

"There was no guessing his meaning, although he meant death. I scoured my brains, but could find no signs which would lead me to his hidden trail. I was still pondering on this new attitude of his when the freshly painted warriors, armed with axes and bows and arrows, leaped in between the fires and began their war dance. Damoan suddenly turned his head and fiercely demanded:

"Where is my woman?"

"I eased my ire by reminding him: 'Your scalp shall pay the whole price.'"

He leaped to his feet and spoke to the chief's grandson, who was reluctant to do what was asked. Damoan then spoke to me, saying:

"If the woman does not come the Humas will bring her."

As Labrador and the girl had had time to get far down the river trail I knew this would be some task for the Humas to accomplish. Yet I fought for more time by appealing to the chief's sense of justice, urging him to declare the white woman need not show herself at all unless she so desired.

Only the fear of Bienville, whose "word-bearer" he knew Damoan was, caused him to hesitate. He would hunt with the French and run with the English; and he suggested: "It would make the hearts of the Humas very light if the white woman would come and watch them dance."

"So be it," I said. "I will go and ask her."

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"Let them stay here!" shouted the Fox. "The Iron Hand will fall and crush the Humas if they do not stay here."

"Stop," cried the chief, now in panic at the threat of the Fox, word-bearer of Bienville. "The eyes of the Humas would be made glad at sight of the white woman. I, Strong Bow, chief of the Humas, will go and ask her to come."

Damoan chuckled contentedly, and said to the chief: "We will wait a moment. There is a present the white man has prepared for his woman. He had it hid in the woods but my Choctaws found it. We will have it ready when she comes to see the dance."

He whistled shrilly, and very soon two Choctaws came trotting from the exit with a long object carried between them. As it was carefully deposited on the ground I noticed the blanket was one of those taken from Narbonne's pirogue by Six Fingers when we came ashore to hide in the Indian village.

"Veer off. Hell's to pay! It was hid at the brook! The cursed scum found it!" huskily whispered Six Fingers, his deep-set eyes glaring at the two Choctaws as they took hold of the blanket. "There a black spot on my luck!"

Damoan motioned his Indians back, and because of his love of the dramatic assumed full charge of the proceedings. Striking an attitude and pointing a finger at me he harshly cried out to the bewildered Humas:

"The present of the English spy to his woman!"

And he snatched a fold of the blanket away and revealed to our horrified gaze the body of a dead Huma woman. And what was more terrible she had died by violence and her two arms had been cut off below the elbow. We were stupefied by the fearful exhibit; then with the hiss of a thousand serpents came the breath of the Humas. Damoan had opened a smaller parcel and was exposing the two severed members of the poor creature, still decorated with their bracelets of brass.

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It Was as Simple as Sailing in the Wind. In the Fence Back of Mademoiselle's Cabin is a Hole.

done meat with the philosophy of one who makes the most of the hour which is his. In a short space of time the kettles were emptied except what was reserved for the women, and the warriors retired to paint for their dance. I called to Labrador in French and requested him to wait on mademoiselle and ask her to come and see the dancing.

Damoan demanded my attention by asking:

"So we renew the peace smoke in two sleeps, eh?"

There was so much exultation in his tone, so much diabolie in his grinning face, that I knew he was up to some new trick, something I had not dreamed of. I guessed frantically and could not imagine what it was; yet I knew he had his plans all laid before the feast began, and that he was not dependent upon the interval between the end of the first smoke and the beginning of the second.

"Much may happen in two days," I carelessly replied.

"As true as heaven," he mocked. "And much may happen in one day—before another sun."

"What are you planning to try tonight?" I blunty asked.

He laughed merrily, and protested: "I try? Pardieu! Think I would break the law of the Humas? But if you should break it, eh? Come now; would the peace smoke hover over

Not an Easy Job to Get Python to Eat

When kept in captivity, pythons often refuse food and go on a prolonged "hunger-strike," which frequently results in death.

To obviate this it is necessary to feed the big snakes by forcible means, and a writer in the Wide World Magazine gives a very interesting description of how this is done.

"It is a very simple process," he says. "Our python was carried out to a sunlit grassy lawn. One man held the snake's tail, a second bridled its middle, while a third gripped its head and forced open its jaws. Inyorka squatted in front and, taking a pound of meat, gently thrust it into the snake's capacious throat, and with a smooth, round stick, about a foot in length, pressed the meat into the reptile's gullet. It was now the second

man's job to caress the meat and massage it a yard down the long red lane. No. 3 then took charge and carefully worked the lump down to the pocket where the stomach is located."

Real Frigidity

Johnny was in the habit of swearing mildly when anything did not please him. One day the minister heard him and said:

"Johnny, don't you know you must not swear. It is naughty of you to do so. Why, every time I hear you swear a cold chill runs down my back."

"That's nothing," said Johnny. "If you'd been at my house the other day when my dad caught his nose in the clothes wringer, you'd have froze to death."

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thy teachers are devoting their lives to fitting youth to carry on this great enterprise of fanning the white flame of knowledge to an even greater brilliance. Not while our parents and others like them are giving so generously of themselves to us, all unworthy, that will enable us to "bear the light" to future generations. Our studies have broadened and deepened the channels of our minds, but deeper than all this has been our often unexpressed appreciation of the efforts you have expended in our behalf. We have seemed thoughtless, heedless, but we have noted and been grateful.

Best of all the things you have given us the citizens of the future. You have made possible the years now behind us of good comradeship, rich in association and full of lessons in right thinking not learned from books alone. We have seen your goodness and deep within us we have repaid. Tonight, facing the future, we thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

To our teachers we can not repay the warm human spirit which you have shown in your daily association with us in our high school days now ending. We cannot pay this debt, but we can recognize it. We know that we, thru you have been made kinder, more intelligent young men and woman, who are better fitted to cope with the problems of our lives and those that exist in Classmates, to many of us this day is one of regrets than of joys. The curtain is down you say. The lights are out. The play is done.

And yet to each of us, our years here have been but a schooling for the sterner drama of life. Even as we look, the new day is upon us. Already the curtain is slowly rising. Soon each of us must step forward to have his hour on the stage of the world, perch with heart strengthened and sprit made strong by this last meeting here.

Friends, classmates, with a smile upon our lips, with our faces turned over to the glowing future, and with this prayer of worthiness in our hearts may we go joyfully towards the golden tomorrow. Yet may we never forget the lessons of virtue and right living which we have learned here, unfolded kindly with in the arms of this, our Alma Mater and may we all without exception be judged worthy sons and daughters of the old school.

Mrs. E. D. Eldridge arrived here Sunday morning from Clear Lake, Iowa to spend a few weeks with her daughter Mrs. A. G. Church and family.

Mrs. T. D. Secrest left Tuesday morning for several weeks visit with her children Tyson Secrest and Mrs. Ester Vale Appell of El Paso.

Miss Lola Bunton who has been attending the State University at Austin came in Wednesday afternoon to spend the summer with her mother Mrs. L. D. Bunton.

Mrs. Yates and daughter Miss Isabel returned home this week from Alpine, where they have been for the past school term. They will spend the summer in Marfa.

T. B. Wood, District Agent A. & M. College Extension Service, having charge of 30 counties in West Texas, has been in Marfa this week. He made an interesting talk at the C. of C. meeting Wednesday. Thursday and Friday in company with R. S. Miller he visited the Apple Orchards at Fort Davis.

Tom Owens of Van Horn will be in Valentine this week, from here he expects to go to the river on a surveying trip.

LET'S GO C. M. T. C.

Uncle Sam Offers a Government Camp for young men 17 to 30 years of age.

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It is also up to the parents to see that their sons get military training it is just like education you would not see your son miss his education, you want him to have a chance in the great battle of life, but still you would send your son to war, with him being an ignorant in the ways of war. If war is declared he will have to go regardless, like in the last war, millions of our youths went across the waters to fight for us with no more knowledge of war than can be obtained in one course at the C. M. T. C. You perfumed Sheiks can't you leave your little Sheba for a month, and go to one of these camps, you'll come back feeling like a man, acting like a man, and smelling like man. Lets' Go.

Marfa has a good start so far, far better than in years of the past, let's keep up with the progressive spirit that is now in Marfa and go.

The BULL'S EYE



The Farmer Can't Stand Much More Help Like He Has Been Getting

Congress say they are helping the Farmer. They are in Washington ON salary. He is home trying to pay it.

Farmers have had more advice and less relief than a wayward son. If advice sold for 10c a column, Farmers would be richer than Bootleggers.

And when they get all through advising, there is just one thing will help the Farmers. That is eliminate some of the middlemen and let the two ends meet. The Consumer and the Producer are two men in America that have never even seen each other.

Cut out the middle and tie the two ends together.

When a steer starts from the feed pen to the table, there is about 16 to take a bite out of him, before he reaches the family that pay for him.

Who wears the best clothes or drives the best car, the fellow who raises a bushel of wheat, or the working fellow who goes up to buy a sack of flour? Why neither one of them. The ones in between these two have their private Tailor and "Straight Eight's."

The Government just told Agriculture, "You are in a hole." They didn't offer to pull them out, but they did say, "We will get down in there with you."

I want to tell you right here, I don't know what would have happened to the poor farmer if it had not been for his old friend, "Bull" Durham. It's the only thing he has been absolutely able to rely on. And I want him to know that myself and "Bull" Durham are with him right to the poor house door.

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1912	Dawson	National	Michelin	78.70
1913	Goux	Peugeot	Firestone	76.92
1914	Thomas	DeLage	Palmer	82.47
1915	DePalma	Mercedes	Goodyear	89.84
1916	Resta	Peugeot	Goodyear	83.25
1917	No Race			
1918	World War			
1919	Wilcox	Peugeot	Goodyear	88.06
1920	Chevrolet	Monroe	Firestone	88.55
1921	Milou	Firestone	Firestone	89.62
1922	Murphy	Murphy Sp.	Firestone	94.48
1923	Milton	HCS Spec.	Firestone	90.95
1924	Corum	Duesenberg	Firestone	98.23
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