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COLQUITT SPEAKS IN PLAINVIEW

HIS ADMINISTRATION.

Governor Addressed the Largest Audi-Ever Faced by a Speaker in the Schick Opera House,

(By E. Van Deventer, Herald Staff Correspondent.)

On Tuesday, April 29th, at 2:30 p m., Gov. Oscar Branch Colquitt and his party arrived at the Schick Opera available space was taken.

H. C. Von Struve introduced the Governor, in a very courteous and of the evidences that the Plains country was coming into its own when politicians and public men begin to rectermer.' In my effort to carry forward this assurance. But you can not ask program was planned and carried out sas, and proceeding thence to Chi-State record in their practice. to our section. As a result, we are political peace, Tom Campbell has down and trample upon him. religious and moral problems of our brothers down East.

is all changed now. However, this is the first time in her history that Plainview has been honored by a visit from the Governor of the State.

his open, frank and courageous stand care for a second term. But there are Golden Rule." on all public questions. The people things conected with the duties of the The Governor has always stood for to be allowed to carry out the policies what his conscience told him was as he had started to do.

the Governor was entitled to a second nancially," he said. "Many of my optheir custom, but would reward their of the Legislature was against me. faithful servant by electing him again Ramsey says I have not done a thing

other things complimentary to the discredit. Don't forget that Ramsey is Kone, had his assistant entomologist water sprouts every year. city and country, that he had always Tom Campbell's shadow, and Campbell and plant pathologist, E. A. Miller, to "Never allow the trees to overknown this to be a great country. It says I ought to be defeated." was a matter of regret that his duties Mr. Colquitt here took up the question of examining the orchards a strain, and it will always weaken pect to retrace the route back to Los own country." had been so exacting that he was never tion of the normal schools, explaining and advising the growers how to comthe tree and shorten its life. ThinAngeles, driving the car themselves.

Geo. Hutchins, one of the foremost about by the activities of his political had been inaugurated in the last year. Not being able to visit all of the apples and heavy wind-falls, is by far chusett's instructed vote. It is to assist us. Secretary Black, of the fend himself before the people.

right to vote on it.

the question before the election and drink, without license. primaries. The question was fully "They can sell liquor on Sunday, on the orchards clean and thorough cul- grown, which requires two or three ern man. Texas should join to make and things, and this book reflects his discussed. If you will read my mes-election day, after midnight and sell tivation, to maintain as much of the weeks. Then they burrow out of the his nomination sure. sage to the Legislature, you will see to minors under this construction of moisture as possible. Cultivate after apple and select a protected place, in that I said that, since the people had the law. I don't believe a social club every rain. Allow no weeds or grass which to spin their cocoons, usually spoken on the question, it was our should be allowed to do this," he said; to grow around the trees.

islature to submit an amendment. I am unable to tell what it is. When the question came up in the "I want to say this, that I stand as on the branches, more branches than There are at least two broods in one Legislature, some of the pros ab- I stood two years ago- for Legislative can produce good fruit, more leaves season. of the anti members, and my friends, law to harass the business interests and more fruit spurs than can bear. The best remedy is to spray with fill the vacancy made by the resignatory afternoon, at Warren & Sansom's grotupe of the State. Law fighting for procame to me and said: Governor, if you of the State. I am fighting for prosay so, we will defeat submission.' I gress, the kind of progress that will drawing on the strength of the tree lead to fifty gallons of water, applied

raising my right hand, I could have utes we already have defeated submission! I kept absolute "I have asked the Legislators, those to an unimportant part of the tree to

believed it to be.

want to vote again on the question? with this program. Do you want the question resubmitted? has no voice in it at all.

magnificent audience he was going to defeat me if he had build lines here, to share your traffic. awaited him. Every seat and all to run against me himself. I wish he himself! But he didn't run against plead with him to consider the advangraceful manner. Among other things, against me! And Ramsey, culpable loan it. If these big-monied corpora-Mr. Von Struve said that it was one shadow of Tom Campbell that he is, tions loan their money here at 5 per

sought to widen the breach between me and the Legislature. By criticism progress, and progress along proper and harassing me in many ways, they lines. The Good Book says 'Blessed have hindered my work. They have are the peace-makers for theirs is the There was a time when the candi- not given me rest, but, by the free ex- kingdom of heaven, isn't that it? And dates did not visit the Plains, but this ercise of the veto, I have given the Blessed are the merciful, for they State a rest from unnecessary and shall obtain mercy.' Let us have

According to the laws of custom, ernor, I will have to start anew fito my credit since taking the Govern-

His present visit, although a source of told of the deplorable condition of the so that they may not meet with any run. great pleasure to him, was not a mat- State prison in the Campbell adminis- unnecessary loss in their very promister of choice, but had been brought tration, explaining the reforms that ing fruit industry. political peace and legislative rest; victs was the cause of the shortage, profit from it.

the Governor's office except that peo-"In 1910, Attorney General David-binding them up in an agreement not "Nearly all the trees which I had they can easily be controlled, and, as always to do right and demand a son, Judge Poindexter, Hon. Cone to break the law until the time of their the pleasure of examining look stated before, this method pays be-square deal for every citizen of this Johnson and myself were runing for term expired. Only one had broken healthy, except a few neglected ones, youd a question of a doubt. If every-Republic, without regard to location,

The constitution gives equal protection from the Salva- eases will appear, and for this reason "The coddling moth first appears in interest to the friends and suporters" tion to all in their right to vote on the first to the friends and superiers of Champ Clark and of information to volume in verse, by "Loyal Hale," and

ballot, I was then in favor of it being gone dry under the old local option every year.

duty to submit the question to them. "but Ramsey says it is not a violation "Proper pruning is very important, bish. Here they change into pupae,

sented themselves. At that time, some peace and political rest.' I want no than can find proper exposure to light told them 'No; call up the resolution build railroads throughout this fertile and soil, and this can only be ad- with a good spray pump, care being this city for the past six years, four

downfall-I have asked them to meet me half way. I now ask the people of Texas to come join with me in the Minnie Stacy were married Saturday, MAKES A VIGOROUS DEFENSE OF faith. I could have avenged myself, work. Take the Golden Rule as a but I preferred to do my duty as I platform. Apply the doctrine to your- Street, of the First Baptist Church, self. You want progress. You don't Rev. Street officiating. "They say they will bring the ques- want to retard the prosperity you tion up again in 1913. How many have. Send Legislators in harmony

> "If elected, and I am confident that (No response.) Now, as a matter of I will be, I will use my influence to tact, the Governor has no power in the bring capital into the State. I would, matter. If you have two-thirds of the if possible, arrange so that this coun-Legislature you can pass it over his try could get money from the East to veto, for it requires two-thirds of the develop this wonderful country. I Legislature to pass it. The Governor would like to see you blockade the railroads with your crops and force "My predecessor, Mr. Campbell, said every great road in the country to

"Not long since. I was talking with had the courage to run against me a man with \$50,000,000 to loan. I me; he dragged Ramsey off the Su- tages of this country. He is now trypreme Bench and made him run ing to fix it so he can come here and will drag his dismal doom all the way cent, they will have to be assured of 29th, at the Presbyterian Church. of Douglas, Deming, El Paso, Ros-run they make a noise like a well-oiled Legislative rest. I would like to stand After the devotional service, officers well and Plainview, hitting the Santa jackrabbit. We believe they are go-"They want to make me a 'one- up to these corporations and give them were elected for the year. A unique Fe Trail again at Dodge City, Kan- ing to win. They have broken the

"I am in favor of more substantial

MARRIED.

Mr. John Meisterhans and Miss

The happy couple proceeded at once to take possession of a nice little home on north Pacific Street, which the groom had secured some time previously and furnished and fitted up for this occasion, and in which John says they are feeling very much at home.

Mr. Meisterhans is a thorough bootmaker, perhaps as good as can be found in the State, and is kept busy with orders from abroad and at home The Herald wishes them a long, prosperous and happy life.

MISSIONARY SOCIETIES MEET.

went away feeling that it had been

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION MEETS.

At a meeting Wednesday afternoon cumbrous laws, as the statute books charity and love. Let us work to- of the Cemetery Association, Mrs. gether as neighbors and friends. We A. W. McKee was elected chairman of The speaker said he had no finan-don't need any more laws to obstruct the board of directors, in place of cial obligation to anybody, and as far progress. Let us have Legislative rest Mrs. Dye, who recently left for Cali-He complimented the Governor for as the honor was concerned he did not and political peace—and observe the fornia. No other business of importance was transacted.

want a man in public service who office that ought to be above politics is not afraid to stand by his guns. and above politicians, and he wished HOW TO COMBAT INSECT PESTS

Says Prospects Are Good.

Governor Colquitt took the stage, or's chair, but even Ramsey does not of fruit growers of Plainview, the aiways cut to the shoulder, and never a thing to my Commissioner of Agriculture, Ed R. leave a stub. Don't fail to remove the throughout within a few weeks.

self; I do not expect it," he said. "I tion for the abolishment of the strap, view and vicinity, I was very agree- of the wormy apples found on the preference for Clark, and invite the program. Quartets, duets, readam content to labor on and serve the and showed the strap to his audience ably surprised at the wonderful de-market, and it is through these that South to join their ranks and lend ings, solos, etc., will blend with good people, but I am not even allowed to which was used to punish the convicts. velopment going on and the excepthe moths spread—that is, by being their support to the nomination of this motion pictures and the program will perings and challenges are not worthy should not be in this campaign. country affords. I am thoroughly "The coddling moth is present in of the South and whose honor, integative admission. Only because it was a of my attention, and I would now be He gave at some length his ideas of convinced that the fruit industry, with the Plains country, and every grower rity and ability are unquestioned, a worthy benefit performance could we at Austin attending to the business of how the prisoners ought to be treated, the proper attention, has a bright fu- is urged to provide himself with a man whose record is without a spot or secure some of the talent. the Governor's office except that peo- and explained his position on the ture, and deserves encouragement good spray pump, hose and nozzle, blemish and who possesses the exe- Watch for our circulars Tuesday,

Governor. I alone took the position the agreement and had to be sent back and have set a fine crop of fruit, body would spray, the moths would poverty or wealth. Texas should rally However, in any part of the country have a hard time to exist. of prohibition to a partisan primary. He said that he had the testimony where fruit is grown insects and dis-

land, and then hold them under sub- justed by proper pruning taken to get plenty into the calyx, or of which he spent in the employ of Martin L. McCool, of Bowling Green,

The Coddling Moth.

enemies who, by their attacks on him, He answered the charge that he had orchards personally, on account of the worst apple insect, and is nearly claimed that he won over Wilson two Chamber of Commerce, states that, made it imperative that he should de- run the penitentiary in debt, showing lack of time. Mr. Miller gave the fol- always present wherever apples are to one, or a little better. that the fire and the frost which killed lowing article for publication, in order grown. It causes about \$12,000,000 Thus, one by one, those old states cite" since he was a boy, he will en-"I was elected on a platform of the crop that was raised by the conthat as many people as possible may worth of damage every year to the of the North and East are falling in deavor to furnish some old-time favorapple orchards of the United States. line for the Missourian. The North ites such as "Casey at the Bat," etc. not that I crave peace and rest for myHe claimed credit for his administra"After spending a few days at Plain- This rascal is responsible for most and East and West have voiced their There will not be a dull moment on

because by spraying at the right time his conviction that will prompt him ning, May 6th—two performances.

these questions. Whether a man be a plished in twelve months toward combat them. They will be worse gin to bloom. They deposit most of those who are on the printed by The Herald Publishing Co. Democrat. Republican, Prohibitionist prison reform under his administra- some years than others, but it has their eggs near the blossom, and other side: or Socialist he is entitled to the same tion than in fifteen years before. been repeatedly proven beyond a sometimes on the young fruit. These He attacked Judge Ramsey's de- doubt that it pays to fight some of hatch, in about a week, into larvae "R. A. Barrow, "After the question was put on the cision holding that counties that had them, especially the apple worm, or caterpillars. The larvae feed for submitted for the people's decision. law could not apply the penitentiary. "In the first place, it is essential locate the young apples, and here Illinois over Wilson, Nebraska over down to the present. There is a clever

under loose and rough bark and rub-"Now, it takes two-thirds of the Leg- of the law. If that is not the decision, The tendency of every tree is to pro- and remain in this condition about two duce more buds than can ever grow weeks, when they emerge as moths. Thompson as a candidate for Public

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HAVE YOU GOT TWENTY CENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Case, Tourists, Are Delighted with New Route.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Case, with W. J. Wyatt, of the "Winton 6" local agency at Los Angeles, acting as chauffeur and J. W. Jones, of Roswell, acting as pilot, passed through Plain-

Mr. and Mrs. Case are staunch supporters of the "See-America-First" cago.

States. They stated that they had ex- ing us one-half the door receipts. perienced much less road trouble than There will be the two shows at the on previous trips over old-established usual time. Ten of your twenty cents routes, and that they found the scen- goes to the Fireboys, and the program ery of Arizona and Southern New is one that you should not miss. Mexico superb, the Plains of Texas High-class pictures, as usual, will be interesting, the people en route hos- shown. These will be happily interpitable, and the towns at easy stages. spersed with renditions from some of

will make this tour in 1912, begin- We pause for a moment to introning as soon as the report of this trip duce the "Famous Fireboys' Quartet." "When I go out of the office of Gov- PLAINS COUNTRY MUST PREPARE go to those parts which are produc- Case. They further said "You peo- this occasion, day and night, ever tive, and the result is that you produce ple need to sign-post this route more since Christmas. They have learned better fruit without injuring the trees. than anything else." They were in- some new songs. Their dress suits term, and he believed that the people, ponents say I have made a good Gov- Agent of State Agricultural Depart- Head the tree low, and try to encour- formed by O. M. Unger, of this town, have ben ordered. We believe they age branches on the southwest side, vice president of the first leg of the are going to make a hit in their two to avoid sunscald. Remove some of route which extends from Dodge City appearnces on the program. W. H. side branches, where they are to the New Mexico-Texas line, that the Box, the basso, has been letting his In compliance with a few requests too flick! In cutting the branches, sign posts are now being put up, hair grow to an artistic length for

pay the Plains country a visit, with bear, because overbearing is too great Majestic Hotel. In the fall they ex- "prophets are without honor in their

CLARK'S LEAD INCREASING.

to his support.

"Fort Worth, Texas, May 2, 1912.

Now, I am an advocate of local option, sentence of the new local option law. that the trees be kept in a healthy they nearly always feed on the calyx, Wilson and Harmon, Colorado over strain of humor, intermixed with unand opposed to State-wide prohibition. He criticised severely the Ramsey de-and opposed to State-wide prohibition. He criticised severely the Ramsey de-and opposed to State-wide prohibition. Wilson, Massachusetts over Wilson, Massachusetts over Wilson, adulterated truths, from the first to communities are capable of deciding tion of law for a social club to serve they are able to withstand insect and "Most of the wormy apples drop beto Underwood. Clark has more inread to be appreciated. and Wilson lost Florida and Georgia the last stanza that need only to be crops of fine fruit every year. Give within them continues to feed until didates combined. Clark is a South- and farmer, a keen observer of men

"SAM SPARKS."

TOM THOMPSON FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER.

Weigher of Precinct No. 1, Hale County. Mr. Thompson is now serving as cooker" demonstration last Saturday

Mr. Thompson has been a citizen of method of easy cookery. "I want to say to the pros that, by jection by the application of the stat- acts like an increase in food supply. blossom end. This must be done at the Santa Fe. If elected, we feel sure Kentucky, is visiting his son, Edwin

FIRST OVER BORDERLAND LOOP. ATTEND FIREBOYS' BENEFIT AT MAJESTIC TUESDAY NIGHT.

> Considering Both Cause and Class of Program, This Is the Most Worthy Program Yet-New Listen:

We believe the people of Plainview appreciate the services of their Fire view Tuesday, bearing with them the Department. And we are sure that distinction of being the first tourists Plainviewites are the most patriotic to travel the Borderland loop of the ever. The Fire Department is going coast-to-coast highway of the Trans-continental Touring Club of America. to the State Firemen's Convention, to capture everything that is worth bringing back to the Plains. Plainslogan, and have made this cross-con- view's team will be the only one to tinent trip before. Last year they represent this end of the State against drove their "Winston 6" over the San- the "hill-billies" of East, South and The Federated Missionary Societies ta Fe Trail from Los Angeles to Chi- North Texas. You have seen this of Plainview enjoyed an interesting crgo, but this year they left the Trail team faithfully practicing every after-

Now, it is a long way to Austin. The sixty women who were present The party was very enthusiastic The team will be there the most of a over the new route, and states that, week, in the various races. We have even without the work that is being been raising money to defray their exrapidly pushed on the new road, the penses, but we haven't enough yet. Borderland loop is the most pictur- Hence, the Fireboys' Benefit at the esque, attractive and feasible trans- Majestic Theatre Tuesday night. This continental crossing in the United patriotic picture show concern is giv-Many motorists of the Pacific coast the talent of our town and colleges.

Mr. and Mrs. Case will spend the their voices are fit. All jollying aside,

tenors of the State, has kindly agreed to appear on the program. Several of Champ Clark's lead was augmented the vocal and expression instructors "The coddling moth, causing wormy Tuesday by the addition of Massa- of the town have likewise consented

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

OF THE FIREBOYS.

"THE WINDY PANHANDLE OF TEXAS."

In this little volume, the author gives glowing word-pictures of this great Plains country from its earliest oc-"In last twenty days Clark carried ing its evolutions, through the past,

> characteristics in unmistakable terms. If you have not read this interesting little volume, you should secure a copy, and get wise to its revelations.

GAVE DEMONSTRATION.

Mrs. J. L. Overall gave a "fireless were much pleased with this modern

he will render the most satisfactory McCool, of the Fulton Lumber Com-

SANTA FE ADOPTS NEW SYSTEM

Through Package Car Freight Service to Fort Worth and Dallas.

The Santa Fe, in pursuance of its usual policy of constantly bettering

and increasing its service, announces, effective Thursday, May 2, 1912, the inauguration of through package car freight service, in separate cars, from both Dallas and Fort Worth to Ama-

rillo and the Panhandle and South Plains country stations on its lines via the Santa Fe direct. The service is

established for the accommodation of its patrons demanding first-class service on less than car load merchandise

shipments from these two distributing centers, and each car will be run

independently of each other on a through schedule-with no intermedi-

ate stops south of Sweetwater-thus giving Amarillo the benefit of an additional through route on practically

the same time as via other lines from

Fort Worth, and with better time from

With the establishment of fast through service on all freight via the "Coleman Cut-off" it is anticipated

that, as the tonnage for these cars increases-as it undoubtedly will do,

with the liberal support of the ship-

ping public-the time will be short-

ened as the service becomes thus more

Traveling Freight and Passenger

Agent Gallaher has been busily engaged during the past few days

among the many friends of the "Santa

Fe" in Amarillo, and at other points,

in circulating a schedule showing the

details of the new service.-Amarillo

A SAD DEATH.

It Occurred in Hale County During

the Big Snow.

A coyotte sat on the bleak, dreary

plain, hungry and cold, in despair and pain. His ribs stuck out and his hide

shriveled tight, and poor Mr. Coyote

had given up the fight.

permanent and firmly established.



Ladies-Try These Beans

If you want to eat beans such as you've never tasted before—even in the home-cooked you really must try

White PORK AND BEANS

WITH TOMATO SAUCE Fine, large beans, cooked to perfection-no hulls or husks-they melt in your mouth. Flavored with a fine, juicy piece of pork. Rich, spicy, pure tomato sauce-evenly distributed throughout. A delicious combination. They're all ready to serve-cold, or just heat

them and eat them. I warmly recommend these beans. MISS WALKER.

Ask Your Grocer

he will be glad to serve you. Should he have run out of them, ask him to get them for you-he can, easily; he will, of course.

Waples-Platter Grocer Co. Dallas - Denison Fort Worth

For sixten long days, 'mid the snow and the sleet, this poor old Coyote had nothing to eat. And weak at the stomach, and gasping for breath, he slowly but surely was starving to death. But taking one last look around ere he died, a discarded pair of shoes he

newly-found treasure he made his But when to the cast-off Pair he araction upon the organs with which rived, of joy and gladness he was soon they come in contact, apparently act- deprived. For standing out plain on ing as a regulative tonic upon the the badly-worn band was the well-

espied. "Aha!" cried the Coyote, then with vigor and zeal, "on cast-away Shoes I'll make a meal." So, greatly cheered up and without delay, to the

Rexal Orderlies are unsurpassable not penetrate such leather as that!" and ideal for the use of children, old So he turned up his toes and expired folks and delicate persons. We can- with a wail, which ends this sad but

"STAR BRAND" Shoes are BETtion and its attendant evils. That's TER, so why need we say more. why we back our faith in them with You'll find them in stock at our UP-

> PLAINVIEW MERC. CO., Plainview, Texas.

FOR THE STOMACH.

Here's an Offer You Should Not Over-

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets Remedy

stomach troubles by aiding nature to Be on Hand Saturday, May 18th, with supply the elements the absence of which in the gastic juices causes in-The \$400 that the business men of digestion and dyspepsia. They aid Plainview promised the farmers of the stomach to digest food and to the Plainview country who marketed quickly convert it into rich red blood

Carry a package of Rexall Dyspepsia

We know what Rexall Dyspepsia We guarantee them to relieve indigestion and dyspepsia. If they fail we

SUNDAY AT CALVARY.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School 11 a. m. - Worship: "What Life

4 p. m .- Junior B. Y. P. U.

7:30 p. m .- Young People's Meeting. 8 p. m.-Special program rendered

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid and

A cordial invitation to all. C. R. HAIRFIELD, Pastor.

LOST.

There's a Reason WHY

The East Side Grocery

sells for less. It's all cash and no delivery. See? SURE!

Geo. S. Fairris

Proprietor

Among the Farmers

Petersburg, came from Republic teen bales of cotton last year. I don't County, Kansas, five years ago.

Marannin

come here with the idea of bringing Cook County. There is more grass this country to their ideas. The coun- for stock, and the renter can raise try must be studied and farmed in a stock on the side. He can't do it way to suit the conditions, and when back East. we get down to that it will be found "The country got the worst set-back Remember, you can obtain Rexall that this country is worth more than two years ago it ever had. I have Remedies in Plainview only at our

the Kansas sod crop. Another big crop. Last year we couldn't grumble, feature is that if your crops are not and we have as fine a prospect now put in by the first of June in Kansas as I ever saw, if not better." you will not raise a crop. You can plant crops a month or so later here and make the best of crops. I hear Kansas and Minnesota, and in this people growling about dry weather. country the last few years. He came I claim they are growling about some- here three years ago. thing they don't know anything about. They have had nothing since I have some ways," he said. "I think it is we wouldn't notice the wind.

for \$3,500. It was worth only \$900 ence in the cost of fuel. Take one when I left there, five years ago. I year with another, living is higher wouldn't give either forty I have for here. We used much more fuel in the that eighty. Land wouldn't be so North, but the price there was so cheap here but people have loaded up much less as to even things up so far too heavily with it, and some of them as the cost is concerned. For comhave to sell. This land will take a fort, this beats the North. raise some time that will surprise "This being a poor Irish potato

Kress. He came to this country twen-tion, but if I understand it it will be ty-one years ago, when he was a small a tremendous help and will be the

"I was raised in this country, on a farm," he said, "and I never saw a year we didn't make feed. The last three years have been the hardest A Statement of Facts Backed by a since '90. I never raised much stock, but make a business of raising maize and kaffir. We have raised an average of three-fourths of a ton to the acre, one season with another.

"Horses and cattle do well here, but the big horses brought in from the North do not last extra long. Horses raised here, or acclimated, do all to substantiate them at our risk. right. After maize and kaffir, the next best crop to raise is just a little more maize and kaffir,"

C. M. Bolton, who lives west of the country is healthier. I made sixthink people ought to jump into cot-"As far as farming is concerned," ton too heavy. It helps out in any said Mr. Bolton, "this country will country, but hands are too scarce. soon be far ahead of Kansas. People A renter can make just as much as in

In Three Sizes.

know the country a good while, and store-The Rexall Store. The J. W. "The sod crop is always better than am sure there never was as short a Willis Drug Co.

C. E. Hamilton has fived in Illinois,

"I like this country real well in

been here that would compare with a far ahead of the North for climate. Kansas drouth, and if we were hedged I have had good health the most of the in with artificial groves like Kansas time since I came. The mild winters "I just sold an eighty in Kansas country. But I can't tell much differ-

country is a big drawback. The sweet potatoes and other truck is all right. Jim Nations lives six miles east of I don't know much about this irrigamaking of this country."

NO CAUSE FOR DOUBT.

Strong Gnarantee.

candy, are particularly prompt and establishments. Ask to see them. Good grain crops, by not having Hail agreeable in action, may be taken at And remember that Plainview mer- Insurance. I am going to pay some any time, day or night; do not cause chants always appreciate your trade, of you farmers some money. Do you J. K. Yates came from Cook Coun-diarrhoea, nausea, griping, excessive no matter how far you live from this want it? If so, you had better see me ty, four years ago. "The climate is looseness, or other undesirable effects. town, and in your dealings with them at once. J. M. MALONE, Wayland better than Cook County, and I believe They have a very mild but positive you will be treated "white."

relaxed muscular coat of the bowel, known inscription, the famous "STAR thus overcoming weakness, and aid- BRAND." ing to restore the bowels to more "I'm done," cried the Coyote; "even

not too highly recommend them to all true little tale. suferers from any form of constipaour promise of money back if they TO-DATE STORE. do not give entire satisfaction. Three sizes: 12 tablets, 10 cents; 26 tablets,

\$400.00 FOR COTTON RAISERS.

Your Tickets in Your Pocket.

their cotton here has been collected, and material necessary for overcomand the distribution will take place ing natural body waste. May 18th, which is Saturday. Plainview always makes good her promises. Tablets in your vest pocket, or keep She is proud of the farming popula- them in your room. Take one after tion which supports her, and the fol- each heavy meal and prove our asserlowing prizes are only a slight token tion that indigestion will not bother of her appreciation for the progressive you. agriculturalists who are rapidly developing the Shallow Water Belt of Tablets are and what they will do. the South Plains.

Follows the list of prizes, which are to be distributed among the men who will refund your money. Three sizes: marketed their cotton at Plainview, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. Rememexclusively, and "without a string:" ber, you can obtain Rexall Remedies Mitchell farm wagon, value \$85; White only at our store-The Rexall Store. sewing machine, \$60; two-row P. &. O. The J. W. Willis Drug Co. combination cotton and corn planter, \$45; cook range, \$30; rotary washer and wringer, \$20; gent's gold watch, \$25; lady's gold watch, \$25; rocking chair, \$7.50; set Rogers' knives and forks, \$6.50; gent's shoes, \$5; lady's Means to Me." shoes, \$5; five cash prizes of \$5 each; | 10 cash prizes of \$2.50 each; 25 cash prizes of \$1 each.

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SYNOPSIS.

caused on the last night that the Opera box keeper is called in, and gives her is managed by Debienne and Poligny experience with the ghost, because of the appearance of a ghost, having hanged himself.

member of the opera company, is almost frozen. called upon to fill a very important part and scores a great success. Count Richards investigate box No. 5, and de Chagny and his brother Raoul are decide to see the performance of among those who applaud the singer. "Faust" from front seats of that box. Raoul tries to see Christine in the

CHAPTER III.-While the farewell woman and wounding many. ceremony for the retiring managers is CHAPTER VIII.—Raoul searches new managers, are then informed of from her making an appointment for the clause in the contract which stip- a masked ball... ulates that a certain sum shall be shall be reserved for him.

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with disastrous results. The managers receive a letter from the Opera Ghost CHAPTER I. - Consternation is calling attention to the error. The

CHAPTER V .- Christine Daae said to have ben in evidence on sev- writes Raoul that she has gone to visit eral previous occasions. Later in the the grave of her father. He goes also, evening Joseph Buquet is found dead, and in the night follows her to the church. Wonderful violin music is CHAPTER II.-Christine Daae, a heard. Raoul is found next morning

CHAPTER VI.-Moncharmin and

CHAPTER VII.—Carlotta, who sings dressing room, but is unable to do so, the leading part in Faust, is warned and later discovers that some one is to give the leading part to Christine. making love to her. She emerges Carlotta, refusing, loses her voice in alone, and upon entering the room he the middle of a song, and the main chandelier crashes down, killing a

going on, the Opera Ghost appears and for Christine, who has disappeared. makes the announcement of Buquet's He sees her at last, but does not ak, and later a note is received

CHAPTER IX .- Raoul meets Chrispaid to the ghost and that box No. 5 tine at the ball and sees a person in the disguise of Red Death, of whom CHAPTER IV.-Box No. 5 is sold, he is jealous. He hears her conversing with some one whom she calls Erik. He makes his presence known and Christine vanishes through a

> CHAPTER X .- Raoul visits Christine and tells her he knows the name of the unseen man whom she calls the Angel of Music. Christine implores him to forget the voice and the name he heard.

CHAPTER XI.—Christine and Raoul become secretly engaged prior to a polar expedition that Raoul is to

CHAPTER XII.—Christine relates a strange adventure with the unseen Erik, and promises to run away with Raoul the following night.

CHAPTER XII.—Raoul announces his intention of marrying Christine, which displeases Philippe. In the midst of a performance the stage is enveloped in darkness and Christine

CHAPTER XIV .- No trace of her is found. Moncharmin and Richard behave strangely.

CHAPTER XV. - Raoul searches madly for the missing singer.

CHAPTER XVI.-The Opera Ghost demands the first installment of his allowance, and when it is left at an appointed place the sum mysteriously Christine, sir, Christine?"

"I worship the ground she stands on! But you, sir, who do not love her, tell me why I find you ready to risk your life for her! You must certainly hate Erik!'

"No. sir," said the Persian sadiy, "I do not hate him. If I hated him, he would long ago have ceased doing

"Has he done you harm?" "I have forgiven him the harm

which he has done me." "I do not understand you. You treat him as a monster, you speak of his crime, he has done you harm and I find in you the same inexplicable pity that drove me to despair when I saw it in Christine!"

The Persian did not reply. He fetched a stool and set it against the, wall facing the great mirror that

filled the whole of the wall-space opposite. Then he climbed on the stool, and, with his nose to the wall-paper .. seemed to be looking for something. "Ah," he said, after a long search. "I have it!"

And, raising his finger above his head, he pressed against a corner in the pattern of the paper. Then he turned round and jumped off the

"In half a minute," he said, "we shall be on his road!" and crossing the whole length of the dressingroom he felt the great mirror. "No, it is not yielding yet," he mut-

"Oh, are we going out by the mirasked Raoul. "Like Christine

"So you knew that Christine Dage went out by that mirror?"

"She did so before my eyes, sir! I was hidden behind the curtain of the inner room and I saw her vanish not by the glass, but in the glass!" "And what did you do?"

"I thought it was an aberration of my senses, a mad dream. . . "Or some new fancy of ghost's!" chuckled the Persian. "Ah, M. de Chagny," he continued, still with his hand on the mirror, "would that we had to do with a ghost! We could then leave our pistols in their case. : . . Put down your hat, now cover your shirt-front as much

as you can with your coat turn up the collar. . We must make ourselves as invisible as possible. . . ."

Bearing against the mirror, after a short silence, he said:

"It takes some time to release the counterbalance, when you press on the spring from the inside of the room. It is different when you are behind the wall and can act directly on the counterbalance. Then the mirror turns at once and is moved with incredible rapidity."

"What counterbalance?" asked Raoul.

"Why, the counterbalance that lifts the whole of this wall on to its pivot. You surely don't expect it to move of itself, by enchantment! If you watch, you will see the mirror first rise an inch or two and then shift an inch or two from left to right. It will then be on a pivot and will swing round."

"It's not turning!" said Raoul impatiently. "Oh, wait! You have time enough

to be impatient, sir! The mechanism has obviously become rusty, or else the spring isn't working. . . . Unless it is something else," added the Persian anxiously.

"What?" "He may simply have cut the cord of the counterbalance and blocked

the whole apparatus. "Why should he? He does not know that we are coming this way!" "I dare say he suspects it, for he knows that I understand the system."

"It's not turning! . . . And The Persian said coldly:

"We shall do all that it is humanly possible to do! . . . But he may stop us at the first step! . . . He commands the walls, the doors and the trap-doors. In my country, he was known by a name which means the 'trap-door lover.' "

"But why do these walls obey him alone? He did not build them!" "Yes, sir, that is just what he did!"

Raoul looked at him in amazement; but the Persian made a sign to him to be silent and pointed to the glass. There was a sort of shivering

reflection. Their image was troubled as in a rippling sheet of water and then all became stationary again. "You see, sir, that it is not turn-

ing! Let us take another road!" "Tonight, there is no other!" declared the Perrian, in a singularly

He himself raised his pistol opposite the glass. Raoul imitated his movement. With his free arm, the Persian drew the young man to his chest and, suddenly, the mirror turned, in a blinding daze of crosslights; it turned like one of those revolving doors which have lately been fixed to the entrances of most restaurants, it turned, carrying Raoul and the Persian with it and suddenly hurling them from the full light into the deepest darkness.

CHAPTER XX.

In the Cellars of the Opera. "Your hand high, ready to fire!"

repeated Raoul's companion quickly. The wall, behind them, having completed the circle which it described upon itself, closed again; and the two men stood motionless for a moment, holding their breath.

At last, the Persian decided to make a movement; and Raoul heard him slip on his knees and feel for something in the dark with his groping hands. Suddenly, the darkness was made visible by a small dark lantern and Raoul instinctly stepped backward as though to escape the scrutiny of a secret enemy. But he soon perceived that the light belonged to the Persian, whose movements he was closely observing. The little red disk was turned in every direction and Raoul saw that the floor, the walls and the ceiling were all formed of planking. It must have been the ordinary road taken by Erik to reach Christine's dressing-room impose upon her innocence. And Raoul, remembering the Perslan's remark, thought that it had been mysteriously constructed by the shost himself. Later, he learned that Erik had found, all prepared for him, a secret passage, long known to himself alone and contrived at the time of the Paris Commune to allow the jailers to convey their prisoners straight to the dungeon that had been constructed for them in the cellars; for the Federates had occupied the opera-house immediately after the eighteenth of March and had made a starting-place right at the top for their Mongolfler balloons, which carried their incendiary proclamations to the departments, and a state prison, right at the bottom.

The Persian went on his knees and put his lantern on the ground. He seemed to be working at the floor: and suddenly he turned off his light. Then Raoul heard a faint click and saw a very pale luminous square in the floor of the passage. It was as though a window had opened on the opera cellars, which were still lit. Raoul no longer saw the Persian, but he suddenly felt him by his side and heard him whisper:

"Follow me and do all that I do." Raoul turned to the luminous aperture. Then he saw the Persian, who was still on his knees, hang by his hands from the rim of the opening. with his pistol between his teeth, and slide into the cellar below.

Curiously enough, the viscount had absclute confidence in the Persian, though he knew nothing about him. ills emotion when speaking of the "monster" struck him as sincere; end, if the Persian had cherished any sinister designs against him, he would not have armed him with his own hands. Besides, Raoul must reach Christine at all costs. He therefore went on his knees also and hung from the two with both hands.

"Let go!" said a voice.

And he dropped into the arms of the Persian, who told him to lie down flat, closed the trap-door above him and crouched down beside him. Raoul tried to ask a question, but the Perslan's hand was on his mouth and he heard a voice which he recognized as that of the commissary of

Raoul and the Persian were completely hidden behind a wooden partition. Near them, a small staircase led to a little room in which the comtalssary appeared to be walking up and down, asking questions. The faint light was just enough to enable Raoul to distinguish the shape of things around him. And he could not restrain a dull cry: there were three corpses there.

The first lay on the narrow landing of the little staircase; the two others had rolled to the bottom of the stair-

case. Raoul could have touched one of the two poor wretches by passing his fingers through the partition.

"Silence!" whispered the Persian. He too had seen the bodies and he gave one word in explanation:

"He!" The commissary's voice was now heard more distinctly. He was asking for information about the system of lighting, which the stage-manager

supplied. The commissary therefore must be in the "organ" or its immediate neighborhood. Contrary to what one might think,

especially in connection with an opera-house, the "organ" is not a musical instrument. At that time, electricity was employed only for a very few scenic effects and for the bells. The immense building and the stage itself were still lit by gas; hydrogen was used to regulate and modify the lighting of a scene; and this was done by means of a special apparatus which, because of the multiplicity of its pipes, was known as the "organ." A box beside the prompter's box was reserved for the chief gas-man, who from there gave his orders to his assistants and saw that they were executed. Mauclair stayed in this box during all the performances.

But now Mauclair was not in his box and his assistants not in their

"Mauclair! Mauclair!" The stage-manager's voice echoed through the cellars. But Mauclair did not reply. I have said that a door opened on a little staircase that led to the second

cellar. The commissary pushed it, but it resisted. "I say," he said to the stage-man-

ager, "I can't open this door; is it always so difficult?"

The stage-manager forced it open with his shoulder. He saw that, at the same time, he was pushing a human body and he could not keep back an exclamation, for he recognized the body at once.

"Mauclair! Poor devil! He is dead!"

But Mr. Commissary Mifroid, whom nothing surprised, was stooping over that big body.

"No," he said, "he is dead-drunk, which is not quite the same thing." "It's the first time, if so," said the stage-manager.

"Then some one has given him a narcotic. That is quite possible." Mifroid went down a few steps and

"Look!" By the light of a little red lantern,

at the foot of the stairs, they saw two other bodies. The stage-manager recognized Mauclair's assistants. Mifroid went down and listened to their breathing. "They are sound asleep," he said.

"Very curious business! Some person unknown must have interfered with the gas-man and his staff . . and that person unknown was obviously working on behalf of the kid-. . But what a funny napper. . idea to kidnap a performer on the stage! . . . Send for the doctor of the theater, please." And Mifroid repeated, "Curious, decidedly curious business!"

Then he turned to the little room, addressing the people whom Raoui and the Persian were unable to see from where they lay.

"What do you say to all this, gentlemen? You are the only ones who have not given your views. And yet you must have an opinion of some

Thereupon, Raoul and the Persian saw the startled faces of the joint managers appear above the landingand they heard Moncharmin's excited voice:

"There are things happening here,



Decidedly Curious Buel-

Mr. Commissary, which we are unable to explain."

And the two faces disappeared.

"Thank you for the information, gentlemen," said Mifroid, with a jeer. But the stage-manager, holding his chin in the hollow of his right hand, which is the attitude of profound thought, said:

"It is not the first time that Mauclair has fallen asleep in the theater. I remember finding him, one evening, snoring in his little recess, with his snuff-box beside him."

"Is that long ago?" asked M. Mifroid, carefully wiping his eye-

"No, not so very long ago. . Wait a bit! . . . It was the night of course, yes . . . It was the night when Carlotta-you know, Mr. Commissary-gave her famous 'co-ack!'"

"Really? The night when Carlotta gave her famous 'co-ack?' " And M. Mifroid, replacing his

gleaming glasses on his nose, fixed the stage-manager with a contemplative stare.

"So Mauclair takes snuff, does he?" he asked carelessly.

"Yes, Mr. Commissary. . . Look, there is his snuff-box on that little shelf. . . . Oh, he's a great snuff-

"So am I," said Mifroid and put the snuff-box in his pocket.

Raoul and the Persian, themselves unobserved, watched the removal of the three bodies by a number of scene shifters, who were followed by the commissary and all the people with him. Their steps were heard for a few minutes on the stage above. When they were alone the Persian made a sign to Raoul to stand up. Raoul did so; but, as he did not lift his hand in front of his eyes, ready to fire, the Persian told him to resume that attitude and to continue it, whatever

"But it tires the hand unnecessarily," whispered Raoul. "If I do fire, I shan't be sure of my aim." Then shift your pistol to the other

hand," said the Persian. "I can't shoot with my left hand." Thereupon, the Persian made this queer reply, which was certainly not calculated to throw light into the

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OPPORTUNITY IS GREATER IN in the North and East that the United SOUTHWEST, IF PEOPLE KNEW. States still contains empires of unexplored acres, it is easy to see why we are losing population to the British best instruction will be Marion Law- Pastors and superintendents are province to the north. Canada is organized for the campaign. Her ad- the World's and International Asso- select delegates from their school to vertisements monopolize the pages of ciations; Rev. Wm. A. Brown, Interna- attend the convention, and appoint (By Secretary Black, of the Cham- American magazines, and the highly- tional Missionary Superintendent; one of their number as a Convention emotional literature of her immigra- Rev. W. C. Merritt, International Booster, to arrange with the delegates "Go into the Middle West-lowa, tion agencies makes passionate ap- Field Secretary; Prof. E. O. Excell, from other schools to come in a body. Illinois. Indiana, etc., and ask the peals for population throughout every the world's most noted song leader, Be sure and see that J. W. Logan, and they will tell you that they made more attention to the business of in- the world's most noted sacred pianist; is advised at once as to the number. it from pleatiful crops and from the ducing immigration, and for this rea- Rev. R. P. Shepherd, the noted special- Hoping to see you at the convenappreciation of land values. This in- son alone she is receiving more than ist in the Christian churches; Rev. tion, we are, crease of the value of farm lands are the undeveloped portions of the Chas. D. Bulla, General Superintend-

al events. The movement of poula- More than 5,000,000 people have re-"Space prevents me from giving tion westward, the growth of cities turned to the land within the past South; Miss Minnie T. Allen, one of remedies for more pests. However, and the building of railroads all con- four years, and the words "back to the South's elementary specialists; the farm" are each year being more "Farm lands in the United States considered. With this condition ex- tary of the Birmingham City Associaincreased in value 650 per cent dur- isting, it should be an easy matter to tion, and a noted specialist in the ment of Agriculture, at Austin, en- ing the past fifty years-an average settle the virgin acres of these United "Teen Age;" Dr. B. G. Lowery, closing specimens, when possible, as of 13 per cent a year. Owing to the States. And yet the immigration to formerly one of Mississippi's greatest movement west, farm values in the our undeveloped sections fails to in-East have stood still-in some states crease proportionately with the infell back-so that the increase in the terest in tilling the soil. Where are retary of Agriculture, at Washington, West was quick and far greater than these "back to landers" going? Evidently to Canada. Texas, New Mexi-The above paragraphs are taken co, Arizona and other thinly-popu-

an effort to induce colonization in Texas has but sixteen people to the 114 people moved from the United boast of four hundred. If all the peo-States to the Canadian West in the ple of the United States were to move to Texas, she would still be less plump It is natural for our people to want with population, in proportion to size, to move to a pioneer country and take than is that New England state today. advantage of appreciation in land In portions of West Texas there are values. But it would be UNNATURAL towns that are still 100 miles from for patriotic Americans to wish to a railroad, and counties where fairof mercury, he will give it to you in leave the grand old U. S. A. if they sized children would shrick with ter-

own country as cheap as they can find projects in the Southwest are paving lodging from 50 cents, 75 cents and with you. PLAINVIEW PAINT AND the way for the homeseeker. Science \$1.00 per day, and upwards, and meals PAPER HOUSE, J. A. WADE Pro-I wrote to the Colonization Depart- is daily edging further into the land ment of the Canadian Pacific Railway that was formerly called a desert. It houses and restaurants at any price liver up with the mercury it contains, Company for samples of their litera- is a shame to have to seek settlers desired. All delegates should write go to R. A. Long's drug store and pay ture. In same they also make this for these sections from the alien tide at once to J. W. Logan, Chairman, 408 Prairieview school for the term just statement: "Cheap farm land in the that is coming from Europe, while our Flateau Bldg., Dallas, to secure for closed, left Saturday to attend the Liver-Tone, a pure vegetable liquid United States, and especially LAND patriotic (?) citizens seek virgin acres that starts the liver to action just as ADAPTED TO THE RAISING OF in Canada. Why should not the WHEAT, is practically a thing of the slogan of the Union be: "Settle the cluding addresses, expert instruction ported to have made great advance-

the United States to Canada. Truly, meet in Seattle June 5, 6 and 7 to

wheat, cropped every year, here in this west. "dismal desert," yielding from 12 to 40 We should not envy Canada or our bushels per acre, and with less than neighbors to the Northwest, but

then it will be easier to induce immi- mulative resources of this mighty gration to our section." But why Southwest? should the development of the United | The people of the more thickly set-States be retarded? why should our tled portions of the Southwest do not have to wait for masters gleaned from failure to utilize the fertility of our the "culls" that Canada has left and untilled acres. The United States an ignorant foreign immigration? still has portions where Opportunity

progressive Northwestern states, will Southwest is one of these.

"land is without honor in its own perfect plans for turning the tide of immigration away from Canada and into their section. Say that their Only a few years ago, wheat from laudable ambitions succeed; then, the Plains of Texas—the "heart of the when Canada has ceased to attract Great American Desert"—captured attention, the immigration will remain sweepstakes over the entire world at in the United States, to be sure, but the Omaha Exposition. But with in the opposite corner from the South-

5 per cent of our land in cultivation, should get up and "go after them." the above statement runs that "Cheap Fight them with their own weapons, farm land in the United States, espe- and with the virtuous feeling that our cially land adapted to the raising of section has all the advantages over wheat, is practically a thing of the the country they are "boosting." Why should not the progressive Governors In the section of the Southwest of Texas, Arizona, New Mexico, Kanwhere the immigration business is be- sas, Oklahoma, etc., plan a "get-toing worked, a goodly measure of suc- gether" meeting, where they could cess is being met with. But the gen- discuss ways and means for encoureral sentiment over the Southwest aging, directing and assisting the deseems to be "Let Canada fill up, and velopment of the natural and accu-

money go to enrich an alien country? themselves realize the revenue this and why should good U. S. A. dirt section is being deprived of by the The Governors of Idaho, North Da- has never shaved; where his beard is kota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Mon- so long that even the poor man can tana, Oregon and Washington, those get a "pull." And the grass-haired

SUNDAY SCHOOLS IN CONVENTION

Three Thousand Delegates Expected missionary mass meeting; temperance to Attend Dallas Convention, May 6 to 10.

Sunday School Association, composed plies, specialties and hand work of of all denominations, will convene in pupils in various departments will be the First Baptist Church of Dallas, on display, as a unique feature. Monday night, May 6, closing Friday | The Texas Sunday School Associaany convention ever held in the State. Sunday School work on our own State.

Worth, had 2,000 delegates, and prob- method, open to all Sunday School ably 1,500 visitors in the various meet- workers. The leaders in Sunday ings. These delegates came from 116 School thought of the various denomcounties, 272 towns and 426 Sunday inations co-operate and actively help

leader, Marion Lawrence, and a num- to have a better Sunday School or be ber of other noted world experts, will a better worker will miss one of these be present throughout the convention. conventions. Whenever you put any on every phase of the Sunday School ized Sunday School work, you get back

who will be present to give their very in, ent of the Wesley Adult Department Robert H. Coleman, State President; of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Miss Minnie Kennedy, General Secreeducators and Baptist laymen; General Secretary W. Fred Long, of Mississippi; and more than fifty noted state specialists in various lines of departmental work.

Any pastor, superintendent, officer, teacher or pupil in any Sunday School in Texas may become a delegate by enrolling and paying the registration fee of \$1.00, which entitles one to a reserved seat in the main auditorium, a song book, badge, note book, pen-

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it a perfect substitute for calomel. 18 zenship. Coupled with the ignorance Southwest. And yet people go from by the Baraca Band of McGregor; a

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night. Indications point to the largest tion is a co-operative effort of all deand most representative attendance of nominations to extend and improve Each year's conventions have been It seeks helpful co-operation, not growing in magnitude and power, and union. Its conventions and institutes now only the largest cities can take discuss methods, not church doctrine. care of them in boarding houses and It works by way of suggestion, not by hotels, as each delegate pays his own authority. It, therefore, helps thous-Last year's convention, held at Fort and institutes are free schools of Schools, some delegates traveling as in this. The convention system is the many as 1,400 miles. The world's greatest Sunday School ment, and work. No one who desires all you put in, and all that every one Among the noted world leaders else of all other denominations put

rance, the General Secretary of both urged to call a meeting at once, and and the wonderful Alvin W. Roper, Chairman, 408 Flateau Bldg., Dallas,

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CHAMP CLARK IN TEXAS.

The Democrats of Texas, who are That there is a fast-growing sentiment soon to meet, will assemble with the over the State to concede one of the knowledge that Champ Clark's candi- two Congressman to be elected atdacy is not that of a favorite son large to this section is evident to those merely. It is already a great force who have watched the candidacy of in the politics of the country. It will our fellow townsman Judge Joe E. be even more far-reaching at the time Lancaster. During the past three when Texas will be called upon to months he has visited practically

No one wil deny that Governor Wil- manner in which he has been received son, of New Jersey has made a pro- can't be otherwise than gratifying to found impression upon the people of himself as well as pleasing to his nuour neighboring State, and we would merous friends in this as well as other not detract in any manner from the sections of the State. honor that has been done him there and elsewhere. He is a Democrat who public opinion, and probably the most will be greatly needed in the time to potent of all other agencies in the come. We have no doubt that the election of a candidate to a State ofhighest of human preferment awaits fice-are giving Judge Lancaster and

But, for the needs of this day, who We believe that he has the open and can compare with Champ Clark as a avowed support of more newspapers leader? He is already in position. He than all the other candidates for this is already in command. The issues office, and there are only twentythat separate Democrats and Republi- some-odd most estimable gentlemen cans generally are those that appear aspiring for these two places. That as between Clark and Taft. Clark is fact alone is conclusive evidence that today the champion of the people as Judge Lancaster is in the running truly as the President has shown him- class and has a most excellent chance self to be the defender of the stand- to land one of these places.

To nominate Champ Clark is to re- Lancaster will prove a winner in the have won and to go forward with the upon the people of the Panhandle and government. best of prospects for continued vic- West Texas the importance of getting tories. To nominate Governor Wil- solidly behind Lancaster's candidacy, son, able, patriotic and progressive as not only with our vote, but let's use all must admit him to be, is to change our influence in other sections of the test, and to run all the risks which little trouble to mention our friend so important a maneuver must in- and his candidacy in every letter that

There are thousands of Missourians ing the results that would be accomin Texas who are among its best and plished from such a course. most influential inhabitants. If they should take a personal interest in titled to one of these two places. We Champ Clark's political fortunes they need Joe Lancaster in Congress. He would have little difficulty, we im- knows how to get results, and that is agine, in convincing their fellow-citi- what we want. Let's go our full zens of the justice, the strength and length in behalf of his candidacy, and the promise of his cause.

One of the great dangers now menacing Democracy is the possibility that the winning issues which they have created will disappear from pub- of the 123rd Representative Legisla- mit the importation of contract labor. lic view. To that end all of Mr. Roos- tive District that I am a candidate sveit's splendid energies are now de- for the Legislature and wish to reprevoted. He is raising false issues in sent the people of the district in the the irrigation of the Western lands,

Potato Doughnuts

(Recipe by Mrs. Helen Armstrong) You will find these doughnuts both of the time in the Panhandle, and be-

Cream three tablespoons of Cottolene, add three-fourths cup of sugar, and three yolks of eggs well beaten with one white. Stir in one cupful of freshly mashed potato and one-fourth cup of milk. Sift two and one-half cups of four with three teaspoons of baking powder, half a teaspoon each of salt and ground mace, also a little nutmeg, and add to first mixture, working in additional flour as necessary to handle lightly. Roll and cut all doughnuts before attending to the frying. Have fore attending to the frying. Have cottolene three inches deep in kettle and cottolene three inches the cottolene three inches deep in kettle and cottolene three inches the cottolene three inches the cottolene three "nightmare" or lard indigestion in them: competent to govern themselves. My

Democrats abandon true issues, and thereby place themselves even more

In Champ Clark we have the per-

sonification not only of Democratic

precept, but of faithful Democratic

practice. There is no doubt about the

excellence of his work. In his case

shall go on in experienced and capable

We hope that Texas, with its

weighty influence upon party and Na-

tional affairs will be found opposed

to new departures and strange experi-

ments at this time, when steadiness

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West Texas is of more vital impor-

that office, is admitted by every one.

every section of the State, and the

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his candidacy most favorable mention.

we write, and there is no way of tell-

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thereby make his election sure.

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CHAMP CLARK'S RECORD IN

He led the fight against the Payne-Aldrich bill, since repudiated by the American people at the polls.

He led the fight against Cannonism, that system of legislative tyranny that rendered the people helpless in the attainment of their will, and was foremost in overturning the Republican oligarchy in the House.

He led the minority in a fight against Republican extravagances, and advocated economical administration, "that labor might be lightly bur-

He gathered around him, as minority leader, all the elements of his party and unified them until the Democrats became potential in the House He began fighting for the income

tax many years ago, and has never While we are firmly convinced that swerved from his advocacy.

He fought for statehood for the tertain all the ground that Democrats July primary, we want to impress ritories, and for their right to self-

He has opposed the encroachment of the banking interests upon the right of the people to control their own financial systems, and still adheres to very abruptly the nature of the con- State in his behalf. It would be but his opposition to centralization and monopoly in the monetary system of

He has denounced, and stands opposed to the extension of the executive authority, and advocates the preservation of a constitutional repub- Civil Appeals. Seventh Judicial Dislic, with the powers of the legislative, trict of Texas, located at Amarilloexecutive and judicial branches care-

He has fought against proposed laws designed to open the doors of the country to the cheap labor of the

He has opposed any modification of This will serve notice on the voters the immigration laws that might per-He has advocated an adequate system of internal improvements, such as the hope of saving his party in case next session of that body. My plat- the encouragement of drainage sysform, based upon true Democratic tems in swamp-land sections, the imprinciples, will be published later. I provement of rivers and harbors, the have lived in Texas 41 years, 6 years construction of good roads, liberal homestead laws and development of lieve the people of the State fully the country.

He has supported legislation provid-

18 limits.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Subject to the action of the Demo cratic primary.

For District Attorney-R. M. ELLERD. GEO. L. MAYFIELD.

For District and County Clerk-B. H. TOWERY.

For County Judge-W. B. LEWIS.

S. W. MEHARG. For County Treasurer-

J. M. BULL.

JOHN G. HAMILTON. For Sheriff and Tax Collector-

> G. MARSHALL PHELPS O. R. MARTINE. J. C. HOOPER.

For Tax Assessor-R. E. BURCH. S. S. SLONEKER. J. N. JORDAN. S. J. FRYE.

For County Surveyor-THOMAS P. WHITIS

For County Attorney-CHAS. E. CLEMENTS

For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1-TOM THOMPSON.

For Chief Justice of the Court of JUDGE S. P. HUFF.

NAZARENE CHURCH.

Elder O. C. Fluke occupied the pulpit of the Nazarene Church last Sun-4:1, 2. His subject was "Forsaking of the apostle. Quit and stay quit. illness of his father. All and Following the True Christ." He is the One, and the only One, who does and can save from all sin.

"I am fully persuaded," said the preacher, "that the apostle Paul was a gospel minister, showing how that the 'veil' was taken off so that every person might see the truth of what Jesus meant when He said 'I am the way; walk ye in it.'

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to sell cheap. Must be good. De- of Congress, in holding the Federal "These folks say that when the Lord today, where he will take charge of scribe fully, WESTCOAT, Plainview, government within its constitutional shows me that it's wrong and turns the Leyhe Piano Company's business in the light we'll quit. Just think of for a few weeks:

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"If we preach a gospel that will not seve us from the lodge-devil, it comes from the pit, not from heaven. Paul said, 'I received it not of man, written by man, but by revelation.' Thank God for the Christ that saves from all forms of 'religion' but the true, Bible

J. J. Simpson returned with his son from St. Louis, where the boy has tory to making it their home. been under treatment for some months.

W. G. Henderson went to Amarillo

Judge Dalton returnd from Austin

G. W. Lewelling was called to Hills-He took his text from Cor. a crowd. 'Renounce' is the language boro today, on account of the serious

> Mrs. C. W. Tandy left today for a visit in the East. Capt. Tandy will later join her. at Nashville, and they will attend the reunion in Macon.

> Mrs. J. M. Robinson came in from Collin County today. Mr. Robinson owns a farm in the Aiken neighborhood, and he has been here several weeks improving the place prepara-

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- Mrs. Willie Dunlap, of Abilene, is visiting friends here and southeast of Plainview this week.
- Farmers, bring your Sweet Cream to Works, and he will pay you the highest market price.
- Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Wilson left Saturday-he for a two weeks' stay at Yuma, Arizona, and she for a visit to Mineral Wells and Waco.
- I have some property in Plainview and vicinity to sell cheap, or trade for something near here. BURLESON, Waco, Texas.
- Mrs. C. W. Tandy leaves today (Friday) for the Confederate Reunion at Macon, Ga. She goes by way of Hopkinsville, Ky., where she will be joined by Capt. Tandy, who is visiting at that
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- Dr. Watson, of Waco, is visiting D. W. McGlasson this week.
- NASH will trade you new Beds for your old ones. See them before you buy elsewhere.
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- has over three hundred acres of crops DUNCAN'S PHARMACY. can produce. Let us fill your next already planted. If the season is as batch of Prescriptions. DUNCAN'S favorable as last year he will make a small fortune. Ernest is a hustler, the season in this section. High day morning was "Christian Civilizaand deserves to succeed.
- given to customers for nearest esti- Luther Faegin, relatives of Mrs. E. T. lands of Texas and Oklahoma suffered The Church of God holds the only somates of the number of slips pulled Coleman, made her an unexpected severely. from beds. T. JONES & CO., Claren- visit Tuesday, about completing a two 20 month's tour of the State. The party The Amarillo Auto Trades Excur-cisco. Cal., via the Transcontinental tion by giving you good goods and shoes, dress nice and behave yourself"
- T. J. Tilson this week handed us a MACY. and leave for Hale Center at 8:30 stool of wheat from his farm pulled up Tuesday morning. The party is ex- by the roots, that contains fully 200 The Mackay-Bennett, the ship sent Christ. It is not faith in the law. pected to number about 100, all live stalks, from one grain, and fully 24 out to the scene of the Titanic horror God could not solve the problem business man, and our people should inches in height. Now, if each stalk to search for floating bodies, landed through the law, so we need not try. see that they have a good time while had made a good head, with three in Halifax Tuesday morning with 190 If there were another way, we might here. The average Amarilloite is a grains to the mach have many times bedies, and reported burying 116 at as well tear up the New Testament, proof miver, and as mivers our nearly mand the original seed have been sea, analogy a total of 506 bodies. The New Testament may be divided have their regulation to sustain. | mellinlied?

- J. H. Slaton went to Amarillo Sat-
- J. R. Mosely, of Hereford, was in Plainview this week.
- DUNCAN'S PHARMACY has every-
 - W. M. Coward went to Oklahoma City Friday, on business.
 - J. W. Atkins, of near Floydada, went to Oklahoma City Wednesday.
 - Mr. H. D. Hyde left Wednesday for a two weeks' visit in Chicago.
 - FOR RENT-A five-room cottage, corner Wayland and Slaton. Inquire
- Miss Joe Keck left Wednesday for a visit to Miss Gertrude Bell, at Ama-
- LOST-A long, black coat, south of called to Tulia Monday, at short no- J. H. Slaton's residence. Finder please notify MRS. G. MARSHALL PHELPS.
- Rev. Emil Recknagel, of the Evanreceived. In 14-, 1-, 114- and 2-pound Bagley school house, west of Kress, without love is nothing.
- parents for a day or two this week, is love. Love is the gift of God. "Be-Vegetables and Flower Plants for sale, while en route from Dickens to his cause the love of God hath been shed home, near Portales, New Mexico.
- The farmers have, generally, fin- lasting Perfumes and Toilet Waters- Jesus, discord and divisions will have ished corn planting, and are busy the best made. DUNCAN'S PHAR- no place among them. "Who lives in
- the First Methodist Episcopal Church "The night has a thousand eyes, will hold a market of home cookery at FOR SALE-Pure O. B. Burnette Warren & Sansom's grocery store. Yet the light of the bright world dies
- E. D. McClure, of this place, left for tf Amarillo Thursday, to take charge of Yet the light of a whole life dies the Missouri rooming house there. LOST-Sorrel mare, with both hind Mr. McClure and family have many feet and right fore foot white; also friends here who no doubt will pawith bald face and light mane and tail. tronize his place when in Amarillo.
- 18-pd. arrangement, whereby you get to read in a meeting. He will fill his appoint-Ernest Matlock, of Runningwater, and let us explain our proposition, here on Sunday. All the members are
- Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Flavev and Mr. this country, but sections of the low- cept through regeneration in Christ.
 - We are anxious to have your busi-

Plainview at Church

Summary of Sermons Delivered at the Various Churches, Sunday Morning, April 28th.

cation by faith alone; the other justi-

Faith involves inward commitment

of self and obedience to Jesus. Some

think that obedience means simply to

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the fundamental or foundation law of

fundamental law of the Kingdom of

God is written with four letters, and

comprises but one word. 'LOVE.'

"Love fulfills the law without think-

port their families because of the law,

neither are they living at home be-

"So it is with God's law. He that

LOVE FULFILLS THE LAW.

fication by our faith by works.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH.

C. R. Hairfield, Pastor.

"Living Musically." (1 Cor. 13:1.)

- mighty in its effect. Under its spell from time to eternity. Nor yet is it the soldier will rush to battle, order faith in obedience. Obedience is not is wrought out of confusion, victory out of defeat. Harmony is secured by It is Christ in me to inspire my acadjusting every forte of the instru- tion. It is Him to whom we yield. ment with reference to one part-key So I yield to the living, seeing, reign-Varied instruments are har- ing Son of God my heart, my hand, by bringing all to the con- my body and all my redeemed mancert pitch. Thus being brought into hood both now and forever. unison, the great orchestras are produced, in which one instrument reinforces the other.
- Love is the concert pitch of the Christian's life. Right relations with god put man in right relation with everything else. The absence of love gelical Lutheran Church, preached at is chaos, confusion and hell. A life from Romans 13:10.
- Love is the key of life. "He that loveth not abideth in death." He that Minor Counts is visiting his grand- leveth not, knoweth not God; for God that power that has accepted it. The abroad."
- Christian Love in Its Adjustments. FOR RENT-An improved 320-acre Supreme love to God begets love for To the average visitor, our city of farm, three miles east of Kress. For the brethren. Then, if we love God fers many attractions and surprises. particulars see OTUS REEVES REAL | we "love our neighbor as ourselves." tf Further, if we are in right relations to God, we love our enemies, and can Rev. Cagle will preach at the Naza- pray for them that despitefully use rene Church on Saturday night and at us .. Love sees the good and exalts Farmers, bring your Sweet Cream to 11 a. m. Sunday. Everybody is invited the other, "In honor preferring one
 - aonther." The Great Symphony.-When Chris-Just received a large and complete tlans are attuned to the great concert shipment of Palmer's fragrant and pitch of fullness of love in Christ 18 love, lives in God and God in him."
 - The tone of our lives depends upon On Saturday, May 11th, the ladies of the pitch. We live only as we love.
 - And the day but one:
 - With the dying sun. "The mind has a thousand eyes, And the heart but one:
 - When its love is gone."

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

- Dr. L. L. Gladney is in Lockney Don't forget our Book Exchange this week, assisting Brother Howard good books for only 25c each. Call ments at the First Christian Church 18 urged to be present at the morning
- Last Sunday was the windiest day of Dr. Gladney's subject on last Sunwinds prevailed from early morning tion." He took the position that there until night. No damage occurred in can be no permanent civilization exlution. In proportion as we recognize this do we succeed.
- Salvation is the prime note. It is left Wednesday morning for San Fran-ness, and will show our apprecia- not this "wash your face, shine your prompt and courteous treatment. kind of religion that will endure, but Give us a trial. DUNCAN'S PHAR- being born again, through faith in 18 Christ. It is not our faith in looking nice, or faith in decency, but faith in
 - into two parts-one teaching justifi-

- to labor without proper rest and sleep. Yet when the child is sick in the home, how little sleep, how little rest suffices the mother!
 - one ought to do anyhow. to be a 'lady or a gentleman' the Golden Rule must be observed. The man live up to the Sinaiatic utterances. That moral personage must square his life by the Ten Commandments.

to give up,' do you say? Yes, but love

makes hard things easy. It is hard

"'His commandments are not grievous,' and love to God and fellow man fulfills them all."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

- Next Sunday, May 5th, at 11 o'clock, 'Mother's Day" will be observed. Appropriate songs will be sung. A summary of the sermon which will be delivered by Pastor S. Park follows: "'The heaven that lies above us in
- our infancy is Motherhood, and no matter how exalted or how deprayed Extracts from sermon delivered on we may become we are always at-April 28, 1912, by Pastor S. E. Shafer. tended by the grace of a Mother's love, Nor does that vision splendid ever Law." The preacher took his text fade into the light of common day. Every great man has glorified a great "Nations have lengthy documents Mother. called constitutions. Each of these is
 - "'In the tragedy of Calvary it is beautiful to see the Master looking down upon His Mother in tenderest solicitude, telling her to comfort His best-beloved disciple, and him to comfort her.
- That was what Paul meant when he "'On this day, let each of us honor said, 'Love is the fulfilling of the the hallowed memory of his Mother, wearing in token thereof the floral ing there is such a law. There is a symbol of purity. Of other blessings law compelling parents to care for we may have had great stores, but of that most precious influence there their children. Many of us, doubtwas but one." less, never knew there was such a
- A hearty welcome is extended to all. law. Our children are cared for, not Details of the service are to be looked because of the compulsion of the law, after by the Transportation, Publicity but because of our love of our chiland Floral Committees. Conveyances will be provided by the Transporta-"The husbands of Plainview are not tion Committee for all who can't toiling from daylight to dark to supotherwise get to church.
- J. S. Crowly, of Stephens County, cause there is a law against wifeabandonment, but because of love. was in Plainview two days this week, looking at the town.
- loves God keeps His commandments. W. B. Rushing went to Amarillo, on Some things in the world are hard business, today.

Don't Suffer!

"I had been troubled, a little, for nearly 7 years," writes Mrs. L. Fincher, in a letter from Peavy, Ala., "but I was not taken down, until March, when I went to bed and had to have a doctor. He did all he could for me, but I got no better. I hurt all over, and I could not rest. At last, I tried Cardui, and soon I began to improve. Now I am in very good health, and able to do all my housework."

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SECOND ANNUAL STATEMENT

The Amarillo National Life Insurance Company

Amarillo, Texas, December 31, 1911

ASSETS.	LIABILITIES.
First Mortgage Loans \$130,065.66 Collateral Loans 2,800.00 Cash on Hand 841.76 Funds (Current Deposits) 909.91 Funds Bearing 8 per cent 48,368.25 Funds Bearing 5 per cent Daily 105.860.04	Legal Reserve \$ 31,830.2 Claims on which no Proof of Death 2,000.0 Claims Resisted 5,000.0 Coupon Deposits and Interest 433.1 Premiums Paid in Advance 86.1
Balance	Taxes Due
Accrued Interest	Assets in Excess of Legal Liabili- ties as Security to Policy
\$319,296.23 Assets Not Admitted 14,285.06	Holders Capital Stock
Total Assets \$305,011.17	Totals \$305,011.1

TOTAL POLICY HOLDERS BENEFIT, \$319,296.23 Busines in Force as of December 31, 1911, on Paid For Basis \$3,192,000.00

E. P. NORWOOD, Local Agt. PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

W. B. PATTERSON Gen. Agt. AMARILLO, TEXAS

The Country Editor

A Portion of Champ Clark's Speech Delivered Thirteen Years Ago

the proceedings of the House of Rep- ing in cold type the facts from which of which I quote, would easily fit resentatives on March 2, 1898. It is the Herodotus, the Tacticus, the Siswell worth reading. The House was mondi, or the Macaulay, of the future considering the Loud bill, which pro- will write the history of our times. posed to increase the postal rates on (Applause.) He joyously announces country newspapers and to adopt a our advent into this world, briefly re- tinues: 'They asked me to fix my number of restrictions on their trans- cords our uprisings and our downmission through the mails. Champ sittings, and sorrowfully chronicles Clark defeated the bill by his speech, our exit from this vale of tears. a portion of which follows:

tors of information. The mammoth to increase feminine pulchritude only country editor-'It was work that metropolitan papers, with their vast in particular instances; but the councirculation, are splendid educators, try editor, in the exercise of plenary but, after all, ten persons read the lit- power, impartially beautifies all tle country weekly where one reads women whose names appear in his a metropolitan paper.

myself, I entertain a most kindly feel- converts paste into diamonds spark- your friends and compatriots, and I ing for my old confreres. I am will- ling upon beauty's neck, and with a returned to my garret and my crust ing to make affidavit that the eleven alchemists only dreamed, and with and my desperate battle with pecunimonths I spent editing a rural journal skill of which ancient and ambitious were the most beneficial of my life politeness which Chesterfield might to myself, perhaps others. I am proud have envied, he transmutes brass to have belonged to the editorial trinkets into jewelry of purest gold, what Horace Greeley himself would guild. I am unalterably opposed to when they appear as ornaments of anything that will injure the country the family of his subscriber. editor, curtail his profits, circumscribe his usefulness or place an ad- ious of manufacturers, for, while ditional thorn in his pathway.

is the most persistent of teachers, statesmen out of raw, sometimes very take. I refuse utterly to become par-Like charity, as described by St. Paul raw, material. (Laughter.) In this ticeps criminis in robbing the country in the thirteenth chapter of the First laudable industry, no Dingley bill can editor of any privilege he now enjoys. Corinthians, he 'suffereth long and protect him, and he must ex-necessi- I would rather confer new ones upon is kind, which cannot be said of the tate work in competition with the pau- him, thereby multiplying his power men who got up this bill. He 'envi- per manufacturers of Europe. eth not,' in which he does not resemble some people over on this side of the House. He 'vaunteth not himself,' in which he is differentiated from the leaders on the other side of this big aisle. He 'is not puffed up,' in which he rises high above a good many of us. He 'does not behave himself unseemly: seeketh not his own: is not easily provoked."

than any other member of society. He is a power in politics, a pillar of better morals. He is pre-eminently the friend of humanity.

"Line upon line, paragraph upon

The following is an extract from paragraph, day by day, he is embalm-

"As a creator of beauty, he double "Newspapers are great dissemina- discounts Mme. Ayer, who undertakes urecolumns. (Laughter and applause.) were governor, dispensing offices "Having once ben a country editor By a touch of the magician's wand, he

"He is the greatest and most ingenother maunfacturers produce only The junior partner evened up the "The rural editor-God bless him! perishable stuff, he maunfactures score on that occasion, and no mis-

"He is-

"'To our virtues very kind, And to our faults a little blind.'

"We are all more or less, generally ing, January 11, 1912. more, his handiwork; and it does not become the creature to injure the business of his creator. Without his ingenious, generous and enthusiastic has been keeping pace with the prolabors most of us would never have gress of the city and have always been here; and when he tires of us given good motion pictures. The first "He is the pack horse of every we will retire to private life, amid of the week they put in a new floor. the church, a leader in the crusade of 'pie,' are to be distributed, by some tures. strange lapse of the human memory. The management has fairly earned thorough plainsman, and can see a is generally forgotten.

community, the promoter of every rural scenes propitious for secret elevated at the rear so that the screen laudable enterprise, the worst under- meditation and silent prayer. (Laugh- and stage are in plain view from any paid laborer in the vineyard. Count- ter.) Working night and day during chair in the house. They also added ing his space as his capital, he gives the campaign, often without money a new and splendid plane to their more to charity, his means considered, and without price, when the election musical equipment, and which they re- ager of the Amarillo Life Insurance

is over, the victory won and the ceived Wednesday. You will now hear Co., of Amarillo, was in our city on loaves and fishes, now vulgarly called good music as well as see good pic- business this week, and gave The

the liberal patronage accorded the bright future for all the Plains coun-Horace Greeley was certainly one Majestic.

of the greatest editors the world ever saw. His letter to William H. Seward. in 1854, announcing 'the dissolution of the political firm of Seward, Weed sented. and Greeley, by the withdrawal of the junior partner, is one of the wit-

tiest, most caustic, and most pathetic

epistles in American literature.

"Horace's wrathful statement, part many another rural editor. After stating that in 1837 Weed and other friends of Seward asked him to run a campaign weekly paper, he consalary for a year. I named \$1,000, which they agreed to; and did the work required to the best of my ability. It was work that made no figmade no figure and created no sensation, but I love it'-as the country editor loves it-'and I did it well. When it was done you (Mr. Seward) worth \$3,000 to \$20,000 per year to ary obligations.

"I commend the entire letter to politicians and to editors. It makes have caled 'mighty interesting read- States. ing,' in the light of Greeley's revenge by aiding to defeat Seward for the Presidency, at Chicago, six years later, and augmenting his emoluments. He is as faithful to the people as the needle to the pole."-The Clarksburg (West Va.) Exponent, Thursday Morn-

The management of the Majestic

CANYON VS. SAN MARCOS.

Representatives of Two Normals Debate on Live Political Subject.

Special to The Herald. Canyon, Texas, April 30 .- The Inter-Collegiate debate between Canyon Normal and San Marcos Normal, April 27, subject, "Resolved; That the System of Direct Legislation Known as the Initiative and Referendum Should Be Adopted in Texas," was largely attended, and listened to with keen interest. Messrs. R. Guy Rogers and John E. Younger held the affirmative. while Alfred Cherry and A. E. Zellers, of San Marcos, held the negative. So well did the negative deserve its victory that we who originally maintained the views of the affirmative are now on the negative side.

Gov. O. B. Colquitt spoke here April 29th, at 8:30 a. m., to a large audience, A special train went from here to Amarillo to meet him. President Cousins, members of the faculty and prominent citizens went on the special. He went from here to Tulia. Plainview and other points south.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

The program committee of the Epworth League of the M. E. Church, South, announces the following as the order of the service at the meeting on next Sunday afternoon, May 5: Subject-"The Prophet and the Period of His Activity. Are Men the Product of the Times in Which They Live?" (Studies in Jeremiah.)

Song. Psalm. Prayer Song. Lesson-Jer. 1:1-3; Gal. 1:15-24.

"The Dark Background"-Miss Effic Gilliland. "His Birth"-Mr. Gussie Pickett.

Reading-Miss Juston Dickey. "Jeremiah's Education"-Miss Vera

"The Call"-Miss Willie Young. Quartette: "The Prophet's Message" - Mrs Ferguson

"Jeremiah, the Man"-Miss Della "Are Men the Product of Their Pime?"-Mr. Roy Terrell.

Song. Announcements. League Benediction. Leader-Mr. Pearce.

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JUNIOR LEAGUE.

The Junior League of the Methodist Church, South, will render the following program on next Sunday afternoon, May 5:

Hymn (No. 155). Scripture Reading (Mark, first

Prayer. Hymn (No. 156).) Short talk on "What Is an Ideal

Junior League?" by DeAlva Harris. Piano Solo-Charlie Ferguson. "How the League May Help the Church"-Miss Hattie Workman.

Recitation-Thelma Gilbert. Piano Solo-Madge Hamilton. Prayer-Hester Jordan. League Benediction. Leader-Noema Harris.

Mr. Robert Elliott, the General Man-Herald a pleasant call. He is a 'Count the Indians on



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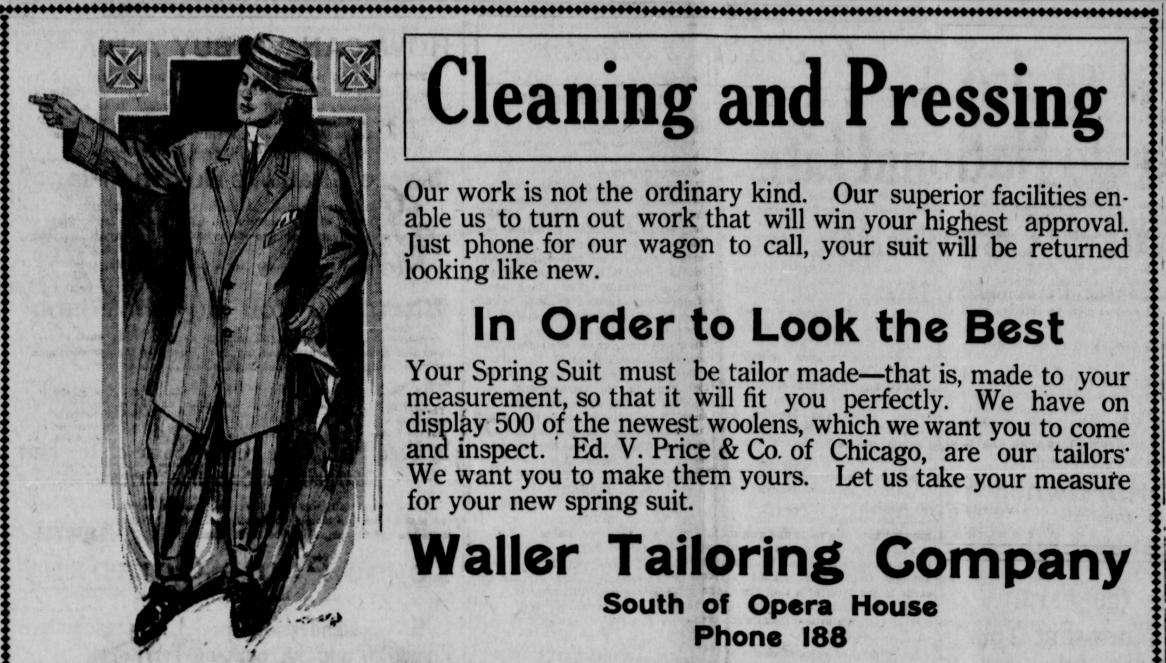
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A TRIP TO PLAINVIEW.

Irrigation is Found to Have Wrought Great Changes in Plainview Country. miring the neat cottages and splendid

By E. VANDEVENTER.

Time: 1925.

(Continued from last week.)

I next took a car marked "Chatauqua Grounds," which went south on his methods. I was struck with the went out somewhere on what used to out. be the vacant section. The open

Our car stopped near a large assemfor public speaking. On one of the never more to leave the Plains. benches I saw a bunch of literature advertising "The South Plains Annual Chatauqua," which was to be held the ! next week. In a prominent place on the program was the name of "D. L. by local applications, as they cannot

view. I had only gone a few blocks faces. when Mr. S. J. Frye boarded the car.
He was carrying a small grip under his arm. After exchanging greetings, he said, in high glee, that the recount Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars traces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by he said, in high glee, that the recount Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars traces. of ballots had given him the assessor- lars, free. ship again. He was on his way to the little natural grove two miles east of town, where he was going to celebrate the victory all by himself, with a picnic dinner. He had his dinner pation. in the telescope.

Over on the rise, near the Pennock residence, was a large brick building. on which was inscribed "Plainview Osteopathic Sanitarium." The Drs. Pennock were in charge of the institution. A few blocks further east was the building of the "Odd Fellows' Orphan's Home."

The Santa Fe section was cut up in twenty-acre blocks, with a family on each little farm.

On either side of the road, as we went east, the improvements were so close together as to make it virtually one big village. Very few of the houses could I recognize. However, near the place where the interurban crosses the railroad, I saw the ruddy face of Roger Mayhugh, in his big straw hat, as he waved his hoe at me. Garden followed orchard and hay field followed garden in rapid succession for miles as we sped on eastward. I was bound for the Clink- are agents for Nissley Creamery Co. scales farm, of which I had read so of Fort Worth. Highest price paid much. Mr. Clinkscales had a Nation- and your checks every week. Bring wide reputation as a Socialist writer in your Eggs, Poultry and Hides. and philosopher. He was called the Southeast corner square. "Tolstoi of America." He had divided his section up in ten-acre blocks, and | • • a family lived on each. He lived on one of the blocks, and, like Tols. i, worked eight good hours a day. His example and teachings of industry and economy had been the inspiration of the laboring class of two continents. His colony of sixty-four families was known as a model community, and was sometimes called the "Clinkscales

Sixty-Four," after the title of one of

As I stood in one of the lanes, adgardens, the great Socialist himself came along, in his rough clothes, rubber boots, with spade in hand. He showed me his home, in all respects like the others on the place, but with many pretty rose vines entwined about the porch. He then explained to me Pacific Street to near Mr. Von Struve's simplicity of the plans and the perfect residence, and then turned west. We manner in which they were carried

The picture of contentment and prairie was now a great park, with plenty impressed me deeply. Mr. fine groves and walks in every direc. Clinkscales had no trouble in persuading me to come back to this goodly land. So I started East on the next bly hall which was evidently meant train, to bring my family, resolving

(The end.)

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

Morgan, Poet and Humorist, author of reach the diseased portion of the ear. The Windy Panhandle." A little There is only one way to cure deaf- hapy parents of a girl, born Saturday further down appeared the name of ness, and that is by constitutional morning. "Uncle Jack" Lovvorn, in his charac- remedies. Deafness is caused by an teristic address. "Seventy Years inflamed condition of the Eustachian tucky, is visiting with his daughter, Tube. When this tube is inflamed you Mrs. F. Robards. A short distance west were the race have a rumbling sound or imperfect Mr. and Mrs. Riley came to Kress I want to pay you for that grain partial towards a live town. tracks and grand stands, polo hearing, and when it is entirely closed Wednesday, and took the train for that is going to get Hailed out. Do grounds, ball grounds and band Deafness is the result, and unless the Plainview. stands. After looking over the place inflammation can be taken out and and enjoying the cooling shade of the this tube restored to its noraml condi- at the Central Plains school, eight Building. parks for some hours, I took a car tion, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused When I reached the square I took a by Catarrh, which is nothing but an Lockney interurban, east of Plain- inflamed condition of the mucous sur-

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CULBERSON MEASURES GOES.

Senate Calls for Report of Campaign Contributions of Recent Elections.

Washington, D. C., April 29 .- The Senate today adopted the Culberson resolution calling for a full report of the contributions made to the National committees of all parties in the Presidential and Congressional campaigns in 1904 and 1908. The inquiry is entrusted to the Committee on Elections, | which is instructed to supply the Senate with full information as to amounts as well as to give the names of contributors. The committee is clothed with the usual powers of investigating committees.

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C. W. Burk, the miller, went to Tulia

A produce company was organized in Kress Saturday. Mrs. Jordan, of Kress, visited Sun-

day at F. Rousser's.

a caller in Kress Monday. April 30th.-There was an ice cream social in Kress Saturday night.

Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Young, of Auburn, were callers in Kress Thurs-

Judge Hall, of Tulia, was visiting at F. Roberd's the latter part of the list the past week.

Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. George Bagley are the grond.

Mr. J. S. Hundley, of Danville, Ken- visit in East Texas.

miles west of Kress, on the afternoon of May 5th.

WHITFIELD.

April 30th.-The literary at Providence was well attended Saturday night; also the box supper. There Rev. J. H. Abney, of Plainview, was were 26 boxes sold, and the net proceeds were \$23.75, which goes for the benefit of the society and tuning the

> Mrs. Myrtle Glaize and Miss Hammer were the guests of Mrs. Palmer closing out this stock, so they can reover Sunday, from Plainview.

S. M. Nations has been on the sick

Singing Convention next Sunday at Prairieview. All Sunday School eral hundred square feet of floor room, ing her daughter, Mrs. Hadley, last classes are cordially invited to attend. giving better light, better ventilation, There will be a basket dinner on the

Misses Alice and Josie Williams re turned home last Monday, from their Erath County, before coming here, but

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At 8 p. m. on the previous Sunday, May 12, Rector Edwin Weary, of Amarillo, will preach the Baccalaureate sermon. Rev. C. N. N. Ferguson, of the Methodist Church, South, has kindly tendered the class the use of his elegant church for the evening, and will assist in the service, to which the public is cordialy invited, as also to the commencement program, which is

Invocation. Class Song.

Salutatory-Susie Tudor. Instrumental Quartette.

Class Poem-Vera Holland. Male Quartette.

Presentation of Key of Knowledge-Tannie Sheffy.

Response-Casey Hughes, of the Junior Class.

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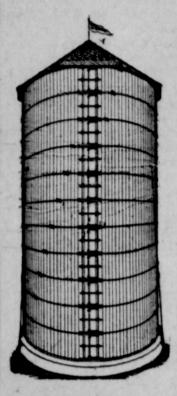
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A large assemblage of friends gathered at the Hotel Ware last Friday evening, to do honor to the invitations were met on the stairway by Misses Allene Smith and Bess Clingman, who conducted them to the dressing rooms, after which they were greeted at the door of the spacious reception room with cordial words of welcome, by Mr. and Mrs. Edgar B. Hughes, Dr. Effie Casey.

With graceful courtesy, each one was shown, by Mrs. J. O. Wyckoff, to birth-flower of the hostess. the punch bowls. The latter were placed within an alcove where vases of stately American Beauty roses contributed their fragrance and loveliness to the scene. From prettily decorated Georgia Brashears served nectar to effect. The menu was as follows: the arriving guests.

Groups of house plants were placed Tomato Bullion at intervals around the room, forming a pretty background for the brilliant assemblage, while black cats, grouped upon the walls and suspended in mid-air, gave the charm of mystery to the event. Misses Ona Vaughn and Mildred Buchheimer pinned score cards in the form of a tiny black cat daughter's guests, Mrs. Towery was upon each guest, the kitties them- assisted by Mrs. R. S. Griffin and selves being the artistic handiwork of Misses Ayme and Lula Faulkner. Miss Ina Dowden.

Black cats of solemn visage were used as markers at the twenty-six tables placed for the amusement of the guests.

are always associated old maids-no ceiving by Mrs. Pennock and Miss one knows why-therefore, the guests Marguerite Van Deventer. were not astonished when the game of our childish hearts, was produced.

game.

brick cream, angel and devil food and punch, were served. cake and coffee with whipped cream | Those present besides the class were were served to the delighted guests, Mesdames E. Van Deventer, Prudie who conceded, one and all, that for Wright, Misses Ollie and Ora Moore, originality, brilliancy and perfect ap- Susie Minor, Howell, Van Deventer pointment the party Friday evening and Green; Messrs. Carl Knupp. of the city.

Later, numerous dainty looking packages, pentils that would not write, boxes of innocent looking

Mrs. W. B. Joiner and Alice Harrel for the evening. The first was a dear little live kitten, wearing a red ribbon served next morning. around its neck; the latter, a "bracer," as a consolation prize.

son, Misses Bess and Daisy Clingman, son. Allene Smith, Gwendolyn Hanby, Georgia Brashears, Ona Vaughn, Mildred Buchheimer, Ina Dowden, and Harold and Casey Hughes. . . .

RECITALS

lovers of Plainview, the recitals given Five Hundred, and pretty score cards every spring by the music pupils of distributed among the guests. Mrs. Eva L. Barnes, took place last | Before beginning the game, a three-Friday and Saturday evenings, at the course hot supper was served. The Schick Opera House. Both nights the menu included the following dainty building was crowded to its utmost dishes; creamed chicken, mashed po-

the younger pupils, these little tots by Miss Mildred Buchheimer. showing an enthusiasm and skill won derful to behold.

In addition to the excellent piano music given by the youthful musicians, will hold their First Annual Class Rethere were several pretty drills and cital, at the First Christian Church, on plays, showing patient training on the Thursday. May 9th. part of Mrs. Barnes and quite a good deal of histrionic talent on the part of the children. The noticeable features were the "Will o' the Wisp" and the Queen of May.

Special mention should be made of the vocal solos given by little Resanne Hulen and Elizabeth Hunsaker, who charmed the audience with their sweet

larger children, consisting mainly of hall. difficult piano solos, duets and quarthem showing a knowledge of the com- and how to insure his customers posers and skill in interpreting them. pleasant time.

The program was varied by a beautiful taper drill, and a musical comedy at the last.

pupils, and also one of the most tal- | 000.

HER TWELFTH BIRTHDAY. Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Towery entertained on Tuesday afternoon, from four-thirty to seven-thirty, in honor received the week previous. They of the twelfth birthday of their little daughter, Ruth.

Twenty-five friends of the little girl assembled at the Towery home, 212 Railroad Ave., each bringing a pretty rememberance. The springtide was remembered in the decorations of yellow and white for parlors and dining and Mrs. James W. Grant and Miss room. The table was beautiful with spring flowers. The place cards, which were painted by Mrs. Towery herself, were favored with daisies, the

The party, which was one of the prettiest and largest of the juvenile functions of the year, was also original in its appointment. The games for the afternoon represented tables, Misses Ina Dowden. Daisy the four seasons, and the course Clingman, Gwendolyn Hanby and luncheon served carried out the same WINTER

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MRS. LITTELL ENTERTAINS.

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An impromptu program, consisting "Progressive Old Maid," so dear to of readings, piano music and violin solos, duets, quartettes, quintettes and Soon each table was the center of ensemble playing, was carried out. a merry group of players, each eager After the program, the party took part to rid themselves of the famous old in musical games and contests. Mr. lady who is the bete noire of the Knupp and Mr. Bob Montgomery were successful in winning prizes. Re-After a series of merry rounds, freshments, consisting of ice cream

was unparalleled in the social records Hoover, E. Van Deventer, Bob Montgomery, Noland Brown and Ray Jones,

+ + + SLUMBER PARTY.

Thursday night of last week Miss cigars, and tempting looking choco- Jo Keck entertained eight of her girl lates, were handed round, each prov- friends with a slumber party. After ing a complete sell to those who par- a cosy supper at the Keck home, 209 took, but causing much merriment to Archer Street, the party went to the Majestic, and afterwards to Willis' drug store, where cooling confections were enjoyed. To complete a delight-

The following enjoyed the hospitality: Misses Edna and Florence Harrington, Mae Kinder, Allie Ware, Bet-In the house party were Mr. and tie Knight, Eula Mae Alley, Mildred Mrs. J. O. Wyckoff, Mr. M. D. Hender- Buchheimer and Annie Maud David-

> . . . FIVE HUNDRED PARTY.

An attractive party was given last evening (Thursday) by Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bethel, 704 Washington Street. Yellow was favored for the decora-The great annual event to the music tions. Seven tables were placed for

capacity, even standing room being tatoes, baked potatoes; peach patty. slaw, hot rolls, ices, cake, coffee. The first evening was devoted to Mrs. Bethel was assisted in serving + + +

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Chock has the tables and he knows tettes by the advanced pupils, each of just how to run a quiet, orderly house

\$200,000 CATTLE DEAL.

The last feature of the program was | Mr. W. E. Halsell, of Kansas City, he awarding of the gold medals for owner of the Spring Lake ranch, west proficiency and rapid progress. These of this city, is in town today for the were won by Misses Leta Green, purpose of receiving six thousand Ruby Hatcher and little Mildred Pen- caltle which he purchased from the ry, the last being one of the youngest K W ranch people, at a cost of \$200,-

Mr. Halsell is one of the biggest Mrs. Barnes is an artist. She is also ranchmen in Texas, and has been very a teacher of ability, her great pop- successful all along the line. He has ularity being testified by her immense decided that hereafter he will make his Texas headquarters in Plainview.

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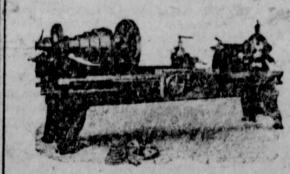
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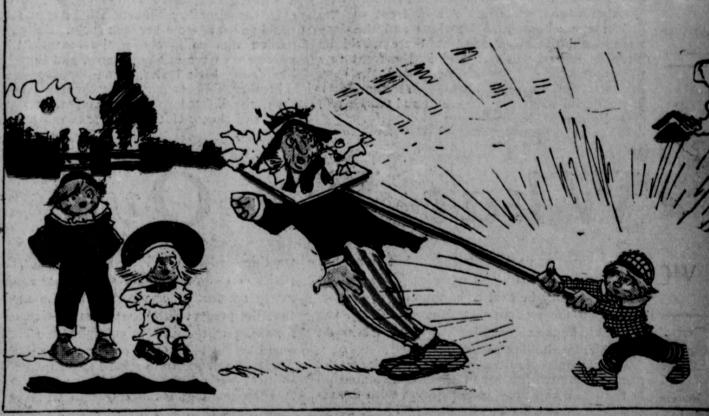


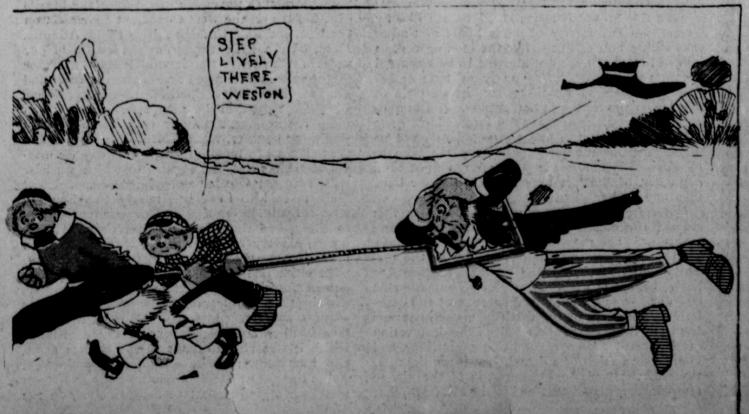














Polly Anne's Graduation

Carolyn Sherwin Bailey

It seemed like a beautiful fairy tale, but even better than one, because it was true. Polly Anne was going to graduate!

The Sharon district school was small, and made of all the old boards left from the torn-down barns and fences and farms for a radius of ten miles around. It was red, once, but the rains had washed it to a dingy brown and it fairly squatted by the wayside, John Henry said, as if it had sort of lost its ambition and had made up its mind never to get up and move any nearer the village than the crossroads. Its windows looked, with their green wooden shutters, like half-closed eyes, and even the front door hung crookedly on its hinges as if it were tired of opening and shutting so many times, and for so many years.

But because we haven't a fine schoolhouse, children," Miss Dawkins, the teacher, said, "is no reason why our standard of scholarship should be low.

"You have all tried hard this term, and some of you have made remarkable progress.

"Sarah Tibbets is going into the first class in

grammar after the vacation.' Sarah smiled superciliously, and there was a titter from the back row of little girls because everybody knew that Sarah Tibbets wrote poetry, and had decided to be an authoress.

The Simpson twins have learned all their tables, and will be promoted into fractions. Polly Anne-

The anxious, freckled little girl in the clean, patched dress who sat in one of the front seats looked up eagerly.

'Polly Anne Tibbets has worked very hard. She has finished interest, and Asia Minor, and the longer speller. Although she is only ten years old, I have put her name on the list of children for the graduating class this year of the Sharon district school."

Back of Miss Dawkins's desk there hung a big, dingy map of one-half of the world. As Polly Anne heard the wonderful news, it seemed to her as if Miss Dawkins had somehow become a part of that map, as she stood facing the roomfull of children. Whenever Polly Anne tried to think after that, how South America looked, she could only see Miss Dawkins on the map, her white apron covering up the tropics, and the pencil behind her ear sticking up as far as Mexico.

Polly Anne was going to graduate!

She took down her sunbonnet from its nail on the back wall, but she forgot to put it on, and all the long way home past the apple orchards, new hung with green, and the waving cornfields, she walked as if through some fairy-land.

Mother Tibbets thought it was wonderful, too She was kneading bread at the kitchen window when Polly Anne reached home and told her that she was in the graduating class. She took her hands out of the dough and wiped them on her apron so she could hold Polly Anne's tw chubby cheeks and kiss her.

"And after you graduate, Polly Anne," Mother Tibbets said, "there's no knowing but someway you can go to the seminary.

"But your dress, child. How ever are we go-

ing to get you a graduating dress?"

Her graduating dress! Why, that had never entered Polly Anne's mind. Of course, she would need a graduating dress. The old district school would be hung with vines of trailing wild blackberry and wistaria. All in front of the little stage where Miss Dawkins and the dear Parson and the selectmen sat, there would be tin pails full of daisies. And in the front row the graduating class would be seated, the boys in their best black suits and the girls in wonderful white dresses-mull and muslin and dotted swiss.



Polly Anne's garden was so lovely in the moonlight

"There's your green merino, Polly Anne, but it's too warm for that, and your print with the red dots, or your blue calico. They're both whole, and they might do nicely if they were starched extra stiff-

"Oh, mother, dear!" There were tears in Polly Anne's eyes.

"It has to be white. I couldn't graduate in a

"Well," Mother Tibbets sighed as she put her hands back in the bread dough, "there isn't an inch of white stuff in the house but that piece of cheese-cloth I bought for a set of new jellybags. It's pretty fine, and it's white, but of course it's nothing but cheese-cloth."

Polly Anne didn't say anything. She went on with the day's chores, and she did the supper dishes, and then she went to bed, but there were a few tears on her pillow before she closed her

Mother Tibbets sat by the kitchen window for a while. Everybody in the house was asleep, even Grandmother Tibbets, whose gentle snores could be heard from her own room. Polly Anne's garden was so lovely in the moonlight. The sweet peas were in bloom, now, and they looked like dainty little ladies,

Mother Tibbets smiled at them a while and then she lighted the lamp and took a folded length of cheese-cloth from the top of her mend-

ing basket. She laid it out on the kitchen table and began cutting it quickly with her big, shining shears. A little skirt, a full waist, a pair of puffed sleeves. Then she sat down again by the window to sew. Mother Tibbets could sew wonderfully fast when she didn't have any interruptions. Before the moon dropped its big yellow head behind the wood lot, Mother Tibbets had finished a quaint little short-waisted cheese-cloth gown with a round neck and full sleeves. She held it up and smiled as she looked at it. Polly Anne was so little, even for ten. Then Mother Tibbets took down the children's box of paints from the mantelpiece and began sketching flowers on the hem of the little white cheese-cloth dress. As she drew the flowers she looked out into the garden and then at her work again, drawing and painting sweet peas on the dress until they seemed to grow all across the bottom, and around the neck, and on the sleeves. It was almost morning when Mother Tibbets finished the painting. The stars were beginning to be outshone by the sunrise as she carried the dainty little gewn into Polly Anne's room and laid it carefully across the foot of the patchwork quilt.

There couldn't have been a prettier day than that of the graduation. Almost everybody in Sharon was crowded into the district school, and the dingy walls were so covered with green, and the graduating children looked so pretty in their

new dresses that no one would have known the old schoolhouse. Miss Dawkins had on a new sprigged muslin, and the dear Parson, in his Sunday suit, sat beside her, to call out the names of the children who were to go up on the stage and speak their pieces.

Ellen Jonas, whose father kept the Sharon store, had a lace dress, and when the Parson called her name, she wasn't one bit afraid. She hurried so fast up the rostrum steps that she stubbed her toe, and she recited her composition on "Shall Woman Vote" without missing one word. Maude Simpson's subject was "The Founders of Our Town," and she traced fliem back to Adam. Then the dear Person called: "Polly Anne Tibbets."

There was a soft Oh! all over the room as Polly Anne stepped up in front of the row of solemn selectmen, and made a shy little courtesy. Mother Tibbets had knotted Polly Anne's brown curls in her neck and put a wreath of real sweet peas on top of her head. The cheese-cloth dress was so pretty that no one would have known that it once thought of being jelly-bags. About Polly Anne's neck were Grandmother Tibbets's pink coral beads, and her cheeks were as pink as the swet peas on her dress because she was a little bit afraid when she looked down at all the

But her clear little voice rose sweet above the summer hum of bees and birds and locusts that

drifted in through the windows. "I didn't write any composition. I'm just going to tell you a story. Once upon a time there was a flower and it got lost. It meant to come up and blossom in the garden of a princess, where it would hear silver bird songs and see crystal fountains and be picked by the soft fingers of the princess. But when this flower opened its petals it wasn't in that sort of a garden at all. It had blossomed in the dingy brown yard back of a dingy brown house, and at first it drooped its head, and was sorry, just a wee little bit sorry, that it had ever come up at all. That was just at first, though. Then the children all came out of the dingy brown house to see it, and they loved it, oh, so much, because there had never been such a flower in their yard before. And the grandmother looked out of her window, and the flower was so pretty that it made her forget how she was shut in because of her rheumatism. And the mother forgot how busy and tired she was when she looked at the pretty flower. So the flower kept on blooming all summer and it grew just as high, and opened out just as wide as it possibly could. You see, it had decided that it liked being the first flower that had ever bloomed in a dingy brown back yard."

"Well done, Polly Anne!" said the dear Parson, so softly that no one but she could hear. Every one clapped, and Polly Anne stepped down from the stage with a diploma tied with yellow and white ribbon that Miss Dawkins gave

her. The children sang their class song and everybody shook hands with everybody else, and the graduating class had icecream and cookies, baked by Mrs. Parson, and all the lemonade they could drink.

It was not until she was taking her happy way home, a little pink-and-white Polly Anne, skipping along the road between the dewy, perfumed fields, that she thought about untying her diploma. There was a big bow, done in quite a numiber of knots. Polly Anne slipped it off without undoing the bow. Then she unrolled the diploma. As she did so a little folded white paper fluttered out and dropped into the road. Polly Anne picked it up and unfolded it and read it in the gathering

It was a receipt for a year's tuition at the Sharon Seminary for Young Ladies, and it was signed, from the Parson, Miss Dawkins and some of Polly Anne's other friends.

What We Owe to the Trees

Trees are man's best friends; but man has treated them as his worst enemies. The history of our race may be said to be the history of warfare upon the tree world. But while man has seemed to be the victor, his victories have brought

upon him inevitable disasters. In the more civilized periods and places the poetic sentiment has found sweet companionship in the trees, and peopled the groves with dryads and fauns, while taste and refinement have planted them near the household dwelling place, and found pleasure in their beauty and shade. The general feeling and course of action, however, has been in an opposite direction. The trees have not only been regarded by man as his lawful plunder, but he has even seemed to find a positive pleasure in their destruction. He has attached no value to them, except for his physical wants, to furnish him fuel and shelter and the material for the industrial arts, and in satisfying these wants as they have arisen he has been reckless of the future. The supply has seemed to be abundant, and the future has been left to care for itself.

In our country we have gone to the forest in a kind of freebooter style, cutting and burning more than we could cut, acting for the most part as though all the while in a frolic or a fight, until now at length, after a century or two of this sort of work, we are waking up to the fact that our once boundless woods are disappearing. and that we are likely to suffer no little loss. thereby. But it is only the few now who seem to have any adequate sense of our condition, as effected by the threatened loss of the trees. In a recent publication, issued by authority of one of our Western states for the express purpose of attracting settlers from European countries, the statistics of its great lumber productions are elaborately set forth, accompanied by the assurance that the present enormous consumption of trees for this purpose may be continued ten or fifteen years longer before the forests will be destroyed. The cool, unconcern in regard to the future shown in this is very noticeable. "After us, the deluge." A corresponding feeling, though working on a much smaller scale, is seen in the following. "Brace up, young man. You have lived on your parents long enough. Buy this farm, cut off the wood, haul it to market, get your money for it, and pay for the farm. The owner estimates there will be 500 cords of marketable wood." And so, all over the country, on the larger scale and on the small, the axe is laid at the roots of the trees, and our forests are disappearing. The modern method of cutting pine timber is criminal. The majority of the big sawmills of Texas and Louisiana now cut all trees from eight inches up in diameter. And the cutting is done in such a reckless manner that for each large tree felled, three to six smaller trees-saplings-are de-

It is estimated that 8,000,000 acres of forest land are cleared every year and that in the ten years previous to 1876, 12,000,000 acres were burned over simply to "clear the land."

So rapid was the destruction of our forests, even in the early days of our history, that in one place and another alarm was felt, and measures were taken for their preservation.

In the town of Hampton, New Hampshire, for instance, we find, as early as 1639, this record: "Woodwards chosen, and no man to fell wood -except on his own lots-without assignment of

them or two of them." Other regulations were also made for cutting and using wood. And here it may be remarked that this word "wood-ward" -the warden or guard of the wood-from which comes our common sirname, Woodward, speaks emphatically of the importance which the early settlers had been accustomed to attach to the forests in the mother country, and which prepared them to exercise some care in the protection of those they found here.

Says a writer in the North American Review: "There was so much alarm in Plymouth Colony on account of scarcity of some kinds of timber that with a half century after the landing certain kinds of lumber were not allowed to be exported except conditionally." As early as 1699 action was taken also in Brookline for the purpose of preserving the timber in that region. But in general the depredations upon the forests have gone on without restraint, and the wonder is not so much that our lumber supplies are not seen to be diminishing so fast as that we have not been cognizant of the fact long ago, or that we have now any timber to care for.

But, after all, we are only following in this respect the course of nations which have gone before us. The nations of Europe and Asia have been as reckless in their destruction of the forests as we have been, and by that recklessness have brought upon themselves immeasurable evils, and upon the land itself barrenness and desolation. The face of the earth in many instances has been changed, as the result of the destruction of the forests, from a condition of fertility and abundance to that of a desert. Such are the relations of the trees to the currents of the air, to temperature, to moisture and to the soil itself, that

without them the earth refuses to be a fit place for the inhabitancy of man,

Never was any region of the earth better fitted by climate, soil and natural adjustments of land and water to each other, for the abode of man in the highest state of civilization, and in the possession of the greatest power, intelligence and happiness-in short, with the promise of the greatest and most permanent prosperity-than that which borders the Mediterranean, and which stretches through Europe from the Straits of Gibraltar on the west to ancient Phoenicia on the east, and back through Africa to the Atlantic. Here, only a little way from the cradle of our race in Western Asia, it would seem the race might have had its home and center of power and glory while the world should last. Greece, Rome, Carthage, Egypt, in the olden times, and Spain in more recent-what nations were these! What wealth and power, what glories of literature and art belonged to them. Even at this day we marvel at their cities, the shrines to which we bow with reverent wonder and admiration. Ancient Italy is said to have had nearly two hundred cities. Spain, in the time of Vespasian, according to Pliny, had three hundred and sixty. Greece was the glory of the world. Palestine was a land "flowing with milk and honey" and crowded with cities and villages. The medals struck in commemoration of the conquest of that country, and bearing the legend "Judaea Capta," bear witness with other historical evidence, to its former fertility and populousness, the resistance which it was able to make to the Roman arms, and how important its conquest was deemed. Asia Minor, now hardly anything but a desert, an unknown region almost to us, had once, on the authority of Gibbon, five hundred populous cities. Great armies, we know, were gathered there, which poured their hostile hordes over Greece. Northern Africa was the home of population and wealth. Three hundred cities acknowledged the sway of Carthage in the time of her renown, and she was able to contend with Rome for the supremacy. Libya was once a fertile region. She counted at one time eighty-five Christian bishops, and a population of sixty millions, where now are only sixty thousand.

These lands were once rich and fertile, the very garden of the earth. Their vales and meadows yielded every fruit abundantly. Their hills and mountainsides were green with luxuriant forests. Now what are they? The mere wrecks of their former greatness, like stranded ships upon the shore of time for men to look upon and take warning. Mr. George P. Marsh, one of our most careful and competent authorities on conservation puts the case even more strongly, and few will be disposed to controvert his statements. He says: "There are parts of Asia Minor, of Northern Africa, of Greece and even of Alpine Europe where causes set in action by man have brought the face of the earth to a desolation as complete as that of the moon, and yet they are known to have been once covered with luxuriant woods, verdant pastures, and fertile meadows, and a dense population formerly inhabited those now lonely districts. The fairest and fruitfulest provinces of the Roman Empire, once endowed with the greatest superiority of soil and climate, are completely exhausted of their fertility, or so diminished in their productiveness as, with the exception of a few cases that have escaped the general ruin, to be no longer capable of affording sustenance to civilized man. If to this realm of desolation we add the now wasted and solitary soils of Persia and the remoter East, that once fed their milof vegetable growth, which England is obliged to import from another country, has determined her system of trade with that country, and in a measure shaped the policy of her government has ruled the rulers themselves.

The importance of the forests to any civilized country, and their economic bearing upon its welfare and prospertiy, will be seen if we give the subject only a little attention. It is stated on reliable authority that Great Britain imports every year forest products amounting in value to one hundred million dollars. If, now, we add to this large sum the probable value of similar importations into our own and other commercial countries, we shall at once have some notion of the bearing which the products of the forests have upon the general welfare and comfort of mankind, and their bearing upon national prosperity. In the traffic of our country, therefore, what an important source of industry and thrift is the lum-

The importance of the forests as a supply of fuel for the comfort of man and the prosecution of various industries, is to be considered. We must not forget that the coal, which is simply the surplus forests of former ages stored up and provided for our use, will some time be exhausted, and there is no more coal to be formed when there are no more forests to form the coal beds.

Looked at, moreover, in this aspect of the case, we can see that a country cannot continue to be populous nor highly civilized when its forests or their equivalent in coal are lost to it. But this loss has been experience by many nations. The whole Eastern world, as well as the countries of which we have spoken, was once well wooded. The Roman and Greek writers assure us of this. But vast regions of Europe and Asia, by wars and wantonness and imprudence, have been stripped of their forests. A belt of woodland

near the Gulf of Guayaquil, which is covered by immense forests, the rains are almost continual So on the island of Saint Helena we have the double proof of our problem in the ascertained fact that with the cutting off, some time ago, of the forests with which it abounded, the rains were lessened, and certain crops greatly diminished, and now, in later years, as the woods have been allowed to grow again, the rains have increased in proportion. Sir John Herschel, speaking of this subject, says: "This is no doubt one of the reasons of the extreme aridity of Spain. The hatred of a Spaniard toward a tree is proverbial."

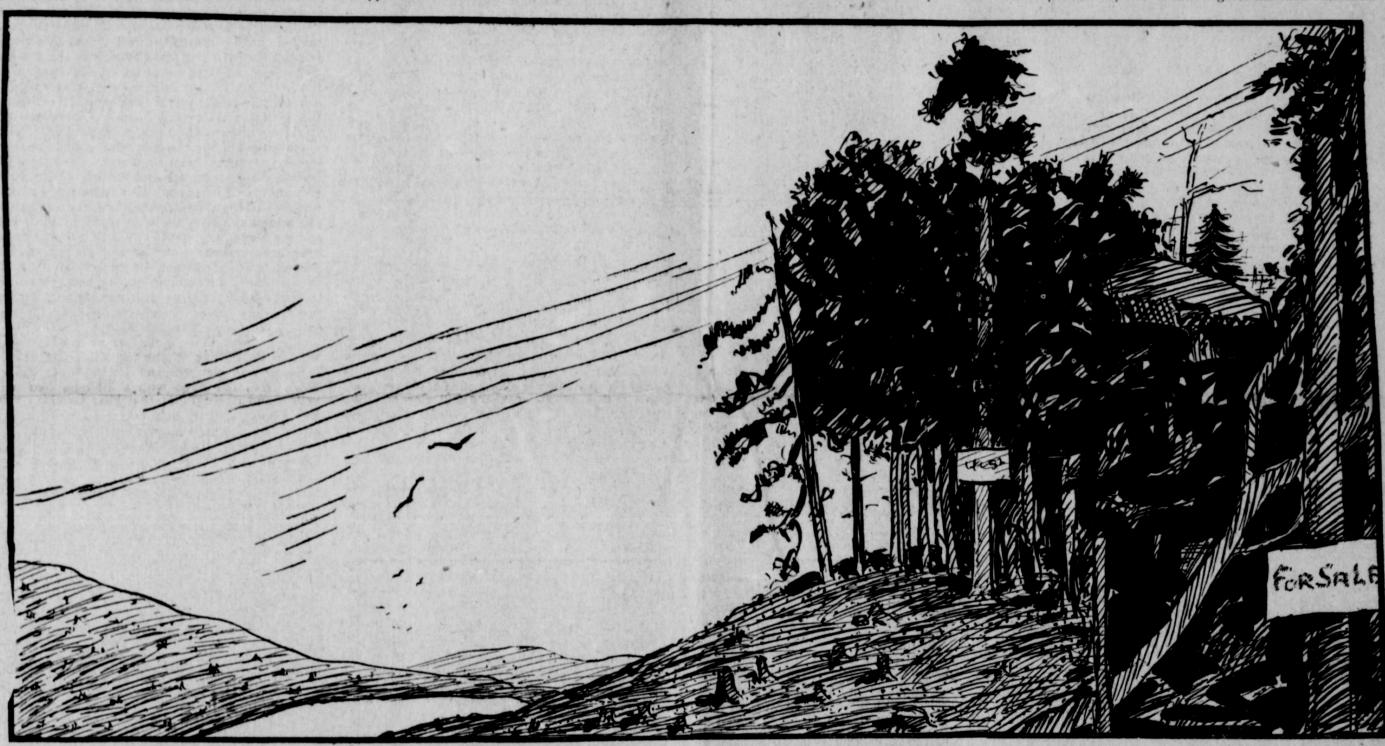
But the forests not only distribute moisture imperceptibly through the atmosphere around them. and thereby modify climate and effect health and agricultural industry, they are also the fountains which issue the streams which flow down the hillsides and along the valleys, furnishing those supplies of water which are so necessary for man and beast, carrying moisture through the fields and increasing their fertility, supplying power to man by which to drive mechanisms of industry and invention, and, as they swell into rivers, bearing on their hosoms to the ocean and to distant marts the products of a nation's harves: fields and factories. Left to themselves, the forests would thus bless the land continually, and be abidingly man's best friend. It is a matter of common observation that water courses have disappeared or been greatly lessened in volume as the forests in their vicinity have been destroyed. Few persons can have grown into maturity in the open country without having had occasion to remark the disappearance of streams with which in their childhood days they were familiar. The pond or the brook where they formerly disported themselves has gone from sight, as have the neighboring woods where they rambled in search of nuts and game. This is the common experience. And

and brooks and rivers, overflowing the adjacent fields, and even sweeping away houses, crops, factories, bridges, inundating whole counties, and not infrequently destroying life. The recent overflow of the Mississippi river was a disaster caused mainly by cut out forests; little was there to obstruct the wild rush of waters gulf-ward. For centuries the great forests of the Mississippi delta have been despoiled by man.

In the intervals between the rains the streams are low, there being no great forest reservoirs to feed them as before. The mill wheels can no longer turn with full force, the cattle miss their wonted springs, the crops suffer for lack of water, busy industries languish and suffering of various kinds ir sues.

But even this is not all. As the flooded streams go down the hillsides, they often become torrents, scooping out the earth itself as with Titan hands, teating up rocks and trees, and bearing them down into the valleys below to cover fertile fields with an avalanche of foul disease-breeding debris, literally driving the husbandmen from their homes.

The most serious effects of the removal of the trees we do not see so often in this country, partly because we have not yet cleared away the trees as extensively as they have in some other countries, and partly because we have a different geological structure, and fewer high mountains to products torrents as the result of the copious rains falling at high altitudes and the rapid melting of great masses of snow among mountains in spring-time. We have enough, however, to illustrate the effect of the destruction of the forest in occasional floods, and in the permanent diminution of the flow of streams. Hardly a river in our country runs with as full a stream as it formerly had except at flood time. It is the common fact that our manufacturers have been compelled to place steam engines in their factories



Cut over land which has had no replanting of trees

lions with milk and honey, we shall have a territory larger than all Europe, the abundance of which sustained in bygone centuries a population scarcely inferior to that of the whole Christian world at the present day, entirely withdrawn from human use, or, at best, inhabited by tribes too few, poor, and uncultivated to contribute anything to the general moral or material interests of mankind. The destructive changes occasioned by the agency of man upon the flanks of the Alps, the Appennines, the Pyrenees, and other mountain ranges of Southern Europe, the progress of physical deterioration, have become so rapid that in some localities a single generation has witnessed the beginning and the end of the melancholy evo-

The destructive changes of which Mr. Marsh speaks so strongly have been occasioned mainly by the removal of the forests, the natural friends and protectors of man and of the earth. The harmonies of nature were thus broken up, and disturbance and destruction, came as a matter of course. Undisturbed by man, the woods would maintain themselves. The tree, falling in the forest by natural decay or from any other cause, would soon have its place filled by another, and so the succession of vegetable life would be maintained from age to age. But when the trees are swept off in masses, whether by fire or by the axe, whether by an army seeking strategic advantage, or as the result of the cupidity or carelessness of those intent upon pecuniary gain, the places thus denuded of trees often remain so. And when in any country large portions of its area thus from any cause are laid bare, it requires but a little consideration of the subject to see that such a changed condition of the surface may bring about other changes. The careful observer will see that natural causes not only produce great and even unexpected results in the field of nature. but that they are productive also of great political and moral results. Within the memory of the present generation a single article of commerce

stretching from the Pyrenees to the Himalayas has been swept away, and that whole region, once fertile and populous, now barely sustains a people scanty in numbers. It is a significant fact that great deserts now occupy the original seat of the human race, and extend on every route of their migrations.

Humboldt is reported as saying: "Men in all climates seem to bring upon future generations two calamities at once—a want of fuel and a scarcity of water." The two come alike from the destruction of the forests, as a little consideration will show.

The importance of water for successful agricultural operations has always been understood. It is only within a comparatively recent period, however, that the relations of the forests to the water supply and its distribution have been ascertained, and they are not fully understood even now. Enough is known, nevertheless, to warrant some very important conclusions. It is well established that the forest, except in winter, is colder than the open ground. There will naturally, therefore, be more condensation and precipitation of the moisture of the atmosphere in a wooded region than in one destitute of trees.

The lower temperature of the woods will also make itself felt more for some distance above the trees, and tend to precipitate the moisture of the higher air. Then, also, without making anything of a somewhat extended belief that the forests, especially when situated upon hills and mountains, draw the clouds and the rain, we can see that elevated forests would act as an impediment to passing clouds, and by their very obstruction condense their moisture and cause its precipitation. This effect of the forests will not be limited to their own area, but will extend more or less to the open ground beyond them, causing the rain to fall upon them for a considerable distance, when but for the vicinity of the forests they might not have been touched by it. An eminent scientific writer states that in a region

as these springs and rivulets and brooks have vanished or dwindled in volume, so have the larger water courses into which they have flowed, and which they fed, been lessened in size. They have furnished diminished supplies to the farmer for the irrigation of his fields and lessened power to the wheels of the manufacturer. We have few trustworthy and exact observations on this point in our country. In Europe they are more abundant. The River Elbe between the years of 1787 and 1837 was found to have a lessened depth of ten feet, as the result of the cutting off of the forests where the tributaries of that stream have their origine A similar result has been found in the case of the Danube, the Oder and other streams.

But an evil, as important as the diminution of the streams is the irregularity of their flow, which is also the result of the removal of the forests. The fall of the leaves from year to year, and their accumulation in the forests, creates there a soft, spongy soil, or humus, which catches the water as it falls from the clouds, or the water of the dissolving snows, and instead of allowing it to flow off at once, retains it as in a great reservoir, from which it oozes away gradually through a thousand springs and rivulets, which find their way down the hillsides, and slopes into the valleys, and there unite in larger streams, which are kept in steady volume by the regular flow of the many head springs above. Thus the forests become great storehouses of power and fertility for man, upon which he can safely count in all his pursuits and occupations which are at all dependent upon the flow of water. But let the forest be swept of by the recklessness or the cupidity of man, and the first effect, besides lessening the rainfall, is to dry up the humus, as it is exposed to the sun and the winds. As it is thus dried, it is soon carried away by both wind and rain. The spongy surface being thus removed, the falling rains have nothing to detain them, but rush at once down the hillsides, filling the beds as auxiliary to the water power they have, or to supply the lack of it in the seasons of drought. Even when they have done this they have often also built artificial reservoirs among the hills, at great expense, to take the place of those natural ones which the forest furnished without cost.

But in Europe and elsewhere in the Old World the most fearful losses from the removal of the forests are frequently incurred. Witness the flood which in 1880 desolated Szegedin, in Hungary, and that which in 1881 took place in Spain—poor Spain, which long ago sunk in power because she had not timber enough in her wasted forests to keep alive her navy! So in France, and elsewhere along the Alps, in Germany, Austria and Italy, they have learned by bitter experience that the trees are their best friends.

So important a place have the forests come to occupy in the estimation of European people, on account of their value as sources of fuel and lumber, as well as their relation to agriculture, to climate and to health, that the care and management of them have become one of the most important employments of private landholders, and of the many corporate bodies, including states and kingdoms, which are the possessors of forest domains. The state forests of France yield an annual revenue of over \$5,000,000. Many of the provinces and departments also are large forest proprietors. Germany has millions of acres in forest, and you pay a fine there if you cut down a tree and do not replant a tree in place of the one you cut down.

We have left ourselves space only to allude to the value of trees as shelters from injurious winds and from malarious influences. The vicinity of a forest, or even a few rows of trees, is a great protection, not only to man and beast, but to growing crops, from violent or cold winds. Such a shelter belt often makes the difference between success and failure to the husbandman. The best observers estimate that if one-fourth of the fields devoted to agriculture were planted with trees, properly distributed, the remaining three-fourths would yield as large returns of crops as are now gathered from the whole, while the produce of the trees in fuel and timber would be a clear additional gain.

Trees also, aside from the fact that they absorb carbonic acid and exhale oxygen, and so promote the salubrity of the atmosphere, are found to be a very effective protection against malarious influences. The planting of only a single row of trees has produced a perceptible effect, while belts of trees planted in the vicinity of pestilential marshes have rendered them no longer noxious to those living near them.

It is pretty well settled now that for the best interests of most countries, not less than a fourth part of their area should be permanently in forest. Wherever this proportion is not preserved, harmful consequences sooner or later ensue. But in Europe the forests are cherished and cared for not only on this account, but as being one of the most important industrial resources of a country. Science and art are employed not only to preserve a proper amount of woodland, for the best developments of other interests, sanitary and economic, but to produce the largest pecumary returns from the forests themselves. The conditions for the best growth of the forest as a direct source of income are studied as carefully as are those for the growth of wheat and corn. By constant experiment and observation, in connection with the schools of forestry, it is ascertained what trees are best adapted to grow in particular soils or with particular exposures, which flourish best in a moist and which in a dry atmosphere, which in elevated and which in low situation. It is found, also, that trees, like human beings, are not only social in their nature, and will grow better when planted together in masses than when obliged to grow singly and apart from each other, but that they like a varied society; that the pine, for instance, will flourish better, will develop its nature more fully, attain a grander stature and a better quality, when planted in company with the oak or other trees different in character from itself, than when it is limited to the companionship of its own kind. The same is true of other trees, and it is only as the result of a nice and protracted study that the affinities of trees or their preferences in this respect can be determined. Then, also, it has been found that trees come to their best when a rotation of crops is observed, as in the case of the grains and grasses, and so the officers in charge of the governmental and other forests have it for one of their duties to determine what classes of trees shall succeed each other, and in what order.

Under this forestry management now, so well established in every country of Europe, the woodlands or forests have as constant oversight and care as the corn field has with us. The forest is not, as here, a haphazard and accidental growth,

with which man has little to do except to watch its progress, and levy upon its resources according as they may serve his convenience or his greed, but the trees are regarded as one of the staple crops of the land. They are planted for a definite end-fuel or timber-but so planted as to conserve all other interests of the community. This planting is prepared for with due reference to the fact that the crop is not to be gathered at the end of a few months, but only at the expiration of a century or more. From the sprouting of the pine seed or the acorn in the seed bed until it has attained its growth and come to its destined harvest time, a hundred and twenty years it may be afterward, not a year passeswe might almost say not a day--when it is not looked after with care, and everything done which will promote its best growth. What shrubs or trees shall be planted near it to protest its infant feebleness, how near they shall be planted, how soon one and another shall be removed in order to give it more light, and more room in which to develop itself, what insects are preying upon it and threatening to check its growth, what symptoms of feebleness are manifest, and what may be done for their removal -these and many other things are taken into consideration; and the tree is thus watched over not by one person, but by many, and by generation after generation whom it outlives. Then, again, if a piece of forest is planted with a view to a yield of fuel, it will have a different treatment from that which will be given it if it is designed to produce timber or lumber for use in the constructive arts. The most economical method of cutting the trees when arrived at maturity, and the best means of getting them to

tion, will also be carefully studied. Then, furthermore, the forests will be carefully guarded against all browsing animals, which the experience of European foresters have proved are among the most destructive agencies against which they have to contend.

market, whether by land or water transporta-

Ignore the matter as we may, shut our eyes to facts as we please, we are rapidly approaching the condition of things in Europe which has called for the interposition of governmental authority for the preservation of the very soil itself from hopeless barrenness and to protect great national industries from permanent injury,

While in some portions of our country there is still an ample supply of forest, the latest statistics show that in the proportion of forest area to the entire surface this country stands below Norway, Sweden, Russia and Germany. A great treeless belt from three hundred and fifty to eight hundred miles in width stretches from the Gulf of Mexico to the Arctic ocean. Sometimes this is destitute of trees as far as the eye can see. Elsewhere there are fringes of trees along the river courses. Other similar detached forests are occasionally found, Beyond the

Rocky mountains, again, there is another treeless region, extending from the Columbia river to Mexico, and Prof. Brewer says it is possible to cross the continent from the Pacific to the Gulf of Mexico without passing through a forest five

It is encouraging to see the signs of awakening interest in this subject which are appearing in various parts of the country. The very necessity of their situation have aroused the people of some of our Western states to action. In Kansas, Nebraska and other states liberal premiums have been offered for the encouragement of tree-planting, and already in many portions of the prairie region a perceptible change has taken place, and the eye no longer wanders over great space without sight of shrub or tree. Many of our states have their forestry associations, and reports indicate that millions of trees are planted each "Arbor Day," as it is called, or tree-planting day, devoted especially to the planting of trees.

The great railroad companies whose roads stretch across the treeless prairies, have become in some instances large planters of trees, feeling the need of them both as screens from the fierce storms that sweep down from the Rocky mountains, and as a source of supply for the ties which are constantly needing renewal.

Tree planters' manuals are published and distributed freely, with a view to aid those who would plant by giving them the experience already obtained in regard to the most profitable trees to plant and the best methods of planting. Thus in some places there is already quite a movement in the right direction. In the reports of planting, the figures make an imposing aggregate. But a liberal discount needs to be made for the probable failure of a large percentage of the trees planted. And even with the most generous estimate in regard to the work of planting, what is accomplished as yet is but a fraction of what needs to be done. It is but the feeble beginning of a vast work,

Our own government's Bureau of Forestry has done splendid work in conserving our forests. It has issued free bulletins on tree-planting and tree-growth, has sent experts to various parts of the United States to obtain data on trees and the best methods of protecting them from injury. Yet we need strict legislative laws like those prevailing in Germany to protect the few remaining trees in this country. Sawmill companies are robbing posterity through commercial exploitation of the forests.

The work before us, therefore, is but just begun. With the utmost that we are likely to do, or can do now, we shall inevitably suffer more than we yet have done before the evils of our present condition can be remedied. Our streams will flow with still less volume than they now do. Floods and drouths more distressing and

destructive than those which have marked the last twenty-five years will yet make us their victims. Tornadoes and sweeping blasts, coming over vast areas where their course is unimpeded by the friendly and protecting trees, will be the scourges stil lof man and beast. Nature bears long with those who wrong her. She is patient under abuse. But when abuse has gone too far, when the time of reckoning finally comes, she is equally slow to be appeased and to turn away her wrath. We must bear her resentments for a time, do what we will, But if we are ready to take lessons from the nations that have gone before us, we may escape most of the bitter sufferings which have been their lot. We can do that which will put a period to the evil results of our own misconduct.

For this purpose the most important and fruitful thing to be done is to spread the facts relating to the subject before the people as widely as possible, that common conviction and common feeling may insure appropriate and harmonious action. The mass of people need to be enlightened in regard to the relation of the trees to water supply, to agriculture, to health-in short, to all the varied life and interest of man. They should have set before them the warnings from the history of the Old World. They need, too, all the facts relating to the growth of trees as related to the peculiar conditions of surface, soil and climate in this country. The problem before us is not to be solved simply by the methods which have been successful elsewhere. There are peculiar elements which call for peculiar treat

How far the general or state governments should be looked to for aid in protecting the existing forests, or in planting where there are none, is a question which will be answered differently by different persons. The magnitudes of the interests concerned is such, and their relation to the welfare of the country so direct and important that, in itself considered, the legislative power might be unhesitatingly invoked. But it is not the policy of the state or national governments to be the owners and managers of great tracts of land, like the European governments. Besides, there would be a great danger of mismanagement if the governmental authority were directly engaged. But so long as the nation, or the separate states are holders of public lands, they may well be expected to protect them from wanton destruction. And it is a sad indication of our ignorance of the true value of the trees, and our consequent indifference, that there should have been hesitation on the part of Congress to protect by all its power the timber lands of the West, scanty in amount at the best, from the thieves and marauders who are threatening by their course to convert vast tracts of land into a desert, and bring upon that portion of our

EXERCISE AS A CURE FOR WORRY.

Worry is a disease. It is usually associated with a physical disorder of some kind. The inclination to worry over trifles is universal. Some people have acquired the worry habit. It sticks to them like an adhesive plaster. Their first mental effort on rising each day is to seek out some unpleasant subject to worry about. One can readily imagine the disappointment that would ensue should a person of this character find nothing to worry about. However, this would be an unusual sensation, for one can always find something to grieve over. If not a misfortune of yesterday, then one of the day before-if not of this year, then of last year. If you are a victim of the worry habit, you are uselessly wasting valuable energy. You can rest assured that life will be of little value to you or to any one elsse. Struggle with might and main to eliminate this enervating pursuit of worry.

Though your mental efforts with this idea in view are unquestionably valuable, physical exercise is of invaluable assistance in this respect. When you find, for instance, that you cannot possibly avoid worrying, then immediately find some means of actively using the muscles of your body. Take a long walk, or play some game in the open air that will keep you continuously and pleasantly occupied. If this is difficult or impossible, take some exercise in your room. Work persistently and vigorously until the blood is bounding through your arteries, until you feel the pulsation of new life stirring your entire physical organism. Realize the tremendous possibilities in life and stop wasting your time with unimportant worries. You must remember that worries are never important, notwithstanding the value they may seem to assume in your life. Their only importance is the power they have for harm, and if their power is evil, then by all means they should be recognized as evil. and every effort should be made to stamp them out of your life. You can rest assured that the exercises taken as a worry cure will accomplish the desired purpose if they are given your entire attention, and use all the muscles of your body and vigorously arouse the activity of your lungs and heart.

THE SERVANT IN THE HOUSE

Every housewife knows, as does her hus-. band, that to get a servant who serves diligently these days is about as posible as to find a pot of gold in one's back yard. To get two reliable servants simultaneously would tax magic. There is, of course, a reason for this dearth. It has become the fashion to put all the blame upon the back of the hireling—which is a pity, for although there are many mistresses who are both just and kind there are more who are neither.

It is complained and justly, that the insolence of servants increases. But why? Obviously, because they have learned insolence in a bitter school. They are fighting their way



THE ROBIN IN MY TREE

Morning and evening up in my tree There sings a robin a ditty to me, Tis-"Cheerily! Cheerily! '-Ah, what a prince of gay fellows is he! With musical chirrup, ringing and clear, He bids me be hopeful, casting out fear; Says-"There is much in this world that is

But still, let's be cheerful!" O, he's a dear!

Picking out worms for his love on the nest, Preening the feathers of red on his breast, When day lies in beauty down in the West In the wind-rocken bough swinging to rest; Before the sun rises out of the sea, Shaking his throat-bells in sweet melody, Greeting the morning from top o' my tree. Brave Robin! Prince of good fellows is he!

By Helen Stuart-Richings.

alone. Between the average mistress and maid there wxaes an eternal duel as to who shall get the better of the other.

"I am not going to do one stroke more than she said when she hired me," murmurs the maid as she falls into bed.

"I'll dock her for that broken cup," decides the drowsy mistres, and so it goes.

Between them flow the turbulent waters of antipathy. The "temperament" of the mistress is "temper" in the maid. If Milady is blue or ill, the Servant in the House must sympathize. If the maid is "blue" of "suffering" she is "groumpy," "lazy," or a "bore." Fifty years ago things were not thus. The

mistres and the maid were friends, without, be it remembered, one tinge of familiarity upon the part of the latter. Their interest in the home was a comomn one. It was not merely another woman's house; it was the real home of the homeless maid until she married or died. She would have been ashamed to "change places" every few weeks, as does the average servant of to-day; she would have blushed to see anything left undone that her nimble fingers could do; as for the rest, a very modest wage sufficed her, cause she valued a home.

Since good feeling is now practically impossible, the servant question should be strictly in accordance with business ethics. At present, so much service for so much money is indicated verbally, which agreement, as a rule, is honored in the breach. A "girl" for general housework should have a written contract, in which her duties should be clearly fixed, and her fines as wail, for willful laxity. So, all along the line of do-mestic service, business methods should prevail. Certain concessions on both sieds may be made later. A maid's individual rights' should be cheerfully accorded; her work is, as a rule, sordid and monotonous. Her bed-

rcom should be plainly but cheerily furnished; well heated in winter, and bearable in summer. She should be allowed to see wellbehaved women friends occasionally in that room after her working hours. If ill her weges should go on as long as she remains in the house. She should be paid promptly, by the week or month as agreed upon; her "days out" as regularly given. Every member of the family should treat her with consideration and politeness. These things seem simple enough, nevertheless it is chiefly because such individual rights have been denied or ignored that those who have been just and kind cry aloud in vain for reliable "help."— Minna Thomas Antrim in Lippincott's Mag-

WHAT TIGHT COLLARS DO.

In a recent number of the Hospital a good deal of evidence was published by a London doctor from investigations he had carried on as to the influence of tight collars. He holds that they produce headache, brain attacks, giddiness, incapacity for work and other nervous symptoms simply by impe ding the circulation to and from the brain. During hot weather these observations are of special importance for heat apoplexy may be favored by any form of tight clothing about the neck. I am not holding a brief for any of the uncouth or extremely ugly forms of dress which some faddists adopt; I do not want to see men and women going about in sandals or without hats, but I am perfectly sure that if everyone endeavored to wear somehwat looser and lighter clothing collars, just a size larger tha usual, and soft-brimmed hats during any period of great heat, they would be better in health and consequently free from that done-up feeling which for many of us is the only drawback to summer

Crumpled, soiled papers blowing down the alleys and stacked in big tin bins in the basements of wholesale houses may not mean much to you, but there is a small fortune in picking up such waste papers for any person who uses system, has a tsong back, and possess as much energy as "Mike" has.

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country irreparable evils.

"Mike" is an Italian paper gleaner of Chicago. He recently bought a three-story brick house with an iron fence around it, down in the Ghetto. and he is said to be worth several thousand dollars, all made by picking up waste papers.

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For eighteen years "Mike" has carried old papers, which nobody else wants, away on his strong back and sells them for 20 cents a hundred to the junk men and paper buyers. He has kept on the trail of waste paper by establishing a route in the wholesale district all these years and has made many friends, who occasionally "tip off" to him a bunch of good papers lying around loose. That is why "Mike" is a real estate owner now.

LOVERS OF SILENCE.

Representative Sulzer, in Washington, compared Russia's silence on the passport question to an unusually silent uncommunicative man.

"This man," he said, "hated all talk. He went into a barber shop to be shaved, and, before seating himself in the chair, he handed the barber

"Oh, thank you sir," said the barber. "I don't care to get my tip before I begin. Thank you, sir, very much.

"That isn't a tip," said the silent man sternly. It's 'hush' money.

BIG DEMAND FOR FETERITA.

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TEXAS POPULATION.

In a bulletin recently issued by E. A. Dana Durand, director of the census bureau of the United States, is given some interesting data relative to the density of population by counties in Texas. The total population of the state is 3,896,542; the total land area is 262,398 square miles, and the average number of people to the square mile is 14.8.

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ORGAN'S MEN

STORIES OF THEIR EXPLOITS

As Told by C. W. GEERS. One of Morgan's Men

dragged him out and when he hours. After roll call, however, the men upon the mule gathered still have our arm. we all returned to our barrack nerve and endurance to bear the Lots of the plug hat and swaland the tunneling was resumed pangs of extreme pain upon the low-tail coat fellows of Chicago with increased energy. Hawkins sharp back of that engine of tor- came into the prison accompanrope. Five years later there were subterranean passage, which had gan's Mule."

soo carriages in Antwerp. by this time reached a point immediately under the beat of one endured did the federals find out here? They generally prome-of the guards that walked in- who dug the tunnel. naded through the prison about of the guards that walked in- who dug the tunnel.

side of the dead line, next to the wall of the prison. His course the guard duty and were sent amazement. Some of the women was immediately above the tun- away from Camp Douglas. This piont was picketed and watched by a company of ne were relieved every two hours in thing like it in the South. groes, dressed in blue uniforms, warm weather, but every half- Occasionally some of the and carrying Spencer rifles, with bour in winter. They had orders guards, in order to torment us, fixed bayonets. As ill-luck would to shoot every prisoner attempt- would walk along the streets of have it, the tunnel here was dug ing to escape or to cross the dead the prison shouting: "All who night. If one prisoner in a whistoo close to the surface, under line; to shoot out all lights seen desire to go South to be exthe sentinel's walk; and to add in the barracks at night; to fire changed fall into line in front of to our luckless plight, a negro upon all squads of three or more your barracks, with all your lugsentinel stepped immediately upon persons who might congregate gage." Immediately there would the tunnel and broke through in on the streets of the prison dur- be great excitement and bustle in mule. front of old man George Dudley, ing the day. The police within spite of the fact that they had who was digging at that spot, the enclosure were armed with been fooled before. They would appear the first week in each Fearing that the negro would army pistols. They were judges, carry with them everything they month in this publication. bayonet him before he could get juries and executioners. They pa- had, which was precious little away, the old man seized the roled the prison all the time. negro by the foot and pulled with Roll-call occurred at 7 o'clock us and search our clothing and Clubs and the Boys' and Girls' all the strength that his surprise every morning.

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dropped their guns and fled. They were not stopped until they reached the big gate at the headquarters. The Yankees here, not knowing what had happened to cause such a hullabaloo among the negroes, formed a line of battle and stopped the negroes near

negro through the tunnel, while

HOMAS Dud-1 the later was still making the The bugler made his appearley, of Lexington, Ky., and his father, Geo. Dudley, occupied a double bunk, and after mass still making the later was appearance twice a day, at 5:30 a. m. and at 6 p. m., for roll-call. At 6:30 we had to fall into line in front of our barrack and remain till 7 to be counted; at 7:30 p. m., we retired to our bunks at the the burial of rack in safety. He came up sound of the bugle. Howard, we lodged with the outside of the barrack where them, having fallen heir to Howard's blankets, and having the saw a big crowd of federal white soldiers gathered at the hole through which the negro had disappeared. He could hear the negro still crying for help, "Come of the bugie.

There was a prison guard by the name of O'Hara—called 'Old Red." He loved to sneak around the barrack, night and day, whether on duty or not. He was disappeared. He could hear the negro still crying for help, "Come of drag boys out of their bunks and the sound of the bugie.

There was a prison guard by the name of O'Hara—called 'Old Halls, Also complete billiard and pool tables whether on duty or not. He was a tyrannical wretch and loved to the particular to the barrack, night and day, whether on duty or not. He was a tyrannical wretch and loved to the barrack around the barrack, night and day, white now for particulars. ing a two-fold supply. This made negro still crying for help. "Come drag boys out of their bunks and us a desirable bedmate, as the out," yelled a federal sergeant. punish them for the infraction weather was intensely cold, and Directly the negroe's head ap- of some rule which he always dethe wintry blasts from Lake peared above the apperture, his clined to name. Michigan added to the cold's dis- eyes rolling in their sockets. At Chere was another terror to the comfort.

There was another terror to the comfort. It is a prisoner called "Little Red." It While bunking with the Dud- bewildered, as he gazed about, would fill volumes to tell of the leys and before the barracks were but as soon as he realized that he cruelties inflicted by these men, placed upon under-pins, the writ- had returned in safety to the sur- and we shall not attempt it here. er, with others, tiring of the face, he wildly fled and tried to There was still another villain by cruelties and monotony of pris- break through the big gate. The the name of Billy McDermott, on life, entered a plot to dig a tederals gathered at the hole, not meaner than either of the above, tunnel from barrack No. 22 to knowing to what barrack it led. There was yet another whom we use since 1745, it was not until the outside of the prison wall. A young federal by the name of like the "devil before the day," to the wheels of carriages.

A young federal by the name of like the "devil before the day," we could find in the prison square.

These was yet another whom we except tin plates and tin pans, tive.

We had no tableware of whom we except tin plates and tin pans, tive.

We obtained an old stove shovel, and was the imp of Satan. These was very michel to enter the hole and was the imp of Satan. These force of six men. We formed our plans of excavating by beginning at the entrance or point of be- hanged. under the barrack, and storing ginning. He did so, and came There were 12,000 prisoners in the dirt under the floor. But one out under barrack No. 22. Then Camp Douglas, but we were not

man could work in the tunnel at all the prisoners in that barrack allowed to associate with each a time, while another would were conveyed to Morgan's male, other much. We were kept apart watch at the entrance to give and every effort possible was to keep down conspiracies. warning in case of danger of de- made to ferret out the parties D. J. Martin, now a superantection. After the work had pro- that excavated the tunnel. All nuated Methodist preacher, and gressed about one week, a ser- who would confess or inform upon who once lived in Denton coungeant, missing one of our men, the guilty parties were promised ty, took a severe case of small-who was in the tunnel, ordered a immunity from punishment. Not pox, and the writer was attacked roll call. The prearranged signal was given to the man in the to berray his comrades. There sent to the smallpox hospital, but 8 a, m., and dinner at 1 p. m. By tunnel and then all formed a line outside of the barrack. At this The outside of the barrack. At this The outside of the barrack. At this The outside of the barrack of age, in the barrack, that he was made a nurse for the would be quite hungry, and ready time, while the roll was being These were separated from the others. Some mornings he would able representing 37,000,000 called, the man in the tunnel, one horsepower, of which only one- Hawkins by name, slipped out of the hospital a half- but were offered freedom from gallon of scabs. When the smallthe tunnel, up through the pas- the lash on condition that they pox broke out, we were all sub- and a third of a loaf of bread and sage in the floor by raising a plank and into his bunk, where he lay down and pretended to be asleep.

When his name was called his beroically disclaiming any large and large number of the boys that they bore their chastisement beroically disclaiming any large number of the boys their arms. Any occupant of Confederate soldiers who cannot be condition that they bore did not bread and soup for dinner. These would constitute the rations for twenty-four hours.

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Confederate soldiers who cannot be did not be did bunkmate answered that he did ledge of the names of the diggers statement. On one occasion ledge of the names of the diggers statement. not know where he was. The of the tunnel. The men that rode nearly a cart load of arms was sergeant sent a guard to his bunk, Morgan's mule acted equally as hauled from the prison and burand found him snoring. He honorably. Though every man ied. A surgeon suggested to the found that he was not sick, con- were, not one could be tortured off our arm as it was dangerous- rule was violated, and the guilty veyed him to the "mule," which to tell. The boys nerved them- ly swollen. When it began to get one could not be detected, the he was made to ride for two selves to bear the flogging and well we took the varioloid. We

The guards on the parapet and ask us if we ever saw any



the vile rebels! Why didn't they Never while our imprisonment hang 'em instead of bringing 'em Negroes were now relieved of an hour and lookde at us in great would take up handsful of snow

> Then the guards would surround luggage. Some of the men would Hog Clubs, pointing out the lack drop little things of small value of beef supplies, C. C. French of in the snow and stand upon them. the Fort Worth Stock Yards, After the searching they would urges the formation of the Baby order us to break ranks and re- Beef Clubs. With so many of the turn to our barracks.

> Each kitchen had a commissary actual shortage in the supply of sergeant. Three or four to each beef. kitchen constituted the cooking force. They were not issued much to cook-only a little bacon and a few beans and potatoes, all boiled together in a large kettle. Light bread came in from the outside. One loaf of bread was issued to every man, A loaf weighed about three-quarters of a pound. Each man, twice a day, received one-third of a loaf. We received from two to two and onehalf ounces of bacon at a meal. This, with a little bean soup, would be issued to us twice a day. The soup was little more than warm water, spiked with a few beans or potatoes. Hunger and starvation stared us in the face all the time. Our stomachs be-

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Confederate soldiers who cannot HARDWAY & CATHEY

whole barrack would be marched out in the snow, and made to mount "Morgan's mule," no matter how thinly clad the prisoners were. Sometimes the guards would tie a heavy weight to each foot of a prisoner on the mule, only to enjoy his suffering. Often the weights would reach one hundred pounds. They were required to remain on the mule often half the night and the guards on the parapet were ordered to shoot any prisoner trying to dismount from the wooden mule. Some of the prisoners froze to death and oth-

ers were badly frostbitten. There were men on Morgan's mule all hours of the day and per asked another for a chew of tobacco, or offered to "swap" rations for tobacco, if overheard, he was sure to get a ride on the

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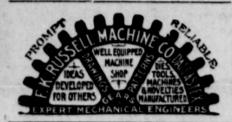
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Many beginners make the mismiles east of Lubbock, is planting take of not reading the manufac-2,500 acres in milo maize and kaf-turer's directions for operating fir. This is perhaps the largest the machine. They overlook planting of these crops in Texas. something, and generally it turns out to be one of the most important details. All machines are not run on the same principle, and if the closest attention is paid to the manufacturer's instructions, giving careful attention to every detail, you will get better results.

Another common error made by A general survey of the crop the inexperienced operator is to \$3,508,968 in 1900, a gain of \$1. present time shows everything order to bring this about he thinks very promising. The grain crops it necessary to turn up the wick regular trimming of the wick and keeping the burner clean. Some ducks, 74.910; geese, 244.997 lamp to smoke are cheap, inferior guineas, 170,107; ostriches, 159. oil and setting a machine in a direct draft.

many a disastrous hatch. This same over-anxious, meddlesome operator would have about the same result with setting hens because he would pester them also.

the machine to do the work.

good advice to follow.

Your first question is answered by the amount of money you have to invest. Poultry raising can be started of a very small capital, and, on the other hand, thousands of dollars can be expended if one is so inclined and has the cash to put into the enterprise. My presumption is that you have not in give you a fair income and then grow with the busifess. About 550 or \$1.290 will start you incleiv, providing you have the necessary ground space. Of course, it will be necessary for you to purchase eggs and incubator, or baby chicks to start with, and a few hundred dollars invested in this way will make a good beginning. You can construct your buildings during the summer months when the chicks are growing and have everything in tiptop shape in time to house them in winter, If you are handy with tools and have the time you may be able to gave considerable expense on the houses, pens, etc.

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Do not plant it next to field corn. Good White Pearl from six to eight down. Can it be strighted?

Graham Texas.

A.—You have what people call a trodile, testicle in height and to same, as it takes specie to be performed to same, as it takes specie to be performed to same, as it takes specie to be made the corn. Good White Rice popcorn grows from five to seven field corn. Good White Rice popcorn grows from five to seven field corn. Good with the

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Texas ranks first in the producwhile it is in operation has caused tion of turkeys and fifth in the horse will show it. production of poultry and eggs,

WHAT IS IN AN EGG?

The white of egg is popularly When a person declares he can't supposed to consist of pure albuget results from setting hens, the men. Many text books teach as chances are that he will not be much. But the truth is, that four much of a success as an incuba- kinds of albumens, a little cartor operator. The most success- bohydrates, 0.03 per cent of phoslooks after all the details neces- chloride-common salt-enter insary to operate and then trusts to its composition,

The yolk contains a number of Do not neglect turning the eggs bodies that are but little known twice daily after the second day, outside of the laboratory; inand continue doing so up to the cluding vitellin, palmatin, stearin, eighteenth day. After that the olein and lecithin, nuclein and colmachine should not be opened fo. oring matter. Vitellin is the proany purpose whatsoever until the tein matter, the next three named hatch is complete. Keep the are the fatty constituents and chicks in the incubator until they lecithin furnishes the phosporus are perfectly dry, then remove of which the yolk has a little over them to the brooder. The open- I per cent. Then too, there are ing of the incubator door has traces of calcium, magnesium, po-

wet or dry?

A.—The best feed for chicks is a variety of ground grains, consisting of corn, wheat, Kaffir corn, millet, and hulled oats. Feeds of these and similar good mixtures are purchasable at less cost than the mixture can be prepared by the individual. Also give them charcoal and fine grit. Never feed any wet feeds.

"I would like to know how much capital a person would need to start in the poultry business on the start in the mixture can be prepared by the individual. Also give them capital a person would need to start in the poultry business on the start in the poultry business on the prepared by the individual and fine grit. Never feed any wet feeds.

The there is too much the firm the firm

as you people could furnish would experts at the real college, but this soil must not be greatly apreciated by me.
"G. W. K."

Iowa ranks second, with 14 per

s vital on a slippery pavement. the spiendid season has about as-sured a large yield of wheat and point very often overlooked is the point very often overlooked is the census, is as follows: Chickens, very poor driver who makes a Don't ever use the whip simp blow the starting signal.

> Give the horse an occasional full day's rest. It will add to his port progress during the month, value and capacity for work.

his food on the floor, instead of in not exceeding \$250,000.

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them something to do that will interest them—something they can call their own.

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as you people could furnish would be grown on any thing and could not find but one. We took it out and then the same thing and could not find but one. We took it out and then the same thing and could not find but one. We took it out and then the same thing and could not find any sign of testicle as you people could furnish would be greatly apreciated by me.

JOHN SIMON. Yantis, Texas

cent of the total oat crop of the subdivided for colonization pur per yields of wheat, flax, broom-

For Drivers to Remember.

Don't neglect the shoeing. It

the manger. The position necessarily token in feeding strengthen the muscles of the knees, and so removes the cause of the stumbling. A horse just brought from pasture does not stumble.-M. D. Washington, D. C.

Girls' Tomato-Growing and Can- The fruit is in such profusion on ning Club.



Chamber of Commerce, the Girls' reached the 250 enrollment mark ing of the incubator door has caused many chicks to die in their shells. "Hands off" until the machine has finished its work is chine has finished its work clubs. Each club elects its own officers, the seed is furnished by

> friction, the government and the work is overseen and the enthusiasm kept at a high pitch by the lady in-

It is the intention of the Chamber of Commerce, which fostered Denton county. the movement, to hold a series of canning bees

The attorney general has approved road bonds to the amount FIELD SEED of \$400,000 for Grayson county.

The federal government has value of land per acre increased Texas are building silos.

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the trees that there is great danger of the trees breaking down under its weight. Some of the fruit men are going to put props un-Special Lady Instructor Mrs. Larder the limbs, while others are ry Kittles and the Comanche thinking of knocking some of the Tomato and Canning club move- fruit off with sticks. Old East ment in Comanche county has Texas is making up for lost time.

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Children's Stories

Queen's Peak

The Globe-Democrat printed the following as an episode of early Texas history:

In Northern Texas, and a few miles from the little town of Bowie, a sharp point of land rises to the height of one hundred feet above the prairie. It is now known as Queen's Peak, and the story of how it got that name is a strange one.

In 1866 a young woman canie to that part of Texas from North Carolina. Her name was Ellen Quinn, and she had both Irish and Indian blood in her veins. Soon after her arrival she announced that she would open a which also shakes them from the school, and the few settlers in the vines has been patented by a Mis-neighborhood put up a house for her. It was made of rough logs and situated half-way up the southern side of the peak.

> School opened with four pupils, but after awhile the fact of its existence became widely known. Grown men would come from anywhere within one or two hundred miles to be taught by Miss Quinn, selecting a season when there was but little to do on the farm or the ranch, and staying for a few months. Sometimes as many as thirty big-bearded ranchmen and cowboys might have been seen in the schoolroom, intently poring over their books, and obeying every command of the black-haired little schoolmis-

The teacher always had a loaded rifle standing in one corner of she rode. She was known as a fearless rider and an unerring over.

The men on the frontier respected and trusted her, and she acquired great influence over them. They would come from their disputes, and her decision the men came galloping in from his concept and is his creation. long distances to have her settle was final. If a question arose as to the ownership of stock, the parties would bring the horses or made on their homes. the cattle to the peak. Each When day broke they climbed him ever since. He is a dreamer

lived was changed from Quinn's Peak to Queen's Peak.

Her death was the crowning act of a brave and unselfish life. In the fall of 1869, the Comanches began to make raids through Northern Texas.

She had much influence over the Indians; they seemed to think die for them. her Indian blood made her one languages of the Comanches and the settlers around the peak. One day, all the men for forty miles had gone to Clear Creek Canyon, some distance below the peak where it was said the Indians were gathering.

Suddenly a boy dashed up to the schoolhouse on a pony and told the teacher that a band of twenty Comanches were on their way to the settlement.

"Won't you go out and talk with them, Miss Quinn?" he

"No," she replied; "it would be of no use. They are angry beways active, wide-awake to every cause the men have gone to Clear his own way of choosing assist-Creek, and want to be revenged. Ride like the wind and get the women and children to hide in the creek bank. I'll hold the In- them over, and found all but one stand in a class by themselves. A card brings our magazine by return mail free.

> While she was speaking, the savages came in sight, and the boy dashed off, keeping the woodself and the Comanches.

The Indians were pushing past the peak, intent on reaching the harness to a side of pork or a fish unprotected homes of the settlers, but the teacher was determined to prevent this.

> Picking up her rifle, she took deliberate aim, fired, and an Inover dead on the prairie. Then found the clork on the fourth. she rushed to the summit of the peak, sprang upon the topmost stone, sent out a yell of defiance and waved her rifle.

never be fully known. On the top search for the clock was in the of the peak there was a natural new place, at the big man's elbow barricade of stones, behind which He grew up in association with



Picking up her rifle she took aim

base of the peak, and gradually biggest. drew nearer the summit. As they got nearer to her, she doubtless Hays. He is at the head of the the room during school hours, and threw aside her rifle and used her Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk had it slung behind her saddle as revolver. Then came the last Pacific railways, a continuous line rush of the savages and all was crossing Canada from ocean to

of the creek.

At nightfall, the Indians who all the peoples of this earth. were alive left, and at midnight | The Grand Trunk Pacific was

claimant stated his side of the the peak. Behind a big bouider of high dreams, with power to A bath of unslaked lime, bran behalf; then came the decision, and water will bleach ivory, and from it there was no appeal. The behalf there was no appeal. Taken and her rifle and revolves belief and the genius of hard work. became known as the Queen, and the name of the place where she lived barricade were eleven dead Indians.

her schoolhouse and the Indians would have gone by without the Electra Company's plant in pipe, rained blow after blow upon Cleveland, Ohio. He succeeded him. harming her; but then twenty the human watchman some time women and children would have

The frontiersmen were moved as they never had been before. They buried her on the top of the for a time succeeded in protecting Over her they piled up a heap of boulders, and that rough monument still stands, overlooking a territory where peace and civili- a night encounter with two des- hundred dollars had not been zation now dwell.

THE MAN WHO DOES IT QUICK.

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speak to me?" "I merely asked the time, That was all," said Mr. Talmage.

The lad looked around three dian fell from his horse and rolled sides of the room, and finally "Eleven-fifty," said he, and

went on with his work. "Thank you," said Mr. Talmage, and went away. Next What hapepned after this will morning the clerk who had to this big railway man and others,

The Indians took their posi- and became a big man himself tions in the timber around the Just now he is one of the very

His name is Charles Melville ocean, through the greatest of all Meanwhile, the wives and chil- woodlands in the east, and opendren of the settlers had found ing in the west a new grain field 2151/2 MAIN STREET time to hide in the timbered banks more than a thousand miles wide, capable of feeding white bread to

mage asked the time has moved

Time passed on, Miss Quinn taken and her rifle and revolver building at Montreal there is no

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With howls of mingled pain been killed, and so she chose to liable and was discharged. Berry the human thieves until they reis a big, powerful animal, part treated into the darkness. In the Newfoundland and the rest St. desperate struggle Berry had ac-170 pounds and is always on the frightfully injured, upheld the like being carried, said, pertly, ob. He is also on the pay-roll of reputation of his kind for fearlessthe company at seventy cents a ness and reliability. In the morning he was found lying beside the Berry was recently the hero of safe, whose contents of several

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especially for the tailormade suits, plain and spotted panels with one ties yourself, and you will save while for costumes and dresses tone silks. there is a growing inclination to A new evening wrap in taffeta more ample lines so cleverly con- voile, chiffon or net is made trived that the narrow silhouette sleeveless, having slits at the of the last two seasons seems not sides, finished off with a tucking, almost exclusively by one-third of

be more popular than another. gowns. White and cream lead in the touches on the collars and cuffs.

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Grit, a weekly paper of general circulation in Williamsport, Pa., lace that may be termed agaric has a Golden Rule Club connect- lace, because it has a rough raised ed with its children's page. This motif that accords well with the organization has been in existence for nearly twenty years, and has 36,000 members. Attractive mem- opening earlier than usual, and bership certificates and badges undoubtedly will run strongly. are furnished to the boys and girls as follows: "I promise to do unto collars and cuffs worn with top others as I would have others do coats. unto me. I will never be cruel to! Touches of cerise appear in temperance in all things, and en- lieve any possible note of sombercourage others to do so." The ness. club is divided into local clubs, each having its own officers and evidence in coat suits, the fullworking under a charter issued ness being gathered into a belt at by the head department.

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lar just now in millinery. Every other corsage is in the Marie Antoinette effect.

Brown hats are being worn with tan colored cloth costumes. Gray marquisette sometimes veils dresses of checked taffetas.

Pique is one of the most popular materials for summer wear. Silver fringes are a favorite finish to gray chiffon overdresses.

Double and triple skirts are fashionable for lingerie dresses. Violet velvet faces some of the graceful hats of amethyst straw. Graceful picture hats of straw

are large as to brim as well as Panniers are plentiful; they undoubtedly betoken wider skirts favorite combination,

for the future. The tailored straw hats are acceptable to those women who prefer plain styles.

Brocaded silks, not in the large, but in the small and delicate figures, are to be in great demand. For dinner gowns and evening wear nothing is so popular as the lace-trimmed chiffon or satin gown of pure white, with one glowing note of color at the cor-

silk are employed for these, with a buckle or button in the cen-

ferent form, the broad, flat, pic her example, turesque hat being undeniably

In this season's silks we find noticeable the combination of cooking and teach your daughters plain with changeable, flowered to wash, cook and knit. Stav off Narrow skirts remain in style with stripes, bordered effects with the streets, attend your home du-

Thees are trimmed with bright also nut and wood browns. Rose, when potators are high in price and roll again; then put in pan. Indian red, opal, limoges blue, shrimp and melon pink are the

high shades. Ruffles and flounces appear to adorn the frocks of little girls everywhere on frocks for every than garlands of roses or festoons occasion, narrow-edged with lace, or deep, or graduated, or pointed, Small bows of black velvet are or scalloped, with posies and pert used to fasten flat colors of lace ribbon bows tucking them up here and there.

All of the new skirts are cut wider, and yet many do not measure any more in width than thos that have been smart this season There is a little more fullness around the upper part, and no good skirts draws in around the

Afternoon frocks in shot taffeta silks are arranged in nine cases out of ten with fichu bodices, draped to the figure with early Victorian demureness. The are finished with quaint little ruches and box plaiting of silk, bordered with frayed out edges.

Among the newer laces may be mentioned bohemian and an odd

toweling fabrics. The white shoe season seems

White, cream and tan ratine who sign the pledge, which reads will be much used for separate

dumb animals. I will practice many of the dark gowns to re-

The shirred back is much in the waist line.

Most of the new panniers are smooth over the hips, but some are frankly puffy, and many become more so,

In the all-popular taffetas emerald green, sapphire blue, golden brown and changeable effects are dominant colors,



Buttons are lavishly used on many of the frocks. Bright red is used to develop

ome stunning hats. Currant red and dark blue is a

Narrow belts of velvet ribbon of a contrasting color are seen. Fashion's latest decree is . nigh "choker" and cuffs to making of net. Narrow bands of black velvet ribbon trim these accesso-

Household Economies

Because of the present high cost of living this department will be de-voted each month to printing sugges-tions on economies for the household. Long lines of small capricious bows are placed on skirts and bodices. Velvet ribbon, satin or

A subscriber writes a letter to Household Department. The all-enveloping and disguis- which contains excellent advice. ing bell shapes in hats have given We are glad to receive contribuplace to other hats of entirely dif- tions and hope others will follow

> We quote from the letter as follows:

> "Do your own washing and time and money .- A LADY.

There is no one color that will casions, over lingerie or evening neglected by a greater part of the remaining two-thirds, who make slowly, mixing with a knife. Roll Among the leading colors are only a dilatory use of it, if they one-fourth inch in tickness serges, whipcord, and in the lin- the various shades of tan, includ- use it at all. Now comes a time fold the dough in three layers; ens and other wash fabrics. ing champagne, hazel and straw, in our economic development roll again; fold in three layers

and are soaring higher daily; why wouldn't it bee a godd plan to use rice sometimes instead of potatoes-rice which is not only agood cereal, vegetable and desert, but a good filler and an unex-celled "left-over."

To wash rice, put it in a strainer, place strainer in a deep bowl of cold water. Rub the rice and lift strainer out of the water until the last water is clear. By doing this, all foreign matter is dislodged and some of the coating found on American rice, consisting of tale, paraffin and glucose, is dispelled.

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Recipe for Steamed Rice.

Wash one cup of rice until the last water is clear. Put the wide double boiler.

Apple Pie.

Line a deep pie pan with plain pastry. Pare core and cut 3 or 4 sour apples into quarters and

then slice very thin. Sleeveless, having slits at the sides, finished off with a tucking, and is worn only on dressy occasions, over lingeric or evening gowns.

Although rice is a food used almost exclusively by one-third of the human race, it is strangely neglected by a greater part of the gowns.

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Sufficient ice water to make a stiff dough.

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to contain three-quarters of a gallon of water, which, when boildrain it; arrange it in a dish substantial enough to support force remove the soot from cooking of the fire. Then cover spha- vessels; they are most easily and ghetti with a layer of grated Par- quickly cleaned by rubbing with mesan cheese, moisten the whole old newspapers. with meat gravy extracted from beef or mutton, and repeat the preparation by a layer of cheese, housekeepers to know that old moistened with one-quarter of a and dry paint can be removed pound of lukewarm melted but- from clothing, especially cotton ter. Place the dish for a few min- goods, by using equal parts of utes upon the fire in order to allow the cheese to melt, serve it benzine and ammonia. This has been used with good results when without removing the sphagetti everything else failed. from the dish. The ordinary pro- To take iron rust out of linen, of good Parmesan cheese, grated, and salt. to one pound of spaghetti; this manner of utilizing sphagetti requires a somewhat large quantity of gravy. In luxurious kitchens they are always sufficiently provisioned with good gravies and juices, so as to prepare spaghetti properly, but in the more humble domestic economy spaghetti is only prepared in this fashion on the day following the one on which meat of important size has been cooked. Care should be taken to render the gravy in the cooking sufficiently abundant to allow of appropriating a part to moisten a dish of spaghetti for the following day.

A good ointment to have on hand in case of burns or scalds, is zinc oxide mixed with either olive or castor oil, until you have a thick, smooth salve. terials.

Some Things Worth Remembering.

When putting up preserved washed rice into three or four fruits of any kind, it is assumed cups of boiling, salted water in that every housewife knows the upper part of double boiler. It advantage of pouring melted parrice is fresh, use three cups; if affin wax over the top of the old, four. Boil for a few minutes, contents to prevent molding and not long enough for rice to stick. spoiling. If at the same time the Place this over the lower part of housewife will rub some of the the double boiler which should melted wax on the inside thread contain water boiling. Let the of the screw-top cover, she will rice be steamed at least forty- avoid the vexation of having the five minutes. Do not stir. Cook cover stubbornly refuse to budge without cover. Use the large, when she tries to open the jar later on. Before opening a jar simply invert it in a basin of hot water until the wax softens .-- M. J. F., Cambridge, Mass.

Unvarying results may be had with soft boiled eggs, without the trouble-and certainly-of tim-The apples should be piled up ing them, or the necessity of burin the pastry. Sprinkle the ap- ry in serving. Place the eggs in ples with one-third cup of sugar a vessel-tin or graniteware beand I tablespoon of flour mixed ing best-that can be covered. Do together. Dot with I tablespoon of butter and flavor with one-

Most people think it necessary. juicy add 2 tablespoons of water when peeling tomatoes, to pour to each pie. Canned or dried ap- boiling water over them, in order ples may be used for making pies, that the skin may be easily rebut they require a little more sea- moved. This method is apt to leave the tomatoes soft. A much better way is to rub the tomato Directions for Cooking Spaghetti, with the back edge of a silver Take a saucepan large enough knife; this loosens the skin and makes it easy to remove it .- F. B.

When roasting turkey, goose ing, drop into it one pound of or chicken, they will be more Spaghetti slightly sprinkled with juicy and taste better if cooked salt. When sufficiently cooked with the breast down .- L. F. S.,

Never use a cloth or brush to

It may be worth while for

portion is one-quarter of a pound rub the spots with lemon juice

