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FINISHING OF BRICK PAVEMENT BE-GUN YESTERDAY

Montgomery Lays First Brick Finishing Work On Depot Block Under Way.

The presence of a crowd of people onlookers the first brick on Memphis street paving was laid by C. Montgomery, "the father of Memphis." Mr. Montgomery was one of the original townsite owners and has constantly resided here since the town was located by himself and assistant.

The beginning was at the corner of Main St. and the public buildings, the work proceeded in the direction of the depot. Brick are being laid upon a cushion of about one inch in thickness. A hot asphalt applied, filling and cementing the brick.

Work is being made upon the square the pouring of cement is completed on the north side and on the east side is in progress. It is understood that, at least three blocks will be paved, there is a possibility that more will be contracted for before the work is completed.

Work was started yesterday on the Ozark monument, now on the northwest corner of the square, and west to tenth street. An objection to the present site was that it was too much room on this busy street and obstructed the view. The block west of the square on Street is closed to traffic this morning. The street is being graded and will be being built.

Street Church of Christ

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Women's class and intermediate class in gymnasium. Morning's class in the study. Men's class in the theatre room and more Sunday. Women's class won cup last Sunday.

Senior C. E. 3 p. m. Senior C. E. 8 p. m. Evangelistic service conducted by Jones and Podmore 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

CREEK BRIDGE WILL BE FINISHED THIS WEEK

Oaks Creek bridge on the Lakeview road, is being completed this week according to Commander Blanks. The new bridge is seventy feet longer and two feet higher than the old structure, and has been in a dangerous condition for some time. It will be needed and will be marketing this fall.

PERKINS IS KU KLUX CANDIDATE

Perkins in District Judges Race to Be Ku Klux Klan and Anti Ku Klux Klan.

An article on the front page, in an editorial paragraph, the Tribune-Chief of last Tuesday, August 15, makes the statement that the run-off in the district judge race between District Attorney Perkins of Memphis, and Judge M. M. Jones of Quannah, is upon the Klan-Klan issue.

Editorial follows: The race between Perkins and Jones to test the strength of the Klan Klan in this judicial district besides those who are a lot of people, who did not vote in the run-off and there is to be a considerable falling out. Let the Klan elect its man. We are going to pin it on Perkins the man who needs the support of a secret to elect him."

Coleman of near Weatherly Tuesday, he said that it was in that neighborhood, though he was suffering and suffering on.

SENATORIAL CONTEST BETWEEN COUNTRY AND THE TOWNS

Staff Writer of Star-Telegram Says Town Folk for Mayfield Farmers for Ferguson.

Gainesville, Aug. 13.—After traveling one week with James E. Ferguson, a week which followed six days with Earle B. Mayfield, the obvious and only conclusion that one can make is that the senatorial race is essentially one between town and country.

The people in the towns are for Mayfield, judging by the crowds. The people in the country are for Ferguson, judging by the crowds.

With Ferguson's speech here Saturday afternoon two towns have been visited by him in which crowds during the week heard speeches by Mayfield. The contrast is striking, and impressive.

When Mayfield spoke in Sherman elaborate arrangements had been made. A press table, always a boon to visiting correspondents, was arranged. A band played while the crowd gathered to hear the railroad commissioner. A careful program had been prepared. Prominent men and women were on the reception committee and as usual, flowers were presented to Mayfield. Town people filled the audience.

Ferguson's speaking was opposite. Newspaper correspondents had to hustle for seats in a crowd much larger than heard Mayfield. Practically no advance arrangements had been made. No band heralded the coming of Ferguson. There was a mixup at the last moment who would introduce him. There were no flowers, but they said it with applause and cheers. Comparatively few townspeople were present. The crowd was made up of farmers, wearing blue denim shirts.

Last Friday night Mayfield spoke here. Temporary seats had been constructed on the lawn of the courthouse. Careful arrangements had been made. Flowers were presented. The audience was made up in the main of townspeople.

Ferguson spoke here Saturday. It was 85 per cent a country crowd. Blue shirts—yes, nearly all of them. There were no seats, and the bunch stood up, sat down on the grass or clambered over the stone steps of the courthouse.

Such is the comparison and it emphasizes the struggle as one in which the town people are for Mayfield, are working for him and voting for him, while on the other hand the country people are for Ferguson, working for him, and will vote for him.

Ferguson was asked at Kaufman Thursday if he would stop off at Whitesboro, in Grayson county, while en route from Sherman to Gainesville, long enough to make a speech. He replied late Thursday night he would. There was not a Ferguson committee at Whitesboro and no organization. Rev. A. J. Harris heard about it and told the farm people around that Ferguson would stop off at Whitesboro. Dodgers were sent out Friday afternoon. Wagons lined the streets of Whitesboro Saturday morning when Ferguson arrived there and a crowd of 600 to 750 farmers heard him. Practically no town people heard him. One automobile was filled with women, who by the sheen of their automobile, its make and their clothing were apparently town people. Right next to this was a small car, mud splattered and in a tumble-down condition in which were four farm women and five children who were being repressed with difficulty. Two of the women had tears in their eyes as Ferguson, with emotional tones, related how he had lost his house, his farm, his cattle and his bank, and how he was fighting now to raise the stigma of impeachment, not for himself, but for his wife and two children. Farmers crowded about him at Whitesboro and pledged him renewed support while others came to him in an apologetic way and declared that they had not voted for him because they had not had a chance or that they voted for Ousley or Culbertson, but were going to vote for him.

In his introduction Rev. Harris said in part: "Jim Ferguson is one of the most unique characters in Texas history. If he had really done one-half the things they told on him, he ought to have been sent to the penitentiary instead of to the Senate. More stories (Continued on page eight)

LEE HIGHWAY MEETING HERE

Will Prepare Information and Prepare Data for Proposed Route Through Panhandle.

Definite information from Dr. Johnson, Director General of the Lee Highway Association to the Hall County Chamber of Commerce states that the Directors of the Lee Highway Association have not located a road through the states of New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma yet but that they are now ready to determine such route through these states as the respective State Highway Boards of these states may provide a routing as to class of roads.

The demands of the Lee Highway require that the route to be selected must be in the seven per cent class and preferably in three per cent class of roads. The Panhandle Lee Highway Association proposing a direct route from Lawton, Oklahoma to which the road has been designated, via Altus, Hollis, Childress, Memphis, Tulsa and Clovis, N. M. has had the proposed route logged with all correlated data and will hold a meeting in Memphis today for the purpose of preparing all information and conforming to all the requirements of the Lee Highway Association. This prepared data will then be represented by a large committee in person from the territory mentioned to the Board of Directors of the Lee Highway Association in Washington, D. C.

ALANREED TEST HAS GAS FLOW OF 2 MILLION FEET

Alanreed, Texas, Aug. 15.—Harvey Well No. 1, came in here today with a gas flow estimated at 2,000,000 cubic feet. The well is drilling at 2800 feet and announcement made that the test will go deeper in search of oil.

Throngs of people came to Alanreed to see the well when news spread over the country about 2 o'clock this afternoon and hundreds took advantage of the opportunity. The well is one-half mile north of Alanreed.

ACQUITTED FOR UNMASKING K. K. K.

Austin, Aug. 14.—Edgar Shelton was not found guilty by a jury Monday night of having precipitated and engaged in an affray during religious worship when he snatched the mask from the face of a Ku Klux Klansman several weeks ago as five masked men approached the pulpit of the South Austin Baptist church and tendered a \$50 donation to the revival preacher.

Bitter Creek Bridge Completed

The Bitter Creek bridge on the Memphis-Brice road has just been completed and only lacks the filling in of the approaches of being ready for traffic.

This bridge has been out for over a year and its use will be a great convenience to a large neighborhood.

LETTER WRITING CONTEST CLOSES

Democrat Advertising Letter Writing Contest Closed. Winners Announced Next Week.

The advertising letter writing contest conducted during the past several weeks by the Democrat closed last Tuesday, August 15.

The letters, without the names or address of the writers, will be submitted to judges who will select the first, second, third and fourth in order of merit. When the judge's reports have been received the prizes will be awarded in accordance with the conditions governing the contest, the winners will be notified and the list printed in the paper. This contest has been quite successful in attracting attention to the advertisements of the patrons of this paper, hundreds of replies were received and many letters indicated a study of the advertisements and of the requirements of the advertisers.

Some of these letters were from subscribers in distant cities; but a very large per cent were from writers in the Memphis trade territory.

OPEN PORT LAW AT CHILDRESS EXTENDED

Austin, Aug. 15.—The open port law at Childress, which has included 1,000 feet on either side of railroad property, has been extended to include the entire town and all territory within in one mile radius of the town, by Governor Neff, it was learned from an authoritative source this morning. Governor Neff refused to discuss the strike situation at Childress and other railroad centers.

WARDEMAN LEADS MISSISSIPPI FIELD

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 16.—A total of more than 113,000 votes accounted for returns compiled by the Commercial Appeal up to midnight in today's Mississippi democratic primary give former Senator James K. Vardeman a lead over Hubert Stephens of 60 votes for the U. S. Senate. The unofficial and incomplete vote from sixty six counties as received by the Commercial Appeal is: Stephens 50,981, Vardeman 50,141, Miss Kearney 13,360.

NONPARTISAN CONFERENCE INDORSES FERGUSON AND DAVIDSON

At a meeting held in Fort Worth on August 3 the Nonpartisan Conference of Texas indorsed the candidates of James E. Ferguson, for U. S. Senate, and T. W. Davidson for lieutenant governor.

The conference includes the Farm Labor Union, the Texas State Federation of Labor, the Railroad Brotherhoods and the Nonpartisan League of Texas.

This is the organization that indorsed Fred S. Rogers for governor, which accounted for the phenomenally large vote received by an unknown man against a governor for a second term.

News Around the County Court House

Court Doings, Official Acts and the Happenings in General About the County Capitol.

Commissioners' court has been in session since Monday listening to "kickers" on the tax valuations.

Sheriff Prealey had quite an accident Tuesday afternoon. While sitting in the sheriff's office he attempted to lean back when his chair slipped on the oiled floor and his head struck the window sill. The blow struck just at the base of the skull and rendered him unconscious and partially paralyzed for a short while. A doctor was called and he was told to spend the balance of the day in bed. He was, seemingly all right next morning.

The first marriage license to negroes and the first negro wedding to occur in Hall county took place in the county judge's office last week. Judge McIntosh officiated.

Judge Hoffman was called down to his office in the court house Sunday to attend to cases filed against a negro woman. There are but few negroes in Hall county but they figure quite frequently in the criminal court records, this frequency seems to be on the increase.



FERGUSON HAS RECORD BREAKING CROWD AT AMARILLO

First Speech In Panhandle Attracts Largest Political Gathering Ever in Amarillo.

Jim Ferguson dared and double-dog-dared Earl B. Mayfield to answer charge after charge which he hurled against him last night, but Mr. Ferguson not only hurled these dares, and lambasted Mayfield, but he offered concrete constructive policies to take the place of those of his opponent which he sought to tear down.

Jim Ferguson is James E. Ferguson—candidate in the August 26 runoff for the United States Senate in opposition to Earle B. Mayfield. He spoke last night to probably the biggest political gathering ever held in Amarillo, which was assembled on the vacant space across Taylor Street from the post office.

He spoke for two hours but kept the crowd attentive by scathing charges, witty sallies mingled with definition of his policies. And while he hit home some point or romped on his enemies, friends in the crowd yelled, "Pour it on 'em Jim!" and Jim poured it on 'em. Cheering was frequent.

C. B. Pash spoke briefly on the fundamental of government in introducing J. H. Gouddy, who in turn introduced Mr. Ferguson.

James E. Ferguson is the only candidate for decentralization of wealth; he is for the poor man," was the substance of Mr. Pash's remarks. Mr. Gouddy characterized the former Texas governor as a martyr. He said Mr. Ferguson had done more for the poor of Texas than any other man. He declared the Ku Klux Klan had become a political faction which was a wedge liable to split up the Democratic party. Mr. Gouddy brief referred to the former governor's record and characterized him as a man of brain, brawn and heart.

Mr. Ferguson recited what he termed persecution against him. He declared that he entered the Senate race as a poor man, that he had given up his estate to satisfy land grabbers persecutors. "But despite this persecution, I have no resentment, and will make still further sacrifices if necessary," he added. I am not broken in spirit and am still the gamest peacock that ever ran down the pike."

One of Mr. Ferguson's main points was the alleged rottenness of the Federal Reserve banking system. He declared the country was teeming with wealth while thousands were starving. "The country is suffering from under consumption because there is no money. The Federal Reserve Bank is owned by the private national banks of the nation. The people of the South are in the minority and will have no voice in finance of the nation while the reserve bank exists. Seven cities control the banking system. The Federal Reserve Bank board is composed of the most brutal wretches." He declared he would take the power from Federal Reserve Bank, take the three billion dollars in gold in Washington and put it back into circulation, placing one billion of it as a gift in the hands of the World War soldiers.

Mr. Ferguson lambasted in strong language the alleged extravagance of these banks, saying that they fattened themselves off the backs of the wheat farmers, gouged the people by buying up Liberty bonds at less than par and escaping taxation. He declared these big bankers had fleeced the people out of twenty-five billion dollars by causing the Liberty bond market to rise and fall and by depreciating the prices of farm and ranch products.

Officers of these banks were hotly attacked. "Pussy Foot" Ramsey of the Dallas bank gets \$18,000 a year, he said. The speaker also romped on "Water Power" Hobby, whom he said had two \$35,000 a year Federal Reserve bank officers working for him.

"The Federal Reserve Bank is as rotten as hell, I dare Mayfield to debate with me any time anywhere on this bank system. This country will never be prosperous till this system is wiped out, for as fast as good crops are made, these money sharks will depreciate the prices of commodities."

"I am eternally against the darn open shop. Everything is unionized now. Bankers are unionized, the railroads are unionized. The mine operator as well as the miner striking for his bread is unionized." He charged (Continued on page eight)

SUNDAY LAWS, RELIGIOUS LAWS SAYS WRITER

Attempt to Claim Sunday Observance Law Civil Law Hypercritical and Dishonest.

The Editor of the Daily Press of Newport News, Va., in an editorial, claims that a Sunday law that requires the observance of Sunday in not a religious law but a civil law. The civil law can deal only with a man's proper relationship to his fellow men whereas a religious law deals with a man's proper relationship with his God. The fact that a religious institution is enforced by a civil law, does not change a religious institution into a civil institution.

The Puritans used to enforce baptism by civil law, and compel by civil authority, the observance of the Lord's Supper, but that did not change baptism and the Lord's Supper into civil institutions. They were still religious, and the laws making them obligatory were religious.

This Virginia editor says: "It is quite true that the Sunday law under Constantine was a religious law. It is equally true that when Virginia was an English colony, Sunday was made a religious observance by the law of England, and men and women were required by law to go to church on Sunday. . . . But that was English law."

What wonderful logic! The Sunday laws were religious for nearly fifteen hundred years, then all at once they become civil laws because they are American laws, and America has declared in favor of religious liberty! But the American declarations of religious liberty and freedom of conscience do not change the character of these relics of the past. Calling the sun the moon does not change the sun into the moon. Calling a singer a saint would not make him a saint.

Sunday observance is a religious custom which was made obligatory by the church councils more than three centuries after Christ ostensibly in honor of His resurrection. At first, observance of this religious custom was optional. Later it was made obligatory under union of the church with the state, for the purpose of maintaining a unity of belief and practice in the established church. All through the centuries until very recently Sunday laws were regarded both by the church and the state as religious laws enforcing a religious obligation. Blackstone treats of Sunday statutes as laws prohibiting and punishing "offenses against God and religion." Sunday observance can never be anything else but religious, and any maneuvering to make these same identical laws suddenly civil is nothing but political chicanery and religious dishonesty.—Liberty.

MEMPHIS ICE PLANT STARTED LAST MONDAY

New Plant Makes First Run This Week. Use of Home-Made Ice Will Reduce Price.

The new plant of the Memphis Electric & Ice Company made its first run Monday. The plant has been under construction for a number of months and would have been completed sometime ago but for delay in getting machinery.

A part of the tank equipment of the old plant which was burned is being used and the first ice made will not be used commercially because of rust stains from these tanks.

The completion of the plant and ability to make ice at home will be quite a relief to the local management, which has experienced much trouble in getting shipments because of the irregularity of freight service. An average of a car and a third a day was used during July, and a great loss from shrinkage was sustained.

Manager Brewer informs us that an average of 16 to 20 tons per day is used locally; the plant will make twenty-five tons per day, so that there will be an adequate supply.

Mr. Brewer said that there would be a reduction of the local price just as soon as they can get a line-up on costs.

MICKIE SAYS

A FELLER IN THIS TOWN
DROVE HIS CAR ON SECOND SPEED
FOR A WEEK BEFORE HE LEARNED
THEY WUZ SECH A THING AS
"HIGH SPEED!" AN' HES BEEN
RUNNIN' HIS BUSINESS ON "LOW"
FOR YEARS, NOT KNOWIN'
THAT HE KIN THROW IT IN HIGH
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high vaulted room, walled and... glazed white tiles, like a... room or a high-ceilinged... tion—though it opened on... sidewalk of a sunlit side street... town New York—one of these... professionals told me stories of the... adventures of "Hawaitan blues," old... anecdotes made timely by the record... that Ferrary stamps recently... Paris.

the trade calls this... because they... I can eat at the... table, fix my napkin, look over a card... upon which is written the names of... the different kinds of dishes to be had... Then I take a pencil and a pad... and write down what I want. Perhap... my handwriting would be hard for... some to read, but the keeper under... stands it, and what is more I get... the food I want and the amount I... want.

"The keeper understands that and... he understands what it is I want, and... the people like to see me write down... my orders, so I do it to please them... "The keeper and I know how peo... ple like to have their fun, and the... children how with delight when they... see me.

"Perhaps I shouldn't say they 'howl'... with delight, but they make many... strange noises as they grin and clap... their hands excitedly.

"I eat sliced bananas and rice pud... ding with a spoon, some other dishes... with a fork and I pour the milk from... the jug and put it in my glass. Then... I drink it neatly.

"Sometimes I take a ride with my... keeper when he is on his bicycle, and... I often have walks in the summer... time.

"Then I have circus tricks, too. Not... that I have ever been in a circus, but... I know how to turn somersaults and... do tricks of that sort.

"I have many relatives in the zoo—... some of them are rather distant cous... ins, but still they are relatives.

"There are the spider monkeys. They... use their tails as hands. I mean that... each uses his one tail that way—... they have but one apiece.

"And there are many different anim... als in this zoo. I shall introduce... you to a few of them.

"I'd like to have you know Mr. Halry... Armadillo from South America, who... is able to roll himself into a horny... ball when enemies are near.

"You will have to go around the... zoo later and see these creatures for... yourself, but I'll tell you what I can... about them and what I've heard the... keeper say.

"Then there is Mr. Coypu. He's a... rat, but I'm not holding that against... him.

"He is called Nutria when he is sold... as a fur. He's a water rat and Mrs... Coypu Rat's children sit on her back... when they're young.

"Then there is Mr. Capybara who... looks something like a pig. But hasn't... he a fine name? He is from South... America, too. He is devoted to swim... ming and is a kind, gentle, kindly... pleasant soul and very affectionate.

"Even if he has such a gorgeous... name he's not in the least snobbish... For he said that he had once heard... someone at the zoo say that a very... very famous person had written some... thing about 'What's in a name?'

"And this person had written as... though the name meant very little.

"Well, the Capy... bara says he... agrees with that.

"There is Mr... Hyena who tells... the zoo people... that when he was... free he used to do... his hunting at... night.

"And there are... many, many oth... ers, but I must... eat a banana now... "I wouldn't... have to do this if... it hadn't been... given to me, and I... don't want to ap... pear rude and as... though I were not... grateful.



CHIMPANZEE'S SECOND TEETH



"Look Over a Card."

"It amused me," said the Chimpanzee, "when I heard a child in the zoo the other day speak of getting her second teeth as though she were so superior. 'She said she was getting them quite rapidly. 'Now I get second teeth, too. Oh yes, I do. In fact, I have my second teeth. 'I've lost all my first teeth and my second teeth are in. These teeth I will all ways keep. 'Now I have quite a few tricks. I can eat at the table, fix my napkin, look over a card upon which is written the names of the different kinds of dishes to be had. Then I take a pencil and a pad and write down what I want. Perhaps my handwriting would be hard for some to read, but the keeper understands it, and what is more I get the food I want and the amount I want.

"The keeper understands that and he understands what it is I want, and the people like to see me write down my orders, so I do it to please them. 'The keeper and I know how people like to have their fun, and the children how with delight when they see me. 'Perhaps I shouldn't say they 'howl' with delight, but they make many strange noises as they grin and clap their hands excitedly. 'I eat sliced bananas and rice pudding with a spoon, some other dishes with a fork and I pour the milk from the jug and put it in my glass. Then I drink it neatly. 'Sometimes I take a ride with my keeper when he is on his bicycle, and I often have walks in the summer time.

"Then I have circus tricks, too. Not that I have ever been in a circus, but I know how to turn somersaults and do tricks of that sort. 'I have many relatives in the zoo—some of them are rather distant cousins, but still they are relatives. 'There are the spider monkeys. They use their tails as hands. I mean that each uses his one tail that way—they have but one apiece. 'And there are many different animals in this zoo. I shall introduce you to a few of them.

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"And this person had written as though the name meant very little. 'Well, the Capybara says he agrees with that. 'There is Mr. Hyena who tells the zoo people that when he was free he used to do his hunting at night. 'And there are many, many others, but I must eat a banana now. 'I wouldn't have to do this if it hadn't been given to me, and I don't want to appear rude and as though I were not grateful. 'I hope you understand! 'But if you're going to say anything about me, please be sure to let those of the world know who want to know that I have my second teeth. 'And that I'm quite a Chimpanzee, quite a Chimpanzee!'

"I Pour the Milk."

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SOME SMILES



A PROLONGED COURTSHIP

The old man regarded his remaining unmarried daughter critically. "Let me see, Alice," he reflected. "Young Snythe has been calling on you regularly for six or eight months, hasn't he?" "Yes, father," simpered Alice. "Well," continued her parent, "if he asks you to marry him when he comes tonight, tell him to see me. Understand?" "Yes, dad," giggled Alice. "But suppose he doesn't ask me to marry him?" "H'm," reflected papa. "In that case just tell him I want to see him." —Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Bad Advertising. "Can't I sell you some of these pork and beans goods?" "What brand?" "The Sweepstakes." "No, indeed. I saw an advertisement giving a picture of a fellow who had taken one bite of those and was wearing a grin that was positively idiotic. I don't want to take any chances on looking that way." —Retail Ledger, Philadelphia.

Why the Crowd Laughed. Lecturer (in loud voice): "I venture to say to this crowd of people that there isn't a man in this audience tonight who has ever done anything to prevent the destruction of our vast forests!" As he paused for breath a little man in the back row rose timidly: "Yes, I have; I killed a couple of woodpeckers onct."

He Knows. "My husband is merely a manufacturer of waste baskets," sighed the woman with aspirations. "It seems such a prosy occupation." "On the contrary there is really much poetry in waste baskets," replied the unappreciated bard.

That Was All. Roberts-Jags did not stay long when he called on you at the office. Robinson—No; he wanted to borrow £5, and went away as soon as he got it. "I see; just a case of touch and go." —London Tit-Bits.



MORE VALUABLE THAN DIAMONDS "What are you doing with that lump of coal?" "I am taking it to my jeweler's to have it made over into an engagement ring.

Sweet Perfection. "I have a perfect wife," said Lee. "Her cooking's not a crime, and when she makes a date with me she's always there on time."

The Epicure. "Would you mind turning off that electric fan, waiter?" "Yes, sir. Too much draft, sir?" "It isn't that, but I don't want the aroma of this camembert I'm eating to be blown away."

At Last. "George, dear, I've something I want to talk to you about." "I'm glad of that, darling. As a rule you want to talk to me about something you haven't got." —Windsor Magazine.

"Would you marry a man in order to reform him?" "No," replied Miss Cayenne. "If I were to marry I'd want to be the head of a household and not of a reform school."

Competition. "I see they're going to get after the home brewers." "Don't you believe it. That's just bootlegger propaganda." —New York Sun.

A Dark Outlook. He—Be mine, darling. You are the lamp that alone can light my existence. She—Yes, dear, but papa doesn't think you are a good match for me.

Change Needed. Extravagant Son—Of course I keep a running account at my tailor's. Irate Father—Running account? He tells me it has been standing for eighteen months.

No Long Distance Appeals. "Wife going to the seashore this summer?" "No, decided to stay at home where the money supply is close at hand."

The End of the Honeymoon. "When does the honeymoon end?" "The first time the bride asks for something and the husband replies

Argentina beef can be placed on the American market for 12 cents a pound with good profit to the dealer according to a New York banker. They are killing cattle ther for the sake of the hides and the beef is selling for seven cents a pound. Cows bring \$2 in American money and sheep sell for \$1 a head.

Manufacturers in Sweden are making a ne wtype of cut glass, cheaper than plain glass and more beautiful. A \$3, 000,000 temple is to be erected in Ste. Anne de Baupre, Quebec, to replace the one destroyed. A monastery costing \$500,000 will also be built for the Redemptorist fathers. New Jersey spends \$2,000,000 a year keeping down its mosquitoes.

Bank messengers in Wall Street will be dressed in bright red coats, and have portable safes attached to padlocked belts around their waists. Under this system, it is believed the public will rush to the rescue of any rd-coated messenger attacked by robbers.

Mining dumps of South Africa are being worked by improved machinery to recover metals discarded when the gold was being recovered.

Ferrymetal is a new alloy of lead, calcium, barium and small amounts of other constituents. The alloy is practically unoxidizable.

The Boishevik leaders have preserved the great Royal Palace of the Kremlin, of Moscow, almost without change, as a remainder of "the lavish wealth and the pomp and splendor of the old regime."

Gold is to be reduced from the smoke leaving the United States Assay Office in New York City. During the process of reduction much gold dust is lost through the chimney.

A new copper process makes it possible to weld together iron and steel parts. The copper penetrates into the fine pores of the iron and forms a firm weld.

Fishermen off the Norwegian Coast are catching more mackerel than has ever been caught in that section. Fishing smacks are loaded to the water's edge with 10,000 mackerel each. They are retailing at two cents each, and in quantities for less than a cent. The fish are unusually large.

The clang of the fire gong roused the chief of the Corvallis, Oregon, fire department, who was coming out from under the ether following an operation. Doctors, attendants and nurses in the hospital failed to hold him and, half dazed, he jumped in his car, dashed up the street and arrived at the fire in time to direct operations.

The natives of Southeastern Asia have long known the curative properties of Chaulmoogra oil in skin diseases, especially in leprosy. They use the oil both internally and externally.

Eleven per cent of the foreign-born white population of this country above the age of ten years are unable to speak English.

In Maine, a constitutional amendment provides that a voter who has filed an application for an absent voting ballot with the clerk of the city or town in which he is registered, may vote by mailing or delivering the ballot to that official.

Seven hundred and eighty Japanese companies are engaged in business in Manchuria. This represents an aggregated capital equivalent to \$475,000,000, of which more than 50 per cent is paid up.

Advertisement for John W. Fitzjarrald, Chiropractor. Text: YOUR EYES Are Your Most Precious Possession. Since so many of the pleasures of life depend upon Eye-sight, every precaution should be taken to guard and care for it. With our modern equipment for testing eyes and fitting glasses we are able to render you reliable aid in preserving your eyes. Testing is done without charge and glasses recommended only when necessary. CHAS. OREN Jeweler and Optometrist. Phone 462 Memphis, Texas.

Advertisement for Veta Electric Co. Text: A DEFECTIVE GENERATOR decreases the efficiency of your car 100 per cent. We can repair ailing generators so they will function just as good as new ones. No matter what kind of car you own we can remedy its generator troubles. See Turnupseed at VETA ELECTRIC CO. Memphis, Texas.

Advertisement for E. Christensen. Text: IF THE FAMILY PURSE IS THIN and not only every dollar but very penny menas much, you will find our shoe repairing a great source of economy. Figure up how many pairs of shoes are worn through in your family, and how much we save you on each pair. It makes a big sum of money. E. CHRISTENSEN.

Advertisement for Neel Grocery Company. Text: Neel Grocery Company GROCERIES. Phones 10 and 469. QUALITY AND SERVICE IS OUR MOTTO. Your Business Will Be Appreciated.

Advertisement for Gerlach Brothers Garage. Text: More Miles Per Dollar. Scores of automobile owners in this vicinity have proved by actual test that our Gates Tires and Tubes give most miles per dollar of cost. Gerlach Brothers Garage.

Advertisement for Arnold & Gardner. Text: THE CITY MARKET. WARM WEATHER MEATS. To help out the house-wife who has difficulty in planning tasty meals for the warm weather, we suggest these fine meats: Barbecue, boiled ham, sausage, veal loaf, etc. ARNOLD & GARDNER.

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Local and Personal News

News Paragraphs and Personal Mention of General Interest to Memphis and Hall County Readers

All wool suits at Herod's Tailor Shop, \$19.50.

Ernest Mollison came in from Dallas Tuesday.

Eustice Allen was here from Childress Tuesday.

Bill Tarwater was here from Estelline Monday.

J. V. Leak returned Saturday from a visit to Quanah.

Jim Powell of Newlin, was a Memphis visitor Monday.

Extra pants double the life of a suit, Herod's Tailor Shop.

Jesse McCollum, of Estelline was a business visitor here Monday.

Frank K. Fore visited friends in Mangum, Oklahoma, Saturday.

Duey Kinney of Clarendon was here Monday visiting friends.

J. L. McCollum and family of Estelline, were visitors here Monday.

Get a sack of Majesty flour none better try a sack. Phone 113. GUINN & TUNNELL.

They are here! What? The new fall suits at Ross Tailoring Company.

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms, close in, notify this office. 1-*

Jesse Ballew, Transfer, Phone 333.

A. C. Hendricks and family returned from Santa Fe, New Mexico, Friday.

Andrew Jay came up Saturday from Quanah, returning Sunday night.

Miss Genevieve Morgan came in Sunday from Belton where she has been attending summer school.

Try us this month for your groceries. We give satisfaction. GUINN & TUNNELL, Phone 113.

Miss Jessie Bates returned Sunday night from a visit with home-folk.

John W. Fitzjarrald and family visited relatives at Quanah Saturday and Sunday.

W. A. T. Weatherly of Wheeler, was here Monday looking after business matters.

Miss Dorothy Bordenman, of Hereford, was the guest of Mrs. Raymond Ballew, Tuesday.

Suits delivered in ten days from date of order—Quick service—Herod's Tailor Shop.

Mrs. L. Holt returned Monday from a week's visit with friends and relatives at Quanah.

Mrs. W. W. Clower and daughter, Miss Billie, are visiting friends at Mangum, Oklahoma.

Bring your sewing machines and guns to Martin's shop for repairs. All work guaranteed. 7-4-*

Dr. Johnston left Wednesday for Knoxville, Tennessee, where he will make his future home.

Clark Campbell and family left Tuesday morning for Sulphur, Oklahoma, on a prospecting trip.

Good suits with extra trousers, \$24.50 Herod's Tailor Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Payne of Estelline, came through here Monday, on their way to Moore county.

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She will attend school here this session.

O. V. Alexander returned Wednesday from Nocona where he has been visiting relatives for the last few days.

Mdms. R. W. Berry, and daughter, and Mrs. Lawrence Nobles returned Tuesday from a visit with friends at Hollis.

Malcom Black and sons, Malcom and John, accompanied by Mr. J. H. Harris, were business visitors here Monday.

Jim Burnett, of Dumas, who has been visiting friends and relatives here for several days, returned home Monday.

Messrs. Brunner and Gill of the Radio Oil Company came in from Oklahoma City, to look after business interests here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Wallace returned to their home in Syre, Oklahoma, after a few days visit here with relatives.

No extra charges for style or size at Herod's Tailor Shop.

Try a bucket of our new honey, none better. Phone 113. GUINN & TUNNELL.

Rooms and Board—Wanted roomers and boarders, \$8 per week. City Rooming House, South of depot, east of Cicero Smith Lumber Yard. 1-*

HEN CHOW, Chicken Chowder, and Chick Chow. Everything for your chickens. CITY FEED STORE.

DRESSMAKING—By experienced cutter and fitter, a graduate of Hoffman school, Denver, Colorado. Vick Shaw place. 7-4-*

Extra pants go free with every suit, Herod's Tailor Shop.

As the result of the contest the primary department of the Baptist Sunday school are being entertained with a picnic at Lelia Lake by the Clarendon Baptist Sunday school.

SPECIAL—Attention is given to keeping an up-to-date stock of everything in this line. If you find it here you can depend upon it being RIGHT

ROSS TAILORING COMPANY.

Let us send you a sack of bran. GUINN & TUNNELL, Phone 113.

Henry Vardy of Estelline was here yesterday arranging to vote as an absentee. He will leave for Young county in a few days to spend his vacation and did not wish to lose his vote.

CHICKEN FEED—You can always get just the feed you need her for the chickens, big or little. Special feed for young chicks. Also blanched-ration for your milch cow. CITY FEED STORE.

Judge R. E. Tackitt of Estelline, was here Monday. He said that he found the hot dry weather very trying and that he was making but slow progress in recovering from his long illness in the spring.

L. C. Payne was here Monday from Estelline on his way to Dumas to look after his interests in Moore county. He said he was going to hear Jim Ferguson speak at Amarillo, stopping there Monday night.

Charley Barnes was here Tuesday and Wednesday from Childress. He said that things were exceedingly dull there, with the strike and the drought on. Mr. Barnes was on his way to Quitaque and Gasoline.

FOR SALE—49 head head of weaned pigs, average weight about 35 lbs. 16 miles east of Hedley or phone 31 two longs, one short. No. 6-2-*

S. A. Pritchard of Denton was here this week. Mr. Pritchard has secured employment here as fireman at the oil mill and will move his family here this fall. He says that he expects to make his home here in the future.

LOST—About three months ago, box containing crank-shaft, about 30 inches long. Somewhere between the Baptist church and the west part of Estelline. Finder please return and receive reward.

J. E. HUDDLESTON

For Sale.

Three and one-fourth sections; improved stock farm; plains land in Plainview county for sale; separate tract 800 acres raw plains land; improved two sections plain's land 600

acres in cultivation; will take first payment in good Hall county land; easy terms on balance. Address Box 8, Plainview, Texas. 4-16-*

Jack Woods was here from Turkey Tuesday. He said that he had had on rain on his ranch but that it rained three miles above and that the creek on his place ran freely. He said, however, that it was very dry in many places in that section, so much so that stock water was getting scarce and that many people were putting in boxes on the creeks and scraping out springs to get water for stock.

FIFTY SPEAKERS TO TAKE STUMP FOR FERGUSON

Fifty speakers in behalf of James E. Ferguson, candidate for the United States Senate, will take the stump in every part of Texas during the last week of the campaign, P. C. Short of Dallas, chairman of the Ferguson speakers' bureau, said on Monday.

He said that he had received a number of telephone calls from Dallas women who will support Ex-Governor Ferguson and that they expect to meet Mr. Ferguson when he arrives in Dallas for his speaking engagement at Fair Park Thursday night. Mr. Short said that Judge E. B. Muse has been requested to speak in behalf of Mr. Ferguson at Cameron and that date will probably be arranged for him there during the last week of the campaign.

The request came from a number of Cameron men who knew Judge Muse when he lived at that place. At present Judge Muse is away from Dallas on a short vacation.

A scientist of the Smithsonian Institution has perfected a cooker to use the heat of the sun as fuel. The apparatus consists of a parabolic cylindrical mirror with polished aluminum surface which focuses the rays of the sun on a tube filled with mineral oil which in turn communicates with an iron reservoir in which are two baking ovens. The heated oil circulating produces a very high temperature in the ovens and it is possible to cook meat, vegetables, bread and other foodstuffs.

500-foot bridge across the Wilmotte River at Oregon City, Oregon was built in 13 hours. Every part was built to the exact size and laid out on the river bank before any assembling was attempted.

A piano tuner at Wabash, Indiana tuned a piano at South Bend, Indiana, 65 miles away, by telephone. The customer was told by the note how to change the tension of the strings.

FRED JAMES

Man Who Opposed Neff Error Announces He Will Give Support.

Sherman, Texas, Aug. 11.—Pro-Rogers of Bonham, who ran against Pat Neff for Governor of Texas in the recent Democratic primary, in the city tonight to hear Ex-Governor James E. Ferguson speak the interest of his candidacy for United States Senate. Following Ferguson's speech, Mr. Rogers made out in a formal announcement that he would support the Governor in the run-off race for Senate with Earle Mayfield.

statement follows: "I shall vote for Governor Ferguson for two reasons. First, the true, tried and proven farmer of this State. Second, of his public and private life, proven this. He was the first governor that Texas had to see that there was a teacher in every rural school and he did more for rural schools than any other governor in our history."

Caterpillars interrupted operation on the Hetch Hetchy Railroad in California recently. The insects crawled along the rails, covering them a mile and making them so slippery that the engines could not get traction on the grades. It was necessary for the crews to cut the engine from the trains and run over the mill-lubricated rails and coat them with sand before the train could move.

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Democrat Want Ads Get Results

Neighborhood News

happenings of Interest and Personal Mention From Surrounding Communities as Gathered by Democrat Correspondents.

Hulver Hints

We had a good shower last Saturday which was very much appreciated... Mrs. Norris Williamson is visiting... A card from Mrs. Loyd Phillips states that they are visiting in Amarillo...

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rushing and Mrs. John Rowell were at Estelline Saturday afternoon.

turned last Wednesday from a trip to Denver, Colorado. The Methodist meeting started last Sunday morning. We hope it may be a very successful one. Newlin and Tell played ball at Newlin Wednesday afternoon the scores being 18 to 20 in favor of Tell.

Booth Tarkington again won the Pulitzer Prize of \$1,000 for the American novel best presenting "the wholesome atmosphere of American life and the highest standards of American manners and manhood," according to an announcement of Columbia University.

A ship 600 miles off the coast of Washington recently picked up a number of grasshoppers more than three inches long. Hundreds fell on deck and the sea was dotted with them. It is presumed that they came from an island in the Pacific Ocean.

Of the 36,691 convictions for crimes committed in New York State during 1921, the state troopers brought about 11,830. Tailings recovered from lead and zinc mines are being used in Wisconsin for fertilizer. Four to five tons to the acre benefit clover and alfalfa crops.

White Pine Cough Syrup. The most reliable of all cough remedies. Pay for One 25c. Get Two 25c.

An Honest Half Price Sale!

AUG. 25th. to SEPT. 2nd. The greatest and most wonderful double value event you have ever participated in.

Insect Powder BELLOWS PACKAGE. Most effective for all kinds of pests. Price of One 10c. You get Two in this Sale.

Bird Seed. These seeds make the bird sing every day. Regular package price. 25c. In this Sale two for 25c.

Analgesic Balm. Both soothing and healing. You pay 50c for one and get two in this Sale.

ARNICA SALVE. A favorite household remedy. Regular price 25c. In this Sale two for 25c.

Cascara 2 Ounces. A most dependable laxative. Regular price 25c. In this Sale 2 for 25c.

Witch Hazel. The most pleasant and cooling lotion. Regularly 50c. This sale 2 for 50c.

LEMON POMADE. Both soothing and bleaching. You pay for one and get two.

Volmine. For use as an ointment and an unguent. The regular price is 25c. In this sale 2 for 25c.

Best Household Specialties At Half Regular Price. Here's a list of Standard, Dependable Household Remedies and Needs. Just Note the Regular Retail Price. During this Sale you get two of any one of these for the price of one.

25c Eye Lotion. Two for 25c.

This is Our Store-Wide Clearance. Drastic Reductions have been made on all lines with the exception of a few Standard Specialties on which we are forced to uphold fixed prices.

FIDELITY PAY FOR ONE DRUG 2 FOR 1 SALE

GET TWO

ONE WEEK ONLY! You have no time to lose. This Great Sale will positively not be extended beyond time of one week.



We Are Co-Operating With Your Druggists SAN ANTONIO DRUG CO.

This great 2 for 1 Sale is intended to show you that your own drug store can supply your drugs, toilet goods and many of your household needs even more economically than inferior goods can be purchased from department stores or mail order houses.

Olympian Borated Talcum Powder. Delightful, "perfumed" Talcum for bath and toilet. Pay for one. Get two in this Sale.

Peach and Almond Cream. Most pleasant and effective for daily use. Regular price 50c. Pay for one, you get two in this Sale.

Fine Tooth Brushes. High quality with firm bristles. Pay for one. Get two for 25c.

Violet Ammonia. Most pleasing for daily and general use. The price of one, 35c. In this sale... BUYS 2.

Bath Sea Salt. Pleasant and invigorating for the bath. Pay for one 35c in this Sale-GET TWO.

Olympian Peroxide Cream. A greaseless, vanishing cream. Regular price 50c. This Sale 2 for 50c.

Klean Off. Excellent for removing spots from all fabrics. Price of one bottle 25c. In this Sale 2 for 25c.

Olympian Toilet Preparations At Exactly Half Price. CHOOSE FROM THESE-- Your Own Favorite Olympian Toilet Preparations. You Pay for One and We Will Wrap up Two for you. You Save One-Half.

Metal Polish. A quick and effective polish. Regular price 35c. Buy now at 2 for 35c.

OLYMPIAN CLASSIC CREAM. An ideal cream for soothing and bleaching. Regular 50c a jar. This sale, two for 50c.

YOU SAVE JUST ONE HALF

Wonderful Savings Throughout the Store Your Great Economy Event

AN HONEST HALF PRICE SALE

CUT YOUR DRUG BILLS IN HALF Follow The Crowds to The Busiest Store In Town

Pound Paper, Fountain Syringes, Envelopes, etc.--Pay for One Get Two

Sale Begins Friday, August 25th and Closes Saturday, Sept. 2

CLARK & WILLIAMS DRUG COMPANY

Newlin News. Mrs. Glover has been on the sick this last week. Mr. Bob Crow of Ocala has been visiting his sister Mrs. L. M. Cardwell. Mr. Windell Eddins and Mr. Wiley Stewart were Newlin visitors Sunday afternoon.

GOOD HUNTING FOR SHARKS

Unfortunate School of Porpoises Helpless in the Power of Their Inveterate Enemies.

Passengers on the Scandinavian liner, Frederick VIII, which arrived at New York a few days ago, told a remarkable tale of a grim battle between occupants of the deep, while off the Grand banks of Newfoundland.

The ship was proceeding swiftly in good weather about dawn when the lookout sighted a large school of porpoises ahead.

Instead of proceeding as usual in one direction in orderly fashion, describing an occasional graceful arc in the air, the fish plunged madly in all directions, leaping straight in the air and lashing the water to foam. As they became aware of the presence of the ship they quickly gathered closely about it, as though for protection, swimming rapidly alongside to keep pace with it.

Their number was estimated at 200, the largest school any of the crew had ever seen.

Suddenly a number of huge black shadows were noted stealing up on the school from behind. The sinister dorsal fin occasionally appearing above the water proclaimed them to be sharks. They gained steadily and finally plunged among the porpoises. Instantly the terror of the latter again became apparent as they strove madly to escape in all directions.

In their confusion they dived wildly against the side of the ship. Some were struck by the overhanging bow. Others were drawn into propellers.

Meanwhile the sharks continued a methodical campaign of extermination. One after another of the frantic porpoises was ripped by the teeth of the pursuing monsters, and left to be consumed later at leisure.

The fight continued until half the school had been killed, when the sharks abandoned the chase.

For an hour after, the porpoises clung to the ship. At last, deciding the danger had passed, they swung off on a course at right angles and disappeared.

Giving Up the Game.

Twenty thousand people committed suicide last year in the United States, which fact seems to be a reflection upon our well-ordered life, writes William Allen White in Judge. It would seem that the great panorama which history is unfolding before us day by day, forever beckoning with its tomorrows and luring us with big events just around the corner from today—it would seem that that gripping panorama ought to hold us all in our seats upon this planet. We may be hungry, we may be forsaken, we may be cold, sick, unloved and unloving, and yet it would seem that the story of life is so great, the drama so magnificent, that we should cramp our sides with anguish and laughter here in America, should hold us tightly upon this planet. Yet 20,000 of us have voluntarily got up and walked out, left the show, cold and fat and for what? Perhaps they are going to the big show, perhaps they are only going to bed. But they are missing a mighty good thing, nevertheless. The spinning world never before has held so much to charm the eye and engross the soul as it holds today.

Hospital for Plants.

A hospital for plants is the latest device, designed by an ingenious Englishman, for the aid and comfort of lovers of flowers, who are often distressed at sight of their favorite plants ailing and dying from maladies for which they know no cure. When a sick plant is brought to the hospital, it is immediately examined and sent to the room prepared for its case. If it is suffering from a cold it is tended with heat; if it has become anaemic from an excess of solar rays, it goes through a freeing treatment. The unwholesome branches are removed, while those that are anaemic are fed. It seems that certain plants are very nervous. Some easily get neurasthenic, while their neighbors show undeniable symptoms of hysteria. But special management permits the application to each of them of the treatment it requires.

Life-saving Watercycle.

A watercycle has been invented by a Wisconsin man which can be used for life-saving purposes as a pleasure craft for the water. The frame is made of aluminum tubing and is of knockdown construction, held together by thumb screws. Buoyancy is supplied by air-inflated tubes, in balloon-cloth bags, which slip over the side of the frame. The watercycle is steered through the water by a motor-driven propeller which is operated by bicycle pedals. The machine is controlled by a rudder and hand-lever. Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Perils of Sunset.

The death of the ex-Emperor of Mexico, who succumbed to bronchitis, was supposed that in the atmosphere of Madrid people die from such afflictions, but it is cured of them.

The sun is, however, beneficent, and even its last rays when they are on the horizon. It is well known that in warm countries people are often struck against the sudden lowering of the temperature which then occurs. Churches in Rome they are an hour before they set those outdoors to take precautions.

POULTRY

PIGMIES OF POULTRY WORLD

Bantam Breeds Have Distinct Utility Value for Egg Production for Family Use.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The Bantam breeds gained their popularity as ornamental fowl and as playthings for children and grown-ups, but, says the United States Department of Agriculture, they have also a distinct utility value for egg production for family use. There is also a good demand for eggs for hatching and for breeding stock of good quality. Because of their small size these pigmy breeds often have the advantage over larger fowls where only a very small space is available for the flock. They are easy for children to handle, and the ownership of a few Bantams often is the beginning of a real interest in poultry raising.

The various breeds of Bantams, their characteristics, and methods of management are discussed in Farmers' Bulletin 1251, The Bantam Breeds and Varieties, the fifth of a series on Standard Varieties of Chickens. The various breeds, says the bulletin, have not been raised with the idea of egg production and, as a result, the average is not very high, probably around 175 eggs in a year. The eggs vary in size, as do the different Bantam breeds, ranging from 12 ounces a dozen to 18 or 20 ounces. The color of the eggs runs from white to dark brown. Some of the breeds have a tendency to lay for a fairly long period, but the Brahmas, Cochins and Silkies are apt to be broody. Since many of these kinds have been developed from the larger standard breeds they have many of the same characteristics.



Mrs. Jennie Johnson's Bantam.

Reports collected from Bantam breeders show that the average hen will eat from 25 to 35 pounds of feed in a year, which is about one-half as much as a hen of the Mediterranean breeds or one-third as much as a hen of the larger breeds would eat.

A copy of the bulletin may be obtained free by addressing the Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C.

FIND HIDDEN TURKEY NESTS

When Confined in Pen Until Late in Day, Laying Hen Will Go Straight to Her Eggs.

A quick and easy way to find stolen nests of turkeys is to confine the birds from early morning to late afternoon. The laying hens will then go straight to their nests to lay the eggs which they are holding, say poultry specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. When turkey hens have free range they nest usually in obscure places and often under a half mile or more from home before they find a nesting place that suits them.

If attractive nesting places are prepared about the barnyard, the turkeys sometimes lay in them. Such nests are easily made from boxes or barrels, or by scooping out a little earth in the shape of a shallow bowl, piling brush round it to satisfy the hen's desire for seclusion. The nest most preferred by turkeys consists of a barrel laid on its side, in which straw or hay is placed. When confined in a breeding pen several turkey hens may lay in the same nest, but on free range each bird usually makes her own nest. Turkeys do not range far during cold weather. In the north, where the laying season often begins when there is still snow on the ground, the hens are more likely to select their nests near home.

LEAKY POULTRY HOUSE ROOF

More Annoyance From Damp Quarters in Spring Than in Winter on Account of Rain.

There is usually more annoyance from leaky poultry house roofs in the spring than in the winter, because more rain occurs. Also, in winter, ice and snow may remain for weeks on a roof without melting, and really assist in protecting against the winds; but in spring any leaky places will be open to heating rains. Roofs should be repaired at once, if there are any cracks or leaks at all, or the result will be damp quarters and the flock will be unproductive.

MARIGOLDS

By AGNES GRAHAM BROGAN

"It is strange," said Gerry, "the way I love marigolds. I just cannot pass a garden where they grow without stopping; and my paintings are simply full of them. I think it's partly the everlasting cheer of the golden-yellow—or maybe the artistic old-fashioned appearance of them. I'm painting a picture now, David, a gray dull old seaside garden—with a glow of marigolds beside the stone wall. What do you think? That Tommy Weston has asked me to marry him; it's the third time."

David slowly removed his pipe; "And you refused him again, of course, Geraldine. It is odd, indeed, that Tommy cannot realize the importance of art as a career."

"Isn't it?" cried Gerry. "A man of sense would know that when one has decided talent and when one has made all preparations to study abroad that one would not be likely to throw it all up," Gerry laughed, "to darn his socks."

"You are going abroad?" David's tone was casual.

"Oh, yes, indeed; just as soon as mother feels resigned to my prolonged absence and when I have finished my garden picture, David, would it not be wonderful, if it should be hung, next fall?"

"Wonderful," agreed David. He stood up before her, a tall figure in comfortable gray tweed. "But suppose you should happen to fall in love with some good looking chap, Gerry, before that anticipated trip abroad?"

"I won't fall in love," Gerry assured him earnestly, "because, you see, David, I won't give myself a chance. Of course no one could possibly fall in love with Tommy. And all other chance-counting men I shall avoid. I have seen too much wasted talent in marriage—take the Winstead girl who went to school with me. She was a true genius in music—and along came that colorless Don Campbell—and now she's his dish washer. Do you realize what the world has lost? No, I shall stick to art, David dear, and some day you will say proudly to your children, 'This picture of the marigolds was done by an old friend of mine, now famous across two continents.'"

"And will the famous lady remember her old commonplace David?" he asked whimsically.

"Always, everywhere, the lonely famous lady will remember David," she said. He sat long after she left him and the smile of consideration upon his face did not sadden it.

"I have been thinking," he told Geraldine, upon her next visit in his hospitable porch, "that I'd like to make this place over, Gerry. A man cannot live always as his people have lived before him. Times change. I need a more modern home. And who can tell? I may not always be alone, dear. So I thought I'd take advantage of any time you might be able to spare, before your departure, in helping me with the details of remodeling."

It was interesting planning the renovation of David's old home—matching quaint blue dishes with lovely dull blue paper; Gerry indulged her dreams as she had not been privileged to indulge them in her mother's comfortably livable house. David preferred to lay out his own garden.

"We will have a stone wall like that of your seaside picture," he told her, "and marigolds will riot around it."

When David went away on a prolonged business trip, taking him to California, Geraldine began preparations for her own trip to Europe. Strangely she did not feel the overwhelming enthusiasm she had recently known, herself. She wished that David would come home before it should be time for her to depart. No word had come from this friend of her lifetime. She wondered, strangely wistful, if he might have met in California the woman who was one day to occupy his home which she and David had created. Then came a line from him. He was on his way home. It was a disappointingly brief line.

"The marigolds we set out in the garden may need attention," he wrote, "perhaps you might use them as models, while you give them your care." Such an unsatisfactory message, Gerry read it, troubled. Perhaps, she thought, he was bringing the mistress of his home with him, and wished everything to be at its best for her sake. With a man as resolute as David such a thing might happen. Gerry went, rather forlornly, to care for the marigolds. The second afternoon she took her sketching material. David's old housekeeper, inside, looked out at the girl curiously. Afternoon faded into twilight.

"I will stay here," Gerry told the woman. "I've planned to leave tomorrow and I want to say good-by to David's garden."

Her voice caught over the last word—a career seemed very far away, visionary, unreal. Then something very real happened to Gerry. Two strong arms enfolded her—arms so masterful that there was no use trying to loosen their hold. Gerry did not try.

"David," she asked instead, "did you find the woman you want for your wife? Is she coming to live here, David?"

"Yes, I have found her," David joyously replied. "Right here among my marigolds." And what David said turned out very soon to be true.

France Encourages Aviation.

France recognizes the value of air travel and its importance to the future. She has budgeted 154,378,000 francs for civilian aviation for the year 1922. Naturally, Paris is the great center of French commercial aviation, the Le Bourget airfield in the suburbs taking on the appearance of a busy railway terminal. Airplanes to and from London (five departures daily) and Brussels carry the largest number of passengers.

Expert Criticism.

Perdita—How do you like Ferdinand as a sweetheart? I always thought his love-making rather cold.

Philippa—It is somewhat repressed. But isn't his technique great?

Not Customary.

"That's a big sum of money to entrust to a mere boy. Why don't you send an armed guard with him so he won't be held up?" "I suppose I ought to, but I hate to seem eccentric."



ON THE WING

"That new cook is a bird." "Yes, a bird of passage. She's going to leave tomorrow."

FIND THE CAUSE!

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MEN

A CLASH OF WITS

Vanderveide, with an intense hatred of art and an intense hatred of her as other people wore them. Miss Alta was temperamental. She led the piano with much force and... Other Vanderveides also perished, thereby, however, displeasing Miss Alta, who had a consuming desire to be known as the musical wonder of the family; and she was very bitter against anyone who interfered with that desire. Cousin Min Beethoven Vanderveide did interfere with it. A fickle and unjust man, overlooking the merits of Miss Alta, had hailed a couple of Chopin's compositions with delight; and the director of a famous opera had signed a contract with her for a highly remunerative figure. The second male, also from New York, was brought in Tuesday by L. Perez, from the J. H. Brunley farm. He received 23 1/2 cents and a... Miss Alta, seated in the... "Your husband is quite enthusiastic over this back to the soil idea," remarked the neighbor woman. "Yes," snapped his wife, "but the only chance John ever will have of getting back to the soil will be when the undertaker takes him there."

TELL OF PREHISTORIC TIMES

University of Chicago Professor Reads History in Specimens Thousands of Centuries Old.

Enormous ferns, gigantic rushes and club mosses and strange-looking trees, many of them more than 100 feet in height and with needles of two or three yards length, and a host of insects, among which huge dragon flies and cockroaches apparently predominated, once inhabited a swamp at Braidwood, Ill., according to Adolf G. Noe, professor of paleobotany at the University of Chicago. Professor Noe reconstructed this picture of the vegetation and animal life of prehistoric times from fossilized remains found in Skinner mine No. 2, in the Braidwood district, fifty-seven miles southeast of Chicago. "The Braidwood mine," Professor Noe stated, "is now the best place to find fossils in northern Illinois and has somewhat replaced the famous Mazon creek deposits in popularity with collectors. "The coal is found at a depth of forty-nine feet and directly above it is a grayish shale which the miners call soapstone, and which contains round calcareous stones. If you crack these stones with a hammer they split into half like a sandwich, and on the inside of each half you see the impression of fern leaves and other plants of the coal era. Also insects, fishes, crawfish and other small inhabitants of land, water and air are found, but the plants are most predominant. "A considerable number of plant species can be listed from Braidwood and we are able to reconstruct in our imaginations a lively picture of the vegetation of these long, bygone days. "There was once in Braidwood a swamp which stretched far east, west and south, and which was inhabited by enormous ferns, gigantic rushes and club mosses, and strange-looking trees which had needles of two or three yards length. Many of the trees of that time must have been more than 100 feet in height, as we can judge from the size of the trunk and leaves. "The animal population of these swamps contained small reptiles, amphibians, fishes and a host of insects, among which enormous dragon-flies and gigantic cockroaches seem to have been predominant. There were no butterflies, no warm-blooded animals, no birdlike reptiles, no flowers. Probably the only colors which living nature provided were green, brown, yellow and black. The sounds were the croaking of froglike amphibians and the noise produced by cockroaches and dragon-flies; no singing of birds, no chirping of crickets. "A strange world! Of the enormous vegetable masses which fell into those swamps the coal beds were formed, and 100,000,000 years passed away before man came and ultimately utilized again the sunlight and heat which had been stored up in these millions of tons of coal."

BARGAINS IN BABIES

Little Jane had long desired a baby sister, and one day she came rushing home in high excitement. "Oh, mother, come downtown quickly!" she exclaimed. "There are splendid bargains in babies and you can get one while they are cheap." "What in the world are you talking about, my dear?" the mother asked in astonishment. "Somebody must have been playing a joke on you." "Truly, truly!" the little girl declared, jumping up and down in eagerness. "Great big sign about it, on the top of the skating rink. It says, 'This Week Only, Children Half Price.'"

What He Bought

Smith bought a business through an agent as a going concern. After six months he failed, but took his trouble very lightly. Meeting the agent some time later, he said: "Do you remember selling me a business—a going concern?" "Yes, of course I do," replied the agent. "Well," said Smith, "it's gone."

Would Sell the Beam of His Eye. "Blank is so mean he'd dispose of his family tree for firewood." "Mean! Why that fellow would churn the milk of human kindness and sell it for butter."



A HUSBAND'S RECIPE "My wife and I used to quarrel all the time, but now we have the most peaceful home you ever saw." "Indeed! How do you manage it?" "I simply make my wife so mad she refuses to speak to me."

The Groom. Here comes the bride, into the room. That shivering mortal is the groom.

The Right Instinct. "Come, Dorothy," snatched her father impatiently, "throw your doll on the bed and hurry or we shall be late." "Daddy, how can you?" reproved the child. "I isn't that kind of a mother."

It Was Really Heavy. Young Wife—I made this cake all by myself, darling. Young Husband—Well done, love! But—er—who helped to lift it out of the oven?

Correct. "Tommy," asked the teacher, "what can you tell of America's foreign relations at the present time?" "They're all pretty poor," said the brightest boy in the class.

Yes, Be! The visitor had just fozzled and muddled a hole in the turf, which flew over his head in a cloud. "I see," said the broker, "there is a change in the market. Real estate cheap—Real estate wanted—Landlord!"

Practice Makes Perfect

He had been in the penitentiary 20 years. "What good would it do you if you got out?" "I could begin life over again," directed the sympathetic prison visitor. "I'd like a piano player quit tickling the keys for 20 years and begin to play again." "I suppose not."

His Trip Back. "Your husband is quite enthusiastic over this back to the soil idea," remarked the neighbor woman. "Yes," snapped his wife, "but the only chance John ever will have of getting back to the soil will be when the undertaker takes him there."

Caged. Mrs. Crawford—I don't see how she's going to benefit by having her husband sent to jail. Mrs. Crabsaw—She admits that she won't get any money out of him, but she'll have the satisfaction of knowing where he is nights.

All Born Somewhere. "Papa, where were you born?" Willie asked his father one evening. "In Manchester, darling." "Where was mamma born?" "In London, darling." "Where was I born?" "In Leeds, dearest." "Queer how we three people came together, isn't it?"

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Cynical Chap. Caller—How much for a marriage license? Clerk—Two dollars. Caller—I've only got one. Clerk—You're lucky.

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Advertisements, reports the Westminster Gazette, are to appear on the back of British postage stamps and on the walls of the post office, according to a statement by Mr. Kellaway, the postmaster general, at the 1920 club. Mr. Kellaway hopes to derive a substantial revenue from the innovation, stating that he was "not going to plaster the post office with advertisements, or have advertisements on the back of stamps, unless there was a decent return to be got out of it."

He stated that the post office had invited tenders from contractors for these advertisements. The Westminster Gazette understands that the advertisements will be affixed to the stamps before the gum is applied. Although the work of obtaining advertisements and fixing the terms is to be delegated to contractors, the notices will have to be approved by the postmaster general. It is understood that all classes of advertisements except those dealing with alcoholic liquors will be accepted for approval.

Whisky Not Necessity of Life. Whisky is not a necessity of life, even for a Scotchman in the tropics, according to a decision reached in the courts of Nairobi, Kenya Colony, East Africa, after lengthy legal arguments, reports the London Express correspondent. The question arose over a case in which a grocery store sued a minor for goods supplied. The law says that the only debts which can be recovered from minors are those incurred in supplying the necessities of life. The debt in question included an item of three bottles of whisky. It was argued for the prosecution that as the minor was a Scotchman living in the tropics whisky was a necessity, but his arguments were overruled, and an order made for the debt, minus the value of the three bottles.

Shyness of Sandy. In a rural district of Forfarshire a young plowman went courting one evening. In vain he racked his brain for some interesting topic; he could call up no subject at all suitable for the occasion; not one sentence could he utter, and for two long hours he sat in silent despair. The girl herself was silent; she no doubt remembered the teaching of the old Scotch song: "Men must be the first to speak," and she sat patiently regarding him with demure surprise. At last he exclaimed suddenly: "Penny, there's a feather on your apron!" "I widge hae wondered if there had been two," said Jenny, "for I've been sittin' aside a wee while a' night."—The



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Ethel—I see a man suggests that one side of the street cars be reserved for women. Marie—Does he mean the seats on one side or the straps?

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Safety First

Late Office Manager—You saphead! Why the dickens did you buy another safe? Haven't we got one? New Clerk—Yes, sir, but I read of so many robberies, thought we ought to put the office safe into the new one.

Matched in Peculiar Fashion

A Nova Scotia reader of a Canadian newspaper, living in Pictou county, writes that they have four chicks which were hatched without a hen or incubator. The eggs were laid in a haymow and the hay dumped on top of them which, with its natural heating and the hot weather, hatched the chicks. They are very sturdy and contented and do not miss a mother. The same reader has a turkey hen that has just hatched its second brood of 12 chicks. The first brood was hatched in June.

Quaint Custom

A quaint custom is still maintained in one of the old streets off the Strand, the London Times reports. This is the burning of a light in the hall of one of the houses all through the night when everybody is abed. This light has a history, and marks an ancient privilege and bygone right-of-way. The light is maintained by the Westminster council and not by the tenants of the house. The lamp-lighter enters at twilight and kindles the light, and on his round in the early morning he re-enters with a latchkey and extinguishes it. The light is the remaining symbol of a right-of-way formerly enjoyed by residents in the street to proceed to a spring of water in the basement, which was once their sole water supply.

Chinese Wear Stoves

Chinese women wear practically the same clothes in winter as in summer. In the most severe weather, however, they wear heating baskets under their cloaks. These baskets are plain wicker ones, such as we use for trash. Inside the baskets charcoal warmers are placed. They will radiate heat for hours. The charcoal is mixed with chemicals that generate oxygen, and thus the charcoal will burn constantly, even though it is sealed in the containers.

Statues of Women

Only four statues of women, with the exception of royal effigies, are to be found in England. They are Sister Dora, in Walsall; Florence Nightingale, in Waterloo place, London; Sarah Siddons, on Paddington Green, and Nurse Cavell, in St. Martin's place, London.

WEAK, NERVOUS, ALL RUN-DOWN

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