

CITY TAXES \$6000 AHEAD LAST YEAR

COLLECTIONS LAST NIGHT TO-TALLED \$26,719.97 COMPARED WITH \$20,995 YEAR AGO

PAYMENTS OF SCHOOL TAX

Number of Receipts Issued About Same as Last Year—But Collections Are Larger

City tax payments last night were more than \$6,000 ahead of the same date a year ago. At the close of business last night City Tax Collector Harry F. Robertson had issued receipts for \$26,719.97. On the same date a year ago his books show collections of \$20,995.

Tax receipts issued up to last night numbered 906 compared with 889 a year ago. To date 498 sewer tax receipts for a total of \$2529 have been issued, compared with 522 receipts and collections of \$2810.23 a year ago. Mr. Robertson had issued 477 school tax receipts up to last night for a total of \$16,362.72, compared with 979 receipts and collections of \$15,060.24 on the same date a year ago.

No poll taxes are required in the city this year. The totals of city taxes for a year ago include poll tax payments.

SEVEN JURY TRIALS IN 6 DAYS IN COUNTY COURT

Seven jury trials in six days with a verdict in each case was the record in the county court last week. Not an hour was lost during the whole week.

Saturday the case of Dollie Castor vs. the Fort Worth & Denver for damages for the killing of two cows was heard. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff for \$160. Friday afternoon a verdict for the defendant was returned in the case of Pate & Vonderlippe vs. C. J. Shamake.

INDEPENDENT OIL MEN FAVOR TEXAS CO. BILL

More Than Twenty Sign Resolution Endorsing Measure Before Legislature

While a number of oil producers of this section are allied with the opponents of the so-called Texas Oil Company bill now before the legislature, a large number of them are giving their hearty endorsement to the measure. More than twenty independent producers in Wichita and Clay counties have signed a memorial to the legislature in support of the bill. Included in this number are J. W. Stringer, Clint Wood, J. A. Fisher, the Five Rivers Oil Company, Walter Heid, P. P. Langford and others.

The memorial which has already been forwarded to Austin follows:

"Whereas, we are informed that there is now pending before the legislature a bill designed to enlarge the charter powers of oil companies, thereby enabling such companies to engage in all branches of the business under one charter, and further to allow the ownership of stock in subsidiary companies and for other purposes, and

"Whereas, such bill is so drawn as to protect the public from a violation of the anti-trust laws and to protect competitors from unfair competition, and

"Whereas, we are informed that the Texas Company seeks the passage of such a bill; now recognize that the Texas Company is the State's largest enterprise and that it has, up to this time, been law abiding, and because we believe the bill to be necessary to enable such company to do business outside the State, we endorse the said bill and recommend its passage by the legislature."

A number of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce and prominent citizens also have signed a memorial favoring the passage of the bill.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR WILL INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

The newly elected officers of the Wichita Falls Commandery Knights Templar will be installed next Friday night, when all members of the Commandery are urged to come out.

I. H. Roberts was chosen eminent commander has not yet announced his appointments for the six appointive offices. Those elected are: I. H. Roberts—Eminent Commander, Frank Collier—Generalissimo, C. W. Richolt—Captain General, J. M. Bland—Senior Warden, E. V. Friberg—Junior Warden, H. G. Robb—Prelate, P. P. Langford—Treasurer, A. F. Kerr—Recorder, L. C. Hinkley—Sentinel.

Has Something That Will Stop Headache

If headache develops while shopping or at business, just stop in any good drug store and ask for the fountain of youth's headache relief, which is so successful in relieving headache because it removes the cause, whether from cold, heat, nervousness or grippe. It is a liquid and pleasant to take. Don't ever suffer with headache when this remedy is at hand. The drugist has it in 1cc, 2cc and 6cc sizes.

POLL PAYMENTS RUNNING BEHIND

263 RECEIPTS FEWER THAN SAME DATE YEAR AGO REPORTED

PROPERTY TAX FIGURES

Collections To Date \$101,008.30 Leaving \$91,158.16 Yet To Be Collected

Poll tax payments up to the close of business last night were 263 short of the number on the same date a year ago. Tax Collector B. M. Ballard had issued 1364 poll tax receipts and twenty-seven exemptions last night. On the same date last year 1627 poll receipts and forty-three exemptions had been issued.

At the close of business at the tax collector's office last night \$101,008.30 had been paid in leaving \$91,158.16 yet to be collected before midnight next Saturday night.

The number of receipts issued for each voting precinct compared with the figures of a year ago follow:

No. 1 City Hall	172	156
No. 2 Courthouse	226	128
No. 3 Alameda	23	18
No. 4 Cashlon	28	28
No. 5 Burkburnett	145	128
No. 6 Iowa Park	154	106
No. 7 Denny	31	20
No. 8 Beaver Creek	14	13
No. 9 Clara	22	29
No. 10 Electric	309	265
No. 11 Bridge Box	69	77
No. 12 Car Barn	187	161
No. 13 Courthouse	228	235

QUANAH BANK ROBBERS ARE TAKEN INTO CUSTODY

(Quanah Tribune-Chief.)

An important arrest was made at Roaring Springs Saturday when three men, newcomers to the country, were arrested on suspicion of being bank robbers, wanted in Arizona. About a month ago a man who gave his name as Joe F. Smith opened a butcher shop at Roaring Springs and began buying hogs in large numbers and shipping them out. Before long he was joined by two others, Joe Hale and brother, who went to boarding at the same place with Smith and seemed to be old cronies. All three seemed very illiterate, though well dressed, and had to be assisted whenever any writing or figuring had to be done. Their landlady became suspicious of her boarders, feeling assured there was something wrong about the men, and one day opened a suit case standing in Joe Smith's room. Such a pile of yellow backs and hard money greeted her eyes that her suspicions became a certainty and she notified the officers. A little quiet investigating brought out the fact that they hailed from Arizona, and were supposed to have taken part in a recent bank robbery, hence the arrests followed. Joe Smith, about fifty years old, was in Quanah a couple of times during the past month. He bought cattle from Captain McDonald, hogs from Mayor Kerrigan and attracted attention by his lavish display of wealth. He carried his suit case, containing a couple of thousand in gold about with him, and at one time left it in the Bonton restaurant unlocked. When remonstrated with, he took his suit case to the bank for safe keeping. In all there were four bank robbers for whom a reward of two thousand dollars has been offered, one of whom is still at large. The bunch seemed to be half drunk all the time and their actions and talk created suspicion in the minds of several. One of the Hale boys, traveling one day with the hack-driver from Roaring Springs to Floydada, told the young driver all about the bank robbery in broad daylight. The boy considered it drunken talk and did not pay much attention to it, but his father, hearing of it, informed the officers. A detective arrived from Arizona and began shadowing the men. When the arrests were made Saturday a telephone message from Captain McDonald was received a few minutes afterward ordering their apprehension, and stating that the Captain would come after them.

SWEDISH STEAMER IS AGROUND ON MUD BANK

By Associated Press.

Galveston, Texas, Jan. 23.—The Swedish steamer Marie bound for Honduras with a cargo of cotton seed cake is aground on a mud-bank in Bolinas Roads. She is not in a dangerous position.

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Melba Toilet Water imparts the fresh, delightful odor of the growing flowers, possessing exquisite fragrance, delicate, yet with full lasting qualities. Violet, Adoree, Rose, Lov' Me, Shaf-rock, Gardenia, Bouquet and Honey-suckle. In beautiful seven-ounce Melba Pyramid bottle. Price \$1.00.

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DOLLAR DAY MONDAY

Sale Begins at 8:30

MONDAY WILL BE DOLLAR DAY AT THE BIG STORE

Monday has been set aside as our final cleaning up day from all departments, where all lines will be assembled into Dollar lots. In many instances these offers represent values up to 5 and 6 times this price. Yet you may come early for we assure you every item will be sold just as it is advertised on this page.



SAVE A DOLLAR

One Lot of Wool Dress Goods Values up to 69c yd.—Monday 5 yds. for \$1.00

9-4 Pepperell Bleach Sheeting 4 1-2 yards \$1 00	36 inch Hope Domestic 14 yards for \$1 00	18x36 inch Bleach Huck Towels 1 dozen for \$1 00	15c Greenfield Nainsook 10 yards for \$1 00	12 1-2c Unbleach Cotton Flannel 14 yards for \$1 00
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One lot of children's serge, percale and gingham dresses, values up to \$3.00 **\$1.00**

One lot of children's coats, ages 3 to 5 years, in several styles, values up to \$4.00, for **\$1.00**

One lot of ladies' waists, values up to \$3.50, your choice **\$1**

One lot of ladies' skirts in light and dark colors, former values up to \$10.00 for **\$1**

One lot of children's trimmed hats and ladies' silk velvet untrimmed hats, worth up to \$5.00 **\$1**



SAVE A DOLLAR

REMEMBER THESE SAVINGS ARE FOR ONE DAY ONLY

SAVE DOLLARS ON SHOES MONDAY

One assorted lot of children's shoes in several styles, sizes up to No. 2, values up to \$3.00, for **\$1 00**

One lot of about 150 pair of several style ladies' and misses' shoes, values up to \$4.00 per pair **\$1 00**

All ladies' felt house slippers, all sizes and colors, values up to \$1.75, choice **\$1 00**



SAVE A DOLLAR

One Lot of Fine Wool Dress Goods Values to \$2.00 yd. Monday per yd. \$1.00

One big line of men's dress shirts, values up to \$2.50 for \$1	One broken assortment of men's \$3.00 and \$3.50 new shape hats, your choice \$1	One lot of men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 flannelette pajamas, your choice Monday \$1
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One lot of children's hose, our best 25c values, Monday 5 pair for only **\$1 00**

Royal Cuticle Soap
25 cakes for **\$1 00**

35c to 50c
Fancy Ribbons
5 yards for **\$1 00**

Good grade
Cotton checks
16 yards for **\$1 00**

36 inch
Indian Head
7 yards for **\$1 00**

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WICHITA DAILY TIMES

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NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

Carrier boys are not authorized, nor is it any part of their duty, to collect for subscriptions to The Times...

The American steamship Dacia, an interned vessel purchased of the Hamburg-American Steamship Company, was loaded with 11,000 bales of cotton...

Some of the newspapers at Henrietta, Graham, Vernon and other neighboring cities seem to be quite envious of Wichita Falls and show it to some extent by opposing a new district court for this city...

The little city of Sweetwater owns its waterworks plant, and quite recently constructed a reservoir located six miles from the city from which to draw its supply of water...

Frank Lyan, who was arrested several nights ago when a diamond necklace reported stolen from a house in the first district was found in his possession...

Frank Lyan, who is a cowboy, said that he picked the necklace from the floor of the house and after whirling it around his finger for a while dropped it into his pocket...

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the municipalities that call for serious thought and consideration. The citizen should have the right to spend his money for any purpose he desires so long as the expense does not conflict with public policy...

FURTHER FACTS FOR MISSOURIANS

It is hard to convince Missourians. However clear one may present a thing in theory some one is sure to ask for rock-bottom facts and concrete illustrations...

Then here it is: The city owns its sewer system and charges each property holder a low rental for same. But with this rental all expenses have been paid and the city has over \$12,000 surplus in its treasury...

Some years ago the city came near letting the sewer contract to a private corporation, but the plan, I am informed, was blocked in the city council by the opposition of Dr. Reed, who was then a member of that body...

PATRONAGE DISPUTE IS NEAR SETTLEMENT

Reported President Will Make Other Nominations in Some Instances

Washington, Jan. 23.—Indications tonight pointed to an early settlement of the patronage dispute between the president and the Senate...

NECKLACE WORTH \$35 LYNN IS DISCHARGED

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FALLING OFF IS SHOWN IN DIRECTORY OF LONDON

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STEED JURY UNABLE TO REACH AGREEMENT

Discharged by Judge Akis Late Yesterday After Having Been Out 76 Hours

After having been out more than 76 hours without reaching an agreement on a verdict, the jury in the trial of Ross Steed was discharged late yesterday afternoon by Judge Akis...

HANG LAW, BUT BUILD CANAL COLONEL SAID

Col. Goethals Tells Interesting Incident To Chicago Geographic Society

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Col. George W. Goethals was presented with a gold medal by the Chicago Geographic Society tonight...

PASTOR, JUST DIVORCED, REFUSED LICENSE TO WED

Law of Minnesota Prevents Him From Marrying at Present—Must Wait Six Months

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 23.—The Rev. James M. Darvall, whose marital difficulties resulted recently in a divorce being granted to Mrs. Doris Vaughn Darnell of Chicago...

CHARGE OF DOG THEFT RESULTS IN DAMAGE SUIT

W. T. Walton has filed suit for \$5,000 damages in the district court against C. M. Ray...

Walton alleges in his petition that Ray told several parties that he had stolen a stag hound from him, and further that he swore out a complaint before the county attorney which caused him to be prosecuted for theft...

FIRES IN MINERAL WELLS CAUSE LOSSES OF \$30,000

Four Brick Business Buildings Are Burned—Fireman Is Injured While at Work

Mineral Wells, Texas, Jan. 23.—Fire destroyed four brick business buildings here last night, doing \$28,000 damage. Another fire in the residence district this morning brought the total losses up to \$30,000...

BAD WEATHER CAUSES DACIA TO DELAY SAILING

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PARMENTER BROS. BUY NOBLE HARDWARE STORE

Formal Opening Under New Management Announced For Monday Evening

Parmenter Bros., recently from Mineral Wells, but formerly of Cabell, Mo., have purchased the stock of the Noble Hardware Company and are already in charge of the business...

Parmenter Bros. have been in business at Mineral Wells during the past two years, coming to that place from Cabell, Mo., where they conducted a hardware and banking business for some time...

15,000 QUAKE VICTIMS ARE SHELTERED AT ROME

Woman Buried Seven Days Sees Her Seven Children Die and Goes Insane

Rome, Jan. 23.—The number of injured who have been brought here from the earthquake zone to be cared for has now reached 15,000. A pitiful case is that of Marie Irti, extricated after seven days burial in the ruins of the town of Orucchio...

QUAHAR BURGLAR CAUGHT AFTER EXCITING CHASE

City Marshal Wardlaw struck great excitement in the neighborhood of the Police depot Tuesday morning. Mrs. Fitzgerald had just observed him that she had caught a burglar in her house and wanted him to make an arrest...

MILES OF TRENCHES NOW ENCIRCLE PARIS

CITY ENTIRELY SURROUNDED BY DEFENSES, READY FOR ANY SIEGE

Paris, Jan. 23.—The army of excavators who early in September began to dig Paris in when a German siege was threatened, have completed their work...

GRASS FIRES KEEP FIRE DEPARTMENT ON THE GO

Two Alarms From This Cause Within Three Minutes Yesterday Afternoon

Two alarms on account of grass fires were turned into the fire station yesterday afternoon within three minutes. The first was from the corner of Tenth and Bluff streets and the other from 1100 Tenth street...

Advertisement for Pennington's clothing store. Features images of suits and text: '812 814 Ohio Ave. Pennington's Popular Merchandise at Popular Prices. Pennington Values New Skirts That Reached Us this Week. Embodiment all that is in, materials and style of tailoring. At \$5.50 and \$6, At \$6.50 and \$7.50, At \$8.00 \$8.50 \$9 \$10 and \$12.50. 812-814 Ohio Avenue, 812-813 Ohio Avenue.'

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EVERY PRECAUTION IS TAKEN

Prepared To Withstand Enemy For Long Period Should Circumstances Make it Necessary

SECRETARY NAMED FOR MARKETING ASSOCIATION

George Simmons Named For That Position—Selection of Directors is Deferred

George Simmons, an old and well known citizen of Wichita Falls, was chosen secretary of the newly organized Farmers Co-operative Marketing Company at a meeting of farmers held at the Chamber of Commerce room Saturday afternoon...

Says "Never Again" Is Watchword of Europe's Militarists

New York, Jan. 23.—Alfred Noyes, English poet and peace advocate, arrived today aboard the Lusitania.

GUY WAGGONER'S FIRST WIFE BECOMES HIS BRIDE AGAIN

Port Worth, Texas, Jan. 23.—Guy L. Waggoner, son of the richest cattle man in the Southwest and probably in the world, W. F. Waggoner, of Port Worth, was married Thursday for the third time his bride being his first wife, Mrs. Katherine Waggoner...

MUCH TROUBLE IS CAUSED BY INCOMPETENT NURSING

Girls Who Enlisted Are Found in Many Instances To Be Totally Unfit For Work

London, Jan. 23.—Too sick to be nursed today, a placard, said to have been placed over the bedstead of a soldier wounded in the South African campaign, is much needed in British hospitals now, according to the National Council of Trained Nurses, which has sent to Lord Kitchener a protest against the employment of incompetent nurses...

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Personal Mention

J. M. McFall left last night for Corpus Christi on business.

Mrs. B. Davis is visiting her parents at Stephenville, Texas.

Mrs. A. J. Cooper of Seymour is the guest of Mrs. Selma Hammond.

Mrs. R. B. Manis has returned to Waco, after a visit of a month with Mrs. Selma Hammond.

Rev. F. A. Brascher, pastor of the Lutheran Trinity church, left yesterday for Stamford, where he will preach today.

Mrs. W. B. Reynolds and children returned yesterday from Wolfe City, where they have been visiting relatives since the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee of Woodward, Oklahoma, stopped off here en route from Galveston, Texas, to spend a few days with Mrs. T. C. Page.

Mrs. A. F. Nichols of Kansas City arrived today to visit with her nephew, T. B. Wilson, and family at Mankins. Mr. Wilson and family were here to meet her.

W. R. Ferguson, president of the Wichita State Bank, will leave Monday night for a two months' stay at Hot Springs, where he will take treatment for an affection of his eye.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Zundelovits are now at home to their friends in their handsome new residence, 1104 Austin. This is one of the most beautiful homes in the city in both exterior and interior.

Mrs. Ben Wilkinson of Grandfield, Oklahoma, is in the city yesterday. Mrs. Wilkinson exhibited Rhode Island Reds at the poultry show, winning a goodly number of prizes. She intends to exhibit here again next December.

Mrs. George Mester and little daughter returned to their home at Waco yesterday, after a short visit with Mrs. J. W. Stone and other friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDowell, who have been the guests of Mr. McDowell's parents here, will return to their home at Childress today.

Chief of Police J. B. Nail has returned from Memphis, where he was summoned Friday as a witness in the trial of John Ties, charged with the forgery of a telegram, by which he obtained money here from a bank at Memphis. The case was given to the jury Friday night.

Frank B. Fauntleroy returned to Fort Worth yesterday, after a week's visit with relatives and friends here.

Dr. L. C. Tyson has returned from Fort Worth, where he was called by the illness of his son, Walter Tyson. The latter is suffering from bronchitis, but his condition is not considered serious.

J. W. Meadors of Haskell, exhibitor of the turkeys at the chicken show here last week, was a visitor here yesterday. Mr. Meadors says he will have a larger exhibit at the poultry show next December. The big tom which attracted so much attention at the show, he says, weighed 45 pounds when last weighed, about a month ago. It is believed the tom would now weigh not less than fifty pounds.

DR. J. W. DuVAL
SPECIALIST
Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat.
GLASSES FITTED.

OLD HETERODOX CHURCH PASSES OUT OF EXISTENCE

By Associated Press. London, Jan. 23.—The Theistic Church, a heterodox organization which for many years occupied an odd little building, once a Huguenot chapel, in Swallow street just off Piccadilly, has disappeared from the Sunday list of religious services. Its founding by the late Charles Voysey was a sensational event in the religious world during the seventies. When the Rev. Voysey was expelled from the Anglican church after being tried and found guilty of heresy, he carried a number of followers with him. His doctrine was of the Unitarian order, and his service was aided by high class music. At his death three years ago, the pastorate was given to Dr. Walter Walsh, once the central figure in a heresy trial and well known as a modernist and a democratic worker in civic affairs in Dundee. Dr. Walsh occupied the pulpit for two years. But the congregation dwindled to such an extent that he church seemed unable to support itself.

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ONLY ONE ENEMY SAYS GERMAN PAPER

By Associated Press. London, Jan. 23.—Under the heading "We have only one enemy," a Hamburg newspaper according to the Reuters' correspondent at Amsterdam says "A striking proof of this phrase is to be found in the new prizes which the official Reichs Anzeiger announces have been set aside for special military achievements. Three of the four prizes are aimed against England and consist of sum of money varying in value from \$125 to \$625. These amounts will be awarded to the "first soldier who first steps on the soil of Great Britain as a combatant; the crew of an airship which before December 31, 1915, accomplished the first flight to the British coast and drops a bomb on English territory and the aviator who drops the first bomb on Dover."

"A Question of Courage" at the Empire Monday is a strong drama from actual conditions during our Civil War that shows that General Grant has a big heart, though on the wrong side of the fight.

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IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

WITH THE WOMEN OF THE CHURCHES

The Guild of the Good Shepherd will observe the regular monthly missionary program Monday with Mrs. Frank Blair as hostess.

The Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet Monday afternoon in the church parlors, lesson to be taken from the new study book "In Red Man's Land."

The Women's Alliance of the First Baptist Church will hold their regular monthly missionary program Monday. The subject will be "Local Organization" with Circle No. 1 in charge of the lesson.

The Ladies Aid of the Central Presbyterian Church will meet Monday with Mrs. W. H. Smith, 409 Lee street. This will be an important business meeting and all members are urged to attend.

The Ladies Aid of the First M. E. Church will hold their monthly special meeting Monday with Mrs. A. L. Thornberry, 1008 Polk. All ladies of the church are extended a cordial invitation to attend.

A young woman's auxiliary to the Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, will be organized at

the home of Mrs. C. W. Snider, 1600 Tenth street Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All young married women and young ladies of the church are urged to be present.

MRS. M. A. BECKMAN HOSTESS TO THE PATHFINDER CLUB The Pathfinder Club met Friday afternoon in regular session with Mrs. M. A. Beckman. The lesson was a continuation of the study of High Renaissance painting and an interesting paper was read on "Le Espagnol" by Mrs. Beckman and Miss Hazel Hunter also had an entertaining paper, taking for her subject, "Salvator Rosa." An instructive discussion of the lesson followed, many points being brought out by Miss Stone, the leader.

MR. AND MRS. C. W. SNIDER ENTERTAIN AT DINNER Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Snider, cashier of the City National Bank and wife, entertained the bank employes with a 7 o'clock dinner at their home.

For some time an attendance rivalry has existed between the Baraca and Philentheas classes of the M. E. Church, South, Sunday school, C. W. Snider having offered to entertain in honor of the class that attained an attendance of 25 first. The young ladies class on last Sunday had an attendance of 28 with two visitors while the young men could boast of only 24.

KEWPIE CLUB MEETS WITH MISS PAULINE TAYLOR

The regular session of the Kewpie Club was held Friday afternoon with Miss Pauline Taylor as hostess. The girls spent the afternoon in sewing and the hostess served a delicious salad course, the members present being: Misses Lendre Thompson, Lilly Fowler, Zelma Randolph, Sadie Adickes, Marie Berry, Mary Taylor, Thelma Taylor and the hostess.

MRS. H. D. PHILLIPS HOSTESS TO SOCIAL HOUR CLUB Members of the Social Hour Club were very pleasantly entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. H. D. Phillips. Crocheting and other fancy-work provided a pleasant occupation for the afternoon and delightful music was furnished by Miss Potter, a guest. A tempting refreshment course was served to the following: Mesdames Wilson, Rone, McConnell, Horton, Small, Ashford, Rosark and Miss Potter. The club will meet next in two weeks with Mrs. F. R. McConnell as hostess.

M. E. SOUTH BARACAS AND PHILENTHAS ENTERTAINED

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SOCIAL CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday, Jan. 25—Meeting of the various church societies, mentioned elsewhere in this column. Tuesday, Jan. 26—Standard Club will meet with Mrs. Fred Harrington. The B. O. B.'s will meet with Miss Lois Morgan. Mrs. J. J. DeBerry will be hostess to the Art Literature Club. The Tuesday Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. Wade Walker. The Progressive Crochet Club will be entertained in all-day session with Mrs. W. R. Thompson.

Wednesday, Jan. 27—The New Century Club will meet with Mrs. R. C. Smith. The Modern Crochet Club will meet with Mrs. T. W. Scott. Mrs. W. Wallace will be hostess to the Rowena Circle at her home, 1105 Scott. The Sewing Club will meet with Mrs. H. J. Bachman. The Monroe Sewing Club will meet with Mrs. Williams. Mrs. Nace Clifford will be hostess to the Delphian Society. Miss Orvita Wyatt will be hostess to the Old Maid Club.

Thursday, Jan. 28—Thursday Forty-two Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Langford. Mrs. Oscar Williams will entertain the Sew So Club. The Wichita Travel Club will meet with Mrs. Andrew Urban, 2415 Ninth. The Thursday Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. M. J. Gardner. The Musicians' Club will carry out their regular program at 2:30: chorus practice at 2:45.

Friday, Jan. 29—The Pathfinder Club will meet with Miss Della Stone. Mrs. Doss Berry will be hostess to the D. O. D's. The Kewpie Club will meet with Miss Lenore Thompson. Mrs. J. C. Hunt will be hostess to the Unity Club.

TRAVEL CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. J. L. MCKEE THURSDAY

The Wichita Travel Club met Thursday morning with Mrs. J. L. McKee with Miss Potter as leader. The lesson, a continuation of the study of India was found to be of much interest and papers were read as follows: "Caste and Its Causes," Mrs. Hamlin; "The Sacred River," Mrs. Urban and "The Products of India," Mrs. Bell. Enjoyable features of the program were read by Mrs. George A. Akin and a vocal selection by Miss Ritchie. Those present were: Mesdames George W. Akin, Bell, Faust, LeRoy, Urban, Hamlin, Alexander, Smith, Dutton, Blair, Shelton, Johnson, J. W. Akin, McKee, Misses Ritchie and Potter.

MRS. T. T. T. REESE HOSTESS TO THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge Club met in regular fortnightly session Thursday with Mrs. T. T. T. Reese as hostess. Following the usual number of games a delicious salad course was served. The favor of the afternoon, a picture was cut for Mrs. McDipgor being fortunate. Mrs. Marchman of Dallas was the out of town guest, the other players being Mesdames Cravens, R. E. Huff, Dent, Frank Blair, Wiley Blair, Woodruff, Zundelwitz, Wade Walker, Sherrord, Toney, Cullinan, J. T. Montgomery, W. S. Robertson, Bruce Smith, Fenlon, Winfrey, McGregor, Gwynn, Stanforth and the hostess. Mrs. A. Zundelwitz will be hostess to the club two weeks hence.

F. H. S. C. MEETS WITH MRS. A. L. THORNBERRY THURSDAY

The Floral Heights Sunshine Club met Thursday with Mrs. A. L. Thornberry. Present as guests were Mesdames H. F. Thornberry, Salebury and R. M. Gardner of Weatherford, who enjoyed the afternoon with the club members, engaging in crocheting and other fancywork. The club voted unanimously to send flowers and best wishes for a speedy recovery to Mesdames Trevelthan and Southernland members who have been quite ill for some time. Late in the afternoon a cup of hot tea was served with delicious sandwiches, cakes and after dinner mints. The members present were: Mesdames Peery, Kelly, Cox, Kearby, Waggoner, Bullock, E. A. Fowler, Bernard Martin and the hostess.

MRS. BRUCE GREENWOOD HOSTESS TO UNITY CLUB

Continuing their study of "Coriolanus" the Unity Club with Mrs. Bruce Greenwood as hostess met in regular session Friday afternoon. Act II was completed and the opening scene of Act III taken up and discussed at length by Mrs. R. L. Miller. Following the completion of the lesson a social time was enjoyed, the hostess serving a salad plate as her refreshment feature. The members present were: Mesdames Anderson, Darnell, Gorsline, Greenwood, Kemp, Maer, Langford, Montgomery, Miller, Young and Miss Carrigan.

By Mrs. Carrigan and Mrs. Clifford. Old fashioned songs familiar to all were next in order sung en chorus. As a birthday remembrance the board of stewards presented Dr. Andrews with twenty dollars in gold, the gift being wrapped in numerous coverings of tissue paper, layer after layer until a parcel about six by eight inches was formed. A great deal of amusement was afforded by the unwrapping and a hoax was suspected by some before the center of the package was reached. At a late hour a delicious two course luncheon was served to the following: Messrs. Mack, Thomas, Blanc, Kelly, Noble, Clifford, Waggoner, Carpenter, Oral Jones, C. C. Knight, Harris, Hinckley, Martha, Kay, Reese, Chauncey, Guest, Downing, Greenwood, Reicholt, Mrs. J. O. McDowell and Overton McDowell and the honor guest, Dr. Andrews.

BIRTHDAY HOSPITALITY FOR DR. A. L. ANDREWS FRIDAY

Honoring the birthday of Dr. A. L. Andrews, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, Mrs. Andrews invited the stewards of the church and their wives to enjoy an informal evening Friday. For the occasion the reception hall, music room and dining rooms were tastefully decorated with ropes of evergreen twined on the stairs and wreathing the doors and windows. Flowers were used with the greens and the dining table was centered with a basket filled with sweet peas. Numerous selections on the piano were given by Miss Virginia Andrews who ably seconded the efforts of her mother in the delightful entertainment and vocal numbers were given

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The Wichita Falls Choral Society will meet for regular practice Monday evening at the First Christian Church. The society is doing excellent work with its rapidly increasing and enthusiastic membership and the practice promises to be of interest. All kinds light repairing, satisfaction guaranteed. E. M. Winfrey Gun Store. Phone 388. 13 1914

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AWARDS ANNOUNCED SATURDAY

Prizes Are Given Out in Various Classes By Judge Burton of Arlington

The first annual show of the North Texas Poultry Association came to a close last night and will be recorded as a most successful event. Although the idea of a poultry association was conceived only about a month ago and the show was decided upon only two weeks before it was held there were over half a hun-

red exhibitors and nearly 300 birds on exhibition. These birds were mostly owned by local exhibitors but Walter Burton of Arlington, Texas, judge of the show and for a number of years one of the leading poultry experts of the state, declared that the exhibits were of an exceptionally high class.

At a meeting of members of the association yesterday afternoon it was decided to hold the second annual show in this city December 15-18th of this year when an effort will be made to have a thousand birds on exhibition, and a show that will not be second to any held in the Southwest. Mr. Burton was again engaged as judge.

Awards Announced. Thousands have visited the exhibition during the three days it has been in progress and many have been surprised at the number and quality of the exhibits.

The judging was completed yesterday morning and the list of awards follows:
Winners of Sweepstakes Specials.
T. E. Cannedy, first best display.
W. P. Brooks, second best display.
Mrs. S. H. Apple, first cock.
E. W. Olds & Son, second cock.

Mrs. S. H. Apple, first hen.
T. E. Cannedy, second hen.
E. W. Olds & Son, first cockerel.
S. H. Apple, second cockerel.
T. E. Cannedy, first pullet.
Alva York, second pullet.
T. E. Cannedy, first pen.
R. E. Strange, second pen.

Extra Specials.
T. E. Cannedy, first, best and whitest dozen white eggs.
Mrs. M. D. Overfelt, second, best and whitest dozen white eggs.
Mrs. Lee Prescott, third, best and whitest dozen white eggs.

Mrs. M. D. Overfelt, first, best and largest dozen brown eggs.
George Simmons, second, best and largest dozen brown eggs.
W. T. Milliron, best display of pet stock.

Mrs. E. G. Cook, best pair of silver campines, raised from Cannedy's champion campines by his customers.
Winners of specials offered by the various merchants:
J. W. Meadows, Haskell, Mrs. S. H. Apple, R. E. Strange, Mrs. W. S. Currie, Miss Maud Taylor, T. E. Cannedy, E. W. Olds & Son, R. H. Whitworth, St. Clair Sherrod, Mrs. W. O. Hollis, Mrs. O. L. Green, John Black, J. F. McLokey, Brownwood, Albert Lucas, Mrs. E. G. Cook, Mrs. M. D. Overfelt.

Amateurs.
L. H. Howard—cock 1, hen 1 and 2.
T. H. Carden—pullet 1, 2, 3 and 4.

Amateurs.
W. J. Harris—cockerel (blue) 1; pullet 1, 2, 3 and 4, pin 1.

Brahmas.
Mrs. Eugene Sherrod—cockerel 2; pullet 4.
St. Clair Sherrod—cockerel 1; pullet 1, 2, 3, pen 1.

Campines.
T. E. Cannedy—cockerel (golden) 1; silver 1 and 2; hen (golden) 1 and 2 (silver) 1, 2, 3 and 4, pullet (silver) 1 and 2, pen (silver) 1 and 2.

Mrs. E. G. Cook—cock (silver) 1.
L. E. Anderson—cock (silver) 4.
W. T. Patterson, pullet (silver) 2; cockerel (silver) 2.

Fred Stengle—cock (silver) 2; pullet (silver) 4; pen (silver) 3.
Hamburg.
Mrs. O. L. Green—cock 1; hen 1.
Leghorn, White.
W. P. Brooks—cockerel 4; hen 2, 3 and 4; pullet 2 and 3; pen 1.

E. W. Olds & Son—cock 1; cockerel 1 and 2 and 3; hen 1; pullet 1 and 2.
Leghorn, Brown.
Lee Prescott—hen 1, 2, 3 and 4; pullet 1, 2, 3 and 4.

Langshan.
Mrs. W. S. Currie—cockerel 1; pullet 1.
Minorca, White.
E. S. Wright—cock 1; hen 1, 2, 3 and 4; pen 1.

Minorca, Black.
W. L. Pender—hen 1 and 2.
Orpington, White.
Mrs. E. G. Cook—pullet 2 and 3.
R. E. Strange—cockerel 1; hen 1, 2, 3 and 4; pen 1.
Robert Stayton Jr.—cockerel 2; pullet 1.

Alva York—cockerel 2; pullet 1.
George W. Anderson—cock 1, pullet 4; pen 2.
Orpington, Black.
Mrs. Thos. J. Wintermuth Jr.—cock 1, hen 1.

Orpington, Buff.
Mrs. M. D. Overfelt—cock 1; hen 1; pullet 1, 2 and 3; pen 1.
A. R. Breesale—pullet 4.
Plymouth Rock, Bayed.
J. F. McLokey and Son—cockerel 1, 3 and 4.
J. W. Campbell—hen 1; pullet 1, 2 and 3; pen 1.

W. P. Brooks—pullet 4.
H. A. Liles—cockerel 2.
Plymouth Rocks, White.
Alva York—cockerel 1.
Mrs. Sam Apple—cock 1; hen 1, 2 and 3.
John Black—pullet 2 and 3; cockerel 4; pen 2.
Sam Apple—cockerel 2.
Mrs. Mary A. Van Voy—cockerel 3; pullet 4; pen 2.
Albert Lucas—hen 4; cock 2; pen 1.

PH Games.
Throp Whitworth—cockerel 1; pullet 1.
R. H. Whitworth—cock 1; hen 1.
C. E. Van Voy—cock 2.
St. Clair Sherrod—cock 4; cockerel 1 and 2; hen 2; pullet 2.

W. C. B. Polish.
C. O. Simmons—cockerel 1; hen 1 and 2.
J. W. Bartle—cock 2.
Rhodes Island Reds.
Ben F. Williams—cockerel 1, 2 and 3; pullet 4; pen 1.

J. W. Duncan—pullet 2 and 4.
Mrs. T. R. Boone—cockerel 4.
Sashrights.
Miss Maud Taylor—cock (golden) 1; hen 2.

J. W. Pittman—hen 1.
Yarkys, Mammoth Bronze.
J. W. Meadows—Old Tom 1; hen 1 and 2; Young Tom 1, 2 and 3.
Wyandottes, Silver.
W. H. Byers—cock 1; pullet 1, 2 and 4.

Wyandottes, White.
Jo Bailey Lowery—cock 1; pullet 1 and 2.
Mrs. W. O. Hollis—cockerel 1; pullet 1 and 2.

Ducks, Muddy.
Eugene Sherrod—drake 1, duck 1 and 2.
Miscellaneous.
W. T. Milliron—cuckoo, cock 1; hen 1; Parakeet, cock 1; Japanese Silkie 1; pheasant 1.

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By Associated Press.
Washington, Jan. 23.—The complaint of the St. Louis Cotton Exchange charging the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad and other southwestern railroads with imposing unreasonable and discriminatory rates on cotton from producing points in Oklahoma to St. Louis was dismissed today by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

MAY BECOME HEADQUARTERS FOR INTERESTING CONCERN

Patterson-Clark Co. Which Owns Several Inventions Urged To Locate Here

An effort is being made to have Wichita Falls chosen as headquarters for the Patterson-Clark Company, owners of the "delinzer" or device for removing cotton in the boll. This concern is now located in Oklahoma but contemplates establishing a distributing point elsewhere and Wichita Falls may be selected. The delinzer is now on exhibition at Marlow Brothers office.

Three of the directors of the company reside in this city, being F. D. Woodruff, Judge E. W. Nicholson and G. C. Woodruff. Judge Nicholson is general attorney for the company. Other directors are: Maza Clark of Oklahoma City; E. Simms, Oklahoma City; B. G. Patterson, Oklahoma City, and Thomas Simms of Mansfield, Texas. This company was organized to handle the inventions of B. G. Patterson, which include an automobile starter operated from the seat, an automatic tying device for hay presses, a fan stopper for threshing machines which eliminates clogging of the blower, a toy elevator and a collapsible concrete form for silos and cisterns.

Mr. Patterson's inventive genius along mechanical lines has been compared to that of Edison in the electrical world. The chief element of the Patterson inventions is simplicity, as is illustrated by the cottonseed delinzer, which weighs only 100 pounds and can be operated by a boy; it is said it will save the farmer one dollar on every acre planted in cotton.

While this company does not intend to build a factory to manufacture the devices, it will have a shop to build full size working models which would employ expert mechanics and add considerably to the importance of this city as a manufacturing center. The local directors will be urged to use their efforts to make Wichita Falls the headquarters for this industry.

THREE BILLION DOLLAR LOAN BY ALLIES RUMORED
Paris, Jan. 22.—A conference was held in Paris by the British chancellor of the exchequer David Lloyd George and Alexandre Ribot and P. Painleve, French and Russian ministers of finance.
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GINNING REPORT IS MADE PUBLIC SATURDAY AT WASHINGTON

FAR AHEAD OF SEASON 1913

Texas Total is 4,120,904 Bales, Showing Being Less Than That of 1912

By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 23.—The ninth cotton ginning report of the season, compiled from reports of census bureau correspondents and agents throughout the cotton belt and issued at 10 a. m., today, announced that 14,807,942 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales of the growth of 1914 had been ginned prior to January 16. This compared with 13,582,636 bales or 97.1 per cent of the entire crop, ginned prior to January 16 last year 13,088,930 bales or 97.0 per cent in 1912 and 14,516,799 bales or 93.3 per cent in 1911. The average quantity of cotton ginned prior to January 16 in the past three years was 13,728,921 bales or 95.8 per cent of the crop.

Included in the ginnings were 50,942 round bales compared with 96,907 last year, 78,690 in 1912 and 97,654 in 1911.

Sea Island cotton included numbered 79,494 bales, compared with 76,277 bales last year, 70,753 in 1912 and 109,867 bales in 1911.

Ginnings prior to January 16, by States, with comparisons for the past three years and the percentage of the entire crop ginned in those States prior to that date in the same years follow:

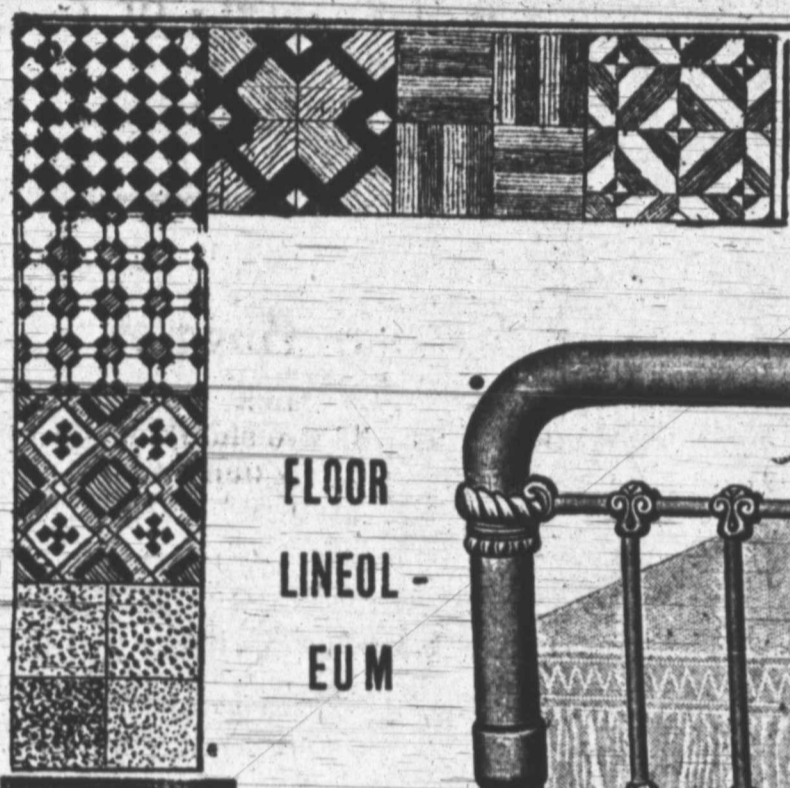
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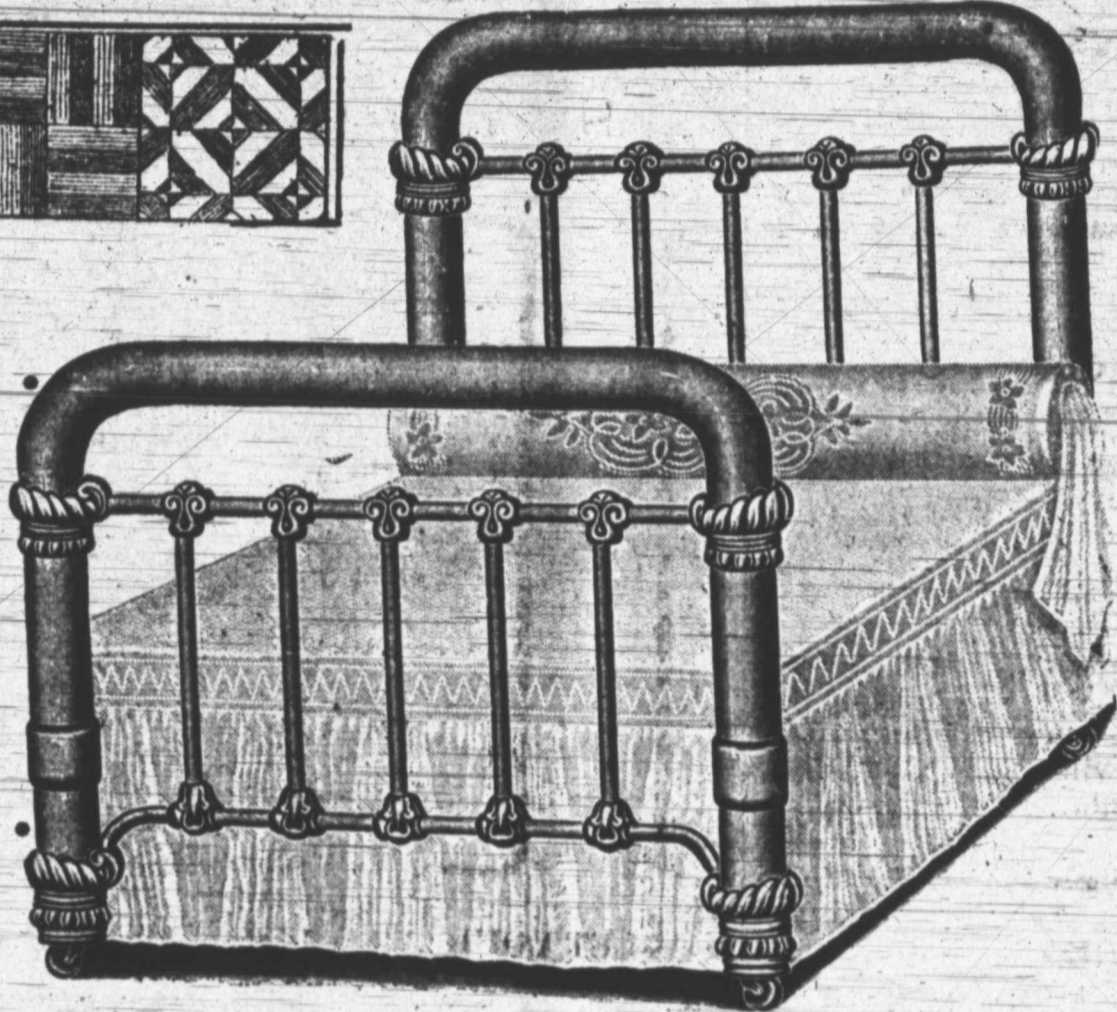
The next ginning report of the census bureau will be issued at 10 a. m. Saturday, March 20 and will show the quantity of cotton ginned throughout the season.

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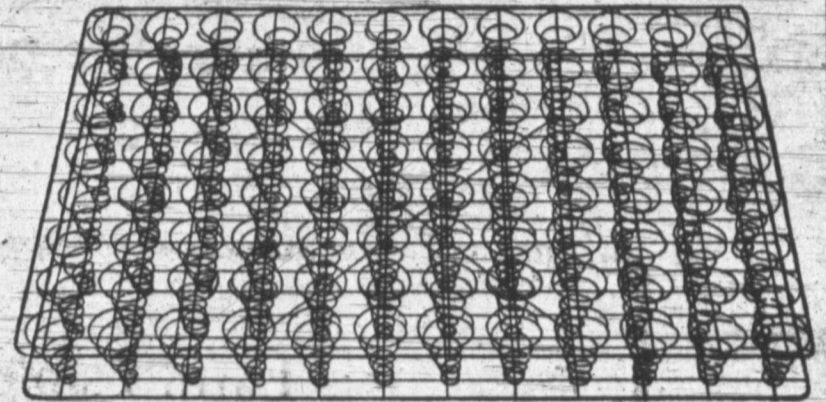


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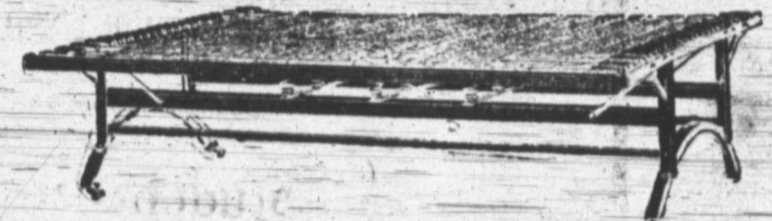
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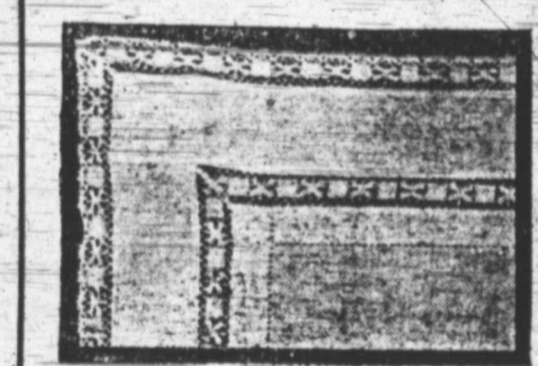
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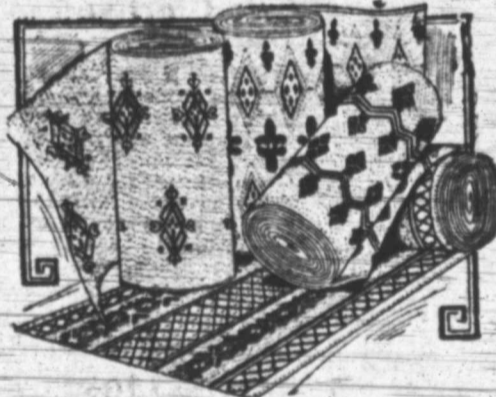
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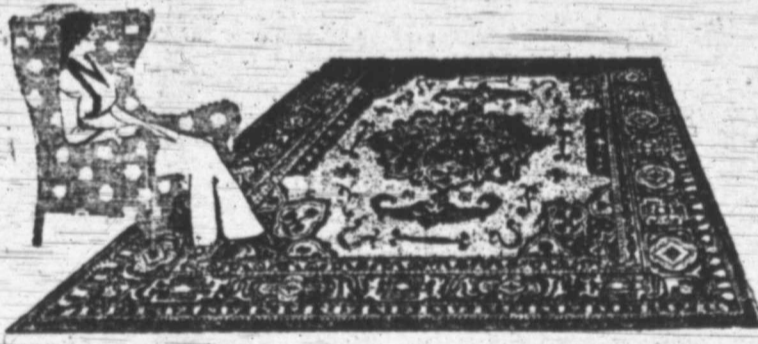


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VALIANT SERVICE IS DONE BY GERMAN RED CROSS DOGS

Not a Single Wounded Man On Battlefield Has Been Overlooked By Them

By Associated Press. Aix La Chapelle, Jan. 22.—The records of the German Red Cross department show that so far, after nearly four months of warfare, not a single wounded man has been overlooked on a battlefield searched by "Red Cross Dogs." As a result of this term "man's best friend," which is often applied to dogs, has real significance to the German soldier today. Many a wounded soldier, French, German and English alike, has to thank one of these dogs for the preservation of his life. Had it not been that the dog had found him and summoned assistance he might have perished. It has been shown that all breeds of dogs may be trained for this service. The majority employed by the German Red Cross are Dobermanns, German shepherds, Rottweilers and Alredale terriers. There are representatives of other canine families, however, and not a few would be classed as "curs." In fact, some of the mixed breeds have distinguished themselves for the rapidity with which

they have learned their business. A breed known in Belgium as the "police dog" has done well. Many Red Cross dogs had been trained by the German army before the war broke out. In this case training had been started when the animal was about six months old. For about six months after the dog has been taken in hand he is taught no more than to obey his master implicitly. After that his "professional" education begins. Since the outbreak of the war it has been necessary to train dogs in a shorter period, and in many cases this has been done with the aid of another dog, who, in addition to being an expert Red Cross worker, had also the quality of not being misled by his apprentice. When a dog is trained in this manner he is paired with a veteran and soon begins to understand what is expected of him. Nevertheless, the schooling of the animal requires much attention on the part of the master. The dogs are trained under a system in which patience and kind treatment are the principal elements. Again and again the master of the dog will take the animal to a man who simulates being wounded, or who, nowadays actually is slightly wounded. Whether or not the scent helps the animal to find the wounded is an unanswered question. It is believed that such is the case, but by training the dog this is not taken into consideration. The dog is taught to search the

field by inspecting every bush and ditch. The dogs are brought on the ground by a man from the Red Cross company, who, as a rule, has from two to four of them to a leash. When the man considers the field safe for the dogs he turns them loose with an appropriate command, and then attends to such wounded as he can find himself. After a while the dogs return to report. The manner in which the animals do this depends upon their own traits. So far it has been found very difficult to keep the dog from barking when he has found a wounded man and instead teach a signal that would indicate that he had found one. This is hardly needed, however. As a rule the dog which has not found a wounded man returns to his master with a sauntering gait and shows neither excitement nor eagerness to leave again. His action is different when his search has been successful. In that case the dog generally comes tearing across the field, circles about his master and runs back and forth in the direction of where the wounded man has been found. The Red Cross man then follows the dog, gives the wounded man first aid and makes arrangement for his removal to the field dressing station or ambulance. Where the ground is difficult and the area to be searched small, or when the lines of the enemy are still too near, the Red Cross man keeps one of

his dogs on a long line and searches the field in this manner. HOLLISTER, OKLAHOMA IS SCENE OF FIRE MONDAY (Frederick Leader) Fire at Hollister early Monday destroyed two freight cars belonging to the Wichita Falls & Northwestern, 225 bales of cotton and the railroad company's cotton platform. All of the loss except 21 bales of cotton is the railroad company's. The Hill Gln Company of Frederick, had brought to the platform for shipment 21 bales of cotton, which had been sold to Marvin Ladell of Wichita Falls, and on which the railroad company had not yet issued its bill of lading. This loss is Mr. Ladell's, but is covered by insurance. The Simmons Gln Company had in course of shipment 224 bales of cotton, for which it had received from the railroad company a bill of lading. Part of this cotton was saved. This cotton was insured. This loss is the railroad company's. About 20 bales had been shipped by others and bills of lading had been given for it, making it the railroad company's loss. The fire is supposed to have been started by sparks from the engine of a freight train which had passed Hollister about two hours before the fire broke out. The loss will approximate \$9,500 or \$10,000. The fire was discovered between two and three o'clock and was apparently extinguished by the night watchman. During his ab-

sence it broke out again and assumed proportions which resulted in an immense loss. DECLARE SINGLE FAMILY CANNOT GOVERN CHINESE By Associated Press. Peking, Jan. 23.—In reply to document recently printed and circulated by a supporter of the Manchu Dynasty the Republican government has issued a statement concerning the dangers of attempting "to act contrary to the wishes of the people," saying that "it is no longer possible for one family to govern China." That this is the popular opinion seems to be borne out by the fact that the newspapers, through some of them are not very friendly to the government, condemn always any attempt at restoration of the Manchus. The author of the reactionary pamphlet is an old man who has been engaged, it is said, in compiling a history of the Ching Dynasty and his studies and labors have probably inspired his enthusiasm. He is to be sent to his home in Szechwan Province, and his family are to be made responsible for his loyalty to the Republic. It is the time honored custom in China to make a whole family liable to imprisonment, banishment and even death, for the action of one of them.

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C. R. Van Voy Suffers Broken Rib and Sprains and Bruises—Others Slightly Hurt

C. R. Van Voy sustained a broken rib, a sprained shoulder and bruises on the knee and on his shoulder and side, his small son, Frank, was slightly bruised, and Mrs. A. L. Staples and little daughter, Elizabeth, were shaken up and bruised in a collision of a street car with Mr. Van Voy's automobile at the crossing of Lamar and Fourteenth streets yesterday at noon. The automobile, a live passenger Ford, was almost demolished.

Mr. Van Voy was returning to his work at the P. B. M. department store after lunch and was bringing with him Mrs. Staples and her daughter, who were going to the train to go

to Tulsa to make their home. He was driving east on Fourteenth street. Both the automobile and the street car were almost at the crossing before Mr. Van Voy saw the street car. He says that in the hope of avoiding a collision he turned south on Lamar street but the corner of the street car struck the left front wheel of his automobile. The shock threw Mr. Van Voy onto his steering wheel and threw the other occupants against the seats and side of the car. The front steps of the street car caught the automobile which was dragged alongside the street car until the latter was stopped.

The occupants of the automobile were dazed from the shock and their experience. A physician was summoned and they were later removed to Mr. Van Voy's home.

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EASTERN PLAN OF GERMANY IS CHANGED

EXPECTED BUKOWINA AND HUNGARY WILL NOW SEE HARD FIGHTING

INABILITY TO CHECK RUSSIAN INVASION OF PROVINCES BRINGS ALTERATION OF GERMAN PLANS

Petrograd, Jan. 23.—It has become apparent to the Russian general staff that the Germans have altered materially their plan of campaign on the Russian front, with a view of attempting to oust the armies of General Ivanhoff from Bukowina, northern Hungary and eastern Galicia. In consequence, it is believed the most severe fighting of the next few weeks is likely to occur in the South rather than in Central Poland along the water front.

The new German plan is thought to have been elaborated at a recent meeting of Austrian and German staff officers at Breslau. Russian military officials say that the Austrians have failed in their allotted task of stemming the invasion and that the Germans have awakened to the seriousness of the situation and consequently have adopted the new plan. The change is largely responsible for the prolonged lull about Warsaw where military operations are much less aggressive.

During the last month Russian military authorities have been receiving information that all the railroad lines leading from Prussian Silesia through Hungary to the Rumanian frontier and Bukowina have been closed to non-military traffic, while hundreds of trains loaded with troops and munitions have been forwarded from Germany. It has been noted, moreover, that during this time no reinforcements have arrived at the fields of action on either side of the lower Vistula, while the Austrians seemingly are attempting merely to hold and fortify their positions along the Dunajec. Russian staff officers state that when the war began the Germans were confident that the Russians would direct all their efforts toward the western frontier and that consequently Bukowina and the Carpathian passes were left insufficiently defended. The Russians profited from this situation, driving the Austrians from their positions.

SON'S BLOOD AIDS IN MOTHER'S RECOVERY

Mrs. W. H. Bachman Improving Rapidly Since Transfusion of Blood Made

Transfusion of a pint and a half of blood from her son, Homer, into her own body has resulted in the rapid improvement of the condition of Mrs. W. H. Bachman who was taken to a Fort Worth hospital about three weeks ago and she has gained strength so rapidly that Mr. Bachman went down yesterday afternoon with the expectation of bringing his wife home today.

For a time Mrs. Bachman's condition was considered very critical. One night four weeks ago it was feared that she could not live through the night.

AUTOMOBILE IS USED TO ADVANTAGE AT SOISSONS

Brings Up Reinforcements at Critical Moment and Turns Tide of Battle

Berlin, Jan. 23.—The automobile played an important role in deciding the battle of Soissons. It is learned that reinforcements brought up by a column of more than 200 automobiles the night of January 12 and thrown in on the French left flank at Vreigny turned the scale when the Germans were making their counter-stroke and enabled them to sweep the French from the plateau. Hitherto automobiles have been used by the Germans, but little in this campaign except for the transportation of riflemen attached to cavalry divisions, owing to the length of time required for loading in motor cars large bodies of troops which to a great extent neutralizes the extra speed in the actual movement. On this occasion the troops were drawn up four abreast in a column along the road. As each automobile arrived the men boarded it without confusion.

CONTROLLER'S POLICY ON ISSUING LIQUOR PERMITS

Austin, Texas, Jan. 23.—Controller Terrell announced today that it would be the policy of the department in acting upon applications for liquor permits to first dispose of the applications for transfers and renewals before anything is done with original applications. Since the new controller assumed charge of the department January 20 he has been besieged with applications for permits. The retiring controller had held up something like 500 applications.

JUDGE AIKEN TAKES 15 MINUTES OFF FOR LUNCH

Court Continued Through Noon Hour For Completion of Divorce Suit

Annie Chandler was granted a divorce from J. R. Chandler by Judge Akin in the district court yesterday. Mrs. Chandler was also given custody of the children and will receive a share of the community property. This case was not completed until 1 o'clock and after fifteen minutes for lunch Judge Akin re-opened court for testimony in another case. The civil jury docket will be taken up this week. The first case which is set for Monday is that of Willis Copeland vs. the Fort Worth & Denver Railway. At a previous trial a verdict of \$17,000 was awarded the plaintiff. The verdict was reversed by the court of civil appeals, however.

\$60,000 FREIGHT COSTS ON 4,000 BALES COTTON

Heavy Charges on Shipment by Local Cotton Firm to Christians in Norway

Railway and ocean steamship freight to the amount of more than \$60,000 will be paid on a shipment of 4,000 bales of cotton consigned by the R. O. Harvey Cotton Company of this city to Christians, Norway. The shipment will leave Galveston this week. A considerable quantity of cotton is being shipped from Galveston to Norwegian ports. Much of this cotton eventually reaches Germany, it is said.

SOCIALIST IS ARRESTED; DALLAS MAYOR THREATENED

Letter Said Unemployed Would Blow Up City Hall if Work Was Not Provided

Dallas, Jan. 23.—J. B. Goodmann, candidate for Congress on the Socialist ticket in the fifth Texas district last fall, was arrested today charged with misusing the mails in the alleged sending of threats to Mayor W. M. Holland of Dallas. It is charged he wrote the mayor a letter demanding that the city clerk give work to the unemployed. Federal officials say the letter threatened to lead a march of unemployed on the city hall if work was not granted and to blow up the city hall.



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A Question of Courage

Produced by the Majestic Motion Picture Co., under direction of Donald Crisp, and is evidently one of the strongest two-part dramas that has so far been produced. The reviewer of The Motion Picture World, after viewing this picture gave an entire column write up as to its merits. He, like thousands of others, had a good mother and admired the wonderful mother love, courage and patriotism of the younger son of a widowed mother that is so beautifully demonstrated in this, one of the sweetest pictures that we have had the pleasure of reading the story of. We do not believe that we have ever been rightfully accused of misrepresenting a picture; hope we never will. We guard that as closely as you would your reputation, and when we say that this picture is by far above the average, that you will feel amply repaid for your time and price of admission. We know that we are still perfectly safe in keeping your good will and confidence.

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dirty as swine, hairy as monkeys, and keep singing with the organ 320 feet away. We live in the caves which are now and then destroyed by shells of the enemy.

At The Churches First Presbyterian Church. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Evening worship at 7:30.

Christian Church. Bible school at 9:30; good teachers, graded school and teacher for all ages.

MANY OF GERMAN NOBILITY HAVE FALLEN IN CONFLICT Numbers of Them Retain Honorary Commands in Armies of Hostile Countries

lost 209 members through the war while the very essence of German nobility, the "Uradeligen" families, who trace their ancestors to the year of 1350 or beyond had lost 246 members in all.

New Year's Resolutions We make them and we break them but there is one resolution that we should make and keep and that is to trade at home.

Man Cheerfully Make Best of Discomforts and Keep Fairly Snug and Warm By Associated Press. Berlin, Jan. 23.—Not since the Pleistocene age have cave-dwellers been so universal a mode of life in Europe as today.

FINNISH SKIPPER TELLS HOW HE ESCAPED GERMANS Is Able To Get Away With His Life When Boat Is Captured By Enemy By Associated Press. Petrograd, Jan. 19.—Eric Carlson, a Finnish skipper, arriving in Petrograd gives the following strange account of his escape from the Germans.

First Baptist Church. Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching by Dr. F. M. McConnell at 11 o'clock.

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ZUDORA, FOURTH EPISODE-The Secret Of The Haunted Hills

SYNOPSIS.

Zudora is left an orphan at an early age. Her father is killed in a gold mine. Zudora and the fortune from the mine which grows to be worth \$20,000, are left in the guardianship of Frank Keene, Zudora's mother's brother. Zudora, a strong-willed girl of great beauty, reaches the age of eighteen. The uncle, who has not himself as a Hindu mystic and is known as Hassam Ali, decides that Zudora must be before she can have a chance to come into possession of her money, so that it may be left to him, the rest of his life. Hassam Ali goes an expedition to the mountains to the person of John Storm, a young lawyer, for whom Zudora has taken a fancy, and he convinces the girl to marry the man set of her choice. Zudora insists that if she cannot marry Storm she will marry no one.

CHAPTER IV.

The Secret of the Haunted Hills. P HILIP'S a month elapsed without any puzzling case coming under Hassam Ali's notice. Zudora and Storm had their meetings, always previously arranged by the carrier pigeons, at which Hassam Ali pretended to know nothing. Besides, he was busy with numerous clients who wanted to know about their business investments, their own futures and somebody else's past. He continued to build his pyramids of phantom gold. The one mistake he had made was to acquaint Zudora with the knowledge of her immense fortune. The trustees had always addressed their letters to him, and it would have been an easy matter to have kept her in ignorance. But, evil as he was himself, he had a profound respect for Zudora's word. She had given it, and there was three years' grace. He in that period of time he could not rid himself of that meddling at times he would tear down the black velvet curtains with his own hands and look at the bones of them. Storm had tried Zudora a dozen times to marry him secretly, but she steadfastly refused to accede to his wishes. What use to marry if they could not live as a couple of their own? Of what use to burden themselves with a secret which would interfere with their parents and hang threateningly over their heads? More than that, she reasoned, her friends would always look askance at her if, after some months, it became known that she was married and was not living openly with her husband. No! she had given her word, and she would not break it. So John surren-



Hassam Ali and Jimmy Bolton.

thing waxed and waned, something after the manner of the coal of a man's life. Of course it was plain trickery, but one could not impress the excitable negro mind with this fact, and more than that, there were many white people who were quite assured that the skeleton hand presided the coming of the end of the world. Something must be done at once. Would her dear son come immediately and see if he could put this mystery where it belonged? He wired back that he would. Of course there was no doubt in his mind that some one was playing a practical joke of a greivous sort, but he also realized that it might turn into a serious affair if it was permitted to continue. He laughed at one moment and swore at the next. Why the perpetrators of the joke had selected the hill back of the Storm place set him thinking deeply. He decided to go home and lay the ghost, as the saying goes. He packed up, sent a letter to Zudora and left town. When Zudora received the letter she was greatly perturbed. It seemed to her that what appeared as a bit of coarse foolery might have as its base something serious regarding the welfare of her love and his people. Rather diffidently she sought Hassam Ali's advice. Her uncle shrugged. "Some country bumpkin is playing a joke on the more simple minded. Go and solve it if you wish, only you'll have your trouble for your pains."



Zudora.

And Zudora came. The Storm family had heard about her, you may be assured. But until she appeared in the flesh they had entertained some doubts about this niece of a man whose business they held in supreme contempt. They fell in love with her at once, rather shamefacedly when up to that moment they had been quite positive that she had hid a alien's trap for their boy. Old man Storm pondered a good deal. It did not seem possible that this slender, handsome, dark eyed girl was a detective. It did not mesh up with the tales he had read in books. She was just like any other girl, nothing mysterious whatever. "It's really serious, Zudora," said John. "I've tried my hand at detective

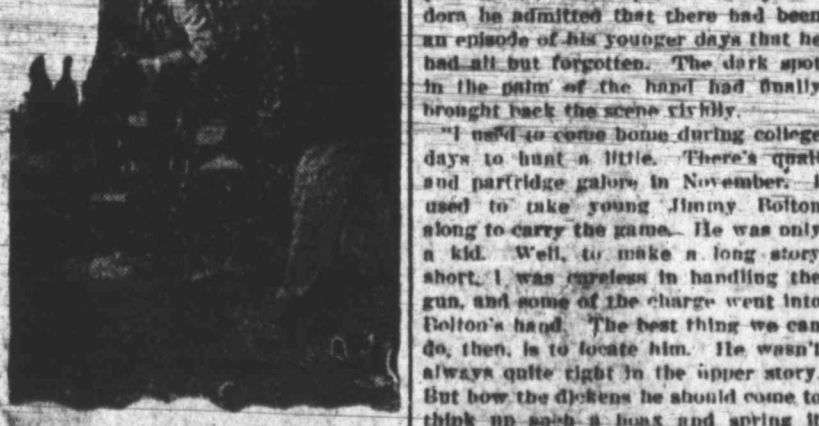
work, but I haven't gained an inch. I doubt that I am totally at sea. I've seen the thing once at a great distance, and I don't wonder that the natives are barking for other parts." "Have you any old-time enemies?" she asked. "I came back once or twice a year for a day or two. I seldom go into the village. I've been in New York for nearly fourteen years and have quite forgotten how the neighbors look. How the deuce could I have any enemies?" "I mean your father. He may have discharged some one who aims at having revenge," she suggested. "There hasn't been any one discharged from this place since I was a kid, and you can take it from me that the chap who is playing this game has a brain better educated than the run of help hereabouts."

"I am going to make some investigations, and you must let me go my own way. No tagging after me when I want to go into the village. Some one in the village will know what is going on. No one would come from the outside to play a game like this." "All right. If any one can get to the bottom of this muddle it will be your lovely self. Good luck, sweetheart!" Three or four days passed. Zudora went about her work systematically. One day she came upon a bit of news that startled her profoundly. It was of such a character that she dared not impart this news to John. He must be kept in total ignorance. The brain that had fastigated this really criminal joke was in New York. It was the tool of this cunning brain she must bring to light and confusion. Her uncle! How the man hated John, to play so despicable a jest upon his people! The old suspicions returned, stronger than ever. She was growing a little afraid of the uncle of hers; she was beginning to understand that flesh and blood did not always count. But why? Why should she wish to injure John Storm? It was an unanswerable question. She realized that from now on she must be on her guard. Her uncle must never learn that she entertained the least suspicion. That night they all received a shock. The light suddenly appeared on the side of the house, and even as they rushed out to look at it, it slowly faded. Zudora threw a quick, circling glance.



The Old Man Accused Her, but John Intervened.

but there was no spot of light in the distance to confirm her suspicions that a "magic lantern" was being focussed against the side of the house. The result of this visitation was the final exodus of the help, with the exception of the housemaid and the boy who did chores about the house. The matter had been fully explained to these two. None the less they were badly frightened. When the spectral hand appeared the next night old man Storm seized his shotgun and started out with blood in his eye. The result of his rage and excitement was a badly lacerated arm for the housemaid. The old man accused her, but John intervened. The poor girl had only been curious to see how near she could get to the specter. She was fortunate to have escaped with her life. After John began to show preoccupation, and when questioned by Zudora he admitted that there had been an episode of his younger days that he had all but forgotten. The dark spot in the palm of the hand had finally brought back the scene clearly. "I need to come home during college days to hunt a little. There's quail and partridge galore in November. I used to take young Jimmy Bolton along to carry the game. He was only a kid. Well, to make a long story short, I was careless in handling the gun, and some of the charge went into Bolton's hand. The best thing we can do, then, is to locate him. He wasn't always quite tight in the upper story. But how the deuce he should come to think up such a hunt and spring it after all these years goes me."



The Skeleton Hand Appeared on the Side of the Hill.

Zudora was suddenly dragged in and securely bound. county with shotgun. A carrier pigeon acquainted Zudora with the fact. The next morning the two left for the south. Zudora nor John referred to the row with Hassam Ali. "Let me work alone. The sight of you may scare away the boy," she said. "All right," he agreed, but with the mental reservation that he would follow her and remain within ear. Zudora found Jimmy Bolton and Jimmy Bolton found her, much to her discomfort and alarm. She had gone far opposite to where the specter was usually appeared, and she discovered in a window of a shack on the opposite hill the Cyclopean eye she had hitherto hunted for in vain. Without

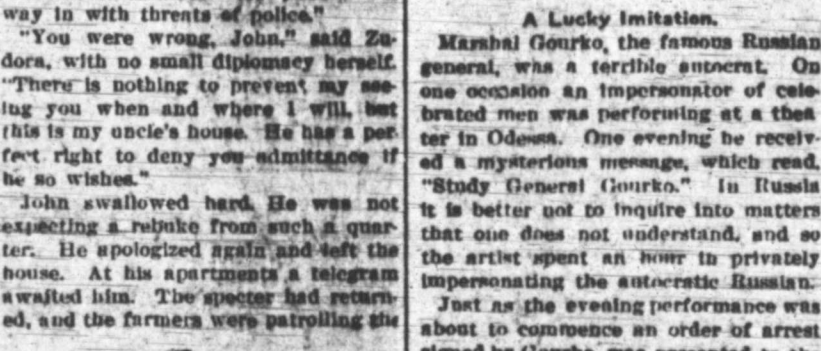
order without capital. At any rate he was determined to put the matter boldly to Hassam Ali. Hassam was not going to admit him at first. Orders were orders. But when Storm decided that he would come back with a policeman Amed concluded to accept the offer of two trials. Storm found himself in the familiar drawing room. Zudora seemed everywhere in the arrangement of the flowers, the pictures, the music rack. "Well, sir," said a cold voice from behind, "this is an honor forced upon me. I haven't gained an inch. I doubt that I am totally at sea. I've seen the thing once at a great distance, and I don't wonder that the natives are barking for other parts."



He Suddenly Drew Back His Hand, but Storm Was Too Quick For Him.

"I have forbidden you the hospitality of this house."

"I am well aware of that," returned Storm, quite as coolly as Hassam Ali. "I demand to know is, what the devil do you mean by setting a half-witted boy up to such a beastly game as that spectral hand?" Storm shook his fist under Hassam Ali's nose. "All the fury against this young man bubbled up in Hassam Ali's heart and he was permitted to overflow the rim. He wanted John Storm dead, dead at his feet. He suddenly drew back his hand, but Storm was too quick for him. Amed, seeing his master in danger, seized a vase and stole up behind Storm. But from her loud cry above Zudora had heard the loud voices. She held in her hand only a book. She swung it with more accuracy than is generally credited to the feminine arm. It hit Amed squarely on the shoulder and the vase shattered to the floor. John flung Hassam Ali from him and faced Zudora. "I am sorry, dear, to have a rumpus like this, but I lost my temper."



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When Paderewski Was Poor.

Paderewski's first really important engagement as a pianist was in Paris. He was engaged to play in the drawing room of a lady famous for her musical tastes, and his fee, which seemed to him enormous, was \$20. He managed to persuade the humane agent to pay him in advance, and when Paderewski had redeemed his dress and the pawn and paid for shoes, gloves, etc. and other essentials he had no money left for cab fare, so he was forced to walk to the scene of his engagement. The music-loving audience inspired him. He played with feeling, passion and mastery of his instrument as never before. His success was instantaneous and unmistakable. The poor player had suddenly become the lion of the hour, and fame and fortune were assured him. At last, after disengaging himself from his admirers, he turned to leave, when his hostess, remembering with regret the smallness of the fee for so marvelous a performance, offered him her carriage for his return home. But Paderewski's pride came to the rescue. In his courteous yet reserved way he made a formal bow, and, saying, "No, thank you, madame; my own is waiting," he stepped out for his long walk homeward. Paderewski's Weekly.

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