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# Moonshining Near Fort Worth Started The style of the day

has started, but it has also ended "Whiskey River" is Fished Dry -for the present at least. Offi cers of the Department of Jus tice seized a complete still two Johnson and Charles Robinson, who were attempting to escape charging illicit manufacture of hot on their trail. The booze was them by the Department of Jus tice operatives.

The still was complete. Six quarts of the manufactured arti cle were found and 150 gallons of mash ready to be distilled. The mash was made of corn meal, sugar and water. It was already contraband now in the hands of mixed and was being allowed to the federal agents. Several barrels were nearby.

Fort Worth officers have also seized several hundred quarts of whiskey in that city which it was claimed was brought from New York City to be used for sacra mental purposes. The importer was arrested, though he insisted that it was to be used in the cele bartion of religious rites, was disposing of it at \$6 per quart.

Some of the boozers of that city will now have to go back to the lemon extract shoe polish route.

#### Bonus for Soldiers and Sailors

The Revenue Act approved February 24th authorizes bonus of \$60.00 to all persons serving in military or naval forces honor certificates which will be return notaries in that bank. ed with check. -Home Service Section, Slaton Branch, Lubbock County Chapter, A. R. C. Slaton, story that started in the Slaton Texas.

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Campaign Starts April 21

Crowley, La., April 7-Liquor miles northwest of Azle, Satur in generous quantities was day and twenty one miles from dumped into the Mermentau Fort Worth. Two men, J. S. river near here today by men were arrested and complaints revenue agents who have been whiskey were placed against recovered by the agents, who church, with Judge J H. Moore -J. H. Moore. fished out twenty seven barrels.

Since the work was started here 20,000 gallons of whiskey, tenary movement of the M. E been confiscated. A carload of lishment of schools in Africa in liquor, which was being unloaded the hope of uplifting degraded at Mermentau, is among the womanhood on the dark continent.

over a large warehouse here, in has written recently that the which all liquor on which the missionaries are having a hard ed. revenue tax has not been paid, is time getting enough little African

# Judge R. A. Baldwin Attended

Judge R. A. Baldwin, chair man of the local Liberty Loan Committee, left Tuesday for Amarillo to be present at a state committee meeting, to fonmulate plans for the campaign which opens April 21. He was accompanied by Judge J. H. Moore and Attorney Russell Wilson of Lubbock.

### **Novel Red Cross Donations**

A large glass jar has been ably discharged since April 6th, placed in the First State Bank, 1917. It is not payable to heirs. with a card on it bearing the re Men discharged and finally paid quest that for any notary work without bonus should write to please deposit 25 cents in the jar Finance Officer, Lemon Bldg., as a Red Cross donation. This is Washington, D. C., stating ser rather a novel method of collect vice, date of discharge, present ing money for the Red Cross, address and inclosing discharge which has been adopted by the

> Are you reading the serial ite last week?

> > A. L. ROBERTSON

CARL RIPPY

# in Louisiana by "Revenuers" Laymen Meet Sunday At Methodist Church

On next Sunday morning and | Slagle and Yates. afternoon a Centenary program will be rendered at the Methodist of Lubbock, presiding.

One of the results of the Cen valued at more than \$100,000, bas Church, South, will be the estab. life-Mrs. O. B. Trinkle.

Miss Catherine Wilson, of Dal las, Texas, a missionary of the The government has taken M. E. Church, South, to Africa, girls together to form a school. Miss Wilson walked a long dis tance to another village in an State Liberty Loan Meeting effort to get a few girl children Min s. to come to school. The chief told them very politely but firmly, este Ellis. Miss Fern Wheelock. that all the little girls of his village had been purchased as wives Wheelock and Trinkle, Messrs. and their fathers had no further Slagle and Yates. jurisdiction over them.

The program follows:

### Beginning 11 A. M.

General Topic-Does it pay to serve Jesus?

Leader-Judge J. H. Moore. Song and Prayer service - 15 Minutes

Scripture Reading - Miss Fern Wheelock, Miss Celeste Ellis. Mixed Quartette - Mesdames

Ten Minute talks

Closing / ver.

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(a) Does it pay in business life?

(b) Does it pay in the Home? -Mrs. J. T. Griswold. (c) Does it pay in the Social

Vocal Duet-"It pays to serve Jesus," Mesdames Wheelock and

Song by congregation. Announcements.

d get acquaint

rice, 3.00 P. M. Jc-Your Bible. Mrs. H. W. Sims.

d Prayer service - 15 Scipture Reading-Miss Cel-Mixed Quartette. - Mesdames

Ten Minute Talks. (a) Know your Bible -Jno.

Gelin. (b) Love your Bible - J. H.

Richardson. (c) Use your Bible-Jas. L Dow, W. K. Dickinson. Reading (selected)-Mrs. W

H. Sims. Song by Congregation. Announcements.

Closing prayer. Wheelock and Trinkle, Messrs Don't forget to shake hands.

# Clean-Up Day Should Be Observed in Slaton Now

Slaton, like all other progres | Every year more people die sive towns, should inaugurate a from disease caused by filth clean up campaign at an early than from any other cause. This date, not to be observed by a few year will be no exception as the public spirited citizens but by heavy rainfall will have a tenden every man, woman and child in cy to increase disease. Fifth and Slaton. It should not be neces flies, one and inseparable, have sary to bring into action the no excuse. In this war against force of the law to draft this a common enemy there are no clean up army. It should not be exemptions, industrially or other necessary to hold a registration wise. Don't be a slacker, clean day and assign each person a up, paint up and make the old town a more attractive place.

# Oil Industry Viewed as An Alarming Situation

profit, in the great oil industry danger too, that this hot box that has sprung up all over Tex | might develop while the world is as? Is it a law of natural philoso upside down, and Texas might phy that when you cut too much be left where China ought to be, of the inside of a body away, you and vice versa. Wouldn't it be a destroy its powers of resistance and make it unsafe. Our land is now being punctured with holes, and from the inner side we are taking the great lakes of oil which give support to the earth's formation. What will take the place of this filler and support? Doesn't it seem reasonable to any thinking mind that, with so much of the filling removed, the earth will cave in and destroy us all? Furthermore, don't you suppose the oil was placed deep High School auditorium at 1.30 down deep in the earth so it would keep the axis of the earth lubircated? What, if some tine stration Agent. day we should find the old earth hod developed a hot box and wouldn't make another revolu story now running in the Slaton

Is there not danger, as well as | remarks J. H. Lowry. There's fine mess if we should find our selves China, and China grand old Texas, with the world balked on its axis and refusing to budge? Better go a little slow on this oil

# A. and M. Specialist Coming

Mr. H. A. Clapp, Meat Canning Specialist of the Extension Service of the A. and M. College, will be in Slaton April 18, and give a demonstration at the p. m., assisted by Miss Milie M. Halsey of Lubbock, Home Demon-

"Green Fancy" is a good serial tion? Where then would we be- ite. Are you reading it?



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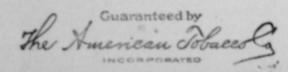
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All patrons of the Slaton Independent School District will remember the annual school election on Saturday, April 5th, and come out and vote. It is the earnest desire of the school board that all patrons shall take an active part in the affairs of the school district.

School Board.

Beginning Saturday, March 29th, The Spot Cash Grocery announces that every two weeks they will have a special sale of certain articles at reduced prices, of Portland, Oregon, have arrived these articles to be of high quali ty. The first sale will be of Mrs. R. A. Baldwin. They spent soaps, washing compounds, and the winter at Long Beach, Calitoilet goods.

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R. J. Murray, president of the Lubbock - Slaton Oil Co., was in town Monday on a short visit home. He has been in Wichita Falls for several weeks looking after his company's holdings near that city.

Henry Kitten of route 1, pays \$2.00 on the Slatonite going to Joe Kitten, Billings, Mo.

E.N. Twaddle, president of the Wichita Slaton Oil Co., has re turned from an extended business trip to Wichita Falls, near POTATO SLIPS, NANCY HALL holdings.

J. H. Reynolds bands in \$1.50 to keep The Slatonite going to his home another year.

in this section.

A. E. Cockcroft is a new reader of The Slatonite, having paid cash on subscription this week. THOROBRED POLAND CHINA

J. F. Wylie of Forrestburg, Texas, orders The Slatonite sent | Slaton, Texas. to his address.

W. H. Thorn has moved from ton, N. M. Cuthand to Slaton and orders FOR SALE, 160 ACRES OUT the address of the Slatonite of the Kokernot Sub-Division in changed.

subscribed this week

F. M. Coats with the Western I HAVE A FEW FRIENDS WHO Telephone Co. pushes his date up on The Slatonite to November

1919. Mrs. A. S. Page has returned from a visit to her mother, Mrs. Overby, at Clay, Kentucky, and also visited relatives and friends in Springfield, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Greer have returned to their home in Macon, County, Mo., after a several months visit with their son, Carl Greer and family here. Mr. Greer is 81 years old but is enjoying good health.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hollinge here for a visit to their daughter, fornia, and will probably remain

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# Green Fancy By GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEON

Author of "Graustark," "The Hollow of Her Hand," "Beverly of Graustark," "The Prince of Graustark," Etc., Etc.

#### Girl of Mystery! House of Mystery!

Synopsis .- Thomas K. Barnes, wealthy New Yorker on a walking trip in New England, is threatened by a mountain storm. At dusk at a lonely cross-roads, miles from Hart's tavern, where he intends to pass the night, he meets a girl in a similar plight, bound for a dwelling house called Green Fancy. Along comes an automobile for the girl. She gives him a lift to his tavern. There he falls in with a stranded troupe of "barnstorming" actors, of which Lyndon Rusheroft is the star and "Miss Thackeray" the leading woman. The theatrical people are doing hotel work for their board.

#### CHAPTER II-Continued.

Barnes laughed aloud. There was no withstanding the fellow's sprightly

"I happen to enjoy walking," said

"If I enjoyed it as much as you do I'd be limping into Harlem by this time," said Mr. Dillingford sadly, "But you see I'm an actor. I'm too proud to walk-"

The cracked bell on the office desk interrupted him, somewhat peremptorily. Mr. Dillingford's face assumed an expression of profound dignity. He lowered his voice as he gave vent to the following:

"That man Jones is the meanest human being God ever let- Yes, sir, coming, sir!" He started for the open door with surprising alacrity.

Barnes surveyed the little bedchamber. It was just what he had expected it would be. The walls were covered with a garish paper selected by one who had an eye but not a taste for color-bright pink flowers that looked more or less like chunks of a shattered watermelon spilt promiscuously over a background of pearl gray. The bedstead, bureau and washstand were offensively modern. Everything was as clean as a pin, however, and the bed looked comfortable. He stepped to the small, many-paned window and looked out into the night. The storm was at its height. In all his life he never had wind that shrieked so appallingly.

His thoughts went quite naturally to the woman who was out there in the thick of it. He wondered how she was faring and lamented that she was not in his place now and he in hers. What was she doing up in this Godforsaken country? What was the name of the place she was bound for? Green Fancy! What an odd name for a house! And what sort of house-

His reflections were interrupted by the return of Mr. Dillingford, who carried a huge pewter pitcher from which steam arose in volume. At his heels strode a tall, cadaverous person in a checked suit.

Never had Barnes seen anything quite so overpowering in the way of a suit. Joseph's coat of many colors was no longer a vision of childhood. It was a reality. The checks were an inch square and each cube had a parrow border of azure blue, The general tone was a dirty gray, due no doubt to age and a constitution that would not allow it to outlive its usefulness.

"Meet Mr. Bacon, Mr. Barnes," introduced Mr. Dillingford, going to the needless exertion of indicating Mr. Bacon with a generous sweep of his free hand. "Our heavy leads. Mr. Montague Bacon, also of New York."

"Ham and eggs, pork tenderloin, country sausage, rump steak and spring chicken," said Mr. Bacon in a cavernous voice, getting it over with while the list was fresh in his memory. "Fried and boiled potatoes, beans, succotash, onlons, stewed tomatoes and -er-just a moment, please. Fried and boiled potatoes, beans-"

"Ham and eggs, potatoes and a cupor two of coffee," said Barnes, suppressing a desire to laugh.

"And apple ple," concluded the waiter triumphantly. "I knew I'd get it if you gave me time. As you may have observed, my dear sir, I am not what you would call an experienced waiter. As a matter of fact, I-"

The bell downstairs rang violently. Mr. Bacon departed in great haste.

While the traveler performed his ablutions Mr. Dillingford, for the moment gaged, sat upon the edge of the and enjoyed himself. He talked, e were nine at the start," said he sively. "Gradually we were re-ed to seven, not including the man-Two of 'em escaped before the shouted: The low comedian and charold woman. Joe Buckley and his That left the old man-I mean Jove, it's marvelous!" ushcroft, t' e star-Lyndon Rushyou know-myself and Bacon,

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falo, so the rest of us scraped together | gentlemen, or I would introduce each all the money we had-nine dollars and sixty cents-and did the right thing by her. Actors are always do ing darn-fool things like that, Mr. Barnes. And what do you suppose she did? She took that money and bought two tickets to Albany, one for herself and another for the manager of the company-the lowest, meanest orner test white man that ever- But I am crabbing the old man's part. You ought to hear what he has to say about Mr. Manager. He can use words I never even heard of before. So that leaves just the four of us here, working off the two days' board bill of Bradley and the manager, Rushcroft's ungodly spree, and at the same time keeping our own slate clean. Miss Thackeray will no doubt make up your bed in the morning. She is temporarily a chambermaid. Cracking fine girl, too. Are you all ready? I'll lead you to the dining room. Or would you prefer a little appetizer beforehand? The taproom is right on the way. You mustn't call it the bar. Everybody in that little graveyard town down the road would turn over completely if you did. Hallowed tradition, you know."

"I don't mind having a cocktail. Will you join me?"

"As a matter of fact, I'm expected to," confessed Mr. Dillingford. "We've been drawing quite a bit of custom to the taproom. The rubes like to sit around and listen to conversation about Broadway and Bunker Hill and Old Point Comfort and other places, and then go home and tell the neighbors that they know quite a number of stage people. Human nature, I guess. Listen! Hear that? Rushcroft reciting 'Gunga Din.' You can't hear the thunder for the noise he's

They descended the stairs and entered the taproom, where a dozen men were seated around the tables, all of them with pewter mugs in front of them. Standing at the top table-that is to say, the one farthest removed from the door and commanding the attention of every creature in the room -was the imposing figure of Lyndon Rushcroft. He was reciting, in a sonorous voice and with tremendous fervor, the famous Kipling poem, A genial smile wiped the tragic expression from his face. He advanced upon Barnes and the beaming Mr. Dillingford, his hand extended.

"My dear fellow," he exclaimed resoundingly, "how are you?" Cordialheard such a clatter of rain, nor a ity boomed in his voice. "I heard you had arrived. Welcome-thricefo



"Welcome, Thricefold Welcome."

come!" He neglected to say that Mr. Montague Bacon, in passing a few minutes before, had leaned over and whispered behind his hand: "Fellow upstairs from New York,

Mr. Rushcroft-fellow named Barnes. Quite a swell, believe me." It was a well-placed tip, for Mr.

Rushcroft had been telling the natives for days that he knew everybody worth knowing in New York.

Barnes was momentarily taken aback. Then he rose to the spirit of the occasion.

"Hello, Rushcroft," he greeted, as if meeting an old-time and greatly beloved friend. "This is good. 'Pon my soul you are like a thriving date palm in the middle of an endless desert. How are you?"

They shook hands warmly. Mr. Dillingford slapped the newcomer on the shoulder affectionately, familiarly, and

across good old Barnesy up here? By Lovely smile that seemed to light up

Rushcroft, "this is Mr. Barnes of New aristocratic and reverberating with y Gray, Miss Rushcroft, Miss York. Not the man the book was education. Age about thirty or es and a woman named Bradley, written about but one of the best fel- thirty-one. Rich as Croesus. lows God ever put into this little world turned legs. Would make a good no- futurity is woven by the hand of mercy. of us. The woman named Bradaid her mother was dying in Buf- of ours, I do not recall your names, bleman."

of you separately and divisibly."

Lyndon Rushcroft was a tall, saggy man of fifty. Despite his determined erectness he was inclined to sag from the shoulders down. His head, huge and gray, appeared to be much too ponderous for his yielding body, and yet he carried it manfully, even theatrically. The lines in his dark, seasoned face were like furrows; his nose was large and somewhat bulbous, his mouth wide and grim. Thick, black eyebrows shaded a pair of eyes in which white was no longer apparentit had given way to a permanent red. A two-days' stubble covered his chin and cheeks. Altogether he was a singular exemplification of one's idea of the old-time actor.

Passing through the office, his arm linked in one of Barnes', Mr. Rushcroft hesitated long enough to impress upon Landlord Jones the importance of providing his "distinguished friend, Robert W. Barnes," with the very best that the establishment afforded. Putnam Jones blinked slightly and his eyes sought the register as if to accuse or justify his memory. Then he spat copiously into the corner, a necessary preliminary to a grin. He hadn't much use for the great Lyndon Rusheroft. His grin was sardonic. Something told him that Mr. Rushcroft was about to be liberally fed.

#### CHAPTER III.

Mr. Rushcroft Dissolves, Mr. Jones Intervenes, and Two Men Ride Away.

Mr. Rushcroft explained that he had had his supper. In fact, he went on to confess, he had been compelled, like the dog, to "speak" for it. What could be more disgusting, more degrading, he mourned, than the spectacle of a man who had appeared in all of the principal theaters of the land as star and leading support to stars, settling for his supper by telling stories and reciting poetry in the taproom of a tavern?

"Still," he consented, when Mr. Barnes insisted that it would be a kindness to him, "since you put it that way, I dare say I could do with a little snack, as you so aptly put it. Just a bite or two. What have you ready.

Miss Tilly was a buxom female of forty or thereabouts, with spectacles. She was one of a pair of sedentary waitresses who had been so long in the employ of Mr. Janes that he hated the sight of them.

Mr. Rushcroft's conception of a bite or two may have staggered Barnes but it did not bewilder Miss Tilly. He had four eggs with his ham, and other things in proportion. He talked a great deal, proving in that way that it was a supper well worth speaking for. Among other things he dilated at great length upon his reasons for not being a member of the Players or that he had promised his dear, devoted wife that he would never join a club of any description. Dear old girl, he would as soon have cut off his right hand as to break any promise made to her. He brushed something away from his eyes, and his chin, contracting, trembled slightly, "What is it, Mr. Bacon? Any word from New York?"

Mr. Bacon hovered near, perhaps hungrily.

"Our genial host has instructed me to say to his latest guest that the rates are two dollars a day, in advance, all dining-room checks payable on presentation," said Mr. Bacon, apologetically.

Rushcroft exploded. "O scurvy insult," he boomed. "Confound his-" The new guest was amiable. He interrupted the outraged star. "Tell Mr. Jones that I shall settle prompt-

ly," he said with a smile. "It has just entered his bean that you may be an actor, Mr. Barnes," said

Miss Tilly, overhearing, drew a step or two nearer. A sudden interest in Mr. Barnes developed. She had not noticed before that he was an uncommonly good-looking fellow. She always had said that she adored strong. 'athaletic" faces.

Later on she felt inspired to jot down, for use no doubt in some future literary production, a concise, though general, description of the magnificent Mr. Barnes. She utilized the back of the bill of fare and she wrote with the feverish ardor of one who dreads the loss of a first impression. I herewith append her visual estimate of the

hero of this story: "He was a tall, shapely specimen of mankind, "wrote Miss Tilly. "Broadshouldered. Smooth-shaved face. Penetrating gray eyes. Short, curly hair about the color of mine. Strong hands of good shape. Face tanned considerable. Heavy dark eyebrows. "Who would have dreamed we'd run Good teeth, very white. Square chin. the room for everybody within hear-"Friends, countrymen," boomed Mr. ing. Nose ideal, Mouth same. Voice

#### All this would appear to be reasonbly definite were it not for the note regarding the color of his hair. It leaves to me the simple task of com-

pleting the very admirable description of Mr. Barnes by announcing that Miss Tilly's hair was an extremely

dark brown. Also it is advisable to append the following biographical information: Thomas Kingsbury Barnes, engineer, born in Montclair, N. J., September 26, 1885. Cornell and Beaux Arts, Paris. Son of the late Stephen S. Barnes, engineer, and Edith (Valentine) Barnes. Office, Metropolitan building, New York city. Residence, Amsterdam mansion, Clubs: (Lack of space prevents listing them here). Recreations, golf, tennis and horseback riding. Fellow of the Royal Geographical society. Member of the Loyal Legion and the Sons of the American Revolution.

Added to this, the mere announcement that he was in a position to indulge a fancy for long and perhaps aimless walking tours through more or less out-of-the-way sections of his. own country, to say nothing of excursions in Europe.

He was rich. Perhaps not as riches are measured in these Midas-like days. but rich beyond the demands of avarice. His legacy had been an ample one. The fact that he worked hard at his profession from one year's end to the other-not excluding the six devoted to mentally productive jaunts -is proof sufficient that he was not content to subsist on the fruits of another man's enterprise. He was a

worker. The first fortnight of a proposed six weeks' jaunt through upper New England terminated when he laid aside his heavy pack in the little bedroom at Hart's Tavern. Cockerow. would find him ready and eager to begin his third week. At least so he thought. But, truth is, he had come to his journey's end; he was not to sling his pack for many a day to come.

After setting the mind of the landlord at rest Barnes declined Mr. Rushcroft's invitation to "quaff" a cordial with him in the taproom, explaining that he was exceedingly tired and intended to retire early.

Instead of going up to his room immediately, however, he decided to have a look at the weather. His unof the crossroads increased as he peered at the wall of blackness looming up beyond the circle of light. She was somwhere outside that sinister black wall and in the smothering grasp of those invisible hills, but was she living or dead? Had she reached her journey's end safely? He tried to extract comfort from the confidence she had expressed in the ability and integrity of the old man who drove with far greater recklessness than one would have looked for in a wild and irresponsible youngster.

He recalled with a thrill the imperious manner in which she gave directions to the man, and his surprising servility. It suddenly occurred to him that she was no ordinary person; he was rather amazed that he had not thought of it before.

Moreover, now that he thought of it. there was, even in the agreeable rejoinders she had made to his offerings. the faint suggestion of an accent that should have struck him at the time but did not for the obvious reason that he was then not at all interested in her. Her English was so perfect that he had failed to detect the almost imthe Lambs in New York city. It seems perceptible foreign flavor that now took definite form in his reflections. He tried to place this accent. Was it French or Italian or Spanish? Certainly it was not German.

> He took a few turns up and down the long porch, stopping finally at the upper end. The clear, inspiring clang of a hammer on an anvil fell suddenly upon his ears. He looked at his watch. The hour was nine, certainly an unusual time for men to be at work in a forge. He remembered two men in the taproom who were bare-armed and wore the shapeless leather aprons of the smithy.

Hart's tavern is entertainingly serio-comic, when suddenly tragedy takes the stage-battle, murder and sudden death.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Mother Wasp's Good Work. So far as known, only one small insect-a wasp of the sphex familyamong the millions of creatures belong ing to a lower order than man, has ever employed the aid of a tool to accomplish a desired result. The mother wasp of this family digs a tunnel in the ground, deposits her eggs in it, and after the wasp has made its tunnel and deposited the eggs, it finishes its task by ramming down pellets of earth, little stones, etc., into the mouth of the tunnel. This is the race habit of these wasps. It is recorded on undoubted authority that one inventive mother. when the mouth of the tunnel was covered to a level with the rest of the ground about it, brought a quantity of fine grains of dirt to the spot, and picking up a small pebble in her mandibles, used it as a hammer in pounding them down with rapid strokes, thus making the spot as firm and as hard as the surrounding surface. Then she departed, brought more dirt, picked up the pebble again and used it.

Mercy of the Future. The veil which covers the face of

Bulwer Lytton.

# Texas News

An \$80,000 school bond issue was successfully voted at Amarillo.

The merging of the two telephone systems of Taylor has been effected

Stockmen report the loss of many sattle in the Ballinger territory from 'weed bloat," caused from eating

While boring for water near Yorkown a few days ago the driller struck gas pocket at 185 feet, blowing out the drill pipe and bit.

Plans are being drawn for a court house for Live Oak county at George West, the county seat having been noved from Oakville to George West.

The annual spring movement of live

tock has started in Brewster county.

Several carloads have been shipped in

om the stock shows to improve local Seven different tracts of land, comprising a total of 14,037 acres, located within a short distance of Laredo,

gas operations. The pink boll worm situation in the Big Bend district of West Texas and n the Pecos Valley is well under control, according to Chief State En-

have been leased by oil men for oil and

comologist School. Cherokee county is just completing the work of building the Jim Hogg highway No. 37 from the Smith county line on the north to the Angelina coun-

The Texas railroad commission this week formally suspended pipe line order No. 3 and issued notice of hearing for April 25 to consider a number of matters bearing on pipe lines.

ty line on the south.

The business done by the Federal Land Bank of Houston for the month of March proved it to be one of the best on record. During the month the bank received 1,056 applications for oans aggregating \$3,677,986. Of this number 622 applications for loans amounting to \$2,718,361 were approved. Loans numbering 602 were closed and amounted to \$1,838,717.

Records show that at the three Fort Worth air fields, where flying praced men were discharged, 106 men were killed from November 7, 1917, to April 1, 1919. During the time the British Royal Flying Corps trained its squadrons fifty students, officers and mechanics met fatal mishaps. Since the Americans took over the fields fifty six have been killed.

Work will soon be completed on a modern rifle range at the Agricultural and Mechanical College, where the cadets will be given practice at target shooting at a range of 2,500 feet. The tically ceased last week and all enlist-

range was begun nearly two years ago, but the inability of the government to supply ammunition for the practice, due to war demands, caused the abandonment of the project at that time. Plenty of ammunition is available now, and the students will get abundant

Answering an inquiry from Flore ville, the attorney general has advised that the legislature qualifications on voters which are not included in the constitution. The question was asked in the abstract and its particular application is unknown. The Dean bill passed by the last legislature provides that no assistance shall be given voters unless they be physically infirm or are over 60 years of age, and, in such cases, it shall be given in the English

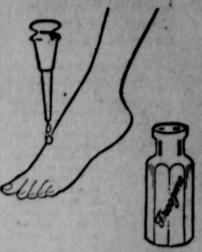
Of the \$2,500,000 appropriation by the war department for the improvement of border posts and stations, it is understood that Fort Brown at Brownsville, Texas, will get about \$250,000. Six new brick barracks and dering other perfumes superfluous. twelve officers' quarters were authorized at the Fort Sam Houston conference, and plans for their construction are now under way. Work will begin soon. A mile of railroad track will be built into Fort Brown from a local railroad connection.

New regulations governing travel across the border from Texas into Mexico, receipt of which was announced this week by United States immigration authorities at Browns ville, make it comparatively easy for travelers, tourists and border residents to make trips across the border. However, persons desiring to go further into Mexico than forty miles beyond the border will be required to have state department passports. Verbal applications for permits may now be made direct to immigration officers at the border, the only requirement being that applicant be an American citi

A call has been issued by Adjutant General James A. Harley for a State convention of all returning soldiers of Texas to be held at San Antonio April 21, for the purpose of effecting a temporary organization to keep together these men who have seen service. It is planned to lay at this temporary convention the foundation for a State association, which can afterward be affiliated with a national organization of veterans of the world war. Adjut ant General Harley has been request ed to take the initiative in the move

# LIFT CORNS OFF IT DOESN'T HURT

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"How can I be sure that I am the

only woman you ever loved?" "That's easy. Until I met you I didn't know what love was."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

# If You Need a Medicine You Should Have the Best

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are ex-tensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfill the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like

an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited, to those who are in need of it.

A prominent druggist says "Take for example Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a preparation I, have sold for many years and never hesitate to recommend, for in almost every case it shows excellent realmost every case it shows excellent re-sults, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy has so large a sale."

Ought to Know the Lady Bank Teller-I'm sorry, but I cannot cash this check until you are identified. Is there anyone nearby whom you

The Lady-Certainly. I've got the baby out in front in the go-cart. I'll bring him right in,-Judge.

## INFLUENZA-

Do not neglect an aching, Grippy cold-it may develop into Influenza. Take CAPUDINE at once. It's liquid

-Quick relief. Trial bottle 10c-two doses. Larger sizes also,-Adv.

Fitting.

Hix-"I hear they're reflooring the country club garage." Dix-"With parquet, I suppose."-Cartoons Maga-

Don't Forget Cuticura Talcum When adding to your tollet requisites.

An exquisitely scented face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume, ren-You may rely on it because one of the Cuticura Trio (Soap, Ointment and Talcum). 25c each everywhere .- Adv.

The Note Returned.

"I put a note in the jar for the milkman." "Yes, my dear, I found it in the milk."-Kansas City Journal.

# **HOW CAN YOU TELL YOUR FAVORITE TOBACCO?**

### As Plain as the Nose on Your Face—Just Smell H

Smokers do not have to put to necession their pipes to find out if they like it. They can just rub the tobacco between the palms of their hands and smell it. The nose is an infallible guide to smoke

W. N. U. DALLAS, NO. 15-1919.

at Slaton, Lubbock Co., Texas

W. DONALD Editor and Publisher

at the post office at Slaton, Texas, on Sept. 15, 1911, under the act of March

You have heard about editors breaking into society, but listen to this fellow down at Post:

Gee Whiz, but this editor is doing some society stunts these days. We are so busy doing around the past two weeks we haven't had time to get all the affairs written up. Week before last we attended a swell 42 party at the Cap Rock Pleasure Club Rooms and played 42 just as though we understood the game, and last week we attended a ball at the same place and tripped the angle into the camps and trenches arrived home and is greeting his light fantastic as though we were just twenty one and then we got as great as that of the American elected judge of a Sunday School army, according to a statement issued 80th. Division, at Chateau Thier debate and attended one of the

were chosen a judge in a Sunday School debate unless the debat one of whom was killed by shell fire ers thought probably we would and the other in a German air raid. be unprejudiced on account of knowing less about the Bible than others. We are now study ing up and if the other social af fairs let us alone for a while we feel sure we will meet the neces- headquarters, are not included. this debate.

Plainview News was probably in spired by some past experience: Many a man who says he has rated, while in all more than 152 reno use for a liar can think back ceived official recognition or distinto the time when he was mighty were decorated with the Croix de glad to have one along.

Plainview evidently has a bunch of street corner loafers. Listen to the News man:

corner of the square is now dis the Croix de Guerre, and seven for ness and loved ones. cussing spring gardening-and other decorations, six commended for will likely continue to discuss it meritorious conduct, and twenty-nine until it is too late for them to do patches. Sever I units were cited in any gardening this spring.

News, comes forward and claims | Not o Floyd county. For goodness' These records show that they went sakes let Jess and his county have the triplets. Floyd county under machine gun and shell fire to is outgrowing Hale county at an minister to the wounded, that they alarming rate anyway. Jess bearers, and that they drove ambu- est art, a soprano and reader well needs all the triplets from Garza lances into the midst of battle to rescounty be can muster up to make | eue the wounded. a reasonable showing at the next census taking. Come to Floyd hind the lines. Among these stands county where we raise our own out Miss Winona Martin of Rockville triplets. - Lockney Beacon.

prise says the editor of the Clar | and her death made a deep impression endon News makes it appear that Clarendon and Donley County is such a paradise of a place that if able work in stimulating an interest it were not for certain mundane entanglements she would buy a one way ticket to this city and county on the first train. Some commendary words are not al ways compliments, but the fair Trojan's statement is nothing but a jam up compliment. When we can't sing the praises of Claren don and Donley County, we want to move to that land where the thirty-four men and six women. singers are equipped with harps, golden harps .- Clarendon News.

# What the Preacher Said

While the editor of a certain newspaper was away from home for a while he left the paper in charge of a minister of the gos pel. During the minister's stay in the office the following letter ing the soldiers win the war, and of came from a suberiber: "I know very well that I paid my subscription to your paper the last time I /Military department: Dr. John H. was in your office. If I get any more letters from you as I received last week I will come in de Guerre; William Alsa Miller, Ausand maul h-l out of you." The tin, Tex., awarded Italian Croix de minister answered the note like this: "I have been trying to get that out of the editor for ten years, and if you will come down and maulit out of him then, my

SLATON SLATONITE | dear sir, I have twenty of my Issued once a week on Friday morning church I will let you operate on

Now is the time to begin to SUBSCRIPTION, THE YEAR " \$1.50 tickle the earth and feed it a few fresh garden seed. Besides cut Entered as second class mail matter ting down the high cost of living you can have an abundance of fresh vegetables just when you want them and of the kind you

# FORTY-THREE MEN, TEN WOMEN, DIE IN "Y" SERVICE OVERSEAS

Sacrifice Proportionately One-Quarter as Great as That of Army-Sixty-Three Decorated.

abroad at a cost of fifty-three lives, a sacrifice proportionately one-quarter today by the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. Of these Methodist Sunday School socials | fatalities thirty-five were due to dis-We can't figure out why we ease, and the remainder to shell-fire, bombs, gas-fever, drowning and wounds. Ten of these were women, casualties. These were due principally to machine gun fire, gas, shell fire, and motor transport accidents. Numerous cases of slight wounds and gessings which were attended at dressing stations, but were not reported to

which at no time exceeded 9,000 workers, of whom it is reckoned that more than one-half were never sent to the of huts maintained throughout the training areas and the "leave areas."

Sixty-three "Y" workers were deco-Guerre, while forty-eight received other decorations. Of these three recelved the Distinguished Service Cross, three the Order of St. Stanislaus; five thirty-eight the Italian War Cross, and The bunch on the northwest one the French decoration of the Corps d'Armee. Seven were cited for received honor le mention in distheir entirety, those serving with the Third division being cited twice. More Jess Adams of the Plainview have not yet been confirmed. than a score more reported decorations

the same courage and spirit that identified Americans throughout the war. over the top with the assaulting

Others were sacrificed in the less Center, L. I., a Y. M. C. A. secretary, who was the first American woman killed in the war. She was killed by The editress of the Troy Enter | a bomb during a German air raid,

Miss Martin had been in Paris only month, but had already done valuamong the soldiers in the Y. M. C. A.

Miss Marion G. Crandell of Alameda, Cal., killed by shell fire near Chalons March 26, 1918, was another of the women sacrificed in helping the

Officials were quick to see and appreciate meritorious work, on the part of the secretaries and prompt to recog- the Siaton Drug Co. man of the Third division gave a particularly strong citation of the units

A later commendation of the same enits was ordered by Major General

Ninetieth division in a letter to the Divisional Y. M. C. A. secretary said: Two secretaries, F. A. Dawes and B. with the assaulting battalions and carried on their work in the midst of the severest losses.'

The Y. M. C. A. honor roll of those are advanced. who gave up their lives while helpthose who distinguished themselves in Clifford, Tucson, Ariz., awarded Croix de Guerre: Thomas Neil Jefferson Eden, Tex., awarded Italian Croix

HOW about that printing

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#### Briggs Robertson Returned Home From Battlefields of Europe

Sgt. Briggs Robertson, son of Col. and Mrs. A. L. Robertson, residing on V Ranch near town, has recently been discharged at The Y. M. C. A. carried the Red Tri- Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, has many friends. He was a member of 133rd. Fleid Artillery, Det. Mr. Robertson trained 12 months at Camp Bowie, and was in France a little more than eight months, during which time he underwent many hardships. He has many interesting experi-There were also fifty-five non-fatal ences to relate that occurred from the time he sailed for France until be landed back at Newport News on March 20th.

Sgt. Robertson brought back These casualties occurred in a force a French Helmet, an American Gas Mask and an American Hel met, picked up on the battle-The following item in the front, being employed in the hundreds field rt Chateau Thierry. He has placed them in a show window at the Robertson Dry Goods Com pany's store, and you have an invitation to call there and inspect them.

> One by one the boys are returning home to friends and loved ones after having fought our battles in Europe, in order

Many others made the supreme sacrifice.

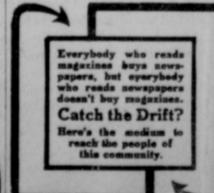
### Spizzi Harmony Entertainers at Reading Room Wednesday Night

ers, a high class musical attrac day. They have the "Victorian tion of five people will appear at Age" and then they will have the Santa Fe Reading Room finished their text books. Wednesday night, April 16. These people are from the great has finished the maps covering state of Kansas, a company organized along the lines of high endorsed by high type audiences, a chalk-talker who instructs as heroic but no less necessary work be | well as amuses, a violinist with familiar repertoire and admirable technique, the piano under the hands of an expert, a noted tenor from the military service.

A new piano has been installed at the reading room.

### Lubbock Mutual Aid Association J. V. Hollingsworth, Agent

advertisement of the Lubbock at The Slatonite office yesterday. Mutual Aid Association in The Slatonite which is represented here by J. V. Hollingsworth of nize it officially. Major General Dick- bave a special rate of \$3.00 for joining the association, which attached to that division, consisting of gives you an opportunity to get insurance at a very low rate. We are informed that this insurance has cost the policyholders less Major General Henry T. Allen of the than \$10 per year on the \$1,000, which is exceedingly low. It also affords ample protection for Ford, actually went over the top your family. See Mr. Hollingsworth at once about a policy in the association before the rates



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# Lanham & Smart Grocery

#### SENIOR CLASS H. S. NOTES

The Biology class has finished that you and I might remain at their laboratory lessons on the home and take care of our busi- frog and are now dissecting a rabbit for close study of mammals, The phisiology class had their laboratory lesson with the Biology class Tuesday and each one enjoyed it.

The English Literature Class will have an examination over The Spizzi Harmoy Entertain the "Romantic Period" Wednes

> The American history class the period of Civil War and every member of the class is glad, as it has been very hard and tedious

The Seniors and Juniors enoyed an entertainment at the high school hall Saturday night. Delightful refreshments were

The majority of the pupils are wearing serious countenances as exam week has arrived again.

Eugene Thompson, representng the Southwestern Paper Co. Your attention is directed to an of Dallas, was a business caller

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# Suggestion

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# The Slatonite

will find it to their advantage to talk to those who do.

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Walk around your home, and think of the numerous things that would improve the appearance of your place if they only had a few gallons of paint on

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# PANHANDLE LUMBER (O.)

OUR AIM - TO HELP IMPROVE THE PANHANDLE





# OTHING NEW IN WARFARE LESSON ENDED RIGHT THERE

ethods Employed During Great Conflict Merely Copies of Those in Use Long Ago,

By the use of trenches in the great eans of offense and defense that teach a class of boys the composition ng antedate the invertion of fire of sentences, said to them: The steel helmet re peared

covering deflected a bullet. your hand.' Now we will continue. ie trench periscope is an adaptation n device that was invented nearly ee centuries ago. The barbed wire tanglement is only another form of directions." ancient abatis, and the fact that even more intimately to its protobe. The pits with sharp spikes at hand. Romans that once threw stones

atly cast explosive grenades from ich to trench. The German flame

Paradoxical Action.

each other?" Because they've had warm words," tality,

Third Answer to His Question Must

Have Left School Superintendent Gasping for Breath. Superintendent of Schools Shiels of the opposing forces adopted Los Angeles, while endeavoring to

at the curved surface of as, 'You have a piece of chalk in are covered with the cloth.

"What have I on my feet?" "Boots," was the immediate answer.

"Wrong, you haven't listened to my

"Socks," ventured another heedless is now often painted green to make one, "Wrong again; worse than ever." less easy to see is a link that joins protested Shiels in exasperation. "Well?" as another pupil raised his

bottom and the caltrops-four- "Please, sir," then he paused. Per-

nted iron instruments that always, haps he thought his unswer might nd with one point upward how seem funny, but convinced that it was r they may fall—are survivals of right, he gasped out recklessly, dieval warfare. The cataput of "corns!"

> Monkeys Die of Flu. Monkeys are the latest victims of

lector goes back to the days when the Spanish influenza scourge which nies deluged each other with burn- has been sweeping the world, according oil and burning pitch, and the use to a letter received by a resident of Alpoisonous gases was anticipated by bany. Ore., from a relative who is a Chinese, who for centuries used banker in a South African city. Thousands of monkeys have perished in the forests of South Africa from influenza, the latter declares. Moreover the Why do those two speak so coolly plague is prevailing among the white and black population, with high mor-

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"There's a Reason"

# Allegiance to Spring Styles



beige. Time demonstrates that we lours, with a rose-colored vestee of never grow tired of this refined and combed wool, which is a smart detail beautiful color, which ranks with that lends its character. Besides its white in these two particulars. Be- vestee, this suit takes advantage of sides this, it goes well with all other the vogue for small buttons set in a colors, as white does. The spring is row, to proclaim its allegiance to the welcomed by many a pretty suit in decrees of fashion. It is perfectly tailbeige-colored wool and many rich and ored and has practical pockets to handsome ones in beige-colored tri- recommend it to the tallor-made girl, colette and other silk weaves. The Its wearer is correct in the matter of one-piece dresses reveal this color a shoes to wear with it, selecting lowfavorite with their designers, often in heeled exfords, and a brilliant rough combination with other colored fab- straw hat crowns the costume perrics or brightened by rich embroid- feetly.

A suit of beige tricot shown in the picture is a fine example of harmonizing color and design. Here there is The skirt is instep length and just

No wonder the French are fond of | The second suit is of gray wool ve

Silk Thread for Childrens' Wear.

Always sew children's wear with A No. 1 quality silk thread-the best to the same "class" in the design as in be had, In the long run it will prove the cloth. It is made with a plain the best paying investment in your skirt, and very neat machine stitching children's clothes that you have ever ts an important detail in its finishing. hit upon. Silk thread is stronger than cotton; it does not roughen in wide enough for comfortable walking. the laundering nor is it so brittle and The nest effect of machine stitching inclined to break off or snap in the is emphasized by placing it on narrow seam. In ginghams, percales and othpanels, founded at the ends, that are er fabrics of children's wearing apapplied around the coat. It appears parel the silk sinks deep into the again on the front of the coat, where a mesh of the goods and holds far betspeared "If I ask you 'What have I in my wide panti is cut to form pockets at ter with a thread of smaller quality disuse, hand?' you must not answer 'chafk, 'the sides, and again on the narrow belt and texture as the apparel. Numerous soldier owes his life to but compose a complete sentence such of the tricot. The small, round buttons mothers have vouched for the value

# Vagaries In Blouse Styles



playing conspicuous parts in the spring | ened to a flowing upper sleeve. styles. They appear everywhere, the The other waist is of taupe-colored the yarns in embroideries on dresses another one of the several models that the designers of waists the vogue for agement of this feature of the styles their mills, for they appropriated the gathered into silk tassels. Besides pect wool yarn to travel hand in hand to use a small sailor collar on the successfully, as is witnessed by the blouses are finished with frills. blouse shown in the picture.

This model is of dark plum-colored erepe, ornamented with scattered spirals of beige-colored embroidery, Its front is extended into a little apron rounded at the bottom. Fancy charming as a unishing touch. The flowers.

Combed wools and angora yarns are | sleeves have a close-fitting cuff fast-

combed wool in accessories of suits crepe, with front and sleeves embroidand coats as vestees, collars, cuffs, and ered with slik of the same color. It is and millinery and in other forms. As have extensions below the waistline, nothing escapes the industrious eyes of and it contrives a very original manwool embroidery soon brought grist to by having two long tabs at each side idea and have used it on blouses, add- achieving this something new, the ing one more to the many interesting blouse has another merit in a very vagaries that make the blouses of the wide, soft girdle of the georgette, and senson attractive. One would not ex- it takes advantage of the opportunity with georgette crepe, but it does, and round neck. Many round-necked

Julia Bottomby

stirching finishes the hems and out- | Chambray hats for the kiddles have lin the round neck, and these are of again appeared this s ason, and these slik like the pendant silk ornaments show stitched brims and large, puffy that finish the tie ends that are sewed crowns of the fabric, with wide black to the front of the blouse. The tie velvet bands and strenteers, and someends are unexpected, but altogether times trimmed with little ginghum

# I am Sincere! Stop Calomel! I Guarantee Dodson's Liver Tone

Listen to me! Calomel sickens and you may lose a day's work. If bilious, constipated or headachy read my guarantee.

one and cheerful; make your work a bition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel, because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver, which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into sour bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramp-

Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel Liver Tone for a few cents under my stopped entirely here.-Adv.

His Ice Cream Bucket.

They were on the back platform of an outbound Irvington street car. One was carrying a small paper bucket. which was labeled all over with the words, "Ice Cream."

From the way the other passengers eyed the bucket it was evident they either thought the ice cream season was past or wondered why the carrier hadn't bought it in Irvington instead of carrying it such a distance.

"I guess people think I'm dippy, carrying a bucket of ice cream from downtown when it can be bought out here," said the man with the bucket.

"But it's not ice cream. It's chili." "Well, they say Ice cream is chilly, so you should worry," said the other. -Indianapolis News.

For true blue, use Red Cross Ball Blue. Snowy-white clothes will be sure to result. Try it and you will always use it. All good grocers have it.

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Liven up your sluggish liver! Feel | personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish pleasure; be vigorous and full of am- liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning, because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working; headache and dizziness gone; stomach will be sweet and bowels regular.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and can not salivate. Give it to your children. cleansing you ever experienced, just Millions of people are using Dodson's take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calc-Liver Tone tonight. Your druggist or mel now. Your druggist will tell you dealer sells you a bottle of Dodson's that the sale of calomel is almost

> Natural Conclusion. "Hello, Black, thought you were

"Whatever gave you that iden?" "Heard a couple of men praising

you the other day."

"Doing better with your health classes for girls?" "Yes, I call 'em beauty classes now."-Louisville Cour-

Kill the Flies Now and Prevent disease. A DAISY FLY KILLER will do a Kills thousands. Lasts all season. All dealers, or five sent express pald for \$1.25. H. SOMERS, 150 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Adv.

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Poachers Kill Off Big Game. Pisguh forest, United States government preserve and one of the few re- kidding himself."

maining big game sections of the country, is about to be denuded of its ing alarming proportions.

Kidding Himself. "That fellow Jones is plumb crazy

"How's that?" "Why, making excuses for himselfgame by poachers, according to state- bolstering himself with pretense. For ments by Rudolph Diffenbach, forest instance, the other night he came in supervisor. Ponchers, usually under at 12 o'clock. He didn't want to 110 cover of night, drive the deer out into to his wife, so he turned the hall clock the open or off the preserves and then over on its side to make it look like kill them. The number slain is reach- a quarter of nine, and went to bed conscientiously."



Constipated Children Gladly Take

# "California Syrup of Figs"

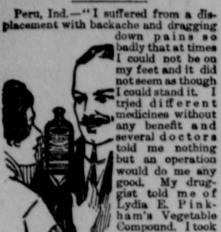
For the Liver and Bowels

Tell your druggist you want genuine "California Syrup of Figs." Full directions and dose for babies and children of all ages who are constipated, bilious, feverish, tonguecoated, or full of cold, are plainly printed on the bottle. Look for the name "California" and accept no other "Fig Syrup."

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Marvelous Story of Woman's Change from Weakness to Strength by Taking

Druggist's Advice.



ld me nothing but an operation would do me any good. My drug-gist told me of Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound. I took it with the result that I am now well up in the morning at four o'clock, do my

housework, then go to a factory and work all day, come home and get supper and feel good. I don't know how many of my friends I have told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. "—Mrs. Anna METERIANO, 36 West 10th St., Peru, Ind.

Women who suffer from any such ailments should not fail to try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Ought To.

"Why do the market reports some times say that wheat is nervous?" asked Lucy.

"I know," said little Willie, quickly. "It is because they thrash it."

# FIVE YEARS OF SUFFERING

Eupora Lady Broke Down and Was Most Miserable, But Cardui Brought Relief and Now She Is Well.

Eupora, Miss .- Mrs. B. E. Tedder. recently spoke as follows: "About five years ago . . . I broke down and took to my bed.

What I suffered no one knew, I was in so much pain from my knees to my waist, cramping and drawing, until I thought I would certainly die.

I grew so weak I couldn't eat, and so dizzy and faint and every time I stood on my feet I had the most mis- tions east of Bolshoia Ozera and again for which veterans of royal procedure eroble and heavy feeling in the lower of my body.

I began on Cardul. It strengt ened me after a few doses and diminished the . . . after the first I regained my appetite . . . I to purchase the British-owned tonnage took the Cardui right along . . . This is announced by P. A. S. Frank-

cable tonic for women. It is comway on the system and help to build may consider desirable." up the body and nerves.

He Even Wears Glasses.

"Does he take care of his health?" "Yes, he drinks to it every day."-Cartoons Magazine,

# AS YOUNG AS YOUR KIDNEYS

The secret of youth is ELIMINA-TION OF POISONS from your body. This done, you can live to be a hundred and enjoy the good things of life with as much "pep" as you did when in the springtime of youth. Keep your body in good condition, that's the secret.

Watch the kidneys. They filter and purify the blood, all of which blood passes through them once every three minutes. Keep them clean and in proper working condition and you have nothing to fear. Drive the poisonous wastes and deadly uric acid accumulations from your system. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules and you will slways be in good condition. You will feel strong and vigorous, with steady nerves; and elastic muscles. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported direct from the laboratories at Haarlem, Holland.

They are a reliable remedy which has been used by the sturdy Dutch for over 200 years, and has helped them to develop into one of the strongest and nearthiest races of the world. Get them from your druggist. Do not take a substitute. In sealed packages—three sizes.—Adv.

Actions speak louder than words. Some men never say die, yet they all have to do it.

Ere fancy you consult, consult your purse,—Benjamin Franklin.

# EARLY INDEPENDENCE PROMISED FILIPINOS

SECRETARY BAKER ADDRESSES SPECIAL MISSION IN BEHALF OF PRESIDENT WILSON.

Washington .- Memebrs of the special mission of the Philippine legislature here seeking immediate independence for the islands were told by Secretary Baker that he spoke President Wilson's mind when he said he believed the time had come to grant the complete independence desired by the Filippino people.

The war secretary also said he believed the mission would be able to people loved liberty too dearly to deny it to others.

He read a letter left by President Wilson when he went to Europe expressing the hope that the mission would result in "bringing about the desirable ends set forth in the joint resolution of the legislature."

Francis Burton Harrison, governor general of the Philippines, followed Mr. Baker with the statement that his experience in the islands had convinced him that the obstacles to independence that appeared to exist a few years ago had been cleared away.

The mission including forty prominent Filippinos and headed by Manual Quezon, president of the zenate, upon being received in Secretary Baker's office presented a formal memorial asking independence and pointing par ticularly to the record of the Philip pines in the great war.

#### Waterways to Be Improved.

New Orleans, La.-Colonel J. C Sanford, United States engineer in charge of the gulf division, in a brief outline of important projects in hand, said some of the most important work of this year is located in Texas. He said Houston will be helped to realize her ambition to possess a deep water gateway to the gulf. The twenty-fivefoot channel in river and bayou will be deepened to 30 feet and the 50-foot width increased to 100 feet all the way. The depth of Galveston harbor will be increased. The harbor at Beaumont, Texas, will be enlarged Improvements at Brazoria island har bor entrance is to be achieved.

#### Anarchists Defeated in Russia.

London.-The anarchists, in attacks east of Bolshoia Ozera, were defeated by the allied forces four times on March 31 and once on April 1, accord ing to an official statement issued on operations in north Russia. The losses of the enemy were considerable, while the allied casualties were slight. The text of the communication follows: "On March 31 the anarchists four times attacked in strength our posion April 1, when they also attacked said there was no precedent. along the railway. All the attacks were defeated."

## Not to Buy BritishShips.

bottle. I commenced to feel better. ernment has withdrawn its proposals ditional article is. of the International Mercantile Marine I am well and strong. That has been lin, president of the International Merfour years. I can do all my work and cantile Marine company, stating he 1.4 per cent of alcohol will be considhad been informed by the government ered "intoxicating." This decision of Cardul has been found to be a val- authorities that they "could not fur the judge advocate general was apther consider possible acquisition of proved by Secretary Baker. The ofthe ownership of our (the company's) posed of harmless medicinal ingre- British tonnage, and that we were requests from camp and organization dients, which act in a mild and gentle free to deal with the property as we commanders for an interpretation of

Your druggist sells Cardul. Try it Foremer Huerta Aid Plans Insurrection New York,-General Aurelio Blanquet, Mexican minister of war during the administration of President Victor Huerta, and described as second in command to General Felix Diaz, has arrived safely in Mexico, according to an announcement made by Roberto Gayon, his secretary. The purpose of Gen. Blanquet's return, Mr. Gayon said was to reorganize the Diaz forces. overthrow the Carranza government and re-establish the constitution of

> Thompson Re-elected Chicago Mayor. Chicago.-Mayor William H. Thompson (Rep.) has been re-elected in one gles the city ever witnessed, the in-10,000. His nearest opponent was Appel, water commissioner. Robert M. Switzer (Dem.), county clerk, whom the mayor defeated four years ago by a plurality of more than sweeping majority.

# Boers to Ask Self-Determination.

New York,-The Dutch steamship Bawean has arrived here from Cape town, South Africa, with a delegation of Boers on their way to London and the peace conference for "ie purpose. it is said, of laying before the British government and the Paris conferees to refiners, who are preparing a shiptheir right to self-determination in setting up a republic.

## War Finance Bonds Not Oversold.

Dallas .- Announcement from Wash-Ington that the \$200,000,000 of bonds of the War Finance corporation had new state depository system and re- fornia and to abolish the "picture cent bonds and a heavy demand was and banking and the attorney general the state and Japanese coolies are be as a guarantee to cover purchases reported, especially in the east.

# PEACE NEGOTIATIONS SERIOUSLY HAMPERED

PROTECTION DEMAND OF FRENCH AGAINST GERMANY PROVES STUMBLING BLOCK.

# IS OPPOSED BY PRESIDENT

Agreement Seems Near on Question of Reparation and League Covenant Is Nearly Complete.

Paris.-President Wilson and Premiers Lloyd George, Clemenceau and Orlando continued their discussion at carry home word that the American President Wilson's residence. Other peace conference organizations also

All the conferences tended to un ravel the tangled issues, and the meetongs proceeded amid another wave of apprehension spreading through the conference over lack of any tangible results after the council of four had labored continuously for more than a

This was accompanied by well found ed reports from those close in touch with the council of four showing that the situation, while not desperate. was at least serious because of radical differences on some fundamentals in the settlement of Germany's western, the Franco-German and the eastern Polish frontiers.

The situation is extremely difficult The French have been assured of every military protection along the Rhine and for fifty kilometers east of that river, even to the extent of considering that any military activity in that section shall be looked upon as a hostile act. But this is not considered enough, and additional claims lead to the conviction that they are open to construction as meaning some thing more than military security and verging on territorial control.

The president is not willing to go that far in creating more Alsace-Lorraine situations, and it is this stand against these claims which is causing the delays, until some middle ground is found.

Concerning reparations there were good prospects for an early agreement. work out details of reparation through a period of years. The priority of Belthe German indemnity also is said to

be nearing agreement. King Albert of Belgium figured prominently during the conference The Belgian monarch called on Col. House and later saw President Wilson before the arrival of Lloyd George Premier Clemenceau and Signor Orlando. The call of King Albert on Colonel House was a decided novelty

The league of nations drafting comof the league of nations covenant which now contains twenty-seven ar-New York.—The United States gov. ticles. It is not known what the ad. nied the privilege of showing his mo- cently purchased by the French high

## Ruling on Drinks for Army.

Washington .- So far as the army is tions presented to it for review. concerned, any beverage containing ficial ruling was made in answer to Sec. 12 of the selective service act governing the prohibition of alcoholic liquors in or near military camps.

Mackay Would Cut Wire Rates. New York .- Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Postal Telegraph-Cable company, being asked regarding the increased telegraph rates by order of Postmaster General Burleson stated that if Mr. Burleson would return its lines to the Postal Telegraph-Cable company at once that that company would restore the old telegraph rates at once.

# Dallas Elects New Mayor.

Dallas.-Frank W. Wozencraft was elected mayor of Dallas Tuesday, defeating the Hon. Joe E. Lawther, presof the most exciting political strug ent mayor; Capt. Hal Moseley was elected street commissioner; Capt. L. complete unofficial returns show his E. McGee, police commissioner; E. B. Over \$200,000,000 War Supplies Sold plurality to be in the neighborhood of Reppert, finance commissioner; Fred

# Ready for W. O. W. Meeting.

Dallas .- Plans for the state coaven-147,000. The city voted "wet" by a tion of the Woodmen of the World. to be held in Dallas April 8 to 11, have been practically completed by the general committee, according to R. H. McDill, state manager of the Woodmen of the World fraternity.

# Texas to Supply Cotton Seed Oil.

Dallas .- Texas will supply 160 tanks to Europe.

State Depository System Launched Immigration From Japan is Opposed Austin, Texas.—Governor Hobby has signed senate bill No. 36 creating a been taken on the same day on which quiring that all state funds be kept bride" practice, by which Japanese subscription books were opened was at interest in banks except the cash women enter the United States, were anauthorized and federal reserve needed for current payments by the advocated by United Senator James banks throughout the country have state treasurer; also that state depart. D. Phelan in an address before a joint been instructed to continue to receive ments deposit their receipts daily, session of the California senate and issued by the War Finance corpora- the state depository board now con- the state anti-alien law, and stated and the state treasurer.

# PROPOSES NEW PLAN FOR FRENCH FRONTIER

EFFORT IS MADE TO AGREE ON QUESTIONS DELAYING FRAM-ING OF PEACE TREATY.

Paris.-The Franco-German frontier which is still the foremost subject before Premier Lloyd George, Clemenceau and Orlando, and President Wilson, is being presented now from a new standpoint which offers some prospect of agreement.

The first plan was to give France economic control of the Saar coal fields so as to offset damage to the coal mines of northern France, France was not to have political control over the large German population in the Pekin and received by the Japanese Saar valley, which would remain with peace delegation. Germany. This proved obejctionable erate mines effectively, prevent the Germans were exercising political control.

The new plan, therefore, seeks to ombine French economy and political authority for a temporary period until he productive capacity of the mines in northern France is restored, industrial production revived and the restoration due to the war ended. It is that China's acquiescense to terms stimated that five years will be required to restore the mines to normal. and this probably gives an idea of the ength of the proposed joint control by France.

The fact that the control would be temporary overcome the objection of annexation similar to the German annexation of Alsace and Lorraine in

The proposal was first advanced as concerning the Saar region only, but it is regarded now as equally as applicable to the left bank of the Rhine as a possible basis of agreement.

#### Packers Freed From Control.

Washington.-The meat packing industry, which has been under federal control since October, 1917, has been released from food admini tration control by a proclamation signed by Pres-This will not specify the total amount, ident Wilson is Paris. Under the but will leave it to a commission to proclamation "all persons, firms, corporations or associations engaged in importing, manufacturing, including gium and France in the division of packing, storing or distributing fresh, canned or cured beef, pork, mutton or lard" are released from license by the food administration.

### Loses Appeal to Supreme Court.

Washington.-Eugene V. Debs' application for a rehearing of his appeal from conviction and sentence to ten years' imprisonment for violating the espionage act has been denied by the mittee has completed fifteen articles the court's opinion amounted to the their "bit" toward restoring the health posed upon .- Guesses at Truth. tive in making the speech for which

# \$200,000,000 Bond Issue.

Washington.-War Finance corporation bonds totaling \$200,000,00 are now on sale through Federal Reserve banks and sub-agent banks. The bonds, the first to be issuel under the War Finance Corporation act, will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, will mature in one year with interest at per cent, payable semi-annually, and will be practically free from taxes. Final details with reference to the issue have been agreed upon,

\$2,000,000 in Treasury Certificates. John W. Baker has invested an additional \$2,000,000 of state funds in the deliberations. short-time United States treasury cer tificates, making a total of \$8,200,000 of state funds so invested. The certificates bear 41/2 per cent annum and the \$2,000,000 next May. If the state convertible at any time at par and they passed through England. accrued interest.

Washington.-Sales to foreign goveraments of more than \$200,000,000 worth of surplus war supplies are an nounced by the war department. Most of the material went to France, whose purchases included smokeless powder. acids, copper, cannon and steel plates for which \$155,000,000 was paid.

Prevent Sale of Misbranded Remedies. pied Germany, southwest of Treves, Austin, Texas.-Governor Hobby has been removed from office by order

has signed house bill No. 255 and it will become a law on June 18. According to R. H. Hoffman, food and or 6,000,000 pounds, of cotton seed oil drug commissioner, this bill will en able the state to stop the sale of all ment of 19,000 tons of lard substitutes misbranded patent remedies, as well as their advertisement.

> · Sacramento, Cal.-Measures to pre ing smuggled over the border.

# IS ASKED BY CHINA Health Was Shattered Mrs. Hayes Was Discouraged Until

TERMS DECLARED "INCOMPATI-BLE WITH PRINCIPLE OF LEAGUE OF NATIONS."

# ACQUIESCENDE IS ENFORCED

American Policy Held Up in Comparison to Japanese Demands in Shantung Province.

Parts.-The nullification of the 21 demands made by Japan early in 1915 is urged by the Chinese government in an official statement cable from

The Pekin statement declares that and one of the chief causes of the the Japanese treaties and terms forced council of four's inaction. The main upon China in 1915 should be abrogatobjection was the divided control by ed "because their terms are incomwhich France would be unable to op- patible with the principles upon which the league of nations is founded." strikes and enforce authority when The statement is largely a reply to a recent statement made by Baron Makino of the Japanese delegation on the position of Japan.

"Since the Japanese delegate in Paris," the Chinese statement says, "has pointedly referred to the 21 demands, it is incumbent upon the Chinese government to draw attention to the fact subversive of her own interests were secured by means of an ultimatum to which she was forced to surrender because of the pre-occupation of the rest of the world in the European war. it is a fact that the terms were imposed upon China at the point of the bayonet, the example followed being that of Prussia; the extension to 99 years of the lease of Port Arthur and South Manchuria railways concessions being precisely the German Shantung

"In a subsequent agreement secured by Japan under the former cabinet the principles followed have been equally dangerous, not only to China's liberty of action, but to her very indepen

#### Section of Ranger Destroyed.

Ranger, Texas .- Fire, which threat ened the entire town of Ranger, recently destroyed two blocks in the heart of the business section, with a property loss estimated at \$100,000. One unidentified man was killed and several persons injured, none seriously. The fire originated in the rear of a restaurant on the main street and, fanned by a high wind, spread rapidly to adjoining property. With very little water available and no fire-fighting equipment dynamite was used to pre vent the spread of the flames.

## American Cows Will Restock France.

Washington.-American dairy cat supreme court. In filling his motion the are to be sent to devastated disfor a rehearing. Debs, who claimed tricts of France, where they will do in a man who had never been intrial of a person for an undisclosed of the children of those regions. More "state of mind," that he had been de than 100 head of purebred cattle, recommission and selected from the best he was convicted and that the court herds by experts of the United States had failed to decide all of the ques department of agriculture shortly will leave New York for Havre on # specially equipped transport.

> Austin, Texas,-Governor Hobby has vetoed senate bill 178 creating the state banking department and fixing the commissioners' salary at \$6,000 per annum. This leaves the department of insurance and banking as it stands and there will be no separa

## State C. of C. Meet April 11-12.

Dallas.-Strong and influential delegations of Texas business men will at tend the first meeting of the state chamber of commerce in Waco April Austin, Texas. - State Treasurer 11 and 12. Local organizations are expected to play an important part in

> Texas Nurses Entertained by King New York .- The steamship Heredia

from Brest, brought together eighty-\$6,000,000 mature on Aug. 9, 1919, and two nurses, including contingents from Texas cities. All were guests of needs the cash, these certificates are King George and Queen Mary when

## Lift Embargo on Grain Movement.

Washington.-Removal of the embargo and permit system which has controlled the movement of grain to primary markets since last fall, is announced by the railroad administra

Foch Orders Burgomaster Removed Paris.-Herr Mangold, the chief burgomaster of Sarrebrucken, in occu-

of Marshal Foch.

coin or bullion anywhere.

England Prohibits Export Gold. London.-An order in council just issued prohibits the export of gold

Only \$27,900,000 in Anarchist Treasury Washington -- All the gold that car be at the disposal of the Russian an vent Orientals leasing land in Cali | archists is \$27,900,000 plus the amounts seized in Moscow belonging to the banks of Roumania, which amounted to \$125,000,000, according to calculations made in official quarters. The question was raised by the announce ment in New York of Ludwig C. A. K. subscriptions until further orders are The law becomes effective at once and assembly. He urged amendment of Martens, who styles himself ambassador from the soviets of Russia, that tion. The bonds are one-year 5 per sists of the commissioner of insurance that Japanese women are coming into he would deposit \$200,000,000 in gold

# Mrs. Hayes Was Discouraged Until Doan's Made Her Well.

"I was in awful shape from kidney trouble," says Mrs. Frank Hayes, 42 Dover St., Boston, Mass. "When I got up out of a chair, I felt as though someone had stuck a knife into the small of my back and it fairly took my breath away.

my breath away.

"The kidney secretions passed often and only a time. They passed often and only a little at a time. They were so scalding I would scream so I believe I could be heard a block away. They deposited brick-dust-like sediment and their odor was something awful. My complexion became My complexion became sallow and I had large Hrs. Hayes

puffs under my eyes.
"I was troubled with spells of gasp "I was troubled with spells of gasping for breath and had such dizzy attacks I often fell right over. Spots floated before my eyes and I got so nervous I couldn't stand any noise. I cried over nothing at all, became irritable and imagined all sorts of things. My health was shattered and I became discouraged.

"I continued to grow worse in spite of any treatment and came pretty near dying several times. After several months of this horror, I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills. I used a dozen boxes of Doan's and was cured. I was entirely well and have enjoyed good health ever since."

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en internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. All Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. \$100,00 for any case of catarrh that HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will not F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

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work ahead of you? Do you still cough a little, or does your nose bother you? Are you pale? Is your blood thin and Better put your body into

shape. Build strong!
An old, reliable blood-maker and herbal tonic made from wild roots and barks, is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This "nature remedy" comes in tablet or liquid form. It will build up your body, cure your cold, and protect you from disease germs which lurk every-where. One of the active ingredients of this temperance alterative and tonic is wild cherry bark with stillingia, which is so good for the lungs and for loughs; also Oregon grape root, blood root, stone root, Queen's root,—all skilfully combined in the Medical Discovery. These roots have a direct action on the stomach, improving digestion and assimilation. These herbal extracts in the "Discovery" aid in blood-making, and are best for scrofula. By improving the blood they aid in throwing off an attack of influenza.

Catarrh should be treated, first, as a blood disease, with this alterative. Then in addition, the nose should be washed daily with Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. Send 10c for trial pkg. of Medical Dis-covery Tablets or Catarrh Tablets to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

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#### OCAL AND PERSONAL

dvertising Rates among the locals

Read the Want Ad column.

Mrs. J. S. Vaughn is visiting

Amarillo this week.

Chicken dinner at the Single Sunday. Come and enjoy it. Wednesday. Mrs. M. D. Jones was among

d cigars at "TEAGUE'S."

Mrs. J. M. Schones is visiting

Mrs. Gwynn has returned here er an eight months visit with r daughter at Whitewright.

F. D. Taylor of the firm of ylor & Shook, is a new reader The Slatonite.

Mrs. W. O. Davis was here om Pilot Grove, Texas, last ek visiting Mrs. J.S.Edwards.

iers The Slatonite for a year. | the Mutual Van Cleve Oil Co.

"Green Fancy" is a good serial ory now running in the Slaton-Are you reading it?

If you have a visitor or know

Chuck Cannon and mother, and re visitors in Lubbock Mon-

it to relatives and friends in

ork, auto and sign painting, present at this meeting. ibbock

Those who fail to read the vertisements in The Slatonite ch week are losing many portunities of saving both time d money.

D. Talley, County Commissi

aking the regular annual in arately. ection of the city schools.

Supt. Ogg of the Santa Fe, was ere this week in his private car, aking his annual inspection ip over this entire division of e Santa Fe.

Our parlor affords a quiet reeat for confectionery patrons. ur service affords you every leasure in visiting a confection ry. We invite your patronage. eague's Confectionery.

Mrs. Ray Stephenson returned ome Thursday night after an ktended visit to her parents, Ir. and Mrs. A. B. Cox at Tusola, also ber husband's mother, Irs. C. E. Stephenson.

The editor of the Slatonite is nder many obligations to Mr. leo. Marriott, Librarian at the anta Fe Reading Room, for a eason ticket to all entertainients there. A musical attracion is scheduled for Wednesday vening, April 16th.

The 7 year old son of Mr. and 1rs. H. E. Harrison, who has een sick for some time, was aken to Lubbock this week where he underwent an operation. lis mother is there with bim. ate reports indicate that he is etting along nicely.

Rev. G. H. McCauley of Mun lay, Knox County, delivered xcellent addresses at the Bap ist Church to highly pleased udiences. It is stated that Rev. auley was called as pastor of hurch but has not yet ac d the call.

and C. C. Clement have ed from Kuttawa, Kentucky ake their future home here. Clement was formerly with R. R. Co. and will be con d with the Santa Fe here as draftsman.

Chicken dinner at the Singleton Sunday. Come and enjoy it.

Contractor Chas. H. Lewis was a business visitor in Lubbock Weenesday.

G. H. Witt, popular proprietor of the Singleton Hotel, was a business, visitor in Plainview (Copyright, 1919, by Western Newspaper Union.)

Mrs. Emma Melton of Houston visitors in Lubbock Monday. is visiting her brother, H. A, Your choice of the best candy Ochse here, just returning from an extended visit to California.

John Burton is here visiting r mother in New Mexico this his mother, Mrs. J. Q. Burton and other relatives, after a year's absence spent in the northern-

> Mrs. A. S. Page and little son returned Thursday from an extended visit to relatives and friends at different points in Kentucky.

W. T. Knight has returned from an extended business trip to Burkburnett and Hot Springs, Ray Stephenson, assistant Ark. Mr. Knight is interested shier af the Slaton State Bank, in the Lubbock Slaton Oil Co.and

#### A. and M. Specialist Coming

Mr. H. A. Clapp, Meat Canning Specialist of the Extension Serany news item please telephone vice of the A. and M. College, e Slatonite and it will be ap will be in Slaton April 18, and give a demonstration at the High School auditorium at 1.30 r. and Mrs. Ralph McCarter p. m., assisted by Miss Milie M. Halsey of Lubbock, Home Demonstration Agent.

To make this demonstration a Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Martin success the people who are interve returned from a two weeks' ested and need this must be present, therefore every individ ual over ten years of age is given Moore brothers, auto top a very cordial invitation to be

> We especially request that all members of the School Board be present and as many business men as possible. This demonstration will be without any charges of any kind.

Slaton also extends a very special invitation to the citizens from this district, will go to of New Hope, Posey and Union bock Monday to attend the to be present as the Home Dem ar monthly session of that onstration Agent, Miss Halsey, has already asked them to attend Gan B. Davis of Austin, con the demonstration at this place, cted with the State Department it not being possible for Mr. Education, was here Tuesday Clapp to visit each place sep-

> Remember the date and let every one interested in the future of our school be present.

Committee.

# Singleton Hotel Arrivals

H. W. Brown, Lubbock. A. S. Havy, Lubbock. M. O. Owens, Lubbock. Rufus Whim, Hiliboro, Tex. M. E. Anderson, K. C. Thomas Holder, Walter, Okla. Mrs. W.S. Westfall, Walter, Okla Rex Sanders, Hansford, Tex. E. L. Deaver, Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rippy. Mr. and Mrs.J. H. Brewer. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Edwards. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Howerton.

E. S. Brooks. Fred Whitehead.

Col. Smith.

W. Donald. Alvin O. White, city.

S. E. Reed, Tahoka.

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# The Last Resort

By ALISON MAY KRAMER

It was a rough district given over to rough men of rude, uncultured ways. Outside of the few towns where law and order ruled, primitive outlawry and physical force were the controlling elements. Thus, when Hal Wyckoff, the leader of a lawless horde of moonshiners and raiders, cast his eye upon Nellie Virdin, the daughter of the school superintendent at Macon, only the genuine fervor of his love for her prevented his collecting a retinue of his favored comrades, carrying her off boldly, forcing some itinerant preacher to perform the marriage ceremony and defying her friends to get her back.

He lived here, there, everywhere, with his lawless confreres; had a sister, Althea, for whom he showed real devotion, had placed her with an old maid aunt over at the other end of the county, far away from his own environment. Nellie, visiting the little settlement where Althea lived, had incidentally met Wyckoff. Later he had seized all kinds of pretenses to appear in Macon and see Nellie. Then he had watched her home, making sure that she was alone in the house and had almost alarmed her by appearing at its porch one lovely September

"I want to tell you a story," he said bluntly, when timorously but with courtesy she had invited him to be seated, and Wyckoff related the incidents of the rough life he had led since the death of his parents, both ahot down by revenue officers whilst defending an illicit still in the mountains. He made no secret of following in their footsteps. But now-

"And I want to tell you that I love you," was his final addendum to the "I am ready to make any sacrifice to win your esteem. I will abandon my present way of living. I will go to work to earn an honest living. I will establish a pleasant home with my sister, Althea. I will be a true and faithful husband. Give the two of us a chance to become peaceable, respectable people, instead of the shunned outcasts that we are."

"I am sorry," spoke Nellie in a gentle, subdued way, "but I am engaged to marry Wade Burton next month." The tiger in the man sprang to the

surface in a flash. He was on his feet in an instant, quivering all over. "Let him beware, if he crosses my path!" he ground out. "I have warned you. You shall be mine. Just to gain you I will plunge the whole district in

bloodshed and ruin!" "Wait! wait! I have something to tell you," began Nellie quaveringly, but the man was gone. For two days and nights he wandered in the wildest ntain tim depths of the II he returned to his comrades he was morose and captious and kept aflame his mad emotions with the constant use of liquor.

Gradually his confreres became aware of the wretchedness that was wearing down their leader. Mutterings against Wade Burton, who was a lawyer, who had prosecuted several of the band, intensified the insane jealousy of Wyckoff. There came a climax. One evening with six chosen men he rode over to Macon, stationed his men in ambush near the Virdin home and stole towards it a few minutes later. An agreed on signal, a low, peculiar whistle, reached the men in covert. It advised them that Wade Burton was on the premises and to be ready to greet him when he came down the woodland path.

Wyckoff had made out Burton and Nellie in the garden of the little Virdin home. They were conversing earnestly, seated on a bench beside a

shadowing flowering bush. "You are sure Althea is safe. You do not doubt that she will evade the man who would have dragged her into misery and sorrow 2"

"I not only convinced her that the man was already married, but I set the officers of the law on his track for an old crime and he has left the country. It was a narrow escape for the trustful girl ignorant of the world's

"Her brother should know of this, Wede," spoke Nellie.

"Yes, he should guard Althea closely. She is a bright, pretty girl, and this experience will be a warning to her. As to Wyckoff, however, I scarcely dare venture to approach him. He is like a rampant lion these latter days."

"He must feel grateful to you for all that you have done in behalf of his sister," said Nellie. "What was that!" It was a groan, and it issued from the lips of Hal Wyckoff as he staggeted from his covert. The revelation of the moment stunned him. . This man, Wade Burton, rightful beloved of Nellie Virdin, had put himself out to save his sister from the power of a villain who would have spoiled her life. Hal Wyckoff moved on, indifferent to all save that he owed his rival gratitude. He forgot the waiting ambush. His confreres in hiding did not distinguish his identity as he swung free of a deep ravine.

Half a dozen shots rang out. A cry of horror escaped the lips of their eader-too late they comprehended that they had shot the wrong man. "Make clear!" ordered Wyckoff

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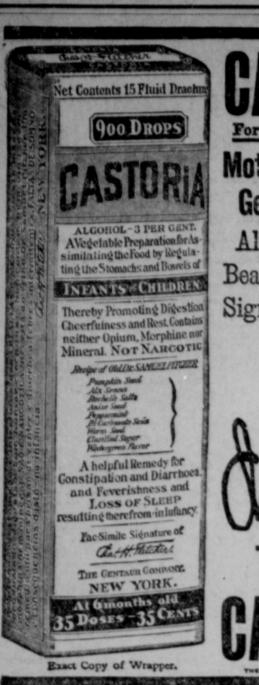
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atomach is that very often it literally trouble. starves its victims in the midst of Naturally, the sensible thing to do

into the listestires, it becomes the breeding place for all kinds of germs and toxic poisons, which in turn are absorbed into the blood and in this way distributed throughout the entire body. And that is exactly why it is that so many thousands of people eat and ent and keep on eating and yet are literally starving in the midst of Their acid-stomachs make it absolutely impossible for them to get the full measure of nourishment out of their food. And it doesn't take long for this poor nourishment to show Its III effects in a weakened, emaci-

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One of the worst features of acid-acid-stomach is the real cause of the

plenty. And the strange thing about is to strike right at the very cause of It is that the people with acid-stomachs this trouble and clean the excess acid | der way and it will be carried forward seidob know what their trouble out of the stomach. There is a quick, by its own momentum. The hard work easy way to do this. A wonderful new No matter how good or wholesome remedy quickly removes the excess the food may be, or how much they acid without the slightest discomfort. eat, they do not gain in strength. It is EATONIC, Made in the form This is clearly explained by the fact of tablets-they are good to eat-just that an acid-stomach cannot properly like a bit of candy. They ilterally digest food. Instead of healthy, nor- absorb the injurious excess acid and mal digestion, the excess acid causes carry it away through the intestines. the food to sour and ferment. Then They also drive the bloat out of the when this mass of sour, fermented body-in fact you can fairly feel it food, charged with excess acid, passes work. Make a test of EATONIC in your own case today. Get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist. See for yourself how surely it brings quick relief in those painful attacks of indigestion, bitter heartburn, belching. disgusting food repeating, that awful bloated, lumpy feeling after eating and other stomach miseries. Banish all your stomach troubles so completely that you forget you have a stomach. Then you can eat what you like and digest your food in comfort without fear of distressing after effects.

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FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

# CLUB WORK WILL START BOY ON ROAD TO SUCCESS IN PRODUCTION OF BEST POULTRY



A Meeting of a Typical Poultry Club.

That organized agricultural club work among boys and girls is something more than a contest which ends with the season, but a continuous, constructive piece of work which eventubusiness of farming and home making is illustrated by the accomplishments of a poultry club member in Ver-

Work of Vermont Boy.

In 1912 John Alexander joined the Vermont Poultry club in spite of the couraging words from friends and poses, neighbors who did not understand what club work meant to the Amerisettings of eggs, but two years later be exhibited some of his birds at the stitutions.

(Prepared by the United States Depart- county fair, the poultry show and the ment of Agriculture.) state fair, and succeeded in winning a state fair, and succeeded in winning a number of ribbons and first prizes. The following year he became the champion poultry club member of his state and was sent to New York city to the National Education association to ally leads the club members into the tell how he did his work and what he thought of it. The following year he again won the state championship.

Reputation Spread. By this time his reputation in the poultry industry had spread to other states and he was selling settings of eggs throughout New England direct opposition of members of his own fam- to consumers, and had built up a trade ily, and, in a number of instances, dis- in the sale of birds for breeding pur-

One year later, in 1917, he started out with a business of his own, using his can boy. He started with only a few own business cards, his own business stationery, and expanding his poultry he was well on the road to success, for plant two-fold. He became manager he had become the champion in his not only of his own poultry plant, which county in club work, having produced he developed rapidly, but found time the best grade of birds and the most | to take a position as superintendent of profit from his investment. In 1914 | the poultry farm at one of the state in-

# WAY TO KEEP COUNTY ORGANIZATION ALIVE

Too Many Activities Are Liable to Result in Failure.

Some of Projects to Be Undertaken Include Road Improvement, Agricultural Fairs, Improved Breege of Stock, Etc.

(Prepared by the United States Depart-ment of Agriculture.)

One important thing to be borne m mind is that no organization will continue to exist that does not have some definite plan of work and some definite perpose to accomplish. It should be remembered, however, that too many activities may result in failure. A few well-defined policies or purposes successfully carried to conclusion will mean permanency and success for these organizations. Those responsible for the county organization should lay their plans well into the future, and keep interest in the various local clubs active. Road improvement, county agricultural fairs, rural telephone systems, improved or consolidated schools, vocational education, standardized cotton and corn for the county, improved breeds of live stock especially adapted to local conditions, co-operative marketing, public entertainments, and social welfare are some of the projects being undertaken by county organizations. It is not believed to be advisable for a county to undertake more than two or three of these at a time, at least not the first season. Whatever is undertaken should be

done well before new projects are launched. Get the movement well unwill come at the start. After it is started all you will have to do will be to direct it into the proper channels.

## WATER SUPPLY IS IMPORTANT

There Should Be Plenty for Home and Barn and It Should Be as Handy as Possible.

The water supply is very important. Not only should there be plenty of water for the home and the barn, but it should be convenient. Why not put in a system of water pipes and put water under pressure in the house and barn? You will find it so satisfactory that you are likely to wonder how you managed to get along without water

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# SELECTION OF BEST VARIETIES OF SEED

Importance Is Indicated in Number of Experiments.

Variation of Yields Found at Different Western Stations With Wheat, Ogts and Barley-Results of Experiments.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The importance of selecting a crop variety that is suited to the section in which it is grown is indicated in a num ber of varietal experiments conducted at various field stations last year. In co-operative experiments at the Dickinson substation, North Dakota, a number of varieties of common wheat grown under similar conditions produced yields which varied from 19.4 bushels an acre to 11.3 bushels. The variations in yields of varieties of durum wheat were from 20.2 bushels an acre to 13.2 bushels. A wide variation was obtained in similar experiments with oats, the range being from 49.5 bushels an acre to 19.8 bushels. Barley showed a variation which ranged from 23.6 bushels an acre to 9.7 bushels. At the Cheyenne field station in

Wyoming varietal experiments with winter wheat gave yields which ranged from an average of 35.5 bushels an acre to 28.4 bushels; with spring wheat, 41.2 bushels to 15.5 bushels; with oats, 79.6 bushels to 37.8 bushels; with barley, 73.1 bushels to 41.4 bushels.

At the Nephi substation, in Utah, co-operative results with varieties of winter wheat showed a variation ranging from 23.3 bushels an acre to 2.2 bushels, and with spring wheat from 15.7 bushels to 6.3 bushels.

Similar experiments conducted in California with wheat showed a variation in yield ranging from 50 bushels an acre to 12.5 bushels. In a series of years the average yields of varieties usually do not vary so widely as these yields of a single year, but it is generally found that certain varieties give better average yields than others and are therefore more profitable.

## MAKE WAR ON INSECT PESTS

Rubbish, Fence Corners, Hedge Rows and Accumulations of Vegetation Should Be Cleaned Up.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) During spring much may be accomplished in the control of certain inects affecting cereal and forage crops. Many of these insects spend the winter in rubbish, in fence corners, along hedge rows, and in accumulations of dried vegetation. For this reason,

these should be thoroughly cleaned up

and burned in order to kill the insects hiding therein.

In the upper Mississippi basin west of the river grasshopper eggs are frequently faid in large numbers along ditch banks, in check tows, and in other limited uncultivated areas where they may be destroyed by disking thoroughly during the winter months. but for this the running kinds, having This method should be followed for destroying the eggs.



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