

# The Memphis Democrat

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## FAIR BOOSTERS LEAVING ON FIRST TRIP AT 3 P. M.

### O. F. LODGES OF THE LOWER PANHANDLE DISTRICT IN 3-DAY CONVENTION HERE

Counties Are Represented In Attendance. First Day's Attendance Is Largest In History of Association.

Meeting of the Lower Panhandle Association I. O. O. F. was held here Wednesday morning with the largest attendance in the history of the association. Grand officers present were: E. Q. Vestal, Grand Master, Dallas; G. W. Baccus, Deputy Grand Master, Dallas; Vernon; Forrest Walker, Deputy Grand Master, Amarillo; Mr. Towns, also a grand officer, Amarillo; Dale Brown, Past President Rebekah Assembly; J. H. Smith, President of the Association, Crowell; W. A. McMillan, Vice-President, of Memphis.

Small officers were present, except Rev. C. C. Blair, Chaplain.

Rev. Chas. T. Whaley, substituted as chaplain.

Parade yesterday afternoon in front of the First Baptist church was headed by the Memphis fire truck. The procession marched through the section of town, proceeded in following order: The Cantons, Muskies, Bobokahs, followed by the band of Wichita County. A large banner welcoming all to the Grand Lodge of the Falls in March, 1925. A red flag followed the parade.

Chicken dinner to all delegates was served in the hall of the association. Delegates and party delegates were registered. In addition to the registration, however, do the actual attendance, as it that some of the delegates of the visitors had not attended.

It has been made in the program of the election of officers for the year and the selection of meeting places will take place on Friday as in the program. Delegates and members who expressed themselves were enthusiastic of the success of the meeting and said was one of the able and beneficial the association ever held.

Expressions of appreciation and kindness shown in and Memphis people heard. At Dadsenville, Collingsworth, was added to the membership yesterday, and able that other lodges may during the meeting, attentively all lodges, except in Knox County, making the trip by automobile. He was taken ill on Friday, the next day after arriving at his son's home, and died the following Thursday.

### CLARENDON MAN IN LAW OFFICE HERE

Dean, formerly of Clark's recently opened a law office in Memphis and will be associated with Simpson, prominent of Clarendon.

A graduate of the law of the University of Texas and his degree in June. As in Austin he gained distinction, being the recipient of the highest honor conferred as Law School, which was the best scholarship award in the three-year course, to his Clarendon friends, he elected to the Chancellorship of the highest honor in the law department of the Phi Delta Kappa.

In addition Dean was man of the Men's Council university, which is head of the student body. A graduate of Clarendon has resided at Clarendon, being a son of Mr. C. H. Dens.

Dean returned Tuesday from his trip to Clarendon, where he had been on

### AN INVITATION!



This issue of the The Memphis Democrat, which has been hurriedly prepared, is an urgent appeal to you to attend the Hall County District Fair and co-operate in making it a greater success; it is a combined effort on the part of the business and professional men of Memphis and the Fair Association to attract you to "Texas Greatest District Fair"; it is, indeed, an invitation from all Memphis. Each advertisement bespeaks of open hospitality, and the doors of the city will be open on the Fair dates, September 9-10-11-12, 1924.

### Contract Let For Three New Bridges

Commissioners Court Holds Lengthy Session. Tax Levies Made, New Voting District Created.

The Commissioners Court of Hall County convened Monday of last week for one of the most lengthy meetings in recent months, remaining in session until Thursday morning, at which time it adjourned in order that the members might attend the road meeting at Matador. A contract was let for the three new bridges in Precinct No. 3, the 1921 tax levies were made and a new voting precinct was created at Bridle Pit.

The Austin Bridge Company, of Austin, Texas, was awarded the contract for the new bridges across Penn Creek, North Running Water and South Running Water, having submitted the lowest of three bids. The construction companies submitted bids on both plain and creosote-treated lumber, and the contract was let for the last mentioned, at an additional cost of \$950.84. This means that the piling and sills, and other heavy timbers, will be treated in creosote, which will preserve the material indefinitely, and make these bridges some of the most substantial in the county.

The following bids were submitted: W. B. Morrison, Memphis: plain lumber \$3,613.86, creosote \$4,478; Smith Bros., Dallas: plain \$7,193.06, creosote \$8,129.11; Austin Bridge Company, Austin: plain \$3,065.09, creosote \$4,016.73. A contract was awarded on the last mentioned bid, which is the total cost of the three bridges.

These bridges are located on the road running directly south from the southwest corner of the Frank Cox farm to the Hall and Cottle county line. It also leads by the Penn Creek school house, which community has heretofore been isolated.

Commissioners Barton, of the Estelline precinct, is very enthusiastic over the progress being made in road construction in his district, and is meeting with the co-operation of the people, as was evidenced in the recent primary election in which he received a majority of votes over his two opponents.

The Commissioners voted to retain the regular rate of 70c on the county valuations, with the rate on bonds, etc., varying in the four precincts. In the Memphis precinct, Road District No. 5, the total rate will amount to \$2.20.

### Designation of New Road Is Probable

Highway Meeting at Matador Last Thursday Results in Renewed Effort For Designation.

Reports from the Memphis delegation upon its return from the road meeting at Matador last Thursday, August 14, for the purpose of encouraging the designation of the Spur Highway extension, seem very favorable to the prospects of its designation through Memphis and Hall County.

The counties of Hall, Collingsworth, Motley and Dickens are vitally interested in having the approval made as soon as possible, since the road will be routed through these counties. Each county interested had a representation present at the meeting of last week, with the exception of Collingsworth, whose delegation was unavoidably held up by a head rise on Pease River.

The body had the co-operation of Clifford B. Jones, ex-president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, present manager of the Swenson interests, and one of the most influential men in this section of the State, who pledged his support to the highway movement.

According to plans agreed upon at the Matador meeting, the proposed highway, starting at Aspermont, in Stonewall County, will be routed through Spur and Dickens, in Dickens County, through Roaring Springs, Matador and Flomot in Motley County, through Turkey, Lakeview and Memphis in Hall County via Quail to Wellington in Collingsworth County.

At Wellington the proposed extension would connect with the D. C. D and Ozark Trail highways, opening a direct route from Kansas and Oklahoma to the South Plains. Since the designation has been withdrawn from a portion of the D. C. D. between Childress and Aspermont there is, at present, no existing direct route to the South Plains from Oklahoma and Kansas, over a state highway.

The route as above outlined now appears to be the only feasible substitute for that portion of the D. C. D., from which state approval has been withdrawn, and will in all probability become a designated highway.

An inestimable amount of traffic will be thrown through Hall County and Memphis provided the prospective route is adopted.

Rev. A. D. Rogers returned this morning from Godley, where he has been conducting a revival campaign. He reports a great meeting.

### MEMPHIS BUSINESS MEN WILL BEGIN SERIES OF BOOSTER TRIPS TODAY

Caravan of Boosters Will Leave at 3:00 P. M. For Giles, Hedley, Lelia Lake and Clarendon To Advertise District Fair.

A band of Memphis citizens, including many business and professional men, accompanied by the snappy Chamber of Commerce concert band, will leave at 3 o'clock this afternoon on the first Fair Booster Trip and Good Will Tour of the season. The caravan, consisting of fifteen or twenty cars loaded with sixty or seventy-five peppy boosters, and lots of Fair advertising material, will make stops at Giles, Hedley and Lelia Lake, arriving at Clarendon in time for supper and a one-hour concert.

Placards announcing the coming of the boosters were sent to the towns on the itinerary Tuesday, and large crowds are expected to greet the visitors.

The officials are of the opinion that this is one of the most important tours to be made, since the towns to be visited are among the most thriving of the neighboring, out-of-the-county cities, but have no fairs of their own. This is the first of a series of such trips which have been planned for the next two weeks.

The second tour is scheduled for Tuesday, August 26. The itinerants will leave the public square driving in a body, at 8:00 a. m., to visit Lakeview, Leslie, Quitaque, Turkey, and all points in the western part of the county. The band will furnish music at each stop on the trips while novelty fair advertising is being distributed.

Although plans are being made for trips to Childress and Collingsworth counties, no definite announcement has been made as to the time.

The Fair Association is anxious for the residents of each of the counties in the district to acquaint themselves with the fact that this is to be a district fair, and will be incomplete if any section of the district fails to be represented.

Every town visited will be urged to present individual or club displays. The fair is expected to be the best ever held in Hall County and will be successful to the extent that it is advertised.

### CHILDRESS WELCOMED AT CHILDRESS BY LOCAL BAND

Childress Ferguson supporters, in completing the welcoming program of Jim Ferguson to that city, where he filled his speaking date Monday, secured the Memphis Band to furnish music for the occasion. Director Paul James, with a ten-piece band, was there for the affair and with splendid music, as usual.

A large number of Memphis people were there for the speaking. About 2,500 persons were reported to have heard Mr. Ferguson's address in his wife's behalf.

Although Mrs. Ferguson was expected to have been present, her health conditions made it impossible to continue the tour that far.

### CHANGES ARE MADE IN MEMPHIS POLICE FORCE

Two changes were made in the city law enforcement body Friday night of last week when Bill Huddleston was made Chief of Police upon the resignation of J. Y. Snow, and B. L. McAbee was appointed Night Watchman, succeeding Pete Reynolds.

The new officials are expected to prove capable in their respective capacities, having had considerable experience in this line of public service. It is evident that a stronger effort is being put forth by the new force to enforce traffic regulations.

The Mayor and City Council are anxious that the new officials receive the co-operation of the entire citizenship in the discharge of their duties.

Rev. Chas. T. Whaley came in Wednesday from Winnshoro, where he has been in a revival meeting. He reports one of the best meetings he has ever conducted.

### LAD INJURED WHEN CARTRIDGE EXPLODES

Ten-year-old Bill Parker, son of G. H. Parker, resident of South Memphis, narrowly escaped losing his life Saturday afternoon as a result of a rifle shell explosion.

Bill was playing at the home of the Baskerville boys, playmates of about his age, when the accident occurred. The lads were engaged in placing rifle cartridges in a vice then by hitting the caps with a hammer would cause them to explode. The third cartridge the Parker child shot almost proved fatal when the hull recoiled and entered his neck. The missile struck the speaking tube and lodged, luckily missing the jugular vein.

Although the boy's condition is not serious, he suffers a wound in the neck through which the hull was removed.

### Former Childress County Sheriff Assassinated Sunday

Coroner's Verdict: "Deceased Met Death at Hands of Party or Parties Unknown."

Mel J. Dwight, former Sheriff of Childress County, a pioneer citizen of this section, and former cow-puncher, was found in the door of his garage Sunday morning with a bullet-hole through his head.

The coroner's jury Tuesday afternoon reported their verdict, after an extended investigation, real, extended investigation, stating that "the deceased met his death at the hand of party, or parties unknown."

Dwight was a candidate for sheriff in the run-off next Saturday, and had conducted his campaign on an anti-klan platform, and it is said that considerable feeling had been worked up in the race.

A report from Childress Wednesday evening stated that local officers were working upon a lead disclosed by investigation Tuesday and that a suspect was being hunted.

The prominence of the murdered man and the circumstances connected with his assassination have aroused the entire state and many offers of assistance have come from peace officers who knew and worked with the former sheriff. Sergeant J. W. McCormick, of the State Ranger force, was sent from Austin, arriving in Childress Wednesday evening, to render assistance in the case.

Sheriff Jim Crane is said to hold a clue which has started a search throughout this section for a party whose identity has not been disclosed.

The early report sent out from Childress to the effect that Dwight's death was self-inflicted seems to have had no basis. Testimony of physicians and the nature and position of the wound exclude such possibility.



## From Austin To Amarillo

By Phebe K. Warner

"Oh, dear me! Isn't it a pity! There's nothing to see in Texas. How I wish there were some beautiful places like this in Texas." Poor thing! Poor thing. She was a Texas teacher, spending her summer like the most of them do in the mountains of Colorado. And that is just the kind of Texas patriotism such teachers will come back home and teach the Texas children. But the teacher was not wholly to blame. She did not mean to be disloyal. She just did not know Texas. She had never seen anything in Texas worth going to the trouble to see. Texas is so modest and retiring that most of her virgin beauty is found far in the background of the State. Texas' beauty has not yet been thrust on the market. Texas is full of beauty, but there is so much extra space in Texas that her most scenic wonders are hidden away where you would not expect them. That is the joy of it all. Some day all Texas will be a grand scenic highway. The beautiful spots are being sought out and added together by the best hard workers. And one of the best sights in the State is those limitless beds of Uvalde Rock Asphalt, where the Lord himself through His mysterious processes of nature has stored up enough road making material to build roads ten times around the world. But another evidence of God's bounty and His plan to make this world the most beautiful and happy place for the children of men. There is rough rock asphalt in the mines near Uvalde to pave every road in Texas. And you can drive an automobile right down into the mine where they are getting ready to such off the dynamite that jars it loose. Texas has everything beneath the sun, moon and stars she needs to make an ideal State home for every one of her 5,000,000 citizens and all the thousands of millions that will be here in the years to come. And best of all, there are men today doing these very things that need to be done. But we are all slow to hear about the big, good things that are going on. Too many of us are more interested in the little mean things men are doing. It costs too much to be off and criticize the little mean things that are going on. It takes money and energy and brains and big hearts to do the big constructive things like building a highway across the state or nation. But it is being done. There are 18,000 miles of State highways right now in Texas that are gradually mile by mile being put into first class condition. And a part of that highway winds around and about from Austin to Amarillo and return which will one day be one of the beautiful thousand-mile scenic highways of Texas. Among the beautiful places along the way will be Fredericksburg here no doubt a state park will be created is one of the stopping places on the route. Then on up the Colorado river to the Llano and San Saba and Lampasses country where the most beautiful pecan groves in the state were planted long years ago by the wind or the birds or some power unseen. There is history there both below and above the soil. The hand of nature has been building beautiful caves under the ground and the hand of God has cultivated those great trees. And meandering among them is the beautiful Colorado River, where you can fish and swim and the sand row to your heart's content. Yes, and the counties along the friendly river are planning a state Park site for your pleasure when you come that way. And a little farther on is Abilene with her many schools and not far away is Buffalo Gap where another resting place may be made for all the people, and next comes Cisco with her wonderful dams, a study and a joy for every man and woman, boy or girl that may take this drive. And after a few more hours you reach the breaks of the South Plains where every turn is one ever changing panorama of beauty. And all the way you are seeing and studying Texas agriculture in all its diversity and the exciting business as it stretches from one county to county across the plains. Now you are at Lamesa, the end of one of the Santa Fe lines here another park site may be developed. On you go up the road to Tahoka and just thirty miles farther is Post where one of Texas' best cotton mills is located. There it ends at the foot of the hills that rise with the music of its spindles. And just a few miles out of town the famous John Bayon Slaughter mill. Then on to Lubbock, the site of the new Texas Tech, where the new state park is to be located,

and then across to Crosby County to Blanco Canyon, the home of Aunt Hank Smith, the Mother of the South Plains. It is all so interesting and grand. Yes, and all in Texas. Another hundred miles brings you through the South Plains, where you find such live towns as Floydada, Hale Center, Abernathy, Rails, Idalou and on to Plainview, the beauty spot of the Plains. The next day will bring you to Tullia, Happy, and Canyon, home of the West Texas State Teachers College, and one of the gateways to the beautiful Palo Duro Canyon. The move on foot now to make a series of State parks in Palo Duro Canyon and tie them together by means of a scenic highway built through the canyon and made of the materials right there on the ground is growing in enthusiasm every day. For forty years the people of the Panhandle and Plains have longed to see the day when the entire citizenship of Texas might see and know and enjoy the Palo Duro Canyon. If there were some way to keep an accurate account of the car loads of sight seers that pass over all the highways near that canyon the number would reach somewhere between 500 and 1,000 cars a day. All bound on seeing something, utterly ignorant of the grandeur within a few minutes and a few miles of them. All because Texas has spent most of her time and money

advertising the scenery of other states to the utter neglect of her own. But we must hurry on up the road to Amarillo—and the Devil's Kitchen in the Harding Ranch; the Blue Springs, and the Sunken Gardens on the Harrold Ranch near Claude, the buffalo park at Goodnight and on to Clarendon where a scenic highway of sixty miles has just been completed between Clarendon and Silverton. Then on to Memphis and spend a while in their State Park. Then down the Colorado-Gulf Highway and Ozark Trail to Wellington, Childress, Quanah and Chillicothe. Then across to Monday where another state park is being planned, and across to Hamlin that boasts of the most wonderful park for the bigness of the town in Texas. But there is too much to see. It will take another day to get back to Austin. The one big idea is—There is plenty to see in Texas.

"Home Brewing" in France of an imitation of the forbidden absinthe made from an aniseed base, is causing much trouble to the authorities.

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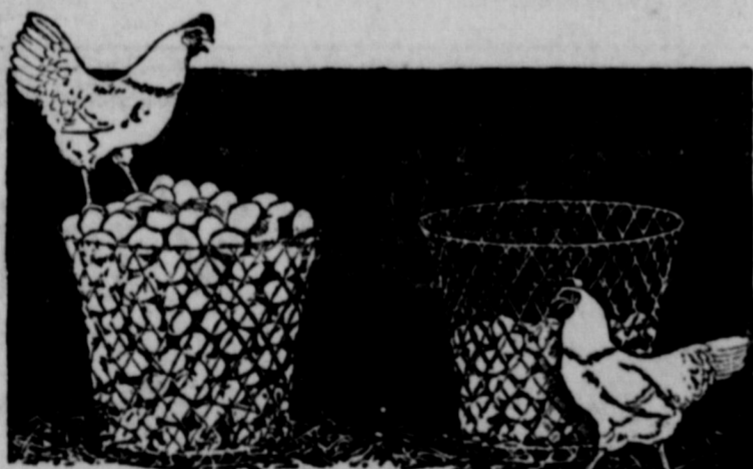
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### Local and Personal News

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

E. H. Pitta, of Lakeview, was a business visitor in Memphis Tuesday.

Miss Billie Ray left Wednesday for Fort Worth, where she will visit relatives and friends for a few days.

Mrs. H. L. Brown and Misses Ellie Holligan and Myrtle Diven spent the week-end in Amarillo.

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Gloria Swanson in "The Humming Bird," at Palace Theatre Monday and Tuesday.

T. A. Singer and family came in Sunday from New Mexico, where they have been on a vacation of two weeks.

See our latest line of bed room suits, the latest designs. Hattenbach & McKelby.

C. E. Singer left Saturday for Peralta, Mexico, in the state of Chihuahua, where he has mining interests.

Mrs. C. F. Wilson and son, Gordon, left Wednesday afternoon for Denver, Colorado, where they will reside during the fall school term.

W. L. Simmons, of Frederick, Oklahoma, joint owner of the Soap & Simmons Gin, of Memphis, is here this week on business.

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M. Baldwin and daughter, Mrs. Ruby Lovett, and children, came in Monday from East Texas, where they have been visiting for two weeks. Mrs. Baldwin stopped in Fort Worth, where she will visit a sister a few days before returning.

E. H. Dennis went to Sayre, Oklahoma, Monday and returned Tuesday. He was accompanied on the trip over by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dennis, of St. Jo, and Mrs. Duren, of Lakeview, who remained at Sayre for a visit with relatives.

For Sale—A few good milk cows, for cash or will take good note, or trade for butcher cattle. W. R. Norman.

Miss Vernadine Jones returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives and friends at Lubbock.

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Rev. Enoch Island, of California, former pastor of the Methodist church at Placita, is conducting a revival at that place this week.

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### The Palace Theatre Program.

FRIDAY—

"High Speed," featuring Herbert Lawlinson. First of a series of two-reel race dramas, "Fiddlin' Doll."

SATURDAY—

"The Spoilers," with Milton Sills and a noted cast. Our Grand Comedy, "The Big Show."

MONDAY AND TUESDAY—

Gloria Swanson in "The Humming Bird." Fox News.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—

"Six Days," with Corinne Griffith and Frank Mayo. Comedy, "Dumb and Duffy."

### Mail Lines—Schedule Car.

Leave Stephens Hotel daily, 8:20 a. m., for Etowah, Turkey, Gasoline, Oklahoma, Lawton, arriving at Plainview 1:30. Through fare \$3.50. C. C. WELLS, DICK CRABTREE. 6-4-\*

W. E. Pearson and family have been visiting this week with Mrs. Pearson's sister, Mrs. E. E. Martin.

Just arrived, a shipment of living room suits. They are on exhibit at our store. Hattenbach & McKelby.

Elmer Glyn's "Six Days," at Palace Theatre Wednesday and Thursday.

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R. D. Brown, of the Placita community, who has spent the last two weeks at Sulphur, Oklahoma, returned Wednesday, stating that his health had not improved.

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### Neighborhood News

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#### Hulver Hints

Rev. O. P. Clark, of Vernon, presiding elder of this district, visited the church Saturday night. Mrs. Ellie Adams, of Estelline, was last week with relatives, Mr. Mrs. Henry Curtis, and attend the revival.

Mr. E. M. Webster, of Estelline, Wednesday at the home of Lee Mer, visiting Mrs. E. J. Boykin. Mrs. Leroy McDaniel returned to their home at Canyon, after several days spent here visiting.

Mr. Chandler has purchased a Ford touring car. Mr. Doyle Gilbert, of Turkey, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards.

Mrs. and Mesdames Carl Hill, Phillips, and Ellsworth Henderson, accompanied by Leon Phillips, for a few days excursion Tuesday evening. Methodist Revival closed Sunday night with few conversions and additions to the church. Rev. returned to his home at Ida and Rev. Craig to Newlin.

Mrs. Lola Phillips and Ellsworth person were quietly married at home of the bride's mother, Mrs. V. Phillips, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. W. B. Hicks read the nuptial ceremony and Mrs. Carl played the Wedding March. The bride wore a pink georgette over satin, with white and pink accessories. The bridegroom wore a tuxedo suit of blue. They had under an improvised altar of white. The bride's bouquet was pink and white gladiolas. Immediately following the ceremony, fruit, punch cake were served to the few guests present.

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The Humming Bird, featuring in Swanson, at Palace Theatre, Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Gentry Brooks returned the first of the week from a trip in the mountains of Colorado.

Mrs. Ethel Morgan, of Belton, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Randal, left Monday evening for California, accompanied by Mrs. T. Garratt. They will visit Mr. Mrs. R. B. Morgan, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hudgins and ten came in Tuesday from an extended visit in some of the North and Western States.

#### Newlin News

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Allison and family, accompanied by Gaston Laird of Commerce, Texas, spent a few days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCulloch, of Newlin.

Mrs. Iva Watson returned to Newlin Saturday morning, after a short stay with relatives in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Wilton and Mrs. G. W. Helm returned to Newlin Saturday, after a short visit with relatives in Tahoka.

Miss Gladys Helm and Mr. Charlie Reid were quietly married in Memphis Saturday afternoon. Miss Helm is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Helm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gracy of Fort Worth, are visiting with their daughters, Mrs. W. R. Glover and Mrs. G. B. Mullins this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith and family left Thursday for a few days visit with relatives in Tuttle, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prater returned Saturday, from a short trip to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burk, of Sudan, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Parr and family, of Paducah, are visiting this week with the former's sisters, Mr. O. T. Walker.

There were no church services in Newlin Sunday morning or evening, due to the absence of the Methodist pastor who is holding a meeting at Hulver, assisted by Rev. Hicks, formerly a pastor here. The Methodist revival will begin in Newlin Sunday, August 24.

#### First Baptist Church.

The pastor has returned from Willsboro, where he has been in a two weeks meeting. Old settlers said it was the best meeting ever held in that part of the State. More than 225 made professions. More than sixty made surrender for special service.

The pastor will preach at both hours Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. We urge a full attendance.

Come for the Sunday school hour. Chas. T. Whaley, Pastor.

#### REVIVAL AT PLASKA IS QUITE SUCCESSFUL

One of the most successful religious campaigns held in the Lodge community in recent months closed at Plaska Friday, August 15, having been in progress about two weeks.

Rev. S. A. Peyton, of Alvord, did the preaching, while E. E. Walker, of Memphis conducted the song services.

Rev. Peyton reports thirteen conversions with three additions to the Baptist church and others to the Methodist church. He stated that he found the finest co-operation from the Methodist people he had ever had the pleasure to witness in a Baptist revival. The entire community was revived and the church greatly strengthened.

Mr. Walker left Saturday to join Rev. A. W. Hembree in a meeting south of Floydada, while Rev. Peyton has returned home.

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#### Main Street Church of Christ.

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Junior C. E. 4:00 p. m. Intermediate C. E. 7:45 p. m.

The meeting at Godley resulted in much interest up to Sunday, August 17, when the church, a splendid, modern edifice, was dedicated. Several additions through the week.

A. D. Rogers will return to Memphis and will speak Friday on the "Principles of Oddfellowship."

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means to keep them both modestly. Nor could he, without a pang, think of surrendering the twenty-eight thousand dollars he had fought for and won. He was no visionary. The value of money he understood perfectly. It stood for power, place, honor, the things that were worth having. Given what he had, Jack knew he could double it in Goldbanks within the year. There were legitimate opportunities for investment that were bound to make rich returns. But without a dollar he would be like Samson shorn of his locks.

All through the night he was joined in battle with himself, but when at early dawn he stood on the top of Son-of-a-Gun hill and faced a sky faintly pink with the warning of a coming sun his decision had been made.

On his way back he met Moya and Miss Seldon. Joyce pounced upon him with a grievance.

"You haven't told me yet how much you're going to give for the new hospital, Mr. Kilmeny. You know we're leaving tomorrow, and you'll have to decide at once. Be generous, please. You said yourself it was a good cause."

He nodded agreement. "The most worthy charity I know. I've often wondered why some Andrew Carnegie didn't set the fashion of endowing hospitals by wholesale. They ought to be free to all poor folks out of health. When a man is losing his wages and his family is scrimping he ought not to be facing a thirty-dollar-a-week hospital charge. Yes, I'm for the new hospital, Miss Seldon."

"How strong are you for it?" Joyce asked, laughing at her newly acquired American slang. "Mr. Verinder has promised to give me two dollars for every one I can raise among my other friends. So don't be a—"

"A tightwad," supplied Moya with a smile. She could do a little in the native slang herself.

Jack went into his pocket for a checkbook and a fountain pen. He wrote for a few seconds, tore the check from the stub, and handed it to Joyce.

That young woman gasped. "Why—you don't really mean—it's for twenty-eight thousand two hundred and fourteen dollars," she cried.

"And seventeen cents. Please don't forget that," he added.

"But—what on earth do you mean?" Jack was looking at Moya, and she at him with shining eyes in which joy swam.

"It's a little thank offering, Miss Seldon."

"Because you were rescued from the mine, I suppose. Still . . ."

"Because I'm engaged to be married to the best woman in the world," he corrected.

Joyce whirled upon Moya with instant divination. "You little wretch, and you never told me."

If Miss Dwight had not known it herself till this moment she gave no sign to that effect. "We're telling you now, dear," she explained.

"How long have you been engaged? Was it yesterday in the bucket?"

Jack laughed. "Nothing so romantic. We've been engaged a little less than half a minute. You get the first chance to wish Moya joy on having won so great a catch. She's marrying a pauper, you know."

"I think we're very rich," differed his sweetheart shyly.

Joyce looked from one to the other suspiciously. "I haven't a notion what either of you mean, but I know I'm going to hang on to this check, Mr. Millionaire Pauper."

Imps of mischief squabbled in the highgrader's eyes. "Don't forget that Verinder has to write one for twice as much."

Miss Seldon could not help laughing. "I'll see to that. He's not a swindler, but . . . I wonder how he'll book when I tell him."

"You ought to tell him as soon as you can," Jack hinted boldly.

"Oh, ought it? Did you say you had been engaged less than a minute, Mr. Kilmeny? How much will you give me to go down now and tell him?"

"I've nothing left to give—except my gratitude."

"You're the first man who ever was so ungrateful as to tell me we would be grateful to have me leave him."

"If the first who ever proposed to another girl in your presence. The circumstance is unusual," she flung back gaily.

"I didn't hear you propose. All you did was to announce it," she replied snidely.

"That's true, too," admitted Kilmeny. "Well, I'm going to propose now if it isn't too late. You may stay if you like."

"Thank you," Joyce kissed her friend. "I hope you'll be very happy, dear. I . . . I believe you will."

Moya choked on her words. "I know I shall, boy."

Miss Seldon looked at Jack with an expression in which embarrassment and audacity were blended. "I've always rather liked your pauper," she confided aloud to Moya.

Her confidence had their limits. She omitted to mention what had just popped into her mind, that within the fortnight he had proposed to her in on the same spot.

Jack looked with exaggerated deference when she shook hands with him. He was just now riding the seventh wave of happiness and felt friendly to the whole world.

"Thank you very much. You're a good scout, Joyce."

"Good gracious! What may I be? Some more of your American slang, I suppose." She broke away from persiflage to add seriously:

"You're right about one thing, though. You've got the best girl in the world for a good to her, Jack Kilmeny."

With that she turned and walked

down the hill.

The other two walked up.

"I'm so proud of you, Jack, boy," whispered one of them.

He laughed happily. "I'm proud of myself. I've done the best day's work I ever did for myself when I won Moya Dwight."

"You know what I mean, Jack. What other man would have thrown away a small fortune—all he had—just for me?"

"I can name one other," suggested Kilmeny.

"Ned! But he's a saint."

"And I'm a sinner," her lover replied blithely.

"You're the sinner I love, then."

They had reached a clump of firs. Without knowing how it happened she found herself in his arms. There were both tears and laughter in her eyes as her lips turned slowly to meet his.

"Jack, boy, I'm just the happiest girl alive."

A mist-like veil of old rose hung above the mountain tops. Hand in hand they watched the rising sun pierce through it and flood the crotches of the hills with God's splendid canvases. It was a part of love's egoism that all this glory of the young day seemed an accompaniment to the song of joy that pulsed through them.

Later they came to earth and babbled the nonsense that is the highest wisdom of lovers. They built air castles and lived in them, seeing life through a poetic ambient as a long summer day in which they should ride and work and play together.

At last she remembered Lady Farquhar and began to laugh.

"We must go down and tell her at once, Jack."

He agreed. "Yes, let's go back and

have it out. If you like you may go to your room and I'll tackle her alone."

"I'd rather go with you."

"He delighted in her answer. Farquhar was taking an early morning stroll, arm in arm with Lady Jim, when he caught sight of them."

"Look, Di!"

Both of the lovers knew how to walk. Lady Farquhar, watching them, thought she had never seen so fine a pair of untaught human beings. In his step was the fine free swing of the hillman, and the young woman breathed the slope lightly as a feather.

The Englishman chuckled. "You're heaven, Di. The highwayman wins."

"Senseless," she retorted sharply, but with anxiety manifest in her frown.

"Fact, just the same. He's coming to tell us he means to take our little girl to his robber den."

"I believe you'd actually let him," she said scornfully.

"Even you can't stop him. It's written in the books. Not sure I'd interfere if I could. For a middle-aged phrase with the gout I'm incurably romantic. It's the child's one great chance for happiness. But I wish to the deuce he wasn't a highgrader."

"She shouldn't sacrifice herself if I can prevent it," Lady Farquhar insisted sternly.

"I member a girl who sacrificed herself for a line lieutenant without a shilling to call his own," he soliloquized aloud. "Would have him, and did, by Jove! Three deaths made him Lord Farquhar later, but she married the penniless subaltern."

"We always been glad I did." She squeezed his arm fondly. "But this is different, James."

Kilmeny and Moya stopped. The young man doffed his gray felt hat and bowed.

"Mornin', Lady Farquhar—Lord Farquhar. We've come to ask your permission for our marriage."

"Mornin', rebels. Fancy I'll have to refuse it," cut back Farquhar, eye-winking. For his bold directness pleased and surprised him.

"That would distress us extremely," scowled Kilmeny with a sentimental smile.

"But I could see your plans, understand you to mean."

"You're the best, exactly, sir." Lady Farquhar entered the conversation. "Are you planning to go to prison with him, Moya, when he is convicted of highgrading?" she asked pleasantly.

Moya told in three wattle-words of what her lover had done. The Englishman wrung Kilmeny's hand cordially.

"I've Jove, you reform thoroughly when you go about it. Don't think I'd have enjoyed writing that check for Miss Joyce. Leaves you strapped, does it?"

"Lead broke," came the very cheerful reply.

"But of course Moya has some money," said Lady Farquhar quietly.

The westerner winced. "Wish she hadn't. It's the only thing I have to forgive her."

Farquhar lifted his eyebrows. "Di," he remonstrated.

His wife came to time with a frank apology. "That was downright nasty of me, Mr. Kilmeny. I withdraw it. None the less, I think Moya would be throwing herself away. Do you realize what you are proposing? She's been used to the best ever since she was born. Have you the means to supply her needs? Or are you considering a Phyllis and Corydon idyll in a cottage?"

"It will have to be something of that sort at first. I've told her all this too, Lady Farquhar."

"What does that matter if we love each other?" Moya asked.

"You'll find it matters a good deal," said Lady Jim dryly. "When poverty comes in love is likely to wink out any day. Of course I realize that yours is of a quality quite unusual. It always is, my dear. Every lover has thought that since time began."

"We'll have to take our fighting chance of that," Jack replied.

Moya, her eyes shining, nodded agreement. No great gain can be won without risk. She knew there was a chance that she might not find happiness in her love. But where it called her she must follow—to a larger life certainly, to joy and to sorrow, to the fuller experiences that must come to every woman who fulfills her destiny.

The memories of both Moya and Lord Farquhar went back, as it were in a bound, to a certain night some months before, when Farquhar, as Moya's guardian, had talked to her apparently agreeing regard for the romantic "highwayman," Jack Kilmeny.

It was a still night, save only for the rushing waters of the river. The lamps of the sky had all been lit and were gleaming coldly millions of miles away. The shadowed moonlight in the trees offered a stage set to low ebb lights.

The thought of the girl, and drifted to speculation about the transplanted countryman of hers whose personality had come to interest her so greatly. He had challenged her trust in him and she had responded with a pledge. He had not explained a single one of the suspicious circumstances against him. He had not taken her into his confidence, nor had he in so many words declared his innocence. She was glad he had told her nothing, had demanded her faith as a matter of course. It was part of her pride in him that she could believe without evidence. All the world would know he was not guilty after he had shown his proofs. It would be no test of friendship to stand by him then.

A step sounded on the gravel behind her and an arm opened to let her hand slip round the elbow.

"Moy, let's off to this dance with you, Miss Dwight!" Lord Farquhar asked formally, dropping into step with her.

Moya and her guardian were kindred spirits. They never needed to explain themselves to each other. Both knew how to make believe.

"If you're not afraid of a scandal at being alone with me so far from a chaperone," the girl answered lightly.

He chuckled at a sigh. "I'm only afraid there won't be any. It's the penalty of age, say dear. I can claim all sorts of privileges without making Verinder jealous."

"No, Verinder," she scoffed.

"Should I have said Kilmeny?" he asked.

"I'll tell you a secret, guardy," whispered Moya gaily. "You're a hundred years younger than either of them."

"I would my glass told me so."

"Pardon me! Youth is in the heart. Mr. Verinder has never been young and Captain Kilmeny has forgotten how to be."

"I fancy Ned would be willing to learn how again if he had the proper teacher."

She gave him a little squeeze. "You dear old matchmaker."

"Heaven forbid! I'm merely inquiring, say dear."

"Oh, I see—you in loco-parentis duty."

"Exactly. So it isn't going to be easy."

She looked across the turbid moonlight before she answered. "I don't think so."

"Not a word?"

"A little ripple of long hair tumbled from her lips before she asked: 'He's changed his mind. It's Joyce he won't see.'"

Farquhar selected a chair from the case. "Hm! Sure you didn't change it for him?"

A dimple flashed into her cheeks. "I may have helped a little, but not half as much as Joyce."

"That young woman is a born flirt," Lord Farquhar announced, and his beard and the lower part of his face in the sudden glow of the lighted match.

"Upon my word, I saw her making eyes at your highwayman the night we met him here."

There was a moment's silence before she answered. "Anybody could see that he was interested in her."

"It doesn't matter to me who interests him, but I can't have any of my words being romantic over a Dick Turpin," he replied lightly.

She was standing in the shadow, so that he could not see the dye sweep into her cheeks.

"I'm afraid he is going to disappoint you. He's not a highwayman at all."

"Did he tell you so?"

"No. But I know it."

"Looks to me as if he might make

a good one. The fellow is cool as a cucumber and afraid of nothing on two legs or four."

"You forget he is India's cousin."

"No, I'm remembering that. His father had a devil of a temper and his mother was as wild as an unbroken colt when I met her."

"They weren't thieves, were they?" she flashed.

He gave her his frank smile. "You like this young man, Moya?"

"Yes. Why shouldn't I?"

"Why not—if you don't like him too well?"

"So that's why you came out here—sent by Lady Farquhar to scold me—and I thought you had come because you like to be with me."

"Come; let us reason together," he invited cheerfully. "We'll sit on the end of the wharf and dangle our legs while your guardian finishes his cigar and does his duty by you."

Lord Farquhar seemed in no hurry to begin, nor did Moya attempt to hasten him. His cigar glowed and ashed and glowed again before he spoke.

"Odd how things work out, my dear. There across the river are two men who would like to marry you. Both are good matches. One is by way of being a bit of a bounder perhaps, but the other is as fine a fellow as any girl could look for—not brilliant, but no fool either, and as steady as a clock."

A breath of wind lifted the edge of her white skirt. She followed the woman's instinct to tuck it safely under her before making demure answer. "Captain Kilmeny is his own certificate of merit. Any praise is superfluous."

He shrugged. "That's the perversity of it. You see all his merits and they don't touch you."

With a vivacious little turn that was wholly charming she turned merrily upon him. "Are you by any chance proposing for him, Lord Farquhar?"

"Hasn't he proposed for himself?" her guardian asked bluntly.

"I believe he has."

"And you didn't see it?"

"I couldn't."

"Nonsense. He looked at the tip of his cigar and brushed away the ash. 'Because he's a no end good sort.'"

"You don't know that any better than I do. Don't think I can't see all the advantages of it. I do. I want to say 'Yes,' but—well, I can't. That's all."

"On account of the other man?" he questioned gently.

"I haven't mentioned any other man," she cried, her face in a flame.

"No, I mentioned him. Devilish impudent of me, if you want to take it in that way, Moya. But, then, as you've said, I'm in love. Got to grub around and find out how you feel."

"If you mean Mr. Kilmeny, there hasn't been a word between us you couldn't have heard yourself," the girl told him stiffly.

"If my memory serves, I didn't use to be so much a matter of words. What about your feelings? Di fancy."

"Of course she does. She's always fancying. That's the business of a chaperone. It's perfectly absurd," Moya flung back hotly.

"Glad you see it that way. It wouldn't do, of course."

"Any number of reasons why it wouldn't. Marriage nowadays isn't entirely a matter of sentiment. You're an Englishwoman. He's an American, and will be to the end of the chapter."

"I'm not English; I'm Irish—and the Irish make the best Americans," she said him sturdily.

Farquhar ignored her protest. "The ways of thinking are foreign to yours, so are his habits of life. You're a delightful rebel, my dear, but you've got to come to heel in the end. All girls do. It's a rule of the game, and you'll have to accept it. No matter how envying your highwayman may be—and upon my word I admire him tremendously—he is not your kind. He makes his own laws, and yours are made for him."

"You're making one for me now, aren't you?" she demanded rebelliously. "Why shouldn't I listen to him? You tell me he doesn't have the same little conventions as we do. Thank heaven he hasn't. His mind is free. If that condemns him—"

She broke off from sheer passionate impetuosity to express herself.

"Those conventions are a part of your life, little girl. Can you imagine yourself sitting opposite him at breakfast for the rest of your natural days?"

"You mean because he is a working

(Continued next week.)

The vagrant children of Moscow and its suburbs number about fifty thousand, according to the Pravda.

A peculiar fish has been caught off the coast of Iceland. It is three feet long, jet black, and has a peculiar rod-like process protruding from the center of the back. The skin is covered with very sharp conical spines.

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### 8-FOOT APE MEN ARE MYTHS, SAY RANGERS

### Indian Claims They Are Members of Extinct Tribe.

Kelso, Wash.—The tale of "tall gorilla men," or, as some called them, the "ape men," who were credited with having attacked a party of trappers in the mountains here recently, is a myth, two forest rangers declared. These rangers, J. H. Huffman and W. M. Welch, who investigated the stories brought back by the trappers, said that the stones that had been reported to have been thrown at a cabin were buried by human hands.

While awaiting reports from parties who have gone to the vicinity of Spirit Lake on Mount St. Helens, in quest of verification of a story told by trappers that they encountered a band of "ape men" there, residents were interested in statements attributed to George Totogi, of the Chiallam Indian tribe, that the "ape men" are members of a tribe of Indians known as the Seeahitk tribe.

The trappers reported their cabin was bombarded by the "ape men" in the night. Totogi was quoted as saying that members of the Seeahitk tribe are huge in stature and hairy like beasts. These Indians, he said, talk the Chiallam language and are adept in imitating the sounds of birds.

"The Seeahitks were last heard of by the Chiallam Indians about 15 years ago and it was believed by the present Indians that they had become extinct," said Totogi. "The Seeahitks made their home in the heart of the wilderness on Vancouver island and on the Olympic range."

"The Seeahitks are seven to eight feet tall with hairy bodies, like bears. They are great hypnotists and also have a gift of ventriloquism, throwing their voices great distances."

Totogi declared that his facts have been corroborated by Henry Napoleon, Chiallam tribe, who met one of the Seeahitk Indians while hunting on Vancouver island recently. P. J. James, Lunni tribe and George Hyasman, Quimuit tribe.

Although no reports have been received from several parties who left here to search for the Indians, individuals who returned from trips to the cabin of the five prospectors confirmed parts of the story of being bombarded in their cabin with rocks from "mountain devils." Rocks were found inside the cabin. No tracks were discovered, however.

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### Bright Colors Displace Conventional Black.

St. Louis—What will be next? The latest jazz-wrinkle designed to spread cheerfulness instead of deep gloom is competing with jazz music and jazz dancing. It is nothing more or less than the jazz era coffins now being shown by dealers. As if not to be outdistanced by the trend of the times, the casket manufacturers are turning out their finished product clothed in bright exteriors and interiors instead of the dreary and cheerless conventional black colors.

A few years ago such a casket would have created a sensation and shocked everyone. But today the casket has blossomed forth from an emblem of sadness to a thing of beauty. A visit to several undertaking establishments disclosed many interesting changes. More than 200 colors are used on modern caskets to meet a popular demand.

The reason for the revolutionary change in customs incidental to the undertaker's profession, as given by a veteran director, was that we now live in an age of jazz and that people no longer desire to be sad at funeral services. The old-fashioned and cheaply fabricated shroud of conventional black and other somber colors has given away to colorful and expensive suits and dresses.

The gloomy crepe one was wont to see appended to the door where a death had occurred has given way to wreaths of beautiful and varicolored flowers. There are so many styles of caskets being made and such a wide variety of colors utilized that the majority of undertakers have no space for the 150 samples. Funeral directors also point out that funeral services are not as long and drawn out as heretofore, but state that there is the same amount of respect shown at such occasions.

Even the time-honored hearse has been jazzed up. Instead of the conventional deep black and highly ornamented vehicle, they now are painted with a bright shade of gray to add a touch of cheerfulness to the cortege.

### Radium Safe of the Bureau of Standards



Photograph shows Miss Tory of bureau of standards removing radium from the safe for storage measurement and packing. Tests are now under way at the bureau of standards to determine the extent to which employees working in the radium section are exposed to the rays. Radium rays in sufficient quantities will produce dangerous burns and may even cause death. In smaller amounts they may cause lowering of the blood pressure, nervousness, and many other symptoms.

### Czechs Plan to Establish Prague as Air Capital

Prague—The third international aircraft exhibition recently concluded here, served to emphasize the effort of the Czechoslovak government to make this city a center of European air travel on both the north-south and east-west routes, already in operation or contemplated.

English, French and German firms were among the 88 exhibitors. Mr. Srba, the minister of public works, in an address at the opening said that the movement to make Prague the junction for European air routes was gaining ground and it was now only a question of the conclusion of suitable treaties between the various states.

A new route between Bruenn and Marisch-Ostrau is soon to be established and a great airdrome is to be built.

### Plans to Hunt Lions With Bow and Arrow

Denver, Colo.—E. R. Welch, a Florida hunter, will hunt mountain lions in Colorado this summer armed only with bow and arrow, he has notified Stanley P. Young, in charge of the predatory animal division for the United States biological survey.

"No question about getting mountain lions if I get a shot at them," Welch wrote. "I can put an arrow through a one-inch plank. All I ask is that the lions be tread first. I'll guarantee to knock them off the highest branches."

### CASH AND CARRY

### THE NEW BIRTH

(John 3:1-3; 8-17)

A man cannot born himself. The power bringing in a new life, comes from outside of the thing born. So, we conclude if a man cannot born himself, he cannot save himself, as it is written, "Except a man be born again, he cannot see the Kingdom of God." Necessarily this change must come from a higher power than man himself, and since man cannot save himself, his salvation must come through grace, which is unmerited favor. "For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God. Not by works, lest any man should boast." (Eph. 2:8-9). "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." (John 3:16). It seems that while Jesus was in Jerusalem, shortly after the events recorded in last Sunday's lesson, he was visited by Nicodemus, a wealthy aristocratic Jew, who was a member of the Sanhedrin Council. This council was composed of seventy of the most influential leaders among the Jews, and was the highest authority in Jerusalem under the Roman conqueror's rule. He was a Pharisee who believed in the resurrection of the dead, and was a teacher of the Mosaic Law and the prophetic books. No doubt he had heard Jesus preach and teach and no doubt he had seen him perform miracles and do wonders, and knowing the scriptures and being a teacher of the Prophets, he was compelled to say, "Rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God; for no man can do these miracles that thou doest, except God be with him." Perhaps Jesus was staying in the home of his disciple, John, who lived in the city. The lesson text would indicate that during the conversation in answer to Nicodemus' question, Jesus made his statement about the new birth. As a teacher in Israel, Nicodemus was supposed to know the promise of God recorded in Ezekiel (36:22-27) also the blessings noted by Isa. 11:1-9 and the prayer of David for a renewal of a right spirit and a cleansing of heart. Like so many people today, Nicodemus wanted a technical explanation of a spiritual action. Does a starving man stop to ask a scientific explanation of the change of wheat into life giving bread? Do you wait to know what electricity is before you turn on the light? We believe that bread will sustain life, and we believe that light will brighten the room if we turn the switch. We accept some things by faith in the natural world and we must accept some things by faith in the spiritual world. We don't have to understand all things to be able to live here or hereafter. There is too much mystery all about us, to hesitate to accept salvation because we don't understand how it's done. "Believe, and thou shalt be saved." We do the believing, God does the saving.

A lantern will not brighten the path all the way from town to home, but if you trust in the light and follow its rays it will show you the road home, step by step, no matter how dark the night. So it is in religion; if a man will step out in the light of God's promise, and follow Jesus, who is the Light of the World, he will safely reach home. Jesus led this seeker after eternal life to the foot of the cross, and invited him to look upon the Son of Man who was to be lifted up that all who looked in faith might live. When the Israelites in the desert were dying because of bites of poisonous serpents, Moses erected a brazen serpent on a pole, and all who looked upon it in faith were healed. When the sick Israelite, tortured with the burning pain of the poisonous serpents' bite, looked up in dumb agony, and felt the corded muscles relax, the wild beatings of his heart quiet down, and the fevered blood once more flow in normal pulse beats, he did not stop to inquire "how can these things be," but rejoiced in sweet relief and succor from pain. He believed, he looked, he was saved, thank God! My friend, you are either saved or lost now.

There are two classes of people on earth today, either saved or lost already. In heaven there is one class, all sinners saved by grace. If unconverted, will you not repent of sinful acts of unbelief, and come to Jesus in trusting faith?

**Sugar.**  
Fruit is plentiful, sugar cheap.

**Coffee.**  
White Swan makes elegant cup. Golden Gate is rich quality. Maxwell House gives satisfaction.

**Meats.**  
Ham cuts, boneless, skinless, lb 40c  
Breakfast Bacon, lb 30c  
Dry Salt Meat, lb 20c

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Four Sale—Small three-room house bath room, built-in features, large lot, brick garage, storm cellar, shade trees, fenced in chicken yard, at a real bargain. Mrs. W. D. Roberts, Phone 469.

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We have completed a modern Gin, also placed \$5,000 of new in our old plant. Give us a try cotton and we will guarantee the best of Service; Turnout

We will have our plants open during the Fair. We show you through.

## Farmers Union Gin Company

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Farmers' Institute To Be Featured Big District

Programs Will Be Given on Third Days For Benefit of Fair

Arrangements have been made by a Farmers Institute will be given on the days of the Hall Fair. During the fair competent men will judge the exhibit and assist with the Fair

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## 3,000 FAIR AMUSEMENT PROGRAM IS PLANNED

### Farmers' Institute To Be Feature of Big District Fair

Programs Will Be Given on Second and Third Days of Fair For Benefit of Farmers.

Arrangements have been perfected by a Farmers' Institute Program will be given on the second and third days of the Hall County District Fair. During the fair some unusually competent men will be present to judge the exhibits, who will assist with the Farmers' Institute program.

The program will be held at the grounds. Ample seating facilities will be provided where the exhibitors can be used for observation purposes.

The programs will begin at 10 o'clock each day and will close at 10 a. m., thus giving the farmers plenty of time to come from considerable distances and visit the exhibits before the program starts.

These programs, also, will allow ample time for lunch before the entertainment program begins in the afternoon.

The main purpose for holding the Farmers' Institute, according to those planning the affair, is to round out the best use of the educational features of the fair, to the benefit of those for whom the fair is largely held.

### Stables Being Erected to Accommodate Horses

Each year the Fair Park and exhibits are being improved, and this year has seen the addition of stables for the accommodation of race horses, and a general overhauling of buildings.

Thirty individual stalls are being erected and will be complete by the time the horses begin to arrive.

A crew of workmen has been employed for some time and will be busy until the fair date, getting the stalls in readiness. All buildings are painted in a new, and with such painting each year they can be kept in first-class condition.

### District Fair Will Open on Tuesday This Year

Heretofore the dates for the fair have been set so that the closing day would fall on Saturday. At a meeting of the Fair Directors several days ago, the dates this year were set for September 9-12, inclusive, making Tuesday the opening day and Friday the last day.

It is believed that this arrangement will prove much more satisfactory than the other, since it eliminates the need of clearing away the exhibits on Sunday. This work requires practically the entire day and has proven objectionable in the past.

### Much Interest Is Expected in Better Babies Contest

A continuation of the interest in the Better Babies Show at the fair in the past is expected this year.

The contest will be under the supervision of Dr. W. Wilson. Arrangements have been made for competent nurses and physicians to judge the babies.

The babies will be arranged in four classes as follows: Babies under six months of age, babies over six months and under twelve months, babies over twelve months and under eighteen months, and babies over eighteen months and under two years, with cash prizes of \$50.00 in each class.

This department will be open from 10, at 12 o'clock.

### Special Prizes Are Offered To Boys and Girls

Three Trips To Dallas Fair Are Offered in Club Department. Other Special Prizes.

Interest in the Boys and Girls Club Department, which has always been an important feature of the Hall County District Fair, is this year stimulated by the offer of several attractive prizes, in addition to those usually offered in the club section.

The youthful exhibitors this year have three chances to compete for a trip to the Dallas Fair, in the swine section, baby beef section, and dairy section. The exhibitors of the best gilt, over six months and under one year old, the best Hereford calf under one year, and the best Jersey heifer under one year, will each be awarded a trip to the Dallas Fair.

The poultry section will have probably the greatest number of exhibits, prizes being offered for every class of bird in almost every standard breed of poultry. The following special prizes are also being offered in this section:

One pen of White Leghorns for best exhibit of White Leghorns, offered by Chas. Williams, of Newlin.

Trio of Rhode Island Reds to boy or girl showing best trio of same breed, offered by Chas. Flannery, of Memphis.

Trio of Barred Plymouth Rocks for best exhibit of that breed, offered by E. M. Ewen, of Memphis.

Trio of Buff Orpingtons for best exhibit of same breed, offered by H. Gilmore, Turkey.

### MERCHANTS INTERESTED IN MAKING FAIR SUCCESSFUL

The merchants of Memphis are vitally interested in making the coming fair as successful as possible. They have given their closest co-operation in making possible the special fair edition of this paper. Each merchant expresses their desire to help make this fair the best ever held here. They have secured novelty advertising which is to be scattered on the coming booster trips. They have prepared to greet every fair visitor in a spirit of hospitality, in an effort to make all feel welcome while here.

### Cash Prizes Are Offered In School Athletic Events

Small Cash Prizes and Ribbons Will Be Awarded on Various School Exhibits.

Cash prizes of \$15.00 and \$10.00 will be offered for first and second places, respectively, in the athletic events included in the official program of the Hall County District Fair, September 9-12. These contests will be open to the pupils of all rural schools in the district, and one event will be held during each afternoon of the first three days of the fair.

These three contests include a hurdle race, the first day; pole vaulting, the second day, and a one-half mile relay race the third day.

The above mentioned events are separate from the regular school contests and exhibits included in the fair catalog, such as the nail driving and sawing contests, button hole contest, etc., for which small cash prizes and ribbons are offered. Small prizes are also offered for not book work, and nature, art, domestic science, and manual training exhibits.

The best general school display, not including Memphis, will be awarded a first prize of \$5.00, second prize \$2.50. And the school, outside of Memphis, winning the most points will be awarded a Sweepstakes Ribbon.

Much interest was taken in the School Department of the fair last year and additional prizes are being offered as a greater field of attraction this year. More extensive preparations are being made to care for the exhibits, which are expected to be larger than ever.

### THE THREE GOLFERS



"The Three Golfers," a scientific gymnastic feature by distinguished European champions, combining all that is new and hazardous, will be one of the free attractions at the Fourth Annual Hall County District Fair, September 9-10-11-12.

### OFFICIAL PROGRAM HALL COUNTY DISTRICT FAIR

#### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

- 1:30-2:30 p. m. Inspection of Exhibits Before Noon
- 2:30-2:45 p. m. Band Concert by Memphis Chamber of Commerce Gold Medal Band.
- 2:45-3:00 p. m. The Three Golfers, free attraction.
- 3:00-3:15 p. m. 1/4-Mile Pony Race, (District ponies only) 50 inches and under in height. Purse \$25.00.
- 3:15-3:30 p. m. 1/2-Mile Free for All Race. Purse \$75.00.
- 3:30-3:45 p. m. Great Ben Abdiziz Troupe, free attraction.
- 3:45-4:00 p. m. Hurdle Race, all rural schools in district. Purse \$15.00 and \$10.00.
- 4:00-4:15 p. m. 3/8-Mile Running Race. Purse \$75.00.
- 4:15-4:30 p. m. 3/4-Mile Race. Purse \$100.00.
- 4:30-4:45 p. m. 5 miles Ford race. Purse, \$25.00.
- 4:45-5:00 p. m. Stock car race, cars selling under \$1,500. Purse, \$75.00.

#### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

- 1:30-2:30 p. m. Inspection of Exhibits Before Noon
- 2:30-2:45 p. m. Band Concert by Memphis Chamber of Commerce Gold Medal Band.
- 2:45-3:00 p. m. Great Ben Abdiziz Troupe, free attraction.
- 3:00-3:15 p. m. 1/2-Mile Running Race (district horses). Purse \$35.00.
- 3:15-3:30 p. m. 1/2-Mile and 50-Yard Dash. Purse \$75.00.
- 3:30-3:45 p. m. Pole Vaulting, rural schools in district. Purse \$15.00 and \$10.00.
- 3:45-4:00 p. m. 3/8-Mile Running Race. Purse \$75.00.
- 4:00-4:15 p. m. The Three Golfers, free attraction.
- 4:15-4:30 p. m. 3/4-Mile Running Race. Purse \$125.00.
- 4:30-4:45 p. m. Free For All 6 mile race. Purse, \$100.00.
- 4:45-5:00 p. m. Four cylinder cars, 5 mile race. Purse, \$25.00.

#### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

- 1:30-2:30 p. m. Inspection of Exhibits Before Noon
- 2:30-2:45 p. m. Band Concert by Memphis Chamber of Commerce Gold Medal Band.
- 2:45-3:00 p. m. The Three Golfers, free attraction.
- 3:00-3:15 p. m. 1/2-Mile Free for All Race. Purse \$75.00.
- 3:15-3:30 p. m. One and one-half Mile Relay Race. Purse \$40.00.
- 3:30-3:45 p. m. 1/2-Mile Relay Race (boys), four contestants in each team. All contestants to be under 16 years of age and from rural schools. Purse \$15.00 and \$10.00.
- 3:45-4:00 p. m. 3/8-Mile Running Race. Purse \$75.00.
- 4:00-4:15 p. m. Great Ben Abdiziz Troupe, free attraction.
- 4:15-4:30 p. m. 1 Mile Running Race. Purse \$75.00.
- 4:30-4:45 p. m. Ford Stock car, 5 mile race. Purse, \$25.00.
- 4:45-5:00 p. m. Free For All 7 mile race. Purse, \$100.00.

#### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

- 1:30-2:30 p. m. Inspection of Exhibits Before Noon
- 2:30-2:45 p. m. Band Concert by Memphis Chamber of Commerce Gold Medal Band.
- 2:45-3:00 p. m. Parade of All Prize Winning Cattle and Horses.
- 3:00-3:15 p. m. Great Ben Abdiziz Troupe, free attraction.
- 3:15-3:30 p. m. 1/2-Mile Non-Winners Running Race. Purse \$50.00.
- 3:30-3:45 p. m. 1/2-Mile Race. Purse \$50.00.
- 3:45-4:00 p. m. 3/8-Mile Running Race. Purse \$75.00.
- 4:00-4:15 p. m. The Three Golfers, free attraction.
- 4:15-4:30 p. m. 3/4-Mile Race. Purse \$125.00.
- 4:30-4:45 p. m. 5-mile, four cylinder cars selling under \$1,200. Purse, \$50.
- 4:45-5:00 p. m. 6-mile, six cylinder cars, prize, \$50.00.

#### NIGHT ATTRACTIONS

"The Three Golfers" and the "Great Ben Abdiziz Troupe" will give performances before the grand stand each night.

### Preparation Of Exhibit For Fair; Careful Selection

Exhibitors Should Become Acquainted With Rules and Regulations of Premium List.

The work necessary for prize-winning exhibits starts months before the fair. The first essential for a prize-winning exhibit is to have the highest quality of produce from which to select a sample to be shown. This will necessitate the best of care in the selection of seed, culture of the crop and harvesting.

The second fundamental point is that the exhibitor become thoroughly acquainted with the premium list and that he make and enter his exhibits according to what is asked for in the premium list. If the premium list calls for a peck of wheat, exhibit a peck of wheat. If a three-inch sheaf of small grain is called for, show a three-inch sheaf. If three pumpkins are asked for, show three. It is always well to take more than enough to the fair, so if some get damaged or lost in shipment, there will be sufficient to make the exhibits as called for.

The third point to be fixed firmly in mind before getting exhibits together is to know the variety, type and standards for each variety and to know what constitutes excellence in each. Then select as nearly to this as possible. To know these points, takes considerable study and observation. It is perhaps best done at the fairs watching the judge as he places the different classes.

In this connection, it might be well to give an idea of the points that are considered in judging exhibits of agricultural products. These are:

- Truthness of type.
- Quality of exhibit.
- Uniformity of the exhibit.
- Arrangement of the exhibit.
- The ultimate purpose of agricultural products is for consumption, either directly or indirectly, by people. This will demand that market quality be given prime consideration. In this connection, note that extreme size alone does not constitute excellence, as in many instances the housewife wants medium or small-sized products rather than the large ones, as they are of better quality.—From Extension Bulletin 209-A, "Exhibiting at Fairs."

### Fair Advertising Matter Is Being Well Distributed

Catalogs and Premium Lists, and Novelty Advertising Articles Being Widely Distributed.

The Fair Association is spending over \$600.00 on novelty advertising alone for the Hall County District Fair, which material is being distributed over the entire district which is composed of Childress, Collingsworth, Donley and Hall counties. The association has adopted "Texas Greatest District Fair" as a slogan and is making a desperate effort to bring it up to that standard.

The advertising material which has been secured consists of placards, car banners, posters, circulars, thimbles, fence hangers, flags, etc. Besides these novelties is the printed matter of a higher grade, including the catalogs and premium lists, and race programs. This material is being mailed out daily and will be circulated on the booster trips which begin this week.

Race programs were sent out some six months ago and the fair catalogs have been out about two weeks.

Many letters of inquiry have been received at the office of the Fair Association, requesting further information, which shows that a great amount of enthusiasm has been aroused at an early date, through advertising matter.

Attractive window cards grace the display windows, not only in Memphis, but also in neighboring cities. Cars in this district, as well as trans-

### Free Attractions, Automobile and Horse Racing

Two Troupes Secured For Free Grand Stand Attractions. Big Midway Contracted For.

With the addition of automobile races, which agreement was reached by the Fair Association in session Monday afternoon, the amusement program is now sufficiently well planned to insure the best entertainment ever provided at any preceding fair.

Over \$1,200 worth of free grand stand attractions have been contracted for. These include the "Three Golfers," a company of distinguished European gymnastic champions, and the "Great Ben Abdiziz Troupe," Oriental and occidental wonders.

These companies will give from two to four hours of free entertainment before the grand stand daily, appearing in the afternoon and at night of each day.

"The Three Golfers" present a skillful gymnastic feature combining all that is new and hazardous. Each of their acts is a marvelously absorbing performance full of thrills. These performers have gained quite a reputation among a number of the larger cities, and the committee feels that it is quite fortunate in securing them.

The "Great Ben Abdiziz Troupe" presents five distinct feature acts in a one to two hour program. This troupe consists of acrobats, jugglers, gun spinners, iron jaw kings, and singers and dancers.

A contract has been let to the San Antonio Amusement Company which secures a big midway for the four-day fair. The carnival consists of three big riding devices, including "The Whip," thirty concessions, and a number of shows, including a Wild West Show.

The race program will include running horse races and automobile races for stock cars, the horse races being the feature of the program. The large purses offered have already attracted the attention of large Colorado, New Mexico, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas strings, and as many as seventy-five horses are expected here for this event.

The Memphis Chamber of Commerce Gold Medal Band will furnish musical concerts on each of the four days.

### INDIVIDUAL AND COMMUNITY DISPLAYS ARE ENCOURAGED

The directors are encouraging a greater number of individual and community exhibits. A prize of \$10 has been offered for the best club or community display. Five and two and one-half dollar purses for best fancy work display has been offered to interest the ladies.

### Many Strings Of Race Animals Are Coming To Fair

Horse racing will be the feature entertainment during the Hall County District Fair, and with purses offered to the amount of \$1,250.00, these races are expected to be the best ever held in this section.

Word has been received from owners that the finest strings from Oklahoma, Kansas and South Texas will be here for the occasion. These horses will arrive before the opening date in order that they may become acquainted with the track.

Special work and preparation is being made on the track, placing it in splendid condition for the approaching events.

licent cars, are wearing attractive banners, announcing the fair dates.

Through the various advertising schemes, unprecedented crowds are expected to be attracted here for the four days of "Texas Greatest District Fair," and the largest and best fair ever held in Memphis.

### Hall County Is Expecting Its Greatest Cotton Crop

Crops Promise Bumper Yield and Plans Are Made for Biggest Fair in History of County.

The Amarillo Daily News:

Memphis, Aug. 16.—Memphis, the county seat of Hall county situated on the Colorado-to-Gulf highway and the Fort Worth and Denver railroad mid way between Amarillo and Vernon, is the heart of the upper red river valley and at the foothill of the plains Memphis is a beautiful little city having a population of 3,500 American born citizens of the type of people that goes to build a real empire in West Texas.

The city of Memphis has never had what is known as a big boom but as the farming land surrounding the city has been put into cultivation, Memphis has steadily grown to the present time until it is known as one of the most thriving agricultural cities in the Panhandle, through its trade from a vast section of agricultural land for a distance of sixty miles to the southwest. Being situated as it is near the center of the four counties of Donley, Collingsworth, Childers and Hall, it enjoys a good trade from each of the four counties.

At the present time there are three wholesale groceries located in Memphis six wholesale oil companies, two grain elevators, Memphis Cotton Oil Company, whose mill has a capacity of 160 tons of seed per day, Memphis Compress with a capacity of two bales per minute, The Rosamond and Lokey Manufacturing Company who are manufacturing the A. L. Lokey Burr extractor. At the present this company is six weeks behind with its orders and they are working about 15 hours daily at the plant. The Memphis Bottling works is doing a big business through this section. The city also has two mattress factories.

#### Building Done

Memphis considers herself one of the most up to date towns inasmuch as she has during the last year completed a \$175,000 court house, also \$110,000 high school building. While in Memphis you will find the beautiful Carnegie library, a beautiful, commodious city hall and three brick brick churches. Memphis is steadily building. At the present time there are two new brick store building being completed and one brick garage. Two new gins are being built, which will give us six large gins. All other gins have been improved and enlarged anticipating one of the heaviest runs this fall that they have ever had, as the cotton prospects were never better in this section than they are at the present time.

The Hall County District Fair Association directors are planning for the biggest fair that has ever been held in Memphis, as the crop promises to be the best the county has ever had. All plans are being made for a large agriculture exhibit, also all livestock and poultry buildings are expected to be crowded with exhibits. The association has contracted with the San Antonio Amusement Company for a large carnival and has contracted with the amusement company for a big free attraction, also for one five set free attraction with the Kansas City Vaudeville Company. There is no question but what these two acts will alone be worth the price of admission, however, the afternoon programs will be filled with one of the best horse race programs ever exhibited in this fair.

One of the leading attractions for the fair will be the concerts rendered by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce Band on the afternoons of Sept. 10 and 12. This band won first prize in the band contest at Brownwood, contesting against thirty six competing bands. The Memphis band is the official band for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce organization. Professor Paul James states that an hours program of strictly high class concert music will be given these two afternoons.

The fair association is planning on an exhibit to be exhibited at the Amarillo Tri-State Fair. The city is anxious to do all in its power to make the Tri-State Fair the leading fair in this section of the State.

The Department of Agriculture of Yenching University China, has been making steady progress since its organization in 1921. Arrangements have been made for procuring well as farm machinery of the latest type.

The movement to revise English spelling, initiated in 1907 and interrupted by the World War, is again in full swing. About 160 universities, colleges and normal schools use the simplified spelling method in publications and correspondence.

These station were called "posta," from which term we get "postal," "postage" and "post office."

In 1922 forest fires destroyed the equivalent of a ten-mile strip extending from New York City to Denver.

A Czech engineer has invented a glass that can be blown into a hollow sphere and can be kicked about like a football, moulded into a tumbler, heated to a point where pieces of paper in the tumbler are charred, plunged into cold water and still not break.

## Seago & Simmons

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Memphis, Texas

### Hello Folks

We wish to thank each and all of you for your past patronage. Also to remind you that we have one of the most up-to-the-minute Gin Plants in existence. We have made some extensive repairs this year and will be better equipped to serve you this season than ever before. So, on a basis of Service and a Square Deal, we solicit a portion, at least, of your ginning.

Come visit our Plant while at the Fair. You will always find a warm welcome.

Yours to serve,  
S. L. SEAGO, Manager.

### To My Many Farmer Friends

While at the Fair, come to see me.

I, having ginned for many years here in Memphis for the other fellow, and having given satisfaction by my devotion to the patrons of gins, have been made manager and sole operator of the old Rosamond Gin, in Memphis, where I will be this season and will appreciate seeing you with part of your cotton.

I have no bouquets to hand out about myself and no slurs to make of anyone. All I ask is a trial and part of your patronage.

Walter H. White

# To The Many Visitors the Hall County Fair

While in Memphis we especially ask that you visit the Manufacturing Plant of the—

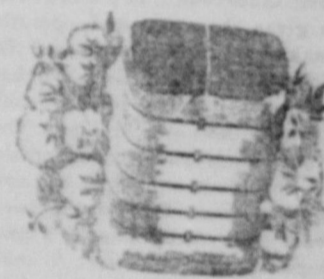
## A. T. Lokey Burr Extractor

where we will have a machine fully complete and will take great pleasure in showing you the workings and benefit of same, to both gin men and farmers. We are located one block west of the Light Plant. Our shop is not the finest looking from the outside, but come and view the machine that is turned out from the inside.

## LOKEY & ROSAMON

## WILLIAMS & WHITE Gin Company

Successors to Williams & Miller



We are pleased to announce that our new Gin Plant will be ready for operation as soon as cotton is ready for it. We solicit strangers to kindly investigate our past reputation as to our worthiness for your valued patronage, as the new Gin will be operated along the same line as usual.

We have spared no expense in making this a modern Gin Plant and will do you the best work possible. We also expect to buy cotton and seed, paying the highest price at all times that the market will justify. Call and Inspect Our Plant While Attending the Fair!

COLEMAN WHITE, Mgr.

## HARRISON-CLOWER HARDWARE CO.

Nineteen Years' Experience Back of Our Service. Make Us a Visit, Especially During the Fair

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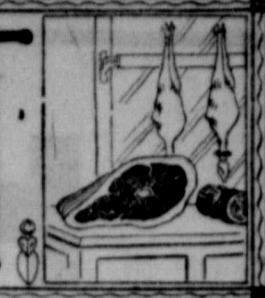


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# GROCERY and MARKET DEPARTMENT



**HALE & SON**  
For  
**FRESH FRUITS**  
and **VEGETABLES**

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The safest time to kiss is midnight. The most dangerous time is early in the morning, germs having accumulated during the night. As the hours roll by germs are gradually eliminated from their favorite nest—mouth and lips. Even at four in the afternoon kissing still is risky.  
This important information is supplied by an official of a life insurance company.  
The Eskimos prefer the wolverine fur, which is said to be the only fur that will not frost when breathed upon.

**Adhesive Tape Replaces Corset to Mold Body**  
Paris.—Adhesive tape bound tightly over the body is a substitute for corsets to obtain a slim silhouette, which is the latest fashion. Even rubber cinchures and girdles fail to give the supple shape necessary, so society women now mold themselves into fashionable form, using swathes of absorbent cotton and stretching adhesive tape tightly over it from the hips to the bust.

**Bars Bobbed Hair**  
Columbus, Ohio.—Because ten pupil nurses at Grant hospital here bobbed their hair, Miss Mary A. Jamieson, superintendent, has suspended them "until their hair grows out again."

Lunch is served every Friday noon at 44 John Street, New York City, the oldest Methodist church in America, for the convenience of the 800 business men and women who attend the noonday service.

**Through the Glad Eyes of a Woman**  
By JANE DOE  
**THEY LOVED BECAUSE—**

SHE offered to darn all his socks every week, even though she hated darning.

He took her arm and piloted her across streets that any chicken could have ventured without any danger whatsoever.

She wanted to marry him right away without waiting till he got a better position.

He never looked twice at any other pretty girl and preferred her every-day conversation to the most scintillating wit.

She was horribly upset when he sneezed more than three times.

He always gave a sigh of relief when they were left alone, even if they said nothing for a whole hour.

She couldn't eat any breakfast if there wasn't a letter from him.

He talked over everything with her and made her realize she wasn't to be a mere cypher in his life, but a life partner.

**Able to Endure Long Periods of Fasting**  
Some curious facts with respect to the capacity for fasting as exhibited by various animals are cited by Siegmund Urabin in the Umchau (Frankfurt), according to the Detroit News. He begins by observing:  
"The power of the camel to do without taking food is regarded in most works on zoology as representing scientific peculiarities of animals. But if there were a general knowledge of the ability of many animals to fast for very long periods of time these instances would not be so overemphasized. It is, indeed, generally known that even mammals are able to fast for months during their winter hibernation, but it seems to be almost unknown that the same power exists among the lower animals. The power of fasting is much more widespread in them than was formerly supposed."  
Mr. Urabin then refers to an experience of his youth when he put certain snails which had already withdrawn into their shells and closed the opening thereof, as is their custom, into a box, whereupon he forgot them for a period of more than a year and a half. He supposed they were inevitably dead, but when he put them into a vessel filled with water, much to his surprise, they came out of their shells and crawled gaily about on the table.

We have groceries, feed, quality, service, price, also prompt delivery. W. P. Dial Grocery, Phone 351. 30-2

**Mother's Cook Book**  
Yesterday is dead—forget it! Tomorrow does not exist—don't worry! Today is here—use it.  
—Von Brocklin.

**TOOTHsome DISHES**  
A DELICIOUS dessert which will delight the children is:  
**Figs and Lemon Jelly Custard.**  
Four boiling water over a pound of figs and boil rapidly until the figs are tender. Add one-fourth of a cupful of sugar and simmer to form a sirup. Set aside to chill. Soften a package of lemon gelatin or prepare the gelatin and lemon juice, if preferred, adding sugar to taste. Pour into a pan to make a sheet about three-fourths of an inch thick. When chilled, cut into cubes. Set the figs with the sirup in sherbet cups, arrange around them cubes of jelly and pour over all a cold cooked custard.

**Caramel Marshmallow Parfait.**  
Put twenty marshmallows into four pieces each; add one-third of a cupful of maraschino cherries cut into thin slices; cover with the sirup and let them stand for an hour. Cook two-thirds of a cupful of sugar to a caramel, adding two-thirds of a cupful of water; cook until the caramel is well-melted and add two tablespoonfuls of sugar; pour, when dissolved and still hot, over a stiffly-beaten egg; beat until cold. Fold in the marshmallows and cherries and one and one-half cupfuls of cream, beaten stiff. Turn into a melon mold, cover with paper and pack in ice and salt, using equal measures. Let stand for three hours.

**Scotch Shortbread.**  
Beat one cupful of butter to a cream; add one-half cupful of light brown sugar, then work in four cupfuls of pastry flour. If the flour is warmed slightly it will work better. Form the mixture into cakes seven inches in diameter. Prick with a fork and crimp the edges with the thumb and finger. Sprinkle the top with chopped cherries, caraway candies or preserved citron. Bake in a slow oven.

**Cow's Milk Largely Used in Manufactures**  
Should the humble cow ever aspire to trade-mark her products, the average shopper would be amazed at the labels "Made from milk" which would adorn his purchases—purchases ranging from hornrim spectacles to chestmen, magazines to radio sets.  
Three per cent of casein in cow's milk is the raw material for a kaleidoscopic array of manufactured products. Nor does this take into account that at our present rate of consumption every 12 persons consume the milk product of one cow.  
Bread has a reputation of being the "staff of life," but milk more nearly fulfills that definition. Substitutes for our customary breads may be had; but there is no substitute for milk. Even the elimination of the casein from milk, the element which provides most of the by-products, would be inconvenient. Chemically, casein is the principal nitrogenous constituent of milk; popularly it is the "curd," and its first and principal use is for cheese.

**Meat, Bread and Molasses**  
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## Food You'll Enjoy



One of the most essential things to the full enjoyment of Food is to know that whatever you are eating is of the first quality. And that you do know, beyond all question, if you make this store your Grocery headquarters. We handle only the best, and our prices are the lowest in the long run.

**GUINN & TUNNELL**  
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**Welcome, Fair Visitors!**

While visiting the Fair, inspect our Ice Manufacturing Plant and see for yourself how we make pure ice.

**Memphis Electric & Ice Company**  
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## ANNOUNCEMENT

I want to announce to my friends of Memphis and Hall County, and surrounding territory, that I am opening up a Grocery Store, Saturday, August 23, 1924, in the Pound's new building, on the Southeast corner of the Square.

I have had ten years experience in the Grocery business in Memphis, and I have decided to open a business for myself. I will be glad for you to come in and let me show you my stock. It will be new and fresh throughout.

I have secured Mr. Wilber Jones as my delivery man, and he will be glad to accommodate you and give you the very best and most prompt service.

Our Motto: "QUALITY AND SERVICE"

**A. Womack's Grocery**  
Phone 262 Memphis, Texas

## You Get The Meat You Buy

When you buy a pound of Meat here you get a pound—which is only just and right. But on top of seeing that you get full weight, we also see that you get first-quality Meats all the time.

If you have never tried this satisfactory way of buying Meat now is a good time to try it. These specials will save you money.

**Arnold & Gardner**  
Telephones 160 and 280

**The Young Lady Across the Way**

The young lady across the way says she supposes the farmer doesn't have much more work to do in winter after he gets his December wheat harvested.

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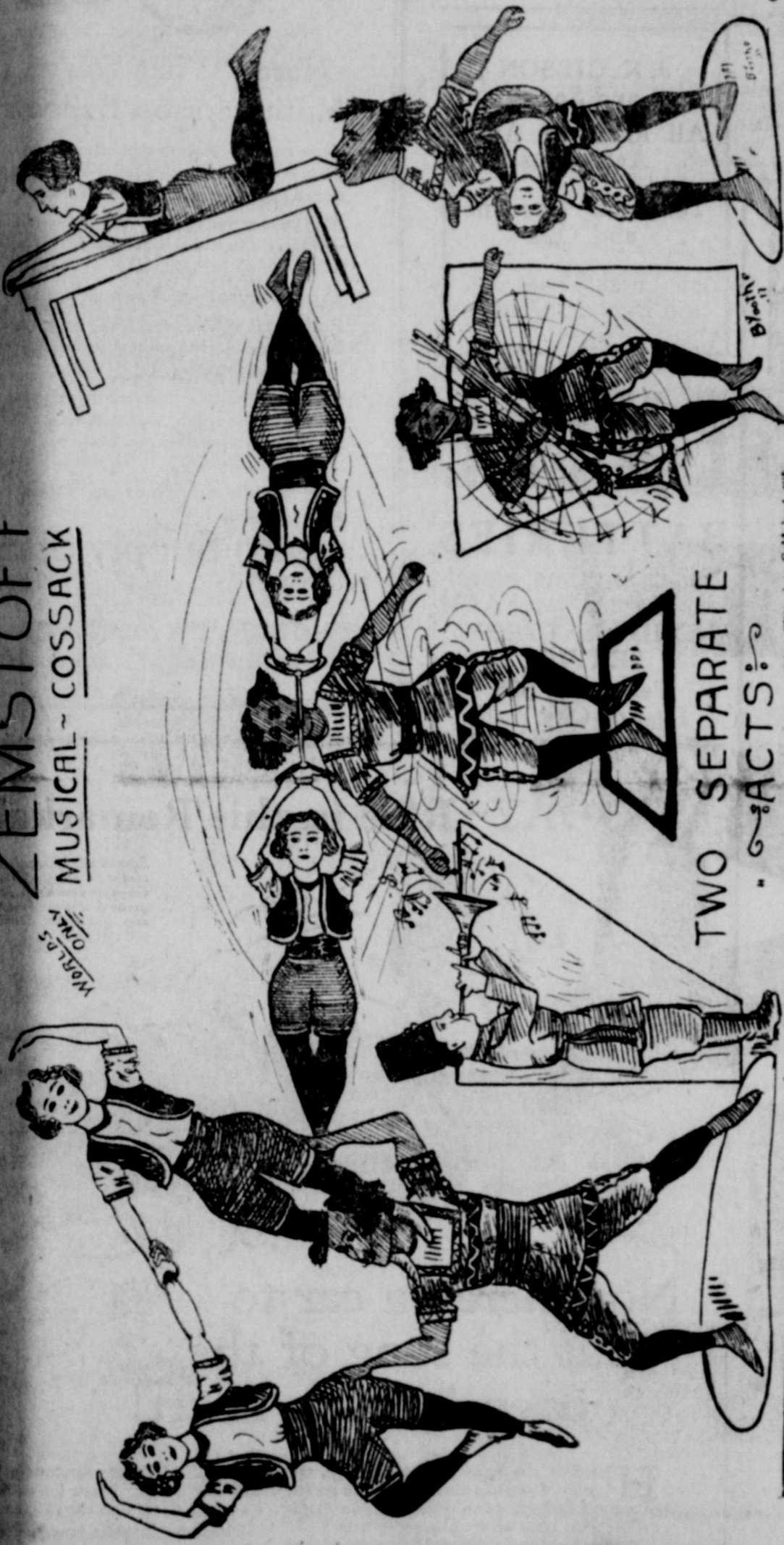


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European Champions Who Will Thrill You and Hold You Spell-Bound.



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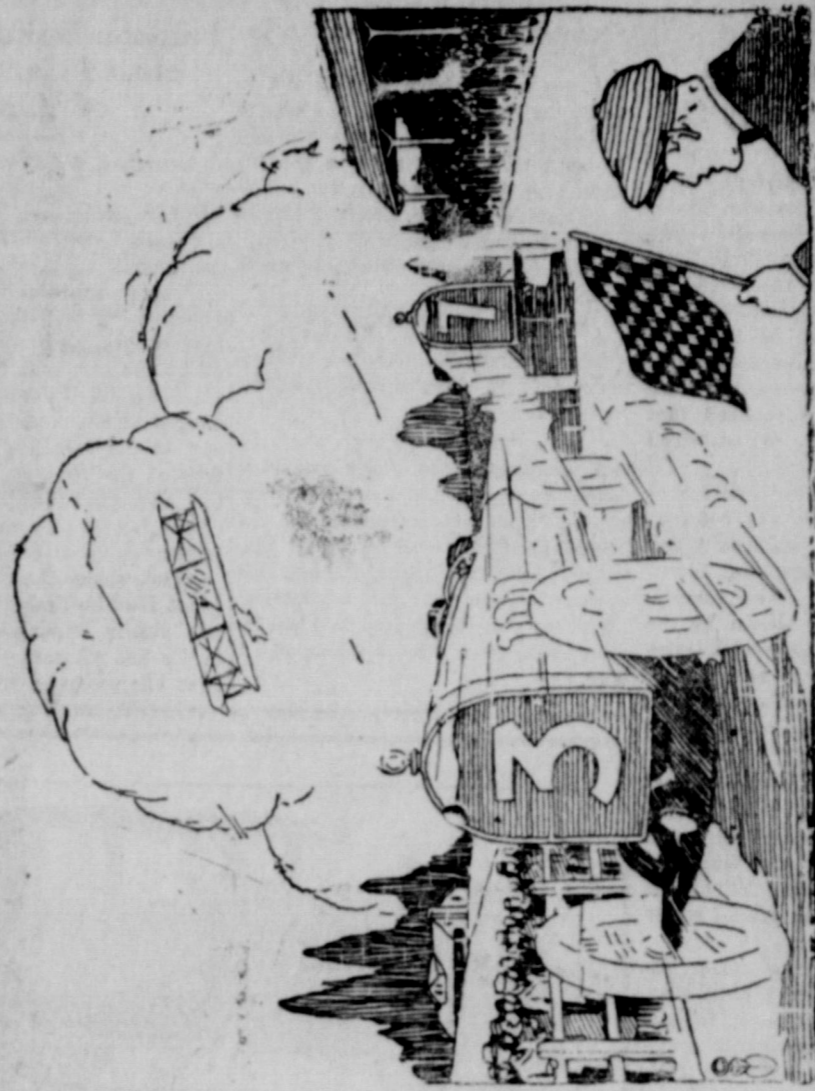


Big Midway Attractions

## \$1,600 RACE PROGRAM

INCLUDING AUTOMOBILE AND HORSE RACING, BUT FEATURING THE LATTER

The Purses offered in Running Races, which amount to \$1,200.00, have attracted some of the largest strings of Horses in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, New Mexico and Colorado.



\$400.00 Is Offered In Purses in Auto Racing, which is Open to Stock Cars Only

# AUTOMOBILE NEWS

## Chevrolet Sales Jump To Second Place; Quality Car

On Washington's birthday, February 22, 1923, the Chevrolet Motor Company made and shipped its millionth car, being one of the three manufacturers in all the world to attain such a total of production.

This striking proof of the satisfaction given to the American public by the Chevrolet product is the more impressive when it is realized that Chevrolet is not the lowest-priced automobile made.

"The Chevrolet policy is to insure quality first—then set the price as low as great volume production and sales will permit," says Lon Montgomery, local dealer. The correctness of this policy is shown by the fact that in 1922 Chevrolet sales jumped from seventh to second, and in the latter part of that year in numerous parts of the United States, to first place.

"In economy of operation Chevrolet is unsurpassed," states Mr. Montgomery. "Its engineering design and construction have kept pace with progress, and overcome the difficulties due to the present low-grade motor fuels now in use.

"An automobile is more of an essential to the modern family than anything else but a home; in fact, it makes possible the suburban or country home far away from the railroad tracks.

"It saves you money by saving valuable time. It also affords the advantage and pleasure of transporting your family or fellow-workers and your luggage or tools at the same time, making you independent of tracks, time-tables, seasons and even main highways.

"If you lack an automobile, you are behind the march of progress," is Mr. Montgomery's opinion.

## New Buick Model Is Enthusiastically Received by Public

The wonderfully enthusiastic manner in which the general public received the new Buick Standard Six, which was placed on display of thousands of these cars on that date, is an indication of two things.

First, that the people of the country are encouragingly prosperous, and secondly, that the fact is firmly established in the public mind that Buick, being a leader in the automotive industry, will at all times present for their approval a car which from the standpoint of mechanical excellence and price, will maintain the Buick reputation for giving the highest values in motor car transportation, a car that, as in the past, will be generally accepted as a standard of value.

On the day following the announcement telegrams from every nook and corner of the United States disclosed the fact that over half a million people had visited Buick salesrooms and inspected the new six-cylinder models. That the car met with universal approval, and is considered a remarkable buy from the standpoint of price, is evident from the fact that approximately five thousand of the new models were delivered on that date.

Buick's present excellent reputation has been founded on the fact that it has always believed in furnishing the public with a practical automobile, one that would perform satisfactorily day in and day out and year after year, and also embody such riding and driving comforts as would make it a most desirable car to own. It is for these reasons that hundreds of thousands of people are

interested when a new Buick is announced.

It has always been Buick's aim to retain the good will and confidence of the public, which it has enjoyed for so long a time, and, as the introduction of the present Buick line has established more firmly than ever this feeling of good will and confidence, Buick pledges itself to maintain it.

The blue whale sometimes attains ninety feet in length and 140,000 pounds in weight.

A newspaper 144 years has been found among some possessions inherited from his ancestors by an Orange County, New York man. The paper is the New York Packet Advertiser bearing the date of October 14, 1779. It was printed in Fishkill, New York, during the Revolutionary War.

## Hudson Builds Enclosed Car at Price of Open Model

Equipped with balloon tires on all models, new Hudson and Essex motor cars will soon be on display in the salesrooms of Travis Bros., the local dealers.

Besides the balloon tires and a generally improved appearance, the new Hudson-Essex line is distinguished by the fact that for the first time in motor history an enclosed car is offered at the same price as an open car of the identical make. This is true of the Hudson Super-Six Phaeton, open, and the Hudson Coach, enclosed, which are each offered at a factory price of \$1500.

"This means," says Mr. Travis, "that Hudson-Essex has brought out two vitally important improvements in its line of cars. First, it is the first big producer to equip all mod-

els with genuine balloon tires as standard equipment, and second, it breaks all motor precedents by offering an open and an enclosed car at an identical price.

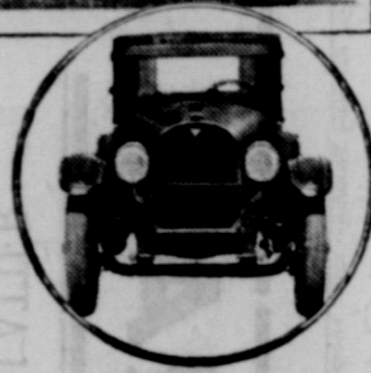
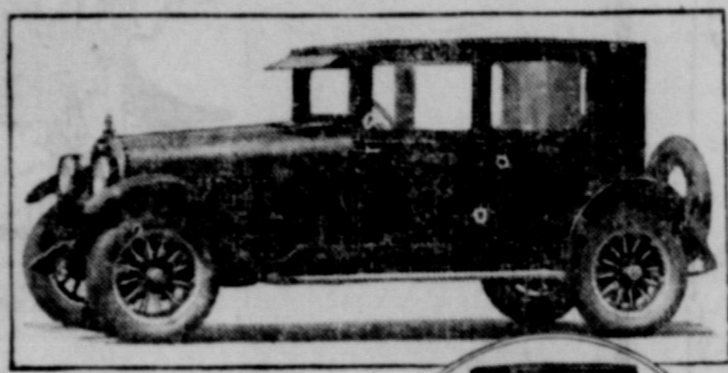
"The balloon tires, which are now standard, are desirable not only because of the wonderful riding comfort they give, but also because they add greatly to appearance. With them have come new fenders, larger and much more handsome. The performance of the balloon tire has now been under test by the public for a year or more, and there is no doubt but that the public has come to want them.

### J. K. GIBSON and Sons

All kinds of Auto Accesories

Texhoma Gasoline and Oils

Fisk Tires and Buckskin Tubes



AN ENCLOSED CAR AT THE SAME IDENTICAL PRICE AS THE OPEN TOP MODEL—

Is the recent accomplishment of the Hudson-Essex Motor Company, manufacturers of Hudson and Essex cars. The new models will be on display at an early date, at—

**TRAVIS BROS.**  
Memphis, Texas



## Car Registrations Show

there are nearly **twice** as many Buicks in service today as any other make of car selling at \$1,000 and above

DAVIS BUICK COMPANY  
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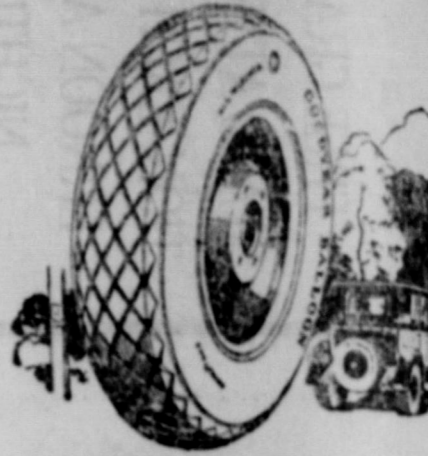
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Every car owner knows the advantages of Balloon Tires—easier riding—higher average speed—reduced repair bills—added appearance.

Also your car equipped with Balloon Tires will have a better second-hand or trade-in value later.

The stumbling block has been the cost. But at the new low prices we are quoting Goodyear Balloons—the world's best—you hesitate no longer.

Goodyear Balloons, either to fit your wheels or the small diameter sizes, now cost no more than you have been paying for regular size tires.

Start to really enjoy your car. Place your order with us today.

**Auto Supply Station**  
Phone 88 A. H. Miller

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**TODAY—Ride in this Remarkable**



Scientifically balanced, low road at all speeds. All-steel one-piece windshield. Large genuine leather cushions, deep. Cool lights. Standard skid and tires.

Now here's a car to put the song of the open in your heart!

HERE is the open of the country, the quiet of star-leavened skies, the power of a thousand giants to transport you magically to the land of dreams—come true.

A car world-famous and distinguished, the product of a vehicle-maker internationally acclaimed for the supreme in fine carriages since the days of Lincoln and Grant.

All the luxuries of a fine car—for it is a fine car. The same steels, the same engineering as the most costly Studebaker models—and that means the best men know. The same ease of handling, the same quiet, smooth operation, long life, low upkeep cost.

Now ride in it. Note its quick response to the slightest touch of the accelerator. Feel the thrill of its tremendously powerful cylinder motor. Mark its ease of its comfort, its fine car refinement.

Then note its price is well within of economy—the cost of upkeep—terms of payment liberal. It offers prime value of today in the \$1000.

We invite you to take out a model for comparison with other models its price. Then with cars selling hundreds of dollars more. We'll place Six at your disposal for this time you name.

Buy no car at \$500 or more without trying this test. Don't buy blindly.

LIGHT-SIX		SPECIAL-SIX		BIG-SIX	
112-in. W.B. 43 H.P.		119-in. W.B. 50 H.P.		126-in. W.B. 60 H.P.	
Touring	\$1045	Touring	\$1425	Touring	\$1805
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All prices \$ in factory. Terms to meet your convenience.

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**STUDEBAKER LIGHT-SIX**

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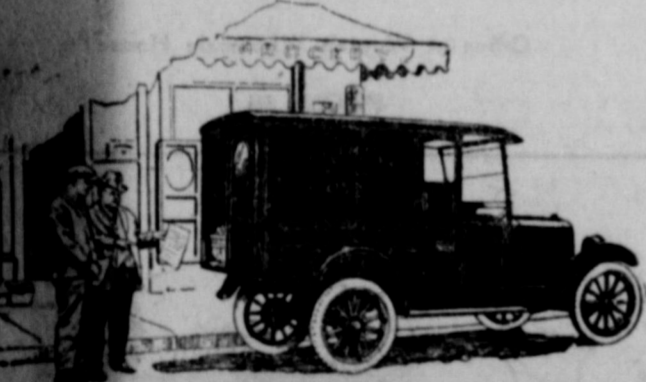
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Fits All Standard Ton-Truck Bodies

- 1 Chevrolet is modern in appearance.** All models are of stream-line design, and fine, durable finish. Closed models have genuine Fisher Bodies.
- 2 Chevrolet is modern in construction.** It has standard sliding gear transmission, Remy electrical equipment, modern cooling system, suction fuel feed with tank at rear, demountable rims, safe steering mechanism—in fact all essential engineering improvements found in the highest priced cars.
- 3 Chevrolet is fully equipped as sold.** We quote prices on complete cars only. Chevrolet is all there, ready for use as soon as you put on your license plates. Compare the fully equipped Chevrolet with other cars, plus their missing equipment, and satisfy yourself which costs least.
- 4 Chevrolet transportation averages less cost per mile** than that of any other car at any price. This cost includes the list price of car, insurance, operation, maintenance, annual depreciation and interest on your investment. Why pay more per mile for lower quality?
- 5 Chevrolet has the most powerful motor of any low priced car.** Its supremacy for hill climbing and hard going is well known. Where there are most hills there are most Chevrolets. Why drive a slow car and hold up the line when it costs less to be a leader?
- 6 Chevrolet yields solid comfort in riding.** This is due to its long wheel base, correct body suspension on extra strong and resilient vanadium steel springs, well-sprung and padded upholstery, deep seats with ample leg room, and correctly inclined backs. The double ventilating windshield and cool motor make driving a pleasure instead of discomfort.
- 7 Chevrolet costs are low** because so few hours per year are needed in service stations. Chevrolets are built to stay together, and do not require you to be always near a service station. When adjustments or repairs are needed the Chevrolet Flat Rate System keeps the cost down to the minimum.
- 8 Chevrolet is a quality car.** You are proud to tell of your ownership of a Chevrolet. Your Chevrolet tells the world that you appreciate modern quality and are a good judge of values.
- 9 Chevrolet is built for safety.** It steers firmly and easily and the steering gear will not lock itself. It holds to the road even at high speed on gravel. Its braking power is ample. It is easy to handle and accelerates so quickly it enables you to get out of a bad position promptly. It is one of the few cars granted Class A rating by insurance underwriters.
- 10 Chevrolet is easy to buy and easy to trade.** In buying a home, you always consider what you could get for it if you ever wanted to move. Be sure the car you buy has a good trade-in value, so that when the time arrives to get a new one, you can make a good deal. Chevrolet's trade-in value is high because of the big demand for this well-built, long-lived automobile.

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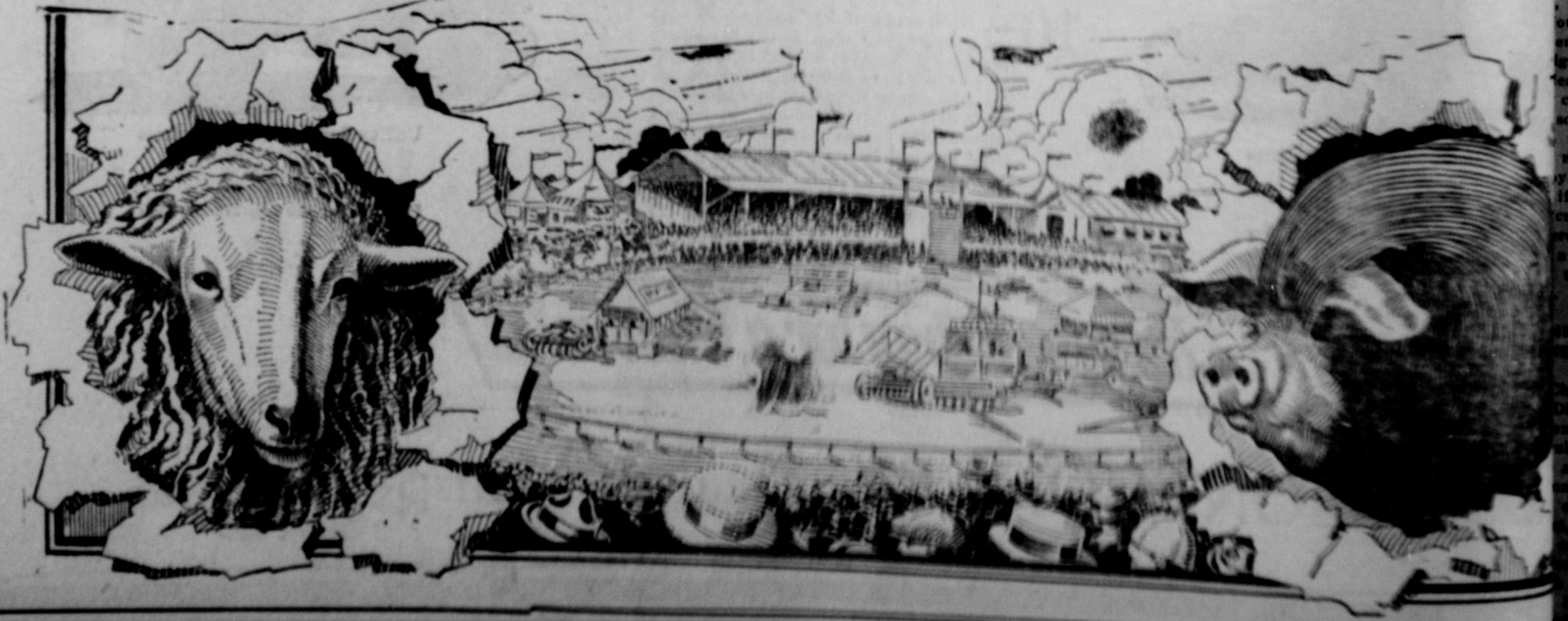
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 ...Harrison, Jno. Nichol  
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 ...Edleman, Roy Thoma  
 ...s, J. F. Ogden, E. M. W  
 ...s Hutchins, C. Gerlac  
 ...L. D. Stout, S. W  
 ...Whittan, Lee Rushim  
 ...Earl Lyle, Del Well  
 ...Jesse Reed, L. W. I  
 ...Dixon, B. F. Shepher  
 ...J. H. Vallance, Se  
 ...vard Randal, Fred Wa  
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 ...Porter, T. W. Hod  
 ...erman, Lon Montgon  
 ...Billy Walker, Frank  
 ...J. Rodgers, E. N. F  
 ...nett, J. W. McCool,  
 ...J. M. McKelvy, Jno.  
 ...Dunn, R. N. Hill, T.  
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 ...T. K. Wilton, Ike  
 ...A. Thompson, C. H.  
 ...Cudd, W. C. Dickey

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 ...County have reporte  
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 ...t week, and the regul  
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 ...and no millers at  
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 ...some localities, and  
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**THE PEOPLE WILL  
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