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JOHNSON GRASS MAY BE WIPED OUT BY USING PROPER METHODS

The Star office has recently had calls from its readers for information on how to eradicate Johnson grass from farms. During the past twenty months the Star has from time to time published articles giving tried and proven methods of killing Johnson grass, but for lack of time for a systematic hunt through our files, we have been unable as yet to find them.

For those interested in such information, however, we are giving here some portions of an article taken from the Southwest Plainsman, relating to the subject of Johnson grass and method of its eradication, which are as follows:

"Johnson Grass in Texas" is the subject of an interesting publication by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. It may be had for as circular No. 43, and will be sent on request to the station at College Station, Texas.

Most persons who have Johnson grass on their farms want to get rid of it. The grass reproduces itself not only by seed but by underground root stocks, which are able to put on new growth and new plants the succeeding year. In effecting the eradication of this plant, it is necessary to prevent the formation of root stocks as well as the formation of seeds. Underground root stocks produced in a given year put on new plants the succeeding year. When these underground root stocks have supported new plants they become so exhausted that they will not send up plants the following year. It is evident, therefore, that any treatment that will prevent the formation of seed and the production of root stocks will bring about the extinction of the grass.

Johnson grass may be prevented from setting seed by mowing or by cultivating freely and frequently to prevent the production of seed, but will not prevent the production of root stocks. The prevention of the forming of the underground root stocks can be accomplished by sufficiently frequent cultivation to keep down above-ground growth, for when a plant reaches a height of 10 to 15 inches it begins the formation of new root stocks. The whole question, therefore, resolves itself into the prevention of the growth of the grass to any extent on the land throughout the growing season and succeeding treatments to prevent the growth of seedlings, until all the holdover seed in the land have been germinated and the old root stocks have exhausted themselves by sending up new shoots. This matter of preventing growth can best be done by the non-use of the land for growing a crop and the repeated cutting off of the plants under ground by means of a blade or knife, which can be attached to the cultivator foot and run thru the land just under the surface at repeated intervals. The prevention of a seed crop and the formation of new root stocks can be accomplished under favorable conditions and yet allow the growth of a crop on the land, but this requires careful and persistent cultivation of the drill row with a hoe and sufficient cultivation of the middles to keep down the grass thoroughly.

Any system of cultivating which allows single plants to escape is not thoroughly and completely effective. Johnson grass is tropical in nature and cannot withstand freezing temperatures. Consequently repeated winter plowings will bring the roots near the surface where they will freeze. In August or September the land should be gone over and all plants that have escaped the cultivator and the hoe should be pulled up by hand to make certain that no roots are left in the soil.

STORK-O-GRAMS.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Maples at their home in Friona, a son, Saturday, May 21st, at 8:00 a. m.
Claude Willborn, at their home south of Friona, a son, Saturday, May 21st, at 2:00 p. m.
J. M. Sanderfer and wife, a son, at their home south of town, at 11 p. m. Sunday, May 22.
E. E. Taylor a daughter at their home northwest of Friona, at 11 o'clock Monday morning, May 23.

Mrs. M. E. Simpson, Mrs. Bertha Harry and family and V. E. Hart and family went out to the home of C. H. Hart, a mile and a half north of town, and took dinner and ate ice cream Sunday.
Quite a number of Friona people attended the funeral of Norman Wilson, of Bovina, Tuesday, among whom were F. L. Spring and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Reeves.

PROMINENT BOVINA CITIZEN PASSED AWAY.

Norman Wilson, one of Parmer county's most highly respected citizens, passed away at his home in Bovina Sunday morning at about 10:40 o'clock.

Mr. Wilson had been in his usual health and his death coming so suddenly was indeed a great shock to his many friends in all parts of the county.

The deceased had been a resident of Bovina for the past twenty years or more during a great part of which time he had been employed as manager of the Cleora Smith Lumber Company's plant at that place. He had also served in capacities of public service through which he had still further endeared himself to the people with whom he had lived and served.

He was also a carpenter and building contractor and as such had built many homes in and near Bovina as well as in other parts of the county. In this as in other lines of work the results of his labor always stood the test and won the approval of those for whom he worked.

He was a most public spirited man and always took an active part in carrying on all worthy enterprises, especially in the school of his town, where his son was the valedictorian of the this year's graduating class.

He was a prominent member of Masonic fraternity and his funeral services were under charge of the members of that organization. His friends were a host, as was evidenced by the large concourse of people who assembled to do honor to his memory at the funeral on Tuesday afternoon.

Beside a large host of friends, he leaves to mourn his loss his wife, a son and two daughters.

FRIONA WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Friona Woman's Club met May 25 at the Congregational parsonage at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. J. A. Blackwell in the chair, and Mrs. L. F. Lillard and Mrs. S. F. Warren as hostesses.

The parsonage is the home the club ladies fitted up for the "Better Homes Week" a short time ago and may well be called the "A Home Beautiful."

A full attendance of members was present for the usually interesting meeting which was the last of the year.

Members who assisted in presenting the program were: Mmes. H. W. Wright, J. R. Walker and J. G. Weir. The topic was "Two Posts of the South." All of these papers proved very interesting and instructive.

Later lovely refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed by the guests present. The next meeting will be some time in September.

MRS. G. L. LIVINGSTON, Reporter for This Time.

KINSLEYS DEPART THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kinsley left here Thursday in their car for a tour of some of the western states. No definite destination was named and the length of their stay was also indefinite.

ADDS NAME TO STAR LIST.

R. L. Duke, of Dalhart, Texas, was in Friona Tuesday on business and while here took time to have his name added to the Star's subscription list.

Mr. Duke is in the employ of the Capitol Reservation Lands and has charge of their immense area of pasture land in the Panhandle country.

TAKING VACATIONS.

Miss Nelda Goodwine, who has been employed as clerk in the T. J. Crawford store, is taking a few weeks vacation during the warm weather and slack business period. Reuben Giesler departed for Carlsbad, New Mexico, Saturday, where he will remain indefinitely while taking a post graduate course in electrical engineering.

C. H. Fallwell and Charley Bainum are spending this week over in the mountains of New Mexico where the streams are full of fish and are passing their time dragging the trout from the water and cooking and eating them.

A DAY STAR

The Centuries are God's Days, within His hand Held in the hollow as a balance swings.

Less than its dust are all our temporal things!

We have no glass to sweep his universe.

A hand's-breadth distant dies to our poor ears,

The strain whose echoes keep all heaven glad.

We do but grope and creep—

There always is a day-star in the skies.

—Author Not Known.

RETURNED FROM ARKANSAS.

A. B. Short and family who departed some two weeks ago for a visit with relatives and friends in Oklahoma and Mena, Arkansas, returned late Thursday evening.

He says they had a most pleasant trip and visit and found every body all ok, but are glad to be back.

He says that while the flood waters of the rivers in Arkansas have not reached any of his people, yet they are almost drowned out by the incessant rains which have been visiting that section since last September. He says everything looks dry until reaching Elk City, and from there on everything seems to be either washed out or drowned out by rain. Once in a while through Oklahoma some fair looking wheat is seen, but only a few farmers have any cotton at all planted and practically no other row crops are seen.

SCHOOL BOARD MET TUESDAY NIGHT.

The board of trustees of the Friona high school held another business session at the school building Tuesday night for the purpose of considering more applicants for positions in the school.

To date only six teachers have been engaged, who are as follows: Prof. Albert Conway, superintendent; Mrs. Albert Conway, principal, will have charge of English; Miss Ella Mae Tannery, primary; Miss Ruby Haynes, second year; Miss Jennings, third year, and Miss Martha Tannery, sixth year.

No applicant for janitor has as yet been decided on.

All teachers thus far engaged come highly recommended by the people where they have been teaching.

Star Gleanings

The American people like to be hum-bugged, but not big-bugged.

Prohibition aims at the drunkard, but its enforcement deals with the sober-minded bootlegger.

Nearly everybody believes that the spirits live after death, and now the passing of old man Barley Corn confirms the belief.

New Brunswick proposes to make the buyer of liquor equally guilty with the seller. Isn't it enough of a penalty to have to pay for or drink it?

What we need worse than laws to prohibit men from carrying guns is education to make our youngsters never need to. The same holds for printing crime news. What we need is less crime news to print.

Let The Friona Star ads put the "sling" in advertising.

R. A. Boester: "Friona can never go ahead of its leaders."

B. Upright: "A town is not better than its finest citizen."

Let's hold Friona's population. Remember, it's just as easy for people to get out of a wide-open town as it is for others to get in.

When you work, work! When you play, play. When you sleep, slumber! When you eat, chew! But when you drink, be careful!

In Baltimore Jules Askin, artist, painted from nature on the Sabbath. You are not supposed to work on Sunday in Baltimore. They looked him up. He asked: "Who paints the beautiful sunrise and

THIS WEEK

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

LADIES—14673 B. C. DON'T DIE OF CANCER. GOVERNMENT SHOULD PAY. NEED NON-EXPLOSIVE FUEL.

A. W. Pond, scientific gentleman back from Africa, says ladies of 150,000 years ago used cosmetics, "extravagant ornaments," and painted their cheeks red.

They went to extremes, wore necklaces made of ostrich eggs, and some of them painted their faces yellow and black, as well as red.

Still earlier, 500,000 years ago, when men used "fist hatchets," long sharp stones shaped like pickaxes, the ladies then covered from head to foot with reddish hair were probably pulling the hair from their cheeks, noting that gentlemen preferred smooth skins. It has been a long, painful climb to the flapper of today, but worth it.

Don't die of cancer—it isn't necessary. At the age of forty, one out of every ten persons has a cancer, 100,000 die of cancer in the United States every year. At least 75,000 die unnecessarily. Autopsies show that thousands, dead of old age, take cancers to the grave with them.

Pay attention to any strange growth on the body. A few seconds work will often prevent a cancer spreading. Above all, keep in good condition, with regular sleep, moderate exercise, much fresh air and your blood will take care of the cancer.

The Government has wondered what to do with surplus taxes. It might use the first few hundred million to indemnify victims of the Mississippi flood. If Government had used its brains and money and had done its duty in years past, the flood would not have occurred.

Those that realize the importance of soil fertility will be interested in Colonel Ewing's casual remark that men digging for artesian wells in lower Louisiana went through fifteen hundred feet of the richest soil, deposited by the great river, a soil far richer and deeper than that of Egypt.

Standard Oil of New York will issue \$125,500,000 new stock, bringing the total up to about \$450,000,000.

The company doesn't need that trifle, but will let employees of the company buy the stock to increase interest in their work. They had already bought ten millions of the stock.

Udine Utley, fifteen-year-old evangelist, arrived to save souls in New York at an unfortunate moment, with the Snyder case in full blast. Not even a New Yorker can attend to everything at once. Still, she saved forty-five souls on her opening night—not bad in New York. But some will need to be saved several times. New York's night life is exciting.

Miss Ivy Parks, of Texico, New Mexico, and Miss Bowles, of Bellview, New Mexico, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Son Baysinger. The young ladies are nieces of Mr. and Mrs. Baysinger. Ivy Parks is well known here as Friona was formerly her home.

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sunset on Sunday, and what do you do to Him?"

The cold jailer replied: "Ask the Judge; you're not supposed to argue."

A hydroplane struck by lightning, in full flight falls, the gasoline tank exploding and killing four. This will not discourage flying, but will stimulate work on non-explosive fuel. The Germans are near it, with their extra-ordinary light Diesel engine construction.

Some day, wireless power, taken from sources miles below the flier will solve the problem.

An unfortunate leper, John Early is at large somewhere in the South, having escaped from the Carville, La., leprosarium.

Men dread to arrest him, but there is little to fear. Soap and water have reduced leprosy to an insignificant disease, and the newest discovery, chaulmoogoo oil, conquers it.

A PUBLIC BENEFACTOR.

J. J. Horton, of the J. J. Horton Land Company, has just been proving himself quite a public benefactor in this locality for several weeks past, owing to the fact that he is a regular graduate of a college of veterinary surgery.

This locality having no resident practitioner of that art, many valuable animals have been allowed to die here in times past for lack of competent medical aid, and a number of these serious cases have occurred here within the past few weeks, and Mr. Horton has gladly lent his assistance and skill and has succeeded in saving each case he has attended. In the handling of these cases he has proved his ability in the profession and has saved many dollars for our people, who are not slow in expressing their gratitude for his services.

Mr. Horton has not been practicing but has devoted his time entirely to his real estate business since coming to Friona.

BELIEVES IN ADVERTISING.

L. F. Lillard was in from his farm seven miles northwest of town Monday morning and called at the Star office to renew his ad which he has been carrying for the past several weeks.

Mr. Lillard is one of our progressive farmers who believes in advertising when he has anything to sell, and believes further that the local newspaper is the most logical medium of carrying that advertising. Since the Star has been issued there has not been many weeks that Mr. Lillard has not had an advertisement in its columns. He not only thus secures help for himself, but at the same time helps in supporting an institution whose sole purpose is to serve and to benefit the community at large. Thanks, Lawrence.

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CHANCE FOR MORE WHEAT THAN MAJORITY OF PEOPLE EXPECT

CHARLES CONEWAY WINS STUDENT HONORS.

The Star is pleased to chronicle the fact that another of the Friona high school students, in the person of Charles Coneway, has won distinction as a student during his high school course here and has been awarded free scholarships by the Texas Christian University, Trinity University, W. T. S. T. C., Texas Tech school and the Texas A. & M. College.

These honors have come to him for having been one among the boy students of the Friona high school to receive the highest grades during the course and as having ranked highest in the school.

He has also received awards for perfect attendance, never having been absent nor tardy once during the last two terms at Friona. He has also been highly complimented by the Twentieth Century Book Company for the neatness, accuracy and general efficiency of his work in bookkeeping. He used the Twentieth Century text book in his work under the able tutorage of Prof. H. J. Buckner.

Some of the above named scholarships were secured through the personal interest and efforts of Prof. Buckner, who seemed to delight in doing all he could for the advancement and welfare of his students.

Charles is a studious, intelligent and manly boy and his friends and school mates wish for him a successful future. He plans to attend the A. & M. College next term.

LAZBUDDY STUDY CLUB.

On last Thursday afternoon the members of the Lazbuddy Study Club had the pleasure of meeting in the cozy home of Mrs. J. E. Vaughn. The club had previously voted to continue the meetings during the summer, studying miscellaneous, and in September take up the Year Books.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. R. L. Bledsoe, who introduced the following officers elected for the coming year: Mrs. George Treider, president; Mrs. Joe Paul, vice president; Miss Frances Menefee, secretary treasurer; Mrs. Willie Steinbock, parliamentary.

Mrs. Treider in her usual charming and capable manner gave us a fine talk and the members felt very fortunate to have Mrs. Treider to direct us. It is a wonderful trait to possess, to have it said of you, "That she or he is worth something to our community." Such is characteristic of our new president, always helping or doing something for some one.

During the business session it was voted to give Miss Vera Jennings flowers. Miss Vera was forced to return home from college on account of failing health.

Plans are being made for the Lazbuddy club to sponsor a child's health conference in June. A few physical examinations will be given children from six months up to seven years old by a graduate state health nurse. This will probably be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Treider. Their home is an example of civic attractiveness, having a well shaded lawn. Refreshments will be served, food sale conducted, etc.

The young people of today was the subject for the afternoon and Mrs. Willie Steinbock in a very interesting and instructive way, directed the subject, with Mrs. Joe Paul giving the topic, "When I Was In My Teens," which appears in the columns of this issue of the Star.

The Environments of the Young People of Today was ably discussed by Mrs. Walter Menefee.

The hostess, assisted by her daughters, Mmes. Willie Steinbock and Raymond served a delicious frappe and cake to the following: Mmes. R. Fyritz, Walter Menefee, John and Ed Steinbock, E. E. Merriott, Joe Paul, Otto and George Treider and R. L. Bledsoe; Misses Ruby Bowley, Sadie Hennington and Frances Menefee.

The next meeting will be held June second at the home of Mrs. John Steinbock. A "Flag Day" program is arranged for then and all are urged to come and learn a few things about their flag.

Miss Marie Eddins, Miss Thelma Saunders, Messrs. Charlie and Louis Baxter, Thad Eddins, Granville McFarland and Charles Coneway attended the skating rink at Hereford last Saturday night.

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F. N. Welch drove out of town Monday with one of his large Advance Ramey combines and tractors, enroute for his large wheat field in Castro county where he says the prospects for a yield is much better than on his land near Friona.

He has about six hundred acres in Castro county and nine hundred in Parmer county, all of which will make some wheat and much of it a fair yield, considering the dryness of the season.

Many people are heard to say that there is probably no other place in the country where a crop of any yield at all could be made under the dry conditions that have prevailed here this spring.

FAIR SHOWING IT WHEAT SAMPLE.

N. B. Morton whose home is eight miles southeast of town, stepped into the Star office Monday afternoon with a bunch of wheat which he had pulled from a field of sod wheat in his vicinity.

This wheat was perfectly green and thrifty looking, with fair sized heads in which the grains were forming. True, some of the bushes had only one or two grains but these gave promise of plump, well formed grains, and Mr. Morton estimated the yield from this field at from eight to ten bushels per acre. And this on sod land. Where is the country that can beat this on land that has not had an inch of moisture since last fall?

Mr. Morton expressed the opinion that there will be far more wheat harvested here this season than many people now expect. He says some of the later sown wheat will yet profit from a rain should it come soon.

HARRY HUGHES HOPEFUL.

T. H. (Harry) Hughes, from two miles northwest of town, was in Monday morning and expressed to the writer that in his opinion there will yet be considerable wheat, ranging from eight to ten bushels per acre, and that the dry weather is conducive to the forming of the plumpest and finest quality of grain.

Harry says he would like to inform his old friend, A. P. Brownfield, of Ava, Illinois, who helped him harvest a few years ago, that the "Pan" may possibly be burned off the "handle" this year, but not yet.

OIL NEWS.

The well now being drilled in the south part of the county, about eighteen miles south of Friona by the Humble Oil Company is reported to have reached the depth of 2900 feet and is drilling in limestone formation.

Early in the week drilling operations ceased awaiting the report on the analysis of the substance through which the bit is now working, a sample of which had been sent away for that purpose.

It is reported that the drilling company had a contract to sink the hole to a depth of 3,000 feet before it received any pay, unless oil was found before reaching that depth. The above report shows a depth of only ten feet lacking to complete the contract.

C. M. Stevens of this place received word Tuesday that a well lying five put down near his land twenty-five miles east of Tucuman, New Mexico, and which had reached a depth of 3500 feet, was found to have 800 feet of oil standing in the hole. Mr. Stevens has all his land leased in that locality and expected to start for Tucuman Thursday.

With oil looming up on all sides of Friona, it seems that we might have a right to suppose that there is, perhaps, a fine pool right beneath us.

OUR WEATHER.

It still remains dry. We have suffered a few days of disagreeable wind this week and on two days the temperature rose to a degree that was also uncomfortable, reaching on one afternoon as high as 99 degrees, but otherwise we have had most agreeable weather.

Some farmers say we will yet have some wheat regardless of the dry weather, unless it should be destroyed by other causes. A few crops are predicted to make as much as twenty bushels per acre, while quite a number are estimated at from eight to ten bushels. In the neighborhood of Summerfield there are some fine looking prospects.

THE DOOM TRAIL

By Arthur D. Howden Smith
Author of PORTO BELLO GOLD, Etc.

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WNU Service

CHAPTER XV—Continued

"There!" he exclaimed. "You have it in the face. What do you expect of me? Would you have me violate God's sacrament by wedding a maid against her affections? Some priests might do so, but I will never! Marriage without affection is adultery."

"You leap to conclusions, my good sir," returned Murray. "The maid does not know her own mind. She is a conquest for the Church, and her alliance with the Chevalier de Veulle venge the great work we are undertaking together."

"I will have naught to do with it," responded the priest with decision. "Not even to admit her into the Church would I tolerate the fastening upon herself, her husband and myself of a mortal sin. As for the Chevalier de Veulle, I will say nothing at present. But I am not satisfied with everything here at La Vierge du Bois. I shall have more to say on that score later."

He went out and up the stairs, and Murray, after a moment's hesitation, followed him.

But our reprieve was brief. The next morning an augmented force of jailers appeared. The thongs on our arms were tightened; our legs were unshackled; and we were marched up into the wintry sunshine again, our eyes blinking at the unwonted light.

The village was deserted, and we perceived the reason when we reached the council place and saw the long row of stakes which stretched before the background of the green firs of the Evil Wood. Jeers and cries of derision greeted us.

The False Faces strung their illumined circle around us, and the feather-tufted Keepers and their women and children pressed close to view the gawky spectacle. We were bound to the stakes, Ta-wan-ne-ars and I in the middle of the line; and almost at once the torturing began upon the unfortunates at the two extremities. Their songs and shouts of defiance soon gave way to a sinister silence, as they fought with all their will power to curb the agony which bade them cry for mercy.

The horror of it first sickened me, then flogged me into a red-hot temper of anger. And in the midst of the orgy of bestiality Murray and De Veulle penetrated the circle of False Faces, with Marjory, white-faced, tight-lipped, between them. They walked up to the stake to which I was bound.

Murray addressed me. "We are making a bargain with the lady, Master Ormerod. She is to renounce her objections to De Veulle, own herself mistaken in her feeling of affection for you—and you are to be permitted to escape when she has sealed her engagements."

"Do not think of it, Marjory," I called to her. "I mind this not at all. And fear not. Help will come to you."

A tinge of color showed in her cheeks, and she stepped to my side. "I cannot let you die, Harry," she said with a sob. "Indeed I will not be able to stand the thinking of it. Better anything—better marriage to this beast—than—than—that!"

"You are wrong," I urged her. "You must not. I should go mad if you did. I should hate myself! I—"

I twisted my head toward Ta-wan-ne-ars beside me. "Bid her not, brother," I appealed to him. "Tell her I do not fear to pay the price! And why should I escape if you—"

His granite features softened as his eyes met hers. But before he could speak the scene shifted with startling rapidity. There was a bulge in the ring of False Faces, and Ga-ha-no burst into the group.

Dressed in her uniform as Ga-go-sa Ho-nun-as-tae-ta, the kilt and moccasins, she fronted De Veulle with eyes blazing, breast heaving.

"Do you seek now to buy the white maiden with this man's life?" she stormed. "You shall not! You have had your pleasure with me. Now you would like to have a woman of your own color. You shall not! I have been bad. I have forgotten the ways of my fathers. I have betrayed a good man."

She threw a glance at Ta-wan-ne-ars, straining at his bonds. "For that I am sorry, but it is too late!" she exclaimed. "White maiden," she cried to Marjory, "do not listen to this man. He is more wicked than I—and I am now a creature of Ha-ne-go-ate-geh!"

De Veulle waved his arm toward the attentive circle of False Faces. "Remove the Mistress," he ordered. "She is hindering the torture."

The False Faces moved forward reluctantly, but Ga-ha-no acted without hesitation. A knife leaped from a fold of her kilt, and she sprang upon De Veulle like a wildcat. He retreated, and ripped out his own knife.

But she closed with him, and the two knives sank home at the same instant. Hers pierced De Veulle to the heart. His drove to the hilt into her right breast, and she staggered back, coughing blood, against the rigid form of Ta-wan-ne-ars, bound fast to the stake.

"Ga-ha-no—was not—worthy of—Ta-wan-ne-ars," she gasped as her head slipped down his chest. "It—Is—better—so."

No torture could have distorted his face into the image of frenzied despair which it displayed as he strove uselessly to bend down to her.

"My Lost Soul!" he muttered. "Oh, Ha-wen-ne-yu, my Lost Soul! Oh, Great Spirit, my Lost Soul!"

Marjory crept nearer to me, the horror in her face turning to pity, the tears streaming from her eyes.

"The poor lass!" she cried softly. "The poor, brave lass!"

CHAPTER XVI

The Might of the Long House

The silence of consternation gripped the hordes of the Keepers of the Trail. The sea of painted, scowling faces exhibited one frozen expression of awe at the suddenness of the tragedy. Only Murray gave no indication of feeling as he knelt by De Veulle's side. He stood up, wiping a spot of blood off one of his hands with a laced handkerchief.

"He is gone," he remarked impartially. "Give a look to the Indian girl," I urged.

He shrugged his shoulders as if to say it was not worth while; but Mar-

jory stooped over Ga-ha-no, composed the disordered black tresses and closed the wildly staring eyes.

"This useless, Harry," she said. "She is dead."

"Ga-ha-no—Is—dead!" repeated Ta-wan-ne-ars blankly.

His heaving muscles relaxed, and he hung limp in his bonds against the stake.

"At the least, the woman gave you an avenue of escape from an intricate problem," commented Murray. "You do not seem glad, my dear."

"I am not glad," retorted Marjory scornfully. "And I am right content that you should be unable to understand why I will be mourning for her."

"Ah, well, we have never understood each other, have we?" rejoined Murray, taking snuff absent-mindedly. "Come, we will give orders for the removal of the unfortunate pair, and—"

The horror dawned once more in Marjory's face. "And what?" she gasped. "You forget, Marjory, that my savage henchmen have work to do," he answered nonchalantly. "I take it for granted that you do not wish to remain and view their labors?"

"You would leave these—these men—Master Ormerod—to—"

"And why not?" he replied. "They are enemies. As I have had occasion to tell him ere this, Master Ormerod has sought to contrive my ruin. But I am a reasonable man. I am always willing to discuss terms."

"And what might you mean by terms?" I demanded, taking a hand in the conversation.

He deliberated as unconcernedly as if we sat on opposite sides of a table in London, entirely ignoring the hud-

Use of Rifle Dates From Border Warfare

The use of the rifle in America has been general since the war of 1754-63, known to us as the French and Indian war, in which Braddock was defeated.

From what I can learn, the flint-jock rifle, as we generally understand the weapon, dates from about the beginning of the Eighteenth century. My reasons for believing this are the statements that Captain Dillon has a good specimen with a date of 1719, if I recall correctly, stamped in the metal of the barrel. The photo of this rifle shows it to have been the conventional long-barreled, short-stocked, single-triggered model made and used so widely in the border wars and the Revolution.

I have read in very old books that King Philip, the Indian chief of New England, in his great war with

died corpses at his feet, the line of bodies stiffening in the bitter cold against the stakes and the attendant cordon of Indians whose faces studied his as their fingers itched to resume the torture.

"An undertaking to abandon this wholly barren persecution of my enterprises," he decided. "I should require the signature of Governor Burnett to the document."

"And my companions here?" I asked curiously.

"You forget that even my powers are necessarily limited," he said. "I could not possibly snatch from my people's vengeance Iroquois warriors taken red-handed in an attempt to massacre them."

I laughed.

"You do not yet know me, Murray." "Possibly you are subject to education," he retorted, buttoning up his greatcoat. "Come, Marjory."

She drew away from him.

"I choose to remain," she said coldly. "I choose that you shall not."

He waved his hand in unmistakable signal of release to the watchful False Faces and their followers. A yell of satisfaction swelled from their hungry throats, and they dashed forward.

"'Twill be difficult for me to control them in a few moments," observed Murray.

He looked up in amazement, as a mantle of silence enveloped the council place for the second time.

"O my people," boomed a harsh voice in the Cahnuga dialect, "verily Ha-ne-go-ate-geh has claimed you! You are mad! You toy with your enemies here when the warriors of the Long House are as thick along the Doom Trail as the falling leaves of autumn. The Keepers who were on watch are dead or in flight. At any moment the Iroquois will be here. They have burned Ga-o-no-geh. The snow of the Trail is trampled flat by their multitudes. Aye, the Doom Trail is bringing doom upon its Keepers."

His words were drowned in a racket of firing from the heart of the Evil Wood. A number of the False Faces emerged from the shelter of the firs, their awful masks wabbling unsteadily.

"The People of the Long House!" they wailed. "The People of the Long House are come!"

"We are attacked back and front," snarled Murray. "Well, Master Ormerod, you and your friend the chief are excellent hostages."

He belted a series of commands which brought some degree of order out of the confusion, and dispatched one party of Keepers into the wood to resist the attack from that quarter. Another body he sent through the village to hold the approaches of the Doom Trail. Under his directions the remainder of the warriors unbound the surviving prisoners from the stakes and escorted us to the stockaded house in which he dwelt.

In the doorway they paused to await the coming of Murray. He arrived presently, with Marjory hanging unwillingly on his arm.

"The prisoners?" he rasped in answer to the question of our guards. "Take them to the cellar. Look to their security if you value your lives."

An echo of distant shouts reached our ears as we stood there, and across the posts of the stockade we saw the Keepers streaming from the Evil Wood and at their heels certain darting, quick-moving figures that we knew must be the warriors of the Eight Clans.

"It is time to bring our women and children inside the stockade," proposed one of the Cahnugas.

Murray shook his head.

"We have not room nor food to spare. See," he said, as the sound of firing came from the southward, "we are surrounded. We are ignorant of the strength of the Iroquois. It may be all we can do to defend ourselves. Women and children would be so many inconveniences to us."

And whilst a squad of savages conducted us to our prison the rest manned the firing platforms around the stockade and prepared to cover the retreat of the Keepers, who were falling back rapidly before the hard driving attacks of the Iroquois.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Mexican Superstition

The Mexicans have a superstition that whoever partakes of food that has been gnawed by rats will be falsely accused of wrongdoing.

Proof Positive

Everybody says it, and what everybody says must be true.—James Fenimore Cooper

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

MR. FUZZY

"You know," said the brown cottontail rabbit, whose name was Mr. Fuzzy Brown Cottontail,

"I don't like to brag or boast, but I do think our family are the most sensible and the bravest animals there are in the world."

"I agree with you perfectly," said Mrs. Fuzzy Cottontail.

"You see," continued Mr. Fuzzy Brown Cottontail, "all winter the raccoon snoozes in a beech tree."

"The gray and red squirrels have luxurious nooks, always near their private and well-filled storehouses."

"The chipmunks in their slightly underground homes always prepare beforehand for the hard, cold winter."

"The muskrats build their huts beneath the ice and are just as warm under there as if the ice were the warm sun."

"Even the bloodthirsty weasel is lazier."

"The fox does far less hunting and a great deal more sleeping, which is very stupid of him, but we—well, we are always wideawake and busy, too."

Now, as Mrs. Fuzzy Brown Cottontail agreed with him and as the little brown cottontail rabbits all agreed with him, there was no argument to be had, which was really what Mr. Fuzzy Brown Cottontail wanted.

So he continued to talk, for he enjoyed it very much.

"Now, you see," he continued, "when spring comes and the warm days are here, the animals who have been lazy and sleeping all winter in warm beds begin to think of getting up."

"The warm rains, the bright sun, and the springing up of all the little tender shoots in the woods make them all feel just like getting up."

"But just imagine—think of what they've missed! They have had none of the fun of hunting for their food when it was hard to get."

"They simply have found out the easiest way to live and then have lived that way."

"Fancy getting all your food months in advance! It's ridiculous. It's character to stay awake all winter and hurry around when it is cold to get breakfast and to resist the wintry winds and snows and say to ourselves that we won't be beaten by a cold day."

"Then when spring does come we enjoy picking up the tender plants that grow in the woods, and we enjoy the young buds."

Now, all the little brown cottontails listened to his speech with a great deal of interest and admiration.

So they jumped up and down and said:

"Fine, fine!"

Mr. Fuzzy Brown Cottontail was so set up at his own speech that he was much pleased at the applause of the little rabbits.

"The reason I am telling you all this," he continued once more, "is because I want you all to feel grateful, to be glad that you're not foxes or weasels or muskrats or chipmunks, but just to be glad that you're brown cottontail rabbits."

And they all agreed that they were.

Anyhow He Sang

Mother (to Bobby)—Surely you did something else but eat at the school treat?

Bobby—Yes, mummy. After tea we sang a hymn called, "We Can Sing, Full Though We Be."

Mother learned later that the hymn selected had been, "Weak and Sinful Though We Be."—Dublin Sunday Independent.

Who Was He?

"Father," said the boy of twelve, "who was Shylock?"

"What!" exclaimed his father, "have I sent you to Sunday school for the past six or seven years, only to have you ask me who Shylock was! Shame on you! Get your Bible and find out this minute!"

Made No Difference

Mother (to son across her knee)—I'll teach you to tie saucers to dog's tails.

Son—But, mother, it isn't our dog.

Mother—No, I know it isn't our dog, but it's my saucerpan.

The Gates of Eden

Little Town Girl (who has spent day in country for first time, having hitherto only played in the parks)—Daddy, what time do they shut the country up?—Fete Male (Paris).

Squirrels Have Luxurious Nooks

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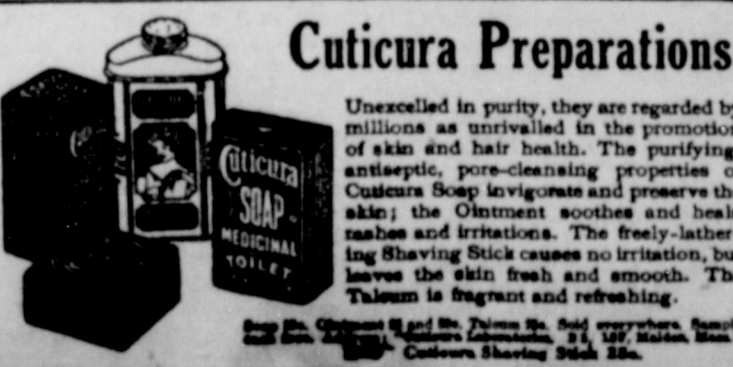


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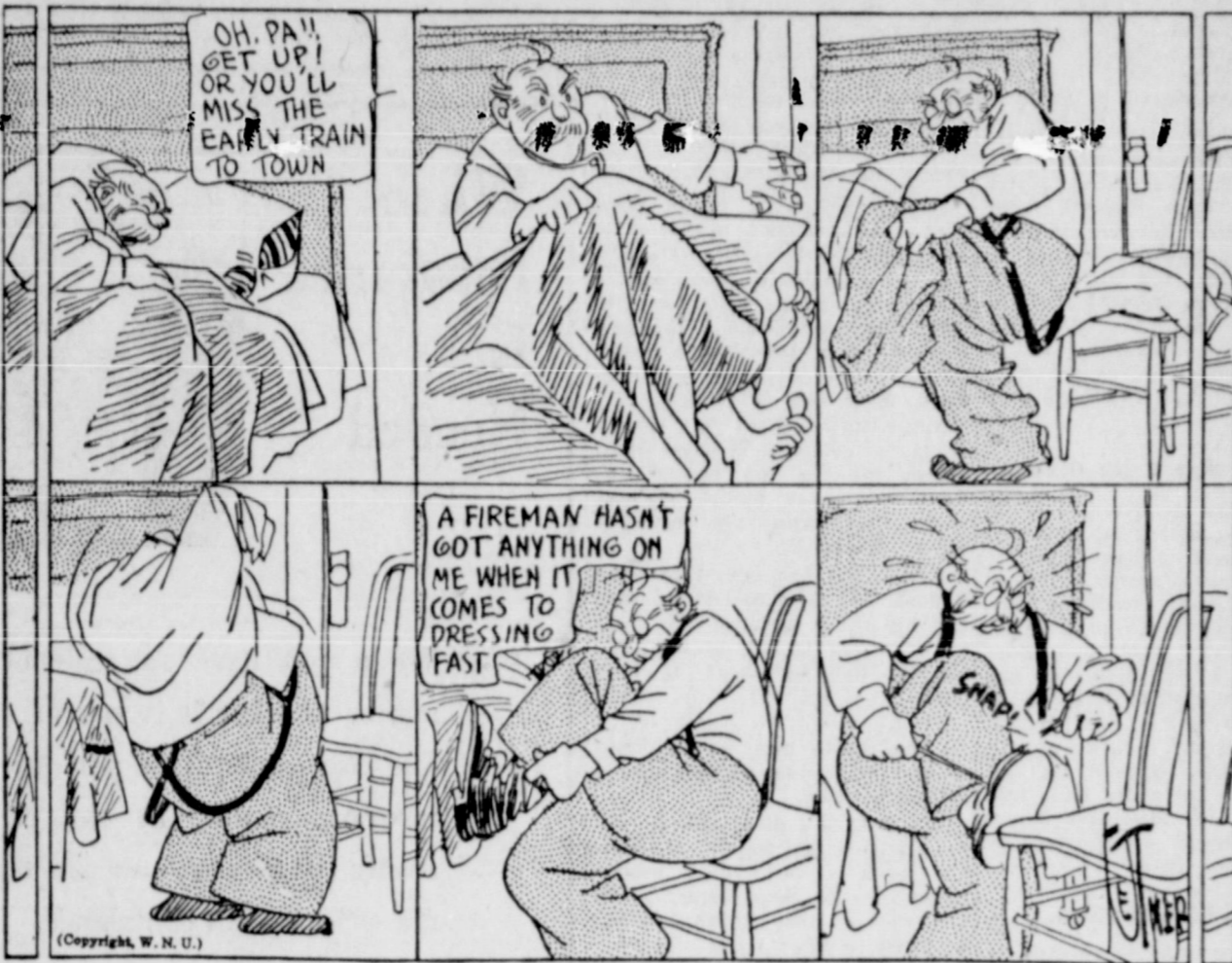
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Lesson for May 29

PETER UNDAUNTED BY PERSECUTION

LESSON TEXT—Acts 5:17-42.
GOLDEN TEXT—We ought to obey God rather than men—Acts 5:29.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Peter Shows His Courage.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Peter Speaks Bravely for His Lord.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Standing Firm Under Persecution.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Source of Courage.

The vindication of the house of God against the hypocritical act of Annanias and Sapphira had a salutary effect upon the people. The hypocrites were deterred from joining the church, but true-hearted men and women were all the more attracted to it, even identifying themselves with it. So great was the stir in Jerusalem that when the sick folk were brought there but the shadow of Peter might fall upon them.

I. The Apostles in Prison (vv. 17-18).

The marvelous success which accompanied the teaching of the apostles was too much for the Sadducees to endure. Their jealous wrath was aroused to such an extent that they laid the cruel hand of persecution upon these witnesses for Christ. Cain was jealous of Abel; Joseph's brethren sold him in slavery because he was the favorite of Jacob. Saul was jealous of David when the women ascribed greater glory to him.

II. The Apostles' Miraculous Deliverance (vv. 19-21).

1. The Lord sent an angel to open the prison and let the prisoners free (v. 19).

There are no doors, nor bolts capable of shutting out God's angel.

2. They were commanded to go at once and speak to the people. (v. 20).

The message they were to deliver was the "Words of this life." Most likely this means eternal life through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

3. Their prompt obedience (v. 21).

By daybreak they were teaching in the temple.

III. The Apostles Tried (vv. 21:32).

1. The meeting of the council (v. 21).

In the early morning the Jewish council was convened by the high-priest.

2. Their perplexity (vv. 22-24).

The officer was sent to bring the prisoners, but lo, when they came to the jail it was empty. This news greatly perplexed the council.

3. The apostles again arrested (vv. 25, 26).

When one came with the news that the apostles were teaching in the temple, officers were dispatched to bring them before the council. They refrained from the use of violence because they feared the people.

4. The apostles questioned (vv. 27, 28).

The council demanded of them the reason for not heeding the charge which they had previously given that they should not teach any more in the name of Jesus. This persistent testimony the officers interpreted as an effort to bring the guilt of Jesus' blood upon themselves.

5. The apostle's answer.

Peter boldly replied that they were under obligation to obey God rather than men. He further told them that they were guilty of the murder of Jesus Christ and that God had raised Jesus from the dead and exalted Him to be a Prince and a Savior to give repentance and remission of sins to Israel, and also that He had made the apostles, with the Holy Spirit, witnesses of these things.

IV. The Result (vv. 33-42).

1. They determined to kill the apostles (v. 33).

Peter's stinging words cut to the quick, but their desperate wickedness filled them with murderous hatred instead of moving them to repentance. They could not answer the message, so the only way was to kill their accusers.

2. Gamaliel's counsel (vv. 34-36).

He advised neutrality, assuring them that if it be a work of men it would come to naught, but if it be of God they could not overthrow it because they would be engaged in the hopeless task of fighting against God.

3. The apostles beaten (v. 40).

While heeding Gamaliel's advice, they vented their rage by beating the apostles and charging them not to speak in Christ's name.

4. The behavior of the apostles (vv. 41, 42).

They departed with hearts full of joy that they were counted worthy to suffer for the name of Christ. They continued to preach Jesus Christ in public and in private.

An Undivided Heart

An undivided heart which worships God alone, and trusts Him as it should, is raised above all anxiety for earthly wants.

Salvation

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MEMORIAL DAY

TIME CHANGES CUSTOM.

Most changes are for progress, but there are exceptions which individuals and nations should always recognize and stand firmly for worthy principles which may be threatened. Any change in the observation of national holidays, which through the life of the nation have been set aside to keep the fires of love for the country alive, should be opposed. Memorial Day is again with us. It is one of our most sacred national days. It is a tribute of the living to their dead—those who gave all—their life—that our nation should be free—and not perish from the earth.

Let us pause for a thoughtful moment in the true spirit of the day—and be grateful for the freedom that is ours. In so doing we will be giving place and honor to the soldiers of all our wars who made the supreme sacrifice. Let not the greatness of their deeds be forgotten. Imbue a reverence

of the day in the hearts of your children and their children's children. You are of the next generation to which the last generation looked to carry on.

Ours is a nation free at last from sectional lines of strife—a world leader in every great movement for peace and happiness. We should be eternally grateful for our enviable position as a nation. A nation entrusted to us by those who faced the cannon's mouth.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Buchanan spent Friday in Hereford.

A. G. Classen of Lubbock was in Friona Saturday.

Milt Crow and Henry Harrold of Abernathy spent Sunday with friends here.

R. W. Thompson, of Amarillo, was a Friona visitor Friday.

M. A. Crum, J. O. Jones and Ben Shelby were Farwell visitors Monday.

Mrs. O. F. Lange, Mrs. Minnie Goodwine and daughter, Lola, were shopping in Clovis Tuesday.

O. F. Lange and Gabe Anderson spent Wednesday evening in Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kinsley are the proud owners of a new coupe.

Logan Sympton was a Canyon visitor last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Euler and family spent last Sunday as guests in the J. L. Landrum home.

County Judge E. F. Lokey was a business visitor here Thursday forenoon.

Texas & Texans

By WILL H. MAYES

Rubber Molding Plant.

Texas is gradually, but rather slowly getting the idea that manufacturing enterprises are essential to the state's fullest prosperity. Beginning June 1, a plant at Dallas will be turning out Texas-made rubber appliances for use in oil field equipment of various kinds and experiments with guayule, a substitute for India rubber obtained from a Mexico asteraceae plant found also in Texas near the Rio Grande, will be made in the new factory. It will be the first plant of the kind between St. Louis and Los Angeles. The manufacturers will be prepared to carry out manufacturing specifications on rubber products for other firms.

Texas Made Baskets.

This happens to be written in Marshall and although I have been in the enterprising East Texas city for nearly ten days, I didn't know until yesterday that Marshall has a basket factory and turns out an immense number of baskets and sells most of them in Texas for shipment of Texas vegetables and fruits. It is said that the Marshall factory is doing a profitable business. This part of the state, with its fine timber and cheap gas is in splendid position for the manufacture of any timber products. Such factories can as well be conducted in a small town as in a large city.

Overall Factories.

There is several overall factories doing successful business in Texas. Temple is considering beginning the making of overalls on a small scale. A committee of the Chamber of Commerce is at work on the plans with the idea of building up a large establishment from a small beginning. The most successful factories are those that have been able to start with a few units and increase as business development seems to justify.

Filling Road Gaps.

Two important road gaps in the Mexia district are to be built in right away at a cost of \$153,000. The roads will be macadam with asphaltic topping. This district is looking well after its lateral feeders to the state highways. No public road is better than its worst mud holes and the Texas State Highway Association has taken up as its first work the filling in of a number of the missing links in good roads.

Nacogdoches After Hotel.

A Nacogdoches reader of this column, who believes in hotels as good as the towns in which they are located, sends in a clipping showing that a survey is being made to ascertain just what increased facilities are needed there. He says in the accompanying letter that if it is found that a big new hotel is needed in Nacogdoches that town has the enterprise to do what is necessary to get it built. Really, I think that is the Nacogdoches spirit about everything.

Starts Early Fair Movement.

Garza county, a Plains section, of which Post is the county seat, has started its fall fair advertising campaign. Garza county won first prize in South Plains, West Texas and Texas State Fair last year and announces that it is going after them again. Garza county takes an early start after what it wants. That is why it wins. Most county fair movements begin getting their publicity too late.

Slaton Produce Sales.

Slaton has been checking up on sales of produce, including poultry, eggs and cream, received by dealers in April. The totals for the month were \$13,203.00, or a daily average of \$507.83, all of which went right back into Slaton's own trade. Slaton is not a large place and this amount counts big in its business. The place that overlooks the worth of its produce business is behind the times.

Junior College Growth.

Texarkana has laid the cornerstone of its Junior College building, which is to cost \$200,000. Texas cities like Texarkana are learning that it pays to give youth its junior educational training at home—pays from a financial standpoint and in keeping the young students close to their parents in this character formation period of their lives.

Look at Brady's Streets.

Brady tells the world that it is going to pave ten blocks in addition to the twenty already paved and intimates that when that is done, more work of the same kind may be started. It is also announced that large water mains are to be placed under the streets to be paved to avoid tearing up the streets when such mains become necessary. Most towns have lots of waste from laying pipes

along streets already paved.

Winkler Gets Rangers.

Having at least temporarily cleaned up the oil town of Winkler, the Texas Rangers stationed there have been ordered to Winkler to look into rumors about disorder and disregard of law there. The toughs that flock in droves in oil centers in Texas are being given to understand that the Texas Rangers operate about as successfully in one part of the state as another and that Texas gives mighty little comfort to those who try to defy the law.

Gregg Resigns U. S. Post.

Alex W. Gregg, the 27 year old lawyer from Palestine, Texas, who has won international fame as expert counsel in income tax measures, for the Internal Revenue Bureau, has announced that he will resign his post early in the summer. He represented the government in the Ford \$30,000,000 income tax case and has had a most meteoric career as the right hand man of Secretary Mellon on tax matters.

Brothers Slay Each Other.

This column is given over to comment on constructive news and in it reference is never made to sensational news except to "point a moral." Two brothers-in-law, married to twin sisters in Cass county, recently shot each other to death in a foolish quarrel and fight over disputed questions in the Bible. Doubtless the point at issue was trivial. It shows the folly of getting excited and that those who do not guard their tempers can get as mad over honest differences or in good causes as about anything else.

Bryan Little Theatre.

The Bryan Little Theatre, a community dramatic club, has been playing creditably in neighboring towns. Such neighborly efforts will be appreciated as long as the "Little Theatres" do not get exalted ideas of their histrionic talents and go to charging big prices.

Large Attendance for Summer Term Foreseen

CANYON, May 25.—Canyon and the Teachers' College are preparing for the largest summer school ever seen in this part of the state of Texas.

The summer catalogs, telling of the courses offered for the summer, have been exhausted for almost a month, and information is being sent prospective students by cards on which is printed a summary of the most important facts regarding the summer session.

More than seventy-five men and women with President J. A. Hill carrying the first administrative responsibility, will compose the faculty this summer and it is already evident that their classes will be full.

Prof. Herman Glass, principal of the junior high school of Wichita Falls, will teach history this summer, and A. L. Morgan, of Beaumont, and W. T. Lofland, city superintendent at Vernon, will teach in the department of education; M. E. Witt, of Lubbock, will teach science.

Instructors who have been away studying for the year and who will return for the summer session are Mary E. Hudspeth, who comes from Madrid, Spain; Miss Hattie M. Anderson, from University of Chicago; Misses Elva Fronberger and Tennessee Malone Penbody at Nashville; Miss Agnes Charlton, from the University of Texas.

Prominent educators who will appear during the session for brief periods are Dr. Edwin E. Stosson, of Columbia University; Syud Hossain, East India Journalist; J. Adams Puffer of Boston; Lai Tien Huang, Chinese politician.

People of South and East Texas, Louisiana and other states are rapidly learning that the summer climate at Canyon makes it an ideal place to attend school. No other school in Texas is located at within 800 feet of as high elevation. The altitude of 3551 feet gives the student and vacationist in Northwest Texas the chance to use and enjoy his summer. Mountain trips, canyon excursions, and visits to industrial plants will be featured for the benefit of students at the Canyon College this summer.

Such Moniker.

Clerk—"Your name?"
Gob—"C. Faring Man."
Clerk—"I asked your name, not your occupation."

Helpless in the Matter.

Officer—"Hey, why don't you stop when I tell you to?"
Nervous Driver—"I wanted to but I don't think this car understood you."

We never looked at it this way before, but it is a fact that there are an awful lot of "w" curves in Mississippi.

Cold hard facts are usually met that—except on many cold, hard tombstones.

Home Town Amulets

Let us continue to be good members, not only of the respective organizations to which we may belong, but of the community and the town of Friona, which we all love. Let us pay our dues and put some "do" into the neighborhood. Independent of ritual or form, we owe the dues of loyalty, charity, neighborliness, clean premises and support of home business.

We can not expect to prosper materially, nor advance as moral factors in the building of this great commonwealth, unless we back up the community from which we receive our livelihood and the emoluments due us from society in the aggregate.

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Other commencement activities will include a reunion of the class of 1925 which is to be held May 31. At this time the class will dedicate a fountain erected in memory of Prof. F. P. Graenher, whose death occurred during the year that this class graduated.

J. Events Haley, field secretary of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society, is chairman of the committee in charge of the erection of the fountain.

Crowell—Extension of sidewalks is under way here on North Main Street. This development gives the city nearly a mile of pavement from the northern portion of town to the depot.

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"You have saved my life," said the man to the youthful hero who had rescued him from drowning. "As a reward you shall marry my daughter."

The young man glanced at the daughter. Then he threw the man back into the river again.

1927 Mother Goose.

Old Mother Hubbard
Went to the cupboard,
But the revenue agent
Was there.

No Bath House.

"Have some whiskey."
"No, thanks, I never touch anything but water."

"Well, I'm not asking you to wash your hands in it."

Federal prohibition forces are being mobilized on the Canadian border to attend the 150,000 thirsty yanks who, it is estimated, will pour into Ontario this summer. The battle cry will no doubt be, "The 'bies' are coming."

ENVIRONMENT OF THE YOUNG FOLKS IN MY TEENS.

BY MRS. JOE PAUL.

Read Before the Lazbuddie Study Club.

My subject is "Environment of the Young Folks in My Teens." Well, that is a long time ago. I would have to have a long memory to remember it all; although there are some things that happened that one never forgets. Mothers were more strict with their children then and children had more respect for their parents. It was hard for a child to talk its mother out when she told it to do a certain thing. It did it. No questions asked nor any back talk.

But I know children were not so smart at that time as at the present time. Mother never talked everything before the children as they do now. A child then just learned life as it lived it. Children were not whipped and beat on as much then as at the present time; and one saying I never heard until late years, and that was when a mother tried to correct a child and failed, she would say, "Never mind, you will get it took out of you when you start to school." This used to be wrong. No real mother never put her child training off on the teacher. If I had left all this to a teacher, I would consider I was a real failure as a mother. But here I am getting off my teens, although part of my family training came in my teens.

A child was started to school at five years and kept in school until it was 18 or 20, and during these years their minds were on their school books, which consisted of reading, writing, spelling, geography and history; after they had finished the fifth readers. And grammar, if they cared to study it, but the teachers said it only taught folks to talk, and who didn't know that? It was a very complicated book, hard to understand and hard for the teacher to explain, so consequently not many of us studied it, so you will please excuse all grammatical errors in this write-up.

Then on Sunday there was Sunday school to go to. There were two near us. We attended both, rain or shine we were always present. Then during the week there were spelling matches. We all took pride in seeing who could remain standing the longest. Then we had lyceum, or some call it debating society. However, we school children spoke pieces after recess and the older folks did the debating.

All the young folks were agreeable to one another, but only that of each other as school mates. I don't think there was a case of love-making in the whole school.

Then in the summer we had croquet games. There were no cigarettes those days; no bottles carried; hardly ever pipe and tobacco for the young men; although at a croquet party one young man stooped over to strike a ball for his partner and a pipe fell out of his pocket. Well, he became so embarrassed he quit the game. A little thing like that would not embarrass a city girl nowadays.

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There was a family of Mormons lived near us, three in the family. Every winter for fifteen years their elders came and held meetings for a month or six weeks, and at the end of the fifteen years they still had these three members. Young folks began to keep company at 17 or 18 girls and boys at 19 or 20—rather slow for the present time, I am sure. They were all taught to choose their company and when a couple started anywhere they went right there and went in. They did not sit in the buggy an hour or so, nor did they stop along the road. No one went to any party except they were asked, generally just the district was invited. It began at 7:30 and quit at 12:00. Had these during the long winter nights. Never heard of one in summer; all just

went to Sunday school and church and Fourth of July celebrations. It and Christmas were the most important days in the almanac for us those days, but take it all in all, most children are alike when small, and the difference when grown shows the different training mothers have given them.

Mothers instructed their boys as well as their girls in the right of God and man. It was just as bad for a boy to do wrong as a girl—and now—well it is still wrong in God's sight at least. That they can't change. We were taught our lives was like a sheet of white paper—if we got a blot on it it was there for ever. Nobody knows of the anxious fears. Let darlings may not weather. The storms or life in after years, Nobody knows—but Mother.

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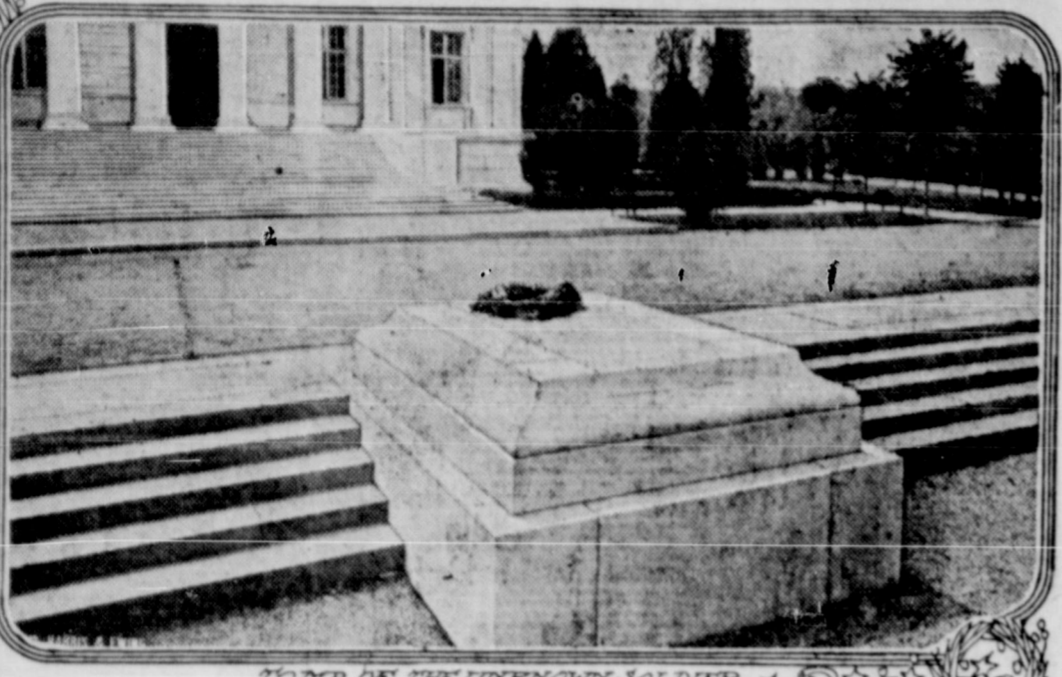
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The Unknown Soldier



REPOSE OF THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON
 ONE knows where he was born. It may have been in Maine or in California, Minnesota might claim that honor, or Louisiana. But the name of the state doesn't matter, after all. For he was an American.

No one knows in what outfit he served. It may have been the infantry, the cavalry or the artillery. Or he may have worn the silver wings of aviation. But the branch of the service doesn't matter. He was a soldier—a fighting man.

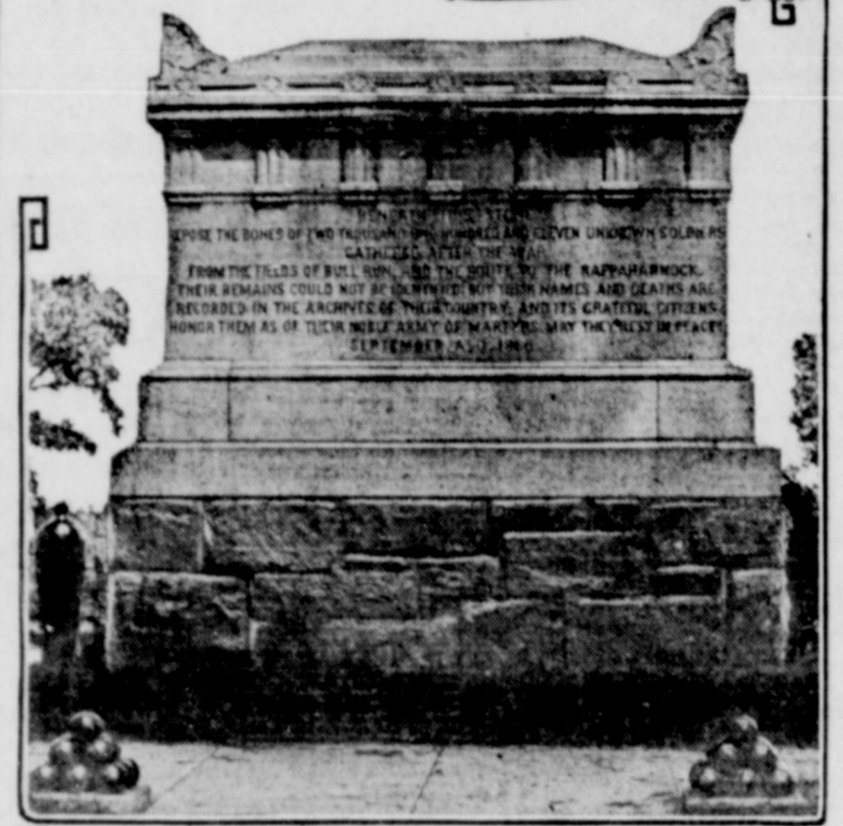
No one knows where or how he died. It may have been in Belleau Wood or at St. Mihiel, or somewhere on the Somme that he "got his." A hand grenade may have dealt him his death wound during some trench raid or it may have been a burst of shrapnel, or a bayonet thrust when the fighting was hand-to-hand. But that doesn't matter, either. The thing that matters is that "he died fighting" and the flag for which he died was the Stars and Stripes.

No one knows his name. It may have been Smith, or O'Brien or Cohen or Schwartz or Smedjki. Or it might have been Paul Two Lances—the name by which he was once known in the day school on some Indian reservation out West. But his name and the nationality of his parents are not things that matter. He now bears the proudest name that any man can bear.

It's "The Unknown Soldier." Five years ago they brought his body back across the Atlantic and on November 11, 1922, they placed it in a white marble tomb in a famous cemetery near the nation's capital—a soldier home from the wars. Since that time the great men of his own country have bowed their heads reverently before his last resting place. To it have come the great of other lands. A queen of royal European blood, princes, generals, admirals, statesmen, have laid their wreaths upon his tomb.

But all of this homage is as nothing compared to that which is being offered up in the hearts of all Americans on May 30, 1927. For the tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington cemetery is a national shrine to which the thoughts of all Americans are turning on Memorial day this year. It is more than a symbol of the 4,000 American soldiers killed in battle "over there" whose names and personal histories were unknown. The honor paid to this one of the 4,000, whose identity will forever remain a mystery, symbolizes more than a nation's grateful remembrance of the thousands of men who lost their lives in the World War. It is the incarnation of the spirit of Memorial day, a day observed by a nation in which the word "united" in its name has a new significance, a nation pausing in grateful remembrance of all the soldiers who gave their lives in all the wars in which their country has ever been engaged. And it is here in Arlington, where the Unknown Soldier sleeps, that President Coolidge, as the commander-in-chief of all American soldiers and the first citizen of the land, will voice America's tribute to her soldier dead on Memorial day this year.

The first memorial to the unknown dead was erected in Arlington in 1866. It was the impressive monument of rough-hewn granite and polished marble (pictured above) which bears the following inscription: "Beneath this stone repose the bones of 2,111 unknown soldiers gathered after the war from the fields of Bull Run and the route to the Rappahannock. Their remains could not be identified but their names and deaths are recorded in the archives of their country; and its grateful citizens honor them as of their noble army of martyrs. May



TRIBUTE TO THE UNKNOWN DEAD

they rest in peace." Underneath is a great vault of solid masonry, 30 feet deep and 200 feet square, in which are stacked the humble pine-wood coffins containing the bones of the soldiers. Nor are these the only unknown dead in Arlington. It was before this monument that the first formal Memorial Day exercises—although the day had not yet been thus officially designated—were held on May 30, 1868, as the result of the famous General Orders No. 11, issued by Gen. John A. Logan, commander of the G. A. R., calling for the strewing with flowers or otherwise decorating the graves of comrades who died in defense of their country.

War in its very nature is a tragedy, but sadder of all things connected with war is the tragedy of the unknown dead. For some soldiers war means moments of exaltation in the knowledge of a sacrifice worth while, of heroism which will send his name ringing down the years and of tender care of the poor shell of his body after the spirit has fled. But to others it means privation, pain, the same exaltation, the same heroism but with it death, his name forgotten, and only a headstone marked "Unknown" to show where this bit of human wreckage was consigned to Mother Earth.

Considering the vast armies which the United States put into the field in the World War, there was a surprisingly small number of unknown dead. Of approximately 40,000 Americans killed in that conflict only 4,000 were listed as "unknown" at the time the body of one of them was selected for the nation's highest honor to be buried in Arlington as "The Unknown Soldier." Since that time persistent investigation has cut down the number until now the War department reports something over 1,600 still listed as unidentified.

The reason for the smallness of the list of unknown dead in this war lies in the simple little aluminum identification tags which each man in the A. E. F. wore. Two of these tags, each about the size of a silver half dollar, were worn around the neck, one suspended from the other. On each of these was stamped, in the case of an officer, his name, rank and regiment, corps or department, and in the case of the enlisted man, his name and serial number. If the wearer was killed one tag was buried with him and the other was usually attached to the cross at the head of his grave. Whenever practicable a

regularly. The fact that not all of his parishioners have radios did not keep Rev. Raymond Gosso, of the Congregational church, from delivering his Sunday sermon to his flock. The sermon that he had prepared for delivery was broadcast through the mails to members of his parish.

An Important Member
 She—Do you mix much with society?
 He—Well, I should say so—I'm a divorce lawyer.

Value of Proper Coil Connections

Knowledge of Lenz' Law Necessary to Understand Phase Selection.

By BRUSTEN BRUNN

In Radio World. For a proper understanding of the subject of coils and phase relations it is necessary to know something about Lenz' law.

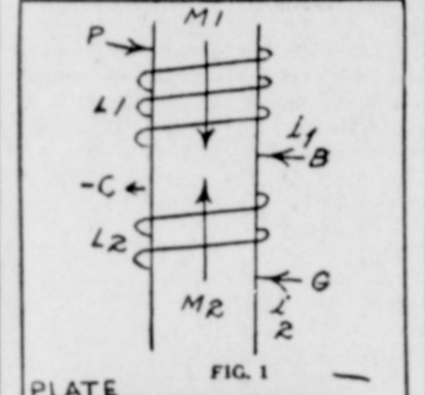
Suppose that a sensitive current meter be connected in series with a coil of wire. If a bar magnet is suddenly inserted into this coil and brought to rest there will be a deflection of the current meter, showing that the act of introducing the bar magnet produces a current in the coil.

As soon as the magnet comes to rest the current stops. Now, if the magnet is suddenly withdrawn there will again be deflection of the meter, but this time it is in the opposite direction from the first deflection.

The current set up in the coil exerts a back force on the bar magnet, that is, the induced current opposes the motion of the magnet. That is Lenz' law, or an application of it.

Effect of Second Coil.

Now suppose that instead of a bar magnet we use a second coil which is carrying a steady current. There is a magnetic field about this coil just as there is about the magnet. In fact, the coil carrying the steady current is an electromagnet. When this is brought up suddenly to the coil which is connected across the current meter there will be a deflection of the meter. Again when the current-carrying coil is withdrawn from the other coil there will be a deflection in the meter, but in opposite direction. In this case also the current, induced in the coil and meter by the motion of the steady



The directions of the coil fields and the proper way to connect an RF transformer are shown at left, while at right is a pictorial representation of the same method of connection. The rule applies where more than one RF transformer is used in a circuit.

current-carrying coil, exerts a back force on the moving coil which is always opposing the motion. This also comes under Lenz' law.

If two coils are placed close together and if there is a varying current in one of them, then there will be induced a current in the second coil, provided the circuit is closed, and this current will be in such a direction as to oppose any change in the current in the first coil. For example, if the current in the first coil is alternating it is continuously increasing and decreasing.

Secondary's Retarding Effect.

The current in the secondary, provided that this coil is closed, also will be alternating, but the current in the secondary will retard the current in the primary. The effect of the current in the secondary is always to oppose any variation in the current in the primary. This also comes under Lenz' law. Whatever may be the cause of the interaction, the current in the secondary will always be such as to keep the magnetic field unchanged.

If the magnetic field in the primary is increasing, the current in the secondary decreases so as to keep the total magnetic field the same. Likewise, when the magnetic field in the primary decreases, the current in the secondary increases so as to keep the total magnetic field constant. This applies to the case of the moving bar magnet as well as to the cases of alternating current in the primary and to a moving electromagnet.

As an illustration of this law consider Fig. 1. This may well represent any ordinary radio frequency transformer having two windings, L1 and L2. Suppose that an alternating current is flowing in the primary L1, and that at some instant the direction of the current is such that the magnetic field may be represented as to direction by the arrow M1, that is, inside the coil. The current in the primary induces a current in the secondary, or an emf if the circuit is open, and the direction of this induced current or emf is such that its magnetic field is opposed to that of the primary. The arrow, M2, indicates the direction of the magnetic field in the secondary and this is opposite to M1. The direction of the currents in the two coils is indicated by the short arrows attached to the wiring. The direction

of the two windings is the same but the directions of the current are opposite.

Fields Are 90 Degrees Apart.
 From this explanation it must not be taken that the two fields are 180 degrees apart in time. They are only 90 degrees apart. This means that when the intensity of the magnetic field of the primary current is maximum that of the secondary is zero, not minimum. At the instant that the primary current is maximum there is no change in the magnetic field, and hence, no current is induced in the secondary at that instant. When the primary current is zero the magnetic field about it changes most rapidly and then the induced current in the secondary is maximum for that reason.

When connecting a radiofrequency or any other transformer, the terminals should be connected as shown in Fig. 1. P should go to the plate of the first tube, B should go to the plate battery, F should go to minus C and G to the grid of the succeeding tube. This gives the most stable connection where the circuit contains more than one such transformer. There is also another advantage and that is that the capacity coupling between the primary and the secondary is the least. Not only is the capacity least but the current through this capacity is the least for a given capacity and frequency. The reason for this is that the two terminals which are at the greatest potential difference are farthest apart in space as well.

Fine Wire for Primary.

An important consideration in the design of radiofrequency coils is the size of wire in the primary winding. Many have thoughtlessly made this of heavy wire in order to reduce the resistance in the circuit. This coil may have a resistance of an ohm or two while it is connected in series with the plate resistance which may be from 5,000 to 50,000 ohms. Obviously nothing can be gained by reducing the resistance of the primary winding. Much, however, can be gained by making the primary of fine wire. The finer the wire is in this winding the less will be the eddy currents, which are induced in it by the current in the secondary. The fine wire in the primary will materially increase the selectivity of the secondary, or, in other words, reduce the resistance in the secondary. Still another advantage is gained by using fine wire, and that is the reduction of distributed capacity between the two windings. The finer the wire in the primary is the less will be the capacity between the windings, since capacity is largely a matter of dimensions. Reducing the capacity will increase the voltage that is induced in the secondary and hence will increase the sensitivity of the set. Still another advantage of fine wire is the space required. Fifty turns of No. 40 wire, say, can be placed on the coil without any appreciable increase in the dimensions, whereas the use of No. 20 wire would require increased space even if only a few turns were used in the primary winding. Even if the wire is as fine as No. 40 a good many turns could be put on the winding form before the added resistance could be appreciable in comparison with the plate circuit resistance of the tube.

Seeking Loud Speaker That Will Match Set

Radio owners are missing a good opportunity for still better results by not keeping in mind the matter of using a loud speaker which matches the set. That the manufacturers themselves appreciate the importance of this feature is best demonstrated by their recommendation that the buyer of the set also use the speaker either made by or recommended by the set maker. This is not all sales talk.

It should be remembered that a manufacturer's first aim is to make his set deliver best results, and he would be shortsighted indeed were he to recommend a speaker that spoiled the set, even if he made the speaker. With the many power sets it is important to have a speaker that will stand the higher voltages. Likewise it is important to refrain from using a high voltage speaker on a set that cannot feed to it the power it requires.

400 Tourists at Durban Hear Programs of WGY

Stopping over at Durban, South Africa, 400 American tourists from the Royal Mail liner Asturias listened to an entire program broadcast from WGY, the General Electric station at Schenectady, N. Y., one recent morning. The signals came direct and therefore traveled a distance of approximately 8,500 miles.

Walter Damrosch's lecture on "Tannhauser," David Lawrence's political talk, and popular melodies by dance orchestras were heard. The program was picked up on the short wave length by the radio station at Durban and then relayed to the folk aboard the vessel. The program was received with much enthusiasm.—Radio World.

Banishing Noises

Noises that get into the set through the eliminators and which originate in the power lines bringing current to the house can be banished in various ways. Some eliminators are provided with a ground post so that they can be grouped as one means of eliminating these stray noises. Another, and simpler method, is to reverse the connections at the plug. That is, just pull out the plug for the eliminators and turn it around half way before plugging into the wall socket again.



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The housewife smiles with satisfaction as she looks at the basket of clear, white clothes and thanks Red Cross Ball Blue. At all grocers.—Adv.

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Capital City Made to Order

Step Taken by Australian Government Parallels That of U. S.

Washington.—"By moving into a capital city made out of hand, where no town existed before, the Australian government has taken a step closely parallel to that taken by the United States in the summer of 1800, when the seat of government was moved from one of its greatest cities, Philadelphia, into a virtual wilderness," says a bulletin of the National Geographic society. "Canberra, the federal city, was formally dedicated by the duke of York on May 9, and the Australian parliament began deliberations in the new capital on the same date.

"A century and a quarter has seen a great advance in the art of capital-city building," continues the bulletin; "and although the residents of Canberra will find their capital, as early Washingtonians found theirs, a city made up in large part of 'magnificent distances,' at least they will have the organized comforts of modern community life such as the infant Washington could not know. One of the first things done at Canberra was to start work on a water supply system. The first unit of this has long been completed. Next, both sanitary and storm sewers were constructed; and only a little later a powerhouse was built, and a railway was extended to an existing line. There are some good streets in Canberra in place of the ruts and muddy paths by which the American congressmen of 125 years ago found their way through thickets and across morasses between the capitol and the White House.

"The federal territory in which the new Australian capital is situated, was set apart for the purpose in December, 1900. It is near the southeastern corner of the continent close to its center of population. The territory contains 912 square miles and so is 13 times the size of the present District of Columbia.

Plans Chosen by Contest.
"Australia's new capital is to be an inland and upland city. It lies some 70 miles from the ocean, behind the dividing range of mountains that skirts the coast. It is nearly 200 miles southwest of Sydney and about 300 miles northeast of Melbourne. The site chosen for the city was formerly a sheep 'station' or ranch, an undulating upland plain with an altitude of about 1,800 feet. Scattered about are isolated hills rising 800 feet or more, while across the plain flows a small river, the Molonglo. It is in a latitude corresponding roughly to that of

Chattanooga, Tenn., or Asheville, N. C. "A world-wide contest was launched by Australia in 1911 for the submission of plans for her made-to-order capital. The first prize was won by an American, the second by a Finn, and the third by a Frenchman. The plan which has been taking shape in the Australian hills in recent years follows the American design in general, but has been modified to include some of the good points of the other winning plans, as well as changes considered necessary by the commissioners and engineers who have been entrusted with the building of the city.

"A commanding eminence south of the river was chosen as the site for the permanent capital, and about this blocks are arranged in a great circle. Lesser circles of blocks impinge upon this Capitol circuit, or exist at a distance, connected by radial avenues. North of the river, on a similar hill, a university will be built.

"Australians have profited by the errors of other capital builders, and have provided against the topsy-turvy propensity of cities to 'just grow,' as did Washington during a certain era of its existence. No lots or areas in the district will be sold outright. Instead 99-year leases will be given, with reappraisal of values every 10 years. The leases will pay rent amounting to 5 per cent on the appraised values. By withholding leases in certain sections of the city and granting them in others, the commission of three men in charge of Canberra can control its growth. The commission also requires that no structure be erected until the plans for it have received official approval.

Dream City to Grow Slowly.
"About \$25,000,000 has been expended so far toward the development of Canberra, but it still lacks much of

Boy Suicide, Dying, Scrawls Love Note

Philadelphia.—Edward Hargrave, eighteen, killed himself with gas while filling an 11-page note book with random notes addressed to his mother, relatives and a girl named Miriam.

One message, scrawled as he was dying, read:

"Miriam, I died for you. I love you too much, Eddie. Please do not blame anybody but myself. Wire my uncle, Major Kosler, Lykens, Pa. Don't think I am drunk, I know all I am doing. Miriam, we may meet yet. I have the gas on now."

Oldest Naval Officer Is 100



Capt. C. A. Schetky, the oldest living American naval officer, recently celebrated his one hundredth birthday at his home in Hood River, Ore. Above he is seen receiving from Lieut. Com. P. W. Northcroft a letter from Secretary of the Navy Wilbur. Captain Schetky was a first lieutenant on the frigate Constitution in 1876.

"STAR-SPANGLED BANNER" WAVES OVER 901 RIVALS

National Federation of Music Clubs Finds None of Compositions Fit to Supersede It.

Chicago.—A new national anthem, great enough to take a place beside "The Star-Spangled Banner," has not yet been found, the National Federation of Music Clubs announced.

A contest, in which nearly 1,000 manuscripts were entered from every state in the Union, Alaska, Hawaii, England, India and France, failed to produce a melody of sufficient merit to provide music to carry the famous poem of Katharine Lee Bates, "America the Beautiful."

Four nationally known music critics, Dr. Frank Damrosch, of New York; Frederick S. Converse, of Boston; Felix Borowski, of Chicago, and Dean Peter K. Lutkin, of Evanston, Ill., were instructed by the past presidents' assembly of the federation to select a

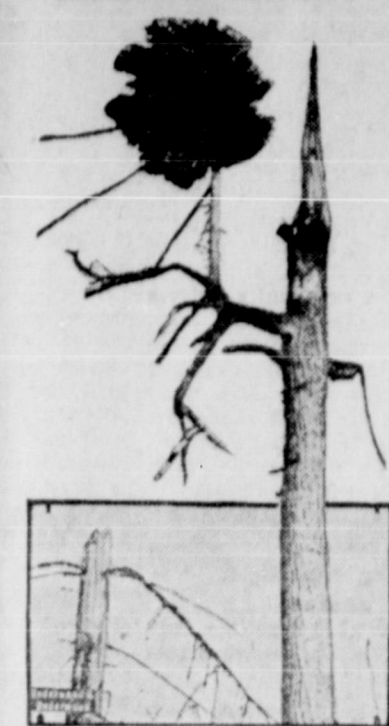
hymn only if it showed unmistakable greatness. They were told they were not to pick a winner from the deluge of manuscripts unless it was of magnitude sufficient to "sweep the people off their feet."

"After giving careful consideration to them (901 offerings), we beg leave to report that, although some of the settings showed fine musicianship, no one impressed us as reaching the high standard called for, none were fully adequate to the inspiring text," said the judges in their decision. "We therefore recommend that no award be made."

Tunisian Turn to Terrible Tea Tipping

Tunis.—A mania for tea-drinking has become a social menace here that physicians are trying to combat. Tunisians are rapidly becoming lazy and

STRUGGLE FOR LIFE



on the shores of Lake Quanaht, Washington, in the center of an area of forest giants which have been shattered and marred by storm and fire is a burned snag some 300 feet in height. In its struggle against final death it has given birth to a new tree. The unusual sight is viewed with mingled feelings of pity for the tree and admiration for its fighting spirit.

having the appearance of a city or even of a town such as Americans or Europeans are used to. This is because the commission resolutely set about districting the future city. It now has the appearance, therefore, of a group of villages scattered over a plain. Australia is willing to bring its dream city into existence slowly. As an example the parliament buildings are considered to be 'temporary' structures; yet they will probably be used for several generations before being superseded by a permanent capitol on the site reserved for it.

"A definite system of physical development is being adhered to. The center of the city will be given over to public buildings, parks and lakes. Oil to itself is the nucleus of the shopping district; elsewhere is a modified industrial area for laundries, cold storage and the like. At a distance the district for inexpensive homes already has its scores of small bungalows. The section for more pretentious residences lies off in another direction. So the city is being shaped."

Sunday Safe Day for London Pedestrians

London.—Friday is the worst day of all the week for London pedestrians, and Sunday is the safest.

The ministry of transportation has tabulated street accidents for a seven-year period, revealing this, and also that December is the most dangerous month, while February is the safest. December's seven-year toll was 502 fatalities, compared with 359 for February.

Last year 106 persons were killed in the streets on Friday, mostly by automobiles. Saturday, with a total of 157, was the next most dangerous day, while for Sunday the number was 101, the least of any day in the week.

Since 1920 the number of persons killed in the streets has increased from 657 in that year to 1,020, the number of injured increasing from 21,028 to 47,213.

Frost Tamed Elephant; Pays Dearly for Spree

Quenemo, Kans.—Diamond, who once was a two-ton elephant, defied the conventions and his trainers last winter and went on a jaunt through southwestern Kansas, terrifying farmers and breaking up fences with attendant publicity.

Now, every step is a reminder to Diamond that freedom costs dearly. His jaunt was made in subzero weather and the frost nipped him in several places. The circus in which he plays an important part has started on its summer tour and Diamond plods painfully along with it.

Diamond's ears are gone and he has only half a tail. Large, white spots mark places where his flesh was frozen, his body is cut and bruised and he has lost weight. His trainers expect him to stick close to the winter quarters hereafter.

Pearly's Son Will Go After Arctic Secrets

New York.—Regions of Baffin island, virtually unexplored since they were visited by Luke Foxe in 1631, hold secrets that are the keystones of an expedition which will sail from New York in June, it is announced. The expedition—to be known as the Putnam Baffin Island expedition—will be directed by George Palmer Putnam, publisher. The two-masted schooner Morrissay, commanded by Robert Bartlett, skipper for Robert E. Peary on his polar trips, will carry the expedition. Peary's son will assist in making geographical studies.

Rape Good for Sheep

Rape constitutes a very good pasture for sheep. It has good fattening qualities, and is prized for finishing lambs for market. Caution must be exercised in starting sheep on rape. They should be given a partial fill of hay before turning them on it the first time, and it should always be combined with some other pasture if possible. On rainy days and morning when the rape is wet with dew, the sheep should be kept on the pasture, as the wet rape often causes bloat.

LIVE STOCK NEWS

BEWARE CHOLERA IN BUYING HOGS

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The number of hogs purchased and brought to farms as stockers and for feeding purposes has increased considerably from year to year, according to official records. These hogs are bought from various sources, some of them locally from farmers, others through local dealers, but most of them are shipped from the large stockyards. Last year 468,207 hogs changed hands at such places. No records are available to show the number purchased locally for this purpose, but it is safe to say that from all sources more than half a million feeder hogs were distributed to farms.

Following the severe outbreak of hog cholera in the fall of 1926, there were moved from officially supervised stock yards to farms, for restocking purposes, 400,355 hogs in six months. Some losses have been experienced by farmers in the purchase of stocker hogs. In animals shipped from such stock yards the losses from various swine diseases have ranged from 8 to 7 per cent. Hogs purchased at stock yards where federal inspection is maintained are treated against hog cholera before shipping and the losses from that disease consequently have been low.

The danger of losses from hog cholera is greater in the hogs purchased from local dealers and at public sales. The feed lots, stock pens and yards through which these hogs are handled locally are usually infected, and a large portion of the animals handled there have not been immunized against hog cholera. The possibility of hogs contracting the disease at these points must not be overlooked.

All buyers of feeder hogs bringing such animals on their premises should have absolute knowledge, no matter from what source they buy, that the hogs have been treated against cholera. In the absence of proof that they have been so treated hogs bought locally should be given the preventive serum treatment as soon as they reach destination. Under no circumstances should newly purchased hogs be placed with the original herd on the farm. They should be kept separate for at least 21 days, regardless of the origin of the shipment.

Clipping Horses During Spring Quite Important

When horses have been so fed and groomed during the winter that their coats are comparatively short, clipping is not so essential as when the horses have run out more or less and have wintered on coarse feeds with little work. Horses that have a long, heavy hair coat are not in condition to work in that they sweat easily and quickly and their long, heavy hair will soon become saturated with perspiration and they will remain uncomfortable for hours after stopping work and are very likely to take cold or suffer from muscular soreness as a result of this treatment. If the horses are clipped before being put to heavy work they will not suffer from extensive perspiration and when put in the stable after a day in the field they will be comfortable and in no danger of taking cold.

The question of health is not the only advantage to be derived from clipping. Clipping will pay on account of the saving of labor in grooming of horses having a heavy coat during the season when the hair is shedding off. Grooming under the best conditions is a disagreeable task, and it is annoying to have the loose hairs flying in one's face or covering the clothing when driving or working horses that are shedding freely.

Treatment for Rupture in Colts Is Outlined

It is not uncommon to see a foal with a ruptured condition of the navel. This is called umbilical hernia and causes grave concern to the owner; but happily it tends gradually to disappear as the foal grows and the abdomen increases in size. In some cases, however, the rupture increases in size and then requires an operation for its removal. To hasten disappearance of a small navel rupture, tincture of iodine may be applied two or three times a week.

Some owners prefer to blister the part with cantharidine ointment or dilute acid, while others contrive a truss of sole leather to press constantly upon the part. For a truss to succeed it should be kept in place with a harness partly made of suspender elastic, so that the breathing motions of the animal will not be impeded.

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After Suffering for 6 Years From Indigestion, Mrs. W. Jones Follows Brother's Advice, Takes Tanlac, Regains Health.

Mrs. Elmer Wilson, highly esteemed resident of 306 Jefferson Street, Topeka, Kans., suffered for 6 years from indigestion which caused her many hours of suffering, a tightening around her heart and nervousness. She says: "I was in such a state that the slightest thing would upset me. I would want to scream. I did not want to eat and at times dizziness and heart palpitation caused me so much agony that I thought I would go mad. My brother who has used Tanlac persuaded me to try it. It ended all my troubles. It relieved the indigestion, dizziness and increased my weight 12 pounds. Since then I have taken Tanlac in the spring... for continued good health."

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Special note: People who want to reduce swollen or varicose veins should get a bottle of Emerald Oil at once. Applied night and morning as directed they will quickly see an improvement which will continue until the veins and bunions are reduced to normal.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

REPORT OF W. M. S. CONVENTION.

The Amarillo District Conference of the Woman's Missionary Society was held at Hereford May 24-25.

Mrs. Verda Osborn was the delegate sent from Friona. Others who attended were Mrs. Brookfield, Mr. Osborn, Mrs. J. W. Parr, Mrs. Roscoe Parr, Mrs. Ernest Gatlin, Mrs. A. S. Curry, Mrs. E. B. McDaniel, Mrs. E. S. White and Misses Thelma Curry and Thelma Osborn.

Come and hear the report of the conference our delegate has for next Sunday. It will surely be of benefit to you all.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church met at the church building Tuesday, May 24th, with eleven members and four visitors present.

The president, Mrs. Kay, took charge of the meeting and the 5th and 6th chapters of "Over the Border" were studied and discussed by everyone present.

The next meeting will be at the M. B. church Tuesday, May 31st, with the 21st chapter of Matthew as the lesson and Mrs. A. S. Curry as leader.

Everyone come, and be there at 8:00 p. m.

REPORTER.

METHODIST.

There will be no preaching services here Sunday as it is the 5th Sunday, but Rev. Gilliam will be here in attendance of the regular quarterly conference which will be held here on that date.

Sunday school and League at the usual hours. A welcome to all.

BAPTIST.

There will be no preaching services at this church Sunday, but the Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. sessions will be held as usual at the regular hours.

We are making arrangements to secure a regular pastor, which arrangements we hope to have completed in the near future.

This church, in connection with the Methodist church, will have a union Children's Day service and program on Children's Day. Committees have been appointed to arrange and prepare the program.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. Shankweiler will preach here Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. The public generally is most cordially invited to attend.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

The associated meeting of the Frionan district will be held at the local church, beginning June 6th and ending Sunday, June 12th. A good program has been prepared and good speakers will be present to present the work of the association.

Our Children's Day program is being prepared and will be given at the church this Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock. You are invited and welcome.

Tell us your news items.

FARMER COUNTY CITIZEN IS CLAIMED BY DEATH.

Died, at his home in Bovina, Texas, Sunday morning at 10:30, Norman Wilson, one of the pioneer citizens of Farmer county, and one who has figured prominently in the history of the county.

Born at Allen, Texas, February 10, 1870, he came to Hereford, Texas, twenty-five years ago. Soon afterward he came to Farmer county, which he was instrumental in organizing. Serving as the first county treasurer, he refused to make the race for a third term of that office, although he had made an efficient and worthy officer.

He with the other county officials endured the isolation and privation attendant upon life at Parmerton while the county seat remained there, afterwards moving with it to Farwell.

He served the Cicero Smith Lumber Co. as manager at Bovina for many years, recently resigning owing to ill health.

A charter member of the Farwell Masonic lodge, he was keenly interested in Masonry, having reached the height of the Royal Arch. A very large body of Masons conducted his funeral.

Norman Wilson was known for his firm convictions and the courage to stand for them. The keynote of his character was loyalty, loyalty to his faith, his friends, his community. Coming of old pioneer stock, his parents having moved to Texas from Tennessee at an early day, he exhibited the spirit of the sturdy pioneer in his open hospitality, his willingness to be of service and his sterling honesty.

While death came suddenly as he was sitting talking to a neighbor, it was not unexpected by the family who understood the seriousness of the heart malady which caused the end.

Besides a wife and three children, Joe, Norma Lee and Katherine, he leaves a brother, J. H. Wil-

son, of Hereford, and five sisters, Mrs. Bettis and Mrs. Ferguson, of Oklahoma; Mrs. Lowrie, Mrs. Dies and Mrs. Crook of Texas. The brother, Mmes. Bettis and Crook were present.

The passing of an upright life is always a loss to be felt by all that life touched. Our sympathy goes out to this bereaved family. Words are of little avail when the heart is crushed, but it may bring a small measure of comfort to know that the community grieves with you and that you may come to see that Norman Wilson passed like a soldier, heeding the last command which bade him wrap the mantle of his couch about him and lie down to pleasant dreams from which he shall awake in a world where death is unknown.

MRS. MANNIE O. ALDRIDGE.

The Boy Was Right.

Last winter at college the temperature on three successive nights dropped to zero.

"That's nothing," snorted Freddie the Frosh, "that's nothing."

"What's nothing?" indignantly asked Sam the Senior.

"Zero," remarked Freddie snappily as he bolted the door.

Things You Should Know About Your HEALTH

Jno. Jos. Galnes, M. D.

"TUBBY" MEN.

There are so many of them—and the number seems to be increasing. They are graduates of the six o'clock dinner university. They are also Knights of the Swivel-Chair; they may belong to the Don't Worry Club. They move about on foot when they find it impossible to ride—on cushions. With every puff of shortened breath they announce the badly neglected sewer they carry around with them. No, Madame, I'm not talking to you; I know better than to tell a woman she's tubby.

I have been a sufferer from this acquired deformity, and know whereof I speak. It came upon me by stealth people said to me, "How wonderfully healthy you look; you are getting fatter every day." People love fat things.

Suddenly I was attacked one day on the street—I felt that I was dying. My pulse registered 145, weak and irregular. I "sat up and

took notice" from that hour. Careful investigation revealed that I was suffering from a stealthy, slow acting poison—Idican. This stuff forms in a neglected colon, and gradually undermines the entire cardio-vascular system—the circulation. Had I explored the newspapers would have said that I died of heart disease; it would not have been true; death would have been

due primarily to that 48 waistband of mine and the load of poison inside it! Just as many a "tubby" man dies today, from putrefying substance in a neglected colon. I have no patience with laying the blame on the heart, when it is simply poisoned to death from the sewer!

It took me over two years to recover from a condition which would

certainly have killed me. I used a mixture of the sulphate of magnesia, soda, lime and potassium for a "house-cleaner" and I still clean house with it every day. I quit eating enormous lots of sweets, cake, preserves, etc.

He (at the dance): "Mary's a girl with plenty of backbone." Haw—"Yes, so I notice."

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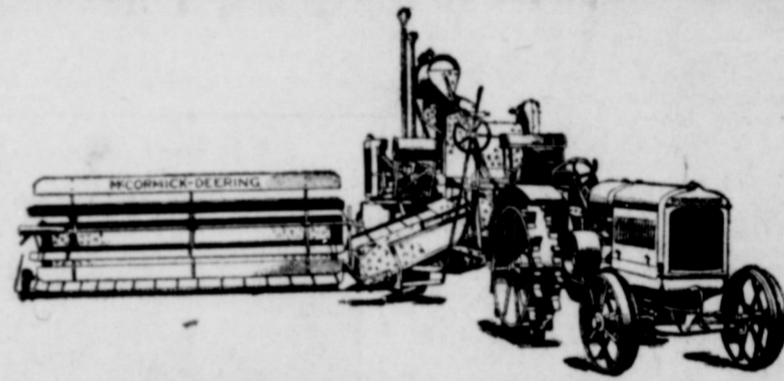
MEMORIAL DAY



IF THERE IS ONE DAY IN THE WHOLE YEAR WHEN THE WORD SERVICE carries its full meaning it is on Memorial Day when the Nation pauses to honor and revere the memory of its war dead. It was those brave souls who served without regard to personal safety or gain—giving their all that ours might be one of the greatest nations of the world.

OURS IS A SACRED DUTY ON MEMORIAL DAY. WE HAVE IDEALS OF Government to sustain—and we do it by keeping alive that patriotism which first established the torch of freedom. This institution has a keen appreciation of the importance of carrying on, ever guarding the foundation stones upon which our government is built. We hope always to be worthy of the trust given us, and joyously join in on a proper observance of the day.

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