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# Cogitations & Aphorisms of Jodok

walk near the post office one day last week and I heard one of them telling the other something like this:

The wind bloweth, The water floweth, The debtor oweth. And the Lord knoweth We need our dues.

So come a runnin'

Before we go a gunning' We're not a funnin' This continual dunnin' Gives us the everlasting blues.

Not long ago I met Caison Jones on the street and he was telling me about how badly the community needs a small building out at the cemetery for the purpose of keeping tools in which to dig graves.

He said he had had some experience in trying to find tools with which to dig graves, and lost enough time locating them to have had the work nearly completed before he got

Now, according to my cogitations, Caison is exactly right about this matter, for no matter how glad a man, who has shovels and picks to dense dust lasted only for a couple do such work with, may wish to ac- of hours, but it was dusty throughcommidate his neighbors in such a matter, he eventually finds it very trying when he allows these tools to go out to do such work and they fail to return to him after the man who borrows them does not remain until all the work is done, and the man who uses them frequently does not know to whom they belong, and they are either left there or carried away by some other person.

Caison says enough free labor could be secured to erect the needed building and that materials could be ecured at a very raesonable rate, and only a small donation need be made by any individual to secure enough funds to provide the materials and to equip it with the needed

Now, .ood people, what do you say to starting such a move and have this business men and citizens badly needed building erected out at the cemetery and equipped with tools, which could be kept under return it again when the grave has goods. been filled.

Then, while we are thinking about this matter, there are other things that should and could be done to beautify the place in addition to what was done by the PWA workers while under the direction of J. C. blanned to return to Friona about Wilkison, Mr. Wilkison did, a lot of the middle of the week. commendable work in grading the passage ways in the cemetery and covering them with caliche, which practically does away with the mud during the wet spells, and adds materially to the appearances of the

The thing I had in mind is that of formed bed of the draw. setting more shade trees about the cemetery grounds, and probably a row on each side of the main driveway. A landscape artist could be secured to plan the setting of the trees in such a way that they would add untold beauty to the grounds.

Sure enough. This setting of trees the ordinary rainfall would provide they driven across it. to make the trees grow and the only way to provide this would be by the installation of a well and windmill, with mumps, new cases coming in and that would call for a lot more money. Well, maybe we will need to Very few cases, however, have provdo without the trees for awhile yet, ed serious. Otherwise health condibut we should have the building and tions have been at least normal with the tools. I wonder if someone will very little sickness of any kind researce of some from town and the her physician in the hope that she of and benefit to be derived from Livestock, Eugene Borgess, Clyde not get busy on this job.

Ever and anon comes that despondent news that someone is going to leave or has left our community, moving out lock-stock and-barrel, never more to return. In other words "auiting" the place and gone to live elsewhere, owing largely. in each case, to too much dry weather and

I am willing to admit that it does look very discouraging, at this time, to try to go on in apparent fruitless effort to make a living and build up a competence with conditions as they But it has not always been so, and I am optimistic enough to believe that it will not always contin-

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#### FREE HOME EC. CLASS FOR ADULTS LADIES

Mrs. J. T. Gee, who is teacher of ae Home Economics Department of he Friona High School, announces that she will organize and teach a class for adult ladies of the communty in the sewing department of ome economics.

Mrs. Gee asks that all ladies who re interested in this work shall meet at the home economics room at he school building on Thursday afernoon at four o'clock, this week. As the Star gets into the mail on Thursday morning, that will mean this afternoon, April 2nd.

At this meeting the organization of the class wil be perfected and the lays and hours for holding the class neetings will be decided upon.

There will be absolutely no charge or this service and Mrs. Gee is very anxious that all ladies of the comnunity, who can do so, will become embers of the class.

#### FRIONA WEATHER

Only a few days during the past eek have been what might be called air weather, and most of the time he wind has blown and clouds or og of dust have filled the air.

We had four days in succession ast week when it was seriously dusty and Monday of this week we were treated to another of those heavy colls of dust which swept down on is from the north and for awhile lmost completely shut out visibility and made it necessary to use lights n order to do any kind of work indors, and cars ran with headlights on as though it were night. This

out the remainder of the day. The sunshine all day Tuesday although there was a very fine dust filling the air to a great height, and he wind had swept from the north on Monday, making it disagreeably old, shifted to the southeast on Tuesday, very cool in the morning out growing warmer toward noon.

#### NEW BUSINESS OPENED

The Plains Co-op Produce Company has now fully installed its business n the J. W. Farr building west of he Friona State Bank and is doing

fair business in its line. s a most courteous and genial gentleman and our people will find it pleasure to do business with him. Friona welcomes him as one of her

#### HAS OPENED NEW STORE

I W Parr of Friona opened a ne

## VISHING AT ABILENE

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Newman and family departed Saturday for Abilene for a few days visit with relatives and former neighbors. They

#### WPA WORK PROGRESSING

Work on the Frio Draw WPA project has been moving steadily on luring the past few weeks and the workmen are now engaged at buildng the bridge across the newly

Although a detour has been made around the old bridge and the necessary warning signs have been located for directing traffic to it, it is reported that several drivers have been so inattentive to these warnings that some of them have narrowly everted driving their cars onto the old bridge, where a fall of several would require some water more than feet would have been the result had

> This community is still afflicted as others get well of the complaint. ported.

## PTA RADIO PROGRAM

The Parent-Teachers Associations have joined in arranging and presenting a radio program to be

pecially most cordially invited to terly comunion service. ture in on this program which will be rendered by local talent of these three comunities.

## BOY SCOUT NOTICE

All boys over twelve years of age. tieve that it will not always continue to be I dislike to see these good of America are invited to meet county jail at Farwell. people leaving us, but, if they can promptly at 7:20 p. m. Wednesday, do better in some other place, I can—April 8th, in the Congregations Church basement.

Kenneth G. Parks

## Exposition's "Bluebonnet Girl"



Irene Caldwell, 22, will be official 6. She won the right in a contest entostess to the Texas Centennial Exposition when the Southwest's big World's Fair opens in Dallas June "Bluebonnet girl."

#### DEATH OF MRS. ALMER MARSH

One of the most pathetic occurences that has visited this community was the death on Thursday after-Mrs. Almer Marsh at the farm home southest of Friona.

It appears that the deceased had The business is under the manage-net of Mr. C. Glendon How, who and set about finding her and after interred at West Park Cemetery, a short search of the premises she Hereford.

unable to go to the Marsh home, so of the Baptist church. a physician from Friona at the home of Mr. Chiles, who is store in his building on Main Street by telephone and then called her the following relatives: Mrs. one of the trustees of the cemetery last week, where he will conduct an daughter, Mrs. E. B. Buchanan at Head, Comyne, Texas: Mrs. Eula one of the trustees of the cemeters and lives near by so that it would be agency for the sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and lives near by so that it would be achieved a sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and lives near by so that it would be achieved a sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and lives near by so that it would be achieved a sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and lives near by so that it would be achieved as a sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and lives near by so that it would be achieved as a sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and lives near by so that it would be achieved as a sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and the sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and the sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and the sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and the sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and the sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and the sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depew, Oklahoma; Mrs. Efficiently and the sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depember and the sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depember and the sale of frigidair and her home and asked her to bring Banks, Depember and the sale of frigidair and the and lives near by so that it would be other household equipments in contheir car and take her and the little Wyly, Summerfield; Mrs. Donnie cure the key when it is needed and nection with a stock of second hand girl to the Marsh home, where they Clendon, Stephensville; Mrs. Min-would like. The girl that has the Dr. Stover judged that the deceased Carr, Stephensville; and Joe Carr rilo Girl Scout Camp for a week. had been dead about two hours when and Clayton Carr, Summerfield.

> The cause of the death, it is reported was not definitely known, but it is reported that the deceased had Oklahoma for burial.

was married to Mr. Marsh, January this city. 24th, 1917 at Hedrick, Oklahoma.

VanCleave, Hedrick, Okla.

The Star joins the other friends thy to the sorrowing relatives.

unpleasant condition of the weather. may regain her normal health.

Those who were present had the bleasure of hearing a good sermon bers of the family have formed a of Farwell Lazbuddy and Friona monthly "fellowship" dinner was grets. enjoyed in the church basement by hose present

at Amarillo. Thursday afternoon day service in the auditorium at 8:00 ing where he will seek another locathe date Tuesday night, April 7.

April 2nd, at 2:30 o'clock. All Parmer County people are es- this service we will have our quar-

#### ARRESTED ON HIGHWAY

way 33 near Bovina Monday about of the Hub and moved to it the lat- let garage, he being a skilled mech-

April 8th, in the Congregational tion from a sheriff in Oklahoma, quest for his apprehension.

#### MRS. S. M. CARR

After an illness of three weeks eath came to Mrs. S. M. Carr at the nome of George Wyly, moon of last week, March 25th, of southwest of Summerfield on Wednesday of last week, March 25, at of the Marshes about ten miles 3:30 p. m., at the age of 75 years. 8 months and 15 days.

The funeral services were held en at home alone and in the late from the Baptist church at Hereford afternoon when her small daughter on March 27, conducted Rev. B. N. eturned home from school she did Shepard, pastor of the church. Fol-

found her mother's lifeless body in one of the out houses of the home.

The daughter at once ran to the was the daughter of Charlie and move. Anyway, success to you Ed.

The daughter of the predicts and found for the predict of the ome of E. B. Whitefield and told Minervia Galley. She came to Par-Whitefield of finding her mo- mer county from Stephensville durther there, but Mrs. Whitefield was jing the year 1926, and was a member

arrived about the time the doctor nie Poteet, San Antonio; Mrs. Jessie and other neighbors began arriving. Smith. Waurika. Oklahoma; W. B.

#### WILL LEAVE FRIONA

It is with deep regret that the men's Club for helping us out so ocen subject to severe heart attacks many friends of A. A. Crow and nother attack at that time had prov- that he has severed his connection d fatal. The remains were taken to with the Friona Consumers Company March 1. luc, where he has served as mana-The deceased was a daughter of ser for a number of years, and that O. H. and Elizabeth Van Cleave and they will cease to be residents of ficiency badge tests.

Mr Crow came to Friona seven She leaves to mourn her death the years ago and accepted the managefollowing immediate relatives: her ment of the company at a time when husband, A. R. Marsh. children, Bill. it was without either money or cre-Johnnie and Beth; sisters, Ollie King, dit. and by his careful attention to Snyder, Oklahoma; Mrs. Lena Bracthe business interests of the company ization has announced a county-wide on hogs with Ralph Taylir ranking ken, Friona; Mrs. Norah Booker, has built up the business to the Hedrick, Okla.; Mrs. Gertrude Shroe-ler, Hedrick, Okla.; Mrs. Lovie Had-and a good substantial bank account. April 7, beginning about 8:00 o'clock. high individual in the sheep judging Hedrick, Okla.; Mrs. Dovie Hen- after paying all dividends and cretricks, Junction, Okla .; and R. A. dits due the stock holders, which is create an interest among the farmers herses and fourth in the licestock a most enviable record for him.

Mr. Crow has not severed his con- of soil erosion by wind, and, if night in their division. and neighbors in extending sympahection with the company on account thought best, to convert the county the county into an Erosion District, for Soil Conin the contests. They composed 118 his results while so employed, but vervation All farmers in the county teams, from 54 different schools. The attendance last Sunday at all eservices of the church was unus
The attendance last Sunday at all for several months and a chapter of the service. It is the largest judging contest held at the college yet.

This was by far the largest judging contest held at the college yet.

The boys represented Friona High he services of the church was unus- for several months and a change of Amarillo, will be present and make School were: Poultry, Martin Todd, ually small, owing to sickness, ab- location has been recommended by an address explaining the graet need Marvin Garrett and Porter Wyly;

While living in Friona the mem- to be taken to secure it.

#### CLOSED SECOND HAND STORE

coom of the M. A. Crum building, a location near Abernathy. Deputy Sheriff C. M. Jones, who which has been conducted by Ralph ter part of last week.

The stock of goods in Mr. Tedan dhte Fallwell garage.

#### LAZBUDDY DEMONSTRATION By Mrs. R. P. Daniels

"To make a durable filler for a ool comforter the wool should be covered with cheese cloth' -- Mrs. A. G. Thorn told the Lazbuddy home denonstration ladies at their regular neeting at the Home Economics room, March 24th.

The wool should be placed between cheese cloth and tacked or stitched in place, then tacked inside a comforter cover of sateen or other comforter material. The wool can be saved from laundering by removing it from the covering.

Those present were: Mmes. Loyal Lust, W. H. Hammon, A. G. Thorn, S. A. Davis,, Carl Gough, L. D. Tay lor, Roy White, T. D. Reed, C. W. Williams and R. P. Daniels.

The Lazbuddy Club will meet at the home economics room for a lecture demonstration on "Beds for the Well and the Sick." Miss St. Clair will be present Everybody come

#### LAZBUDDY NEWS

Coming as a surprise to most of their friends was the wedding o Miss Lucile Cates, of Blair, Oklahoma and Austin Mooty, of Lazbuddy. Their many friends here wish them joy and hapiness. They will nake their home at Lazbuddy.

Those who saw the play, "Keeping p Appearances." presented here by he Junior Women's Club, of Friona, on Tuesday night of last week, en oved it very much.

The "Penny Tockey" part spon ored by the Junior Class was well at tended and enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Mooty were dimmer guests at the R. P. Daniels

#### BOUGHT LAUNDRY AT HOT SPRINGS

Word has reached the Star office the effect that our esteemed townnan, E. B. McLellan, has gone to Hot Spring, New Mexico, and purchased an establishmnet and gone nto the laundry business.

Ed's many friends at Friona are truly to lose him as a neighbor and itizen, but are unanimous in wishng him unbounded success in his WRIGHT WILLIAMS TO SUCCEED new location and business veture.

Mrs. McLellan had been at Hot Springs for the past several weeks taking the baths for the benefit of

#### GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Julia al church basement, Thursday, March

They decided in each patrol which

one of the proficiency badges they of June wil get to go to the Amathe "Baby Contest" held at the jun- yet been announced. for Club play, March 20, and we certainly want to thank the Junior Wo-

much. They also want to thank the

met and passed on examiners for pro- March 30

#### EROSION DISTRICT MEETING HERE

of Parmer County in the prevention division. The dairy team ranked

President Lee Thompson, of the Lacy and Joe Hub Collier, by the pastor, and imediately follow- large circle of warm friends and their Parmer County Agricultural Assoing the worship service the regular departure awakens their deepest re- ciation, will also be present and address the meeting, as will also, Coun-Mr. Crow's resignation took place ty Agent, Jason Gordon. The pro- School last Thursday evening. Mr. on uesday afternoon and he departed moters of this meeting are anxious Williams acted as toastmaster. Cap-

#### MOVED TO ABERNATHY

James Fitzgerald moved with his The second hand store in the north family the latter part of last week to present. The meal was served by the

Mr. Fitzgerald has for the past is also Chief of Police of Friona, re- Tedford, was closed last week and year or more been employed as auto RETURNED FROM HOT SPRINGS ports the arrest of a man on High- Mr. Tedford has rented a farm east mechanic in the Lunsford Chevro-

The arrest was made on informa- ford's store has been taken over by have lived in Friona they have won ico, for the past four weeks, return-J. W. Parr and removed to his build- a large circle of friends who deeply ed home and report a most enjoycharging murder and theft, with re- ing between the B. T. Galloway store regret their leaving. He was a good able vacation at the springs. They neighbor and citizen.

## Rodeo Boss



Cot. W. I. Johnson, of San Antonio, will take his world championship rodeo to the Texas Centennial Exposition at Dallas for engagements in June and September The first will start June 6, opening day of the \$25,-000,000 World's Fair. Col. Johnson's roden is the one which has played in New York City's Madison Square Garden for the last five years.

# A. A. CROW

At a meeting of the directors of her health and is reported so great- the Friona Consumers Company y improved while there, that this Tuesdaynight, Mr. Wright Williams

Mr. Williams was formerly connected with the Consumers as assist-The regular meeting of the Girl ant to Mr. Crow, and served with great satisfaction to the patrons of over a year ago, and in that position he has also given universal satisfaction.

It has not been learned as the Star most proficiency badges by the first goes to press, whether or not Mr. Williams has resigned his position with the Wheat Growers. And if he The Girl Scouts made \$25.36 on has resigned, his successor has not

#### SCHOOL NEWS

The Vocational Agriculture boys and it is generally supposed that family receive the announcement Friona Woman's Club for the pro- of the High School under the superceeds of \$4.95 from a bake sale held vision of Gee attended the eleventh annual Stock Judging contest in The captains and litutenants have Texas Tech at Lubbock on Monday,

The local boys were guite success-Scribe, Jacquelyn Wilkison ful in their judging with both indi-

iduals and teams ranking high. Martin odd was high individual on the poultry examination, while he team ranked fifth, Clyde Sherrieb meeting to be held in the Friona fourth. The team ranked first in that The purpose of this meeting is to contest. The team ranked third in

this service and the necessary steps Sherrieh and Ralph Taylor; Dairy cattle, Stanley Massey, Morris Wayne

The annual football and basketball banquet was held in the High for Big Springs Wednesday morn- for a large atendance. Remember tains of the football and basketball cams were honored, as were Coaches

Morris and Stroud. Mr. Stewart gave a short talk on athletics for the next year. There were about fifty persons

## Home Economic classes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boatman and daughter, Mrs. Leo McLellan, During the time the Fitzgeralds have been at Hot Springs, New Mex-

may return soon.

Cashew Nut Has Become

an American Favorite Americans are eating more cashews than they used to, says the bureau of agricultural economics, in comment ing on the 1936 outlook for tree nuts. Back in 1929-30, cashews were less than one-third of 1 per cent of all auts eaten, not counting peanuts. (Peaauts are not true nuts.) The next year, cashew consumption shot up to about 5 per cent of the total, and in 1931-32 to 8 per cent. By 1934-35 it had reached 13.9 per cent and was exceeded only by walnuts and pecans,

The cashew tree is a tropical evergreen. Except for a few experimental trees in southern Florida and southeastern Texas, it is not grown in this country.

All cashews eaten bere are imported-about 98 per cent of them coming from India and the rest from other parts of Asia and from Halti. The duty is 2 cents a pound. The keeping quality of cashews used to be poor, but newer methods of removing husks and packaging have resulted in a better product.

In addition to its wide use for salted nuts and in confections, the cashew kernel yields an edible oil. The juice of the nut is used by natives where it grows, as todine is used, for healing cuts and abrasions of the skin.

#### ETHIOPIA'S MONEY DATES FROM 1780

Stamped on the only coins accepted as money throughout the whole of Abyssinia today, is the date 1780. The coin is the Maria Theresa thaler of Austria, which has been the prevailing currency of Abyssinia for generations states a writer in Pearson's Weekly.

Vienna mints these thalers solely for use in Africa, using the design of 1780. The tribesmen will not accept coins which vary in the slightest detail from the traditional pattern. Their favor ite way of deciding whether a coin is genuine or not is to count the number of pearls in the brooch worn by the figure of Empress Theresa on the coin.

In 1899, the famous Emperor Mene lik II tried to introduce a truly na tional coinage into Abyssinia, but his efforts failed. So, more recently, did similar endeavors by Haile Selassie. The currencies they brought into the country circulate only in a few towns But the tribesmen of the wild and remote regions still refuse to have anything whatever to do with these coins.

The word "dollar" is derived from "thaler."

#### Flying Dactor

Huge areas of Australia are with out a single hospital, and often the nearest doctor is 50 miles or more Away. Wireless and aeroplanes have to be used to aid the seriously ill in these vast empty lands. The Aus garian investigators, Dr. L. Zechmelstralian Inland Mission has devised a ter and P. Tuzson, who analyzed a special wireless system with automatic transmitters for use by isolated stations in the wilds. As soon as anyone falls ill a relation or friend can discuss the case by wireless with the

#### Monkey's Kiss Clears Man

Clambering up its master's arm. tiny monkey flung its arms around its aged master's neck and kissed him. This saved old Max, aged sixty seven from being fined for cruelty to his pet. Max had jerked the monkey's chain when the pet refused to dance for pennies in a Berlin street, some one told the police, and Max was arrested. "I love my monkey like a child." Max told the judge, but he was fined. Then the years of my life the motor car was monkey kiss won the reversal of sen-

#### Ancient Kitchens Found

Parts of kitchens believed to be at least 10,000 years old have been unearthed near Kingston, South Australia. They are thought to have been used by some of Australia's earliest inhabi tants. The utensils consisted of 1,400 sharp-edged axes of flint and many knives, all of the Paleolithic age.

#### Few Widows Wed in Reich

Widows in Germany seldom find second husbands, according to official figures, which show that there are 2, 375,485 ex-wives in the country, and for every four widowers who remarry only one widow finds another mate.

#### Ready to Ride

"So you're going to exercise by horseback riding? Ever been on a horse?" "Why, no. But I'm a bit bow-

legged."

#### Putting It Accurately

"Have you got any mosquitoes around here?" "No," replied Farmer Corntossel. "We haven't got them. They've got

## Sh-sh!

"Now that you've tried my voice, said the girl to the giee club director, "what do you think I should do with

George?"

"Whisper," was the prompt reply. Secret "Why don't you like dancing with

"Oh, George is all right; but he won't let his right foot know what his left one is doing!"

#### An Old Belief

A child must not be allowed to look in a mirror before it is a year old, for that means death to it.

## An Old Warning

If you spill salt, throw a pinch over right hand itches; it is a sign of your left shoulder, to break the spell money coming.

#### THIS AND THAT

"Bus" is a contraction of omnibus.

You can rule children if you don't get mad about it.

A man can be painfully modest so

that he fatigues you. No songs are written about "The

Good Old Winter Time." If Justice were not blind, she would

After success, a self-made man likes to recite his experiences.

act much more promptly.

If you mean it, you never express your sympathy awkwardly.

If everybody else is prosperous you will be. Don't be envious.

Perhaps the less you explain, the more charitable people will be.

Traditions in social life are what precedents are in jurisprudence.

Some people are always apologizing and recommitting the same offense.

Over 1,000,000 tons of salt were produced in Japan in the last year.

Whatever a man's tastes are, he seldom pretends they are something

Tax-gatherers see to that. When your income lessens, the rate is in-

We all save money for other men to invest. It seems to be a talent that

The shiftless man suffers consid erably mentally from his weakness He worries.

To those who don't care for games of chance, those who do are quite incomprehensible.

Why is it that when your crony gets "real boiling mad" about something it makes you laugh?

Father Time kills all of us finally. but those who know how to kill time occasionally get even with him.

#### Body Stores Substances With Fat

When the body stores fat in the tissues it deposits there not only the excess fats with their high nutritional sustained this view by not raising oband caloric values but many other jections to evidence offered in the form substances in smaller amounts, says a of a book with easily detachable pages. writer in the New York Herald However, to be on the safe side and Tribune. Some of the substances prevent any possibility of abuse, some which the body stores with the fats big companies have their more imporhave been identified by two Hub- tant loose-leaf books constructed with large number of fat samples mostly from persons suffering from particular diseases. They found that the color of the fat was associated with the vegetable diet and disease. The fat pensive by far than his soldiers. It rom persons eating large amounts of red peppers was found to be rich in capsanthine, one of the red pigments in the peppers. Carotene and xantophyll, two yellow coloring matters from vegetables, were present in large amounts. Carotene is the substance from which the body manufactures its vitamin A.

#### The Centenarian

Reporter-To what do you attribute your old age?

Centenarian-For the first seventy not invented and for the last thirty years I have not been out in the streets.

#### With Gestures

Father (intense with excitement)-Well, boy, what happened when you asked the boss for a raise? Son-Why, he was like a lamb Father-What did he say? Son-Baa.-Ireland's Own,

Country Boy-Say, mister, can you tell me what an orator is? Man-Sure. It's a fellow who is always ready to lay down your life for his country .- Windsor Star.

#### Example From Life

"Pa, what did the preacher mean by wearing shining raiment?" "Well, a good example is my blue

#### serge suit, son."-Capper's Weekly. What?

Teacher-Now, Robert, what are you doing-learning something? Robert-No, sir, I'm listening to you. -Tit Bits Magazine.

#### No Fooling

Where have I seen your face before?" "Right where it is now."-Answers Magazine.

'Ush! "Beats me why they call these 'ere cinema attendants ushers. Lil!" "Don't be silly, Bert. Don't they 'ave to tell people to keep quiet?"

## Just Don't Pay

"I never talks back to a policeman," said Uncle Eben. "Even if I have a good argument he's too busy to listen."

#### Strains Called Quakes

Earthquakes are shocks conveyed through the crest of the earth when the stratified rocks yield to strains.

## Sign of Money Coming It is lucky when the palm of the

#### WHISTLING WINDS

Meekness is the weakest so-called

Prosperity covers a multitude of Only a pretty woman can afford to

Be kind to all except those who are rying to gyp you. We may condone mistakes in our

alers-but not much. The authorized strength of West oint is 1,960 cadets. Some people turn their back when

forced to face facts. Never bring up a favor that 'you did man. Let him do it. He who "swears off" has more

noney to spend on his other habits.

One way to enjoy doing your best is help some other fellow do better. Go-getter! One who presses a buton and tells somebody else to go get it. The penalty of fame is the kind of people who name their children after

A political economist is one who ares nothing for men, but only for

heories. Abject ignorance is rare, but there s plenty of the 50 per cent exasperatng kind.

iminating the dumb from their en ronment No fool law ever survives, but it

an make millions miserable for half a lifetime. A bad intention sooner or later inds its opportunity, while a good in-

ention has to make one. "A woman likes a man to remember er birthdays, but not to count them."

#### COURT RULES OUT LOOSE LEAF BOOK

A recent court decision that a looseleaf book is not a "book" within the meaning of the British Companies act -which prescribes that minutes of directors' meetings must be kept in a "book"-has caused a big flurry in English legal circles, according to a London United Press correspondent,

All the big British banks now use loose-leaf ledgers and account books but they did not do so until learned and expensive counsel had advised them that such records should be acceptable as evidence in the courts.

Sir John Simon, for example, when practicing at the bar, is understood o have advised clients that the mechanical construction of a book should have nothing to do with its value as evidence. And the courts have tacitly lock and key.

Sailors More Costly It is figured by the adjutant general's office in the War department that Uncle Sam's sailors are more exosts approximately \$15,000 to edi ate a midshipman for four years a Annapolis compared to about \$9,715 to chool a cadet for the same period a West Point. In actual service it is stimated that it costs \$4,500 annually o maintain a naval officer and \$1,100 for an enlisted man. In the army lowever, maintenance cost falls to 4,420 for officers and \$810 for each rivate.-Pathfinder Magazine.

Peasants Use Beds To reduce the high death rate from cheumatic troubles in the province of Dragoslav Georgovich of Yugoslavia public health authorities have ordered all the peasants to buy beds. The peasants from time immemorial have slept on the floors of their cottages.

Blowing of Sea Spray Spindrift, or sea spray, has been blown in gales over incredibly long distances. During a recent storm in England, it drenched and covered with salt a house 70 miles from the coast .- Collier's Weekly.

## Zuyder Zee Almost Gone

Having almost disappeared, the Zuyder Zee has changed its name to Yssel Meer, and the mighty dyke and the reinforcing pumps are effacing the memory of the old inland sea of Holland.

#### No Politeness

Mother-Haven't I told you not to interrupt when I'm talking? Mary-No. Mother-No what?

#### Mary-No interruptions. No Wonder

Chatty-Oh, he's so romantic. When be addresses me he always calls me Fair Lady. Catty-Force of habit, my dear, He's a street car conductor.

## Horses Pour Own Drink

Horses may pour out their own drinks at the new barracks at Neustrelitz, near Berlin, described as being a model sodier's living quarters. In every stall is a disk. The horse has only to tread on it and it causes fresh water to flow into the trough. The barracks, which possess the most modern ventilation, heating, lighting, cooking and sanitary arrangements, were built in 10 months by 1,700 workmen.

#### Old Stones Used for Building Stones from two churches, erected over 60 years ago, have been used to construct a new meat plant in Lep-

inakan, Armenia. The rooms of the plant have marble pillars and tables. costs so much to find out whether you giving the appearance of a hospital are or not. operating room. Three hundred cattle and 1.500 sheep are slaughtered there daily

#### EEK! EEK!



"This photo doesn't flatter you "How could it?"

#### Largest Quarry in U. S.

The largest quarry in the United States is in Ohio, a sandstone quarry near Amherst, where there are also a number of others. There are important grindstone quarries at Berea. which have been worked since the state's early days, and there are some in the vicinity of Marietta. From pi-Brainy people succeed somehow in oneer days also limestone has been tak en out of the Islands in the western part of Lake Erle.

#### IN HIS GRIP



"Tried your new auto on the road

"Yes, had a fine ride." "Go fast?" "Not so fast as the cop. That's

where the 'fine' came in."

"Safety First" Creatures Many creatures pretend to be what they are not, in order to avoid being seen and captured by their foes. An example is the stick insect, says Tit-Bits Magazine. Less known is the caterpillar of the peppered moth. When these caterpillars have stripped a twig of its foliage, they would be very conspicuous on the bare plant, so they stiffen themselves and pretend to be parts of the twig.



What kind of coal do you use?" "Where can I get a dozen?"

# ON THE SIDELINES

Opportunity is always knocking if

you're listening. A cow waters her own milk, else we wouldn't have it at all.

Don't listen to two others argue if you can't keep out of it.

Though all must die, does that inspire humility in anybody?

Some men are magnetic without using their power to gyp others.

A mussy office is not necessarily an indication of a lot of work done.

Slang peps up the conversation if it isn't of the too cheap sort.

Civilizations perish because nations lose heart. Such things happen. One never captures all the charm of

the country unless he sleeps there. When an airplane does crash it usually makes a thorough job of it.

It's the cockerel that does the crowing, but the hen delivers the goods. If it was found out 100 years ago, the scientists are now sure of it,

If one doesn't know what to do, let him assume an attitude of patience.

A woman's instinct always tells her

she is right-whether she is or not. A man doesn't need to ask a girl if she can cook. If she can, she'll tell

When you must choose the lesser of two evils, choose and don't scold about it. You may be ill, but it sometimes

#### TOODLE-00



"Does your husband help about the house work?" "He does now that I have secured a pretty maid."

#### Strange Accidents

Frequent accidents at certain points on certain roads that have no plausible explanation for their occurrence, have led the motorists of France to incline to the belief that the roads are newitched.

#### Oil Starves Gulls

Their wings stuck together by oil lischarged by passing ships, 80 searulls starved to death recently near

### Girvan, Scotland.

And Maybe "Squawks" Teacher-If leaders of Indian tribes were called chiefs, what were their wives called?

Pupil-Mischlefs!



"I wonder if hunters had any kind of equipment in Nimrod's day!" "Of course not. They hadn't invented cameras and press agents in those days.'

Mark Twain's Duel Mark Twain once found himself a second in a duel and it was up to him to suggest the weapons to be used. His first suggestion was peashooters at a mile's distance. But as nobody would get hurt they wouldn't know how the duel came out. The next suggestion, axes at one foot's distance was ruled out as altogether too serious. Eventually he got them to accept small pistols at a comparatively great distance.

Crew Forgets Station Two minutes late, an express train thundered through the station of Shistaff and prospective passengers astounded. The stationmaster put in a hurry call to Okisu, the next station, and the train was stopped. Passengers for Shimizu were taken back by auto mobile. The train crew said they

### merely forgot to stop.



"Tom, dear, you love me more than anything else in the world, don't you?" "Sure."

"And you wouldn't give me up for a million dollars." "Huh, anybody offered that?"

## Lucky Coincidence!

Rufus-Did you hear about the man who was murdered last night for his money?

Goofus-Yes. Wasn't it lucky that he didn't have a cent on him at the time?-Chicago Tribune.

speak.'"

## "My motto is 'Think before you

"You must find it very difficult to carry on a conversation."-Tit-Bits Magazine. G-r-r-r-r! Hunter-1 was tracking a bear this

morning, but lost him. Friend-Why? Hunter-The tracks got too fresh!

ALONG THE HIGHWAY



"They say love goes where it is sent." "If properly expressed, I suppose."

## JUST TO LAUGH

Dark Clouds

"Why do you always look gloomy?" "A gloomy man avoids many a hard luck tale."

#### On Location "And did you have a local anesthetic for your tooth?" "Oh, no, I went up to town."-

#### Pearson's Weekly, Modern at Least

S'. Peter-How did you get up hera? Latest Arrival-Flu,-Tit-Bits Maga-

## Pirate's Rate

zine.

Miss Gush (on ship)-Captain weren't you ever boarded by plrates? Captain-Yes, they charged me \$3 a day, and the food was terrible.

To the Point "Want a haircut?" "No, want all of them cut," "Any particular way?"

"Yes, off." That Explains It Customer-Your dog seems very fond of watching you cut hair.

Barber-It ain't that; sometimes I

# snip off a bit of a customer's ear.

Day Watch Employer-Well, I might hire you. Do you watch the clock? Boy-I don't have to. I have a

#### Not So Strong Wife-When we married I thought

you were a brave man. Other Half-So did everybody else. Papa's Boy

#### "Yes, he made an awful fuss," Time to Wake Up

"Did Johnny take his medicine like

sald the girl enthusiast. "You do," murmured her partner. Bending Low

"I could play bridge in my sleep,"

#### "Did you get on your knees when you proposed to Kitty?" "No, she did."-Pathfinder Magazine.

He-I suppose you think I'm a perfect idiot? She-Oh, none of us are perfect.

Another Slam

#### At-a-Boy! Peck-What is the best way to make a girl believe I have good judgment? Will-Propose to her.

Something Substantial Mrs. A .- "Shall I ask the cook for references?" Mr. A .- "No; get her ta

#### submit samples."

Old No. 171 An old Jersey cow that died at the Florida Experiment station last year mizu, Japan, one of the important | should be famous, During her 13 years stops on the line, and le't the station of life she was the subject of 12 studies relating to the science of dairying, which resulted in five bulletins, five scientific articles, and numerous technical lectures, all probably drier than the cow. She was used in classroom work and judging. The publications were useful to dairymen not only in Florida but in other states and lands, two of them having been reprinted in India and Ceylon. She was known simply as Number 171 .--

#### The Country Home,

An Odd Port Office Eighty miles inland from the Pacific ocean the Port of Stockton, Calif., has been visited by more than 500 deep-sea vessels since it was opened in 1933. Among its interesting features is the director's office, which looks like the pilot house of a ship, containing a full-size ship's wheel and a compass. Triangular in shape, it overlooks the main channel on one side and the shipping activities on the other. Anyone entering the office goes

over an inclosed bridge. Historic Trees Face Destruction King Edward II avenue, one of the main thoroughfares into Windsor, was planted with elm trees by King Edward VII in 1903. The Dutch elm disease has attacked so many of the trees that experts have advised the cutting down of the entire avenue which stretches from the North Lodge gate of the castle to Victoria bridge.-London Sun-

# day Observer.

Music Boat For the benefit of people in settlements cut off from civilization during the winter, the Japenese government has equipped a steamer plying the northern Sungari river, with a brass band, a theatrical troupe, a cinema and a co-operative store.

#### Let's Have It Right Policeman-He was fighting his wife.

your worship, when I arrested him, and-Prisoner (interrupting ruefully)-When you rescued me, if you don't

mind.

#### Very Clean Daddy-Well, you certainly look very clean, my boy. Sonny-Sure, daddy, ma just gave me a personally conducted bath .-

#### Would Help Jimmy-Mother sent me to you, doctor, because I am so tired. I just can't

aleep any more. Doctor-Have you tried boxing?

Pathfinder Magazine.

## International Sunday School Lesson By DR. J. E. NUNN

For Sunday, April 5, 1936

sat at meat with him heard these | ced, but not convinced; and the truth, he that shall eat bread in the king- other thing which it could do. exas-

17. And sent his servant at supper time to say to them that were bidden, Come for all things are now ready. 18. And they all with one consent began to make excuse. The first said unto him, I have bought a piece of

ground, and I must go and see it: I pray thee have me excused. 19. And another said. I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them. I pray thee have me ex-

19. And another said, I have bouprove them: I pray thee have me ex-

20. And another said. I have mar-

21. So the servant came, and showed his lord these things. Then the master of the house being angry into the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in hither the poor, and the mained, and the halt, and the

22. And the strvant said, Lord, it yet there is room.

and hedges and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled. 24. For I say unto you, That none Alexander Whyte.

of those men which were bidder THE PARABLE OF THE GREAT shall taste of my supper. SUPPER - Luke 14:15-24

INTRODUCTION

DROPSY ON THE SABBATH Luke 14:1-6.

th day, the Lord answers them with treasure a question which is so stated that it beart, was elsewhere." -Alexander answers itself, and puts the quest- Whyte, ioners hopelessly on the defensive. V.21. "And bring in hither the Literally, the sentence should read poor and the maimed and blind and thus: "Whose ox or ass of you shall lame." "The great Giver of the heavfall into a well and he (the man) will
not straightway draw him up on the
Sabbath day?" There could be but The people who knew not the law,

one answer. But as this answer they General Topic: Jesus invites all would not give, they did what alone was possible. 'They held their peace' things, he said unto him, Blessed is which did not win them, did the only hooves us to take care that, in all are with him and not against him.

ION AND EXCUSIVENESS

Luke 14:7-14 As the Lord Jesus looked about the room in which the feast of that Sabbath day had been spread in the Pharisee's home, he noticed how the guests "chose out the cheif seats." or, as Moffatt's translation reads, 19. And another said, I have bouto these guests jostling one another who have need; all missions and misfor West Texas.

To these guests jostling one another who have need; all missions and misfor the chief places, he remarked sionary work are in this story. God Friona, Texas. that the wise conduct on such an oc easion would be for the guests to at ried a wife, and therefore I cannot if they deserved higher seats, the host would come down to them, inviting them to go up higher. "If you are constant!" pluming yourself on your said to his servant, Go out quickly own performances and on your high reservings of praise and what not at all men's hands, depend upon it your humiliation will not tarry. You will be disappointed, superseded, overlooker, overstepped, and overridden is done as thou hast commanded, and absolutely every day. Demand noth ng for yourself and you will be con-23. And the Lord said unto the stantly surprised how praise and proservant. Go out into the highways motion will pour upon you, and that, at the most unexpected times, and from the most unexpected people."-

shall taste of my supper.

GOLDEN TEXT: "Come; for all things are now ready." Luke 14:17. centain man made a great supper: and he bade many." The word here "Our Lord spoke this parable (of translated "supper" means the pricithe Refused Banquet) as a reminder that even those who talk about the Kingdom (ver.15) are not always willing to receive it. The interest gathers around two main points - the rest. And all these features of the amazing hospitality of God, the amaz- supper table, idealized long since in ing indifference of men."-J. E. M. psalm and prophecy, made it very ex-Ross.

"The source of their indifference is not a hardened heart, wilfully bent upon refusing the mercy of God: not began to make excuse." "There is no a determination to sin: it is the dead-pushive sin ascribed to the refusing ening effect of lawful possession of guests; their fault is that of preocthe good things of this life that is cupation and indifference. Their pri-pointed out."- The Study Bible. vate affairs cannot wait, they think: pointed out."- The Study Bible. vate affairs cannot wait, they think; THE HEALING OF THE MAN WITH so the host must wait for them in vain The sample excuses are suggestive. There is property, which speaks Of the seven miracles of mercy | f land and pride and ambition; there on the sabbath day in the mininstry of Christ, four are recorded by Luke this being the last of the four (4:38-39: 6:-11: 13:10-17). The Pharise-comfort may affect to lower levels es had invited Christ to dinner that day with the "watch" means "watching on the side (shyly) insidiously, with evil intent." A. T. Robertson.

"In regard to the question of these lawyers and Pharisees regarding the legality of healing on the Sabbath day, the Lord answers them with the same transfer and consequently all their treasure, and consequently all their

should enter into the Kingdom of vacant places at the table of his God before the wise and the prulove." George Christic. - R. C. Trench.

"CONSTRAIN THEM TO COME IN." Luke 14:23.

my house may me filled." In the idea | may be filled," are significant data expressed by the word "constrain" of the gospel and a challenge from there is no thought of compulsion, the real Master. And when we turn Scripture Lesson:- Luke 14:15-24 for they would not assent and they but rather of persuasion. "The giver from those who will not accept him. 15. And when one of them that would not gainsay. They were silen- of the feast expects that these home- while we go everywhere - "streets less dwellers in the highways and by and lanes, highways and hedges' the hedges will hold themselves so we are to give special attention to unworthy of the invitation as hardly the especially needy, the poor, mainperated them the more; they replied nothing, biding their time." -R. C. the yield not be induced to enter figuraticely speaking. It is a call to tain man made a great supper, and Trench. Christ is always right. His his magnificant content in the apostolic church to leve Jerusaopponents are always wrong. It be- his magnificant entertainment." R. lem and preach to the Gentiles; for C. Trench. "Jesus came offering to us a call to the evangelization of the questions which he touched upon, we are with him and not against him. and a righteousness possible even for gospel is concerned. the most depraved; and he found no CHRIST WARNS AGAINST AMBIT- appetite for thee benefits, no egerless to come to the feast which he had spread." - A. B. Bruce. "The par-able rings with the limitless goodness of God. His kingdom is for the will be indefinite and will depend on hungry who appreciate it, not for the satisfied and selfishly occupied who prefer other things. It has nothing in t of merit or resert, only of need. now "they picked out the best places." The kingdom of heaven is for those

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the despised and the outcast, these wishes to see men happy, to have no

"YET THERE IS ROOM" Luke 14:22 The remark of the servant, yet there is room," and the master's 'Constrain them to come in, that continued insistence that "my house

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For District Attorney:

PERRY T. BROWN

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For State Senator, 31st District.

CURTIS DOUGLASS

# Panhandle Press

Ochiltree County Herald-During the past twenty-six years, approximately 7,000,000 boys and men have been connected with Scouting. Of those 1,300,000 are now active. The grams have been devised to reestab-Scouting and its ideals. Older boys and young men have been summoned | ieft in native grass, or, having been from England has come Rover Scouthas been noted by Dr. James E. that to be found anywhere on the ty-fifth anniversary as Chief Exe-

Collingsworth Standard-Who said there was no Santa Clause? An aged that 55 per cent more persons were lady living in Milwaukee, when ap-killed in 1935, while walking against for scientists will be held at Palmetplying for her old age pension, stated that she had paid no rent in fifteen years When asked why her landlord had not evicted her she stated that she didn't know who he was, that she had never seen him We don't have lions, another form of jaw-walking, landlords like that down here in was fatal to 4,500 persons, or 28.4 ed by the Gonzales Palmetto Park

Commerce is the business of the com-while getting on or off vehicles other grams will be important features on the three day program.

Show me a live city and I will show you a live Chamber of Commerce. A dead Chamber of Commerce means that the city has gone to sleep In other words, a city is known by

Hutchinson County Herald Three bills before Congress vitally effect 125,000,000 consumers of America. One of these bills, the Robinson ttee. The other two the Patman Bill and the Utterbach Bill are being not be worth the loss of life and proconsidered by a committee of the House of Representatives.

Flooded Districts," "Parents Separat- great debt which follows a war. ed From Family of Six." "Disease Rampant in Flood Section"- and is hard to take, there is very little insect pests and blights of one sort and dirty and disgusting-but com- only enough sweet corn for a halfpared to some other evils give me dozen meals but such sweet cornthe dust.

#### JODOK-

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not blame them.

But, if I were going myself, I do ot know where I could hie myself blow away. off to where I could do any better. I might strike it immensely rich with my very first move, then, again, I might get out of the frying-pan \$1.36 unto the fire, so I suppose I will hold on a bit longer where I be.

> I have known places where the tive opulence; but a perpetual sysutmost toil that it is still made to doing under our present system. produce in sufficient quanities to afford a comfortable living, and the large and beautful farm houses that once decorated the country side there are gong into decay for want of repair and no new ones are being built so there-

floods and whirlwinds and severe 'come back" it comes with a "bam" that almost startles people, and then. this great plains country.

and without trees and rocks, which himself. conditions make it one of the finest farming countries imaginable, but

gia. when away from home It is a ommon sentiment. A recent report from the Civilian Conservation Corps. for instance, speaks of homesickness among the boys as one of the outstanding problems in handling these young men. It is not strange that many of these boys, who have never been away from their homes for any length of time before, should feel unhappy and upset by life among strangers.

Pampa News-Life cannot be nade free of major emergencies. A study of insurance company statistics shows that such emergencies may be expected by the average family every eleven years.

Ilnesses are as certain for most amilies as the change of seasons. Pueumonia and stomach uleers occur most frequently, the survey shows, and the costs for a doctor, nursing, and hospitalization average \$343. The most expected operated is for appendicitis, with an average cost of \$258; the most likely accident is motor mishap with a cost of \$240 ncial emergencies for most families. although the cost is well below the average for other things involing medical care.

Within the past year various pro- Again, a large portion of our lands has no competitor in the growing of lished or further their contacts with grain sorghums and stock farming. Some of our land should have been to special camps and talks, sea units cultivated, should be returned to its have been planned for them, and original state as quickly as possible. That is obvious. The Panhandle has ing: The latest progress in this effort soil that is as good or better than West, recently honored on his twen- North American continent. That is not a boast. It is a fact which has been established by repeated tests.

Borger Herald-It is alarming education and publicity barrages must be directed. in part, against pedestrian practices, which are danzerous. Crossing between intersechundred persons were killed while Fort Sam Houston officials. Canadian Record A Chamber of waiting in safety isles, but 260 died | Field trips and auditorium pro-

Memphis Democrat-The first issue of the weekly Memphis Demoerat, published on last Friday, was met with a hearty reception by the people of the Memphis trade area. the Chamber of Commerce is keeps. judged by the many words of congratulation and commendation that community prejudices, have been bestowed upon the different members of the staff.

Spearman Reporter-Even if a nation wins a war the victory would perty, here would be many happy homes broken up by the loss of the Senate by the Judiciary Commi-Bill, has been favorably reported to also be in debt at the end of the war and the people will have to bear the Briscoe County News When you weight of heavy taxation. The losing are feeling extra blue in the midst nation will be hurt by loss of many of one of our little dusters, you might lives, also the ruler, dictator, or glance thru one of the dailies. Front whoever led them into the war pages fairly scream of the damage would take the less serious. While and suffering in the flood districts the leader of the winning nation may of the East. "200,000 Homeless in feel proud, that would not bring the

Muleshoe Journal-It takes conplenty of others too. While the dust stant vigil to win the battle against actual danger to lives. And while it or another, but our healthy, sturdy damages the wheat prospects, there's row of potatoes, tomatoes or beans no danger of losing a lifetime's sav- is worth all the attention you put into ings over night. It's inconvenient it. The vegetable garden may yield Cut just before dinner, promptly cooked and served with plenty of but-Childress Index -Do you get home- ter at hand, garden roasting ears, sickness otherwise known as nostal- heat all others a thousand miles.

Giver is forcing us to quit it and treat this great country as it should be treated, and we are beginning to heed his admonition, which is shown by the fact that we are now organizing erosion prevention zones or districts and are planning better ways for tilling the land so that it cannot

I predict that within a comparatively lew seasons the farmers of the Friona territory will be vieing with each other as to who can devise the best manner of preventing erosion and at the same time raise as good or better crops than we have ever grown before; rather than vieing as soil was rich and productive and to who can get the largest amount where it was comparatively easy to of land plowed in one day and the attain not only a living, but compara- largest acreage of wheat planted for the season. And I am just obstinate tion which may appear in the tem of tilling, aided by the rains, sun enough to think that when we have and frosts has so leached this soil during the past fifty years or more. Until it is with the greatest care and make even more money than we are tem of tilling, aided by the rains, sun enough to think that when we have

> And will that not be a "glad and glorious" day when each farmer will produce enough vegetables and strawberries, cherries and plums for his family use and enough cows to furnish milk for his butter and ice cream, and enough hogs to stock a As I told you last week, our dust good sized larder with cured hams. storms are not killing anybody as the shoulders bacon and sausage and enough grain to feed all this stock cold and earthquakes are doing in with. And will it not be fine when many other localities in distant we have learned that we can do betstates, and when this country does ter and farm to better profit with a smaller acreage and instead of holding to all we have and trying to get how quickly we begin to boast of that which our neighbor may have. we will say - we have too much land to till profitably and will not some The "Good Lord" gave us this great good neighbor come and take a part level country with its rich, deep soil of it off my hands and till it for

> But say- patient reader. I must in our selfishness and greed to be- quit thinking about all this good come rich and attain opulence "over stuff to eat for it is making my night" as it were, we have abused mouth water until it is getting so the precious gift, and the Great full I will just have to spit if I do not mouth water until it is getting so stop; and I have no euspidor and I just hate to spit right out here on the street in the presence of all these people.

> > Some one has put it this way:-Instead of Measuring our highways n miles we should measure them in killmeters." Yes, or in "meet-and-

# Governor's Aide To Publish Song Book

Dallas-"Seven Song." a book of verse by Pat Moreland, secretary to Governor James V. Allred, will be issued in April by Doubleday-Doran. New York Contents of the book will extoll the beauties of Texas, as they will be depicted in exhibits of the Texas Centennial Exposition, which opens here June 6

The volume will contain collected works of Moreland that have appearinvolved. The average cost for each ed in Harper's Magazine, the New emergency was \$318. Births are fin- York Times, Literary Digest, Kaleidograph, Carillon, Dallas Morning News and in various anthologies.

Moreiand, who spent his boyhood in Claremore. Oklhoma, home town of the late Will Rogers, first gained Amarillo News-The Panhandle is literary prominence when he won the so large that it has a wide variety 1931 award of the Poetry Society of graduates, or veterans are thus be- of soil types. Some of its soils are Texas for his book of verse, "Arrow coming increasingly large group— suited to wheat production. Wheat Upsent." In 1934, he won the Kaleithere are almost six million of them. produced on those lands has no equal. dograph book publication award with very simple cake, and stewed fruits or his "Slumber at Noon."

He is co-author of a book, "Six of One," and in 1933 was awarded the Old South prize for his poem, "Bath-

#### Scientists Will Meet During Time of Texas Frolics

Gonzales Tex., April 2-Sp-The signals, than in 1934. Obviously, the to state park near Gonzales on March 26. 27 and 28.

Widespread interest has been shown in plans for the meet which sponsored by the Texas Acedemy of Science and which will be directper cent of those killed. Only one board, the National Park service, and

The first wild flower show in Texas was sponsored by the Gonzales Women's Study club in 1926.

on are or where you live, you have to pay attention to the

When you receive a dun, that means you are thought to be honest. If it weren't so, you'd be sued.

Meaning-?

Pupil (during lesson on creation)-But my father says we're descended from apes. Teacher-We can't talk about your

Missed It Miss Green-I left my book laying on the desk. Miss Carney-Lying.

faml' in class.

On the Off Side Sam-Did you ever see anything se unsettled as this weather?

Miss Green-Honest, I'm telling the

Landlady-Well, there's your bill. Roods Used for Post Reeds were commonly used for pens n ancient times and as late as the Middle ages.

# The Household

By LYDIA LE BARON WALKER

EVERY mother has to be a first ald nurse even though she be a decided amateur in the work. If she has a natural ability for nursing, she will become quite expert before her youngsters are fully grown, and even though she has no latent abilities for this work, she cannot fail to become something of an adept through experience. Children may be healthy yet



Most children are heedless when It comes to precautions. They are apt to do things impulsively, and fear of accidents does not enter into their minds. Inexperience makes them irresponsible. They learn caution slowly. Of course, there

are some youngsters who are timid. But this does not keep them from getting bumps, bruises, cuts, etc. They are not immune from accidents nor from the effects of their own carelessness or that of others.

#### Mother's Aid.

It is expected, of course, when there s anything which simple remedies do not relieve, that a physician will be summoned. However, little troubles and dittle accidents may need no treatment other than that a mother can give. She should not be appre hensive, but she can be careful and watchful. She cannot do better than ollow directions as given in a Red Cross First Aid pamphlet. With this and the use of such family methods as she remembers being successful, both in relieving pain and in remedying sicknesses, her home treatments will be simplified

Every caild has the proverbial sweet tooth. To say that children like candy is putting it altogether too mildly. Since nature supplied the youngsters with this desire, which may be said to be universal, it stands to reason that it should not be totally disregarded. Their little systems must require a certain amount of sugar. The trouble is to find out what amount is best suited to each child in the family and then comes the question of how est to satisfy this need.

Sugar on cereal or honey on it in stead of sugar, together with fruits that are sweet, are a general method of providing for sweets at breakfast. The main sweet for dinner comes in the dessert. For supper cookies or a little jam or jelly, will take care of that meal in the matter of sweets. Every mother has found certain sweets that suit mealtime requirements of her little folk.

Apart from these regular mealtime apportionments of sugary foods, children crave candy. If this is taken Just after a meal, it is the best time or it. This is partly because a little will satisfy, or perhaps I should say, comparatively little. It is also in part ecause the system assimilates the sweet excellently then. In speaking as I do about this time for dispensing candy, let me say in passing, that the advice is one from a physician of experlence.

The kind of candy to give children is not fancy chocolates nor rich bon bons but simple sorts such as oldfashioned molasses candy, barley sticks, rum drops, hard sugar candies, that dwindle by sucking rather than gobbling down quickly with scarcely any hewing-for so it is that many children eat confections. Home made candy is especially recommended, when it is of the varieties given.

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#### Graphic Term

describe the appearance of a paint film that has cracked into large segments, resembling the hide of an alligator. Alligatoring is usually caused by one coat being applied over another before the bottom coat is thoroughly hard and dry, or by a less elastic material being applied over a more elastic coating underneath.

## Household Vermin

Fresh paint is one of the most pow erful weapons that can be used against household vermin. Many insects will not remain in the proximity of paint, and it not only kills or drives them off but prevents the hatching of eggs. larvae and pupae. Then, too, painted walls may be kept spotlessly clean. thus removing the food supply for the unwelcome visitors.

#### For Use Over Stains

It is customary to finish stained surfaces with varaish or shellac. Two or more coats are generally applied. the number depending upon the finish desired and the wear to which the surface will be subjected.

#### Dry Weather

By LEONORA WOODWARD & McClure Newspaper Syndicate. WNU Service.

T WAS an old, old story to Mrs. Murray. She hadn't kept a rooming house just off Teath avenue for ten years without learning a thing or two. A girl-a pretty girl with eyes that were too large in her thin white face, the letter with the check that never came, and the lob which somehow never materialized.

And now the postman was at the door with a letter for Miss Lola Middieton, three cents due.

The girl didn't have a cent. She hadn't, so far as Mrs. Murray knew, eaten for two days.

"Just a moment," said Mrs. Murray and went back to steam open the let er. An easy matter in this case since it was already half open. But no check fluttered out. Mrs. Murray hadn't really expected one. So she sealed it again hastily and thrust it back into the postman's hands.

"The young lady won't receive the letter," she announced, and shut the

After that she climbed painfully to the third floor, puffing gently, for she was fat and in damp weather her knees were stiff with rheumatism. L had been-raining in New York for one week but except for the pain Mrs. Murray took no account of the weather when her duty was to be done. The girl had not paid her room rent for a week and a week was Mrs. Murray's

She opened the door to the right of he staircase and walked in without nocking The girl was sitting on the ed, her hands folded in her lap.

She said what she always said to sirls like this one. She said that she as a widow woman and had her living to mike and she couldn't have people living free on her clean towels and sheets and drawing good hot wa-

"You didn't happen to get a letter for me this morning, Mrs. Murrayfrom Arizona?'

Mrs. Murray's arms went akimbo. "Were you expectin' a letter, Miss Middleton?

The girl gulped, "No-of course not -not really. I mean-only there was a boy back home-" her voice traited off. Suddenly she stiffened. "And now, would you mind leaving me while I pack?

Mrs. Murray felt berself softening. she, who never softened, "You could get a cup of coffee in the kitchen before you go. I wouldn't want it said that I put a renter out on a rainy morning without something to warm her stummick.'

"Thank you, Mrs. Murray, and If you had a stray crust of bread . . . Mrs. Murray was quite unprepared for the tall, tanned young man who stood on her steps two weeks later with the rain pelting upon his broad brimmed hat. A good looking, prosperous appearing young man whose eyes might have reminded her of Miss Middleton's eyes only they were bright

now with an anger which belied the drawling voice.

"I tell you she didn't have it. She didn't have a penny. She was broke."

"And you wouldn't, you didn't why I told her to draw on my New York bank for all the money she needed, in that letter.

"How was I to know? I tell you I got my living to make. All these girls . . ." She was suddenly afraid of this quiet man with the drawling voice. But he couldn't bulldoze her. She was in her rights. "And you, with your fine clothes and money in the bank, couldn't you be putting on enough stamps for your girl?"

"Madam, it's dry where I comes know what I know now, that linen pain weight, and it's been raining here for three weeks."

Mrs. Murray's knees twinged. She that she could do about it. The girl was gone. God was her witness she didn't know where and he could go to the police or the morgae or what-not for all she cared.

By and by he was gone and Mrs. Murray climbed painfully to the third dry there, he had said, so dry that a letter weighed less and when it was "Alligatoring" is a term used to dry her knees didn't hurt . . . She opened the door off the staircase and went in without knocking. A girl was sitting on the bed, crying. Mrs. Murray said what she always said to girls like this one. She was a poor widow woman and she had her living to make

#### Cobalt on Old Pottery

It is believed by scientists that the blue seen on mummy cases, having lost nothing of its brightness, must be either ultramarine or cobalt. Modern analyses have shown that the blue on ancient pottery, both Egyptian and Chinese, was sometimes derived from cobalt.

#### Mount McKinley

The highest point on the American continent was found in 1896 and named Mount William McKinley, for the President. It is 20,300 feet, higher than any of the Alps, higher than any point in Europe, Africa, Australia.

#### Carried Iron Fans

In Japan, at one time, the army carried iron fans, which were used in drill : picture and I tried to erase it. like swords.

#### RIGHT TO THE POINT

Flattery is what we think about oued

It is a poor rule that works no good

either way.

It is only in love that a woman's "no" may mean little.

"Chie" is a thoughtfulness of how you look to others.

It isn't always the cold; conetimes

it's the humidity. The test of beauty is to get a seat

in a crowded street car. We must change many things in the world, but not too fast.

What made the good old days "good" was that you were young.

A pleasant companion causes you to forget the length of the journey.

Man is the only animal that blushes. The other animals don't need to.

If it makes one angry to be made a martyr, he will not be one long.

Great men are those who get their ountry out of trouble, not into It.

Don't be fooled by the popular ridicule. Much classical music is beauti-

A 'sucker" is merely a person wh doesn't have sufficient fear of his fe

Youth is fond of adventure, but that may not be the reason why so many

marry early. In bullding a great navy we are paying for the next war; or paying for

never having it.

Peace of mind is worth tiving for, but emotion is also; and emotion isn't often peace of mind.

Buy good furniture and your descendants in the third generation will have valuable antiques.

City people may love recreation in the fields and woods, but it is a half day's journey to get there.

## Uncle Sam Leading Tree

Planter of All Nations Tree planting in this country is looking up, according to the United States forest service. In 1935 the forest service's own planting on national forest lands was very close to a quarter million acres, more than that planted by all agencies-federal, state, and private-in 1934 when the total was 206,-333 acres. Many of the other agencies planted substantially greater acreages

in 1935 than the year before. Uncle Sam, although relatively new at it, is becoming the world's leading tree planter. Up to last year his grand total of plantings by all agencies amounted to only 2,394,397 acres, equal to about half the area of Massachusetts. This year's plantings in the national forests alone will increase the "You mean she wouldn't pay three | total by more than 10 per cent. There national forests alone, and the estimated total forest acreage in this coun-

try is over 500,000,000 acres. In the whole world there is said to be about 7,500,000,000 acres of forests, more than 1,400,000,000 In North America. Asia and South America have more than 2,000,000,000 forest acres each. Europe and Africa have less than 800,000,000 each. The countries with biggest forest resources are Russia Brazil, Canada, and the United

#### Prisons Made Self-Supporting

Authorities of Lithuania have defrom, I had that letter weighed. I clded to make the inmates of their was in doubt, you see. But I didn't prisons pay for their keep instead of being a burden to the state. By a per may absorb moisture and increase new law under consideration, they will be handed a bill covering the cost of their "board and lodging" and, other amounts spent on them while ought to know that it'd been raining if in prison or during their preliminary anyone did. But there was nothing | detainment, if any. Those who are afterwards acquitted in court will be exempt from payment

#### Whales Charge Men

Three fishermen had a desperate fight with five whales off the coast near Stonehaven, New Brunswick, floor. A week was her limit. It was While a whale became entangled in the heavy anchor chain, five other whales came to the surface and repeatedly charged the twenty-five-foot boat. Eventually the fishermen managed to release the cable and the whale. The other whales charged once more, then disappeared.

#### Largest Push-Cart Market

New York city has the largest pushcart market in the world. It consists of 12,000 peddlers who do a gross volume of business of more than \$500,-000 a week, selling a vast variety of articles that range from octopi to oil paintings,-Collier's Weekly.

#### Wusik, China, Progressive

Wusik, China, a progressive city of more than half a million souls contains a public library of 170,000 volnmes and a curious minor industry, the manufacture of clay images, to be found in Chinese homes all over the country.

#### Situation Wanted City Editor-Who rulned the photo

graph of this girl? New Reporter-She held a book in front of her face when we took the