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TWELVTH YEAR

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Beginning October 18, this Bank will close at 4:00 P. M.

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For your convenience we have arranged to get a daily cattle market report by wire. Call and avail yourself of this added service of the First National Bank.

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of SPEARMAN

Last Night's Dreams

—What They Mean

DID YOU DREAM OF FIRE?

IN REGARD to dreams about fire the mystics are not entirely agreed. They all seem to agree that simply to dream of a fire is a favorable omen, but some of them attach unfavorable meanings to different circumstances which may arise in connection with the dream fire. Many of them predict that if you dream of a conflagration in which your house or your place of business is burned down, you will have many business troubles, but will come through them all right. Others say that if you see a fire in which the burning houses have fallen down it is a most favorable omen and not so good a one if the houses still stand. The consensus of opinion is that to see any fire and not get burned by it denotes health, fortune and happiness. To burn yourself in your dreams is not a favorable prognostication, but to dream that you touch the fire and are not burned, a most favorable one. Most authorities agree that while to dream of fire is a promise of good luck, it also means that you are likely

to have a quarrel with a friend, though some declare that you must see the fire start suddenly to be sure of a quarrel, and all agree that the dispute will be over a trifle. If you extinguish the fire, a surprise is in store for you. To see a sparkling fire on a hearth or in a stove, denotes plenty of money. If a woman builds a fire without any trouble, she will be happy and have many children.

If she has difficulty in making the fire burn, the omen is the reverse.

The scientists regard the fire dream simply as a reminiscence from our nursery days when we were warned not to play with matches and schedule this dream as one of the typical or standard ones.

As the scientists don't entirely agree with the mystics, and the mystics don't entirely agree among themselves with regard to the significance of dream-fire, it would seem to be a case where each of the rest of us was entitled to his own opinion.

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Memories

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

IT IS the faculty of Remembering and constantly calling to mind what has gone before, that makes it possible for us to tread forward. It is what saves us from becoming fossilized. It is what enables us to throw off the decaying shell of Self and to renew our strength in Effort and Enthusiasm and in Achievement.

All that you now have of the Old Year are its Memories. How are you going to use them?

Every single life has its Stumbling Times. Every single life has its Climbing Hours. It is the Memory of the thrilling moments, that fairly made our whole consciousness glow with power and satisfaction, that make us feel we are worthy as fighters in the game and as aspirers for a portion of the Joy of this world.

All that you now have of the Old Year are its Memories. How are you going to use them?

Why not resolve here and now that you will just let slide, silent from you, every unpleasant memory of the past, gathering up and tying securely to you the while, every Pleasant Memory that the past has given to you? Make them spurs and incentives to make you bolder, braver and bigger. For—All that you now have of the Old Year—and Years—are its Memories. How are you going to use them?

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The Store with the Up-Town Service

DISTRICT COURT

Judge W. R. Ewing of Miami, and Dist. Attorney E. J. Pickens of Canadian, were here Monday morning to hold the regular term of the district court of Hansford county. The docket was very light and court adjourned for the term Tuesday at noon. The grand jury was empaneled and charged by the court. After several hours deliberations, they reported to the court that no indictments had been found and they were immediately dismissed. Tuesday morning the civil docket was taken up and several cases of minor importance were disposed of.

The case of Jones vs. Winder was continued for the term.

A divorce was granted to Mrs. Sid Clark.

A judgment for the plaintiff was granted in the case of Kincheloe vs. Close.

Other non-jury cases were dismissed or continued for the term.

Judge Ewing and Attorney Pickens went from here to their homes, and will hold court next week at Plemons.

Week of Prayer Observed

Interesting programs were given at the M. E. church Wednesday and Thursday of last week, in spite of the bad weather and prevailing sickness.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Haines took charge during the entire hour as Mrs. McClure was unable to be present. Mesdames Barkley, Gibner and Bailey each gave interesting talks on the work being done at our Vashiti Industrial School for Girls at Thomasville, Georgia. Misses Joyce and Nannie Holland favored us with a vocal duet.

Thursday was quite cold and neither of the leaders could be present, so our faithful president, Mrs. Dennis, took charge of the service. Mrs. McMurry gave a very helpful talk on public prayer and Mrs. Freely read a poem. Our new minister, Rev. Pirtle, was with us and helped to make the meeting more interesting.

Though there was a small attendance each day, yet the few who were there feel well repaid for attending.

At the M. E. Church
Sunday, November 14, 1920

The attendance at Sunday school was splendid, but we are unable to give the exact number of persons present. Some of our Baptist friends were present and we welcome them and any others who have no other place to attend Sunday school.

Mrs. Bailey and Mr. Barkley, two of our teachers, were absent and we missed them.

Rev. Z. B. Pirtle, our new minister, was heard for the first time Sunday by many people. Rev. Travis, our former pastor, was also with us.

The Junior League met Sunday afternoon and inaugurated a membership contest. Pope Gibner is leader of the Boosters, who will be known by their blue badges, while Bessie Barkley leads the Rustlers with their red badges. A committee met Tuesday and nominated officers. The election will be held next Sunday at the regular meeting at 3:00 o'clock, p. m. Every child under 16 years is invited to be present.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. church will meet Wednesday, November 24th, with Mrs. C. W. King. Every member is urged to be present. The Bible lesson will be the Second Book of Samuel.

Want to buy a second-hand book case. Apply at the Reporter office.

Buy clothing and shoes at the Surprise Store. Big Removal Sale now on.

When in Perryton and need anything in diamonds, watches or jewelry see W. H. DUNLAVY.

Satisfaction when you trade with P. Monkey Maize & Co. Our prices are so low—we give until it hurts.

W. M. Glover and wife of Burk Burnett, arrived Tuesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Glover.

Mr and Mrs. Calhoun Oldham announce the birth of a daughter on November 16th, at their home in the west part of town.

S. M. Kier of the Spearman Auto Tire Works, left Tuesday morning for Sioux City, Iowa, for a month's visit with his parents.

Dr. Haney reports the arrival of a fine girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roney Tomlinson of the Kimbal community on November 15th.

Mrs. R. O. Smith and small grandson, who have been visiting at the home of H. G. Smith for several days, have returned to their home at Shamrock.

Fortunately we have the merchandise to fill your wants and satisfaction is guaranteed when you trade with P. Monkey Maize & Co.

CONTEST DISCONTINUED

On account of the mail line from Plemons not starting on the 16th inst. as we had anticipated, we are going to discontinue our contest for the present, and put it on again when this line is established. Hutchinson county people have such poor mail service now, the contestants from that county would not have a fair chance. We will put on another contest early next year, provided the mail line is finally established. Nothing has been heard from the bids which were sent in to the department for the carrying of the mail, and no one knows at present just when the service will begin. One thing is certain, and that is that Plemons and Spearman folks are not going to quit asking for it until they have this mail line established. It is needed and we are entitled to it.

Storage room.—See Dotterer, the dray man.

Blankets! Blankets! Buy them at the Surprise Store Removal Sale.

The roads are again passable and the town is full of traveling salesmen almost every day.

Geo. Kelly of Dalhart, auto salesman, was looking after business matters here Tuesday.

C. C. Newcombe and family were in from the Range community Tuesday, trading and visiting with friends.

For quick service send me your jewelry for repair.
W. H. DUNLAVY, Perryton.

See our fall and winter line of samples before ordering your up-to-date suit.

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Lois Bailey, who has been confined to her home for several days because of sickness, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Womble are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl at their home Sunday, the 14th inst.

Walter P. Jones of the First National Bank, went to Wichita, Wednesday to visit his mother, who has just returned from an extended visit in Utah.

A. D. Daugherty of the Light Grain & Milling Company, came from Liberal Tuesday, with a hurry-up order of Light's Best flour for the Spearman Equity Exchange.

J. Frank Andrews returned Monday from a business trip to Kansas City. Frank took up a bunch of fat cows and steers, and he says the market is sure "rotten."

Mr. and Mrs. George Whitson went Wednesday to Liberal, via Guymon, where they will attend a meeting of the officers and directors of the Farmers' Equity Exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, who have been guests of their daughter, Mrs. Lyman J. Hillhouse, in Spearman for the past week, returned Monday to their home in Hooker, Oklahoma.

A committee of ladies of the Methodist church were busy Tuesday selecting some new furniture for the parsonage. This is a much needed improvement and we all rejoice to hear of it.

The candy and pop corn sale given by the Sunbeam class of the Methodist Sunday school last Saturday was a grand success. The proceeds will be used to buy a table and a screen for the class. The Sunbeams appreciate the help of everyone who assisted.

Effective at 12 o'clock on Sunday, November 14th, the following change was made in the Spearman train service: Eastbound No. 52 leaves at 7:00 a. m. as usual, and westbound No. 51 arrives at 2:45 instead of 2:15 daily, except Sunday.

A. J. Dotterer this week bought of Mr. Cox, a nice little cottage in south Spearman. Mr. and Mrs. Cox left Tuesday for their old home in Oklahoma. Mr. Dotterer is a single man, but there is no positive proof that he will always be single. And then, every man should have a home, anyway.

Considerable trouble and inconvenience has been experienced at the city well during the recent cold weather, caused by the water pipes freezing up and shutting off the water. Ralph T. Bucy finally got on the job and has packed the pipes in such a way that freezing will now be impossible.

A merry party of Spearman young folks were out kodaking Sunday afternoon and on their return to town went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rancy, where they were delightfully entertained with music and games. Those present were: Misses Lena, Della and Winnie Dacus, Hazel and Pauline Lowe, Myrtle Balentine, Grace Pirtle, Eva Kelly, Clara and Laura Belle Rancy; Messrs. Stonewall McMurry, Ben Beck, Bughlin Pirtle and Rufus Rancy.

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Surprise Yourself

Keep an accurate account of all the money you spend in a month and what you spend it for. It will surprise you.

Then resolve to bank the amount you have heretofore been spending unwisely.

You will never regret the resolution if you act.

Guaranty State Bank

SPEARMAN, TEX.

Rann-dom Reels

By HOWARD L. RANN

THE FALL SKIRT

THE fall skirt is a neat garment which looks a good deal like the spring skirt, but costs more, owing to the European war, which has caused a great scarcity of everything except campaign bunk.

The fall skirt was gotten up last February in the heart of Paris, France, and sent over here to be sold to women who do not care to look like any of their neighbors. To the dull and unpracticed eye of man it is hard to tell a new fall skirt of the 1917 model from the one his wife wore twice in the early spring and discarded after making the horrifying discovery that it was three-quarters of an inch too long to be strictly au fait. There



Discarded After Making the Horrifying Discovery That It Was Three-Quarters of an Inch Too Long To Be Strictly au Fait.

is nothing more depressing than a new skirt which is only 75 per cent au fait and folds carelessly about both ankles, instead of tilting back rakishly and blinding the innocent bystander in both eyes.

Great care has been taken, according to the fashion periodicals, to make the fall skirt so long that it can be worn to church with perfect propriety. By actual measurement it will reach to the top of a 12-inch boot, which will prevent anybody from tripping on it. In fact, it is estimated that it is going to be harder to trip over one of the new fall skirts than it is to escape the strident voice of the cafe piano player.

The fall skirt will be made of any-

thing that costs more than it did last winter, but will not be guaranteed against defects of workmanship or material. Stripes will be worn a great deal by women who would look better in some solid, neutral tint like black taffeta. The nervous, high-voiced Scotch plaid will also be favored by wives whose husbands have learned to suffer in silence.

Owing to the increasing hardihood of the American woman, the fall skirt will have the same kind of lining as the silk stocking, but the latter will contain a trifle more material.

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—MIL. TANT. MARY—
Just when you're gloating over what a sport you are, all TOLD Some Auntie visits you and makes you feel JUST EIGHT YEARS OLD!
—E. FitzHugh—

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.. **J. R. COLLARD** ..
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SALE BEGINNING NOVEMBER 22, 1920

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Ladies', Misses'
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PRICES REDUCED AS FOLLOWS

Ladies' Suits, Dresses and Skirts		Children's Coats	
Ladies' \$60.00 Suits now only	\$44.00	Children's \$11.50 Coats now only	8.00
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Ladies' \$45.00 Dresses now only	32.50		
Ladies' \$32.00 Dresses now only	24.00		
Ladies' \$26.50 Dresses now only	21.50		
Ladies' \$24.00 Dresses now only	18.50		
Ladies' \$22.00 Dresses now only	17.50		
Ladies' \$26.00 Dresses now only	15.00		
Ladies' \$25.00 Skirts now only	18.00		
Ladies' \$21.00 Skirts now only	15.50		
Ladies' \$20.00 Skirts now only	15.00		
Ladies' \$17.75 Skirts now only	12.50		
Ladies' \$17.00 Skirts now only	11.50		
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TOO "SANCTIFIED" FOR HER

Aunt Lizzie's Reasons for Leaving Her Spouse, and Why She Was Not Grieving.

Aunt Lizzie, comfortably fat, a widow, and nearing middle age, met her fate in the person of a prosperous negro who owned a plantation and a good home. Her white friends thought she had done unusually well, and were glad. A few short months after the wedding ceremony, however, she came to see a family she had had once cooked for, and when a young member of the group asked about her wealthy spouse, she said: "Law, chile, I done left that nigger. Him and me didn't get along a-tal." Surprised, the girl asked: "What on earth was the matter, Aunt Lizzie? I thought you married a fine man with plenty of money." "Had plenty of money, all right," she replied. "Warn't but one thing wrong with him—he was sanctified. You know, one of dese here holiness men Us hadn't been married no time befo' he told me I warn't as good as him. Said I was ongenerate. Den he stopped me fum drinking coffee wouldn't let me wear my weddin' clothes, and said he'd quit me if I ever went near one of dese picture shows. And you know, honey, I loves my coffee, my clothes, and when I comes to town my picture shows. So I up and quits him." "You don't look sad about it," the girl said. "Ain't sad, honey; ain't sad. I got me a lawyer and tuk half dat nigger's plantation way fum him. Guess he wished when I done dat he hadn't been so sanctified."

RASMUSSEN TO STUDY ESKIMO

Danish Explorer's Ambition is Said to Be to Make Thorough Study of the Northern Race.

The remarkable studies carried out by the Danish explorer, Knud Rasmussen, among the Greenland Eskimos are described by W. E. Ekblaw in the Geographical Review. Rasmussen, who is part Eskimo himself, was born and trained in languages and ethnology at the University of Copenhagen.

It is his ambition to make a thorough study of the whole Eskimo race, from eastern Greenland to Siberia, and

he has already visited every Eskimo settlement in Greenland. It is said that he knows every Greenland Eskimo personally. Mr. Ekblaw believes it safe to say that no one else has ever come into such direct contact with a whole people as he has.

Late in 1919 he returned from a visit to Ammassalik, on the east coast. He was surprised to find that the east Greenland Eskimos preserve many of the customs of the central Eskimos, who still inhabit the ancestral home of the race about Hudson bay. He found that they are more closely related to the central Eskimos than are any of the other tribes of the entire Greenland coast, and that only recently have they been affected by contrast with the Greenland west coast culture. —Scientific American.

Oldest Living Artist.

Abington, Mass., claims the oldest living artist in New England. She is Mrs. Mary Dillah Porter, who is now 92 years old. While holding a position high in standing among painters, the woman, peculiarly, did not take up painting until she was more than 50 years old.

At that time, happening to be in Maine on a visit, she became acquainted with a woman who gave lessons. She at once took up the art and immediately made great progress. In fact, in a comparatively short time she was giving lessons herself. In her home there are numerous excellent pictures, and during the last five years she has painted five pictures, considered a good number under the existing conditions which include shortage of materials.

Mrs. Porter was born in Cornwallis, N. S., coming to Abington at the age of 26 years. She is the mother of six children, and at present lives with her son, Lysander, and two grandchildren. —Boston Post.

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Read the Reporter.

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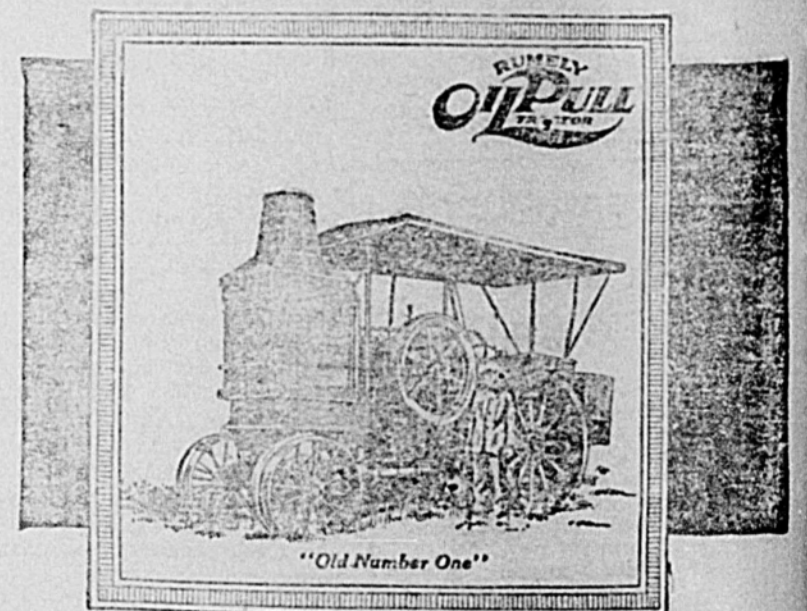
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TO THE PUBLIC
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GUS B. COOTS,
36152* Owner of Palo Duro Ranch

Notice to the Public
I will sell wood for \$5.00 per four-horse load. It will be necessary to either phone or come to headquarters before getting the wood, otherwise you will be treated as trespassers. Positively no hunting allowed.
W. T. COBLE,
Owner of the Turkey Track ranch.

Notice
No hunting or fishing will be allowed in the Diamond C pastures, on the headwaters of the Palo Duro. These lands are posted and trespassers will be prosecuted.
JAMES H. CATOR & SON
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YOUR RED CROSS



The American Red Cross, by its Congressional charter, is officially designated:

To furnish volunteer aid to the sick and wounded of armies in time of war, in accordance with the conventions of Geneva.

To act in matters of voluntary relief and as a medium of communication between the American people and their Army and Navy.

To continue and carry on a system of national and international relief in time of peace and to apply the same in mitigating the sufferings caused by pestilence, famine, fire, floods and other great calamities.

To devise and carry on measures for preventing these causes of suffering.

FOURTH RED CROSS ROLL
November 11-25, 1920.
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Life	50.00
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Patron	100.00

Send dues to your nearest local chapter.

Lost—Between Texhoma and the Lowe Wagon Yard on the Hansford road, a blue suit coat. Finder please return to the Reporter office.

Buy your winter clothing and shoes at the Surprise Store now, during the Great Removal Sale.

One nearly new two-ton Nash truck for sale or trade. See R. P. Kern.

DIALECTS MANY AND VARIED

Genesis of the Travelling American May Be Pretty Well Recognized by His Speech.

A survey just completed shows that 83 languages are in daily use in New York, not including three or four kinds of English. There is highbrow English, lowbrow English and the R-less variety, besides the strange, inexplicable cockney kind, which gives all "er" sounds the sound of "ol." We say inexplicable, for we have never seen explained why in certain New York vernacular third is "thaid," bird is "bold" and curse is "coise."

Sometime, somewhere, that enunciation must have begun—whether on the Bowery or in Harlem or even in Broadway, nobody seems to know. Was it in existence in 1880? The New York literature of that era does not seem to so indicate. The converse of the boot-blacks and juvenile street sweepers of the mild and innocuous fiction of those days reveal almost a Sunday school diction. The "coise" has swept over Manhattan since then. It came with the melting pot and may be part of it, for all we know.

The United States is large enough to contain a number of dialects and already it does contain them, so that one's genesis is pretty well distinguished by his speech. We know New England by its "lofting" laugh and they know us by our "larding" one. "Ask" in some parts of the South is as flattened out almost as the "a" in "bake," while still remaining "ask" in Massachusetts.

Our pluribus unum language is truly that kind, and likely to become more pluribus as the country grows older.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

TOMBS THAT ARE INDIVIDUAL

Resting Places of Chinese Rulers So Constructed as to Reveal Character of Occupants.

At the Tung Ling, or Eastern Tombs of the Manchus, nature has worked hand in hand with man to produce a harmonious whole, writes Roy Chapman Andrews in Asia Magazine. Most of the trees about the tombs have been planted, but they have been so cleverly chosen and placed that they look as if they had grown just where, in nature's scheme of things, they ought to be. There is nothing glaringly artificial in the appearance of the park.

Although the tombs are alike in general plan, they are at the same time as individual as were the emperors themselves. Each is a subtle expression of the character of the one who sleeps beneath the yellow roof. The tomb of Ch'ien-Lung, the artist emperor, lies not far away from that of the empress dowager. Stately, beautiful in its simplicity, it is an indication of his life and deeds. In striking contrast is the palace built by the empress, for her eternal dwelling. Extravagantly decorated, vaingloriously declaring to the world the millions spent upon it, it represents admirably the personality of the iron-willed ruler who in life held her place by force and intrigue and lavish expenditure and who was determined to be known, even in death as the greatest of the great. But a hundred years from now when Ch'ien-Lung's mausoleum, like the painting of an old master, has been made even more beautiful by the touch of age, that of the empress will be worn and tarnished.

Young Author Falls Down.

A young author sends me the manuscript of a story. He claims he has a new idea. His "new idea" is this: A young man and woman are married in the usual way, and, during their honeymoon, love each other with great devotion.

But in a year the young man finds he has tired of his wife, from seeing her so much; from too close association. He supposes, of course, that she has not tired of him; such a possibility does not enter his mind. However, he resolves to be a square man and confess to his wife just how he feels. She also talks frankly, and it develops that the wife is as tired of the husband as the husband is of the wife.

I am compelled to report to the young author that this is no development of a new fact in life.—El W. Howe's Monthly.

From Frying to Flying.

Aviation is occupying a great deal of attention in Canada these days. It is highly probable that the helium gas rising out of the ground in Alberta and other parts of western Canada and used in parts of the country for family cooking will one day be carrying English lighter-than-air flying machines, says Motor Life. It has been reported that there is enough of this gas to supply the entire British empire for many years. It lacks only 10 per cent of the weight-supporting ability of the highly inflammable hydrogen and is equally satisfactory.

Sweets Losing Popularity in France.

France has lost its sweet tooth. Recent official statistics show that, because sugar was unobtainable during the war, children born between 1914 and 1919 have been educated by their parents not to require sugar in their drinks and food.

As a result the consumption of sugar in France has fallen to one-eighth the pre-war mark.

France has become such an unprofitable market for fine chocolates that nearly all the big manufacturers are sending nine-tenths of their output to the United States and South America.

STOVES



"Stove time" is again upon us. The little oil stove will no longer fill the bill. We have what you want in

Good Heating Stoves and Cook Stoves

The coal-saving kind. Come in and look them over.

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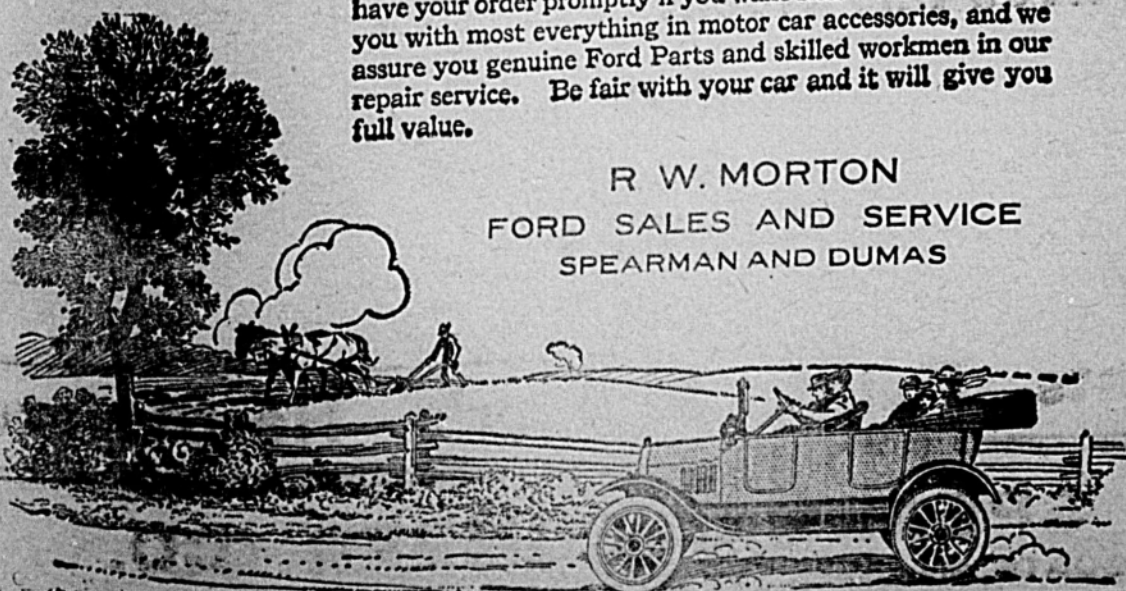
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R. W. MORTON
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The Golden Opportunity Arrives



Beginning Thursday, November 18th, at 9:00 a. m., and continuing for nine days only, will occur Oklahoma's Greatest Clothing Event.

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Oklahoma

\$35,000.00 stock of Clothing, Shoes and Furnishing Goods for men, young men and boys, ORDERED SOLD.

Our store will be closed all day Tuesday and Wednesday, November sixteenth and seventeenth, to mark down and re-arrange this big stock. Open again at nine a. m.,

Thurs., Nov. 18

Ordered Sold by
Briggs & Briggs

\$35,000.00 Stock of Clothing, Shoes and Furnishing Goods.

At a great reduction. Sale begins Thursday, November 18, at 9 a. m. See hand bills for prices.

We promise great bargains and nothing shall stop us. Make no mistake. Be sure to find the right place. Before entering be sure you see the big sign,

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If the fabric is sound our skillful repairing will make it good for many a mile, and we build up the fabric just the same as we build up the rubber. Don't junk your old casings. Bring them to us to be repaired.

Spearman Auto Tire Works

GAS and OILS
KIER & FLETCHER, Proprietors
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Read the Reporter.

FOR SALE
Six single-comb Brown Leghorn roosters, at \$2.00 each.
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MONEY TO LOAN
I am now in position to make farm loans at a good rate of interest. Long time and easy payments. Call and see me. Office back of Hays Mercantile Company store. FRED HILL.

NEW BUICKS
Shipment of Buicks just received. Better come quick if you want one of these best of all automobiles. L. W. Booth, Guymon, Oklahoma.

The new bank at Texhoma, the Farmers State, are now representing the Oklahoma Farm Mortgage Co. over all this territory, having direct charge of seven counties in the Panhandle. If you need a farm loan quick, see us.

Send me your watch and jewelry repair work by mail. All work guaranteed. W. H. DUNLAVY, Perryton, Texas.

RED CROSS EXTENDS RELIEF TO POLAND

More than \$5,000,000 has been spent by the American Red Cross in aiding the stricken people of Poland. The organization has nursed the sick, fed the starving, clothed the naked, sheltered the homeless, schooled the children and cared for the orphans there. It has conducted a relentless fight against typhus, cholera and other terrible diseases. So today millions of men and women in that resurrected nation speak in grateful appreciation of "The Greatest Mother in the World."

Nearly 200 American Red Cross workers are now engaged in relief activities in Poland. Four large relief bases are in operation and eleven mobile units are in the field. During the last twelve months this organization was largely instrumental in the re-establishment of a million refugees at a cost for general relief of more than \$1,000,000. Last winter one-half million war orphans were aided materially, and since then a series of large orphanages have been established to give them permanent care.

But for American Red Cross aid, officials of Poland declared recently, millions of people in that country would

have perished of disease, exposure or starvation the last eighteen months. And the work there must be kept up for another year.

Mr. Farmers: You market in Texhoma, what about your banking? Texhoma has now a new bank, a service institution, the Farmers State. The present owners also own the Oklahoma Farm Mortgage company, Oklahoma City, and twenty-five more of the oldest banks of the state. Your account is solicited with the assurance we are fully able to take care of your needs both in banking and farm loans. 291f

NOTICE
Five of the baseball uniforms of the Spearman team are missing. If you have a Spearman baseball uniform, turn the same in at once to the Hillhouse drug store, as we wish to have them cleaned and put away. Do this now.

LYMAN J. HILLHOUSE,
Pres. Spearman Baseball Assn.
Lost—One automobile chain. Finder please leave at the Reporter office.

We Buy HOGS

Bring your hogs to Spearman. We will pay you the highest price and will treat you right in every transaction. We want to make Spearman noted as a hog market. Help us do this by giving us a chance to buy what you have to offer.

We have pens and can take care of any number of hogs. Bring them in.

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Stoves that last indefinitely and give satisfaction all the way.

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Do You Want to Save?

Then Come to the Big Removal Sale, at the

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One look will convince you. Read just a few of the many savings:

Men's Shoes	Ladies' Shoes	Children's Shoes
\$12.50 values . . \$11.25	\$11.00 values . . \$10.00	\$5.50 values . . \$4.95
10.00 values . . 9.00	9.85 values . . 8.85	5.00 values . . 4.50
8.75 values . . 7.85	8.75 values . . 7.85	4.50 values . . 4.00
7.00 values . . 6.30	6.95 values . . 6.25	3.95 values . . 3.50
Wool and Cotton Sweaters	20 Per cent Discount on Men's Suits and Overcoats	10 Per Cent Discount on Ladies' Coats
10 Per Cent Discount	20 Per Cent Discount on Skirts and Dresses	10 Per Cent Discount on Blankets and Comforts
10 Per Cent Discount on Hats and Caps		

A 10 per cent discount on every article in our store.

An additional 5 per cent discount will be given on each purchase of \$50.

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WALK A BLOCK
SAVE A DOLLAR

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HIGH PRICES

ON all commodities seem to be a thing of the past, and in line with the general price-cutting rage of the country, we have lowered our prices from fifteen to thirty per cent since August first.

We can now make you some mighty good prices on lumber and other building material, so when you need anything in this line don't fail to come to see us.

Don't Hesitate

to ask favors of this yard. We are dependent upon you for financial support, and in return we offer service. If it is to be had you will find it at our yard.

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New arrivals:

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BRAN and SHORTS

We are not quoting prices for the reason that they are changing almost every day. Do not buy

Your Flour, Bran and Shorts

until you get our prices. We meet, and usually beat, all competition—any time, anywhere.

Bolin-Hall
GRAIN CO.

JACK THOMAS, Manager

SPEARMAN

JUNIOR RED CROSS ACTIVE IN EUROPE

Garden seeds for Polish orphans, milk for anaemic Greek babies, carpenters' tools for Czecho-Slovakian cripples—these are only a few of the gifts that young Americans are sending to the war-crushed children of the Old World.

Through the Junior Red Cross the boys and girls of the United States are giving a fresh start in life to little war orphans scattered all over Europe. They have set up orphans' homes in France, school colonies in Belgium and Montenegro, and day schools in Albania.

They are sending dozens of young Syrians, Montenegrins, and Albanians to American colleges in Constantinople and Beirut, and maintaining more than a hundred orphans of French soldiers at colleges and trade schools. In orphanages and farm schools up and down the peninsula of Italy there are nearly 500 wards of American Juniors.

Last winter a thousand French children from the inadequate shelters of the devastated regions were sent by the Junior Red Cross to spend the cold months in warmer parts of France. At the same time five thousand little Belgians were having a hot lunch every day at Junior Red Cross school canteens.

American school children have already raised something like a million dollars for these enterprises, and they are still hard at work.

In China, through campaigns of education, the Junior Red Cross is helping to combat widely prevalent blindness and cholera.

RED CROSS RELIEF IN CENTRAL EUROPE

But for timely assistance of the American Red Cross during the last year, a large proportion of the 20,000,000 population of the Balkan States might have starved or perished from disease or exposure. Six million dollars worth of food, clothing and medical supplies have been sent to the Balkans—Rumania, Bulgaria, Albania, Montenegro, Serbia, Bosnia and Greece—since the beginning of Red Cross relief operations in Central Europe, while millions of dollars worth of food alone has been sent to the needy in these states.

The money expended by the Red Cross in this stricken portion of Europe has been used to set up hospitals, orphanages, dispensaries, mobile medical units and to help in the general reconstruction of devastated areas. American tractors and other farming implements have been sent to the agricultural regions where aid has been given in plowing the land. By the last of this year probably

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all American Red Cross agencies administering relief in Central Europe will have withdrawn. By that time, it is believed, the people will have approached a normal state of living and will be able through their own agencies which the Red Cross has helped set up to provide for themselves.

Ladies

Bring orders for hemstitching, picot edging, all kinds of pleating, cloth-covered buttons, etc., to the Tailor Shop. Prompt and satisfactory service is guaranteed.

SID CLARK, Spearman.

List your ranch, farm or raw prairie land with me. Or if you want to buy, see or write me. GEO. M. TOCKEY, Booker, Texas. 361f

Second Hand Cars

Roadster, touring car, Chevrolet, new Baby Overland and Ford truck for sale or trade. When in the market for second hand or new cars, call at the Auto Service Company, Larkin & Son old stand, Spearman. MIZAR & PAUL.

What is it? It is "Orinip," the last word in cold and cough treatment.—Hillhouse Drug Company.

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Plenty of fresh Groceries always on hand.

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MOTOR CARS

We are making deliveries now. Get one while you can.

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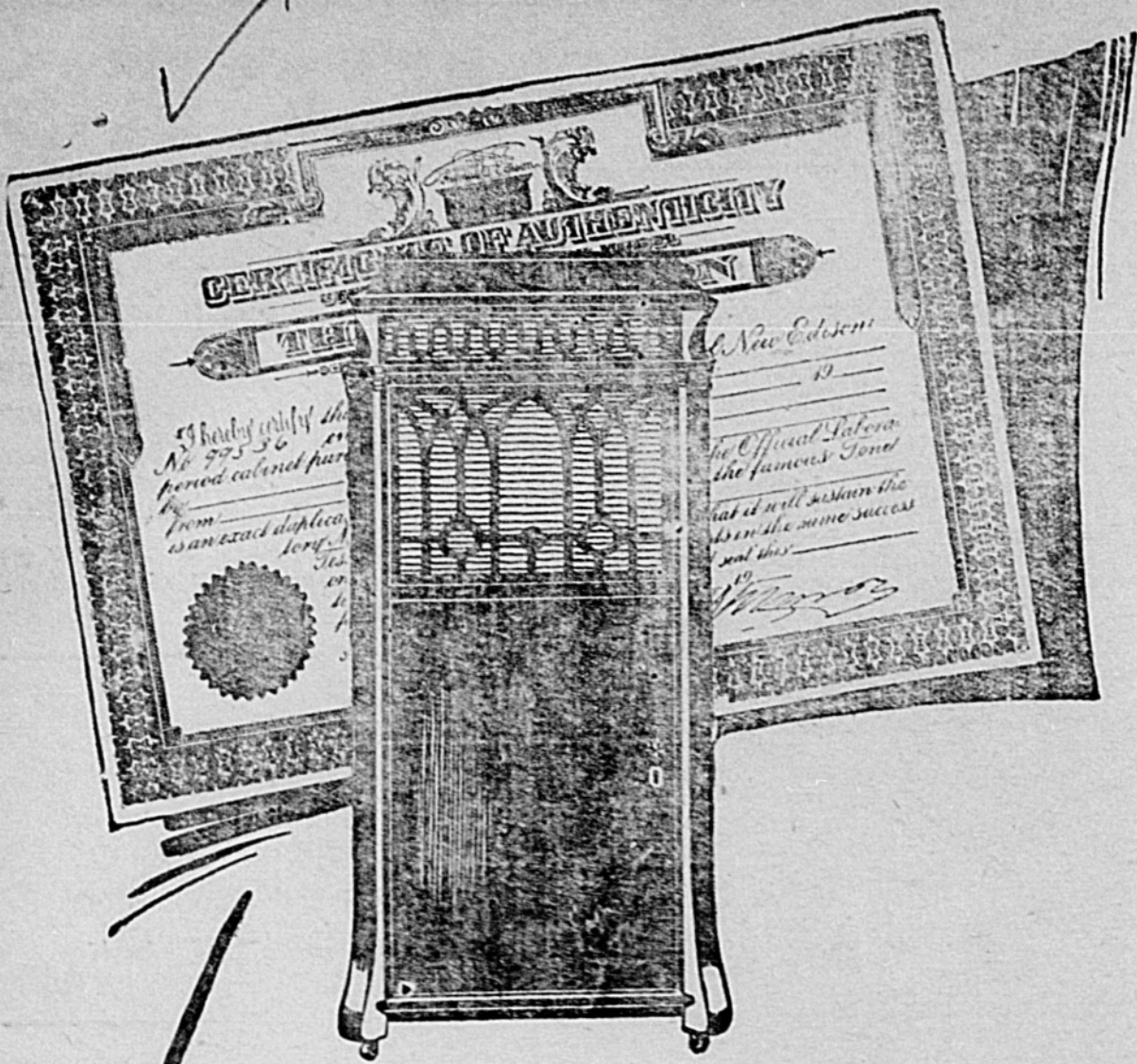
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Shorthorn CATTLE

Near Booker, Texas

Having sold my farm, I have decided to sell my herd of Pure Bred Shorthorn cattle, and will offer them at Public Auction on the Walter J. Lehman farm, one-half mile north of Booker, Texas, on

Saturday, Nov. 27

The herd consists of thirty head of pure bred registered Shorthorn cattle and are a very choice lot of cows and heifers, ranging in age from 1 to 5 years old. Some of these cows have calves by side by such well known stock bulls as Rosewood 360564, undoubtedly the greatest Shorthorn bull in Kansas. Two of the yearling bulls offered in this sale are by him, and one cow bred back to Rosewood. These young bulls are good enough to be at the head of any herd.

F. E. WILLIAMS, Owner

J. W. STEFFEN and COL. S. F. BOWEN, Auctioneers. I. N. EDWARDS, Clerk

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Frank Sakdol, whose residence is unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Hansford county, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof, in the town of Hansford, on the Second Monday in December, 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered 32 on the docket thereof, wherein Ira F. Dacus is plaintiff and Frank Sakdol is defendant, the cause of action being alleged as follows: Plaintiff alleges his claim against the defendant as follows, for board and lodging due to plaintiff the sum of \$339.75, for assignment of labor debt due Howard Presnal from defendant \$76.50, for labor debt due Flavil L. Colley from defendant the sum of \$125.43, for labor debt due Joe Shero from the defendant the sum of \$130.43, for labor debt due Frank Shelton the sum of \$142.43 making a total of \$814.54, all of which assignments are duly filed with and made a part of the petition.

You are further commanded to so summon such defendant, and to serve this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: R. L. McClellan, clerk of the County court of Hansford county, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court in the town of Hansford, this 10th day of November, A. D., 1920.

R. L. McCLELLAN,
 Clerk of the County Court of Hansford county, Texas.

Issued this 19th day of November, A. D., 1920.

R. L. McCLELLAN,
 Clerk of the County Court of Hansford county, Texas.

Reduced prices on all yard goods at the P. M. Maize Mercantile Co.

A. T. Parten, owner of the Sid Lackey old homestead four miles southwest of Spearman, was looking after business matters here the first of the week. Mr. Parten recently sold out in Wheeler county, and his family is now at Mineral Wells. They may decide to make Hansford county their home later on.

Good Clothes

Buy that new suit now. The price is right. Tailor made clothes look better, fit better and are better. No fit, no pay. Also, first class cleaning, pressing and repairing for both ladies and gentlemen, at the Spearman Tailor Shop.

SID CLARK, Manager.

NINE THINGS YOU WOULD NEVER THINK OF

Cut this out and bring it to us. Slap down a Two Dollar bill and a fifty cent piece, and say "Cap, or Hilly, give me that stuff, and save a little over a Quarter and have NINE things you would never think of until the kids got you out in the middle of the night with a bad cold:

- 1 box Calomel Tablets ----- \$.15
- 1 box Bromo Quinine ----- .32
- 1 box Epsom Salts ----- .20
- 6 oz. Castor Oil ----- .50
- 1 bottle Throat Wash ----- .26
- 1 box Aspirin ----- .25
- 1 box Orium ----- .32
- 1 bottle Cough Syrup ----- .52
- 1 box N. R. Tablets ----- .26

Total ----- \$2.78

Don't wait. Get this assortment before you need it. A stitch in time may save nine.

HILLHOUSE DRUG CO.

THE HORRORS OF PROHIBITION

John L. Hays reports having recently received one car of salt, one car of cabbage, one car of potatoes and not one drop of whiskey.

What is it? It is "Opium", the last word in cold and cough treatment.—Hillhouse Drug Company.

Colds & Headache

"For years we have used Black-Draught in our family, and I have never found any medicine that could take its place," writes Mr. H. A. Stacy, of Bradyville, Tenn. Mr. Stacy, who is a Rutherford County farmer, recommends Black-Draught as a medicine that should be kept in every household for use in the prompt treatment of many little ills to prevent them from developing into serious troubles.

THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

"It touches the liver and does the work," Mr. Stacy declared. "It is one of the best medicines I ever saw for a cold and headache. I don't know what we would do in our family if it wasn't for Black-Draught. It has saved us many dollars . . . I don't see how any family can hardly go without it. I know it is a reliable and splendid medicine to keep in the house. I recommend Black-Draught highly and am never without it."

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Good Eats for Folks who have Good Taste.

D. J. Paterbaugh, Mgr. Spearman

Great Removal Sale now on at the Surprise Store.

CATTLE

should have

Sheds and Wind-Breaks

Protect your cattle from the cold winds during the coming winter. Nothing in the world takes the fat and strength from cattle and other stock, like going through a severe cold spell, so common to this section, without proper protection. You know this is true.

Just a wall to break the wind may save several head of those good cows.

We have in stock some special building material, well adapted to building just the sort of shed or wind-break you need.

Come in and talk the matter over. We are prepared to make estimates that will interest you.

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THE SPEARMAN REPORTER

TWELVTH YEAR

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Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, November 19, 1920

Number 49

Beginning October 18, this Bank will close at 4:00 P. M.

We are Farmers and Stockgrowers

For your convenience we have arranged to get a daily cattle market report by wire. Call and avail yourself of this added service of the First National Bank.

A bank in any community is occupied in industries which its patrons are engaged in. We are therefore farmers and stockgrowers and recognize a distinct partnership relation with our depositors, for we succeed only as they succeed. It is to our interest to further their success by every legitimate cooperation we can offer, and by reason of our ample resources and connections, we are exceptionally equipped for that purpose. If you are not our customer now, we respectfully solicit your patronage, assuring you that your business will be appreciated and given our careful attention.

First National Bank of SPEARMAN

Last Night's Dreams - What They Mean

DID YOU DREAM OF FIRE?

IN REGARD to dreams about fire the mystics are not entirely agreed. They all seem to agree that simply to dream of a fire is a favorable omen, but some of them attach unfavorable meanings to different circumstances which may arise in connection with the dream fire. Many of them predict that if you dream of a conflagration in which your house or your place of business is burned down, you will have many business troubles, but will come through them all right. Others say that if you see a fire in which the burning houses have fallen down it is a most favorable omen and not so good a one if the houses still stand. The consensus of opinion is that to see any fire and not get burned by it denotes health, fortune and happiness. To burn yourself in your dreams is not a favorable prognostication, but to dream that you touch the fire and are not burned, a most favorable one. Most authorities agree that while to dream of fire is a promise of good luck, it also means that you are likely

to have a quarrel with a friend, though some declare that you must see the fire start suddenly to be sure of a quarrel, and all agree that the dispute will be over a trifle. If you extinguish the fire, a surprise is in store for you. To see a sparkling fire on a hearth or in a stove, denotes plenty of money. If a woman builds a fire without any trouble, she will be happy and have many children.

If she has difficulty in making the fire burn, the omen is the reverse.

The scientists regard the fire dream simply as a reminiscence from our nursery days when we were warned not to play with matches and schedule this dream as one of the typical or standard ones.

As the scientists don't entirely agree with the mystics, and the mystics don't entirely agree among themselves with regard to the significance of dream-fire, it would seem to be a case where each of the rest of us was entitled to his own opinion.

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Memories

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

IT IS the faculty of Remembering and constantly calling to mind what has gone before, that makes it possible for us to tread forward. It is what saves us from becoming fossilized. It is what enables us to throw off the decaying shell of Self and to renew our strength in Effort and Enthusiasm and in Achievement.

All that you now have of the Old Year are its Memories. How are you going to use them?

Every single life has its Stumbling Times. Every single life has its Climbing Hours. It is the Memory of the thrilling moments, that fairly made our whole consciousness glow with power and satisfaction, that make us feel we are worthy as fighters in the game and as aspirers for a portion of the Joy of this world.

All that you now have of the Old Year are its Memories. How are you going to use them?

Why not resolve here and now that you will just let slide, silent from you, every unpleasant memory of the past, gathering up and tying securely to you the while, every Pleasant Memory that the past has given to you? Make them spurs and incentives to make you bolder, braver and bigger. For—All that you now have of the Old Year—and Years—are its Memories. How are you going to use them?

DISTRICT COURT

Judge W. R. Ewing of Miami, and Dist. Attorney E. J. Pickens of Canadian, were here Monday morning to hold the regular term of the district court of Hansford county. The docket was very light and court adjourned for the term Tuesday at noon. The grand jury was empaneled and charged by the court. After several hours deliberations, they reported to the court that no indictments had been found and they were immediately dismissed. Tuesday morning the civil docket was taken up and several cases of minor importance were disposed of.

The case of Jones vs. Winder was continued for the term.

A divorce was granted to Mrs. Sid Clark.

A judgment for the plaintiff was granted in the case of Kincheol vs. Close.

Other non-jury cases were dismissed or continued for the term.

Judge Ewing and Attorney Pickens went from here to their homes, and will hold court next week at Plemons.

Week of Prayer Observed

Interesting programs were given at the M. E. church Wednesday and Thursday of last week, in spite of the bad weather and prevailing sickness.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Haines took charge during the entire hour as Mrs. McClure was unable to be present. Mesdames Barkley, Gibner and Bailey each gave interesting talks on the work being done at our Vashiti Industrial School for Girls at Thomasville, Georgia. Misses Joyce and Nannie Holland favored us with a vocal duet.

Thursday was quite cold and neither of the leaders could be present, so our faithful president, Mrs. Dennis, took charge of the service. Mrs. McMurry gave a very helpful talk on public prayer and Mrs. Freely read a poem. Our new minister, Rev. Pirtle, was with us and helped to make the meeting more interesting.

Though there was a small attendance each day, yet the few who were there feel well repaid for attending.

At the M. E. Church Sunday, November 14, 1920

The attendance at Sunday school was splendid, but we are unable to give the exact number of persons present. Some of our Baptist friends were present and we welcome them and any others who have no other place to attend Sunday school.

Mrs. Bailey and Mr. Barkley, two of our teachers, were absent and we missed them.

Rev. Z. B. Pirtle, our new minister, was heard for the first time Sunday by many people. Rev. Travis, our former pastor, was also with us.

The Junior League met Sunday afternoon and inaugurated a membership contest. Pope Gibner is leader of the Boosters, who will be known by their blue badges, while Bessie Barkley leads the Rustlers with their red badges. A committee met Tuesday and nominated officers. The election will be held next Sunday at the regular meeting at 3:00 o'clock, p. m. Every child under 16 years is invited to be present.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. church will meet Wednesday, November 24th, with Mrs. C. W. King. Every member is urged to be present. The Bible lesson will be the Second Book of Samuel.

Want to buy a second-hand book case. Apply at the Reporter office.

Buy clothing and shoes at the Surprise Store. Big Removal Sale now on.

When in Perryton and need anything in diamonds, watches or jewelry see W. H. DUNLAVY.

Satisfaction when you trade with P. Monkey Maize & Co. Our prices are so low—we give until it hurts.

W. M. Glover and wife of Burk Burnett, arrived Tuesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Glover.

Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun Oldham announce the birth of a daughter on November 16th, at their home in the west part of town.

S. M. Kier of the Spearman Auto Tire Works, left Tuesday morning for Sioux City, Iowa, for a month's visit with his parents.

Dr. Haney reports the arrival of a fine girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Romey Tomlinson of the Kimbal community on November 15th.

Mrs. R. O. Smith and small grandson, who have been visiting at the home of H. G. Smith for several days, have returned to their home at Shamrock.

Fortunately we have the merchandise to fill your wants and satisfaction is guaranteed when you trade with P. Monkey Maize & Co.

CONTEST DISCONTINUED

On account of the mail line from Plemons not starting on the 16th inst. as we had anticipated, we are going to discontinue our contest for the present, and put it on again when this line is established. Hutchinson county people have such poor mail service now, the contestants from that county would not have a fair chance. We will put on another contest early next year, provided the mail line is finally established. Nothing has been heard from the bids which were sent in to the department for the carrying of the mail, and no one knows at present just when the service will begin. One thing is certain, and that is that Plemons and Spearman folks are not going to quit asking for it until they have this mail line established. It is needed and we are entitled to it.

Storage room.—See Dotterer, the dray man.

Blankets! Blankets! Buy them at the Surprise Store Removal Sale.

The roads are again passable and the town is full of traveling salesmen almost every day.

Geo. Kelly of Dalhart, auto salesman, was looking after business matters here Tuesday.

C. C. Newcombe and family were in from the Range community Tuesday, trading and visiting with friends.

For quick service send me your jewelry for repair. W. H. DUNLAVY, Perryton.

See our fall and winter line of samples before ordering your up-to-date suit.

P. MONKEY MAIZE & CO.

Lois Bailey, who has been confined to her home for several days because of sickness, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Womble are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl at their home Sunday, the 14th inst.

Walter P. Jones of the First National Bank, went to Wichita, Wednesday to visit his mother, who has just returned from an extended visit in Utah.

A. D. Daugherty of the Light Grain & Milling Company, came from Liberal Tuesday, with a hurry-up order of Light's Best flour for the Spearman Equity Exchange.

J. Frank Andrews returned Monday from a business trip to Kansas City. Frank took up a bunch of fat cows and steers, and he says the market is sure "rotten."

Mr. and Mrs. George Whitson went Wednesday to Liberal, via Guymon, where they will attend a meeting of the officers and directors of the Farmers' Equity Exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, who have been guests of their daughter, Mrs. Lyman J. Hillhouse, in Spearman for the past week, returned Monday to their home in Hooker, Oklahoma.

A committee of ladies of the Methodist church were busy Tuesday selecting some new furniture for the parsonage. This is a much needed improvement and we all rejoice to hear of it.

The candy and pop corn sale given by the Sunbeam class of the Methodist Sunday school last Saturday was a grand success. The proceeds will be used to buy a table and a screen for the class. The Sunbeams appreciate the help of everyone who assisted.

Effective at 12 o'clock on Sunday, November 14th, the following change was made in the Spearman train service: Eastbound No. 52 leaves at 7:00 a. m. as usual, and westbound No. 51 arrives at 2:45 instead of 2:15 daily, except Sunday.

A. J. Dotterer this week bought of Mr. Cox, a nice little cottage in south Spearman. Mr. and Mrs. Cox left Tuesday for their old home in Oklahoma. Mr. Dotterer is a single man, but there is no positive proof that he will always be single. And then, every man should have a home, anyway.

Considerable trouble and inconvenience has been experienced at the city well during the recent cold weather, caused by the water pipes freezing up and shutting off the water. Ralph T. Bucy finally got on the job and has packed the pipes in such a way that freezing will now be impossible.

A merry party of Spearman young folks were out kodaking Sunday afternoon and on their return to town went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Raney, where they were delightfully entertained with music and games. Those present were: Misses Lena, Della and Winnie Dacus, Hazel and Pauline Lowe, Myrtle Balentine, Grace Pirtle, Eva Kelly, Clara and Laura Belle Raney; Messrs. Stonewall McMurry, Ben Beck, Bughlin Pirtle and Rufus Raney.

Beginning October 18, this Bank will close at 4:00 P. M.

Surprise Yourself



Keep an accurate account of all the money you spend in a month and what you spend it for. It will surprise you.

Then resolve to bank the amount you have heretofore been spending unwisely.

You will never regret the resolution if you act.

Guaranty State Bank

SPEARMAN, TEX.

Rann-dom Reels

By HOWARD L. RANN

THE FALL SKIRT

THE fall skirt is a neat garment which looks a good deal like the spring skirt, but costs more, owing to the European war, which has caused a great scarcity of everything except campaign bunk.

The fall skirt was gotten up last February in the heart of Paris, France, and sent over here to be sold to women who do not care to look like any of their neighbors. To the dull and unpracticed eye of man it is hard to tell a new fall skirt of the 1917 model from the early spring and discarded after making the horrifying discovery that it was three-quarters of an inch too long to be strictly au fait. There

thing that costs more than it did last winter, but will not be guaranteed against defects of workmanship or material. Stripes will be worn a great deal by women who would look better in some solid, neutral tint like black taffeta. The nervous, high-voiced Scotch plaid will also be favored by wives whose husbands have learned to suffer in silence.

Owing to the increasing hardness of the American woman, the fall skirt will have the same kind of lining as the silk stocking, but the latter will contain a trifle more material.

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MIL. TANT MARY

Just when you're gloating over what a sport you are, all TOLD Some Auntie visits you and makes you feel JUST EIGHT YEARS OLD!



YOU'RE WELCOME TO THIS—IF SUCH A LONG SKIRT MEANS ANYTHING IN YOUR YOUNG LIFE.

Announcing

the opening of our

New Music Room.

Columbia Grafonolas and Columbia Records.

Come in and hear your favorite.

HILLHOUSE DRUG CO.

The People With the Goods SPEARMAN, - TEXAS

is nothing more depressing than a new skirt which is only 75 per cent out au fait and folds carelessly about both ankles, instead of tilting back rakishly and blinding the innocent bystander in both eyes.

Great care has been taken, according to the fashion periodicals, to make the fall skirt so long that it can be worn to church with perfect propriety. By actual measurement it will reach to the top of a 12-inch boot, which will prevent anybody from tripping on it. In fact, it is estimated that it is going to be harder to trip over one of the new fall skirts than it is to escape the strident voice of the cafe piano player.

The fall skirt will be made of any-

Farm and Ranch

LANDS

Any size tracts and at prices and terms to suit. Spearman town lots and acreage—desirable locations

Oil Leases

I am in the market for Oil Leases.

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Unlimited amount of money to loan on Farms and ranches in Hansford, Hutchinson and Ochiltree counties. Interest rate and settlement options very attractive.

.. J. R. COLLARD ..

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SPEARMAN, TEXAS

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Vaccinate your calves against Blackleg. Do it now.

We have secured the agency for

"CONTINENTAL SERUM"

Calves insured against loss—with tag in ear—at a saving of almost half the old price.

Hale Drug Company SPEARMAN

The Store with the Up-Town Service



GREAT REDUCTION SALE



P. M. Maize & Co.

SALE BEGINNING NOVEMBER 22, 1920

Ladies' Suits,
Dresses
and Skirts

Ladies', Misses'
and
Children's Coats

PRICES REDUCED AS FOLLOWS

Ladies' Suits, Dresses and Skirts

Ladies' \$60.00 Suits now only	\$44.00
Ladies' \$53.00 Suits now only	37.50
Ladies' \$40.00 Suits now only	27.50
Ladies' \$45.00 Dresses now only	32.50
Ladies' \$32.00 Dresses now only	24.00
Ladies' \$26.50 Dresses now only	21.50
Ladies' \$24.00 Dresses now only	18.50
Ladies' \$22.00 Dresses now only	17.50
Ladies' \$20.00 Dresses now only	15.00
Ladies' \$25.00 Skirts now only	18.00
Ladies' \$21.00 Skirts now only	15.50
Ladies' \$20.00 Skirts now only	15.00
Ladies' \$17.75 Skirts now only	12.50
Ladies' \$17.00 Skirts now only	11.50
Ladies' \$16.50 Skirts now only	11.00

Children's Coats

Children's \$11.50 Coats now only	8.00
Children's \$12.50 Coats now only	9.00
Children's \$19.50 Coats now only	13.50

Misses' Coats

Misses' \$25.00 Coats now only	18.50
Misses' \$27.50 Coats now only	19.50

Ladies' Coats

Ladies' \$30.00 Coats now only	22.00
Ladies' \$32.50 Coats now only	23.50
Ladies' \$42.00 Coats now only	32.00

THESE, with many others, are great values that we are offering at reduced prices. We have the goods—let us show you.

P. M. Maize & Co.

SPEARMAN

Risk Nothing—Gain Everything. Buy Winter Clothing at this Sale

A SQUARE DEAL

ONE of the very first rules at our store is to give our customers a square deal on every transaction. Whether we are buying of you or you are buying of us, we make it a point to see that you get all that is coming to you. Our aim is to be of real service to the people of Spearman and the Spearman country.

We Need You and You Need Us

Potatoes, 100 lbs.

\$3.25

Extra Grade Coffee per lb.

20 cts.

Light's Best Flour, per cwt. . **\$6.00**

When a drop in the wholesale price of Groceries takes place it is immediately shown at the Equity. We are staying up and a little ahead of all competitors in the matter of cost reduction.

Come to See Us

Make Our Store Your Store

Spearman Equity Exchange

R. L. McCLELLAN, Manager

Lone Star Hotel

TOM SILAS, Manager

Conveniently located.
Popular rates.

Table supplied with the best the market affords.

Don't forget our Sunday dinners.

Clean and comfortable rooms and beds.

East Side Main
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In Hansford, Hutchinson, Ochiltree and Wheeler counties, Texas.

Terms to suit. Any size tracts.

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TOO "SANCTIFIED" FOR HER

Aunt Lizzie's Reasons for Leaving Her Spouse, and Why She Was Not Grieving.

Aunt Lizzie, comfortably fat, a widow, and nearing middle age, met her fate in the person of a prosperous negro who owned a plantation and a good home. Her white friends thought she had done unusually well, and were glad. A few short months after the wedding ceremony, however, she came to see a family she had had once cooked for, and when a young member of the group asked about her wealthy spouse, she said: "Law, chile, I done left that nigger. Him and me didn't get along a-tal." Surprised, the girl asked: "What on earth was the matter, Aunt Lizzie? I thought you married a fine man with plenty of money." "Had plenty of money, all right," she replied. "Warn't but one thing wrong with him—he was sanctified. You know, one of dese here holiness men. Us hadn't been married no time bef' he told me I warn't as good as him. Said I was onregenerate. Den he stopped me fum drinking coffee wouldn't let me wear my weddin' clothes, and said he'd quit me if I ever went near one of dese picture shows. And you know, honey, I loves my coffee, my clothes, and when I comes to town my picture shows. So I up and quits him." "You don't look sad about it," the girl said. "Ain't sad, honey; ain't sad. I got me a lawyer and tuk half dat nigger's plantation way fum him. Guess he wished when I done dat he hadn't been so sanctified."

RASMUSSEN TO STUDY ESKIMO

Danish Explorer's Ambition Is Said to Be to Make Thorough Study of the Northern Race.

The remarkable studies carried out by the Danish explorer, Knud Rasmussen, among the Greenland Eskimos are described by W. E. Ekblaw in the Geographical Review. Rasmussen, who is part Eskimo himself, was born and traiped in languages and ethnology at the University of Copenhagen.

It is his ambition to make a thorough study of the whole Eskimo race, from eastern Greenland to Siberia, and

he has already visited every Eskimo settlement in Greenland. It is said that he knows every Greenland Eskimo personally. Mr. Ekblaw believes it safe to say that no one else has ever come into such direct contact with a whole people as he has.

Late in 1919 he returned from a visit to Ammassalik, on the east coast. He was surprised to find that the east Greenland Eskimos preserve many of the customs of the central Eskimos, who still inhabit the ancestral home of the race about Hudson bay. He found that they are more closely related to the central Eskimos than are any of the other tribes of the entire Greenland coast, and that only recently have they been affected by contrast with the Greenland west coast culture. —Scientific American.

O'lest Living Artist.

Abington, Mass., claims the oldest living artist in New England. She is Mrs. Mary Dillah Porter, who is now 92 years old. While holding a position high in standing among painters, the woman, peculiarly, did not take up painting until she was more than 50 years old.

At that time, happening to be in Maine on a visit, she became acquainted with a woman who gave lessons. She at once took up the art and immediately made great progress. In fact, in a comparatively short time she was giving lessons herself. In her home there are numerous excellent pictures, and during the last five years she has painted five pictures, considered a good number under the existing conditions which include shortage of materials.

Mrs. Porter was born in Cornwallis, N. S., coming to Abington at the age of 26 years. She is the mother of six children, and at present lives with her son, Lysander, and two grandchildren. —Boston Post.

ATTENTION! COW MEN

You have been losing calves from contagious and infectious abortion for years. Some of you have lost as high as 50 per cent in a year. This means a heavy loss and a great many young animals have gone to market on that account. Why let this dreaded disease continue when it can be stopped with two injections of Continental Serum? This great Serum is past the experimental stage and we have proven wherever it has been used that a cure is absolutely possible. We guarantee to immune 94 per cent of your cows.

DR. R. S. TANNER,
Field Manager.

For further information see S. B. Hale at the Hale Drug Co., Spearman.

Read the Reporter.

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Inspector out once a week from Woodward, Oklahoma.

Attractive Terms

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Spearman Rooming House

Nice, comfortable Rooms.

Clean Beds.

Rates reasonable.

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What is it? It is "Orion," the last word in cold and cough treatment.—Hillhouse Drug Company.



Eleven Years' Performance Proves OilPull Dependability

ELEVEN years ago the first Rumely OilPull tractor were put on the market. They were the industry's pioneers and went into the great unbroken prairies of the Northwest and Canada. They went up against the toughest conditions of soil and climate that ever tested a tractor. And they "made good"—their owners will tell you that.

Many thousands of OilPulls have followed those pioneers, and in these eleven years the OilPull has built up a record of continuous, reliable, economical operation that is unequalled in the pages of tractor history. In fact, the first OilPulls built are still on the job—Old Number One in South Dakota, Number Six and Number Nine in Kansas, and many others—year after year of continuous service and still good for many years more.

So the OilPull has built a remarkable record for the kind of service it will deliver to its owner. Eleven years test has proved the correctness of OilPull design and this same assurance of dependable service is in every OilPull you buy—no matter the size. Today the OilPull is made in sizes to fit every need—from 3-pow to 10-pow—and every one is backed by a written guarantee—12-20, 16-30, 20-40 and 30-60 H. P.

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The Golden Opportunity Arrives



Beginning Thursday, November 18th, at 9:00 a. m., and continuing for nine days only, will occur Oklahoma's Greatest Clothing Event.

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- BRIGGS -

Texhoma
Oklahoma

\$35,000.00 stock of Clothing, Shoes and Furnishing Goods for men, young men and boys, ORDERED SOLD.

Our store will be closed all day Tuesday and Wednesday, November sixteenth and seventeenth, to mark down and re-arrange this big stock. Open again at nine a. m.,

Thurs., Nov. 18

Ordered Sold by
Briggs & Briggs

\$35,000.00 Stock of Clothing, Shoes and Furnishing Goods.

At a great reduction. Sale begins Thursday, November 18, at 9 a. m. See hand bills for prices.

We promise great bargains and nothing shall stop us. Make no mistake. Be sure to find the right place. Before entering be sure you see the big sign,

Briggs & Briggs

"Ordered Sold" Means that We Have Got to Make a Great Sacrifice.

We are not after profit. We are not going out of business. All we desire is to reduce our stock in record time. Erase from your memory every other sale you have ever heard of or seen. This will be the greatest boni fide saving event that has ever taken place in the entire state of Oklahoma. We are determined to reduce our \$35,000 stock no matter how great the sacrifice. You must come early as there will be a crowd. Select enough merchandise to last you a year.

COME, BUY
SHARE PROFIT
and INVEST

.. BRIGGS & BRIGGS ..
Texhoma's Leading Clothiers

Sale for
for Nine Days
Only

Vulcanizing of the better kind

Just take a moment and let us go over those tires, Mr. Auto Owner. We may save you some trouble. Are you sure they will last the trip out? You may have a blow out or rim-cut.

If the fabric is sound our skillful repairing will make it good for many a mile, and we build up the fabric just the same as we build up the rubber.

Don't junk your old casings. Bring them to us to be repaired.

Spearman Auto Tire Works
GAS and OILS
KIER & FLETCHER, Proprietors
Back of Forshae Hardware

Read the Reporter.

FOR SALE

Six single-comb Brown Leghorn roosters, at \$2.00 each.
MRS. L. S. CATOR.

MONEY TO LOAN

I am now in position to make farm loans at a good rate of interest. Long time and easy payments. Call and see me. Office back of Hays Mercantile Company store. FRED HILL.

NEW BUICKS

Shipment of Buicks just received. Better come quick if you want one of these best of all automobiles. L. W. Booth, Guyton, Oklahoma.

The new bank at Texhoma, the Farmers State, are now representing the Oklahoma Farm Mortgage Co. over all this territory, having direct charge of seven counties in the Panhandle. If you need a farm loan quick, see us.

Send me your watch and jewelry repair work by mail. All work guaranteed. W. E. DUNLAVY, Perryton, Texas.

RED CROSS EXTENDS RELIEF TO POLAND

More than \$5,000,000 has been spent by the American Red Cross in aiding the stricken people of Poland. The organization has nursed the sick, fed the starving, clothed the naked, sheltered the homeless, schooled the children and cared for the orphans there. It has conducted a relentless fight against typhus, cholera and other terrible diseases. So today millions of men and women in that resurrected nation speak in grateful appreciation of "The Greatest Mother in the World."

Nearly 200 American Red Cross workers are now engaged in relief activities in Poland. Four large relief bases are in operation and eleven mobile units are in the field. During the last twelve months this organization was largely instrumental in the re-establishment of a million refugees at a cost for general relief of more than \$1,000,000. Last winter one-half million war orphans were aided materially, and since then a series of large orphanages have been established to give them permanent care.

But for American Red Cross aid, officials of Poland declared recently, millions of people in that country would

have perished of disease, exposure or starvation the last eighteen months. And the work there must be kept up for another year.

Mr. Farmers: You market in Texhoma, what about your banking? Texhoma has now a new bank, a service institution, the Farmers State. The present owners also own the Oklahoma Farm Mortgage company, Oklahoma City, and twenty-five more of the oldest banks of the state. Your account is solicited with the assurance we are fully able to take care of your needs both in banking and farm loans. 29tf

NOTICE

Five of the baseball uniforms of the Spearman team are missing. If you have a Spearman baseball uniform, turn the same in at once to the Hillhouse drug store, as we wish to have them cleaned and put away. Do this now.

LYMAN J. HILLHOUSE,
Pres. Spearman Baseball Assn.

Lost—One automobile chain. Finder please leave at the Reporter office.

.. We Buy .. **HOGS**

Bring your hogs to Spearman. We will pay you the highest price and will treat you right in every transaction. We want to make Spearman noted as a hog market. Help us do this by giving us a chance to buy what you have to offer.

We have pens and can take care of any number of hogs. Bring them in.

Raney & Wilbanks
SPEARMAN

STOVES

Buy 'Em
Now

Round Oak - HEATERS - Clermont

Stoves that last indefinitely and give satisfaction all the way.

Majestic Ranges, Rock Island Stoves and Ranges, Singer Sewing Machines—have several in stock to select from. If needing a machine why not get the best.

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Posts, Paint, Builder's Hardware

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Come now while the buying is good and save money on your new suit and overcoat.

One hundred beautiful fabrics cut to the quick. All kinds of bargains. See those numbers on which you can save thirty per cent.

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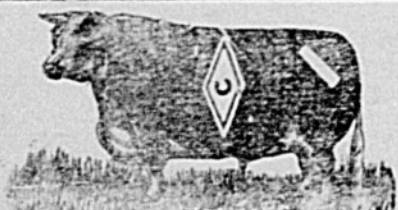
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Brands: Diamond C on left side
on left hip
Ear Marks: Crop on left & under
Hill on right
Ridge on headwaters of the Palo
Duro
J. H. Cator & Son, Spearman

TO THE PUBLIC

Having posted my ranch, lying in the northeast corner of Hansford county, along the Palo Duro creek, as required by the law of Texas, this is to specially call attention to any one fishing, hunting or trespassing in any way therein, that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

GUS B. COOTS,
36152* Owner of Palo Duro Ranch

Notice to the Public

I will sell wood for \$5.00 per four-horse load. It will be necessary to either phone or come to headquarters before getting the wood, otherwise you will be treated as trespassers. Positively no hunting allowed.

W. T. COBLE,
Owner of the Turkey Track ranch.

Notice

No hunting or fishing will be allowed in the Diamond C pastures, on the headwaters of the Palo Duro. These lands are posted and trespassers will be prosecuted.

JAMES H. CATOR & SON

The new bank at Texhoma, the Farmers State, under new management, has grown to about three times its size of a year ago. Your account will be appreciated and your business handled to suit you. 29tf

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1926.
A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, etc.
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YOUR RED CROSS



The American Red Cross, by its Congressional charter, is officially designated:

To furnish volunteer aid to the sick and wounded of armies in time of war, in accordance with the conventions of Geneva.

To act in matters of voluntary relief and as a medium of communication between the American people and their Army and Navy.

To continue and carry on a system of national and international relief in time of peace and to apply the same in mitigating the sufferings caused by pestilence, famine, fire, floods and other great calamities.

To devise and carry on measures for preventing these causes of suffering.

FOURTH RED CROSS ROLL CALL

November 11-25, 1920.
MEMBERSHIP FEES:

Annual	\$ 1.00
Contributing	5.00
Life	50.00
Sustaining	10.00
Patron	100.00

Send dues to your nearest local chapter.

Lost—Between Texhoma and the Lowe Wagon Yard on the Hansford road, a blue suit coat. Finder please return to the Reporter office.

Buy your winter clothing and shoes at the Surprise Store now, during the Great Removal Sale.

One nearly new two-ton Nash truck for sale or trade. See R. P. Kern.

DIALECTS MANY AND VARIED

Genesis of the Traveling American May Be Pretty Well Recognized by His Speech.

A survey just completed shows that 83 languages are in daily use in New York, not including three or four kinds of English. There is highbrow English, lowbrow English and the R-less variety, besides the strange, inexplicable cockney kind, which gives all "er" sounds the sound of "ol." We say inexplicable, for we have never seen explained why in certain New York vernacular third is "thoid," bird is "bold" and curse is "coise."

Sometime, somewhere, that enunciation must have begun—whether on the Bowery or in Harlem or even in Broadway, nobody seems to know. Was it in existence in 1830? The New York literature of that era does not seem to so indicate. The converse of the boot-blacks and juvenile street sweepers of the mild and innocuous fiction of those days reveal almost a Sunday school diction. The "coise" has swept over Manhattan since then. It came with the melting pot and may be part of it, for all we know.

The United States is large enough to contain a number of dialects and already it does contain them, so that one's genesis is pretty well distinguished by his speech. We know New England by its "lofting" laugh and they know us by our "larling" one. "Ask" in some parts of the South is as flattened out almost as the "a" in "bake," while still remaining "ask" in Massachusetts.

Our pluribus unum language is truly that kind, and likely to become more pluribus as the country grows older.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

TOMBS THAT ARE INDIVIDUAL

Resting Places of Chinese Rulers So Constructed as to Reveal Character of Occupants.

At the Tung Ling, or Eastern Tombs of the Manchus, nature has worked hand in hand with man to produce a harmonious whole, writes Roy Chapman Andrews in Asia Magazine. Most of the trees about the tombs have been planted, but they have been so cleverly chosen and placed that they look as if they had grown just where, in nature's scheme of things, they ought to be. There is nothing glaringly artificial in the appearance of the park.

Although the tombs are alike in general plan, they are at the same time as individual as were the emperors themselves. Each is a subtle expression of the character of the one who sleeps beneath the yellow roof. The tomb of Ch'ien-Lung, the artist emperor, lies not far away from that of the empress dowager. Stately, beautiful in its simplicity, it is an indication of his life and deeds. In striking contrast is the palace built by the empress, for her eternal dwelling. Extravagantly decorated, vaingloriously declaring to the world the millions spent upon it, it represents admirably the personality of the iron-willed ruler who in life held her place by force and intrigue and lavish expenditure and who was determined to be known, even in death as the greatest of the great. But a hundred years from now when Ch'ien-Lung's mausoleum, like the painting of an old master, has been made even more beautiful by the touch of age, that of the empress will be worn and tarnished.

Young Author Falls Down

A young author sends me the manuscript of a story. He claims he has a new idea. His "new idea" is this: A young man and woman are married in the usual way, and during their honeymoon, love each other with great devotion.

But in a year the young man finds he has tired of his wife, from seeing her so much; from too close association. He supposes, of course, that she has not tired of him; such a possibility does not enter his mind. However, he resolves to be a square man and confess to his wife just how he feels. She also talks frankly, and it develops that the wife is as tired of the husband as the husband is of the wife.

I am compelled to report to the young author that this is no development of a new fact in life.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

From Frying to Flying

Aviation is occupying a great deal of attention in Canada these days. It is highly probable that the helium gas rising out of the ground in Alberta and other parts of western Canada and used in parts of the country for family cooking will one day be carrying English lighter-than-air flying machines, says Motor Life. It has been reported that there is enough of this gas to supply the entire British empire for many years. It lacks only 10 per cent of the weight-supporting ability of the highly inflammable hydrogen and is equally satisfactory.

Sweets Losing Popularity in France

France has lost its sweet tooth. Recent official statistics show that, because sugar was unobtainable during the war, children born between 1914 and 1919 have been educated by their parents not to require sugar in their drinks and food.

As a result the consumption of sugar in France has fallen to one-eighth the pre-war mark.

France has become such an unprofitable market for fine chocolates that nearly all the big manufacturers are sending nine-tenths of their output to the United States and South America.

STOVES

"Stove time" is again upon us. The little oil stove will no longer fill the bill. We have what you want in

Good Heating Stoves and Cook Stoves

The coal-saving kind. Come in and look them over.

We have also something new in

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McCormick Twine Cream Separators

J. M. FORSHEE

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High grade Gas Oils and Greases.

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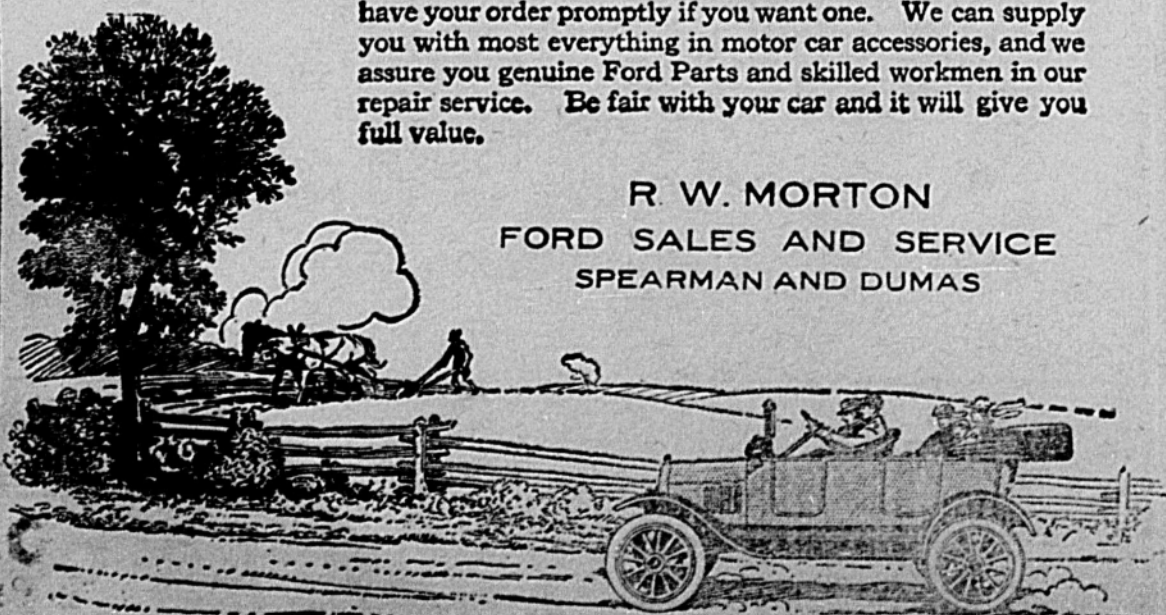
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R. W. MORTON
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SPEARMAN AND DUMAS



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Then Come to the Big Removal Sale, at the

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One look will convince you. Read just a few of the many savings:

Men's Shoes	Ladies' Shoes	Children's Shoes
\$12.50 values . \$11.25	\$11.00 values . \$10.00	\$5.50 values . . \$4.95
10.00 values . 9.00	9.85 values . . 8.85	5.00 values . . 4.50
8.75 values . 7.85	8.75 values . . 7.85	4.50 values . . 4.00
7.00 values . . 6.30	6.95 values . . 6.25	3.95 values . . 3.50
Wool and Cotton Sweaters 10 Per Cent Discount	20 Per cent Discount on Men's Suits and Overcoats	10 Per Cent Discount on Ladies' Coats
10 Per Cent Discount on Hats and Caps	20 Per Cent Discount on Skirts and Dresses	10 Per Cent Discount on Blankets and Comforts

A 10 per cent discount on every article in our store.

An additional 5 per cent discount will be given on each purchase of \$50.

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We Put Money in the Bank for You

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SAVE A DOLLAR

Spearman

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ON all commodities seem to be a thing of the past, and in line with the general price-cutting rage of the country, we have lowered our prices from fifteen to thirty per cent since August first.

We can now make you some mighty good prices on lumber and other building material, so when you need anything in this line don't fail to come to see us.

Don't Hesitate

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You Need a Fine Barn on Your Farm

New arrivals:

Car load of Catalpa Fence Posts.
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We are not quoting prices for the reason that they are changing almost every day. Do not buy

Your Flour, Bran and Shorts

until you get our prices. We meet, and usually beat, all competition—any time, anywhere.

Bolin-Hall GRAIN CO.

JACK THOMAS, Manager

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JUNIOR RED CROSS ACTIVE IN EUROPE

Garden seeds for Polish orphans, milk for anaemic Greek babies, carpenters' tools for Czecho-Slovakian cripples—these are only a few of the gifts that young Americans are sending to the war-crushed children of the Old World.

Through the Junior Red Cross the boys and girls of the United States are giving a fresh start in life to little war orphans scattered all over Europe. They have set up orphans' homes in France, school colonies in Belgium and Montenegro, and day schools in Albania.

They are sending dozens of young Syrians, Montenegrins, and Albanians to American colleges in Constantinople, Beirut, and maintaining more than a hundred orphans of French soldiers at colleges and trade schools. In orphanages and farm schools up and down the peninsula of Italy there are nearly 500 wards of American Juniors.

Last winter a thousand French children from the inadequate shelters of the devastated regions were sent by the Junior Red Cross to spend the cold months in warmer parts of France. At the same time five thousand little Belgians were having a hot lunch every day at Junior Red Cross school canteens.

American school children have already raised something like a million dollars for these enterprises, and they are still hard at work.

In China, through campaigns of education, the Junior Red Cross is helping to combat widely prevalent blindness and cholera.

RED CROSS RELIEF IN CENTRAL EUROPE

But for timely assistance of the American Red Cross during the last year, a large proportion of the 20,000,000 population of the Balkan States might have starved or perished from disease or exposure. Six million dollars worth of food, clothing and medical supplies have been sent to the Balkans—Roumania, Bulgaria, Albania, Montenegro, Serbia, Bosnia and Greece—since the beginning of Red Cross relief operations in Central Europe, while millions of dollars worth of food alone has been sent to the needy in these states.

The money expended by the Red Cross in this stricken portion of Europe has been used to set up hospitals, orphanages, dispensaries, mobile medical units and to help in the general reconstruction of devastated areas. American tractors and other farming implements have been sent to the agricultural regions where aid has been given in plowing the land. By the last of this year probably

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You will not be disappointed when you give our goods a trial.

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H. G. SMITH, Mgr.

All American Red Cross agencies administering relief in Central Europe will have withdrawn. By that time, it is believed, the people will have approached a normal state of living and will be able through their own agencies which the Red Cross has helped set up to provide for themselves.

Ladies

Bring orders for hemstitching, pick edging, all kinds of pleating, cloth-covered buttons, etc., to the Tailor Shop. Prompt and satisfactory service is guaranteed.
SID CLARK, Spearman.

List your ranch, farm or raw prairie land with me. Or if you want to buy, see or write me. GEO. M. TOCKEY, Booker, Texas. 361f

Second Hand Cars

Roadster, touring car, Chevrolet, new Baby Overland and Ford truck for sale or trade. When in the market for second hand or new cars, call at the Auto Service Company, Larkin & Son old stand, Spearman.
MIZAR & PAUL.

What is it? It is "Orion," the last word in cold and cough treatment.—Hillhouse Drug Company.

GROCERIES

Plenty of fresh Groceries always on hand.

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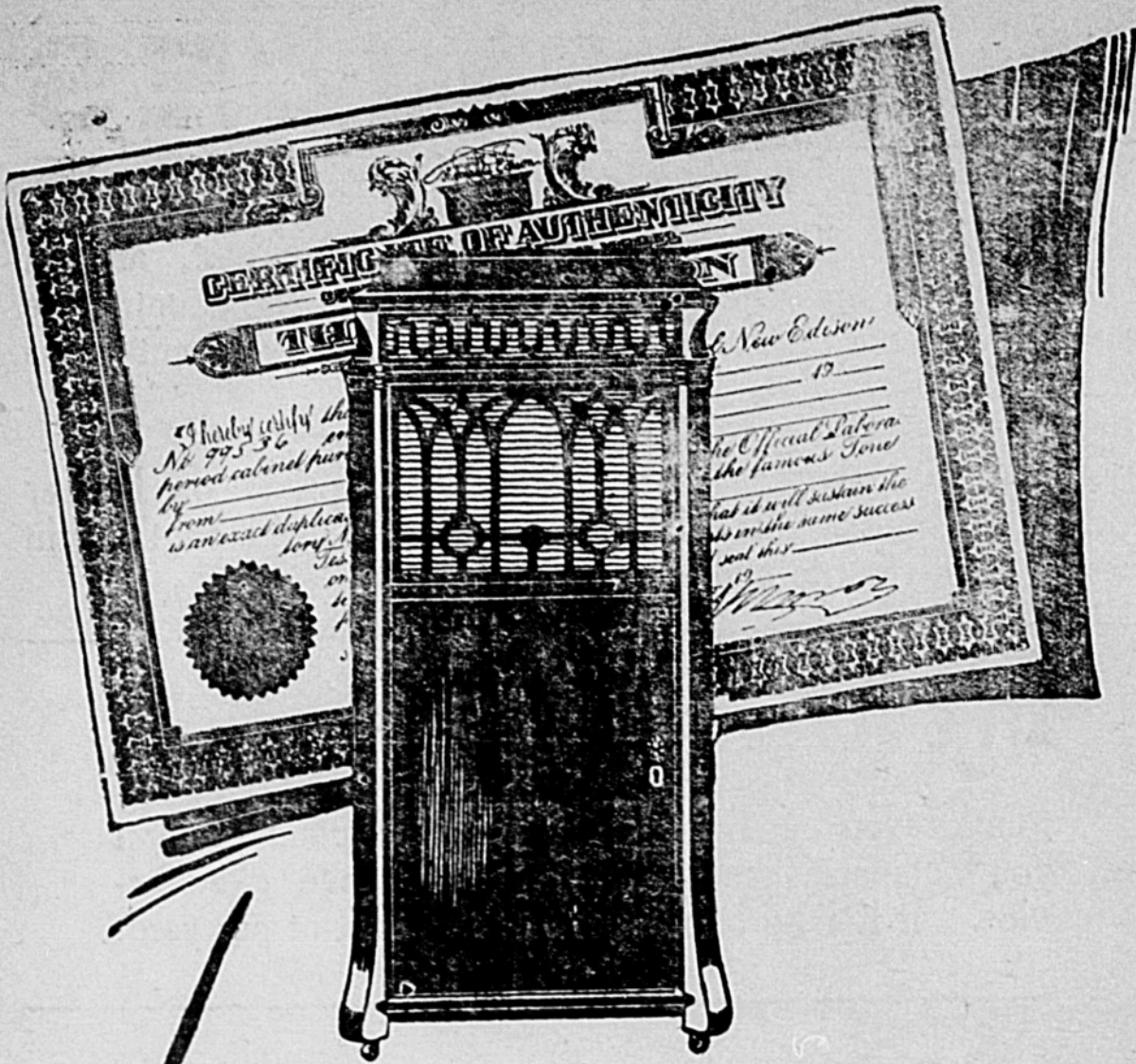
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We are making deliveries now. Get one while you can.

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Put on by us at the Arcade Theater, Spearman. It is no idle phrase that you can enjoy Case, Middleton, Hempel, Matzenauer, Spalding—in your own home. The New Edison brings all that the great artist can bring, except his physical presence. It is the phonographic triumph of the age.

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Shorthorn CATTLE
Near Booker, Texas

Having sold my farm, I have decided to sell my herd of Pure Bred Shorthorn cattle, and will offer them at Public Auction on the Walter J. Lehman farm, one-half mile north of Booker, Texas, on

Saturday, Nov. 27

The herd consists of thirty head of pure bred registered Shorthorn cattle and are a very choice lot of cows and heifers, ranging in age from 1 to 5 years old. Some of these cows have calves by side by such well known stock bulls as Rosewood 360564, undoubtedly the greatest Shorthorn bull in Kansas. Two of the yearling bulls offered in this sale are by him, and one cow bred back to Rosewood. These young bulls are good enough to be at the head of any herd.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Frank Sakdol, whose residence is unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Hansford county, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof, in the town of Hansford, on the Second Monday in December, 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered 32 on the docket thereof, wherein Ira F. Dacus is plaintiff and Frank Sakdol is defendant, the cause of action being alleged as follows: Plaintiff alleges his claim against the defendant as follows, for board and lodging due to plaintiff the sum of \$339.75, for assignment of labor debt due Howard Presnal from defendant \$76.50, for labor debt due Flavil L. Colley from defendant the sum of \$125.43, for labor debt due Joe Shero from the defendant the sum of \$130.43, for labor debt due Frank Shelton the sum of \$142.43 making a total of \$814.54, all of which assignments are duly filed with and made a part of the petition.

You are further commanded to so summon such defendant, and to serve this citation by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: R. L. McClellan, clerk of the County court of Hansford county, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court in the town of Hansford, this 10th day of November, A. D., 1920.

R. L. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of the County Court of Hansford county, Texas.

Issued this 19th day of November, A. D., 1920.

R. L. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of the County Court of Hansford county, Texas.

Reduced prices on all yard goods at the P. M. Maize Mercantile Co.

A. T. Parten, owner of the Sid Lackey old homestead four miles southwest of Spearman, was looking after business matters here the first of the week. Mr. Parten recently sold out in Wheeler county, and his family is now at Mineral Wells. They may decide to make Hansford county their home later on.

Good Clothes

Buy that new suit now. The price is right. Tailor made clothes look better, fit better and are better. No fit, no pay. Also, first class cleaning, pressing and repairing for both ladies and gentlemen, at the Spearman Tailor Shop.

SID CLARK, Manager.

Colds & Headache

"For years we have used Black-Draught in our family, and I have never found any medicine that could take its place," writes Mr. H. A. Stacy, of Bradyville, Tenn. Mr. Stacy, who is a Rutherford County farmer, recommends Black-Draught as a medicine that should be kept in every household for use in the prompt treatment of many little ills to prevent them from developing into serious troubles.

THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

"It touches the liver and does the work," Mr. Stacy declared. "It is one of the best medicines I ever saw for a cold and headache. I don't know what we would do in our family if it wasn't for Black-Draught. It has saved us many dollars . . . I don't see how any family can hardly go without it. I know it is a reliable and splendid medicine to keep in the house. I recommend Black-Draught highly and am never without it."

At all druggists.

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NINE THINGS YOU WOULD NEVER THINK OF

Cut this out and bring it to us. Slap down a Two Dollar bill and a fifty cent piece, and say: "Cap, or Hilly, give me that stuff, and save a little over a Quarter and have NINE things you would never think of until the kids got you out in the middle of the night with a bad cold:

1 box Calomel Tablets	\$.15
1 box Bromo Quinine	.32
1 box Epsom Salts	.20
6 oz. Castor Oil	.50
1 bottle Throat Wash	.26
1 box Aspirin	.25
1 box Orium	.32
1 bottle Cough Syrup	.52
1 box N. R. Tablets	.26

Total - \$2.78

Don't wait. Get this assortment before you need it. A stitch in time may save nine.

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THE HORRORS OF PROHIBITION

John L. Hays reports having recently received one car of salt, one car of cabbage, one car of potatoes and not one drop of whiskey.

What is it? It is "Orium", the last word in cold and cough treatment.—Hillhouse Drug Company.

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Sheds and Wind-Breaks

Protect your cattle from the cold winds during the coming winter. Nothing in the world takes the fat and strength from cattle and other stock, like going through a severe cold spell, so common to this section, without proper protection. You know this is true.

Just a wall to break the wind may save several head of those good cows.

We have in stock some special building material, well adapted to building just the sort of shed or wind-break you need.

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