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## WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN LECTURED AT THE METHODIST CHURCH TO A LARGE AND ATTENTIVE AUDIENCE

Last Tuesday night Col. Bryan arrived to fill his engagement to lecture at the new \$30,000.00 brick Methodist church in our city. He arrived during a rain storm and was greeted by hundreds of people who filled the depot grounds, many of whom stood in the driving rain. The crowd was headed by a reception committee composed of F. G. Alexander, Judge H. G. McConnell and Judge S. W. Scott.

As Mr. Bryan was escorted from the train to an auto, he stopped and shook hands with Mr. W. D. Koonce who was standing in the rain holding his horse. Mr. Bryan greeted Mr. Koonce as a democratic, but Mr. Koonce told him he was a republican friend.

From the train Mr. Bryan was driven to the Wright House where supper was served.

At 7 o'clock the crowd began to gather at the church which was provided with 1200 seats. The house was soon filled almost to the limit of its capacity. There were visitors from neighboring towns. A special train from Seymour brought a large contingent.

At about 8:30 Judge H. G. McConnell introduced Mr. Bryan to the audience. Judge McConnell said:

"Fellow Citizens: The most notable occasion in the history of this little city is at hand. Its citizenship has never before had the opportunity of extending their welcome to so favored and widely distinguished an American citizen. The name of Bryan, as well as the life and history of the man are more widely and more favorably known than the name or the life or the history of any other living man; but words will not be called into play for the purpose of passing praise or eulogy, because with the man himself before us such words would of necessity fall short of the purposes for which they would be intended. Therefore, Mr. Bryan I desire to say to you in the simplest of language that you are now before a most faithful and appreciative audience. In behalf of that audience I desire to thank you for the American generosity which must have prompted you confer upon us so great an honor on this occasion, especially when it brings so meager returns to yourself. To this audience I now desire to introduce you. Mr. Bryan the people of Haskell. People of Haskell Mr. Bryan."

Mr. Bryan after stating the difficulty arising from lack of announcement of his subject sounded the audience and by mutual consent, as it was, delivered the principal points of his famous lecture, "The Prince of Peace" and then discussed the world progress of Democracy. In this discussion he quoted Jefferson's statement that the people of all countries at all times were divided into two classes, to-wit: Aristocrats and Democrats. He said the discussion of the story of Dives and Lazarus would prove to which class a man belonged. If a man was a democrat he would sympathize with Lazarus and regret he had no table of his own and would want more tables to accommodate Lazaruses, but if a man was an aristocrat he

would say it was fortunate there was a Dives that Lazarus might enjoy the crumbs that fell from his table.

Mr. Bryan was much more forceful than we can present his remarks from memory, and he displays the power of a philosopher as well as showed the strength of a great analytical mind.

His "Prince of Peace" presented an ideal to the audience that proves a spiritual and intellectual treat. For two hours and a quarter he held the vast audience keyed to the point of intense interest. No greater service has been rendered to Haskell than Mr. Bryan has rendered us by his visit. For two years the faithful pastor of the Methodist church, Rev. C. B. Meador has labored to secure a lecture from Mr. Bryan. As a citizen, who has taken a pride in the moral and ethical development of Haskell, and who has striven to advance the cause of civic righteousness for a quarter of a century, we wish to here give expression to our sincere commendation of Bro. Meador who had the good taste and splendid judgement to secure the treat and lecture we have all so much enjoyed.

For years we have read and followed the career of Mr. Bryan. We have seen his policies win over the obstacles of greed, wealth, political power and corruption. We have seen this man rise from repeated defeats with an indomitable purpose, and seen him turn defeat and ridicule into a civic victory, that has no precedent in history.

If Bryan is a puzzle or enigma to anyone, let him seek Bryan's ideals of government, of civic virtue and measure his philosophy his courage, and let the sceptic farthom Bryan's knowledge of the inherent virtues of man, and the enigma of his career will be solved.

Long may he live and long may he serve, that men and women may continue to point to him, as the ideal Christian philosopher and statesman.

### They Were Shown.

The following are remarks made by people from many different states who investigated in person the merits of America's largest school of bookkeeping, shorthand, and Telegraphy, the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas. Read what they say. Their remarks should convince the most skeptical as to the great good this institution is doing, and that it has just cause for leading all other business training schools:

R. E. Harmon, Dallas, Texas; "I am delighted with your school, and shall advise young people to attend it." Sidney L. Daily, Chicago, "Your methods are strictly up-to-now." Wm. W. Crane, New Orleans, La.; "Your methods are strictly up-to-date; your school a deserved success." Mrs. C. L. Dallas, Dallas, Texas; "Your school is worth the price of a trip to see." H. R. Ellwood, Marshall, Texas; "Your Institution has to be seen to be believed." J. C. Daniel, Hwonghien, via Chefoo, China; "Your school is a practical success." Sterling P. Strong, Dallas, Texas; "Yours is the most

complete school I know of." C. A. Leddy, Asst. atty. General of Texas, Austin; "Facilities splendid." S. K. Hearne, Carrollton, Ga.; "Your school splendid, your management very courteous." Rev. G. H. Lewis, San Antonio, "Your work is excellent." J. L. McBride, Tyler, Texas; "Your school is complete in every department." G. L. Yates, Pastor First Baptist Church, Tyler, Texas. "Your school is a marvel of constructive genius and practical methods." Mrs. L. M. Lumpkin, Mart, Ark.; "Your school is the best in the state." Mrs. C. W. White, Waco, Texas. "You have a school beyond my expectation of finding." M. B. Byrnes, Philadelphia, Pa.; "More than expected." W. F. Andrews, Pastor Marvin Methodist Church Tyler, Texas, "You have a great school." E. E. Warner, Reading, Pa.; "Your Institution is conducted along lines of elegant system." J. W. Keeter, Louisville, Ky. "The size and equipment of your school surprised me." J. W. O'Leary, with W. M. Welch Mfg. Co, Dallas, Texas; "There is no better commercial school." T. E. Hogg, Columbia, Texas; "your Institution is A-1." E. N. Hill, Oklahoma City, Okla., "Certainly a noble institution, doing a world of good." J. H. LeGrand, merchant, Tyler, Texas; "Your school is the best on earth." O. F. Busby, Washington, D. C.; "Your departments and work are very complete in ever detail." Rev. W. H. Edwards, Wills Point, Texas, "The best I ever saw, I heartily recommend your methods." C. L. McDonald, Waco, Texas; "Having visited a number of Commercial Colleges, I find Tyler Commercial College more completely equipped than any other." Miss Rhena Mosher, Westfield, N. Y., Field Secretary of the W. C. T. U.; "I am delighted with your school, and shall advise young people to come here." H. L. Smith Cleveland, Ohio; "I find your Institution a very good one indeed." J. W. Shelor, with Southern Office Supply Co., Dallas, Texas, "Your modern office equipment is in keeping with the times." C. F. Norton, Dallas, Texas; "Your school surpasses anything of the kind in the South." H. O. Blaisdell of New York, the world's champion typewriter operator; "I have demonstrated in most all of the leading business colleges of America, but you gave me the largest and most appreciative audience of students I ever demonstrated before."

If not satisfied after reading what those have to say who have gone thru and made a personal investigation, write for our catalogue and read the indorsements of students, also indorsements of business men who have employed our graduates and say they are the best help they have ever had.

Just as surely as you finish a course in bookkeeping and shorthand or telegraphy with us we will place in you a good position. For free catalogue, address Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.

The following parties from Munday came in on the special train to hear Bryan speak at the Methodist church Tuesday night: Messrs Homer Lee, Alf Campbell, A M Miller, R' Dees, John Miller, W W Scott, J J Switzer, R S Ragdale, H H Farr, J D Kethley, P H Campbell, Hugh Lane, W A Baker, Dr. Farrington, Rev. Clement, Misses May Campbell, Kavie Glasgow, Lucile Glasgow and Savannah Craft.

H. H. Franklin, the show man is in town now and says he will be ready for business in a short time. He will start with a dramatic company, giving the first performances of the season in his big tent in this city. Mr. Franklin is quite well known in Haskell for the nice clean shows he has brought to our city. He says he has the "best yet" this year and is expecting a good attendance during his stay in our city. He also said he expected the regular rains that have accompanied his show in our city for the last five years.

### Easter at Roberts.

Sunday afternoon the young people and school children together with some of the married people met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roberts where they all engaged in an Easter egg hunt. First we were told that a prize would be given to the little boy or girl who found the greatest number of eggs, and a prize was offered to the grown people also.

All of a sudden the fun began and 'twas real fun, too; just to those children and grown up bachelors and maids all striving to win the prize. This was what you would surely call recreation in the superlative degree, especially to the old bachelors who of course need some thing kinder new to rouse up the latent energy and break the monotony of their lonely lives, and I believe and Easter like this is the real remedy. No doubt this afternoon's enjoyment will be sufficient to tranquilize their spirit and turn their thoughts to higher, nobler things.

After having finished the hunt the prizes were awarded to Willis Ward and Reuben Via, to the first named was given a beautiful Easter egg, to the other a toy rabbit. We then returned to the house where a general good time was enjoyed by all, some trading eggs, some making music and some making love at the same time.

Ye scribe was so busily engaged in the good time that he came near having to walk home.

Maud Roberts, Dr. Helton, Mr. Stanton and Miss Steel of Haskell were out spending the day with Miss Maud's parents and assised in the egg hunt.

We wish every Sunday was Easter don't we boys?

L. I. M.

### Home Mission Society Notes.

To those members who are not interested we beg you to come once to our Bible study and learn of how much you are depriving your self. Mrs. Jim Fields was the leader at our last meeting and she brought out so many good points that we ought to have known but didn't.

Mrs. C. P. Morris will conduct the next lesson April 24. The Bible study comes on every second and fourth Mondays.

Only 20 members were present at the meeting April 17th, but seventeen of these pledged one dollar each to the mission schools of our southland.

The Easter tea at Mrs. Irby's was well attended. The disagreeable weather prevailed outside, one forgot it on the inside surrounded by the beautiful decorations, lively chatter and sweet music. We appreciated the neat sum of \$11 as free-will offering. Reporter.

### Hail Insurance.

I can insure any kind of a grain crop against hail damages. 16¢ Henry Johnson.

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## THE HOG SERENE.

Consider for a moment the hog. The hog is nature's sedative. He is the antithesis of excitement and the anesthetic of worry. When frayed nerves cry out in protest, and the tired brain aches with a surfeit of care or pleasure, go then to the humbly pig sty and learn a lesson of repose. What does the farmer do when the hired man gives notice, or grasshoppers threaten to take the upper eighty? He heads for the hog lot; and, with his elbows on the top rail and one foot in an intermediate crack, he watches the swine at their evening meal till his soul finds peace, says the Kansas City Star. As a preventive of nervous prostration, a sanitarium, compared to a hog, is a riot and the seashore is an insurrection. His peaceful grunt is a lullaby to tortured ears, and his placid oblivion of the flight of time is a rebuke to the strenuous. As he pokes his nose into the moist earth—never furiously, but with calm and quiet—and upturns the succulent roots that he may add weight to his hams and breadth to his spars, to the ultimate profit of the butcher, we are reminded of the futility of crying out against the fate for which we are being fattened and taught to bow the head in humility. Reach over the top of the fence and scratch his bristly back with a raspy cob and his legs, unable to support his excess burden of pleasure, crumble beneath him, and he sinks to sleep, singing a song of contentment that rumbles forth from cavernous depths. His humble limitations have not made the hog a pessimist. On the contrary, he is your true optimist.

The Chinese, it seems, are not so prompt in cutting off their queues as might have been expected from the immense vociferousness with which their queue-cutting program was heralded to the world. The North China Herald says that "so far there are only a thousand queues the less in Hongkong, and half that number the less in Shanghai." Another observer thinks the last state of the Celestial with his picturesque queue not cut off short but only malmed beyond recognition, is worse than the first. In every part of the world habit has a strong hold on the masses, and it is not strange that China, pre-eminently a land of habit, should be slow in making a revolutionary change, even if the change is favored by Chinamen as influential as Wu Ting Fan.

In view of the general carelessness about fire, it is not surprising that the annual fire loss of the country is so great. On the contrary, it is more remarkable that the loss is not even greater. Very few smokers are careful, the carelessness about matches includes every age, sex and condition, and yet many losses both of property and life may be traced to these two causes. People take risks with fire merely to save a little trouble or convenience, which risks are simply amounting to sober second thought, and the restriction of neither law nor custom are at all adequate when the danger involved is considered. It is a matter in which the general public need almost elementary education.

A line of Canadian steamships have created the new office of "ship's mother," who will dress in uniform, rank next to the captain and have charge of the feminine passengers, particularly of the brides. At first glance this seems a beautiful and touching idea, but there is the danger of the bridegrooms regarding the new officer as an official mother-in-law and on a honeymoon trip, too.

Seven and one-half miles up in the air the temperature is 90 degrees below zero. Future man, oppressed by the heat, will simply take a balloon, rise until the temperature strikes his taste and there rock himself to sleep, instead of hunting the elusive sea breeze.

A Texas lawyer has declared that the Bible is an unfit publication to pass through the mails, and names several parts as particularly applicable to his objection. The principal effect of this declaration will be to make those read the Bible who never read it before.

A Boston girl about to be married has limited the invitations sent out for the ceremony in order that her friends will not feel compelled to send presents. It looks reformatory, but it might have been just as effective to put on the cards the legend, "No gifts received."

Persons who have had experience are understood to be ready to give private advice to the effect that real and permanent happiness is not invariably secured by mortgaging the home to buy an automobile.

# AGUA PRIETA PLAYS FORTUNES OF WAR

### INSURRECTOS CAPTURE THEN ABANDON THE CITY.

## ABOUT 300 ARE MEN KILLED

#### Ammunition Having Given Out Insurrectos Abandon the City at Night.

Agua Prieta, April 19.—The most real battle of the present disturbance in Mexico was fought Monday, and Monday night at Agua Prieta, an almost suburb of Douglas, Arizona, the Mexican town being alongside the international line. There were 1500 Federalists engaged in the battle, under Col. Diaz, and 1000 in surrectos under the famous Balasario Garcia. The place was in possession of the rebels, having been taken on April 13, by a bunch of about 150 men from the Federal force numbering about 65.

Immediately upon the capture of the town the surrectos began concentrating forces and entrenching. At dawn Monday morning the Federalists made the attack with some 1500 men, and gained nothing after an all day's battle and sustained a loss of some 200 men, and two machine guns.

The surrectos had exhausted all ammunition during the 18 hours fight, and Monday night, under cover of darkness disappeared as silently and mysteriously as if swallowed up by the earth.

The Federalists approached the town from the south and east during the early hours, coming in slowly and cautiously lest they encounter an ambush.

Great was the surprise of the commanders of the Government troops on finding, when they reached the outer works of the rebel intrenchments, that the trenches had been abandoned and no surrectos were in sight. The Federalists continued to come in, still more slowly, presumably expecting at every moment to encounter a surprise, but they found no rebels anywhere.

When darkness fell over Agua Prieta it was undetermined whether the Federal troops of Lieut. Col. Diaz would retain undisputed possession of the city or whether rebel reinforcements, appearing suddenly from the westward this afternoon, would precipitate another battle.

Watchers were surprised after a day of quietude to see a column of troops move out of the mountain passes 12 miles to the west of Agua Prieta and debouch upon the plains in front of the city. It was at first uncertain whether this was a new rebel force or Federal reinforcements coming from Cananea.

Cowboys who came into Agua Prieta about this time reported that the force was that of Juan Cabral, the noted surrecto leader of Sonora, who, at different times in the last few weeks, has wreaked much havoc on the Federal forces. With him now, it was reported, was the insurgent command led by Senora Talamantes, the "Mexican Joan of Arc."

A Mexican surrecto on foot, who was scouting and had his horse shot from under him, crossed over the line west of Douglas and surrendered to an American citizen. He said he was a member of Cabral's band, advancing from the west. He said Cabral had no knowledge that the Federalists had taken Agua Prieta, and was moving forward, expecting to join the rebel garrison, when first fired upon.

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**For a Half Nickel Piece.**  
Washington. Every American woman who loves the bargain counter who with joyful anticipation reads, "Reduced from 75 to 33 1/2c a yard," will be interested in a bill introduced in the House by Representative Shepard of Texas providing for the coinage of a 2 1/2c piece.

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# LIFE'S DISAPPOINTMENTS



## POPULAR ELECTION OF U. S. SENATORS

PASSES LOWER HOUSE BY 296 FOR 16 AGAINST.

## NO FEDERAL CONTROL OF POLLS

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## TEXAS METHODIST UNIVERSITY

**Is Name Chosen For Great Southwestern Methodist School.**  
Dallas: At a meeting of the Methodist education commission Thursday, the proposition of Dallas for the location of the great Southwestern Methodist University in the city was formally closed, the name "Texas Wesleyan University" was chosen and Dr. Robert Hyer, of Georgetown was elected president.

On Friday it was decided to change the name to "Southern Methodist University." A. V. Lane of Dallas was elected treasurer, and Frank Reedy of Georgetown, bursar. Later it was arranged that H. A. Boaz of the Polytechnic College should be vice president.

It is also practically settled that \$1,500,000 must be raised as a building and endowment fund instead of \$1,000,000 as originally contemplated.

The commissioners are anxious that progress be made as rapidly as possible in preparing for the opening of the university, which they hope will take place in September of 1912. It is the sentiment of the board that plans should immediately be made for the construction of three buildings—an administration, or main, building and a dormitory each for boys and girls. It is felt that the funds of these are adequate, with the donation of \$300,000 by the Dallas contributors and approximately \$300,000 that is confidently expected as a donation from the board of general education of New York.

Dr. Hyer is at present the executive head of the Southwestern University at Georgetown. The commission is so desirous of energetic work being at once commenced in preparing for the erection of buildings at Dallas that, if possible, arrangements will be made for some provision for an immediate successor to Dr. Hyer at Georgetown in order that he may remove to Dallas and actively assume his new duties.

## WACO

**Santa Fe Into Waco.**  
Waco: Judge A. H. Culwell of Galveston, one of the attorneys of the Santa Fe, who was one of the orators at the open-air prosperity banquet here, stated to the Young Men's Business League that it is the intention of the company he represents to enter Waco on its own rails at as early a period as is practical. The Santa Fe made two surveys into Waco more than twenty-five years ago; one was started at Buckholts and the other at Rogers, both lines passing through Mooreville, McLennan County, and entering Waco on the south side of the city.

## LONDON TO PARIS IN A MONOPLANE

Paris: Aviator Prier arrived here at 5:45 o'clock Wednesday evening from London, having made the trip of about 290 miles in a monoplane without a stop. Prier left Hendon, near London, for Paris at 1:37 Wednesday afternoon. Above the English soil the aviator found fog and squalls and going higher to find better weather he crossed the English Channel near Dover at an altitude of over 3,300 feet. Leaving the channel behind him, Prier encountered fine weather until he reached Beauvais, fifty-four miles from the French capital, and from that city the rest of his voyage was made through a haze.

## POPULAR PUZZLER PASSES OVER

New York: Sam Lloyd, the well-known puzzle expert is dead at his home in Brooklyn from a stroke of apoplexy. He was 70 years of age. For many years Mr. Lloyd had been known throughout the country for his popular puzzles for the amusement of newspaper and magazine readers. In this unique calling he had built up a fortune estimated at more than \$1,000,000.

## MEXICAN BANDITS HOLD UP TRAIN

Chihuahua, Mex.: Three masked men held up a special train on the Mine Railroad between here and Santa Eulalia and forced the paymaster of the San Toy Mining Company to deliver a valise containing \$5,000. He succeeded in concealing \$6,500.

## HOUSE DEMOCRATIC LEADERS

viewing the promptness of the new majority in passing an important bill each day of last week's session, expect adjournment of the extra session by July 1.

# DEMOCRATS USING PITCHFORK

### Democrats Make a Good Start to Reform.

Washington: The first of the Democratic committees on expenditures in the various departments entered upon its duties when the Committee on Expenditures in the Navy Department dispensed with its janitor, whose arduous labors consisted of attending to two cuspidors, watching the door of the committee room and playing valet to the chairman and the other six members of the committee, including the session clerk.

When Representative Hardy of Texas, who brushes his own clothes, took possession of the office, he found a grinning welcome at the hands of the negro janitor, who proceeded to take off the Texan's wide brim hat, his overcoat and rub the dust off his shoes.

The man confided that he was the janitor to the committee and that his jurisdiction extended over two cuspidors, one door and the sartorial whisking of the seven members of the committee whenever they entered or left the room.

Thereupon Representative Hardy notified Clerk South Trimble to remove the janitor from the rolls and to instruct the superintendent of the house office building to have the charwoman assume jurisdiction over the two committee room cuspidors and other furnishings, holding that the committee members would open and shut the doors themselves and pay the barber shop factotum for taking the dandruff off their coat collars and the dust off their shoes.

This committee has met and pronounced Representative Hardy's self-sacrificing surrender of janitorial patronage as a promising beginning of the era of retrenchment which they propose to inaugurate in the Navy Department.

## NINE VICTIMS OF STORM FURY

### Storm Around St. Louis Is Very Destructive.

St. Louis: Nine persons are dead and nearly 100 injured as a result of the destructive wind and hail storm which passed over Eastern Missouri late Thursday. In this city three are dead and property valued at between \$1,500,000 and \$2,000,000 is destroyed. There was a remarkable precipitation of hail stones. Some of these are reported as being three inches in diameter. Hail caused the greatest damage. Thousands of windows in West End residences were broken. Green houses were demolished. Churches in the path of the storm did not escape, and many stained glass windows were broken.

At Valles Mines, Mo., the tornado killed four persons and seriously injured a score more.

At Cadet, Mo., two women are known to have been killed and thirteen are reported injured.

At Shelbyville, Ill., hail stones eight inches in circumference were reported. At Anna, Ill., growing crops were badly damaged by hail and wind.

## TEXANS WANT TO BUY CATTLE

Fort Worth: Because of the exceptionally fine range conditions in South and Southwest Texas the cattlemen are now trying to buy back the cattle the dry range range conditions or last fall prompted them to sacrifice is the statement of J. H. Boren of Caney, Kan., who has large grazing interests in the Osage country of Oklahoma. Mr. Boren said: "Cattle are selling at the best prices for many years and the demand is far greater than the supply. Although conditions are not so good in Oklahoma as in Texas, still there is plenty of grass and cattlemen are taking only full value prices for their cattle. This rush of Texas cattlemen to Oklahoma to purchase cattle is almost unprecedented. Never have range conditions been so excellent throughout all of Texas as now, and the cattlemen who have the means to buy cattle are due to make a lot of money this year."

## WATERED SOLDIERS AT HIDALGO

San Antonio: Mrs. Florentina Quinones, who carried water to wounded soldiers at the memorable battle of Hidalgo in Mexico in 1810 died here Sunday morning. She was 77 years of age at the time of the battle, and was under fire for almost the entire day. She administered water to many dying men. She was the mother of twenty children; none of whom survive her.

## FIVE KILLED BY MOLTEN STEEL

Philadelphia, Pa.: Five workmen were killed, two fatally injured and twelve others seriously hurt at the Midvale Steel Works at Wayne Junction Saturday afternoon when a huge container filled with molten steel gave way, the fiery liquid pouring or splashing over more than a score of the employees.

## VEGETABLE FANCY WORK

Little Mrs. Bride had almost everything to learn about housekeeping, but she was so enthusiastic in her interest that every one was glad to help her. "I have some particularly fine asparagus," the marketman told her one day, and he displayed a bunch for her admiration. "Picked not three hours ago," he added.

Mrs. Bride looked at it with unaffected amazement.

"Does it grow like that?" she asked.

"I always supposed the cook braided the ends of it."—Youth's Companion.

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will give you a beautiful clear complexion so much admired by everybody. A perfectly harmless skin food and powder combined. Can be used on all occasions. Made in white and flesh. Prices, large jar 50c, regular jar 25c. Sample sent by mail for 10c in stamps. Ask your druggist or sent direct on receipt of price. Good lady agents wanted everywhere. Address THE BEHRENS DRUG CO., Dept. L. Waco, Tex.

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Out-of-door Sports on School Park of 25 acres near the Hudson River. Full Academic Course from Primary Class to Graduation. Upper Class for Advanced Special Students. Music and Art. Summer Session. Certificate admits to College. School Coach Meets Day Pupils.  
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## ILLITERATE MAGISTRATE



**New Magistrate—What's the next case?**  
Police Sergeant—John Smith alias Williams.

**New Magistrate—Ladies first, always. Let Alice Williams take the stand.**

## TRiumPH OF COURAGE

Courage and the "power of the human eye," saved Walter Sargent, a prosperous rancher, in the Redwood district, San Jose, when he was confronted by a hungry mountain lion the other evening. Sargent was driving a herd of cows to his home in the foothills when he noticed the big cat stalking him. As it crouched for a spring Sargent turned and fixed the beast with his eye. Man and lion remained as immovable as statues for a few seconds and then the animal turned and trotted away.

## COFFEE CONGESTION Causes a Variety of Ails.

A happy old lady in Wisconsin says:  
"During the time I was a coffee drinker I was subject to sick headaches, sometimes lasting 2 or 3 days, totally unfitting me for anything. To this affliction was added, some years ago, a trouble with my heart that was very painful, accompanied by a smothering sensation and faintness.

"Dyspepsia, also, came to make life harder to bear. I took all sorts of patent medicines but none of them helped me for any length of time.

"The doctors frequently told me that coffee was not good for me; but without coffee I felt as if I had no breakfast. I finally decided about 2 years ago to abandon the use of coffee entirely, and as I had read a great deal about Postum I concluded to try that for a breakfast beverage.

"I liked the taste of it and was particularly pleased to notice that it did not 'come up' as coffee used to. The bad spells with my heart grew less and less frequent, and finally ceased altogether, and I have not had an attack of sick headache for more than a year. My digestion is good, too, and I am thankful that I am once more a healthy woman. I know my wonderful restoration to health came from quitting coffee and using Postum." Name given by the Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason," and it is this. Coffee has a direct action on the liver with some people, and causes partial congestion of that organ preventing the natural outlet of the secretions. Then may follow biliousness, sallow skin, headaches, constipation and finally a change of the blood corpuscles and nervous prostration.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."  
Ever read the above letter? A man appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

**2 SPECIAL SESSIONS  
AMONG POSSIBILITIES**

PROHIBITION ENACTMENTS AND APPROPRIATIONS SURE.

TAX RATE MUST BE RAISED

Appropriations to Come First, Followed by Reapportionment and Other Subjects.

Austin, Texas: Gov. Colquitt is going to do his best to persuade the Legislature to finish all its work within one thirty days' session next August, but he may have to call a second. When the session begins he is going to call upon them to accomplish all in thirty days and will attempt to evolve some plan whereby progress may be made with one subject at a time.

The Governor will be anxious to have the general appropriation bill passed the first thing, for current appropriations expire on Aug. 31. Senatorial and Representatives redistricting will be second on the program, followed by Congressional reapportionment, if Congress shall have fixed the basis in interim. Promises have been made the Governor that measures will be passed looking to the relief of the Supreme Court, following the signing of the bills creating the appellate courts at El Paso and Amarillo and that will be a subject submitted. The question of revenue may be an important matter, besides the expected action of the Automatic Tax Board in increasing the ad valorem tax from 4 1/2c, as immediate relief must be had, due to the probable depleted condition of general revenue.

Lancaster Signs Interurban Contract. Lancaster: A contract was signed Ed T. Moore, representing Stone & Webster, and S. L. Randlett, R. U. White, R. P. Henry, F. M. Hammond, W. G. Howell, B. F. Lyon and A. C. Speer, representing the citizens, in which Stone & Webster agree to build an interurban road from Dallas to Waxahachie by way of Lancaster on condition that the people of Lancaster furnish the right of way from Dallas city limits to the Ellis County line. Stone & Webster agree to begin work within thirty days after the deeds to the right of way have been secured and to finish the road within one year.

Big Building Contract Let. Dallas: At a meeting of the building committee of the Southwestern Life Insurance Company Thursday the contract for the erection of their sixteen-story office building (eighteen stories including basement and pent house), at the corner of Main and Akard streets, was awarded to the American Construction Company of Houston. The contract calls for completion of the building within twelve months and it is expected the stores on Main street will be ready for occupancy by Jan. 1. To the fullest extent possible the building will be built from material produced in the State of Texas. It will be the largest general office building in the city and one of the most important in the entire Southwest.

Knights of Pythias at New Castle contemplate the erection of a castle hall.

Cost of State Charities.

Austin: Amounts expended by the State for the fiscal year ending Aug. 31, 1910, for the support and maintenance of the State eleemosynary institutions were as follows:

State Orphan Home .....	67,692.92
Confederate Home .....	86,125.32
Blind Asylum .....	89,864.54
Deaf and Dumb Asylum ..	103,201.62
Epileptic Colony .....	267,118.48
State Lunatic Asylum .....	267,118.48
S. W. Insane Asylum .....	229,387.86
N. Tex. Insane Asylum .....	298,931.60
Colored Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylum .....	24,882.11
State Institution for Juveniles .....	63,524.81
Total .....	\$1,306,251.98

Mohair Deals Total \$37,000. San Antonio: Sale of approximately 75,000 pounds of mohair, prices ranging around 32 1/2c per pound, and also the sale of the E. R. Jackson clip of 26,000 pounds at 33 1/2c per pound, has just been made by the Wool Growers' Central Storage Company of this city. The two deals aggregate \$37,000.

It is announced that the Illinois Central will establish a ticket and general passenger office in Houston as a result of the recent visit of the traffic men of the Illinois Central to that city.

Rattler's Fatal Bite. Hico: Bob Ogle's little girl, about 4 years of age, was bitten by a large rattlesnake while the child and her mother were walking along the road returning from visiting. The mother saw the snake bite the child, but before she could get the girl the reptile had struck three times. Mrs. Ogle grabbed her daughter up and ran to the house as fast as she could and telephoned for a doctor, who reached the scene in a few minutes, but all he could do was of no avail.

**THE GOVERNOR'S CERTIFICATES**

To Young Men Producing Meritorious Corn Yields.

Austin: The Governor has issued the following proclamation: "Whereas, Special attention is now being given to the encouragement of agriculture throughout the country, and especially to the movement establishing 'boys' corn clubs,' by and through which it is proposed to demonstrate the productive capacity of the soil and to encourage an interest in and love for agricultural pursuits among boys who are ripening into the years of usefulness; and, "Whereas, Special attention is now being given to this movement by special agents of the Department of Agriculture for the United States in Texas, and also by the Texas State Department of Agriculture; now therefore,

"I, O. B. Colquitt, Governor of Texas do hereby issue this my proclamation, to the boys of Texas, offering them certificates of honor and merit, under the hand of the Governor and the great seal of the State of Texas, as follows:

"Certificate of merit No. 1: To all boys under 18 years of age who will raise 100 bushels of corn or more per acre.

"Certificate of merit No. 2: To all boys under 18 years of age who will raise 75 bushels of corn or more per acre.

"Certificate of merit No. 3: To all boys who will raise 50 bushels of corn or more per acre.

"Proof of such yield to be made in the manner prescribed by proper authorities. "O. B. COLQUITT, "Governor of Texas."

Gainesville Has Two Interurban Plans. Gainesville has two interurban propositions, one to McKinney via Tlaga, the other to Sherman via Whitesboro. M. A. Hindman of Fort Worth, backed by officials of the Texas & Pacific, Rock Island and Katy Railroads, proposes to build a line to McKinney and will begin surveys in a short time. The line to Sherman is promoted by a corporation composed mostly of home people. The last proposition is dependent upon the subscription of \$50,000 in stock by Gainesville people.

More Corn Growers' Prizes. Comanche: M. T. Payne, corn expert for the Government in the district composed of Comanche, Hood, Erath and Brown Counties, has offered a free trip to Washington, D. C., and return to that boy of the Boys' Corn Club making the most points in the competitive corn-growing contest in this district this year. Comanche locally has also offered \$117 in cash prizes for this county, supplemented by premiums from various merchants.

Plan A. M. Exhibit. Austin: The board of directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas inaugurated an educational movement of State-wide importance by the passage of a resolution, providing that an exhibit, representative of the work of the college be prepared, including every line that is covered by the college work and that this exhibit be sent to all the State fairs and to county fairs when possible in charge of the department of college extension.

President May Accept Invitation. Austin: A second letter has been received from President Taft advising Gov. Colquitt that he will visit Texas after the present session of Congress adjourns and will probably inspect the maneuver camps at Galveston and San Antonio. Gov. Colquitt will get up a fishing party for the President, providing the latter is willing. It is also expected that Mr. Taft will visit the Taft ranch properties at Gregory, where he will play golf, take surf baths and have a rest generally.

Conditions Improved Along Rio Grande. El Paso: Safety from robbers in the Big Bend section of Texas, along the Rio Grande river, is reported for the first time since the Mexican insurrection began. United States cavalry scattered throughout that section has covered the robbers who made numerous raids on ranches and wagons. Many Mexicans are reported crossing into Texas from Boquillas, Mexico, because of rumors that Boquillas will be captured by insurgents and its leading citizens executed.

The \$25,000 causeway of concrete over the San Gabriel river, near Georgetown, at the Old Settlers' Association grounds, is being rushed to completion. It will make a roadway twenty-five feet wide and form a lake nearly half a mile long for boating.

Ground was broken last Thursday for the new \$30,000 Allen Carter Jones high school at Beeville. The \$30,000 sewer system and \$75,000 court house are also under course of construction.

The United States government has now under way the construction of a ship canal and turning basin at Port Bolivar, which will give 30 feet of water, a sufficient depth for the largest ocean-going vessel.

A company is now being organized to build a compress at Teague this fall—in time to handle this season's produce. It will be a stock company and will be capitalized at \$20,000. H. B. Stuba of Wortham is the promoter.

**Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of America**

Matters of Especial Moment to the Progressive Agriculturist

Commercialism looks upon the people as a crowd to "do." And they do them.

It is not so much what a farmer knows as what he does that wins on the farm.

It is more often a condition of the mind than of the body which keeps a man down.

The high price of meat does not alarm the wise farmer who has his smokehouse at home.

You are always at a disadvantage in talking to a man who does not know what he is talking about.

Some of our would-be statesmen read so little that they know really nothing about political economy.

Most those who graduate in the high schools of the cities take five years to unlearn enough to begin business.

Cheerful faces and singing hearts go together in the day's work, they supplement and generate each other.

Remember that the other fellow also has rights and is sensitive about having them treated with disrespect.

Without the opinions of other men to guide them not many of our lawyers would be above total ignorance of the law.

A liberal amount of kindness mixed into the ration will show in the keeping of the horse, the cow, or any other farm animal.

"Rooms will double in price," says a market report. Can it be possible that their price is going to eliminate that traditional housewife's weapon, the broomstick?

**MAKING GOOD IN CALIFORNIA**

Lima Bean Growers' Association of Oxnard, Cal., in Fight Against Middlemen.

In response to a query from the Rural New Yorker, asking for information regarding the Lima Bean Growers' association's struggle to wrest control of the market from unscrupulous manipulators, J. M. Waterman, manager of the organization, has written that publication a reply which is self-explanatory and is as follows:

"The tremendous struggle which is going on here on the Pacific Coast to wrest the control of the lima bean market from the unscrupulous manipulators, who for years have worked for their own gain to the detriment of both grower and jobber, can scarcely be realized by the public in the east and middle west, for if it were fully realized we know that they would give us their full and unqualified support, no matter what the manipulators would promise them. First of all it must be borne in mind and impressed upon the public that the growers on the Pacific Coast are not the grasping individuals which they are made out to be. Such information is given out by the middlemen here, who, in trying to find an excuse for making more than their legitimate share of profit, shift the blame upon the farmer and advertise him as the grasping one, whereas, as a matter of fact, the average California farmer is contented with a fair and steady price, which is in accordance with other foodstuffs and in consistency with the demand and supply of that particular article.

"You say you would like us to tell you how it is possible for an organization of farmers to be able to take such a strong position; and to this we would reply that as long as we know absolutely that we are honest in our intentions, that we are telling the truth and that our actions are honorable and bringing about better conditions for grower and jobber alike, just so long will we be strong and successful in our undertaking, and the fight which is being waged against us will utterly fall. As regards sending you a copy of our bylaws or constitution, we have only one copy in our office, and this is no more or less than the kind of document which every California corporation has, and has no special feature to it at all. There is one thing, however, which has made it possible for the writer to build up an enormous business within one year, and to maintain it against tremendous odds, and that is the fact that when accepting the position of general manager he insisted upon absolute power to conduct the business in accordance with his own plans, and that there was to be no interference from within or without, and he is proud to be able to state that there has never been a time when the board of directors did not stand behind him solidly and uphold his actions, knowing and realizing that in unity there is strength, and, furthermore, there has never been a time when this same board of directors was not willing to get out, day and night, rain or shine, and work for the good of this organization among the growers in this county, Los Angeles county, Orange county and San Diego county. These men deserve a great deal of credit, and it is fit and right that they be given the credit whenever mention of the association is made in print."

**Dirty Collars.**

A dirty collar makes a sore shoulder.

**LABORS OF UNION OFFICERS**

President Barrett Issues Statement Detailing Work Done and Outlines Future Prospects.

To the Members of the Farmers' Union:

Your national and state officials who have been working in Washington this winter in behalf of the Farmers' Union have found that congress is growing more responsive to the demands of the American farmer than at any time in its history.

That we have not written demands of the Farmers' Union into legislation is due, not to lack of influence, but to the congestion inevitable with a short session and the demoralization consequent upon pending political changes.

So far as parcels post is concerned, I am convinced that that measure, in a national and not a rural sense, is nearer than any of our members, or than any of the politicians imagine.

The lobby against parcels post has shot its bolt. It has exhausted its ammunition.

If you will dig up the letters I published last winter from congressmen, you will find that in nearly every instance they gave non-committal replies to the question regarding a parcels post.

But the situation has changed. At any moment, you may expect a battalion of statesmen to proclaim loudly that they have all along been in favor of a parcels post. Next, you may expect them to work for it with a vim.

The explanation of this singular about-face is an easy one.

The congressman has heard from the farmer! Representatives and senators from nearly all of the states have been literally bombarded with letters from their farmer-constituents.

The power of the farmer, long held in "cold storage," has been brought forth! The result was inevitable.

I regard this spectacle as a vindication of my often repeated declaration that the farmer has only to make himself heard to have his wants supplied—in a congressional sense.

It takes the spur to make the congressman live up to its campaign promises. The farmer is finding out how to use the spur.

In this connection, you ought to know the strange effect that office-holding and life in Washington had upon congressmen.

We have particularly noticed during this session, the mild and tame conduct of some of the representatives who were genuine fire-eaters on the stump.

While they were appealing for your votes, they pawed dust like a stallion, promised to reform everything overnight, and to "start something" the moment they were sworn in.

But, lo! the change the moment they get in congress! Then, with many of them, the principal object is to panhandle a few little jobs for constituents, sneak up on some little committee assignment, keep free seed going, glut the mails with agricultural bulletins and free government publications and have a good time themselves.

It is true that semi-occasionally, they rear up on their hind legs and bellow thunder. But investigate closely, and you will generally find the subject is a trivial one, that it won't hurt anybody, and that all the sand-raising is to make the folks at home believe their faithful servant isn't asleep at the switch.

There are some strong, energetic and loyal congressmen, it is true. I believe their numbers are increasing. But they need to be increased still more rapidly, if the farmer wants to get the service to which he is entitled.

The country gets no better or more active congressmen than it deserves. If you are not satisfied with the brand of statesmanship being ladled out from Washington, just search your own soul as to how far you are personally responsible for electing an incompetent!

For their ability and loyalty, and tireless co-operation, I owe a debt of thanks to your national and state officials and other prominent workers who have assisted in our dealings with congress this winter.

CHARLES S. BARRETT, Union City, Ga.

**The South's Annual Yield.**

\$2,690,000,000 from its factories.
\$2,600,000,000 from its farms.
\$440,000,000 from its forests.
\$280,000,000 from its mines.
\$1,000,000,000 of cotton with seed.
\$730,000,000 of grain.
\$200,000,000 of live stock.
\$175,000,000 of dairy products.
\$170,000,000 of poultry products.
\$150,000,000 of fruit and vegetables.
\$69,000,000 of tobacco.
\$50,000,000 of sugar products.
\$628,000,000 of exports.
\$4,000,000,000 feet of lumber.
\$250,000,000 pounds of cotton goods.
\$1,104,000,000 bushels of cereals.
\$100,000,000 tons of coal.
\$25,000,000 barrels of petroleum.
\$9,000,000 tons of coke.
\$4,400,000 tons of iron ore.
\$3,200,000 tons of pig iron.
\$2,395,000 tons of phosphate rock.

**Why Not a Few Gourds?**

Gourds are annual plants with tendrils, broad leaves, and large yellow flowers. The more common, American gourds are rampant climbing vines, and are very useful as a cover for unsightly places. They are grown chiefly as curiosities. Seeds should be sown in a rich, deeply dug soil, where they may have an abundance of moisture. They are easy to cultivate, requiring about the same treatment as the squash.

THE extreme care—the hygienic cleanliness—used in making as well as shipping Dr. Pepper, means a lot to you.

Drink  
**Dr. Pepper**  
—TRADE MARK—  
**KING OF BEVERAGES**  
**Free From Caffeine**  
A UNIVERSAL COUPON GIVEN WITH EACH GLASS  
**Healthful. Thirst-Quenching. Satisfying**  
**AT FOUNTAINS—5 CENTS—IN BOTTLES**

**Marbles Coming Back.**

An elderly woman who keeps a little shop in Harlem which she calls a "stationery and book store," probably because her chief stock in trade consists of candy, cheap toys, picture cards, pencils and writing pads, says that there is a revival in marbles. Her best customers are the children who attend the school near by. "For years," she said, "the boys have given up the old-fashioned marble for the more expensive glass 'agates' and 'alloys.' The old game of bounding was never played and marbles could not be given away. Lately there have been many calls for them. I see the boys playing the old game, and surely the marble is 'coming back.'"

**New Species of Potato.**

A new species of white potato has for some years been cultivated in France from plants found in Uruguay. Originally a very bitter tuber, the South American vegetable became, after three or four years of cultivation, an admirable food product. Its yield is enormous, and it is exempt from the maladies that attack the ordinary potato. It grows best in moist soil, its native habitat being the marshy shores of the River Mercedes in Uruguay. Its flowers have a jasmine-like odor, and a delicate perfume has been extracted from them. After one planting the plant perpetuates itself from the broken roots left in the soil.

**"Lorna Doone."**

"Lorna Doone" is practically one more illustration of "Single-Speech Hamilton." After its appearance its author wrote and published steadily for thirty years, but the fact remains that not only is "Lorna" his best known work, but that his entire reputation hangs upon it. Many of his other stories are good, notably "Cripps the Carrier" and "Perlycross"; the latter has a most ingenious plot, but these two now peacefully repose with their mates in undisturbed slumber in dusty library corners. Mr. Blackmore offered his buyers all sorts of wares, but after a momentary examination they declined what was "Just as Good," and returned to their favorite, which, by the way, was never his. He ranked it third among his productions. This novel is not only one of the best-loved books in English fiction and stands magnificently the reverse test of re-reading. It is bound to have more admirers in the future than it has ever yet enjoyed. It is visibly growing in reputation every year.—Phelps, Essays on Modern Novelists

**America's Oldest Windmill.**

Nantucket possesses what is believed to be the oldest windmill for grinding corn in actual operation in America. Nathan Wilbur, a Nantucket sailor, who had seen the busy windmills of Holland as he sailed abroad, built it out of timbers of wrecked ships in 1746. There has never been a day in all the 165 years since that time when the mill has not been busy. There is always a wind to turn its outstretched wings.

**Thinking of Having One.**

Aeroplanes are becoming increasingly costly. Six months ago \$2,500 was about the limit for a monoplane, \$4,000 for biplane. There are now building the latter to cost between \$15,000 and \$20,000, while the "last word" in monoplanes, a Blériot, fitted with 100-horse power 14-cylinder Gnome engine, costs \$10,000.

**A Fond Hope.**

"Lightning blazed the way to glory for him," says a Georgia philosopher, "but we trust the blaze didn't keep up after he got there!"

**Pennsylvanias' Locust Exhibit.**

H. Z. Baker of Newville, Cumberland county, has four bottles of seventeen year locusts of dates as follows: 1851, 1868, 1885 and 1902. He was 12 years old the first time he saw them and is now 72 years past. Each bottle is labelled and contains one locust for each of the dates named.—Philadelphia Record.

**Missing Property.**

"Had your butler been here long?" "He was long enough for us to be short."

**Passed Up the Taxidermist.**

A country woman and her little boy were visiting the city and while seeing the sights of the place the mother's eyes were attracted by the showy display of stuffed animals in a taxidermist's shop window.

"Let's go in here and see what we can get for you, Willie," said the mother.

"—Suze, ma, and—" His eye fell upon a sign over the door which read, "Let us tan your hides."

"Oh, no, no, ma; let's don't go in there. I get 'nuff of that at home," he cried excitedly, and they passed up the taxidermist's shop.

**Tallow Will Remove Ink.**

To remove ink spots from wash goods melt a piece of tallow and plunge the ink spot in the hot fat, then wash the piece at once and the ink will disappear unless it is a colored garment which will not wash; then drop melted wax on the spot, let it become hard and remove with a sharp knife. The ink will be soaked up by the wax, and if any stain remains from it, place a clean piece of blotting paper over it, and press with a hot iron to draw it out.

**Surely Veteran Musician.**

William Kuhe, who introduced Patti, Trebell and Christine Nilsson to the concert platform in England, is eighty-seven years old, an age which, he thinks, entitles him to be known as the oldest musician in the world. He was born in Prague in 1823, the son of German parents. He is a pianist and has given concerts in association with some of the world's most famous artists.

**Luckless Harvard.**

In a list of the living graduates of Harvard, nearly 400 are set down as having "no occupation." This, in the Cleveland Plain Dealer's opinion, explains the often noticed fact that when a "Raffles"—meaning a burglar with a clean collar on—is caught, he always appears in the news dispatches as a "Harvard graduate."

**Decreases in Revenue.**

The passenger revenue a passenger mile, which in 1888 was 2.49 cents, in 1898 had decreased to 1.972 cents and in 1908 to 1.933 cents. In the decade from 1888 to 1898 there was a decrease in freight revenue from 1.6 cent a mile to 0.753 cent, at which latter figure it also stood in 1908.

**"A Right and Lawful Road."**

An example of the old rough and ready methods of arriving at a measurement is the Elizabethan way of getting the "feet." Falentin Leigh who wrote on surveying, records that after service on Sunday sixteen men were stopped at the church door just as they happened to come out and drawn up in line, left foot to left foot. The length thus obtained was taken as "a right and lawful road" measure and survey the land with, and a sixteenth part of it as "a right and lawful foot." Although big and little men were thus roughly averaged against each other, the results naturally varied to some extent. Hence it is, as Shaw Sparrow notes in treating of this "road" as the architectural "bay" which gives us the "bay window," that a bay is sometimes found to be rather less than sixteen feet of twelve inches.—London Chronicle.

**Touching Sympathy.**

"I hear that Wilkins has lost his fortune." "I'm so sorry! He was such an easy man to borrow money from!"

**British Justice "Makes Good."**

London for the last several months has been suffering from an epidemic of rots and spots and crooked bakers just as we have here. But the British magistrates have fairly burnt up rotten egg offenders with severe fines and imprisonments.—New York Press.

**His Library for Sale.**

Harduppe—You advertise that you will buy books. What'll you give me for this one? Dealer—But we want nothing less than whole library. Harduppe—Well, this is my whole library.

# Something Doing

**Comencing Saturday, April 22**

Having purchased the Bankrupt stock of Wm. Wells at less than half price, we will endeavor to sell the goods at a price that will move them. The following are a few prices:

Syrup Pitchers worth 20, 30 and 40c at . . . . .	15c	3 qt. Granit pan worth 25c, now . . . . .	10c
Butter Dishes, always sold at 25c, now . . . . .	10c	5x7 preserve dishes, regular 25c, now at . . . . .	10c
6 tumblers worth 35c at . . . . .	15c	Baking pans, regular 45c to 50c, now at . . . . .	25c
Soup plates worth 60c per set, now . . . . .	30c	Beautiful platter, regular 50c ones, now at . . . . .	25c
Large bowl and pitcher, sold everywhere for \$1.50, at	85c	Regular 40c ones, as long as they last, at	20c

All Granite ware at half price. Now is the time to get cooking vessels cheap. Now the furniture is here, so come and see for yourself. Prices all right. Matting--you must see it to appreciate the price. Art Squares--well just drop in and get prices, it want cost you anything to see and get the prices. Bargains on everything in the store. . . . .

## C. D. Grissom Furniture Company

Wm. WELLS, Manager.

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SEASONABLE SOFT DRINKS

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**SPENCER & RICHARDSON**  
Prescription Druggist

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**Locals and Personals.**

Call for Texas Oil. 14-4t  
Mr. Peters made a trip to Weinert Monday.

Sanders & Wilson have money to loan. Come and get it.

H. C. Melton and Master Ralph were in Dallas this week.

Geo. Foster made a business trip to Abilene first of the week.

Every sack Jubilee flour guaranteed at Co-operative store. 16

Sam Hendricks of Farmersville was visiting Mr. Frost this week.

Horse men call at the Free Press office and get some of those breeders contracts.

Miss Fannie Wisdom of Gainesville is visiting her sister Mrs. C. H. Wisdom of this city.

Rhode Island Red and white leghorn eggs for sale. Get them before the season advances. J. W. Smith. 9-tf

John Therwhanger and family of Weinert attended the Bryan lecture at the Methodist church Tuesday night.

Subscribe for the Free Press. You know Texas Oil, the best made. 14-4t

B. C. Turk of Hillsboro, spent Sunday in Haskell.

For crop insurance against hail see A. H. Norris. tf

J. W. Nolen of Alabama, was visiting relatives in the city this week.

Try a sack of Jubilee flour fresh from the mill, at Co-operative Store. 16

N. E. Martin of Sagerton, attended the Bryan lecture here Tuesday night.

FOR SALE--Ten head of Jersey cows, for cash or good notes. 16tf J. L. Linville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fields left Wednesday for San Antonio to attend the Battle of Flowers.

Misses Coutie and Anna Lydia Hughes left Wednesday for San Antonio to attend the Battle of Flowers.

Do you want to trade your merchandise for land? I can turn it for you. F. L. Daugherty in Sherrill Building.

Subscribe for the Free Press. Barrel Sour Krout at Haskell Co-operative Store. 16

L. D. Webster made a business trip to Goree this week.

Long time money to loan. Sanders & Wilson.

Miss Margarette Pierson of Aspermant was in the city this week.

Fresh Sour Krout, any quantity you want, at Co-operative Store. 16

Born on the 17th instant to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ward, a son.

Pure bred buff orpington eggs for sale; \$1.00 for 15. J. D. Kinnison. tf

J. L. Howard and wife of Paint Creek were in the city shopping Tuesday.

Judge and Mrs. A. C. Foster, Mrs. Mason and Editor Hall of Rule were in the city Monday.

Mrs. Stein who has been visiting relatives in the city has returned to her home in Sagerton.

Do you want to trade your form for Denton County land? See F. L. Daugherty in Sherrill Building.

Misses Alice Poole and Sibyl Collins left for San Antonio Wednesday to attend the Battle of Flowers.

I will fill your orders as promptly and as accurately as any body in the city. R. D. C. Stephens. 16

If you have money to invest I can show you a bargain that will pay. F. L. Daugherty in Sherrill Building.

Misses Warner and Ethel Russey of Seymour visited Misses Docia and Julia Winn and attended the Bryan lecture Tuesday.

Mrs J. L. Jones of Rule was in the city Thursday.

New onions, white and yellow at R. D. C. Stephens. 16

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hunt spent Sunday in Merkel.

R. Dees of Munday was down Tuesday night to hear W. J. Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvy Couch of Weinert visited their parents Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Fields were visiting in Merkel several days this week.

Miss Eva Vincent is attending the Battle of Flowers at San Antonio this week.

Call at Co-operative Store and get some barrel sour krout the last this season. 16

N. G. Kennedy of Michigan, has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Woodley of this city.

Don't forget the place to get fresh groceries. R. D. C. Stephens. 16

Dr. Smith was among the crowd who came down from Munday to hear Bryan's lecture.

P. W. Herren was in the city Wednesday and reported a shower at his ranch Tuesday evening.

W. have a half page ad. for the C. D. Grissom Furniture Co. this week. Wm. Wells is in charge of the business as manager.

Our abstract books are complete and up-to-date. Get your abstracts from Sanders & Wilson. tf

If those oweing Colliers do not come forward and arrange a settlement of their accounts and notes by May 1st, these claims will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. 16-2t

**COMPLETE PRIVACY.**

No one wishes his financial affairs to be the common knowledge of his neighbors and acquaintances. Many fear that this will be the case if they do their business through a bank and because of this idea they loose the many advantages that they might secure by establishing permanent banking relations. As a matter of fact, however, nothing could be further from the truth than the idea that a good bank reveals the affairs of its customers. The Farmers National Bank has always made a special point of treating the transactions of every patron in the strictest confidence and every one who does business here can rest assured of the complete privacy of his business relations with us. Your interest will always be protected in every proper way if you become a customer of this bank.

**The Farmers National Bank.**  
R. C. MONTGOMERY, Cashier.  
**The Farmers Bank. Haskell, Tex.**

Call for a can of Texas Oil, the best made. 14-4t

Mr. W. A. Earnest of Rule was in the city Thursday.

Miss Bernice Halcomb of Stamford was in the city Monday.

Why not use Texas Oil, the best made in the world. 14-4t

L. A. Howsley, a merchant of Throckmorton, was in Haskell Monday.

Mr. Berry of Benjamin attended the Bryan lecture at the M. E. Church.

G. W. Parker of Dallas, visited his daughter Mrs. Chas. Irby this week.

W. F. Turner of Rule was over to hear Bryan's lecture.

Mrs. Maddox of Benjamin attended the Bryan lecture.

Billie Cockrell of Seymour spent Sunday in Haskell.

Mrs. D. C. Nicholson of near Vontress, was in the city shopping Wednesday.

Misses Mable and Nellie Greenwood of Rochester, were in the city Wednesday.

Don't expect me to sell at cost. Fair dealing is my motto. R. D. C. Stephens. 16

Miss Edwards of Seymour, visited Miss Frankie Terrel and and heard Bryan.

# M. A. CLIFTON

We have a complete stock in the following lines and will appreciate a call from you. Inspect our stock.

Flour \$2.50 to \$3.00 per 100. White wonder meal 60c. Cotton seed, Maben and Rouden, 70c in bulk, 75c sacked. Orange, Amber and Red Top Cane, \$1.50 to \$1.75 per bu. All kinds of feed, corn, maize, wheat bran, cotton seed meal, hulls and ruco, prairie hay, millet and Johnson grass.

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**M. A. CLIFTON.**

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The Free Press has been getting a good patronage lately, and some of our readers have said some nice things to us. We appreciate the approval of good men and women.

The Dallas News is running a series of articles in its Sunday issue in behalf of civic improvement. There is no other paper devoting so much space to civic improvement as the News. This is not all the News is doing, it has been making a campaign for honesty in public administration and has set a standard that some publications do not measure up to. This campaign of the News is going to have its weight with the people.

For years all the metropolitan and country papers have been lambasting the trusts. The Democratic party has condemned the trusts always. The Republican party has lately admitted that possibly there may be such things as trusts and Mr. Bailey intimates that he might be shown that Lorimer had guilty knowledge that he purchased his seat in the Senate. Surely the world "do move."

Why should young men and women be slaves to conventionalities? Why should they spend all the earning of the young husband for appearance sake? They can fool no one but silly people whose respect is not worth a flip. To keep pace with conventionalities or live up to the indecencies of fashion is a sin, the wages of which is failure in business, failure in family relation and leads to divorce, disgrace and misery, and in the final the "wages is death."

### Planting Cotton Seed.

Mebane and Rouden cotton seed. See Chambers.

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of independent patriotic statesmen. If we have come to this, if these conditions exist, does the mass of private citizens desire to perpetuate the system? If we do not desire to perpetuate the system, can the people control and regulate the creatures they have given such powers? The history of legislation and administration in this country answers the question in the negative. What effective remedy does Democracy, Republicanism or the new theory of socialism offer as a solution of the evils that attend the creation and operation of the powerful corporations controlled by trust masters possessing the powers of instantaneous initiation, referendum and recall of all measures and employes? These issues are going to have to be met. The wise business man suffering from temporary prosperity in the country towns that has prospered under local conditions is going to wake up some day with the clutch of the Trust (private corporations) at his throat.

### PROGRAM.

#### Important Subjects For Next Farmer's Institute.

The following program is submitted for discussion at the next regular meeting of the Haskell County Farmer's Institute, to be held at the court house on Saturday, May 6, 1911: (first Saturday.)

"Why we should grow our own seed," by J. T. Therwanger. This is a very vital subject, embracing as it does the questions of purity and vitality of seeds and the broader subject of breeding up types or strains of plants adapted to the local conditions of soil and climate.

"Cultivation to conserve moisture," by J. W. Woodson. This subject is also one of the highest importance as it involves the question of getting the greatest benefit from the moisture received prior to, as well as during the growing period of crops, and storage of surplus moisture to tide over dry periods.

"The vegetable garden on dry farms," by Dr. F. J. Craddock. Vegetables conduce both to the health and pleasure of living and where grown abundantly at home effect a material saving in the grocery bill.

All the above discussions may be followed by questions and general discussion by other persons present.

Any remaining time may be devoted to presenting any matter of general farm interest by any member.

It is believed that the above subjects are of sufficient importance to command the attention of all farmers and it is hoped that this meeting will have a large attendance.

Program Com.

#### Averts Awful Tragedy.

Timely advice given Mrs. C. Willoughby, of Marengo, Wis., (R. No. 1) prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. Doctors had said her frightful cough was a consumption cough and could do little to help her. After many remedies failed, her aunt urged her to take Dr. King's New Discovery. "I have been using it for some time," she wrote "and the awful cough has almost gone. It also saved my little boy when taken with a severe bronchial trouble." This matchless medicine has no equal for throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Colliers Drug Store.

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Bank HASKELL TEXAS

Twinerville Locals.

Here I am again to tell the glad news of our community.

Some of the farmers had to plant their maize over on account of the cut worms.

The Twinerville school had a nice Easter hunt Friday afternoon and had quite a nice crowd. Those who attended were Mesdames J. L. Dunlap, E. Cardwell, B. F. Seuggs, John Suttin, little Misses Alice Honeycutte, Bulah Cardwell, Lillian Dunlap, Bessie Cardwell, Bessie Honeycutte, Masters Jean Friend, Lesley Cardwell, Hoyt Honeycutte and Earay Adkins. All reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Alexander of Rochester spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Honeycutte.

Miss Alice Honeycutte is spending the week with Mrs. J. F. Alexander of Rochester.

Miss Lector Dunlap was the guest of Miss Bessie Cordwell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pipkins, of Jud were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Honeycutte Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cardwell spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunlap.

Little Miss Ivey Pipkins of Jud spent the week with little Miss Mammie Honeycutte.

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Our abstract books are complete and up-to-date. Get your abstracts from  
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When you need Groceries come to see us or telephone No. 151. Free delivery.

## Haskell Co-operative Association

J. F. POSEY, Mgr.

### SOCIAL.

The Elks lodge at this place has opened its club room to their wives and daughters, and Thursday afternoon of this week being the first of such occasions, we give a list of those who accepted the invitation to attend, viz.: Mesdames Mark Whitman J. S. Keister, S. W. Scott, Joe Irby, H. S. Wilson, Hardy Grisom, H. G. McConnell, C. D. Long, Jno. B. Baker, Wallace Alexander, Curran Hunt, Henry Alexander, of this city, and Mrs. Johnson of Granbery, Texas.

Music, games and magazines interspersed with brilliant wit, dispelled formal conventionalality and rendered the occasion delightful.



### GEORGE H. CECIL

Sired by Cecil Alerton; Dam, Della Preceptor, is a Hamiltonian stallion, 4 years old, 16 hands high, weighs 1130 lbs. that will make the season of 1911 at my barn 7 miles west of the Pierson place. Terms: \$10 cash or \$15 to insure colt. Fees due when mare is traded or moved from the county. I will use all precaution but will not be responsible for accidents should any happen. The public is invited to call and look at the horse and be their own judge.  
G. H. Brown, 9-121

### CLIPPER.

I will stand the above named stallion, which is one of the best all-round combination horses for the farmer in this country, at my barn one mile south of Haskell. Come and convince yourself. Season \$10.00 cash or \$12.50 payable this fall, and insure foal.  
W. H. Friedrich,  
Haskell, Texas.

### Attention Stock Raisers.

I have a Hambletonian and Cleveland Bay Stallion and two jacks that will make the season at my farm 10 miles north east of Haskell near the the Roberts School house, \$10.00 to insure colt. I will furnish pasture free for gentle mares. 11-7t-pd  
T. L. Atchison.

### MONEY.

I desire to lend some money on good farms and will purchase or extend vendors lien notes.  
M. Pierson, 16tf

### Advertised Letters.

Advertised April 10 1911.  
Sra Eroquo Gutierrez.  
Mrs. Mary Ballard.  
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H. A. Davis.  
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Advertised April 17.  
Mrs. Cora Porden. (2)  
Mrs. Nettie Smith.  
C. J. Smith  
M. K. Treman  
J. J. Payne

We are running a quarter page ad. for W. B. Anthony of Austin in which he offers some good lot propositions. Mr. Anthony was sheriff of this county three times and is well known to old settlers as a man of integrity and who deals squarely and liberally with everybody.

Rev. J. T. Griswald, President of the Stamford college will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday, both morning and at night. At night he will preach Baccalaureate sermon for Haskell High School.  
C. B. Meador, Pastor.

J. W. Roger has sold the Throckmorton Times to R. E. Humphrey and E. J. Henson. Mr. Rogers passed through the city on his way to Rale and other points, but stopped over long enough to hear Bryan Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Thomas, Rev. F. E. Suttle, Rev. C. Jones, Messrs. P. J. Foster, John Craig, Maddison Bachman, M. M. Hanna, Ed Johnson, J. W. Rogers, G. C. Wright, Hiram Bachman, and Bob Self of Throckmorton came over Tuesday in three autos to hear W. J. Bryan speak.

Col. T. A. Ferris of Waxahachie, who owns a large farm and ranch in the north east part of Haskell county, called at our office Wednesday and renewed his subscription to the Free Press.

If those owing Colliers do not come forward and arrange a settlement of their accounts and notes by May 1st, these claims will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. 16-2t

The following parties from Seymour were in the city Tuesday night to hear Wm. J. Bryan. They came in on the special that arrived in Haskell at 7 o'clock p. m. and returned the same night: Messrs. W F Finn, W S Clough, K L Scudder, R L Rows, Roy Whitesides, Wesley Harrison, W T Browning, Tom Arnett, Clark, Jim Bussell, Paul Bussell, Walter Bussell, Will Cockrell, Mr. and Mrs. McCloed, Misses Jennie Edwards, Blanche Morris, Jewel Bussell, Carry Clark, Swan, Zelma Knight, Ethel Russey and Mrs. Randel.

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COME AND SEE

It will take you just a few minutes to look over our line of Dry Goods and Ladies' Ready-to-wear apparel and in this way you can find out to your own satisfaction whether or not it would pay you to buy here. Be just as critical, just as exacting, just as sharp eyed as you can when you come to see these goods, examine them thoroughly. You will then realize that no where else can you get more real value for your money than here.

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Save You Many Dollars

INVESTIGATE. It's to your own best interest to do so. You will find our goods to be every bit as good as we claim. COME.

## C. M. Hunt & Company

Haskell, Texas.

Mrs. Bob Irby of Munday was in the city Tuesday and attended the Bryan lecture.

Misses Myrtle Roberts, Annie Wilks and Pearl Vincent visited in Stamford Sunday.

Lost a black silk shawl. Reward to finder: Mrs. E. P. English.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robertson of Weibert attended the Bryan lecture Tuesday night.

J. L. Odell and family have returned from Roek Port where they spent the winter.

H. A. Woods of Waco has accepted the position as bookkeeper for J. J. Stein & Company.

33 yards of pure Linen Torchon Lace for \$1.00 at Hancock's.

Ed Frierson, local manager of the Haskell Telephone company, visited his parents at Albany last week.

Misses Wilks, Ruddle, Hudebath and Flowers came over from Rule to hear W. J. Bryan lecture.

Will pay cash for your second hand furniture. C. D. Grissom Furniture Co. Wm. Wells, Mgr. Phone 227.

We call attention to the advertisement of McNeill and Smith of their big sale of pocket knives.

Mrs. D. B. Thomas, Aline and Ermine Davis and E. P. Davis of Throckmorton attended the Bryan lecture.

G. B. Powell of the south east side was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Powell says his land is in fine condition.

R. W. Herren & Son's brand is H behind left shoulder. My brand is H— on left hip.

Fred Park and wife of the plains country, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Knowles of this city.

Mr. J. A. Parish of Rule, was in the city Thursday and handed us two dollars on subscription account.

We are selling furniture on installment and will take your old furniture on new. Gambill Bros.

Judge A. H. Carnigan of Stamford and Judge J. H. Cunningham of Abilene were in attendance upon county court Wednesday.

County health officer Dr. H. N. Robertson reports that all scarlet fever cases are doing well and that strict quarantine is being enforced.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Couch, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pierson of Aspermont attended the Bryan lecture at the M. E. Church Tuesday night.

Among those who attended the Bryan lecture from Rule were Judge and Mrs. A. C. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jones.

In case of rheumatism relief from pain makes sleep and rest possible. This may be obtained by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

Two good jacks at my place 4 miles east of Haskell, will make the season of 1911. Will sell either of them.

14-4t-pd. Warren T. Boatwright The little four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Draper died Sunday from scarlet fever and pneumonia and was buried in the Willow cemetery Monday.

Hon. F. M. Bralley, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and C. E. Evens, representing the Congress of Education, made addresses to an audience at the court house Friday the 14th inst. They came almost unannounced, hence the audience was small. The Haskell people appreciate the visit of these gentlemen.

Charles Taylor representing the Parlin and Orendorf implement people of Dallas, was in the city Tuesday.

WANTED—Stock of Racket goods. Have a good tract of land to trade for it. Daugherty in Sherrill Building.

WANTED—To repair your furniture or stoves. Phone 227. C. D. Grissom Furniture Co. Wm. Wells, Manager.

Messrs. Tom Arnett, Will Brownlee, Will Cockrell and Leonard Hall of Seymour, attended the Bryan lecture.

J. R. and E. E. Brown of Rochester were in Haskell first of the week and attended Bryan's lecture Tuesday night.

We are making special prices on refrigeration and lawn goods. Come and see them and get prices. Gambill Bros.

J. T. West of Rule, was in the city Thursday, and handed in his subscription to the Free Press.

J. W. Casey of Pauls Valley, Okla. passed through Haskell this week on his way to Throckmorton.

Mr. J. W. Smith returned from a business trip to Waxahachie this week.

W. W. Linville and family of Wichita Falls who have been visiting Mr. J. L. Linville, returned to their home Sunday.

E. M. Elliott who left a few weeks ago for Austin has almost entirely recovered from asthma with which he was afflicted.

Rev. Randal McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baker spent Sunday in Rule, where they assisted in organizing a Christian Sunday School.

Mrs. L. F. Meadow spent several days this week with her aunt, Miss Martha McCollum.

MONEY—  
I desire to lend some money on good farms and will purchase or extend vendors lien notes. M. Pierson. 161f

The O. D. H. S. Lodge, known as the Sons of Herman, a German organization, had a swell entertainment Monday night at the hall formerly occupied by the Elks.

Rev. R. C. McAdie a Presbyterian minister of Haskell preached at the Central Christian church last Sunday at 11 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.—Munday Times.

Lame soldier is nearly always due to rheumatism of the muscles, and quickly yields to the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

Norheutt and Ashcraft are the people to do your hauling. Our drays are always easy to find. Services prompt and reasonable charges. Phone, No. 45.

Several auto loads of people from Stamford, Anson, Rule and Throckmorton were in Haskell Tuesday and attended the lecture at the Methodist church by Bryn.

Editor Thomason, of the "city prosperous" was down Tuesday evening and attended Bryans lecture. The editor was accompanied by quite a crowd of the citizens of his city.

The Free Press is carrying a page ad. for a South Texas oil field proposition. These people seem to be offering a good thing. Write them. If you write them don't forget to mention the Free Press.

"Our baby cries for Chamberlain's cough remedy," writes Mrs. T. B. Kendrick, Rasaca, Ga. "It is the best cough remedy on the market for coughs, colds and croup." For sale by all dealers.

Take a business course in the Tyler Business College. Call at the Free Press office and get a scholarship. We can save \$15. on a scholarship. This is the best equipped business school in the south.

Mr. W. P. Whitman exhibited a sprig of alfalfa, Monday that he found growing on a street in Haskell. The sprig measured 27 inches in length. This volunteer growth ought to be an object lesson to the people of this section of country.

A party of College boys from Stamford were here to hear Bryan Tuesday night. Among the party were Dick Carney, W. C. Cameron, Durwood Wright, Jesse Cockrell, Alvin Chambers, Roy Jones and Fred Alexander.

Mrs. J. J. Guest and son, Dr. O. M. Guest were in Fort Worth last week to attend Dr. J. C. A. Guest of Wichita Falls, who was operated on for appendicitis. Mrs. Guest remained several days with her son.

When a medicine must be given to young children it should be pleasant to take. Chamberlain's cough remedy is made from loaf sugar, and the roots used in its preparation gives it a flavor similar to mandle syrup making it pleasant to take. It has no superior for colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale by all dealers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Couch and Mr. and Mrs. Warren of Knox City attended the Bryan lecture. Mr. Couch is a brother to G. R. and J. A. Couch of this city and Mrs. Warren is a sister to Mrs. Gordon B. McGuire.

The receipts of the lecture Tuesday night ran to \$503.75. Had it not been for rain and the fact that the local people reduced the admission price to suit the financial conditions, the receipts would have been much more.

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# SPECIAL SALE

74 dozen  
Manufactures Sample  
Pocket Knives  
Worth 75c to \$1.00

Your choice of any for 43c.

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Citation by Publication.  
The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County—  
GREETING:

You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the county of Haskell if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 39th judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 39th judicial district, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, E. E. Rosenberry whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Haskell at the Court House thereof, in Haskell on the 29th day of May A. D. 1911, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 13th day of March A. D. 1911, as amended by Plaintiff's First Amended Original Petition filed therein on the 20th day of April A. D. 1911, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 739, wherein C. D. Grissom is plaintiff, and J. H. Tims, W. C. Tims, W. L. Parks, Mrs. M. E. Parks, a feme sole, J. F. Weaver, E. E. Rosenberry, J. Bradfield and the National Bank of Daingerfield, a corporation duly incorporated, are defendants.

The nature of the plaintiff's demands being as follows, to-wit:

That on the 1st day of January 1910 plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Haskell county, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit: All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Haskell county, Texas, containing 501 1/2 acres a part of the B. F. Wood survey of one league and labor known as Abstract No. 403, Certificate No. 1 Survey No. 37, patented to H. L. Hensel and Thomas Kealey January 2nd, 1858 by Patent No. 892, Vol. 12, and part of a tract of 1003 acres of said Wood survey allotted to H. L. Hensel in the partition of said survey, the tract herein described comprising Block B containing 200 acres conveyed to L. M. Buie and B. E. Sparks by Chas. Hensel et al by deed dated March 15th, 1904, filed for record in the Deed Records of Haskell county, Texas, December 24th, 1904, Block E of 200 acres, conveyed to same grantees by same grantors by deed dated March 15th, 1904, and filed for record in the Deed Records of Haskell county, Texas, December 24th, 1904, and 101 1/2 acres, the south

half of block C, conveyed to same grantees by same grantors by deed dated March 15th, 1904 and filed for record in the Deed Records of Haskell county, Texas, December 24th, 1904. The said tract of 501 1/2 acres being described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a point on the west line of the said Wood original survey 866 vrs. from the N W corner of said original survey, being the N W corner of block B and S W corner of block A; thence N 89 deg. 44 min. E along the division line between block A and B at 1305 vrs. the N E corner of block B, continuing the same course across block C at 1970 vrs. the N W corner of block E, continuing the same course along the division line between block D and E 3278 vrs. to N E corner of block E in east line of said H. L. Hensel 1003 acres tract; Thence S with said east boundary line of said H. L. Hensel tract the E B line of block E 862 1/2 vrs. to S E corner of said Hensel 1003 acres tract and block E and of this tract; thence S 89 deg. 37 min. west along the S boundary line of said Hensel 1003 acres tract the S boundary line of block B, C and E at 1305 vrs. to S W corner of block E at 1973 vrs. the S W corner of block C, 3278 vrs. to the S W corner of block B and of said Hensel 1003 acres tract to a point in the west boundary line of the said B. F. Wood original survey; thence S along said west boundary line 866 vrs. to the place of beginning.

That on the day and year last aforesaid the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from him the possession thereof, to his damage of \$15,000.00; that the reasonable annual rental value of said land and premises is \$500.00.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendants be cited to appear and answer herein and that on hearing he have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises and that writ of restitution issue, and for all rents, damages and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, general and special, legal and equitable, to which he may be entitled.

Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court in Haskell, Texas, this, the 20th day of April A. D. 1911.

GUY O. STREET,  
Clerk District Court Haskell County, Texas.

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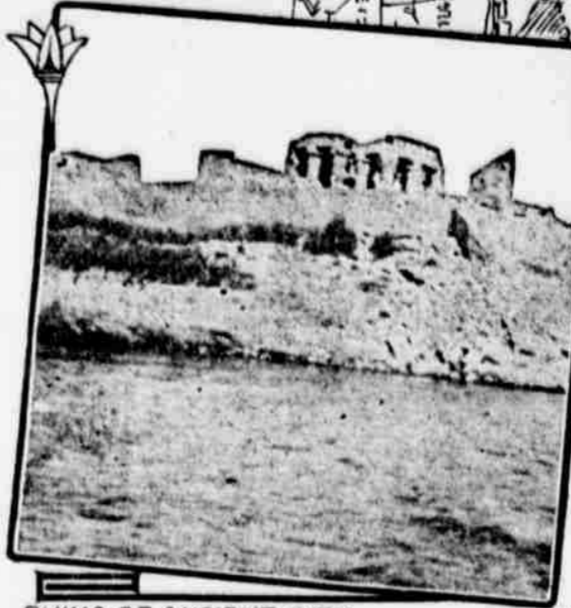
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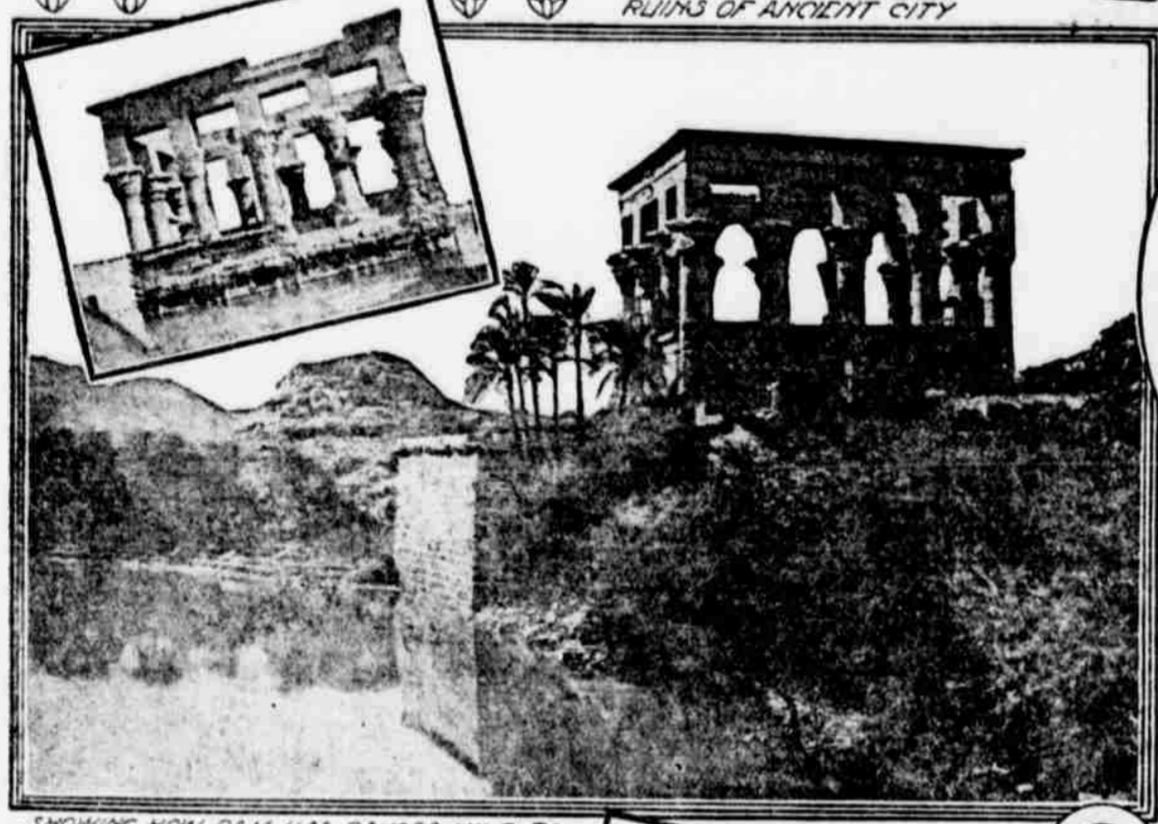
# BARE SECRETS OF EGYPT'S PAST

By WALLACE N. STEARNS

**N**ow would you like to be brought to light 2,000 years after you had been buried and to have the story of your life told again from what was found in your grave? Probably not a thimbleful could be gathered together, not a shred, not even a nail or metal scrap. Yet from the old cemeteries of Egypt the story of an extinct civilization is being wrought out anew. Kings and princes long since forgotten, arts long since lost, an almost endless panorama of a life that was hoary with age centuries before Homer sang, Solomon sat in judgment, while Europe was still the haunt of scattered savages



RUINS OF ANCIENT CITY



SHOWING HOW DAM HAS CAUSED Nile TO FLOOD ANCIENT TEMPLE

and before England had been snatched from the continent by the arms of the sea.

Think of the rubbish heaps of these ancient cities being dug up and of there being sifted out from the debris the story of the daily life of people 3,000 and even 5,000 years gone by. Think of a bundle of letters 3,000 years old that retold and in points corroborated the story of Palestine when the patriarchs were still alive. Think of digging from the ruins of an ancient metropolis the records of 7,000 years.

The Egyptians were a people of great deeds, of incredible achievements. Their first great structures, the pyramids, surpass in magnitude the works of these modern times. Khufu's pyramid covered thirteen acres and was 500 feet high. Seven hundred and fifty square feet—more than a seventh of a mile. Over 94,000,000 cubic feet of material quarried out, dragged to the Nile, floated down the stream, dragged up to the desert, and into place. How they did it engineers are still puzzled to know. So closely were these stones fitted together that in the outside courses, which now are in place only at the base, beneath the sand, the lines were scarcely visible and must be outlined with charcoal to be photographed.

Scarcely less wonderful were the temples of the mighty Ramesses. The gateway at Luxor was 100 feet wide and 80 feet high, and was flanked by obelisks 82 feet high. Before the temple at Tanis stood a 90-foot statue of the king. Leading from Luxor to Karnak was a great avenue more than a mile and a quarter long, 80 feet wide, and flanked on either side the entire distance by colossal sphinxes. In the great Hall of Columns at Karnak stands 12 columns 35 feet in circumference and 80 feet high. Flanking these are 122 columns 27 feet in girth and 49 feet high. Crowning these are hundred-ton architectraves. Here stood huge obelisks 98 and 125 feet high, one obelisk weighed a thousand tons. In one city were 14 of these huge monoliths. More than 4,000 years ago the genius of man carved these cyclopean blocks from the rock, transported them for miles down stream and across country, and finally lifted them onto high walls or set them up on end, an enigma to modern engineers.



SCENE ON THE NILE

Not only are there such outward evidences of Egypt's wealth. From the burials come the very objects with which the people were wont to surround themselves. The tombs of the kings have given us the grave of Ioua and Tioua with its chariot, funeral sledges, mummy cases, chairs, beds, and jewel box—all gilded and paneled; alabaster vases, and larder still stored with food. Even the feather cushions have been preserved these 3,000 years.

The excavations of 1906 brought to light the wonderful Hathor shrine with its statue of Egypt's cow-goddess plumed and crowned with the lunar disc, trailing lotus blossoms from her splendid head and with the stars of heaven gleaming along her form. Beneath her kneels the infant king whom she nourishes; before her stands the dead king whom she protects.

The excavating of ancient sites is a task that calls for expert knowledge, the utmost skill, painstaking care, and no small diplomacy. Often owners, more or less real, must be placated and bought off. Before money is expended the utmost care must be taken to insure a profitable site. Trial trenches and shafts must be driven to confirm or disprove, if possible, expectations. When at last the site seems feasible, the work begins in earnest.

The excavations of ancient sites is a task that needs in the field, has just entered upon the work at Abydos. Following the methods of scientific excavators, they are setting for a long period. A considerable tract of land has been se-

**MONEY**  
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PYRAMID AND SPHINX

cured, necessary buildings erected for the health of workmen and the preservation of antiquities. Not only are actual remains to be sought, but also important historical or artistic questions are to be solved. Indeed, the Egyptian Exploration Fund was the first to employ this method of clearing old monuments and of showing the world what they were.

Such stupendous undertakings call for equipment on a considerable scale. By the courtesy of Sir Gaston Maspero, the government has loaned to the Fund a light railway with equipment. Work must be rapid. December 1 to April 1 marks the working year. Every moment is precious. Every car load must count. Every shovelful of earth must be carefully sifted wherever there is a possibility of a find. Even a basket brigade is sometimes pressed into use. As soon as some apparently valuable piece of located, workmen are called off, experts are sent in, every man is on guard; carefully every inch of soil is watched as the last few baskets of earth are removed. Every fragment must be saved and laid away until everything has been recovered. Think of the disappointment when a magnificent statue comes out headless, for example. Think of the conjectures as to the whereabouts of the missing piece and the furore when, perhaps weeks afterward, the lost is found. There is an air of hushed expectancy, a suppressed excitement hovering over, that keeps men up under the most tense strain under which the work is of necessity conducted.

America has joined hands with the old world in prosecuting the work. An American professor, Dr. Whittemore, is now with the staff in the field. An American secretary, Mrs. Marie N. Buckman, has been assigned to the direction of the American office, located in Tremont temple, Boston. Wonderful are the results attained. Every student of history and literature, every student of the Bible is vitally concerned in the confirmations yearly coming to light from the sands of Egypt.

There is need of haste. To extend the arable district of Egypt is an economic necessity. Accordingly, the British government has erected at Assuan a great dam, whose 95-foot head has sent the waters of the Nile back over great areas of hitherto dry ground. Already a dozen great temples have been flooded, and ere long will be forever lost to sight. Already beautiful Philae, at the head of the first cataract, is gone. The soil is becoming infiltrated, and the stores of treasures, especially the papyrus manuscripts, are being ruined even before the waters cover the ground above.

## UNWRITTEN LAWS

Traditions Which Have Almost the Force of Statutes

There is a class of unwritten law which does not and cannot become written law, says Case and Comment, because it approaches so near the danger line that man dare not recognize it to the extent of publishing it and declaring it as a part of the positive law.

It is the unwritten law of the sea that a captain must go down with his ship. Men dare not write it into the contract, and nations dare not incorporate it in their navy or marine regulations, yet the tyrants of the sea know the law, and believe that to obey it betters their service, and there are few instances of its being disregarded.

It is the unwritten law of the army and navy that an officer shall not seek cover, or at least shall not show apprehension of danger to his person, in time of battle and in the presence of enlisted men or common sailors. In the Franco-Prussian war nearly four thousand officers of the German army were killed and the great majority of them gave up their lives because they believed in this law of conduct.

In obedience to this law Farragut bound himself to the mast, Lee rode to the head of his charging column at the bloody angle, and Lawton

walked coolly in front of the line and was shot in the presence of his men.

The law of the right of revolution has been much talked about and much written about. Every intelligent citizen believes that he has the right under certain conditions to oppose the established government of his own land and join in an effort to establish another in its place. Just prior to and during the Civil war there was much discussion in this country by learned men on either side of the right of revolution and the "higher power" and the "greater law."

The law justifying one person in the killing of another has required the serious consideration of every country. Every criminal code provides certain punishments for homicide, and many of them graduate the punishment with minute particularity, according to the circumstances of the killing, so that any one of six crimes may be involved in a single tragedy. Such codes also attempt to define what killing is justifiable and what is excusable and with their interpretation by the courts attempt to describe the only conditions under which one human being can kill another.

The Hebrew code almost stands alone in its

recognition of man's desire to kill and his right to have that desire and that climax of all satisfactions which comes to him who under great provocation slays another. It is not at all strange that in his branch there should be an extended code of unwritten law, unwritten now and always to be unwritten for the reason that the recognition given by its embodiment in the statutes would be taken as a license by dishonest men and would result in harm rather than good.

It is an unwritten law among the officers of the army that if a subordinate officer kills a superior officer because that officer has publicly degraded him by striking him or by other action equally humiliating then the court-martial will not convict. During the Civil war at Louisville, Ky., General Nelson said to General Davis:

"How many men have you?"  
General Davis replied, "About—" giving an approximate number.  
Nelson said, "You an army officer and say 'about!' Why don't you 'know' how many men you have?" And with that he struck Davis in the face with his glove. Davis shot and killed him, and the court-martial acquitted Davis.



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# NEEDS GREAT CARE IN MAKING

Hollandaise Sauce is Delicious but Must Be Attended To With the Utmost Skill.

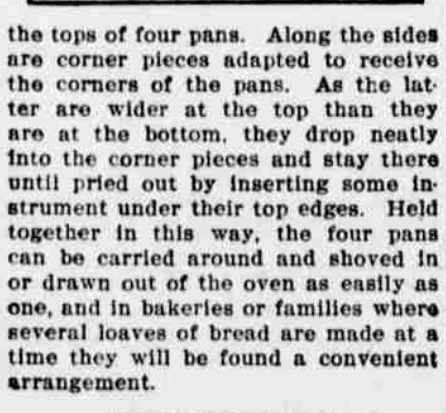
Hollandaise sauce, which is a good deal like a warm mayonnaise, is the most delicious delicacy in the French chef's kitchen, but it is easily spoiled if not carefully made and attended to. Put a pan with warm water on a part of the stove where heat is mild; set a small deep saucepan in it and drop in yolks of two eggs. Stir in, as oil is put in mayonnaise, two-thirds of a cupful of butter, putting in one small nut-size piece at a time. Watch the sauce faithfully, not letting the water get hot, but keeping it warm enough to melt the butter. When the butter is all in and melted, add salt and pepper. Then take vessel from the fire and stir in the juice of half a lemon. Serve at once in a warmed sauce-boat with boiled fish, asparagus, cauliflower or artichokes.

The least inattention while making this sauce will spoil it completely. Too much heat, or too long a stay on the fire will curdle the eggs.

# FOUR BREAD PANS IN ONE

Novel Baking Device That May Be Found Convenient in Bakeries or Families.

A baking arrangement which combines four bread pans in one yet bakes four separate loaves has been designed by an Illinois man. The advantage claimed for it is that the baker is saved the trouble of handling a number of separate receptacles. The device consists of a rectangular metal strip large enough to enclose the tops of four pans. Along the sides are corner pieces adapted to receive the corners of the pans. As the latter are wider at the top than they are at the bottom, they drop neatly into the corner pieces and stay there until pried out by inserting some instrument under their top edges. Held together in this way, the four pans can be carried around and shoved in or drawn out of the oven as easily as one, and in bakeries or families where several loaves of bread are made at a time they will be found a convenient arrangement.



# Charlotte Baskets.

Beat yolks of two eggs till thick, and lemon colored, add one-half cup of sugar, gradually continuing beating; then add one and one-half tablespoons of cold water; put three-fourths tablespoon of cornstarch in a cup and add flour to half filled cup. Mix and sift cornstarch and flour with three-fourths tablespoon of baking powder and a pinch of salt, and add to first mixture. When well mixed add one-half teaspoon of lemon extract and whites of two eggs beaten stiff. Bake in buttered gem pans fifteen or twenty minutes, scoop out center, and fill with whipped cream.

# Fudge Cake.

One cup sugar, two-thirds cup butter, three eggs, one cup milk, 2 1/2 cups of flour, one heaping teaspoon baking powder, one-fourth cup of chocolate, one-half cup of English walnuts broken up coarsely. Cream butter and sugar together, add the cup of milk and then stir in lightly the flour, in which the heaping spoonful of baking powder has been sifted. Stir in the chocolate, which has been dissolved by placing in a cup and setting in hot water; add nuts and lastly the eggs, which should be beaten, whites and yolks separately.

# Chocolate Walnut Pudding.

Boil one pint of milk, add half a cup of sugar, three tablespoonfuls grated chocolate, one tablespoonful cornstarch; wet in a little cold milk; yolks of two eggs beaten light; cook in a double boiler until thick; remove from fire; add one-half cup of broken walnut meats; mix thoroughly; serve very cold in tall glasses with a big spoonful of whipped cream on top.

# Rye Bread Made With Sour Milk.

Two and one-half cups sour milk, hard the size of an egg, a little salt, 3 cups rye meal, 1 cup bread flour, 2 1/2 even teaspoons soda, 2 table-spoons molasses. Bake in a moderate oven until when tried with a knitting needle it will not stick.

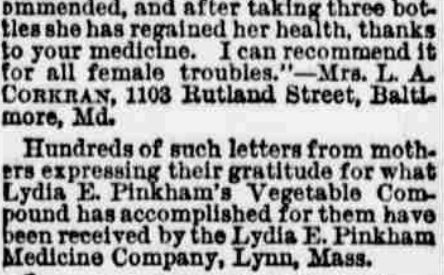
# Turnip Soup.

Boil enough turnips, drain and rub through a sieve to make one pint, add to this two quarts hot milk, one-half teaspoonful soda, one tablespoonful salt, two tablespoonfuls onion juice; thicken with a little flour, pepper and a lump of butter; let come to a boil and serve.

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I have a registered trotting stallion, his No. 47958. John T. Cecil foaled 1906 by Cecil Allerton, No. 38974, he by Allerton 209 1-4. Dam Si Rene by Sirocco 4643; grand dam Dollie Clutes by Joe Gavin 564, etc. (See Si Rene Vol 9.) Bred by J. L. Murphy, Itasca, Texas. John T. Cecil is a rich mahogany bay, 16 1-2 hands high, weighs 1175 lbs, and stepped a mile in 2.40

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