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PLANS FOR CORPORATION TO WORST IN TEN YEARS-DOES MUCH DAMAGE TO PROP-BUY LAND AND RENT TO FARMERS

FOR IRRIGATION

The promotion of irrigated truck farming in the Plainview country was again the principal subject of discussion at the monthly luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce, held at the Crystal Cafe Wednesday at noon. On acocunt of so many persons attending

the Amarillo fair only forty were present at the luncheon.

President C. S. Williams presided and John Boswell, secretary, read a report of the activities of the organization since the last meeting. He said most of the time had been taken up with collecting and sending a county exhibit to the Amarillo fair ,and to the Dallas state fair.

Dr. E. O. Nichols, who is a member of the committee which recently made a trip to the Rocky Ford irrigated section of the Arkansas river valley in Colorado, made a report of the trip. He declared that he saw nothing there which could not be raised just as successfully in the Plainview irrigated section, and used that the people here should bend every effort to promotion of truck farming on small irrigated farmers should be secured, who would come here, rent lands and grow cantaloupes, truck, etc. ,and in time the business will grow to tremendous proportions and bring wealth and prosperity to all the people. He told of the Japanese being the best farmers through. in the Colorado irrigated districts, and is of the opinion that it would be well to induce a few Japs to move here and demonstrate the possibilities of irrigated truck farming.

John Boswell stated that the big daily newspapers of the state evidence the interest of the people in irrigated truck farming in the Plainview country by their requests of their local oerrespondents for stories dealing Hale Center. with the business.

A motion prevailed that the original plans of the Chamber of Commerce truck farming committee be Warried out, which provides that a corporation of \$10,000 be organized to the county there have been a number buy an irrigated tract of land and of destructive hail storms, which did view parcel it out to farmers who will rent much damage to crops. it and grow truck on it. Of the capi-

ERTY The most terrific and destructive CAPTURES COUNTY AWARD AT hail storm in ten years raged in and about Plainview last night between seven and eight o'clock, and did much damage to buildings, cars, shade trees ,and crops. The damage in Plainview amounts to several thous-

and dollars. the residential part of town near the the Amarillo Tri-State fair, and also sanitarium, but it was severe in other fifty-one ribbons in the individual sections and especially north and classes. The Hale county exhibit of northeast of town. The scope seems agricultural products completely filled to have been from three miles south the requirement of the score card, of town to Finney Switch north, less which required the showing of a wonthan two miles west to about the mid- derfully wide variety of products of dle of the demonstration farm east. high quality. The exhibit scored 971 There was a 33-100ths inch rain in points out of a possible 1,000. Plainview.

and they came down with a force that 17th, and Castro County 18th. There penetrated the roofs of some houses, were twenty-one county exhibits comwent through automobile tops, tore peting, and each had an exceptionally off limbs of trees, wrecked windows, good showing, much better than usual Several persons were injured by being at fairs. struck with stones.

dows knocked out on the southside, in the individual entries, seventeen, tracts. He said experienced irrigation the auditorium also suffered loss of second, and four thirds. None of the a number of windows, and so did Way- individual exhibits were a part of the land college and the court house.

The loss to cotton and feed crops struck watermelons and went clear

The lumber yards are busy today furnishing window glass to repair the lamages.

storm west of Halfway school house and to the Westside school, doing feature of the Tri-State fair. much damage in places. Wind and hail wrecked a number

of windmills north of town. There was little rain and no hail at

In October 1913 a very severe hail Hale Center.

sterm raged over Plainview, doing possibly \$25,000 worth of damage to Routzahn, Plainview, Rt. A. property.

This year in the rural sections of

tal stock \$7,000 will be paid cash, and FLOYD COUNTY WILL



AMARILLO FAIR, MAKING

The storm seemed to central thru in cash for the best county exhibit at

Lubbock county was second, Wil-The hail stones were as large as barger county third, Gray county 4th, hen eggs, in fact some were larger, Randall county, 15th, Bailey county,

In addition to the county exhibit, The sanitarium got about fifty win- Hale county won thirty blue ribbons

county exhibit. Hale county won more firsts than all other counties north of town was severe, some farms combined in the individual exhibits. being almost devastated. Stones These ribbons will go to the coliection of several thousand ribbons on display at the city auditorium which were won at former fairs.

The Hale county exhibits in agriculture, poultry and flowers won, and There was also a pretty severe hall the showing the county made in all departments were the outstanding

Below is a list of the individual winners at the fair: Plainview.

Grain Seeds

Hard Winter Wheat-2nd, Jim Cox, Red Rust Proof Oats-2nd, M.

Speltz-2nd, T. L. & D. Co., Plainview

Peanuts-2nd, J. O. Duensing, Plain Scaling.

Field Peas-2nd, Formway, Plainview.

Hay Plainview. Sorghum-2nd, Sam Scaling, Plain- comfort and greater leisure than has opened his war on the Ku Klux Klan, iams, Hale Center.

view.

Plainview. Native Prairie-1st, Hale County. Peanut-1st, J. O. Duensing, Plainview.

Sudan Grass-1st, Bill Stanford, ed a number of evils of the capital-Hale Center. Vegetables Turnips-1st, D. C. Aylesworth, day labor week, no unduly long hours

Plainview. Potatoes, Yams-1st, J. F. Graves, sycles." He said that "any system Plainview.

Onions-2nd, J. O. Duensing, Plain- ents promptly abolish evils as they iew. Beets-1st, Mrs. Chandler, Plain- ed from without "by those who will

Carrots-2nd, J. Lash, Plainview. Tomatoes-2nd, Seth Ward Truck good." Farm, Plainview. Corn (green)-1st, Seth Ward

Truck Farm, Plainview. Cabbage-1st, Mrs. G. W. Lewellen, verts in their attacks upon the very Plainview.

String Beans-1st, SethWardTruck their attacks upon the institutions Farm .Plainview.

Celery-1st, D. C. Aylesworth, democracy, affording more opportun-Plainview.

Winter Squash-1st. Mrs. Applewhite, Hale Center. Kershaw-1st, Mrs. John Taack, being hopes for ultimate success,

Plainview. Gourds-1st, Buck Morton, Plain-

Hale Center.

Plainview. Cantaloupe-3rd, A. H. Minor, Plain

view. Vegetables Sweepstakes

Sorghum Cane, 10 stalks-1st, M. P. Routzahn, Route A, Piainview. Ribbon Cane, 10 stalks-2nd, Alex Kitrell, Plainview. Bronze Turkeys

Old Tom-1st, Mrs. Florence Scaling, Plainview. Young Tom-1st, Mrs. Florence

Young Tom-2nd, Mrs. Florence Scaling. Young Tom-3rd, Mrs. Florence

deavor.

SYSTEM HAS ADDED TO MEN'S COURTS WILL HEAR PETITION HAPPINESS, LEISURE AND IN OKLAHOMA TROUBLES COMFORT. NEXT TUESDAY

a vigorous assault on the various

schools of radicals of the day. At

th esame time Mr. Puelicher recogniz-

istic system, declaring that there

should be no child labor, no seven-

of labor and no "treacherous business

of society can last only if its adher-

develop," or else reform will be forc-

destroy with the evil all that is

"Socialism, Communism, anarch-

ism, syndicalism, I. W. W. ism are

seeking to make converts in their con-

foundations of our government in

which have made America a great

ities fo rsuccess and happiness than

anywhere else in the world," Mr. Pue-

lirher said. "Although every human

warfare against the successful is

preaching the gospel of unrest, of

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 25 .- Jus-Oklahoma City, Sept. 27 .- The py-Alfalfa, baled-1st, T. L. & D. Co., tifying the capitalistic system as hav- rotechnics that have kept Oklahoma ing "brought to all the people more aflame since Governor J. C. Walton any other system thus far tried," J. and state legislators instituted a drive H. Puelicher, president of the Amer- to impeach the executive began to Johnson Grass-1st, J. T. Ward, ican Bankers' Association in his con- fade out tonight with a long dull court vention address here Tuesday, made battle in prospect.

BEST SYSTEM FOR INJUNCTION

LEGISLATORS ASK

The first move to test in the courts the legality of the special session of the lower house of the legislature, called by members who hold it is their right to investigate the official acts of Governor Walton, was taken in state district court here late today. Sixty seven house members applied for a temporary injunction restraining Adjutant General R. H. Markham and all members of the Oklahoma National Guard from interferring with meetings of the house.

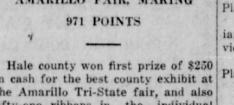
No order was issued by the court during the brief proceedings and by agreement of all parties, hearing on the petition was set for next Tuesday before Judge J. I. Phelps.

Meanwhile the legislators who gathered here yesterday and attempted to convene only to be dispersed by mintary authorities acting under instructions of the governor, began to leave for their homes to await the outcome of the court fight.

A pledge was signed by the legislators that should the courts finally devolubly raging. The dreamer, usual- Eide they have authority to meet as ly honest, but usually impractical, an impeachment body, they will con-Pumpkin-1st, Mrs. Applewhite, the demagogue, never honest, but of- vene at any time upon call of repreten too practical; the professional re- sentatives. W. D. McBee of Steph-Watermelon-3rd, J. F. Graves, former for personal profit, are all ens county, one of the leaders of the "rebel" legislators.

No further attempt wil lbe made to class hatred; of disrespect for law and order, of discontent with honest en- convene, it was agreed, until the issue is decided in the state supreme court "Their stock in trade is appeal to an dthen remains the possibility that the jealousy and cupidity of the less the case will go through the long fortunate. Capitalism is to be des- stages of final settlement in the Unittroved. Individual initiative is to be ed States supreme court. A temporthrottled. Its rewards confiscated, ary injunction if granted by the dis-The lazy and the indolent hope to se- trict court will not be made the basis cure to themselves the earnings of for another attempt to assemble, the the thrifty and the diligent. As in legislators decided.

Russia, some would use force, others | Expressings of the situation, Govwould through taxation 'bleed capital ernor Walton declared today "the fight white.' To justify confiscation, in is over so far as the house is conone form or another, the fauls of cerned." The executive will be repreeral George F. Short and his assist-"Only as industry is rewarded by ants. There were indications tonight that the possession and use of its accuwithin the next few days the governor would modify his martial law regulations and retire the greater part of the troops now mobilized. No relaxation in the investigation into cases of mob violence will follow, however, it was made plain.



the rest as needed. Solon Clements stated that the plan to raise \$20,000 in cash, which was suggested at a Floydada Man Says Floydada will former meeting, coul dnot be put through, but the smaller company could likely be floated.

The regular committee of the Chamber will put through the new plan, and report back at the next meeting.

Mr. Boswell stated that the tourist business through Plainview this summer had been four times as large as in any previous year, and that a numsome would return here to make their home.

C. D. Wofford mentioned that the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference will be held here beginning Oct. 30, and 300 delegates will be present. Sam Sloneker ,Solon Clements and E. H. Perry were appointed as a committee to co-operate with the Methodist church committee in entertainment of the visitors.

Mr. Boswell declared that the peo-

KU KLUX ORATOR DEFENDS KLAN

GEORGIA LECTURER SAYS KLAN **1S BEING PERSECUTED BY** ENEMIES

Rev. Lester A Brown, of Atlanta, Ga., said to be a national lecturer of the Ku Klux, delivered an address Wednesday night to a large crowd of introduced by the Methodist preacher irrigated, the entire cost of the pumpat Kress.

a Confederate soldier, a Baptist, Malecturer and evangelist.

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in many ways any other order and has its ritual and secret work. Its ter. white sheet and hood is to it the same as the white apron is to the Masons and the black apron to the Knights of Columbus. That the order stands for patriotism, white supremacy, education, separation of church and state, and for law and order. He declared the klan is being persecuted "as Christ was persecuted ,and as the Masons were persecuted years ago." He was liberally applauded during the course of his lecture.

It is said that people came from quite a long distance to hear the speaking.

HARVEST 10,000 BALES Center.

Receive 7,000 Bales and Lockney 3,000 Bales of Cotton

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bain and child of Floydada were here Thursday en route to Amarillo.

Mr. Bain declared that Floyd county will harvest ten thousand bales of cotton this year-of which Floydada will get seven thousand bales and Lockney three thousand bales. To ber had bought property here, and the first of the week Floydada had received 300 bales.

The crop is beginning to open in earnest and the farmers will be very busy by the first of the week picking. A large number of outside pickers are needed.

ple of Plainview should realize the gested that a committee be appointed to at all times cooperate with the colin the affairs of Plainview, and suggreat importance of Wayland College lege in its work. A motion prevailed that such a committee be appointed. Messrs. S. S. Sloneker and V. L. Formway had before the body a model of the double action pump which Mr. Formway has invented. He demonstrated and explained the workings of the pump, which if a success, promises to revolutionize the pumping of water by windnills and engines. By

this pump twice as much water can be secured in the same time from one well as by the old methods. The pump can be manifactured and sold at a very low price ,and with it from people at the band stand. He was fifteen to thirty acres of land can be

ing plant, well, etc., being much less Mr. Brown declared he is a son of than \$1,000. Mr. Formway asked the endorsement of the Chamber and help son, Odd Fellow and belongs to sev- in getting started in the manufacture eral other orders, and is an author, of pumps. This was promised him and a committee composed of Claude He stated that the Ku Klux is like Power ,L. S. Harkey and E. Dowden

was appointed to attend to the mat-

A proposed franchise for the piping of natural gas from the Amarillo fields to Plainview, was before the body and was referred to a committee. The promoters live in another town.

It was suggested that many cotton It was suggested that many cotton pickers will be needed in Hale county to the auction of live stock and other to harvest the big crop, and that in some of the rural districts the schols will close so as to permit the children going into the fields. The federal government bureau of labor is plan- bargains and 200 articles of merchan-

ning to mobilize pickers down in Cen-tral Texas, and offer them to the Plains cotton farmers.

Sudan Grass-1st, Dioley, Hale Scaling.

Alfelfa-3rd, L. A. Knight, Plainview. Sorghum-1st, M. P. Routzahn,

Plainview, Rt. A. Millet-1st, J. K. Hartzler, Plainview, Rt. A.

Broomcorn-1st, R. R. Fields, Plain view Milo Maize, red-2nd, Sam Scaling,

Plainview, Rt. A. Milo Maize, white-1st, A. H. Bru-

nell, Hale Center. Kafir Corn, red-1st, J. O. Wendt,

Plainview, Rt. A. Hale Center.

Feterita-1st, Jeff Williams, Hale Center.

Higari-1st, J. E. Rice, Plainview, Rt. A

Seeded Ribbon Cane-1st, Alex Kitrell, Plainview, Rt. A. Sheaf Grains and Bundles

Wheat, Hard Winter-2nd, Harp Bros., Hale Center.

Oats-2nd, T. Hammond, Plainview Speltz-1st, L. A. Wilson, Plainview Millet-2nd, J. K. Hartzler, Rt. A. Plainview.

Center.

Ten ears popcorn-1st, Mrs. Burns, Runningwater; 2nd, Guy Bounds, Grain and Forage

Milo Maize, Red, 10 heads-2nd, J. W. Buchanan, Plainview, Kafir, red, 10 heads-1st, J.

Wendt, Plainview. Kafir, white, 10 heads-1st, Ray

Young, Hale Center. Feterita, 10 heads-2nd, Jeff Will- tion.

Sweepstakes Best Old Tom-1st, Mrs. Florence

Scaling. Best Young Tom-1st, Mrs. Florence Scaling.

False Fire Alarm Turned In Wednesday night while the Ku Klux orator was speaking at the band stand an alarm of fire was turned in which brought out the fire department, but it later developed that it was a false alarm. The alarm is said to have been turned in from a public long dis-Kafir Corn, white-2nd, Ray Young fire was in the 200 block on Broadway south of the square two blocks. Later two other alarms were turned in, one informer stating that the Radford Grocery Co. on the southwest corner of the square and the other that Hooper Motor Co. on the southeast corne rof the square were on fire. The fire boys did not respond to either

of the latter alarms. Just who turned the alarms in is unknown-whether it was some fool-Rye-1st, Fred Nicklaus, Plainview ish enemy of the Ku/Klux with a hope of breaking up their meeting, or some some friend of the klan who wished to use it as propoganda to curry pub-Higari-1st, D. B. Crouch Hale lic favor for the klan, as both charges have been made.

> **Preparing Dallas Fair Exhibit** John Boswell is very busy assembling the Hale county exhibit for the Dallas state fair, and will leave the O. latter part of next week with it.

Canyon Normal opened this week with its largest first week registra-

capitalism are magnified, its virtues sented in the action by Attorney Gendecried.

mulations can it be hoped that accumulations or capital will be striven for and preserved. Without the aid of capital or the accumulations of yesterday, each day is a new beginning. The mechanical aids to production encouraged under the capitaiistic system have released human energy into a further multitude of inventions. Machinery has increasingly tance booth and it was stated that the overcome the need and the hardship rillo, well known over the Plains, will of manual labor, bringing increased opportunity, increased remuneration, increased possessions.

"The wonderful progress and prosperity of America are due to the protection of the reward of individual of the Ku Klux. initiative. The reward of individual initiative is the outstanding attribute Crudgington, who is quite an able of the capitalistic system. When speaker. The ladies are especially Russia substituted Sovietism for in- invited. dividualism only the generosity of

world saved her people from starvation.

"So that the inspiration of individual reward may remain the heritage of our people, equality of opportunity must be maintained, equality of girl; named Hazelle Mildreth. capacity is a biological impossibility. The capitalistic system has brought 25, boy; named Daniel Payne. to all the people more comfort and greater leisure than has any other named Anna Flo. thus far tried system. Its ' higher evolution demands that, with the fur- Sept. 15, girl; named Florence. ther development of the machine, there must be given greater consideration to the development of the business cycles with its inflation or man. If we wish to preserve the good deflation, excessive wages or un-emwhich this system brings to humanity ployment ,'feast or famine.' Induswe must abolish in it whatever is try should seek levels which would bad and detrimental to progress, to result in constant production, avoidhappiness, to liberty. Those men who ing excesses which lead to suspen-have courageously and honestly de-**Bargains for Monday** manded that the evils o fthe capital- destroying unemployment." istic system be corrected should com- Newspaper advertising is the surmand our admiration and respect.

First Monday Trades Day in Plainit is impossible to restrict it legally, ident of th eSecurity Trust and First Monday I rades Day in Plain-the moral force of the entire capi-talistic system should protect child life and child opportunity. It begins with protecting womanhood and moth-Association in convention here. erhood compelled to labor, and is "Newspapers go into the ho intelligent, self-interest, intelligent he said, "and by their use as a self-preservation.

week. There should be no unduly long hours of labor, undermining the health of workers, and even where this is not true, preventing them from having proper leisure for fam-ily life, for self-improvement, for

Anti-Klan Orator Will Speak

Judge J. W. Crudgington of Amaspeak at the band stand in Plainview Saturday night at 8 o'clock, on "Perils of the Klan," it being an answer o the speech delivered here Wednesday night by Lecturer L. A. Brown,

Everybody is urged to hear Judge

Visits of the Stork Born to Mr. and Mrs.:

S. T. Cooper, Plainview, Sept. 15, girl; named Lois Lee.

Clarence Settle, Plainview, Sept. 24

Raymond D. Gibbs, Plainview, Sept. W. Joe Hartin, Ellen, Sept. 16, girl;

Claude C. Scroggins, Hale Center,

"There should be no child labor. If business, W. R. Morehouse, vice pres-

ntelligent, self-interest, intelligent self-preservation. "There should be no seven day labor week. There should be no unduly ong hours of labor, undermining the health of workers, and even where this is not true, preventing them 'rom having proper leisure for fam-ly life, for self-improvement, for recreation. "There should be no interval to be and the set of the set of

they are not read."

number of people to town. In addition stuff, the merchants are offering special

recreation. "There should be no treacherous

dise will be given away to customerr.

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sidewalk and it ate a hole through were simple and unsophisticated. the cement.

band keeps live frogs in the bathtub. It has frequently been pointed out

Tribune-Chief.

While the American farmers have plenty of financial troubles, the fact remains that this year's crops are estimated to be worth over one billion dollars more than those of last year and three billion dollars more than those of the year before.

The silver mine at Shafter, in Presidio county, Texas, has been in operation for over thirty years and is still one of the richest mines in the United States. In Brewster county quicksilver is also mined in considerable amounts.

quarter persons in England are unem- craftman who knew their job and ployed and drawing weekly "doles" from the government, the English farmers cannot get help for the harvesting of their grain, and much will likely be lost. Whenever people get on the government pension roll they rarely ever want to work again. alism is a blight that tends to

destroy the individual and the government.

The editor of the Clarendon News heights. tells of the growing a watermelon near his town with a moon and stars on it. And now comes the Canadian smile wrinkles catch the sunshine. Record editor and declares such freakish melons are numerous in his community. These two editorial rediscovered truths. birds are causing people to lose confidence in the truth and veracity of .

The biggest mistake a man ever made is when he says he never made

HOW WORDS CHANGE

mistake.

Some words that used to have a respectable character have lost it. They used to stand for good and inocent things, but they now stand for unpleasant, even bad things. For example, the word "impertinent" has lost its character. The word "pertinent" still means fitting or appropriate, but if the negative prefix is added it does not mean as not pertinent to the subject, but cheeky, intrusive, rude.

The last word "rude" has followed You can borrow trouble without a similarly downward course ,and besecurity, but you will have to pay a come a pariah among words. The poet Gray speaks of our "rude forefathers," yet he means no insult. He In East Texas a bottle of moon- did not mean that they were addicted shine liquor was broken on a concrete to "back talk," but that their lives

A similar process has spoiled the fine old word "vulgar." The oldest Every day, it seems, since the wo- form of fractions is called vulgar men were enfranchised, they grow fractions, and our ancestors were harder to get along with. Now a proud of the fact that they possessed Michigan woman demands a divorce the Bible translated into the "vulgar on the mere allegation that her hus- tongue." It did not mean course.

that Dickens misuses the word "ag-While in Texas last year many strik gravate." He invariably uses it when ing shopmen joined the Ku Klux Klan he ought to use the word "irritate." for the purpose of beating up non- Yet it must be confessed that Dickens union men, the labor unions of Okla- use of the word is becoming so comhoma are joining Governor Walton mon that the word is locing its ori- bravery." in his fight upon the klan .-- Quanah ginal meaning. A doctor might say that the treatment had aggravated the symptoms, or 'politicians might say that diplomacy often aggravated the liklihood of conflict, meaning in each case "increased." These are correct uses of the word, and its use in terrible." the meaning of "to annoy" cannot be defended, altho it is fast becoming general.

Another word which has sadly lost its original character, and become an outcast of the dictionary, is "cunning" It is mostly today applied to the fox and to such persons as try to imitate the well-known methods of that little beast. But the word used to have a most honorable meaning. The Bible exhorts some one to "seek out cunning workmen," which did not mean Though more than a million and a "sly" or "underhand," but expert could be depended upon to do it well.

IN A MINOR STRAIN

The farmers are not counting on much help from the bunch on the corner in picking cotton.

Ambition makes us want to be placed on pinnacles of fame; aspiration makes us want to climb the

Frown wrinkles catch the shadows; . .

. . .

The woman who works hard to told officers Thursday that when he the press of Northwest Texas. But, make the home attractive to her hus- and his associates were working on it was ever thus, we truthful and con- band when he comes in off the street the laundry's safe one night three weeks ago and had almost completed the delinquencies of the depraved and who works hard to make herself at- the task of opening it they heard a tract attention when she is on the male voice in an adjoining room say. street.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

DE OLE OMAN BIN WEAHIN' MOUNIN' TWELL MISS LUCY GIB ER DAT LOUD WAIS' TOTHER DAY EN LAW. MAN! SHE AIN' WEAHIN' MOUNIN' NO MO'--CEPN JES' FUM DE WAIS' DOWN !!



Nothing To It

"Liza, what's dis ah heah about vo' man gittin' decorated in d' war?" "Law, Mandy, he did't get decorated nohow. He jes' got excited for ...

Awful Thought

"The movie showed that in Morocco men bid for their wives. Just think of being put on the auction block and having men bid on you. It must be

"Must be," answered the other girl. And just suppose there was no bids." ...

Mrs. O'Flarity is a charwoman and she has been absent'from her duties for several days. Upon her return her employer asked her the reason for her absence. "Sure, I've been carin' for wan of me sick children," she replied. "And how many children have you, Mrs. O'Flarity ?" she asked.

"Sivin in all," she replied. "Four by the third wife of me second husband and three by the second wife of me first."

What is the Difference?

First little Girl-"My father's an editor; what does your father do ?" Second little Girl-"Whatever mama tells him?"

Parrot Scares Robbers Away Wichita Falls, Sept. 20 .- "Mack," a Macaw, a pecies of the parrot family who has his p.see el acode in the offices of he Model Leundry, saved that place of business from a loss of over \$1,000 during the safe-Most of our new thoughts are but cracking epidemic that was in vogue in this city for several weeks.

One of the men now under arrest

PUBLIC SALE **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4th**

At my place 2 1-2 miles west of Court House, just north of Olton road. Will sell following described property. Sale begins 1 P. M.

HORSES AND MARES

- 1 span Bay Horse and Mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 2400, good heavy made work team.
- 1 span Bay Horse and Mare, wt. 2100, good work team.
- All deep bays, well matched. 1 Gelding coming 2 yr. old, a
- good size and well made colt. 1 smooth mouth Saddle Horse.

JERSEY CATTLE

3 gool milk cows giving milk. 1 bred Jersey Heifer.

2 Jersey Heifers. 2 Steer Calves 1 3-yr-old Jersey Bull.

1 Bull Calf (Jersey). 1 Fat Hog. 1 Coming 2 vr. old Steer.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

- 1 Fordson Tractor, equipt with extra set rubber tired wheels. Bosch Magneto, lights, coil boxes, etc., used two weeks since installing new engine.
- 1 3-disc Oliver plow, tractor hitch. 1 Garden Plow.
- 17-ft. Tandem Disc, tractor hitch. 1 Georgia Stock. 1 12-hole Wheat drill, perfect
- condition, tractor hitch. 1 2-row P. & O. Lister, tractor
- hitch. 1 Double Shovel. 1 high wheel wagon, grain box.

TERMS OF SALE—Sums of \$20 and under cash; sums above \$20 time will be given to Jan. 1st, 1924, with notes, well secured bearing 10% interest from date of sale. 10% discount for cash on sums over \$20. Nothing removed until settled for.

HUGH SPEED, Owner NASH & SEALE, Auctioneers.

M. A. McCRAW, Clerk

1 3 1-4-in Broad Tire Mitchell wagon, with grain box. 1 Turning Plow, 12 inch.

1Star windmill. 2 Iron barrels 1 Case Water pump.

1 Milwaukee row binder, both

1 8-ft. John Deere binder and

1 New Moline 6-ft. Cultivator,

13-sec. Drag Harrow, just used

1 Martin Ditcher. 1 A Harrow.

a few days. 1 Bundle Frame

header, all attach. complete.

with both horse and tractor

A

team and tractor hitch.

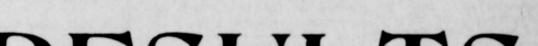
hitch, used very little.

used this season.

- 2 sets good Leather Harness. complete. 1 Log Chain, 16-ft. 1 set Chain'Harness.
- 1 P. & O. Slide Go-Devil.

MISCELLANEOUS

About 20 Fence Posts. 1 Wood Barrel. llarge Extension Pipe Wrench. 1 Post Auger. Wire Stretchers. 1 Sunshine Washing Machine. 8 10-gal. Oil Cans. 1 Scythe. 2 Saddles. Several Hoes, Rakes and Spades. 2 Halters. A few Milk Crocks. 15 Chickens. 1 good lot of New Lumber, mostly flooring. 250 feet 60-in. Wire. Some old Woven Wire, several Rolls of smooth Wire, about No. 10. A lot of Pipe Connections and Valuves. Lot of small articles not listed. 1800 binds of Bright Sheaf Oats. Maize heads in bin. About 13 acres Kaffir and Sorghum, standing in field. 1 3-burner Oil Stove. 1 Oil Heater. 1 Coal Heater, 1 Dining Room Set. 1 Bed Room Set.



sciencious editors have to suffer for is more to be desired than the woman sinful.

MUST WORK TOGETHER

No town can grow as it should unless its people work together in its apbuilding. The history of every city that has had rapid and substantial growth will show that united and enthusiastic work of its people had the greatest part in making it grow. In towns where a few live men boost and work the town's upbuilding and many are indifferent and do nothing, the work of city building is exceedingly difficult and the results slow in coming. If all boost and help to build up the town it is an easy matter to make the town push forward. The beauty of this city is one of its

most valuable assets.

DAZZLING AUTO HEADLIGHTS

Driving into the dazzling lights of an oncoming car is dangerous business-dangerous alike to the dazzler and the dazzled. And it is so unnecssary. To dim the lights of a car is so simple, and easy a task, that it seems that the danger involved by not doing so would compel the motorist approaching another car at night to take this simple precaution against the possibility of accident to his own car as well as the cars of others.. It should not take a law to bring about the dimming of headlights. Common decency demands that a motorist practice this simple rule of night driving etiquette, for it is etiquette, and good manners are just as essential on the road as in the ballroom.

PRESS COMMENT

"If the members of the Ku Klux Klan could hide their identity behind masks and sheets, and if they could establish in a community the idea that masks and anonymous performthere was nothing to keep any crowd m adopting the same general dise as a cover for any vicious lawlessness that they might choose to set on foot. For such developments the Ku Klux Klan, whether it wants to be or not, is morally responsible."— Southern Churchman, Richmond, Vo.

Wouldn't it be terrible if a woman anted a new washing machine every me her husband decide dto trade in a eld car for a new car?

Ku Klux Gets Five Years

prohibited weapons in the flogging of answered daily. R. W. Burleson near Taylor, Williamson county, on April 1 last, was found guilty by a jury in the district court five years in the state penitentiary.

Jackson were members of the Ku Klux counties will maintain exhibits at the Klan

Bible Thoughts for the Week

Sunday.

WENT ABOUT DOING GOOD .--And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all manner of sickness and all manner of disease among the people .- Matt. 4:23.

Monday.

SAFETY FROM EVIL.-The fear of the Lord tendeth to life: and he that hath it shall abide satisfied; he shall not be visited with evil .---Proverbs 19:23.

Tuesday.

FORGIVE AND BE FORGIVEN. When ye stand praying, forgive, if ye have aught against any: that your Father also which is in heaven forgive your trespasses .-- Mark 11:25,

Wednesday.

eternal life?

Thursday.

GOD'S LOVE .- The Lord hath appeared of old unto me, saying. Yea, I have loved thee with an everlasting love: therefore with lov-ing kindness have I drawn thee.— Jeremiah 81:3.

Friday.

IN HIM WE LIVE .- That they should seek the Lord. . . . For in him we live, and move, and have our being.—Acts 17:27, 28.

Saturday. A MIGHTY ARM.—Thou hast a mighty arm: strong is thy hand, and high is thy right hand. Justice and judgment are the habitation of thy throne: mercy and truth shall go before thy face.—Ps. 89:18, 14.

"Hello, Model Laundry." The robbers ran leaving their loot.

The manager said Thursday that it Georgetown, Sept. 27 .- Murray was Mack, the parrot, who has learn-Jackson charged with assault with ed this from hearing the telephone

Lubbock Fair Next Week

Lubbock, Sept. 26 .- The Panhandle here Tuesday night and sentenced to South Plains fair opens their tenth annual exposition on the 3rd of Oct. Witnesses testified that they are for a four day program. Fourteen fair and nine of them will proceed from this fair to the state fair at Dallas. Last year out of eight counties that exhibited at the South Flains fair, five of them won money in the first ten places at the Dallas fair-first winner at this fair, Crosby county, being second winner at Dallas, losing to Lubbock county. Seven bands have been entered for a \$750 cash premium list. Five communities are entering the Community Program contests for cash prizes. A dozen teams have entered the Boys' and Girls' club contest in judging live stock and poultry-the prizes for which are free trips to the state fair at Dallas.

The three new buildings added to the fair plant thi syear to care for the increased entries and crowds have been completed at a cost of approximately \$10,000. This makes nine buildings on the fair grounds with a total value of approximately \$25,000. The new biuldings are a livestock judging pavillion and additional stalls and an enlarged Agricultural building and a new woman's building.

A Fence 1,000 Miles Long El Paso .- Twenty-six million, four hundred thousand feet of barbed wire will be used in constructing the longest 5-strand fence in the world-from El Paso to the Pacific coast, below San Diego, Cal .- more than one thou- | sand miles.

Making that announcement J. Harriet Cloonan, secretary of the International Boundary Commission, said that the Mexican authorities have agreed to co-operate with the United States in constructing the fence, which is to properly define the boundary line between the two republics.

Posts of concrete or iron will be placed at intervals of two miles.

No doubt men would like salad and ettuce sandwiches if they had to do the cooking.

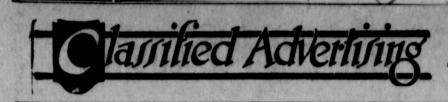
RESULTS

Is what you get when you place a Classified ad. in the Plainview News, as has been abundantly proven by the many who have used this paper. The News carries the largest volume of Want Ads. of any newspaper on the Plains, and this shows conclusively that they get results.

The News is read by the largest number of local people, for it covers the Plainview trade territory.

The cost is small-only 15c for 15 words or less, and 1c for each additional word. Just think of having an adv. read by 7,500 people for 15c!

If you want to buy, sell, rent, trade, have lost or found anything put a want ad in the News



Try a want-adv. in the News. Only | BOARD AND ROOM-Reasonable.word, minimum charge 15c a 1st door South of Sanitarium.

Street.

Watson.

-808 Austin Street.

Kirby L. Smith.

and a bargain .- Phone 227.

the county after a load.

39-4t-c.

or 97. Call H. B. Adams.

-Carter Lindsay, Phone 631.

WANTED

SEWING PLAIN AND FANCY-

House dresses, fifty cents and up .-

D. HEFFLEFINGER,

Plainview, Texas

Tri-State Fair in Amarillo.

dahlia display.

FOR RENT-2 rooms for light house MISCELLANEOUS keeping, close in .- Mrs. J. O. Os-

WATSON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE in the best

WELL AND WINDMILLS-All kinds of repair work .- J. C. Cook, phone

WHEN your ciothes get in a muss, don't cuss, call us. Phone 577. Service Tailors. 103-13t

NOTICE-On and after Sept. 10, 1923, no fresh meat will be accepted for sale in Plainview unless killed at a slaughter house recognized under the U. S. pure food and drug rules. This is for the protection of the health of the people .- City Health Officer.

SERVICE BULL-I have a Thoroughbred Jersey Bull, standing at the Texas Wagon Yard for service .-- M. A. Burch. 40-3t-p

PLENTY MONEY TO LOAN on farms, ranches and city property, 6, 7 and 8 per cent interest. Give full particulars in writing.

T. H. NELMS & CO. Lubbock, Texas

FOR SALE

gain .- See E. Q. Perry.

FOR SALE-Fifty-five feet two-inch Plainview Mercantile Co. 29

FOR SALE-2 new Moline Corn WANTED-Can use 200 head stock

FOR SALE-Piano and several pieces of furniture. Bargains .- Mrs. I. T. WANTED-Would like to trade or Northcutt, across street north of Bap- buy second hand Ford .- W. G. Willis, tist church. 38-tf.

FOR SALE-Underwood No. 5 typewriter, A1 condition, \$45.00 .- W. B. Davenport, Phone 341. 37-4t

FOR SALE-Thirteen hundred and fifteen acres, fine smoothe prairie land in extreme southwest corner of Randall county, Texas. Price low, terms easy .- J. P. Rice, Eureka, Kans. 39-3t

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS - The News carries in stock a complete line of typewriter ribbons, for all kinds of back sheets and carbon paper.

See us for used Fords .--L. P. Barker Co.

FOR SALE-My home, 3 blocks east of the square, 5 rooms, screened porch bath and pantry, lights, hot and cold trip, according to figures issues at

SURVEY SHOWS JAPANESE BEST TRUCK RAISERS

Plainview Section Can Be Made a Veritable Garden, Producing **Thousands Cars of Truck**

A committee consisting of J. M. Adams of the News, Dr. E. O. Nichols, and D. D. Bowman of Plainview, were sent to, Rocky Ford, Colo., for the purpose of studying the trucking 35-tf-c business as conducted there. The committee made a thorough investi-FOR RENT-2 nicely furnished house gation and came to be conclusion that keeping rooms, close in .--- 809 Austin it would be necessary for Japanese labor to be brought to Plainview to manage the truck farms if a success FOR RENT-Close in apartment, water and lights furnished .- Phone is to be made.

37-tf. | About two years ago an effort was made to send a few Japanese families to the Rio Grande country of South-FOR RENT-Four room house, furnished .- Phone 112 or 280. Marsh west Texas, but the citizens put up a howl and the project was abandoned. 39-tf. In California the American population FOR RENT-Three down stair rooms is making great efforts to get rid of close in, toilet and bath connections. the Japanese laborers, but it is ad-1tp mitted by all that they have made a success of the business both in Calif-FOR RENT-5 room house, all mod- ornia and Colorado. In California the ern conveniences, close in .-- Phone 314 claim is made that the Japs do not spend their money with the American firms and that they are unreliable. FOR RENT-Five residences, close in But this committee reports the mer-34-3t chants of Rocky Ford reported the

Japs free spenders and reliable. There is no doubt but the Plainview country can be made a veritaable garden, producing thousands of cars of produce which would find a ready Mrs. Formby, 1207 Fresno St. 40-3t market in the North and East. The wells in that section will furnish all WANTED-1000 auto tops to rethe water needed for irrigation. But build .- W. H. Fletcher, successor to that is not all. Men who will do the work, men who will be satisfied to FOR SALE-Moline Universal trac- WANTED-A large sized soft coal land, giving it intensive cultivation, heater, must be in perfect condition are needed. But American farmers will not do this. In the eastern sec-IVEY PRODUCE CO will pay the the market gardeners, while in the tion of the United States, Italians are galvanized well piping and brass highest prices for turkeys, chickens, West Chinese and Japs have been eggs and hides, will go anywhere in found to be the only people who can make a success of market gardening. Colorado has found it necessary to ple will give their consent for the importation of the Japs ,and if the number is limited there should be no racial troubles .- Childress Index.

> Young America is on Saving Spree Atantic City, N. J., Sept. 25 .-Young America is on a saving spree, with the result that the present generation is laying away in the Nation's banks record sums "for a rainy

Samuel H. Beach, president of the savings bank division of the American Bankers' Association .now in convention here, revealed that savings accounts have doubled in the banks widespread the habit has become, Beach said savings accounts in the 25,000,000 or an approximate average of one for every four men, women and A gross profit of \$379,000 was children in the country.

made by the Leviathan on her maiden at Beach declared that 2,000,000 students are now participating in school

banking systems, an increase of 34

per cent over the number a year ago.

Student deposits total \$9,618,000 to-

day, as compared with \$5,775,000 a

Shelve Rail Merger Plan

Efforts to make compulsory the

consolidation of all railroads into

DODGE BROTHERS TOURING CAR

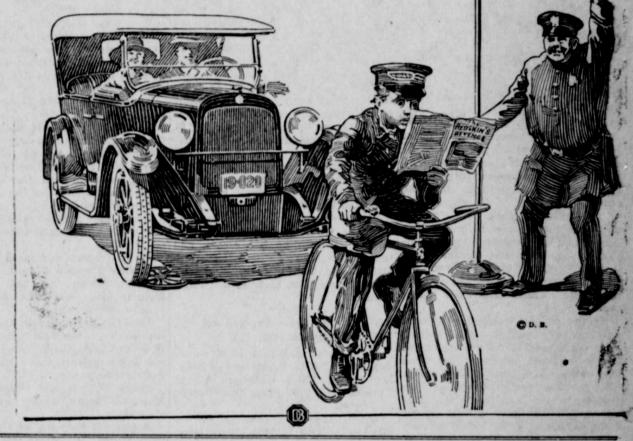
In city traffic or on the open road, this new touring car impresses you instantly with its exceptional riding comfort.

The seats are deeper and lower. The body has been lengthened to afford more leg-room. Its lowswung design reduces side sway and increases the car's stability at all speeds.

The front springs are wider, and built of more, and thinner leaves; the rear springs-now underslung -have been materially increased in length.

In fact, the comfort of the car is comparable in every way with its good looks and the well known character of its performance.

CONNER-MATHES COMPANY



Robs Calomel of Nausea and Danger

League Loses a Friend Chicago .- Senator Oscar W. UnREAL ESTATE TRANSFERSe

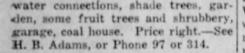
derwood, Alabama, an avowed candi-J. M. Teague and wife to J. W. date for the democratic presidential Heard, west half of section 5, block nomination, has had a change of A-1, 320 acres. Consideration \$8,800. heart towards the League of Nations. E. M. Carter and wife to L. E. Hurt Underwood stopped in Chicago long 160 acres of J. M. Shafer homestead

binders, \$50 less than retail price. Al- for pasture until Januar y1st. See or a success of the business if her peowrite J. F. Standefer, Runningwater. Box 134, City. 39-2t-p WILL TRADE \$6,000.00 IN VEN-DOR'S LIEN NOTES for clear Hale County Land.

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day.' Winners in Flower Show The following Hale county women won awards at the flower show of the

Mrs. E. H. Humphreys, first on during the last year and now total machines. Also typewriter paper, boquet of roses; Mrs. T. Blair, first \$17,300,000,000. Indicative of how on boquet of Asters, mixed blooms; Plainview Delphian club, first on Cactus dahlia; Mrs. J. C. Hooper, best state and national banks number over

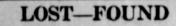


FOR TRADE

TO TRADE-Quarter section under cultivation for small acreage close to town .-- J. W. Dye, Rt. A.

FOR TRADE-Have 12 room building bringing \$80.00 per month, two lots, good location in Plainview, will trade for acreage not more than 4 miles from town. If interested address Box 366, Plainview. 38-tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE-Hay press in good shape .--- C. M. Havenhill, Ab-39-3t-p ernathy, Texas.



STRAYED-Black horse mule, branded J on left side. Reward .--- H. B. Tatum, Box 412, Plainview. 36-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT-2 light housekeeping

rooms, cheap .-- 1st door South of San

FOR RENT-3 unfurnished rooms,

with bath, \$17.50 per month ,to desir-

able couple, no children. Best part

FOR RENT-2 unfurnished bed rooms

with garage .- Phone 273, 1215 Inde-

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WE COULD GO

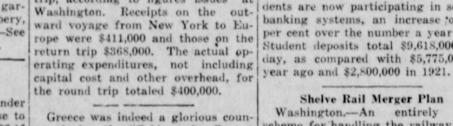
TO EGYPT

AW, WHAT'S THE USE

itarium.

of city .- Phone 263.

pendence Street.



Washington .-- An entirely new scheme for handling the railway pro-36-tf try during the "Golden Age," but blem is being worked out by administhese days she shows up very shabbily, and most anw nation can kick tration advisers, it was learned this week. her around like a houn' dog.

W. Joe Hartin, Ellen, Sept. 16, girl; named Anna Flo.

CLUBBING RATES

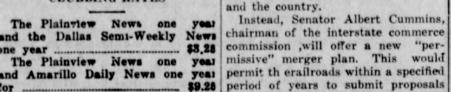
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GUARANTEED WELDING AND

RADIATOR SERVICE

J. C. STOVALL

EGYPT !

GOOD HEVINKS - YA

JUST GOT BACK FROM

DALM BEACH

made effective on the approval of the body. The amendment which is to be offered to the present law would lay down certain genera lprinciples to be complied with in each consolidation.

for consolidations to the interstate

commerce commission, which could be

The ideas and the genius of Thomas A. Edison are said to be worth \$15,599,000,000 based on present investment in America alone industries based on or stimulated by his inventions.

Often the people who demand the miles a minute, over a one kilometer quickest delivery are the slowest pay. course at Mitchel field.

KING WHO ?

proved-Dangerous and Sickening Qualities Removed. Perfected Tablet Called "Calotabs."

.The latest triumph of modern science is a "de-nauseated" calomel tablet known to the drug trade as "Calotabs." Calomel, the most genenters upon a wider field of popularity,-purified and refined from those objectionable qualities which have

heretofore limited its use. In biliousness, constipation, head aches and indigestion, and in a great eighteen fixed systems are to be variety of liver, stomach and kidney dropped because of the intense oppo- | troubles calomel was the most sucsition to the plan, both in congress cessful remedy, but its use was often neglected on account of its sickening qualities. Now it is the easiest and

most pleasant of medicines to take. One Calotab at bedtime with a swallow of water,-that's all. No taste, no griping, no nausea, no salts. A good night's sleep and the next morning you are feeling fine, with a clean liver, a purified system and a big ap-petite. East what you please. No

danger. Calotabs are sold only in original, sealed packages, price thirty-five cents for a large, family package; ten cents for the small trial size. Your druggist is authorized to refund the price as a guarantee that you will be thoroughly delighted with Calotabs. -Adv.

A Navy Curtis racer, piloted by Lieut. Harold J. Brow, U. S. N., of Providence, R. I., established a new world's record by traveling 244.15

Medicinal Virtues Retained and Im- longer a strong advocate o fthe lea- tie homestead survey. Consideration, gue

"My original views are well known, but I have been to Europe and seen Formby, lots 5 and 6, block 32, High-

is changed," he said. "The failure of the league to function in the dispute between Italy and Consideration \$14,040. erally useful of all medicines thus Greece has had much to do with the change."

> Underwood would not say whether he intended to champion an anti-league plank in the democratic national platform.

From the "Book of Etiquette:" The gentleman has sat upon a tack-shall he call the waiter or extract, it himself?

You can't string me, said the bean. Lima, where have you BEAN?

The full gasoline tank has superseded the full dinner pail.

enough last week to state he was no survey and 160 acres of J. M. Chris-\$15,000. S. B. McCall and wife to J. A.

the league at work and my attitude land addition. Consideration \$5,500. M. B. Buchanan to J. D. Buchanan, west half of survey No. 36, block R,

> D. M. Thompson and wife to E. H. Bawden, 155.34 acres of the southeast quarter of survey 111, block D-2. Consideration \$5.895.

> R. D. Gibbs and wife to Mrs. J. L. Dorsett, east half of lot 15 and east half of lot 16 in block 40. Consideration, \$4,500.

> Many a man keeps his automobile in better running condition than he does his own body.

The way we treat our presidents is to heap abuse upon them while alive and heap flowers upon them when dead.



I KNOW - BUT THE

PAPERS ARE FULL

OF STUFF ABOUT

THIS KING'S TOMB



Baylor Club Gives Shower For Bride and Groom

ing for the club year Tuesday night and education of women. The folat the home of Mr. Z. T. Huff, and lowing subjects were ably presented: and his bride.

The evening was given over to miscellaneous "shower" for Prof. and Mrs. Sparks. Refreshments were served.

The guests were Messrs, and Mmes. B. Sparks, MMs. R. H. Knoohuizen, A. E. Boyd, W. E. Farmer, J. C. Brown, Ruth Francis, Misses Hattie Zurfluh, Meryl Marrs, Blonda Wea-Clark; Messrs. Z. T. Huff and Prof. Circle No. 2 of Methodist Missionary thersby, Ingram, Martha Brown, Floyd. * * *

Union Social Given for

Entertainment of Teachers

Several meetings of joint commitiees composed of members of the Eptian and Presbyterian churches re- hostess served delicious fruit. sulted in a big union social for the entertainment of the Plainview school Miss Wolflin Crowned teachers, which was held at the Pres- Queen of Pageant at Amarillo byterian church on the evening of Friday, Sept. 21ts.

and their wives, were invited, and all Amarillo Tuesday night. There were and many were present for their share ty of five from each town. of the fun.

aiding the reception committee and bock, Channing, Dumas, Sayre, Clargathering crowd. A six-piece orch- Spur and Texhoma. and while refreshments were being Evans. served.

As the evening progressed, more Kiwanis Club Hears Dr. Atwood laughter was created at the embar- Tell of European Trip rassment of several of the friends of two young men present, for when they attempted to remove some untidy little ravelings from the suits of their gentlemen friends, they found that the conspicious little threads might be pulled out at great length as they came rolling off of the spools hidden away beneath the coats of those for whom they sought to do a favor. The fun of th eevening was crowned by the distribution of ice cream and cake, after which, the whole two hundred drifted away with another good

1 ning of the study for the year: "The Woman Problem." Mrs. Meade Griffin has been selected by the club to conduct the course of study for the winter. On Tuesday, Mrs. Griffin ied the lesson on "The 18th Century Ideal of Women and the Early Movement

"The attitude of the orthodox clergy intendent of schools, paid our school Movement."-Mrs. J. B. Wallace. ment and praise, to both faculty and bushels to thresh yet.

"Influence of education and social pupils. games, and at the close there was a environment on woman's character." -Mrs. R. A. Underwood.

by the first woman's rights conven-

tion."-Mrs. George H. Saigling. The club also discussed plans for thews, J. R. Rice, Herman Caddel, R. fund for this year, having as the nucleus the proceeds from the cook-book which the club issued last year. The club will meet with Mrs. J. D. Normal.

Steakley on October 9th. * * 4

Met With Mrs. R. P. Frazer

Circle No. 2 of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society met with Mrs. R. P. Frazer Wednesday afternoon ,Sept. 26th, with 27 present. A very interesting Bible study from worth League, B. Y. P. U., and Chris- the book of Acts was conducted by tian Endeavor societies of the Chris- Mrs. W. B. Martine, after which the

A packed auditorium with a capacity of 3,000 witnessed the crowning The pastors of the various churches of the queen at the pageant held at on her canned fruit.

Miss Cornelia 'Wolflin of Amarillo

As the beautifully decorated hall was crowned queen. And the pageant filled between eight and eight forty- as a whole was pronounced a comfive, two "Dumb Dans" and two "Dumb Doras," dressed in styles The towns represented in this pagevery "country" to behold, insisted on ant were Plainview, Panhandle, Lubtheir bold awkwardness furnished a endon, Shamrock, Canadian, Canyon,

priate for the occasion before the fun Crystelle Owens as princess, with the week end with friends in Lock- ch of weenies, bacon, pickles, chicken, ially the feast prepared by Mrs. began; and this orchestra also accom- Arthur Reinken as her escort, and ney. panied the smiles and chatter which the duchesses were Misses Marie Mcinvariably sprang into existence be- Donald and Naomi Marlin, their estween the various games and contests corts being Ernest Fletcher and Earle

The Kiwanis club at its luncheon today heard Dr. E. B. Atwood of Wayland college, tell of his recent tour of Europe. His topic was "The Benefit of Travel."

G. W. McDonald presided at the luncheon. Miss Ingram, expression teacher at Wayland, gave 'readings, and Mrs. R. H. Knoohuizen sang. . . .

Joiners Entertain for Daughter

Judge and Mrs. R. C. Joiner will entertain with a bridge party tonight complimentary to their daughter. Mrs. R. A. Jefferies and son are spending the week in Amarillo and the feir complimentary to their daughter, will attend the fair. Mrs. Dan Cooke of Mt. Pleasant. . . .

HAPPENINGS aph home Sunday evening.

PETERSBURG

Cotton is being picked and ginned ear trying to get the wheat sowed or later, then help will be needed. cipal R. B. Sparks of the high school toward the early Women's Rights a visit Tuesday, and gave encourage- stacks, as they have several thousand

> Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Saxon wisited Albers. "Declaration of sentiments adopted relatives in the Happy Union community Sunday.

A. S. J. Martin, who has been in enough to pick cotton. bad health quite a while, was able Pierce, Warren Clement, H .J. Mat- putting into use an educational loan to attend services at the Christian people as his guests from Hunt counresume her school work in the Canyon Mr. Ernest and Mr. Owens.

Miss Constance Iverson of Abernathy visited friends here this week.

The Lubbock Boosters were here Faulkner. Frida yafternoon and met with a warm reception.

his family in Plainview this week. in a sanitarium at Wichita Falls, is in domestic science. here now on a visit to her parents.

The high school girls and boys met made candy ,and had a jolly good time.

A few of our ladies attended the flower show in Plainview Saturday. Mrs. Chas .Schuler won several prizes

Rev. Chas. Joiner filled the pulpit the young people of Plainview were fifteen towns of the Panhandle, New at the Baptist church Sunday mornurged to be present. A hearty re- Mexico and Oklahoma represented in ing and night. These sermons finishsponse was made to these invitations this pageant-a princess with her par- ed his work here as pastor, as he will give his time to Abernathy and Lake-

view churches. The Baptist people expect to soon call a pastor.

Rev. Chas. Watkins preached at the Christian church Sunday morning. After services a surprise dinner was given him and his family at thier home, as a farewell feast, as they great deal of amusement for the Tulia, Plemons, Wheeler, Hereford, leave in a few days for Gunter, where

has a position. Grady and Pressley Garrett spent

M. J. Gregory and family were in

Plainview Tuesday shopping. Chas. Schuler, Sr., has returned the "tackiest lady," and were won by

ly after his arrival.

four weddings there last week, but worth 30c per pound 'as it was pure on till the crowd had gathered, when we failed to learn the names of the cotton. But judging from the racket, it dawned on her that it was her contracting parties.

Floyd Phillips has returned from at work.

state normal at Canyon this week.

with his work at the normal. Petersburg is well represented at Canyon normal.

to select and order some new song

books-P. D. Windsor, Alvin Holm-

sore leg'at present. We hope he re-

town dollar day.

last week.

prize.

Anumber of our people were in

Rayford Davis spent the past week

Mrs. C. E. King is entertaining her

father and mother and brother, who

have sold out and wil lsoon leave for

Earl Kindred was on the sick list

Alvin Holmgren and family, Ray-

ford Davis and family took Sunday

dinner with C. P. Seipp and family.

Grandpa and Grandma Moore re-

turned home Sunday, after a week's

Some of our people attended the

candy breaking at the Newberry home

A number of our people were in

Mr. Wardlow and wife entertained

Jack Testman and wife of Plain-

Some of our people will attend the

the young people Saturday night.

view were in our midst Monday.

Amarillo fair this week.

town Saturday to see the flower

near Whitfield Saturday night.

stay at the Stuckey home.

at work on his place near Hart.

California to make their home.

Miss Ruth Rowland and Orville Jones were at the singing at the Ran-SCIENCE HILL

Sept. 25 .- Everybody seems on their

for Women's Rights." This included here, but th elate crop will not be before the feed cutting begins. We The Baylor club held its first meet- a discussion of the character, capacity ready till the second week in October are needing dry weather now on cotton, but it looks : like rain again. Mrs. Ola Legg, our county super- Harp Bros. are still trying to find dry weather enough to dry their wheat

> E. B. Toler and R. W. Magill are W. R. Buchanan and family and putting up two windmills for Wm.

Isaac Holmes is now looking for a nice widow with several boys oid

L. A. Danner has the following ty: Mrs. Danner's parents ,Mr. and Miss Beulah Day left Monday to Mrs. Poe, and small grandson, Hugh;

> Our school is certainly starting off nicely under the able management of Mrs .Hedge and her sister, Miss

The pie supper was a success, but owing to the short notice given be-Chas. L. Jay spent a few days with fore hand for the news to spread, the fore hand for the news to speed about crowd was small. The proceeds about Miss Lester Jones, who is a nurse \$1's were used to help equip the class

It has once more been demonstrated that we have the best soil on the in the apartments of Mr. and Mrs. Plains, as Albert Carlson was visited L. C. Claitor Saturday night and by John Boswell, who is collecting exhibits for the Tri-State fair at Am-

arillo, last Friday, and hauled away one of his big pumpkins. The best was off of a vine which had about 20 pumpkins of various sizes. The big fellow weighed 90 pounds and measured five feet seven inches around.

Mr. Carlson also has some 50 pound watermelons. Well 'if it frosts soon old "Beck" and "Tobe" will have to go without

grain another winter, but will have lots of "fillins'." The worms have about quit the boll.

But the new growth of cotton is so rank it will be hard to pick. The Ladies club "pulled off" an-

other "Tacky Party" at the home of W. A's. birthday. Those present melon feast. Mr .and Mrs. R. W. Magill, last Saturday night, Sept. 22. Old fashioned E. Goebel and family and Felix Goegames were played, after which a lun- bel. All enjoyed the day and especserved. The prizes consisted of a pie

for the "tackiest man" anda cake for from Indiana. His father died short- Edgar Harp and Mrs. W. D. Harp. the friends of Mrs. L. S. Heggen But sad to say, the cake was only gathered at her home and surprised Dan Cupid is busy in the Allman corn meal with salt instead of sugar her with a birthday party. Mrs. Hegcommunity. We heard there were and the pie was never cut, but was gen was not aware of what was going

also at night, at the Science Hill Albert Martin, Jr., will enter the school house on Sunday, Sept. 30th. Ed Jones Thursday afternoon with a Bring your dinner and stay all day good attendance. We discussed American Literature, the course to be

had the best attendance we have had Sept. 25 .- Cotton is opening, but

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Elmo Caudle returned home Friday from an extended trip through east Texas, Arkansas and Tennessee.

A little dance at Sa mScalings was reported for Wednesday night.

Marion Griffin returned to school. at Waxahachie Wednesday night.

J. L. McEntire of Weatherford is visiting his mother, Mrs. R. J. Mc-Entire and nieces, Mrs. G. E. Ritchey and Miss Euna Wallen.

The high school boys organized their foot ball squad with the following officers and players: Captain, Clarence Jarrell; coaches Perdue and Whitacre; John Porter, quarter back; Jessie Kelley, half back; Lynn Beecher, full back; Clarence Jarrell, half back; Al Lemond, center; Russell Stewart, guard; Alphus Connley, tackle; Tom Dykes, guard; Clovis Mading same at the next meeting. We dox, tackle, tona data wall, tackle; dox, tackle; Tona Galt, end; Perry Raymond Pryor, guard; Gus Cox, tac-

of pie, cake, ice tea and coffee were ied by their son, went to Amarillo Friday and Mr. Hankins and his son had their tonsils removed. Miss Lola Mae Jetton left Thursday morning for Canyon, where she will attend the norma lthis year. Perl Ritchey and wife went to Hart Monday. She and little son returned Wednesday, Mr. Ritchey will remain a few days .-- American.

Z. L. WRIGHT, Cashier

were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rantz, A. Both gins are running this week

which makes everybody wear a smile. On Sunday, Sept. 16th, severa lof

birthday and her many friends had every one had a fine time. "The Volunteer Band" of Wayland not forgotten her. Which was indeed Sherman county, where he has been college will give an all day program, a pleasant surprise. The Community club met with Mrs.

Dexter Bradford is well pleased with use. Everybody invited. studied this year and will begin study-

IOWA AVENUE

time to their credit.

It is hoped that all those present who are not, at this time, members of either of the young people's organizations of the city, will join one or the other of them soon and line themselves up for earnest Christian work and more fun in the near future.

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Miss Edwards Arrived in Japan After Earthquakes

The many friends of Miss Laura Edwards, Korean missionary, keenly interested in hearing of her experiences in the Japanese earthquake disaster will be glad to know that her ship had an uneventful voyage and was not damaged at all in the disturbance. Two letters from her, the first dated August 27, while at sea, and the last at Yokohama, Japan, have been received by her mother, Mrs. W. H. Edwards .- Hereford Brand.

Miss Edwards' boat arrived in Yokohama harbor Sept. 3, two days after the earthquake. She spent a part of the summer in and about Plainview. ...

Bridge Club Entertained

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. J. L. Nisbet was hostess to the Oreades Bridge club at her home on Galveston street. The rooms were decorated in flowers in 'autumn shades. After a delightful series of games, a salad course was served. Mrs. J. B. Wallace won high score for the afternoon.

Guests were Miss Nell Rountree, Mrs. Carl Goodman, and Mrs. John T. Megee of Austin.

The club will meet next with Mrs. M. Howard, on October 5th. ...

Liberty C. V. C. Meets

With Mrs. C. P. Seipp

The C. V. C. met Thursdey afternoon of last week with Mrs. C. P.

Eight members and two visitors were present-Mrs. Earl Ross of College Station, Mrs. E. Wilmeth. The latter joining the club.

The hostess served ham sand hes, pickles, ice tea, ice cream and

The club will meet next with Mrs. E. Wilmeth .- Secretary.

net Meeting of the

Economics Club first regular study session of Home Economics club was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Marion Howard. The meeting well attended, and characterize

Hale Center Anti-Flapper Bridge Club

Mrs. Hudson entertained the Anti-Flapper Bridge club Friday night. Guests were Miss Pyatt, Mr. and (except when there was preaching ternoon. Mrs. Perdue.

score.

and coffee were enjoyed my all .- Re- superintendent appointed a committee people entertain again soon. porter.

Come! Come!! Come!!! Where? To Halfway.

What is it? A program and pie mittee. supper. When? Friday night, October 5th.

What for? To buy play ground covers soon. equipment.

Cotton Yard Opened

A cotton yard has been opened on Ash Street, between Tenth and Eleventh, with Tom McCallon, deputy public weigher, in charge.

You can't string me, said the bean. Lima, where have you BEAN?

MICKIE SAYS-

JO'S JEST THOUGHT HE WUZ A PATIENT GUY --- HE NEVER WUZ TH' EDITOR OF A COUNTRY NEWSPAPER, SO HE NEVER HAD NO REAL

TRYOUY ! Wanted !

vecind Hatal Dollars tton We have a fine school at Iowa Ave-

Sept. 25 .- Sunday school was well everyone is trying to do their part. er 4th.

services) in several months. Eightyone were present, and the collection ed about seventy-five friends and ton held the head tables for five was \$2.62. Everybody was on time, neighbors with a cream supper Saturgames. Nelson Perdue won high Let us try this again next Sunday, day night. Oh, the good cake and and make this school as interesting cream, and all seemed to enjoy themas it was last Sunday. The assistant selves so well. We hope these good

ABERNATHY.

gren, C. P. Seipp, Everett Bowmen and Miss Edna Williams is the comnorth of town, known as the J. C. Errand Moore is suffering with a

his 61st birthday.

Misses Hilda Goebel, Hazel Muggleston, Willie Jones and Mr. Rudolph Fuchs left Wednesday morning for Canyon where they will attend school this winter.

T. E. Arnold and W. A. Richter Wednesday.

W. Struve this week. Mrs. E. E. Weiss and children of Plainview visited relatives here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. A. G .Gilbert left Sunday for her former home at Colfax, Wis., for Kunkel's boy of Liberty received one an indefinite stay. Mrs. Gilbert has been in bad health for some time and she will likely stay in Wisconsin till

pected to live. He left Monday morn-

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stolley left on Wednesday for Round Rock, Texas,

Some of the Center Plains people Jr., left for California last Tuesday Caudle home, and our public school

served. The next meeting will be with nue thi syear. It seems as though Mrs. E. B. Lindsey, Thursday, Octob-

Mrs. O. Stolley was hostess to the largest crowd that has been present Avenue school house next Sunday af- Five Hundred club Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. W. Struve. W. L. Hubbard and wife entertain- There were two tables. High score was won by Mrs. B. F. Struve, who received two dainty lace handkerchiefs and low score by Mrs. C. H. Bucks. Members present were Mesdames C. H. Bucks, Schroeter, F. W. Struve,

B. F. Struve, Carter, W. A. Goeth and the hostess and visitor, Miss Amanda Ebeling of Plainview. On Wednesday, Sept. 19th, Mrs.

Sept. 27 .- J. B. Anderson of Rotan, Hattie Braudt, assisted by Mrs. R. W. has bought the fifty-acre tract of land Magill, entertained with a miscellaneous shower, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Arnett land and intends to improve it W. R. Hall. After some time spent for a first class chicken farm. Rais- in jolly chat, the bride and groom ing thoroughbred chicks for the pub- were led to the dining room where the presents were tastefully arranged Last Saturday evening Mrs. A. A. on the dining table. After the pres-Newell and sister, Miss Ethel Young, ents were admired, delightful refreshgave a surprise supper in honor of ments were served, consisting of iced their father, W. T. Young, celebrating drinks, chicken sandwiches, and several kinds of cake .- Review.

MAYFIELD

Sept. 25 .- The Wayland College Volunteer Band spent Saturday night and Sunday with us. Basket dinner Miss Amanda Ebeling of Plainview joyed ,ending with three conversions. ing and talking ,as there was no-

Mr. Welch left the first o fthe week served. for a visit to Spur.

extended visit to Lamesa, Wichita Falls and other points.

HALE CENTER

Sept. 27 .- Miss Matilda Akeson, our efficient and accomodating postmistress, went to Amarillo Wednesday to attend the meeting of the District Thursday.

J. J. Caudle, in honor of Miss Angie Mr. Weathers lives on a Texas Land Johnson of Bronte, a visitor in the & Development Co. farm near Aiken.

SUNSHINE

Sept. 25.-J. P. Flake and wife of Plainvie wand Mr. and Mrs. Waide visited C. W. Boyd and family Sun-

Vernon Boyd who is attending high school at Plainview this year spent Sunday with home folks.

Floyd McLean took a bale of cotton to Hale Center Monday.

Sam Caldwell and family visited relatives in our community Sunday.

Geo. Struve and family had as their guests this week end Mr. and Mrs. Stalleigh, Mrs. Fritz Struve of Abernathy and Miss Lottie Struve, who is teaching at Olton this year.

Miss Braudt spent Saturday in. Plainview attending the rural teachers meeting.

Walterene Brown started to school this week.

The Needlework club met with Mrs. was served Sunday at the school house C. W. Rowland of Center Plains last and the program was very much en- week. The evening was spent in sew-Jack Hooper and wife were Plain- business to attend to. Nearly all of the members were present and a very Rowland Cralley is visiting in the pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. Representation of jello and cake were

Herbie Sneed has returned after an FLOYD COUNTY FARMER BRINGS COTTON TO PLAINVIEW

> Receives \$20 and Ginning as Premium ' For First Bale Brought From Fleyd County

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J. W. Weathers brought the first. bale of Floyd county cotton to Plain-Postmasters, which was held there view yesterday, and received the \$20 from the Plainview Retail Merchants Monday night the Spizzenpep class Credit Association and free ginning. of the Baptist Sunday school enter- Ben Smith bought the cotton for 27.75tained at the home of Mr .and Mrs. cents. The bale weighed 557 pounds.

teachers. Various games, contests FOR SALE-15-30 International trac-Some people of the community have California. Some people of the community have California. the beautiful green clad lawn where the beautiful green clad law

view visitors Monday. Hooper home.

she has regained her health.

C. E. Donnell received a telegram Sunday that his sister, Mrs. Belle Shaver of Tulsa, Okla., was not ex-

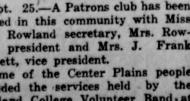
ing for that place.

Sept. 25 .- A Patrons club has been where the will spend the winter. formed in this community with Miss E. P. Stambaugh and family of Ruth Rowland secretary, Mrs. Row- Iowa Park, visited with V. Stambaugh

J. N. Fitzgerald and Henry Struve

CENTER PLAINS Triplett, vice president.

land, president and Mrs. J. Frank and family Sunday.



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> A 'phone call today may save you loss tomorrow.

Personal Mention

J. B. Wallace went to Amarillo this morning. Burke Mathes left yesterday for

trip to Temple. L. P .Barker returned Wednesday

from a trip to Dallas. H. B. Meester of near Abernathy Have Joint Meeting was here yesterday and today. W. S. Poore went to Amarillo Wed- the First Christian church has invited nesday to attend the Tri-State fair. the Endeavor Society of the Presby-Mr. and Mrs. Lon McDaniel went to terian church to unite with them in a Amarillo this morning to attend the joint meeting at the Christian church

Miss Wynona Guest left yesterday party.

A. C. Perkins went to Amarillo solo. yesterday morning to attend the Tri-State fair.

yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. Smith and little dau- promise an enjoyable and worthwhile ghter of Floydada were in Plainview | evening for those attending .- Report-

Mesdames A. C. McClelland and Ural Armstrong attended the fair in Church of Christ Amarillo this week.

here yesterday en route to Canyon to talked at both services, which was attend the Normal. Judge H. C. Randolph of Amarillo fine interest in the Bible school work.

was here this week visiting his son, Peyton B. Randolph. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Clinkscales have church Friday night, Saturday night, returned after a stay of several and Sunday morning and evening, at months in Los Angeles, Calif. Cashier Harry R. Fritz of the Third hear him. He is said to be a very National Bank has returned from a fine preacher, and very interesting. visit wit ha brother in Weatherford. Mrs. Woolfarth returned yesterday church work, and glad to have our

with her sister, Mrs. Carl Donohoo. services .- Reporter. Levi Schick is on the streets again, following recovery from a surgical Presbyterian Announcements operation performed several weeks

ago in the sanitarium.

ghter and son in schools.



Christian Endevor Societies to

The Christian Endeavor Society of at 7 p. m. Sunday.

Miss Caribel Abbott wil Ising; Miss for Abilene to be a guest at a house Bettie B. Bledsoe will be leader, and Ernest Lee Hankal will play a piano

The special numbers will be in addition to the regular program and

Two fine services last Sunday, and Albert Martin of Petersburg was large crowds. Elder W. R. Smith appreciated very much. There was Bro. C. H. Kennedy of Memphis, Texas, will preach for us at the

the usual hours. All are invited to We are proud of the progress in our to her home in Lubbock after a visit friends visit the church at any of the

All regular services will be held at the church Sunday. Special music Mrs. Robt. Tudor returned yester- will be provided, also special messday from Columbia and Mexico, Mo., ages. The subject for the morning where she had been to place her dau- hour will be"The Place of the Church in the Present World Crisis." It Mr. an dMrs. Fred Webb have re- seems to me the "Times" should re-

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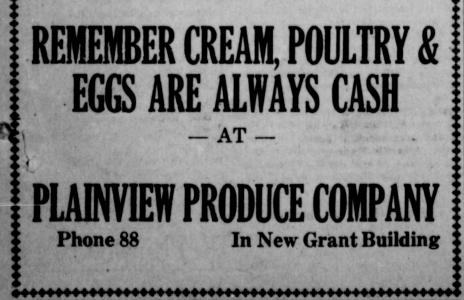


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from a trip in their car to emphasize the call of the people to their former home in Wichita "Kans., the church for worship. Go to some where they visited relatives. Mrs. H. B. Tatum and child re- have you in our service. turned yesterday fro ma visit with her parents, Mr .and Mrs. Dalmont, at Hobbs, N. M., and other relatives St. Mark's Episcopal Church n Abilene.

W. A. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Will

to make their home. They will hold m. a publis sale to dispose of their live stock, implements, etc.

R. E .Sikes, Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Allen of Beech Street, 3 p. m. Eastland have been here the past Tuesday-St. Mark's Church Men's week. Mr. Sikes owns considerable property in this section.

Mrs. W. E. Patty and child left this morning for Beaumont to visit her Northwest Texas Methodist mother. She will also visit her sister Conference to Meet in Plainview in Nacogdoches before returning home.

correspondent of the Fort Worth Re- will be in session several days. cord, were on Wednesday morning's northbound train, en route to Amarillo to attend the Tri-State fair.

John F. Bier was sick several days the past week, and S. W. Waddell college, will speak at the First Bap- for Springfield, Mo., where he will atserved as substitute mail carrier on tist church in Amarillo Sunday night tend Drury College this winter. rural route B. Mr. Bier says that af- and tell of his trip to Europe and atter having a good looking carrier like tendance upon the world's Baptist in Spring Lake Friday. himself to deliver mail to the people, conference in Stockholm, Sweden. it is sure hard on them to have to get their mail from such a hard-looking

fellow as Mr. Waddell. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Slaton and daughter, Miss Lelia B., and Mrs. J. endon with the Methodist college of mer Cleavenger are attending high P. Crawford left Tuesday in the Sla- that place. ton car for Dallas, where Miss Lelia B. will resume her studies in Southern Methodist University for her sec- fall: ond year. Mrs. Crawford will visit her son ,Fred, and wife in Mineral Oct. 5th. Wells.

A. E. Boyd has been in California the past week.

John W. Belcher returned yesterday from a visit with relatives at Seagraves.

Mrs. J .B. Scott is in Lubbock today to visit a sister.

Lamar Wallops Lockney Lamar ward school of Plainview de-

church Sunday. We will be glad to H. E. BULLOCK, Pastor.

Rev. E. H. J. Andrews, rector. 18th Sunday after Trinity. Holy Watson of the Sunshine community, communion, 7:30 a. m., Church school are preparing to move to California, 9:40 a. m., service and sermon, 11 a.

> Al lare cordially invited. Monday-Auxiliary meeting at the residence of Mrs. Andrews, 317

meeting at the residence of Judge Kinder, 809 Galveston Street, 8 p. m

The Northwest Texas . Methodist annual conference will convene in A. B. Spencer of Crosbyton, presi- Plainview October 30. Five or six dent of the West Texas Chamber of hundred Methodist preachers and lay-Commerce ,and Hamilton Wight, staif men will attend the conference, which

Atwood Will Speak on European Trip in Amarillo

E. B. Atwood, president of Wayland

Wayland colelge Jack Rabbits will at that place. play a game of football today at Clar-

The following is the schedule of games to be played by Wayland this formerly of Spring Lake.

New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, Oct. 20th Cisco college, Plainview, Oct. 26th. Oklahoma State Teachers' college,

Weatherford, Nov. 2nd. Abilene Christian college, Abilene, Nov. 11th

Cisco College, Cisco, November 17. Clarendon College, Plainview, Nov. 23rd Montezuma College, Plainview, Nov.

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SPRING LAKE

Sept. 25 .- Rev. H. S. Mackenzie, who has been visiting in Arizona, San White, J. L. Henson and Mrs. G. R. Antonio ,New York and other points Linville. There will be exhibits of the past month, arrived home Sunday.

Eugene Cleavenger left Saturday

S. J. Rice of Hereford was visiting

Mary Hall, who has spent the summer in the Mackenzie home, returned Wayland college Jack Rabbits will to Dallas on Saturday to attend school

Harry Axtell, June Hewitt and Elschool in Plainview this year. They are boarding with Mrs. Ott, who was

School (opened in Spring Lake on Abilene Christian college, Lubbock, last Monday with an enrollment of forty three pupils. A good many patrons were present on the opening day manifesting a spirit of co-operation with the teachers in making this term a successful one. C. E. Bales has been trucking to

Plainview for Mr. Kimball the past

G. R. Linnville and E. R. Hewift were in Plainview Wednesday purchasing school furniture.

booths for the different communities will be provided for. The exhibits in the Spring Lake booth will also include'the Castro part of our community, if they care to enter. Everybody is urged to get as much information from the committee as possible and work to make th efair a success, Those on the committee are W. C. cakes, bread, pies, preserves, etc., as wel las all kinds of farm products.

Is Experienced Cotton Man

S. L. Terry of Paris is moving to Plainview in several days and will establish a cotton buying office. He is a brother of J. C. Terry, former sheriff of Hale county.

Speaking of Mr. Terry, said Dennis Hefflefinger, who has known him for many years, "He is one of the most competent cotton buyers I have ever known, and is a big exporter of cotton. He has export connections that enable him t ohandle cotton in very large quantities and permit him to pay higher prices than most other cotton buyers. The Plains cottoon in of a special high grade which should command a higher price than other grades, and Mr. Terry I am sure ca be depended upon to handle it on this high grade basis."

The full gasoline tank has supers ed the full dinner pail

HORSES AT \$7.50 AROUND--Mr .and Mrs. Dunton and family of are closing out our entire lot of a

VOLUME OF MAIL

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Assistant Postmaster Gives Figures That Stagger.

Prebably Few Americans Realize the Extent of the Wonderful Business Transacted by Department.

From the use of the dromedary in biblical times to the swiftly flying mail plane of today, the history of the letter, as a written means of communication between peoples, was traced by Assistant Postmaster General W. Irving Glover in a speech recently to postmasters and postai employees in a postal conference convention at Winston-Salem, N. C.

"On the post office job," he said, "nothing can take the place of the individual. While in many great industries the human equation has been reduced to a minimum, no one has yet invented anything to take the place of a man in the delivery of letters. Today, as a hundred years ago, we are dependent on the nerve and the sense of loyalty of a human being for the punctual delivery of our mail regardless of the weather and everything else.

"The history of the postal service goes back as far as the Sixth century B. C. and may be called the handmaid of civilization and, tracing it from the dispatch bearer of the Assyrian and Roman times to the airplane service of the present day, the postal business has doubled in the last decade while the number of employees has increased only 9 per cent.

"The use of postage stamps is now to common and the mailing of letters so general that it seems as if there never was a time when this practice was unknown. But the stamp itself is comparatively new, while the sending of letters is older than Solomon.

"The Book of Esther in the Bible from Oueen Esther that Haman had ordered the death of all the Jews, commanded Mordecai to call together the scribes and send letters to every province of the kingdom forbidding the massacre.

"The Romans, too, sent their letters by mounted couriers. The courier his daughter to marry the rajah. carried the message about twenty miles when he would come to a 'posta,' where another messenger was stationed with a fresh horse. He, in turn, would be relieved by still another courier. Thus by relay after relay the letter was sped on until at last it children belong entirely to the lower arrrived at its destined 'posta,' mean- caste. ing station or stopping place, and from that word we obtained the word 'post' as found in post office, postcard and many similar words.

"In the times of Benjamin Franklin each letter was charged for by the sheet instead of by weight, and also for the distance it was carried. Ten cents was charged for one sheet, 20 cents for two sheets, and so on, and for every 50 miles another full fee was added. Envelopes were not used In those days, the letter simply being people have sung the different stanzas folded up and sealed.

"And now we come to the stagger-

French Revolution Said to Have Had Its Inception in Institution of the Reveillons.

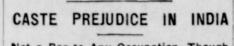
HISTORY MADE IN FACTORY

Included among the first wall paper

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makers in America was Joseph Bumstead, of Boston. He traveled in France in 1824, and also ten years Quick Thought and Action Saved Na. Spitzbergen and the eastern Arctic all later. He left an interesting diary of the industry. Bumstead visited the Zuber works in Alsace and in his diary wrote that Zuber had succeeded in 1829, in making the first paper in continuous rolls at his paper factory in Ropperswiller, and had sold the English rights for \$5,000. In 1850 Zuber took back from Manchester, England, the first wall paper printing machine used in France. A few years later nearly all wall papers were machine printed in designs that were mostly bad.

History records that it was at a wall paper factory, the famous Royal Manufactory of Reveillon, that the French revolution broke out on April 18, 1789. Reveillon employed more than 300 workmen. A rumor had been circulated that the workmen were to be taxed 15 sous a day, and that "bread was too good for them." A mob assembled and proceeded to pillage the factory. The furniture and fixtures were thrown out into the street. The troops were called out. Reveillon fled to London where he passed the remainder of his life.



Not a Bar to Any Occupation, Though the Observance Is Most Rigidly Enforced.

There are four main castes in India -the Brahmans, Kshatriyas, Vaisyas and Sudras, corresponding traditionally to the occupations of priest, warrior, trader and artisan. But, though this would suggest that caste was at one time a class distinction, yet at the present day a caste may include all classes save that of priest, which is tells of how King Ahasuerus, learning reserved to the Brahmans. Caste is no bar to any occupation. A rajah may be a Sudra. His cook may be a Brahman. The rajah is of a higher class than his cook, though of a very much lower caste. And though the Brahman will cook the rajah's dinner, he will not eat it with him, or permit

> Though it is not looked upon with approval, marriage is possible between castes which are not widely separated. In particular, a legal marriage can take place between two contiguous castes. But in all such mixed marriages the them:

Music of American Indians.

The music of the American Indians is solely and simply vocal. It seems to be generally agreed by musical authorities that the Indians' songs have in them nothing borrowed from instruments, nothing of artificial instigation. An Indian melody never serves two sets of words. There is no instance, it appears, where the proportion of Indian songs are entire-

Incident of Work in South African Diamond Mine.

tives in Danger of Horrible Death in Depths of Slime.

One morning a band of natives hard at work in a diamond mine in South Africa were startled by a dull noise, as if a few tons of some soft substance had been hurled against the high door that separated the spot where they worked from the long tunnel that led to the shaft

"The mud!" they cried, and dropped their picks in an instant.

A mud rush means certain death to all in its track. It gives no warning. It comes silently, like an ugly, wriggling snake; it works its way swiftly, spares nothing, covers everything.

An Englishman at the opening to the tunnel roared out, "Climb to the top of the wall," which the natives promptly did. There for the time, at least, they were safe.

"Stay where you are!" the Englishman called. "If you jump down you will be sucked in and suffocated in two minutes!"

Soon the tunnel was a tunnel no longer, but a mass of quivering slime. The mud flowed for hours. Then it gradually slowed and ceased.

The Englishman decided to try to reach the men, not by removing the mud but by passing over it.

He laid a plank upon the mud and stretched himself upon it. A little spade was handed to him, with which he began to cut into the mud and pull himself along as a man face downward in a canoe might pull himself forward with a paddle. He worked bravely on-half-inch by half-inch. Then another man put down a plank and followed him.

In half an hour six men were laid flat on six planks in the midst of the mud. There were fifty feet of mud. and between them and it were these thin planks that might keel over at any moment and send them to a suffocating death. And behind was the hidden spring of destruction that might let loose its slime again, flood the tunnel and capsize the planks like cockle-shells on a turbulent sea.

When the Englishman on the first plank reached the wall on which the natives were huddled he called to

"You've seen the way I've come. Well, I'm going back, but I'm leaving the planks for you to follow on. Crawl along the planks as much like a snake as you can."

Slowly the men on the planks crawled back, leaving the wooden line behind them. Slowly the natives followed. Nobody spoke. The black to this day I have never regretted mass underneath looked as hard as a rock, but was as soft as porridge, and trembled horribly.

As each man reached the end plank he was hauled in to safety and car- India, the limit of perpetual snow is ried, half-fainting, out of the tunnel. about 6,500 feet higher than in the of a ballad to the same air. A large The rest dragged themselves wearily Alps. One result of this is that vari-

FOILED MUD RUSH IS ARCTIC OCEAN WARMING? SHOCKED ENFORCER OF LAW Reported Changes Have Been the Sub-Ject of Interest to United States Weather Bureau.

I VIEW Daturuay.

The Arctic seems to be warming up. Reports from fishermen, seal hunters, and explorers who sail the seas about point to a radical change in climatic conditions, and hitherto unheard of high temperatures in that part of the earth's surface. The weather bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture is interested in the report made on this point by the American consul at Bergen, Norway, as conditions in the Arctic affect weather phenomena all over the earth. Arctic ice conditions are said to be exceptional in this particular region. Never before has so little ice been noted. One oceanographic expedition sailed as far north as 81 degrees 29 minutes in icefree waters. The gulf stream was traced as a warm surface current beyond the eighty-first parallel. The

warmth of the waters makes it probable that the favorable ice conditions will continue for some time.

Many old landmarks are so changed as to be unrecognizable. Where formerly great masses of ice were found there are now often moraines, accumulations of earth and stones. At many points where glaciers formerly extended far into the sea they have entirely disappeared. The change in temperature has also brought great changes in the flora and fauna of this portion of the Arctic. Former great shoals of white fish have disappeared from Spitzbergen waters and the seal catch is far under the average. Herring and smelt, however, have come in great numbers.

In contrast with the mild Arctic conditions in the vicinity of Spitzbergen, present advices seem to indicate an excess of ice accumulations in the Arctic north of Alaska and North America.

Give a Little Help.

John was a big fellow, rather shy, and it was hard for him to express his thoughts. For months I knew he was trying to get up courage enough to propose.

Jim was traveling, and once a month he was in town and had asked me several times. He was turned down, but came back undismayed. I recelved a letter from Jim saying he would be at home Thanksgiving and expected me to say "Yes" when he saw me.

That night I had Jim's letter on the table where John could see it. Of course, it was mentioned, and when he asked what Jim had to say I told him the truth and added that I cared more for someone else, so Jim's answer would be "No."

It did not take one minute for him to take me in his arms and tell me what I had been waiting to hear. But the little help I gave .- Exchange.

Ants in the Himalayas.

In the Himalayas, on the side facing on. When the last native arrived, his ous forms of life are found in the the prince of Wales in becoming the great Asian mountains at an elevation these are many species of ants, which have been particularly studied by Doctor Forel. Up to nearly 10,000 feet the ants are very abundant, and even at the elevation of 12,000 feet four species have been found, and it is believed that more careful investigation would show that they exist even at 13,000 feet or more. A unique fact, not found in any other great mountain range, is that the Himalayas possess an im-

Man Who Placed His Arm Around His Fiancee in Theater Brought Instantly to Book.

Love in a picture theater in Newark is not a bed of roses, as Peter Catenacci, twenty-two years old, found the other night when he put his arm over the shoulder of his fiancee at the show in a movie theater.

John J. Hickey, special officer in the theater, suddenly saw the young couple in that affectionate position, and was horrified.

"Take your arm off that girl!" he shouted, so loudly that everyone in the house turned from the screen to the loving young couple.

"This girl is my fiancee, and I have my arm around her, because I love her," replied the unabashed Catenacci. "So long as she doesn't object I don't see what business it is of yours."

"It is against the law to make love in a theater," declared the special officer.

"I'm not making love to you," was Catenacci's rejoinder, "so why should you object?"

This piece of logic so infuriated the conscientious preserver of law and order in the theater that he arrested the young man. Acting Police Judge Guthrie freed Catenacci, declaring he felt incompetent to decide of what "making love" consists .-- From a New York Letter in the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

SELLING EMPTY EGG SHELLS

the Fish Are Known to Be in

Earning pocket-money by selling mpty eggshells is how many Chinese boys add to their savings during the

Fish hatching in China is often conducted with the aid of a hen. First, the fish spawn is collected from the water. A quantity is placed in each eggshell, the open end of which is sealed with a special kind of wax. This done, the eggs are placed under sitting hens. After the third or fourth day each

egg is tested. If the hatching is complete the shells are broken, and the spawn is emptied into water and placed in the sun's powerful rays.

Soon the little fish, are strong enough to be moved. Their next home is in water a few degrees colder, and this lowering of temperature goes on until they can stand the cold water of

the lakes and streams. The Chinese boy, by selling empty eggshells, earns more money during the hatching season than at any other time of the year.

Gave His Son Hard Jobs.

P. D. Armour, founder of Armour & Co., liked to pose as a rich man, it is said. He liked the feel of money and to give it away. He had 100 \$1 bills put on his desk each morning, and before nightfall he usually managed to get rid of them.

His son, J. Ogden Armour, has said that he had no more choice in becoming the head of Armour & Co. than of calming kindly sympathy we quietly yet efficiently perform our sensitive task.

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We have the facilities-the equipment to care for the most pretentious as well as the simplest of funerals.

> May the day be far distant for you but when it does arrive remember

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ing figures showing the growth of this great business. In every single hour of the 24 there are mailed 1,400,000 letters and in every day of the 365 of the year 33,600,000 letters alip into the box. To carry this great volume of letters there was sold 14,-**000,000**,000 postage stamps, 57,000,000 special delivery stamps, 38,000,000 newspaper wrappers, 62,000,000 postage due stamps used on short paid mall matter and 1,000,000,000 postal cards printed and sold, and, all counted, we used and sold 18,000,000,000 units during the last fiscal year. And again, to carry this vast quantity of mail we operate a very large motortruck service, having in operation today 4,433 motor vehicles, and then in the carrying of this volume of mail by maliroad it requires 21,000 railway unall clerks, who cover 215,000 miles daily."

It Grew.

Miss M---- has been working in the East for more than a year. Her uncle has written repeatedly, asking her to come home on a visit, telling her in every letter that her homecoming would be the occasion for the willing of the fatted calf.

But still she hasn't come. So the other evening he changed the tone of his letter. "If you don't come pretty eat yeal, for that calf is growing up. And if you wait another year, you'll have to eat it as corned beef."-Indianapolis News.

What Happened.

My mephew, Lester Petty, has been desperately in love with a lady doctor over at Skeedee," stated old Roswell Basp.

"And I suppose she shook him?" returned an acquaintance.

"No. Her professional knowledge told her that desperate diseases demend desperate remedies, and so they'll be married next Wednesday at high noon."-Kansas City Star.

Reduction.

Brown-Met your wife and little saughter today. I remarked to your ife that the child is the very photograph of her mother.

Jones-You might have added phonaph as well. -- Boston Evening script.

Betterment.

"Do you think you are getting betevery day?" Of course, I do," answered Senator

"The only difficulty is in acing my audiences."

ly without words at all, syllables being employed to carry the tones. Perhaps the most striking peculiarity of Indian music is the lack of definite pitch. The Indian begins his song where the natural quality of his voice and his mood at the time render it easiest for him to sing it. The pitch of the song depends upon the individual .-- Washington Star.

No Doubt About It.

Mr. Newlywed was on his honeymoon, and as he had married a very pretty young wife, he lost no chance of telling everybody with whom he came in confact that he was a married man.

he approached the hotel reception clerk, trying to appear as nonchalant as possible.

"Certainly, sir," said the clerk. "For how many?"

"For myself and my wife," replied Newlywed. "Yes," said, the clerk. "Suite, sir?" "Sweet ?" cried Mr. Newlywed. "Of or heart .- Adventure Magazine. course she is!"

Deer One of the Family.

At Matamagon on the east branch of the Penobscot, where a supply depot is maintained, there is a tame deer which enters the house occasionally soon," he wrote, "you won't get to and eats food from the table. The deer prefers to sleep in the open at the edge of the woods, but during the day plays around the dooryard of the farm, following a dog, of whom it appears to be fond, wherever the animal goes. Several times when the deer has been in the house and has wanted to go out it has leaped through a win-

dow, taking out sash and glass with it. -Portland (Me.) Press.

According to Nationality.

Accent apart, there is said to be a tea-table test by which the nationality of a hostess may be determined. In serving tea the Englishwoman selects one or more lumps of sugar, according to the capacity of the cup. The Irish hostess hands round the

sugar basin so that guests may help themselves.

In Scotland, however, the guid wife fixes her eye on the guest and inquires sternly: "Are ye sure ye've stirred it?"-Chicago Daily News.

All at Sea.

Hewitt-He is an ignorant man. Jewett-I should say so; if he were operation to "overhead expenses."

mates thought he was a stranger. His hair was perfectly white. Fear that seems extraordinary. Among had turned it white.

Alligator Hunting.

Alligators are by no means so plentiful as they once were in Florida. Those that are left are to be found in the wild places, anywhere in the state. There is a market for 'gator hides, but not a good one. There is a firm or two in Jacksonville that buys them. Nearly any kind of boat will do for hunting them and nearly any kind of gun, though a high-power rifle is best, and especially an explosive bullet is best. The best way to "I want rooms," he announced, as hunt them is to go at night with a strong light, "shine their eyes," shoot them, mark the spot with a weight and a float with a cord between, and go back next day to grapple for them. There's a lot of poppycock about the notion that 'gators are so hard to kill. A .22 bullet will kill one if you hit him in a vital spot-backbone, brain

Pity the Dog.

One of the guests at a family dinner lingered long at the table. Soon after he arose the hostess began a search for a dog belonging to another of the guests, having the animal's dinner on a platter.

The guest, whose appetite was hard to satisfy, assisted in finding the dog and after it began its meal, the man stood looking on while the hostess observed another member of the dinner party standing nearby.

She spoke to the second spectator and he replied, "I'll watch Glenn so he won't eat the dog's dinner."

Important Exception.

"So you're married at last, eh? Allow me to congratulate you, for I hear you have an accomplished wife."

"I have, indeed," was the reply. "My wife is a woman perfectly at home in art; at home in music; at home in literature; at home in science-in short, at home in everything except-" "Except what?"

"Except a home."-Boston Evening Transcript.

Coconut Trees Are Taxed.

Coconuts caused a flurry at the capitol after the house had passed the new tariff bill in its final form, says the Nation's Business. It was discovered that coconuts appeared both on the free list and on the dutiable schedules. to have a corn removed, he wouldn't To set things right the house quickly know any better than to charge the passed a concurrent resolution to strike coconuts from the free list.

mense variety of local species of ants. Out of 116 forms recognized in the Himalayas, 50 are peculiar to those mountains .--- Washington Star.

Got Away With It.

Verbosity and the "grand manner" will sometimes accomplish marvels. An elderly actor with stately bearing and melodious voice went for a holiday to Sunderland

Fishing one day in a forbidden stream he was accosted by the keeper, who asked him by what right he dared to wield the rod and line in private grounds.

"By what right?" answered the melodramatic one. "By that great right the vast and towering mind has o'er instinct of the vulgar kind."

The keeper stared at him for a mo ment, then touched his cap and said: "Beg pardon, sir, I didn't know that." -London Tit-Bits.

Apron Pocket a Dangerous Thing.

One morning when calling on my neighbor across the hall, I complained of a sore throat. She immediately produced two wicked looking lozenges and insisted that I use them as a gargle. I thanked her effusively and slipped them into my apron pocket, having no intention of using them. The next morning she ran in to inquire about my throat and asked me if I gargled with the lozenges. I shamefully assured her that I had, and the relief was like magic.

Picture my feeling when I reached in the selfsame pocket for a handkerchief and jerked out the lozenges.

-Exchange.

A Still Small Voice.

Charles is very proud of his mother and dotes on her gentle voice. He is especially pleased to have her attend the parent-teacher meetings where he can show her to his classmates. The other day Charles came home from school and after listening to Howard discuss his teacher, he said : "Mother, my teacher hasn't let her voice get away from her yet."

king of England.

"To get the right kind of men we begin early," J. Ogden Armour said recently. "We are more particular about hiring office boys than about anything else connected with the bustness. For the office boys of today will become our department managers tomorrow."

His father having antipathy for 'soft" young men, put "J. O." In every hard job. He has served in every department both at the stock yards and in the office.

Eat Less, Live Longer.

The great majority of human Ills arise from overeating and lack of exercise and fresh air, according to Jack Taylor, the "scholar gypsy," who reached New York on his way to southern California by way of the Atlantic coast states, Florida, Louisiana, Texas and Arizona, walking and camping all the way.

Mr. Taylor, who is sixty-nine years old, said that ten years ago he was a commercial traveler whom the physiclans had given only a few months to live. He determined to revolutionize his habits, gathered together a camping outfit, and since that time has confined himself to a diet of raw eggs and corn meal, chocolate, raisins, rye bread and molasses. Since he began his new life he has walked 8,000 miles, lying in the open and camping under the stars. The average human being, he says, eats far more than he should.

She Kept It Going.

Emphasizing the virtue of persistence, Mrs. Kathleen Norris says, as quoted in the Boston Advertiser:

"When my husband was a magazine editor in 1910, a certain battered and travel-worn story, a novelette, came to his office and was immediately rejected. Two years later, when he was on another magazine, the story re appeared. It was unchanged, the same little child story of optimism and hope. This second magazine paid a small sum for it, and it was serialized."-From the Outlook.

Invention to Prevent Speeding.

in Rome the narrow streets and steep hills render motoring rather precarlous at best and there is no room for the speed maniac. An automatic regulator which will limit the speed within the city proper is being seriously considered. This invention depends on a type of governor and is the result of the inventive labors of Messrs, Fragano and Villa .- Scientific American.

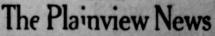
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There are approximately 14,100,000 telephones in use in the United States and about 39,000,000 conversations daily. In other words one out of ever ery three persons in the United States utilizes the telephone at least once daily throughout the year.

Strong!" Mrs. Anna Clover, of R. F. D. Winfield, Kans., says: "I egan to suffer some months ago with womanly troubles, and I was afraid I was going to get in bed. Each month I suffered with my head, back and sides—a weak, aching, nervous feeling. I began to try medicines as I knew I was getting worse. I did not seem to find the right remedy until someone told me of

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The Woman's Tonic used two bottles before I could see any great change, but after that it was remarkable how much better I got. I am now well and strong. I can recom-mend Cardui, for it certainly benefited me."

benefited me." If you have been experiment-ing on yourself with all kinds of different remedies, better get back to good, old, reliable Cardui, the medicine for women, about which you have always heard, which has helped many thousands of others, and which should help you, too. Ask your neighbor about it; she has probably used it. For sale everywhere. For sale everywhere.

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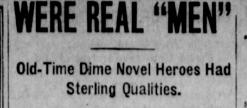


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Thrillers for Boys a Generation Ago Better Then Tales They Read Now, Says Writer.

I have been re-reading a few of those old "dime" novels, writes "Girard" in the Philadelphia Inquirer. You remember the sort I mean-"Headless Horseman," "Three-Fingered Jack," "The Boy Detective."

The names were usually more bloodcurdling than the tales, which in nearly every case excel the stories which young folks read today.

Heroes in those earlier stories are all he-men, not scented, manicured dudes of cabarets. And the hero in the end always foils the villain, who is made in each case to appear a villain and not a puzzle character which leaves a youthful mind in doubt.

"Again Sureshot's rifle spoke and another redskin bit the dust"-that sort of thing.

No triangle stuff, thank goodness, but adventure, action and almost invariably punishment for the folks who merited it.

More surprising, however, than the change in literature for "Young America" is the change in toys. Uncle Sam occasionally unbends and permits us to peep into trade secrets.

In that way I learned from an official report about the increase in the toy business in this country.

Each child in the United States now has 60 times as many toys as a child when Lincoln was president. The fact is most surprising, but true just the same.

The toy factories 60 years ago were small affairs, while government figures show that imports of toys were then a mere nothing compared with imports today. Now the factories are immense, not only here, but in other lands.

The average value of each toy is now larger, due partly to the fact that such things as "express wagons" come under the head of toys.

The men who fought in the Civil war, when they were lads rarely if ever had an express wagon-surely not the nifty kind seen in thousands today.

One Philadelphian made a big fortune with a sled that could be steered around corners. Mechanical toys in bewildering variety are sold in our shops in immense quantities.

Extravagance, you say? Well, in a way, but it all pays, and pays handsomely.

I've talked in Egypt with Sudanese who had ridden camels for 25 days to their loads of trinkets for the white folks.

What sort of toys were they? I have some still that I bought for a few pennies. Mostly feathers, bits of ivory, rudely carved; odd-looking leather purses, pleces of colcred fabric made into tiny fans, Such were the toys of "Darkest Africa." toys that cost little and meant which images of distant objects are but little in the way of manufacturing seen often as if inverted, below the industries and nothing in the shape of great stores for retailing them. Cut out all these little luxuries such as toys and you would at once kill States. "The phenomenon is best obsome big industries, unjoint business and upset trade.

LINK WITH HISTORIC PAST | BEASTS HAVE FEAR OF MAN

America, Indicates Common Cul-

ture in the Country.

Missouri and Arkansas, may be an tells this interesting story: important aid in lifting the mystery throwing stick is the only article so far unearthed which furnishes any connection between these people and others which have existed on this continent. The weapon is extremely [Tom's theory about the cowardice simple, consisting of a round or flat stick one to two inches in diameter and about 18 inches long, notched at one end and perforated at the other, with sometimes one, sometimes two holes. Into these holes the prehistoric man thrust his fingers, affixed his short-shafted stone-headed dart to the

notched end, raised the stick over his shoulder, and by means of a quick, jerking movement of the arm hurled the dart at enemy or game.

Close adaptations of the weapon are found among the ruins of prehistoric American civilization extending from Peru far north beyond the Arctic circle. The weapon seems to have been universal to all climes of the western hemisphere and to all periods, even down to the present day, when it is still in use among the Eskimos of the Arctic, and the Tarascan Indians in the Patzcuaro lake region of Mexico. It furnishes a possible missing link between the prehistoric civilization of those of the extreme East.

LAW NOT STEVENSON'S FORTE

Popular Writer Was an Advocate by Profession, but Early Abandoned the Occupation.

Robert Louis Stevenson, the famous Scottish novelist and essayist, was an advocate by profession-member of the Scottish bar-but he never practiced. He hated the law-or at least the practice of it-and abandoned it for literature as quickly as he could. At the bar in Edinburgh, Lord Shaw of Dunfermline (then Mr. Thomas Shaw; advocate) had an interesting view of Stevenson as an advocate. He writes: "I remember seeing him, with his very white wig and his glossy dark hair, his complexion of an ivory pallor, and his gleaming dark eyes. A few days after Sevenson went to the bar he had got a guinea, sent to him with 'instructions.' His sole duty was to ask the judge for intimation and service of a petition of the party against whom it was directed. All he had to, do was to stand up at the bar and utter three words interrogatively: 'Intimation and service?' But he was a mass of nerves, and these three words he could not utter, and he besought his friend to go into court and make the little motion for him. I never heard of his earning another guinea as an advocate."

Mirage in History.

"Spear Thrower," Relic of Early Canadian Trapper Tells of His Experiences With Wolves as Proof of His Assertion

Tom Saville, one of the best known A "spear thrower" or "throwing stick," found among the implements trappers in the Hudson Bay region, of the prehistoric people of America says that all the wild beasts he knows in caves in the Ozark mountains in are scared at the sight of man. He

"I met a pack of wolves in a blindwhich enshrouds the ancient cultures ing snowstorm. The leader looked me of the American continents. The over from a distance of 20 feet. The rest of the pack ranged alongside him and stiffened with fear.

> "Then they broke. They just flattened out on the ice and flew."

of wolves has caused a deal of discussion over in Canada. And the talk is confirmatory of the veteran trapper's opinion. Toronto papers are being deluged with letters from men experienced in hunting and trapping. They corroborate Saville's assertion that wolves are afraid of men instead of being disposed to attack.

It is impossible to disregard this mass of evidence. Yet nothing appears to be better established than that packs of wolves have been known to pursue, overtake, kill and eat human beings. If there is anything in age-old tradition, that is a fact.

The familiar picture, once much in vogue, of a sleighload of travelers chased by wolves and of a man firing into the pack from the back of the sleigh, is illustrative of the popular idea on the topic.

Perhaps, after all, animals are not so different from men in the opposite manifestations of fear and courage. the western half of the continent and Men, individually brave, collectively have been startled into panic. A man who does not believe himself coura-

geous is sometimes surprised at his own hardihood. It is possible that the moods, conditions and circumstances which cause alternations of daring and fright in the same man, have more or less reflection in the psychology and environment of animals. If

that be true it goes far to reconcile the conflicting opinions about fearlessness or cowardice of wild beasts.

Wanted to Clear Family of Debts. Mrs. W. and Mrs. S. are sisters and each has three grown daughters. The W. family lives in Indianapolis and the S. family in Ft. Wayne.

Now, all three of the S. girls have been married since fall and Mrs. S. has written her sister long letters, describing the weddings and new homes of her daughters. The last letter about the youngest daughter's wedding came to the W. home the other evening and Mrs. W. read it stripped of their shirts and, carrying aloud to her three single daughters, her younger son and his father.

"Now that Gladys is married, I suppose we'll get a long rest from Aunt S.'s letters," said one of the girls, rather sarcastically.

"Yes, I suppose so," agreed the younger brother, "and while Aunt S. Is resting," he looked meaningly at the three girls, "I imagine mother would like to write her some long letters of the same kind herself."-Indianapolis News.

Golden Touch of Baron Rothschild. The Austrian branch of the Rothschild family, which is said to have become nationalized in Czechoslovakia. was founded toward the end of the Eighteenth century by Solomon, second Izaak Walton, son of the patriarchal Maier Amschel. Solomon, who was made a baron soon after his settlement in Vienna, was re-The average time taken by a bird to puted to enjoy an exceptional share of the Rothschild luck, for he never made an unsuccessful speculation, and superstition averred that he had "the golden touch." Among the Jewesses year. of Vienna it was firmly believed that everything he touched with his hand became lucky, and on one occasion a widow brought to him three lottery bonds in which she had invested her daughter's dowry, with the request that he should touch them and so ensure that they would win a prize. man. The baron touched the bonds, and, sure enough, they secured prizes. Will Protect Sacred Features. The British policy in Palestine is to keep Jerusalem a holy city and to protect the sacred features of the Holy land. Gen. Ronald Storrs, civil governor of Jerusalem, has stated: "We want no electric street railway up the Mount of Olives or out to Bethlehem ; we will not have walls built of stone from Solomon's guarries, repaired with corrugated iron; we will not have factory chimneys built within fifty yards of the sepulchre of Christ." General Storrs was a brigadier general in the British army during the World war. oriental secretary to Lord Kitchener and has been active in oriental affairs corder. for two decades. "Both Christians and Jews are included in the pro-Jerusalem society," he said. "They sit with Moslems in complete equality in council." tomers."-Ad in London Chronicle.

Pasteur's Belief. Perhaps the best known of Pasteur's sayings in his answer to one of the

weaker minds, who asked him how he could still believe in God and a hereafter and go on discovering great scientific truths. "The more I study," he said, "the more my faith becomes that of a Breton peasant, and I have little doubt but that if I studied more it would become the faith of the Breton peasant's wife."-New York World.

Device for Counting Threads.

A new linen tester for counting the threads in the fabric is designed with a movable pointer, which makes this work easier. The device consists of the usual two parallel surfaces held a few inches apart with the magnifying glass in the upper surface, while in the opening of the lower plane has been arranged a movable pointer to indicate the threads as they are counted.

Not a Bad Description.

A new neighbor came to call on me, and she brought her small four-yearold boy. This child was a striking child with red hair. He was the first child Elaine had happened to notice with such bright locks, and she walked right up to him and said, "Why, your hair is regular setting sun color, isn't it?"-Chicago Tribune.

Valuable American Trees.

Among our most useful and valuable trees are the white oak and the red oak, which produce a brown-colored hardwood of remarkable durability, says the School Book of Forestry. The white oak is the monarch of the forest, as it lives very long and is larger and stronger than the majority of its associates.

Stands Up for Mother.

Martha, age four, was playing in the room where her father and mother were having an argument along the lines of "I'd be in favor of that;" "Well, I wouldn't," etc. She stopped playing, went to her father and said: "Now, daddy, I want you to understand that mamma is boss in this house."

What Every Woman Learns. "How long has she been married?"

"Long enough to know that the nights she plans an especially good dinner for him are the nights he will either be late or won't come home at all." -Detroit Free Press.

The Amende Honorable.

This term originated in France in the Ninth century. Traitors were a taper, were led to the court to solicit the mercy of God. Death usually followed this punishment.

Childish Philosophy.

A little girl aged six was asked to state the difference between pride and vanity. After considerable thought she replied: "Pride means, 'I don't think much of you'; vanity means, 'What do you think of me'?"

The Unsolved Riddle.

HOW HUMAN LIFE IS THROWN AWAY TO PROCURE IVORY. --The globe of ivory that is knocked about a table in a game of billiards costs, if of good quality, at least \$15. This represents its cost in money. There is, however, a far more important and formidable element in the price that has been paid for it. The billiard ball of pure ivory represents, as it lies white and glistening upon the cloth, an expenditure of human blood as well as of money.

Elephants' tusks are brought down to the African coast for the most part by caravans, generally in charge of Arabs who have been trading in the interior. Very often they have picked up slaves as well as ivory, but this phase of the matter may be left out of the account.

It is estimated that every large caravan bringing ivory to the coast has cost more than 160 human lives through fights and murders in the course of the expedition. Thirty more men are likely to have succumbed to fevers and other diseases and the fatigues of the march,

The hunting of the elephants and the capture of the ivory are very likely to have caused the death of ten men altogether, Such casualties are the rule in elephant hunting rather than the exception.

An average tusk does not furnish more than enough material for two good billiard balls. Of course, the remainder of the ivory in each tusk is made use of in other ways. A perfectly cut billiard ball requires special quality, or so-called "nerve," which is found only in one part of the tusk.

The chances are that a billiard ball of the first quality has cost at least one human life, and there is not one such ball which may not be truly said to be stained with men's blood;

TO USE IN OPERATING ROOM

How Men of Science Have Succeeded in Producing Light Which Casts No Shadow.

One of the most remarkable lamps. in the world never casts a shadow, Solid pieces of wood can be placed across it, but it continues to give an absolutely clear and regular light;

This lamp is being used in surgery, in cases where a shadow would be disastrous. Another feature is that it gives 3,000 candlepower without throwing off any heat. An ordinary 100-watt bulb is used, and the whole secret lies in a wonderful series of mirrors which reflect the light and so possess its power.

In an ordinary lamp it would be im-I shall tell you, that in ancient times possible to obtain as much light without a great deal of heat, the absence of which is necessary in many operations. The mirrors reflect the light around the obstruction, and unless the globe is completely covered it is impossible to produce a shadow. It is no easy task to fit the mirrors so that all reflect light onto the same spot. A minute inaccuracy would ruin the whole use of the lamp

MAY SALIVATE

IT IS MERCURY, QUICKSILVER, SHOCKS LIVER AND ATTACKS YOUR BONES

Calomel salivation is horrible. It swells the tongue, loosens the teeth and storts rheumatism. There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when a few cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone-a perfect substitute for calomel. It is a pleasant vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and cannot salivate.

Calomel is a dangerous drug, besides it may make you feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeting great. No salts necessary. Your druggist says salts necessary. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than treacherous calomel your money is awaiting you.

BACKACHE IS DISCOURAGING

But Not So Bad If You Know How to **Reach the Cause**

Nothing more discouraging than a constant backache. Lame when you awaken, pains pierce you when you bend or lift. It's hard to work or to met her at the station, and after half rest. Bachache often indicates bad kidneys. Plainview people recom- were approaching his farm. mend Doan's Kidney Pills. Ask your neighbor. Read this case:

S. B. Farris, retired farmer, Plainview, says: "My back began to give pigs. me trouble. It was sore and lame and ached most of the time. It bothered me mostly when I had to stoop as sharp pains shot through my back and shoulders. Mornings when I got up my back was so lame and stiff I ald hardly straighten. I felt tired and worn out and had dizzy spells and also suffered from headaches. My kidneys were weak and the kidney secretions were scanty in passage, and bothered me. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and bought some at Long's Drug Store, now the O. K. Drug Co. One box of Doan's cured

60c, at al Idealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

There is one consoling feature about poverty. It is one thing congress hasn't discovered a way to tax.

We have 60 times as many toys per child as they had 60 years ago, and who will deny that it has been a good investment.

Business.

If Americans are materialistic, with an eye to the main chance, what of those villagers who live all year round in the summer resorts, who resist all entreaties for work-not lazy but also not grasping? The story ran thus: They were housekeeping in a tiny place as old as the town. They needed a plumber, and telephoned one on a Monday, getting his promise to come that very day. They called him up again on Tuesday to remind him and were once more reassured of his coming; but Wednesday and Thursday passed without his appearance. Again on Friday the telephone. A frantic, "Why haven't you come up to us?"

"Oh," was the answer, "when I didn't heat from you again I didn't, the other hare jumped out and ran know whether you really wanted me."

Pigs in Clover.

She was paying her first visit to a cousin who lived in the country. He an hour's drive told her that they

In one of the fields that met the girl's attentive eye stood a windmill, and gathered around it were several

"Well, I'm surprised !" exclaimed the fair one. "I didn't know that farmers were so considerate."

"What do you mean?" queried the country cousin. "That over yonder," replied the girl,

pointing a pretty finger. "Just think of having a fan out in the field to keep those pigs cool !"

Just So.

"What a manly little fellow!" admiringly said the presiding elder, in-dicating one of Gap Johnson's olive branches

You betcha !" pridefully returned Mr. Johnson. "You ort to hear him swear when he takes his ague medi-cine. He durn nigh equals his Uncle Polk, that a good many people suspect ed of being a train robber."--Kanne Olty Star.

A mirage is an optical illusion, by ground or raised in the atmosphere. It is frequently observed on the western plains of Canada and the United served in the Egyptian or other deserts, and the inverted images so much resemble these made in water as to create the illusion that a lake is really near. The mirage was known in ancient Jewish times. It is mentioned in Isalah 35:7: "And the parched ground shall become a pool and the thirsty land springs of water." The Fata Morgana, what sailors call the "loomings," the Flying Dutchman, the Enchanted Island, Cape Flyaway, etc., are all produced by the mirage.

Held Commanding Position.

A countryman was in charge of a couple of live hares, which he was conveying by rail. He had to change at a station and wait some time.

To pass the time he took the basket in which the hares were confined outside the station and put it down in the road. The lid had been tied down loosely, and one of the harcs managed to get out.

The man rushed after it, but all to no purpose; and just as he got back away in the opposite direction.

The countryman made no attempt to follow, but, pointing first one way and then the other, said: "Do you go there and do you go there if you like. I've got the tickets."

Sheep's Important Place in World. One man alone could not look after a whole flock, so the first shepherd called in others, who lived in scattered huts or in caves, far apart, to assist him, offering in return a share of the wool and the meat that were now so easy to obtain. And so at the edge of the pastures the first villages grew up. Thanks, largely to sheep, human society came into being, and with it came laws and customs for the benefit of the little community.

The next tremendous step was the discovery of how to spin wool into yarn and weave yarn into cloth, which paved the way for manufactures and commerce.

As Your Wife Does at Home.

"What is your idea of a clever wom an woman who can see the point of ke?'

"No, a woman who can laugh at a be without seeing the point."-Bee

Augustus Thomas was talking about Buskin, the great comedian of a former day.

always getting married and divorced and married again. At the supper celebrating his marriage to Mrs. Seck a tragedian drank too much champagne and indulged in profane language. Buskin, of course, was very angry. He hunted up the tragedian and said, 'See here, if you can't keep a decent tongue in your head, I shan't invite you to any more of my wed-dings."-From the Argonaut.

Concerning the Aerial. One pound of No. 14 copper wire generally provides the correct of of the receiving antenna which p up the broadcasting stations open on a 350 and 400 meter wave leng

a debate hath arisen, and it remains yet unresolved; whether the happiness of man in this world doth consist more in contemplation or action?-From "The Complete Angler" (1563), by

Birds and Their Nests.

build its nest is about a week, but if the first one is destroyed a second home may be built in a day. A few lazy birds repair an old nest of last

Housefly Cleverer Than Ant.

The ordinary housefly is reputed to be the cleverest of insects, its intelligence surpassing that of the ant and the bee. An authority asserts that it can think 100 times quicker than a

Very Important.

Madge (reading newspaper)-"For a kiss stolen by the defendant the jury awarded the plaintiff the sum of \$500." Mercy! And I've been giving them away .- Boston Transcript.

Never Quite Forgotten.

I feel assured there is no such thing as ultimate forgetting; traces once impressed upon the memory are indestructible .- De Quincey.

That Silent Voice.

Scientists can magnify the human voice 12,000 times, but they seem unable to do a darned thing for the voice of conscience .- Brockville (Ont.) Re-

"Chop" Logic. "Butchers. - Wanted, man . must be able to cut up and serve cus-

Sins of Omission. Doing nothing is sometimes the worst kind of wrong-doing .- New Hav-

Wise Child.

It's a wise child that pretends it can't understand the words its parents spell to one another.-San Francisco

Stray Bits of Wisdom.

Reason teaches us to be silent : the beart teaches us to speak .-- Richter.

But Not So Easy to Take. An ounce of honest criticism worth more than a pound of flattery.

Thought for the Day. people's remarks are then I

How Moon is Brought Closer.

It appears that, with the aid of the world's largest telescope, not so long ago installed at the Mount Wilson observatory, the moon has been brought nearer the earth than ever before, The reflector of the great telescope measures 100 inches in diameter, or more than eight feet. The observatory in which this glass is mounted is 100 feet in height and its dome is 100 feet in diameter. The whole stands at an altitude of 6,000 feet. The photograph taken of the moon measures four feet in diameter and reveals details of the lunar surface never before seen by the human eye,

How Territory Was Acquired.

Four cents an acre was the price paid by the United States for the land which now constitutes the states of Arkansas, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, the Dakotas and Indian Territory, together with most of Louisiana, Oklahoma, Kansas, Wyoming, Montana, Minnesota and Colorado. It included 883,072 square miles. The purchase was made from Napoleon (who by-theway had no right to sell it) and the Federalists who opposed the deal did so on the ground that the price was too high. Parties of explorers soon entered the newly acquired territory, The Missouri was ascended in keel boats and pirogues; and as they passed La Charette, Daniel Boone, a very old man, stood watching their difficult progress. They saw parrakeets where Kansas City was to follow; and at Council Bluffs they first met the Indians, under an awning formed by the mainsail. The Ricara Indiana, to th surprise, refused any gifts of whicky, an attitude in which the Mandan vilages, where, in North Dakota, they spent the winter, took no part .- Ba change.

How English Bables Travel. The motor baby-carriage has rived; it was invented in Englan Now baby can travel at four miles hour, and there are foot a which the nurse can stand, fashion, while aim directs the of the prame.

His Threat, "Buskin," said Mr. Thomas, "was en Register.

Chronicle.

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MASTERS OF THE "LONG BOW" SNAKES ON SHIP

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Crew of Ward Line Boat Has Most Exciting Trip.

Reptiles Believed to Have Escaped From Traveling "Show" Furnished Thrills for Hardy Sailor Men.

When the Ward line steamship Orlkaba arrived at her pler at the foot of Wall street with 70 first and 44 thirdclass passengers from Havana, it was scare on the voyage up the coast, and as the ship was "dry" this seemed rather remarkable to the customs officials. The purser and other officers of the ship confirmed the report as to the snake, but there was a disagreement as to the length of the reptile, says the New York Times.

One steward, said to be a primitive Methodist and the son of an African missionary, declared the snakes were more than 12 feet long, while a reckless bo'sun's mate stated they were fully four fathoms from stem to stern.

On December 15, when the Orizaba was in Havana harbor, a steward was sent into the specie room to clean it. A few minutes later he rushed out, shouting, "Mins the snakes," and slammed the door with a bang that rang through the lower deck of the ship. When asked by Chief Engineer Albert Torresson what the trouble was, the agitated steward said he had been bitten by an anaconda as big as a whale. The chief climbed on top of a tank and took a "dekko," as they way in Hindustanee, to see what was Inside the strong room and by the aid of a flashlight two big serpents could be discerned moving about the iron deck. After a consultation, in which an aged sailor took part who was reputed to have acquired the art of snake charming through a long residence in India, it was decided to lull the reptiles into a quiet state and then kill them. The Indian veteran proposed that one of the sailors should enter the strong room with a big bowl of milk in one hand and a club in the other to bang the snakes over the head as they drank the milk. This scheme fell through because no member would volunteer.

Finally the chief engineer said that he would stupify the blg reptiles with drugs, and obtained some chloroform, which he poured over a deck swab and lowered it through the small hole above the tank. The fumes were so strong that three members of the crew Tell asleep, but it did not affect the serpents. After a few minutes to let the chloroform get in its full force, the chief engineer and several sallors and firemen rushed into the strong room with belaying pins and iron bars and killed the snakes before they had time to do any mischief.

The officers believed that the ship was clear of reptiles of all kinds, but Sanday, December 17, after leaving Havana, another snake was found in a cabin near the strong room and had to be killed.

At dinner that

Examples of Wonderful Archery Put Something of a Strain on the Ordinary Imagination.

Examples of the "drawing of the long bow" are to be found in the world's literature long before the time of the famous Baron Munchausen; indeed, by far the greater part of these had their origin in the remote past.

Virgil, in the Aeneid, tells of four archers who were shooting for a prize, the mark being a pigeon held by a cord to the mast of a ship. The first . man hit the mast, the second cut away the cord, and the third shot the pigeon reported that there had been a snake | as it flew away! The fourth archer, having nothing left at which to shoot, drew his bow and sent his arrow flying toward the sky with such speed that the friction of the air set the feathers on fire and it swept on like a meteor, to disappear in the sky.

The stories of Robin Hood's archery, illustrated by his wonderful performance as Locksley in Scott's "Ivanhoe," are also a decided strain on one's powers of belief.

The majority of long-bow stories relate to the accurate aim of archers, but a Frenchman, Blaise de Vigeners, tells one in which the main point is the tremendous force with which an arrow may be propelled if the bow is strong and long enough. According to his account, he saw a Turk, one Barbarossa, admiral of a ship called the Grand Solyman, send an arrow from his bow clean through a cannon ball! Whether the cannon ball had a hole in it or not, the narrator fails to tell us.

Perhaps the most astounding of all stories about arrow shooting is that of the Indians who used to inhabit Florida. It is related that a group of them would form a circle, one would throw an ear of Indian corn into the air, the others would shoot at it and shell it of every grain before it fell to the ground! Sometimes, it is added, the arrows would strike the ear of corn so hard and fast that it would remain suspended in the air for several seconds and the cob never fell until the last grain had been shot away.

A Dam of Living Yaks.

The way in which Dr. Albert L. Shelton, a missionary, and a party of Tibetans crossed one of the swollen rivers near Draya was surely picturesque and ingenious. In "Pioneering in Tibet" Dr. Shelton gives an interesting description of the crossing:

The Tibetans had brought down from the mountains perhaps a hundred yaks, which they drove into the river. By throwing stones at the beasts the men forced them into a line across the river with their heads upstream. The animals held their own as best they could against the force of the flood; when, as occasionally happened. a yak was forced back by the current, the people on the bank would drive it forward to its place with stones.

The yaks helped to break the force of the rushing stream, and we swam been compared and with what paacross immediately at their tails while they held their position with their ured again and again. hind feet and their noses sticking out of the water. Although it was August, the frost had already come, and the water was exceedingly cold; we were chilled to the bone before we got across. However, no one was drowned, cording to the New York correspondand after we had changed our clothes on the opposite bank we continued to been cavalrymen for colonels. A ward Draya .-- Youth's Companion.

WHY= **Blotting Paper Is Capable of** Absorbing Water

Everybody knows that if a piece of blotting paper is dipped edgewise into a saucer of water the water will climb up the paper to a height of some inches above the surface, but few cau tell the reason it does so.

Capillary attraction is the name for this power which causes water to rise in an absorbent substance, and the baffling part of it is its apparent simplicity.

This is just one of those natural puzzles that our greatest scientists cannot solve-yet. Its real nature is no more understood than is the real nature of electricity.

But although we do not know what it is, capillary attraction is a most useful force. It holds the ink in a pen nib and in a fountain pen. By its aid the melted wax in the little crater round a candle-flame rises in the wick to keep the candle burning. So, too, the liquid flows up the wick of an oil or spirit lamp.

Were it not for this force, clothes would become "bone dry" directly they were lifted out of the water. A great many of the automatic lubricators for oiling machinery depend entirely on capillary attraction for their action ; and a sponge retains the water in its pores by the same means.

Capillary attraction has been suggested as a means of attaining perpetual motion, and some very ingenious devices have been put forward. All. however, have been proven futile by the laws of mechanics.

Finally it is owing to capillarity that soil is able to retain a large part of the moisture it receives as rain, thus preventing the country from becoming an arid desert.

cow was presented by the Dairymen's MEASURE MUST BE PERFECT league, So, now, no longer will city children Why Precise Degree of Accuracy Has

to Be Maintained in So-called Standard Bars.

For most of us the knowledge that a meter is 3.37 inches longer than a yard is quite sufficient. We must know as much as that, because the metric system of measures is so widely employed that one constantly finds it necessary to turn meters into feet or yards. But the refinements of modern science demand a far higher degree of accuracy in measurement than is perhaps ever dreamed of in the ordinary walks of life. The pains picture. A cow is, of course, as appropriate taken to obtain precise standards of in a zoo as a bear, and ours, like measure are almost beyond belief of others, will be graced with one, Chilone who is not familiar with sciendren will learn where the milk comes tific methods.

Everyone knows that so-called 'standard" bars, on which the exact length of the yard and the meter are marked, are in the possession of the governments of the United States, Great Britain, France and other countries, but everyone does not know with what care these standards have tience they have been minutely meas-

hy Priest Dislikes Horses.

GLIMPSE OF EARLY AMERICA ARABIA THE LAST FRONTIER Life In Old Cooperstown, N. Y., Easy of Access Though the Country

Is, Much of Its Lands Still

Are Unexplored.

Alexander Powell in the World's

Work. Though in area the peninsula

is one-third the size of the United

States, the Europeans who have pene

trated its mysterious interior can be

numbered on the fingers of one's two

hands. Sadler, Palgrave, Burton, Pelly,

Doughty Lawrence, Leachman, Philby,

and two women, Lady Anne Blunt (the

granddaughter of Lord Byron) and

Miss Gertrude Bell-there you have all.

or nearly all, of the names that com-

prise the brief, intrepid list. It is the

only land which has successfully de-

fied the white man and halted the on-

customs of its 10,000,000 inhabitants

since the world was young. It is the

sole remaining country on the map

considerable areas of which are still

marked "unexplored." . It is the last

EDUCATING THE CITY CHILD

Cow Recently Placed in New York

Zoo Source of Much Delight to

the Juveniles.

New York's zoo seems to be the

first one to get a cow for exhibition

among the "strange animala" gathered

from all quarters of the globe. The

they know it originates somehow in a

from and when they are older they

can visit a first-class dairy and see

what is done to it to keep it whole

Resourceful Actor.

This is a story told by Representa-

tive Julius Kahn of California: "The

villain was to climb a ladder to a

barred window in the third act and try

shot by some one on the outside, after

some .- St, Louis Globe-Democrat.

frontier.

Placid Until the Arrival of the "Fire Demon."

Cooperstown, in New York state, It is a curious circumstance, when must have been a quaint and interestyou pause to consider it, that of Arabia, ing place in the days when James whose shores are skirted almost daily Fenimore Cooper, the novelist, lived for upward of 2,000 miles by tourist there. Mr. James Fenimore Cooper, laden steamers, which can be reached the grandson, gives us in his delightful by airplane from Cairo between breakbook, "Legends and Traditions of a fast and luncheon of a single day, the Northern County," a glimpse of manwestern world has less knowledge than ners in Cooperstown in the period folit has of inner Asia or equatorial lowing the War of 1812. Africa or the polar regions, writes E.

In those days, says Mr. Cooper, doctors and lawyers were marked men and went about their tasks deliberately in long black coats and with black silk stocks wound round their long necks, for they were all tall and thin, except one lawyer, who violated custom by being very tall and very fat. They never hurried and never forgot the dignity of their occupation. In fact, no one hurried. In the evening when the mail arrived everyone sauntered to the post office. Old and young were there; the news was discussed, and plans were made for the next day. Joy and sorrow usually sweep of civilization, the lives and came by mail.

The only event that could arouse the town was a fire; then it went mad. The firemen fought one another, rather than the fire, and the townspeople in their misdirected zeal destroyed what the fire spared. I have often admired the foresight of my great-grandmother, who when the hall once caught fire ordered all the doors and windows locked and bolted and told the servants to put out the fire while she took care of the fire department. She did so by pouring boiling water on those who tried to enter the house.

One night when the Central hotel burned a fireman of "Deluge No. 1" seized the vantage post at the top of the ladder, but that was intolerable to the men of the rival hose companies, and they turned hoses on him until

he was drowned from his positionentertain a vague idea that milk as while the hotel burned. Next to the small boy who saved furniture from burning by smashing it the pugnacious and jealous fireman was the best friend of the fire .-- Youth's Companion.

AGREEABLE PLACE TO READ

Train Declared to Be Best Place for This Pastime, Adhering to Certain Precautions.

The most agreeable place to read any book is on the train. One is comparatively safe from Interruption, one cannot be annoyed by the telephone, one almost always has a good light both by day and by night.

Two suggestions will be found practical: In general sit on the right side of the train; then you will usually have no track outside your window. On the left side freight trains, running in the same direction, keep intervening between you and the light, and it usually seems as if every freight train was at least four miles long; when your railway car has finally passed it to find his way to freedom. Then, and you hear the maddened snort of when about to escape, he was to be the freight locomotive, maddened beyou have escaped, your

HOW

VARIOUS FOODS AFFECT HEART OF HEALTHY MAN. -Dr. M. Heitler, a German physician, has conducted a series of investigations to determine the effects of various foods, beyerages, condiments and spices, as well as the effect of cooking, chewing and digestion upon the pulse and cardiac (heart) activity, and found that all the foods. accessory foods and spices, with the exception of very acid substances, coffee, tea and cocoa, had a stimulating effect on the heart. Water inhibits the depressive effect of stimulants from heating.

The depressive substances become stimulants by their mixture with stimulants (in which sugar plays an important part), or their action is diminished. The depressive substances become stimulating after they ar heated and water increases the stimulating effect. If the substance tested is applied to the palare the effect is greater than when applied to the mucosa (lining) of the cheek.

Different portions of the same vegetables have different effects. Acids applied to the tongue cause depression of the pulse; applied to the mucosa of the cheek and palate, they cause an increase of the pulse, but applied to the whole oral (mouth) cavity, there is depression of the pulse. Spices, with the exception of onion and garlic, are stimulating when applied to the tongue, and mucosa of the cheek and palate; onlon and gartle are stimulating when applied to the tongue, depressive when applied to the cheek and palate, and stimulating when applied to the whole oral cavity.

UNDERGO CHANGES OF COLOR

How Nature Has Devised Scheme of Protection for Some Smaller Species of Fish.

That fish are enabled to change their color in the same manner as some animals has been proven by some experiments. For the purpose the common killifish or salt water minnows were made use of. These are ordinarily of a light-gray color, but upon being placed in a dish with dark lining they became almost black. Without making any changea in the character of the illumination of the room, the fish were placed in a white porcelain dish and they immediately took on a much lighter shade. That the color was under the control of the fish was demonstrated by severing the spinal cord of one of them which had already under the the change noted above in the mal manner, whereupon the posterior part remained dark while the front part underwent the anticipated change. The light affecting the fish's eyes was found to be responsible own for the changes of color, as these did not occur after cutting the optic nerves of fishes whose changes had been normal.

bottle or a tin can. The American animal that generates milk will be right before their eyes, and, no doubt, at fixed times of day she will be milked in the presence of large and deeply interested juvenile audiences. In St. Louis it was found that there were large numbers of children that had never seen a sheep, a somewhat smaller number that had never beheld a pig, and a very considerable per-

centage to whom a cow was only a

heard the story and were assured there were no more snakes of any kind on the ship, but it did not prewent them looking into lockers and under the bunks at night before turning in.

It is believed that the snakes came on board the Arizaba two trips ago as part of a show going to Havana and three of the reptiles had escaped from The boxes they were kept in and slid Cown the skin of the ship.

Took Photo of Lightning.

In the days of Benjamin Franklin, little was known of lightning, and the Tamiliar zigzag line long remained its anly graphic representation. Now, with the high-speed photographic lens the discharge of enormous electric pressures, built up in the laboratory. supplanting nature's display, the violent bolt resolves itself into a maze of threads of wonderful beauty and orderly formation. Popular Mechanics Magazine shows a picture taken in the General Electric compazy's laboratories, when a charge of 1,800,000 walts broke through the gaps between three electrodes, forming a mine-foot equilaterial triangle.

Not Her Darling. Mr. Meek, a widower with one daughter, had married Mrs. Wild, a widow with a daughter.

The curate was visiting the newly wedded folks, and the new Mrs. Meek was trying to make a good impression on him

"Yes," she was saying, "my steptransferrer is as near to me as my own daughter. I show no preference and love them equally."

There was a step outside the door, then a tap.

Mrs. Wild put on her kindliest smile. "Is that you, darling?" she asked,

"No, ma," came the weary voice of ther stepdaughter, "I's me."-Judge.

Extending Bombay, India.

Extensive reclamation work is beog carried out at Bombay, India, says an inustrated article in Popular Mechanics Magazine. By means of a wat inclosing sea wall, four miles ng. 1,145 acres of Back bay will be reclaimed. The estimated quantities of material required for this wall in rable feet are: rubble, 9,223,280 heavy pitching stone, 3,465,500, and crete, 3,694,690. An additional work of smaller importance is another re-chamation of some 132 acres. The estinamed total cost of these enterprises, tess interest during the six years rered for completion, is £583,333.

No Sooner Said Than Done.

We recently moved to a new neighborhood, having bought an old house that we are remodeling.

One of my neighbors dropped in while I was staining the stairs, and in the course of our chat I said "I'd just like to get hold of the creature who put soft wood stairs in this house and used hardwood for the railings. He must have been a choice idiot to taking the place of the human eye, and put soft wood where the wear comes."

> She was quiet a moment and then said: "People didn't use hardwood when we built this house."-Chicago Tribune.

Explained.

"Say, that land you sold me, sight unseen, was nothing but a swamp," said the irate caller.

"Isn't your name Blithersby?" asked the alert dealer. "No. It's Twobble."

"That's probably how it happened. I had a client named Blithersby who wanted some land suitable for duck hunting and I got the order mixed. Sorry, sir. You might see Mr. Blithersby."-Birmingham Age-Herald.

Sure.

"Did you sell Mr. Twobble any of that stock?"

"No," said the salesman. "When I told him it would make him rich in six months he said he couldn't stand the shock of sudden wealth. Do you suppose he was joking."

"You showed him the stock, didn't you?"

"Yes."

"He was joking."-Birmingham Age-Herald.

Royal Perfume is a Secret. **Oueen** Alexandra's favorite perfume is "Ess Bouquet," which has been in use among the English royal family for nearly one hundred years, but the recipe of which has always been kept a secret by the manufacturers, and handed down from father to son.

Metric System Spreads.

The government of the Netherlands East Indies is to substitute the metric system of weights and measures in the retail trade in place of the avoirdupois system now in use in some of these atries.

"The curse of my life," said the

Rev. Father Duffy, chaplain of the Sixty-ninth New York regiment, acent of the Cincinnati Times-Star, "has horse is something I can respect but never love. I once scandalized General Pershing by telling him that I thought Henry Ford made better horses than the Almighty did. Every colonel I ever saw has put me on horse and made me miserable. went to one of them in France, lame and crippled, to make a modest protest, and he told me just to keep on riding and I'd be all right. Later that colonel told me I was ruinin' th' uniforms of the regiment and wearin' out th' knees of the men savin' mass on a graveled parade ground. 'Why not have the mass somewhere else?' asked the colonel. 'Let you all stay on your knees,' said I; 'it'll do you as much good as it does me to stay on that horse.""

Why Styles in Tanks Change.

Storage tanks with a smaller diameter and greater height are an important factor in decreasing evaporation, according to a Texas oil company, now busy installing the newer design. The smaller surface of the tank, it is claimed, overcomes to a large extent the usual loss from this cause. Another special feature in the construction is the arrangement of keeping the birds down while shootsixteen incoming pipe lines, which ing. are run down the inside to within a few inches of the bottom. This method serves to lessen the evaporation which would otherwise occur with the surface being constantly disturbed by the flowing in of oil at the top. The tanks are nineteen feet high, have a diameter of ten feet, and hold about 10,000 gallons. The old construction. it is estimated, resulted in a loss of about 20 per cent of the contents .--Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Seems to Disprove Theory.

Cold, miserable, hungry-looking, bedraggled and disconsolate, the tiny little kitten meowed plteously; hurrving throngs passed by on their way to work; some cast a pitying glance at the poor creature, but of the dozens that went scurrying on none stopped. At last there came a girl, wearing the costume of a flapper. An instant she hesitated, then, grabbing up the solled feline, marched into a lunchroom and bought that little outcast a pint of half-and-half. And yet there are learned and distinguished statesmen who evince doubt as to whether or not women have souls .-- Washington Star. | midge, a minute fly.

which he was to fall back from the ladder, exclaiming:

like that before breathing his last. "On this occasion the revolver of ing it.

the man behind the scenes who was to fire a blank cartridge didn't work, and the man filing away at the bars could that he was shot. But he was a resourceful actor, and so he fell from the ladder at the right place, anyhow. As he did so he yelled:

"'Good heavens! I've swallowed the file!"-New York Herald.

Makes Living by Kite Flying.

Kite flying is usually looked upon as a pleasurable pastime for boys-or politicians. An enterprising Brighton firm, how-

ever has turned it into a paving commercial proposition, notes the London Daily News. Mrs. Bernard Roach, more popularly known as "Bobby," is the dominating figure in the firm. She makes kites of all designs and sizes, and it is amazing to see the uses to which she puts them. Primarily they are used for advertising.

"Bobby," however, has been towed out to sea in a canoe by one of her own kites; she has fished with them; set loose parachutes from them; distributed pamphlets from them; played what resembles an aerial jazz band with them, and has used them for

Irreverent Bolsheviki.

A mock trial took place at the Garrison club, Moscow, on January 27, in which God figured as the accused, according to dispatches from that city. Five thousand Red army officers and soldiers witnessed the trial, Leon Trotzky and Secretary Lunatsharky participating. Evidence was presented for and against God, as a counter-revolutionary power, and speeches delivered by the "defense" and the "prosecution." At the end of the proceedings a verdict of "guilty" was announced.

Insects as Radio Models.

Solomon advised the sluggard to "consider the ant," but the modern radio fan is advised to consider the gall midge and other forms of insect life by E. Porter Felt, New York state entomologist, who lectured recently on marked resemblance between the antennae, or "feelers," of some insects and the radio receiving sets. He said he had made a successful set patterned after the antennae of the gall

train then stops at a station just long enough to permit the entire freight "'Heavens, I'm shot!' or something train to pass, when once more you begin the tedious process of overhaul-

Therefore, sit on the right side of the train. Secondly, ride backward, if you can. It is easier on the eyes, not consistently fall back, exclaiming In this attitude, the trees, posts and the manufacture of linen is the pulllandscape fade gently and gracefully away, whereas sitting forward, they rush furiously and directly into your defenseless face. -- William Lyon Phelps in Scribner's Magazine.

Topaz of Various Colors.

The topaz may be pink, as well as blue or yellow, and it may also be colorless and still be a topaz. Or it may be a rich reddish brown. There's a red brown Colorado topaz at the museum that would warm you on a cold day with its glow. As for the clear varieties of topaz-from Maine, New Hampshire and Utah, as well as from the Ural mountains-they are lovely as diamonds, though lacking the dazzling brilliance of that hardest of Mechanics Magazine. all stones.

What Happened to the Violets.

Dad was a triffe near-sighted. Bluebelle had been presented with a fine bunch of violets, but they had disappeared, and she was very much put out. It was her intention to wear them to the matinee and she had placed them in the refrigerator the evening before to keep fresh. After listening to her complaints for a while, dad spoke up.

"I made myself a salad last night, daughter. I guess I ate your violets with mayonnaise."

Peanuts on the Train.

In a count recently made in a Long island train leaving Pennsylvania station for Jamaica salted peanuts took the lead in a list of the things people eat to while away the trip, says the New York Sun.

Out of a possible 100 persons in the car 14 were eating something. Six were eating salted peanuts, one had a big red apple, two had raisins, one was eating fruit tablets, one chocolate peppermints, two had dates put up in small boxes and one youngster was busily licking the paint off a lollypop. Perhaps because they had heard that peanuts have many vitamines in a concentrated form or perhaps because you get a lot for a nickel-whatever the eason they were the most popular

How Machine Pulls Flax.

One of the most costly and tedloun of the processes in connection with ing of the flax, which hitherto has had to be done by hand. New attempts are now being made in Europe to do this mechanically and several tests recently have been made of different flax-pulling machines. The most successful seems to be one that is now running in Ireland. This machine, like others tried in England, France, Russia and Canada, fundamentally consists of a comblike arrangement that grasps the flax stems and by the resistance of the seed capsules of the fiber plucks them from the ground. After being pulled, the flax is thrown onto a binder arrangement similar to that used in grain harvesters. It is then bound and shocked, also like sheaves of grain .-- Popular

How Phonograph is Improved.

By controlling the speed of a revolving phonograph record, an English inventor gets twenty minutes of music on one side of a twelve-inch record, instead of the usual four minutes or thereabouts, according to Popular Mechanics Magazine. When the record disk revolves at a uniform angular speed, as at present, the outer groove of the record moves more swiftly than any other groove that is nearer to the center. Thus, although the outer groove is about four times as long as the inner one, it can contain no more music, making necessary a variation in the recording speed. In the new method, the recording speed is made constant, and by correspondingly controlling the speed of the record, the impression upon it of a very much greater number of sound vibrations is made possible.

How Receptacles Affect Food.

Porcelain and glass food receptacles are stimulating, also those of silver, gold, iron and nickel; lead, copper and German silver are depressive, but wood is indifferent. The entrance of the substance into the stomach causes similar changes in the pulse as their application to the tongue or mouth re-spectively, but the change in the pulse is greater and of short duration.. The diminution of the palse is assoc with lowered blood pressure.