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ALL COUNTY TO SUPPLY 66 MEN, FIRST 132 WILL BE CALLED NOW

DENMAN OUT

Speaker and President Asks Denman's Resignation. Their Places Filled

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WOULD IMPEACH THE GOVERNOR

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FAULTY STORAGE-HOUSE PLANS

Department Learns Southern Sweet Potato Growers are Paying Big Prices for Patented Systems

Washington, D. C., July 17.—There is no mystery about building a satisfactory storage house for sweet potatoes. Southern farmers who are paying large prices for patented plans and equipment alleged to provide the only successful way of storing sweet potatoes, are being defrauded.

AT IS "GLARE?"

Scientists Fail to Find Answer Regarding Auto Headlights.

July 23.—Scientific tests on various kinds of lens at the University of California have determined the kind of dimmer used on motor cars under highway commission laws.

Congressional Victory

Bear Farmers' Non-partisan Fight for Congress in the First District, was elected in the special contest at the special July 10. He carried every district but one. His victory was made on the issue of health for war purposes.

Quota For Entire State is 30,545 Donley County Has Surplus of Fifteen. Collinsworth Quota Eighty-Two

A telegram to the Democrat received yesterday afternoon brought the information that Hall county's quota was sixty-six. The number called for caused surprise and the expression of some doubt as to whether or not this county had been given full credit for its volunteers; but the explanation seems to be that an erroneous conclusion had been reached as to the gross quota for this county, which had been figured at seventy-four.

- 258 Flavel Henry Graezer
458 Luther Earl Roberson
854 Geo. Luther Palmer
783 Oscar Lee Anthony
837 James Arthur Knight
337 Reubin May
676 Joe I. Lewis
275 Jesse Randolph Cowan
529 Wm. Isaac Baker
564 Clifford Lucious Case
945 Amos Garland Whaley
596 Ashley Wyan Stanford
536 Albert C. Kincaid
548 William Horton Bellows
126 Ben Hurshal Stephens
784 Emmitt Harper
755 Ernest Aron Stapp
197 Edgar Lee Harper
616 Wm. Nat. Gossett
373 Wynn Albert McMurry
775 Willie Ditto
482 Richard Sampson Dunbar
692 Lafayette Odiss
800 Thos. Armon Pinkerson
810 Alvin Lee Wiley

- 507 Leo Lawrence Bickerstaff
309 Ruel V. Messer
437 Troy Lyfaett Thompson
604 Arthur C. Massie
43 Aubrey Lee Durham
924 James Culberson Neill
420 Daniel Dee Robertson
514 Robt. Cliff Edwards
433 Steve Edward
10 Hector Hoggard
487 Myles Houston Fowiks
797 Edgar Erving Cudd
432 Lewis Goffinet
18 Homer Sturdivant
622 Claude Raynes McMurry
927 C. C. Meacham
739 Harley Pierce Evans
601 Jesse Lawrence Johnson
606 Wm. C. Gilmore
182 Merriam William Holland
513 Tomie Potts
46 Wandy Pink Rogers
223 Sam Jones Hamilton
117 Walter Clifford George
602 Wesley R. Wikom

- 3 Milton Curtis Harrell
75 Guy Kercheville
772 Horace Erwin Collier
721 Ernest Theo. Patterson
786 Marcus Erwin Rawlins
280 Willard Pope Mc Catherine
872 Wm. Henry Rousey
983 Columbus Augusta Sounder
757 Jos. L. Gilmore
966 Sam Proctor
868 Oscar David Kerr
332 Earl Hicks Fletcher
379 Julius Murphy Clark
424 Henry Grady Booker
194 L. L. Card
874 F. A. Johnson
552 Wm. Berkly Durham
298 Charles Henry Grady Pruitt

enlistments in the regular army from April 1 to June 30. The credits were certified to the state adjutant general by the adjutant general of the army the chief of militia bureau and by the Texas organization commanders. No credit was allowed for enlistments in the navy or marine corps for the reason that the act of congress failed to make such provision. Donley county has an excess of fifteen over its quota, so none will be taken from that county on this call. Childers county, which also raised a company of volunteers, is called upon to furnish only sixteen on this call. Collinsworth's quota is eighty-two. The following numbers are given as reported from Washington to the press and probably contain some errors made in transmission. They are arranged in the order drawn and separated in sections of twenty-five so that it is easy to find the draft number you wish to locate. The official figures, which are to come from Washington by mail, have not yet arrived but it is unlikely that many errors are present in these figures. The call to service will be in the order the names were drawn.

- 675 Sam D. Killedrew
343 Cook Elmore Williams
982 Wayne Carl Rexobe
726 Hugh Stone Eldridge
15 John Henry Martin
905 Clarence Melvin Hopper
933 Ernest Newsome Henson

- 452 John Hugh Ramsey
355 Charlie Phillip Vaughn
530 Howard Felton Leak
809 Tom Grammer
645 Millford Grover Potts
218 Charnell Armstrong
620 Mit Tidwell
550 Lin Dee Lyles
554 Clifford Henry Ashley
31 Alvin Leroy Webb
981 Otis Jetter
770 Arthur McCree Mixom
882 David Elsworth Abney
677 James Edwin Knox
749 R. D. Gillenwater
525 Jesse James Walker
56 Geo. Wesley Wilson
792 Arved Jefferson Essary
John Odiss Wilson
5 Earl Iven Bradley
350 Clarence Shipman VandeVinter
54 Oscar Grady Moore
870 James Alvin Pichnor
549 Jos. Porter Johnson
440 Wm. Henry Schoonover

- ONE HUNDRED
741 Guy E. Nelson
711 Karl Roy Milton
841 Lawrence Alexander Daniels
638 Wortham Pyle
623 Leon Walter Montgomery
269 Sam Walker Hunt
685 Jesse Clinton Bloxom
335 Wm. Edwin Rohan
493 Geo. Watson Spilwun
923 Robt Rankin Russell
341 Henry Houston Prechett
391 Connie Cleveland McMurtry
353 Eli Hugh Vallance
970 Rbert M. Lambard
637 Mat Lafayette Exum
360 Other Lee Proctor
571 Arthur Gidden
488 Porter B. Denson
704 David Mack Orett
72 John Thomas Lofland
356 Martin Lee Kelly
112 Roy E-Cooper
128 Russell Adams
679 Rufus Edwin Paschell
895 Reuben Cordill

ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE
11 Claude Preston Thrasher
900 John J. Robinson
363 Thurman Hutchins
6 James Dorsey Shinkle
327 Wiley Neel Mize
769 Byron Lafayette Bates
604 Ike Isaac Wallace
(Above 132 names on first call)
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RUSSIANS RETREAT ALL ALONG FRONT

Germana Claim Great and General Success All Along Eastern Front.

Berlin, July 24 via London.—The German forces in Galicia are advancing from the River Sereth to the wooded Carpathians over a front 150 miles wide, says the official statement issued today by the German Army Headquarters Staff. Several German divisions the statement adds, that they have each taken 3,000 prisoners. Numerous heavy Russian guns have been captured and also much booty has been taken by the Germans. Over the entire eastern front from the Baltic to the Black Sea bitter fighting is proceeding. The statement says great successes have been obtained by German and allied arms. The evening communication announces that the Teutonic allies in Galicia are continuing their pursuit of the Russians between the Carpathians and the Sereth river. The communication says: "There has been a strong artillery engagement in Flanders. In Eastern Galicia we are pursuing the retreating enemy on a wide front between the Sereth River and the Carpathian Mountains.

UNIVERSITY WILL OPEN

President Vinson Announces Session of 1917-18. Examinations for Admission September 17.

The Board of Regents of the University of Texas, at its last meeting, in Galveston, on July 12-13, instructed me to announce that adequate financial provision has been made for the maintenance of the institution for the session of 1917-1918, and that the University will open in accordance with the following schedule, as printed in the last catalogue. September 17, Monday.—Examinations for admission begin, continuing through Thursday, September 20. September 26, Wednesday.—Registration begins, continuing through Saturday, September 29. Candidates for degrees in 1918 may register on any of the four registration days; other former students only on Friday and Saturday. First-year students only on Wednesday and Thursday and the afternoon of Saturday. Students who register after Saturday, September 29, will be required to pay a fine of three dollars. September 27, Thursday.—Postponed examination, examinations for advanced standing, and examinations to remove course conditions. On or before Thursday, September 20, the student must make application either in person or by mail to the dean of his department. September 27, Thursday.—Registration begins in the department of medicine, continuing through Monday October 1. September 29, Saturday.—Last day for handing in applications for degrees. October 1, Monday.—Opening exercises of the department of medicine. October 1, Monday.—Fall term classes begin.

Jet Fore's Residence Burns.

The residence owned and occupied by Jet Fore, located in the north-western part of town, burned a few minutes after noon yesterday. The fire originated from an oil stove used for cooking. Both house and its contents were destroyed; the building was partially covered by insurance, contents uninsured. The fire boys made a quick response to the alarm and rapid and effective work was done in preventing the spread of the flames to adjacent buildings. Mr. Fore fully appreciates the work done by the fire-boys, and others, and requests us to express his thanks. MEMPHIS.

MILK AND BUTTER SUPPLY IS SHORT

Manager of the Bradley Dairy Tells of Threatened Shortage. Don't Sell Milch-Cows

Almost every day the Bradley Dairy is besieged with persons trying to sell their milch-cows. They are selling them to the butcher and they are going to the packing house. This is not only true here but similar conditions exist all over the country. When a thing becomes unprofitable we are certainly tempted to part with it. Dry weather and war prices on feed have done a plenty for the dairy man; but just as much milk is needed as ever and we should be patriotic enough to produce it. We will find a way around the high price of feed and the price of dairy products will be adjusted in time. Every farmer ought to put in a pit silo; this will save some of the hay bill for the horses as well as feed his cows. Forty per cent of the feeding value of feed is lost when shocked instead of made into silage. Ten farmers co-operating can, for \$15.00 a piece, buy a cutter that will cut silage for several seasons and a Ford or other car will furnish the power without injury to the car. The diameter of the silo should be in proportion to number of stock fed. You will find that you can get feed out of a pit silo much cheaper than you can pay freight from Kansas City. Again I want to plead with you to keep the milch cow, she is the most valuable animal on the farm. Feeding experiments show that for each 100 lbs. of digestible nutrients consumed the cow yields six times as much edible solids in milk as the sheep or beef steer in its carcass. You therefore, do your family and your country a wrong to sacrifice her. We are going to keep our good cows and try not to reduce our production. The farmers ought to furnish the town with butter and some milk. You have helped us to supply the city in times of peace and plenty help us in time of war! I have drawn a lucky number and will probably enlist in the service of my country, leaving our little plant with father, to handle, almost exclusively with hired labor. It is hardly probable that he can maintain the present production, much less care for a shortage caused by decrease in dairy cows in the community. Earl I. Bradley, Mgr. Bradley Dairy.

Henry Mitchell for Legislature.

It is the understanding that Hon. W. D. Cope will not ask for re-election to the lower house of the legislature from this district. So far The Index has not heard of any avowed candidate, but has heard the name of Henry Mitchell of Estelline mentioned. Mr. Mitchell was reared in Childress, a son of S. W. Mitchell, a well and favorably known farmer and stockman of this place. He is a graduate of the of the Childress High School, and before his graduation accepted a position with the Cicero Smith Lumber Co., at Estelline, and is still with the firm. Mr. Mitchell is recognized as one of the strongest business men of this section, and by his work has built up one of the best lumber trades in Northwest Texas. In politics Mr. Mitchell is a democrat from rearing and precept, a prohibitionist in belief and practice and if he should and if he should become a member of the legislature his vote would always be cast with the moral forces of the State. But, not only a prohibitionist, he is favorable to many issues of reforms that are being demanded by the business world of Texas and if a member will be giving his assistance to measures that are for the upbuilding of the State. While The Index is not in the confidence of Mr. Mitchell, yet we believe the people of the district would make no mistake if he should be persuaded to enter the race and elected. We know him, and know he is honest and qualified to represent the best interests of our people.—Childress Index.

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PORPOISE FISHERY IS OLD TO THWART THE PICKPOCKET

One of Least-Known Industries in America Operated for 200 Years From Cape Hatteras.

One of the oldest and least-known industries in America is the porpoise fishery, which has been operated from Cape Hatteras, in North Carolina, for about 200 years. It should attain an unusual prosperity in the next few years, for the bureau of fisheries is urging more general use of porpoise hides in place of cowhide. It is an excellent leather and could undoubtedly be used more widely, says the Baltimore American.

Heretofore the most valuable product of the fishery, has been the oil which is extracted from the jaws of the porpoise and is worth about \$20 a gallon. It is universally used for lubricating watches and other very delicate mechanisms. The body blubber is also valuable. Attempts to manufacture fertilizer out of the carcasses have failed because of the distance from a fuel supply.

The porpoises are taken at Hatteras in seines operated from the shore, and it is probably the only place in America where this has ever been successfully done. During the fall, winter and spring many porpoises are seen off the South Atlantic coast and at Hatteras they come within a few hundred yards of the surf. They are taken by spreading seines about 200 yards outside the surf line. As soon as the porpoises have come inside the seine it is dragged ashore. Often a whole school of these sea creatures is taken in a single haul.

IS CURIOUS TRADE MONOPOLY

Making of Missionary Boxes in England Has Been in Hands of Same Family for Many Generations.

It is curious how certain trades and occupations remain peculiar to certain families. There is one occupation employing a large number of men today which is in the hands of the same family that has been associated with it for many generations. It is the making of missionary boxes, says London Tit-Bits.

It might be supposed that any carpenter could knock together a suitable receptacle for contributions to missionary and other charitable funds; but the fact remains that every missionary society, every church organization, that requires a collecting-box goes, as a matter of course, to this old-established firm whose specialty it is to make such boxes.

It is a thriving business, and one which has profited rather than suffered through the war, for the institution of flag days and other means of collecting funds has led to an enormous increase in the demand for boxes.

Training Gunners for Sea.

When England trains her gunners for the sea, she sends them to Whale Island in Portsmouth harbor. Here the entire island is given over to steel sheds, which are built like gun turrets on a battleship. The great guns projecting from these sheds are dumfries, as Popular Science shows, though they are exact counterparts of those on a battleship. The prospective officers and men are made to go through the exercise of range finding, loading, aiming and "firing" these guns as rigidly as if they were in a real battle at sea. The heavy steel projectiles are hauled from the magazine by hydraulic and electric cranes just as in an actual ship. A real breech mechanism locks the projectile and its powder charge in the gun, while an intricate swivel mounting of steel swings the gun into firing position.

India Bearish on Silver.

A London bullion house says the recent fall in silver prices at Bombay throws a light upon the bearish attitude of the Indian bazaar which has obtained for some time past, and also upon the way in which the Indian people have been content with greatly reduced imports for industrial consumption. It is more than probable that many individuals whose silver jewelry depreciated seriously when the Indian mints were closed to free coinage have taken advantage of the high prices compared with those ruling for the last twenty years or so and have melted their silver bangles into silver

The Movie Man

By George Elmer Cobb

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"I thank you, sir, for your kind assistance."

Bighearted Ryall Danvers smiled reassuringly and placed his hand in friendly fashion on the shoulder of the speaker.

"Don't mention it," he said. "I've always had a sneaking fancy for the stage. In fact, when I was a lad I ran away for a week with a company of strolling players. They were unfortunate, which, perhaps, was fortunate for me, for I was glad to get home to plenty of food and a comfortable bed that I was quite willing to start in at practical work. I've had the old dream since, but I've stuck to my work and have made a fair success at it."

"Sir," spoke Algernon Cripps, heavy tragedian of the Strollers, "the drama is indeed a fascinating and noble profession. We are children of genius, myself and my little company. As such we are called on to battle the vicissitudes of fortune, whose darts and arrows oft pierce us sore. I applied to you because your kind face told me you had rare human sympathies. I did not misjudge your character. You have saved us from humiliation and suffering. You shall be recompensed fully, Sir, accept this as a reminder."

The threadbare, grandiloquent tragedian handed Ryall a card, first scribbling on its blank reverse side. It bore his name.

"What is this?" inquired Ryall with a vague smile.

"My name and address and, as you see, sir, a professional free pass to any and all entertainments given by the Strollers company. Whenever you may chance in the future to happen in a city where we are playing, that com-



He Looked Within, Gaspied, Reeled and Went Down.

plimentary will entitle you to full consideration. And now, sir, your name, if you please?"

Ryall gave it and his home address and the tragedian made a great ado of memorizing it, tapping his head, repeating it over and over.

"It is inscribed on the tablet of an unfading memory," he said. "As soon as the Strollers company makes its first next ensuing successful stand, sir, that twelve dollars shall be remitted to you, accompanied by a memorial signed by every member of the troupe, signaling their deep and heartfelt gratitude towards the considerate almoner who stepped in the breach at the darkest hour of our histrionic career."

Despite the bombastic speech there was a genuine tear in the eye of the tragedian. He made a stately bow, he strutted kinglike toward the little country hotel near at hand and Ryall, with an indulgent smile, went on his way. What had transpired was that he, a commercial traveler, coming into the hotel found Cripps and half a dozen scared-looking fellow artists grouped together with an embargo on their stage properties. Their show at the little town had drawn a ridiculously small audience and the hotel man had seized on their trunks.

Ryall was just winding up a long business trip and was headed homeward. That meant a month's vacation and the company of fair, winsome Ethel Ward. He was too happy to resist the appeal of humanity in distress. He had charitably released the debt of the little company of players and hence the unutterable gratitude of Cripps.

Ryall's plans regarding a month of recuperation and rest were rudely disrupted when he reached the end of his journey. The house employing him called him into an immediate and important conference. They desired him to at once prepare for a trip to Mexico. It appeared that they had large interests in that country greatly disturbed by battling political factions,

"I've three days to get ready and it may consume six months," mused Ryall rather disconsolately as he left his employers. "Humph! this is a rude jar to the glowing vacation I had planned out so nicely."

Ethel Ward looked disappointed when Ryall told her of his news and unexpected duties. They were all but engaged, and there was no doubt in Ryall's mind that Ethel regarded him with favor and liking. He thought matters over and did not speak the interesting avowal he had planned.

"I won't ask her to bind herself to a man going into the midst of uncertainty and danger," he reflected. "Another thing; I am promised a promotion by the house if I put through the deal successfully and will be in much better shape to arrange for taking a wife. I'll wait till I come back!"

Ethel was most kind and gracious to him those three days that he lingered at Hazelwood. That period was filled the rare social enjoyments. They were clouded only by the occasional presence of one Gregory Barton, upon whom Ryall fancied he had a right to look as a rival. Certainly Barton had some pretensions in the direction of Ethel, although there was nothing in her manner that indicated that she had any preference for the young man in question.

There was a lingering farewell and tears in Ethel's eyes and the anxiety expressed in her angelic face, might have convinced Ryall that her thoughts were all of him. It cheered him, once started on his journey.

One month after the departure of Ryall from Hazelwood there appeared a remarkable figure in the little, unsophisticated town. This was Algernon Cripps, a new, a renovated, a glorified Algernon Cripps! Ryall would scarcely have known him. The old tragedian was dressed like a prince and acted like one. He sought out Ryall, found that he was away, learned that Miss Ward was especially advised as to his movements and visited that young lady seeking the information he desired to obtain.

It brought a thrill of pride and gladness to Ethel to hear the grateful thespian tell of the kindly act of her lover. The quaint stilted phrases of the tragedian amused and interested her.

"But for the timely aid of Mr. Danvers," declared Cripps, "I should never have got back to the city; I should never have arrived there just at a critical moment when Dobson, the great movie king, needed an expert movie man; I should not be getting, as I am, dear lady, a thousand dollars a week, as the star in his great photoplays. I have sought out Mr. Danvers to reimburse him for his noble loan as well as to cultivate the friendship of this great, true-hearted man."

Ryall Danvers had expected to close up his business in Mexico within a month. At the end of that time he found himself a prisoner in the hands of insurrectionists. He escaped, closed up his business in a very unexpectedly satisfactory manner and started north for home. Again, he was arrested, narrowly evaded being shot as a spy and after three months of suffering and later wanderings finally crossed the border.

He was thin, tattered, almost a wreck when he started for home and

friends, and he thought of Ethel first. It was at eventide when he neared the Ward home. He crossed the garden. Dazzled by the brilliant glare within the house, like some famished refugee he approached an open window. He looked within, gasped, reeled and went down like a shot, for within the great drawing room of the mansion a marriage was in progress—and the bride was Ethel Ward, the groom Gregory Barton!

"That's better. Say, you must have been through something worth a big movie to land up in this trim! Don't you know me—Algernon Cripps?"

Dimly Ryall came back to consciousness to find himself lying on a couch in a richly furnished room. The readjusted and prosperous tragedian bent over him.

"Where am I?" breathed Ryall faintly.

"Where else but in the Ward home? We found you outside. Ah! I must hasten to summon Miss Ward. She is frantic with anxiety over you."

"Ethel—the wife of Gregory Barton—"

"Thunder! I see it. Ah!" cried Cripps, "that is what upset you, eh? Why, I've struck a road of gold since you last saw me. I came here to find you, got enchanted with that sweetest little miss in the world, induced your friends here to help me work out a wedding scene in my new photoplay and—"

But just here Ethel, peerless Ethel Ward, burst into the room, and when she left it she was the promised bride of Ryall Danvers.

Wireless for Police Patrols.

One of the greatest difficulties in police work in the larger cities is the inability of the policeman or patrolman always to communicate with the central office. The ordinary police patrol usually carries two officers, one of whom is driving, and there have been occasions when a call for assistance was necessary but impossible. The nearest means of communication was too far away. Now the police department of New York city has solved this problem by installing a wireless apparatus on each patrol. The radio apparatus is mounted within the chassis of the truck, while two poles hold the aerial wires in place in the front and rear; and the transmitter is driven by the same gasoline power which runs the car. Thus the police truck is in constant communication with headquarters.

One Compensation.

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Local and Personal

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

Ewell Grundy of Estelline was here Tuesday.

Rev. J. W. Story, of Clarendon, was here Tuesday.

J. H. Gibson went to Dalhart Tuesday morning.

Oren Jones came in Tuesday night from Fort Worth.

Rankin Russell was here from Estelline Monday night.

S. G. Hinton of Hulver was here Monday and Tuesday.

W. A. McCloud of Childress was here Thursday on business.

W. J. Franks left Wednesday morning for his ranch on the plains.

I. N. Davidson, a prominent Childress merchant, spent Friday night here.

Wanted—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call telephone 133.

Mrs. T. B. Norwood is enjoying a visit of several days out at their ranch near Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Holms visited relatives and friends at Wellington from Friday to Sunday.

Dr. N. F. Tate, veterinarian, announces that he will arrive in Memphis and will remain here next week.

Joe J. Mickle came down last week from his ranch near Wahburn and spent several days here looking after business matters.

Four section ranch 12 miles from Railroad, good car road to ranch fenced all round, lays in square body, living water on place, about 300 acres farming land, Price \$8,000 per acre on good terms. Stockmen this is a bargain, for sale by G. C. Davis, Clarendon, Texas. Phone 432.

POPULAR SCIENCE

The codfish has the reputation of being the goat of the sea. It will eat anything.

The pearl is the only gem that does not require the lapidary's art to bring out its beauty.

The rapid growth of vegetation of the Arctic regions has been attributed by some investigators to the action of the electrical currents in the air.

An effort is being made to adapt the horse chestnut to the human dietary. The nuts are more than half starch and sugar, with some protein and fat, and are nutritious.

A "milk" made by the Chinese from a native bean is shown by analysis to have a specific gravity of 1.020 and a fat content of 3.125, contrasted with a specific gravity of 1.029 and a fat content of 3.9 for good average cow's milk.

EVERY-DAY COOKING HINTS

A steak is one of the finest selections for a main dish for a meal. A large steak can be used for three meals if cut properly.

First, the tenderloin can be served as filet of beef; the next cut used is the sirloin, and the next is the top, which can be served as hamburger steak, meat loaf or a real old-fashioned Irish stew. But don't forget the onions.

Any steak is better for the addition of onions. A steak smothered in onions is truly delectable.

There is not a woman in this country who can afford to be without a stock pot. Hotel cooks always have one on hand, and any soup can be made most readily from it. Add a little tomato for tomato soup. If cream soup is wanted, add milk and a little flour for thickening. If vegetable is the flavor desired, add some vegetables, and so on through a variety of soups.

Liver of lamb is just as good as calves' liver if properly prepared. Steam it, dip it in flour and add one-half cupful of water for gravy.

Instead of smoking up the house by getting fat from smut, put the smut in boiling water.—Mrs. M. A. Wilson in the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Frozen Fruit Salad.

Cut one orange, a slice of grapefruit and one-half can each of pineapple, white cherries, pears and peaches in the size of half a cherry. Mix the fruit with the juice of half a lemon, a half cupful of mayonnaise and a half pint of whipped cream. Pour into the freezer and turn the crank slowly until the mixture is frozen. Then pack in molds and let stand one hour. Serve cut in slices with lettuce heart leaves. If molds are not available, pack in freezer and serve as ice cream. This quantity is sufficient for fifteen people.

Nut Prune Souffle.

Pick over and wash one-half pound of prunes, soak one hour in cold water and boil until soft. After removing the stones obtain the meat from them and add to the prunes. Then add one cupful of sugar, one inch of cinnamon bark, one and one-third cupfuls of boiling water and simmer ten minutes. Dilute one-third cupful of cornstarch with enough cold water to pour easily, add to the prune mixture and cook five minutes. Then add the whites of two eggs beaten stiff, and one-half cupful chopped pecan meats. Mould, chill and serve with cream.

Camp Soup.

Three-fourths cupful evaporated milk, unsweetened, two cupfuls water, one teaspoonful beef extract, few drops onion juice, one tablespoonful butter, one tablespoonful flour, salt, pepper, cayenne. Dilute unsweetened evaporated milk with one and three-fourths cupfuls of water. Add beef extract dissolved in one-fourth cupful water and onion juice. Melt butter, add flour and stir until smooth; then pour on gradually, while stirring constantly, liquid mixture. Bring to boiling point, season highly with salt, pepper and cayenne, and serve at once.

Softening Flannels.

A little glycerin added to the water in which baby flannels are washed will soften them. Make a strong lather of hot water and a good white soap, and when lukewarm wash the flannels out, but do not rub soap directly on the flannels. To "whiten" flannels, make a solution of one end one-half pound shaved white soap, one-third quart ammonia and 12 gallons of water.

Preserving Food Without Ice.

An earthen jar or crock, with a cover, set in a box containing moist sand, will keep butter and milk in hot weather for some time. The sand must be kept moist at all times.

SUIT OF WATER FOR FIREMAN

New Safety Dress Designed to Give Protection to Anyone Standing in Midst of Flames.

The Cincinnati fire department has been testing a new safety dress for the fireman. The man who wears it can stand right in the midst of flames. He need not fear the glowing embers around his feet. He can walk into a fire and it will dwindle away and go out around him.

The dress is made of fireproofed canvas of two thicknesses, between which water flows constantly. The water enters by means of a perforated brass tube which encircles the neck between the two thicknesses of canvas and flows down between the layers through the arms and legs, finding exits at the finger tips and around the soles of the feet, says the Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Water flowing only between the two thicknesses of canvas would not offer complete protection to the wearer. To keep him cool and comfortable while standing in the hottest fire, two brass perforated tubes encircle the helmet and give him a constant shower bath from the outside as well as within the folds of the uniform. This not only keeps him from becoming overheated, but extinguishes the fire around him.

State of Texas, County of Hall

Notices hereby given that the City Council of the city of Memphis, Texas, will at a regular meeting to be held on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1917 receive sealed proposals for custody of the city funds from any banking corporation, association or individual banker doing business within the city, that may desire to be selected as the depository of the funds of the city. Any banking corporation, association, or individual banker doing business in the city, desiring to bid, shall deliver to me, as city secretary, on or before August 7th, A. D. 1917, a sealed proposal, stating the rate per cent upon daily balances payable monthly that such banking corporation, association or individual banker offers to pay to the city for the privilege of being made the depository of the funds of the city from the 7th day of August, A. D. 1917, until the first Tuesday in July, A. D. 1918.

Witness my hand and official seal, this 13th day of July, A. D. 1917.

D. L. C. Kinard,
Secretary of the City of Memphis, Texas.

Urges Eating of More Fish.

In a bulletin dealing with the wholesale supply and price of staple foods in New York issued by the health department housewives are advised to substitute fish for meat, it being noted that there is an abundance of fish on the wholesale market and that it is far cheaper than meat. The bulletin says in part: "There is no reason why households should be fed on expensive meats when fish is cheap and just as nourishing and healthful."

Danger of Sleeves and Ties.

Although time and again workmen have been warned regarding the danger of loose clothing when working around machinery, it appears that many of them persist in ignoring the danger. As a result 986 workmen were killed in the United States by being drawn into the wheels of machinery or thrown to death when parts of their clothing became caught in rotating members. Loose sleeves and neckties are prolific sources of danger, and should not be tolerated for a single moment by the careful worker.—Scientific American.

Wanted—Old iron and all kinds of junk. J. D. Caudle, Memphis. 4-2*

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TREASURE IN ROYAL VAULTS

Accumulation of Jewels, Armor, Furniture and Works of Art Stored in British Palace.

Special precautions are taken at Buckingham palace during renovations regarding the treasure vaults. These are three in number, and their contents of great value, comprising the accumulation of jewels, armor, statuary, pictures, furniture, etc., which have come into the possession of the royal family through various channels during the last two centuries, and for which no accommodation can be found in the state apartments of the royal residences.

Two of the vaults are of great size, the largest measuring 300 feet by 200 feet. These are used for the storage of furniture, pictures, etc. The third vault, much smaller and steel lined through its walls, is the jewel room, the contents of which may be termed priceless. Of old ornaments alone there are over 300, weighing considerably over a ton in all, and many individual items sold for thousands of pounds in the open market.

Most of these treasures came to Great Britain as gifts from other countries. Every object in this vault is catalogued, and the whole collection checked once a year under the supervision of the keeper of the privy wardrobe.

AR GREAT LEVELER OF MEN

Money and Athlete, Patrician and Plebeian Are Equally Valiant When Call to Arms Comes.

I asked the president of an important college what type of student has responded most quickly to the war, and he writes Grant in the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

"The surprising thing," said he, "is that there is no class in this response, our college as did the frontiersmen of the Pennsylvania." The cultured patrician, stood up to battle as well as but no soldier did Sheridan, the plebeian, Murat, son of a tavern-keeper, became a king, and Marshal Ney, of a cooper, later grew into a hero, and both were as valiant on a bloody battlefield as the sons of emperors and czars.

Case for the Oculist.

Best inhabitant of Little

Cockleton possesses a telescope which he never used.

"Why don't you make use of it sometimes, James?" a neighbor asked.

"It used to be a good 'n," James said, sorrowfully, "but it's broke now."

"Broken?" the neighbor asked.

"How's that?"

"Well," James replied, "it was such a good 'n that I could see the old church steeple five miles away quite plain, but Joseph, the scoundrel, got the lens of it and tried to make out the steeple of the Methodist chapel, more'n ten miles away. He tried and tried, and couldn't, so that he strained my glass, and it's never been right since. Drat Joseph."—Buffalo News.

New Artificial Food Products.

The Germans now add ammonia to the waste liquors of breweries or sugar factories, and produce food protein directly with the aid of yeast. Reports also come on high authority that in Germany artificially digested wood fiber is being used in stock-feeding. Wood is chemically closely related to starch and sugars, and the making of sugar out of cellulose has been done experimentally in the laboratory for a generation. It was only a question of getting the process cheap enough to be practical, and we who would scoff at "bread from sawdust" may be regarded by our children as old fogies, akin to those who refused to believe in airplanes and wireless telegraphy.—Physical Culture.

Artificial Sunshine.

Among the efforts being made by England to get better crops, on account of the threatened food crisis, one of the most interesting is an experiment in growing cereals and other field crops with the aid of "artificial sunshine," provided by overhead electric current. This experiment, under the supervision of V. H. Blackman, professor of plant physiology and pathology at South Kensington, is being carried out at Huntington court farm, near Hereford. The purpose of the experiments is to continue on a large scale work done during the last few years near Dunfriess, where in 1916 an increase of about 50 per cent in grain and 85 per cent in straw was obtained on a crop of oats.

Terrible.

"My dear, you musn't let anybody read that letter from Cousin George at the front. I'm surprised that he'd write such things."

"What's the matter with his letter?" It's mighty interesting."

"Some parts of it are, but his confessions of his disgraceful conduct are dreadful. I wouldn't for the world have anyone know of his doings."

"I don't get you at all."

"You don't? Didn't you read that part of his letter where he says he was out with a British tank last night, and they rolled all over the place?"

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Summer Fashions

"Variety is the spice of life," said some one at some time so long ago that the saying has become a proverb. It is true, whether it be in scene, environment, in fashions or in food. Variety is one thing which we possess in fashions this season; variety in silhouettes, in materials, in trimmings. Smart clothes range in design from the waisted styles of the First Empire, through fluffy frills of the Mid-Victorian era and draperies almost pannier-like "peg-tops," and last but not least, straight hanging models which are compared to the Egyptian garments of a very ancient dynasty. They range from the smartest of low-necked evening frocks of silk and satin to the simplest of gingham, and from these to the trimmest of service suits.

Under the name of service suits come a number of military models of which the sketch illustrated is a good example. Instead of being made of khaki this suit is made of heather jersey, which is a color mixture in which



Heather Jersey Develops This Military Model

brown is flecked with deep pink, green and lavender. An inverted pleat in the back of the coat adds to its style.

Another military model which I saw very recently departed widely from the military in its development, for it was made entirely of balsam-green tussur, a reminder of green leaves and cool breezes in a Robin Hood forest.

Although every one's mind is running more or less towards serving the country and very naturally toward costumes which would be practical for any task that one might choose, there are also charming frocks for other occasions.

Taffeta and Foulard Frocks

Taffeta and foulard frocks are a requirement of every woman's wardrobe whether she has a large or small one, for a dress of either of these materials is always ready to wear; it does not go to the laundry and is not fazed by fogs and dews. Although taffeta and foulards can not in themselves be said to be new this season, their trimmings

of organdie make them seem so. Frills, bands and facings of organdie give an airiness to these frocks which is summery and cool. Satin is also being trimmed with organdie. In fact this might be called an organdie season, for it does its "bit" on silks and satins as well as the humble gingham.

In the second sketch is shown a frock of soft plaid taffeta with collar, lapel facing and pockets on waist and on skirt of white organdie. The collar is trimmed with rows of hand-run stitching of heavy silk in the colors of the plaid.

Low-Heeled Sport Shoes

With sport clothes, service suits and simplicity frocks comes suitable footwear. Low-heeled half shoes with sensible lasts are worn for sports. Some of these shoes have spring heels, others have heels three-quarters of an inch high, and often the soles and the heels are rubber. This does not mean that the foot comes in contact with the rubber, however, for there is a thickness of leather between the outside sole on the foot. White is worn a great deal for summer. Gray is fashionable, and of course, brown and black are standard.

For wearing with elaborate afternoon frocks are low shoes with high heels, either French or Cuban-Louis.

Vacation Styles for Young Folk

Last days of school, then vacation! All the girls and boys are looking forward to their freedom, while the practical mother is planning what these children of hers will need for the country, the seashore or the mountains where ever vacation will be spent.

Overalls

This might almost be called an age-overalls, for with gardens, defense leagues, girl and boy scouts and the hundred and one other activities that are calling girls and boys this summer overalls fill a practical requirement. Do not make the mistake of thinking that the overalls boys wear and the overalls that girls wear are the same! Oh, no. Girls' overalls are made rather full and bloomer-like, some of them have blouses attached and are large enough to put over an entire frock if required to do so. Of course khaki is the material considered the most desirable for these garments whether for boys or girls, but very often gingham and galetea are used when boys are small and when the girls wear them in the house.



Embroidered Gingham Frock

I saw a very cunning and practical overall apron today made of rubberized cloth and covered with servicable blue and white gingham. It consisted of full romper-like bloomers and a bib with straps which crossed over the shoulders and buttoned to the bloomer in the back. The back of the bloomers and the lower edges were felled on elastic. This is to be pulled on over the small girl's or boy's clothes to keep them dry when playing on the beach. I thought to myself that it would make a splendid soap-bubble apron.

In the accompanying illustration is shown a small boy attired in practical overalls. He looks ready for weeding his garden for fishing for doing any of the other duties of life.

Overalls are not the only thing the young folks wear this summer, even though I have mentioned them first. For little boys are suits of military cut made of galatea, linen, chaubry and khaki. Trimly cut like the coat of a uniform, the little coat boasts of two breast pockets, with laps, two side pockets, and a belt. The trousers are of course short. Sailor suits which small boys not connected with the navy often look upon with disfavor, have become very popular this season. If one is too young to be a member of the navy he may not be to young to look as though he did. White linen and navy-blue serge are the materials for this type of suit.

Coats, even for the very little boys, have a decided tendency toward the military, either in cut, trimming or color. Covert, in shades varying from gray to brown and having brass buttons, is very popular just now.

A great deal of crepe de Chine is being used for children's frocks and even rompers this year. It is material which launders well and is cool and dainty in appearance.

Although gingham as a material has been devoted to children, these many years, it seems as though the use of it among the grown-ups has given it a stimulus in children's clothes. There never has been a season when there have been prettier gingham for children than at the present time. Yellow, pink and green plain gingham are made made up of themselves or are combined with plaids, checks and stripes in which one or the other of the colors is part of the color scheme. Yellow is especially popular. It is often embroidered with the shade of brow, old rose and green, or with blue or some other contrasting but harmonizing color.

The charming little dress shown in the sketch is made of yellow gingham and trimmed with a double organ die collar and embroidered in coral pink, brown, green and black.

Embroidery on Children's Frocks

Children's dresses are trimmed with a great deal of hand embroidery. Wool is so effective that it remains popular even for summer clothes, but many people have preferred to use mercerized cotton or silk in its place. When embroidery is spoken of, it is not necessary to think of anything that will take a great deal of time, for the modern embroidery is very simple indeed. The darned-stitch is a great favorite and is used to give the effect of shadow embroidery; the lazy-daisy-stitch is quickly and easily done and is effective in coarse wool or cotton. Braiding designs are stitched with coarse thread on the upper or lower part of the machine, which every woman considers easiest, and is wonder-



Summer Overalls of Khaki

fully attractive. I saw a charming little frock of lawn not long ago with a lattice-work design around the bottom, the lower edge of sleeves on the front. A spray of flowers running through the lattice was worked by hand, but the lattice itself was done by machine-stitching.

Cross stitching is a wonderfully effective embellishment to children's frocks and is very easily and quickly done.

HOORAY! FOR THE IRISH KAISER

When the war is over, laddies, just take a tip from me, There'll be no German submarines a divin' in the sea;

For the Fatherland of Kaiser Bill, the guy we're going to lick, We'll have a brand new Kaiser, and the same will be a lick.

We'll change the song "De Wacht am Rhine" into an Irish reel And make the Dutchman dance it, if so inclined we feel.

For the palace in Berlin will be Mick's from County Clare,

When we put the Irish Kaiser in the palace over there, Shure in every German parkway you'll find a sweet Colleen,

An' the fields of waving sauerkraut we'll plant to shamrocks green; No liverwurst, or sausage when the Dutchman drinks his suds—

He will get corned beef and cabbage, and good old Irish spuds; The heathen's guns and gas bombs, we'll throw 'em all away,

An' make 'em use shillalahs, or bricks of Irish clay, They'll wear no iron crosses; shure it's Shamrocks they will wear,

When we put an Irish Kaiser in the palace over there

—Dallas Democrat.

Will Have a Reunion

On account of the war, the veterans of the Joseph E. Johnston Camp No. 259 U. C. V. of Childress have concluded to hold a camp reunion on the 29th and 30th of August. We believe that this meeting of the old soldiers will help to inspire the young men to enlist for their country, and that by so doing we are living up to the old patriotism of the spirit of 1776 and 1861.

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I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it...I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me...for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less...I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life...I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

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Was She

Two days later I was sitting in a booth of a Broadway chocolate shop in Los Angeles. In a booth opposite mine sat a young man who looked like a moving picture count. In spite of his apparent efforts to seem composed, he was evidently excited. As he was watching me closely, I thought I might be an object of interest to him. Perhaps he suspected me of being a smuggler or a lady burglar, and I mentally lectured him for reading dime novels. At first it amused me, but when he finally got up and came to my booth, I felt decidedly cross.

"Miss Florence Arsdale," he said in a low voice, and in spite of my irritation, I started to hear my name thus familiarly spoken by a perfect stranger. "When you landed in San Francisco two days ago, you had a letter. I do know you have it yet, as the man it is for has not come yet. This letter contains a state secret, though I am sure mademoiselle does not know it. If you will but give it to me, you will most likely prevent a break between two powerful and friendly nations. And if you will not, I will use force. My card!"

I put out my ungloved left hand to pick up the card he tossed on the table. A sound made me look up. The young man was clutching the table with both hands and he was staring at my hands. His face was chalky and his expression was mingled fear and awe.

"The Countess Elaine!" he gasped, and ran from the place as though pursued by the evil one himself. That evening I gave the letter to Mr. Forsythe. (I may mention here that the letter in question was simply an introduction, in a business way, to Mr. Forsythe. The writer was an American gentleman, now living in Honolulu, whom I had known for years in a business way.)

Mr. Forsythe told me that the young man I had seen in the chocolate shop, Count Carov, was the leader of a band of young noble Russian revolutionists. They were anxious to get into their hands the private correspondence of certain persons, hoping to further their schemes—by blackmail. My odd ring had certainly saved me an unpleasant experience, but how, we could not imagine. Mr. Forsythe had never heard of the countess. We made several guesses, but finally gave it up. But still, every now and then, I ask myself, "Who was the Countess Elaine?"—Robena Francis in Los Angeles Times.

England is fighting now with the laurel as her national flower. The United States has no national flower, recognized as such, but the mountain laurel comes nearer to being the right candidate for the honor than any other bloom particularly characteristic of the United States.

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