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CAR SHORTAGE FEARED D. Shropshire, Jr., division, KILLED BY AU

Miss Sadie Lasater, a pupil in the Graham schools, was run over by an automobile in the street in front of the high school building at 4 o'clock last Friday evening and received injuries that resulted fatally two hours later. The car which ran over Miss Lasater was a large Chandler, driven by Ruth Wood, a twelve-year-old Mrs. C. L. Wood, who did not see her until it was too late to prevent the accident. The car was traveling at a lady, crushing her left shoulder and the very shortest period of time posand breaking her left leg just sible and upon reaching its destinaacross the street from the school assist the railroads in their work. building, and later carried to the residence of her aunt, Mrs. R. M. Wil- LYCEUM, FIRST NUMBER, OCT. 6 them. liams, where she and her sister made their home, and there passed away bout two hours after the accident. Miss Sadie Lasater was twenty years old, a bright, attractive and very popular young lady who will be greatly missed. She was a members. of the Baptist church and was one mong the most faithful Sunday chool pupils in the town. Funeral services were conducted at e'clock Saturday evening at the

dence of her uncle, R. M. Wiliams, by Rev. C. R. Taylor, pastor of the Baptist church, after which the dy was laid to rest in Oak Grove, heartily.

reight agent of the C. R. I. & G. R. was here from Fort Worth yesterday to secure the co-operation of our people in an effort the administration is making to avert a threatened car shortage during the cotton season To prevent a shortage the closest conservation, prompt unloading and leasing of cars must be observed. The transportation of the largest grain

crop ever marketed in the country is yet in progress and every available school girl, a daughter of Mr. and car is being used; but the car shortage is growing worse each day. To assist the railroad administraslow rate, but before it could be tion in this great crisis every car stopped it had passed over the young should be loaded to its capacity in

above the knee. She was at first tion should be unloaded at once. Strict his brother, Lester, occurred at the taken to the home of A. D. Stewart, co-operation of the public will greatly farm of the Keeters near Walters,

The Civic League begs to announce that the first number of the Lyceum Course will be given October 6 at the school auditorium at 8;30 p. m. Everyone will have ample opport tunity to provide himself with a season ticket, as ladies will call at every Oklahoma and brought here and sold home next week, and tickets will be by Seybold. Those who purchased on sale at Doty's and Sloan's drug cars will likely have to suffer the stores.

The committee feels thaht it has secured an exceptionally fine program home in Fort Worth for the past few for the year, instructive as well as entertaining, and it hopes that the citi- Edward street in that city. He lived zens of Graham will respond most

The Civic League will use the proweeks before moving to Fort Worth. an orphan and with an only ceeds for beautifying the city, mainly believed he entered the car busste was making her home with her for developing the park. iness after moving to Fort Worth. The following are the numbers: Alton Packard (cartoonist) October Southern Musicians October 23rd. against him.

# "DAS WACHT AM RHINE"

THE GRAHAM LEADER

WITH MALICE TOWARD NONE; WITH CHARITY FOR ALL

GRAHAM, TEXAS, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1919.

Following the arrest of Guy Seybold at Walters, Oklahoma, last Monand .Carl Keeter, a detective has picked up thirteen automobiles here that had been stolen in Oklahoma local people.

difficulty are Young County men. Seybold has lived in and near Graham for many years. He, it is reported, brought the cars to Graham and sold them to old acquaintances.

The trouble Monday, which terminated in the fatal shooting of Carl Keeter and the serious wounding of and is said to have been over an automobile which Seybold had sold to

Seybold is now in jail at Walters. Oklahoma, but will be taken to Lawton the last of the week for trial. A detective arrived in the city yesterday evening and at noon today, it is reported, had located thirteen cars that had been stolen from people in

Guy Seybold has been making his months and his family now lives on at Lubbock last year and returned to Graham last spring and spent a few

been reporting the meetings of the local U. C. V. Camp under the heading "Pleasant Moments Spent." These old veterans no longer have a monopoly of thrilling war time reminiscences to relate whenever they foreown to give out whenever the mood sand with sixty quarts of nitro-gly-

strikes them. A few evenings since Corp. P. S. and brought to Graham and sold to Phillips; of the 6th Marines, who has and the results were all that could about 500 feet for repairs to rig. just returned from the Rhineland, and have been desired. For thirty minutes Timbers are on the Jeffery tract All three of the parties in Monday's his brother, T. D. Phillips, who got no after the shot oil gushed from the northwest of Graham for a rig. ments." With the 6th Marines, attached to barrels per day. The shot and the Many new locations have been made

> ward saw forty days strenuous ser- prepared for it. When the tanks are vice in the Argonne Forest engage. full the cap over the hole has been arment, in which the hardest fighting of ranged so the flow can be cut off until the whole war took place in which our some provision is made for the oil or boys were engaged.

> After the armistice Corp. Phillips the Black well in the edge of Stephens saw six months guard duty along the county. river Rhine, near Coblenz, and while he was recounting some of his interesting experiences Serg. A. H. Haden, of the 148th Field Artillery, came along, who was also on duty only a short distance from where Corp. Phillips was stationed. When these two young veterans got together, epi-

sodes and experiences came thick and fast and The Leader force put off supper until way late rather than miss any part of this casual meeting. Come again boys.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY The Presbyterian Auxiliary met Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at He had always borne an excellent the church with eighteen members reputation here and it is hoped that present, all of whom contributing he may be able to prove his innocence some part to the service. Mrs. C. B. in many of the charges now held Hockaday, as president, directed a meeting of interest. Scripture verses were used as re sponses for roll call after which a lesson from three of the "five most imof his plays through this territory. portant chapters of the Bible" was It is safe to say that each one has conducted by Mrs. B. B. Garrett. The been a distinct success. People every- McCarroll Bible questions were re-Special features of the program were a reading "The Starless Crown" by Mrs. Hallam and a voice number "Shall I Go and Empty Handed?" by Mesdames Duncan and Nat Price. The meeting was one of unusual which unfortunately is the case with spirituality and renewed interest was many dramatists, to the baser in- manifested in this branch of the church work.

"DAS WACHT AM RHINE" For ever so long Adj. F. Herron has GRAHAM WELL SHOT TUESDAY: MAKES FIVE HUNDRED BARRELS

The Graham well of the Texas Com-. The Arkansas Oil and Gas Company day on a charge of shooting Lester gather. Sur boys just returning from pany, ten miles directly west from has their rig up on the Jeffery tract overseas have some thrills of their Graham, was shot at the 4,000-foot about five miles north of Graham. The Merrill Oil and Gas Company,

OLDEST NEWSPAPER IN NORTHWEST TEXAS

about five miles northeast of Graham. cerine at 7:45 e'clock Tuesday evening on the Hunt ranch, are shut down at

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further in the big strife than the hole to a height of fully twenty-five The Humble people are down about training camp, dropped into The feet above the derrick. It is esti- 800 feet on the Marshall estate, about Leader office for a few "pleasant mo- mated that during this time the well ten miles west of Graham, and havewas producing at the rate of over 500 set fifteen-inch casing at 720 feet.

the fighting Second Division, Corp. heavy fow of oil caused the well to in this county during the past month. Phillips saw quite a lot of intense cave or bridge in, and since then it It is almost impossible to get the rigafighting and took a shooting part in has been making only about 150 for drilling. Work is progressing in the St. Mihiel drive, and shortly after- barrels which is being stored in tanks all sections of the county.

pipe lines have been laid from

Superintendent McMahan, of . the Wichita Falls' division of the Texas Co., was on the ground at the time and pronounced the shot the best he had ever seen. He also expressed himself as being fully satisfied with the results.

The Graham well was shut down at the 4200-foot sand last January and since that time has been a fair producer through several feet of sand which had caved in. The lack of transportation facilities is generally believed to be the cause for the delay in shooting the well and for this rea-

son the full capacity of it will not be light. Come Sunday night and see known for some time yet, although it who all are not there. We will make is quite certain 500 barrels a day is you feel at home at the little old not too great an estimate. church on the hill. The Texas Co., it 'is reliably re-T. E. BOWMAN. ported, expect even greater results from the Arnold well, which is near

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN

Some Methodists, a good many of them. The last seen of them was at church several weeks ago. Finder will please deliver them in time for Sunday School at the Methodist church next Sunday morning and receive reward. The first Sunday in October is to be the Banner Day in the Methodist Sunday School in Graham. We want the largest crowd in the Sunday School that day that was ever assembled in the Sunday School in the history of the Methodist church. Of course all our own people are going to help make it a great success, then we want a lot of folks who are not in Sunday School. Come next Sunday morning and hear more about it. Sunday School at ten o'clock.

Yes, we have church on Sunday

int- Mrs. R. M. Williams, The accident and news of the death shocked our people more thoroughly 6th.

anything that has occurred in ...am in years. It is indeed sad, and the lonely heartbroken sister and

other relatives have the heartfelt sympathy of scores of friends in their tor) December 6th. great.sorrow.

REV. A. E. WHITE CALLED TO ELBERT

Rev. A. N. Davis, pastor of the Baptist church at Eliasville was in to see us Monday and reported a successful meeting at Elbert in which he did the singing and Rev. A. E. of additions to the church, seven by

After the meeting Rev. White was

alled to the pastorate of this church

cepted, and he and his family will

pove there the first of October. Rev.

White has been county missionary for

ne past two years or more. He is

in earnest young preacher and is

STOLEN CAR LOCATED

The Hudson Speedster which was

tolen from J. C. Owen at Wichita

Fallis two weeks ago was located in

the youny man who stole it was ar-

session was the grip and some of

clothes Mr. Owen had in the car

when it was stolen.

at a salary of \$1,500.00, which he ac-

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James Poe was a soldier and was and eut on furlough when he stole the car uneral Dir t Wichita Falls.

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Wells Co. (dramatic artists) No-

vember 21st. Miss Jean MacDonald (impersona-

Sterling Entertainers (musical entertainers) February 11th. Yanks Quartette (returned soldiers)

February 27th. Roderick Dundonald (lecturer) March 12th.

## UNCLAIMED LETTERS

The following letters remain . un: White did the preaching. As a result called for in the Graham postoffice of the meeting there were a number for the week ending September 16: Mrs. Willie J. Brown. baptism, and the organization was

181 Mr. Fred Bullock. Mr. F. W. Echols. Miss Mollie Hines, 建治理 Mr. W. W. Lewis. 27 1 " Miss Dora Rafsin, 1202170 Mr. J. L. Rice. 7887 Mrs. Marofn Robinson. 三! 研花 Mr. J. L. McAdams. Miss Caleen Stanley. 11 1.4.6 Mrs. J. F. Walker. A B B P P Mr. G. W. Coats. 18 10 22 Mr. Erman Collet. 11.1 Mr. F. A. E. Watkins, 1、夏季、 Erman Collet.

Nelson Lewis. In calling for the above please give the date advertised.

Little Rock, Arkansas, last week, and N. S. FORMER, Postmaster.

ested and brought back and lodged

in jail. When arrested by Little Rock fficers the young man, James Poe, of Duncan, Oklahoma, was joy riding with a young lady of that city and having a very pleasant time of it. He profession. Judge C. W. Johnson was Monday night, September 22nd. Ist first denied having stolen the car elected president and C. F. Marshall but when closely questioned acknowsecretary. ledged his guilt. In the young man's

The following are charter members of the association: C. W. Johnson, Sr., Fred T. Arnold, C. F. Marshall, B. W.

V. Hinson.

Norris and family, of Paducah, ent the first of the week with in the city. Ewing is well th his new location and says the Stephens county oil fields for an in time of need. operation for appendicitis. The apers on a big boom. He ation revealed the fact that the apa host of friends

pendix was badly ruptured and his vays glad to seecindition was serious, but he has done will some day extremely well and stands an excel-Graham their lent chance for complete recovery.

"THE SUN DODGER" Oscar Graham has presented many where enjoy the Graham shows, par- viewed. ticularly because they are in a class by themselves. Complete originality is a strong characteristic in his writings. Another thing, he caters to the refined sensibilities of his clientile, to the best that is in them, instead of, stincts.

Just as in the past year or so, certain movie artists have stood strongly for clean pictures, so Mr. Graham has always stood for clean plays. Coarse humor is never really funny. It degrades the perpetrator and as a rule, disgusts the listener. On the other hand, comedy that is clean is also and it is beneficial. Plots that are based on infidelity to the marriage

organized for the advancement of the "The Sun Dodger" will be here next permanently. They will come, back

## CARD OF THANKS

To our dear friends and neighbors: ham which, when completed, will be We wish to thank each and every one an ornament to the city and one of King, T. G. Binkley, Charles C. Trip- for their kindness, courtesy and aid our finest dwellings. Most of the lett, C. W. Johnson, Jr., M. D. Brown, given and shown us in the sad loss of homes now being erected in the city feeet. Elmer Graham, L. A. Kayser and F. our dear sister and niece, Sadie Lasa- are commodious, handsome structures,

A little six-year-old boy by the burden and may God bless each and in Texas the size of Graham has more name of Duke was brought here from every one and send you such comfort beautiful residences.

> EULA LASATER, Sister. ELMER SUTTLE, Brother. R. M. WILLIAMS AND FAMILY C. L. PICKARD AND FAMILY. KATIE LOWRANCE AND SON, JOHN MCMURTRY,

REPORTER. Doak Matthews and mother, Mrs.

Dick Matthews, of Ruleville, Miss. who have for the past two weeks been visiting W. M. Matthews and family, left Saturday morning en route for McKinney, Fort Worth and other wholesome. It is not easily forgotten points, before returning home. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Matthews and Joe Lee Matthews, covenant, divorce and sex intrigue, are who will spend a few days in McKinas numerous as the proverbial hairs ney and Fort Worth. While in Graham on a dog, especially in pictures. It is Mr. Mattthews visited the oil fields, a positive relief to see something dif. not only of Young, but of Stephens, ferent. In the spoken drama Oscar Eastland and adjoining counties, Graham always avoids that conven- and expressed himself well satisfied tional bugaboo. His latest play "The that these parts would soon be lead-YOUNG COUNTY BAR ORGANIZES Sun Dodger" is a mirth provoking ing oil sections of our country. We comedy-drama, with a great deal to understand that Mr. Matthews in-At a meeting of the lawyers of keep one guessing throughout its four vested rather heavily in these oil Young county last Tuesday night the acts. It is up-to-date, clean, full of fields, so it is safe to predict that he Young County Bar Association was pep, and has an abundance of action. will soon return, perhaps to remain

to Graham. Chas. N. Keen has commenced the erection of a residence in East Gra-

ter. Only such deeds of kindness and that would rival in attractiveness words of sympathy can lighten the those in the larger cities. No town

a delightful surcease from the in- Timmons well. -and a fine rain along with it.

the Graham well, and preparations are being made to shoot it the last of this week or the first of next week. among our people who have confidently believed the well was a good one ment to them if the Arnold fails to make a great flow when shot. The Manhattan Oil Co's. well on the Johnson ranch in the vicinity of the Graham and Arnold wells, just fin-

ished setting casing at 2,200 feet and resumed drilling. The flow of gas in this well has been very strong for some time and all indications are fav-

orable to a good strike there within Texas: the next few weeks

The Roxana Co. Donnell No. 1, has Fort Worth to be present at the meetset twelve and one-half inch casing at ing of all Groves and Camps of Texas, 1350 feet to shut of salt water and and Missouri at the Fort Worth court has resumed drilling. This well is house on September the 27th, 1919, to east of of the Clear, Fork river be- fight the enormous and unprecedented tween South Bend and Eliasville and raise of all rates of Circles and is about ten miles southwest from Camps.

Goode well for fuel. The Dallas-Young Co., Stewart No. This meeting is also for the purpose

at about 1200 feet. The Timmons well, southwest of Graham, struck gas on top of sand at 3,000 feet.

The Wiley Blair well of the Texas Company is down over 2,500 feet, and underreaming.

The Norris well of the Texas Company is underreaming at about 1,350

had for operating. .

"Its an ill wind that blows nobody Keen has timbers on the ground for January 1, 1921. good." The tropical storms hit the tig. This. well is about four miles, coast country pretty hard, but brought southwest of Graham and near the tense heat prevailing in this section. The Sun Compary No. 1, on the Texas, are here visiting his sister, Donnell tract, has spudded in.

A CAMPAIGN FOR \$100,000.00 At the meeting of the Young County Baptist Association at Indian Mound last week it was unanimously voted The results of the shot in the Gra- to accept Young County's quota in ham well caused but little excitement the "75 Million" campaign among southern Baptists. A'committee was appointed to apportion the amount from the time the deep sand was amongst the more than twenty Bapstruck and the excellent showing was tist churches in the county, tasking made last January and it will really each for a definite quota. Each be a great surprise and disappoint- church is free to acept or reject the amount asked for, but the cause is so urgent and the call to the southern Baptists to "Go Forward" so imperative that it is devoutly hoped no church will reject its quota.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

To all Members of Magnolia Grove and Twin Mountain Grove, Graham,

This is to notify all members of The North American Refining Co. B. both Groves to be present at the W. F. Scott No. 1, near the Goode well, O. W. hall at 8:30 on Tuesday, Sepspudded in yesterday at 12 o'clock and tember 23, 1919, for the purpose of electing their delegates to be sent to

Graham. It is using gas from the Sovereigns, this concerns you all, so please be present on date.

1, on the David Dawson Survey in the of receiving transfers and of reading northern part of the county, is drilling out any communication from headquarters.

> MRS. NORA MARTIN. Guardian of Magnolia Grove. MRS. M. P. VOULES, Clerk.

MRS. FRANCES MAYES. Guardian Twin Mountain Grove. MISS LYNNIE HERRON, Clerk.

J. H. McCan, one of The Leader's old friends and subscribers at Murray. The Staley, Langford and Chenault called in last week and renewed for well on the Donnell tract have com- this paper and the Dallas News and pleted their rig and will begin opera- also ordered us to send the paper to tions as soon as sufficient fuel can be his daughters in San Antonio. In re-

newing for The Leader Mr. McCan The Southwestern Miami on the pushed his subscription figures up to

> Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown daughter, Miss Julia, of McKinney, Mrs. W. M. Matthews.

is drilling.



THE GRAHAM LEADER

The Storm Lady

By MART MORISON-

A gigantic cloud, like a black cur-

all nature was going through some

ing upon the peaceful forest, taking it

rain, and the man pulled the window

"Heaven sielp anybody out in that

chaos," he said as he lighted the lamp

and settled cozily back in his big chair.

Through the noises of the storm he

heard a sound on the little porch out-

opening of the door-and bang! it

Hair awry, breath coming short and

fast, there leaned against the inside

of his door a girl. "I suppose I ought

to say something apologetic for burst-

ing in on you this way," she panted;

"but, oh! that lightning! . If your

door hadn't been right here I don't

know what I would have done. It

seemed as if every flash that came was

just rushing around the world trying to find me, and as each chap of thun-

der was applauding it. Oh !- " as a

errific clap shook the cabin, "Oh, do

Our host by this time had recovered

rward his chair, into which the girl

"Where on earth did you come

m?" he ejaculated. "I had rather

ought that I was the only occupant

Would Steel a Look at the Girl.

come on the wings of the storm. By

Joye, perhaps that lightning is looking

The girl looked at him for the first

time, and a smile crossed her face. Yes,

"With the help of this little house

"I hope so," responded the man.

"At any rate, what there is of it is at

your disposal. That's not much of

an offer, but it's a port in a storm, any-

From their cozy fastness in the

cabin they could hear the rain pelting

down. It was dark as pitch outside-

but the soft lamplight and the nice look

in the man's face was having a

reassuring influence on the girl. She

lifted her hands to her hair-a wom-

an's first conscious act after a fright.

first lig blow carried away my new

hat, and I suppose next summer those

crows out there will be calling it

'Rest-n-while' or 'Welcome Inn,' or

"Hard luck!" he laughed. "Would

a cup of my own home brew recom-pense you at red for the loss? It won't be as beautiful as the future crowery, but !: will be dohnny-on-the-spot if you

"Tea? Oh, how perfectly lovely.

"No moner said than done, fair lady of the storm. My entire library

is at your disposal while I retire to my

large and spacious kitchen to prepare

the feast. No, really," as she was

shont to offer assistance. "Just sit

there while I do it. I wouldn't have

you see my housekeeping for the

As he bustled around the tiny kitch-

en he would steal a look at the girl

as she sat by the table reading. There

was no doubt about it, she did become the cabla. "She's reading that awful

he called, "that's a silly book you've

"Isn't 11?" she agreed. "Ive read it

before and I know it's silly. But I used

something like that."

Picase!" said the girl.

any the word."

world."

picked out."

"What a hoyden I must seem. The

and, yes, this lamp, we may win out,"

she was decidedly pretty.

for me !"

she hazarded.

way."

Arrow mountain, and then in you

you mind if I just sit down?"

ank gratefully.

to just in time.

slammed to.

"Gad, what a wind !"

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## Calomel Users! Listen To Me! **1** Guarantee Dodson's Liver Tone

Your druggist gives back your money if it doesn't liven your liver and bowels and straighten you up without making you sick.

Ugh! Calomel makes you sick. It's | spoonful and if it doesn't straighten horrible! Take a dose of the dargerous you right up and make you feel fine drug tonight and tomorrow you may and vigorous I want you to go back to lose a day's work.

which causes necrosis of the bones. of calomel because it is real liver Calomel, when it comes into contact | medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore with sour bile, crashes into it, breaking it cannot salivate or make you sick. It up. This is when you feel that awful I guarantee that one spoonful of nausea and cramping. If you are slug- Dolson's Liver Tone will put your gish and "all knocked out," if your sluggist liver to work and clean your liver is torpid and bowels constipated bowels of that sour bile and constior you have headache, dizziness, coat- pated waste which is clogging your ed tongue, if breath is bad or stomach system and making you feel miserable. sour, just try a spoonful of harmless I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Dodson's Liver Tone tonight.

Something Else Again. Curate-Well, my good man, and how are you getting along now? Good man-Oh, not so bad, sir. But wages are so very low.

Curate-Why, only the other day-1 heard you had had an increase; . Good Man-Yes; but that was in the

family, sir .--- Tit-Bits.

A SOFT, VELVETY SKIN

should be the ambition of every woman as there is nothing so attractive as a fair, smooth skin. Neither soaps nor powders can give this. Thousands of southern women know from experience that Tetterine will quickly rid the skin of its disfiguring pimples and blotches and give it that bright clear appearance so much admired. Tetterine is sold by druggists or sent by mail for 50c. by Shuptrine Co.; Savannah; Ga.-Adv.

## PAT EVIDENTLY MADE GOOD

News From America Seemed to Prove Irishman Had Not Misjudged His Capacity.

Pat Finnegan had left his wife in Ireland and gone to America to try his fortune and establish a home for his family in the new world. It was some two or three weeks after Pat's

"Hello! Here comes a storm for sure." the store and get your, money. Dod-A peal of thunder cracked the air in Calomel is mercury or quicksilver son's Liver Tone is destroying the sale two and he hurried to the cabin wintain, hung across the valley, cut every second or so by a fork of lightning. The trees covering the mountainside were being lashed into a fury by thegale sweeping them. Looking down from his lonely cabin, perched high up on Arrow mountain, it seemed as if

Liver Tone will keep your entire fam-Here's my guarantee-Go to any ily feeling fine for months. Give it to drug store and get a bottle of Dodson's your children. It is harmless; doesn't Liver Tone for a few cents. Take a gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

> He's Lucky at That. My youngest boy and I were in a restaurant and the walter asked what we would have. The boy said : "Anything but ham and eggs; that's all I ever get at home."-Chicago Tribure.

> Just say to your grocer Red Cross Ball Blue when buying bluing. You will be more than repaid by the results. Once tried always used. 5c.

### The Cult of Fashion.

Young lady at the theater to friend: What do you think of this play, my dear?" "Why, it's absurd! Three months are supposed to pass between the first and second acts, and the heroine's still got the same hat on !"

No Worms in a Healthy Child Att children troubled with witms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or tase stomach disturbance. Grove's insteless chill tonic given regularly for two or three weeks will which the bloed, improve the disestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tenic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the Child will be in per-fect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

INSPIRATION AT ODD TIMES

How Longfellow Wrote "Wreek o' the Hesperus"-Rossini Composed

Music in Bed.

-Longfellow's "Wreck of the Hespe departure that his wife stood in the 'rus" came to him as he was sitting by meager garden in front of her home, his fireside, the night after a violent

and I read all his books just on principle. I have the feeling that some day he will write something really goodjust because he was such an awfully nice man himself." "He's a lucky devil to have you say

that about him"-in he came, tea in hand, and for a lonely bachelor on a mountain top it was a very entleinglooking tray that he set before the lady. The thunder came from a distance now and the rain was contenting itself with a gentle patter, patter. The darkness of a few moments ago was giving way to a misty grayness. He He put down the book with a deep tigh of boredom, "What rot, what aropened the window a little and the rant rot," he groaned-and then: smell of fresh green earth came through.

> "Um, isn't that delicious," smiled the girl, as she took a long breath. Then she poured the tea. "How many lumps? Three? Why, man alive, what did you' do in-Hoover's day?"

> "Tell me about that author man who writes such awful drivel," continued her host.

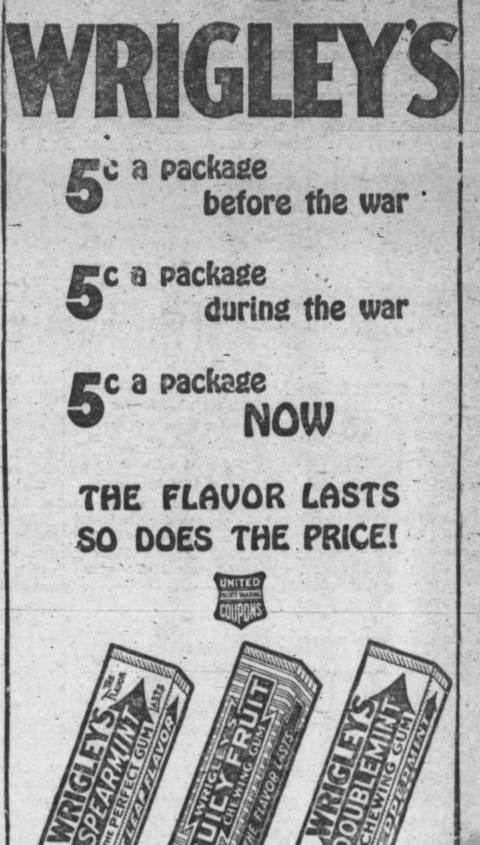
"Well, you see, I haven't laid eyes on him for years and years," she went on. "I wouldn't know him now if I should meet him on the street. But dreadful revolution-the storm rush- when I was a child we lived on the. same street and he was always so nice unnwares and meeting with stiff re- to me when my brothers would pull sistance from every tree, shrub and my pig-tails and call me 'baby.' And bird for miles around. Then came the once they locked me up in an old building, and that nice man came and got me out. He heard my howls, I guess. I suppose I was rather a 'baby,' as my brothers said, and he was always helping me out. I often think of it, and now when things go wrong I say to myself: 'Oh, If I only knew where Chester Lane was I'm sure side, and a rush of wind followed the he would tell me what to do!"" She laughed and added: "Silly, isn't it? But you see why I like his books now, trash or no trash, don't you? And some day he will write something great, you see." "He should for the faith you put

in him, if for no other reason," said the man, looking at her with a curious intentness. "You see," he went on, "he was poor, oh, so poor, little lady of the storm, and his good things nobody wanted to buy. So he took to best sellers-just because he must have bread and butter and things like that. But now-I will do something better for you."

"You will? You are - Chester Lane?" she whispered. ilmself enough to rise, and he pushed

"Yes, Peggy Trumbull, I am. And you-why, you were the smallest little girl I ever saw, and such a good sport. I remember thrashing your brothers, both of them, when they called you a 'baby.' To think that you should have grown up like this, and-"

"And," she interrupted, "when a storm came and frightened me almost to death I came right here. I might





looking down the road her man had gone, and moodily speculating on his sleep; the Hesperus would not be deing her over the fence. -

"Have you heard the news from America, Mrs. Finnegan?"

"Faith, an' Oi have not."

Read it fer yerself. 'America gone ters. After writing a duet the comdry. Last alcoholic drink sold at mid- poser allowed his manuscripts to slip night, June 20.""

a minute; then, swelling with tride unlucky to pick the sheets up; so he and casting a triumphant glance at and crashed through one of the physi-Mrs. O'Leary, she shouted back: his disgust he could not remember it "Faith, an' Pat always said, give him It was therefore necessary to write a two weeks an' there was not a country new one. This he had finished when in the wourld he couldn't drink dry."- a friend entered. Life.

#### ill and Nervous.

Nurses dislike the season of thunderstorms. "We are not afraid of bed. You'll find another duet there. lightning ourselves," a nurse in a Try that, too." woman's hospital told me. "but it has of extreme weakness or nervousness a day. dozen flashes of blinding lightning reduce the patient to a state of utter prostration."

the handle.

storm. He went to bed, but could no success. She was rudely startled by nied; and as he lay the verses flowed the harsh voice of Mrs. O'Leary call- on without let or hindrance until the poen was completed.

One at least of Rossinl's splendid pieces of music was composed in bed. It was when he was young, poor and

"Tis in the paper this marnin', unknown, and lived in wretched quaroff the sheets and fall under the bed. Mrs. Finnegan looked doubtful for and moreover he believed it would be

> "Try that," said the composer, "and tell me what you think of it." The verdict was favorable.

"Now," said Rossini, "look under the

.The friend did so, and declared the a harmful effect on the patients. Most original composition was much the betsick people fear lightning. In cases fer. It is included in his works to-

> Prudence in women should be an instinct, not a victue.- Talleyrand.

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In silence they looked at each other, and through the open window burst a ray of late afternoon sunlight-gll the grin' at my wedding?" asked the sevbrighter from its release from the eral times grass widow, who was arstorm.

Peggy rose; "I must go now," she said. "Isn't it a shame? I'm staying with the Brantfords across the valley and started out right after lunch for a tramp. Your mountain looks so nice from the valley. Good-by," holding out her hand, "and will you forgive me for saying your book was silly?"

Lane had his cap and walking stick in his hand before she finished. "Will I forgive you?" he repeated. "My word! I'm going to marry you, you know. You'll be needing me to keep away thunder storms and brothers and things, and I'm not going to let you out of my sight, or you'll vanish as suddenly as you came. And I've been waiting here for you all these hundreds of years. My dear, would you mind very much marrying me?" "That was a very nice thunder storm," said Peggy.

MUST BE FIGHT TO DEATH

Authorities Recognize There Can Be No Compromise Between Mankind and the Mosquito.

When Sir Arthur Conan Doyle sent his famous character, Sherlock Holmes, to his supposed death down the abyss of a roaring waterfall, one of his friends protested. "Well," said the author, "Tve either got to kill tween the toes, and the hard skin cal-Sherlock Holmes or Sherlock Holmes | luses from hottom of feet. will kill me." Pretty much the same situation exists in certain sections of the United States between man and the mosquito. If man does not kill the mosquito, the mosquito will do his cussedest toward killing man and, if right off, root and all, without one bit he doesn't quite succeed, will make of pain or soreness. Truly! No humhim mighty sick. The United States artment of Agriculture is on the e of man in the contest and is preparing for a big drive against the malaria mosquitoes in Louisiana. The details are not completed, but the campaign will begin soon and will be, perhaps, the most intensive one yet put on. Some of the workers are already on the ground. Others who have been engaged in "cootle" work for the army and still others who have been actually with the army will be sent to Louis iana within the next few weeks,

### Conflicting Attitudes.

"You want to manage the business?" asked the employer.

"I do," answered the employee. "Well, I don't understand it at all. A little while ago you were demanding eight hours' work and the assurance of good compensation. Now you want to shoulder the responsibilities that will keep you worried at least eighteen hours a day, besides taking a chance of going broke if the markets treah, too," he muttered. "Oh, lady," happen to slip the wrong way."

How Capital Was Named.

Riolde Janiero means "River of January" and was applied to the capita! to know the man who wrote it, years of Brazil because of its discovery in ago, when I was a child. I adored him, that month.

Appropriate Music. "Can't you play something else than that everiasting 'March' from 'Lohen-Often Caused by ranging for another of her matrimonial events.

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"Oh, now, see here, judge," said the

bug !- Adv.

Transcript.

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languages. "Fair" is akin to the ancient "festus" and therefore cousin in some degree of the more modern "feast" and "festival" and the like.

Always and everywhere it has car- eral weeks before the fair he should wholly human sort of thing.

ways was, that it always meant to helps a great deal; also that a little ers, and two kinds of them, too-players who play playfully and players kind of crate ready in plenty of

Weeks or even months in advance of the fair the boy must start getting his

toenalls so that he will stand up straight without too much bend at the pasterns. But he must be careful not ly to find a new schedule awaiting you to pare them too close. A limping plg -with a uniform increase all along is not likely to be a prize winner. Sevthe line. At least, that's what a Cleveland

ried the away-from-work idea. It has trim the hair out of the pig's ears, bealways been pretty much what we ing careful to do it in such a way that mean nowadays by "holiday," though the ears will not be irregular in outnot what that word meant originally. line, He should provide a clean wal-"Holiday" was "holy day," and sacred. low. for the pig to keep the hair and "Fair" has always been secular-a skin soft and pliable-and he ought to know the trick of the trade that a Fair time is playtime. That it al- little oil on the surface of the water

most people, that it always will be. linseed meal, properly fed to the pig, But for every play there must be play- puts a peculiar gloss on the hair. He must remember to have the right

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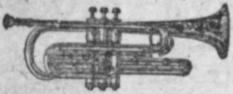
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who play laboriously, more or less, for Many boys have failed to get their the entertainment of the others. plgs to the fair because, when the time

And "the fair" has a very different came to ship, there was no crate. The meaning for the two classes. The big department has special sets of specifibunch goes to have a good time, to be cations for pig crates, calf crates and carefree, to drink red lemonade and others. A very important thing to rethrow confetti and toot tinsel horns; member in connection with the crate to get the glint of twinkling horse is that the pig grows at a pretty rapid heels on a saffron track; to see the clip. The crate must be built big brond-backed cattle, the prettily packed enough for the pig, not when the crate jellies and jams, the big pumpkins, the is made but allowing for growth beintricate needlework, the full-filled tween then and fair time. And it

ears of corn and to mill around, going must not be big enough to permit the nowhere in particular and not caring pig to turn around. The boy must reespecially if they never get there. member that the pig should not be fed But with it all they are getting a just before shipping. No matter how sugar-coated education. The fair is a much the little rascal cries for corn university in which the festive stu- he must not be indulged. If he is fed dents soak up science unawares. he is very likely to get sick on the

Then there must be the other kind train and go through the whole fair of players-the ones who "put on the in a droopy, drowsy, unprizelike-lookshow"-the professors and instructors ing way. and tutors in this most accommodating

#### Prizes Are Not All.

of academies. And there has to be These are just a few of the things somewhere a sort of teachers' college that must be remembered in preparing for those people. There are, in fact, a pig for the fair. And there are lots of normal schools for fair profesequally many with regard to the calf, sors, but the United States department or the dairy cow, or the poultry, or of agriculture is the graduate college. any of the things, practically, that the And one of the queer things is that boy or girl, man or woman wants to exhibit at the fair. grades of the public school may be

Even with all the care possible the doing postgraduate work in getting animal or other product may not be a prize winner. There can't be prizes

Much in Getting Ready. for every exhibitor. The fair that tries Too many people, the department to arrange things so that everybody experts say, do not know how much can get a prize does not amount to depends on preparing exhibits in the much usually. It does not mean anyright way, on getting the pig or calf or | thing to win a prize when you, are the corn or canned stuff in just the right only exhibitor in your class. And, as shape to show to the best advantage. the experts in the department of agri-One of the boys' club workers tells a culture point out, the prize is not the main thing after all. To be sure the "One of our club boys in Mississip- boys and girls and men and women pi," he says, "grew an acre of mighty who get things ready for the fair are good corn and entered an exhibit in contributing to an education for the the county fair. There were four public-but the main thing for them prizes, but he couldn't even get the is the education they get themselves. fourth one. The judge simply tied on | "Take part in the contest," say the the ribbons and made no explanations. experts. "for your own sake. You will The boy was disappointed-not rebel- have a better pig, a better calf, a betllous, but he wanted to know why his ter pound of butter, a better can of good corn couldn't get a prize. I went peaches next year by reason of having over it with him, showed him that j exhibited this year, whether you win some of his biggest ears had crooked or not. And, with proper attention to rows and how others had other de- preparation, the prizes are sure to fects. Picking out the best ear I said, come, too, sooner or later." 'If you had ten like this you could

"Well, that boy went back home and BA DRA thought were as good as the one I had

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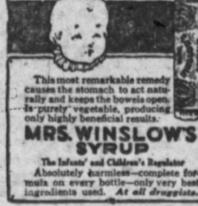
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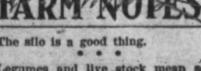
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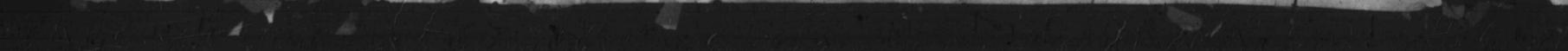
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Taylor will leave in the ment and secure more teachers. moring for Fort Worth to attend a authors, at Snoddy's 5c and 10c Store. work. **OUR MEN'S STORE "THERE'S A REASON"** one day conference of denominational "I tried everything I heard of, but Born Friday September 12, to Mr. We carry the largest stock of Clothguot no better. Then I laid off from leaders in the interest of the Baptist and Mrs. Fred T. Arnold, a daughter. ing, Shoes, Hats and Furnishing work for some time trying to rest up. \*75 Million" campaign. He will re-The little Miss has been named Cath-Goods for Men and Boys in Graham. One of my neighbors persuaded me to turn tomorow night. erine for her paternal grandmother. STREET & CO. try Tanlac and it hasm ade me feel Can you buy flour cheaper in AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH G. W. Burgess is very low with ty- like a new man. 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Va., arrived last sell you a Ring, a Watch, or a Now on sale at less than present been living for the past few years, Thursday night to spend a month or J. D. Baty, one of Young county's factory prices. and will make her home with her two visiting her parents, Mr. and very best citizens, was in town last Diamond as cheap as you can STREET & CO. Saturday on business and favored our Mrs. R. G. Graham. daughter, Mrs. J. W. Carlton. buy in Dallas or Ft. Worth. Miss Frances Bowron, who has been office with a substantial visit. very sick with typhoid fever for the W. W. Terry is one of our new sub-We are on the ground and we past two weeks, is some better today. scribers out on the Farmer Route. LADIES' AND MISSES' HATS Guarantee our Jewelry. Attorney Elmer Graham, of Olney, minan 1 spent the first of the week here in at-The largest stock in Young County is on display at this store. HARMON BROS. tendance upon the district court. STREET & CO. LOST AUTO TIRE AND RIM JEWELRY AND CONFECTIONS An automobile tire and rim were J. R. McCarroll, a former citizen of lost from a Chevrolet Baby Grand on Graham, who now resides at Bullard. the Graham-Breckenridge road last Texas, spent the first of the weel here on business. Saturday night. Finder please return to this office. Drive in and See LADIES' COAT SUITS G. L. Nicewarner has purchased See the beautiful Wool Suits we are SOMETHING NEW property in Clovis, New Mexico, and selling at from \$37.50 to \$50.00. There's only one way to find out just his family will join him there in a few STREET & CO. weeks. The Nicewarners have lived what Willard Service means to you in Dr. D. J. Newell was in the city in Young county for a number of We have put in a Soda Fountain and nice line. terms of longer battery life-Monday. He believes his home town years and have many friends here who of Eliasville is destined to become a of Confectioneries in connection with our Jewelry will regret to learn they have decided There's only one way to put Willard great oil center. New locations have establishment, including High-Grade Candies, Cito move away. promptness, efficiency and competence been made all around the town and gars, Smoking Tobacco and Cigaretts, Come in S. M. Lamons and family spent last quite a lot of drilling is in progress to the testand see our new place. We have a modern Cream Sunday with relatives in the northern near there. There's only one way for you to Parlor, artistically arranged. We will be delighted part of the county. LADIES' STYLISH COATS realize on the service that we offer to Judge P. A. Martin, of Wichita Big showing new styles at from to show you through Falls, spent Saturday evening in the you as a user of a Willard Battery-\$25.00 to \$40.00. city on business. STREET & CO. THE That one way is to drive in and see. F. P. Pratt last week had us add his G. P. Daniel, one of the old timers name to our long list of readers at out in the Murray country, was in to Eliasville. PALACE see us Monday.

Joe Vaughn, a leading citizen of city Thursday night from Huntsville the Clear Fork Valley, was in the city Jewelery and Confectionery on business Monday and paid our office a call. J. L. WOODS, Proprietor. West Side Square

Both Phones

ng the Sam Houston Normal for the her home in Fort Worth after spend-A. J. Bullock is recovering from an ing a few days visiting Mrs. W. M. Miller in this city. E In I Soitto

Miss Beulah Bell has returned to



Miss Aytchie Chism arrived in the

to spend a week here visiting her "ather, Dr. M. H. Chism, before enter-

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## Our Stock of Ready to Wear is now Complete and contains the Newest and Best Styles of the season

As to quality of materials, trimmings and workmanship we wish to emphasize the fact that these are the very best-we do not handle cheap, shoddy or poorly made garments. Cheap garmnnts are the most expensive, regardless of the low prices you pay, while good clothes give satisfaction in style, fit and wear, and are the best in the long run, even though they cost more money

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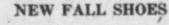
Coats \$25.00 to \$75.00 Dresses 25.00 to 75.00 Skirts Blouses \$2.00 to \$15.00

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B. W. KING

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prices.

gerously ill for several days at their home on North Oak street. W. M. McCaw returned Sunday 430 acres land in Hale County. Nice night from Marshalltown, Iowa, where

level land, fenced, about 100 acres in he and his wife had gone to attend the cultivation. Possession at once for funeral of Mrs. McCaw's mother, who fall wheat. \$42.50 per acre, one-third died of pneumonia. Mrs. McCaw will cash, balance easy terms .- BOX 541, return home in a few days.

35c CHEVIOT FOR 25c

Little Willene, daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. W. C. Hackley, has been dan-

Good Cheviot Shirtings, stripes and solid colors, worth 35c, at old price Range. They are made by experts. of 25c.

STREET & CO.

J. S. Thomas, who has been visiting his brother at Proffitt for some time, left for his home at Edna, Texas, last \$2.25 today, special bargain while Saturday to get his family and move here to make Young county their

> BROWN DOMESTICS 221/2c and 15c We offer old purchase of good Domestics at less than today's factory

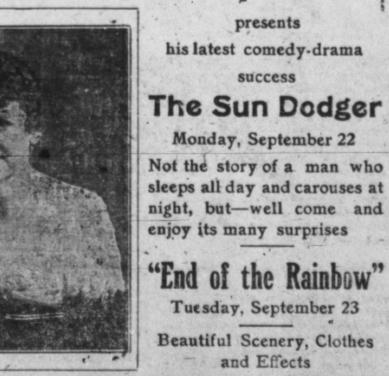
> > STREET & CO.

private home. One block from square, Sergt. Levy D. Wilson, who was a \$4.00 per week. Apply at Leader member of the original First Division, 28th Infantry, arrived in Graham last Hon. Ice B. Reeves, a prominent week from the Base Hospital at Fort legislator from Grayson county, was Sam Houston and will spend a few here several 'days of this week, but days here visiting his parents, Mr. The Leader failed to locate the mis- and Mrs. G. V. Wilson.

> BLEACHED SHEETING 75c Best 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, worth 85c yd. on today's maket, special 75c. STREET & CO.

W. G. Lowery, of the Monarch Oil Bunger, deceased. All those knowing a bargain .- FRED STEWART indications for oil superior to any he ger, Texas. had seen in the State. He predicts a 4-6c. great future for Graham.

**Opera House** Monday and Teusday September 22 and 23 **OSCAR GRAHAM** 



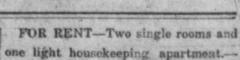
Prices 25c, 50c and 75c Including War Tax

## NOTICE

That on September 4, 1919, T. M. Bunger was appointed temporary Administrator of the Estate of G. H.

Drilling Co., of Dallas, spent the first themselves to be indebted to said G. of the week looking over our oil fields, H. (Harlan) Bunger or having claims and after making a tour of this imme- against him will present claims and Box Paper and Waterman's Fountain diate section pronounced the surface remittances to T. M. Bunger, at Bun- Pens at Snoddy's 5 and 10c Store. 3c

The Leader has for sale a supply a bargain .- FRED STEWART



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New Orleans, La.-County market

association at its session here, there-

37c, December: 371/2c, January 38c,

J. J. Brown of Atlanta, Ga., was

While the committee was closeted

The resolution further provides

that these corporations are to be

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If this plan becomes effective and

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WATER SIX FEET IN CORPUS CHRISTI-WIND OF 65 MILES. DOES MUCH DAMAGE.

SEAWALL SAVES GALVESTON

Tidewater Flooding City Causes Little Damage, Although Train Service is interrpted.

Galveston .- Driving furiously into the Texas coast, principally in the section southwest of Galveston, the tropical hurricane that has skirted the perhaps. United States gulf coast for nearly a week: apparently has swept inland near the Mexican border.

Wire communication was interrupted in most of the affected area and the extent of 'the storm's damage can not be learned accurately, but there were no reports of fatalities.

Brownsville and Corpus Christi apparently felt the brunt of storm, which, weather bureau officials be lieve, has passed on into , Mexico, out modification. where it will be dissipated in the Mexican mountains.

Galveston, where considerable anxiety had been felt, apparently was struck by the edge of the storm area, and again the city was saved from any considerable damage by the powerful seawall . constructed after the 1900 disaster.

Water was reported to a depth of six feet in sections of Corpus Christi., Earlier reports from Corpus Christi told of considerable damage done by a 65 mile gale which swept away signs and awnings and drove residents of outlying districts to the greater security of brick and stone buildings downtown

Isolation of Brownsville was complete Sunday night so far as wire communication was concerned, the only information coming from that city being contained in a brief.wireless dispatch from Fort Brown to southern department headquarters at San Antonio, reporting a 75-mile wind.

A San Antonio and Aransas Pass train which left Corpus Christi for Rockport Sunday was declared to be cane, according to general offices of the railroad at San Antonio.

Traffic on the St. Louis-Brownsville & Mexico railroad lines south of San itself into dripping perspiration in Antonio into the Rio Grande valley was suspended indefinitely.

**BIG IMMIGRATION OF** GERMANS INTO MEXICO Emigrants Will Be Welcomed, German Consul General Assured by



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RELATIONS COMMITTEE OP-POSES RESERVATIONS.

Washington .- With submission of the foreign relations committee mi- firms for the purchase of cotton and nority report, the peace treaty, with the fixing of a minimum price at ts covenant for a league of nations, which cotton shall be sold were de ditions, from 10 to 25 per cent of its is made ready for the ratification bat. cided upon by the American Cotton tle in the senate.

Republicans claiming enough votes by concluding the two most importto prevent ratification without reser- ant acts for which the cotton men vations, are urged by Chairman Lodge of the south had assembled. Mini- banking system of the country. The of the foreign relations committee to mum prices of cotton per pound were stay on the job until final disposition. fixed by months as follows: Septem of the food control legislation, after is made of the treaty, weeks hence, ber 36c. October, 36%c. November Senator Henderson of Nevada had of loads have been lost the past week.

Senator Hitchcock, leader of the administration forces, submitted the 39%c and May 40c." minority report, signed by all demo cratic members of the committee ex. chairman of the committee which cept Senator Shields of Tennessee, recommended this sliding scale of who stood out for reservations to the prices for the staple. league covenant.

Without attempting specifically to in a stormy discussion of a minimum answer majority charges against cer- price to be fixed on all cotton pro- of the cotton and other large crops of tain provisions of the covenant, the duced in the south, L. D. Jennings minority urged speedy adoption with- of. South Carolina presented a reso- the 10 per cent feature of the law to

After the minority report had been ed and which provided for the formpresented Senator Harding of Ohio, ation of corporations of cotton pro- isting values. republican member of the foreign ducers in each county where cotton relations committee, spoke at length is produced throughout the United against the treaty and its league covenant.

The report mentioned twelve concessions the United States would lose capitalized for enough money to buy by failure to ratify the treaty, these cotton outright at one fourth of a including industrial and economic advantages and agreements. .

Reservations proposed by the ma- to be fixed later. lority, the report said, were "for the purpose of destroying the league," which has stood "the test of world. formed, the method of operation will wide criticism and unlimited attack." be this .- In case a farmer has cotton

## LEAGUE OPPONENTS LOUDLY

Johnson and Borah Find Hearty Response to Their Attacks on Treaty.

in the senate opposition to the at which figure the outsider will be peace treaty-howlingly interested. permitted to buy it. Not since the days of 1912 when the big auditorium here saw the birth ROUMANIA REFUSES TO somewhere in the path of the hurri of the Bull Moose party has such a vast, excited, wildly cheering throng jammed that place and shouted en-Jugo-Slav Delegation May Decline to couragement to speakers and worked greeting the speeches of Senators

Johnson, Borah and McCormick. Senator Johnson has left for Indianapelis while Borah and McCormick ed that it would not sign the Ausprepared to follow different routes, trian peace treaty. confident that if the enthusiasm met



**CLAIMS BANK LOAN** 

ENLARGE LOAN POWERS.

Washington .- The house bill proposing to increase the loaning privilege of national banks, under certain con unimpaired surplus and capital, was oppossed in the senate by Senator Pomerene of Ohio, who contended that it opened a dangerous policy for the bill was laid aside for consideration fered an amendment which sought to meet the wishes of the producers of cattle who are asking that the enlarged banking privileges be made more liberal on their commodity. One of the chief purposes of the leg-

islation is to meet the rulings of the comptroller of currency and permit a continuation of convenient financing the country by permitting in general, lution which was unanimously adopt- be exceeded in the discounting of bills of exchange, etc., drawn against ex-

Senator Pomerene declared that the law should be more designed to protect depositors than aiding the buyers, of cotton and commented upon the possible disasters resulting from narket fluctuations to small banks that had their money so involved. cent per pound more than any price What would apply to banks with refrence to cotton deals, he said, was

equally true as to loans on cattle. Under some aspects of the banking operations, measured by the bill, Senator Pomerene said, it was possible to construe the loaning privilege up to 35 per cent, adding that in case a producer of a commodity covered by the bill was not able to obtain all he desired at one banking institution, the transaction could be spread between two or more institutions, all of which could keep within the present law. Senator McLean reminded the Ohio enator that many state laws permitted banks to loan up to 25 per cent and no difficulty was encountered.



Gompers Urges Them to Return to Work Pending Decision on General Strike.

Paris,-The Roumanian delegation Boston, Mass .- Frank McCarthy, to the peace conference has announc-New England organizer of the American Federation of Labor, has announcrefused to sign the treaded that the Policemen's Union has ac in Chicago is continued, the senate ty because of the council's flat re cepted the suggestion of Samuel will have complete backing in making fusal to grant her the privilege of Gompers that they return to work making reservations in connection and await the outcome of the labor treaty recommended by the foreign with the rights of minority in terri- conference at the White House on tories detached from the former Aus-Jct. 6. trian empire, as provided for in the Mayor Peters, in a telegram to Sampeace treaty. uel Gompers, replying to labor lead-It is also considered as improbable er's message said that as the governor hat the Jugo Slav delegation will now had charge of the police departign the treaty. ment, Mr. Gompers should direct his communication to Governor Coolidge.



Texas News

Etbsl Parsons has been named director of the bureau of child hygiene of the state board of health.

Actual work has begun on the levee that will protect and reclaim several. thousand acres of valuable farm land on Trinity river near Eikhart.

Farmers at Hempstead are losing their hay, continued rains rotting the hay which has been cut. Several car-

Thy attorney general's department has approved a \$100,000 bond issue of. Wood County Road District No. 7. The bonds are payable serially at 51/2 per cent interest.

The pecan crop in Lampasas county is the finest for many years past, the trees are loaded, and the nuts are of good size, and a good crop is assured unless a storm should blow the nuts .110

Exclusive of any city or district taxes, Dallas county property owners will pay \$1.50 on the \$100 for 1820. The county rate was fixed at 75c by a vote of the commissioners court. The state rate already has been fixed at 75c.

The state banking board has granted authority to do business to the State Exchange Bank of New Boston, ple living next door to give him rides. Bowle, county, capital stock \$30,000, in their car, though his mother had and the Portland State Bank of Port- strongly forbidden him to ask. Oneland, San Patricio county, capital day he was gone for over an hour, stock \$11,500.

-0-For the quarter ending August 31 warrants aggregating approximately \$375,000 were issued to the 17,000 Confederate pensioners in Texas. Each pensioner received \$23, the largest amount ever paid Confederate vet erans by the state.

Dr. H. Grafke, inspector in charge of tick eradication in Texas, says that the success of the work during August was equal to that of other months, although the total number of cattle dipped and inspected during the month was about 200,000 head short of the total number for July

-0-For the purpose of discussing the question of stabilization of the price eighty-two years' old, and he is a of cotton seed, cotton seed producers, great friend of Chauncey Depew, who



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tures of such troubles and nave diagged along from day to day can realize the relief which this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, brought to Mrs. Alters.

Compound, brought to Mrs. Alters. Women everywhere in Mrs. Alters' condition should profit by her recom-mendation, and if there are any com-plications write Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. The result of their 40 years experience is at your actual. is at your service.

All He Asked.

Junior was fond of automobile riding and insisted upon asking the peoand when he came home his mother asked him where he had been, and he said that the people next door had taken him for a ride.

"Well," his mother said, "haven't I teld you not to ask them to give you rides?"

Junior replied: "I didn't ask them for a ride. I just asked them where I should sit."

#### How's This ?

We after \$100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is tak-en internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Sold by druggists for over forty years. Price 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohlo,

#### A Compliment.

Simon Wolf, the Jewish leader, is

the only offer that comes to him from-« RECEIVED BY CHICAGOANS the outside is 35c per pound, the county corporation will offer him. 35% e per pound. If the outsider raises to 35% the county corporation will offer 35%c, and so on, until Chicago, III .- Chicago is interested the minimum of 37c has been reached,

Mexico.

Mexico City .-- Thirty thousand German emigrants will leave Germany for Mexico, according to advices received from his government by German Consul General Rieloff in this city. This, it is believed, will be only the vanguard of Germans who, it is known, are about to invade Mexico and the Central and South American, republics. These emigrants seek to escape the heavy taxation and other oppressive economic results of the war which threaten them in their own country. Consul General Rieloff has informed the Mexican government that the Germans bound for Mexico are all persons of good character and that most of them possess expert knowledge in a & Marines landed following a confer trade or profession. Consul General. Rieloff has been assured that the advent of Germans or any other emigrants of suitable status will be welcomed by Mexico.

FIRE CAUSES OVER \$5,000,000 DAMAGE

Weary Firemen Continue to Fight Flames at Long Island Oil Plant.

New York .- With more than 50 persons injured and the damage already done estimated at from \$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000, weary firemen Monday still fighting a threat of further explosions of oil tanks at the fire which practically wiped out the Stone & Fleming Oil company's plant in Long Island city.

The firemen are working in short shifts. So exhausted had they become that when relieved for a brief rest. they lay in the streets near the fire zone and went fast asleep.

Honduras Incident Weakens Carranza

Washington .-- Collapse of the Bertrand government in Honduras will have an important effect upon relations between the United States and Central America and will be a severe blow to the prestige in Latin-America of President Carranza of Mexico, Latin-American diplomats here and officials of the state department believe The overthrow of Bertrand, it is expected, will put an end to the efforts of his faction in Honduras and the Salvadoreans to unite the two countries.

#### Coal Steamer Goes Down.

Savannah, Ga .- The steamer Barnstable, coal-laden from Savannah to a Cuban port, went down off St. Catherine's Friday night: It is reported that fourteen of the crew are missing.

American Delegates, Deny Agreement. Paris .-- Members of the American

delegation at the peace conference deny knowledge of an agreement, reported in the British press, by which the United States and England guarantee Belgium against German aggression. day.

amendments and reservations to the relations committee.

> UNITED STATES MARINES ARE LANDED IN HONDURAS

> British Warship is Expected; Landing Made After Conference of Diplomats.

Washington. - Marines from the cruiser Cleveland have landed at Por- Landing Place of First Men in War to Cortez. Honduras, to preserve or der, following the abdication of Pres ident Bertrand, the state department announces.

A British warship is expected at Poto Cortez at any time. ence of diplomats. There are general but not serious disorders throughout the spot of the first contingent of Honduras, it was stated, because of American troops in 1917. Appropriate the revolution and the resulting over-

INTERNAL REVENUE IN IN TEXAS \$62,215,083

throw of Bertrand.

Amount Collected for Fiscal Year 1919 Shows Heavy Increase.

Washington .- Internal revenue receipts from Texas for the fiscal year of 1919 amounted to \$62,215,083, an Bodies of Eighty Found in Monastery increase of \$22,200,749 compared with the collections for the fiscal year of 1918. Of this amount \$46,900,575 was from income and profits taxes and the remainder miscellaneous taxes. Berne states that the Roumanian The income and profits taxes increas- troops, after their entry into Budapest, ed in 1919, compared with 1918, \$16, discovered 270 bodies of victims of 587,413.

Legion Convention Committees Named factory, 68 more bodies were discov-Dallas .- Committees which will han. ered, while in a Catholic monastery dle the first convention of the Ameri- the bodies of 80 pricets, who had been can legion of Texas, which will be imprisoned and had starved to death, held in Dallas Oct. 10 and 11, were were found. named at the semi-monthly meeting of Post John W. Low. Each post will be entitled to one delegate for every ten bona fide members.

Texas Democrats to Hear President. ably will pass into the Gulf of Mexi-Dallas .- Texas' immortal forty of co. Wire communication with Key the democratic convention at Balti West was interrupted when it was more in 1912 and all other. Texas said the hurricane was blowing 60 democrats, who will go, have been in miles an hour over the city and the vited to join in an excursion to Okla- barometer read 29.08 . No damage homa City Sept. 26 to greet and cheer was reported in the last brief com the president.

Rice Crop Nearly Normal.

Louisiana rice Sept. 1, according to a fully discussing the treaty, has unanireport by local field agent for the mousiy desided to recommend to the United States bureau of crep esti- national assembly its acceptance, inates, was 90 per cent of normal.

Many Drown When Steamer Founders

and sank in the Bahama channel Tues. Hed mandate commission will be re-

HONOR OF AMERICANS RAILROADS ORDERED **TO MAKE INVENTORIES** 

> Work Will Be Done in Reparation for Returning to Private Control.

Point De Grave, France -- France Washington .- Preparing for the rehas paid lasting tribute to America's turn of the railroads to private conactive entry into the great war by trol, Director General Hines has orlaving the cornerstone of a monument dered all roads to begin an inventory here commemorating the landing on of supplies on hand as of Dec. 31, 1919, the date indicated by President Wilson in his address to congress as the speeches by President Poincare and termination of government supervis-Hugh C. Wallace, the American am- ion bassador, were the chief features of

A few weeks before the government the exercises, appropriately held on turns the roads back the former manthe birthday of Lafayette, who sailed agements will be put in charge, so for America from this same spot in that some time before the railroad ad-

ministration goes out of existence they can reorganize their staffs.

Warning is Sounded Against Influenza Austin, Texas. - C. W. Goddard. state health officer, in an official statement just issued, sounds a note of warning against influenza, saying that "in the light of past knowledge Geneva .-- The Roumania bureau at and experience it would be .nothing short of criminal to not take steps to protect the public against a pos-

sible recurrence of last season's decommunist under the parliament buildvastations. I am now calling upon ing. Among champagne bottles in a you to begin an active campaign in anticipation of a possible recurrence of influenza and as a matter of civic pride and health protection in general. In every village, organized, or rejuvinated where they already exist, and clean up campaigns put on and Florida Keys Swept By Storm. every possible means taken to be

> Family Cows Found With Ticks. Dallas -Cattle ticks have been disovered on several family cows in Oak Cliff and as a result a rigid in- with Mrs. H. R. Potter, crusade masspection is being made of all animals in that part of town, Dr. Jesse Robards, in charge of tick eradication. has told the commissioners' court.

prepared for any emergency."

Harvest Moon Now Visible.

Dallas. -- The September harvest moon is now visible, rising about dark or a little thereafter. The harvest moon occurs but once a year and may be seen only in September.

Large Balance Due From France. Washington .-- A balance of \$260,000,-000 is due the United States from France as a result of co-operative wat activities. It includes railroad equip ment bought by the French since the 17,250,281.

ginners, cotton seeds dealers, cotton has just turned eighty-five. On the seed crushers and all others interested day that Depew was eighty-five Wolf. in the cotton seed industry are invited sent him a telegram saying: "You are in a call issued by Warehouse and three years my senior in years and Market Commissioner F. C. Weinert fifty years my senior in intellect." to meet in conference in Houston September 28.

Following official announcement from Austin that the \$2,000,000 bond issue voted recently in Nueces county for the construction of a modern system of highways had been approved by the state highway commission, word was received this week by County Judge Hugh H. Sutherland that \$500,000 state aid had been granted Nueces county, bringing the total available for road construction up to \$2,500,000.

Work on the good roads, for which Washington county voted a bond issue June 2 for \$1,500,000, has been delayed, owing to the outstanding levy bonds in the Chappell Hill district along the Brazos river, for \$49,000, the attorney general declining to approve the new bond issue until the old bonds had been retired. These old bonds are on 7,800 acres of land and two of the biggest owners declined to pay off and retire their pro rata of the bonds.

An indexical health survey has been conducted under the auspices of the state health department and Dr. C. W. Goddard, state health officer, says that the first results will soon be made public. They will show the amount, location and kind of all diseases prevalent in the state. The figures will be classified as to ages, sex, color and race, likewise it will show the time lost from work and the value thereof, and the time lost from school by children who have been sick.

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Texas has been awarded three national pennants in the national health crusade conducted during the last school term, according to an announcement received at the headquarters of the Texas Public Health Association. The winners from Texas in the national tournament were the Comfort Junior Red Cross, with Miss Tonie Palmie, crusade master, of Comfort, grade 5-B: Columbus Street School, ter, of Waco; grade 1-B, Brook Avenue School, with Miss Rue Lemmah Murphy, crusade master, Waco,

Reports of pipe line companies for the month of July made to the Texas railroad commission showing the amout of oil owned and held by the pipe line companies, amount held for others, and the unfilled storage capac ity on July 31, show the following: Oil owned and held by the pipe line companies, 7,919,215 barrels; oil held for others, 2,987,305; unfilled storage capacity, 6.343.860. Total storage ca pacity reporting pipe line companies

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Which is a rather neat compliment.

Sore Eyes, Blood-Shot Eyes, Watery Eyes, Sticky Eyes, all healed promptly with night-ly applications of Roman Eye Balsam. Adv.

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What are these maples and beeches and birches but odes and idyls and madrigals; what are these pines and firs\_and spruces but holy hymns?-Holmes.

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## Austrian Delegates Will Sign Treaty. New Orleans .- The condition of Berne .- The Austrian cabinet, after

Jacksonville, Kla .-- A 60-mile gale,

increasing in intensity, was sweeping

the Florida Keys Tuesday and prob-

munication received.

House Postpones Return Home. London .- At the urgent request of Miami, Fia .-- Twenty-seren mem- President Wilson, it was learned Col. bers of the crew were drowned when the Ward line steamer Cerydon, car-rying 28,850 bags of sugar, foundered to Paris, where the sittings of the al-

MANY PRIESTS SLAIN **BY REDS IN BUDAPEST** Where They Were Starved to Death,





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The Magnificent Ambersons Booth Tarkington

## "THE MAGNIFICENT AMBERSONS:" A MAGNIFICENT NOVEL

The literary critics and book reviewers are continually asking, "When shall we have the 'Great American Novel' by the 'Great American Novelist?'" Perhaps never, in the sense in which the question is asked, for this country is too big and its people differ too greatly by localities to make the "Great American Novel" possible.

Nevertheless, "The Magnificent Ambersons" is a great American novel. Booth Tarkington is an American of sturdy native stock. He knows American life and character as only a native American with generations of American forbears can know them. Moreover he has a charm of style and a power of expression which have endeared him to the reading public.

"The Magnificent Ambersons" is so great a novel that Booth Tarkington has been awarded the Joseph Pulitzer prize of \$1,000 "for the American novel published during the year which shall best present the wholesome atmosphere of American manners and manhood." The judges making the award are Robert Grant, William Morton Payne and William Lyon Pheins. -

#### CHAPTER L. -1-

losing fortunes, and the magnificence lasted a thousand years. of the Ambersons began then. Their splendor lasted all the years that saw er ami father's room" the bargest; a into a city, but reached its topmost another for one or two daughters; during the period when every prosper- each of these rooms containing a ous family with children kept a New- double bed, a "washstand," a "buread," found and dog.

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women who wore silk or velvet knew had been slightly damaged downall the other women who wore silk or stairs, but not enough to justify either thrifty. velvet, and when there was a new the expense of repair or decisive purchase of sealskin sick people were abandonment in the attic. And there cot to windows to see it go by. Every- was always a "spare room," for visibody knew everybody else's family tors (where the sewing machine usuhorse and carriage, could identify such ally was kept), and during the sevena sillowette haif a mile down the ties there developed an appreciation street, and thereby was sure who was of the necessity for a bathy oom.

hostile chairs and sofa of the "parlor" Major Amberson had "made a for- always looked new, For all the wear

Unstairs were the bedrooms ; "moththeir Midland town spread and darken smaller room for one or two sons, filled the theater, but the audience United States would be tickled to nor wit. He was generous, poor, wella wardrobe, a little table, a rocking In that town in those days all the chair, and often a chair or two that

in the "front hall"-and had great course. nights!

custom; it has gone, like the all-day as the dining-room windows, it was a of it before they felt warranted in exnade. When a lively girl visited the to excuse a serenade. Of a summer open to a green glass skylight called formed them. night young men would bring an or the "dome," three stories above the chestra under a pretty girl's window- ground floor. A ballroom occupied the middle of the fourth row !" or, it might be, her father's, or that most of the third story, and at one of an alling maiden aunt-and flute, end of it was carved a walnut gallery harp, 'cello, cornet and bass viol would for the musicians. Citizens told stranpleasantly release to the dulcet stars gers that the cost of all this black such melodies as sing through "You'll Remember Me," "I Dreamt That I thousand dollars. "Sixty thousand Dwelt' in Marble. Halls," "Silver dollars for the woodwork alone! Yes, Threads Among the Gold," "Kathleen" sir, and hardwood floors all over the Mavourneen," or "The Soldier's Fare house! Turkish rugs and no carpets well."

ever known were the sports of people still young and active enough for so upstairs and down, and stationary it most often, observers said, toward much exertion; middle age played washstands in every bedroom in the two: one excelling in the general euchre. There was a theater, next place! Their sideboard's built right struggle by his sparkle, and the other door to the Amberson hotel, and when into the house and goes all the way by that winning if not winsome old sune" in 1872, when other people were and tear they got, they should have Edwin Booth came for a night every- across one end of the dining room. It trait, persistence. The sparkling genbody who could afford to buy a ticket isn't walnut, it's solid mahogany! tleman "led germans" with her, and was there, and all the "hacks" in town Not veneering-solid mahogany! Well, sent sonnets to her with his bouwere hired. "The Black Crook" also sir, I presume the president of the quets-sonnets lacking neither music then was almost entirely of men, who swap the White House for the new dressed, and his amazing persuasivelooked uneasy as they left for home Amberson mansion, if the Major'd ness was one reason why he was alwhen the final curtain fell upon the give him the chance-but by the Al- ways in debt. No one doubted that shocking girls dressed as fairles. But mighty Dollar, you bet your sweet he would be able to persuade Isabel, the theater did not often do so well; the people of the town were still too

the sons or grandsons of the "early settlers," who had opened the wilder- otically taken for "a little drive round person who stepped through the bass ness and had reached it from the East our city," even if his host had to hire viol and had to be assisted to a waitand the South with wagons and axes a back, and the climax of the display ing carriage. One of Miss Amberson's

doors between the "parlor" and the son boulevard, and here, at the junc- she founded the Women's Tennyson the Major. "sitcing room," tacked down crash ture of the new boulevard and the club; and her word upon art, letters . At midnight the bride was still beover the carpets, bired a few palms avenue, Major Amberson reserved and the drama was accepted more as ing toasted in champagne, though she in green tubs, stationed three or four four acres for himself and built his law than as opinion. Naturally when had departed upon her wedding jour-Italian musicians under the stairway new house-the Amberson mansion, of "Hazel Kirke" finally reached town, ney at ten. Four days later the pair

walnut and wood carving was sixty at all, except a Brussels carpet in the Franklin Foster; they spent their time Croquet and the mildest archery front parlor-I hear they call it the struggling to keep Miss Amberson's 'reception room.' Hot and cold water face turned toward them. She turned

ack of her neck.'

life the Major wouldn't!" The visitor to the town was certain a party one night, and during a moonto receive further enlightenment, for light serenade upon the lawn before They were thrifty because they were there was one form of entertainment the Amberson mansion, was easily never omitted: he was always patri- identified from the windows as the

and guns, but with no money at all. was the Amberson mansion. "Look brothers was among the serenaders, The ploneers were thrifty or, they at that greenhouse they've put up and when the party had dispersed re-At the rear of the house, upstairs, would have perished: they had to there in the side yard," the escort mained propped against the front know if he isn't spoiled enough for was a bleak little chamber, called "the store away food for the winter, or would continue. "And look at that door in a state of helpless liveliness; a whole carload !" girl's room," and in the stable there goods to trade for food, and they brick stable! Most folks would think the Major going down in a dressing Again she found none to challenge was another, bedroom, adjoining the often feared they had not stored that stable plenty big enough and gown and slippers to bring him in, and her. riod elegance of personal appearance hayloft, and called "the hired man's enough-they left traces of that fear good enough to live in; it's got run- scolding mildly, while imperfectly conwas believed to rest more upon the room." House and stable cost seven in their sons and grandsons. In the ning water and four rooms upstairs cealing strong impulses to laughter. texture of garments than upon their or eight thousand dollars to build, and minds of most of these, indeed, their for two hired men and one of 'em's Miss Amberson also laughed at this child, was a princely terror, dreaded shaping. A silk dress needed no re- peopte with that much money to invest thrift was next to their religion': to family to live in, 'they keep one hired brother the next day. but for the not only in Amberson addition but in modeling when it was a year or so old : in such comforts were classified as the save, even for the sake of saving, was man loafin' in the house, and they got suitor it was a different matter: she many other quarters through which it remained distinguished by merely Rich. They paid the inhabitant of their earliest lesson and discipline. No a married hired man out in the stable, refused to see him when he called to he galloped on his white pony. "By remaining silk. Old men and gover- "the girl's room" two dollars a week, matter how prosperous they were they and his wife does the washing. This apologize. "You seem to care a great golly, I guess you think you own this nors wore broadcloth; "full dress" was and, in the latter part of this period, could not spend money either upon town never did see so much style as deal about bass viols!" he wrote her. town !" an emblittered laborer combroadcloth with "doeskin" trousers; two-dollars and a half, and finally "art," or upon mere luxury and enter- Ambersons are putting on these days; "I promise never to break another." plained one day, as Georgie rode the and I guess it's going to be expensive, She made no response to the note, un- pony straight through a pile of sand Against so homespun a background because a lot of other folks'll try to less it was an answer, two weeks the man was sleving. "I will when tail stik thing known to impudence as Scandinavian, but never native to the the magnificence of the Ambersons was keep up with 'em.' The Major's wife later, when her-engagement was and I grow up," the undisturbed abild rea "stovepipe." In town and country land unless she happened to be a per- as conspicuous as a brass band at a and the daughter's been to Europe. nounced. She took the persistent one, piled. "I guess my grandpa owns it there men would wear no other hat, son of color. The man or youth who funeral. Major Amberson bought two and my wife tells me since they got Wilbur Minafer, no breaker of bass now, you bet!" And the baffled workand, without self-consciousness, they lived in the stable had like wages, and hundred acres of land at the end of back they make tea there every after- viols or of hearts, no serenader at all. man, having no means to controvert sometimes, too, was lately a steerage National avenue; and through this noon about five o'clock and drink it. A few people, who always foresaw what seemed a mere exaggeration of Trousers with a crease were consid- voyager, but much oftener he was col- tract he built broad streets and cross- Seems to me it would go against a everything, claimed that they were not the facts, could only mutter, "Oh, pull streets; paved them with cedar block, person's stomach, just before supper surprised, because though Wilbur Min- down your vest !" and curbed them with stone. He set up like that, and anyway tea isn't fit for afer "might not be an Apollo, as it "Don't haf to! Doctor says it ain't hency was "ready made;" these be- the alleys behind the stables were gay; fountains, here and there, where the much-not unless you're sick or some- were," he was "a stendy young busi- healthy I" the boy returned promptly. painted white, with their titles clear if they thought that would help 'em to sible-for such a showy girl." But chin !" upon the pedestals; Minerva, Mer- be as high-toned as Ambersons. Old the engagement astounded the young This was stock and stencil: the acwas in truth beautiful; but the ardent was bound to have one, too. Well, surname. "Wilbur Minafer! 's' the had set in, and Georgie's mother had old Aleck told her he didn't like dogs queerest thing I ever heard! To think so poor an'eye for appropriate things, except rat terriers, because a rat ter- of her taking Wilbur Minafer, just where Georgie was concerned, that rier cleans up the mice, but she kept because a man any woman would like she dressed him according to the docon at him, and finally he said all right a thousand times better was a little trine of that school in boy decoration. she could have one. Then, by George ! wild one night at a serenade !" she says Amberson's bought their "No, that wasn't her reason," said not his own work but his mother's) dog, and you don't get one without wise Mrs. Henry Franklin Foster. "If Georgie bore no vivid resemblance to paying for it : they cost from fifty to men only knew it-and it's a good the fabulous little Cedric. The stoa hundred dollars up! Old Aleck thing they don't-a woman doesn't ried boy's famous "Lean on me, grandwanted to know if I ever heard of really care much about whether a father," would have been difficult to anybody's buyin' a dog before, because, even a Newfoundland or a set- herself, and Isabel Amberson doesn't month after his ninth birthday anatter, you can usually get somebody to care a thing!" give you one. He says he saw some "Mrs. Foster!". give you one. He says he saw some "Mrs. Foster!" sense in payin' a nigger a dime, or "No, she doesn't, What she minds ed with the toughest boys in verious" even a quarter, to drown a dog for is his making a clown of himself in distant parts of the town, and had you, but to pay out fifty dollars and her front yard! It made her think he convinced them that the toughness of maybe more-well, sir, he like to didn't care much about her. She's a rich little boy with long curls might choked himself to death, right there probably mistaken, but that's what be considered in many respects suin my officet Of course everybody she thinks, and it's too late for her perior to their own. He fought them, realizes that Major Amberson is a fine to think anything else now, because learning bow to go baresark at a cerbusiness man, but what with throwin' she's going to be married right away tain point in a fight, bursting inte money around for dogs, and every -- the invitations will be out next rears of anger, reaching for rocks, ub which and what, some think all this week. It'll be a big Amberson-style tering walled threats of murder, and style's bound to break him up, if his thing, raw oysters floating in scooped- attempting to fulfill them. Fights family don't quit!" One citizen, having thus discoursed of town-champagne, showy presents; quired the art of saying things more to a visitor, came to a thoughtful a colossid present from the Major. exciting than "Don't haf to!" and pause, and then added, "Does seem Then Wilbur will take Isabel on the "Doctor says it sin't healthy!" Thus pretty much like squandering, yet carefulest little wedding trip he can on a summer afternoon a strange boy, when you see that dog out walking manage, and she'll be a good wife to sitting bored upon the gatepost of the with this Miss Isabel, he seems worth him, but they'll have the worst spoiled Rev. Malloch Smith, beheld George the money." "What's she look like?" see." "Well, sir," said the citizen, "she's not more than just about eighteen or out, Mrs. Foster?" "She couldn't love Wilbur, could maybe nineteen years old, and I don't the "front hall" opened three rooms, from an upstairs window, and the car wants neither distance nor moon-the "parlor," the "atting room" and would halt at once and wait for her light. He had not seen Versailles, but she's kind of a delightful lookin' challengers. "Well, it will all go to her children, and she'll rain 'em !" The prophetess proved to be mis-taken in a single detail merely : except CHAPTER II. for that her foresight was accurate. Commonly the family set more in the "sitting room," the house. They even had time to dance the "rac-mally, were kept to the "parlor," a place of formidable polish and discom-for the ibrary of the library and echottisches and polkas, in the new Addition. Its main there

and such whims as the "Portland | oughfare, an oblique continuation of | munity-for both the daily newspa- | impressive as the Mansion, the house fancy." They pushed back the sliding National avenue, was called Amber- pers thus described Mrs. Foster when to be built in Amberson addition by

after its long triumph in larger places, had returned to town, which prompt-This house was the pride of the many people waited to hear what ness seemed fairly to demonstrate "Keeping open house," was a merry town. Faced with stone as far back Mrs. Henry Franklin Foster thought that Wilbur had indeed taken Isabel upon the carefulest little trip he could picnic in the woods, and like that pret- house of arches and turrets and gir- pressing any estimate of the play. In manage. According to every report tiest of all vanished customs, the sere- dling stone porches: it had the first fact, some of them waited in the lobby she was from the start "a good wife porte cochere seen in that town. of the theater as they came out and to him." but here in a final detail the town she did not long go unserenaded, There was a central "front hall" with formed an inquiring group about her. prophecy proved inaccurate. Wilhur though a visitor was not indeed needed a great black-walnut stairway, and "I didn't see the play," she in- and Isabel did not have children; they had only one.

"What! Why, we saw you, right in "Only one," Mrs. Henry Franklin Foster admitted. "But I'd like to



At the age of nine George Amber son Minafer, the Major's one grand-Except upon the surface (which was man's wild or not, if it doesn't affect imagine upon the lips of Georgie. A versary, when the Major gave him his out blocks of ice and a band from out often led to intimacies, and he actot of children this town will ever Amberson Minafer rapidly approaching on his white pony and was im-"How on earth do you make that pelled by bitterness to shout: "Shoot the ole jackass! Look at the girly curis! Say, bub, where'd you steal

furniture was a little shabby, but the

going to market or to a reception o coming home from office or store to noon dinner or evening supper.

During the carlier years of this peand there were seen men of all ages three Collars a week. She was Irish tainment, without a sense of sin. to whom a hat meant only that rigid, ordinarily, or German, or it might be went rowing in such hats.

ered plobelan; the crease proved that ored. the garment had lain upon a shelf, and After sunrise on pleasant mornings

straying trousers were called "hand- laughter and shouting went up and streets intersected, and at symmetri- thing. Looks to me like some people ness man and a wood church goer," "But I tell you what I'll do: I'll poll me-downs," in allusion to the shelf. In down their dusty lengths, with a lively cal intervals placed cast-iron statues, in this city'd be willing to go crazy and Isabel Anderson was "pretty senthe early eightles, while bangs and accompaniment of currycombs knockbustles were having their way with ing against back fences and stable women, that variation of dandy known walls, for the darkles loved to curry cury, Hercules, Venus, Gladiator, Em- Aleck Minafer-he's about the closest people, and most of their fathers and customed argot of street bachage of as the "dude" was invented: he wore their horses in the alleys. Darkies peror Augustus, Fisher Boy, Stag-old codger we got-he come in my of- mothers too; and as a topic it suptrousers as tight as stockings, dagger-pointed shoes, a spoon "derby," a should be whispers, and they feel that Antelope, Wounded Doe and Wou single-breasted coat called a "Chester-field," with short flaring skirts, a tor-been left to flourish still, and, at some kind of a dog-her inflection seeming to imply that turing cylindrical collar, laundered to were caught by early rising children distance, or by moonlight, the place they call it a St. Bernard-and Fanny Wibur's crime was explained by his breeches, for the Fauntleroy period a polish and three inches high, while and carried to older people for definihis other neckgear might be a heavy, tion, sometimes' at inopportune mopuffed envat or a tiny bow fit for a ments; while less investigative childoll's braids. With evening dress he dren would often merely repeat the wore a tan overcoat so short that his phrases in some subsequent flurry of black coattails hung visible, five inches agitation, and yet bring about consebelow the overcoat; but after a season guences so emphatic as to be recalled or two he lengthened his overcoat thil with ease in middle life.

It touched his heels, and he passed out | They have passed, those darky hired of his tight trousers into trousers like men of the Midland town. The great bags. Then presently he was stables have been transformed into seen no more, though the word that ether likenesses, or swept away, like had been coined for him remained in the woodsheds where were kept the the vocabularies of the impertinent. stovewood and kindling that the "girl" Surely no more is needed to prove and the "hired man" always quarreled

that so short a time ago we were liv- over ; who should fetch it. ing in another age ! So with other vanishings. There

At the beginning of the Ambersons' were the little bunty street cars on the great period most of the houses of the long,' single track that went its Midland town were of a pleasant ar- troubled way among the cobblestones. chitecture. They lacked style, but also 'At the rear door of the car there was pretentiousness, and whatever does no platform, but a step where passennot pretend at all has style enough. gers clung in wet clumps when the They stood in commodious yards, well weather was bad and the car crowded. shaded by leftover forest trees, elm The patrons-If not too absent-minded and walnut and beech, with here and --put their fares into a slot; and no there a sine of tall sycamores where conductor paced the heaving floor, but the land had been made by filling the driver would rap remindingly with bayous from the creek. The house of his elbow upon the glass of the door a "prominent resident," facing Mill- to his little open platform if the nicktary square or National avenue or Ten- els and the passengers did not appear nessee street, was built of brick upon to coincide in number. A lone mule a stone foundation, or of wood upon a drew the car, and sometimes drew it brick foundation. Usually it had a off the track, when the passengers "front porch" and a "back porch;" would get out and push it on again. often a "side porch," too. There was They really owed it courtesies like "Sixty Thousand Dellars for the Weoda "front hall;" there was a "side hall," this, for the car was genially accom-

and sometimes a "back hall." From modating: a lady could whistle to it citizen, loving to see his city grow. the "library;" and the library could while she shut the window, put on her but, standing before the fountain of young lady " show warrant to its title-for some hat and cloak, went downstairs, found Neptune in Amberson addition, at eason these weorde bought books. an umbrella, told the "girl" what to bright noon, and quoting the favorite .

work Alone,"

George Amberson Minafer begins to grow up and meets the beautiful Miss Lucy Morgan. TO BE CONTINUES





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