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SOME COAL PRICES.

Both Gallup and Rotan lump coal for domestic purposes are being sold firms.

50 a ton for Raton Swastika lump ever since. and \$11 a ton for two-ton lots.

The People's Feed and Fuel Co. of Masonic lodge at Eagle Pass. Las Cruces is charging \$11.50 a ton for Swastika and \$12.50 for Gallup. and two daughters, F. A. Fessman, sit, guarding important postal cen-The Porter Lumber Co., is asking Mrs. Harold DeBona of Eagle Pass \$12.50 for Gallup.

El Pasoans pay \$10.50 for Raton nut for furnace use, while \$10.75 is (.HRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM the Las Cruces price.

Gallup lump costs \$6 a ton at the mine now and the freight rate to Las Cruces or El Paso is \$3.60 a ton. Raton Swastika lump costs \$4 a ton at the mine and the freight rate is Place: Presbyterian Church. \$4.40 a ton to Las Cruces or El Paso. Topic: "World-Wide Endeavor"

Dealers figure that 10 per cent of the coal will go slack in transit. Leader: Floyd Gatrost. They have to absorb that loss. It also costs 15 cents a ton to unload the -El Paso Post.

HUDSPETH TO HELP DRIVE 1,000 CATTLE

Dressed in the fashion of the old west, Rep. Claude Hudspeth will help herd 1,000 head of his Hereford cattle from his Del Rio ranch Radio Program: Broadcasting from our people with her message Tuesthe next few weeks.

The scene will be reminiscent of the early days when cattle were herded over long trails. The herd

will swin the Pecos river en route. The cattle will be placed on the 15,000-acre Altuda ranch which Hud speth just bought for \$98,715.

Hudspeth is one of the most suc- Mizpah Benediction. cessful cowmen in the West. He owns ranches in Val Verde, Crocmore than a million dollars.

THERE THURSDAY

in El Paso cheaper than delivered zen of Eagle Pass, died Thursday of the U. S. Marines who were first October 1, 1926, have been sold to a ing the number of mariages and div prices quoted by two Las Cruces last week. Funeral services were selected to guard the mails against Dallas firm. The bonds bear interest orces for Texas in 1925. The New

The Rio Grande Lumber and Fuel Mr. Fessman was a native of Ger- liam Ellis, of Marfa, Texas, who the purchaser paying for printing. Counties as follow Co. of El Paso asks \$12 a ton for Gal many, coming to the United States was stationed here prior to his as- accrued interest and etc. lup lump in single ton lots and \$11 .- at the age of 18. We went to Eagle 50 a ton in two-ton lots. It asks \$11.- Pass in 1873 and has resided there

He was a charter member of the

Mr. Fessman is survived by a son and Mrs. L. F. Jaggi of San Antonio.

As Was Rendered November 28.

Date: Nov. 28th, 1926., at 6:30 p. m

(Phil. 2:1-13)

PROGRAM

Song: By Entire Society. Song: By Entire Society. Prayer: Mrs. W. K. Livngston. Responsive Reading: Entire Society Business: Ruth Livingston.

Leaders Talk: Floyd Gatrost. Special Number: Reading By Mil- one else. dred Gatrost.

way, Egypt, Etc.

the Society. Question: How does Christian En- several months every summer speak Mrs. G. N. Logan and son Albert M. A. Buhler.

Song: By Entire Society.

EAGLE PASS PIONEEER DIES LOCAL U. S. MARINE IS GUARD-ING U. S. MAILS

signment to this important duty. from San Diego who began their this month work of excavating pipe duties as mail guards immediately lines will commence; by April 1st, after President Coolidge had given 1927 the Water works and Sewers his approval. They are now furnish will be finished. ing protection to the mails in tranters, and insuring the safe deliveries of valuable mail packages. They may not return to this post for sev-

eral months. occured.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Next Sunday morning we will make our customary offering to the Orphans Home in the Sunday school. As this is December let us remember that a good Christmas is enjoyed by Orphans as much as by any-

The gifted Mrs. Dawson thrilled Christian Endeavor Stations in day evening. Mr. Gregg very grac-China, India, Africa, Japan, Nor- jously allowed her one class period in which to address the school. She Sentence Prayers: By members of spoke to them about "Lifting the Skyline." As Mrs. Dawson spends situation at Paisano.

hope to do you good.

CITY BONDS SOLD

Charles Fessman, 79, pioneer citi- San Diego, Calif., Nov. 30-Among bonds of the City of Marfa dated U. S. Department of Commerce, givpossible attacks by bandits is Wil- at .0575 per cent and brought par, Era here gives the figures of a few

> Mr. Cass is now actively at work He is one of several picked men drilling the wells, and by the 15th of

BRIDGE DINNER HOSPITALITY

The handsome quarters of Capt. and Mrs. Herman of Camp Marfa Ellis lived at the home of his mot- were the scene last Tuesday evenher. Mrs. Dona Reed, in Marfa, be- ing of one of the largest and most fore he joined the Marine Corps last charmingly planned affairs of the August. It is the first time Marines Thanksgiving season. Capit. and Mrs. have guarded the mails since Nov., Herman dispensing hospitalities to 1921, when they were assigned this scores of guests, entertaining with task for about four months. Dur- a four course dinner and bridge ing this period no mail robberie party. A color scheme of orange and black was most artistically carried out in all the appointments. The long dinner table laid with snowy to conform to the general program white linen had for its center adorn of the church. ment yellow candles in crystal holders, and the plate favors were dainty little orange baskets filled with mints and nuts. Ten tables were arranged for the games and Mrs. Mor ris won the high score prize, Mrs. Hubbard second prize, and Mrs. Yates low score prize. Lieut. Hutch- the help of everyone. inson making the high score for the The food sale by the ladies of the

deavor aid Missionary Work? - ing at assemblies she was very returned last Friday from a two much interested in looking over our weeks visit with friends and relatives near Sonora. They were ac-The Sunday school opens at ten, companied home by Mr. and Mrs. the B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. The morn- G, W. Logan. father and mother of Ben Avant spent several days at ing and evening hours of worship Mr. 4. N. Logan. Mr. and Mrs G W kett, Terrill and Brewster counties. the Knight ranch last week. If he are 11:00 and 7:30. Your presence re- Logan five on a ranch 42 miles-from His ranch interests are valued at killed his deer the report was not enforces our efforts and we shall Sonora. They expect to spend sev-

eral weeks here.

MARRIAGES and DIVORCES

The Water works and Sewerage In a circular letter issued by the

counties a	s lollows:	
	Marriages	Divorces
Bexar	3,310	1,249
Brewster .	71	6
Dallas	4,507	1,594
El Paso	1,480	341
Harris	4,021	1,829
Jeff Davis	22	1
Jefferson .	1,476	746
McClennan	1,385	449
Presidio	113	1 10

Jefferson County with Tarrant fol- the Highway garage. lowing very close, is the banner divorce County in the State, showing a little over 50 per cent. This is sure ly a serious situation.

2,511

CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

The services are planned to render the greatest possible service and

The moning service will be devoted to the Woman's Day program, which is always interesting and help

The evening service will be of the evangelistic character, planned for

men, and Lieut. Harrison second, Christian church is post poned un- with Chrysanthemums and lighted and Capt. George making the low fil next month, on account of other

> Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Evening Worship 7:30 p. m. We invite you to attend.

accompanied by Miss Selby Moore dinner guests who did not play spent several days at Fort Davis bridge were: Capt. and Mrs. Derrick, during the Thanksgiving holidays, and Miss Lucille Rives.

Hamie in Hospital After Auto Smash; Two Other Minor Wrecks.

MARFA MAYOR CRASH VICTU

John T. Hamic, Mayor of Marfa is in the San Angelo Hospital as the result of an automobile accident on West Beauregard Thursday afternoon, when the Ford coupe in which he was riding crashed into another car, Mr. Hamic was blinded by the sinking sun. The name of the driver of the other car was not learned. Flying glass from the broken windshield severed the tendons in 10 the right wrist of Mr. Hamic. Louis 1,069 Farr, who was with him, was unin-According to the above figures jured. The coupe was towed into

-San Angelo Standard.



An affair of the week very much enjoyed by those who were present was the four course dinner and bridge party given Tuesday by Maj. and Mrs. McDonald at their quarters in Camp Marfa. The reception rooms were beautifully decorated candles in silver holders. After dinner the evening was spent playing bridge, six tables of players entering into the games. Mrs. Getched won high score, Mrs. Turtle second high, Mrs. Hutchinson capturing M. A. Buhler, Pastor. the low prize, Judge W. W. Bogel, won high score for the men and Miss Newman of the Marfa High Lieut., Goodwin second high and Lieut., McKinney the low prize. The

Lows

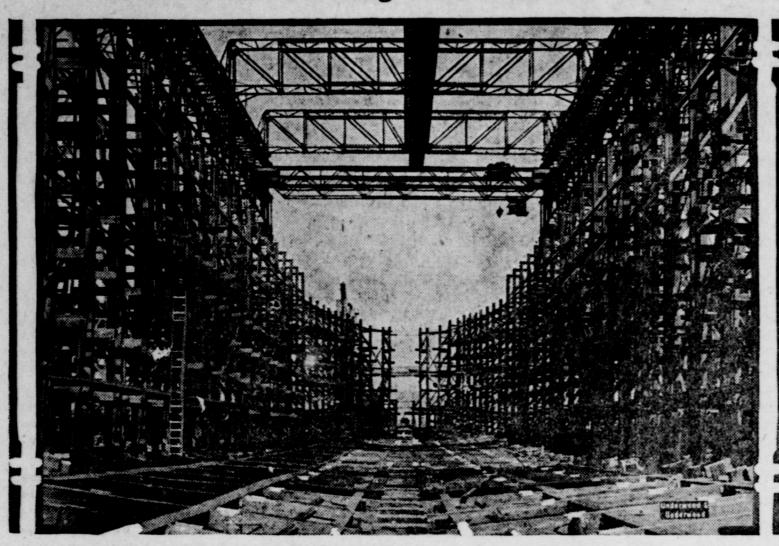
Tows

Our large Stock of Toys are on display now. Come in and make your selections early, bring the kiddies along and let them enjoy an hour of fun. Take no chance on a "last day" to buy. The assortment will be broken in ten days. Hurry! don't let any thing keep you away from the opening week. We are going to sell half our Stock the first Ten Days

Make the "Kiddies" Happy this Xmas. How little it will take to make a Happy Christmas for the "kiddies" Isn't it a pleasure to hear the Glorious Shouts on Christmas morning when they see what old "SANTA" brot them? Remember the good times you used to have Christmas.

> SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS MURPHY-WALKER COMPANY

Uncle Sam Is Building a New Naval Cruiser



A new cruiser, the first since the Washington naval conference, is being built for the American navy at the Brooklyn navy yard. It will be called the Pensacola. The photograph shows the framework ready for the laying of the keel, which has just taken place.

Each of the Tombs Family Will Have a Fortune



LEGION'S NEW CHIEF



Howard P. Savage of Chicago, who was elected commander in chief of the American Legion at the meeting in Philadelphia after the other contestants withdrew, on the twenty-first ballot. He was a lieutenant in the American army in France.

MRS. E. L. STOCK



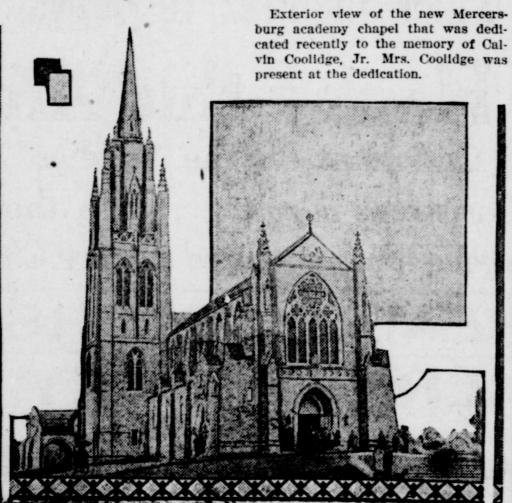
Mrs. Edward L. Stock of Bethesda, Md., has been nominated by the Republicans of Montgomery county as Maryland's first woman candidate for a seat in the state senate.

Marie Gets First Glimpse of Gotham



Queen Marie of Rumania in the pilot house of the S. S. Macom getting her first glimpse of lower New York.

In Memory of Calvin Coolidge, Jr.





Creed Bound to Make for Good Citizenship

The following creed of good citizenship taken from a bulletin of the city of Wilmington, Del., might well be adopted by every one:

"I believe in the trinity of cleanliness-beauty, health and safety. For I know that refuse and rubbish piles mar the beauty of my home and city; that they are the breeding place of flies and vermin; that, as potential starting points of fire, they menace my property and threaten my family with death-both my own and my neighbor's.

"Therefore: I am a good neighbor. I take pride in my home, my yard, my alley and my street. I keep my premises painted, my lawn trimmed and green. The passerby on the sidewalk pauses to gaze at my brillianthued porch boxes and flower beds.

"I am proud of the cleanliness of my home-both inside and out. There are no junk piles in my alley or yard, no rubbish piles in my basement or attic. I can look straight in the eyeany day-painter or electrician, fire warden or health inspector-and smile.

"But I am prouder still of Wilmington because it is known far and wide as a city both beautiful and clean. I am a good citizen!"

Just substitute your home town for Wilmington, and live according to the creed.

Small Town Attracts Residents of Cities

The strong suburban movement of the last ten years is recognized as a tendency that is transforming American cities. With this movement we are now beginning to observe various subsidiary tendencies that are combining with the suburban spread, and that may be in effect a considerable compensation for forces in our national life that tend constantly to concentrate our population in city cen-

The sweep of homeseekers toward the roomier sections outlying cities is not only building up the purely residential suburban home section. It is, around every large city, giving rise to a new type of living, in which country-minded city workers are venturing out into one-acre or five-acre tracts which the family may develop as commuter-farmers - "rubber-tired farmers," the Californians dub them. At the same time a not dissimilar impulse for occasional escape from city pressure is bringing about among the well-to-do a country-mindedness that is resulting in the growth of large country estates.

Keep Basement Sanitary

A very important feature about a home is a dry and sanitary basement. In some localities, due to the nature of the soil and general topography of the lot, there is considerable surface water. If the walls of the basement, which is the foundation, are not properly constructed some of this water will find its way into your basement, or if not actually seeping through will cause it to be permanently damp, which is a very insanitary condition. To obviate this condition some form of waterproofing is used. This is usually mixed in the material used in the outer coat of the foundation walls and on the under side of the basement floor, or may be a separate material used as a backing. In either case such application should keep the basement walls free from all moisture under all conditions.

Trees for Comfort

How priceless are the spreading branches of the great elm tree in the backyard, or the fairylike whispering silver birch. How much they would be missed if something should happen to them. They are beyond price, for mere money cannot replace them-it takes years and years of summer suns and winter resting. In the span of a lifetime a fine old tree cannot be replaced, so it behooves one to cherish them and protect them in every way possible. If something destroys a tree on one's premises one should put out another-it will not mature for the one who sets it, but somebody will some day bless him for his thoughtfulness and he will have made the world a more comfortable place by the deed.

Watch for Needed Repairs

It is a wise precaution, and often a money-saving job as well, to have a roofing man carefully go over the roof in case it is not of permanent material and see that no repairs are necessary in it or in the flashing or gutters. Oftentimes the heat of the summer has warped parts of the roof in such a way that the rain will seep in when storms come.

Steps or walks that need repairing or replacing can be fixed much easier now than after the bad weather sets in. They will be needed then, so it is best to see that they are in good condition.

Library a Requisite

A library, well equipped and properly maintained, providing opportunity to develop that breadth of horizon and interest in life which come from "good reading," should be classed as a community necessity.



THE INDIANS

Earle was going to be taken on a trip and stay for several months in a little place far away from his home, where there

> tlements nearby. His father needed a real rest, and so they would all live out-ofdoors and be sensible, so his father said, and come home

were Indian set-

freshed. Well, Earle certainly would like to come home with thin, wiry strength such as

healthy and re-

an Indian had, and he would like to come home with the power of moving through thick underbrush at camp without a sound, and he would like to know how to paddle a canoe silently.

For more than anything else Earle looked forward to seeing Indians and living near them-real, live, moving, breathing Indians. He would get a new Indian suit, too. They would help him. His friends certainly called him a lucky boy!

They envied him but yet they were glad that one of their crowd was going to have such a trip, for how splendid it would be when he got back. He would be able to reorganize their games, and he would be able to tell them just how the Indians did act and move and if it was correct the way they sprung out from trees when they tried to be just like the Indians.

It would mean so much to their games to have a real authority with them, and Earle would never patronize or act spoilt or mean even if he did have this great advantage over them.

Earle was not that kind. He just considered he was lucky, too, and he, able to bring in the way of true facts to the home boys.

At last the great day came that they started. Everyone saw him off.

It was a long, long trip, but every bit of it was interesting. There were forests and lakes and rivers and miles and miles of wonderful country where no houses were to be seen. Earle felt as though he were going exploring. There were prairies. Then suddenly the prairies seemed to be looking up above the level, flat, even earth and to see what was going on.

And there were the mountains. Miles and miles of them, rocky, snow-capped, wild. Earle saw a moose drinking water from a small lake only a short distance away.

After yet another day they arrived at the settlement where they were go-

ing to spend their holiday. They were in a valley where there

were actually more Indians than white people living in these parts. But Earle could hardly believe his

eyes when they were pointed out to They did not wear regular Indian

suits-only when there were special dress-up occasions, he was told. They wore ordinary suits when they came into the wee village, though they

always did wear gay scarves around their necks and waists, and they wore moccasins, and a feather or two in

But even their hats were ordinary hats. Earle would certainly rejoice

when they dressed up in all their war paint and costumes as they would do when they would have a big pow-wow later on.

Still, in the meantime, it was fun to get to know them as they were with the changes of time changing their ways, too.

They even played baseball and got up a team They Wore Ordito play against

the white boys in the settlement. Those were the games when the Indians shrieked and yelled and the white boys did, too.

In fact, you could hardly tell which were Indians and which were white from the way they acted, only when one of the Indians disapproved of the umpire's decision about one of the points, he wanted to lasso the umpire. which was a little more than the

white boys wished. And Earle wrote home to the crowd that he was playing baseball against the son of an Indian chief, who showed his high rank by having a flagpole outside his hut-though no flag ever waved from its top!

Leisurely

"What is your son going to be when he gets through college?" "An old man, I'm afraid."

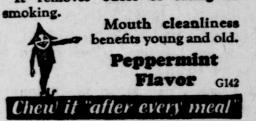
Has Legs but Can't Walk What has four legs and two arms and yet cannot walk?

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mates?" he said.

gasped Flint.

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CHAPTER XV—Continued -19-

"Murray's a goner, mates! Coupeau's shark-bait! There's only the two Buckskins left. Go easy wi' they Jameses. Naught for ye to fight about, James lads! We'll divide square with ye."

Men swirled toward us from all sides of the stockade, the James' crew mingled with the Walrus', and where our people fought at all 'twas faintheartedly and to no purpose. We were pressed back, and presently were put to it to avoid being surrounded.

"We go to der house, Bob," squeaked Peter. "Der James men don't fight for us no more."

He had Murray's limp body slung over one shoulder and still retained the iron barrel of his musket-the stock had been demolished; but he ran easily beside me through the sand.

We reached the blockhouse alone on the side opposite the door, and circled it cautiously, no little concerned for Moira's safety, for pistols were popping and cutlasses clashing In several directions close at hand. With the moon obscured we could not see a musket's length ahead, and as I turned in toward the black oblong of the doorway I tripped over a corpse.

"'Tis on your own head your death will be, my man," said a cool voice. "I can hear you fine, and if you're not after-"

"Moira!" I exclaimed. "And is it you, Bob? Oh, blessed saints, but I'm that glad. I thought ou were- Is that Peter?"

Ja," said Peter. "And what will ye have on your shoulder? A dead man? Is it him I

shot a few minutes back?" "'Tis Captain Murray," I answered,

making way for Peter. "Oh, Queen of Heaven! Sure, we're | hint of the gay, reckless tune: in bad case."

"We are," I assented grimly as followed Peter inside. "Have you a Or are your drums a-beatin' yet? light?"

She took a lanthorn from under a cloth, and its scanty rays played hideand-seek with the shadows over the rude log walls and the piles of rum barrels and kegs of hard-tack and the clumsy stack of treasure.

Peter laid my great-uncle gently upon the earthen floor-there was no softer bed-and began cutting away the garments from around the hilt of the knife, which was still fixed in his right side.

"And why didn't you go with them?" I asked. She gave me an indignant

"And be leaving the two of ye! I am not that kind of friend, Bob."

Peter looked up from his task. "You got to watch dot door, Bob. Andt, Moira, you bring me some rum. Maybe Murray gets back his sense be-

I suddenly found myself unwilling to believe it could be so.

"He can't Peter!"

"Ja," replied the Dutchman patiently. "Pretty soon he goes. He bleeds

I stumbled to the doorway with my head in a whirl. Murray dying? 'Twas incredible! That tremendous personality, so masterful, so aloof, dominating all with whom he came in contact, saltily compounded of wickedness, greatness, wisdom and naive for himself." vanity! And explain it how you will, I suddenly discovered an admiration for him which had been growing for months beneath my surface resentment. Up to this moment I had detested him. But I choked now at the thought of his death. Whatever he Fire won't hurt gold and silver, but was, he was no coward. And there was about his end in this sordid, haphazard fashion, stabbed by a blind man in the dark, a redeeming touch of high tragedy. He, whose ambitions had vaulted the stars, to perish by the hand of Pew! And in a moment when apparently he had snatched victory from defeat!

Mechanically I carried chests of gold and silver ingots from the heap of treasure and built a barricade across the doorway. But nothing came. Feet shush-shushed in the sand all around the blockhouse; voices called, questioned and argued; an occasional shot was fired-no more. Flint's triumph had been too amazingly complete for him to grasp, and evidently there were dissensions in the pirates' ranks as to what the next step should

The hour-glass we had fetched from the Royal James stood by the door, and I remember that I turned it twice before Peter tapped my shoulder.

"He wants you," he said. Murray lay with his head in Moira's lap. On his face was stamped a waxy pallor. His nostrils were sunken and pinched in. A crimson froth showed at the corner of his mouth. But his tawny eyes blazed with the unconquerable fire of his spirit. As I stooped terest fight we can and carry the secret he had come prepared to speak for over him a mocking gleam radiated with us." from their black depths, and his lips moved in almost voiceless speech.

"Sorry, eh?" I nodded, and the mockery became more pronounced. "Would have-won you-boy-intime." Moira wiped the dreadful bub-

bles from his lips. "You-won't-carry-out-plot?" he

"Twould be dishonest to promise," I be your enemy."

to live much longer than you." The fingers of one hand fluttered strangely. "Tut, boy-never-lose hope, Winyet-myself."

His colorless lips parted in a ghastly smile at the shocked disbelief in my

"This-will be-end-of Flint. Kill me-kill himself." His fingers fluttered again, and Moira whispered-"'Twill be his snuffbox he's after

wanting, Bob." And as I fumbled for it in the wreck

of his coat she added-"But 'twill be his death does he use

it the once." I hesitated, but the look in his eyes impelled me to give it to him. "Good lad!"

And his fingers closed lovingly on the jeweled trinket, picking at the lid he was wont to click open and shut in moments of perplexity. The tawny eyes flirted toward Moira.

"Take care-maid-good blood-inher. Family, Robert-breeding-landmarks in- mad world." "I'll do what I can," I promised, see-

ing he expected an answer. "Might do-worse-or more," he replied with the shadow of a smile. 'Pew's knife-kept you-being-duke -Moira-

A pause whilst Moira wiped his mouth. "A mad world," he repeated. "What

will-Prince Charles-say?" His eyes clouded, and he murmured a snatch of song, one of those ranting Jacobite ballads that spread like wildfire after the '45-

> "Cope sent a challenge frae Dunbar, 'Charlie, meet me an yo daur'-

A coughing fit interrupted him, weakened him so I thought he was sped; but the ghostly voice went on with a

"Hey, Johnnie Cope, are ye waukin If ye waur waukin' I wad-

His voice strengthened.

"Ah, your royal highness! The procession is ordered-the heralds-waiting-my lords-commons-"

He struggled so to rise that to save him I propped him against my shoul-

"A glad day-this-and long coming. Do you use snuff-sir? 'Tis Rip-Rap -a sound brand."

He opened the box and raised a pinch to his nostrils. "A glad day-sir-but a mad world."

CHAPTER XVI

Prisoners

"Ahoy, the blockhouse!" "Dot's Flint," whispered Peter. "You

alk to him, Bob, ja." "What is it?" I shouted back.

"Is Murray with ye?"

"He's dead," I answered after a moment of reflection. "And that's - - lucky for him! Here's Tom Morphew ready to give

him a taste of the cat." A shrill howl echoed the words. "Don't 'ee believe mun, Cap'n Flint! Tis all a lie! And 'ee promised

should ha' t' beatin' o' mun." "'Tis true," I said wearily. "After sunrise you can send in a man to see

"Ah!" jeered Flint. "But ye see I'm not waiting for sunup or moonset or aught else, my Buckskin. We know how many o' ye there are; and if ye don't surrender, why, we'll put a torch to the blockhouse and roast ye out.

"'Twill cost you something first," I "Not so much as ye might think."

'tain't friendly to live meat."

"Dot's right," squeaked Peter beside me. "Ja, you better make a bargain wit' him, Bob." "A bargain," I repeated. "What on

earth can we bargain with?" "Der treasure on der Dead Man's

Chest."

"But that is-" I turned to Moira.

"In a manner of speaking, that treasure is yours. 'Twas in your father's name, to be held in trust for

others. Are you willing-" "My faith, any cause will be the better without it," she interrupted. "What has it done but bring bloodshed and suffering upon all who trafficked in it? If it will just win us our lives, Bob, ftwill be the one good deed to its 'credit."

"Time's runnin' short," shouted Flint "If ye won't surrender we'll start the fagots."

"Suit yourself," I replied with as much confidence as I could muster. "There are three of us here, and 'tis we know where the treasure lies on the Dead Man's Chest. If you won't even promise our lives we'll make the bit-

several others joining their voices to the platform for an hour, which he composing a poem as shepherds do Flint's, among them Silver.

declared Flint. "Give up the treasure, the lecturer was thankful when he pose them in the proper places, where and we'll part friends."

"Aye, aye, Master Ormerod," called

I looked hopelessly at Peter. answered. "And I doubt if we are like

"What more can we win?" I asked. "Tis a mockery to place credence in their promises."

"Ja," nodded Peter. "We don't trust 'em. But we know dot, Bob. We don't be fooled. Andt now anyway we get off alive. Afterward—"

He shrugged his mountainous shoulders.

I called to Flint:

consideration she is accustomed to, mun." with decent lodging in the cabin and we two to attend her."

"Gut me!" roared Flint. "D'ye think we conduct a nunnery aboard the Walrus?"

"I am thinking she is a young maid by her lone, which is hard enough, let be she must dwell with pirates," I answered.

"There's Rule Four of our Articles," he sneered. "Ye will ha' heard it before. It should be assurance for any

"You have heard my terms," I said. "Take them or leave them. There's eight hundred thousand pounds to be gained from treating us kindly. If you do not so, as sure as I am here we will die, the three of us, before we yield you the secret-and you should know the years 'twill require to dig over the Dead Man's Chest."

"We'll take you," he replied illnaturedly. "And such a argufying swab I never listened to or will again, - my eyes. Are ye fixed in your mind, Buckskin?"

"Drop your arms and bide where ye are, then. We're comin' in to look ye over."

Torches flickered around the circuit of the stockade, and as they drew nearer Peter and I tore down the barricade of treasure I had built across the doorway. Figures appeared in the wavy light, naked to the waist, scratched by the jungle growth: un couth, grizzled faces lowered at us.

"Keep back," I warned them. "We'll et no man in until Captain Flint is

"Careful, ain't ye, Buckskin?" he mocked me from behind a clump of pirates. "Make way, shipmates. Ye'll all ha' a chance to see the treasure, soon or late, and we'll share in it equal and regular, accordin' to the Articles."

The group split to make way for him, and he strode up to the door. Bones was with him, and Silver, and the man they called Black Dog, who carried a torch, as did Bones. And behind them all limped an awful creature, whose grimy face was a mask of pain, whose bare back and flanks were crisscrossed with festering welts. In one hand he held a cat-o'-nine-tails, the pendent rope lashes with their jagged knots stained a dark claret hue.

Bones flourished his torch as they entered the low door, and the light shone into every corner of the big hut. "Is that Murray?"

He pointed to the body that lay beneath the hacked remnants of the plum satin coat which served as

"Yes," I said, and Moira shrank betwixt Peter and me as they crowded forward, staring open-mouthed at the cold clay that represented the man they had so feared and hated.

"Gut me," swore Flint. "I never thought to see Andrew Murray lyin' Silver's eyes glinted from his slab

"Let's have a look at him," spoke up Bones abruptly. "Here, Black Dog, bring up your light, too." The man with the sore back limped

"He don't figure much now, do he,

after them, drawing the tails of his cat through the fingers of one hand with a kind of lingering caress.

"Let me at mun." he muttered. "I'll flay mun, I will! I'll learn mun t' murder sailormen. Five o' us, and-Bones brushed off the plum satin coat with one toe, and Murray's gaunt white face smiled up at them, faintly

satirical, the snuff-box still clutched in one hand. "- me, 'tis so he looked ever!"

"'Tain't right nor natural," said Bones. "He looks like he knowed we was here—and couldn't harm him none."

"He'll look difrent when I lash mun," whined the man with the cat, pushing past Black Dog. "Wait till t' cat slices into t' back o' mun, cap'n. "Mistress O'Donnell must have every I'll cut t' grin off'n t' devil's face o'

> 'Twas Silver caught the poor fellow's arm as it was raised to strike. "No, no, Tom!" he cried. "Murray's

> "Dead?" answered the man dazedly. But 'ee promised I should ha' t' beat-

in' o' mun!" die. He beat three o' my mates till they died, an Job Pytchens is a-dyin' out in the sand right now."

But Flint himself snatched the cat from the man's grasp with unaffected

"Ye can't beat a dead man, Tom," insisted the Walrus' captain. "'Tis bad luck. And look at the good luck



You Have Heard My Terms," I Said.

we ha' had since we found Darby Mc-Graw! I can tell ye, mates, I'm a-going to hang on to my luck." Bones growled assent, and Silver

"Aye, aye, cap'n; and if ye'll be guided by me ye'll lose no time in puttin' Murray underground."

They all exchanged superstitious glances, and Bones said hoarsely-"He were close to bein' more'n hu-

man, weren't he?" "They do say as how ye can chain down a ha'nt by drivin' a stake through the body," suggested Black Dog-and

he shook so that his torch scattered "It's bad luck to mutilate the dead," objected Flint. "No, no, we'll bury

him quick and be done with it." "But 'ee promised I was t' beat mun," sobbed Tom Morphew. "I let 'ee in

Long John, and 'ee promised!" "How was I to know he'd be dead?" returned Silver. "Don't ye take on so, Tom. We'li give ye a double handful

CHENCHER CHE

Ancient Trade Symbols Now Almost Forgotten

in the drug store window are a heritage from the medieval days of read. The classic wooden Indian. Lucrezia Borgia, when the drug store hacked out of a broken mast by some was a convenient place to pick up retired sailor, commemorated the fact your favorite poison for some unattractive dinner guest. The well known Raleigh to smoke. But even tobacco reminiscence of the days when the barber's principal occupation was blood-letting and the white stripes | zine. represented bandages. The three balls over a pawnbroker's shop were the imperial insignia of the Mongolian conqueror, Timur the Lame, who in 1390 was called the Scourge of Europe. Later they were adopted by the Medici family of Florence who, before they were dukes, princes of the church, and kings, were the medieval world's greatest wool merchants and money lenders. A huge wooden boot for a cobbler and a mammoth key for

Had Their Nerve

A well-known lecturer was promised \$20 if he would give a talk at a charity affair in a small town. He consented, and drove in a motor car for twelve miles through a heavy rainstorm to keep his engagement. Though only half an hour he found upon his There was a gabble of protest at this, arrival that he was expected to occupy | We should manage our thoughts in did. The hall in which the affair was their flowers in making a garland; across the companionway, Peter on the "Naught's been said o' slayin' ye," held was poorly lighted and drafty and first select the choicest, and then dis- floor by reason of his bulk, and I in An envelope was handed him, and in it the feathers in Indian crowns, which and did not waken until the noon sun Silver. "Cap'n Flint puts it straight. he found a \$20 bill, together with a are so managed that every one reflects was flooding through the grimy panes There ain't a man of us would wish to note reading: "If you will give us your a part of its color and gloss on the of the cabin windows. fee God will aid you in your efforts." next.-Pope.

The glowing red and green bottles | a locksmith were once familiar trade symbols for people who could not that Indians first taught Sir Walter red and white striped barber pole is a sellers now find it easier to attract customers with more sophisticated window displays .- Everybody's Maga

Not the Only One

"I see you have furnished rooms," said the man who had rung the bell "Ya," rejoined the foreign woman, pointing to the window card, "dere's da sign."

"Well, if you have one that's suitable I'd like to rent it for a while." "We no renta da rooms. My family

take up all da house." "Don't rent any? Why, then, have you that sign, 'Furnished Rooms,' in your window?"

"I'll dell you. Las' week dat woman next door she hang up a sign in her front window, and when I see dat I put up von, just to show da people dat she ain't da only voman in dis place dat have her rooms furnished."

How to Make a Poem

o' onzas for what ye done, and when your back's well ye'll ha' a rare spree wi' the yellow boys, eh?" But Morphew refused to be com-

forted. He limped from the hut, trail-

ing his whip behind him. "'Tisn't goold I want," he wept. 'Tis to lay my lash to t' back o' mun. Aye! Till he do be bloody raw, same as Job Pytchens and they other lads as is under sod. Oh, my pore back!" There was an interval of silence

after he was gone. "It's bad luck to touch the dead," reaffirmed Flint. "No, no, the thing to do is to bury him quick. You take half a dozen men, Bill, and plant him anywhere-so's he's deep enough."

"And what about the treasure?" called one of the men by the door.

"Aye, aye," chimed in a second. "When do we shift it aboard and divvy up?"

Flint stroked his chin, considering. "Why, there's no hurry about the treasure, mates," he answered finally. "'Tis safe here. What we all need

below." There was a general murmur of assent with this sentiment, and he

now is a dram o' rum and two watches

crooked his finger at me. "Come along, Buckskin. We'll put the three o' ye aboardship, out o' harm's way, seein' as ye're so precious o' your skins. Long John, I'll leave it to ye to guard the prisoners. Give the "Why? He beat me till I was like girl a stateroom for herself-less'n ye might wish to share it, Buckskin?" he added with a leer that fetched a ruddy

tide to Moira's cheeks. Silver motioned us to precede him into the night, and as we passed out he gathered together a party of men who

formed loosely around us. "If so be as ye'll give me your word to come peaceable, Master Ormerod, I can make things easier for ye," he offered when we were clear of the hut. "What do you say, Peter?" I asked script.

the Dutchman. "Ja." "That's enough for me," announced Silver cheerfully. "And very sensible of ye, too, gentlemen. Not quite so fast. I'm only a crippled sailorman, and I ha' labored hard this night. Aye, it were such a seesaw o' fortune as kep' my heart a-poppin' in my throat. I thought ye had me on the stockade: but there's none like Pew wi' the knife, and he can smell his man when he can't see him. Well, well, who'd ha 's'posed when we met in New York we'd come to aught like this. Master Ormerod?"

I lacked the heart to answer him, and we stumbled through the woods in silence to the shore of the Anchorage. Here one of the Walrus' boats was launched, and we were rowed out to where she lay, her hull squatting like a rock in the quiet water. Men hailed us from her deck, a whip was sent down for Silver's convenience, and the rest of us climbed the side ladder, Moira as agile as any after her months

"Here we are, safe and snug on the old Walrus," remarked Silver, still aggressively cheery; "and them as is here can call theirselves fortunate, 'cause there's a plenty as ha' kept Murray company. Aye, blast me for a swab, but it ha' been a bloody night.

Get for'ard, mates." This to the men who had come off with us. "I'll see to the pris'ners. Now then, gentlemen-and mistress-you come

along wi' me, and I'll make ye all as comf'table as if ye was in a Bristol packet."

He prodded a muscular forefinger into my chest. "You mind that, Master Ormerod. You mind that Long John was your friend. 'Cause why, says you? Here's the Walrus, and here's a treasure, and here's Flint, and here's maybe twelvescore lads as don't all think alike, and here's Bill Bones-and here's me. A goodish bit might happen, my master. And who's to say what will start it

a-happenin'? Not me! Nor who might come out on top a'terward." And with a parting wink he stumped aft, crooking his finger in sign that we should follow him across the untidy

"Glory!" sniffed Moira, her nose in air. "This will be more the like of a

stable than a ship.' She did not exaggerate. The Walrus was dirtier than she had been the night Peter and I were committed to her as hostage. Her decks were foul with grease and all manmer of filth; her paint was crocked and peeling; a cloud of flies buzzed around a tub of fish-guts which nobody would take the trouble to cast overside; from an open hatch poured a sour, acrid stench. A

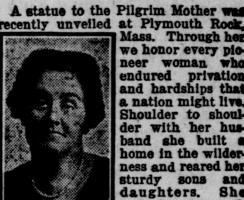
strange contrast with the Royal James! Inside the companionway under the poop we tripped over the usual litter of broken bottles, pistol-flints and odds and ends of cast-off clothing. Silver balanced himself on his crutch against the wall, struck flint and steel to a slow-match and ignited the wick of a whale-oil danthorn which depended from a hook. Holding this above his head, he surveyed the double line of stateroom doors, very similar to the plan of the cabin quarters of the

"Room for all," he pronounced. "This here to larboard is Flint's, and Bones' berth's opposite. T'others are full o' junk, but ye can soon clear 'em

We did the best we could, which was very little, and then persuaded Moira to risk lying in the cleaner of the two rooms-we had chosen it for her because it had a bolt on the inside of the privacy-while Peter and I berthed the one cramped bunk. And I marvel was finally able to leave the platform. they give a luster to each other: like to say that we went promptly asleep

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In The County Court of Presidio County, Texas.

No. 390- Haymon Krupp & Co Vs: James Halper

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Presidio County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 14th day of September, A. D., 1926, in favor of the said Haymon Krupp and Company and against the Display Advertising, run of paper, | said James Halper, No. 390 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 22nd day of November, A. D., 1926, at 3 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tract and parcel of land situated in Presidio County, Texas, and belonging to the said James Halper, to-wit:

> All that certain fract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Presidio County, Texas, adjoining the town tract of Presidio, and described as follows:

A subdivision of a tract of land sold to I. L. Kleinman by Charles Mayer and wife Lena Mayer, being a portion of Survey No. 12, Ralph Wright, Original Grantee, and described in deed recorded in Vol. 50, pages 634 and 635, deed records of Presidio County, Texas, and described by meres and bounds as follows:

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Thence West along the said South line of the I. L. Klienman tract 100 feet to a point marking the Sw corner of this lot;

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Herman Buhler of Garland, Texas Elder M. A. Buhler and party and Roger Ward of Greenville, Tex- brought in three deer Friday, the as bother and brother-in-law of Rev result of their two days hunt. M. A. Buhler, came in last week for a visit and incidently kill a deer while here.

Unlike anything else it is "DUCO" the beautiful enduring finish for every thing in the home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bishop had children spent Thanksgiving with as their guest last week, their bro- her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis. ther-in-law W. F. Tuner of Marlin, who enjoyed a pleasant visit and a three day deer hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Camp of Fort Worth, Texas were business visitors to our city Saturday. While here they were the guests of their old be lonly temporary, with proper friends, Dr. and Mrs. Monroe Slack. Mr. and and Mrs. Camp were best man and maid of honor when Dr. and Mrs. Slack were married. Mr. Davis, met Tuesday near the New hospitality, given by Mr. and Mrs. W. Camp is a newspaper man of wide Era office just as the Editor was a- J. Yates and Miss Lucille Rives. experience, having served on the bout to enter. We heard that our Tuesday evening the 23rd. The af-Star Telegram as Editor and at one Judge elect had been hunting and fair was given in honor of the oftime Mr. Camp was a professor in that last Saturday evening was brot., ficers and their wives of Camp Marthe T. C. U., at Fort Worth.

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,

H. W. Schutze returned Sunday from a trip to California.

NOTICE

All parties are hereby forbidden to either fish or hunt or otherwise trespass in my pasture.

Sept. 24, 1926. W. W. Bogel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Murphy spent Thansgiving Day in El Paso

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or trespassing in any manner will plication of a too hot water bag to the high score for the gentlemen. be allowed.

L. C. BRITE, sewing up his lacerated hand. Oct. 3,0 1926.

Mr. and Mrs Joe Soroker, after visit to New Mexico, returned to Marfa first of the week.

TREES and VINES

I will be glad to get you any fruit and shade trees and grape vines you wish, at catalogue prices.

J. R. JACOBS.

Mr. R. Vogas of Poth, Wilson County has been in the City for sev eral days. Mr. Vogas owns the property known as the Kirby ranch.

THAT OLD ROOF

"Have the recent rains brought to light that weak spot in the old Fine Silverware

We are prepared to furnish you Sewing Stands with any and all kinds of roofing materials, and the best paints in Leather traveling the market to protect it.

G. C. Robinson Lbr. Co.,

Pat Murphy came in this week on December 18 instead of Dec. 11. from his ranch in Mexico. He deliv ered a herd of Cattle to American buyers. Pat says that the recent raid on the Kilpatrick and Murphy ranch was a small affair, that the one horse taken at the time has been returned.

> FOR SALE-A Freideseman Radio receiving set with good Loud Speak er, in fine conditior, very reason-

See, E. J. Murtha, Marfa, Texas.

CHRISTMAS SALE-Art Work and

FOR SALE-We have decided to sell our spring 1926 Bull calves. We pleasure to show have several car loads of them Dudley Lock who has been in San They are extra choice and priced you our Goods. 1926 Fort Worth Grand Champions.

JOHN E. PAINTER& SONS. Roggen, Colo.

All early hats at greatly reduced

prices at. -MILADY'S SHOPPE.

Judge R. Barnett, the popular County Judge of Jeff Davis County was over from the Fort yesterday.

H. W. Schutze left to day with several car loads of cattle for Kansas City.

Mrs. Jesse Fisher with her three

Reported that Rev. Frank Anderson, who was raised in Alpine, suf- . . fered a stroke of facial paralysis last Sunday morning. At the hospital in Dallas physicians said the trouble was caused by overwork, and hould

care. -Alpine Industrial News.

to town suffering from a fall from fa. Upon the arrival of the guests a a horse, but we had not seen him four course dinner was served. The he had killed a deer, and on intro- gracious hospitality, all radiating bronco, the introduction did not Chrysanthenums and pot plants were prove successful. The Judge says artistically used in decorations in that when he struck the ground on this attractive setting nine tables the other side of the brone, and tried were set out for the players, who

his boyhood days. Hamic had likewise been in an ac- The consolation prizes were capcident, therefore, on meeting him tured by Mrs. Wheeler and Mr. J. just as Judge Davis appeared on the W. Poole. scene, both bandaged, with our may On November the 25th the Yates or on crutches too, it first appeared home was again the scene of anothas if he had also been on a hunting er most delightful party, entertaintrip and had had some difficulty ing with a bridge dinner, compliwith a bronc, but it appears that at menting their friends of the City. FRIDAY-A FIRST NATIONAL San Angelo several days ago while On this occasion a four course dindriving along the street and blind- er was served after which eight ed by the sun ran into another car. tables were arranged for bridge and SATURDAY-The Mayor's windshield was broken the players passed a delightful time My Pastures in Presidio Countw cutting his hand severly. But his over the games, Mrs. Ed Pruett won THE RUNAWAY EXPRESS FeaturingJack Daugherty. are POSTED, No Hunting camping worse hurt was caused by the ap- the high score, and Mr. H. N. Fennell

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and Optical Goods. Our Stock is new and the latest the market affords.

Call and inspect our Stock, you are Embroidery, See Mrs. A. R. Gott- under no obligation to buy. It will be a

SLACK AND **JONES**

(MURPHY-WALKER BLDG.)

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 2:55 P. M 5:29 . M. 11:51 P. M.

EAST BOUND 3:12 P. M. 1:27 A. M. 5:48 A. M.

ENTERTAINS WITH BRIDGE DINNER

One of the well appointed parties of the Thanksgiving entertaining. was the bridge dinner, beautiful in Mayor Hamic and Judge W. T. color and appointments and cordial

since the accident. It appears that interior of the Yates home glowing ducing the deceased to a very live cosiness and good cheer within. to stand on his head, he realized thoroughly enjoyed the games of that many years had passed since the evening. Mrs. Mcknney captured the high score and Lee Fischer. We had not heard that Mayor the high score for the gentlemen.

MILTON SILLS and DORRIS KENYON In "The Unguarded Hour, & B. B. his feet, while the Doctors were The consolation prize fell to Miss Ruth Bailey and Mr. Ben Pruett.

One pound more in every four



you save from when you use Mrs.Tucker's

NO.T.C.E

My ranch the Penetas formerly known as the property of Normand and Morgan, is posted and all parties are forbidden to bunt or otherwise trespass on the same.

HELP WANTED FEMALE

The Training School of the El Paso Masonic Hospital, is now admitting its regular class of young women to become nurses. The requirements 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, Montana and Piedras Streets, El Paso,

N.O.T.I.C.E

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D. O. MEDLEY

DESEA VD. HABLAR ESPANOL?

If you wish to speak Spanish, join My Conversation Course meeting twice a week, which begins Tuesday, November 2nd at 7:30 p. m., at my home.

Coats! Coats! Plenty of them at

-MILADY'S SHOPPE.

Pains disappeared

badly run-down," says Mrs.
John Bunch, R. F. D. 8, Columbia, S. C. "I could not do any of my work. I was so weak I could not wash a dish. My back and sides hurt me at times dreadfully. I dragged around until I finally got down in bed."

Then, explains Mrs. Bunch, she happened to read about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and decided to give it a thorough

lecided to give it a thorough trial, the results of which she describes below:

"It seemed to reach the cause of my trouble at once. did not take it long before my appetite began to improve. I gained in weight from 114 pounds until now I weigh 125 ounds. I soon was able to be up around the house. I took up my household duties and was delighted with my returning strength.

I now do all my own work. The pains in my sides and back have disappeared and I seel like a different person." Cardui has been helping suf-fering women for nearly 50

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Oddfellows Hall

Miss Blanch Avant, N. G. Mrs. Vera Belle Keane. Sec.

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Meets every Tuesday's 12 Noon. Longhorn Cafe MOORE A. BUHLER. Pres't B. HILLSMAN DAVIS, Sec'y

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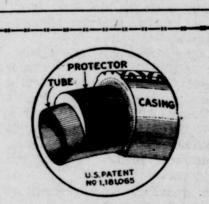
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J C Bean, H. P.

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1st Tuesday Night, 1st Degree 2nd Tuesday Night, 2nd Degree 3rd Tuesday Night, 3rd Degree 4th Tuesday Night, Initiatory Degree. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to be present.

J. H. FORTNER N. G.

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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tically everything and will

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MOVIES

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TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY-A PARAMOUNT ADOLPHE MENJOU In "Social Celebrities." With Chester Conklin Etc.

THURSDAY-A F. B. O.

MONDAY-

EVELYN BRENT In "Smoth as Satin." ALSO BUFFALO BILL

Show starts 7:00 P. M.

Just See Him Now Healthy and Happy!

San Antonio Policeman Regained Weight, Appetite and Old-time Energy Through Taking Nature's Remedy—Tanlac

You would not think to look at Police Officer A.E. Voight, of 313 Lancaster Avenue, San Antonio, Texas, today, that six years ago this rugged, alert guardian of the law was ailing, run

alert guardian of the law was ailing, run down, and suffering from indigestion.

"As a result of some months of stomach trouble," writes Officer Voight, "with loss of appetite and inability to digest my food properly, I got into a very run-down condition, and was considerably off in weight, and my old time energy was missing.

"I was almost constantly troubled with constination also and gas would

with constipation, also, and gas would form on my stomach making me feel very uncomfortable. My food seemed to do me more harm than good.

"I decided to try Tanlac, as I had heard so much about it from various sources. Five bottles put me back into first-class shape, and brought me relief, leaving me with a gain in weight in a few weeks' time of 15 or 20 lbs., and with all my old-time pep. I still take a bottle of Tanlac once in a while, and it helps keep me on tip-toe and ready for any emergency.



If your food seems to do you more harm than good, if you experience distress or stomach pains or lack of energy with falling off in weight, try Tanlac. Tanlac is Nature's remedy made from roots, barks and herbs. It makes people feel "tip-top and ready for any emergency." Askiyour drug-gist for Tanlac—today!

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Surgery Above Medicine? An old medical man I know says doctors are not much needed, except surgeons. (And this man is not a surgeon.) He further says that nine out of ten cases of illness are due to improper diet, and might be cured by fasting and less and more proper food thereafter. "The few wonders in my profession," the doctor says, but with surgery."-E. W. Howe's

Confirmation Wanted

Her Friend-Why don't you ask your husband's advice on the matter? Herself-I intend to, as soon as I decide on what I'm going to do.

"DANDELION BUTTER COLOR"

A harmless vegetable butter color stores and general stores sell bottles of "Dandelion" for 35 cents.-Adv.

There are three folding segments in a new automobile wheel rim that is only a purgative. They exert a tonic action on the digestion. Test them yourself now.

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ing a knocker.

Second-Hand Radio Sets

A recent survey carrying a Washington date line states that the problem of merchandising second-hand radio sets is becoming as important a business as that of selling second-hand automobiles. The survey claims that the great majority of radio fans start with small sets and gradually work up to the many tubed receivers, providing a continual and every-creasing supply of "trade-in" sets. It is predicted that the coming winter will see many used radio sales."-The Out-

Love's Argument

"But I told you I don't love you." "Well, experience is the best teach-

"Pape's Cold Compound" ends severe colds or grippe in few hours

Relief comes instantly.

A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness

and stiffness. Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throb-"are accomplished not with medicine, bing head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only thirty-five cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.

Air-Cooled Engines

Air-cooled engines have definitely challenged the position of the watercooled engine for aeronautic purposes, according to a report given by Comused by millions for 50 years. Drug mander E. E. Wilson, U. S. N., at a meeting of the Society of Automotive Engineers.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills are not

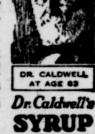
Riches have wings, but they don't There is nothing to be gained by be- seem to have any tail that you can

ONSTIPATION, biliousness, coated tongue, feverish , headache, sick stomach--then is the time when mother relies upon Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. "My son had been constipated and bilious since birth. At the age of five he had such an attack of sour stomach and bad breath I had to take him out of kindergarten. It was then I gave him Syrup Pepsin. He improved from the first dose and soon was back to school completely restored and healthier than he had ever been before. It is a great comfort to have a medicine for children in which we can have such implicit confidence." (Name and address sent on request.)

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For a free trial bottle send name and address to Pepsin Syrup Company, Monticello, Illinois.



PEPSIN

The Kitchen Cabinet

(@. 1926, Western Newspaper Union.)

If great ambitions dominate your If you are sighing for a lofty

Just watch yourself and see you do not shirk The common little ways of being kind.

MEAT AND OTHER DISHES

Tongue, which has been lightly corned, if put to cook in water to

cover for several hours, then skinned and simmered in the following sauce or baked in it. will be found delightful eating. Take a pint of good strong beef stock, a teaspoonful of worcestershire sauce, a few drops of tabasco, half a cupful of seeded raisins; pour

over the tongue and cook for an hour, basting often. Remove the tongue to a hot platter and pour the sauce around it. Serve hot.

Veal With Vegetables.-Take a good thick slice of veal from the leg, brown it in a hot pan with two tablespoonfuls of butter, turning often to brown without burning. Now cover with a layer of chopped carrots, onion, turnip and potato; sprinkle with chopped celery and pour over it the browned gravy slightly thickened. Bake slowly until tender in a moderate oven.

Steak may be browned and cooked with onions, tomatoes, mushrooms or served with baked bananas in butter and lemon juice. We are prone to serve certain foods in certain ways and we often think we are tired of the foods when it is the way that they are served of which we tire.

Bran Bread .- Take four cupfuls of wheat bran, two cupfuls of whole wheat flour, three-fourths of a cupful of New Orleans molasses, a teaspoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of soda, two cupfuls of sweet milk, two tablespoonfuls of shortening, a few raisins, and bake one hour.

Apple fritters are always enjoyed. They may be served with a sauce as dessert or on the plate with the dinner when pork is served.

Tuna Fish in Peppers.-Cut the stem ends from six peppers, remove the seeds and veins and soak in cold water for an hour. Drain and pack the following mixture into the peppers: To two cupfuls of tuna fish, add four eggs slightly beaten, one cupful each of milk and bread crumbs, season with salt and pepper. Sprinkle with buttered crumbs and bake in a hot oven or until thoroughly hot.

Veal With Spaghetti. - Cut two pounds of yeal from the shoulder in small-sized pieces to serve, brown in hot fat, add two sliced onions, a tablespoonful of salt, a dash of red pepper, a tablespoonful of sugar, a can of tomatoes and a pound of spaghetti. Cook slowly three hours on the back of the stove or in the fireless cooker. Mutton with carrots and peas is good cooked this way.

More Good Things.

Now that the chestnut season is at hand one may have many delectable



dishes. Here is a delicacy which is expensive when bought, but may be prepared at home. Boil the chestnuts after removing the shell and blanching, until tender. Prepare a rich lem-

on sauce, drop them into it and put into a can and seal. This may be used in various dishes as garnishes. Boiled chestnuts with celery and

chicken make delicious salads. An apple or two may be added to make the salad go farther, without spoiling

Rice Custard.-Cook one cupful of rice in one quart of milk with a bit of salt and four tablespoonfuls of sugar. When the rice is nearly done add four beaten egg yolks and finish cooking. Place in a baking dish and cover with a meringue of the beaten whites to which flavoring and sugar have been added. Serve cold.

Imperial Rice Pudding.-Soak onethird of a box of gelatin in one-half cupful of water. Put three cupfuls of milk into a double boiler; when boiling, stir in one-half cupful of rice, a half teaspoonful of salt and cook until the rice is tender. Now add onehalf cupful of sugar, remove from the heat, add a teaspoonful of vanilla and the gelatin. When cold add a pint of whipped cream and put into a mold. Serve unmolded, very cold. Eastern Sandwiches .- Put through

a meat chopper one sour apple pared and quartered, one red Spanish pepper, one sweet green pepper, one Neufchatel cheese. Add a half teaspoonful of salt, a pinch of powdered sugar and spread on slices of buttered bread. Dainty Sweetmeat.-Mix together

one cupful each of puffed rice, raisins, figs and dates with a bit of finely minced orange peel and lemon peel that has been dried. Put all through the meat chopper, adding a handful of nuts. Make into balls and dip in chocolate or roll in sugar.

Baked Bananas en Casserole.-Place peeled and halved bananas in a casserole with a sauce of melted over them. Bake, basting occasional- wrap. ly, and serve with half a glass of currant jelly poured over them at the last. Serve with brolled steaks.

FURRED VELVET EVENING WRAP; SHOES AND HANDBAGS TO MATCH

Velvet is a chosen medium for the of flattering success. fashioning of milady's evening wrap. This flair for velvet accents the fab- enough to incite the desire to be one ric in both solid coloring and also in of the first to flaunt this new and instriking velvet faconnes which com- teresting fashion of matching shoes to

C OMES again the whirl of social And now it is the shoe and bag en-events and with it a pageantry of semble which is giving the woman of lovely-of-the-loveliest apparel for wom- of smart fashion the thrill of "somean beautiful. Everything points to a thing new." Real artistry of design season of super-elegance. Especially and workmanship is displayed in are evening wraps sumptuous to an these exquisite leather effects. The impressive degree. Brilliant in color, fact that these matching sets impart enriched with fur and regal in styling an aspect of fastidious elegance to the costume assure for them a vogue

A glance at the picture herewith is



AN EXQUISITE EVENING WRAP

ing with fascinating results.

part in this season's styling. Regarded as a latest expression of

bine artful patterning and multicolor- one's handbag. One of the latest flatbag models is here shown in conjunc-So supple is the modernized velvet, tion with trim street oxfords of golden it yields to manipulation as gracefully brown kidskin. This same printed as does the daintiest of chiffon. Which leather trims the oxfords. Attention as it must be since a vast amount is especially called to the flatness of of shirring and intricate working of this large envelope purse, this model fabric itself play a prominent having displaced the pouch bag of last

Bag and slipper need not be an abthe French mode is the exquisite Phil- solute match, but since harmony for ipe et Gaston velvet evening wrap in the entire costume is the guiding this picture. A study in detail of this thought in modern dress, they should magnificent model is illuminating as at least be chosen in the same tones to Fashion's trend. Firstly, it is in and spirit of design. In the picture deep cherry coloring, thus emphasizing at the top a very flat handbag carries the predilection for red tones. Sec- out the same blonde tones of the simondly, it has a shirred yoke, which is ple one-strap slipper. The entire endoubly significant in view of the fact semble is exquisitely wrought. The that yoke-styling characterizes both workmanship of the bag by Patou acdress and wrap of latest creation, and cents a perfect finesse of detail. Esas to shirring it is an item of outstand- pecially is the narrow top frame with ing importance. Thirdly, this modish its metal slide a beautiful piece of wrap is back-bloused, which is at pres- artistry. The blonde kidskin of the ent considered essential to good style, shoes is combined with an underlay Fourthly, it is lavishly embellished of leather printed in deeper tones and with fur in accordance with fashion's stitched together with a graceful dictate for this fall and winter. Final- scalloped line. From each point of ly, the voluminous sleeve proclaims the scallops a single line of self-col-

DISPLAYING REAL ARTISTRY

style note of supreme significance | ored stitching radiates to the center for the big sleeve in dolman, angel- of the shoe in what is known as the wing and Vionnet effects dominates sun-ray pattern.

An interesting note in regard to creasingly important. While brown the evening wrap is the huge collar of leads, developed in all sorts of fanostrich which often replaces fur. Gold tastic interpretations in which repostrich is fashion's latest whim. Metal tile-like leathers feature spectacularly. lace trimming also embellishes many there is also a considerable showing

furred with white ermine and won- gorgeous buckles still hold their own drously lined in hand-embroidered among favorite footwear types. crepes are among the season's notable evening wrap offerings.

The use of color in footwear is inbutter, lemon juice and sugar poured a gorgeously colored velvet evening of navy blue kid footwear. Black footwear touched with color is also Wraps of black velvet exquisitely fashionable. Colonial pumps with

JULIA BOTTOMLEY. (@, 1926, Western Newspaper Union.)

YOUR SICK CHILD IS CONSTIPATED! **LOOK AT TONGUE**

Hurry. Mother! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver, bowels

Give "California Fig Syrup" if cross, bilious or



No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little one is out of sorts, half sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally-look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that the little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless, "fruity laxative" because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

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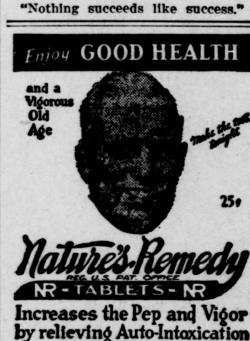
Fever Dengue orating Tonic.

Chills

Radicals! Diner-These sardines are terrible! Waiter-But they're imported, sir. Diner-Well, they ought to be deported, every one of them.

If there is any pig in a man's nature it is sure to crop out when he

If we did everything we were told to do-we couldn't.



A SAFE, DEPENDABLE LAXATIVE

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Salts Fine for Aching Kidneys

When - Back Hurts Flush You Kidneys as You Clean Your Bowels

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, sometimes get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region begin drinking lots of water. Also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is intended to flush clogged kidneys and help stimulate them to activity. It also helps neutralize the acids in the urine so they no longer irritate, thus helping to relieve bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which everybody should take now and then to help keep their kidneys clean.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in trying to correct kidney trouble, while it is only trouble.



ended. That's what Dr. Scholl's Zinopads do safely by removing the cause— pressing or rubbing of shoes. You risk no infection from amateur cutting, no danger from "drops" (acid). Zino-pads are thin. medicated, antiseptic, protective, healing. Get a box at your druggist's or shoe

Lino-paus Put one on-the pain is gone

Why Propose?

Larry-Darling, there has been something I've wanted to ask you for weeks and weeks. I-

Gloria-It will take place a week from tomorrow, dear. Mother and I have it all planned.

A good doctor has to know almost as much about medicine as he knows about human nature.



Those Dear Girls

Madge-Are you going to return the poor fellow's ring?

Marie (who has just broken her engagement)-I haven't decided. I suppose he'll propose to you now, and I thought I'd just hand it over to you to save the bother.

Loosen Up That Cold With Musterole

Have Musterole handy when a cold starts. It has all of the advantages of grandmother's mustard plaster without the burn. You feel a warm tingle as the healing ointment penetrates the pores, then a soothing, cooling sensation and

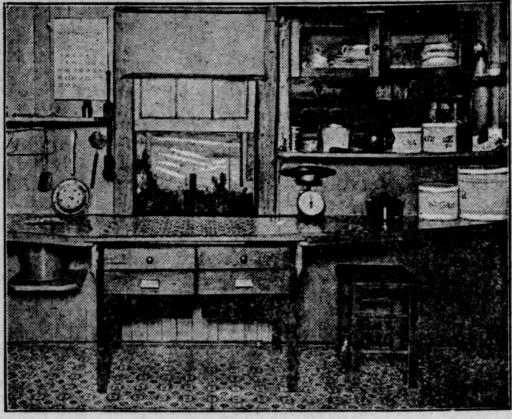
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Made of pure oil of mustard and other simple ingredients, Musterole is recommended by many nurses and doctors. Try Musterole for bronchitis, sore throat, stiff neck, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, croup, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pains and aches of the back or joints, sore muscles, sprains, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest. It may prevent pneumonia



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IDEAL KITCHEN FLOOR IS COMFORTABLE



(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) The ideal kitchen floor is durable, comfortable to walk and stand on, smooth, but not slippery, easy to clean, not injured by grease and water, and attractive in color and appearance. The wooden floor finished with oil or paint or covered with a good quality of plain or inlaid linoleum meets many of these requirements. The illustration shows the kitchen of Mrs. Jabuke of Chesterfield county, Virginia. The work table is covered with linoleum, varnished to withstand water, heat and grease; the garbage pail with perforated lid at left of bins; top of cabinet removed and fastened on wall, making a convenient cupboard, and the floor is covered with linoleum, varnished to withstand water, heat and grease.

MAKE BUDGET OF LIVING EXPENSES

Use of Income in Advance.

(Prepared by the United States Department

Various reasons are given for not budgeting household expenditures. By a budget is meant planning the use of the income in advance, after analyzing past expenditures, so as to get more for one's money this year, if possible, than before. One home maker says, perhaps, that she is poor at figures; another that she handles only part of the family money; a third that the income is variable, so she cannot tell what there will be to spend. Still others believe that they are already practicing every possible economy and that planning for forthcoming expenditures would do them no good. "I never spend a cent I don't have to!" cries this type of woman, while another may confess, "I don't want to know where the money has gone!"

But almost every home maker on a moderate income has common sense enough to admit that by planning ahead for certain major expenses-a graduation dress for the daughter, say,



Planning Living Expenses.

or music lessons, or even bigger things like owning a home or a car-these advantages have been achieved although it looked fairly hopeless at the start. So it is only a short step from that admission to the next, which is that by applying similar planning to the whole range of household expenditures, haphazard living could be converted into steady forward progress for the entire family. Every business, even the United States government, is run on a basis of a fixed sum allowed for future expenditures, each class planned in detail. The family budget is different only in the amount of money involved, but the same in prin-

Many home makers do not realize that part of their work is the management of a business, that one of their important tasks is the handling of part or all of the family income, and that the success of their many other activities depends largely upon their success in doing this well. The home maker who says she does not wish to know how her money was spent is ignoring this aspect of her

The United States Department of Agriculture has recently issued a circular intended to help you with the details of budget planning. No authority can supply a budget ready-made, for a good spending plan in one case might be a very poor one for another family of the same size and income,

each living in the same town. Miscellaneous Circular 68, "Planning warm soapy water, or better still a Your Family Expenditures," is free | cloth moistened with turpentine or while the supply lasts. It contains gasoline. Remember though that turmany suggestions as to how to group pentine and gasoline are very inflamthe usual household expenditures. mable and do not use them in a room Special attention is given to the mat- with an open fire or a lighted lamp or ter of farm household records, since candle. After the dirty coating has some of the products of the farm are been removed, but be sure it is all used in the household. At the end are removed and that the floor is clean a number of questions which suggest | and dry, apply a little more wax, and where to look for leaks and how to rub it in well with a woolen cloth or approach the solution of some of your | a weighted brush. Be careful, howindividual problems.

HARD TO SELECT WASHING MACHINE

Good Reasons for Planning Many Little Points to Consider Before Purchase.

Before purchasing a washing machine it is desirable to know something of the various types and the principles on which each is operated, says the United States Department of Agriculture. Although there are over 100 makes of washing machines, the various designs can be classified into five types, most of which can be operated by hand, water power, gasoline engine, or electricity. The main principle in all is the forcing of soapy water through the clothes by agitating the clothes and the water and thus displacing the dirt.

The cylinder washers usually have perforated cylinder of metal or wood for the clothes. This revolves in an outer container for the soap and water, reversing its direction at regular intervals. The dolly or agita: tor type, especially common in handpower machines, has a revolving device attached to the lid or the bottom for moving the clothes about in the water. The oscillating types have a metal or wooden tub which rocks back and forth, tossing the clothes through the water. The vacuum-cup type is a development of the funnelon-a-stick washing device, and may have from one to four cups which move up and down, forcing water through the clothes. The washboard type is seen only in hand-power machines now.

Unless there is a pressure of 15 to 20 pounds to the square inch at the faucet and a flow of 4 to 6 gallons per minute, a water-power machine will not be satisfactory. If an electric machine is being purchased, the current specifications of the local source of power must be known and given in the order.

Consider all the following points: Whether the gearing is enclosed or open; whether the motor is watertight or placed where there is little chance of its getting wet; how easily the machine can be moved about and yet held in place while the motor is running; the shape and size of the machine in relation to the room where it must be used and stored; how often the machinery must be oiled and whether that can be done easily; strength and rigidity of the frame; and the service for repairs and new

Well-Balanced Diet Is

Needed for Maintenance

The well-balanced diet provides within the limits of the fuel, or calories, needed to maintain the best body weight for age and height: Protein, right in kind and amount; iron; calcium; phosphorus; and vitamins A. B and C. The diet should be either bulky or "potentially" bulky.

Balance should be extended also to matters that affect taste, adds the United States Department of Agriculture. There must be a variety of flavors. Bland, sweet, sour, and savory foods must be used in right proportions, and either carefully blended or skillfully contrasted. So, too with textures. Hardness, softness, starchiness, fattiness, crispness, and succulence, are all pleasing qualities, but they must be balanced one with another if the diet as a whole is to be attractive.

Clean Wax Floors

To clean wax floors, remove the film of dirt and wax, which darkens the floor, with a cloth wrung out of ever, not to apply too much wax.

A Lady of Distinction

Is recognized by the delicate, fascinating influence of the perfume she uses. A bath with Cuticura Soap and hot water to thoroughly cleanse the pores followed by a dusting with Cuticura Talcum powder usually means a clear, sweet, healthy skin.-Advertisement.

Watt's Figure Too Low!

James Watt, "discoverer" of steam, said that six pounds per square inch was the maximum safe pressure for boilers. That was before he died in 1819. Today 350 pounds pressure is the average in the great steam boilers that run most electric generating stations where a kilowatt-hour of current is produced for each 11/2 pounds of coal, but engineers are experimenting with steam running up to 3,200 pounds -more than 500 times the pressure limit set by Watt.

CORN FRITTERS

cups green corn pulp.

2 eggs. 2½ tablespoons flour. ½ level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder. level teaspoon salt.

Dash of pepper or paprika.

1 tablespoon melted shortening. The corn must be uncooked and freshly scraped, not cut. Beat the egg yolks into the corn, then fold in stiff whites. Add other ingredients. It may need more flour, but add as little as possible. Fry in a hot greased frying pan browning on one side then the

Rare Bird Specimens

Despite all the search made for them in the past, not a single museum on earth has on exhibition a specimen of the wandering albatross or of the giant man-o'-war bird, that strange specimen from the Ascension islands, but the Blossom expedition, sent out by the Cleveland museum, has returned with about 25 specimens of each, will have all the specimens mounted with care and expects to exchange the surplus birds for others of interest in making distribution among the various museums of this and other countries.

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Taking No Chances

"Hazel is so jealous." "Yes, she won't introduce Harold to her own sister."



Wondered Why Breath Was So Bad

Brooklyn, Miss Rose Dittmar writes:-"Even though I brushed my teeth and used a mouth wash, my friends turned away when I talked and I wondered why my breath was so offensive, while people less careful were not troubled. After taking Carter's Little Liver Pills for a while the trouble started to disappear. I also noticed my face had better color and was clearer, my eyes brighter, my appetite more hearty and I had no constipation." Bad breath must be reached at the source of the trouble. Druggists, 25 & 75c red pkgs.

Good Indication

"Do you think Alice likes me?" "Sure her folks are knocking you all the time."

Children Cry for



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Breaking It Gently

Her Father-That young man of yours hasn't enough sense to get in out of the rain.

Marjorie-Oh, that explains why he took your umbrella last night.

Injection of a new kind of oil enables doctors to make better X-ray studies of the lungs and chests of tuberculosis patients,



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Not So Good

Letter received by a Detroit retail you if has a chanct."

Roman Eye Balsam, applied at night upon retiring, will freshen and strengthen eyes by morning. 372 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

Classified

Willie-What's an anthology, dad? Crabshaw-That's a book in which you never find what you're looking for, my boy.

He lives long that lives well.

A Canadian Cathedral Five ancient stones forwarded by

store's credit manager in answer to a the authorities of Canterbury have request for information regarding an been sent to Victoria, B. C., to be inapplicant for a charge account: "Dere | corporated in the new cathedral there. Sur: The man John D- what you ask | the cornerstone of which was recentif his credit is with me in reply will ly laid. The stones were first used say it ain't no good as he owes me in building the Abbey church of the \$16 for six years and yesterday he bor- Monastery of Saint Augustine berowed ten more and I guess I am tween A. D. 597 and A. D. 605. Later crazy but he hipotized me and he will they were built into Canterbury cathedral itself. The Cathedral of Christ church, British Columbia, in which they will be incorporated, will have two towers, rising to a height of 135 feet, and joined by an arch 85 feet high. A central tower will rise 185 feet above the level of the nave floor, and will be visible all over Victoria and far at sea.

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Gather Data for Feature Stories

Representatives of Large Publishing House Will Tell of Big Bend Industries and Attractions

The resources, industries, climate, and scenery, of the Davis Mountains erritory have become so widely known that one of the largest publishing houses in the West has sent lication from whch this section will in any other section of Texas. derive many benefits, it is felt.

Large Publication The Western World is a large publication and is devoted to the development of the natural resources of the Western United States and Mexico. Mrs. W. B. Hamilton, Secretary of the Alpine Chamber of Commerce, furnished Mr. MacIntosh with a wealth of valuable information dealing with this territory, including a number of pictures, Mr MacIntosh also made quite a few photographs himself. He stated that he had never visited a more picturesque or more interesting country tages added to the health-giving cliand said that he could write many stories on this section and its at-

"After a few days stay in this section", said Mr. MacIntosh, "and after seeing what little I could cover in of the favorable climate conditions that time, I can say with King Solo- existing here, it is entirely possible mon: "The half has not been told to accomplish a strenuous year" me." There is so much of interest work, without the physical strain. and the country s ovast that a stay which would accompany the same of several months would not be too amount of effort in a lower altitude. much. I don't understand why Texans should go to other states for recreation and sightseeing when they have all this right here at home."

Will Cover Mining Industries While here Mr. MacIntosh expects southern Brewster county and this industry will be the subject of one of his feature stories. He also made

Sul Ross State Teacher's Collage

At Alpine, out in the western part of the State, in the heart of the 'Alps of Texas," stands Sul Ross State Teachers College-the pride of a people inhabiting a vast territory unsupplied with institutions of high er learning, except by this young and viril State College. This majestic building housing a splendid-school a representative to this section to is the realization of the dreams of gather data from which will be writ the ranchmen of this section. For en a great amount of publicity con- many years the school was dreamed cerning these things. P. J. R. Mac- of and planned for the children and osh, staff corespondent for the grandchildren of the pioneers who Western World, published by the blazed the way for civilization in World Publishing Company of Fort the Big Bend-Davis Mountain-Worth, is here and will remain in Trans Pecos Region. In fact, Sul the Big Bend for a week gathering Ross is the very soul of advancedata and interviewing citizens pre- ment for a great- growing undeveparatory to writing a number of ar- loped region-where college influticles which will appear in this pub- ence is needed perhaps more than

Almost on the pinnacle of Alpine, with an elevation of 4,600 feet, Sul Ross students enjoy an unsurpassed year-round climate which is invigorating. Intensive study may be carried on with very little discomfort and inconvenience. The mean annual temperature of 58 degrees. with a mean variation of 19 degrees demonstrates the reason for the delightfully cool and pleasant summers and mild winters, for which Alpine is famous. With the inspiring scenery, a college faculty unexcelled, and many other advanmate, it is no wonder that students advance more rapidly when attending Sul Ross College, than when at tending institutions of learning in less favorable locations. On account

As the Davis Mountains region is fast becoming the State's big Summer playground, both the Southern Pacific and Orient Railways give summer tourist and home-seekers rates each summer. These special to visit the quicksilver mines in annual rates become effective about May 15, and the tickets are good for ninety days following the date of sale. Anyone coming to spend a vacation in Alpine or the Davis Mountains, and at the same time attend the summer session of Sul Ross. could take advantage of the summer rates, for a ticket would be good until October 31st, or long after the summer term is over.

> Students attending Sul Ross College enjoy many outings, including Scenic drives, (driving through the most interesting part of the Davis Mountains, and visiting the historic and interesting spots. These drives are conducted by the citizens of Alpine, and during a seventy-five mile drive, students are guests of the towns of Fort Davis and Marfa, each of the towns contributing to the pleasure of the occasion with a barbecue, or other entertainment. These drives are looked forward to eagerly each summer by the students. Picnics in the nearby canyons are also very frequent during the summer months.

In addition to the drives and picnics, two large religious encampments may be attended each summer. The Morelock Park and Golf Course is another pleasure provided for students desiring to play the popular game of golf. The tennis courts are among the best in the country. The College natatorium, or Hancock Pool as it is called, furnishes recreation for those who wish tain climbing and hiking are also among the popular outdoor sports.

-Texas Outlook.

a visit early this week to Shafter on a tour of inspection of the silver mine there.

-Alpine Avalanche

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENTER-TAINS GRANDMOTHERS

The boys class of the Methodist Church entertained the Grandmothers of our City Wednesday evening with a six o'clock dinner, in the Basement parlors of the Methodist the boys considered a "Christmas served by the boys. Good Time" after thinking over the Mead Wilson, who planned and ar- mothers, Davis, Frink, Poole, Mc- monthly.

THREE GOLDEN LINKS Presented By T. J. Mallicote. In Ft. Worth Star-Telegram.

Twas the midnight hour in a western town. When the fast express came thundering down. With a glare and a screech, it came from the night, And with a hiss and rumble was out of sight.

The slumbering passengers never knew That a mortal was killed as it onward flew. That one who had been in the image of God, Now laid dismembered-a senseless clod.

But the morning sun, and the sons of men. Saw a pitiful sight where that train had been, Garments and flesh, all shreded and stained. Till of human form little remained.

The coroner came, with decent haste, Took the remains to a quiet place, And earnestly tried, though all in vain. To find who'd been killed by that rushing train.

With nothing to show that stranger's name, And nothing to show from whence he came, Yesterday, man; today but a clod. A body crushed, a soul with his God.

No loving hands to caress that face, Or follow that form to its resting place: Just to be buried away from sight, At public expense, was that man's right.

The undertaker, an honest man, Took the corpse away in the pauper's van. Prepared a box the form to conceal, And dug a grave in the potter's field.

With the poor maimed body all gory and torn, He placed the garments he had worn, Thinking to bury from mortal sight All that called back that terrible night.

On the floor behind him lies his vest. And he tossed it beside the rest. Soime mud was broken and falls away. And something glistens, "What is it pray?

Only a little badge of gold, Just three plain links, so worn and old. Not worth the keeping; let it go. No one should want it, it's better so.

He takes the pin from the old tornvest; Would he save the gold and bury the rest? Surely twould only a trifle bring, And it can't mean much, it's a trifling thing,

How plain and cheap, and almost mean, It looked besides badges he had seen. Heavy with gold, and brilliants rase This poor old thing isn't worth a care

He crossed the street to a store, Whose owner, the three links always wore, And now as he entered came forward and said: How are you my friend; have you cared for the dead?"

Here is something like yours that I found on his vest, But, perhaps you don't care, should it go with the rest? Twas the only thing I care to save; I've got the box ready, and finished the grave.

"Who wears those three links shall never go To a paupers grave, I'll have you know. Where'er the sunshine of God is shed The living brothers bury their dead.

Put on the stranger a robe of white And trim a good casket, and do it right, And on the plate that no name can itell Engrave the three links that he loved so well

"Fill up the hole for a pauper made, In a private lot shall that form be laid. Tomorrow at noon will the Odd Fellows come And take the remains to their last long home."

and green crepe paper gave a most dazzling beautiful effect. The lar- ger Tyler. ge square table in snowy white linen was centered with a huge ILLINOIS MAN INVENTS pound cake, embossed in white. banked in a wreath of Yuletide mistletoe, was not only a thing of Walter Critchlow, 4441-P Street.

ranged this delightful party. For Girk, Evans, Wease, Carver, Kento induldge in water sports. Moun- this occasion the parlor put on gala nedy, Humphrey, R. E. L. Tyler. Christmas attire. The decorations Henderson, Ida Lee Jordan, Jim Sha were intensely and typical of Xmas. nnon, Ridout, Bennetto. The pastor Rev. J. C. Jones and wife. There Dazzling in their brilliant rods and were several others invited but were greens. The brightness and color- unable to attend. The following boys ful blending of mistletoe, cedar, tin- comprise Mrs. Wilson's class: Guy sel Xmas bells, festooned and gar. and Irving Ridout, Finis and Jim land floating streamers of red Bennett, Candler Jones, John William Shannon, Billie Ake and Ro-

A NEW GAS SAVER.

beauty, but very delicious .The Wheaton, Ill., has patented a new three course dinner was a delight gas saver and quick starter that Church. The occasion was what in savory delicatessen and faultlessly beats anything ever gotton out. With it on Fords show as high as 66 Prior to the dinner a short pro- miles on 1 gallon. Other makes do pleasure of entertainment the boys gram was rendered, a piano solo by equally well. .. This new invention decided upon this form of entertain- Miss Nell Wilson, a group of old fav saves gas and oil, makes a Ford start ment and they were happy to call orite songs were sung by Mrs. H. H. instantly in any weather and comat the homes of these Grandmoth- Kilpatrick and a reading by Miss pletely .. de-carbonizes.. the engine ers and take them to the church in Florence Wilson, a duet was sung Mr. Critchlow offers 1 free to advertheir cars and later taking them by Mrs. H. Hord and Mrs. Bob Jones. tise. Write him at once. He also home. They boys were assisted in Those who were permitted to enjoy wants County and State Distributors entertaining by their teacher Mrs. this delightful affair were: Grand- who can make \$500.00 and \$2,500

Why your Light Bills are **Higher in Winter than** Summer

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 February March April May June July August September October November December

6 hours 32 minutes 5 hours 38 minutes 4 hours 10 minutes 3 hours 48 minutes 2 hours 57 minutes 2 hours 33 minutes 2 hours 36 minutes 3 hours 09 minutes 4 hours 00 minutes 4 hours 54 minutes 6 hours 11 minutes 6 hours 51 minutes

This chart shows why your Electric Bills are considerbly 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 baln.y days

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