

THE LYNN COUNTY NEWS

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Primary Election Results in Lynn County July 24

There were 833 votes cast in the Democratic primary in Lynn County, Saturday, July 24th.

The vote was as follows:
Submitting Amendment
 For the submission of the amendment to the constitution providing for home ownership, 226; against the submission, 111.

For Governor-
 Pat M. Neff 581
 B. F. Looney 45.
 R. E. Thomason 59.
 Jos. W. Bailey 123.

Lieut. Governor:
 Johnson 463.
 Davidson 65.
 Humphrey 77.
 Pace 19.
 McNeal 24.
 Culp 66.

Atty. General:
 C. M. Cureton 819.

State Treasurer:
 John W. Baker 823

Court of Criminal Appeals:
 Martin 312.
 Davidson 409.

Supreme Court-
 Hawkins 346.
 Pierson 262.
 Key 87.

Commissioner of Agriculture-
 Terrell 522.
 Dixon 205.

Railroad Commissioner-
 Mayfield 493.
 Andrews 236.

Supt. Public Instruction-
 Anna Webb Blanton 809.

Land Commissioner-
 Robinson 819.

Comptroller Public Accts.-
 Wiggington 399.
 Smith 318.

Congressman 18th Dist.-
 Marvin Jones 828.

Associate Justice-
 Hall 824.

State Senator 28th Dist-
 Russell 489.
 Smith 260.

Rep. 122nd Dist.
 Baldwin 302.
 Marks 497.

Dist. Judge:
 Moore 373.
 Spencer 431.

Dist. Atty:
 McGuire 830.

County Judge:
 Elliott 527.
 Bishop 306.

Clerk:
 Robinson 806.

Sheriff:
 Sanford 825.

Tax Assessor:
 Tunnell 519.
 Shattuck 67.
 Bailey 121.
 Estes 116.

Co. Attorney:
 Maddox 806.

Treasurer:
 Bradley 833.

Chairman Executive com:
 Cain 754.

County Surveyor:
 F. C. Cormack 9.
 W. R. Standefer 19.

Commissioner Precinct 1:
 J. I. Bartley 279

Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
 Armstrong 144.
 Edwards 144.

Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
 Busby 142.

County Commissioner Precinct 4:
 E. G. George 97.

Judice of Peace Prec. 1:
 I. P. Metcalf 35.
Public Weigher Pre. 1:
 R. C. Wood 211.

Weigher Precinct 7:
 Byron Jordan 32.
Precinct Chairman:
 No. 1—D. T. Rogers.
 No. 2—J. F. Standefer.
 No. 3—G. W. Hickerson.
 No. 4—J. J. Nettles.
 No. 5—J. N. LeMond.
 No. 7—J. B. Miles.
 No. 8—R. B. McCord.
 No. 9—W. J. Farris.
Constable Prec. 7:
 T. B. Bailey 5.

The News is in receipt of a letter from Eld. R. T. Harris, who is conducting a revival meeting at Roanoke, Texas, near Ft. Worth. He stated that he had met lots of people who were asking about the South Plains section and want to come out and buy homes. Eld. Harris further stated that he was thoroughly convinced that we are safe on the real estate question and advised all to inform their friends of these facts.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Larkin entertained, this week, Mrs. Tom Barbee, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Penington and daughter, of Whiteright, and Mrs. T. H. Sears, of Lubbock.

Mrs. W. C. Cowan returned Saturday from an extended visit with her daughters who reside at Canyon, Quanah and Truscit.

Miss Estelle Bauder went to Slaton yesterday where she has a position with Representative, R. A. Baldwin.

H. H. Herrington, of Milnes and, New Mexico, came in Friday and will be connected with the boot and shoe shop with his brother in Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell, of San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. McDaniel Wednesday on their return from Denver, Colorado where they had been visiting their son.

Jacob Piewtz came in from Caldwell Wednesday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Louis Piowonka.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Kelly and daughter who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Wells, left yesterday for Wheeler county.

Thomas J. Williams went to Coleman, Thursday.

Lubbock County Officers Nominated in Primary

From The Avalanche:
 District Judge—W. R. Spencer
 County Judge—P. F. Brown.
 County Clerk—Sam T. Davis.
 District Clerk—Louie F. Moore
 Sheriff—C. A. Holcomb.
 County Treasurer—Mary F. Hinton.
 Tax Assessor—R. C. Burns.

Attorney B. P. Maddox, attended to legal matters in Lubbock yesterday.

Mrs. A. M. Sullivan and children are spending the week in Big Springs, visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Sallie Clark and son and Mrs. S. T. Beaty returned to their home at Abernathy, Tuesday after a pleasant visit in the home of J. W. Givens.

A deal was consummated the first of this week whereby Jake Leedy took over the interest of Billie Brandon in the Tahoka Meat and Ice Co., and will be known in future as the Leedy Meat Market. Read his advertisement in this issue.

Oliver P. Storm Fatally Stabbed by Dick Carter Here Monday

In an altercation on Main street, near the Star Theatre, in Tahoka, about eleven o'clock last Monday morning, Oliver P. Storm, age 24 years, received wounds from a knife in the hands of Dick Carter, which caused his death a few minutes afterwards. Storm was unmarried and served in the U. S. Army during the World War. The trouble which led to the killing is said to have started over a small debt, details of which cannot be given out until after the preliminary trial to be held today (Friday).

Dick Carter is a well known farmer and resides with his family in the southeast part of Lynn county. Storm was employed by Carter, or in other words, worked on Carter's place.

The men are said to have had some words last Saturday while in town. The difficulty Monday morning started in the street near the Star Theatre and the McCormack store. Only a very few persons were eye witnesses to the horrible tragedy. After receiving the knife wounds over the body and head, Storm attempted to walk to a physicians office, but after covering nearly a block, he became too weak from the loss of blood and sat down on the sidewalk. Friends then attempted to carry him to the doctors office, but were forced to lay the man down after going as far as Billy's Tailor Shop, where he died within a few minutes time. A physician was hurriedly called to his side, but the wounds were of too serious a nature to save him. The body was carried to the court-house where it lay in state over night. Tuesday morning the remains were shipped to Waxahachie for burial.

Carter appeared before Justice of the peace, I. P. Metcalf and made bond in the sum of \$5,000.00 He was placed in jail immediately after the killing and remained in the care of the sheriff until after nightfall.

District attorney, Gordon B. McGuire, arrived here Monday afternoon to look after the interests of the state in the case. As stated above the preliminary trial will come up this Friday afternoon.

Storm was the first white man ever murdered in Lynn county. A Mexican was murdered in the north part of the county several years ago.

LATER—In the preliminary trial held Wednesday morning, Justice of the Peace, I. P. Metcalf, raised the bond from \$5,000.00 to \$20,000.00 which has not been made to date. Attorneys for the defense will sue out a habas Corpus to get the bond reduced.

Just before the News goes to press this (Friday) morning, we learn that Carter's attorney's succeeded in getting the bond reduced to \$7,500.00, through habas corpus proceedings at Lubbock yesterday.

Card of Thanks

I desire to express my appreciation of the kindness extended to us in caring for the body of my cousin, Oliver P. Storm, who met his death on the streets of Tahoka last Monday.

W. T. Clinton

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. E. Lam, Thursday, Aug. 5, a girl.

BORN—in Tahoka, to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker Saturday, July, 31, 1920 a boy.

Glenn and Gene Brashear returned home yesterday from Meridian, where they had been attending school.

Messrs. Sumner Clayton and Clifford Dickson, employes of the Sanitary Barber Shop, made a business and pleasure trip to Wichita Falls this week.

Miss David Hester, who has been visiting her father, G. W. Small, Sr., and brother G. W. Jr., returned to her home in Spearman, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dyer left Thursday for Silverton to visit Mrs. Dyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hood Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sanders and Miss Willie Davidson returned Tuesday from a two weeks vacation at Meridian.

Attorney's Lockhart and Cain attended to official business in Lubbock this week.

Church Notes

Contributions From all Denominations are Invited Under this Head.

METHODIST

Rev. J. O. Haymes, pastor of the M. E. Church at Spur, Tex., will begin a protracted meeting at the Methodist church in Tahoka Sunday evening, August 8. The layman will have charge of the morning services.

BAPTIST MEETING AT THREE LAKES

The Baptist meeting at Three Lakes begins Friday evening of this week. The pastor is to be assisted by Rev. W. D. Boswell, of De Leon, Tex. Bro. Boswell is a strong preacher and a great man. Everybody in Tahoka is cordially invited to attend the meeting.

There will be regular preaching next Sunday, and right along now by the pastor. His meetings out of the county are over and he will occupy his pulpit regularly now. The meeting commences here on the fourth Sunday in this month and complete announcements will be made regarding the help next week. We would all look forward to the meeting and try to make due preparations for a glorious success.

L. L. F. PARKER, Pastor.

Program at Methodist Church August, 8.

Sundayschool at regular hour. Every body welcome. — R. C. Wood Superintendent.

Layman's service at the eleven o'clock hour, conducted by Church Layman leaders.

Opening song, No. 71, "Stand up for Jesus."

Opening prayer, led by W. L. Brown.

Song, No. 22 "Help Somebody to Day."

Talk by R. C. Wood—Relation of Sundayschool to the church.

Song—Talk by J. A. Brashier—The work of the Layman.

Duett—Mrs. S. E. Reed and Preston Lee.

Talk—E. S. Davis—How to have a revival.

Talk—J. C. Powers.
 Talk—Judge C. H. Cain—What we can do to help the boys.
 Song—Closing talk and prayer by the leader. Everybody welcome.
 Church Lay Leader,
 J. N. Thomas.

Primitive Baptist Holding Series of Services

Rev. J. J. Edwards, a Primitive Baptist minister from De Leon, Texas is here this week holding a series of meetings in Tahoka. Rev. Edwards is a strong forceful preacher of the gospel and entertained his audiences with words of the gospel. Services were held in the residence of J. S. Wells.

E. H. Wood, the tinner, places an ad in this weeks issue of the News, asking for a share of your trade in his line of business.

The Lynn County Executive Committee met at the Courthouse Saturday and canvassed the returns of the primary election. The News contains a tabulated report of the election furnished us by the County Chairman, McMill Clayton.

Miss Anna Curry, of Ballinger Texas, came in Saturday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Tom LeMond.

Our good friend, Bud Milliken, one of Lynn County's prosperous farmers, favored us with a nice mess of roasting ears Saturday, for which he has the thanks of the News folks.

90 Hundredths Rainfall Last Night

Rain began falling over this section of the South Plains yesterday afternoon and continued intermittently until early this Friday morning, measuring 90 hundredths of an inch. With this additional moisture, crops of all kinds are assured in Lynn county.

Mrs. Ollie Whipp, of Lubbock, returned to her home Friday after a visit in the home of Jas. Millman and family. Miss Ophelia Millman returned home with her and will remain in that city indefinitely.

Married

Mr. Elmer Sikes son of W. E. Sikes, of Three Lakes, and Miss Annie Moore, daughter of C. S. Moore, of T— were married Sunday, August 1 1920 at the home of the bride. Rev. W. L. Williamson of Slaton officiated.

J. H. Gray, a resident of the Grassland community, was among the many business callers in the city Saturday. Mr. Gray stated the editor that the recent barbecue and picnic was the best he had ever seen anywhere, in points of good behavior and the best of things to eat.

Mrs. Jake King and children returned the latter part of last week from Sanger, where they spent several weeks visiting with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Turrentine returned from a visit to Hereford Monday.

Terry County Officers Nominated

From The Herald:
 District Judge—W. R. Spencer
 County Judge Broughton.
 County and District Clerk—Homer B. Winton.
 Sheriff and Tax Collector—Wood E. Johnson.
 County Treasurer—Mrs. Lula Smith.

Amarillo Board of City Development Trade Excursion

The local Chamber of Commerce has been notified by J. L. Heare, local Agent for the Santa Fe Railway Company, that the Amarillo board of City development will be here Tuesday, August 10th from 9:50 A. M. to 10:20 A. M. It is the desire of the Chamber of Commerce that everybody both in Tahoka and the surrounding country to be at the station and give the Amarillo bunch a warm reception to our town.

Card of Thanks

I desire to express my sincere appreciation to all those who cast their vote for me for tax assessor in the Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 24th.

I fully realize and know that excepting for the loyal support of my friends and neighbors, I would not have received the nomination for the office named, and it is my desire to live up to your every expectation, both in public and private life, and shall always strive to discharge the duties of the office impartially to the entire citizenship of Lynn county.

Again thanking you, I am
 Very truly,
 HANSFORD TUNNELL.

Rev. W. C. Hinds, the local Methodist pastor, left Monday for Dunn, Texas, where he will conduct a revival meeting. He will be absent from his pulpit Sunday.

S. N. (Shed) Weathers, of Moran, came in Monday for a visit with home folks. Shed has many friends in Tahoka who are always glad to have him visit in our city. Mrs. Weathers and little daughter, Fredice, did not accompany him here this time.

Hardy Powers, one of Tahoka's prominent young men, returned Monday afternoon from near Tulia, where he had been laboring in the harvest fields.

Mrs. P. H. Northcross and Miss Estelle Bauder were Slaton visitors Monday.

Mrs. G. W. King went to Cordell, Oklahoma, Monday to visit her mother.

Mesdames J. R. McIntyre and Wylie Fortenberry returned Saturday from Amarillo where they spent the past two weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Charlie Shook and children returned to their home at Eastland Saturday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crie.

Mrs. P. S. McLarty and granddaughter, Miss Minnie Lou McLarty, of Seymour, are the guests of Mrs. McLarty's sisters, Mesdames J. A. Brown and I. P. Metcalf.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Max of Jefferson, Texas, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Harris. Mrs. Max is a sister of Mr. Harris.

The negro minstrel came in Wednesday as per schedule and showed to a large audience. The band music was pronounced the best part of the performance.

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We have in stock an over flowing quantity of Toilet Articles of all description, to beautify the complexion, especially during this hot weather. Only guaranteed lotions in stock.

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Good Garage Service.

Tahoka, Texas

The Date of Our Magazine
Section is August 13th.

This is a feature pictorial Magazine Section which the Lynn County News is giving its readers each month. The August issue is replete with much interesting story and department matter. The entire contents of the section are printed below:

"Cowboys of The A. B. Ranch Fall for Cupid."
(by Joseph Mackey.)

"Current Comment"—Written in his usual rich and racy style.
(by J. M. Lowery.)

"Early Times in Texas."
(by J. C. Duval, an old Texas Pioneer.)

"Brief Texas News Stories"—From all over the state,
(by Chopsie S. Welch)

"A Little Fun"—Some jokes that are worth your reading.

"Hints to Motorists"—Money saving hints to Auto and Truck owners.

"Texas Farm News"—Newsy paragraphs of Texas farms and ranches.

"Stories for Boys and Girls"—An adventure with a Shark and other good stories.

"Womans Department"—Patterns and fashions, household helps.

LOST—Out of a car along road side, a linen bag containing 2 hats, a ladies veil and a towel. Finder please leave at Leedy Hotel and get reward.

**CHRISTIANIZED FOREIGNERS PROVE
LOYAL TO FLAG OF UNITED STATE**

SOUTHERN BAPTISTS FIND THAT NO EVANGELIZED PERSON FROM OTHER COUNTRIES HAS PROVED TRAITOR TO HIS ADOPTED LAND—LARGE WORK IS BEING DONE AMONG THEM.



A group of large boys of foreign parentage reached and made happy by a Baptist Good Will Center.

Patriotism and religion go hand in hand in the work which Southern Baptists are doing for the foreigners in their midst, declare the several workers in the field who have found that wherever a man, woman or child of foreign birth or parentage has been won to the Christian religion, that one stands foursquare for the flag, laws and institutions of the United States.

Work in evangelizing and Americanizing the 4,000,000 people of foreign birth and parentage residing within the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention has been carried on by representatives of the Home Mission Board and the Woman's Missionary Union of the Southern Baptist Convention and the various state mission boards for several years, but this work will be enlarged and intensified as a result of the larger proceeds made available for it through the 75 Million Campaign.

Important Centers Named.
Among some of the more important centers in the South and Southwest where work of this character is carried on are Richmond and Norfolk, Virginia; Baltimore, Maryland; Louisville, Kentucky; Tampa, Florida; Birmingham, Silver Hill and Mobile, Alabama; Meridian, Miss.; New Orleans and Church Point, La.; San Antonio, Laredo, El Paso and Fort Worth, Texas; Krebs, Okla., and East St. Louis, Herrin, Christopher, Harrisburg, Granite City and other points in Illinois.

Aims That Are Sought.
Indicating the aims that are sought in this work, they may be briefly summarized as follows:

1. To reach the little children that their feet may be started in the upward path.
2. To inspire the older boys and girls with ideals that will help them to improve their environments and give them strength to cope with temptations.
3. To interest the young people in sane and wholesome pleasures that their energies may be rightly directed.
4. To help the women to be better home-makers, more careful wives and mothers and better Christians.

Mr. and Mrs. Cody Westfall, accompanied by Misses Aline and Coy Napier, went to Big Springs yesterday to attend the picnic there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Heare, C. L. Clark and son of O'Donnell, went to Lubbock Sunday to visit Mrs. Clark who is in a sanitarium at that place.

OH! THAT'S DIFFERENT
Customer: "I must have this first thing in the morning."
Printer: "Certainly, if you are willing to pay extra for the overtime."
Customer: "Oh, never mind. Next week will be alright."

Lynn County News, \$2.00 the year.
Little Want ads bring results.
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5. To give Christ and an exalted citizenship to the neighborhood.

In addition to the nurseries and playgrounds maintained for the children, clubs and classes are held daily for young and old, the neighborhood houses being open during the winter months from 3 to 6 in the afternoon and four nights in the week from 7 to 9. In addition to the English courses, cooking, sewing, first aid and nursing are taught girls, manual training and other useful courses are given the boys, along with practice in debating; while for the mothers there is instruction in housekeeping, care of the sick, sanitation and food selection. Through the mission Sunday schools, vacation Bible study classes and otherwise a knowledge of the Bible is afforded and the way thus opened for a personal surrender of lives to God.

Life of Communities Changed.

And in every community where a Good Will Center or other social work has been established by the Christian workers there has come about a marked transformation in the lives of individual members of the community and in the appearance of the homes and general premises. Cleanliness has superseded dirt, happiness has taken the place of sorrow, and hope has come to lighten the faces that were formerly overshadowed by depression and doubt. Little tots who previously wandered through the streets now find pleasure and helpful entertainment in the games, stories and Bible lessons provided at the settlement houses; aimless boys and girls have been fired with zeal and ambition to become useful Christian citizens; mothers burdened with handicaps of heavy work and poverty have taken a new lease on life when they have found that there are those in the world who want to help them to a higher life; and the fathers noting the improvement of the members of their families, have yielded to the refining and uplifting influences that have been thrown about them in the home and the community. The viewpoint of the whole community has been changed and better citizens from both the patriotic and the religious viewpoint, are the result.

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PE-RU-NA

Made Me a Well Man

Mr. Louis Young, 1652 Clifford St., Rochester, N. Y., writes:

"I suffered for thirty years with chronic bowel trouble, stomach trouble and hemorrhages of the bowels. We bought a bottle of Peruna and I took it faithfully, and I began to feel better. My wife persuaded me to continue, and I took it for some time as directed. Now I am a well man."

Suffered thirty years with stomach trouble and hemorrhages of the bowels.

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SIMPLY COULDN'T LOCATE IT

At That, Marine Shewed Praiseworthy Willingness to Obey Orders Captain Had Given Him.

Army water carts differ from one another about the same as, say, one egg differs from another egg—namely, in size. The number of gallons which each can contain is, therefore, stenciled on the top of it.

The captain of a marine supply company in France was inventorying his carts and totaling the figures. "Wilkins," he called to an idle private who hadn't had the sense to get out of the way, "get me the capacity of this cart."

The captain ran his pencil down the column of figures for several seconds, keeping one ear open for the result of Wilkins' research.

But no reply came from Wilkins. The captain glanced up to find all of Wilkins except the head protruding from the hole in top of the water cart. A desperate struggle with some unseen monster seemed to be going on inside the cart. Finally Wilkins' baffled head emerged.

"I felt all around the blamed thing, captain," he explained, "and I'll be hanged if I can locate that capacity anywhere."—Home Sector.

Viewpoints.

Optimist—"All things come to him who waits." Pessimist—"And they all come at once."—Life.

He who blackens others does not whiten himself.

TRULY AN AWFUL THOUGHT

Small Girl Feared She Had Somewhat Overdone Matter of Praying for Baby Brother.

The little girl came home to her mamma very much disturbed because little Susie, her neighbor, had a new baby brother to play with, while she, herself, was very lonely. Her mother comforted her and told her to ask God to send her a little brother, too. So the child began to pray for a little brother, and occasionally got impatient; but her mother told her to keep on praying and perhaps would be answered some day.

One day she was called into the mother's room, and her delight knew no bounds when the nurse took a wee thing up from the mother's side and laid it in her arms. But a moment later, when the nurse picked up another bit of humanity, the child almost dropped the one she was holding, and a startled expression came into her face as she said:

"Oh, mama! Is God going to answer all those prayers that I prayed?"

The Spell of Melody.

"Give me the man who sings at his work," said the idealist. "Yes," replied Farmer Cornstossel, "It's all right for a man to sing at his work, unless he insists on singing himself to sleep."

Not Enough Room.

"Don't take your troubles to bed with you," said the doctor. "I don't, doc. I sleep on a cot."

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By REV. F. D. FITZWAJLER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.) (Copyright, 1920, Western Newspaper Union)

LESSON FOR AUGUST 1

DAVID BRINGS THE ARK TO JERUSALEM.

LESSON TEXT—II Sam. 6:1-19; Ps. 24:1-10.

GOLDEN TEXT—Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise.—Ps. 104.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Ex. 25:10-22; II Sam. 5:6-25; Heb. 9:2-10.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Thanking God.

JUNIOR TOPIC—The Ark of God Brought to Jerusalem.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—What the Ark Meant to Israel.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Making Religion Central.

The ark was a symbol of the presence of God in Israel. It represented God's throne, the place from which he communicated his will to the people through the priest (Ex. 25:22; Psalms 80:1).

I. David's Unsuccessful Attempt to Bring Up the Ark (vv. 1-5).

This is an example of a wrong way of doing a right thing. The ark of the Lord of Hosts, the symbol of God's presence, should be brought to the very center of the nation's life was a decision worthy of all praise. It surely met God's approval. David gathered together the representative men of the nation in order that the movement might be a national one. That David was sincere in this measure cannot be doubted, but he was hasty and inconsiderate. God had expressly decreed that the Kohathites should bear the ark upon their shoulders (Num. 4:14, 15; 7:9; 18:3). For them to place it even upon a new cart was a positive violation of God's commandment. Though David was sincere, his sincerity did not atone for disobedience to God's Word. The dictum that it matters little what you do, just so you are honest and sincere, is one of the Devil's blackest lies. It mattered much in this case, and always does. David cannot be excused on the ground of ignorance, because he had the opportunity to know. God cannot be blamed for man's ignorance when he has given him the law and the ability to understand it.

II. God Vindicates His Law and Holiness (vv. 6-9).

The people were very joyful as they moved on toward Jerusalem with the ark, but suddenly there was a stop to their jubilant voices and music. At some rough place in the road the oxen stumbled and Uzzah, anxious for the precious freight on his cart, reached forth his hand to steady it. This resulted in his being stricken with death. Ignorance does not make a man immune from the death which is in the touch of the heavily charged electric wire; neither does it in the case of the violation of God's laws. Even those who were designated by the Lord to carry the ark were not allowed to touch it with their hands. Since the ark was God's dwelling place among men, they needed to know that he was holy. God's judgment was severe, but not more so than they deserved. This awful visitation of just judgment struck terror to David. Well it might, for he was in the path of disobedience. The Lord's presence has no terror for those who obey his word.

III. The Ark of God in the House of Obed-Edom (vv. 10-12).

The presence of Jehovah always brings blessings. The homes where God is welcomed are always blessed. Obed-Edom was not better personally than Uzzah and David, but he openly received the Lord and properly related himself to him. What had been death and dread to others was life and blessing to him.

IV. The Ark Brought to Jerusalem With Great Joy (vv. 13-19).

1. Sacrifices offered after going six paces (v. 13). David made the start and when convinced of God's approval he made offerings. These were both burnt and peace offerings, typifying the self-dedication of the offerers and their thanksgiving (I Chron. 16:1).

2. David's great joy (vv. 14, 15). The people joined him with great shouting and with the sound of the trumpet.

3. Michal's criticism (v. 16). Even though David went to excess in his expression of joy, it was wrong in her to criticize, for God seems to have sanctioned David's rebuke of her (v. 23).

4. The grand celebration (vv. 17-19). As a token of his gratitude to God, David generously treated the people.

5. The King of glory, the Lord Jesus Christ coming (Psalms 24:7-10).

This was not the psalm composed by David for the occasion of bringing up the ark; that was Psalm 105 (see I Chron. 16). It is strange that such a suggestion should have been made. The Twenty-fourth Psalm pictures Christ as the coming and triumphant King. At that time the gates shall open to him and the King of glory shall come in.

Self-Judgment.

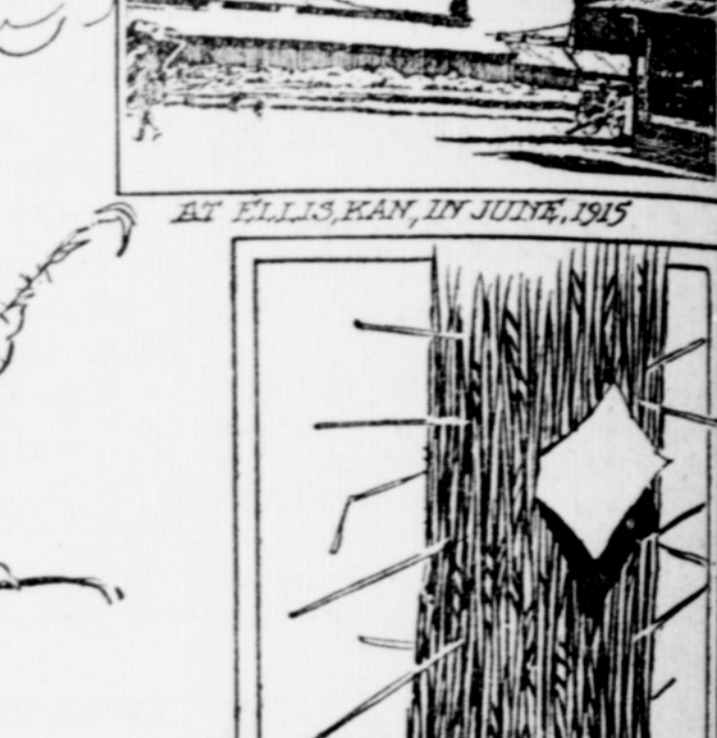
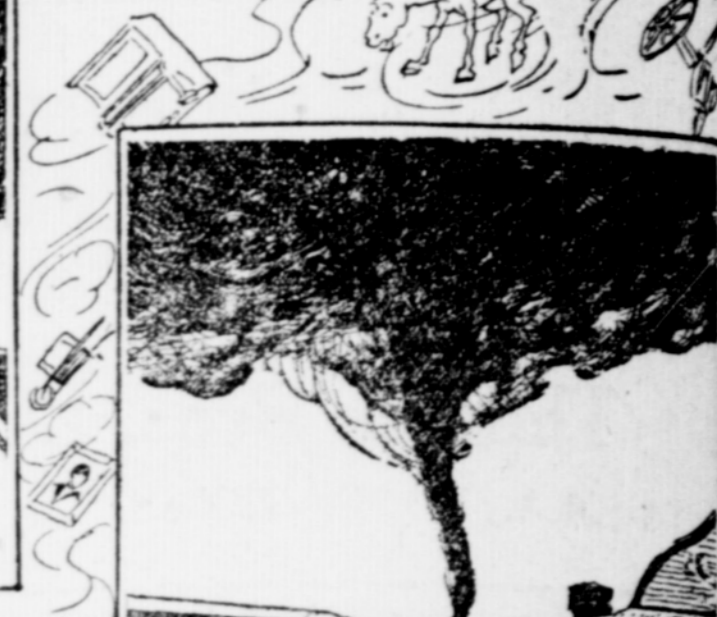
Turn thine eyes unto thyself, and beware thou judge not the deeds of other men. In judging of others a man laboreth in vain, often erreth, and easily sinneth; but in judging and examining himself, he always laboreth fruitfully.—Thomas a Kempis.

Amiable People.

Amiable people, though often subject to imposition in their contact with the world, yet radiate so much of sunshine that they are reflected in all appreciative hearts.—Deluzo.

Is This to Be a "Cyclone Summer?"

By John Dickinson Sherman



IS THIS to be a "cyclone summer?" Which is to say, is the Mississippi valley to be visited this season by an unusual number of these terrifying tornadoes so destructive to life and property and as freakish as destructive? The early returns seem to indicate that the "twister" is bent on a busy summer.

The proper phrase to be used in putting this question is "tornado summer." According to the dictionaries, our American twister is not a cyclone, since a cyclone is a violent storm, often of vast extent, characterized by high winds rotating about a calm center of low atmospheric pressure which moves onward with a velocity of from 20 to 30 miles an hour.

The tornado, on the other hand, is a "funnel-shaped cloud, like a water-spout, sand-column or dust-whirl, with very violent and destructive eddies and whirls of wind, progressing on a narrow path for many miles over land. The wind is too violent to be measured and the barometric pressure falls so rapidly that wooden structures are often lifted and burst open by the air within them."

But Kansas calls them cyclones. So cyclones they shall be here. For once upon a time, not very long ago, the east thought Kansas grew cyclones or made them or produced them—whatever the right word is.

To the early settlers of Kansas, coming as they did from distant eastern states where such phenomena are almost unknown, these storms were one of the wonders of a new country, to be told over and over to visitors and sent as special items of news to papers that gave them wide publicity," says S. D. Flora, Kansas meteorologist.

The result has been that the expression "Kansas cyclone" has become almost an idiom of the language, and the reputation of the state for visitations of these storms is greater than that of any other part of the country, when, as a matter of fact, there is no reason to believe, in the light of available data, they are any more numerous here, area considered, than in any other states in this part of the country."

Anyway, Kansas became "the cyclone state," and the thing eventually became such a scandal that, soon after the Civil war Uncle Sam decided to investigate and sent out an army officer to trail the cyclone to its lair. The report of this investigator is still among the dusty archives of the United States weather bureau. It contains facts both of scientific and popular interest.

For example, he tells about the woman who lost her hair. He says she was a woman with exceptionally long hair; that the storm cut or tore most of this hair from her head, twisted it into a rope and left it lying near her, while the hair left upon her head was tightly curled into many little wisps filled with sand.

It was the same cyclone, according to this official report, that bore down upon a large house exceptionally well built of logs and heavy native timbers, hit one corner of it a resounding whack, veered off, whirled cut around the barn and attacked the house from the opposite side, dissipating it over the landscape so thoroughly that much of it was never seen again.

He describes trees in which sand had been driven entirely through the bark into the wood of the tree. And this was not merely on one side of the trunk, but around its entire circumference. In another place he found trees still standing, but stripped of every particle of their bark.

So you see, for a bagman, this official investigator did pretty well.

Of course, the weather bureau has accumulated a mass of "cyclone literature." Here's an interesting bit:

"They may form after several hours of light wind or during a violent thunder storm. Persons

who have witnessed their formation usually report a great commotion in a threatening cloud, or, more commonly, two clouds come together. From this whirling mass the characteristic cloud descends until, in the case of damaging storms, it touches the earth. Sometimes the cloud is really funnel-shaped; more commonly it is described as resembling an elephant's trunk or gigantic snake as it writhes and sways back and forth in its progress. Other observers have stated that it reminded them of a rope swinging back and forth from the clouds. Usually in the case of a slender cloud the color is milky white except near the ground, where it is dark from flying dust and debris. Clouds of large diameter are usually much darker."

A still better simile, it would seem, is that of a gigantic balloon, scudding low across country before the wind and dragging an enormous cable which trails along on the ground, twisting and turning and creating fantastic destruction.

It seems to be established that west of the Rockies and east of the Alleghenies there isn't much danger from cyclones. But anywhere in the Mississippi Valley it's keep your eye open. Chicago has thought itself immune, owing to some peculiar influence exerted by the Great Lakes, but this spring a real twister visited its suburbs to the northwest.

It is estimated by the weather experts that "for any specific area or farm of one square mile the probability of being visited by a tornado is less than 1-16 of 1 per cent per century."

There is a popular feeling that cyclones, like lightning, do not strike the same spot twice. Nevertheless it is of record that Codell, Rooks county, Kan., was hit three years in succession on May 25 at the same hour of the day.

The crop of "cyclone stories" is very large every year. The plain truth is that almost anything that is told may as well be believed. There seems to be no limit to the fantastic vagaries of these twisters. For example, here's what an official weather bureau record says, in part:

"The freakish occurrences that result from these storms will tax the credulity of a person who has never seen them. The often recited instances of straws being blown with such violence that they are left sticking in the bark and the wood of a tree or post, have to be seen in order to be appreciated. Chickens are sometimes stripped of their feathers and left alive, though more often they are killed.

"An instance has been related on credible authority of a dresser being smashed to kindling and its mirror being carried some distance and set down against a fence without being cracked; also, of a window sash being blown from a railway depot, which was demolished, and laid down on an adjoining lawn with a heavy iron scale weight on it without the glass being broken.

"One of the remarkable features noted is the number of almost miraculous escapes."

It is easy enough to understand that a house may be "exploded;" the passing twister creates a partial vacuum and the house, if tightly closed, is blown to pieces by the pressure of the air inside it. This vacuum also explains why feathers are pulled off chickens, since the quills contain air. But when wheat straws are driven into a green tree—then it's time to wonder.

United States Treasury Notes

The words "Thesaur: Amer: Septent: Sigil," on every treasury note issued by the government are abbreviated words for "Seal of the Treasury of North America." The Revolutionary government of the United States was continued under the Constitution without any change in some depart-

ments. By an act of the Continental congress of September 28, 1778, the treasury was organized with an auditor, comptroller and treasurer, and the same officers still run the treasury under the secretary and his assistants, and all paper money and bonds have the seal, not of the United States of America, but of the treasury of North America. It was the United States of North America which made treaties with France and Spain in 1778, Benjamin Franklin acting as commissioner for Congress.

Father Youngest of Family Age is trying to get back to the usual respect of the younger generation. There is one eminent exception. London who absolutely refuses to admit that he is any older than his youngest child—and he has many children. The boys and girls of his family "sir" or even "father." He all call him "George." And "George" remembers the youngest, and the most popular of the family.—London Daily Mail.

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Life Was a Misery

Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes: "From the time I entered into womanhood . . . I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. . . . Nothing seemed to help me until, one day, . . . I decided to . . .

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The Woman's Tonic

"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain. . . ."

"It has now been two years since I took Cardui, and I am still in good health. . . . I would advise any woman or girl to use Cardui who is a sufferer from any female trouble."

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All Druggists

Authorizing One and One-Half Per Cent Ad Valorem Tax by Cities and Towns of Five Thousand or Less Population.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12
Proposing an amendment to Section 4 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by increasing the total tax rate that may be levied by cities and towns having a population of five thousand or less than one-fourth of one per cent to not exceeding one and one-half per cent, and making appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 4, Article XI of the Constitution be so amended hereafter to read as follows:
Section 4. Cities and towns having a population of five thousand or less may be chartered alone by general law. They may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law, but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any one year which shall exceed one and one-half per cent of the taxable property of such city; and all taxes shall be collectable only in current money, and all licenses and occupation taxes levied, and all fines, forfeitures and penalties accruing to said cities and towns shall be collectable only in current money.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1920, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment of Section 4, Article XI of the Constitution increasing the total tax rate that may be levied by towns and cities having a population of five thousand or less from one-fourth of one per cent to not exceeding one and one-half per cent of any one year," and all voters opposed to said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment of Section 4, Article XI of the Constitution increasing the total tax rate that may be levied by towns and cities having a population of five thousand or less from one-fourth of one per cent to not exceeding one and one-half per cent of any one year."

Section 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Section 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

C. D. MIMS,
Secretary of State.
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Job work neatly and correctly done at the News Office.

Relating to the Manner of Compensation of Public Officials.

House Joint Resolution No. 7.
A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State by adding to Article 16 thereof a new Section, to be known as Section 60; providing for the compensation of public officials.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That there is hereby added to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, a new Section to be known as Section 60 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which shall read as follows:

Section 60. Compensation of Public Officials: All State, district, county and precinct officers within this State shall receive as compensation for their services a salary, the amount of which, the terms and methods of payment and the fund out of which such payments shall be made, shall be ascertained, declared and fixed by the Legislature from time to time; provided that the Legislature may make such exceptions as it may deem advisable.

This section shall supersede all other provisions of this Constitution fixing and declaring the compensation of officers by salary, fees or otherwise and all provisions for salaries or other compensation for public officials, executive, legislative or judicial.

Section 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to cause to be issued his necessary proclamation for an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1920, at which election this amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection and shall make the publication required by the Constitution and laws of the State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State, and the ballots for said election shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters, the following words:

"Official Ballot" "For the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding thereto Section 60, providing for compensation of public officials." "Against the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding thereto Section 60, providing for compensation of public officials."

Those voters who favor such amendment shall erase by marking a line through the words "Against the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing compensation for public officials." Those who oppose such amendment shall erase by marking a line through them, the words, "For the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing compensation for public officials." And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election.

Section 3. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars or so much thereof as

may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of the proclamation and publication of this amendment and the election to be held hereunder.

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Relating to Taxation by School Districts.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 17
Proposing an amendment to Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by exempting independent and common school districts from the limitation of a total tax of one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution be so amended as hereafter to read as follows: (Creating a new Section 3.)

Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State occupation taxes and a poll tax of one (\$1.00) dollar on every inhabitant of this State, between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools; and in addition thereto, there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such amount not to exceed 35 cents on the hundred (\$100.00) dollars valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public schools of this State for a period of not less than six months each year, and it shall be the duty of the State Board of Education to set aside a sufficient amount out of the said tax to provide free text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of this State; provided, however, that should the limit of taxation herein named be insufficient the deficit may be met by appropriation from the general funds of the State and the Legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general or special law without the local notice required in other cases of special legislation; and all such school districts whether created by general or special law may embrace parts of two or more counties. And the Legislature shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for management and control of the public schools of such districts, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties. And the Legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school districts heretofore formed or hereafter formed, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and the erection and equipment of school buildings thereon; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax-paying voters of the district voting at an election to be held for that purpose, shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts, nor to independent or common school districts created by general or special law.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1920, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the limitation upon the amount of school district tax on one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation shall not apply to independent or common school districts created by general or special law." and all those opposed to said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, "Against the amendment to Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the limitation upon the amount of school district tax on one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation shall not apply to independent or common school districts created by general or special law."

Section 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Section 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

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HAD BRIEF DAY OF FAME

Beautiful Paisley Shawl Achieved Immense Popularity, but Only for a Short Time.

The story of the Paisley shawl—a specimen, I hear, has just been presented to Lady Bonham-Carter—forms one of the shortest and most romantic chapters in the modern history of industry, says a writer in the Westminster Gazette. The manufacture of these beautiful things was begun, reached a great height of prosperity and became extinct in the space of a little over eighty years. No Paisley shawl has been woven since 1880, and none is likely ever to leave the looms again. The shawl had its origin in the ambition of the Paisley weavers to produce on the loom the amazingly elaborate patterns, woven by the needle of the Cashmere shawls that had been sent home from the East by Scottish officers and traders to their women folk.

The Paisley weavers were notable craftsmen, and they produced a shawl which excelled its prototype in beauty of design and richness of color. Their success was the reward of patience, skill, taste and a delicacy of touch which, experts say, has probably never been equaled before or since in the weaving craft. A common price for one of these shawls in the days when they were not a rarity was \$100 and they were worn by women of all classes in Scotland except the very poor. Then fashion decreed that the Paisley shawl should no longer be the mode, and its fate was sealed. Queen Victoria gave the dying industry a new, but brief, lease of life when she bought seventeen of the famous shawls and wore one at the baptism of the prince who was to become King Edward.

Many Species of Asters.

About 120 different species of asters are native in the United States, and 54 of these are found in northeastern America. All but a dozen are purple or blue and even botanists find it requires patient study to distinguish their many species. The New England aster is the most striking of the group. It has a stout, hardy stem, sometimes eight feet high, and large violet-purple and sometimes pinkish flowers, and is found in the swamps in late summer. Great Britain claims only one native aster. Many American species are cultivated in English gardens under the name of Michaelmas daisies. The Swiss species is the beautiful purple aster which is found in such quantities along the New England highways in the autumn, and which, with the goldenrod, makes a radiant display of purple and gold.

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PATHOS IN PLEAS

More Than Humor in Samples of Baboo Writing

Communications Evidently Composed Under Stress—Proposal of Marriage Can Only Be Classed as Remarkable.

Serpents, baboons, tigers and other dangerous and disturbing creatures have not infrequently interfered with the work of progress and improvement in India. The distracted telegram of a baboo station master, asking for instructions in the unpleasant emergency of "tiger dancing on platform," has long been a stock anecdote. He was certainly excusable for being rather upset in his mind and in his English.

The recent plea of a baboo office clerk, addressed to the head of the firm whose son, a confirmed dog-lover, had been recently put in charge, had less to justify its urgency—yet there are many who will sympathize.

"If this office will be continuously infested by sprightly canines with penchant for eating legs," he wrote, "how shall work be performed to honor's satisfaction? I beseech with honor relegate the friend of man to house and home, where noxious behavior will be suitably admired."

The gentleman who reports this choice gem adds another, less recent, but equally characteristic:

"Office cat, by reason of rats, daily growing lean," he notified his superior, "Will superintendent please increase the contingent allowance for her return to stoutness?"

Here is a fine example of baboo, and a proposal of marriage, too:

"Dear sir—It is with faltering penmanship that I write to have communication with you about the prospective condition of your damsel offspring.

"For some remote time to past a secret passion has been firing my bosom internally with loving for your daughter. I have navigated every channel in the magnitude of my extensive jurisdiction to cruelly smother the growing love-knot that is being constructed in my within side, but the timid lamp of affection trimmed by Cupid's productive hands still nourishes my love-sick heart. Needless would it be for me to numerically extemporize the great configuration that has been generated in my head and heart. During the region of rightness my intellectual cranium has been entangled in thoughtful attitude after my beloved consort. Nocturnal slumberlessness has been the infirmity which has beset my now degenerate constitution. My educational capabilities have abandoned me, and I now cling to those lovely tresses of your much-coveted daughter like a mariner shipwrecked on the rock of love. As to my scholastic career, I was recently ejected from Calcutta university. I am of lofty and original lineage and of independent incomes, and hoping that having debated this proposition in your preoccupied mind you will concordantly corroborate in espousing your female progeny to my tender bosom and thereby acquire me into your family circle. Your dutiful son-in-law."

Move for Sound Currency.

How the great volume of European currency, unsecured by gold or real estate, is to be reduced is illustrated by what is taking place in Czechoslovakia now, says the Milwaukee Journal. This is one of the new states carved out of the old Austro-Hungarian empire. It inherited from the old empire its share of inflated war money—more than 8,000,000,000 crowns, worth in the old days about 20 cents each, but whose present value is around one cent. Czechoslovakia realizes that its money must have more value. So in the recent reorganization of its financial system all of the old money was called in and new money issued.

But the volume of new money is 28 per cent less than the old, and the state cannot increase this except by providing adequate security (gold, silver, bonds, commercial paper, warehouse receipts, etc.) upon which to base the issue. Further, plans have been made to withdraw from circulation another 1,500,000,000 crowns.

Girls Invade the Navy.

And now the women want to join the navy, too, observes the *NASA World*.

Officers of the local recruiting station received the shock of their lives lately when two fair ladies of this city applied at the station for enlistment in the navy. They declared that they wanted to see the world and that they considered the navy as the best place for their pursuit as Uncle Sam paid all the travelling expenses.

When Chief Roth told them that no yeomanettes were being enlisted now as there is no war on, they left the office, saying that they would be back just as soon as another war broke out.

Psychology Again to the Rescue.

"Clothes do not make the man," remarked the ready-made philosopher.

"Let us hope for the best," rejoined Miss Cayenne. "Perhaps some of the society lads who are putting on overalls will be psychologically influenced to attempt a regular day's work."

English Like O. Henry's Works.

O. Henry is a favorite author in England. The English publishers of his works recently reported that the total sales through them amounted to 600,000 copies.

WHY

Costly Funerals Are Welcomed in China

In China every item of expense is welcomed by relatives of a dead person. Indeed, it is a mark of great regard for the dead parent should a Chinese contract enormous debt in the administration of the last rites.

A truly good son will effect enough debts to keep him a slave to the memory of his dead parent for years. The funeral must be accompanied with all the pomp the son can afford for borrow. Not only must the funeral of the father or mother be pompous, but the oldest son of the family must also maintain the honor of his ancestors and spend all the worldly goods he has accumulated to take care of such grave hills as he can claim belonging to those ancestors.

As a result of the obligation of reverence to the dead New Year's day is set for the annual visit to the graveyard by the family. In most cases it is the occasion of a family reunion far and wide to join in the ceremony. For days prior to the time their carts and wheelbarrows can be seen in long procession along the narrow roads. At night the squeaking of the vehicles, never greased, sings a funeral dirge.

When the family is assembled in the town nearest the graveyard, the oldest man leads the procession to the dirt hill under which his father rests. Long prayers, in which the son accuses himself of not being worthy of his parent and asks the father's aid in combating the evil spirits that follow a Chinese on his every step; an offering of rice, dried fruit and fish follows, and finally a bunch of "money paper" is placed under a clod of dirt on the pinnacle of the pyramidal hill. "Money paper" is a fine tissue specially made for ancestral worship. It is supposed to help the deceased to obtain favors and small comforts from the good spirits of the other world.

MAKE QUICK TRIP TO WORK

How Miners in Tennessee "Ride the Rail" Down Long and Steep Mountain Side.

The miners of the Inman coal district of Tennessee live on the mountain side, a long distance from the shaft openings of the mine in which they work. How they contrive to invent a process to reach the mine in the valley below speedily and without fatigue is quite an interesting story.

One day some clever fellow discovered that a mule shoe would fit over the top of the T-rail that marked the course of the railway.

The next step was to attach a short board and then slip the mountain rail sled over the track. Then all the miner had to do was to sit down, pick up his feet and transport himself and dinner pail down the mountain to work.

Early any morning the stranger can see the miners come along with their mule-shoe toboggans, calmly take a seat and begin to descend. A pick handle, a stick or even the boot serves as a brake to regulate the speed of the sled. Sometimes two daring coal diggers will race on opposite rails from top to bottom. But generally they take the trip carefully in order not to interfere with the rights of the road that may belong to a neighbor in front of or behind them.

Why Drink Water With Meals?

Contrary to a long-standing theory, water taken with meals is now recommended. For years it has been taught that water should not be drunk with meals, because such a procedure weakens the secretion of gastric juice, also that digestion would be delayed or inhibited. But it has now been proved that the drinking of water with meals stimulates the secretion of gastric juice, and that it causes inhibition of the growth of intestinal bacteria, that it produces an improved liver function, that it decreases intestinal putrefaction, and that it enables the food to be utilized more economically; further, the saliva acts more efficiently as an amylolytic agent when diluted with water. For all these reasons we may infer that it is beneficial to drink water with meals.

Why Corks Are Best Stoppers.

The ancients kept their wines in casks, and it was drawn off as wanted. When bottles first came into use, a primitive material used as stoppers consisted of the root of liquorice, which was cut and formed to the shape of corks. These roots are still often used in this country for the making of bottle stoppers, and it was not till the manufacture of glassware became general that the practice arose of storing wine in bottles, and then the value of cork as a stopper for bottles became generally acknowledged. Thence came the saying, "This wine is corked"—meaning it tastes of the cork. Imperviousness to air and water is a rare quality which cork possesses over any other known material, and it conveys no disagreeable taste or flavor to the liquid.

Why Tea Leaves Remove Stains.

Painted wood marked and stained may be cleaned with tea leaves. After the tea has been made and used, take the leaves from the pot and place in a basin. Pour boiling water over them and let them remain in this for ten minutes. Dip a clean piece of flannel in the liquid and rub over the stained places. When the marks have been removed the surface should be rubbed with a dry cloth and an application of liquid vaseline applied. Rub this in so the final effect is not greasy.

Choose the Beautiful Way.

Three blessed are they who are pleasant to live with. They are a blessing to themselves to those with whom they live, and to the world at large. Along this line a thoughtful writer has said most truly: "There is a beautiful and an ugly way in which to say almost everything, and happiness depends on which way we take. You can upset a person for a whole day by the harsh way in which you may call him in the morning, or you may give him a beautiful start by the cheerfulness of your greeting. So not only in the words, but in all the little common courtesies and duties of life, think of the beautiful way of doing each."

He Had the Dough.

Mr. Blinks—Here's a \$75 millinery bill I've just paid, another instance that a fool and his money soon part.

Mrs. Blinks—I know, dear, but just think how fortunate it is that you are one of those who have money.—Boston Transcript.

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CARE OF PLANTS IN HOME

Methods to Be Followed If One Would Keep Them Always Looking Their Best.

The housewife need have no more withered house plants, if she will exercise a moderate amount of judgment in their care.

The best plan to follow in watering a plant is to wait until the surface is dry to the depth of half an inch. Then pour water over it, until it reaches the saucer. Do not water again until the surface is dry.

To keep ferns fresh and growing, set the fern dish in a pan of water coming about half an inch above the top of the dish. The plants should be kept in the water for about twenty minutes every other day. Sprinkle the foliage profusely with tepid water and drain thoroughly.

A remedy for the plant louse and the red spider is a tablespoonful of extract of nicotine added to a gallon of water. The aphids and mealy bug are destroyed by dipping the foliage in strong soap suds. Fir-tree oil is the best remedy for scale, which attacks such smooth-leaved plants as ivy and palms.

PIANO REPAYS PROPER CARE

Extremes of Heat and Cold Must Be Avoided, Also Both Dryness and Humidity.

A piano should be carefully guarded against extremes of heat and cold, dryness and humidity. Never place a piano on the exposed outer wall of the house. In winter keep it away from radiators, and in summer from open windows, where the sunshine will crack the varnish.

Remove the footboards and rub a very soft lead pencil over the place where the friction occurs, to stop squeaking.

In cleaning the keys, care should be taken that the cloth is not too wet, and only a few keys should be cleaned at a time, drying them at once. Use a toothpick with a piece of soft linen over it to remove the dust at the back of the keys.

The most opportune time to have the instrument tuned is in the spring after the furnace is out and soon after the fires are started in the fall, because the change in temperature will put it out of tune. The piano should not be left silent too long, as disuse will have a harmful effect on the tone.

Sea Water for Salt.

The use of salt for seasoning and preserving food is so ancient that the earliest written records refer to it. For many centuries practically all the salt used by the human race was produced by the evaporation of sea water. This method of obtaining salt is still employed in many localities where the conditions are favorable. A flat stretch of sea coast and a hot and dry climate are necessary if salt is to be gotten from sea water. An ideal locality for this industry is the coast on the Bay of Cadiz, Spain. The sea water is allowed to collect in shallow basins. As the water evaporates the various salts crystallize out and form a crust. The edible salt crystallizes out first and is drained from the other salts, which are gathered in large piles where the occasional rains and the sun help to wash and dry out the impurities. A considerable part of the crude salt is used locally for curing and pickling and the remainder is shipped to refineries.

The Fish Was Drowned.

The yarn of the frozen fish which came to life when placed in the cooking pot by the V. A. D. was told to a naval officer, who promptly capped the tale with the following: "An interesting experiment was tried some little time ago," he said, "with an ordinary herring. The fish was put into a large bowl of salt water, and every day a small quantity of the water was removed, and an equal quantity of 'fresh' was substituted, until eventually the fish lived and thrived in purely fresh water. The owner was so pleased with the success of his experiment that he then tried removing a very small quantity of water daily until the bowl was empty, and found that the herring did excellently entirely without water, and as he was so lively in the empty bowl, he had to put him in a cage. Here he lived happily, hopping from perch to perch, just like a bird, until one day some sudden noise startled him, and he fell into his water trough and—was drowned."

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CLINTON IS TRAPPED.

SYNOPSIS.—Alighting from a train at Denver a traveler is greeted as "Will" by an elderly lady and gentleman, who stop their auto to speak. He introduces himself as "Richard Clinton," on his way to the coast. The lady, introducing herself as Mrs. Kirkland, invites him to dinner, explaining the action by his truly remarkable resemblance to a friend. At the Kirkland home he meets a young lady who greets him as her fiancée. She is Ellen Kirkland, and becomes hysterical at his assertion that he is a Richard Clinton. At dinner Clinton learns that his host is a medical specialist and that he is believed to be Will Lowrie, a young man who had been suffering from a nervous breakdown and had gone to the Lowrie home, the value of \$100,000, belonging to the bank where he was employed, which have disappeared and of which he has no recollection. With Doctor Kirkland Clinton goes to the Lowrie home, where he is satisfied that Amy Lowrie, Will's sister, will convince Clinton he is really Lowrie, suffering from loss of memory. Amy declares at once he is her brother, and insists on treating him as such, to his great embarrassment. Ellen and Amy try in vain to convince Clinton he is Will Lowrie. They manage, however, to prevent his going. Bemm, a suitor of Amy and an agent of the bank, moves in the matter of the missing bonds. Bemm wants Amy to marry him as the price of shielding Will in the bond matter. Amy goes to Clinton at night to tell him about Bemm and make him brush her hair. Clinton temporarily convinces her he is not her brother. He starts to leave Denver and is arrested. He declares they are all crazy—or there is a conspiracy. Doctor Kirkland secures his release. Bemm shows his hand and Clinton kicks him out. The "Chocolate Soldier."

CHAPTER X—Continued.

She flung herself upon his breast, and he turned his head to ward off her kiss and Amy blew a kiss down the side of his neck.

Dr. Kirkland observed his criminal face, and came to his rescue. "Get up, girls, that will do. He must be agitated. If he is hungry—" "I'll see if luncheon is served," exclaimed Amy, and she darted from the room.

Clinton rose and transferred Ellen's hand from his neck to his elbow. "At least I still retain my normal appearance," he observed.

"That is a great deal, dear boy," said Mrs. Kirkland. "It shows that you have fully regained your physical health. A little psychological treatment will soon restore your mental balance, as well."

Then, a few minutes later, Doctor Kirkland came in upon them at the luncheon table, the four were conversing as gaily as if none had ever had a doubt and apprehension. The physician entered briskly, nodded to Clinton in his genial manner, and explained his presence with a casual: "On my way to the sanitarium. Thought I'd stop by for a bite of lunch. My dear, would you mind excusing me if I may call on the girls and Will to excuse us."

Mrs. Kirkland followed him from the room with an air of composure that vanished the moment he closed the door behind her.

"What you must do something—at once," she urged. "He is worse, far worse."

"It appears to me to be quite rational," replied her husband.

"But before that—such queer behavior, laughter, hysteria—after the manner that so frightened Ellen."

"This makes it doubly necessary. His attack on Bemm—"

"Charles!—he attacked Charles?"

"Yes, I had a telephone call from the headquarters just as I was leaving the office. Couldn't quite make out. But I gather that Bemm was arrested—Will had so angered him that he complained to our official physician. I agreed."

"You send him to jail!—you agreed to that?" protested Mrs. Kirkland, horrified.

"The official friend may have understood it that way."

"But you?"

"The sanitarium he will be even better than in jail, and will receive the treatment so necessary for his recovery," explained her husband. "If I can get him to the bank will accept my argument that it is to their interest for him to remain there."

The little housemaid appeared in the doorway. "Excuse me, ma'am. Mrs. Kirkland had the yellow envelope open in a twinkling. He explained her husband. "If I can get him to the bank will accept my argument that it is to their interest for him to remain there."

"Yes," agreed her husband. "Now that this proves we were not mistaken, I confess there have been several times when, had it not been for my knowledge of dual personality, I might have doubted. Truly the changes superinduced by dissociation are marvelous! In his real self, Will is absolutely honorable, straightforward, honest. Yet it is evident he secreted the bonds, sold or obtained a loan on them, and deposited the money in Chicago. I have it from Bemm. He has information from a friend in the bank."

"You cannot mean that Will actually—took the bonds?"

"Not knowingly. Evidently, in his dazed condition when the change of personality occurred, his first and only idea with regard to the bonds was to raise money on them and take a trip to California."

"You are so profound, Karl! Your deductive logic is simply wonderful!"

"Hardly that, my dear. These cases are simple, when one has the key. The difficulty is to induce him to— Ah! I have it—that case of hyperaesthesia. The girls know her."

"You mean Annie Searle? It is hardly more than a speaking acquaintance."

"That is quite sufficient. Come." He returned to the luncheon table, brisk, genial, and dominating—"What still at it? Sweetheart, there's a friend of yours at the sanitarium. You remember Annie Searle. She has asked for you. Might do her good to see you."

"Poor Annie!" responded Amy with ready sympathy. "If I can cheer her up . . . But to leave Will—"

"We might all go," suggested Mrs. Kirkland.

"Clap on your hats, girls, and you also, my dear, while I take my milk and a sandwich," directed the physician.

CHAPTER XI.

Caged.

As Mrs. Kirkland chose the seat beside her husband, Clinton was required to make one of the three in the tonneau, and the girls saw to it that he sat between them.

The visitors were shown into a refreshingly cool waiting room, and the ladies sent up their cards to the parlor.



"Are You Deaf? I Am Going Down."

tient they had come to see. Presently a pleasant young nurse, with the dress and manners of a social secretary, came down to say that Miss Searle was at home and would be delighted to see Miss Lowrie.

"Only me?" exclaimed Amy.

The nurse looked at Doctor Kirkland. He considered, and spoke to his wife: "Amy alone may prove too exciting for her. She needs the quieting influence of yourself and Ellen. Go to her door and pretend to take leave of Amy. When she sees you are not coming in, she will insist that you make her a call."

"But Will, papa?" objected Ellen.

"You have to visit your patients. He may find it tedious waiting here alone."

"I shall show him about. He will enjoy looking over the institution," replied the physician with his usual incisiveness.

Mrs. Kirkland had at once started to accompany the nurse. The girls reluctantly followed her. Doctor Kirkland led Clinton away in the opposite direction. After conducting him through the offices, he took him up to the enclosed roof garden, where several vivacious, fashionably dressed persons were strolling about in the bright sunshine, each in company with a melancholy companion. The situation required no explanation.

On the second floor Dr. Kirkland led him into an unoccupied room facing the side street. It had a private bath and was otherwise furnished with conveniences to satisfy the most fastidious taste. The physician closed the

door and signed to Clinton to listen. From above came a faint, almost inaudible sound.

"That is a patient in the room above," he explained. "She is shrieking in an hysterical paroxysm. I told you our walls are sound proof. That is not absolutely the case, as you hear."

"But virtually so," said Clinton. "One never would imagine that a woman is screaming less than ten feet away."

"There is a special manner of deadening the walls and windows," explained the physician. "Otherwise we could not keep our supersensitive patients in the same building with those subject to noisy outbursts. Our arrangements are so perfect that many persons came here simply for relaxation and quiet. This room is one reserved for the use of such guests—I can hardly call them patients."

"It is an ideal room," remarked Clinton.

The physician beamed upon him. "I'm glad to hear you say that, my boy. What do you say to taking it yourself for a few days?"

"Why not? You could keep secluded, and escape all this annoyance over your identity. Am I right in surmising that even the attentions of the girls are not altogether agreeable to you?"

"I am not so sure as to that," replied Clinton. "I cannot say that I have found it so very unpleasant being with my—sister."

The physician's look became grave. "I did not wish to speak of a disagreeable subject. The fact is the bank officials are not altogether satisfied with the arrangement by which you were placed in my—charge. If I can say that you are here under treatment, they may be willing to wait a reasonable time while we are straightening out this muddle."

"They still threaten me with punishment!" exclaimed Clinton, his eyes flashing with quick anger. "I shall go to the bank and tell them to try it!"

"You will do nothing of the kind," genially contradicted the physician, and he laid a sympathetic hand on the young man's shoulder. "Consider your friends."

"Friends?"

"Even if you should prove to be what you claim, do you imagine we would cease to think of you as a friend?"

Clinton grasped the other's chubby hand. "It is most kind of you to say it, doctor!"

"The simple truth, my boy. I know you will stay, to oblige me. Pardon me a moment. I wish to inquire about a patient."

He left the room in his usually brisk manner. Clinton selected a magazine from a pile on the neat little writing table and sat down in an easy chair. Noiselessly an attendant reached in and closed the door behind him without attracting his attention.

He read an article, tossed the magazine aside, and looked around. Dr. Kirkland had not returned. He yawned, rose, sauntered across the room, and opened the door. In a moment he found himself confronted by an attendant, who planted himself in the doorway, hand to cap and a smile on his good-humored, resolute face.

"You called, sir?"

"No," said Clinton. "I am going down to the waiting room."

The man did not move out of the doorway. Clinton advanced a half step and said sharply: "Are you deaf? I am going down. Step aside."

"Beg pardon, sir," respectfully replied the attendant. "Dr. Kirkland wished me to tell you that he preferred you should keep in your room."

Clinton measured the man with a swift glance. There could be no mistaking the athletic ease of the fellow's poise. Yet he stood with hands down. An upercut to the chin, followed by a straight drive, might put him out of the way. Clinton tensed for the attack—and did not make it. Three other male attendants had appeared in the corridor behind their fellow employee. To attack would only result in the humiliation of certain defeat. The mere knowledge of this fact was quite sufficiently humiliating. Clinton flushed crimson with chagrin.

"You have the odds on your side," he muttered.

"Yes, sir. I trust you will not hold it against us personally, sir."

The respectful, good-natured reply tended to mollify the prisoner.

"That depends," he said. "I wish to see Dr. Kirkland."

"I'm afraid, sir, he won't be through with his calls for half an hour. But just as soon—"

"Then tell Miss Lowrie I wish to see her—alone."

The man looked his surprise. Clinton hesitated, and explained: "Dr. Kirkland will understand. I wish to take leave of my—sister before she leaves."

"Beg pardon, sir. Your sister—Miss Lowrie—very good, sir. The matter shall be attended to at once."

Clinton faced about and returned to his chair. The man quietly closed the door.

Several minutes passed. Clinton had frowned when he glanced about and

noted the closed door. He was now pacing uneasily to and fro across the room.

As he made the turn near the door it swung open. He stopped short. The athletic attendant glanced in and promptly drew back. Amy darted past him into the room and clasped Clinton's hand.

"Dear brother, what is it?" she asked. "We were waiting. Mrs. Kirkland is with a friend. Why didn't you come down? Why did you send for us?"

Over her shoulder he shot an angry glance at the attendant. "I sent only for you," he replied.

"Amy!" murmured Ellen, stopping short just within the door. "That look in his eyes! Be—be careful, dear, else he may again—"

She faltered at sight of his frown. He replied ironically: "Yes, be careful. The maniac has been trapped. He is in a cage; therefore he must be dangerous."

"Will!" she protested.

He ignored her, to gaze down into Amy's distressed face. "I asked the privilege of speaking with you—alone."

He started across the room with Amy. Ellen hesitated, glanced about at the alert attendant, and slowly followed. Clinton met her gaze of timid appeal with cold antagonism.

"If you will pardon me, Miss Kirkland," he remarked, "this is getting to be rather too much of a farce. Everything that I say or do is distorted by your deluded fancy into all sorts of strange meanings. Is it not enough that your father has very adroitly trapped me—"

"Hush, dear," reproved Amy. "Can't you see how you are hurting her?"

"I wish I could be brutal," he irritably rejoined. "It might force her to realize that I cannot be her fiancé."

"Nothing can do that, dearest," murmured Ellen.

"Besides, there's the telegram," added Amy.

"What telegram?" he queried.

"Mamma told us," replied Ellen. "It came to papa when we were all at luncheon."

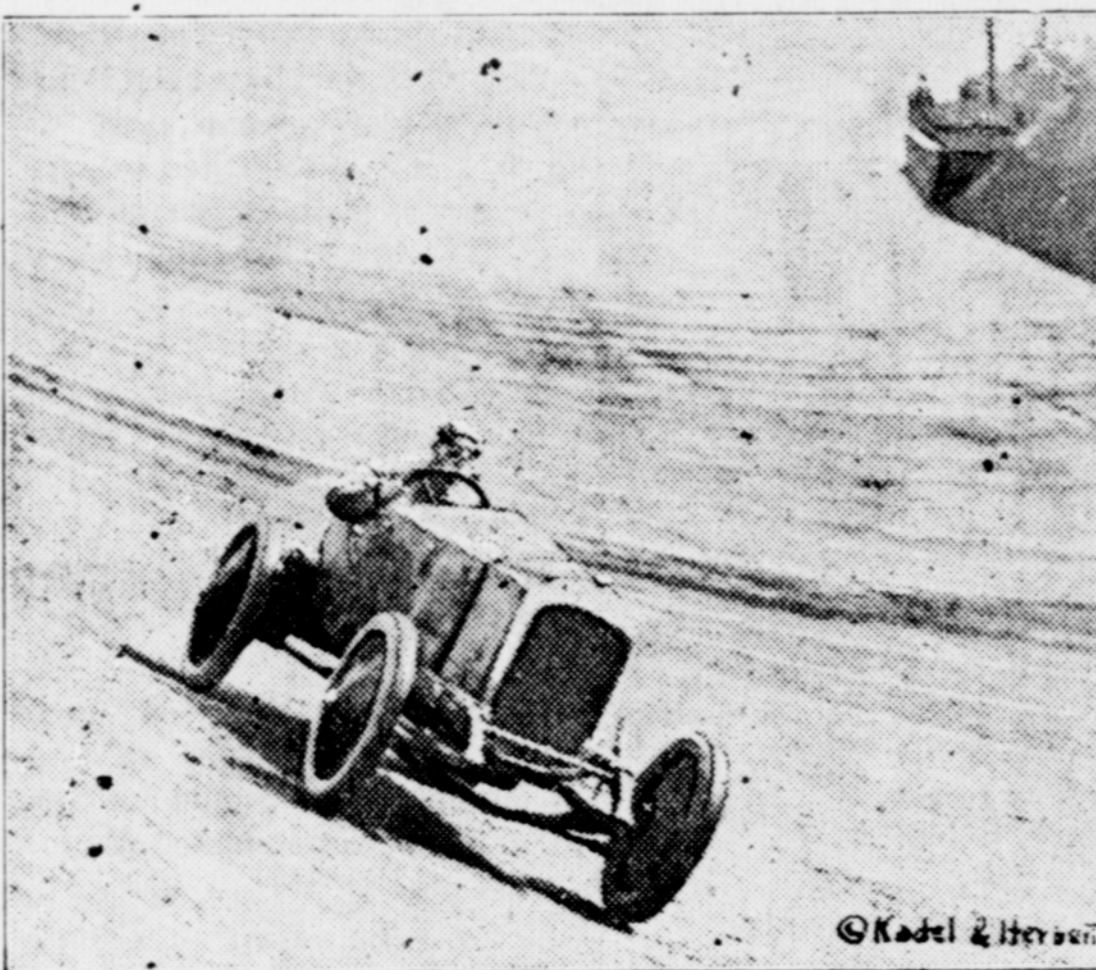
"And it proved that you are you!" exclaimed Amy. "You needn't scowl, old beakins, because it does. It tells how you escaped to Chicago, and there the superintendent lost all trace of you. That was when this change of personality came on you. So when you found yourself—not your real, but your new self—with all the bonds, you thought they were yours, and put them in a bank and started for California. Isn't that plain?"

"Very. Only, as it happens, I opened my Chicago bank account several months ago."

Ellen looked at Amy and nodded. "He forgets what papa says about retrogressive time memory in some cases of dissociation."

Clinton flushed with exasperation. "Miss Kirkland, permit me to express my conviction that your father has made an unmitigated—owl of himself."

NEW 45 PER CENT BANKED MOTOR TRACK



An auto racetrack just recently completed at Brooklands, is banked at some of the turns as much as 45 degrees. It is re-enforced with strips of concrete and inlaid wood, which helps considerably to make the track fast.

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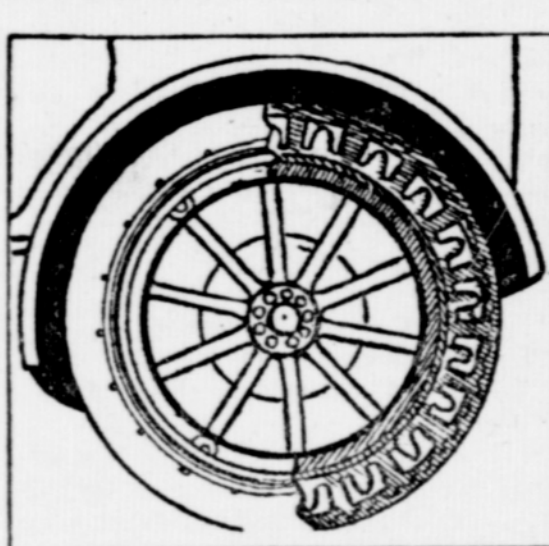
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Made Up of Oblong Cells With Rounded Corners and in Each Cell is Cone of Rounded Rubber—Proof Against Punctures.

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Tire, its right half opened, showing the system of air cells and cones that make it puncture-proof, yet resilient.

toward the center of the wheel and its rounded point toward the outer circumference. When the weight at a given point exceeds that which the thick walls will carry the point of the cone comes into play. As the pressure increases a greater area of the cone comes into play.

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PRESERVING FINISH OF HOOD Particularly Important That Bonnet Be Wiped Dry After Being Out in Storm.

It is a well recognized fact that the finish on the hood dulls before that of the rest of the car, due mainly to the extremes of temperature which the hood has to undergo. It is a very good plan to wipe off the hood when you get back into the garage after a run in the rain, because the water dries on the hood metal very rapidly, due to the warmth, and the drops are almost sure to spot, in time gradually dulling the finish.

STORAGE BATTERIES

- Don't overcharge battery or discharge it at too high a rate.
- Don't let battery stand discharged.
- Don't let acid fall below top of plates.
- Don't short circuit battery.
- Don't use anything but distilled water for refilling.
- Don't use commercial acid—buy storage battery electrolyte.
- Don't allow metal tools to come in contact with battery.
- Don't allow acid to spill over the top of battery.
- Don't keep battery in cold, damp room.
- Don't allow battery jars to come in contact with each other.
- Don't let the e. m. f. of some cells fall below that of others.
- Don't let connections get loose.

CANADA IS IN SECOND PLACE

Ranks Next to United States in Number of Cars Built and Owned—Employs 15,000 Workers.

Canada now ranks second among the countries of the world in the number of automobiles manufactured and owned and the number per capita, according to statistics furnished by the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Akron.

Canada's automotive industry employs 15,000 workers, represents an investment of \$50,000,000 and turns out \$100,000,000 worth of cars a year. A total of 94,000 cars were built last year.

Latest registration records show 350,000 motor vehicles in operation in the dominion, an increase of 13 per cent over 1918. One person in every twenty-three owns a car in Canada. In this country the proportion is one motor vehicle owned for every sixteen persons.

PLAN TO SAVE TIRE CHAINS

Good Idea to Shift Cross Links Occasionally to Properly Distribute Wear and Tear.

It is a good idea to shift the cross links of the tire chains occasionally. Move them so that they do not depend on the same link of the main chain all the time. The drag and wear in the chain center at the links to which the cross chains are fastened is considerable, and by moving from time to time the wear is distributed.

AVTOMOBILE PAINTS

Don't leave your car with the engine running.

Unless you wish to crack the leather, do not use gasoline in cleaning it.

A single stray strand of wire may produce a ground which will stall the engine.

Chains that are adjusted too tight will tear the casing—they should be loose enough to creep.

A dust cover made of unbleached muslin, large enough to cover the car with the top up, is a good investment.

The average car owner hates the job of cleaning the springs and yet this ought to be carried out regularly.

The car owner who does considerable of his own repair work will find a spool of spring wire a great convenience.

The best packing for use in the water pump glands is either wicking, lead and graphite, or waterproof asbestos.

The chains are practically always used in wet weather and care is necessary to keep them from getting rusty. The chains should always be dried off before they are returned to the tool box after use.

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Lubbock, Texas
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J. W. ELLIOTT.
For County Tax Assessor:
HANSFORD TUNNELL.
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S. W. SANFORD, (re-election)
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For Public Weigher:
R. C. WOOD, (Re-election.)
For Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 1:
I. P. METCALF.

Bledsoe Will Give Support to Neff

LUBBOCK, TEXAS, July 29.—Senator W. H. Bledsoe, Thomason's right-hand man in this section, in a statement to-day says: "I cannot give my support to Mr. Bailey, I cannot agree with him on issues involved in this campaign. I cannot indorse his fight on the National Administration and shall, therefore give my support and urge my friends to support Mr. Neff."

Every person who voted for Thomason and Looney in Saturday's primary, should vote for Neff in the primary of August 28.

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Every Democrat in Texas should vote for Pat. Neff in the second Primary instead of Bailey

Bailey has repudiated the Democratic platform from start to finish, and is not pledged to support the nominees of the party.

He was badly defeated when he tried to repudiate National Democracy and would it not be a shame in our great Democratic Texas to put a man at its head who is opposed to everything the Democrats stand for?

If you vote for Bailey you ought by all means vote for Harding.

Cox believes in the same things Wilson believes in and Bailey has said he would not vote for any man who indorsed Wilson

Therefore if you are going to vote for a Democratic president, you should also vote for a Democratic Governor.

For this and many other reasons every red blooded Democrat should support Pat Neff in the second primary.

A Wilderness Establishment.

Sam Cook is the keeper of a stopping place at Rocky Lake on the main winter trail in the Pas in Manitoba to the Flin Flon mining country. He supplies shelter for man and beast—but no provender. Horse and dog teams transport their own feed. For the human travelers the Cook establishment provides dishes, water and fire only, the visitors doing their own cooking. If there is any food left, the travelers usually leave it for their host. Cook keeps a set of books of a sort and these show that since November last 1,600 freight teams, that is, horse-drawn outfits, and 1,500 dog teams have passed his place, and 932 men used his roof as shelter overnight. Cook collects 25 cents for each traveler that uses his cooking utensils. He says that business is looking so good as the result of the mining development that he is going to erect a much larger stopping place this summer, including a stable capable of giving shelter to 100 horses.

He Came Back.

I am employed in an attorney's office. One afternoon he was leaving for his golf club and not wanting to miss his train by waiting to lunch, sent me for some sandwiches, writes a correspondent. When I returned the switchboard operator told me he had left and apparently forgot the sandwiches. So I ate them. I had just finished eating them when he returned for his sandwiches. What followed was my most embarrassing moment.

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S. N. McDaniel, manager of the West Texas Gin Company, renews his subscription to the News twelve months.
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Haynes, parents of the editor, were guests of the family Saturday and Sunday.
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WHEN A TYPHOON HITS GUAM
Island Makes a Small Target, but Storm Center Has Found It All Too Frequently.
Typhoons sometimes visit the island of Guam and are very destructive in the path of the center. The Asiatic typhoons originate near Guam, but unless the center passes directly over the island the effect is not serious. As the island is small this does not often happen. But did happen in July, 1918, with disastrous results. The loss of life was fortunately slight, but the damage otherwise was great, consisting in the unroofing or total destruction of many habitations (Government house lost a third of its roof), the loss of all crops and the uprooting of or serious injury to all trees, especially coconut and fruit trees.
These typhoons are rotary storms which have a motion of translation as well. Their coming can be foretold some hours in advance by an increasing wind with falling barometer, and by the direction of the wind and the appearance of the clouds. The center is a calm area of some miles in diameter, with very low barometer, causing the sea to rise abnormally within this low-pressure area. Around this center the wind is whirling at a terrible rate. It works up gradually to a maximum as the center draws near, and then falls abruptly to calm.

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Both Men and Women Said to Appreciate the Viewpoint Put Forward by Authors.
Women who are giving greater importance to woman's sphere are discerning readers of fiction, says the New York Evening Post. This is the conclusion drawn by James Hay, Jr., after careful observation, and it would probably meet with some skepticism on the part of people who think that fiction serves mainly to amuse. He writes in a recent publication that he long ago discovered that certain men and women "appreciate new viewpoints, had the knack of defending with facts and plays of fancy their own opinions, had their favorite sports, flowers and colors, and pleased you with their eagerness to hear of any new thing touching their recreation or work—and that such men and women had in large measure developed their own striking personalities through intimate intercourse with the unusual characters whom great writers had found to be worth writing about." These people, by reading fiction, had put their hands on the motives of men, while others depended for their knowledge of life and of men and women on their own experience—and remained "alien to the world's great dreamers."

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Mr. and Mrs. Guy King, of Abilene, are here this week visiting relatives and friends.
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wells left yesterday to visit Mrs. Wells' brother who resides at Throckmorton.
Mrs. G. W. Harrison returned Saturday from a visit with her son, Jesse Harrison, of Wilson.

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For the last corner the bone.—French proverb.

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Summer's Gay Valedictories



AFTER a summer that has proved to be the background for a panorama of colorful frocks, mildly gay and alluringly beautiful as most of them are, one might expect a farewell that forgets to be bright. But new arrivals for late summer are not at all sedate. The all-white frock and white with a little black introduced make their usual and expected entry but not to the exclusion of color. Yellow in many beautiful tones, including pumpkin and chamolis and many shades between, is favored in beguiling little dresses for late summer and with them girdles of black ribbon and other touches of black, seem placed to better advantage than ever. This touch of black belongs to yellow and the usual white finish at neck and sleeves merely adds to its beauty.

Some women prefer sheer silk materials for their summer finery and late summer models are presented in crepe-de-chine and georgette as well as in sheer cottons. Examples of both silk and cotton appear side by side above in two late arrivals. At the left an organdie in light yellow is shown and it would be successful in any color. These dresses reveal once more that there continues a choice between the slim silhouette and bouffant skirts. The organdie chooses the latter, achieving this style by means of tiers of narrow flounces set on at each side of a somewhat full skirt. The bodice has a deep yoke and elbow sleeves cut kimono style, with its lower part joined to them with horizontal lines. Points of lace, set in at the front and back redeem its utter simplicity with an interesting detail. The sleeves are finished with a narrow hemstitched edge and organdie makes the girle.

Light pink georgette lends its lulling charm to the soft, summery frock at the right and narrow tucks with bands of open work make its very simple and very effective decoration. It is made with a tunic, which accounts perhaps for its normal waistline in a day when the long waistline is much admired, and its sleeves are longer than sleeves have been, being a little more than three-quarter length.

Last Word in Summer Frocks

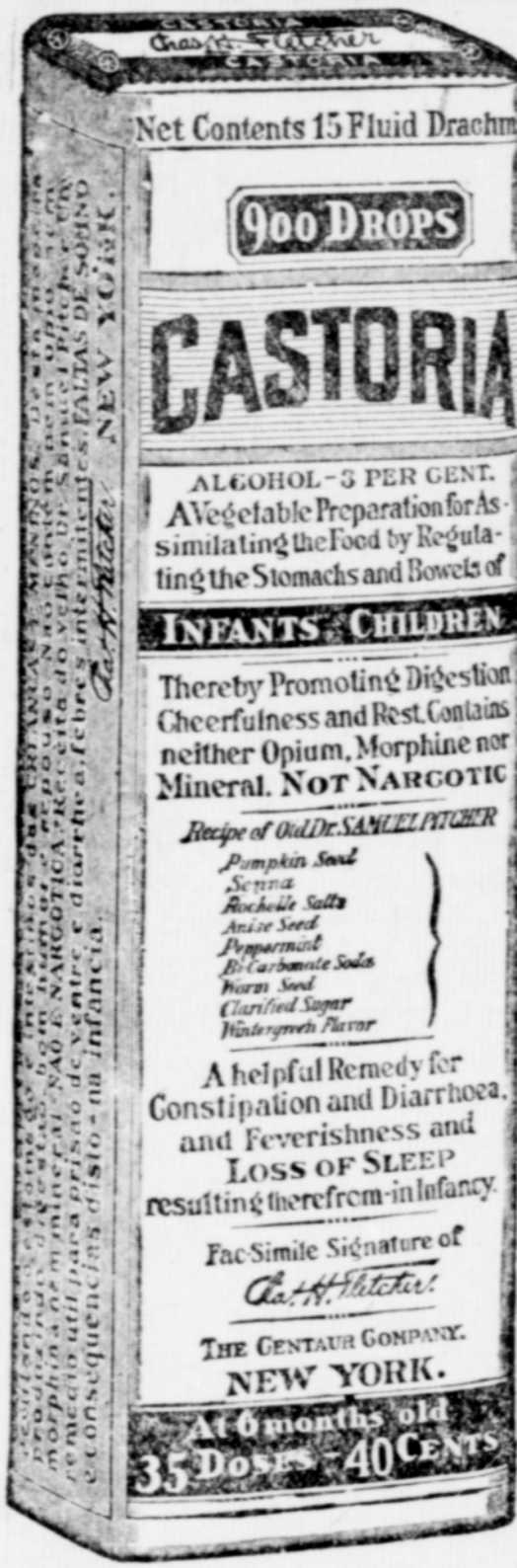


THE story of summer frocks draws toward its close and it has been an intricate and much-embroidered tale. Will this furor for embroideries hold over in fall styles or will it give place to some other forms of elaboration or will we return to the simple life and affect plain frocks? No one except the powers that design behind the scenes is able to make a guess, but here is a late summer gown without a vestige of embroidery or it. All that is left of the endlessly ingenious stitchery that has adorned everything this summer, is a mere trace of it in five rows of stitching at the bottom of a very long smock—or is it a coat.

But the model shown above is a late summer dress—not even a straw in the wind for autumn. It is a pretty affair in a soft silk, maybe crepe-de-chine or something equally supple having a plain and comfortably wide skirt with a four-inch hem headed with a group of four narrow tucks. The interesting things about the overgarment are the plaited skirt of it set onto a plain

Julia Bottomly

For Parasols. Embroidered raffine is a smart fabric for parasols these days.



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Children Cry For



Special Care of Baby.

That Baby should have a bed of its own all are agreed. Yet it is more reasonable for an infant to sleep with grown-ups than to use a man's medicine in an attempt to regulate the delicate organism of that same infant. Either practice is to be shunned. Neither would be tolerated by specialists in children's diseases.

Your Physician will tell you that Baby's medicine must be prepared with even greater care than Baby's food.

A Baby's stomach when in good health is too often disarranged by improper food. Could you for a moment, then, think of giving to your ailing child anything but a medicine especially prepared for Infants and Children? Don't be deceived.

Make a mental note of this:—It is important, Mothers, that you should remember that to function well, the digestive organs of your Baby must receive special care. No Baby is so abnormal that the desired results may be had from the use of medicines primarily prepared for grown-ups.

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Of the little ills such as Nasal Catarrh, Sunburn, Itching, or Soreness anywhere, may be quickly relieved by applying Vacher-Balm which is harmless, and cooling. Keep it handy, and avoid imitations.

If you cannot buy Vacher-Balm locally, send 20c in stamps for a tube, to E. W. Vacher, Inc., New Orleans, La.—Agents wanted.—Adv.

His Summer Resort.

Noah embarked. "I don't know whether I shall spend the summer at the seashore or mountains," he announced.

Constipation generally indicates disordered stomach, liver and bowels. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills restore regularity without griping.—Adv.

There are no permanent wise men.—Emerson.

Best to bend it while a twig.

Who betrays me once wrongs me; who betrays me twice serves me just right.—German proverb.

LEMONS FOR FRECKLES

Girls! Make a Bleaching Beauty Lotion for Few Cents.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and rosy-white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless and never irritates.—Adv.

Two Views.

"What glorious roses you have!" exclaimed the optimist.
"But don't they attract a lot of bees?" queried the pessimist.

Woman's Rights

Most important among which is her right to FREEDOM from the bane of womanhood inherited from Mother Eve. Stella Vitae gives this freedom to women and girls. Sold by your druggist on the distinct agreement that if the FIRST BOTTLE does not benefit, money will be refunded.

Mrs. Nellie Smith, Texas. Mrs. W. M. Gaines, Chick. "I had female trouble some time ago. It has done with smothering spells, wondrous for me; was weak. The doctors had given me and all run down, had not up—said I could not possibly be able to do housework by get well. After taking for six or seven years; four bottles of STELLA but now I do any kind of VITAE I was up and go—work."

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THIS isn't one of those fake free treatment offers you have seen so many times. We don't offer to give you something for nothing—but we do guarantee that you can try this wonderful treatment, entirely at our risk, and this guarantee is backed by your local druggist.

This makes the offer one which you can absolutely depend upon, because the druggist with whom you have been trading would not stand behind the guarantee if he did not know it to be an honest and legitimate one.

Hunt's Salve, formerly called Hunt's Cure, has been sold under absolute money back guarantee for more than thirty years. It is especially compounded for the treatment of Eczema, Itch, Ring Worm, Tetter, and other itching skin diseases.

Thousands of letters testify to its curative properties. M. Timella, a reputable dry goods dealer in Durant, Oklahoma, says: "I suffered with Eczema for ten years, and spent \$1,000.00 for doctors' treatments, without result. One box of Hunt's Cure entirely cured me."

Don't fail to give Hunt's Salve a trial—price 75 cents, from your local druggist, or direct by mail if you do not have it.

A. B. RICHARDS MEDICINE CO., Sherman, Texas

Why Price the Fool? Kansas Paper—The Ladies' Aid will hold another fool sale on Tuesday.—Boston Transcript.

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Cuticura Soap SHAVES Without Mug

Cuticura Soap is the favorite for safety razor shaving.

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The tastiest tobacco you ever tasted.

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It sends its harmful acids and gases all over the body, instead of health and strength. Day and night this ceaseless damage goes on. No matter how strong, its victim cannot long withstand the health-destroying effects of an acid stomach.

Good news for millions of sufferers. Chemists have found a sure remedy—one that takes the acid up and carries it out of the body; of course, when the cause is removed, the sufferer gets well.

Bloating, indigestion, sour, acid, gassy stomach miseries all removed. This is proven by over half a million ailing folks who have taken EATONIC with wonderful benefits. It can be obtained from any druggist, who will cheerfully refund its trifling cost if not entirely satisfactory. Everyone should enjoy its benefits. Frequently the first tablet gives relief.

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Child Dies

PLAINVIEW, July 30.—Warren, the year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Christian, living one mile south of town, died yesterday, caused by sucking a bean into his windpipe. The child got hold of some beans several days before and put them into his mouth, sucking one into the right bronchial tube. Nothing could be done to remove it, and it gradually died.

Forty years of constant use is the best proof of effectiveness of White's Cream Vermifuge for expelling worms in children or adults. Price, 35c. Sold by Thomas Bros.

The News has heretofore failed to mention the improvements made on the residence of Jas. Millman, residing in South Tahoka. Mr. Millman gave his residence a coat of white paint and otherwise improved his premises.

The Kelly residence, occupied by Ed Meyers, is undergoing a coat of paint this week.

Job work neatly and correctly done at the News Office.

Bailey Files Libel Suit Against Record; Asks for \$100,000

GAINESVILLE, TEXAS, July 30.—A suit entitled Joseph W. Bailey against The Record Company of Ft. Worth, Texas, for \$100,000, was filed in District Court here to-day. It was alleged that false, slanderous and malicious publication of matter in regard to Mr. Bailey's alleged connection with the elements opposed to prohibition had been made in the issues of the Ft. Worth Record on April 22 and 29 last.

Fat Hogs Wanted!

Want to buy Fat Hogs to be delivered in Tahoka, Thursday and Friday, August 12th and 13th, Hogs weighing from 175 to 300, 13½c pound.

BILLIE BRANDON.

A. H. Moyer handed us the wherewith for the News for six months since last issue. Mr. Moyer informed us that he has entered the real estate business in Tahoka, and will place an advertisement in this paper at an early date.

Try News Want ad for results.

"The DOLLAR THAT GOES furthest IS THE DOLLAR that stays at home."

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It is able, and has the disposition, to take care of your banking needs—you'll find a welcome here, whether your account is large or small.

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We have received a car of COLES HOT BLAST STOVES, the genuine Cole's Hot blast Stove needs no recommendation. When you are shown a hot blast stove, it is either a Cole's Hot Blast, or an imitation; why not buy a genuine rather than a substitute? We have these stoves in all sizes; we have them in the most beautiful Range Cook Stoves that have ever been shown in Tahoka; come in and let us show them to you.

Buy your Corn Binder; be ready to take care of your big row crop, we have them in stock now. you do not have to wait; we have a large stock of DEERING TWINE; this twine needs no recommendation, if you know anything about twine; you know that DEERING is the best twine made. Our Hardware business is growing in volume of business and in stock of goods and we will greatly appreciate your business in this line. We carry the largest stock of Silverware, Chinaware, Queensware and Builders Hardware, in fact, we have the only exclusive Hardware Store in town. Let us figure your Hardware wants.

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TAHOKA, TEXAS

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This is to notify the public that I will have to ask that you do not continue the use of the speedway that was used during the picnic as it would be a detriment to the property in the way of causing it to wear and wash in the future.

Thanking you in advance for observing this notice.

Yours very resp't.

481tc G. A. SHOOK.

Advertise your wants in this paper.

Rev. W. C. Hinds, pastor of the local Methodist church, closed a revival meeting in the Dixie community Sunday night. A fine meeting is reported and something like ten members received into the church.

Purity and healing power are the chief characteristics of Liquid Borozone. It mends torn, cut, burned or scaled flesh with wonderful promptness. Price, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by Thomas Bros.

HAVE MADE GLORIOUS NAME

Men of the Merchant Marine of Great Britain and of America Always Quietly Heroic.

The merchant marine has always fed the navy, in Great Britain and in the United States, because the sailor's trade differs from that of the soldier in this respect: As soon as you drop the harbor lights you are always in danger and this is what gives seafaring men their fine, liberal views. The soldier regards the freebooter, the comitadj and the bandit as distinctly disreputable members of society—a race to be stamped out and utterly disapproved. The sailor regards the pirate, the smuggler, and the gunrunner, not with approval, but he appreciates the perils of the calling. Merchant ships went armed as a matter of course long after a parallel state of affairs had ceased on land, and to this day the master of a merchant ship has arms in his stateroom with the right to use them in his sound discretion. He is monarch of all he surveys, and has much more than the modern monarch's responsibilities. When a crisis comes to you at sea, you cannot go and talk to a friend in the next street about it; you must meet it there and then, for there is no room on board a ship for indecisions. Squalls, tempests, the public enemy, are just the same for the steamship as for the square-rigger or the sharp-nosed schooner; they are to be conquered, and immediately. The merchant marine of the English-speaking peoples has never been false to its training and tradition; and whether it be Fryatt that plays the hero and makes no fuss about it, or Kinnier that takes his ship through Nelson strait and out past the Isle of Desolation, while the pursuing German prudently stays behind and sends wireless dispatches of his success, the breed is always the same. The breed is always the same and always will be, if it be given ships and water; the danger it will attend to itself, and the heroisms it will just keep quiet about, but if Britain can give it ships, America can do the same. "Treat 'em rough." They thrive upon it, but beat them "square."—Christian Science Monitor.

Boost—don't knock.

SETTLED QUESTION OF HAIR

After Experience With Kerosene, Captain Hopkins Had Not Any Further Worry About It.

Baldness is a condition the threat of which will frequently stir men of even the most dormant vanity. Hair tonics have netted fortunes for their inventors and there are countless remedies of the old housewife, some of which, such as the application of kerosene, make the writer, at least, feel that the disease might be preferable to the cure. The sea captain John D. Whidden tells of in his "Ocean Life in the Old Sailing Ship Days," certainly discovered to his sorrow one of the possible results of such a "cure."

Captain Hopkins was giving a dinner to some of the other ship captains and their wives who were in the harbor of Bahla at the same time with him. As the cabin of the captain's brig was small, the table was laid under awnings on top of the cabin. The guests arrived and dispersed about under the awnings to enjoy themselves until dinner was served. Captain Hopkins, who was a general favorite, after a few minutes went below, "presumably to put a few finishing touches to his appearance." The captain, who was "a small man, with a quaint, seamed, whiskerless face," was troubled about his thinning hair and, after trying all sorts of tonics, some one had told him that "kerosene oil, well rubbed in, would cause a healthy growth when everything else had failed." Captain Hopkins tried it and came to have great faith in it, "going around with his head glistening, and an odor distilling from him like a Pennsylvania oil derrick." Down in his cabin, now, he proceeded to give a fresh application of the kerosene.

Suddenly the people on deck were startled by a yell, "and the next instant the head of old Hopkins appeared above the companionway, blazing like a giant candle. The ladies screamed, while one or two captains caught up buckets and, dipping up salt water over the brig's side, deluged the captain's head, extinguishing him in a moment, but leaving him as bald as an egg, although beyond a few blisters he was not seriously hurt." Captain Hopkins, it turned out had lighted a lamp and somehow brought the match in contact with his head.

NOTICE—I have in my possession, 24 rolls of wall paper and 3 rolls of border, shipped by parcel post from Montgomery Ward and Co., Ft. Worth. Owner can have same by describing properly.

BEN T. BROWN
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Help entertain the Amarillo Boosters Tuesday.

Tahoka was visited with a light shower of rain Sunday night. Heavy rains were reported at Sweetwater and at Lubbock. The cool winds of late have a tendency to make life worth living in the great South Plains Country. Those arriving from the east, report the hot weather almost unbearable.

Take your home paper.

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Sun-burn, freckles and skin eruptions are the source of much worry these summer days and are so unnecessary. A five-minute consultation with us and an inspection of our wide variety of Summer Cosmetics will soon convince you there are many ways of preserving your beauty. Only the purest ingredients are used in each article. D. Jer Kiss, Mary Garden, Chinwah, and many others too numerous to mention. (LIBRARY) We have just received some of the latest books and invite you to call around and see them.

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