

FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By F. O. Alexander



YES MUM - AN WHAT IS IT VEZ WANT ?

I'VE LOCKED THE KEY TO MY TRUNK INSIDE WITH ALL MY CLOTHES AND THE SHERIFF GOT TO GET TO A PARTY TONIGHT.....



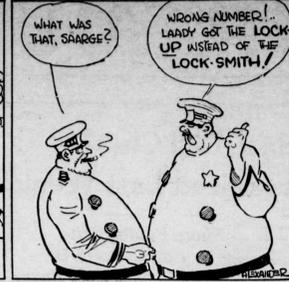
WHI - WELL LADY, IS THE BRADF TONIGHT GONNA BE INFORMAL ?

MERCY AB! THIS IS A VERY FORMAL OCCASION!



SURE THEN, LADY. WHAT ARE VEZ WORRYN' ABOUT VEZ CLOTHES FER ?

SIR! BANG!



WHAT WAS THAT, SARGE ?

WRONG NUMBER!.. LADY GOT THE LOCK UP INSTEAD OF THE LOCK-SMITH!



THE FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne



A GUY THAT WOULD START A CHAIN-LETTER WOULD THROW DICKS ON AN AUTO SPEEDWAY!



WHEN ANNEE SIBBS WARDING ME THAT IF I FAIL TO WRITE NINE OTHERS THE SOOT OF WARDING I RECEIVED THE CHAIR WILL BE BROWN AND FATE WILL POINT HER FINGER AT ME - I SIMPLY SAY POOH-POOH!



IT'S ALL SUPERSTITION ANYWAY!



NO SIR - THAT WASN'T NO BROWN CHIT - THAT WAS A BLACK CAT !!

WELL - IT LOOKED A LITTLE BIT BROWNISH TO ME !



Events in the Lives of Little Men

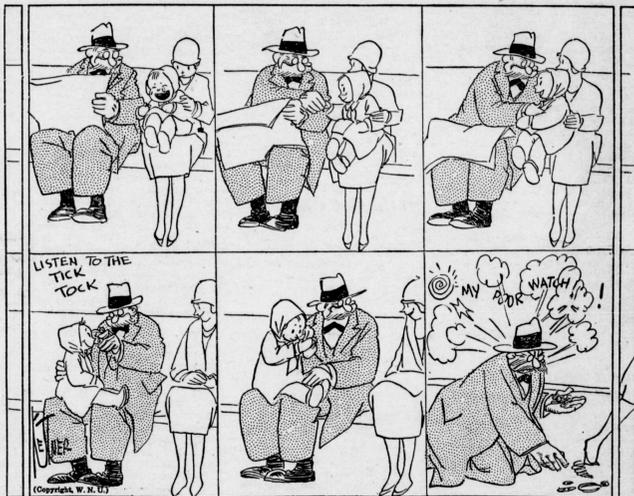
Our Pet Peeve



HEY BUD, WHATS THE IDEA? GET A HOLD AND QUIT STALLING -

AW GEE, I AM JUST LOOKING TO SEE IF THERE IS ANYTHING COMING THIS WAY

WALKING BACK



LISTEN TO THE TICK TOCK

MY BIRD WATCH!

The Comic Strip



HERE, YOUNG SAPI! WHATS THE IDEA OF PUTTING OUT YOUR TONGUE AT FOLKS?



NOTHING, EXCEPT THAT I'M CLIPPING UP SOMETHING TERRIBLE TODAY - NOW, YESTERDAY PAW GHAME A QUARTER TO BEHAVE MYSELF, BUT TODAY HE DIDNT GHAME NOTHING

By Charles Sughree



SO YOU FIGGER ON INAUGURATING A "FEST OF TERROR" UNTIL YOUR OLD MAN COMES ACROSS WITH MORE HUSH MONEY?"

WELL, NO! NOT EXACTLY THAT.

Bargain Day



BUT I THOUGHT I'D SHOW HIM WHAT A BARGAIN HE GOT YESTERDAY

The Clancy Kids

Oh! No Wonder



By PERCY L. CROSBY



WHAT ARE YA WEARIN' A FUR COLLAR FOR?



'TAINT A FUR COLLAR!!



ME MOTHER JUST GIVE US A HAIR CUT

The Muleshoe Journal

C. S. HOLLAND, Editor

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Resolutions, Cards of Thanks, etc., are charged for at the rate of 10 cents per line. Classified ads. 10 cents per line. Advertising Rates on application.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

In Bailey County, 1 Year\$1.50
Outside of County\$2.00

THAT NEW MONEY

We note a news item from Washington to the effect that Uncle Sam will start distributing his new dollar bills on October 1st. Since we have gas and oil stations and nearly every one who buys oil and gas tenders a dollar bill in payment, our paper money has been receiving more than it used to. It is attributed to the oil and grime on the filling station man's hands. So we're to have a smaller and less expensive dollar bill. It will be an inch shorter and an inch narrower than the present size will contain 75 percent linen and 25 per cent cotton and is expected to last 50 per cent longer than the old variety. And that's what should interest Muleshoe citizens most—getting a dollar that will last longer than they have been lasting. Now if they can go a little farther and make it buy about 50 per cent more than ever before we'll be satisfied that this is after all the best old nation on earth.

We notice from a report in a recent issue of The Earth, a paper published by the Santa Fe News, that the several communities of Matagorda county Improvement association fee, the purpose of the development and advertisement of their county. We believe that such an organization should be organized in Bailey county and advertise the shallow water belt as our soil is adapted to most any kind of crops. What Bailey county needs is 1000 new families to settle and help in the development of our rich soil. We can only accomplish this by letting the world know we have this great shallow water belt with an abundant water for irrigation.

The Longview Junior Health club meets each Thursday. This week Miss Annie Woods, of Muleshoe, gave a lecture on Foods and clothing. This was a most interesting lecture and one much appreciated by the club.

Mr. and Mrs. John McElroy of Lubbock, spent the week-end here visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Bland Dennis, and family.

The auction sale at McCarty Drug Store was well attended Saturday evening and buying was rather brisk.

W. R. Wilson of Slaton, was here Saturday looking up his farm north of town. Mr. Wilson has extensive land interests in Bailey County.

John Tucker of the Progress community was shaking hands with friends in Muleshoe Saturday.

J. L. Atkinson of the Progress community was in town Saturday. He has been laid up with the flu for the past week.

J. U. Strickland was in town Saturday. He says that farming is progressing nicely in his community.

LAND UNDER IRRIGATION FOR RENT—Water furnished on land rented. Five to Sixty acre tracts. Land in excellent condition. Good soil and near town. If interested, write X-205, care Muleshoe Journal, Muleshoe, Texas. 3-2tc

10,000 TURKEY EGGS WANTED for hatching. We pay express charges. Write and send your prices to Smith-Matthews Hatchery, Ardmore, Okla.

POSITIONS BUSINESS TRAINING
Enroll with Plainview Business College and look forward to your first "Pay Day." Every graduate placed in position. If you cannot attend College now, then, enroll in our Extension Department.
For information write Plainview Business College and Watson's School of Correspondence, Box 532, Plainview, Texas. 2-1tc

DENTAL NOTICE
Dr. Frost, Dentist, will be in Muleshoe again Monday, March 12th, for one week. 2-1tc

FOR SALE—Good work mule, weight 1,600. Would give terms. Also good milk cows to sell for cash. Price right. Gordon Duncan, 13 miles Northeast of Muleshoe. 2-1tc

WANTED—Young ladies to enter the Plainview Sanitarium training school for nurses. Phone or write the superintendent. Plainview Sanitarium, Plainview, Texas.

Jeff D. Bryant & Son
Disc Rolling

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NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF BAILEY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bailey County, of the 7th day of March, A. D. 1928, by C. C. Mardis, Clerk of said District Court of Bailey County for the Sum of \$924.35 and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of J. C. Paul in a certain cause in said court, No. 258 and styled J. C. Paul vs. H. J. Pickard et al., placed in my hands for service, I, H. A. Douglass, as Sheriff of Bailey County, Texas, did on the 7th day of March, A. D. 1928, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Bailey County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: A part of the Capitan Leagues No. 500 and No. 597, located in the North West part of Bailey County, Texas, and being described as the South One Half (S 1/2) of survey or Section Fourteen (Section 14), in Block "Z" of the W. D. & F. W. Johnson's Subdivision in Farmer and Bailey Counties, Containing Three Hundred and Twenty (220) Acres as shown by the plat of said Subdivision of record in Volume Three (3), Page 172 of the Deed Records of Bailey County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of H. J. Pickard and that on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1928, the same being the Third day of the said month, at the Court House door, of Bailey County, in the Town of Muleshoe, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said H. J. Pickard.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice of public vendue in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Muleshoe Journal, a newspaper published in Bailey County.

Witness my hand, this 7th day of March, A. D. 1928.

H. A. DOUGLASS, Sheriff of Bailey County, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Edmonds spent Saturday evening in Clovis.

W. T. Black, local contractor, reports that he is building some nice houses in the Spring Lake Community.

FOR SALE—Good work mule in fine condition. 16 years old. \$30 cash. C. H. Buzard. 1-1tc

Mrs. Walker, mother of Felix Walker, Santa Fe auditor, died in Lubbock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker, of Fairview, announce the birth of a son.

Jesse Harwell, of Oklahoma Lane, was a visitor here Wednesday.

Miss Maude Milligan left for Kansas Tuesday, due to the illness of a brother.

John C. Jenkins has purchased a new Pontiac cabriolet.

W. C. Alexander of nine miles west of town is building a nice five room house on his farm.

TEACHERS COLLEGE IS GIVEN HIGH RATING

The following is from part of a news item which was handed us by Mr. Lasater, Miss Bessie Lasater is attending Teachers College in Missouri and her school is rated among the best in the country.

The State Teachers College has been rated among the foremost state educational institutions of the United States in a list compiled by the American Association of Teachers Colleges, according to Dr. Roy Ellis, president of the college.

Dr. Ellis returned late Sunday night from Boston where he attended the annual meeting of the association held Friday and Saturday, February 24 and 25. In placing the local college in the leading ranks of state educational institutions, the association also included all state colleges in Missouri.

"This action by the American Association of Teachers colleges sets a record of which our college and the state colleges of Missouri should be proud," declared Dr. Ellis.

A further honor, although not on the association records, was conferred upon the Springfield college by Dr. Evenden, of Columbia University, in New York, Dr. Ellis said.

During an informal session of the convention when a number of persons were grouped about Dr. Evenden in a discussion on various problems, one noted educator asked the Columbia official if he knew of any especially well equipped teacher-training institute from which he might secure suggestions, since his college was on the verge of a building program. The first college suggested by Dr. Evenden as a model for inspection was Springfield Teachers college, Dr. Ellis said.

Heretofore the Springfield college had been on a general list of institutions compiled by the association with no difference in classification between the two-year and the four year colleges. Dr. Ellis pointed out that this classification is based upon an elaborate set of standards formulated during the association's convention in Dallas, Texas, in 1927, when a strict classification of state colleges and normal schools was demanded. In this classification, several standards are considered, including those for admission of students, preparation of faculty, teaching of faculty, training of faculty, library and laboratory equipment; and number and size and character of college buildings.



MANY PRIZE FIGHTS HAVE BEEN WON ON FOULS. MANY OF THE "BATTLES FOR A LIVING" HAVE BEEN WON ON "FOULS".

THE "FOWL" IS FAIR ENOUGH. SHE ASKS NO SALARY. NO TRANSPORTATION, AND NO CLOTHES. ALL SHE ASKS IS BOARD AND ROOM TO GROW FAT FOR YOU OR YOUR MARKET.

NO OTHER INVESTMENT ON EARTH WILL RETURN A HIGHER RATE OF EARNING THAN POULTRY, AND DON'T FORGET THIS ALSO INCLUDES THE TURKEY.

WANT MORE? MAKE US HELP YOU!

Blackwater Valley State Bank

"There is No Substitute for Safety."

Last Chance--

SATURDAY, MARCH 10
is the last day of Special Rates on Journal subscriptions. Ask at

Valley Motor Co.

or

Gupton Grocery Co.

Yes Sir---

We handle Conoco Gas and Oils—Also Tires, Tubes and Accessories, and it is a Pleasure to Serve you.

JONES FILLING STATION

BABY CHIX AND CUSTOM HATCHING

Eggs accepted Saturday and Wednesday. Custom Hatching, \$3.50 per 1000 eggs. Baby Chicks, \$12.50 to \$15.00 Satisfaction Guaranteed

WISEMAN HATCHERY

C. F. MOELLER SYSTEM

STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES

MEAT MARKET IN CONNECTION
Tay Meals and Short Orders at Moeller Cafe
We pay highest prices for produce
WE DELIVER

Bailey County Abstract Company

Established in 1900

L. S. Barron, Mgr. Muleshoe, Texas
Abstract, Loan, all kinds of Insurance and Conveyancing. All matters pertaining to land titles given prompt attention
[Member Texas Abstracters Association; also Member Association of Title Men]

Specials

For Friday and Saturday

These are only a few of our Specials. We will also have a good assortment of Fresh Vegetables.

Rice	WHOLE GRAIN, 4 POUNDS.....	25c
Crackers	3 POUND BOX	40c
Colorado Honey	GALLON CANS	\$1.45
Special Sliced Bacon	PER LB.	35c
Pinto Beans	15 POUNDS	\$1.00

Gupton Grocery Company

Announcing

The Opening of Our Bargain Loft Friday, March 9th, 1928

At this time of the year the quest for quality is oftentimes subordinated to the pursuit of price. But when a store such as ours is known through years of prestige building and the quality of merchandise is evident at all times—a bargain here means a bargain in the truest definition of the word. This is an event that expresses the utmost saving to all.

This announcement merely invites you to prepare yourself for values that will win your immediate confidence. Furthermore, this is an occasion that will provide your fill and future needs. Suffice to say, you can expect clean, fresh and up-to-the-minute merchandise at value giving prices which means a very definite economy for you.

The prices below are a few suggestions of the many bargains we offer in our bargain loft.

Rayon Silk Hose, Per Pair	\$.45
One Dollar Special Silk Hose, Pr.	.79
81x90 Hand Scalloped Sheets	1.19
42x36 Hand Scalloped Cases	.29
Large Size Talcum Powder	.15
Medium Size Talcum Powder	.10
Body Powder	.25
Honey & Almond Cream, 50c size	.29
BIG VALUE ASSORTMENT GUARANTEED PURE ALUMINUM WARE	95c
Felt House Shoes, 3 to 8	.49
CHILDREN'S SHOES	
\$1.25 \$1.35 \$1.95	\$2.45
LADIES' DRESS SHOES	
\$2.95 \$3.95	\$4.95
HOUSE DRESSES	
Organdy and Pique Trimmed	.95
WASH FROCKS	
Beautifully trimmed with Organdy and Dimity	1.65
SILK DRESS ASSORTMENT	
New Styles of Quality Silk and Georgette	9.95
CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES	
Extra Special Buy, 8 to 14	1.00
LADIES' HATS	
\$2.94 \$3.95	\$4.95
Men's Rayon Silk Hose, Pair	.75
Men's Extra Heavy Work Shirt	.29
Boy's Blue Work Shirt	.49
Heavy Wool Socks	.25
Men's Athletic Union Suits	.45
Men's Seamless Work Socks	12 1/2
Boy's Seamy Overalls	.85
Men's Whip Cord & Gaberdine Riding Pants	3.00
Men's Dress Hats	\$2.95 & \$3.50
Boy's Dress Hats	\$1.95
Children's Dress Hats	.39
Men's Dress Shoes	\$3.95
Men's Broadcloth Dress Shirts	.95
64 in. Double Gray cotton Blankets	1.39

PIECE GOODS

32 in. Gingham, Per Yard	10c
36 in. Percale Fast Color	15c
36 in. Dress Prints	19c
27 in. Chevoit Shirting	12 1/2c
36 in. Emb Curtain Net	15c
36 in. Rayon Drapery	15c
40 in. Solid Color Voile	15c
36 in. Figured Voile	25c
32 in. Dress Gingham, Fast Color	15c
36 in. Comfort Chalic	15c
36 in. Floral Pattern Organdie	39c
36 in. Floral Pattern Check Dim.	19c
36 in. Heavy Cretonne	25c
32 in. Rayon Gingham	25c

Large Size Hat Box	\$1.95
Medium Size Hat Box	\$1.45

20 in. Gladstone Hand Bag	\$1.95
18 in. Gladstone Hand Bag	\$1.45

36x21 1/2 Yds. Lace Curtain with Fringe	95c
Colored Border Scrim Curtain, Valance	98c
48x15 Emb. Table Runners	98c

Giant Alarm Clock	\$1.25
17x19 Picture Feature Subjects	95c
27x48 Axminster Rug	\$2.95
42x12 Tapestry Table Runner	\$1.19
Fancy Oil Cloth Pillow	98c
Japaned Lunch Kit, 2 Buckles	65c
White Enameled Bath Stool	95c
Cocoa Door Mat	95c
Cedar Ice Bucket	69c
Large Japaned Bread Box	95c
Fancy Metal Waste Basket	59c
24x36 Congoleum Rugs	19c
22x12 Barber Towel, each	.05c
24x14 White Huck Towel, each	10c
32x15 Col. Border Huck Towel	12 1/2c
36x18 White Huck Towel, each	15c
40x20 Bath Towel, each	25c
36x18 Bath Towel, each	19c

The Bargain Loft is a new idea for Clovis. This department will be operated along the same line as the basement stores in the larger cities. Here we group bargains in various lines of merchandise, including dry goods, millinery, shoes, notions, novelties, variety goods, and men's wear. It is impossible for us to describe here all lines that we carry in our Bargain Loft. We invite you to visit this department often. Many new lines will be added from time to time. Every item a real bargain. The Bargain Loft will be reached by stairs at the rear of the main floor. See our Bargain Loft window display.

Joyce-Pruit Company

The Store With The Bargain Loft

CLOVIS

NEW MEXICO



CHICKEN POX IS VERY CONTAGIOUS

Chicken pox (sometimes called sorehead) is a very contagious disease. It makes its appearance in the form of irregular whitish patches or festers which later develop into brown spots or crusts (forming a scab or sore) on the combs, wattles, eyelids, and around the beak and nostrils. In severe cases these patches or sores increase in number to such extent that the birds have difficulty in opening their eyes and beaks, and if neglected many will die.

The best way to prevent birds from this as well as many other diseases, is to keep all roosting quarters clean, dry, and well-disinfected. During the summer, when the disease is most common, mix 3 pounds of powdered sulphur with each 100 pounds of dry mash, allowing the birds to eat all they want. Chicken pox usually attacks late-hatched chicks more often and more severely than early hatched ones, which makes it advisable to hatch as early in the season as possible.

If, however, a flock becomes infected in spite of all precautions, no time should be lost in treating the birds by applying a liberal quantity of carbolic iodine to the affected parts. This treatment after a short time will cause the patches or crusts to soften and drop off, when the tissue or sore underneath should be treated with a 5 per cent solution of carbolic acid. Five pounds of fine-meshed sulphur mixed with each 100 pounds of dry mash is also beneficial in effecting a cure.

As soon as the disease makes its appearance spray the houses and coops thoroughly with some good disinfectant (preferably some wood preservative or coal-tar preparation), and scald the drinking fountains and feed dishes thoroughly with boiling water. Repeat every two or three days until after all the birds have fully recovered.

Poultryman Should Call

All loafers from flock Because egg prices are going down and feed prices are going up, poultrymen cannot afford to keep "star-bonders," according to the poultry department at the New York State College of Agriculture, which says that about 25 per cent of the hens in the average farm flock in New York state are loafers that do not lay their own way and at the same time eat food and occupy room in the poultry house that the laying hens should have.

For several years poultrymen from the college have spent much of their time during the summer months cutting poultry for the farmers in New York state, and last year a total of 22,000 birds were handled. The men who do the culling are trained poultry judges, and the cost of the service to the farmer is about one and one-half to two cents for each bird handled.

On the basis of the number of birds actually discarded, the cost to the poultryman is about five or six cents a bird. The department says that it costs 20 to 30 cents a month to feed a hen, therefore, the saving for the farmer is evident.

Any farmer in the state may have his poultry culled by a poultryman from the college by applying to his local farm bureau agent or by writing directly to the poultry department at the State College of Agriculture at Ithaca, N. Y.

Poultry Notes

Sell broilers and fryers promptly.

Keep the poultry house clean and the birds are more likely to keep healthy.

Chicks to be used as broilers or layers should be provided with plenty of green grass.

Chickens with good capacity and good appetites are the ones that fill the egg basket.

Freshly clean eggs so none will have to be washed to give a good appearance.

Eggs that have been washed will spoil quicker than those that have not, so produce them clean at the start.

A green feed is essential to egg production. To raise green feed successfully is one of the greatest problems of the poultryman who wishes to have eggs when the price is high.

Market the surplus cockerels or keep them separate from the pullets for most satisfactory growth.

The young chickens should be kept comfortable. Get them on perches early, as crowding retards growth and causes crooked breast bones.

A hen cannot very well feed milk at night. Use in the daytime and have much time to lay eggs. Sanitation, plus good feeding and management are all essential for best results.



COWS TESTED FOR MILK PRODUCTION

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A dairy herd improvement association is an organization of dairy farmers who co-operatively employ a man to test their cows for economical production of milk and butterfat. The tester visits each farm one day each month, weighs the feed and milk of each cow, tests the milk for butterfat, and figures the results.

The dairy herd improvement association furnishes the dairyman definite information regarding the milk and butterfat production of each cow, thus enabling him to select the best producers to feed the remainder according to known production, and to breed up a herd in which the number of high-producing cows is increasing. It is adding to the profits of members of dairy herd improvement associations is indicated by the increase in the number of high-producing cows.

It is estimated that the average dairy cow in this country produces annually about 4,500 pounds of milk containing about 180 pounds of butterfat. The records of thousands of cows tested regularly show average yields of more than 7,500 pounds of milk and 282 pounds of butterfat. Several associations have average yearly records of more than 300 pounds of butterfat.

In the national (Milk) association in 1924-25 the average yield was 250 pounds of butterfat and returned a little more than \$3 per \$100 dollar's worth of feed consumed. Many of these cows also have \$100 worth of extra feed cost.

Commenting on this record, the bulletin of the United States Department of Agriculture says that a cow that returns \$3 for every dollar spent for feed is a good market for feed, and that a cow that each year returns \$100 above feed cost is a good butterfat.

Rye Will Make Fair to Good Grade of Silage

Rye when cut in the flower or early dough stage will make a fair to good grade of silage. The silage is liable to be rather dry, but it is and is liable to (that the milk, although this can be largely overcome by feeding the silage directly after milking rather than before milking. Care also has to be exercised that the manure is well cleaned out and the silo is cut off from the barn as otherwise the odor in the barn, especially when mixed up by the milk during milking time. One investigation indicated that rye silage was about 10 per cent less palatable for milk production than was corn silage. It is, perhaps, not quite as palatable as corn silage and has not been largely used for silage.

Centrifugal Force Will Drive Out Skim Milk

Centrifugal force drives the skim milk out of the separator bowl. As the speed increases, forces more skim milk through the skim milk outlet, consequently richer cream. A decrease in the speed forces less skim milk through the skim milk outlet and the cream, therefore, is thinner. Where different persons operate the separator there can be but little uniformity of speed unless each person makes an effort frequently to count the crank revolutions by their watch. The use of a gasoline engine or electric motor power will tend to give a more uniform cream test than when the machine is operated by hand.

Dairy Squibs

Avoid overfeeding the poor-producing dairy cow.

Underfeeding good cows is extravagant waste.

Records of five years show that it costs \$43 a year to care for a cow.

A good dairy cow probably consumes more water than any other domestic animal. The more feed consumed, the more water the cow requires.

The man who thinks he is economizing by buying cheap milk pays is fooling himself. A good milk costs a little more but it lasts far longer and is cheaper in the long run.

Tests at the Minnesota experiment station show that a cow producing 27 pounds of milk daily consumed 9.6 gallons of water while one of the same breed giving 13 pounds of milk drank only five gallons of water.

Dairyman who feed high protein feeds may add more fertility to the soil through manure than is taken out by crops.

Cooling cream and milk immediately after separating takes out the animal heat and removes the unwholesome flavor so often objected to.

In caring for milk and cream it is necessary to have a clean place free from dirt and flies and a place which precludes the possibility of milk taking up odors.

C. C. Brooks made a trip to Clovis Sunday by airplane. He accompanied Lowery Brothers, who are old friends of his. They faced a stiff wind all the way but made the trip in 22 minutes flying time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Aldridge and children motored to Clovis Saturday evening.

W. C. Gordon of Longview was in town Saturday. Mr. Gordon is a real Dallas county booster.

Mrs. R. L. Faulkner, Mrs. C. S. Holland and Miss Lola Lipscomb were shopping in Clovis Friday.

Ernest Huffman, from the Spring Lake Ranch, was transacting business in town Saturday and reports that range conditions are good. He says that they shipped two cars of steers, coming three years old, which weighed 1305 pounds. These steers were fed at the ranch and were put on the market at Chicago.

W. B. Harlan of near Progress was in town Saturday trading and called at The Journal office to set his subscription up a year. He reports conditions good in his community and wheat looking fine. He stated that the late wheat was thought to be no good some weeks ago, but since the snows fell it is coming up to a good stand.

Jack Johnson attended the picture show at Clovis Saturday evening.

Santa Fe Improvement Program for 1928

Railways serving a growing country are never finished. They must add yearly to the number of cars and locomotives in order to care for increasing traffic. They must build extensions and provide second and third tracks. They must provide larger terminal yards and longer and more sidings. They must provide heavier bridges and larger and more commodious stations, roundhouses and shops.

This expansion in facilities requires additional cash investment in the railroads of this country, amounting to over half a billion dollars annually.

The Santa Fe proposes to spend 45 million dollars on this program for enlargement of such facilities during 1928.

Orders have already been placed for 3,350 new freight cars, 75 all-steel passenger train cars, and 771 miles of new steel rail, of which 490 miles will be 110 lbs. to the yard and the balance 90 lbs. When this steel is laid the Santa Fe will have 2,182 miles of 110 lb. rail all laid since January 1, 1925. Orders have been placed for steel for bridges, ties have been purchased, and work on more second track and other improvements is in progress.

The Santa Fe puts this large additional investment of new money into its property to increase its capacity, to render service, to promote safety, and to take care of the growing needs of the country it serves.

W. B. STOREY, *President*
The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe
Railway System.

Fly Time Is Screen Time

The best way to be rid of flies this summer is to keep them out before they have a chance to ruin things. Screen now, and be fly free this season.

E. R. Hart Lumber Company
Coal, Hardware, Furniture, McCormick-Deering
Implements.

HUNDREDS OF YOUNG SINGERS FOUND IN HUNT FOR TALENT



MADAM LOUISE HOMER.



MRS. EDGAR, STILLMAN KELLEY



A. ATWATER KENT



EDWARD W. BOK.

THEN young America's singers—presumably the best in the country—will face the microphone at Statton W. E. A. P. in New York City early in December to sing for fame and fortune. They will be the finalists in the National Radio Audition of the Atwater-Kent Foundation of Philadelphia.

This nation-wide quest for radio voices has already revealed hundreds of young singers of promise, who have entered the contests eagerly because the auditions offer them recognition at home and a chance to compete for prizes aggregating \$17,500. Distinguished figures are sponsoring the undertaking: a National Audition Committee. They are Madam Louise Homer, the Metropolitan Opera star; Mrs. Edgar Stillman Kelley, president of the National Federation of Music Clubs; Edward W. Bok, former editor of the Ladies' Home Journal; and Mrs. Otto H. Kahn, wife of the world-famous New York banker and music patron.

Winners of state auditions—one boy and one girl—receive silver medals and are taken to their district auditions at the expense of the Foundation to compete with young singers from their neighboring states. Winners of each of the five district auditions—one young man and one young woman in each—receive gold medals and are

taken to New York by the Atwater-Kent Foundation for the finals, which will be broadcast over a national network of stations. The awards for these will be as follows:

Winners of first place—one young man and one young woman—will each receive \$5,000 cash and two years' tuition in a musical conservatory.

Winners of second place will each receive \$2,000 cash and one year's tuition.

Winners of third place will each receive \$1,000 and one year's tuition.

Winners of fourth place will each receive \$500.

BOY THOUGHT DEAF IS TRAINED TO HEAR

"Talked" in Pantomime Until Taken to School.

Indianapolis.—Whether a sturdy little youngster brought to them as a mute is really deaf and lacking the powers of speech, as his parents believe, is a matter which teachers of School No. 11, Vermont and Davidson streets, are trying to determine through methods employed in the typical department of the institution.

The child, who is six, too young to enter the Indian School for the Deaf, was brought by his parents, both mutes, to the school in hope that he might be educated. His two sisters are mutes, and because the two always talked in pantomime, he was thought also to be a mute. He was put in charge of a teacher in the room known as atypical in which is provided for beginning pupils who are particularly backward and unable to keep pace with the average child of that age.

Finds Boy Can Hear.

The first thing the teacher learned was that the boy could hear, though with some difficulty. This led her to believe that he might be taught to articulate. The fact that he never had, might be attributed to a psychological rather than a physical cause, she believed, inasmuch as all his life he had been associated with mutes.

On the assumption that the child could be taught to understand and express himself in the English language, the teacher first began instruction in lip-reading. As a pupil, he showed unusual attentiveness and quickness of perception. Within nine days he had learned the meaning of nearly a score of words which he understood from the motion of the teacher's lips. Hereafter, he could comprehend things only through pantomime such as he employed.

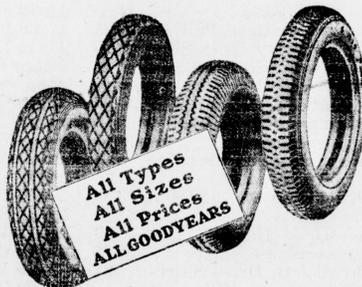
Assured of success in this direction, the teacher set about determining how much the youngster could hear. She found that he responded to sound. As she continued to work with him, his hearing seemed to grow better and now he hears sufficiently to understand four words—"boy," "girl," "shoe" and his name. In order to explain to his teacher just how he heard and felt the sound of a piano note when she struck it, he pointed first to the floor, then his shoe, his body and his ear.

Shows Normal Tendencies.

In meeting the problem of teaching him to talk, the teacher first began by saying and in turn having him pronounce after her three vowels. This he does with an enunciation that is surprising in view of his history. She has forbidden him to attempt to say words, as his parents have tried to get him to do in their unintelligible way.

A. J. Hicks of Precinct 4 was shaking hands on the streets Saturday.

POSTAGE PLUS OR SERVICE PLUS?



When you figure the price of a mail order tire ADD bother, delay, and hand labor of getting the tire on your wheel to the delivery cost.

Then remember—when you buy a Goodyear-built tire from us—you get your exact size *when you want it*. You examine it before you buy it. We put it on for you, inflate it, and SERVICE it.

Our Service plus Goodyear guaranteed quality will save you time, bother and tire money.

Valley Motor Co.

SAY! LET WEAVER DO YOUR TIRE AND TUBE WORK Muleshoe, Texas

Announcements

The following political announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July, 1926.

Fees for all announcements must be paid before announcement is placed in this column.

For County Judge

- R. J. KLUMP
- PAT R. BOBO
- J. E. ADAMS
- R. L. BROWN

For Tax Assessor

- MRS. W. C. BUCY

For County and District Clerk

- C. C. MARDIS
- J. L. ALSUP

For County Treasurer

- W. T. BLACK
- MRS. VIRGIE MAE CLARK
- MRS. J. W. LEE

For Sheriff and Tax Collector

- HENRY C. EDMONDS
- M. A. DOUGLASS
- H. STERLING

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

- M. A. GOODSON
- Wm. S. F. MATTHIENSEN
- A. J. HICKS

Commissioner Precinct No. 3

- F. N. HOOD
- A. E. ROBINSON

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4

- A. L. CARPENTER
- J. M. BELL
- W. R. CARTER

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2

- C. E. DOTSON

For Representative, 12th District

- A. B. TARWATER

M. P. Smith left Wednesday to look after business interests at Odessa.

John Davis, of Fairview, was in town Wednesday.

H. C. Henington purchased a new Chevrolet Coupe from the Valley Motor Company Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott were very jovial business visitors at Bula last week.

Patronize Journal Advertisers

READ YOUR HOME PAPER

YOU TELL 'EM



A dog fills an empty space in a man's life - especially a hot dog

Yes! Siree! When you deal at the Bailey County Elevator company you get such good service that you want to tell your friends about it.

We don't sell promises - we keep them.

Our customers know the excellent grade of our feed, also the high prices we pay for grain. Let us add your name to the list of those we serve.

We can supply a food for ... every need ...

Bailey County Elevator Co.

WHEN PROMOTERS USE "CHARITY" TO DECOY TRUSTFUL CONTRIBUTORS

Investigations of Various Schemes for Defrauding Public Out of Money Disclosed by Bankers Association - Many Kinds of Fake Industrial Promotions Used as Bait.

By W. R. MOREHOUSE

Public Relations Commission, American Bankers Association

MILLIONS of dollars raised under the disguise of charity go to line the pockets of promoters. Ticket sales on raffles are commonly used, and while the loss to any one person who buys a ticket is small the aggregate loss for the United States runs into millions of dollars. Usually the promoters of these schemes first make a contract with some charitable institution to conduct a campaign for funds on behalf of the institution. They are to run the campaign in the name of the institution and share the proceeds. The whole scheme is often one of deception. To those who have been led to believe that their contributions go practically 100 per cent to charity, the following case we investigated should prove illuminating.

A number of promoters recently contracted with a charitable institution to put on a campaign to raise funds by the raffle of a popular automobile. So far as the public could tell from the banners used in displaying the automobile, the full amount of the sale price of the tickets went to the institution. There was nothing to convey any other impression. Apparently it was open and above board and was being conducted by men who were contributing their time gratuitously.

For several days a new automobile, mounted on a truck, was driven up and down the streets, with banners telling about the drive for funds for the charitable institution. One day the truck would go by displaying one of the popular makes of automobiles. A few days later it would parade by displaying some other popular make. Periodically the truck would pull into the curb where it would park for several hours while the promoters pleaded with passers-by to take tickets on the raffle and thereby help a deserving charitable institution to meet its bills.

Thousands "Touched" - Millions of people, touched by the appeal for help, bought tickets the total sale running into the thousands of dollars. Contrary to the belief of the ticket buyers their contributions did not go 100 per cent to charity. Instead the charitable institution received but 26 cents on the dollar, the promoters getting 52 cents on the dollar as their net profit, or twice the amount received by charity, while the remainder of 22 cents on each dollar represented the amount charged against gross sales by the promoters as expenses.

In other words, every person who bought a 50 cent ticket for the sake of charity, contributed but 13 cents to charity and 37 cents to those promoting the scheme. Whether you give to charity or make an investment it will pay you to get the facts!

Unfortunately there is a general impression abroad that wildcat promotions are confined to oil, mining and new inventions. The truth is, many stock selling promotions are operated under the name of other industries.

False Claims

A certain group of promoters investigated offered for sale stock in a proposed woolen mill. In order to sell the stock they resorted to the use of misrepresentation and false claims. After renting space on the ground floor of an office building fronting on a busy street they began their campaign. Orally and by printed advertisements extravagant claims were made for the proposed corporation which were grossly false.

For Emergencies

In case of accident or illness it's good to have the means of forestalling disaster. Take immediate advantage of our economies in drugs. Our stock is of the best.

McCarty Drug Store
Muleshoe, Texas

Announcement Of R. L. Brown For Office Of Judge

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Judge of Bailey County, Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in July. I have always voted the Democratic ticket, and if elected I have no promises to make other than to render you faithful and efficient services to the best of my skill and ability. I have resided in Bailey County for more than five years, and have at all times been my utmost to promote the best interests of our County and citizenship in all respects.

As to my qualifications for the office, I have little to say other than the fact that I consider myself well qualified, having attended the public schools and then finished with an A. B. Degree at Keachie Male and Female College, one of the leading Colleges of Louisiana; after which I taught school for several years. I have also had a great deal of practical business experience and altogether my training has been such that I feel that I am qualified from the standpoint of business ability as well as that of educational training to handle the affairs of Bailey County in an intelligent and business like manner. My duties as County Judge would also require that I be Ex Office Superintendent of our public schools, hence my reason for stating my educational attainments and my experience as a teacher. I promise you an honest and economical administration of the county finances, and at all times I will be at your service if solicited. I have received numerous elections from my friends to offer my name as a candidate, and after giving the matter due consideration I have concluded to make the race, if you believe that I am qualified for the office and believe that I merit your support, I will be pleased to receive your vote.

R. L. BROWN

FARMERS AND SUCCESS

What are the things that make a farmer successful? The U. S. Department of Agriculture has gotten a little light on that subject from a 12 year study of 400 farms. No flat answer can be given, of course, but some few things stick out pretty clearly. They are summed up thus:

"While high crop yields alone do not necessarily insure a good farm income, the yields on the successful farms averaged higher than on the unsuccessful farms. In general the men obtaining the best yields kept considerable live stock, used commercial fertilizers, drained their land, and limed the soil when necessary, used good seed or varieties adapted to local conditions, and treated the seed to prevent diseases and followed good things, says Uncle Sam, are things that make a farmer successful."

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Montgomery announce the arrival of a new daughter, Emma Lee.

Lubbock Sanitarium (A Modern Fireproof Building) and Lubbock Sanitarium Clinic

- DR. J. T. KRUEGER
Surgery and Consultations
 - DR. J. T. HUTCHINSON
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
 - DR. M. C. OVERTON
Diseases of Children
 - DR. J. P. LATTIMORE
General Medicine
 - DR. F. B. MALONE
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
 - DR. J. H. STILES
General Medicine
 - DR. L. P. SMITH
General Medicine
 - MISS MABEL McLENDON
X-Ray and Laboratory
 - C. E. HUNT
Business Manager
- A chartered Training School for Nurses is conducted in connection with the Sanitarium. Young women who desire to enter training may address the Lubbock Sanitarium.

J. M. Bell of Precinct 4, was shaking hands with friends Saturday. Mr. Bell is a candidate for re-election to the office of commissioner in his precinct.

W. A. Stevens of Route one was in town Saturday. He paid The Journal a nice call and also renewed his subscription. Mr. Stevens is formally from Collin County, but says that he is well pleased with Bailey county.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Keeney of Miami, are visiting with their son, D. E. Keeney. Mr. Keeney is manager of the White House Lumber Co. at Miami.

Mrs. Lillian L. Dyer of Longview was shopping in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Anderson and daughters, Fannie and Jewel, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Edmonds were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Haney and family Sunday.

Miss Alene Arnold was taken to the sanitarium at Lubbock last Saturday, where she was to have an operation for the removal of her tonsils and adenoids. She is reported as getting along nicely.

Leon Kropff left Saturday for Oklahoma City to attend a Chevrolet Service School which is being conducted by the Chevrolet Motor Company.

Arrived This Week

A Large Assortment of Ladies' and Misses Dresses and Hats. Leading Styles

1 Block South and 1/2 West from Bank

Specials For Friday & Saturday

MRS G. W. DODSON

Your Insurance Business Appreciated

All Kinds Written, Old Line Connections

J. E. ALDRIDGE

Office at the Blackwater Valley State Bank

GUARANTEED

Ford used cars

YOU take no chance when you buy a used Ford car from an Authorized Ford Dealer. You get the same square deal as on a new Ford car, and it carries a thirty day guarantee.

MULESHOE MOTOR CO

"Everything to Wear"

Clothing Needs

Special For Saturday Only

Day Time Frocks - - - - - \$2.95

See Our Windows

Gardner Dry Goods Co.

"The Price is The Thing"

FARMER'S WIFE GETS STRENGTH

By Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Schoolfield, Va.—"My mother had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I decided to take it for my own troubles and found great relief. I was hardly able to stand on my feet sometimes and now I feel better than I have for several years. I credit the Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with my present good health. I have taken five bottles of it and I am now able to do all my housework and nursing, feed my chickens, milk the cow and tend the pigs, and feel fine."—Miss J. C. Bantz, Box 249, Schoolfield, Virginia.

Sure Relief

No more Over-Acidity

Gas, nausea, sick headache, heartburn, distress after eating or drinking quickly and surely relieved. Safe. Pleasant. Not a habit.

Normalizes Digestion and sweetens the Breath

BELLANS INDIGESTION
6 BELLANS Hot water Sure Relief

BELLANS FOR INDIGESTION
25¢ AND 75¢ PACKAGES EVERYWHERE

Makes Natural Gift Pay
There is a blind student in Atlanta Ga., who partly pays his way through law school by calling a roll of 200 members purely from memory. He identifies each voice by the individual inflection and instantly spots the fellow who would answer for an absent mate. Every school day for a year he turned in an accurate attendance record to the officials. He supplements the income from his task by selling papers off hours before a downtown office building and can call most of his customers by name.

Reason is the life of the law.

Guard Against "Flu" With Muterole

Just Rub Away Danger

Influenza, Pneumonia and Grippe usually start with a cold. The moment you get those warning sensations good old Muterole. Muterole relieves the congestion and stimulates circulation. It has all the good qualities of the old Mustard plaster without blistering.

First you feel a warm tingle as the healing ointment penetrates the pores, then a soothing, cooling sensation and quick relief. Have Muterole handy for emergency use. It may prevent serious illness.

To Mothers: Muterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Muterole. Jars & Tubes

MUSTEROLE WILL NOT BLISTER
Better than a mustard plaster

PISO'S For Coughs
Quick Relief! A pleasant, effective remedy. Use PISO'S Throat and Chest Salve.

For Wounds and Sores Try HANFORD'S Balsam of Myrrh
All kinds are indicated to retard your recovery for the best results in an ointment.

Quick Results From Vegetable Method in Constipation
A proper vegetable diet will not constipate. However, and obtain natural relief. The difference between a vegetable diet and a meat diet is that the former is a natural, healthy, and safe way to live. The use of Wright's Indian Veggie Pills. You use it to remove the cause of this method taught. At drug stores or 10¢ per box, 10¢ per box.

W. N. U. DALLAS, MO. 10-1928

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THE CHUCKLING ICE

The ice was chuckling at some of the remarks the river was making. If people had heard of the queer sounds, they would have said the ice was "dangerous" in that part.

"Where do you go on the Journey of which you were telling me?" the ice asked the river.

"I go on and on, through meadows and under bridges and past towns, and at last I pass through a city—right in the center of the city, but by one side of the city—and then I go on a little further—yes, a little further, until I reach the great ocean."

"What a wonderful thing it must be to be a river," said the ice.

"You start in a lake and you end in the ocean. You know what it is to have a beautiful and quiet lake for a friend, and you also know what it is to have the big ocean for a friend."

"The ocean is so tremendous."

"Yes," said the river, "it's a good size, all right enough, and the other side of it cannot be seen."

"Not even with the big glasses which people look through."

"Now the lake can be seen so well, all around it and from the head to the foot."

"The lake hasn't a head or a foot," said the ice.

"This is what they call my source. I rise in the lake, and for the first time in my history I've frozen over this winter."

"Indeed," said the ice, "well, I am honored!"

"It's such a glorious change for me," said the river.

"I'm nice and warm, though because I am sheltered. I am really warmer this way than if I were not covered by you, Mr. Ice."

"It's a joke. You're warm, covered by the ice, which everyone says is so cold."

"Won't you tell me the news?" asked the river. "I'm a bit shut in from news, and it's a change for me."

So the river was told all about the ice boats and the skaters, the sleighs and the sleight bells, the children and what they wore.

And the river gurgled with glee, but it made the ice chuckle.

The Sky-Lord's Daughter

Very lovely was Tamabata, the Sky-Lord's daughter, and no one in the world had her skill in weaving. From her loom came the dazzling robes her father wore, some crimson, some blue, and others of purest white. One day, as she sat at her loom, Tamabata saw a handsome herdsman go by leading his oxen, and no sooner had their eyes met than they fell in love with each other. From that moment the loom stood idle, for Tamabata was always looking out of the window, and the oxen strayed unheeded over the plains while Kenryo the herdsman whistled with the Sky-Lord's daughter. This so displeased the monarch that he determined to separate the lovers, and he set them one on each side of the sky, with a great river between them, and made of their wings a bridge across the river, so that Kenryo might go to meet his beautiful Tamabata once in every month when their work was done.

A Clever Terrier

A fox terrier has been accustomed, since puppyhood, to being groomed daily on the kitchen table, and as his master is an excavator, it is only natural that the ceremony has been dubbed "Stables." At first the animal would jump on the table at the sound of the word, but the master now whistles the old trumpet call, "Come to the stable all ye that are able," and along trots the dog from wherever he is in the house, for the performance of his toilet. Not until he is told to "File away" does he jump down from his perch.

Peculiarities of Horses

If you notice two or three or more horses marching one behind the other, observe their ears and see if you are not able to detect anything peculiar. The chances are that the first animal will point his ears forward, listening for signs or obstacles; while the one that comes last will point his ears back, keenly listening for what is coming behind. There is no special service for the intermediate ones, and they will appear indifferent and at ease.

FROCKS OF GAY SILK PRINT; FASHION FEATURES THE SCARF

IN THEIR reaction against winter and its somber coloring, women of fashion are turning with greatest enthusiasm toward frocks of gay silk print. For the most part these spring-like dresses are made up very simply, emphasis being placed upon the vivid coloring and spectacular patterning of the fabric, rather than upon elaborate styling. Also it is excellent to



GAY FROCK FOR EARLY SPRING

maintain simplicity in the making of these dresses of animated silks, as was to make way for the "touch of lace" at throat and wrist, which is fashion's pet hobby this season. A colorful print frock adorned with a lovely lace collar and cuff set, is the ideal of the immediate moment.

The subject of silk prints for the coming spring and summer season is exhaustless. All one can do in a limited space is to touch the highlights in the telling. Much importance is attached to a series of silks which are proudly patriotic in that they copy direct the patterns and colorings of the early American Indian folk. Not only their arts and crafts but their very signa equipment have furnished inspiration for these prints, which are really meritorious in their every phase of color, design and weave.

Bordered silks are very important in the fabric mode. Many of the newest are polka dotted, with borders in vivid coloring and striking, modernistic patterning. The new floral patterns are enchanting. Bonquets are silhouetted against contrasting backgrounds in a way which heightens the color effect. In this class one sees vivid orange or flame-colored flowers



SHOWING NEW METHOD OF USING SCARF

against a navy or black background or perhaps a collection of garden posies in a setting of almond green on soft gray or possibly rose beige. The dress in the picture is very timely for early spring wear, it takes but a few yards of colorful print silk for a model such as this and owing to its simplicity it can easily be made at home.

An era of color that! Color clothes the field not only of fashions, but everything from automobiles to bathrooms and kitchens precludes an unrestricted reign of color. Too much color? There is no such possibility at the present moment, especially when it comes to sports clothes and daytime modes. It is color, everywhere, color which is giving individuality and novelty to present fashions, rather than weave or

Watch Girls Gain in Two Weeks Time!

Growing girls and boys need something only Nature can provide. It isn't found in drugs, and it can't be done by diet. Enough fruit would keep the system sweet, but what youngster will eat a quart of apple-sauce every day; or six bananas; or a pound of figs? But all children just love the daily treat of California fig syrup.

rich and fruity syrup that delights the palate, and aids digestion of anything that's eaten. And whets the appetite of children who don't eat enough. Fig syrup for that listless, sluggish, or feverish child! It invigorates a torpid liver; thoroughly cleanses the entire alimentary tract. It will solve childish ills that might otherwise end in stomach disorders or in diarrhea. Try fig syrup! In two weeks you may not recognize the boy or the girl who is now handicapped by constipation or sour bile. Three days will tell that better assimilation and elimination are established. (Twenty-four hours will clear the furriest tongue and have bowels in better condition! So much better than tonics of temporary value; or harmful cathartics! Let pure fig syrup take the place of both; but see that you do get the genuine California fig syrup; say "California" when you ask for the generous, sixty-cent bottle.

Exhausting Them
Mother (at son's bedside)—Teddy, dear, you don't want to go to school; why don't you lie down and just think?
Teddy—I have been, mother. I've thought some of my thoughts twice, and some three times.

Barks in His Own Yard
"That fellow Shaw is always lecturing, preaching or scolding."
"Well, we must give G. B. credit for one thing—he stays in England to do it."

Secret Injury
A motion picture operator, back from photographing wild animals in interior Africa, recommends that form of sport on the ground that it does not inflict pain on a lion or elephant concerned. It is relatively safe, too, since taking his picture does not infuriate the animal as a bullet wound does. A lion or elephant having its picture taken seldom attacks, being unable to see the picture.

It's twice as easy to deceive one's mother as it is any other person.

WHAT A DOCTOR KNOWS ABOUT CONSTIPATION

There IS a way of overcoming the tendency to constipation. And here is how you can PROVE it.

The next time your bowels need any assistance, don't take the first laxative that comes to mind. Take one of the druggist can assure you is made with CASCARA. Just as effective as using force, and it's good for the system. Indeed, it helps make good blood. For cascara is nothing but the bark of a tree. The Indians chew this bark, and live to an old age without a day's sickness.

What happens when you eat cascarin the bowels? They will usually function well for SEVERAL DAYS. One more dose—no larger, and perhaps smaller than the first—and the bowels function of their own accord for a still longer time. Until you don't feel the

need of any aid of any sort for week on-end.

So, the only habit you get from cascara is that of natural and normal regularity. How different from things one must usually repeat on the morning! Cascara is the ideal laxative; and the familiar little candy cascarin is doubtless its ideal form. Children beg for these tasty tablets, and many men and women wouldn't think of taking ANYTHING else for the purpose. And EVERY druggist has them.

Stiff Proposition
"Do you keep pilfers?"
"For electrical work?"
"Well, I gotta clip a wire-hatred terrier."—Louisville Courier-Journal

Maligned
"I hear that the crowd hooded you when you appeared on the stage."
"False, my boy, false! There was no crowd."—Boston Post.

GUARD YOUR GOLD MEDAL KIDNEYS NOW!

Rid yourself of "creeping ills." Put your body in trim by cleaning up your blood from the slow, down poisons poured into it by inactive kidneys, liver and bowels. You may rely upon the famous old Dutch National Household Remedy—in use since 1696. The original and genuine.

KILL RATS Without Poison
A New Extremist that is Absolutely Safe to use Anywhere!

Will not injure human beings, livestock, dogs, cats, poultry, and other animals. It is not necessary to use any special bait. It is ready to use and acts every time.

Poisons are too dangerous
K-R-O does not contain arsenic, phosphorus, barium carbonate or any deadly poison. Made of entirely natural material as recommended by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture in their latest bulletin on "Rat Control."

Never saw anything work like it did. We tried it on our rats, and it worked. I got my first rat in just one day. I got my last rat in just one day. I got my last rat in just one day. I got my last rat in just one day.

75¢ at your druggist; large size (three times as much) \$2.00. Sent postpaid direct from the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. **WORLD'S MOST SURE-BACE GUARANTEE**—K-R-O Company, Springfield, Ohio.

K-R-O KILLS RATS ONLY

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.
26 188 Webster Newsworld Union.

The Cream of the Tobacco Crop



William T. Tilden 2nd to protect his throat smokes Luckies

"During the course of some of my stage appearances, I am called upon at intervals to smoke a cigarette and naturally I have to be careful about my choice. I smoke Lucky Strikes and have yet to feel the slightest effect upon my throat."

William T. Tilden 2nd

"It's toasted"

No Throat Irritation-No Cough.

LUCKIES, The American Tobacco Co., Inc.

Practicing

"Why don't you take hold and try to run the whole country?"

The prices of cotton and linen have been doubled by the war.

Urges War on Weevil

"A yellow peril" among insect pests is taking the place of a "native American" nuisance, according to O. E. Gookins of Ottawa, Kan.

Headaches from Slight Colds

Ancient City Uncovered

The Urge

Maec-Does he really love her?



W.L. DOUGLAS SHOES For Men, Women and Boys

NEW SPRING STYLES ARE READY

Fruit of the Family Tree

He-Oh, you mustn't blame me for my ancestors.

"First Aid-Home Remedy Week" Coming

The National Association of Retail Druggists is urging greater advertising publicity for "First Aid-Home Remedy Week," fixed for March 18-24.

Vice Presidential Terms

Daniel D. Tompkins and Thomas R. Marshall each served eight full years as vice president of the United States.

Almanacs No More

Rural folks read the same books as people in the city.

Obedience

Obedience is the secret. Not slavish obedience, but sympathetic, loving, eager obedience.

A Brother's Keeper

A genuine brother's keeper is more concerned with his brother's peril than his own pleasures.

Improved Uniform International Sunday School Lesson

Lesson for March 11

JESUS FEEDS THE MULTITUDE

LESSON TEXT—Mark 6:31-44. GOLDEN TEXT—I am the bread of life.

1. Jesus' invitation to the Weary Disciples (vv. 31, 32).

2. The Lord moved with compassion (v. 34).

Well to Remember

"Fame is a bubble," quoted the Wise Guy.

The BABY

Why do so many, many babies of today escape all the little fretful spells and fits?

Children Cry for

Fletcher's CASTORIA

For PILES

24 Hours Ends COLDS

A "common cold" may result in grippe or flu.

LEONARD EAR OIL



Quickly Relieves Rheumatic Pains

12 Days' Free Trial

To get relief when pain tortured joints and muscles...

It is quickly absorbed and you can rub it in often and expect results more speedily.

Use Joint-Ease for sciatica, lumbago, sore, lame muscles, lame back, chest colds, sore nostrils and burning, aching feet.

FREE Send name and Address for 12 Days' Free Trial to Pure Laboratories, Dept. 2, Halliwell, Maine.

Joint-Ease

Philosopher's Death

Securing the famous Greek philosopher, in 39 B. C., was accused of impiety (the introduction of new gods) and of corrupting the youth.

Man sets up the drinks and the drinks upset the man.

Genuine ASPIRIN

SAY "BAYER ASPIRIN" and INSIST!

Proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for

Colds Headache Neuritis Lumbago Pain Neuralgia Toothache Rheumatism

DOES NOT AFFECT THE HEART

Safe

Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions.

Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists.

You never can tell. When a man can't collect his own thoughts he sometimes borrows other people's.

The man who stands on his dignity can't always see over the heads of the crowd.

Prescription He Wrote in 1892 is the World's Most Popular Laxative

When Dr. Caldwell started to practice medicine, back in 1875, the need for a laxative was not as great as they are today.

Under successful management this prescription has proven its worth and is now the largest selling liquid laxative in the world.

Got Away From Pistol

It turned out that a loaded pistol given to Frank Williams, a Philadelphia garage employee, to protect his employer's property delayed the prosecution.

Spitz Good Sleep Tender

The Pomeranian sheep dog, better known as the Spitz dog, is bred in most countries as a house pet, small and sweetish.

Has Your Back Given Out?

Backache Often Warns of Sluggish Kidneys.

EVERY day find you lame, stiff and achy? Suffer nagging backache, annoying headaches and dizzy spells?

Sluggish kidneys allow poisons to remain in the blood and upset the whole system.

Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic, increase the secretion of the kidneys and thus aid in the elimination of waste impurities.

Doan's Pills

A Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys

At all dealers, 60c a box. Foster-McBarn Co., Mfg. Chemists, Buffalo, N. Y.

Care For Your Hair With Cuticura Soap

And Cuticura Ointment. Before shampooing anoint the scalp with Cuticura Ointment, letting it remain over night when possible.

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

For PILES

Obedience

A Brother's Keeper

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T. C. Henington of Lubbock was in town Saturday trading with local merchants.

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The greatest factor in the prevention of bovine tuberculosis is declared to be proper cleanliness of dairy barns. It is significant that one of the greatest troubles experienced in British Columbia during the testing for the establishment of a T. B. free area was to get farmers to properly clean up.

"Fortunately," says the Dairy Farmer, "our friend the sun has prodigious curative powers, and will help to kill off the germs of tuberculosis wherever he gets a chance to do so." The farmers who are advocating open-air conditions for dairy cows have strong supporters in their claim that it is often the expensive coddled animal which develops T. B. and that the disease is comparatively unknown among cattle which run out practical all the time.

To properly keep clean a cow barn is so difficult that it is rarely done but the development of disease may be prevented by allowing the animals to exercise in the open rather than by coddling them in tight barns which, in fact, have been proved to be among the worst factors in the spread of T. B. among cows.

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FAIRVIEW POULTRY

IDEAL HENHOUSE LASTS ALL YEAR

An ideal henhouse is one that makes all the rest of the year as much like spring as possible. It is pointed out as a circular, "Housing Farm Poultry," which the college of agriculture, University of Illinois, has published for interested flock owners and farmers.

Climatic conditions during the spring months are, of course, favorable to egg production, and it is from a study of them that much of the working basis for practical poultry-house construction is obtained. The circular explains, in any type of construction that will prevent excessive heat in summer and avoid extreme cold in winter will be favorable to egg production, the publication adds.

Every detail of construction, except such things as color, convenience and appearance, should be considered from the standpoint of its possible effect on the health, comfort and egg production of the flocks. The circular continues. All this means that there is no one best house for all conditions. Most of the essential requirements can be provided in more than one way, so that there is an opportunity for the flock owner to exercise his personal preference and choice in various respects without seriously affecting the practicability of the house.

In so far as location is concerned, the major factor to be considered are good soil and air drainage, southern exposure, protection from prevailing winds in winter and convenience in the matter of daily care and management. The last point may be sacrificed under some conditions if by so doing the factors which are essential to the comfort and health of the flock can be more fully secured.

Sanitation can't be too strongly stressed, the author says of the circular point out. In this connection it is desirable to arrange the poultry house in such a way that the surrounding land may be cultivated and cropped. A double yarding system can then be provided, without excessive expense, so that half the range may be in crops every year. This practice will cut down losses from parasites and diseases.

Taking up the question of the size of the house, the author notes that crowding hens too closely, especially during the winter months, when they must be kept indoors a large part of the time, is a serious matter. A safe rule to follow in building a poultry house is to allow four square feet of floor space to each hen, although when 250 hens or more run together, one the less floor space can be allowed for each hen.

One of the problems that must be faced constantly in the management of poultry is that of keeping the house dry. Hens have no sweat glands and since little moisture is excreted in the droppings the only way the hen can get rid of any considerable amount of moisture is through the lungs. A great deal of moisture is thus given off into the air of the poultry house. The result is a tendency for the litter to become some damp quickly. It is essential, therefore, that the floor of the house be built in such a way that an additional four inches can accumulate through absorption from the ground below.

Start Chicks Right by Feeding Them Properly

For the first 96 hours of a chick's life, perhaps the best thing that can be done is to provide a warm, dark place with plenty of ventilation. When the chicks are hatched they retain a large portion of the yolk in their bodies in an unabsorbed form. Nature provides this for food during the first three days of the chick's life. If the chicks are given food immediately, a large portion of this yolk will not be absorbed and thus cause trouble later. If chicks are left where it is light, they will be restless and will pick at droppings, which is apt to spread disease. If the chicks are kept quiet they will absorb the yolk and the digestive tract will finish its development, thereby preparing it for the first food, which should come at from 96 to 72 hours after hatching.

Breathing Room for Hens

It is estimated that 75 per cent of the people who keep poultry crowd two more birds into their poultry houses. Egg production is thus diverged and proper development of younger birds is prevented. Whenever any disease breaks out in the flock, overcrowding helps spread the disease more rapidly. Call any birds so that the flock will fit the house. If you don't do it, nature may when the house is crowded—and you can't sell the dead birds.

Dry Mash for Hens

Save the dry mash before the poultry. Rock all the time. Feed the mash at least twice in a day, morning and night, giving just what they will clean up. Feed the mash at noon. If you have time, and it will pay you well, it is well to feed once a day a good moist or fermented mash, but never feed all they want of it. Give just what they will clean up in 15 minutes. If they have all they want, they will sit up on it, but let the dry mash and get fat.

The DAIRY

BARLEY VS. CORN FOR DAIRY COWS

The 1927 average of barley in Iowa was considerably larger than that of 1925. Reports credited Iowa with 285,800 acres in 1927 and 420,000 in 1925. The total production in 1927 was nearly twice that of 1925. It is generally considered that ground barley is equal, pound for pound, to ground corn as a part of a well balanced grain mixture for milk cows. In fact, carefully conducted tests in some of our experiment stations have corroborated this general assumption.

Last summer the Michigan experiment station, realizing that the barley average was increasing in that state, conducted a similar test with corn and barley. Two lots of cows were fed, each composed of five head. Lot 1 was given a grain mixture of 200 pounds ground corn, 200 pounds ground oats and 100 pounds linseed meal. Of this the cows, which were Holsteins, were fed at the rate of one pound for each three and one-half pounds of milk produced per day. In the way of roughage they were given daily one pound of alfalfa hay and three pounds of corn silage per 100 pounds of milk produced. Lot 2 was fed the same grain mixture, except that in place of 200 pounds ground corn 300 pounds of ground barley was substituted. Lot 1 was fed the corn mixture for a period of 20 days, while lot 2 was fed the barley mixture for the same length of time. Then the two lots were switched and lot 1 was fed the barley mixture for a period of 20 days while lot 2 was fed the corn mixture.

After summing up the production for these periods, the conclusion was reached that barley gave as good results, pound for pound, as the corn mixture. This test may therefore be considered as additional evidence of the equality in the feeding value of these two grains for milk cows.

Tuberculin Testing Has Gone Forward Very Fast

Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Animal Industry, United States Department of Agriculture, show unusual progress in combating this disease. Following are data for the United States, representing the status of various lines of work at the beginning of 1928:

Cattle under supervision	18,299,000
Cattle on waiting list for testing	2,074,500
Cattle tested during Dec. 1927	4,107,500
Reactors detected in Dec. 1927	951,500
Cowries recognized as milk-tuberculous	18,200
Reaction not more than 1/2 per cent	456
Towns having not more than 1/2 per cent infection	16

This work of tuberculin testing has been going forward with unusual rapidity in recent months. The number of cattle tested monthly has risen from about 100,000 to more than a million. The large number of cattle on the waiting list to be tested is regarded as evidence of the desire of live stock owners to avail themselves of the opportunity to free their herds from tuberculosis.

Silage Most Economical Feed for the Dairy Cow

The home-grown feeds as far as possible. Alfalfa or other legume hay is best. But most economical production, provide silage. Feed one pound of hay and three pounds of silage for each 100 pounds weight of animal. If silage is not available, feed one pound of hay for each 100 pounds weight. Use a good grain mixture containing a small amount of cotton seed meal or linseed meal. Feed one pound of grain mixture for each three pounds of pounds of milk production daily by the cow.

Dairy Facts

A cow must have three quarts of water for every quart of milk she produces.
Comfortably warm barns in which it never freezes add much to the success in dairying.
Well lighted, well ventilated stables insure health and good work on the part of the cows.
Remove the best feeds for fresh cows, but do not let dry cows become thin in flesh. Cows that are thin at calving time never have a chance to do their best.
It doesn't seem reasonable, but a Purina dairy expert is of the opinion that good cows are increasing more rapidly than good dairymen.
The adding of a little linseed meal to the dairy ration often improves the quality of the butter, particularly if the ration produces tallowy butter.
Cows that are weak either from vitality when dropped, or from improper care and feeding, are more apt to contract the disease than calves that are healthy and vigorous.

WHEN WE CAN'T WELD IT, THROW IT AWAY. JEFF D. BRYANT & SON

Thurman Malley, Superintendent of the Fairview schools was in Muleshoe Saturday and states that the school has 96 students and one of the best school buildings in Bailey county. He says that they will probably have one more month of school.

DENTAL NOTICE

Dr. Frost, Dentist, will be in Muleshoe again Monday, March 12th, for one week.
Mrs. John Garner of Circleback, was shopping in Sudan Monday.

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W. B. Gugin of West of town reports that his 530 acres of wheat is looking fine, and with present prospects, will make a bumper crop.

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C. E. Yoder of Sudan, was back in Muleshoe Saturday visiting with old friends. Mr. Yoder was formerly manager of what is now known as the Burrow Lumber Company.

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