

# THE O'DONNELL INDEX

## 14,000 LAWGE IN TWO FIRST WEEK

### THE LADIES' AUXILIARY OF THE FERN ... RECEIVES CHARTER HERE THURSDAY NIGHT

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Fern Post of the American Legion ... received the charter last Thursday ... by more than an hundred members and guests.

## Six Years Ago

News items taken from files of the O'Donnell Index published here six years ago.

OCTOBER 10, 1924

Plans were retarding cotton pick ... 1743 bales harvested ...

A Boy Scout troop was organized ... by Mr. Jones, principal of the high school in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ballew were ... on the arrival of a 12 ... daughter. She celebrated her ... birthday Friday.

High school classes had elected ... following officers: Seniors ...

Community Club met at the ... of Mrs. L. H. Moore with the ...

Overeilly Wells celebrated her ... birthday with a party for a num ...

Miss Willis received her ... diploma for sale record ...

Last week the Index carried an ... advertisement ...

### WEST TEXAS PIONEER BURIED MONDAY

Funeral services for W. L. Hancock, prominent farmer of the Hancock community, were held at Lamesa Monday.

Mr. Hancock was found unconscious beside his overhauled car ... on a highway ...

### TRADE WEEK SHOWS DRAW LARGE CROWDS

Several merchants and citizens of O'Donnell have been in attendance this week at the style shows which are the main feature of Trade Week at Lubbock.

### FORER KNOX CITY JUDGE DIES AT ALBANY

News which will be of interest to our many readers who are former residents of Knox County has been received by word of a ...

### BEAUTY SPECIALISTS AT WELCH'S THIS WEEK

Mmes Jerry Bass and Allie Booker of Loreane's Beauty Shop at Lubbock have been in O'Donnell this week for a ...

### TUCKER DRY GOODS OPENS SALE TODAY

According to the double-page ad appearing on pages four and five of this issue of the Index, L. D. Tucker has his big sale today opening the first sale of the fall season with numerous timely bargains.

## O'DONNELL SCHOOL NEWS

### Eagles Make Good Showing In Game With Olton Wednesday

The O'Donnell Eagles played the best football of the season Wednesday when they met the Olton eleven at Lubbock. Though the score was 12-0 in Olton's favor, Coach Seiler jubilant over the teamwork and brilliant playing of the local aggregation.

### Game At Brownfield Friday

The Eagles go to Brownfield today (Friday) for a game with the fast Brownfield team. The boys have been working out in great style this week, and prospects are good for a scrappy game.

### Eagles Win Game Friday

The Eagles, Coach Scott's second string team, are stepping high and fielding fine this week after a game with the Tahoka Rinky-Dinks Friday which ended in a victory for the local squad.

### Line-up of O'Donnell was: L. E. Rayment, Debenport, L. T. Benny Moore;

There will be a meeting of the P. T. A. next Wednesday afternoon, October 15, in the high school auditorium. All patrons are cordially invited to attend.

### Home-Making Class to Be Organized

Announcement has been made by the Home Economics Department that on next Friday afternoon at four o'clock an adult class in home making will be organized.

### Spanish Club Organized

An organization which promises to be of much interest to high school students is the Spanish Club, which was organized last week.

## Local News

Miss Thelma Palmer spent the week-end in Lovington, N. M., the guest of Miss Louisa Gray Heard.

Mrs. L. D. Tucker and daughters, Frances and Marie, are the guests this week of L. D. Tucker, coming down from Roswell for the week-end.

Miss Alma Hyde and Jeanette Thomas went to the style show at Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rogers have returned from a visit of several days with their daughter, Mrs. N. M. Wyatt and family at Tahoka.

Casey Cabool spent the week-end with his nephew, Charlie Cabool.

Haskell McElroy of Lubbock spent Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. A. McElroy.

H. E. Gillipie of Levelland is here this week on business.

### FRITZ SELLS UNDERTAKING BUSINESS TO HIGGINBOTHAM

A transaction was completed this week whereby J. S. Fritz, local man sold his undertaking business and supplies to the Higginbotham Funeral Home of Lamesa.

### Grammar School News

Fourth Grade Honor Roll: Gwendolyn Hodges, Letta Merle Koeninger, Jeanette Bullard, Marjorie Musick, and Lois Howard.

### BARGAINS IN MERCHANDISE LISTED FOR THIS WEEK

Bargains in all kinds of merchandise are listed this week for the benefit of our trade territory. Thornhill's Variety Store is opening a sale Saturday that will extend over the entire store.

### P. T. A.

There will be a meeting of the P. T. A. next Wednesday afternoon, October 15, in the high school auditorium. All patrons are cordially invited to attend.

### Called to Ardmore to Bedside of Nephew

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gooch left Tuesday night for Ardmore, Oklahoma, where Mrs. Gooch's nephew had undergone an operation.

### Churchmen Met At Lubbock Thursday

Rev. C. A. Duncan, pastor of the Methodist church, and B. M. Haymes, lay leader, represented O'Donnell at an all-day meeting of ministers and laymen of the Lubbock district which was held at Ashbury Methodist Church, Lubbock, Thursday.

### S. S. CLASS SENDS BOX TO ADOPTED SISTER

The Comrades Class of the Methodist Sunday School this week mailed a box of lovely winter clothing to their "little sister" at the orphanage at Waco.

### Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibson were Lubbock visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibson were Lubbock visitors Monday. Mr. Gibson attended a hearing of the Railroad Commission that was in session here that day.

### Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McMillan of Hartsburg spent a few days the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jordan of Looey spent the week-end with friends and relatives here.

### PEMBERTON GIN BURNS FRIDAY EVENING

### AL SCOTT'S HOUSE DESTROYED BY BLAZE LATE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Losses of Both Gin And House Are Partially Covered By Insurance

The local fire department was called into action twice last week to fight fires, one at Pemberton's Gin, the other a house owned by Al Scott in the extreme south part of town.

### At mid-night a week ago Wednesday night a light waked Mr. and Mrs. John Earles, and upon looking from their window they discovered the house consumed by fire.

The fire department answered the call, but lack of hose to reach the structure prevented their saving the house. Chemicals were used, but the blaze had gained too much headway for it to be effective.

### 1497 BALES

This is an increase of only 391 bales over last week's report, the falling off in the report being due to the rain of the past week.

### COTTON GINNED IN O'DONNELL

Cotton ginned in O'Donnell upto Wednesday noon, October 8, amounted to 1497 bales.

### Merchants report that weekly sales show very little depression, though last Saturday was not as busy as the previous one.

A strong breeze and hot sunshine have put the pickers back in the field and keeping a steady flow of cotton at the gins.

### MRS. JOHN EARLES' CANNED BLACK BERRIES WIN FIRST SOUTH PLAINS FAIR

Mrs. John Earles has gained wide recognition as a canner of black berries. In the County Home Demonstration at Tahoka the canned berries won first place, and again at the South Plains-Panhandle Fair at Lubbock last week the blue ribbon was placed on the berries.

### A new British invention, called the Sharmen main flinder, is designed to locate water under the ground, which sends a buzz through an earphone when it is directly over water or a gas pipe.

**The O'Donnell Index**

Published every Friday at O'Donnell, Texas

W. H. RITZENHALER  
Editor and Owner

\$1.50 PER YEAR—IN ADVANCE

Advertising Rates on Application.

Entered as second class matter September 28, 1923, at the post office at O'Donnell, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Most campaign thunder is accompanied by very little lightning.

A victim of a bad check artist writes a plea for "a really good bad check law."

Possibly Senators object to women colleagues because they fear the ladies may out-talk 'em.

In case of moonshine overproduction we may expect someone to start a buy-a-gallon movement.

Recent flops on the wet and dry question illustrate how elastic a politician's convictions can be.

Texas Guinan is now a newspaper columnist, and we'll bet there either a ghost or an angel back of it.

Members of the new Tariff Commission have been appointed and may now prepare for investigation.

A writer says President Hoover took office without any political training. But he'll have some when he leaves.

The grammar class may parse this sentence, displayed on a sign in front of an Atlanta theatre: "Joan Sawyer in Our Blushing Brides Cooled by Refrigeration."

Mrs. Will Rogers says her husband is never funny around home. Which may mean that Will is afraid to get funny with the Mrs. or that she has a poor sense of humor.

Gloria Swanson says of her husband, "Apart, we will always be good friends." She seems to have solved the problem of how to be happy though married.

Booth Tarkington predicts that by 1950 men will have discarded shirts. Which caused the Pathfinder to remark that those who continue to flirt with the stock market will.

**THE FIRE DEPARTMENT**

The first line of defense against fire in any community is the fire department. Its efficiency may determine whether a blaze shall be quickly subdued, with a minimum loss, or whether it shall become a roaring, destructive conflagration.

Our modern fire departments present an interesting contrast to those of ancient times. It was not until after the great London fire of 1666 that fire fighting was given serious study and organize fire departments created.

In this country the first public fire fighting organizations of importance were the volunteer "fire societies" which combined preparedness for fire with social diversions. The first successful team pumping engine was adopted and used by Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1853.

Nowadays the up-to-date fire department is equipped with deluge sets, turret pipes and water towers capable of projecting streams of water as high as eight stories above the ground. Vast progress has been made in the perfection of our fire fighting facilities, and they are still in progress of evolution. Every American community, large or small, has found that a high-class fire fighting organization, well equipped, is one of the best possible investments.



**CARILLON OF 72 BELLS**

This month the largest carillon in the world was installed in the tower of the four million dollar Riverside Church in New York. It has 72 bells with a range of six octaves, the largest bell weighing 20 tons.

The carillon tower is 360 feet high into which the bells were hoisted by electricity, using steel cables. Three bells in the world are larger than the big bass bell of the carillon, but it has the deepest tone. It is about eight feet high, its clapper alone weighing as much as the Liberty Bell, about a ton.

The tower and carillon are the gift of John D. Rockefeller, Jr. He and his father are the largest contributors to the new church, of which Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick will be the pastor when it is opened for worship in October.

Riverside Church, with its great carillon, will be a notable addition to the many fine religious edifices of the nation's metropolises.

**THE LAST VETERAN**

Never again will a veteran of the Civil War raise his voice or cast his vote in the Congress of the United States. The recent death of Congressman Charles Manly Stedman of North Carolina makes this melancholy fact. He was the last veteran of the '60s in either branch of Congress.

Senator Warren of Wyoming, the last Union soldier to serve in that body, died last year. Major Stedman was 89 years of age at the time of his death. He did not enter Congress until he was past 70, and was finishing his fourth term, after which he had some months ago signified his intention to retire. But fate decreed that he should die in the office he had creditably held so long.

Born on January 28, 1841, Major Stedman served as private, lieutenant, captain and major under Lee, and was wounded three times in action. He was a lawyer by profession and had served as lieutenant-governor of North Carolina before entering Congress. On his last birthday Congressman Daughton of that state paid a fine tribute to Major Stedman which included these words: "He has by his great ability, courtly manners, conscientious devotion to duty, his assiduous and untiring energy, rendered a service that has commanded national recognition, approval and admiration."

Use the classified ads for results.

**FOR TRADE**

Twenty room concrete block hotel fully furnished at Snyder, Texas. Will trade for Plains land. Assume some indebtedness. 1-3p.

**Boren & Graham**  
SNYDER, TEXAS

**Falling**

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?  
Edison R. Waite  
Shawnee, Oklahoma

THAT one of the best ways to build a city is for the citizens to unite in building up home institutions.

A campaign of education to teach the importance of the home city should be put on in many cities. Too many people make their living in a city and spend most all their money in some other city. Outside concerns pay no taxes in your city; all they do is take away and put nothing back. It is always better to oil the machinery that builds the home city than to grease the wheels that build some other city and kills yours. People who have pride, in the home city and want to see it progress, who want to see their city kept out of the rut, who want to help instead of hinder, have the proper spirit—**THEY BUY AT HOME!** The home city should be in the minds of every citizen and the business concerns of the home city should track first.

Good Citizens have interest of the home city at heart. They are always endeavoring to make the home city bigger and better.

**CARE FOR THE CANARY.**

Although canaries when acclimated can stand a good deal of cold, they are susceptible to sudden changes in temperature, and their cages should be hung away from drafts, says the Biological Survey of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It is a good plan to hang a cage before a window, where the birds will get light and sunshine, provided it is draft-proof and kept closed in cold or stormy weather. Keep the room at a fairly even temperature day and night, and in cold weather cover the cage with a cloth at night, says the survey. Don't hang a cage above a radiator, or in the kitchen.

Use the classified ads for results.

**END OF A GREAT SHIP**

After carrying the Stars and Stripes under three names—New York, Saratoga, Rochester—for 37 years, one of the proudest ships of the American Navy is now doomed to the scrap heap.

As the New York, she was Admiral Sampson's flagship at Saratoga; later flying the flag of Fighting Bob Evans, she entertained the German emperor at Kiel; she was the pride of the Navy in Asiatic waters.

She gave up her name to a new battleship and became the Saratoga, taking her place in the ranks of adolescent vessels. Still later she yielded her name to the great aircraft carrier Saratoga, and as such will go to her doom.

As a last gesture, as if to remind the nation of her past glory, the Rochester this year won the battle efficiency pennant for cruisers of the second line.

But her fighting and cruising days are over. Too old to oppose modern craft, too slow for other effective service, she must pass from the Navy list. And she goes proudly—a pennant of victory streaming from her mast.

**AVERAGE FAMILY'S BREAD BILL EXCEEDS ELECTRICAL**

The average family spends 9c a day for electricity—less than the price of:

- Loaf of bread 10c
- Dozen rolls 18c
- Quart of milk 11c
- 2 lbs. of sugar 11c
- Package cigarettes 15c
- One shoe shine 10c

**Top Prices Paid For HOGS**

EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR  
**L. E. BILLINGSLEY**  
LAMESA, TEXAS  
Day Phone 155 Night Phone 53 1-5p.

**O'DONNELL FEED & COAL**

Let's keep our grain at home in temperature, and their cages should be hung away from drafts, says the Biological Survey of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It is a good plan to hang a cage before a window, where the birds will get light and sunshine, provided it is draft-proof and kept closed in cold or stormy weather. Keep the room at a fairly even temperature day and night, and in cold weather cover the cage with a cloth at night, says the survey. Don't hang a cage above a radiator, or in the kitchen.

FEED FLOUR — SEED  
SALT — COAL  
We Appreciate Your Patronage.

**TEXAS UNIVERSITY GETS \$10,000 BEQUEST AFTER THREE YEARS IN COURT**

AUSTIN, OCTOBER 8.—After being tied up in court legislation for more than three years, a bequest of \$10,000, made by the late B. O. Thrasher of El Paso, University of Texas students, has at last come to the University, according to President M. T. Benedict, who recently received a check for this amount from the executors of the Thrasher estate. Dr. Benedict, a 1910 graduate of the University School of Medicine, will this year to the University in July, 1927, asking that it be used by the school of Medicine "in preference to any other use within the mind." Dr. Thrasher further stipulated that the principal be used as an endowment fund and only the income be used. His relatives concurred in making the bequest to the University.

**INTERESTING BREVITIES**

Night football equipment is being arranged for the new Fair Park Stadium, Dallas, with a seating capacity of 45,000. Night tennis is being played in many tennis courts while night baseball, the first of which was seen this year, promises to be almost a general thing in minor league cities in another season. The tallest building in New York the new Chrysler structure that up-rears to a top of 1,046 feet from the sidewalks, is being piped for gas to cook food, heat water and do other things hundreds of feet above the ground.

Thirteen American cities are using "trackless trolleys" or troll-buses — Baltimore, Philadelphia, Rochester, Cohoes, N. Y. Salt Lake City, New Orleans, Chicago, Knoxville, Detroit, Brooklyn, Boston, Denver and Milwaukee.

The Bronx Terminal Market, a municipal project on which the Hyatt administration spent \$17,000,000 on which the City of New York is spending \$177,000 a year to maintain, is returning \$15,000 a year in rentals, representing its gross income. The New York World figured out that it would make a profit after covering operating expenses, interest on investment, depreciation and other charges, the market would have to net between \$400,000 and \$500,000 annually.

Wisdom is knowing what to do next. Skill is knowing how to do and virtue is doing it.—David S. Jordan.

**SCRAMBLED SLOGANS**

Here is a nice parlor game. It is written on slips of paper certain well-known slogans. On another set of slips write the names of the various advertisers concerned. Mix each in a hat or other receptacle and draw one slip from each and compare. Here are some of the results reported by a contemporary: "Eventually, Why Not Now?" National Funeral Directors' Association. "God To The Last Drop."—Holland China. "Has the Strength of Gibraltar"—Brookfield Butter. "The Danger Line."—Pennsylvania Railroad.

**Safety**

A Car Is As Safe As Its  
**BRAKES**

Can you stop your car when you need to?

**The New Ford**

has  
225 1/2 square inches  
Breaking Area

Call On Us For A Demonstration

**LYNN COUNTY MOTOR CO.**

**Motor Performance the maker intended**

**Phill-up with Phillips 66**

highest test... years ahead... as advanced as the car you drive

THE GASOLINE OF CONTROLLED VOLATILITY

W. H. VEAZE, Local Agent

STATION NO. 1070

BULK PLANT NO. 760



**FOR REAL Information**

on the food question just ask her—the Queen of the House. She'll tell you that pastries and bread are better when they come from

**City Bakery**

BUY IT MADE IN O'DONNELL

MR. AND MRS. L. R. SMITH

Phone 13  
O'Donnell, Texas



### How to Raise Poultry

By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., St. Louis, Mo.

Dr. LeGear is a graduate of the Ontario Veterinary college, 1892. Thirty-six years of live stock and poultry. Eminent authority on poultry and stock raising. National and international breeder. Noted author and lecturer.



#### ARTICLE XIX

### WHEN NATURE "MOTHERS" THE EGGS

Leave the Whole Job to Your Mother. If You Use Nature's Method of Simple Rules Insures a Maximum Degree of Success.

Editor's Note—This is another of our series of articles on poultry raising written by the well known national authority, Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., of St. Louis. The emphasis will appear in this paper. Readers are urged to read them carefully and clip them out for reference.

The question which is best, hen incubator, has been discussed previously on almost as much as that one favorite of old time high school debating societies: "Which is best, the chicken or the egg?" A real solution of the problem depends largely on circumstances. A number of reasons, the commercial poultry raiser is forced to use incubator. For the owner of the large back yard or farm flock, however, it often happens that hens serve the purpose just as well for much smaller outlay. Unless the commercial breeder, he can ally afford to keep hens any and the problem of securing high broody hens for his entire flock is not very often encountered. As far as results are concerned, the method is as good as the other proper methods are employed. First of all, considerable care should be exercised in the selection hens used for hatching eggs. The hatching points are very important, hens should have a well developed broody inclination; should be temper, free from nervousness and not too offensive when approached while setting. A yearling two-year-old is more dependable as a pullet; never use pullets if

you can avoid it. Use only hens that are large enough to thoroughly cover the desired number of eggs with a little. Use only healthy, vigorous hens, in good flesh and having bright eyes, and red combs.

Eggs should not be put under any hen until she has shown well developed signs of broodiness. It is a good plan to put several china eggs under her ladyship at first and confine her to the nest for a day or two. If at the end of the second day she still shows unmistakable signs of broodiness, remove the china eggs and give her the eggs to be hatched. Let her feel the eggs under her before releasing her. Then confine her to the nest for a day or two so that there will be no danger of her deserting her nest.

A setting hen should be given a place to herself where she cannot be disturbed by other hens trying to crowd into the nest with her. When it is necessary to set hens in groups, each one should have an individual run fenced off with chicken wire. If that is not practical, hens should be confined to their nests and only released at regular intervals so they can eat and exercise. Unless this plan is followed, you will often find one or two hens crowded into one nest, or more hens crowded on the other nests.

If setting coops are placed on high ground with sufficient drainage all around, nests may be placed directly on the ground. Scoop out a depression so the nest can be properly shaped to keep the eggs from rolling out. If conditions make it necessary to have a floor in the coop, old or loose dirt can be used to support the outer edges of the nest. Better still, make the nest in a box about 6 inches deep and 15 inches square for ordinary breeds. For Asiatics, nest boxes should be from 18 to 20 inches square. Pack soil or earth in the corners to round them out. Then arrange your nesting material inside the depression so formed. The use of wet material is advisable because it helps to conserve the moisture so necessary during incubation.

(Copyright, 1930, by Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S.)

### ON TEXAS FARMS

W. H. Darrow, Extension Service Editor

Three terraced farms in San Saba county have been compared with the terraced farms in the same county and found to have 40 to 50 per cent bigger crops. This is generally true throughout the state as to be noticeable. The county agent knows, for he's getting the statistics for terracing aid.

O. Masten in Collingsworth county plowed 160 acres of his 215 acre farm in a depth of 13 inches last spring to the blowing. Using home-made terraced plows with the same depth as the usual size, it took seven days to pull a 14-inch plow, but thinks it's worth it because not an inch blew out and the crop was abundantly uniform from end to end two weeks earlier than usual. Many farmers in regions of light soil are planning to try out terraced plowing next season.

Speaking of deep plowing, the classic in this line is that of the Terry counties where county agent demonstrations began years ago in plowing up clay on the shinary sands stopping plowing and almost doubling yields of grain sorghums and cotton. It is said that this method, the cost of which is not prohibitive, may mean transformation of a million acres of land from the sub-marginal to the farming class. Heavy machinery is used in plowing to depths ranging from 10 to 18 inches. One statement is said to be enough.

Whenever folks mention deep plowing they usually think also of terracing. Waiting until after Christmas to prepare land is being scorned by county agents. The last year's crop demonstration showed that wheat, feed, and other crops made substantially big yields when the plowing was done earlier or fall.

Women Twenty Yards Demonstrated—Twenty five of a demonstration club women of Jefferson county competing in a recent beautification contest planted 25 street and shrubs, 15,000 hedge cuttings, 12,000 roses and vine plants. The contest followed a plan made by Mrs. Bertschler, Superintendent of Extension of Beaumont, who judged the contest at the beginning and at the end of the contest. The roses were planted and each contestant rooted 25 hedge cuttings fall planting. At the close of the contest Mrs. Bertschler congratulated the club members on their achievement, which included the opportunity to any one interested in the beautification of the community.

### KONJOLA ONLY MEDICINE THAT DID ANY GOOD

Victim Of Rheumatism No Longer Needs Crutches—See What Modern Medicine Did For Him



MR. A. J. HARRYMAN

"Since last March I was on crutches and had rheumatism so badly that for three months I could not close my hands," said Mr. A. J. Harryman, 4109 avenue Q in Galveston. "My knees were so weak that they gave way when I stood. My ankles and feet were so sore that I could not walk ten feet. My kidneys were so weak that night-risings were frequent."

"Of all the medicines I tried, Konjola was the only one to do me any good. I have taken four bottles and I no longer need to use crutches. I can now open my hands and I walk without pain. My kidneys are so much better that night risings are no longer necessary. I endorse Konjola because it is the only medicine that brought results."

It is such records as this that have made Konjola the most talked of medicine in America. Try Konjola today. Konjola is sold at O'Donnell, Texas at The Whitsett Drug Co., and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section. Adv.

These men feed 539 calves an average of 115 days with daily gains of more than two pounds per head. These calves were started on feed at an average initial weight of 273 pounds per head, and were sold early last spring at weights averaging 509 pounds. They were bought last fall at about 8 1/2 cents per pound and sold prior to April 1st for slightly more than 10 cents per pound. Complete expenses, including initial cost, marketing, and market price of home-grown feeds averaged \$52.32 per head, leaving a net profit per animal of \$6.92, or expressed in another way, paying the feeders 37c and more per hundred for forage and 64c more per hundred for grain than market price. The manure produced is considered equal in value to the labor of feeding and handling, he says.

The usual ration consisted of ear corn or grain sorghum heads and orzghum hay supplemented with cottonseed meal. E. G. Gross, Kately, Mason county, fed 18 calves of his own raising 180 days on a ration per calf of 918 pounds of mato heads, 198 pounds ear corn, 468 pounds oats, 414 pounds cottonseed meal, 360 pounds red top hay, and 300 pounds milo stalk. They gained 302 pounds and sold at 727 pounds for a price of \$12.50 on the Fort Worth market, March 5th, last.

WHAT IS IT FOR? A minority party is one that thinks up ideas that it either one can steal to keep itself in power.

### Ride To Wed On Bike

\*\*\*\*\*

### CAT GETS DRUNK

\*\*\*\*\*

### Cow Steals Car Key

Paul Ellis of Chicago has been married so often that he has lost count, but he thinks it is his ninth wife who wants her \$113 back all money.

Because Frank Morriarity had whipped her father and her brothers and threatened to spank her unless she married him, Miss Esther Flynn of St. Louis, applied to the police to protect her.

When four "drunks," composed of three men and an alley cat, were brought into police court at Kingston, N. C., the cat was found to be the drunkest of the quartet but was released as a "first offender."

When sued for killing a neighbor's rooster, James Curry of Alton, Ill., pleaded, "The darned thing went 'cocky-doodle-doo' every morning when I was sleeping."

No carriage was needed when B. S. Bennett and Miss Gwen Hawkins of Boston were married, as they arrived at the church on single bicycles and rode away on a tandem.

After having her husband arrested for beating her, Mrs. Cora Mulven of St. Paul, testified, "His raspberry nose tells the whole story."

When Miss Mary Bradley of Tarboro, N. C. found a man in her bedroom, she seized a shotgun and made him lie on the floor until officers arrived.

James Kelly of St. Louis stepped from the street onto the curb and into the arms of Henry Mason, from whom Kelly had stolen the suit he was wearing.

Harry O. Van Hart, former assistant secretary of the Union Trust company of Cleveland, says he is very much alive, although his death has been announced in a nationally known magazine.

Chester Lendon of Evanston, Ill., was fined \$10 for hugging a girl with one arm while he was driving an automobile.

The wedding ceremony of Carl W. Gentry and Miss Florence Cox of Elkin, N. C., was delayed half a day when a cow darted in their car, seized the key and departed.

CAN'T IMAGINE Reading Mr. Coolidge you can't help wondering why he didn't feel free to say it while president.

### TIRES VULCANIZED at FOSTER'S STATION

### Sore Bleeding Gums

Only one bottle of Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy is needed to convince anyone. No matter how bad your case, get a bottle, use as directed, and if you are not satisfied, druggists will return your money.

Whitsett Drug Co.

### URGE FARMERS TO ATTEND STATE FAIR

The feeder campaign being conducted by the Texas Breeder-Feeder Association, sponsors of the second annual Feeder Show and Auction Sales to be held during Beef Cattle Week of the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 11 to 18, will be taken to the farm sections of the State during the next few weeks, it has been announced here by Frank P. Holland, president of the Breeder-Feeder Association, and a director of the State Fair.

Assured of more entries than can be taken care of, and a full attendance of livestock breeders of Texas at the second annual banquet to be given in honor of the association, officers of the association are now turning the campaign to the farm country.

One of the purposes of the association is to interest farmers of the cotton belts of the State in the growing of more grain and feedstuffs and the feeding of livestock bred in Texas. It is hoped that all the 5,000 lambs which will be shown as part of the Feeder Show and the 1,500 feeder calves will be sold to cotton farmers who have reduced their cotton acreage and have now their barns full of feedstuffs.

Efforts will be made to get as many prominent farmers of Central, North and East Texas to attend the feeder show and auction sales and be guests at the banquet as there are prominent livestock men. Three of the biggest livestock organizations in the entire country will have executive committee meetings in Dallas during Beef Cattle Week at the State Fair.

Executive committees of the Texas and Southwestern Cattlemen's Association of Texas and the Texas Livestock Marketing Association,

### C. E. CAMERON

is the representative of the Texas Electric Service Company in O'Donnell.

For any information about your electric light service call Mr. C. E. Cameron at Texas Electric Service Company, La-mesa, Phone No. L. D. 424 or at Lamesa, Texas, Phone 237.

### Beef Cattle Week

Practically all members of these three executive committees will be on hand for the second annual banquet to be given the Texas Breeder-Feeder Association and the State Fair of Texas, to be held at the Adolphus Hotel, Thursday, Oct. 16.

Meetings will be held at various centers throughout the cotton belt between now and the opening of the State Fair of Texas, to carry the message of growing grain and selling it "on hoof" to farmers throughout the entire region. Several meetings have already been held and others will be held, Mr. Holland announced.

### JUST WHAT DID HE MEAN?

A merchant received from one of his customers a letter regarding a long past-due account which read as follows:

"Dear sir, I got your letter about what I owe you, now please be pachtant and as soon as some fool pays me I will pay you."

If this was judgement day and you was no more prepared to meet your maker than I am to pay your bill you shore would have to go to hell, hoping you will do this I am yours truly

—Scurry County Times-Signal

O. H. SHEPARD, M. D. General Practice and Electro-therapeutics. Piles cured without detention from work or business. Office half block southeast Index Building, O'Donnell, Texas.

DR. FERRELL FARRINGTON Dentist O'Donnell, Texas Offices in First National Bank Building.

GIBSON AND MAY O'DONNELL AND LUBBOCK TRUCK LINE General Hauling Phone 21 or Phone 48 O'Donnell, Texas

CITY TRANSFER CO. O'Donnell, Texas Office half block southeast Index Building. BERT FRITZ, Owner Phone 105

### \$5.00 REDUCTION

J. L. Taylor, tailor-made suits will sell at \$5.00 Reduction for a short time.

If you are planning a new fall suit, now is the time to buy it and save this money.

### C. E. RAY

SUITS TO ORDER TO ORDER PHONE 66 CLEANING & PRESSING

### Acres of Leaves to Rake!

But A Tasty Sandwich Made With That GOOD Sno-Flake Will soon have "Sonny" back on his feet

At Your Grocers

### BOVELL BAKERY

Tahoka, Texas

### Touchdown!

"Boy, watch him go! Five yards, ten, twenty, thirty—forty—he's over! Touchdown!" In football or in saving, it is all in a good start in the right direction. In football or in saving you must reel off that first five yards or five dollars before you attain your goal.

### The First National Bank

J. L. SHOEMAKER, Jr. Cashier

### TELEPHONE CO.

# SALE OPENS FRIDAY, OCT. 10

ONE LOT OF WOMEN'S  
**SILK DRESSES**  
Values to \$18.75, SPECIAL  
**\$5.00**

BIG REDUCTION ON ALL  
**SWEATERS**  
MEN'S — BOYS' — WOMEN'S  
CHILDREN'S

Big Reduction on  
MEN'S AND BOYS'

### BOOTEES

\$9.00 Bootees, **\$7.49**  
\$8.50 Bootees, **\$6.49**  
\$6.50 Bootees, **\$4.98**

### MEN'S WORK SHOES

\$4.95 Values, special **\$3.95**  
\$3.50 Values, special, **\$2.98**  
\$2.98 Values, special **\$2.49**

### MEN'S DRESS SHOES

\$5.00 Values, Special **\$4.29**  
\$4.50 Values, Special **\$3.79**

### WOMEN'S FINE DRESS SHOES

straps and pumps, in kid and patent, black and brown, values to \$6.50, take your choice, the pair

**\$2.98**

One Lot

### CHILDREN'S SCHOOL SHOES

sizes 6 to 13, values to \$3.50, all Star Brand on the table, at, your choice

**\$1.98**

NEW FALL  
MILLINERY  
HALF PRICE

# Sacrificé

### BOY'S WOOL SHIRTS

One lot, slightly faded, \$2.50 values  
SPECIAL EACH

**98c**

### MEN'S BUTTON LEG PANTS

Whipeord and corduroy, Tuf Nut brand, values \$3.95 and \$4.95  
Special, the Pair,

**\$1.98**

### MEN'S LEATHER COATS

\$10.00 and \$11.00 values, special,

**\$7.98**

### BOYS' WOOL DRESS PANTS

sizes 12 to 16, values, \$2.95 to \$3.95  
Special The Pair

**\$1.98**

### MEN'S MOLESKIN AND CORDUROY PANTS

values \$2.98 to \$3.50, special, pair,

**\$1.98**

### ALL TRUNKS AND SUIT CASES

Going at

**1/2 PRICE**

It Heralds  
**OUR FALL**

# SA

**RIGHT NOW!** **We**

Make Hard Times A Pleas  
At These Money Saving Pr  
And Sell It Fast. **Read Th**

## Men's Suits

\$30.00 Values, SPECIAL **\$19.75**  
\$35.00 Values, SPECIAL **\$24.75**

See these suits and buy them; they will sell at these prices

**WANTED - EXT**

**Opens Oct. 10**

# TUCKER DRY

O'DONNELL

New Season  
**OPENING**

**PRICES GOOD  
FOR 10 DAYS**

**W!**

**OUT they Go!**

**Must**

**TURN  
STOCK  
TO CASH**

by Your Fall Requirements  
We Mean To Sell This Stock  
**aces and Be Here Friday!**

**BLANKETS**

- One lot, Values to \$6.00, SPECIAL **\$3.29**
- One lot, Values to \$4.50 SPECIAL **\$2.98**
- One lot, Values to \$2.50 SPECIAL **\$1.98**
- One lot, Values to \$1.98 SPECIAL **\$1.29**

**HELP - WANTED**

**Friday, Oct. 10**

**ODS COMPANY**  
TEXAS

**ONE LOT MEN'S SUITS**  
Values to \$25.00, one pants, special  
**\$12.50**

**BOYS' LONG PANT SUITS**  
Sizes 11 to 16 to \$15.00, special close  
out on these suits, each  
**\$5.00**

**PRINTS**  
100 pieces, regular 29c value,  
special, the yard,  
**19c**

**BEST GRADE OUTING**  
white and colors, 32 inches wide  
SPECIAL, the yard  
**13c**

**One Lot  
Children's and Misses'  
RIBBED HOSE**  
regular 25c value, special, the pair.  
**19c**

**BIG REDUCTIONS ON  
MEN'S  
DRESS PANTS**

**WOMEN'S AND MISSES'  
COATS**  
Lots of new ones, right from New  
York, all going at exactly  
**1/2 PRICE**

**SILK AND RAYON  
HOSE**  
for women, regular \$1.00 value,  
Special, the pair,  
**39c**

**Men's Overalls**  
HAWK BRAND, special, the pair  
**\$1.09**

**MEN'S  
HATS**  
\$8.50 Value, SPECIAL **\$6.00**  
\$4.95 value, SPECIAL **\$3.95**  
\$3.95 value, SPECIAL **\$3.49**

**MEN'S BLUE AND GREY WORK  
SHIRTS**  
A good dollar shirt, special, each  
**59c**

**MEN'S HEAVY WORK SHIRTS**  
Powdre blue and sand shades, \$1.25  
value, SPECIAL, each  
**89c**

**BOYS BLUE WORK SHIRTS**  
HAWK BRAND, Special, each  
**59c**

**ALL  
SILK Piece GOODS  
HALF PRICE**



THE BARNYARD

"Gobble, gobble, gobble," said the little turkeys. "This is the time of the year we begin to be well fed, for people are thinking that some fine holidays will come in a few months. "Hurrah for Thanksgiving Day and burrah for Christmas Day! Gobble, gobble, gobble." "I wouldn't be so happy at the thought of being eaten," said Mrs. Goose in her shrill voice. "We wouldn't expect you to be," said Mr. Turkey. "All the world knows you're a goose, and we can't expect you to know so much about great matters." "Now don't be rude to Mrs. Goose," said Mr. Gander in a shrill voice. Both Mr. Gander and Mrs. Goose had very shrill voices. "Ha, ha, gobble, gobble, gobble," laughed the turkeys. "We can't expect you to know so much about great matters such as food, or about any great matters. You're only a gander." "Quite as fine to be a gander as it is to be a turkey," said Mr. Gander to Mrs. Goose, and she answered: "Quite. In fact, it is better to be a gander than a turkey." "Just then old Billy Goat came along. "What's all the shrieking about?" he asked. "Has there been a fuss of any sort?" "Only an argument, only an argument, gobble, gobble, gobble," said the turkeys. "Only an argument," shrieked Mrs. Goose, and Mr. Goose added: "Only an argument. We don't agree with each other—the turkeys have such strange ideas. "Of course, as they are turkeys it may be all right, but from our way

DAIRYING - By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., St. Louis, Mo. Dr. LeGear is a graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, 1892. Thirty-eight years of veterinary work. Eminent authority on diseases and raising of dairy cows, other livestock, and poultry. Nationally known lecturer, writer and author.

ARTICLE XIX WHY FRESH AIR MEANS MORE MILK

Ventilation in a Barn Where Rairy Cattle Are Kept as Important as Proper Feeding Editor's Note - This is another story in a series of articles on dairying written by the well known national dairy and poultry authority, Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., of St. Louis, Mo. It will continue to appear in this paper. Our readers are urged to read them carefully and clip them out for future reference.

For several years we have had with us fresh air advocates. Whereas our forefathers did everything possible to keep the night air, which was supposed to be unhealthy, out of the lungs by boarding up doors and windows and filling every crack and crevice, we now roll our beds out onto the open porch and breathe deeply of the frosty atmosphere. The modern dairy farmer is paying more and more attention to the ventilation of his barn because he knows that the proper changing of the air is essential to the health and well being of his herd. Unless pure air is mixed with hay and grain you do not get the maximum amount of milk. In the summer time ventilation is no problem because doors and win-

dows are open but in winter the opposite is true. We are not talking now of barns with artificial heating, but the kind where the heat from the bodies of the animals is depended upon to keep the temperatures up and the cold down. It is easy enough to let cold air in. But to regulate the amount is the task. Unless there is a proper proportion of cold, dry air and the warm moist air from the live stock you have a damp and dangerous stable.

Fortunately we have men who have made a very careful study of barn ventilation, among them King, of the Wisconsin Experiment Station, and others. We know that cows in breathing give off carbon dioxide, moisture, marsh gas and other matters. We know definitely how many cubic feet of fresh, pure air are necessary every hour to offset the impurities of a cow's breathing. From that we can determine the size of ventilating flue necessary to produce that change in air. The so-called King system of ventilating provides for a large flue which opens near the floor. The carbon dioxide, being a heavy gas, seeks the floor. The air on the floor is always colder than that near the ceiling. The wind blowing against the top of the flue which is open above the roof produces the suction which draws the foul air from the floor up through the opening where it is discharged. (Copyright, 1929, by Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S.)

HELPING TO BUILD TEXAS

Fort Worth is to have a \$500,000 produce market. Grapeland is spending \$45,000 on a waterworks system. Goose Creek has acquired 200 acres on Hug-the-Coast highway for an air port. Air-matic Mfg. Co., is making pumps, and will move its plant from Wichita, Kan., to Amarillo. The \$200,000 peanut factory at Denison, burned some time ago, is to be rebuilt. Plans for a 100-room hotel and 20-room concession building at Boca Chica Beach near Brownsville are now being drawn. Catholics are building a new church to replace the one burned. St. Ann's San Antonio, plans a \$75,000 school auditorium, rectory and student home at later a second unit of a \$75,000 church. Leases on 2,000 acres on the salt dome in Brazoria County near Free Port have been acquired by the Free Port Texas Co., which will start prospecting for Sulphur. Eagle Pass will use recently secured site for an air port, public park and swimming pool. Post is working to secure an air port. Cleburne formally opened its new air port in August, and other recently opened ports were at Austin, Fort Stockton, McAllen and Odessa. Tourists camps of modern type now dot Texas and are growing in both number and in excellence. One at Houston on South Main is to cost \$250,000 when completed, including a club and community house at \$130,000. A group of 22 cottages of tile, brick and stucco is being built at Dalhart. Lubbock has a new barrel and box factory. Fort Worth is to have a plant for manufacturing paper cans and containers by a Wisconsin concern which will organize a separate Texas company. Dallas interests are planning a \$100,000 theatre at Sherman. Fifteen per cent of the traffic accident fatalities are due to mechanical defects in automobiles, according to report to the national conference on street and highway safety, which advocated inspection of all cars permitted to use the public thoroughfares and prohibiting the use thereon of every car in dangerous mechanical condition. Of 4,000,000 cars inspected in four Eastern States, 1,100,000 needed brake adjustments, 1,000,000 needed light adjustments, 280,000 needed repairs to steering gears and 50,000 required other mechanical corrections to make them safe for use. will hold meetings in Dallas during

Smile at the Ache - Ordinary pains—headache and neuralgia, muscular pains, functional pains, the headache and congested feeling of a cold in the head—how quickly they disappear when you take a tablet or two of DR. MILES' Aspir-Mint. Dr. Miles' Aspir-Mint is the new, stable, mint-flavored tablet that is making people all over the country "Smile at the Ache" Your druggist has them. YOU'LL GET RELIEF OR YOUR MONEY BACK

CLEAN UP THE GARDENS IN WINTER

Many insects of the vegetable gardens find protection under boards, stakes and other loose materials left in the gardens during the winter. These should be cleaned up. The dead vines or dead leaves of the crops plants may harbor diseases and insects which will attack the crops the following year. As soon as the crop is removed all plant remains should be turned under deeply and thoroughly in order to check the development of certain insects and diseases. If a crop is known to have been badly infested by insects or diseases it is safer to remove the plant remains and burn them even though this involves a loss of organic matter which, under ordinary conditions, should be returned to the soil. If the crop remains are removed and burned it becomes doubly necessary to supply organic matter to the soil in the form of manure or green manures grown specially for that purpose.

705-MILE CUBAN ROAD WITH-OUT GRADE CROSSING

Cuba has set an example in road-building that the United States might profitably emulate. The 705-mile highway from Pinar del Rio to Santi-

11 Years Constipation Glycerine Mix Ends It "For 11 years I tried to get rid of constipation," says Chas. E. Blair. "Then at last the simple mixture, Adlerika, made me regular."

C. N. WOODS Watchmaker and Jeweler Tahoka, Texas

CICERO-SMITH LUMBER CO. "Where Quality Counts" GOOD LUMBER—GOOD SERVICE Lumber, Builders' Hardware, Wind Mills, Wire, Post, Paint and 'Nigger Head Coal.' DON EDWARDS, Manager

H. G. TOWLE Optometrist Northwest Corner of the Square SNYDER, TEXAS

RED CHAIN Egg Mash PUTS IN THE EGG BASKET WHAT OTHERS PUT ON PAPER A fair feeding test of RED CHAIN is the best way to clear up conflicting claims about egg mash...Talk is cheap—and anyone can find nice words in the dictionary. On paper most feeds claim "more eggs at less cost"—but RED CHAIN actually does what others claim to do! Don't buy your egg mash for what it does on paper—but for what it puts in the egg basket...Feed RED CHAIN to your own hens and see the difference between claims and reality. It is the unequalled quality of RED CHAIN Egg Mash that makes it the cheapest egg producer—regardless of price.

B. & O. CASH STORE "Where Cash Talks" O'Donnell, Texas

SORRELS LUMBER CO. INDEPENDENT DEALERS Save you money whether you buy from us or not. We both win if you trade with us. E. L. SORRELS, Mgr.

Do You Value What You Own? Of course you do!—And you would pay dearly to redeem it in case of loss. Why not, then, protect it sufficiently in the first place with substantial insurance at a reasonably small premium cost. We represent strong, dependable insurance companies, that pay losses promptly. You need our broad, dependable service! HAYMES & BEACH Insurance and Loans



"What's All the Shrieking About?" He Asked.

of looking at it, it is certainly very queer. "Grunt, grunt, grunt," said Porky Pig. "Let's enjoy life while we may. "Let's enjoy our food and our barnyard and have a nice, lazy, eating time." The other pigs gathered around and squealed and grunted that they felt the same way about it, and the turkeys and the geese laughed. Perhaps, they decided, after a little while, the pigs were right. And at this moment the farmer arrived with some food and they all had a splendid meal. They didn't argue about the meal. They all agreed that it was good. And after it was over they all went to sleep and had pleasant dreams—dreams of food! They awoke feeling so refreshed and so happy and they did not argue again for quite awhile.

Subtracting Easy The mind reader, who can tell your name by merely seeing your initials on a paper, has nothing on the person who is able to pull this clever subtraction stunt. Here's an audience tell how it is done, and when you work it they'll all think you have a magical mind. Show the group you wish to play the stunt on how they must do their subtraction problem. Write a number on a chart or blackboard and underneath it the reverse of the number. It may be anything less than a thousand, but should have three digits. Should the reverse be larger than the first number, put it above. At any rate, subtract the smaller from the larger. Then tell each in the group to take a different number, subtract the reverse and then tell you the last digit in the number, which is the answer. You will immediately be able to tell them the entire answer. Here is the solution to the trick: When a reverse number's subtracted from its original the middle digit of the answer is always nine. The sum of the first and last digits also is nine. Given the last number, you can easily tell by subtracting what the first is. Try some numbers and you'll find it always works.

What Am I? I am a word of letters seven—and it doesn't matter if you happen to write me backwards or forwards, I am just the same. I am something that you appreciate on a really hot day, especially after a strenuous game. Answer—Reviver.

Not in Modern Days Teacher—Mary, why doesn't the lamb follow you to school nowadays? Mary—What with me driving 40 miles an hour?

DR. MILES' Aspir-Mint. YOU'LL GET RELIEF OR YOUR MONEY BACK

SORRELS LUMBER CO. INDEPENDENT DEALERS Save you money whether you buy from us or not. We both win if you trade with us. E. L. SORRELS, Mgr.

DOES YOUR CAR HAVE PEP? THREE things are necessary to give the old bus that PEP you want it to have. (1) Mechanically perfect. (2) The right kind of gas. (3) The right oil. Let us work over your car, fill it with good oil and gas, and then when we return it to you note the NEW PEP it has. You will be surprised at the new life it has. HIGHWAY GARAGE John Earles, Prop.



**The Handsome Man**  
By Margaret Turnbull  
Illustrations by Irwin Myers  
W. H. U. SERVICE

...at near the bridge beside a car smoking a cigarette, and rising a few minutes to survey both towpath and canal. After each survey he sank back impatiently, keeping an eye on the road. Presently he saw George running along the towpath, instantly he started his engine running. Sir George flung himself into the car with hardly a word of greeting. "Get on with it, and don't stop to talk, I'm hot and bothered. I think I've been followed. There's a fellow in a canoe who could easily land anywhere in the bank near the road and inform waiting motor." Ray started the car, and once on the road, he began to show what he was capable of, and it was not until they had passed several miles in their journey that Ray asked: "Safe now, isn't it?" "Nothing's safe until the workmen have the money in their pockets. The tank was held up this morning."

"What?" Sir George nodded. "Once around his point and I'll tell you." But when they were round the point there was a motor car, obviously placed so as to block the road, while out on the canal bank, looking up and down the towpath, were three men. Without hesitation Ray, who knew the road well, sped up on the bank, passed around safely and went on at full speed. Ray glanced back and saw the man running toward the car. Ray and Sir George looked at each other.

"That had I saw in the canoe has seen the news that I'm headed for river. It doesn't look healthy here to me." "Say no more." The road seemed comparatively safe now, and Ray took a deep breath and in a highly exciting manner, Sir George did nothing to discourage him. They caught the sound of a motor out on the canal. There was nothing, Sir George told himself, but a regular motor boat coming along the canal, but when a shot came from the motor boat and by the narrow margin missed their rear tire, he realized it to be an unusual motor boat. "Zigzag," he shouted. "Where do your guards begin?" "Round the next curve."

Luck held—at least long enough to show them to rock around the next curve. A car was waiting there, with one of the workmen seated in it. Sir George waved a hand, and as they went by, the car followed and Ray told, "Don't start anything, Luigi, but if they do shoot at their tires." A cheerful "Alla righta!" followed them.

"There should be another man posted here. There was. He looked and grinned and waved and followed as Ray believed out his instructions. But a motor boat has no tires. Ray was not anxious to begin a running battle, but he could get beyond the next landing place there might be hope that, being his reinforcements, their pursuers would turn tail.

Sir George looked behind him and smiled. The car that he had seen had outdistanced their followers without offering battle and was tearing toward them. By some chance there were no other cars on the road at night.

"It is going to be a close squeeze." "Slump and keep your head down, Sandison," ordered Ray, who somehow could not bring himself to say "Sir George." "What's the matter with those men of ours? Why didn't they give the tires more?" "Down," shouted Sir George, and allowed his own advice. "What's that?"

"That was one of our tires. Oh, that's of William Penn, but we're in a tight place on this peaceful road." The machine wobbled and swayed. The other car crept up on them, but it did not do the shooting again, it was evidently confident that they had them completely in their power.

Ray was bumping along to the accompaniment of a sort of chant. "Keep your head down. If I can only make it to that corner. Oh, han and onions! How mad I will be if they stop us this side. What's that?"

The oddest sound seemed to fill the ears. In a moment he realized what it was and then, despite the gravity of the situation, he laughed aloud. They had turned a corner and before them streamed what seemed a small army of cars, almost all of that cheap, but useful make which had made its producer both famous and rich. Each car held four men and every man except the driver was armed.

"If you can laugh now," exclaimed Ray, "you have your nerve with you!" Their pursuers had rounded the corner confidently, counting on their

might end in a false alarm and make us ridiculous. If he hadn't been so cautious we'd have caught them here," he added regretfully, "but then what certainty did he have that things would break this way?"

"No certainty, but a conviction that if he didn't 'break' these men, as you say over here, they would 'break' him sooner or later. He'll not be pleased at their getting away for—" he stopped abruptly.

Ray turned. To his surprise, Sir George, instead of continuing, slid down in the seat and gave an odd little exclamation which sounded like: "That fool girl! What's she doing on this road today?"

Following his gaze, Ray saw the MacBeth car, with Roberta driving, coming toward them at high speed.

**CHAPTER X**

Roberta leaned out and asked a question of the nearest foreman. He was an Italian and instantly burst out into a stream of broken English, accompanied by illuminating pantomime. Sir George and Ray, from their vantage



"Be Deucedly Awkward. You Know, if My Sister's Gets a Word There Was Any Shooting."

age point near the 'shack, could get a vivid picture of the recent battle from the gestures alone.

This big Scotchman, Ray thought, did the trick and will get all the credit and Roberta's admiration. "Oh, a—n the luck!" Ray snarled aloud, weary with the rapid changes of emotion this last hour had brought to him. "Snap out of it, Bonnie Dundee! Bonaventura has given you away to the girl. He's making a good speech, too. Sit up like a man and let Roberta pin your medals on."

Sir George raised himself up, but only to grasp Ray by the shoulder. "Give me the payroll receipts and this car and you can ride back with Miss MacBeth."

"Good Lord! Wait a minute!" Ray protested as he fumbled for the receipts. "What'll I tell Roberta?" "Tell her I've gone. That will satisfy her. She isn't in the least concerned about me."

Ray regarded him curiously, shaking his head. "What's the big idea, leaving me to face the music and Roberta MacBeth alone?"

"I wouldn't do it, old fellow. If I didn't know you liked her."

"Don't you?"

Sir George's face changed in a curious way. "Like her! My dear fellow, she's the only thing I don't like in all America."

"Why, I thought you were nuts about her. It's been even better in the office that that's why you came over."

"What!"

"To cop MacBeth's daughter and her pile."

Ray saw what he had done then. Sir George's face whitened so that involuntarily Ray reached out a hand. "Say—"

His companion failed to see the hand. "Did you think so, too?" he asked hoarsely.

Ray hesitated. "Well, personally, I didn't think you were after the money."

"I wouldn't ask Miss MacBeth to marry me if I hadn't a penny to buy myself food."

"That point being clear and understood," said Roberta, who unnoticed had left her car with Bonaventura and walked up behind Ray, "you stay in that car and go home while Ray rides with me. Father's heard from New York. The New York car was held up on the Jersey meadows. There was a running fight. One of the car crew was hurt. On your way," with a surprisingly friendly smile.

Sir George wished a thousand times on the ride home that he had held his tongue. While it was just as well that the girl knew how he felt, he would have preferred that it had not been expressed to her quite so crudely.

Curiously enough, now that he had publicly relinquished her, Roberta's bright head seemed to gleam like lost gold, and he found himself wishing that he were Ray, care free and fancy free and able to enjoy a ride in the soft dusk with a girl, whether she had millions or not. Only, he assured himself, that girl would never, in his case, be Roberta MacBeth. There were several things Robert-

would have to explain before he had any confidence at all in her.

The poverty-stricken heir of the Sandisbrae title and lands stretched himself behind the wheel and yawned. He was tired. After all it had been a bit of a day. It was jolly lucky for him that things had turned out as they had.

A shout from a motor cycle made him bring his car to a sudden stop.

"Mr. MacBeth's secretary?"

"Yes," Sir George, automatically reacting to the excitement of the day, put a hand on his pistol pocket, until he saw the man wore a policeman's uniform.

"Tell Mr. MacBeth, will you, that the men in the motor launch left it halfway down the canal and got away in a fast car, but were on their trail."

"Thank you, officer. Hope they get the beggars."

(Continued next week)

When making jelly it is not necessary to heat the sugar before adding it to the fruit juice. The only reason for heating it is to shorten the time of boiling the jelly. If the juice is boiling hot when the sugar is put in, the boiling process will be checked a minute or by the addition of the cold sugar. It is boiled rapidly until the jelly state is reached, which should be in from 5 to 10 minutes or even less.

Mrs. B. H. Better's of Morris Minn., has never missed a service during her 36-year career as a church organist.



REASONS WHY YOU WILL LIKE THIS SHOP

- Perfect Cleanliness.
- Skilled Barbers.
- Modern Methods.
- Courteous Treatment.

EVERETT BARBERSHOP

"IT PAYS TO LOOK WELL"

**BIG SAVING on NEW FALL COATS and DRESSES**

**DRESSES**  
\$3.95 to \$19.75

**COATS**  
\$6.75 to \$49.95

Just received from market a new shipment of —

FULL FASHIONED CHIFFON OR SERVICE WEIGHT HOSE  
regular \$1.79 value  
Special for Saturday only, \$1.19

**C. C. Dry Goods Co.**

**WE ARE CELEBRATING OUR THIRD ANNIVERSARY SALE BY USING ECONOMY SALES DAYS**

**SALE SATURDAY, Oct. 11 STARTS**

In celebrating our third year of business in O'Donnell, Your town and ours; we want to give this LOYAL COMMUNITY these many BARGAINS. An ECONOMY DAYS circular will be sent to all we can reach. Read it and join the throng that will take advantage of "ECONOMY DAYS!"

**Watch our windows for each day's EXTRA SPECIAL during this Big Sale. Extra Specials will be sold only one day at the price quoted on goods displayed in the window for that day ONLY.**

THOUSANDS OF BARGAINS NOT LISTED IN THE ECONOMY DAYS CIRCULAR WILL BE ON SALE—A FEW WE WILL QUOTE TO YOU

Jersey Bloomers, 4 to 10 yrs. 25c val.	19c
Jersey Bloomers, 12 to 16 year, 50c val.	39c
Jersey Bloomers, sizes 25 to 29, 60c val.	49c
Jersey Bloomers, extra sizes, 75c val.	59c
1 lot silk hose, \$1.00 value, while they last	79c
1 lot leather house shoes, assorted colors, \$1.25 val.	\$1
1 lot felt house shoes, was 65c, now	49c
<b>BUTTONS</b> , 10c and 15c val. the card	5c
<b>THREAD</b> , silk embroidery, the skein,	1c
1 lot children's and youths' Winter Underwear	
<b>SPECIAL PRICES</b>	
Close-out on Boys' wash suits,	Less Than Cost
Men's OVERALLS, 8 to 14 years, good quality	85c
Men's OVERALLS and JUMPERS, good quality	\$1

DON'T FAIL TO ASK FOR CASH COUPONS—THIS MEANS A SAVING TO YOU—WE GIVE THESE WITH EACH PURCHASE

**THORNHILL'S VARIETY**

