

The Miami Chief.

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LOGISTS VISIT MIAMI

Archaeologists from the University of Michigan last Thursday visited Miami from Canadian to Amarillo.

The same men who have been in what is called "The City" situated on Wolf Creek in Roberts County.

When they have spent some time on the Canadian river on different places along the side of the river, among some old pits on the W. Hutchison, County, they are interested in old ruins likely to miss Adobe Walls, situated in the upper Panhandle.

Men stated while in town that they went over the site of the old fort thoroughly on their trip, greatly pleased at what they saw.

It is generally known, even in this district, that there are two main rivers called Adobe Walls. The place best known as Adobe Walls and where the Indian place in 1874 was a trade built of pickets and sod and blished mostly by merchants in City, Kansas in the spring for the purpose of cataring the buffalo hunters followed the buffalo from down into the Panhandle.

The place was named for the old walls situated on Bent Creek, a mile south-west of the new town. The earlier was built of brick and was thought by some to have been built there by Spaniards as early as 1844. When first visited by hunters in 1874 these were already in ruins, only part still standing.

E. Thoburn, Secretary of the American Society of Oklahoma, and K. Morehead, curator of the Department of Archaeology of the University of Andover, Mass., and R. F. Johnson of Moorhead, New Jersey made up this party.

They were all plain unassuming men in a Ford car with a roof rack. On their way to the creek they intended to stop on the creek in Carson county to see some old mounds and other things to be found in that vicinity.

Olive Dixon.

OIL WELL DRILLING

Well No. 1, in Roberts county, was spudded in about ten days ago and the drillers report very satisfactory progress. This well is being drilled by Messrs. Foster and and experienced oil men, and the unbounded faith in the venture. They are offering acreage and to the amount of about 2,000 acres. This test and N. W. Ricker, Spearman this week, with headquarter at Townsend & McClelland's state office, preparing to examine the workings of the company and how they intend to put down wells near Spearman. They are an attractive proposition and of our citizens are becoming interested in it. It is now an assured oil well will be found in the country and Foster and said to own an inviting lease can be found in the southwest. Spearman wishes them much success through the efforts of these oil men a field will finally develop in the southwest and possibly make an oil town of Spearman. We know what that means, so everybody should be interested. —Spearman reporter.

SANTA FE OFFICIAL DIES

Amarillo, Texas, June 14, 1920. The remains of T. H. Sears were taken to Ottawa, Kansas for burial this morning after funeral services in the St. Andrews Episcopal church here. Mr. Sears died Saturday night from pneumonia after an illness of ten days.

Mr. Sears was sixty-seven years of age and had been in the railway service fifty years, beginning as brakeman in 1870. He came to the Santa Fe Railway in 1886 and remained with the road from that time except for four years during which he was division superintendent of the Colorado and Southern at Denver. Mr. Sears became general superintendent of the southern district of Western Lines of the Santa Fe with headquarters at Amarillo, Texas July 1, 1914. This district includes the lines from Wellington, Kansas to Belen, New Mexico and the Pecos Valley and the Panhandle lines.

Mr. Sears is survived by his wife, three sons, and three daughters. He was married in August 1870 and would have celebrated the fiftieth anniversary this summer.

Mr. Sears was a capable and conscientious official. Frank and straightforward, he was respected and liked by his superiors, the employees, and the public. His passing is therefore generally regretted by all who knew him.

SOME FLAIN FACTS

THE HYPOTHESIS

There are 10,000 or more deaths from Tuberculosis every year in Texas.

There are 90,000 cases of active tuberculosis in Texas.

THE PROPOSITION

To prevent 65 per cent of these deaths.

To restore 60,000 of these active cases to health.

THE METHOD

Antituberculosis organizations, health crusades, etc., will help and it is hard to overestimate their value; but—

We will get no lasting, tangible results in the campaign; until— YOU, as an INDIVIDUAL, as a committee of ONE, see the necessity of making a personal effort.

You will have no society to organize; you will have no committee to appoint; you will have no free space in the newspaper to solicit; nor will it cost you one cent.

WHAT CAN I DO? is a logical question to ask and so simple is the answer that you will probably laugh but—

GET DISGUSTED WITH THE MAN WHO SPITS IN YOUR FACE.

He does it every day, twenty times every day, in twenty different ways. When he spits on the floor; when he spits on the sidewalk; when he spits AT the cuspidor; when he coughs and when he sneezes without covering his mouth.

Yes, there are other things you can do. You can put your children to bed at nine o'clock; you can give them a quart of whole milk each day; you can see that your dairyman eliminates the tuberculous cows from his herd and that he does not employ tuberculous people; you can build that new house mostly of windows and sleeping porches. You can do all these things and more but the main thing, the big idea, is—

TO FROWN ON THE MAN WHO SPITS IN YOUR FACE

COMING!

Mr. F. W. Elliott, Jeweler and Optician of Chicago. Will locate in Miami about July 1st and will open a line of Jewelry and optical goods. Mr. Elliott and family will arrive in a few days.

AUTO HITS TWO GIRLS SUNDAY

An automobile hit two girls Sunday afternoon on the Main street of our town, which came near proving a fatal accident to one of the young ladies. The occupants of the car were two Osborne boys and a Smoot boy of White Deer. They were going south and Miss Ada Humphries of Miami and Miss Myrtle Phillips, telephone operator of Pampa were crossing the street from the Bank of Miami to the Main Hotel, and while many people saw the accident, no one seems able to tell just why or how it happened, except that the car struck the girls a pretty hard lick, and they landed some twenty or thirty feet from the sidewalk. The car passing completely over Miss Phillips.

Miss Humphreys was able to be out after two days, but Miss Phillips received more serious injuries, but is reported to be getting along nicely today, with possibly no internal injuries which will prove bad. The boys were arrested and gave bond for their appearance at Justice Court next Monday.

WEBSTER GROCERY SELLS TO NEW FIRM

John Webster this week closed a deal, selling his grocery store, furniture and fixtures to a new firm, composed of Sam Sanders, W. E. Stocker and Jim Coffee. Mr. Coffee taking active charge of the business. The invoicing was done Monday and the new proprietors began selling groceries Tuesday.

The new firm will take the name of Sanders Grocery Company. All the new owners are well known business men of our town, and start out with the promise of receiving a nice business. They will remain in the present location.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE MEETS

The Miami Commercial League held an interesting meeting at the Pastime Theatre at 3:30 on the 9th. Inst. President J. W. Voyles who represented the League at the District Commercial Club meeting at Amarillo gave a highly entertaining and instructive account of the District Meeting. The fact of the great benefit which the Panhandle Country derived last year from the efforts of The Panhandle Plains Chamber of Commerce was especially emphasized. That body did a surprisingly great work with but small financial expenditure, and we trust that it shall hereafter have the hearty support of everyone of the thirty eight counties in the Panhandle. L. G. Waggoner who also attended the District Meeting at Amarillo supplemented the report of J. W. Voyles with some interesting facts.

J. R. Durrett, Secy

PLENTY OF HARVEST HANDS PROMISED

Secretary of the Commercial League has answered many inquiries from harvest hands as to the crop and labor situation here. It would seem that labor would be much more plentiful this year than last; also, that much less labor will be required to harvest this crop than last year's crop.

HARVEST BEGINS

W. C. Christopher of the Laketon community was in this week and states that he is now binding wheat. This is a rather early date for binding. He also stated that he was pulling a fourteen tanderum disc behind the binder so as to get the ground in shape for next seasons crop.

SYNOPSIS OF SECRETARY'S REPORT

REPORT

At the first anniversary meeting of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce it was moved and seconded and became a part of the record, ordering the issuance of a synopsis of the Secretary's report. The committee appointed for the performance of this duty, begs leave as follows:

We have found that the association has collected and spent less than \$10,000 and that the work of the organization has been little short of marvelous, in the returns that it has been able to show with this modest expenditure of money.

The report shows between January 20th of the current year and May 5th movement of approximately 19,000 cars of grain representing wealth excessive of \$35,000,000. Its value in this connection were attested by the statement of one of the attendants of the Santa Fe Railroad who is high in authority. During the coal famine this organization is given credit for having relieved the distress of the people, generally, throughout the Panhandle in bringing about closer connection between producer and consumer and carrier and consumer. The movement of the crop and the assistance that was given in respect to the distribution of coal means a great deal, additional to the actual value in that it was a great factor in the perpetuity of the good credit in this Panhandle and Plains division of Texas.

The report further advocates the establishment of storage and granaries in the rural district by the producers of grain owing to the fact that the car supply for the coming harvest is quite inadequate to take care of the crop that is now apparent upon the soil.

The report further shows that the activities in this body in retention of the present freight arrangements means the savings of millions of dollars annually to this portion of the state.

This committee is glad to note the thread of harmony which is closely interwoven throughout the report. It does not claim to control the law bodies of the state and nation; it does not claim to have the operation of Railroads within its power; it lays no claim to the absolute control of finance and is not self styled as the court of last resort. But the duty as

MICKIE SAYS

SAN, LISEEN, FOLKS! THERE AINT NO LAW AGAINST EDITORS CARRYING MONEY, SO IF HER LUCKY ENOUGH I HAVE ONE WITH A LIL DEP, DONT HOLLER WHEN HE ASKS MORE FER TH PAPER ER RAISES TH PRICE OF ADS! GEEWIT! THEY AINT NO WORSE KNOCK ON A TOWN THAN A STARVED LOOKING NEWSPAPER!



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That day, ages ago, when one man decided to trust his money into the keeping of another, marked a great, forward step in achievement.

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As an old established bank, this institution has many friends, many of whom began their banking relations with us in a small way. Their financial interests have grown and the bank has grown as its customers have. It is the aim of our management to remain loyal to our old friends, and at the same time to favor new customers, showing the same spirit of good-will to all.

Checking and Commercial Accounts Invited

THE BANK OF MIAMI

Roberts County Depository Individual Responsibility over \$400,000.00

H. Russell, President. Thos. J. Boney, Cashier.
J. F. Johnston, V-Pres. Jas. B. Saul, A-Cashier.



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This committee endorses every movement undertaken by the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce through its first year of operation and is glad to include in this report the wording of the resolution introduced by Mr. W. A. Palmer and unanimously adopted:

Whereas the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce has demonstrated its great usefulness by the splendid result it has produced during the first year of its organization, therefore, be it resolved by the delegates in attendance that we heartily recommend that this organization be continued in a more extensive manner if possible and that we pledge our cordial support for the future."

To this resolution the following names were subscribed attesting their unqualified support of the organization in its future life:
W. A. Palmer, Canadian, J. S. Wynne, Pampa, C. C. Shaller, Canadian, Walter Allen, Perryton, J. W. Payne, Perryton, L. G. Waggoner, Miami, F. P. Reid, Pampa, J. A. Mead, Miami, J. W. Voyles, Miami, J. E. Kuykendall, Slaton, J. C. Paul, Amarillo, O. H. Nelson, Romero, O. P. Russ, Panhandle, J. J. Vance, Panhandle, J. W. Poling, Panhandle, W. W. Rixey, Texline, H. R. Shields, Vega, C. M. McNabb, Vega, F. C. Quar-

Respectfully submitted (Signed) Judge Paul W. A. Palmer W. W. Rixey Judge Hamlin Committee. F. R. Jamison, Secretary-Manager.

The Registered Jersey Bull shipped in from the North will be kept in C. Coffee's pasture. \$5.00 for his service must be paid in advance. Parties desiring to breed will be required to secure a written order signed by H. A. Talley or L. A. Coffee.

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FAINTING AND DIZZY SPELLS

The Cause of such Symptoms and Remedy Told in This Letter.

Syracuse, N. Y.—"When I commenced the Change of Life I was poorly, had no appetite and had fainting spells. I suffered for two or three years before I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and the Liver Pills which I saw advertised in the papers and in your little books. I took about twelve bottles of your Vegetable Compound and found it a wonderful remedy. I commenced to pick up at once and my suffering was relieved. I have told others about your medicine and know of some who have taken it. I am glad to help others all I can."—Mrs. R. E. DEMING, 437 W. Lafayette Ave., Syracuse, N. Y.

While Change of Life is a most critical period of a woman's existence, the annoying symptoms which accompany it may be controlled, and normal health restored by the timely use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Moreover this reliable remedy contains no narcotics or harmful drugs and owes its efficiency to the medicinal extractives of the native roots and herbs which it contains.

After you eat—always use **EATONIC** FOR YOUR STOMACH'S SAKE. —one or two tablets—eat like candy. Instantly relieves heartburn, bloated, gassy feeling. Stops indigestion, food souring, repeating, headache and the many miseries caused by

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EATONIC is the best remedy, it takes the harmful acids and gases right out of the body and, of course, you get well. Tens of thousands wonderfully benefited. Guaranteed to satisfy or money refunded by your own druggist. Cost a trifle. Please try it!

Lady Pygmalion. The Instructor—That bust is fairly well modeled, but the expression is all wrong. It should be sad and thoughtful.

The Pretty Art Student—I know it and I had expression just right several times, but whenever I'd try to fix his hair or just touch his cheeks with my fingers the face would break into a smile.

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If you want the true, world-famous Aspirin, as prescribed by physicians for over eighteen years, you must ask for "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin."

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In each package of "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" are safe and proper directions for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Earache, Rheumatism, Gumbago, Neuritis, and for Pain in General.

Handy tin boxes containing 12 tablets cost but a few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer" packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monocetacidester of Salicylic Acid.—Adv.

As She Saw the Elephant. Little Catherine, aged four, saw an elephant at a circus for the first time. Looking at it, she exclaimed: "Oh, mamma, look at the fat horse with a tail near his eyes."

There are 360 volcanoes on the globe, according to late estimates.

BRACE UP!

The man or woman with weak kidneys is half crippled. A lame, stiff back, with its constant, dull ache and sharp, shooting twinges, makes the simplest task a burden. Headaches, dizzy spells, urinary disorders and an "all worn out" feeling are daily sources of distress. Don't neglect kidney weakness and risk grave, droopy or Bright's disease. Get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped other people the world over. Ask your neighbor!

A Kansas Case
Mrs. Lydia A. More, 3rd Ave., Oswego, Kans., says: "I suffered agonizingly with my back. My back ached steadily and I could get no sleep. Mornings my back was so sore and stiff I could hardly straighten. Every muscle seemed lame. I had dizzy spells and my kidneys acted irregularly. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and began using them. One box greatly relieved me."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box
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The Velvet Touch
Soap 25c, Ointment 25 and 50c, Talcum 25c.

CONDENSED CLASSICS

QUO VADIS

By HENRY SIENKIEWICZ

Condensation by Prof. William Fenwick Harris of Cambridge Mass.



Henry Sienkiewicz, so great a name in Poland that he has been coupled with Copernicus and Kosciuszko as the three Poles to whom Americans are most indebted, was born in Opprya in Russian Poland in 1846. He studied philosophy at Warsaw university and soon afterwards, in company with Helen Modjeska and other radical Poles, established a socialistic community in California. It was somewhat like the earlier Brook Farm experiment made by Hawthorne and his friends. It was no more successful and Sienkiewicz returned to Poland where he wrote a series of articles for a Warsaw newspaper about his American experiences. Then he turned to novel writing. He wrote brilliantly and rapidly, turning with the utmost ease from realistic pictures of contemporary life to stories of romance and to historical novels. "Children of the Soil," which he called his best book, is a simple story of Polish life which won more favor with his own countrymen than it did abroad. In the 80s he completed his tremendous trilogy, "With Fire and Sword," "The Deluge," and "Pan Michael." There was an epic quality about these historical novels that made many people in many lands hail him as a new Scott or a new Dumas. His international reputation, however, came with "Quo Vadis," his masterpiece of ancient Roman life. It was quickly translated into English and into nearly every tongue. Then it passed to the stage, not only in America and England, but also in France and Germany. Since that success Sienkiewicz had traveled widely, visiting England, France, Italy, Spain, Greece, Africa and the Far East. He received the Nobel prize for literature in 1905. From the outbreak of the war to his death in November, 1916, he devoted himself to the relief of Polish war victims.

"I DO not know of a certainty her name even—Lygia or Callina? They call her Lygia in the house, for she comes of the Lygian nation; but she has her own barbarian name—Callina. It is a wonderful house—that of those Plautuses. There are many people in it; but it is as quiet there as in the groves of Subincum. For a number of days I did not know that a divinity dwelt in the house. Once about daybreak I saw her bathing in the garden fountain; and I swear to thee that from that which Aphrodite rose, that the rays of dawn passed right through her body. I thought that when the sun rose she would vanish before me in the light, as the twilight of morning does. Since then I have seen her twice; and since then, too, I know not what rest is, I know not what other desires are, I have no wish to know what the city can give me. I want not women, nor gold, nor Corinthian bronze, nor amber, nor pearls, nor wine, nor feasts; I want only Lygia."

Thus did Vinculus, young Roman patrician of the time of Nero, announce his love for Lygia, daughter of a king, beautiful hostage from her nation, forgotten in the turmoil of the world empire and brought up as a Roman girl. Vinculus was speaking to his uncle Petronius, known to his own time as Arbiter Elegantiarum, trained in all the art and beauty of Greece, wise, witty, and learned, gayly staking his life in his daily battle of wits with Tigellinus, who provided for the grosser desires of the tyrant Nero as Petronius did for his finer and more artistic ones.

It was a time when the conflicting tides of a pagan age, sadly degenerate from the sturdy days of pristine Roman virtues, mingled with those of a new era in the world, only recently heralded from Judea. In the complicated threads of the picture of Rome, capital of the world, appear the figures of Peter and Paul on their mission of spreading the new religion of Christ; Poppaea, wife of Nero, beautiful as a dream, but wicked as a nightmare; Enice, the charming slave of Petronius; Chilo, witty Greek who can be Christian or pagan as profit leads him; Ursus, prodigious in his strength, simple as a child in his faith in Christ and his devotion to Lygia (from whom G. B. S. may have drawn a suggestion in "Androcles and the Lion"), and many minor folk who help to make the story stand out as unusually human among the numerous tales of Greco-Roman times.

When Vinculus told his uncle Petronius of his passion for Lygia, the latter thought nothing was easier than to provide his nephew with what he regarded as a new plaything; a word to Nero, who as emperor had all hostages in his care—summon the maiden to the palace, hand her over to the young patrician as her guardian—what more could be needed to satisfy any one's desires, especially as the maiden manifestly was pleased with Vinculus? But Petronius and his nephew reckoned without a new force that had entered into this Roman world. They

could not understand a girl who fled from Nero's court and all its magnificence, fled even from the lover whom she loved. But "finally he understood this, which he and Petronius had not understood, that the new religion, engrafted into the soul something unknown to that world in which he lived, and that Lygia, even if she loved him, would not sacrifice any of her Christian truths for his sake, and that, if pleasure existed for her, it was a pleasure different altogether from that which he and Petronius and Caesar's court, and all Rome were pursuing. Every other woman whom he knew might become his mistress, but that Christian would only become his victim. And when he thought of this, he felt anger and burning pain, for he felt that his anger was powerless. To carry off Lygia seemed to him possible; he was even sure that he could do so, but he was equally sure that, in view of her religion, he himself, with his bravery, was nothing, that his power was nothing, and that through it he could effect nothing. That Roman military tribune, convinced that the power of the sword and the fist, which had conquered the world, would command it forever, said for the first time in his life that beyond that power there might be something else; hence he asked himself with amazement what it was."

It is a definite and concrete way that the author has chosen to show the power of the new religion over human lives. Struggle as he would, backed by birth, by wealth and all the beauty, charm and allurements that wealth could bring, by the ingenuity and wit of Petronius, by the strong-arm methods of Croton, champion bruiser of his time, even by the force of the known world in Nero's sway, Vinculus could accomplish nothing if all he could win to himself was a mere unwilling body, while soul and spirit were beyond his grasp. And the maddening part to him was that he owed all his troubles to the teachings of a parcel of Jewish fishermen or their likes, or slaves or humble folk who had never before entered into serious consideration in the thoughts of a patrician like himself. It was a long struggle with him, and as the reader follows the various people of the story through their part in the action, he gets an admirable picture of Rome—Nero, tyrant, actor and artist, with all his magnificence and all his debaucheries; the poor and humble in their crowded quarters of the great city; the delight of all the senses in the life led by Petronius; the lawless streets of Rome by night; the pursuit of Lygia by Vinculus and his hirelings, resulting in the death of his professional bruiser Croton at the hands of the faithful Ursus, and the disaster to Vinculus which led to his nursing back to health by the Christians; his meeting with Peter and Paul; the gradual opening of his eyes, physical and spiritual; his discovery of Christians everywhere, among the people, among his own slaves, among soldiers and officers, even in the very court of Nero. And the growing worry and astonishment of Petronius:

"Vinculus, thou art losing sense, judgment, moderation," exclaimed Petronius.
"I love only her in the world," responded Vinculus.
"What of that?"
"This, that I wish no other love. I have no wish for your life, your friends, your shamelessness, your crimes."
"What is taking place in thee? Art thou a Christian?"
And then the great fire of Rome, set by Tigellinus that Nero might not lack the experience of Priam, who had seen Troy burn; of rescuing Lygia from the flames; the persecution of the Christians with the thought of throwing on them the rage of the people at the burning of the city; the singing out of Lygia by the hate of Poppaea because Vinculus had spurned the empress' proffered charms; the final rescue by a miracle of strength on the part of the ever-faithful Ursus, and the words of Vinculus to Peter:
"What thou commandest I will do."
"Love men as thy own brothers," answered the apostle, "for only with love mayest thou serve Him."

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BROOMS FROM PINE NEEDLES

Said to Be an Excellent Substitute for the Bristles Now Used, and Will Last Longer.

One of the latest discoveries is a new use for pine needles. It has been found that the needles of the pine make a fair substitute for bristles in brushes and brooms. They are found in great quantities on the ground in pine forests, and, owing to the large amount of silica in them, they are hard, and do not decay rapidly.

The pine needles are dealt with in two ways. Where they are long they are simply bunched together and tied firmly, and a stick is pushed down the center as a handle.

The other plan is to insert clusters of smaller needles in holes in a thickish piece of wood. These holes are filled with hot pitch, and when this material has set hard and dry the pine needles are held firmly in place.

Elaborate tests have shown that pine needles wear well. They are not more easily broken than much of the material which has been commonly used in broom-making, and, owing to their hardness, they can withstand a great deal of friction.

FARM STOCK

CLUB WORK PAYS BOYS WELL

Many California Members Repaid Loans for Purebred Animals Out of First Litters.

Agricultural club boys in Eldorado county, Calif., borrowed \$502 in March, 1918, from local banks to start their pig club projects. In August, 1919, an inventory showed that these boys owned or had sold \$5,826.25 worth of swine. Eight girls, exhibited by the Eldorado boys at the State fair brought an average price of \$56.50. They were from the first litter out of the original sows.

Owing to the high prices of pork last year, 63 per cent of the 1919 enrollment in the California agricultural clubs went into either the sow and litter or the pig feeding contests. Many club members in the State paid high prices with borrowed money for purebred animals, and in most cases have more than repaid the loans out of the first litters, says the United States department of agriculture.

Occasionally the purebred pig clubs in California have found difficulty in securing adequate prices for the stock they raise. To eliminate this trouble they have resorted to the means used by other purebred breeders, and have organized auction sales. Two were held in the past year, one at Lemoore, Kings county, and one in Fresno county. At Lemoore 38 animals brought a total of \$2,751, or an average of about \$72 a head, which is about the



Pigs Distributed to Club Members.

market price for purebred animals in California. In Fresno county 29 head of purebred Poland-Chinas brought a total of \$981.50, or an average price of \$68.30.

TREATING PIGS FOR WORMS

Sanitary Cement Wallow Should Be Provided and Oil or Dip Added to Kill Vermin.

Before starting spring pigs on summer feed, the entire lot should be treated for worms unless the owner is certain that the premises are clear. Santonin or American wormseed oil treatments are good.

Hogs should have a sanitary cement or frame wallow. Into the water should be put some crude oil or a dip to destroy lice, keep the skin in good condition, and promote gains.

A maximum use of pasture is desirable. If present pastures are poor or insufficient they may be supplemented with rape. A good rape pasture should carry 20 pigs to the acre for the season, according to R. O. Ashby of the Minnesota station.

Wherever pigs are given a full feed of grain the self-feeder should be used to save labor. Corn should be supplemented with a feed rich in protein.

The hogs should hog-off enough corn to finish them for the market, unless they are to be put behind cattle.

SHEEP AS SOURCE OF PROFIT

Close-Grazing Animals Will Thrive on Short Grass and Rough Land—Worthy of Trial.

Sheep would be a source of profit on many farms where they have not been given attention. They are close-grazing animals and as such will thrive on short grass and rough land where other animals would find it difficult to live. Why not get a few sheep and give them a chance on your farm?

EARLY PIGS REQUIRE GRAIN

Young Animals Cannot Be Expected to Get Heavy Enough for Market From Cornfield.

Pigs farrowed in late April, May and June can be fed on the same general plan but cannot be expected to get heavy enough to be marketed to the best advantage from the cornfield, but will require grain feeding up to late December or January at least before they will be heavy enough.

Millions of Tiny Germs Cause Your Catarrh

Real Relief Comes Only by Cleansing the Blood of the Germs.

You must realize that your blood is loaded down with catarrh germs, and these germs must be removed from your blood before you can expect real, rational relief from the disease. And of course, you know that you cannot reach these germs in your blood with sprays and douches.

Our observation is that folks give a man's trousers for legs the knees if they bulge at the knees.—Dallas News.

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Doesn't hurt a bit and costs only a few cents



Magic! Just drop a little Freezone on that touchy corn, instantly it stops aching, then you lift the corn off with the fingers! Truly! No humbug!

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BUILT MANY CENTURIES AGO

Florida's Shell Mounds Believed to Date Back to Before Beginning of Christian Era.

Florida's shell mounds, which are found in different portions of the state, are unquestionably of human construction, and were probably built by some race of people who inhabited the country about the beginning of the Christian era. These mounds were found overgrown with vegetation and forest as long ago as when the first red man set foot in Florida, and the fact that the deposit of earth above them was sufficient to give place to the root of trees proved their great age.

There have been found in all these mounds pieces of pottery imbedded in the shell conglomerate, as well as articles made of shell and bone, rude stone implements and many bones of fish and animals, such as deer, terrapin, rabbits, alligators and others. There are in the entire state about forty mounds, the most important of which are those of King Phillip's town, near the outlet of Lake Harney, which are 450 feet long, from 100 to 150 feet broad, and with an average height of eight feet.

Scant Comfort. One possible service performed by visiting wife's relatives is eating so much that there aren't so many leftovers for next day.—Ohio State Journal.

It's all right to try, try again, but if it's better to make good the first time.

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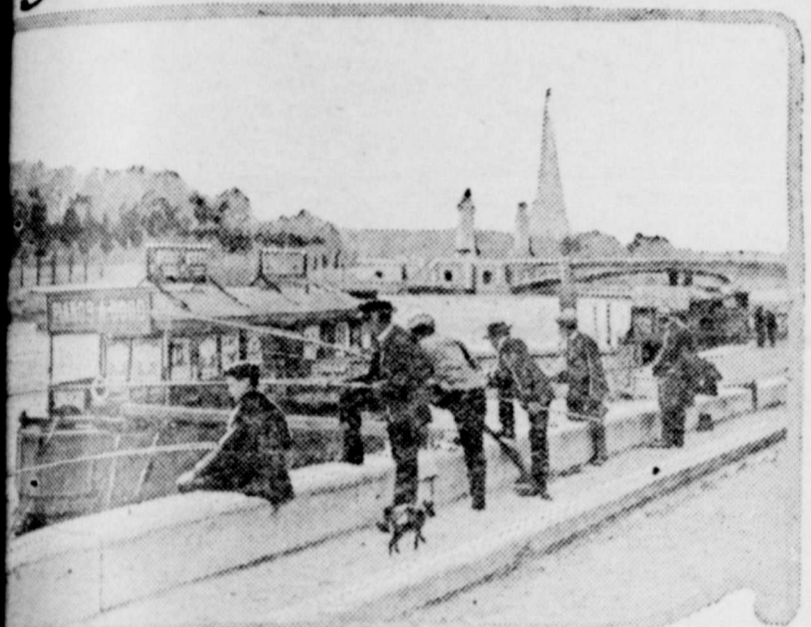
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The Old Quays of Paris



On the Bank of the Seine.

ONE of his most charming passages Anatole France evokes a fleeting memory of the quays along the Seine, "where one disturbs the old-covered books of the 5-cent stall, a thousand shadows terrible and charming." It isn't our purpose to revive these memories; to do so would parade the whole past in review; we shall simply state the magic which has and which holds to the quays of the Seine, writes L. A. Des Garets in France.

The quays! Along both sides of our river they run! But when we speak of quays, we mean, of course, the quays of the left bank. There is the heart of Paris. Who would deny it? The action of those workers who live in the neighborhood of the quays, artists, thinkers, poets or simple workmen—when they seek their river, one of happy indolence. They do not pause before the windows of the antiquary shops; they go toward the bookshops that courageous and determined booksellers have raised, before the river of forgetfulness, the dike which will protect their books. It is here that, in the summer sun, as well as in winter fogs, are the last resting places of the production of man's thought. It is there that a book, after good or bad fortune, comes to take its last chance; it is there that they are viewed by the savants, in search of information, or with sentimental curiosity by Mimi Pinson . . . yes, the last refuge and the tranquil resting place over which watch the high spire of the Louvre and the towers of Notre Dame!

Where Point of Interest Begins. The quays start a little above the Palais Bourbon, at the palace of the Legion of Honor, once the famous Hotel Salm. During the revolution, since the prince of Salm-Kriburg had been given command of a battalion of the Lafayette guard, his palace became the meeting place of the Reformist club. Later the same building received the members of the Cercle Constitutionnel, until the day when Napoleon made the seat of the grand chancellor of the Legion of Honor. It is a pity that this charming Greek temple should be eclipsed by the surrounding buildings.

Next there is the Quai Voltaire, where Mme. Cedre Sorel makes her home, near the house in which Voltaire died. When one enters this building the ghost of the mighty century appears; you are received with the graciousness of Celine. Everything in this house bears the imprint of Louis XIV, and nothing could be more a part of it than the character of the great artist who lives there. Here died Ingres; there was the convent of the Daughters, brought to France from Italy by Mazarin. Further along, at the corner of the Rue de Beaune, used to stand the barracks of the gray musketeers.

The Famous "Bridge of Tears." Let us stop at the institute. From here all the Paris of yesterday is seen: the towers of Notre Dame, the Louvre, the Saint-Chapelle, St. Germain l'Auxerrois, the conciergerie, the palais de justice and the Pont-Neuf, still looking very solid. Since it was opened by traffic by Henry III, the same day as his favorite, Quelus, the Parisians called it "the bridge of tears." That did not prevent it, however, from becoming the center of animation of the city where all Paris gathered to be amused by the news of the gazettes and the salutes of Tabarin.

Next we see the palace of the prince of Conti, today one of the treasury buildings. To save ourselves both remorse and regret let us put aside the memories of St. Germain l'Auxerrois and of the conciergerie. Let us instead follow along the Quai Conti, in the footsteps of Lamartine, of Victor Hugo, of Sainte Beuve, of Alfred de Musset and of all those others who have been familiar of the quays. Alas! Where are the glories of the past? Under the dome of the institute?

Quays Are Charming. Our quays are indeed charming, with the movement of tramways, wagons and carriages, with the whistling of the boats and those thousand small noises which are multiplied by the waters of the river. I love to watch the loungers who come to loaf there, good fathers of families pulling their

youngsters along, by the hand, and teaching them history, retrospectively. I love to see these youngsters, with respectful eyes lifted toward these great relics of the past, pointed out by the paternal hand, while their thoughts, I know, are wandering toward the Jardin des Plantes and the greater attractions of the monkey cage. Resting his elbows on his boxes, the bookseller watches the crowd; he exchanges greetings with Maurice Barres, Leon Bourgeois, Raoul Ponchon. . . . A young servant girl comes timidly to ask for the "Clef des Songes"; a collegian inquires for a dictionary. Liked by the American Soldier. The American soldiers liked our quays very much. More than one, under the influence of those skies, caught the disease and became bibliophiles or numismatists or philatelists. All of them have kept an exquisite memory of this corner of Paris. There, in fact, men and things exchange a pleasant smile, as though the people of the twentieth century had found them the good fellowship of other days. The softness of night descends like a mantle over the old river. The sun has set. Heedless of time, the immortal city falls asleep in the shadows of night, inviolate and splendid, peopled with glorious spirits, evoked from the past.

MUCH LIKE A FLOATING FIELD

Sargasso Sea, With Its Wondrous Vegetation, Has the Appearance of a Prairie.

In nearing the Sargasso sea it presents the appearance of a vast, undulating prairie, clothed in bright yellow vegetation. On coming on deck one might imagine oneself and ship set down in the midst of a field. As far as the eye can reach is the yellow veed to be seen, in masses more or less compact, according to whether the winds are light or strong; sometimes in lines many miles in length and but 20 feet wide with intervals of clear water between; sometimes in dense circular patches like floating islands. In this moving continent life runs high. Myriads of tiny crabs, some of them no larger than peas, cluster about the tangled fronds. Weird-looking little shrimps with wondrous eyes on long stems, each facet shedding a brilliant greenish light, sparkling like a cut gem. Water fleas in a hundred varieties, colors and shapes. Little wormlike annelids, black with brilliant orange stripes, lead an active life here, wiggling among the leathery leaves. Lovely corallines festoon the branches, plumed feathers with myriads of polyps.

It is the ideal breeding place of all manner of marine life, for the heat of the sun is very great, so great, indeed, that in the noonday glare the fish sink several feet to the cooler waters below the algae.

Bobby Was Hungry.

The father of the family always repented a very long grace at the dinner table. The children expected it and had been taught by mother to be very reverent during that period. In father's absence she in turn said a very short one—perhaps partly as a reward for their good behavior during father's turns. But recently when they came to table very hungry indeed, there before them was a plate of fried chicken and a large lemon pie. Father took his place and looked around the table to see that all hands were folded and all heads bowed. They were and he was just preparing to bow his when six-year-old Bobby said in an agonizing tone: "Oh, mother, don't you suppose you could say grace today even if father is home?"

A Paradoxical Fact.

"Did you see where sugar is going to soar in price and may be scarce this summer? What will the women do then for preserving?" "I don't know. It looks as though preserves may be in a pickle."

The Result.

"I suppose the war has interfered very much with the international marriage market." "Yes, in so many countries now it is hard to get a good title to them."

DECORATIVE FROCKS FOR BRIDESMAIDS



WHEN the talk is of bridesmaids frocks there is no telling the wide ranges it will travel, for here is where the bride may give range to her fancy, especially if she is to have a bevy of maids. She may choose to lead them back a few centuries in choosing styles or she is more than likely to pick out some period not so remote and revive its charm of quaint dress or she may decide to be very modern and frankly frivolous. But if she hopes to please everybody let her decide that her maids shall look demure and beautiful. They can do this in clothes with either an ancient or a modern flavor. Taffeta, georgette and fine net, all make lovely frocks for bridesmaids and each of them amounts to an insurance of success; yet they are as different as can be. All are beautiful in light colors, and net, in white, used to veil a color, makes a practical frock that will give a great deal of service after it has played its part at a wedding. Georgette is astonishingly durable in spite of its fragile looks, and everyone knows the virtues of taffeta. A net gown that ought to please the bride who has decided to draw upon 1920 to supply the style her maids shall wear, is pictured here. Tucks and frills, all at their pretty best in net, are used for trimming. An underskirt of net has two groups of narrow tucks about the bottom and over it a long and full tunic, wired about the hips. A frill over the wired line proclaims its allegiance to the old hoop skirt effect, which is the inspiration of this frock. Below the frill two groups of narrow tucks give an embroidered band of net the proper setting. The short sleeves are very frilly, with three narrow flounces as a finish, headed with a group of tucks. The bodice is slightly low, giving a line across the bust and shoulders that is in keeping with the hooped skirt. A frill at the neck opening has tucks and embroidered band below and at each side plain net gathered in and extending to the waist, gives an added fullness. The sash of narrow satin ribbon with hanging loops and long ends set on at each side is a charming accessory, the loops falling from clusters of little chiffon roses.

Formal Afternoon Frocks



GEORGETTE holds its own as the superlative in elegant fabrics for afternoon gowns, and will until some genius comes along who is able to excel it. It seems improbable that any thing more beautiful can be made and the refinement of georgette has made it so great a favorite with designers that they use it for many things and for all ages. But where the advantages show at their best is in those lovely gowns for afternoon—beautiful and restrained in style—in which women put their very best efforts at gowning and which are the delight of costumers. One of the two gowns shown in the group above, reveals what has been done with georgette in an afternoon frock for this summer. Imagine this in pale tan or in tawny color with white beads used in its embellishment, and little medallions of filet lace set in and edged with embroidery silk, like the gown in color. The skirt has a wide front panel of the georgette, gathered at the waist and decorated with lines and crossbars of beads. Accordion plaiting and georgette were made for each other, and at the side of the skirt there are three tiers of plaiting, followed by a gathered pane at the back like that in front. The bodice, with elbow sleeves is decorated to correspond with the front panel and has a perfectly plain vestee of the crepe. A very wide sash of satin-striped crepe is especially interesting in this dress and it is finished at the ends with tiny silk balls. Another dress of satin and georgette, is a model that stout women may pin their faith to. Its long straight lines are accented with small tassels on the skirt and the bodice is a brief affair with short sleeves that aids the skirt in its striving for graceful lines. These are formal afternoon frocks in which one may face great occasions with assurance.

Julia Bottomley

HOME TOWN HELPS

NUT TREES FOR ROADWAYS

Walnuts Bring Eight Dollars a Bushel, Says Writer in Making Suggestions for Planting.

Maples, poplars, elms, willows and the allanhus are seen along roadways and in parks wherever public ambition for shade has been sufficient in degree to induce authorities to put in trees of one sort or another. For the most part our northern highways are unshaded except by such trees as may accidentally spring up by the roadside, and, after competition with various enemies, finally reach above the fences, writes Robert T. Morris, a member of the American Forestry association of Washington, in The American City on "Nut Trees for Roads and Parks." Trees for city roads and parks, particularly in the larger cities, are often enough selected by some nurseryman favored by the political powers that be, and the nurseryman furnishes what he wishes to supply the uncritical purchaser. The time for this sort of procedure is passing, and people are beginning to awaken on the subject. Progress in civilization along this line will mean that we are gradually to dispose of the kind of trees that furnish nothing but bunches of leaves which in due season litter the ground and when swept up contain nothing more than incidental trash. Now, if these trees were to give place to nut trees and fruit trees, there would be very much besides leaves to be swept up in the autumn. One of my friends in Illinois told me that in 1918 he received \$8 per bushel for his black walnuts of a particularly good kind, and that some of the trees bore as many as 14 bushels to the tree.

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BESTOW THOUGHT ON GARDEN

Promiscuous Planting of Flowers, Trees, and Shrubs is Not to Be Recommended.

The main planting of any country place should be of trees and shrubs. Flowers should be used as decorations. They may be thrown in freely about the borders of the place; not in beds in the center of the lawn. They show off better when seen against a background; this background may be foliage, a building, a rock or a fence. Where to plant flowers is really more important than what to plant. In front of bushes, in the corner by the steps, against the foundation of the residence or hothouse, along a fence or walk—these are the places for flowers. A single petunia plant against a background of foliage is worth a dozen similar plants in the center of the lawn. Too many flowers make a place overgaudy. Too much paint may spoil the effect of a good building. The decoration of a yard as of a house, should be dainty. The open-centered yard may be a picture, the promiscuously-planted yard may be a nursery or a forest. A little color scattered in here and there puts the finish to the picture. A dash of color gives spirit and character to the brook or pond, to the ledge of rocks, to the old stump or to the pile of rubbish.

Well-Kept Lawns in East. Persons traveling through the cities and villages of Connecticut and other New England states often comment on the beautiful lawns there, the Oklahoma remarks. Even out in the country the yards are covered with a fine growth of grass, well watered and neatly trimmed. It is said New Englanders are so careful with their lawns that they will not use rakes in gathering the cut grass after a mower goes over it. Instead they sweep the cut grass away. They assert that rakes tear the roots of the grass and otherwise damage it.

Famous Pennsylvania City. In the helly of the ancient courthouse at York, Pa., hung a bell given by Queen Anne to St. John's Episcopal church. This bell was rung when the Declaration of Independence was signed, when Cornwallis and Burgoyne surrendered and when Washington passed through York. The bell is now on view in the vestibule of St. John's church. In the Presbyterian cemetery in York is buried James Smith, a signer of the Declaration of Independence and captain of the first military company organized in Pennsylvania to fight Great Britain.

Faith Before Doubt. As a general thing, the reason a man thinks he's having a good time when he is spending a lot of money is because he knows he will doubt it next day.—Dallas News.

An Average Man. "What is your idea of the average man?" "In a city he's a fellow who's always waiting for the raise that never comes; takes his meals off the arm of a chair until he gets married and after that eats in the kitchen with his coat off; never spends more than 50 cents on amusements in one day, until after he's married, and then never spends more than a quarter, and whenever there's a street parade downtown he's always somewhere along the line of march."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

BILLY BUGLER STORY.

"I am so glad that the boys and girls like me," said Billy Bugler, "and I have heard that a good number did. Well, I am not conceited about it, for my missy tells me it is wrong to be conceited, but it does make me happy and she says that that is all right."

"She praises me up herself and tells me I'm a love of a dog and all sorts of things like that. How my little dog heart goes go pitter-patter with joy when she tells me that."

"You know that I'm a Boston Bull with a white head and white chest and white paws."

"I must tell you of the pillow that was made for me."

"My missy was having some mattresses and some pillows fixed for the beds in the house. And she thought it would be nice for me to have a new pillow."

"So she ordered one to be made along with the mattresses and the pillows for the house."

"That was a nice way to treat a little dog, wasn't it? And how I love my pillow."

"It's just a nice square soft pillow and I can curl up and get on it and lie down so softly and so snugly, and then I can dream of my missy and my master and their kind words and their low voices."

"I love low voices, don't you? My missy has a very low voice and so has my master. I do hate people who're always saying at the top of their voices."

"Lie down, sir."

"And 'beg, sir'."

"I understand just as well when I am spoken to softly, and I fancy other dogs would too if they were taught that way and didn't hear people speaking so loudly."

"Sometimes they think people are only speaking to them when they do speak in loud tones and when they say things crossly."

"But that is different from my missy and my master."

"Well, my missy took me for a trip with her to the seashore. I live near a great big river but there is no sea near my home. The sea got tired, I believe, before it got as far as where we live. Not that we live way, way off, but it is fairly far from the sea, and as the sea seems strong enough



A Rest.

at the seashore I think it must have thought the walk 'way back where my home is was even too much for it."

"It must be a very long walk. My missy and I take long walks. But we certainly didn't walk from our home to the seashore. No; we took a train."

"We had a beautiful time there, though some of the time I had to wear a muzzle and that is a fearful hard thing to do in the summer. Every dog perspires through his mouth. That isn't a very pretty thing to say, but it is the truth. And we pant with our mouths when it is hot. So that a muzzle for a dog in the summer time is a horrible thing—especially when small places think they're needed for the dogs of the place."

"In a city where there is such a terrific heat and where dogs can't get under trees and lie in the grass it is different. But not so in the country."

"However, I didn't have to wear my muzzle very often. I am thankful to say."

"I used to go swimming with my missy. She would go into the water and then she would whistle for me and I would jump along over the waves until it was beyond my depth, and then I would swim out to her."

"She would take me in her arms and give me a rest when I reached her, and then I would swim back home."

"Sometimes the water was chilly, and after I had been in once I would lie on the beach, and putting my head on one side I would beg off from going in a second time."

"But I did enjoy my swims, and the waves, when they were little ones, were lots of fun. There was just enough then for me, but when it was very rough my missy only had me paddle about and get my little feet with their white shoes wet! My white paws, I mean!"

"And when we were at the seashore we took my pillow along with me, that was made especially for me. I used to sleep on it and have a beautiful time. Wasn't it nice of my missy to bring my pillow along too? The very pillow that I love the best and that I feel the best on."

"But in case you don't know it I'd like to tell you that I'm enormously fond of bones and with a good bone—well, it's better than a good book or a dish of ice cream any day."

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that he can't have things charged don't
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A chicken don't have but one thing
on earth to worry them—when will
they have the axe in the neck. Some
people on earth don't even worry that
much.

Unless people will keep proper care
of their closets and privies, necessity
demands a sewerage system. In fact
being situated with a good drainage,
Miami should have a sewerage sys-
tem anyhow.

Harvest hands are beginning to
show up, and it looks as though there
will be plenty of work in the next ten
days. Many of the farmers are pre-
paring to start binding as soon as the
wheat is ripe enough, and then as
wheat ripens, put headers and header-
threshers to work.

The Branch line of railroad, run-
ning from Shattuck to Spearman, Tex-
as is soon to become a real railroad.
The road has been operated by the
construction company who built it,
but was this week turned over to the
Santa Fe, who will put on regular pas-
senger and freight train service.

If people would put in about one
per cent of their thought in trying
to do something for humanity, and
ninety-nine for themselves instead of
of July 1920, being the First Tues-
day of said month, between the hours
of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock
p. m. on said day at the court house
kindness and brotherly love account
occasionally, and see if you try to re-
pay.

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owes something to that community.
Your cash assistance is needed, but
there is something more needed. You
owe a few minutes of your time occa-
sionally, to help a commercial organ-
ization, to serve on a picnic commit-
tee, to assist city officials in solving
problems confronting them, and in
many other ways do you owe a little
time to helping your neighborhood.
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neighbors in helping to build a town.

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worth of damage to the public high-
way, and an injunction has been grant-
ed preventing its further travel on
the road.

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special invitation to all who will at-
tend its services next Sunday. Prea-
ching both morning and evening.
Subject at 11 A. M.: "A right motive
but wrong act." Subject at 8 P. M.
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Then why can't I be saved that way."
I. L. Sanders,
Minister.

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ing at the Presbyterian Church. All
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J. H. Bone, Pastor.

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The State of Texas,
County of Roberts.

Whereas by virtue of an order of
sale issued out of the District Court
of Roberts County, Texas, on a judg-
ment rendered in said court on the
19th day of February, A. D. 1920 in
favor of G. W. Wells and against
Byron Williams and Frank Pursley,
No. 575, on the docket of said court,
I did on the 5th day of June 1920, at
eleven o'clock A. M., levy upon the
following described tract and parcel
of land situate in the County of Rob-
erts and the State of Texas, and be-
longing to Byron Williams and Frank
Pursley, to wit: All of Section No.
Four (4) in Block M 2 of the Houston
and Great Northern Railway Com-
pany surveys, containing 640 acres of
land, more or less, and on the 6th day
of July 1920, being the First Tues-
day of said month, between the hours
of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock
p. m. on said day at the court house
door of said county I will offer for
sale and sell at public auction for
cash all the right, title and interest
of the said Byron Williams and Frank
Pursley in and to said property.

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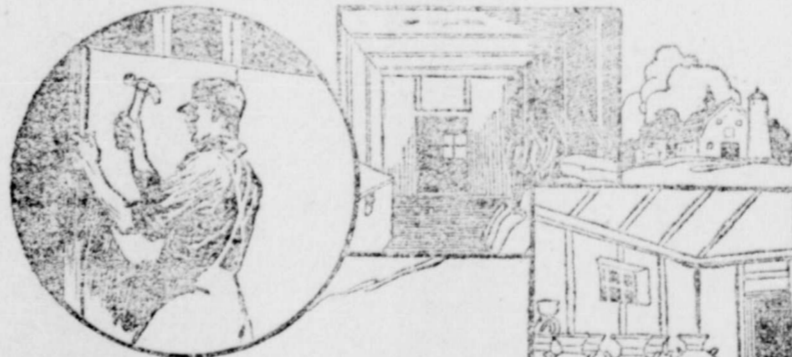
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Miss Gypse Brooks of Canadian was a visitor at the C. S. Seiber home the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Pursley visited in Amarillo last week, returning home Monday. Mrs. Sam Strader returned with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Finsterwald of near Mobeetic were shopping in Miami Tuesday.

Rev. W. A. Flight of the Wayland Baptist College was calling upon some of the young men and young women of Miami this week, explaining the merits of this great school.

Clarence Gray has resigned his position with the Central Drug Store and will work in the harvest this summer. Russell Fitzgerald is "Jerking Soda" for the store now.

Rev. M. E. Wells and Rev. J. W. Whatley attended the Baptist Association meeting at Follette last week.

L. B. Cross is sporting a new Essex Roadster since last week. He traded his touring car for it.

Miss Lillie Berry has accepted a position with the City Meat Market and began work last week.

Bill Crawford, second trick operator at Miami has been transferred to the same position at Pampa and moved Saturday. C. R. Wilks of Pampa was transferred to Miami to fill Bills place.

The Court of Appeals in a recent ruling on the Philpott-Edge case, which grew out of the sale of a share of Cunningham oil stock reversed the decision of the District court, in which Mr. Edge got judgment and a new trial is to be had.

W. J. Carruth has moved from Whitedeer back near Hoover and was in the city Saturday visiting.

A. N. Wilson was in from his chicken ranch last week having some automobile work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Arnold of Mobeetic left Sunday morning for Hot Springs, Ark., where they will spend a few weeks.

Mrs. John Short of Amarillo visited friends Saturday and Sunday of this week in Miami.

Miss Lottie Hefner of Pampa visited in Miami Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Morrison of Clarendon and son Raymond were visitors first of the week at the A. J. Montgomery home.

Bob Vinson and family of Kirkland were here first of the week visiting E. W. Hogan and the Talley families.

Wes Byers and family came in Sunday and Monday from the Mayo Institute where Wes underwent an operation on his right leg. He had it rebroken and reset and thinks now that it will be greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hogan took dinner Sunday with the Jim Talley family in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scott and son Boyd visited Sunday in Canadian with friends.

Mrs. Mary Locke and daughter, Miss Dorothy and Mrs. Jim Coffee and children returned Saturday from a two weeks visit at Throckmorton.

Mrs. Dan Rees, and son and daughters, Misses Rhoda and Violet who have been visiting at the C. T. Locke home left for Miami, Okla., Sunday.

Dr. Kelley reports new arrivals in homes this week as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Mason Davis, a girl on the 14th, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Heare, a girl on the 14th and Mrs. George Bruce, a boy on the 15th.

Sanders Bros. are preparing to move their office from the Smith building to the new Sanders Grocery, and Miss Nora Orr will work in both offices. J. R. Webster will remain with the Sanders Grocery.

Miss Evelyn Sohns who has been visiting relatives in Miami for the past month went to her home in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. Jno. Short of Amarillo went home Tuesday after a short visit with friends.

Atty. N. P. Willis of Canadian, was a business visitor in our city early yesterday.

Bell Hardin, son of O. B. Hardin, and his young bride came in yesterday from Magdalena, New Mex.

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The Strange Case of

CAVENDISH

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"SAFETY FIRST."

Synopsis—Frederick Cavendish, New York man of wealth, receives a letter from an old friend, Jim Westcott, urging him to come at once to Colorado. Deciding to go, he employs a lawyer, Patrick Enright, to draw up a will leaving most of his estate to charity, with a mere pittance to John Cavendish, his cousin and only relative, a dissolute youth. That night Frederick Cavendish is murdered in his apartment. No will being found, John Cavendish inherits the estate. Two months later Enright informs John Cavendish of the existence of the will and offers for \$100,000 to say nothing of it. John agrees. Stella Donovan, newspaper writer, learns from Frederick Cavendish's valet that he is not satisfied the body found was that of his employer. She is directed by Parrish, city editor of the Star, to follow up the case. Stella learns of the will Enright had drawn up, also of John Cavendish's infatuation for Celeste Le Rue, chorus girl. A conversation Stella overhears between Celeste and John Cavendish convinces her that Enright is a villain, the victim of a conspiracy engineered by Enright to secure his fortune, and that Celeste knows where he is hidden. Ned Beaton, notorious gunman, is also mentioned. Celeste is about to leave for Haskell, Colorado, and Stella is ordered by Parrish to proceed there at once. At Haskell Stella, representing herself as a magazine writer, makes the acquaintance of Jim Westcott, Frederick Cavendish's partner. Westcott presents the interest taken in Stella by Beaton, whom he knows only as a visiting New Yorker, and warns him in a flat encounter. Stella confides in Jim, who believes Cavendish is alive.

CHAPTER V—Continued.

She leaned forward, stirred by his earnestness.

"What?"

"The quarrel in the restaurant, leading to the making of the will," he answered gravely, "and my telegram. The two things fit together exactly. He must have received my first message that same night. In my judgment, he was glad of some excuse to leave New York and determined to take the first train west. His quarrel with John, coupled with his disgust of the company he kept, caused him to draw up this will hurriedly. He left the club intending to pack up and take the first train."

"And was killed before he could do so?"

"Possibly; but if the dead man had no scar on his chest he was not Frederick Cavendish; he was an impostor; some poor victim deliberately substituted because of his facial resemblance. My belief is that Fred returned to his apartments, took what money he required, packed his valise, and departed without a word to any one. He often did things like that—hastily, on the spur of the moment."

"But what happened afterward?"

"The rest is all theory. I do not know, but I'll make a guess. In some way the conspirators learned what had occurred, but not in time to intercept his departure; yet they had everything ready for action, and realized this was the opportunity. Frederick had disappeared leaving no trace behind; they could attend to him later, intercept him, perhaps—Walt! Keep still. There comes the carriage from the train."

He drew her back into the denser undergrowth and they looked out through the leaves to where the road circled in toward the bridge. The hoofbeats of horses alone broke the silence.

CHAPTER VI.

Viewed From Both Sides.

The carriage emerged into full view. Beside the driver it contained three passengers—Beaton on the front seat, his face turned backward toward the two behind, a man and a woman.

The girl seized Westcott's arm while she directed his gaze with her free hand. "Look!" she cried. "The woman is La Rue. And the man—the man is Enright! He is the lawyer I told you of, the one whose hand is not clear in this affair. And he is here!"

"Good!" Westcott exclaimed. "I'm glad they're both here. It means that there will be more to observe, and it means that there will be action—and that, too, quick! They are out here for a definite purpose which must soon be disclosed. And, Miss Donovan, I may be a little rock-worn and a little bit out of style, but I think their presence here has something to do with the whereabouts of Fred Cavendish."

The girl looked straight into his honest, clear eyes. His remark opened a vast field for speculation. "You think he is alive, then?" she said earnestly. "It is an interesting hypothesis. Perhaps—perhaps he may be in this neighborhood, even. And that," she added, her Irish eyes alight, "would be more interesting still."

"I hadn't finished my argument when that carriage appeared," Westcott answered. "Do you remember? Well, that might be the answer. Beaton has been in this neighborhood ever since about the time of that mur-

der in New York. Nobody knows what his business is, but he is hand-in-glove with Bill Lacy and his gang. Lacy, besides running a saloon, pretends to be a mining speculator, but it is my opinion there is nothing he wouldn't do for money, if he considered the game safe. And now, with everything quiet in the East, and no thought that there is any suspicion remaining, Beaton sends for the woman to join him here. Why? Because there is some job to be done too big for him to tackle alone. He's merely a gunman; he can do the strong-arm stuff, all right, but lacks brains. There is a problem out here requiring a little intellect; and it is my guess it is how to dispose of Cavendish until they can get away safely with the swag."

"I wonder how this was ever planned out—if it be true?"

"It must have originated in some cunning, criminal brain," he admitted thoughtfully. "Not Beaton's, surely; and, while she is probably much brighter, I am inclined to think the girl is merely acting under orders. There is somebody connected with this scheme higher up—a master criminal."

Miss Donovan was no fool; newspaper work had taught her to suspect men of intellect, and that nothing, however wicked, low or depraved, was beyond them.

"Enright!" she said definitely. "Obviously now. I've thought so from the first. But always he worked so carefully, so guardedly, that sometimes I have doubted. But now I say without qualifications—Enright, smooth Mr. Enright, late of New York."

Westcott agreed, his hand on her shoulder, forgetful of his intense earnestness. "Enright is the only one who could do it, and he has schemed so as to get John into a hole where he dare not emit a sound, no matter what they do to him. If they can only succeed in keeping Frederick safely out of sight until after the court awards the property to his heir, they can milk John at their leisure. It's a lawyer's graft, all right."

"Then Frederick may be confined not far away?"

"Likely enough; it's wild country. There are a hundred places within fifty miles where he might be hidden away for years. That is the job which was given to Beaton; he had the dirty work to perform, while the girl took care of John."

Westcott's theory of the situation, his quick decision that Frederick Cavendish still lived, completely overturned Stella's earlier conviction. Yet his argument did not seem unfair or his conclusion impossible. Her newspaper experience had made her aware that there is nothing in this world so strange as truth, and nothing so unusual as to be beyond the domain of crime.

"What do you think?" he asked quietly.

"Oh, I do not know; it all grows less comprehensible every moment. But whatever is true I cannot see that



She Turned and Smiled Back at Him.

anything remains for us to do, but wait and watch the actions of these people; they are certain to betray themselves."

"Well, I am going to busy myself and take a scouting trip to La Rosita."

"Is that Lacy's mine?"

"Yes; up the gulch here about two miles. I am to see you again—alone?"

"We must have some means of communication; have you any suggestion?"

"Yes, but we'll take for our motto, 'Safety first.' We mustn't be seen together, or suspected in any way of being friends. The livery-stable keeper has a boy about twelve, who is quite devoted to me; a bright, trustworthy little fellow. He is about the hotel a

good deal, and will bring me word from you any time. You need have no fear that I shall fail to respond to any message you send."

"I shall not doubt!" She held out her hand frankly. "You believe in me now, Mr. Westcott?"

"Absolutely; indeed I think I always have."

"Always think so, please, no matter what happens. I was nearly wild until I got the note to you; I was so afraid you would leave the hotel. We must trust each other."

He stood before her, his hat in hand, a strong, robust figure, his bronzed face clearly revealed; the sunlight making manifest the gray hair about his temples. To Miss Donovan he seemed all man, instinct with character and purpose, a virile type of the out-of-doors.

"To the death," and his lips and eyes smiled. "I believe in you utterly."

"Thank you. Good-by."

He watched her climb the bank and emerge upon the bridge. He still stood there, bareheaded, when she turned and smiled back at him, waving her hand. Then the slender figure vanished, and he was left alone. A moment later, Westcott was striding up the trail, intent upon a plan to entrap Lacy.

They would have felt less confident in the future could they have overheard a conversation being carried on in a room of the Timmons house. It was Miss La Rue's apartment, possessing two windows, but furnished in a style so primitive as to cause that fastidious young lady to burst into laughter when she first entered and gazed about. Both her companions followed her, laden with luggage, and Beaton, sensing instantly what had thus affected her humor, dropped his bag on the floor.

"It's the best there is here," he protested. "Timmons has held it for you three days. If you feel like kicking about this room, you ought to see some of the others—mine, for instance, or the one Timmons put that other woman in."

"Oh, yes," she said, finding a seat and staring at him. "That reminds me. Did you say there was a girl here from New York? Sit down, Mr. Enright, and let's talk. How's the door, Ned?"

He opened it and glanced out into the hall, throwing the bolt as he came back.

"All right, Celeste, but I wouldn't talk quite so loud; the partitions are not very tight."

"No objections to a cigarette, I suppose," and she produced a case. "Thanks; now I feel better—certainly, light up. Well, Ned, the first thing I want to know is, who is this other New York skit, and how did she happen to blow in here just at this time?"

Beaton completed the lighting of his cigar, flinging the match carelessly out of the window.

"Oh, she's all right," he said easily. "Just an innocent kid writer for Scribner's who's trying to make good writing about the beautiful scenery around here. Her name is Donovan. Her father's a big contractor and has money to burn."

"Did you ever hear the beat of that, Enright? Noddy is about to feather his nest. Well, go on."

"That's about all, I guess, only she ain't nothin' you need be afraid of."

"Sure not, with a watch-dog like you on guard. But if you ask me, I don't like the idea of her happening in here just at this time. This is no place for an innocent child," and she looked about her lip curling. "Lord, I should say not. Do you happen to remember any New York contractor by that name, Mr. Enright?"

The rotund lawyer, his feet elevated on the window-sill, a cigar between his lips, shook his head in emphatic dissent.

"Not lately; there was a Tim Donovan who had a pull in the subway excavation—he was a Tammany man—but he died, and was never married. What's the girl look like?"

"Rather slender, with brown hair, sorter coppery in the sun, and gray eyes that grow dark when she's interested. About twenty-three or four, I should say."

"Did you get her full name?"

"Sure; it's on the register—Stella Donovan."

Enright lowered his feet to the floor, a puzzled look on his face, his teeth clinched on his cigar.

"Hold on a bit till I think," he muttered. "That sounds mighty familiar—Stella Donovan! By the Lord, I've heard that name before somewhere; ah, I have it—she's on the New York Star. I've seen her name signed to articles in the Sunday edition. I'll bet she's the girl."

"A New York newspaperwoman; well, what do you suppose she is doing out here? After us?"

Enright had a grip on himself again and slowly relit his cigar, leaning back, and staring out the window. His mind gripped the situation coldly.

"Well, we'd best be careful," he said slowly. "Probably it's merely a coincidence, but I don't like her lying to

Beaton. That don't look just right. We'll lay quiet and try the young lady out. Beaton here can give her an introduction to Miss La Rue, and the rest is easy."

Westcott's purpose in visiting the La Rosita mine was a rather vague one. His thought had naturally associated Bill Lacy with whatever form of devilry had brought Beaton to the neighborhood of Haskell, and he felt convinced firmly that this special brand of devilry had some direct connection with the disappearance of Frederick Cavendish. Just what the connection between these people might prove to be was still a matter of doubt, but as Miss Donovan was seeking this information at the hotel, all that remained for him to do at present was an investigation of Lacy. The careful review of all Miss Donovan had told him only served to increase his confidence that his old partner still lived. No other conception seemed possible, or would account for the presence of Ned Beaton in Haskell, or the hurried call for Miss La Rue. Yet it was equally evident this was not caused by any miscarriage of their original plans. Apparently every detail of the crime, which meant the winning of Frederick Cavendish's fortune, had been thus far successfully carried out. The money was already practically in their possession, and not the slightest suspicion had been aroused. It had been a masterpiece of criminal ingenuity, so boldly carried out as to avoid danger of discovery.

Every step had been taken exactly in accord with the original outlines, except possibly that they had been hurried by Cavendish's sudden determination to return West, and his will disinheriting John. These had compelled earlier action, yet no radical change in plans, as the machinery was already prepared and in position. Luck had been with the conspirators when Frederick called in Enright to draw up the will.

Enright! Beyond doubt his were the brains dominating the affair. The whole foul thing lay before Westcott's imagination in its diabolical ingenuity—Enright's legal mind had left no loophole. He intended to play the game absolutely safe, so far, at least, as he was personally concerned.

The money was to go legally to John without the shadow of a suspicion resting upon it; and then—well, he knew how to do the rest; already he had a firm grip on a large portion. Yes, all this was reasonably clear; what remained obscure was the fate of Frederick Cavendish.

Westcott came back from his musings to this one important question. The answer puzzled him. If the man was dead why should Beaton remain at Haskell and insist on Miss La Rue's joining him? And if the man was alive and concealed somewhere in the neighborhood, what was their present object? Had they decided they were risking too much in permitting him to live? Had something occurred to make them feel it safer to have him out of the way permanently? What connection did Bill Lacy have with the gang?

Westcott rose to his feet and began following the trail up the canon. He was not serving Cavendish nor Miss Donovan by sitting there. He walked rapidly, but the sun was nearly down by the time he reached the mouth of his own drift.

While waiting word from the East which would enable him to develop the claim, Westcott had thought it best to discontinue work, and hide, as best he could, from others the fact that he had again discovered the lost lead of rich ore. To that end, after taking out enough for his immediate requirements in the form of nuggets gathered from a single pocket, which he had later negotiated quietly at a town down the railroad, he had blocked up the new tunnel and discontinued operations. He had fondly believed his secret secure, until Lacy's careless words had aroused suspicion that the latter might have seen his telegrams to Cavendish. His only assistant, a Mexican, who had been with him for some time, remained on guard at the bunkhouse, and, so far as he knew, no serious effort had been made to explore the drift by any of Lacy's satellites. Now, as he came up the darkening gulch and crunched his way across the rock pile before the tunnel entrance, he saw the cheerful blaze of a fire in the Mexican's quarters and stopped to question him.

"Senior—you!"

"Yes, Jose," and Westcott dropped on a bench. "Anything wrong? You seem nervous."

"No, senior. I expected you not to-night; there was a man there by the big tree at sunset."

"One of the La Rosita gang likely. Don't fight them, Jose. Let them poke around inside if they want to; they won't find anything but rock. Got a bite there for me?"

"Si, senior, plenty."

"All right, then; I'm hungry and have a bit of work ahead. Put it on the table here and sit down yourself, Jose."

The Mexican did as ordered, glancing

across at the other between each mouthful of food, as though not exactly at ease. Westcott ate heartily, without pausing to talk.

"You hear yet Senior Cavendish?" Jose asked at last.

"No," Westcott hesitated a instant, but decided not to explain further. "He must be away, I think."

"What you do if you no hear at all?"

"We'll go on with the digging ourselves, Jose. It'll pay wages until I can interest capital somewhere to come in on shares."

Westcott stared into the fireplace; then the gravity of his face relaxed into a smile.

"Things are growing interesting, Jose," he said cheerfully. "If I only knew just which way the cat was about to jump I'd be somewhat happier. There seemed to be more light than usual across the gulch as I came up—what's going on?"

"They have put on more men, senior—a night shift. Last night I went in

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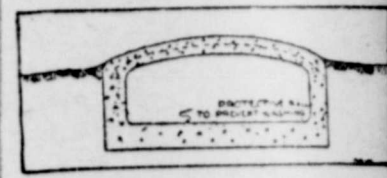
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"How did you enjoy the sermon?"

"Too short."

"That so? I never heard anyone complain that a sermon was too brief before."

"Well, you see, it was this way: I'd hardly dropped asleep before the thing was over."

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METHOD IN THAT MADNESS

Why Dad Could Not Bring Himself to Make Serious Objections to Gerald's Smoking.

"Henry!"

Mrs. Brown's voice was stern. Mr. Brown recognized the signs of a coming storm, so he prepared to listen.

"I saw Gerald—our boy—smoking a pipe today—actually, a dirty, smelly pipe!" the poor woman ended with a sob.

"Well, what can we do?" exclaimed her husband. "The boy's seventeen, and has two dollars a week pocket money. I don't see—"

"You mean to say that you will allow him to smoke? Why, it's sheer madness!"

Henry nodded. Then, after witnessing the unique spectacle of his wife speechless for once, he strolled off into the garden, where he came across Gerald in a corner with the pipe going full blast.

"Hello, my boy!" he cried. "This is something new, isn't it? Er—by the way, I've left my punch in the house. Can you give me a fill?"

Then he, as he walked away puffing happily, murmured:

"It may be madness, but there's method in it. I can see Gerald's punch being quite a money saver to poor old dad."—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

The Language.

"This man is running for office—"

"Yes?" "What does he stand for?"

A native of Ashanti bears one of seven names, corresponding to the day on which he was born.

Not the Same Thing.

"Mrs. Jams has no conversation."

"Why, she talks incessantly."

"Who says she doesn't?"

When two women fall in love with the same man they cut each other by looking daggers.

Save the Eagle, Naturalists Beg

Our National Bird Threatened With Extermination Through Lack of Protection.

5,600 KILLED IN ALASKA

Bounty Offered by the Territory Resists in Heavy Slaughter in Two Years—Our Largest Bird of Prey.

Washington.—The bald-headed eagle, or the American eagle, as it is more popularly known, the country's national bird and emblem, is rapidly being exterminated. Unless something is done, ornithologists point out, to prevent the destruction of this great bird, which is now going on, it may become so scarce that it may ultimately become extinct.

It is in Alaska that the American eagle is most abundant today, and it is there that the finest specimens are to be found. It is in Alaska, too, that the eagle is in the gravest danger of extermination. In April, 1917, the territorial legislature of Alaska placed a bounty of 50 cents a head for every eagle and other birds of prey killed. Up to the end of April, 1919, in less than two years, it is estimated that 5,600 eagles have been killed. They were, it was maintained, destructive to game, salmon and birds.

It was only recently that ornithologists awoke to the gravity of the situation confronting the eagles. The American Ornithologist union, an organization of about 1,000 members, composed of naturalists and scientists scattered everywhere throughout the United States, has now become aroused to the danger. The Museum of Natural History and other scientific institutions is interested in the preservation of the eagle, and ornithologists everywhere are anxious to do something to save the bird from elimination.

Not Prolific Breeder.

The bald eagle is anything but a prolific breeder; it raises not more than one or two young in a brood every year. The birds build their nests in big trees or in tall cliffs along the sea coasts. Their nests are 6 or 4 feet in diameter and are very conspicuous. In hunting the birds natives seek the nests. The old birds will fight to protect their young, and when the nests are attacked they hover about them. In this manner the parent birds are shot by natives, who then dispatch the young eaglets. The eagle is not a very clever or wary bird, neither is he a fast flier, and it is not always a difficult matter for hunters to slay him.

"The bald eagle," an ornithologist said, "although a bird of prey, is not as destructive as has been represented. Smaller birds such as the hawk do far more damage. It feeds on fish preferably, and principally on dead fish. It will sometimes pursue a fish hawk in order to steal the fish which the latter has captured from the water. The bald eagle is useful since it destroys jackrabbits, ground squirrels and other destructive animals."

"It is not so much because of his alleged destructiveness, but because of a desire to obtain the bounty that he is being hunted and slain so widely in Alaska. He is our largest bird of prey, and in many respects the most striking and most splendid. Many false tales have been told and circulated about him. He has been pictured as ferocious when, in truth, he has no natural enemies. He might be tempted to carry off a very young lamb, but tales of his carrying off babies or young children are untrue and unjust."

Our National Bird.

"He is our national bird. He appears on our coins and currency, on our country's coat of arms and seals, his golden replica tops the staffs of

which our flag is strung. He has been an inspiration to millions of good Americans, and is the natural pet and companion of Uncle Sam. Unless measures are taken to prevent his extermination in a short time he will become as scarce as the buffalo. We are a wasteful nation. We were for a long time indifferent to the destruction of the buffalo, and now we are spending thousands of dollars on reservations to bring him back. We should save the eagle."

The bald eagle used to nest in every state in the Union. It is found all over North America as far as the Arctic regions, on sea coasts, lakes and rivers. Until recently American eagles were quite common in Florida, and a few years ago an ornithologist saw many there. Now they are extremely scarce because they have been slain indiscriminately by reckless hunters. Many have been slain just for the fun of it, or because a hunter could not resist the temptation to bring to earth such a prize.

The bald eagle if let alone often lives to a green old age. They live to be fifty or one hundred years old. They have lived in captivity to the latter age. An ornithologist said that because of the great age attained by eagles many people on seeing the same eagle mistook it for a new one. He explained that a man living in a certain locality who saw an eagle, and then did not see an eagle again for ten or more years, on seeing it naturally mistook it for a new eagle. The bald eagle averages 3 feet in length, and 7 feet from tip to tip of its wings when outspread.

Lands the Prize Wall Eyed Pike.

Jackson, Ky.—The largest wall eyed pike of record was caught in the South Fork river in Lee county by Dr. George T. Smith of Lexington and A. H. Davis. The fish weighed 14½ pounds and was 36 inches in length.

Mail Is Well Buttered.

Washington, O.—The local post office has been swamped with packages during the strike trouble, a local creamery shipping over 2,000 pounds of butter by parcel post one day.

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Casey's Pipe Is Too Much for Poor Fish

Atlantic City, N. J.—The favorite pipe of Nick Martin one of the seimen at the Million Dollar Pier helping to draw in the big net at the end of the structure at the initial haul of the season, was lost from his teeth as he leaned over the railing.

When the net was drawn in one of the men noticed a wide bulge at the gills of a big cod. When he picked the fish up he found Martin's "mickey," known as "Casey's pipe," crosswise through the gills. The cod had either choked to death or been overcome the first time he hit the pipe. He was dead as a doornail, the poor fish.

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We forgot to take one hundred pounds of ice and an electric fan.

The small amount of anatomy that was left of we "three babes in the woods," when we arrived at Galveston would scarcely make a greasy spot.

We met Dr. Charlie Heare at the Depot at Galveston and he immediately prescribed wind. We hiked out to the beach and to the breezes from out across the Laughing Waves filled our hides and we soon puffed up monastically. Mind and body became inflated with bigness. The World around us became Fairy Land and water. We had innumerable chances to buy Gold Bricks, win fortunes in the way of dolls, boxes of candy, and many other nice things, but Doctor Heare winked at us not to bite.

We saw many suckers and some large fish biting. A fool and his money can procure a divorce on the beach at Galveston.

Out on the cool, shimmering waves in the excursion boat "Galvez," fanned by the exhilarating winds we temporarily forgot the heat of summer, the blizzards of winter, and wished that Father Time could hold those moments in Statu Quo.

We passed some interesting scenery along the shores. The huge docks where foreign ships load into their capacious holds the products of Texas Wheat on track 2700 cars, cotton bales innumerable, piles of merchandise. A blockade on caused by strikers Longshoremen. The industries of the state suffering millions of dollars loss, by the shiftless Negroes, Dagoes, Pins, Greeks, Germans and a few white men, striking for \$1.28 per hour. Refusing to work for less and fighting off other workers who attempted to take their places. This state of things calls for some drastic measures of repression. Gov. Hobby and I are going to get busy and try to move these products and vast piles of merchandise if it takes military tactics to do it. If Ike and Sambo and Big Dago want work for exorbitant wages, we propose to have them stand aside and let men work who are wanting jobs. Irresponsible Labor Unions are damaging industry and must be held responsible for the enormous damages they inflict on the public by continued strikes.

It should be made a penitentiary offense for unions to strike and then horn off others who would engage in honest labor.

No union should be allowed to exist without a charter from the state, and an Adequate Bond for the property loss caused by their illegal actions. The open shop will soon replace this Union Labor Craze, and all men will be free to exercise their own will as to whether they will work or quit. Corporate greed is responsible for importing thousands of undesirable foreigners in order to get cheap labor. Employers of Labor and employees should be forced to submit their differences to Arbitration. I haven't time to attend to all this before harvest, but will figure it out in the Panhandle, in our club meetings at Miami.

I hear much comment over the state on the good our N. S. Club is accomplishing as a Committee of Free Advice to the public. Our zeal for the uplift of humanity, and the calm deliberations of our members is exerting a beneficial influence on the world.

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