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TEXAS CATTLE IN NATIONAL EXHIBIT

Feeder Section in Kansas City Royal Show Declared Best ever Shown

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 15.—The biggest and most representative display of feeder cattle ever seen here is to be found at the American Royal Livestock Show, veteran stockmen said Monday.

Included in the feeder section are several loads from the famous High Land Hereford Association of the Big Bend country of Texas. The Mador Land and Cattle Company of Denver, large cattle operators, also are represented by several loads of Herefords.

The carlot cattle will be judged Tuesday and sold at auction Thursday.

REBELS FREE U. S. RANCHER

Clyde Field, American rancher, was held captive for a short time by 13 Mexican revolutionists who crossed into Chihuahua near Fabens, November 1st.

This information was received here today by United States Agents.

Field is in charge of the T O ranch in Chihuahua. It is about 95 miles south-east of Sierra Blanca, Texas.

The revolutionists took eight horses from the ranch and required Fields to ride with them for about 35 miles. Then they freed him.

They took two more horses from the Torsasiva ranch while a group of cowboys slept nearby. Pat Murphy and Jim Kilpatrick, Americans, are running cattle on that ranch.

About 3000 head of American-owned cattle are on ranges in that district. So far the revolutionists have made no attempt to steal cattle and have not harmed Americans.

Other Americans who are ranching in that neighborhood are Tom Beall, R. C. Love, H. W. Reynolds, Elmer Norton and Everett Falkerson. —El Paso Post

NEW S. P. SCHEDULE

The following is the new Schedule of Trains which recently took place on the S. P. as affecting Marfa:

WEST BOUND	
101	2:55 P. M.
103	5:29 . . M.
7	11:51 P. M.
EAST BOUND	
102	3:12 P. M.
104	1:27 A. M.
8	5:48 A. M.

U. S. ROSS TO ADJOURN SCHOOL FOR EL PASO CONVENTION

Sul Ross State Teachers College will have a recess on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of Thanksgiving week, in order that faculty members and students may attend the State Teachers Association which convenes in El Paso at that time. Practically every member of the faculty and several students will attend this convention, before which some of the best known educators of the United States will give addresses.

Two other events of interest to Sul Ross Exes will bring together a large number of former students at the El Paso Convention. On Thursday afternoon, at the High School Stadium, the Sul Ross Lobos are to play the El Paso Junior College a game of Football. This game will close a very successful season for the Lobos. On the same evening a banquet for Sul Ross Exes will be held at the Del Norte Hotel.

Plates for this occasion should be engaged at an early date.

HALT WELL AT 1600 FEET

ALPINE, TEXAS—The Green Valley Oil Corporation No. 3 has closed down at 1600 feet to wait on a supply of fuel oil. The log of the well, according to J. E. Doddridge, president of the company, tallies with that of the Wilson No. 1, which was a producer.

GRAFTON T. WILCOX DIED FRIDAY EVENING

Friday morning about 11:00 o'clock while he was working as assistant in the Collectors office Grafton Wilcox was stricken with paralysis, and at 2:00 o'clock in the evening at his home in Marfa passed peacefully away. At the time of his death he was over 80 years of age.

For over 60 years he was a resident of Presidio County, having come to Fort Davis from Maryland with his Uncle then Major Wilcox of the U. S. Army.

After coming to Fort Davis for several years he was the Civilian Clerk in the Government commissary department. When Presidio County was formed with Fort Davis as the County seat, G. T. Wilcox was the first County and District Clerk of the New County, and at one time was Assessor.

Since serving as clerk with short intervals, he has always been connected either as a peace officer or as an accountant with the County governments of Presidio and Brewster Counties. For nearly twenty years he was chief Deputy under Sheriff Allen Walton of Brewster. During all the time of his service as an officer of the law his record has been spotless and beyond reproach. He was honest, efficient and ever faithful to his trust and oath of office. As a citizen he was peaceful and ever on the side of law and order. He was no respecter of persons but always held up for the right, whether touching the rich man or the poor man, it made no difference.

Surviving him he leaves a wife, a son, A. D. Wilcox of Marfa, a daughter, Mrs. Mary Low of San Antonio, and several grand children.

Funeral services will be conducted from the residence, and the interment will take place this evening at 4:00 p. m.

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THE OPERA HOUSE TO BE IMPROVED

Mr. Raetzsch, owner of the Marfa Opera House is contemplating in the near future of making a number of improvements to his building. Besides, improving the front structure and buying a new Picture Machine, he has become impressed lately with the necessity of buying a few improved seats for the accommodation and convenience of certain ones of his young patrons. These improved seats will be modern and especially adapted to the latest mode of enjoying a first Paramount Picture. There will only be FIVE of these seats ordered at present. They will occupy a double floor space from back to front. The back part of the seat to be occupied by the usual anatomical structure and the front for the feet and part of the legs. The seats are to be of the neuter gender—neither Male nor Female, but to be used by both. The front elevation will be about four or five feet higher than where the SETTER is seated, so that the FEAT of the Sitter will be to view the stage through the beautiful penumbra made by the sixes and elevens.

There might be danger of the brains from the front elevation running down to the SEATERS below, this however, is to be expected, but no serious damage is likely to follow the sudden transfusion. But then on with the dance! We moderns don't give a

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKER

Dr. R. H. Bennett of Virginia, will speak at the Methodist Church 7:30 p. m., Wednesday, November 24. Dr. Bennett is the field secretary of the Anti-Saloon League for the Southern States, and comes to Texas under the Auspices of the Superintendent for Texas of the League Dr. Aliens Webb.

H. W. Schutze left Monday with a train load of Cattle for Los Angeles

JOSEPH GUNSEY CANNON

Last Friday, November 12, 1926, at Danville, Illinois, Joe Cannon passed peacefully away, aged 90 years.

For a half century he was member of Congress and for a number of years was its Speaker. Years ago he had a close friend living at Marfa, Capt. H. L. Kelly, now deceased, and the Editor of the New Era in those days had the pleasure of reading a number of letters of Joe Cannon and his daughter Miss Helen, written to Capt. Kelly.

JUDGE GIBBS MOVES TO SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

Judge Charles Gibbs was over from San Angelo early in the week in attendance upon county court. Judge Gibbs has recently moved to San Angelo from Midland, resigning as district judge of that district, one of the largest in Texas. He has held that office for several terms and the writer has had the pleasure of voting for him each time. Gibbs is an able judge as well as lawyer. In the race for judge of the court of civil appeals, at El Paso, he was defeated in the recent primary—the El Paso vote defeating him.

Judge Gibbs is now associated with Judge W. A. Wright in the practice of law with office in San Angelo. Judge Wright is also an able attorney and the writer believes he speaks the truth in stating that there is not a firm better versed in law and practice in this section of the state than that of Wright and Gibbs. The writer is sure there is no better man than Gibbs, nor one truer to his friends.

Colonel T. K. Rhea, cousin of Mrs. Gibbs was with Judge Gibbs on this trip, coming from the east to visit relatives, two of whom passed away at Midland within ten days.

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SUL ROSS BANQUET AT DEL NORTE HOTEL

November 25th. 7:00 P.M.

The Ex-Students of Sul Ross State Teachers College will hold a banquet at the Del Norte Hotel, El Paso, Texas, on Thursday, November 25th., at 7:00 P. M. All Students who have attended the institution as much as one quarter are invited to be present at this banquet. Reservations for plates should be made through Miss Aynesworth, Alpine, Texas, at an early date.

The State Teachers Association of Texas is to be held in this section for the first time in 25 years, and the teachers of this part of Texas should attend in large numbers. This is our opportunity to convince the people down State that we are a progressive, live, hospitable group of citizens who believe in education and are doing all we can to make our contribution to the State's welfare.

This occasion is also Sul Ross's opportunity to impress the people of this section with the conviction that the institution belongs to every community of this section. Let us get together and pull together to make November 25th a great day for Sul Ross Exes. The Sul Ross Lobos will play the El Paso Junior College a game of Foot Ball on Dudley Field on the afternoon of Thanksgiving day.

Buy a ticket and attend the game.

HIGH CLASS ATTRACTIONS

Sul Ross offers two high class attractions for the Fall Term. A musical Recital at the College Auditorium on November 23, at 3:00 P. M. On December 2, at 8:00 P. M.

SCHUBERT MALE QUARTET

The admission price for the two attractions will be \$1.50 for Adults, and 75 cents for Students and children: Single admission for adults \$1.00, and for Students and Children 50 cents.

Thanksgiving-Thursday, November 25th. -Thanksgiving

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

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Nothing is easier than fault-finding; no talent, no self-denial, no brains, no character are required to set up in the grumbling business.

GOOD THINGS WE LIKE

We in America are coming to know more about the value of mutton and are learning how to appreciate and prepare it. In England it is one of the favorite meats; Scotland has long known its value.

One of the first essentials to good-flavored mutton is of course well-fed and cared for animals, then the next is careful butchering. The butcher who skins the animal must use care that his hands which have touched the wool and become oily never touch the meat.

If the cook, when the meat comes from the market to her, will carefully remove all the skin it will take with it every trace of the often objectionable woolly flavor.

Saddle of Mutton.—Wipe the meat carefully, sprinkle with salt and pepper and place on a rack in a dripping pan; dredge the meat and the bottom of the pan with flour. Bake in a hot oven one and one-fourth hours, basting every fifteen minutes. When carving, cut thin slices parallel with the back bone, then slip the knife under and separate the slices from the ribs. Serve with:

Currant Mint Sauce.—Separate into small pieces two-thirds of a glass of currant jelly, but do not beat it. Add one and one-half tablespoonsful of finely chopped mint leaves and the shavings from the rind of one-fourth of an orange.

Russian Salad.—Arrange a bed of lettuce in a salad bowl. Peel four tomatoes of medium size, cut fine and mix with sardines chopped and skinned. Place on lettuce and serve with French mayonnaise dressing.

Almond Bread.—Make a sponge at night with one quart each of water and gluten flour, add a yeast cake dissolved in a little water and let rise over night. In the morning add two teaspoonfuls of salt, one cupful of blanched almonds, finely chopped and enough gluten flour to mold. Knead well, mold into loaves and bake when light. This makes two loaves. Gluten flour may be used most acceptably by those who are not obliged to use it in their diet.

Practical Good Things.
 We are coming to the season when a hot drink after a cool ride will be welcome.

Grape Juice and Marshmallow.—Add the juice of a lemon to a quart of grape juice and let it come to a boil, adding a stick of cinnamon and half a dozen cloves. Strain hot into glasses and add two marshmallows to each glass, cut into quarters. If the grape juice is rich a cupful of water may be added. This is a nice drink for skaters as it can be taken in thermos bottles and kept piping hot.

In spite of the derision which the good old bread pudding has to endure, it is still a favorite in many homes.

Bread Pudding.—Take one and one-half cupfuls of milk, one-half cupful of sugar, two slices of bread buttered, and one egg. Beat the egg and add the sugar; when well mixed add the milk slowly, beating all the time. Place the buttered bread in a baking dish, pour over the milk and egg; the bread will rise to the top of the pudding dish, making a crust. Allow it to stand one hour, then bake in a hot oven long enough to set the custard. Serve with cream and sugar or a hard sauce.

Ice Box Rolls.—Take a cake of dry yeast, cover with a cupful of lukewarm water and soak until well softened, then add four tablespoonfuls of flour and mix well. Let stand overnight in a warm place. In the morning add another cupful of water, a cupful of sugar and a cupful of shortening—lard is best as it keeps sweet better than other shortening. Mix with enough flour to knead; do not add as much flour as for bread, but enough to handle well. Now place in a bowl and set at once into the ice box. The next morning take out a part of the dough and mold into rolls or buns, as many as are needed. Set to rise in the room temperature and by night they will be ready to bake for the evening meal. If wanted at noon set near the heat to force the rising. There will be enough roll mixture for several bakings and if kept on ice the last will be as light as the first.

Old-Fashioned Vegetable Soup.—Get a yepal knuckle and have it cracked so that all the marrow will be exposed. Treat a good beef shank in the same way. Place all the bones and meat in a large kettle, cover with cold water and bring to a simmer and let simmer for two or three hours. Now add a carrot diced, a piece of celery root finely minced, an onion or two, a small turnip cut into dice, and a half cupful of chopped cabbage, then add a few diced potatoes. Cook with a tomato or two cut into bits until all the vegetables are tender, then serve piping hot.

is shown to the right at the top in the biscuit-colored hat whose crown is so expertly draped. Biscuit and beige are very popular millinery colors. Two-color velvet combinations inspire the milliner to evolve charming creations such as portrayed in the draped hat in the lower right corner. In this instance two shades of nasturtium are used together. The large black velvet hat is favored in Paris for dress occasions. It too must have a soft crown with an unusual drape. In the instance of the hagsome model shown in the lower

Julia Bottomley

MILLINERS LEAN TO VELVET; PARIS VERSIONS OF BLOUSES

SHIRRED it, cord it, stitch it, fold it, drape it, tuck it and combine it in colors. These are in part some of the ways the fashionable milliner manipulates velvet this season. Furthermore velvet is being used for sports as well as dressy models. A sports velvet hat with a sports two-piece velvet frock is one of the happy happenings among fashionable folk.

Picture a shirred velvet hat in dark green worn with a Lanvin-green chiffon velvet dress of two-piece tailored mode. Wouldn't it be adorable? Better order your milliner to make you

corner to the right in this picture, tucks are clustered about the top crown piece. The brim is graceful, being unwired at the edge.

Reflecting the prestige accorded to the two-piece frock in Paris, utmost importance is attached to the separate blouse. Now that the flair for color is rampant throughout the realm of fashion it follows that blouse distinction is attained in the vivid and startling. It is the sentiment of the French couturier that there is no danger of overindulgence in flamboyant effect, if the skirt be kept neutral or



GROUP OF FALL HATS

up one just like the cunning model shown first in this picture.

As to the velvet beret it is the schoolgirl's joy and pride and the younger folks are just flocking to their nearest milliner to "try on" the latest models. When it comes to color it is hard to decide, they are all so perfectly captivating this autumn. Many of these new velvet tams are absolutely void of wire or support, others of more formal type are handsomely modeled like the fetching ribbon-trimmed black velvet type pictured in the center of this collection.

A favorite method among milliners is to cord the velvet hat. A splendid illustration of this effective handling

monotoned. In fact the mode encourages bold prints and embroideries for the silk velvet or metal cloth blouse, while the knitted blouse, which is very smart, by the way, is a matter of extreme color contrast.

At the races and all outdoor events the Parisienne delights in wearing a conspicuously colorful knitted blouse, such as is shown in the picture to the right. These are so finely knitted as to seem almost like cloth with a silken sheen.

Not by any means are gay silk prints passe when it comes to the blouse, a statement emphasized by the modernistic patterned blouse as shown under the cloth cape of the



TWO PARIS OFFERINGS

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smartly attired figure at the left in the picture. To create the feeling of an ensemble there are sections of the gay print introduced into the plaited skirt. Very practical and youthful is a frock whose skirt of plaited deep red jersey is topped with a knitted striped blouse of many colors trimmed with collar, cuffs and an inset gilet of the solid red. A more elaborate note is reflected in the jumper of metal cloth worn either with a velvet or crepe skirt.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.
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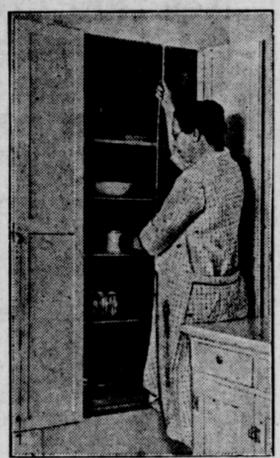
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(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

During many months of the year in northern climates, it is unnecessary to take ice, especially if a cool, clean, accessible place is available for storing foods that would ordinarily go into the refrigerator. Sometimes a window box answers the purpose, but in many farm homes the cellar is used because of its spaciousness and coolness. The chief drawback to a cellar storage room or cupboard is the fact that stair-climbing is invoked in transferring the things from below to the kitchen above. The illustration, which was taken by the United States Department of Agriculture in a Utah farm kitchen, shows the best way to reduce the stair-climbing to a minimum. By means of a dumb-waiter having several shelves, everything that is to go up



Dumb-Waiter Saves Stair-Climbing.

or down can be moved at one time, and only one trip on the stairs is needed. Care should be taken, of course, to have the ropes and pulleys of this dumb-waiter so arranged that they will run very smoothly, to avoid spilling milk of other liquid foods.

The dumb-waiter in the picture is exceedingly well located with respect to the pass cupboard into the dining room and to the kitchen cabinet.

Perfect Cranberry Jelly Depends on Fine Points

Perfect cranberry jelly depends on several fine points, says the United States Department of Agriculture. First, use the right amount of hot water—two cupfuls to each quart of berries—no more; second, boil the cranberries rapidly until they burst, but no longer, or you will destroy the pectin that makes the jelly "jell"; third, press the fruit through a fine sieve rather than a colander so that seeds as well as skins are removed. Allow two cupfuls of sugar to each quart of cranberries, add it to the strained pulp, and cook until the jelly sheets from the spoon. Then mold it in small bowls holding about the right quantity for one meal. Cranberry jelly "weeps" or runs after it is cut, hence it is more attractive to place a fresh mold on the table at each serving. Cranberry jelly keeps well and it will save time to make up a supply ahead.

Prunes Rich in Iron

Prunes are especially rich in iron, and they are also a good source of calcium and phosphorus. All three of these are minerals that the body needs regularly and in generous quantities.

YORKSHIRE PUDDING WITH ROAST BEEF



Beef Prepared in Different Ways for Roasting.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

One of the best liked meats the world over is a roast of beef, and if you follow the old English custom you will serve with a "Yorkshire pudding," suggests the bureau of home economics of the United States Department of Agriculture. This pudding is sufficiently substantial and filling to take place of potato or other starch vegetables, and now when eggs are plentiful and reasonable in price is an excellent time to have it.

Yorkshire pudding may be prepared in the same pan with a roast of beef, but difficulty is experienced in making gravy when this is done, so it is considered simpler to cook it in a sep-

CHEESE SOUFFLE IS EASILY MADE

Delicious Combination of Cheese, Eggs and Milk.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Cheese souffle is a delicious combination of cheese and eggs, bread crumbs and milk, sufficiently hearty to take the place of meat and potatoes once in a while. Some homemakers have the idea that souffles are difficult to make and that only a French chef can turn out a perfect one. On the contrary a souffle is quite simple to make if one understands two or three points, that apply to almost all good cookery. Slow and thorough cooking in moderate heat is one of these points, states the United States Department of Agriculture.

You may know cheese souffle under the name of "cheese puff" or "cheese fondue;" the name does not matter especially. To make it you will need:

- 1 pint of milk
- 3 or 4 eggs
- 1 1/2 cupfuls of bread crumbs
- 1/4 lb. American cheese
- 1/2 teaspoonful of salt

Put the bread crumbs and the milk together in the double boiler, heat them to the scalding point. Grate the cheese or shave it into thin, small pieces and stir it into the hot milk and bread crumbs, but do not let it cook. Add the salt. Take this mixture from the heat and while it is cooling, beat the yolks and whites of the eggs separately, and butter a baking dish. The souffle will cook best in a good-sized earthenware or glass baking dish three or more inches deep. After the bread, milk and cheese mixture has cooled, stir in the beaten egg yolks and fold in the whites. The air beaten into the egg whites is what makes the souffle fluffy, so mix them in with the careful folding motion. Pour the mixture at once into the buttered baking dish and bake in a moderate oven for 35 to 45 minutes. Long, slow cooking is one of the secrets of making a perfect souffle. The moderate heat makes the air bubbles in the egg whites expand until the mixture is light and cooks it thoroughly so that even when a spoon is put into it for serving it does not collapse like a pricked balloon. That is what happens to a souffle, or omelet, or other similar egg dish that has been cooked too rapidly at too high a temperature. Souffles are not hard to make if one remembers this important point.

Valuable Food Material in Juice of Vegetables

For a long time the idea has prevailed that the juices in which vegetables are canned should be thrown away. This is entirely erroneous. With practically all vegetables, except tomatoes, a brine or sirup containing small amounts of salt or sugar or both is added to the solid vegetable in the process of canning for the purpose of seasoning the product, producing a well filled can and assisting in the proper cooking of the product. During the processing treatment, mineral matters, sugars and other soluble materials dissolve in the liquor. It is evident that the discarding of this liquid means the loss of valuable food material. So unless the solid pieces of vegetables are to be used for special purposes, such as the preparation of a salad, the throwing away of the juice represents a loss of the food material of the can.

Raw Onions Valuable

Like other fresh vegetables, raw onions are valuable for their minerals and vitamins and their bulk. The theory that onions or other foods are beneficial to the nerves has been exploded. It is now known that a well-balanced diet helps to keep all parts of the body healthy.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

By Mary Graham Bonner

THE RABBIT'S RUNNING

"I must tell you an old story I used to be told by my daddy when I was a boy," Daddy said.

"Oh do," said Nick and Nancy.

"How about telling you of Topsy—not the Topsy of the famous story—but another Topsy, and of a rabbit who learned to run?"

"Yes," cried the children.

"Well," commenced Daddy, "Topsy was a very beautiful little girl with long auburn curls, large, soft gray eyes and wonderful pink and white skin."

"No one had ever known just where she came from, for she said that she had just dropped from the clouds."

"Anyway, Topsy was beautiful, and she didn't care if her nose was freckled, for she dropped on the earth just in time to visit all the animals behind the tall dark pines where they lived."

"Any other little girl might have been somewhat frightened behind the pines with the animals."

"But Topsy? No, indeed! "She was perfectly at home. And they all just loved her."

"They played blindman's buff, hide and seek, Miss Sindy Sue and all kinds of games together."

"One day, though, a Mr. Fox became very jealous of Young Rabbit because Topsy seemed to enjoy playing with him more than any other animal."

"So Mr. Fox decided he'd get rid of him."

"He told Young Rabbit that he'd walk with him to the end of the rainbow, where he had heard there were just lots of beautiful little girls like Topsy, and all they lived upon was milk and honey."

"Mr. Fox was very tricky, and he knew how to get Young Rabbit, for, of course, behind the dark pines they never have anything like milk and honey, and Mr. Fox thought that would seem like a great treat to Young Rabbit."

"So off they started, leaving Topsy broken-hearted, for she loved Young Rabbit."

"Young Rabbit went on ahead of Mr. Fox, who carried a long stick in his hand."

"On they walked and walked until Young Rabbit's feet were so sore he could hardly put one foot before the other."

"Each had a bag on his shoulder with some things to eat in it."

"So they sat down and ate and drank."

"When they'd finished eating they started on again, Mr. Fox always very careful to linger behind long enough to let Young Rabbit stay in front."

"On and on they went until it had grown very dark."

"Mr. Fox stopped every few minutes to rest. Finally he decided he had gone far enough."

"He felt sure Young Rabbit should now be lost, so he yelled out to Young Rabbit to run as hard as he could, as he said he heard dogs."

"Off tore Young Rabbit as fast as his legs would carry him, while Mr. Fox sat down and laughed as though his sides would split."

"And that, children, was the story my father used to tell me when I was a boy."

"In fact he said that it was a popular belief that it was Mr. Fox who had taught the rabbit how to run."

Association of Ideas
Teacher—How many of you remember the poem we read yesterday afternoon? (A number of hands went up.) Good! Now who can give me the word that was on the "banner with the strange device?"

Pupil (after a pause)—Please, teacher, it was "Sawdust."
Teacher—No, no, not "Sawdust"—"Excelsior."
Pupil—Well, I knew it was something they pack things in.

Chance to Get Lonesome
The little son of our new neighbor likes so well to play with Marietta that he comes over the minute he has his breakfast and stays all day. Yesterday when Marietta went out there he sat on the front steps waiting. She looked at him a minute without displaying much enthusiasm and then demanded:

"Why don't you ever stay home and give me a chance to get lonesome for you?"

TWO FAMOUS WOMEN BORN IN SAME YEAR

Queen Victoria and Lydia E. Pinkham



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In the year 1819, two babies were born whose lives were destined to have a far-reaching influence. One was born in a stern castle of Old England, the other in a humble farmhouse in New England.

Queen Victoria through her wisdom and kindness during a long and prosperous reign has become enthroned in the hearts of the British people. Lydia E. Pinkham through the merit of her Vegetable Compound has made her name a household word in thousands of American homes.

Philadelphia, Penna.—Mrs. Caroline Nagy, of 2717 Sears St., in a recent letter to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., says that after her child was born she was in a very weak condition. She could not seem to regain her health and went to her mother for advice. She told her to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it had helped her when in like condition, and it has helped her mother also. So Mrs. Nagy started taking it. She felt better after taking the first bottle,—after taking six bottles her weakness and other troubles disappeared, and she is never done praising the Compound.

In some families the fourth generation is learning the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Lightning's Blow
The familiar saying that lightning never strikes twice in the same place has little interest for the guy who happened to be where the first stroke hit.—Tusculum (Ala.) Times.

Loose now and then a scattered smile; and that I will live upon.—Shakespeare.

Marshall, Illinois.—"After my second child was born, I never saw a well day for five years. My father was telling his druggist about my condition, and the druggist insisted that father take a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and have me try it, as it had helped his wife. I had given up, but to please father and mother, I commenced taking your medicine and in a week I had begun to feel better. When I passed through the Change of Life, I was taking the Vegetable Compound and I had no trouble of any kind."—Mrs. ANNA MCHENRY, 1005 E. Plum St., Marshall, Illinois.

Another Woman Helped

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Russia Preaches Tea Evils
The Soviet government in Russia employs an official commissioner to tour the country lecturing on the evils of excessive tea drinking.

A Swiss inventor has patented a process for retting, degumming and disintegrating ramie to obtain its fiber for use in textiles.

Children Cry for

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Austria's Bachelors
Vienna's socialist government favors the bachelor. By decree, hereafter, all single men will be entitled to special quarters in each of the 25,000 municipal apartments. These quarters shall include one living room and one kitchen, at a rental of 65 cents a month. The said socialist government is likely to hear from the Viennese spinster.

Compromise Condemned
Compromise is but the sacrifice of one right or good in the hope of obtaining another—too often ending in the loss of both.—Edwards.

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Baby Flies Over Channel
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HOW EDITORS GET RICH

A child is born in the neighbor-
hood; the editor gives the loud-lun-
ged youngster and the happy pa-
rents a sendoff and gets \$0.00. It is
christened and the minister gets \$5.
and the editor gets \$0.00 The editor
blushes and tells a dozen lies about
the beautiful and accomplished
bride.
The minister gets \$10.00 and a piece
of cake and the editor gets \$0.00. In
the course of time she dies; the doc-
tor gets from \$15.00 to \$100.00, the
minister gets perhaps another \$5.00,
the undertaker gets perhaps \$75.00
to \$200.00, the editor prints the obit-
uary two columns long and a card
of thanks and gets \$0.00. No wonder
so many country editors GET RICH.
Have you paid your subscription?
—Altamont Times.

WHAT MAKES A TOWN?

What makes a town anyway? Is it
the wealth evidenced by the homes
and splendid stone buildings?

They may test the stability and
thrill of certain people, but they of-
fer no inducements to the commer-
cial and moral progress? Is it the
spirit of good order and law obser-
vance? That is a factor only. The
sleepiest old hamlets that dot the
map have the spirit of rank abun-
dant. It is the schools and church-
es? May their number ever in-
crease, but they do not make a town
—they only cultivate it. Is the geo-
graphical location, the character of
the country surroundings, the ship-
ping facilities, the natural advan-
tages?

Well, what makes a town, any-
way? Just one thing—the unity of
the people, the existence of a com-
mon bond which causes business
and social antagonists to put aside
all differences when it comes to
boosting the town.

No town ever made real success
without the get-togethers spirit una-
nimosly adopted. It has rejuvenat-
ed old hulks of towns that were
yawning their way into endless
sleep. It has infused new life blood
into the heart of commercial life
and made thriving cities out of par-
alytic villages.

Natural advantages count for
much and prosperity cannot be built
on shifting sand, but any town with
half a chance can be made to grow
and expand and thrive when its citi-
zens join with one accord in the
boosting program—Ounah Times.

ENGLISH

Papa, Mama, sister, and brother
are all having their share of Eng-
lish. Every one is getting busy, even
the P. O. has a rushing business this
week. Miss Newman is faithfully do-
ing her part.

This month, in the way of test
papers, all the parents received
samples of the work that is being
done by their children. Each paper
sent out was accompanied by a
blank form which was filled in, sig-
ned by the parent and returned to
Miss Newman.

English grades are better this
year and the student body gives the
credit to Miss Newman. We all ap-
preciate her efforts.

Some of the students have decid-
ed that they will either get Eng-
lish or get out of the class.

Royalty Attired Americans

A few weeks ago when there was
considerable comment in many
parts of the world upon the enthu-
siastic reception accorded Queen
Marie of Rumania, and the frantic
struggle made by American men
and women to secure a sight of her
royal features or sit in the improv-
vised thrones which had been hal-
lowed forevermore by her tempo-
rary use, an ill-natured English

SUPPOSE, MR. SPEEDER

(Author Unknown)

Suppose that your child should
leave its own yard
If its mother were busy, or had not
the time

To step out and give it a call—
Suppose that some speeder should
race down the street,

As though he were taking a dare,
And crush the life out of your little
child—

Mr. Speeder, do you think you would
care?

Suppose that your mother were
crossing the street—

Your mother now feeble and old—
And some reckless driver should
knock her aside,

Leaving her lifeless and cold.

Could you find an excuse for this
careless act?

Would you really think it were
fair?

Now, putting yourself in this fel-
low's place,

Mr. Speeder, do you think you
would care?

Suppose that a loved one you hold
very dear

Were the victim of some speeder's
game,

And he lay in his bed, just day after
day,

All crippled and helpless and lame;
Suppose that he never could walk
any more,

No longer your pleasure could share
Just lie there and suffer, day in and
day out,

Mr. Speeder, do you think you
would care?

Oh! How little you think of the
other man's pain

In your lawless pleasure and greed;
How little you care what it costs
some one else

When you drive at your daredevil
speed.

Should this trouble occur in your
family some day,

For you and your loved one to share
You'll lessen your speed; and you'll
take time to think—

And then, Mr. Speeder, you will
care!

journalist remarked that nothing bet-
ter was to have been expected of us
He insisted that we were all as crazy
about the gewgaws and trappings of
rank as the most subservient Euro-
pean whom centuries of training
had condemned to superlative def-
erence to those born to the purple.

Our scornful critic pointed to the
American fondness for fraternal or-
ganization with elaborate rituals
and gorgeously clothed officials
bending under the weight of high-
sounding titles as evidence of the
truth of his charges. He intimated,
if he did not say, that while we had
no legally authorized titles of nobil-
ity, our professions of democracy
were a sham, and that at heart we
were most abject worshipers of til-
les and tinsel.

As becomes a proud and virtuous
people, conscious of our simple
greatness and of our occupancy of a
sphere too elevated to be affected
by the carpings of so captious a
critic, we have been wont to treat
them with contemptuous silence.

We have been rather sorry for one
with so little discrimination as to
realize that we did not really care
for all the display in which we were
taking part, but were trying merely
to make our royal visitor feel at
home.

We were getting along very well
with our policy, and would have
made it a success, had our own gov-
ernment not failed us in our hour
of need. The lack of team work upon
this occasion must be charged to the
department of commerce. That de-
partment announces as a part of
the result of its biennial census of
manufactures that the production
of regalia, badges and emblems in
the United States during 1925 amount-
ed to \$10,000,000. The principal pro-
ducts manufactured are lodge and
society regalia, and supplies, ribbon
and celluloid badges and buttons,
medals, school pins and buttons.

To say the least, it was unfeeling
upon the part of our government to
publish this statement just at the
time we wished to establish our-
selves more firmly as the real lovers
of democratic simplicity. Ten million
dollars would go a long way in the
direction of equipping the royalty
and nobility of a second rate Euro-
pean power, and is a sum not to be
scuffed at when the wardrobe pur-
chasers for the larger kingdoms and
empires begin to shop.

But can one visualize so much reg-
alia being worn by Americans as
one year's replenishment of their
court wardrobes? Does it not bring
before the mind's eye a mighty
army of gallant sir knights, and
count and dukes and others with



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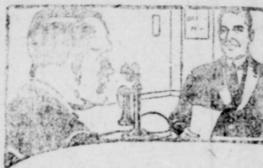


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tise. Write him at once. He also
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even more imperial titles?

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should see them all at once, she
would surely be amazed and appal-
led at their grandeur. For doubtless
much of it is worn in truly kingly
fashion.

But why say so much about it in
public? Is it our fault that rich gar-
ments and royal trapping are becom-
ing to many American forms?
Why say anything about it at a time
when foreign critics are obtuse and
will not understand?

—El Paso Times

HELP WANTED FEMALE

The Training School of the El Pa-
so Masonic Hospital, is now admit-
ting its regular class of young wo-
men to become nurses. The require-
ments are as follows: American
girls between the ages of 18 and 30,
must have completed at least two
years of high school, of good moral
character and have the consent of
parents to enter training. Anyone
interested may communicate with
the superintendent.
Address, Masonic Hospital, Monta-
na and Piedras Streets, El Paso,
Texas.

NOTICE

Hunting cutting of green Pines
and Cedars or otherwise trespass-
ing on my lands in Jeff Davis
County are hereby strictly forbid-
den.

— D. O. MEDLEY

Mrs. C. R. Sutton accompanied by
her two little sons, left Thursday
for El Paso, where her husband
Judge Sutton is at the Masonic Hos-
pital receiving medical treatment.
Wednesday, Mrs. Sutton received
a postal from the Judge, in which he
stated that soon he would be able
to be out of the hospital, that his
friends from Marfa when in El Paso
had been very kind and their visit
highly appreciated.

W. T. Jones left Tuesday evening
for Denver, Colorado, where he will
purchase a number of bulls for his
ranches.

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Locals and Personals

Mrs. E. E. Share has been on the sick list for several days suffering from an attack of the Flu.

MUSE—Chiffon and Service Weight. —MILADY'S SHOPPE.

'DUCO' for handy home use, laughs at time, dries fast and lasts. G. C. ROBINSON LBR. CO.

H. H. Lovett Attorney of Presidio, was in the City Monday on professional business.

POSTED

My Pastures in Presidio County are **POSTED**. No Hunting camping or trespassing in any manner will be allowed.

Oct. 30 1926. L. C. BRITE.

Mrs. John Logan and son Albert are visiting at Sonora, their old home.

Mr. Harry Anderson has recently purchased the DeVolin residence.

Everybody has been asking "When can we have DUCO to brush on at home" we have it now. G. C. ROBINSON LBR. CO.

Mr. John Griffith is having the roof of the Longhorn Cafe covered with a new coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bunton of Valentine, were here in Marfa Wednesday.

The Baptist Ladies will have a Bazaar December 4th. Place will be announced later.

Miss Vera Barnett of Fort Davis has accepted a position as bookkeeper with the Bryan DeVolin Tailoring establishment.

FOR SALE—25 Spring Pullets, very cheap. Commence to lay. Phone or write, W. H. Thompson, Valentine, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Mitchell are among the Marfa people, who are attending the Royal Stock Show at Kansas, City.

WANTED—Man with car to sell complete quality Auto Tires and Tubes. Exclusive Territory. Experience not necessary. Salary \$300.00 per month. Milestone Rubber Co. East Liverpool, Ohio.

The old building formerly owned by the Methodist Church, now the property of Mrs. W. B. Mitchell has been converted into a storeroom for autos by the Kokernot Motor Co.

Wednesday, Dan Rice opened his New Restaurant in the old Popular Dry Goods Store Rooms.

WILD ROSE ORCHARD—Winter Apples, now ready for sale call at Orndorff or write to me at Fort Davis, Texas.

M. F. HIGGINS

H. A. Coffield has been this week in El Paso. He represents in Presidio and Jeff Davis counties the Frigidare and Delco Manufacturers, one of whose representatives is now in El Paso making demonstrations of their wonderful and popular products.

Unlike anything else it is "DUCO" the beautiful enduring finish for every thing in the home. G. C. ROBINSON LBR. CO.

Rev. S. F. Marsh, has been this week in San Antonio, attending the State Baptist Convention.

Esq., returned Wednesday from a Deer hunt. They brot in one Buck the first of the Season. It was probably staked out for them.

WRITE FOR CATALOGUE \$525.00 Essay Contest for School Children, from fifth to eleventh grades. Closes Jan. 25, 1927. Write for particulars and free catalogue. Ramsey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Texas.

NOTICE

All parties are hereby forbidden to either fish or hunt or otherwise trespass in my pasture. Sept. 24, 1926. W. W. Bogel.

TO SHOOT OIL WELL

According to a report here drilling has been stopped on the Dixie oil well north of the Barilla mountains, in Jeff Davis County, the casing and rig removed and preparations made to shoot it with nitroglycerine. It is said to be down about 6,000 feet. Another well or test hole is to be drilled. The Dixie well showed fine promise, it is said, at various points.

—Alpine Avalanche.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

The Epworth League held a very enjoyable service at its last session. The program was as follows:

Hymn 136, Hymn 147. Scripture—Matt. 28:16-20. Subject—What is a Church?

"What is a Church?"—Evelyn Howell.

"What the Church is"—Phyllis Tom.

"What is the Church for?"—Candler Jones.

"What can the League do to help the Church?"—Eugene Dupuy.

"Has the Church gained or lost in your community; if so why?"—Mrs. Jones.

"Should the Church have recreation?"—Evelyn Raetzsch.

SAN ANGELO R. R.

BUSINESS INCREASES

San Angelo, Nov. 18 (SP).—Seventy-five switchmen, brakemen and firemen have been employed by the Orient railroad in this section within the last three weeks owing to increasing heavy business. A new engine was received here late in the week and five or six others will arrive soon.

During October the Texas division originated shipments of 550 cars of sheep, 347 cars of cattle and 19 cars of horses. The movement of oil from Upton, Crane, Reagan and Crockett counties and of oil well supplies of all kinds to the field continues to gain.

Harry and George Grierson of Ft. Davis returned this week from the Cleveland Hot Springs.

"Grandma" Davis, who had spent several months with her granddaughter, Mrs. Jessie Fisher, accompanied her son, Jim Davis to his home at Marfa one day last week.

—Alpine Avalanche.

Mrs. H. Briam, first of the week was a guest of her sister Mrs. A. Brannon of Marathon.

Mrs. Ware Hord spent several days last week with her sister Mrs. Feron Ritchey of Marathon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brite, are in Kansas City this week attending the Royal Stock Show.

Rev. J. R. Jacobs spent several days last week at the Merrill ranch.

Warren Bloys returned to Fort Davis Tuesday evening after having been in El Paso for an operation for appendicitis. He was met in Marfa by Mrs. Bloys and his brother, H. D. Bloys.

—Alpine Avalanche.

So much depends on the shortening

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Grafton Wilcox Dies

(Continued from Page 1) The New Era extends sincerest sympathy to his bereaved ones, and with profound sorrow chronicles the departure from our midst of another Pioneer, and the last of the old officers who truly stood in the front in winning the frontiers of the West.

MODEL DAIRY

Marfa is to be congratulated in having in the Model Dairy one of the best of its kind in West Texas. Mr. Gallimore, the proprietor is having installed at the dairy an electric Frigidare "aeriator" and other improvements.

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NOTICE

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Mr. Jim Dodd, immigration officer, who has been at Alpine relieving Jess Hill, has returned to Marfa.

Mrs. S. C. Hopkins is in San Antonio visiting friends.

"A Man Without A Country."

This week a man was brought from Sanderson and placed in the Marfa jail by immigration officers, and will be taken from here to El Paso. He has written from jail a poem entitled—"A Man Without A Country" and as soon as our experts can decipher the writing it will be printed. The writer claims to be a soldier, of English birth, married and has been residing for the last 5 years in California.

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Mr. Dahlberg is among the youngest of America's captains of industry. Born in Sweden, the early part of his life in America was spent in railroading, a good portion of it as an associate of the late James J. Hill, the great empire builder of the Northwest. In more recent years he has been prominently identified with a number of large construction projects. A vision of great endurance and economy in building, growing out of his experience, finally led him to establish the institute.

THE Celotechnic Institute of America was recently established, with headquarters in Chicago, to study the problems of American home builders and to place at their disposal the latest discoveries in scientific construction.

It is the aim of B. G. Dahlberg, its founder, to delve into all home building problems and to give to the American public the benefit of its research work and to supply the very latest data on most modern building practices.

It will be a veritable laboratory of building facts including structural problems, modern plans, roof and floor insulation, building trends, analysis, laboratory tests, experimentation in refrigeration, sheathing and interior finishes.

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Nervous hot flashes

"SOME time ago when in a very nervous, run-down condition," says Mrs. Martha F. Marlow, of Broken Bow, Okla. "I tried numerous remedies to try at least to keep going, but I could not. I was weak and tired—just no good at all. My back ached and I had hot flashes until I was so very nervous I smothered."

"I couldn't sleep and I was never hungry, and I kept getting weaker. I couldn't stand on my feet. This was an unusual condition for me as I had been pretty strong all along. I knew that I would have to do something, and that pretty soon."

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Nell Hamilton and Shirley Mason in "DESERT GOLD" —By Zane Grey.

THURSDAY—

RICHARD BARTHOLOMESS in "The Beautiful City."

FRIDAY—

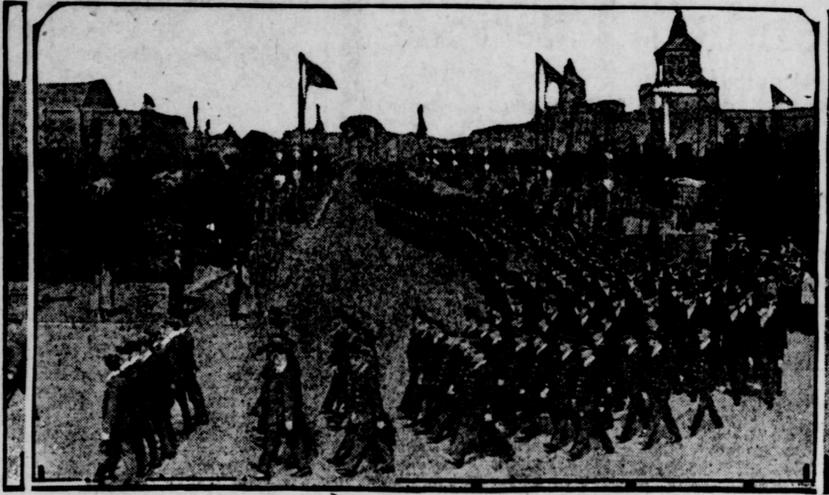
BOB CUSTER in "That Man Jack."

SATURDAY— F. B. O.

FRANCIS BUSHMAN and BILLIE DOVE in "MARRIAGE CLAUSE"

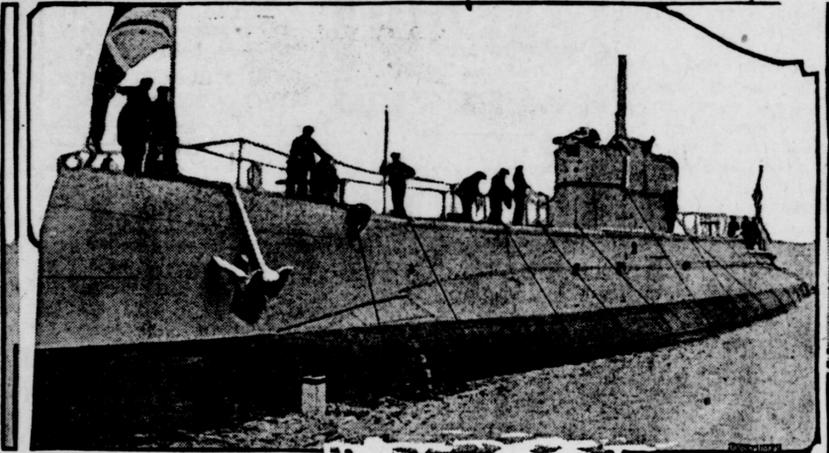
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Pennsylvania Firemen Parade at Sesqui



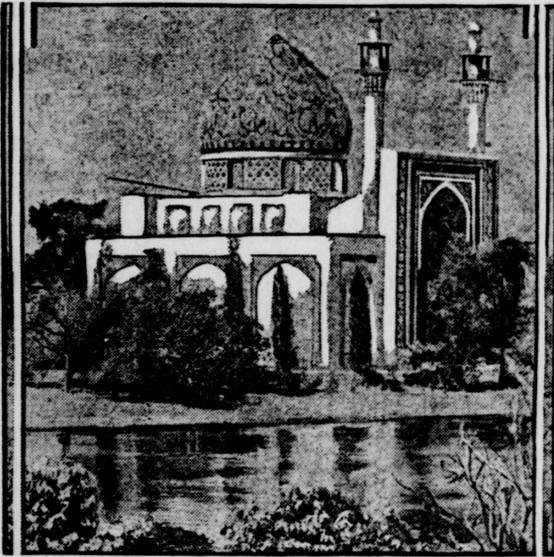
Members of the Firemen's Association of the State of Pennsylvania in a gala parade in the Sesquicentennial exposition grounds. Men of the Philadelphia department headed the big parade, in which firemen from practically every county in Pennsylvania took part.

England Launches New Type of Submarine



This is the submarine Oberon, first vessel of its type, as it appeared after the launching ceremonies at Chatham dockyard, England.

Persia's Building at the Sesqui



An interesting recent event at the Sesquicentennial exposition in Philadelphia was the dedication of the beautiful Persian building by S. H. Taqizadeh, commissioner general of Persia. The building is in the form of a mosque and is handsomely decorated with mosaics.

At the Erie Canal Centennial



George Clinton (right), eighty-year-old grandson of former Gov. De Witt Clinton, builder of the Erie canal in 1825, receiving from Alexander J. Wall, librarian of the New York Historical society, the original keg in which the first water was carried from Lake Erie to the sea. This is the first time the keg has been removed from its "rest" in the Historical society rooms, and this was only for the Erie canal centennial.

"BUD" STILLMAN



James "Bud" Stillman, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Stillman and relative of some of the most prominent families in New York, is engaged to marry Miss Lena Wilson, the daughter of a Canadian farmer and woodsman, a girl who was once his mother's domestic. The wedding will not take place until after his graduation from Princeton next June.

FAMOUS SCOT HERE



Among the speakers at the opening of the McKinlock campus of Northwestern university in Chicago was Prof. Archibald Young, internationally famous Regius professor of surgery of the University of Glasgow. From Chicago he went to Rochester, Minn., to inspect the Mayo clinic.

Community Building

People Are Learning

Tree Surgery's Value

Tree surgery is today recognized as the one lasting way to preserve rare trees which are beginning to decay or trees badly damaged by storms, writes R. E. Wheeler, tree surgeon, in Alpha Aids. Tree surgery is like dentistry in many respects. The first attention a tree generally needs is a careful pruning of stubs, all dead and dying branches, and the removal of limbs that interfere with each other seriously. Cuts should be made on the shoulder of limb removed and not square against the main limb or trunk. In removing large limbs two or more cuts should be made to prevent stripping of the bark where final cut is made.

The result of leaving stubs is that decay sets in and then it is necessary to fill a cavity. Every cut made with a saw should be painted with some good disinfectant, such as pine tar, asphaltum paint or heavy lead paint. It is a good plan where large cuts are made to shellac them immediately, then paint over with paint as near color of bark as possible.

When cutting trees back never cut the top out of trees very far back, as this destroys too much leaf surface and forever ruins their beauty. Furthermore, cavities are likely to come where cuts were made, and eventually you have hollow trees, weakened and diseased, a prey to every windstorm.

Too Little Attention

Paid to Advertising

The newspapers of the country have built up the motion-picture industry. The advertising account of the railroads should give consideration to the newspapers when copy is placed because these railroads are dependent and hope to live off the prosperity created and developed by the newspapers of that section.

Cities and communities all along the Pacific coast are showing an increasing interest in the possibilities of community advertising through newspapers. Representative newspaper men from all parts of the coast have discussed plans whereby this service might be extended. The consensus was that this type of advertising had been universally successful. Figures show that definite results were obtained.

Many an advertised commodity outstrips its nonadvertised rivals not alone because it becomes known, but because the advertiser, once his product is identified in the public mind, has a strong motive for maintaining its quality, as well as looking for possible improvements that will constitute additional sales arguments. It has been demonstrated that precisely the same effect has been observed in community improvement in connection with well-planned community advertising campaigns.

Pleasures of Small Towns

There is more than one privilege and pleasure about living in a small town. One of them is in going in your shirt sleeves; another is in sitting on the shady side of a business house in the summer time and on the sunny side in the winter. If you want to speak to a friend three blocks away, you can yell and squall at him and you can carry on a loud, hollering conversation; you can always find a place to park; you can turn around in the middle of the block; you have a lot of friends, and when you are with one of them you can talk about all the balance; you can keep up with everybody else's business except your own, and many, many others, but they are too numerous to mention.—Gaffney (Mass.) Ledger.

Outlines Work for Clubs

Town and country relations should be made a major project in the program of the Wisconsin-Upper Michigan district of Kiwanis clubs during the coming year.

This department of work should be put into "a real place of prominence," Prof. J. H. Kolb, Madison, chairman of the planning committee, reported. He also recommended that men be appointed to both district and local committees who would put real time and effort into the service, that projects of work be undertaken "of such a character as to challenge the attention, command the respect and secure the support of the entire membership of the clubs," and that sufficient funds be included in both district and local budgets to make such a program a reality.

Plan for City's Future

The future of any city depends upon the mobilization of a well-rounded set of resources, according to Thomas Randall, sales manager of a leading Detroit company.

"A city is a great deal like an individual," Mr. Randall said. "A man might be very rich and yet lack the other qualities that give poise and, for that reason, fall to be accounted a success. As with an individual, so with a city, each needs a combined set of abilities and resources to reach success. It is only when all of the various details have been carefully mobilized into a completed whole that a city can feel confidence in its future."

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Touch pimples, redness, roughness or itching, if any, with Cuticura Ointment, then bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse, dry gently and dust on a little Cuticura Talcum to leave a fascinating fragrance on skin. Everywhere 25c each.—Advertisement.

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DR. W. B. CALDWELL AT THE AGE OF 83

To Dr. W. B. Caldwell, of Monticello, Ill., a practicing physician for 47 years, it seemed cruel that so many constipated infants and children had to be kept "stirred up" and half sick by taking cathartic pills, tablets, salts, calomel and nasty oils.

While he knew that constipation was the cause of nearly all children's little ills, he constantly advised mothers to give only a harmless laxative which would help to establish natural bowel "regularity."

In Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin mothers have a regulating laxative which they can depend upon whenever a child is constipated, bilious, feverish or sick from a cold, indigestion or

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CHAPTER XIV—Continued

Our misgivings were justified when we tolled up the sandy slopes of the hill upon which the stockade was built. The glare of an immense bonfire showed through the trees, and rude voices were chanting that sinister sea-song which had been my introduction to the pirate brotherhood:

Fifteen men on the Dead Man's Chest—
Yo-ho-ho, and a bottle of rum!
Drink and the devil had done for the rest—
Yo-ho-ho, and a bottle of rum!

I had never heard it sung by the James' crew before.

As we approached the palisades we descried through the openings a score or two of them, comical in their broad pantaloons, their belts bristling with cutlasses and pistols, prancing around the fire like Mohicans dancing a scalp.

They paid no attention to us, and we crossed the cleared area inside to the door of the blockhouse, where Coupeau lounged against the log wall.

"M'sieu le capitaine ees com?" he inquired.

I told him yes.

"Ees com' queeck?" he insisted.

I shrugged my shoulders to this, and he grunted.

"Maybe so we mak'—com' at those rrrascal," he suggested.

"Have they had any rum?" I asked suspiciously.

"Non. They have zee fire—and they see much t'reasure."

He paused.

"Maybe so you com," he said, and without waiting for us to answer, strode alone toward the fire.

I shoved Moira inside the blockhouse, and Peter and I started after him. I made to draw a pistol, but Peter caught my arm.

"Neen," he said. "We do this wit' our fists and our voice, Bob—or we don't do it at all."

Such were Coupeau's tactics—but he relied mostly upon his fists. He waded into the dancers, smiting right and left, and Peter and I came behind him. Several men reached for their cutlasses, but these we got to before they had time to draw steel.

In the middle of the row Murray's voice flashed out from the shadows like a sword, and our opponents cowered away.

"Sdeath," he drawled. "Will you fellows think to take advantage of me because I turn by back upon you for an hour or two?"

He came forward into the circle of light. "Coupeau!"

"Oul, m'sieu."

"Who began the trouble this time?"

The gunner fastened his awful visage upon the whitening faces of the group of trouble-makers.

"That man."

He pointed.

"Heem. Heem. Heem. Heem."

"Very good," said my great-uncle. "Most of us prefer to sleep, seeing that we confront the certainty of a busy morn'g; but I have no wish to disappoint those who would amuse themselves tonight. Nay, I will provide entertainment for them. Take those five, Coupeau, and the fellows who broiled with them, and stand by whilst their followers lay on an hundred and fifty lashes with the cat for each."

There was an instant's silence, then a gasp of terror, and one man commenced to sob.

"Oh, Gawd, cap'n, sir, we can't stand no hun'er'd'n' fuffy lashes! No mortal man could. Don't 'ee say it, sir! We'll crawl to 'ee, cap'n, sir, 'deed we will."

"You should have thought of that beforehand," replied Murray, unmoved.

"Not a hun'er'd an' fifty, cap'n," pleaded a second man. "'Twill kill us, sure."

"I should not be surprised if it would," agreed my great-uncle, taking snuff. "In fact, were I in your shoes I should hope that it would. Take them away, Coupeau—out of earshot, if you please."

CHAPTER XV

The Attack on the Stockade

Daylight revealed the Walrus heading toward the mouth of the anchorage; but the smoke from our cooking fires obviously puzzled her, and she heaved to and lowered a boat which pulled up the channel to investigate.

"She is bound for the North Inlet," commented Murray, pocketing his glass. "Flint will find the James and be with us again by mid-afternoon."

"When his battery will make short work of this gimcrack fortress," I said disagreeably. "Why not make terms with them? You have the eight hundred thousand pounds safe."

"I stated my opposing reasons last night to Mistress O'Donnell."

"But you had not then been compelled to flog five knaves to death," I objected. "This is no crew to fight a forlorn hope."

"They and their like have fought for me these thirty years," he replied placidly. "Nor do I consider the approaching struggle a forlorn hope. Let me involve Flint in an attack upon us here, and I promise you he'll not bring off enough men to work his ship. Also, you err in your first assertion, Robert. Only three of last night's mutineers have died. The other two are yet alive—albeit uncomfortable, fancy; exceeding uncomfortable."

"And how they must love you!" I sneered.

"Fear me, you should say," he corrected.

"Ja," said Peter, "andt from fear grows hate."

My great-uncle smiled.

"I find myself, as always, moved to admiration of the philosophy you have distilled from your wide range of experience, friend Peter," he answered. "But suffer me to remind you that, in the language of the alchemists, fear and hate are mutually reactive principles, the one consuming and neutralizing the other."

There was no more to be said, and however unwillingly, Peter and I were constrained to do all that we could to aid in strengthening the position.

Twas Peter's idea that the men be set to digging shallow pits behind the stockade to provide additional shelter against musketry fire from the border of woods and undergrowth at the base of the hill. 'Twas likewise Peter who suggested, vastly to her indignation, that we construct for Moira a shot-proof cubby-hole of treasure chests and kegs in one corner of the blockhouse.

We had scarce finished these preparations when the Walrus reappeared and tacked up the anchorage to the elbow where it bends sharply around the larger island which covers the entrance. Farther she was unable to go because of shoal water. Her people seemed to be concerned entirely with the task of disembarkation, and in the space of a glass we reckoned that all of a hundred and fifty men were landed and straggled irregularly into the forest.

The afternoon was warm and drowsy. The Walrus looked like a toy ship on the oily-smooth surface of the inlet. There was not a sign of life aboard her, and the forest that spread betwixt us and the shore hugged silently whatever secrets it covered.

My great-uncle frowned thoughtfully.

"This is not like Flint," he remarked. "He must always fly bull-headed to the attack."

The words were hardly out of his mouth when a shout came from the side of the stockade fronting the inlet.

"Here be Flint's Redhead!"

Forth from the forest wall projected the unmistakable flaming locks of Darby McGraw, with one arm which flourished diligently what once had been a white shirt. At the first glimpse of me he scrambled into the open.

"Will ye be letting me come in, Master Bob?" he called. "I ha' a message for himself."

"Who?"

"Himself—him that's uncle to ye."

"Well, seeing that we hear each other excellently as we are, suppose you speak your message from the spot you stand on," I said.

"Troth, that will suit me fine," he replied with alacrity. "And 'tis easy said. Flint will ha' Cap'n Murray shift the treasure to the foot of the hill, and that done, the Walrus will



"Fifteen Men on the Dead Man's Chest—"

take it and go. If he won't, we'll be takin' it anyways—or by chance we don't, we'll blow the James out of the water and leave ye all marooned."

I looked down inquiringly at my great-uncle.

"If they seek terms, they are uncertain of success," he said. "Send the boy away."

"But if they destroy the James?"

"First they will attack—and after that we will deal with the problem of protecting the ship."

And as I hesitated—

"Be so good as to answer him at once, Robert, or I shall have him shot as he stands."

"Go back, Darby," I called. "Captain Murray will have none of your offer."

"God save us!" he exclaimed involuntarily. "I'm thinkin' that will be the death of many a tall feller, Master Bob. Well, good luck to ye and to Master Peter and the elegant young maid. If we all come out safe—"

My great-uncle leaped upon a tree

stump and fired a pistol over Darby's head. The boy stood motionless a moment, mouth agape.

"The old devil!" he howled then, and fled down the hillside for all he was worth.

Flint did not wait to receive Murray's verbal answer; that pistol-shot was sufficiently explicit. Three musket-shots echoed it from the foot of the hill, and at once there was a renewed hustle of men on the fo'c'sle of the Walrus. A puff of white smoke blew up from the deck, and the crack of a long twelve started myriads of sea-birds from the seaward marshes.

The shot sang over us and crashed into the forest beyond. The other chase-gun bowled a shot into the enclosure, where is simply buried itself in the soft sand.

The carronades were unable to reach the blockhouse with their heavier shot, and the Long Toms lacked the power to penetrate the green wood of the walls. Most of the round-shot plumped into the sand. Three posts of the stockade were knocked over and promptly set up again. That was all. When darkness intervened and the firing ceased we felt that we had been the winners of the first bout of the struggle.

In the meantime we had not seen a trace of the landing-party from the Walrus, and as the night shut down we all peered curiously through the posts of the stockade, expecting momentarily to discover a rush of crouching figures. But hour after hour passed without a sound to disturb the silence, and even Murray, whose nerves were of forged steel, became uneasy as he up-ended the hour-glass for the third time since sunset and decided to inspect the circuit of the defenses.

"There is another hand than Flint's behind these Fabian tactics," he observed. "Perhaps John Silver's. 'Tis a clever rogue, and a cunning. We cannot be too vigilant."

Coupeau joined us on the southern arc of the stockade. On the north side we came to a pit which was empty, and in the next one to it a man lay on his stomach as if asleep.

Murray prodded him with his sword, and the fellow groaned, but did not stir.

"What is the matter with this man?" demanded my great-uncle.

"Please, zur, 'tis Job Pytchens," answered the man next beyond.

"I asked what was the matter with him, said my great-uncle coldly.

"He'm wur one o' they as had a hun'er'd 'n' fifty lashes, cap'n, zur."

I shuddered. My great-uncle took snuff.

"And who is gone from this vacant place?" he pressed.

"Tom Morpew, zur. He'm dead, zur."

"Was he shot?"

"No, zur, cap'n. He's had a hun'er'd 'n' fifty lashes, too."

"Where is he?"

"Please, zur, us buried him," the man answered.

"Where?"

The man waved an arm vaguely over the sandy top of the hill.

"Ah! Well, you will be unburied the next man who dies, be he Job or another—else I shall have the cat administered to all of you who have abandoned your posts without permission."

"Iss, zur. Thank 'ee, zur," replied the man—but there was no thanks in his snarling voice; his face was masked by the darkness.

"Stap me," said Murray, turning away, "but these rascals are becoming as slack as Flint's tattertalls!"

Across the clearing a musket exploded. Then another and another. A volley crackled from the lower slopes, and our men replied. A hoarse yelling underscored the firing.

"At last!"

Murray's voice vibrated with exultation.

"Now we shall scoop the rogues like so many grains of sand. The fools! A night attack is fatal with undisciplined men."

A great roar of firing burst out upon the northern front of the stockade, and mingled with the reports of the muskets were shouts of:

"Down arms, Jameses!"

"Step aside, James lads!"

"All we want is old Murray!"

And a walling voice cried over and over again—

"Here be Tom Morpew 'n' his bloody back, mates!"

The firing sputtered and dwindled and was succeeded by a prodigious scuffling and clatter of cutlasses.

"We'll do 'ee no harm, Jameses!"

And now I recognized Silver's voice. "Strike arms, Jameses!"

Three men, one of them with a broken arm, raced up to us.

"Long John's in," sobbed one.

"Tom Morpew let 'em in," panted a second.

"Excellently planned," drawled Murray.

I heard the click of his snuffbox.

"Yet observe how fate hath tricked our opponents," he went on. "They timed their second attack to catch me on the southern side of the stockade, whereas it happens I am strategically disposed to exploit the disorder which attends their success. I think we shall teach the clever Master Silver a lesson."

"Yes, if your men are loyal," I said angrily.

"Any crew are loyal in victory, Robert," he answered.

"Ja," spoke Peter, "but you better not let dot feller talk about his bloody back."

"You are squeamish, it seems, Peter," murmured my great-uncle. "Well, I shall even seek to humor you. Coupeau!"

His voice hardened.

"Oul, m'sieu."

The gunner stepped from the hidden ranks of the afterguard.

"We attack."

But indeed the attack was made upon us. We had not advanced four paces from the shelter of the blockhouse when fifty of the invaders stormed out of the night, howling and waving their cutlasses. We fired one smashing volley that dropped a fourth of them, and charged. A few pistol-shots met us, but most of the Walrus' men had discarded their muskets, preferring to fight sailor-fashion with the cutlass, and they were utterly disheartened by the unexpectedness of the reception we gave them.

Murray's slender dress-sword was a bodkin of death which pricked a path through the densest ranks. On one side of him Peter swung a clubbed musket which shattered heads and limbs at every step. On his other side Coupeau wielded a cutlass with equal effect.

A yellow crescent moon was riding over the treetops, and we halted in the gap the attackers had torn in the stockade to survey our situation by its light. Half-way down the hill a group of the Walrus' men rallied and commenced to fire up at us; and Coupeau was for pushing after them, but my great-uncle checked him.

"No, no, Coupeau! Yonder is John Silver, astraddle of the stockade. See, he is helping up another fellow. They have been cut off by our charge, and, if you please, we'll deal with them first."

I will admit a pang of sympathy for Silver. He was not more than twenty yards from us and by dint of well-nigh incredible efforts, with the other man to boost him, he had succeeded in scaling the stockade and was sitting there, with his one leg dangling inside. When we discovered him he started to swing his leg over the top, evidently intending to abandon his companion. But whether because of something the other man said or because he feared he must injure himself in dropping the eight feet to the ground without anyone to check his fall, he abruptly changed his mind and faced about toward us very resolutely, seizing hold of the crutch which hung from his neck by its thong.

The man at the foot of the stockade gathered himself together like a coiling serpent and plucked a long knife from his belt. He had been in the shadow until then, but now the moonlight shone over his torso and we recognized him for the blind man, Pew. He had lost his green eye-shade and his pock-marked face was cadaverous in the yellow glow. His eyes were open, and they seemed to smolder dully as they strayed at us. His knife glinted in his hand.

"Will you be assisted down and be hanged whole, or must we cut you down, Silver?" hailed Murray.

He, like the rest of us, ignored the blind man. Our attention was fixed upon Silver, his broad face very calm in the moonlight.

"Them there ain't exactly tempting terms, Cap'n Murray, sir," Silver answered temperately. "Couldn't ye be a mite more generous?"

"I am serving you a dish no more highly sauced than that you intended for me," returned my great-uncle dryly.

"Now, sir; now, sir," remonstrated Silver. "How can ye say that? All we done was to try and persuade ye to give us our share o' the treasure—ye havin' eight hundred thousand pound stowed away special, accordin' to your own story. And if we come in

"The incident which finally brought me a firm conviction that the good-fellow theory is the bunk," writes a correspondent of the Philadelphia Record, "occurred while driving from Lansdale to Philadelphia one snowy night last winter."

"I was making fair progress through the drifting snow when I came upon a large automobile on its side in the ditch. In the street stood a well-dressed and evidently prosperous man. He was visibly excited and asked if I could help him.

"I told him that I had passed some telephone linemen a short way back and would return and ask their help. They gladly consented to drive down the road to the assistance of the motorist.

"With their aid we soon had the car on the road again, and thinking that the man would be more than grateful for their aid, I took from my pocket \$3 which I handed to them with, 'Here, boys, take this for your trouble.' He saw me hand them the money, but did not say anything.

"The men left and I got into his car to start the engine. Finally everything was ready and we moved the car off. I stopped the car to allow him to take his place at the wheel, and he said to me: 'Please get out and see if that tumble strained my back wheels.'

"I got from the car and walked to the rear of the machine. As I was looking at his wheels he stepped on the gas and disappeared in a whirl of snow. I have never seen him since."

One-Word Sermon

The word "news" is made up of the four letters that indicate the main points of the compass—N., S., E. and W. In a book published more than a century ago, the author comments upon this in a way that is by no means out of date at the present time. He says: "As news implies the intelligence received from all parts of the world, the very word itself points out its meaning—N, the north; E, the east; W, the west, and S, the south. This expressive word also recommends the practice of the following virtues: Nobleness in our thoughts, Equity in our dealings, Wisdom in our counsels, and Sobriety in our enjoyments."

Gave Name to Street

The word adelphi is the Greek for brothers. It is given to a district of London, England, on the south side of the Strand, because the principal buildings in the district were erected by four brothers, John, Robert, James, and William Adam, after whom the streets are still named.

by the back door a'ter it, why that was so's we'd hurt ye least."

"You'd argue yourself to a block of ice in hell, Silver," rejoined by great-uncle amusedly. "Throw down that crutch! Drop that knife you, sirrah, Pew—or whatever your name is!"

Sword in hand, he advanced ahead of the rest of us, who were strung out all the way from the gap in the stockade. Coupeau was at his elbow, and Peter and I close behind.

"Come," he adjured them a second time. "I'm in no mood to talk terms, and if you delay 'twill make your end the more painful."

Silver's face went livid in the moonlight.

"Aye," rasped the one-legged man, "ye'll lash us bloody-raw like the lads as let us in tonight."

As let us in tonight."

And as Murray continued to advance, he struck out with his crutch. "Keep off," he shrieked. "Keep off!" And then: "I can't reach him, Ezra. Let him have it!"

Pew crouched with his knife-hand drawn back.

"Aye, it takes blind Pew to let him have it," he croaked in his hateful voice.

His hand jerked forward. There was a flash in the moonlight, and my great-uncle staggered, the frung knife buried to the hilt in his side.

"I am stabbed," he gasped.

Silver brandished his crutch over his head.

"Pew's stabbed Murray!" he shouted. "Come on, Walruses! Lay off, ye



Yonder is John Silver, Astraddle of the Stockade.

James lads—we'll not harm ye, mates. Treasure for all, and no more tyranny!"

Peter and I caught my great-uncle as he fell. Coupeau jumped at the blind man with a bellow of rage, cutlass raised to strike; but as he came within reach Silver poised his crutch like a spear, leaned over and drove the sharp spike of the ferrule through the gunner's eye into the brain. Coupeau dropped in his tracks.

"I ha' done for Coupeau," Silver shouted again. "Don't make Long John do it all, lads!"

There was such a rush of enemies, such a howl of exultation, as took my breath away.

"Do you hold Murray, Peter," I said. "I'll finish that precious pair."

And I ran in at Pew, albeit more warily than Coupeau; but the blind man—and certes, if he was blind his hearing was so marvelous as to make up for it—retained a clubbed pistol, which was a serviceable weapon at close quarters, and Silver covered him overhead with that deadly crutch. I shouted to the after-guard to shoot them, but our people had not reloaded their pieces, and many were already engaged with the party we had just driven out, who swarmed in again through the same gap. Those of the James' men who were nearest were palpably lukewarm, and Silver, atop of the stockade, perceiving his advantage, thrust his crutch at me and continued trumpeting his rallying cries.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)



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This chart shows the average hours of artificial light used in the average home, averaging the days of each month of the year.

Average Electric lighting hours each day

January	6 hours 32 minutes
February	5 hours 38 minutes
March	4 hours 10 minutes
April	3 hours 48 minutes
May	2 hours 57 minutes
June	2 hours 33 minutes
July	2 hours 36 minutes
August	3 hours 09 minutes
September	4 hours 00 minutes
October	4 hours 54 minutes
November	6 hours 11 minutes
December	6 hours 51 minutes

This chart shows why your Electric Bills are considerably higher in December than in June. The average use of Electric Lights in a residence, in December is the heaviest of the year, in December the used is nearly 7 hours a day, whereas in June the average is only 2 hours 35 minutes. From June to January the daylight hours decrease and the Electric lighting hours grow. In January the daylight hours grow and the Electric Lighting hours decrease, and this condition continues from Month to Month until we again reach balmy days of June.

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TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO

(From Old New Era)

John Pool Jr. was here serving on the jury.

Wirt Love and wife are in town from the ranch.

Jess Pruett of Jeff Davis County spent several days in town this week.

George Howard and Mr. Clausewitz are in from the ranch taking in court.

J. C. Powell of Fort Davis was over this week visiting the metropolis.

County Clerk W. H. Reagan of Alpine visited Marfa the first of the week.

Hon. T. J. Heffner, county judge of Reeves County, is in the city attending court.

Merritt Finley was in from the ranch this week, accompanied by his wife and boy.

John Humphris Jr. of Shafter was here as a grand juror, but got off and returned home.

Captain J. B. Gillett of Alpine was up attending a special meeting of the Masonic Lodge Tuesday.

I. L. Kleinman and family of Presidio spent, a couple of days in the city the first of the week.

Mike Nichols and Otto Naegle, two of the main citizens of Ruidosa, were here attending court this week.

C. D. Wheeler, the general custom official at Marathon has been spending several days in Marfa this week.

George Cather of El Paso, accompanied by his two little sons, has been spending several days here visiting his mother and sister.

Chas. Mulhern and wife of Fort Davis are in the city today, having

come over last night to attend the "Deestrick Skule" entertainment.

Valentine citizens here during the week were: Jas. Everett, W. E. Bell, C. E. Corning, J. C. McCombs, Chas. Casady and Luke Britte.

R. R. Ellison and family returned Thursday from an extended trip in East Texas. Mr. Ellison has been visiting friends in El Campo for some weeks.

Ashley Gillett and family of Pecos City are here. Mr. Gillett being interested in some cases in court. They are at the residence of F. E. Gillett.

Among the Shafterites courting here this week we noticed Jas. Ross, Jas. Deck, Frank Russell, Jas. Mann, M. J. Bell, Geo. Dawson, John Mulhern and Buck Hay.

Millard Patterson, P. H. Clark, W. C. McGowan and W. M. Peticolas of El Paso have all been here during the week attending to their cases in court.

THE DEESTRICK SKULE

The entertainment given last night at the school house for the benefit of the school library proved not only a successful play, but a financial success and probably made more than any one entertainment heretofore given in Marfa. While reserved seats were only 75 cents, general admission 50 cents and children 25 cents, the sum of \$114.75 was taken in from the sale of tickets, and the program after paying for itself and other printing netted \$4.00 more. The expense will not be more than \$5.00 or \$6.00 while the play simply represented one day in an old time school of 50 years ago, it was replete with incidents that brought back to every one thoughts of the time when we all went to school. Judge Kilpatrick as the old time master, as usual in makeup and ability to carry out his part, was most excellent. And his pupils, consisting of Mesdames Humphris, Murray, Gillett, Bogel and Kirk; Misses Bogel, Humphris, Kirk and

McClure and Messrs. Jas. Walker, Monagin, Humphreys, Guyon and Reneau, all carried out the play in a manner that was both entertaining and showed no little talent. Mrs. Anderson as the lady visitor portrayed the character admirably, and Miss Annie Humphreys as Mrs. Bowser, who had considerable domestic trouble, was excellent. Mr. Barclay and Mr. Gillett were the school trustees and were all right.

It is much easier for youth to act age than it is for age to act youth, and taken all together we think the acting was very credible to Marfa.

One of the most excellent features of the entertainment was the singing given by the pupils during the noon recess. Mrs. Gillett, Miss McClure and Dr. Monagin and Mr. Erickson all distinguished themselves. The musical program was most excellent throughout.

TEXAS CALVES WIN

George Jones, Marfa, won first, second and grand champion prizes on calves and first prize on yearlings in the National Royal Livestock show in Kansas City, according to Ed. Mueller.

Mueller, who is a brother-in-law of Jones, a visitor here from Marfa. This makes six or seven consecutive years that Jones has carried off the honors of the Kansas City Show, Mueller said.

"Sales in the Kansas City section are good," said Mueller. "W. B. and F. A. Mitchell of Marfa recently made the best sale ever recorded in Kansas."

—El Paso Post.

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ELIZABETH FENNEL

Quarterly Report

1926-1927 Texas Game Laws

OPEN SEASON

of J. H. Fortner County Clerk of Presidio County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures, from Aug. 1st. to Oct. 31, 1926 inclusive.

JURY FUND—1ST CLASS

Aug. 1, 1926 Balance	9,507.69	
To amount received during quarter	62.73	
By Amount paid out during quarter		980.00
By am't transferred to 3rd class fund		8,000.00
By 1½% Commission on am't rec'd		0.94
By 1½% Com. on am't paid out		14.70
Amount to balance		574.78
	\$9,570.42	\$9,570.42

Oct. 31, 1926 \$574.78 Balance

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND. 2nd CLASS

Aug. 1, 1926 Balance	158.33	
To amount received during quarter	19.37	
To am't transferred to Hi-way fund		396.46
By amount paid out during quarter		\$500.00
By 1½% Commission on am't rec'd		0.29
By 1½% Com. on am't paid out		7.50
Amount to balance		66.37
	\$574.16	\$574.16

Oct. 31, 1926 \$66.37 Balance

GENRAL COUNTY FUND. 3rd CLASS

Aug. 1, 1926 Balance	\$3,004.41	
To amount received during quarter	220.58	
To am't transferred from 1st Class		8,000.00
By amount paid out during quarter		\$6,503.03
By 1½% Commission on am't rec'd		1.39
By 1½% Com. on am't paid out		97.51
Amount to balance		4,623.06
	\$11,224.29	\$11,224.29

Oct. 31, 1926 \$4,623.06 Balance

HIGHWAY

Aug. 1, 1926 Balance	338.63	
To amount received during quarter	123.50	
To Am't transferred to 2nd Class		\$396.46
By 1½% Commission on am't rec'd		1.85
By 1½% Com. on am't paid out		
Amount to Balance		63.82
	\$462.13	\$462.13

Oct. 31, 1926 \$63.82 Balance

FIFTH CLASS

Aug. 1, 1926 Balance	\$5,130.41	
To amount received during quarter	2.57	
By 1½% com. on am't rec'd		0.04
Amount to balance		5,132.94
	\$5,132.98	\$5,132.98

Oct. 31, 1926 \$5,132.94 Balance

SIXTH CLASS

Aug. 1, 1926 Balance	\$2,612.95	
To amount received during quarter	2.57	
By amount paid out during quarter		\$150.38
By 1½% Commission on am't rec'd		0.04
By 1½% com. on am't paid out		2.26
Amount to balance		2,462.84
	\$2,615.52	\$2,615.52

Oct. 31, 1926 \$2,462.84 Balance

SEVENTH CLASS

Aug. 1, 1926 Balance	\$917.57	
To amount received during quarter	3.86	
By amount paid out during quarter		\$360.90
By 1½% Commission on am't rec'd		0.06
By 1½% com. on am't paid out		5.41
Amount to balance		555.06
	\$921.43	\$921.43

Oct. 31, 1926 \$555.06 Balance

C. H. & J. SPECIAL FUND 8th Class

Aug. 1, 1926 Balance	\$964.64	
To amount received during quarter	1.30	
By 1½% com. on am't rec'd		\$0.02
Amount to balance		965.92
	\$965.94	\$965.94

Oct. 31, 1926 \$965.92 Balance

Respectfully submitted,
J. H. FORTNER,
County Clerk, Presidio County, Texas.

Marfa, Texas, Oct. 31, 1926.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 8th day of November A. D. 1926
K. C. Miller, County Judge, Presidio County Texas.

DOVES, North Zone, September, and October; South Zone, November and December.

WHITE WING DOVES, Both Zones, August and September.

QUAIL, MEXICAN PHEASANT AND CHACHALACA, North Zone, November 16 to January 1, inclusive; South Zone, December 1 to January 16, inclusive.

WILD TURKEY GOBBLERS, both Zones, November 16 to December 31, inclusive. (No turkeys to be killed until 1930 in following counties:—Cameron, Hidalgo, Starr, Willacy, Kennedy, Brooks, Kleberg and Nueces).

RAIL, BLACK BELLIED PLOVER AND YELLOW LEGS, Both Zones, September and October.

WILD DUCKS (except Wood Ducks) GEESE, BRANT, SNIP, GALLINULES, AND GOOT OR MUD HEN, North Zone, October 16 to January 31, inclusive; South Zone, November 1 to January 31, inclusive.

PRAIRIE CHICKENS OR PINNATED GROUSE, Both Zones, September 1 to September 10, inclusive.

WILD BUCK DEER AND BEAR, Both Zones, November 16 to December 31 inclusive.

TEXAS DIVIDED INTO NORTH AND SOUTH ZONES

NORTH ZONE.—all parts of state lying north of line beginning at Laredo and following I. and G. N. tracks through San Antonio to Palestine to Longview, and T. and P. tracks through Marshall, and Jefferson to Texarkana.

All lying south of this line is SOUTH ZONE.

CLOSED SEASON ON TRAPPING.

All fur-bearing animals, except MUSKRAT, February 15 to November 30. MUSKRAT closed March 15 to November 15.

Closed season on BEAVER, OTTER and FOX for ten years.

All trappers must have license. Resident license \$1.00 a year; non-resident \$50.00 each county.

RED OR FOX and GRAY SQUIRRELS, Both Zones; May, June, and July, October, November and December.

No closed season on SQUIRRELS in following counties: DeWitt, Caldwell, Guadalupe, San Saba, Mason, Gillespie, Llano, Kimball, Menard, Comal, McCulloch, Brown, Kerr, Burnet, Mills, Schleicher, and Edwards.

Open season October, November and December in Angelina, Cherokee, Hardin, Liberty, Nacogoches, Dallas, Rockwell, Tyler, Jefferson, Orange, Jasper and Newton; bag limit 5 in one day.

BAG LIMIT

DOVES, 15 in one day, 55 in one wk. QUAIL, 12 in one day, 36 in one wk. TURKEY GOBBLERS, 3 in one season.

GEESE and BRANT, 4 in one day, 12 in one week.

DUCKS, SNIP and PLOVER, 25 in one day, 50 in one week.

All kinds of game birds to count to make the limit.

PRAIRIE CHICKENS, 5 in one day, 10 in season.

WILD BUCK DEER, 2 during open season. Must have pronged horns.

SQUIRREL, 10 in one day.

Killing of WILD ROBINS is prohibited.

Killing of Female DEER and FEMALE TURKEYS prohibited.

Unlawful to have in possession more than 50 game birds of all kinds at one time.

Unlawful to shoot more than one-half hour before sunrise or one-half hour after sunset.

You can hold game for 10 days after season closes only.

Unlawful to hunt from Automobile, aeroplane, power or sail boat.

All hunting clubs or preserves must have licenses costing \$5.00.

must guarantee to have laws obeyed, must keep register showing license number and game killed by each member.

If you hunt outside of your own county, and are 17 years old, you must have a license costing \$2.00; non-resident license \$25.00.

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