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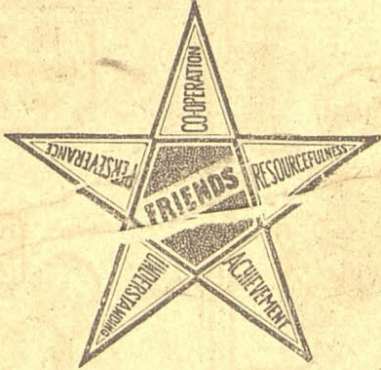
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Cross Cut Section Gets Big Play; New Producers; Many Locations

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The Cross Cut field gets several new producers and many more locations, with about forty wells drilling.

J. S. Gosden completed his Western No. 7 for 300 barrels, and spudded on No. 8. He has also completed his Williams No. 2 for 100 barrels, and spudding on No. 3 and 4.

J. K. Hughes has five wells drilling on Arledge lease, The Ocean Oil Co. has four wells going down on Byrd lease, Conway Bros. completed Woolridge No. 4 for small well, and are drilling two wells on Pickett and one on Chambers lease. Mc Lester Oil Co. are drilling two wells on Woolridge farm. C. M. Root, et al, shot their Suttles No. 1 and looks like a 200 barrel well, and are rigging up on No. 2 and 3.

The Barber Oil Co. completed Suttles No. 1 for 50 barrels. Williamson, et al, completed Keller No. 5 for 85 barrels. J. K. Hughes is moving in rig on Keller lease. The Mid-West Oil Co. have 5 new locations on Suttles lease. The Gillespie Oil Co. completed J. P. Newton No. 2 for 40 barrels and No. 3 for 60 barrels. The Gillespie Oil Co. have location on Henson farm and 3 locations on J. P. Newton. Rivers, et al, have Newton No. 1 on sand.

On the Dibrell ranch in Coleman county the Independent Oil Co. completed well for 500 barrels. There are about a dozen wells drilling in that section, and many others in Cross Cut section, which we have no report on.

J. K. Hughes is starting wildcat on the Freeman farm six miles north of townsite. C. O. Moore is drilling at 1635 on the Brashear lease northwest. The Danciger Oil Co. are also drilling at 200 feet on their R. F. Minnick well in that section, and J. K. Hughes is drilling at 890 feet on the Cutbirth wildcat. Mook Texas Co. and M. E. Wakefield are starting well on Sawyer farm one-half mile northwest of the Baum well.

No report from other wildcats drilling in this section. Many new locations are being made and operators plan extensive drilling campaign over various sections of Cross Plains field.

C. E. S. PROGRAM.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with the Society of the Sabanno church, Sunday afternoon, May 2nd.

Song.
Topic: The Ten Most Important Kinds of Work. How make them christian.
Scripture Reading, Exod. 20:9; 2 Thess. 3:6-13.

Prayer.
Leader's Talk, Mr. Hemphill.
I. Christian Doctors, Lester Barr.
II. Christian Musicians, Virgie Eager.

III. Christian Teachers, Oren Barr.
IV. Christian Farmers, Carl Eager.
V. Christian Journalists, Ara Eager.
VI. Christian Lawyers, Seaborn Collins.
VII. Christian Bankers, Eldon Walker.
VIII. Christian Merchants, Mrs. Starr.
Reading, Lila Mae Little.
IX. Christian Mechanics, Jeanette Eager.
X. Ministers of the Gospel, Olney Walker.
Quartette, Eager Sisters.
Violin Solo, Hulén Barr.
Pageant, by 9 Juniors.
Business.

Byron Edwards has accepted position as general manager of the Little Motor Co. dealers in Oakland and Pontiac cars.

The Cottonwood, Dressy and North Bayou schools will close this week.

J. T. Farrar of Eula, was a business visitor in Cross Plains Wednesday.

Mesdames Heslup and Luke Western spent Sunday with Mrs. Heslup's mother, at Bell Plains. It was a family reunion and a splendid dinner was served to a large crowd.

Mrs. Elmer Henderson and Children visited the week end with relatives here.

Mrs. Zora Ramsey and son, Clarence, have returned to their home at Cottonwood.

INTERESTING FEATURES IN OUR MAY MAGAZINE SECTION

"The High Mark of Honor." This is the title of a story which will appear in the Review Magazine Section to be issued May 7th. DON'T FAIL to read it. This story reads like fiction, but is true in all particulars. The principal characters are two Oklahoma Indians, who were sentenced to be shot by the Indian Council at Okmulgee, but were allowed their freedom until the day of execution.

The only bond exacted of the two Indian youths, were their word of honor that on the respective days designated for their execution they would report in person to the Indian police at Okmulgee and there be lawfully shot to death. The TWO INDIAN BOYS KEPT THEIR WORD, thereby setting an example of honor and integrity that astounded law courts throughout the United States.

Other special features will be included in this number next week that will be of interest to our readers. Be sure to read it, Our Woman's Page, by Mrs. Margaret Stute, offers some cash prizes to housewives for culinary skill. Aunt Mary is organizing a club for the boy and girl readers. Read the "Current Comment," by Jim Lowry, famous wit and philosopher—and don't miss "Seezum and Squeezum," heroes of the front page comic. There will be many interesting features. Watch for our Magazine Section.

The Baptist Sunday School.

Mrs. O. L. Davidson's class of 5-year old pupils, gained the highest grade during the contest for April. Only twelve pupils made 100 per cent in the whole school and go on the honor roll. The beginners department made the highest average for departments. The school gained 22 new pupils during April. With a picnic in prospect and fair weather it is expected to make headway in May, and it is hoped we can add 50 new members to the roll. Won't you new people come and join us? We were all new comers once, and most of us have been here only a few years. A cordial welcome awaits you, and if you pick up an old-timer and bring him back, you will do some good.
J. E. Hinkel, Gen. Secy.

At the Methodist Church.

The First Methodist church invites you to worship with her members each Sunday.

The mission of the church is the conversion of the world. Her most convincing testimony of life is her passion for lost souls. Her highest credential is a saved man! That church, whose members cease to seek out and convert sinners, cannot live. That church, the members of which are not interested in and putting forth a personal effort to "win men" for Christ, has forfeited her right to exist. Every man may not want Christ, but Christ wants every man, and it is the mission of the church to let every man know that fact. The church surrenders her place when the members reject the opportunity to serve. She ceases to have a mission when she refuses to seek and try to save the lost. There are two evangelistic services each Sunday at the Methodist church. If your loved ones, friends are unsaved invite them to come along with you, praying that God will some how get around their hearts and bring them into a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. Themes for Sunday:
Sunday Morning—"Is It Nothing To You?"
Sunday Night—"The Unchangeable Christ."

More especially the fathers and mothers are invited to be present Sunday morning. Good singing, great music and gospel preaching.
Tom W. Brabham, Pastor.

This has been a very busy week at the Cross Plains Sanitatorium. At present, it is reported, there are patients in every room.

Wallace Jones and family visited the week end with Mrs. Jones' brother, Mr. Cavanaugh, at Goldbusk in Comanche county.

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MASONS WILL BUILD A TWO STORY BRICK HERE

The Cross Plains Masonic Lodge will build a two-story brick building here, size 115x25 feet, on same lot where lodge now stands. The upper floor will be used for lodge and the first floor will be leased for business purposes. There are several applications to rent at satisfactory rates.

The Masons have contemplated building for some time, but definite action was not taken until Saturday. The building will be constructed at a cost of about \$8,500.00. The contract has not been let yet, but the building committee is authorized to have plans and specifications drawn for approval.

Thus the building program continues. Other brick buildings are being planned and the Review hopes to announce soon that the plans will materialize. In the resident section several new homes to be started soon, in addition to those under construction and others completed; but many more are needed, as the housing problem is a serious one. Many families are unable

to find homes here who are anxious to cast their lot with us, so it is hoped that these conditions will be met soon by those who are in position to build.

K. OF P. LODGE WILL BUILD WITH REVIEW

The K. of P. Lodge has arranged with the Review Publishing Co. to build a second floor on the Review building, for lodge room, giving Cross Plains another two story brick structure. The building is 25x100 feet. The Review will occupy the first floor. The K. of P. lodge is young, having been organized about two years ago, and the membership is to be commended and congratulated upon their advancement and spirit of development. The accomplishment of a brick home is out of the ordinary for a lodge one year old. But that is typical of Cross Plains.

W. C. Walker and family of Aquilla, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Poley Williams this week.

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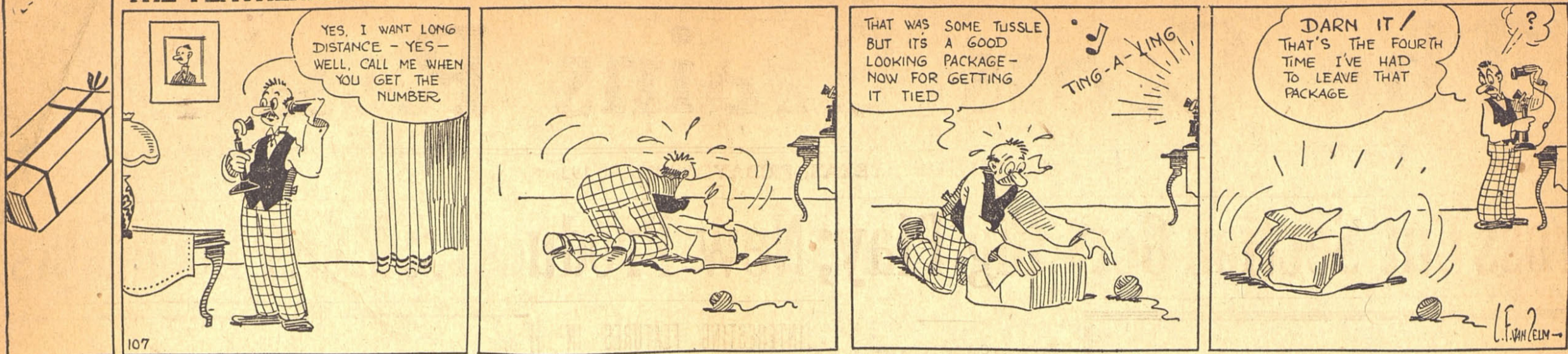
The First State Bank

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J. A. Bar., vice-Pres. J. D. Conlee, Asst. cashier
A. R. Clark, assistant cashier
Poley William, E. I. Vestal, Noah Johnson, Tom Frye and Paul V. Harrell Directors

THE FEATHERHEADS

By L. F. Van Zelm

It's Always That Way



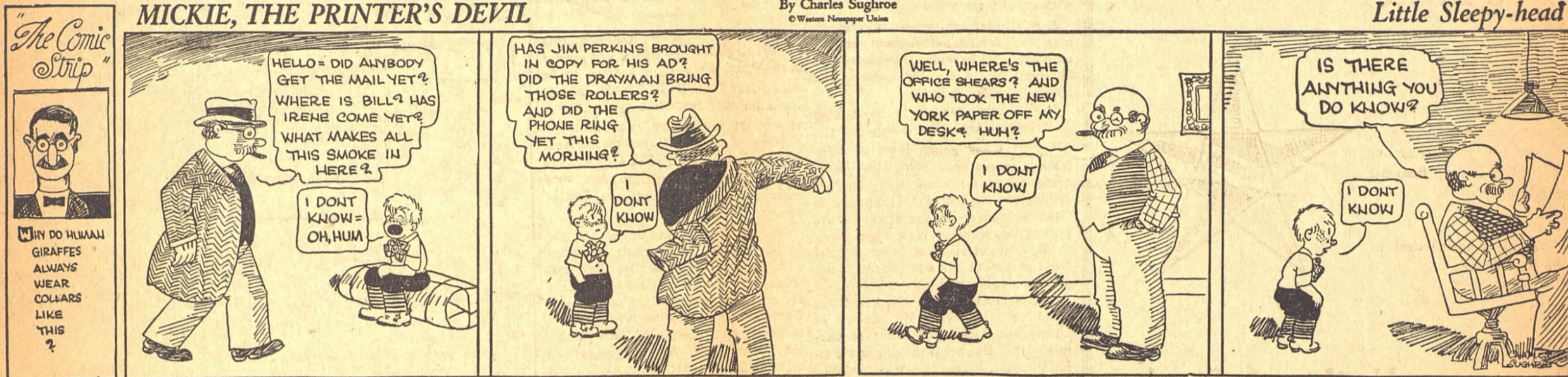
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MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

By Charles Sughroe

Little Sleepy-head



The Comic Strip

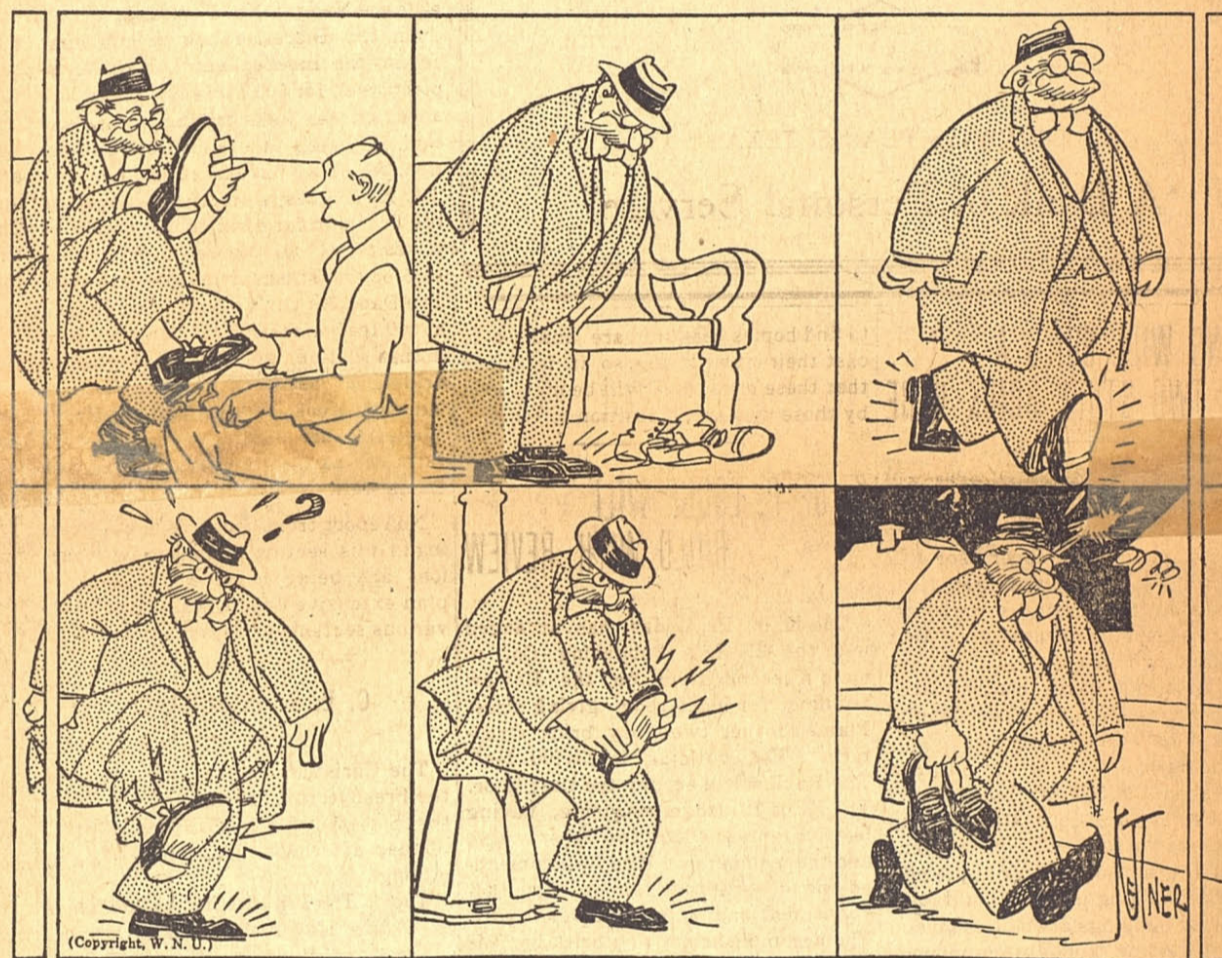
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Near the Concrete

Our Pet Peeve

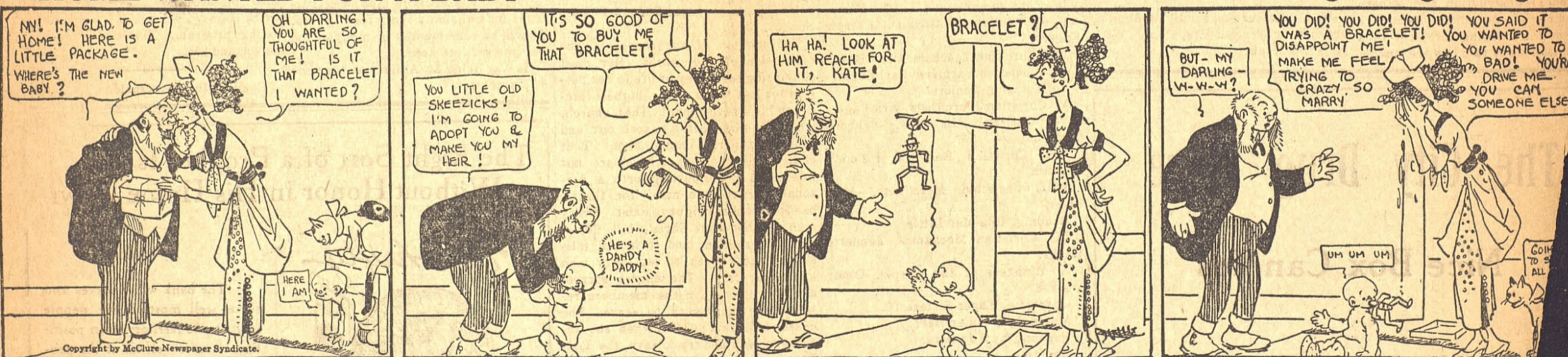


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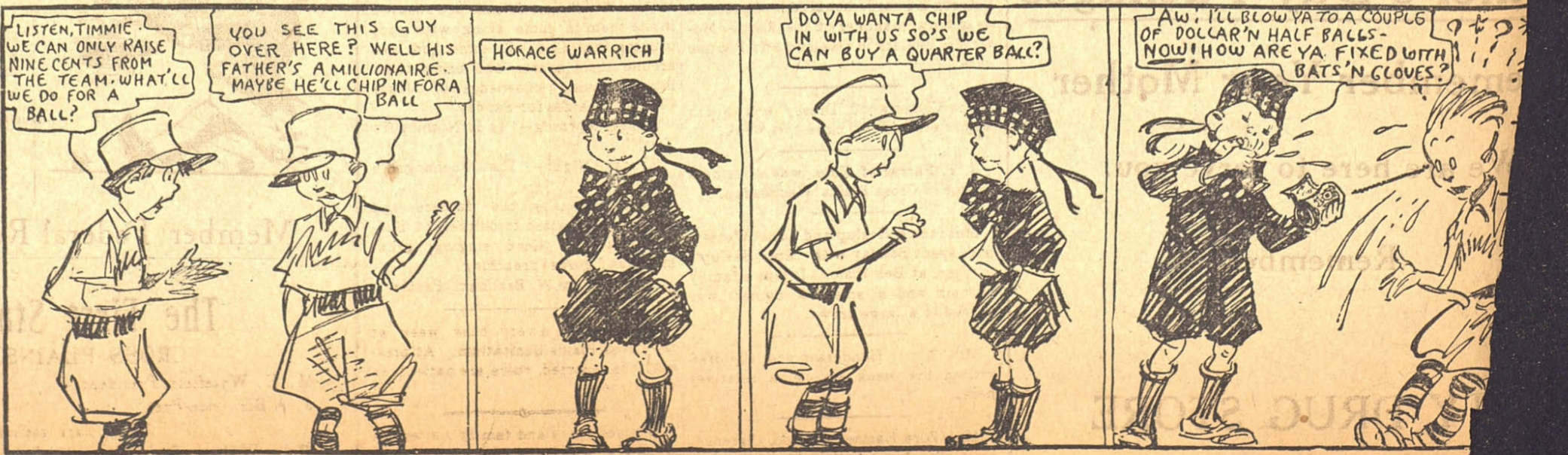
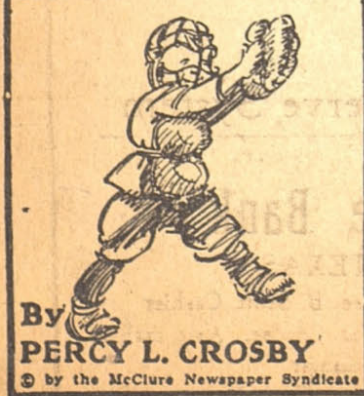
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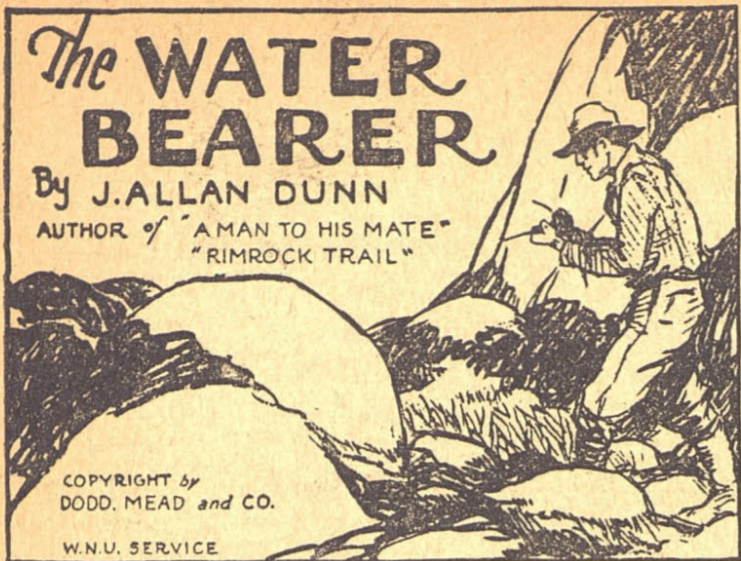
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The Clancy Kids Horace Peels the Roll





The WATER BEARER

By J. ALLAN DUNN
AUTHOR OF "A MAN TO HIS MATE"
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THE CLINTONS

Synopsis.—Idly fishing Hermans creek, in California, Caleb Warner, civil engineer, and a New Englander, is witness of the end of a coyote pulled down by two wolfhounds, urged on by a girl rider. Admiring the hounds, he introduces himself, and learns her name is Clinton. With western hospitality she invites him to the ranch to meet her father.

CHAPTER II

El Nido and Padilla

The Rancho El Nido, which means The Nest, was well named. Behind the lee of the tall eucalypts, planted in two rows at right angles, nestled the building of the ranch-house, built in old Californian fashion of adobe brick, red tiled, in the shape of a hollow square inclosing a patio-garden. It was on a rising ground above the stream that ran between trees heavily mantled with wild grapevines. About the house, and its barns and sheds and corrals, grew orchard trees, peach and apricot, almond, cherry, walnut. There were some orange and lemon trees and a few figs. There was a vineyard and the patio was a riot of flowers. A spring bubbled up in the exact center of the court and had been confined within a stone basin with one outlet out of which the overflow rippled and ran under an archway in the foundation of the house.

The place was above all a home, long-settled, deep-rooted, if a nest, built on the ground, as some nests are, may be fancied to have taken root. The place was well styled El Nido.

Back to it, in the twilight, at the urgent suggestion of the girl's father, a suggestion that was half command, holding such spontaneous invitation that it could not be refused without a touch of churlishness, came Caleb, returning from the stream above the waterfall, packing a well-filled creel.

The girl rose from an outer porch as he came up from the stream and met him at the steps. She was transformed. A soft gown of white had wrought magic and she received the homage of Caleb's surprised and frankly admiring gaze demurely. He opened the lid of the creel for her inspection.

"You know how to cast a fly in Massachusetts," she said. "They are beauties. We shall have them for supper. Wang!"

A fat and genial Chinaman, immaculate in white, appeared at the far end of the gallery, came forward and took the fish with a chuckle of approval.

"Supper leady twenty minnit, Miss Betty," he said as he waddled off.

"Betty—Betty Clinton!" He had her name at last and thought it suited her. "You'll want to wash up. Maria will show you to your room."

"My room?"

"You are to stay here tonight. Father would not hear of you going. There is no moon. It is three miles down the canyon to the station at Hayward. Seven by the road. And there are no trains that you could catch conveniently."

She led the way in and delivered him to Maria, fatter than Wang, ample of breast, triple of chin, Spanish of look and accent.

"Maria," said the girl, "is the actual ruler of El Nido. You must pass inspection by Maria to be welcome here. You have fifteen minutes. We shall be in the big room at the north end. You can come in through the patio."

It was altogether a little astounding, Caleb reflected, as he made what toilet he could. He had come to the valley unheralded, without mutual acquaintance, without introduction, and here he was, pressed as a guest, almost as a friend. In Massachusetts—he laughed at himself in the mirror as he fussed with his tie. This was California, a country to itself, with very pleasant customs. And he was aware that his welcome would be as his behavior. But it was all very pleasant, very Western.

The big room ran the full length of the side of the house. At either end a parter was raised by two steps, reached off, one part a library and study, the walls covered with books, the other end more distinctly feminine with a piano, flowers, inviting chairs and wicker and good rugs, some pictures on the walls. The intermediate space was common ground, dining room and parlor combined. The place was furnished with all lamps in wrought-iron sockets and with candles in branch-holders for the table. The meal, the rustling, bestarched Maria, in gown and white apron, superintending Wang, who served as well as cooked, was perfection.

The girl presided over the main part of the table. Her father, tall, erect, gray-haired with close-clipped mustache

and goatee, had one sleeve tucked in the side pocket of his coat.

"I shall put the formal interrogation, sir," he said to Caleb. "How do you find the West?"

"I find it eager. And I like it. We bustle in the East but our ways and means are settled."

"Eager? I like your term. And I am glad you like the West. We shall hope to see more of you."

"You have lived here long?" asked Caleb.

"My grandfather settled here in eighteen-forty. He was one of Fremont's cavalry legion. He helped to take California from Pico. He was on the shores of Monterey bay when the British landed from their frigates and found they were too late. My father was then ten years old. I was one when he went back to Virginia and fought in the War of the Secession. For the South. I beg your pardon, sir."

Caleb caught Betty Clinton smiling at him.

"Not at all, sir," he answered. "My own grandfather fought for the North. But that was two generations ago. Now I know," he added with an answering smile, "why you, Miss Clinton, called me 'Yank' with such unctious."

"My grandfather used to say," said Clinton, "that he was always cautious when he fought the Yanks but that he downright feared them when it came to business. But you are right, sir. That is all past. I fought in the Spanish war side by side with many gallant

gentlemen from New England. One of them was major in my company. If it had not been for him I might have lost more than this." He touched his empty sleeve.

"You held rank, sir?"

"I was a captain. It was a volunteer rank. I do not use it now. My sword is a plowshare. I have sufficient souvenir."

Caleb thought he detected a little bitterness in the reference to the missing limb.

Caleb noticed that Clinton refrained from any query as to his guest's status in the war. Nor did he mention it himself. He was tired of talking about it. The states were full of men who had done as much as he had.

"What are you going to do in California?" asked the girl. "The term civil engineer is a wide one. What does it mean to you? Bridges? Railroads?"

"It was predestined," said Caleb. He struck a match and showed her a seal at the end of his watch chain. On the green stone two parallel zigzags were graven.

"The Zodiac sign of Aquarius, the Water Bearer. It is the eleventh sign and the sun enters it about the twenty-first of January, the day that I was born. So I am a water engineer, both by choice and by predestination."

She gave a little cry as she bent forward to look at the seal. The light of the swift-burning match brought her face out of the darkness like a cameo.

"Isn't that altogether curious and delightful," she said. "I wonder."

"I don't know what will offer," Caleb said. "I cannot wait too long. I have neither the means nor the inclination to stay idle. I have not had very much practical experience—as such things go—but I should rather tie up with a new enterprise than work with a completed project. Of course, I should like above everything to be able to inaugurate some scheme, plan it, develop it. I must look for my opportunity."

"That is what I should prefer. If I were a man," said the girl, and Caleb sensed a growing approval of him in

her tone, and warmed to it. "To create something, to be a Water Bearer, to the thirsty earth or to thirsty people. To make a city grow where none has been, or render dry lands fertile."

"Do you expect to settle out West?" asked Clinton. "To make your home here?"

"I hadn't gone quite as far as that," answered Caleb with a smile. "It depends upon whether I get the chance to settle—I mean by that if work opens up. I like the West. I should like to make a home here, I think. I have none elsewhere," he added simply. "I have relatives in the East, and I even own a house out there—but it isn't a home any longer, since both my father and mother are dead."

There are silences that create an atmosphere more sympathetic than the finest choice of phrase. Caleb found himself talking of his plans in greater extension than he would have considered possible to chance-met, recent acquaintances. He had, he told them, a little money, he had a chance to sell his Massachusetts house that held open indefinitely. This, with his training, and his youth, constituted his capital. At the end of the evening, in his room, the windows open, admitting the fragrance of the patio garden, the subdued chuckle of the overflow from the spring basin, he realized that he had done little but talk about himself and his own affairs.

He wondered whether he had not been a bit of a prig, even a bore. He had shown no appreciation of the girl's femininity, had surely been lacking in even conventional gallantry. Girls, Caleb believed, liked that sort of thing—expected it. Yet, talking to her in the dusk of the veranda had been a good deal like talking to another man. Her intelligence was keen, her interest had not seemed feigned.

Meanwhile, in her own chamber, Betty Clinton came to a favorable conclusion in the same matter.

"For a Yank," she told herself, as she arranged her hair for the night in two great, shining braids, "he is quite agreeable—so far. I think I am going to like Caleb Warner."

Caleb decided not to outstay his welcome. He announced his intention at breakfast.

"We shall have to see you again," said Clinton and Betty backed his invitation.

She seemed a little older this morning, appearing the well-poised hostess in her house-gown. To Caleb, still new to western ways, it was hard to reconcile this housewife person presiding over the silver coffee urn with the rider on the pinto, galloping hard after her hounds to the kill. Yet there was no real discrepancy, no loss of dignity, of sex. And she made the girls that Caleb had grown up with seem suddenly constricted in his recollection.

"You are not to walk down to the train," she told him. "I am sorry that I cannot drive you but I have a lot to do. You shall ride the Don. Padilla will go with you and bring him back. And we are to see you again. Soon."

Caleb was not at all certain of his prowess in the saddle. To his relief the horse turned out to be a natural single-footer, racking along with a smooth motion that left him almost motionless in the saddle. The selection was, he felt, another indication of kindly tact.

Padilla, swarthy, bow-legged, agile, bore signs of battle that had come close to maiming him. The left side of his face was marked with a puckered scar, purple against his brown skin. It ran from eye to chin, a raking weal that showed where the flesh must have been laid open by a frightful blow. He wore no coat and his sleeves were rolled high. His left forearm was scored with cicatrices. His left side seemed shrunken between hip and shoulder. Caleb was conscious that all down the canyon, Padilla subjected him to a close scrutiny. When directly in front of him he could almost feel Padilla's black eyes boring between his shoulder blades. Despite the unworied recommendation that the Mexican held from his employment at El Nido, Caleb fancied him a better companion for high noon than a dark night.

The trail dipped down towards water level, fording the stream. Caleb reined in to let the Don drink the bright water and Padilla followed example. As they sat side by side the Mexican spoke for the first time.

"Eet was here, senior," he said, "that I got these."

He touched his cheek, his left ribs, and tapped his left forearm with a swift gesture.

"Eet was a puma, senior. A cougar, a lion of the mountains. Carrajo! Almost eet keel me, Luis Padilla. Knife against claws an' teeth, senior. And the knife went. Thees knife."

With the same swift deftness he half drew a shining blade from a sheath that was tucked inside the belt of his trousers, then replaced it. The speedy excitement of the Latin convulsed his features. They twisted in a ferocious snarl, they looked as they must have appeared in the actual conflict, Caleb thought.

Red Legs then retired to the life of a respectable planter on the island of Nevis. One day he was visited by an old pirate friend, who denounced him to the authorities. He was thrown into a dungeon to await execution. In 1680 there came a great earthquake, which destroyed and submerged the town and Greaves was one of the few survivors. He was picked up by a whaling vessel, on which he soon won the praise of the captain by his skill as a seaman. More than that, a queer turn of fate won him even greater honor by his assistance in capturing a gang of pirates, and for this feat he was given a pardon.

Then he retired once more to his plantation, and there he lived out the remaining years of his life, greatly respected for his many acts of piety.

His Wife's Tongue Made Him a Pirate

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He purchased a swift schooner, which he named the Revenge, and set forth upon what was supposed to be a trading voyage. A few days out from port, he hoisted the black flag and announced to his crew that they were to be pirates.

From the Carolinas to Massachusetts the new pirate leader murdered and robbed and he is one of the few pirates who is known to have forced his captives to walk the plank. On one occasion he fell in with the pirate Blackbeard, who noticed that Bonnet was only an amateur pirate and humiliated him by depriving him of his command and making him a clerk.

Soon afterwards while Blackbeard was absent Bonnet went to Gov. Eden of North Carolina, surrendered and received a pardon. Then he announced that he was going to get a commission as a privateer and ravage the French and Spanish shipping in the West Indies. He got a crew by going to the island where Blackbeard had marooned some of his men, took them off and told them that he was going to seek out Blackbeard and have revenge. He failed to find the famous pirate, so he sailed away to the North.

On this cruise he changed the name of his vessel to the Royal James—a doubtful compliment to the Young Pretender—and himself took the name of Captain Thomas. After looting a number of vessels off the Middle Atlantic coast Bonnet again turned south, only to find that the Carolinas were aroused against him. A prominent citizen of South Carolina named William Rhett led an expedition in two ships against the pirate leader and after one of the bloodiest battles ever fought between pirates and the forces of the law, Rhett captured Bonnet and took him to Charles Town to be tried. Bonnet made the most abject, cowardly plea for mercy, but he was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged. He managed to escape from prison but was again captured on Sullivan's island by Rhett. He died in Execution dock, Nov. 24, 1718.

A Plaything of Fate

FATE must have been in a playful mood when Captain Greaves was born. Fate drove him into piracy, but could not make him fit into the picture of the regulation type of pirate, for he was too kind of heart. Fate condemned him to a pirate's death, then saved him by a miracle.

He was the son of a slave in Barbados, one of the thousands of Scotch and Irish who were sent there by Cromwell during the Civil war in England. Because of their bare knees, these slaves were called Red Legs and Captain Greaves is often spoken of as "alias Red Legs." His master was kind and gave him a good education. When this master died the boy was sold to another—a cruel one.



LOOT!
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He immediately ran away, swam across Carlisle bay, but unfortunately climbed upon the wrong ship and found himself in the clutches of Captain Hawkins, a notoriously cruel pirate. So Greaves unwillingly became a pirate and quickly rose to eminence in the profession, although he was remarkable for his refusal to torture prisoners or kill unnecessarily. This led to a duel between him and Captain Hawkins, in which he was victorious, and was elected captain.

He now entered upon a career of almost unparalleled success as a pirate, culminating in his capture of the island of Margarita, off the coast of Venezuela. He did this by capturing the Spanish fleet, turning the guns of the fleet upon the forts defending the principal city and then storming them. From this town he obtained a huge booty of pearls and gold.

Red Legs then retired to the life of a respectable planter on the island of Nevis. One day he was visited by an old pirate friend, who denounced him to the authorities. He was thrown into a dungeon to await execution. In 1680 there came a great earthquake, which destroyed and submerged the town and Greaves was one of the few survivors. He was picked up by a whaling vessel, on which he soon won the praise of the captain by his skill as a seaman. More than that, a queer turn of fate won him even greater honor by his assistance in capturing a gang of pirates, and for this feat he was given a pardon.

Then he retired once more to his plantation, and there he lived out the remaining years of his life, greatly respected for his many acts of piety.

Improved Uniform International Sunday School Lesson

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JUNIOR TOPIC—God's Promise to Noah.
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YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—God's Dealing With Noah.

In order to grasp the meaning of God's covenant with Noah, the whole story of the flood should be clearly in the mind of the teacher and the pupil.

I. The Cause of the Flood (6:1-8). It was apostasy from God. The two types of men we saw in Cain and Abel (the one of proud self-will, the other of humble faith), developed on diverging lines, but as they multiplied they came into contact and intermarried.

II. The Ark the Way of Salvation (6:14-7:24). Although all flesh had corrupted its way before God, in His mercy provision was made for such as would avail themselves of it. Christ is the ark into which all who enter are eternally saved. As all outside of the ark perished, so all outside the redemption of Christ shall perish (Mark 16:16; II Thess. 1:8, 9; John 3:18, 19, 36; I Pet. 3:18-22).

Observe in connection with this judgment and provision of salvation:

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III. Beginning Life Upon a New World (Gen. 8:20).

This was a most solemn hour for Noah. With the fresh consciousness of God's hatred and judgment of sin, Noah faced the responsibility of giving shape to the life which was beginning upon the cleansed earth. He was to replenish the earth. Happily Noah began right, for he began with the act of worship.

IV. The Covenant With Noah (8:21; 9:27).

God was well pleased with Noah's act of devotion. Because of this He entered into a covenant with him embracing the following elements:

1. Assurance of the perpetuity of the race (8:21, cf. 9:3-17).

The bow was set in the cloud as a token or guarantee of this.

2. The security of the order of nature (8:22).

We know of the succession of the seasons and the ongoing of the system of nature only because of the guarantee of Him who controls them all.

3. Establishing the privileges and responsibilities of Noah and his descendants in their relation to the earth (9:1-4).

(1) The earth to be replenished (v. 1).

(2) Dominion restored. The dominion which was lost through the fall of man was now restored, but on the ground of fear.

(3) Animal food given. Heretofore man subsisted on a vegetable diet (Gen. 1:29).

4. Human government established (9:4-6).

The sword of justice was placed in man's hands and man was to be ruled by man. This sword has never been removed (Rom. 13:1-7).

5. The destinies and interrelations of the three great branches of the race fixed (9:18-27).

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Lansing, Michigan.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound whenever I needed it. When I first used it I was so bad I could hardly walk across the room without crying. I was tired all the time. I think my trouble was coming on me for six months before I realized it. I read of your wonderful medicine in the paper, and my husband bought me a bottle, and after the first few doses I felt better, so kept on taking it until I was well and strong. I take it at times when I feel tired and it helps me. I will always have a good word for your medicine and tell anyone what good it has done me. I recommended it to my neighbor for her girl, who is sixteen years old, and it was just what she needed. She is feeling fine now, and goes to school every day."—Mrs. E. F. BASSETT, 216 South Hayward Avenue, Lansing, Michigan.

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Let the science of historical investigation be rigorously applied to the resurrection of Jesus. Christianity will not fear the proof. For it has pleased God that this crowning seal put to His Son's life should be sustained and guarded by an amount of proof such as no other fact in ancient history can boast; so that no honest searcher for truth might be left in doubt that Jesus of Nazareth has been declared to be the Son of God.

Early Actresses

Actresses appear to have been unknown to the ancients in earliest times, female parts in dramatic performances being taken by males. Actresses appeared on the stage under the Roman empire. The first English actress is said to have been Mrs. Colman, who performed the part of "Tantie" in Davenport's "The Two Rhodes," in 1596.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Early Actresses

LOOK! Our Special and Every Day Sale Prices

Buy By the Dozen or Case and Save More

SUGAR	5 pounds of cane sugar	35c
"	10 pounds of cane sugar	65c
"	25 pounds of cane sugar	1.55
"	100 pounds of cane sugar	5.95

COFFEE	3-lb can Maxwell Coffee	1.50
"	1-lb can Maxwell House Coffee	55c
"	3-lb can Wapco House Coffee	1.35
"	1-lb can Wapco Coffee	50c

BEANS	No. 2 can Cut Beans Each	20c
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LARD	8 Pound Pail Lard	1.35
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KRAUT	12 cans No. 2 Van Camp Kraut	75c
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HOMINY	12 cans No. 5 Van Camp Hominy	80c
"	12 cans No. 3 Van Camp Hominy	1.25

Pine Apple	No. 2 can Grated Pine Apple	25c
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"	No. 1 can Sliced Pine Apple	15c
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CATSUP	14 oz. Bottle Catsup Each	20c
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PEAS	No. 2 can Peas, a very fine grade	17 1-2c
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TOMATOES	No. 1 per doz.	60c
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"	No. 2 per doz.	90c
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Pork and Beans	No. 2 per doz.	1.00
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SOAP	25 Bars P & G Laundry Soap	1.00
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BORAX	8 Pkgs. Borax	25c
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"	7 Pkgs. Rub No More	25c
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STARCH	Lint Starch Per Pkg.	7 1-2c
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FLOUR	48 lb Sk. Bell of Wichita Flour	2.30
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"	24 lb Sk. Bell of Wichita Flour	1.25
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"	48 lb Sk. Made Rite Extra High Patent Flour	2.25
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"	48 lb Sk. Shawnee Best Extra High Patent Flour	2.25
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MEAL	25 Pound Sk. Meal	55c
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Good House Brooms50c

Try our candy. We have full line of fresh candies.

Kohlman's Variety Store

Some of the boys who are catching those big cat fish, want to be careful and watch for a brand on them, as it is reported that our friend, Ed Henderson, claims he has caught and branded many of the "big ones" and turned them loose.

Mrs. L. E. Davanny has purchased a lot in northwest part of town and will build another residence in the near future.

The Review desires to report all deaths, births and marriages, as a matter of record, so please report same and accept our thanks.

Judge Gilbert of the county seat, was a visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Poley Williams, Buddie Prewett, Mrs. Joe McDonough and Mrs. O. N. Grisham mortored to Baird Tuesday.

Mrs. Price, wife of the principal of the Dressy school, spent the week end at Cottonwood.

Mrs. Edna Mauldin of the Blubonnet Beauty Parlor, is in Fort Worth, taking a two weeks course of study in her line of work.

John Tyson of Lubbock and Grady Tyson of Wichita Falls, are visiting parents, Dr. and Mrs. John Tyson.

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A machinery belt, which owner can get by coming to me, describing property and paying for this notice.
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Along the shining strands of copper and aluminum linking together the unrequited crests of clean limbed giant poles, there leaps a potent force carrying the strength of ten thousand untamed horses. But a force that is itself not untamed, that is harnessed to the will of a people, a titanic force so perfectly controlled that instantly at the bidding of its masters it will energize the most delicate instrument in the hands of the physician, or set spinning the ponderous wheels of the greatest factory.

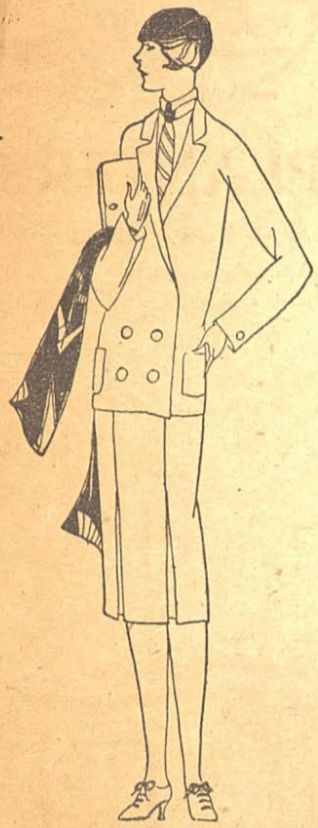
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Seven hundred and fifty miles of these great power lanes now comprise the electrical distribution net of this company, serving the centers of population in seventeen progressive counties of West Texas, seven hundred and fifty miles of such lines, which cost in the building from five hundred to four thousand dollars per mile. Just one item in the great system organized and built and operated to assure you dependable electric service.

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To make the story short and to the point, we wish to state briefly that we simply have too large stock for our building and in order to make room for more goods we have decided to pull off a Real Honest-To-Goodness-Sale. When Lotief says sale we mean reduction in prices. Don't be misled to so-called sales—look and ask for Lotief's store and follow the crowds. We have saved the people of this trade vicinity thousands of dollars on their dry goods bills since we came here, and we can do the same thing again. We have a large stock of Clothing, Shoes, Hosiery and Ready-to-Wear. Following are just a few of our low prices:

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A special purchase, just received, on sale at remarkable prices. We have the largest stock in town to select from.

Group No. 1 consists of about 50 beautiful dresses in Silk Rayon and Crepes.....\$4.95

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Group No. 3, the newest and best styles, all shades, flate crepe, silk, broadcloth, crepe satin, pink, gray, Nile, peach and rose, all sizes 16 to 44, prices almost half off.....\$13.95

Group No. 4, as above with exception of higher grade material, sold as high as \$30.....\$17.95

House dresses.....75c to \$2.89

Ladies' Footwear

Of newest style; largest stock of shoes in Cross Plains, snappy styles.

\$9.50 values, queen quality.....\$7.50

8.50 value, satin and patent.....6.95

7.50 value, blond kid and satin.....5.85

6.00 value, patent, kid, satin.....4.75

5.00 values, medium heel.....3.95

4.50 and \$4 values, all colors and styles 2.98

Our odds and ends table.....\$1.90 up

Children's Shoes, according to sizes, ages and colors of the shoes.

It Will Pay You to Put the Boy in This—Boys' Play Suits, on Sale.....\$1.00

EXTRA SPECIAL

36 inch percales, fast colors.....15c
27 inch gingham, good grades.....12 1-2c
36 inch heavy muslin, 20c grade.....15c
\$1.25 silk hose.....85c
36 inch dotted Swiss.....25c

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\$45.00 Suits in beautiful patterns and good soft all wool material, sizes 36 to 40, for young men.....\$32.50

\$35.00 values, good conservative model for business suits and middle age folks.....\$24.50

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Odd pants, all wool for both men and young men, \$8.50 values in nice patterns.....\$7.00

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At wholesale prices, \$1.95, \$2.85, \$3.50, \$4.50
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Just the Right Weight, Just the Right Price, Men's Spring Union Suits.....45c to \$1.75

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We handle silk in leading shades, also in whites.

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Gingham as low as 9c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 17 1-2c, 20c and 25c, at factory cost

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10 1-4 Bleached.....45c

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25c grade muslin.....18c

Ready made sheets.....95c

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Silk, all the way up, in Chiffon.....\$1.95

A full fashion in leading shades \$1.25, \$1.48, \$1.75

Ladies' Hats, 1-2 Off

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Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson visited at Santa Anna first of the week.

Rev. Hearn and wife, accompanied by other members of the Baptist church, attended the workers conference at Baird last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cross were business visitors at Brownwood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott of Nimrod, visited here first of the week.

M. L. Browning and family visited relatives in Brownwood a few days ago.

A. C. Ingram, Ira Upton, L. O. Payne, D. F. Merryman and Louis Coppinger, visited here first of week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Neeb visited relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Aiken visited their son at Liberty this week.

J. C. Johnston of Jacksonville, is now employed with the Western Union office in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ogilvy were here Monday, with a view of building houses for rent on their lots in the northeast part of town.

Geo. Brown and family spent the week with relatives at Burkett.

Miss Novella Adair and sister, Mrs. Wyatt, spent last Sunday with their parents at Sipe Springs.

Jim Underwood and family spent last Sunday visiting with friends at Gorman, where they lived before coming to Cross Plains.

The hotels report being crowded this week with oil field prospectors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ellis of Cottonwood, were among the recent shoppers in Cross Plains.

Merlin Garrett and Miss Gladys Wagon visited friends in Abilene, last Sunday.

Mrs. Sherrod of Panhandle, Texas, is visiting with E. F. Harlow and family.

J. K. Preston and family have been visiting at Gatesville for several days.

Mrs. Lee of Santa Anna, visited with her daughters, Mrs. Walter Seward and Mrs. Lee Haley, the past week.

Miss Hazel Door has returned from a visit at Eastland.

The Misses McElhanon and Bransford spent the week end in Fort Worth, with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Westerman and F. M. Gwin and family were recent visitors at Cisco.

Tom Bryant and family spent the week end in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Ollie Cunningham of Putnam, is visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Thorne.

Mr. and Mrs. John Atwood are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Reed, at Lubbock.

Miss Gladys Wagon of Dressy, has returned from a visit at Wichita Falls. Her aunt, Mrs. Fred Stengle, returned with her.

The Review is requested to announce that the Old Sacred Harp Singing Convention will be held in Coleman, Saturday and Sunday, May 15th and 16th. A large number are planning to go from here. Don't forget the place and date.

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EARLY SYMPTOMS—Nervousness, stomach trouble, despondency, shortness of breath, burning feet, constipation, brown or rough skin, tingling sensations, smothering spells, diarrhoea, loss of sleep, loss of weight, dizziness or swimming in head, general weakness with loss of energy.
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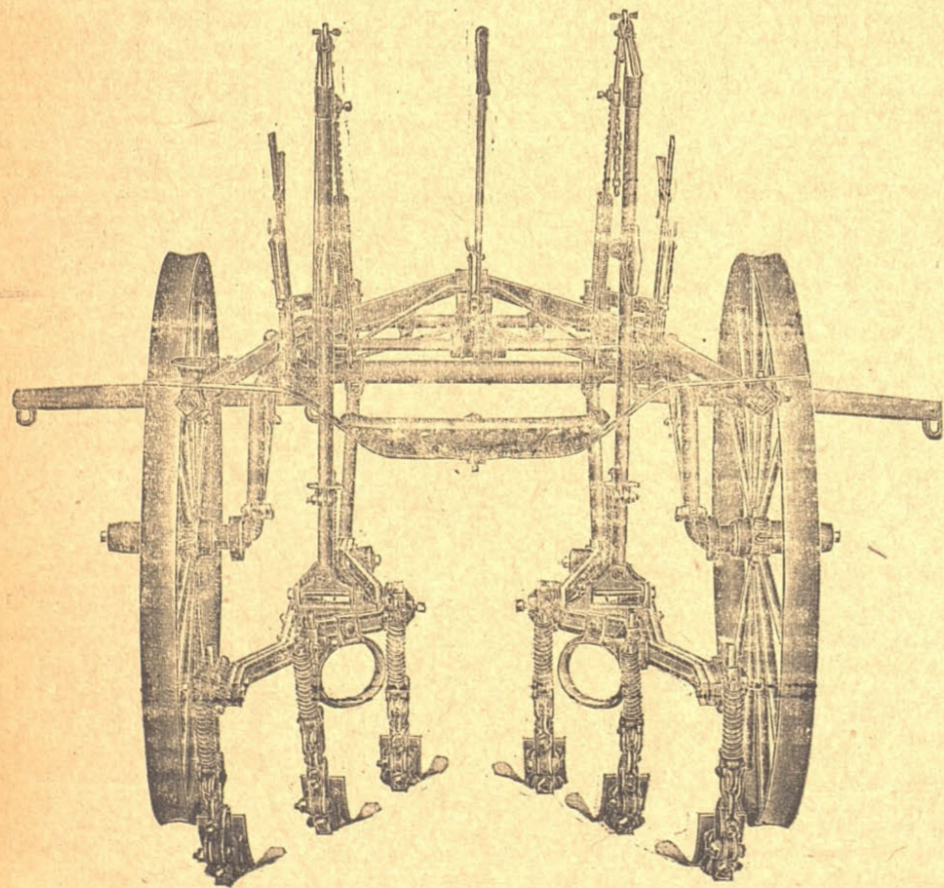
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Or kiss the place to make it well?"
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Give a token of loving remembrance to her on Mother's Day.

A box of Vassar's Chocolate, a dainty motto or Mother's Day card, a box of Stationery or some article of refinement--any of these will make a pleasing gift. Don't let this day pass pass without Mother knowing that your love is hers.

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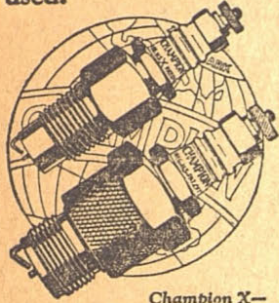


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Hundreds of thousands of motorists will make certain of better engine performance for another year by installing new Champion Spark Plugs during National Change Week, May 2 to 9. They will bring back engine power and speed, forestall tinkering and costly repairs; and save their cost many times over in less oil and gas used.



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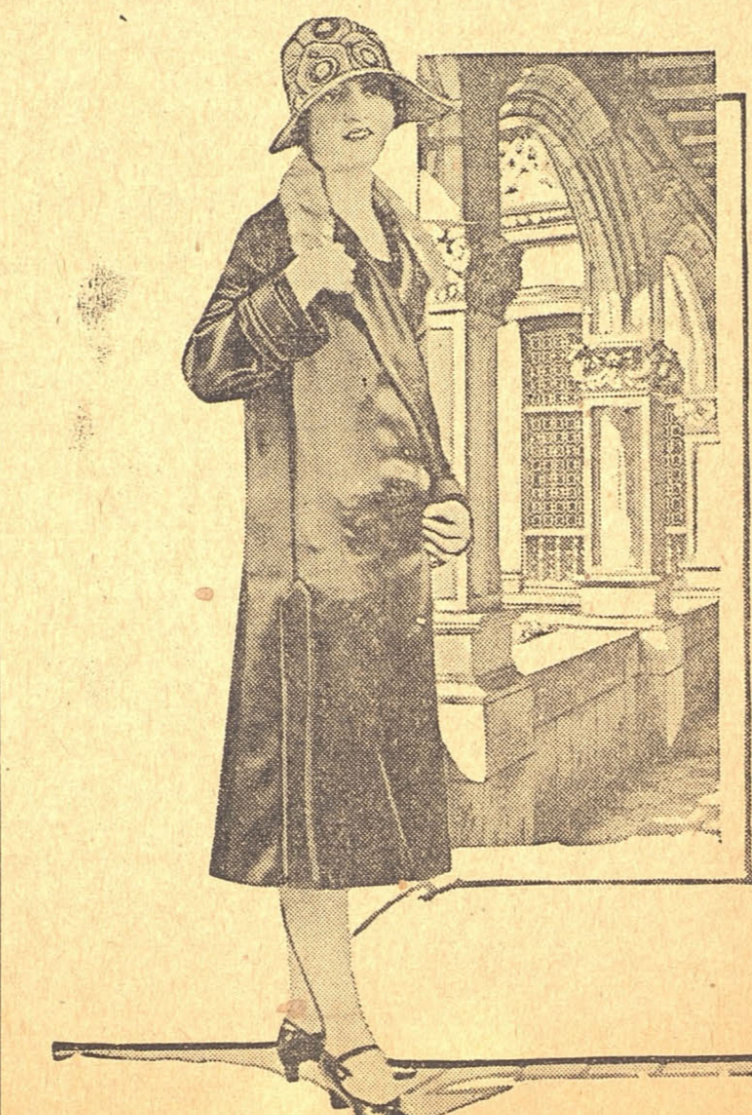
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MODISH BLACK SATIN COATS; AIRY HATS HERALD SUMMER

LIKE the return of an old friend, rejuvenated and chic—after a long vacation, the black satin coat of this season makes its entry—everywhere there is awaiting it a feast of a thousand welcomes. Black satin coats, following all the modish new ideas of the hour and stressing particularly the use of summer furs in colors and trimmings, have returned in force; whole windows in the big apparel shops are given over to their display, showing them developed in straight lines and flaring models, and with all the variations in collars, sleeves, fastenings and other details that characterize the fashionable coat of the spring season.



The Flared Silhouette.

Nothing quite equals black satin, in the crepe satin weaves, for the new flared skirt lines in coats and cape and jabot effects which are so graceful and chic; therefore a good proportion of the late models embodies these style points. An example of the flared silhouette is shown in the picture in a coat with deep revers and the popular side fastening. Its fur collar, in light gray squirrel, holds its own with many other collars of similar shape, made of white ermine, but the displays emphasize the distinction of black and white

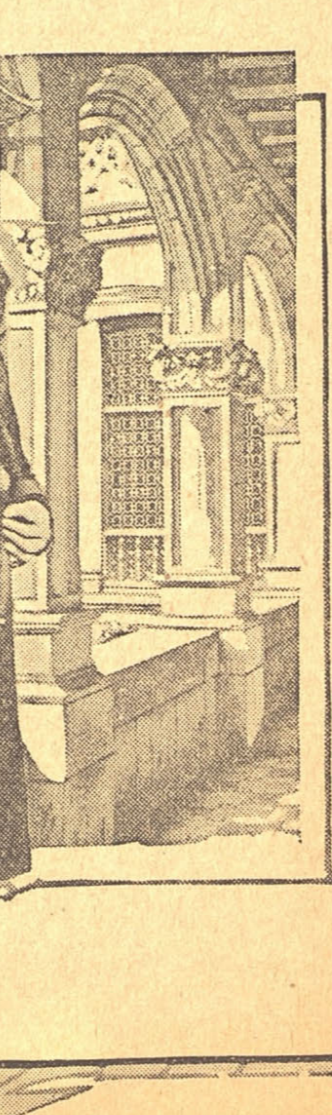


Group of Summer Hats.

by many models in which ermine is used for collars and—with much restraint—in trimming touches. Fur collars are not confined to squirrel or white ermine by any means. Summer ermine and furs that imitate it, and dyed squirrel provide a choice of color in the short-haired furs, and white fox contributes its soft becomingness also. Except in sunny climes the story of millinery so far this season has been told in small, colorful and chic hats that belong to early spring.

the flower-trimmed hats with equal pleasure and confidence. But now stylists have launched the real, summer hat and millinery windows are blossoming out with airy and wide-brimmed models that will cast a grateful shadow when the sun is high.

Many of these midsummer hats are of transparent braids—and many of them are flower-trimmed. They are in keeping with the sheer and dainty summer frocks that are finding universal favor, and they are enchantingly becoming—distinctly midsummer types with crowns somewhat higher than



The Flared Silhouette.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

Mary Graham Bonner
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RUNNER RABBIT'S AD- VENTURE

At the edge of the woods lived Runner Rabbit and his family.

He had been well named, for he was one of the fastest runners the rabbit family had ever known.

That is saying a good deal, too, for the rabbits have always been famed for their powers of running.

Runner Rabbit was a very beautiful black-and-white rabbit. His eyes were pink and he stuck his ears way up in the air whenever he was interested in anything—which was pretty nearly all the time.

For Runner Rabbit was very glad he was alive, and he had many friends and exciting adventures.

Mrs. Runner Rabbit was white with only two black spots, and the children were like both their mother and daddy.

They were old enough now for Runner Rabbit to think they were worth noticing, though when they were little babies he might have eaten them up.

You see, daddy rabbits, can never remember that the little bits of creatures that the mothers are paying so much attention to will grow up to be fine animals—and so, when they are very small, the mother rabbits keep the daddies out of the way.

One day Runner Rabbit was taking a walk.

"It's a fine day," he said to a song sparrow he saw perched on a tree nearby.

The song sparrow trilled a little song and chirped that he agreed with Run-

ner Rabbit that it was an extremely nice day.

"But where are you going?" he asked.

"Over to the vegetable garden back of the home you see yonder," said Runner. "There are carrots over there."

And Runner Rabbit's pink eyes looked very bright and happy over the prospect of having carrots for supper.

"I don't advise you to go there," said the song sparrow, "for they keep a big dog."

"Nonsense," said Runner Rabbit, "I'm not afraid. Besides, I've never heard him bark. Dogs always bark, you know."

"I know that, but I know one is there," said the song sparrow sadly, as he saw Runner Rabbit go on.

But later on he saw him coming running back for all he was worth, and Dash, the farmer's dog, chasing him.

Runner reached the briar patch just in time, and the dog, who couldn't get through the rough bushes, turned home.

"I'm so glad I can run," panted Runner, and Mrs. Runner Rabbit said: "So am I, but don't go looking for trouble again!"

Runner Rabbit promised. Mrs. Runner Rabbit's children were very fine, and they were glad to have their daddy safe and sound. But their mother they loved best. She had cared for them when they were little.

She had watched over them and taught them to stay quite still in their nest of leaves when she went out for food.

She covered them over with long grass and warned them that they mustn't move, for the woods were full of dangers they still new nothing about.

She taught them how to stay perfectly still like statues when an animal appeared and how to give the stony stare which is one of the tricks of the wood creatures. They copied Mrs. Runner as she showed them how to brush their ears with their claws. She taught them how to thump on the ground, which is the rabbits' way of signaling or telephoning to each other that danger is near, or that goods things to eat are close at hand. She taught them how to drink dew water and water that has not become dirty. And she taught them how to know one kind of signal from the other.

Then, when all these lessons were learned, she rubbed her whiskers against each one in turn and said they were really well-schooled rabbits now. Then they had met their daddy.

Unaware of Her Presence
Mr. Blank was out in his garage repairing his car one evening when little Eleanor and her father strolled in. The two men soon became engrossed in the work, Mr. Blank swearing in exasperation occasionally. Finally Eleanor spoke up quietly and with much dignity said, "Daddy, I don't believe Blank knows I'm here."

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Each 15-cent package contains directions so simple any woman can tint soft, delicate shades or dye rich, permanent colors in lingerie, silks, ribbons, skirts, waists, dresses, coats, stockings, sweaters, draperies, coverings, hangings—everything!

Buy Diamond Dyes—no other kind—and tell your druggist whether the material you wish to color is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton or mixed goods.

Old Superstition Dooms Girls to Spinsterhood

An old superstition of obscure origin is responsible for imposing a severe handicap on Japanese girls who are twenty years old this year. It is said that they must all be so bad tempered as to be unsuitable for wives.

This unlucky time occurs every sixty-one years, and although the superstition is waning there are still large numbers of parents who will not allow their sons to marry girls under this cloud. A number of this year's unlucky girls have taken up professional work, in the belief that they are doomed to remain single.

To combat the superstition, efforts are being made by a society organized in Tokyo to help its members select their wives and husbands without parental help or interference. In the past, thousands of girls, fearing a lifetime of loneliness, have committed suicide.

A Lady of Distinction
Is recognized by the delicate, fascinating influence of the perfume she uses. A bath with Cuticura Soap and hot water to thoroughly cleanse the pores followed by a dusting with Cuticura Talcum powder usually means a clear, sweet, healthy skin.—Advertisement.

Never Before
A speeding motorist had been hauled up before a southern Indiana justice of the peace. The motorist evidently thought it was a trumped-up charge with a fine as the reward for the local department of justice, and his conduct before the justice bore this out.

"Were you ever in a court of justice before?" the justice asked him, to impress him with the gravity of his situation.

"No, never," was the retort, "but I've been before a justice of the peace before."

If you use Red Cross Ball Blue in your laundry, you will not be troubled by those tiny rust spots, often caused by inferior bluing. Try it and see.—Advertisement.

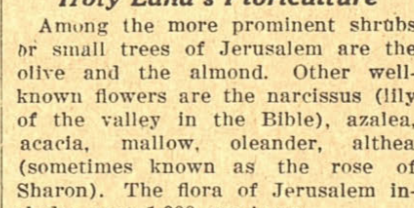
Saving Burglars' Time
A tag with this inscription, "This safe is never locked, turn the handle and it will open," has hung on the knob of the strong box of a fuel company at Tulare, Cal., for the last seven years. Although the statement is perfectly true, burglars do not believe it and have ransacked the safe three times. It is used only for protection of records against fire, and no money is kept in the safe.

Many people imagine that Worms or Tapeworm can be expelled entirely. A single dose of "Dead Shot" proves that they can. 312 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

Holy Land's Floriculture
Among the more prominent shrubs or small trees of Jerusalem are the olive and the almond. Other well-known flowers are the narcissus (lily of the valley in the Bible), azalea, acacia, mallow, oleander, althea (sometimes known as the rose of Sharon). The flora of Jerusalem includes over 1,000 specimens.

Poland Dealing With Russia
Russia under the Soviet regime is dealing more extensively with Poland, according to trade figures. In the period 1923-24 Poland exported to Russia goods valued at \$1,713,710, whereas the exports had jumped in the 1924-25 period to \$7,803,737.

Children Cry for



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Laughs at Advancing Age
Despite her eighty-six years, there is no more enthusiastic lover of outdoor sports than Mrs. Olive Tobey of Eliot, Maine, and it is not an uncommon sight to see her and her daughter and granddaughters coasting on a double-runner bob sled. Mrs. Tobey apparently gets more enjoyment out of this than do the younger members of the group.—Boston Globe.

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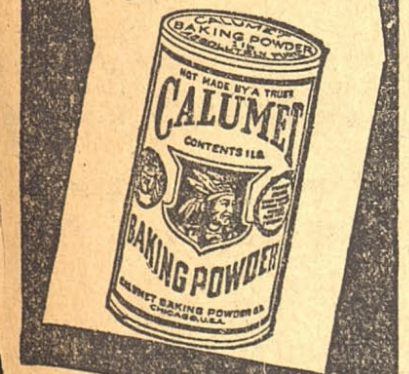
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SANITATION SAVES LIVES OF CHILDREN

United States Aids Great Work in Santiago.

Washington.—Should a fire sweep through a children's hospital in Santiago, Chile, and snuff out the lives of 789 little children, millions would feel keenest sympathy and presidents and kings would send messages of condolence.

Less spectacular, but far more cheering, is the actual news that 789 lives of children under one year old have been saved in a six months' period in that one city.

And the United States had an important part in this magic boon of modern medicine.

The circumstances emerge into the news because of the announcement of the new sanitary code regulations and the decision of the United States public health service to permit Dr. J. D. Long of its staff to remain in Santiago as technical adviser to the Chilean ministry of hygiene.

Repaying Medicinal Favors.

"It seems only a bit of poetic justice that the United States should minister to the land whose deserts make the world's gardens grow, bind the sores and wounds of mankind, and alleviate the pain of intense suffering in hospitals from New York to Singapore—for those are the effects of the nitrates, the iodine and the cocaine that Chile exports," says a bulletin of the National Geographic society.

"Medicine has wrought powerful changes in the geography of the world," the bulletin continues. "Quinine, for example, has been man's chief ally in conquering the tropics. And recent applications of medical science have been estimated to have saved more lives among the allied nations since the World War than were lost in that titanic struggle.

"Now Chile, by the creation of its national health service, with the assistance of the expert from our country, has embarked upon a program which she believes, at a conservative estimate, will save her nearly 30,000 lives a year.

"Such a program, through the length of her 2,700 miles, from the nitrate beds of Tarapaca to the forests of Tierra del Fuego, and her rich intermediate belts of copper, iron, fruits and the only sizable coal deposits in South America, will have an important bearing upon her future geography and upon the world supply of the raw materials and resources she possesses.

"An official resume of the work performed by the national health service since its inception last year, just received at the headquarters of the National Geographic society, tells how a fly elimination campaign, through refuse removal, and certain other sanitary provisions resulted in cutting down the infant mortality rate during the last six months of 1925 by 45.4 per cent over the deaths of 1923; and showed a falling of 31.4 per cent in the number of deaths in 1925 over those of 1924.

What Chile Has Done.

"The elongated republic, with its one-fourth area of islands, has been divided into ten sanitary zones, a corps of health officers has been created, quarantine regulations have been put into effect, physicians licensed and compelled to report communicable diseases, sewage disposal plants installed in small communities, municipal sanitary codes drafted and physical examinations of school children are being gradually provided.

"Infant mortality in Chile has been approximately one-third the total mortality. Of those babies that die under one year of age about 60 per cent die under one month old. Therefore, the report states, a great saving of life, perhaps from 80 to 90 per cent of these deaths, will be prevented by proper hospital maternity provision for mothers.

"Four cities, Santiago, Los Leones, San Antonio and Talca, henceforth are to have their water supplies sterilized with chlorine. Certain cities which have had inadequate water for domestic purposes, including Valparaiso, are being surveyed for an augmented supply.

"In the water shortage, many towns suffer from a condition which makes for Chile's prosperity. Northern Chile is the one arid region of the world which doesn't want more rain. If the climate changed and heavy rains fell periodically the water would gradually dissolve the nitrate and wash away the country's unique reservoir of wealth."

Clock Gives Up After Running 400 Years

East Hendren, Berkshire, Eng.—Day in and day out for more than 400 years the church clock of this village has told the correct time, but at last it has been stopped for repairs, much to the inconvenience of villagers.

There is an ancient clock at Windsor Castle which, according to history, was given by Henry VIII to Anne Boleyn on the day they were married in 1533. It is still going. The oldest public clock now in service with its original mechanism is said by the Horological Journal to be one in the Rye parish church, which was set up in 1515.

OLD NEW ORLEANS IS QUIANT SPOT

Perfume and Antique Shops Intrigue Visitors

New Orleans.—The Vieux Carre—Old New Orleans—is known everywhere as one of the quaintest spots in America, but probably nothing else in this historic quarter so intrigues the stranger as the perfume and antique shops.

The tiny establishments are similar to those found through France, but there also are the larger shops. They are scattered throughout the quarter, but most of them are strung along Royal street.

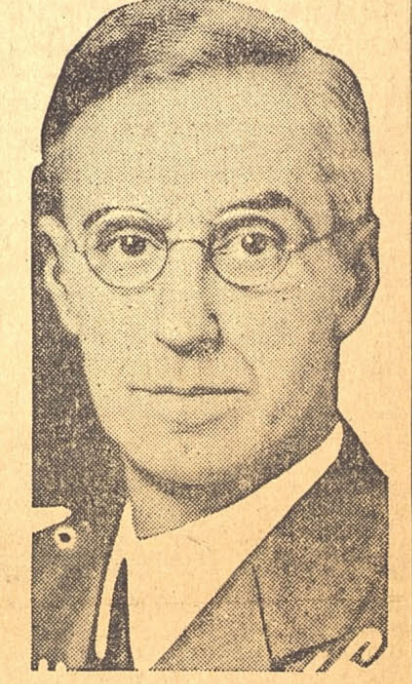
In the antique shops, lovers of old things are in their glory, for unlike New England and other old sections of the country, the New Orleans establishments have not yet been cleared of their treasures.

Priceless pieces, many of them brought to Nouvelle Orleans by the first settlers, are on display, and the spirit of the owners is to welcome the strolling stranger whether he is on a buying mission or "just looking."

Feminine visitors get a real thrill from the perfume shops in which alluring bottles contain even more alluring odors. Many of the shops are operated by descendants of the old settlers and they have real family pride in the products they are offering.

In one or two of the places, special attention has been given to typically southern perfumes—magnolia, jasmine and orange blossoms—and the visitor who purchases one of those odors may be sure that when she returns to the "old home town" her hostess at the bridge party will not have "beaten her to it" in the way of perfume.

G. W. RIGHTMIRE



George Washington Rightmire was recently elected president of the Ohio State university. He has been a member of the faculty since 1902.

Woman Seeks Her Kin; Search Begins at 1828

Philadelphia.—In an effort to locate any surviving relatives who may still live in this vicinity, Mrs. Lewis Thorp has set a task for the bureau of missing persons, which dates back just ninety-eight years.

Mrs. Thorp writes that on August 16, 1828, her great grandfather, Samuel Crawshaw, accompanied by his wife and family, set sail from their old home in England, and on October 2, 1828, landed in Philadelphia.

Whether Mrs. Thorp is of the same or of another branch of the family her letter does not state, nor does it indicate why she begins her search with the landing of her great-grandfather in America just a fraction less than a century ago. She does state, however, that she is anxious to locate any relatives or possible heirs who may be living, so that apparently the settlement of some long-standing estate is the basis of the search which the Illinois woman asks.

Only Lord Beatty and Wales Can Tilt Hats

London.—The tilt of Lord Beatty's hat is the copyright of two persons only in England—the prince of Wales and Lord Beatty himself.

Lieut. Gen. Sir William Furse is advising the boys of the Church Lad's brigade, who are to be inspected by the prince in June, to remember to put their hats on straight and keep them straight.

"There are only two officers in the whole of the empire," Sir William said, "who are allowed to wear their uniform hats on one side of their heads. One is the great Admiral Lord Beatty and the other the prince of Wales.

"From the little I know of the prince of Wales, if he sees anybody mimicking him, he will not give them such a nice report as he might otherwise," the speaker added.

Needed Reform

New York.—Will Hays is making progress in ending misleading advertising by movie exhibitors, usually due to ignorance as in the following cases he cited: Special children's matinee for that great animal picture, "Black Oxen"; "A Doll's House"—bring the kiddies; "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse"—another great cowboy drama.

SIOUX DEMAND MANY MILLIONS FROM U. S.

Tribal Claims Are Based on Treaty Rights.

Pierre, S. D.—Millions of dollars would come to the Sioux of the Dakotas if they can establish all their claims against the government in the action now before the court of claims on the showings they make.

This action started on the demand of the Sioux for compensation for the Black Hills, a territory which they allege was taken from them in violation of treaty rights and on the signatures of the heads of a few bands of the Sioux, instead of a general agreement. The value they put upon this tract is \$150,543,750, with interest from 1876.

Go Back to 1851.

Besides the claim for the Black Hills the action carries with it claims which have been made by the Sioux under different treaty regulations, dating back to 1851, with interest running back that far on some of the claims. The direct claims without interest amount to approximately \$217,000,000 for the general tribal funds and approximately \$5,000,000 for various bands, and the interest charge will more than double this. The government will present offsets which will wipe out a portion of this claim, and just how much ever will come to the Indians is a problem.

These claims are the result of a demand made by the Sioux for pay for the Black Hills section. When the issue came up an agreement was reached by which they were to gather up all the old claims they made and put them into one action.

Claims for Hay.

Several claims are made for hundred thousand dollars each for hay cut upon the reservations for storage for teams used by the early military expeditions in the upper Missouri river country, and another good-sized bill for wood cut for building forts and for fuel by these expeditions.

Still another item is an estimated amount which should have been spent for education of the roving tribes between the years 1865 and 1893, under a treaty of 1868. Then there is a charge for farming implements and teams which were to be supplied under another treaty of the distant past, estimating the number of Sioux who were ready and willing to farm but could not do so on account of lack of the proper equipment.

Irishman, 125 Years Old, Walks Mile for Pension

London.—Ireland, famous breeding ground of hale and hearty old men, has produced a supercentenarian. He is William Smith of Dromara, County Down, who has celebrated his one hundred and twenty-fifth birthday. He was middle aged, according to ordinary standards, when he went off to fight in the Crimean war. His most strenuous exercise nowadays is walking a mile each Friday to receive his pension.

Ireland has produced many long-lived persons, but women in the British Isles as a whole are much longer-lived than men. There are about ten times as many female centenarians as male. Clergymen and peers seem to live longest in these modern times of rush and stress, but even the oldest of them are young compared to Thomas Carn, a Londoner, who died on January 18, 1588, at the venerable age of two hundred and seven. At least, this is a record said to have been inscribed in the parish register of St. Leonard's church, Shoreditch, which was destroyed by fire.

Students of longevity say centenarians come from long-lived families, where the thing is a habit. They discount the many pet modes of living, the prejudices for or against tobacco, alcohol, tea, or this food or that, to which old persons often attribute their achievements in piling up birthdays.

Fear, Love, and Cow in Drama of Prison Escape

Ossining, N. Y.—Fear, love and a cow figured in the drama of Lawrence Hawthorne's escape from Sing Sing prison and his return to serve a sentence of 39 years.

Hawthorne fled from the prison because he feared another convict, he explained. The cow furnished him with food while he hid in a woods for ten days.

The convict went to Hollywood, Cal., where he got a job in the "movies." He fell in love with a girl who jilted him. Then he returned to prison to complete his term.

To Save Church

Burgos.—Spain's most beautiful church, the Burgos cathedral, built in 1221, is falling to pieces, but the government has voted funds to save it.

300 Clocks to Replace Noon Gun at Rome

Rome.—One of the most picturesque institutions of Rome, dating back several centuries, the firing of a noon gun on top of the Janiculum hill each day, will disappear soon.

Governor Cremonesi of Rome has decided to institute in its stead a system of 300 electrical controlled clocks through the city.

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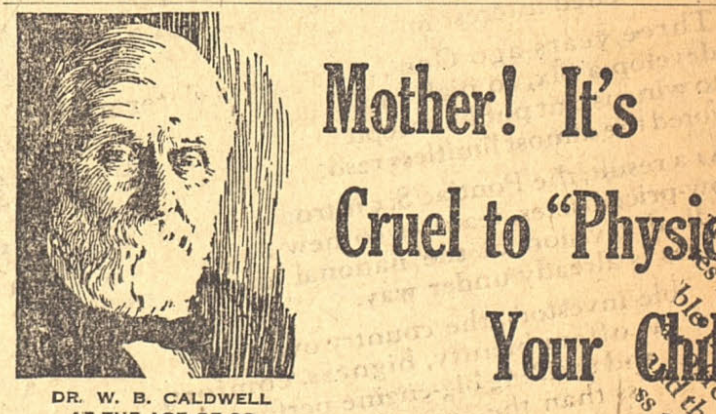
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Flit spray also destroys bed bugs, roaches and ants. It searches out the cracks and crevices where they hide and breed, and destroys insects and their eggs. Spray Flit on your garments. Flit kills moths and their larvae which eat holes. Extensive tests showed that Flit spray did not stain the most delicate fabrics.

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DR. W. B. CALDWELL AT THE AGE OF 63

To Dr. W. B. Caldwell, of Monticello, Ill., a practicing physician for 47 years, it seemed cruel that so many constipated infants and children had to be kept constantly "stirred up" and half sick by taking cathartic pills, tablets, salts, calomel and nasty oils.

While he knew that constipation was the cause of nearly all children's little ills, he did not believe that a sickening "purge" or "physic" was necessary.

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THE MODEL

The Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will take baskets and spend the day at Sabano next Sunday, May 2nd. In the evening a program will be rendered by this society, and also by the Sabano society.

Luke Westerman has returned from a prospecting trip in the Rio Grande Valley. Mrs. Evans Ellis is visiting relatives in Dallas and Fort Worth.

A large crowd attended the 4th Sunday singing, held at the Baptist church. Geo. Irwin, secretary, was authorized to order 100 books of class songs, which will arrive before the next 4th Sunday. The books are inter-denominational, and the singings are for everybody.

Mesdames Earl Gray, E. Frankie and others of Coleman county, were recent visitors here.

Mrs. J. A. Clark and daughter of Fort Worth, are visiting their son and brother, Clyde Durringer.

Mrs. H. A. David of Dallas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Anna Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Pierce motored to Cisco Sunday to visit their son and daughter, who reside there.

Mrs. W. T. Wilson has purchased some lots and buildings on North Main street, and will improve same for rent.

Miss Cora Ensor of Deer Plains, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Luther Hoover, at Comal.

Misses Haeseitine and Rosa Jones of north of town, were Saturday visitors.

Misses Ethel and Effie Starnater are spending the week with parents at Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shackelford returned home Sunday. They had been with Mrs. Albert Clements and Mrs. Edith Sturges, who are in a sanitarium at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Starr visited at Cisco Sunday.

Gordon Harlow, son of E. F. Harlow, is employed with the local Western Union office.

Minor Elliott and family have returned from Eastland, and will again make their home here.

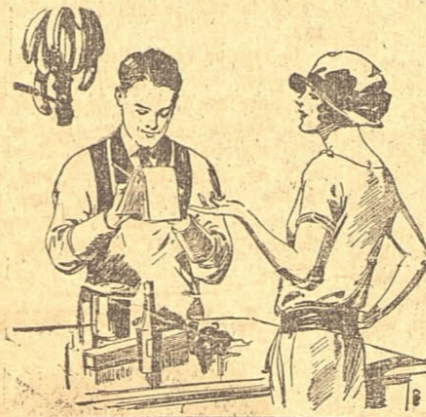
Mrs. A. E. Conlee left Sunday for Mineral wells, where she will spend a few weeks on account of ill health.

Mrs. R. O. Eubank has returned from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Brooks, who was sick, at Brownwood.

Announcement
The Review is requested to announce that M. L. Vaughn of Abilene, will preach at the Church of Christ Sunday morning and night, May 2nd. All are invited to hear him.
C. D. Baird is placing new machinery and making other improvements at his gin in Dressy.

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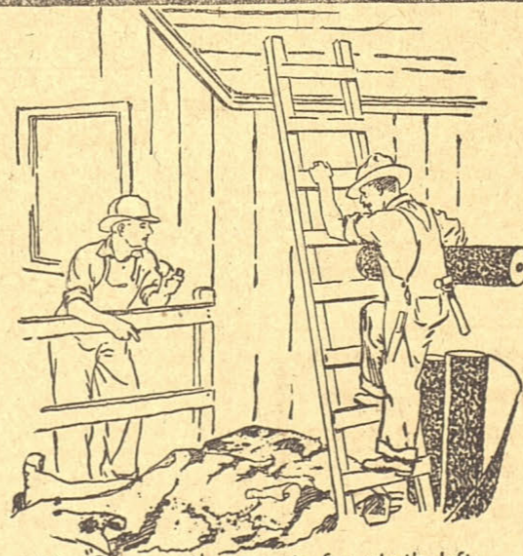
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