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VOGUE OF THE COTTON FROCK

On the Summer Roofs, it Frequently Takes the Place of the Evening Gown.

PASTEL SHADES FAVORED.

The New York roof gardens, afternoons and evenings, display most charmingly the present vogue of summer cottons. Earlier in the season, when the popularity of silk for blouses and frocks was commented upon because, owing to conditions abroad, cotton was going to waste, it was predicted that cotton and lingerie frocks would take first place for mid-summer wear, and the prophecy has come true. The dainty cotton frock is worn both for afternoon and for evening.

Dainty Voiles on an Evening Roof

On one of the most conservative of the roof gardens, at the dinner hour an evening or so ago, the absence of the typical evening gown was very

tones of blue, pink, lavender, and purple. An especially pretty striped voile frock in lavender and white, was made with white Georgette vest and sleeves, and a white leather belt. Tiny pockets and fine tucks made the skirt interesting. Yoked effects are good also, and another frock in stripes, noticed the same evening, was fashioned of an awning-striped sheer linen, with deep yoke, sleeves, and sash of plain white. While both of these frocks were unusually simple, they were perfectly appropriate, owing to the weather, which was very warm.

Unusual Freedom Shown in Dress

While a few years ago, we should perhaps have frowned upon these simply cottons and the great vogue of bright colors now favored in the sports clothes, at the present moment we find them perfectly appropriate and becoming, not at all a breach of taste. First of all, comfort and simplicity go hand in hand, and along with our other emancipated ideas, we have come to the point where we dare to assert ourselves in the matter of dress instead of following blindly as we have done for ages. The bright-colored sports clothes, which are daily becoming more popular, are very becoming and youthful; there is life and spirit in the bright greens, orange blues, and purples, which are used in the skirts, coats and hats composing nine out of ten of the costumes dotting the gray sands of the beaches and the soft green sward of the country clubs, and since we have had the courage to adopt them, we are not going to give them up, by any means.



Purple and White Striped Voile

noticeable. In its place the sheer cotton afternoon dress was worn. These as a rule are very simply cut and made. Often a bordered material will be developed into one of the be-ruffled frocks of the moment, with no trimming aside from its own border which is used for collar, cuffs, sash ends and to edge the suffles or flounes. The finish at the upper edge of the skirt is a detail which goes far toward making the dress attractive. With the striped materials especially, is this true. The upper edge of the skirt may be finished with tiny pleats which extend a bit above the narrow belt of the same material, or a narrow band of black or brightly colored faille or gros-grain ribbon. These pleated skirts, when striped materials are used, are often pleated so that one stripe overlaps the other, present in one solid shade on the outside of the skirt, effectively relieved by the shade beneath, with every movement of the wearer.

One of the daintiest of the cotton frocks worn at dinner this same evening, was a pale green organdy. Another, was a soft gray Georgette belted and trimmed with silver. The various shades of green and gray are favored in these cotton dresses, as well as the other pastel shades, soft



A Smart Yoked Frock

The sports clothes idea promises to be one of the strongest notes of early fall, and in all probability sports clothes as we know them at the moment, will have a permanent place in the American woman's wardrobe.

Wide, Dropping Brims on Mid-Summer Hats.

The wide, soft-brimmed, Bangkok, Wen-chow, Panama, Leghorn, hair or hemp hats, with just a suggestion of trimming, are the favored hats of the moment. These may be worn with sports clothes, and quite as effectively with lingerie and soft silk frocks. The fabrics, cretonne, and the various striped canvas weaves, are liked for sports wear, combined with harmonizing coats and skirts.

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Three Thousand Farmers Gather at Austin, Texas, For Texas State Institute.

The Texas State Farmers Institute met in Austin July 17, 18, and 19, with a program that filled the three days with instruction and pleasure. The morning sessions were held in the House of Representatives, and the afternoon and evening sessions in the various buildings of the University of Texas. Among the prominent speakers heard in the morning programs were Gov. Jas. E. Ferguson in an address of welcome to which Hon. Jas. S. Kerr, of Sherman, responded. Commissioner of Agriculture, Mr. Fred W. Davis, of Austin, presided, as president of the Institute, over the general sessions and delivered his annual address on the morning of July 17. Hon. F. B. Mumford, Missouri School of Agriculture, addressed the morning session on the 18th upon the subject of **The Next Step in Agriculture**; while other prominent speakers of Tuesday were Geo. B. Terrell and J. W. Neill, both of the State Department of Agriculture at Austin, and Mayor Ed. McCullistian of Paris upon the subject of the **Municipal Abattoir**. Wednesday morning's session was devoted largely to rural school problems, featuring such addresses as **How to Build Citizenship** by Dr. J. C. Hardy, President of Baylor College for women, and **What the School Can Do for Boys and Girls** by Professor Alvin Dille of Bishop.

The afternoon sessions were given over to sectional meetings under such sub-divisions as: Dairy Section, Animal Disease Section, Nut Grower's Section, and Horticultural Section. The visiting boys and girls held special sectional meetings where experts discussed farm topics of particular interest to young folks. And for the women a series of meetings were held embracing, besides an exhaustive discussion of rural school problem, a one-morning short-term course in Home Economics conducted by the members of the Home Economics Department of the University.

Continual efforts were made to see to the comfort and entertainment of the visitors. Scores of private homes throughout Austin opened their doors to accommodate the delegates who could not find space in the hotels. Each evening from 7:30 to 8:30 moving pictures were exhibited in the University campus, and interesting exhibits were set forth in the first and second floor corridors. The visiting women were entertained at a lawn party at the home of Professor and Mrs. N. A. McCallum, and all the delegates were the guests of the City of Austin at an open air concert on Wednesday evening.

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should be pitied, do not consider myself pitiful at all. On the other hand, I think I am a very lucky girl. No one has a better papa and mama than I have. No one has had better teachers than I, and if I get this scholarship, I shall think that no one is luckier than I am."

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Miss Otta Green of Memphis is spending the week at the home of her brother, F. M. Green—Wellington Leader.

Mrs. C. H. Spinks, president of the Women's State Democratic club of California and a member of the executive committee of the Democratic state central committee.

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One lot of men's two piece athletic in underwear worth 50c, sale price **25c**
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Childrens shoes and slippers in white, black and tan worth up to \$1.25, **50c**
 One lot of Misses and childrens shoes and slippers in colors worth \$2.50 **75c**
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 One lot of ladies elbow length silk gloves worth \$1.50, sale price **75c**

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Personal and Local Mention

Phone 15 Help make this column a feature of the City of Memphis. Let your wants and desires be known by using the telephone.

There was in Amarillo Sunday
 family of Newlin, was here
 Webster of Estelline, was here
 Moore went to Ft. Worth
 Bowman is in Ballinger
 Neely of Wellington was
 J. Franks left Wednesday
 Wells.
 ne Wright visited friends
 in this week.
 and family of Estelline
 Memphis Friday.
 Webster, of Hulver was a
 visitor Monday.
 Mrs. B. T. Prewitt of Es-
 teline here Friday.
 Mrs. W. F. Holland of
 here Friday.
 and family visited rel-
 atives this week.
 Mrs. Halcomb of Brice,
 here Saturday.
 Evans of Parnell was here
 doing jury service.
 George Tipton visited rel-
 atives Wednesday.
 Mrs. Dave Orcutt of Estel-
 line town Wednesday.
 Berry attended to business
 here this week.
 Alexander is here from
 here, visiting relatives.
 of Quail is visiting
 A. Neely, here this week.
 Mrs. James Swift have
 home on Twelfth Street
 Headrick of Clarendon
 friends here this week.
 Cann left Thursday in
 Sulpher Springs, Oklahoma.

W. E. Pritchitt of Parnell, was here Monday attending to business matters.
 Misses Lucile and Bernice Newton left Sunday for Colorado to spend a month.
 Mrs. R. D. Green and daughter, Miss Lura were here from Estelline, Friday.
 Misses Matilda and Gertrude Richardson returned Friday from Estelline relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Germany left Tuesday for Whitesboro, to visit relatives.
 Mdms. Dave Grundy, Chas. Webster, S. A. McCarrol and C. A. Crozier, afternoon.
 Mrs. Jno. R. Barnes and daughter, Mary Ethel, were here from Estelline Friday.
 Mrs. Ralph McCollough and Miss Jewel Blackshare of Estelline, were here, Friday.
 R. D. Land of Baylor, was here Monday to bring in the election returns from that box.
 Commissioner Joe Weatherly, of Estelline, was here Monday looking after business matters.
 Mrs. Lou Moore returned Monday from Tulsa, Oklahoma, where she has been visiting relatives.
 Bob Nelson, of Newlin accompanied by Mrs. Nelson paid this office a short call while here Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Douglass and Dallas are the guests of Mrs. Douglass aunt, Mrs. W. T. Richardson.
 Mrs. Tom Hunter of Wellington here way home from Post City, where she has been visiting relatives.
 Mr. Wright and sons, Henry and Mat, returned Tuesday, to their home at Paris, after a visit with relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. George-Tipton and Mr. and Mrs. Blythe Scott left this morning for Sulpher Springs, Oklahoma.



James E. Ferguson

NOMINATED FOR RE-ELECTION LAST SATURDAY.

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Miss Edith Connally returned, Friday evening from an extended visit with friends and relatives in New Mexico.

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 Otha Thompson of Amarillo was here Sunday visiting relatives. He was accompanied home by his grandmother, Mrs. Thompson.

Misses Fannie Fay and Gladys Jones of Coleman, and Miss Mary Miller of Estelline were attending the Union Picnic, here Friday.

W. H. B. Moore, who was nominated for county commissioner in Childers county in Saturday's primary, was here from Newlin, Monday.

Dr. W. C. Mayes and family left Monday for Colorado, where they will spend a month in the mountains at La Veta.

Capt. Goree and nephews, R. L. and Paul Goree, and Mrs. and Mrs. Culberson of Knox City were through here Wednesday on their way home from Colorado.

Miss Mary Montgomery of Amistad, N. M., a teacher in the DuBhart schools came in Tuesday night for a several days visit with, L. W. Willis and mother.

H. M. Mercer of Parnell, was here Monday and made this office a pleasant call. Mr. Mercer is one of the school board at Parnell and is justly proud of the excellent school there.

Rev. Jno. W. Marshall, Christian Evangelist, and Miss Roth, Singer, who have just closed a successful revival here, left Friday night for Allen Collin county, where they will hold a meeting.

Circle Number Three Entertains.

Circle Number Three of the "Lillie Delaney" Young People entertained the society, Friday evening, July 14, 1916, at the Methodist Church. An interesting program was rendered, Miss Lillie Snow, Leading. The subject for the evening was the Korean life in America and in the home land. The latter was discussed by, Miss Ira Hammond, who presented a "poster" containing a large collection of pictures of the Korean's and the Korean work. The pictures and each talk were very interesting and enjoyed very much. As Miss Ira expressed it, we all felt that we had been to Korea and were brought in closer touch with the work.

After the program we were invited into the ladies' parlor where we were refreshed with fruit punch, ice cream and cake and allowed to enjoy social hour.

We were glad to receive several new members and have with us a visiting young lady.

As the hour grew late we adjourned, declaring we had been most pleasantly entertained.

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PARNELL PARAGRAPHS

Brief News Items and Personals From Progressive South Side Community.

T. J. Cope and family, W. E. Pritchett and H. M. Mercer attended to business in Memphis Monday.

Mr. Matthews and family have recently moved into our community from Oklahoma.

Rev. Faulkner of Whitney, Texas, preached several sermons here during the latter part of last week. The Baptist Church here has called Rev. Faulkner as pastor for the remainder of this associational year.

The following named delegates attended the Texas Farmers' Institute at Austin last week: W. E. Pritchett, W. A. McIntosh, T. H. Jouett, J. O. Dameron and W. B. Duncan.

Cecil Moore and Floyd Read of Newlin entered school here Monday.

As previously announced the summer session of our school opened with a large attendance Monday. All the teachers were in their places and seemed ready and eager for work. Quite a number of patrons and visitors attended the opening exercises, which consisted of talks by the teachers and patrons, an interesting reading by Miss Hemphill, an instrumental number by Mrs. McIntosh, and songs by the school. Prospects indicate that this summer session will be a very profitable one for all who have enrolled for "make up" work and for new work in the higher subjects. All who are interested are urged to take advantage of this opportunity to broaden their knowledge and improve their efficiency.

The young people of Memphis and surrounding territory now have the opportunity of their lives to prepare themselves for a business life, and that with very little cost, by this we mean to say that if the people of our little city will manifest the right kind of a spirit, we can get a splendid and efficient man to organize a class in Bookkeeping, Shorthand and Typewriting. If interested, and I know you are, see or phone T. C. Anthony.

Business Change.

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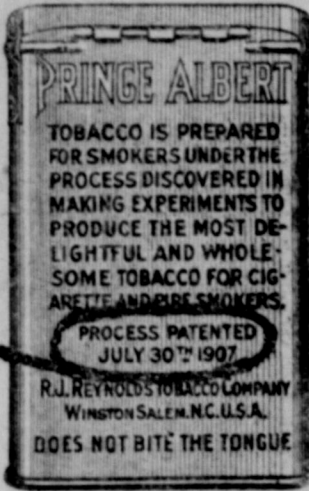
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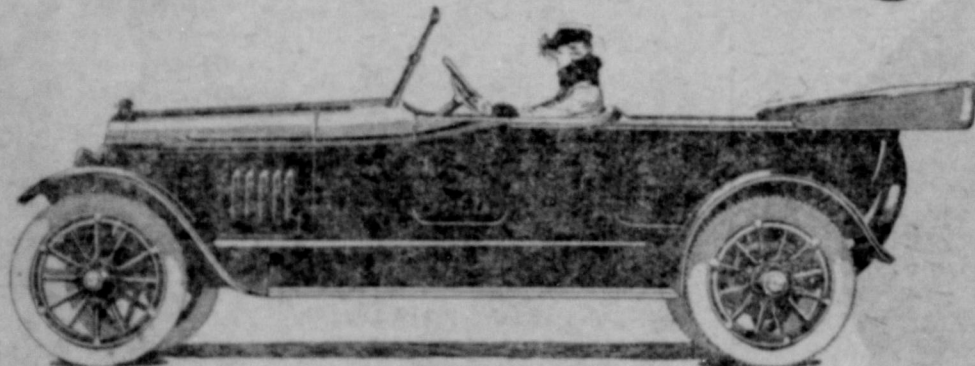
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MANY TRACTORS FOR STATE FAIR

FARM IMPLEMENTS TO FEATURE 1916 DISPLAY THIS EXHIBIT LARGEST EVER SHOWN

When the great State Fair of Texas opens at Dallas October 14, the largest and most valuable collection of Farm Implements, Vehicles and Machinery that the South ever saw will be ready for the public.

A recent announcement from the office of Secretary W. H. Stratton, of the Fair Association, states that negotiations for space have been concluded with a large majority of the country's best manufacturers in these lines, and that the demands for representation will undoubtedly fill the available space to overflowing, notwithstanding the fact that more than ten acres of ground space have been reserved.

An interesting part of this great exhibit, particularly to the farmer who believes in progressive methods in agriculture, will be the great number of new devices shown. During the past year many improvements have been made in farm machinery and practically all of these will be included.

Big Automobile Show. Secretary Stratton also advises that present indications point to the largest and most complete show of automobiles ever seen in this part of the country. Practically all of the cars of standard make will be seen and the many improvements as shown in the 1917 models will no doubt interest many. A special showing of commercial cars and trucks will be of interest to many farmers. During the past three or four years many farmers in all parts of the country have found profit in a suitable car to haul their lighter produce to the market, and several factories have specialized in cars suitable for this purpose. These will all be shown.

Many Tractors to Be Shown. A topic which the Southwestern farmer of today is vitally interested in Power Farming, as practiced with the various types of Tractors now being made and sold for use on the farms. Nearly every farmer who has given this subject deep thought has become convinced that tractors are a paying investment—particularly where the acreage is large.

Nearly all of the popular types of tractors will be seen at the 1916 State Fair of Texas—the leading manufacturers of the country having already negotiated for space.

Many of these tractors will be shown in active operation, under conditions approximately as closely as possible the conditions found upon the average farm of this section. Here, then, is an opportunity for the farmer who wants light on this interesting subject to form an intelligent comparison.

NEW LIVE STOCK BARN AT STATE FAIR OF TEXAS

When the State Fair of Texas opens at Dallas October 14, 1916, it will be provided with better facilities for housing live stock entries than have ever heretofore been the property of any Fair Association.

During the past year, according to an announcement from W. H. Stratton, secretary of the Fair Association, a number of new barns have been constructed, and these are of the latest modern type of construction and of an architectural design which will make them harmonize with the many other beautiful permanent buildings owned by the Fair Association.

Those who have had the pleasure of a visit to Fair Park, Dallas, during the State Fair, know that in number and beauty of permanent buildings, the State Fair of Texas is surpassed by that of no other State. These new barns are thoroughly in keeping with their surroundings, and will reflect added credit to the "Fair Without an Equal." At the same time they will add greatly to the pleasure of exhibitors in showing their stock, and will facilitate matters generally in the Live Stock Department.

Secretary Stratton also announces that there is every present indication to the effect that the entries in all agricultural and live stock divisions will be greatly increased this year and that there is no doubt but what the largely increased facilities provided by these new barns, will be taxed to the utmost to provide suitable quarters for all entries in these divisions.

POULTRY SHOW AT STATE FAIR

W. H. Stratton, secretary of the Fair Association, recently announced that, in keeping with the increased value of Southwestern poultry productions, the State Fair of Texas would materially increase the premiums offered annually for poultry exhibits, and this announcement is followed by the statement that a division has been created for pigeons, and that a special building is being constructed to house the exhibits in this new class. Better facilities have likewise been provided for the exhibits of ducks, and a large duck pond is now in course of construction.

In the main section of the poultry division increased space has been allotted for the exhibits of all standard and utility breeds, and present indications are that each breed will have a large following. Numerous requests for entry blanks have been received from the premier poultry fanciers of the Southwest, and there is every reason to believe that the best and biggest poultry show ever seen in the South will be a part of the 1916 State Fair of Texas.

Entries in the poultry department will close Wednesday, October 11, and poultry fanciers who contemplate making an exhibit at the Fair should send in their entries promptly.



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Davis and family of Hedley spent Friday in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jap McDaniel of Hulver were here Friday.

Mr. Chapman of Parnell was attending the Union Picnic here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Powell and little daughter, Inell, of Vernon are visiting relatives here.

Miss Charlie Hall, of Vernon visited friends here Sunday and Monday.

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FAMOUS PONIES AT STATE FAIR

BUSCH ENTRY ALSO
FEATURES FAMOUS CATTLE

President R. E. L. Knight of the State Fair of Texas, announces that through the courtesy of Mr. August A. Busch of St. Louis, visitors to the State Fair this year will have an opportunity to see Mr. Busch's wonderful herd of prize-winning Dexter cattle. This will be the first exhibit of true Dexters ever shown in the South.

Mr. Busch has been interested in Dexters for several years, and has gathered together the most wonderful collection of individuals ever seen in one herd. In fact, it is the only considerable collection now owned in this country and is expected to be one of the most interesting features of the 1916 State Fair.

The Dexter a Profitable Animal.
The Dexter is a representative of the diminutive Irish cattle that are world-famous for producing meat and milk of exceptional quality. Though its origin is clouded in obscurity, it is probably a member of the celebrated Kerry family of cattle, as the two breeds have many common characteristics. Its small size, and proportionately small cost of production, should warrant the interest of American cattle raisers, especially when it is considered that the Dexter is a prolific producer of high quality milk, and that its meat will compare most favorably with the breeds now highest in the favor of American stockmen.

The small size of the Dexter will be realized when the statement is made that famous bulls of the breed have weighed, at maturity, about 500 pounds—with the cows scaling a considerably less figure. The average adult stands about 36 inches high and is sturdily and compactly built, showing great depth of rib and general "beefiness."

Bevo Ponies to Be Shown.
In addition to his Dexters, Mr. Busch will show his world-famous stable of Bevo ponies. These wonderfully handsome little fellows—really horses in miniature, are undoubtedly the best specimens now in America. They are all of one size, 42 inches high, and are remarkably alike in color and general conformity. Mr. Busch states that he will show his Bevos to harness; four-in-hand, six-in-hand, tandem, etc.

W. H. Stratton, secretary of the Fair Association, states that efforts have been made during each of the past several years to induce Mr. Busch to make these exhibits, and that their acquisition for this year's Fair is of the utmost value and importance. Mr. Stratton also states that one of the handsome new barns, which are now being constructed, will be reserved for the exclusive use of the Busch exhibits, and that there is no doubt but what these exhibits will be of great interest to a majority of the 1916 Fair visitors.

The wonderful increase in facilities provided for the 1916 State Fair of Texas, which will be held in Dallas October 14 to 29, has been extended to include practically all departments and divisions of the Fair. In the classes for agricultural and livestock entries this increase has been most marked, especially in the poultry section, where numerous new and interesting classifications have been created.

BIG PREMIUMS OFFERED AT 1916 STATE FAIR

DAIRY CATTLE DIVISION RECEIVES PROMINENT ATTENTION.



F. F. Slaney.
F. F. Slaney, of Dallas, who is director in charge of this department, recently announced that unusually valuable premiums are to be offered by the State Fair of Texas this year for Dairy Cattle exhibits—and that much new work would feature this division.

The Dairy Demonstration tests, according to Mr. Slaney, will be conducted this year under the direct personal supervision of a member of the United States Department of Agriculture, and the system of awarding premiums which will be used has been carefully devised to give all entries an equal chance. Economical production cost will be the deciding factor, and this will be established by applying a scientific "point" system originated at one of the government experiment stations.

It is strongly urged that farmers throughout the State enter their best dairy stock in this Demonstration, and it will be to the advantage of each individual farmer to do so, for the actual value of each animal as a profit maker will be definitely established through these tests. The Dairy Demonstration tests will continue for 12 days and will undoubtedly be one of the most interesting features connected with the 1916 State Fair of Texas.

Mr. Slaney further announces that the Fair will open October 14, and continue to and through October 29.

RAILROAD WAGES

Shall they be determined by
*Industrial Warfare or
Federal Inquiry?*

To the American Public:

Do you believe in arbitration or industrial warfare?

The train employes on all the railroads are voting whether they will give their leaders authority to tie up the commerce of the country to enforce their demands for a 100 million dollar wage increase.

The railroads are in the public service—your service. This army of employes is in the public service—your service.

You pay for rail transportation 3 billion dollars a year, and 44 cents out of every dollar from you goes to the employes.

On all the Western railroads in 1915, seventy-five per cent of the train employes earned these wages (lowest, highest and average of all) as shown by the pay rolls—

	Passenger		Freight		Yard	
	Range	Average	Range	Average	Range	Average
Engineers	\$1747	\$2195	\$1537	\$2071	\$1056	\$1378
Conductors	1543	1878	1454	1935	1151	1355
Firemen	1033	1317	751	1181	418	973
Brakemen	854	967	874	1135	862	1107
	1719		1961		1821	

The average yearly wage payments to all Western train employes (including those who worked only part of the year) as shown by the 1915 payrolls were—

	Passenger	Freight	Yard
Engineers	\$2038	\$1737	\$1218
Conductors	1772	1624	1292
Firemen	1218	973	832
Brakemen	921	1000	1026

A 100 million dollar wage increase for men in freight and yard service (less than one-fifth of all employes) is equal to a 5 per cent advance in all freight rates.

The managers of the railroads, as trustees for the public, have no right to place this burden on the cost of transportation to you without a clear mandate from a public tribunal speaking for you.

The railroads have proposed the settlement of this controversy either under the existing national arbitration law, or by reference to the Interstate Commerce Commission. This offer has been refused by the employes' representatives.

Shall a nation-wide strike or an investigation under the Government determine this issue?

National Conference Committee of the Railways

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I never tire, no matter how many hours a day I work. In storm or sunshine, at any hour of the day or night, I am always ready to respond instantly to a call. I never sleep. All through the night I can guard a home. I will turn the darkness into light of day.

All the disagreeable tasks of keeping house I will do far better than they have ever been done before. I will do the cleaning without raising any dust. The washing is easy with me to help; the ironing a cool and pleasant task. Cooking and sewing are recreations with me at hand.

I am clean all through—no dirt, no dust, no odor, no smoke will annoy you when I do your work.

There is no limit to my usefulness, and yet, strange to say, there are many who do not ask me to help them often, and there are some that have never tried me out at all. Perhaps they do not know how willing and anxious I am to help them.

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BERTIE SWIMS

By LOUISE OLIVER.

Bert Van Buren stood waiting for the "boss" editor to speak. The latter looked him over. "You—let me see—you might get a ticket for Beechmont. Mrs. Harding-Haines, the sculptor, is doing a group for something or other and is going to give the proceeds to the dog hospital. Something like that, anyway. Engineer an interview with the lady. Take a camera. There, get along now!"

Bert's rebellion boiled over in the corridor.

"What's all this about?" inquired a feminine voice behind him.

Bert turned smiling to the girl. They went down to the street together. "Say, Bertie, I'm leaving."

"Why?"

She laughed a little slyly. "Oh, I'm like the little boy in the poem— I've got the hives."

And a new straw hat. And I'm goin' back home Where my beau lives at."

He stopped as though a bullet had put a hole in a vital spot. "I congratulate you, Molly," he managed to get out. "I—hadn't an idea you were engaged."

"Well—I'm not exactly! I guess I shouldn't have said that. But mother is making an awful fuss about my doing newspaper work and insists upon my going home and marrying a man she's picked for me."

"And you?"

She sighed. "I'm going to look him over. If he suits my fancy I may—"

A hour later, the young man found himself unloaded at the entrance gate to the Harding-Haines place. He had preferred walking the quarter mile to the house to get a few pictures of the grounds.

He had passed a group of elms, a wonderful shrubbery, and an Italian garden, and was approaching a pergola, when he spied a swimming pool, cool, marble lined and inviting. He looked around. Things were quiet, except for a woodpecker hammering near, and somewhere in the distance the dull hum of a grass mower.

He was hot and dusty and ever since his talk with Molly there had been a queer feeling in his head. The solitude of the place spelled safety. Why not take a plunge? So in a few minutes he was in the bath, his clothes and camera stowed away beneath a hydrangea.

The water was soothingly refreshing and he swam slowly around, keeping close to the shadow of overhanging shrubs. And then—as he neared the place from which he had started,

he heard a voice, a woman's, quite close:

"Here, Jenkins, put the tea wagon by this stone bench. I'll wait here for Miss Mary."

Bert thought of his clothes, not five feet from the bench, and danger of discovery became imminent when the same person remarked: "When you go back, Jenkins, send Green to me. These shrubs are entirely too thick. They need thinning around the water. You may go."

Bert shivered. The water became cold as the situation grew warm. Jenkins retreated, and the voice spoke no more, but Bert knew that madam, probably Mrs. Harding-Haines herself, was seated so near that he could have touched her."

The "Mary" arrived. A car came rapidly up the drive and stopped. Now was the accepted time and Bert was about to make a grab for his clothes when Green appeared upon the opposite side of the pool. There was nothing for it but to drop quickly back into the water under cover of the bushes.

But in the instant something had happened. Bert had seen the girl. His heart nearly stopped beating, for "Mary" was his Molly.

But hark! Madam was talking. An unwilling eavesdropper, Bert couldn't help hearing.

"Mary, now that you have had your own way and earned your own bread for a year and lived a real life, as you call it, I want you to consider what I say. When you were quite tiny, and a certain young man also was quite small, his mother and I betrothed you two. I've never mentioned it for several reasons. Partly because I changed my mind, as his family lost every cent of their money. But his mother was my best friend and I think I've done wrong in waiting. If I produce him, won't you try to like him?"

"Do I know him? What is his name, mother?"

"Bertram Van Buren."

"Mother!"

Just then Green's quick eye noticed a splash, and he exclaimed excitedly: "Madam, there's a man in the water. If you and Miss Mary will please go away, I'll call Jenkins and pull him out!"

Mrs. Harding-Haines rose quickly. "Heavens! Come along to the house, Mary. I'll call up the police instantly."

But Molly, recovered of one shock, was to have another. She had spied the end of a well-known cravat protruding from a bush beside her and beside it a camera she had often used herself on her travels. She smiled and covertly blew them a kiss.

"Oh, don't, mother!" she pleaded. "It's some poor fellow just wandered in to get cool. Let him go—do! If you promise, I'll—I'll marry Mr. Bertram Van Buren. Honestly I will, if he wants me!"

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AGED BROOD SOWS ARE BEST

Regular Breeders With Large Litters and Who Take Good Care of Pigs Are Proper Ones to Keep.

Sows that are regular breeders, farrow large litters and take good care of the little pigs, should be kept until they fail to be good producers. The principal test of whether a sow is a good milker or not is the thrift of her pigs, and her condition while suckling them. If they thrive, and she eats liberally and keeps in good health and digestion, and at the same time becomes a little thin while nursing her pigs, it is pretty good evidence that she is a good mother and should be kept as long as her usefulness lasts.

A regular breeder and a good mother is worth fully \$50, and is a valuable animal.

The young brood sow usually improves as she matures, so that better results may be expected the second year.

Very little progress can be made in building up a good herd of hogs if the policy is to dispose of the young sows after they have farrowed one or two litters. Young sows are,

as a rule, not as dependable producers as mature sows. They will, however, develop as they mature, and can often be retained a number of years to advantage.

Young sows do not farrow as strong litters and they are usually smaller than those from the mature sows.

Young sows that are growing should be fed more liberally than older ones. The latter, if they have a warm, dry pen to sleep in, with plenty of dry leaves or straw for bedding, will require very little food.

We feed our brood sows principally on bran soaked in water and whole oats. We always raise a few stock beets and cabbage to feed when grass cannot be had. Keep an abundant supply of wood ashes, charcoal made from burnt corn-cobs in the feeding room. One of our most successful breeders keeps his brood sows in ten-acre woods and grass pastures the year round.

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TEACHING THE COLT TO LEAD

Take the Little Fellows When They are Young and Easily Taught—Don't Get in a Hurry.

(By M. COVERDELL.) You often see a man kick and cuff the colt around, every time it happens to get in his way.

After a while you will notice this same fellow out with the family helping him to hem up a two-year-old colt, while he can put a halter on him.

For the first two or three times they get the halter on, they have a regular circus in teaching the animal to lead and be halterwise. It is mighty hard and dangerous work, too, this breaking in big, strong two-year-old colts.

Why not take the little fellows in hand when they are small, easily handled and quick to learn? Slip the halter on the colt occasionally and by slow degrees get it accustomed to leading up, when the lead strap is tightened and you move.

But don't get in a hurry. The colt has been used to going ahead of you, so don't expect it to follow too soon.

A lump of sugar, or a few oats held in the hand just in front of the little fellow are much better trainers in teaching it to lead than dragging it by the lead strap and having someone behind it with a club or a fishing pole to "shoo" it along.

Value of Roughage.

The nutritive value of winter roughage for stock depends in a large measure upon its palatability. This is a point that should be given more consideration in making up the grain ration for the stock.

KNOW THY COUNTRY

I—Introductory

"Know Thy Country" is a slogan that should ring out from every school room, office, farm and shop in this nation. No man can aspire to a higher honor than to become a capable citizen, and no one can merit so distinguished a title until he is well informed of the resources, possibilities and achievements of our country.

This is a commercial age and civilization is bearing its most golden fruit in America. We are noted for our industrial achievements as Egypt was noted for her pyramids; Jerusalem for her religion; Greece for her art; Phoenicia for her fleets; Chaldea for her astronomy and Rome for her laws. Likewise we have men who will go down in the world's history as powerful products of their age. For, standing at the source of every gigantic movement that sways civilization is a great man. The greatest minds traveling in the greatest direction and the commercial geniuses of this age would have been the sculptors, poets, philosophers, architects, and artists of earlier civilizations.

As Michael Angelo took a rock and with a chisel hewed it into the image of an angel that ever beckons mankind upward and onward, Hill took the desert of the Northwest and with bands of steel made it blossom like a rose, dotted the valleys with happy homes and built cities in waste places.

As Gutenberg took blocks of wood and whittled them into an alphabet and made a printing press that flashed education across the continent like a ray of light upon a new born world, McCormick took

a bar of iron and with his magic mind broke that enslaved labor of the unborn, and gave mankind from drudgery, and lifted race into a higher zone of civilization.

As Nelson organized the British flag upon every continent and made England mistress of the ocean's waves, and the stools of the islands of the world's finances, brought cashier's windows, the earth to our discount desks under the industries of the financial system as solid of Gibraltar.

There is no study quite as inspiring as the study of the great events of the present and future will be human heart with pride and faith in Republicanism.

Through the courtesy of cultural and Commercial vice, the readers of this periodical, manufacturing agricultural, manufacturing and transportation systems are the wonder of the world's first article of the series with transportation and at an early date.