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ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM OVER THE STATE

Somerville.—Mrs. Carey J. Cook, 33, widow of the late Carey J. Cook, died from blood poisoning resulting from an infected pimple on her face.

Vernon.—A thief entered a clothing store here and stole ten suits of clothing and more than a dozen pairs of trousers valued at more than $350.

Bonham.—A penalty of 10 years was assessed Monday night by the jury against S. E. Goss charged with the murder of Claud Raney, Sept. 14.

Crowell.—Three men are being held without bond in connection with the death of Harry Grady, 28 years old, who was shot on the Whitfield farm northwest of Crowell late Saturday afternoon.

Lufkin.—The jury in the case of Earl Dixon, charged with the slaying of his brother-in-law, Jim Harard, in February, 1924, rendered a verdict of guilty and gave defendant 18 years in the penitentiary.

Dallas.—A jury in Judge Pippen's court found W. B. Cupp, charged with violating the state banking laws, guilty and sentenced him to two years in the penitentiary. His attorneys said a new trial would be asked. Cupp was charged with accepting deposits in the Farmers Bank at Duncanville when the institution was insolvent.

Austin. — Lon A. Smith, railroad commissioner Tuesday was appointed state chairman of the "harvest campaign" in Texas for the sale of Confederate memorial coins by H. Davis, director general to the campaign, at Atlanta, Ga. Smith will have charge of the distribution of 50-cent memorial coins to be sold for a dollar.

BIG LEASE DEAL IN HUTCHINSON FIELD

Amarillo, Texas.—An oil lease deal, involving leases on 3,500 acres of the Johnson ranch in the Hutchinson county oil field and a cash consideration of $400,000 is reported completed, according to reports.

The leases were sold to the Palaski Oil Company by Dorset Carter, Jim Whittington and a Chicago capitalist, who retained an over-riding one-sixteenth royalty. The three men paid $7,000 for the 3,500 acres less than three years ago.

WHOLESALE PARDONS GRANTED ON HOLIDAY

Austin.—Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson's Thanksgiving Day pardons will number approximately 125. Proclamations were being completed Tuesday and become effective Thursday. When the pardons are announced it will establish a new record for the greatest number of clemency proclamations issued in a single day by any Texas Governor. With these pardons, the grand total of clemency acts by Texas' first woman Governor will run close to the 1,100 mark.

SALE OF JAKE TO BE LAW VIOLATION

On and after Jan. 1, 1926, tincture of ginger, otherwise known as "jake," will be classed as intoxicating liquor, is the information recently given out by the government.

On and after Jan. 1, 1926, all alcoholic preparations of ginger will be classed as intoxicating liquor, and may be sold only as an intoxicating liquor pursuit to a physician's prescription or permit to purchase as the case may be. This classification applies whether sold as essence of ginger, tincture of ginger, extract of ginger, Jamaica ginger, or by whatever other name it is known.

Cotton is still coming in here at a lively rate, and the management of the local gin stated Thursday morning that by noon they expected to have 156 bales turned out. The price being offered now is from 20 to 21 cents.

The Canadian Baptist Association will hold a Sunday School convention at the local Baptist church, beginning Friday night, and lasting until Sunday night. A large crowd is expected to attend the meetings.

Advertising is an investment.

Oil Field Activity In This Locality

Young & Patrick's No. 1 Byrum in section 188 block 3 is making excellent progress, being down 2840, in the big lime. Those in charge state that the formation is gradually getting harder. No gas has been encountered as yet.

Rig builders have the foundation about completed for the Wilcox No. 3 derrick, 1300 feet west of the No. 1 of that company in the Combs & Worley ranch. The string of rotary tools have been moved from the Jud Wilson well north of town to the Wilcox lease, and will be used on the No. 3 for the long end of the drilling.

The No. 2 well is now producing over 50 barrels daily, which is being run into steel storage on the lease.

Empire Oil company's No. 1 Heltholt, three miles west of town, is making hole, after recovering a string of tools which were lost last Saturday. Standard tools are being used on the Empire job.

ENGLISH CLASS THEME

Memories

(By John Purviance)

Many times on the cool winter evenings I wander in home and find myself alone. I pick up the paper, but it does not interest me. I try the Saturday Evening Post, but it seems dry and uninteresting.

At last I pull a big easy chair in front of the fireplace, and sit and stare into the flames. My body is tired, but my mind is restless. My thoughts rove aimlessly from one thing to another, and as my gaze wanders over the room, I notice different articles and wonder from whence they came. There is the large oak mantle. Perhaps it has been a part of a towering oak on the coast of the Carolinas, and has witnessed the revolution. Who knows? Perhaps Stede Bonnett, alias Captain Kidd, and his men have rested in the shade cast by its numerous branches.

On the table is the incense which was made in far-off China. The polished pine woodwork, perhaps, has swayed through many a terrific snow storm in northern Canada. There is the brussels rug which came from Belgium, on eof the great centers of the World War. The antique pottery sitting on the table is the handiwork of the North American Indian. Is this not an odd collection for one to see every day and yet never give it a thought?

I play a soft melody on the Victrola and it brings memories of days long past, when all the family would sit around the fire, and talk over the events of the day. We would play this same old melody and enjoy its beauty. There were faces there which are gone now. Some are gone now. Some are gone forever, while others make infrequent visits, only to hurry away again.

There was the old Christmas tree. I think of the happy times we used to have, placing the presents on the tree. The next morning I would awake with a bound, and my heart throbbing with joy. We would all look over our presents and give vent to our happiness through shouts of joy and much laughter. Great piles of candy were to be had, and turkey for dinner.

I feel a great longing to go back through it all again. Oh! I would give everything I possess if I could only go back to it all once more. I seem to hate it my present life for it is so dull and shallow. I feel that after all, life is a cliche but an old stale joke.

The door bursts open scaring away the hot vodka of my wife and father walks in. "What in the world do you mean by sitting there dreaming? Don't you know you'll never be anything but a dumb-bell if you don't study once in a while," he exclaims.

"Oh, I am just trying to think of some subject matter for my theme this week," I reply.

SPECIAL SERVICES HELD

Special Thanksgiving services were held at 11 o'clock Thursday morning at the Christian church, and were attended by a representative crowd.

Rev. Jasper Bagne of Dalhart read the scripture and Rev. James Todd Jr. of this city preached an appropriate sermon. Several special musical numbers were also a part of the program.

Mrs. L. N. McCullough is planning on opening a gift shoppe in the near future, the date to be announced later.



FAMOUS BAND TO BE IN AMARILLO

Lieut-Commander John Philip Sousa and his band, which is considered the world's greatest musical organization, will play two concerts in the Municipal Auditorium in Amarillo on Tuesday, Dec. 1, the matinee beginning at 3:30 p. m. and the night program at 8 o'clock.

It has been 33 years since Sousa made his first tour of America and since that day he has probably done more for the cause of music in America than any other living person.

On this "third of a century tour" he is playing practically all of the old popular marches he has written and many new ones, including the "Black Horse Troop March" and the "National Game March." Sousa's music represents the real spirit of America in a dignified and intellectual manner.

Judging from the ticket sale at the opening and considering that the name Sousa is the greatest musical organization in the world, with it's director's name a household word it is safe to predict that the entire Panhandle will be represented.

A number of Pampa people plan to attend the concerts. Prices are given elsewhere in this issue in an advertisement run by Emil F. Myers of the Amarillo College of Music, who is sponsoring the great event. Special rates will be given school children for the matinee performance if accompanied by their parents. The children's rate will be 50c, but no two children's seats will be reserved together.

Principals of the Sousa organization are: Miss Marjorie Moody, soprano; Miss Winifred Bambrick, harp; John Dolan, cornet; Geo. J. Carey, xylophone; R. E. Williams, flute; H. B. Stephens, saxophone; John C. Carr, clarinet; Louis A. Winnen piccolo; Clifford P. Ridelle, bassoon; Joseph Delucia, euphonium; J. P. Schueler, trombone; C. J. Russell, librarian; Jay G. Sims, contractor.

BAPTIST PASTOR TO BROWNWOOD

Rev. H. R. Whidby and family departed Tuesday for Brownwood, where they will make their future home.

Rev. Whidby has accepted the appointment of evangelist and assistant Bible instructor at Howard Payne College in Brownwood.

Rev. Whidby has been pastor of the local Baptist church for the past five years, and has made a host of warm friends here who regret to have him leave, however, all wish Rev. Whidby and family much success and happiness in their new home and environment.

No announcement has been made as yet regarding the appointment of a pastor to fill the vacancy occasioned by Rev. Whidby's resignation.

WHITE DEER STORES ROBBED

Two business houses in White Deer were robbed Saturday night, and two young men high jacked Sunday night.

Frank Critchfield, a White Deer youth, is alleged to have committed the crimes. Up until Thursday morning, he had not been apprehended by Carson county officers.

GRAY COUNTY YOUTH DIED FROG GRID GAME

Football was responsible for the death of Charles Edward Carpenter, 18-year-old youth of McLean, who died of a broken neck at 7 o'clock Sunday morning at St. Anthony's sanitarium in Amarillo.

Charles E. Carpenter was injured in making a tackle just four minutes before the close of the game between McLean and Erick, Okla., last Friday. His team-mates, thinking he was only slightly injured, continued in the game.

After the game the youth was taken to his home in McLean, and later removed to Amarillo where an examination revealed his neck had been fractured.

He became delirious early Sunday morning and died at 7 o'clock.

The body was taken overland to McLean Monday afternoon by the Griggs Undertaking Company. Funeral services were held there Monday afternoon with members of his football team as pallbearers. Rev. B. J. Osborn of Pampa conducted the services.

Deceased was a son of John M. Carpenter, a stock farmer of the McLean community.

SPECIAL SESSION APPEARS LIKELY

Austin, Texas.—Frank V. Latham, chairman of the highway commission, and Joe Burkett, a member of the same body, announced Monday that they had tendered their resignations to Governor Miriam A. Ferguson.

A petition has been signed by more than the necessary number of legislators to call a special session of the legislature to go into the irregularities said to exist in the highway department.

This petition was turned over to the governor with the state that if she did not call a special session, the Speaker of the House would do so.

Present indications are that Governor Ferguson will refuse to call the session and that Speaker Satterwhite will be petitioned to call it soon after the holidays.

Half of the members of the senate and more than 50 members of the house are now in Austin.

SCHOOL FACULTY STRUTS ITS STUFF

Friday, Nov. 13 was an eventful day, especially for the high school faculty. The basketball games between the faculty and the high school girls were exciting and the hardest part of it all was the girls defeated the faculty. The first game was finished and the score-keeper announced a tie. Then it was voted that another game should be played.

When the last whistle of the second game blew, the score stood 15-20 in favor of the high school girls.

Miss Susie Fiplin proved herself to be a Jain of Arc and kept the facility from being "whitewashed."

Miss Nelle Lee Smith and Zelda Patton acted as official referees.

G. C. Malone announces that his big furniture sale will continue until Saturday night of this week.

Robbery Suspect Took Train Here

F. W. Vermillion, an oil field worker from the Carson-Hutchinson pool, and known to many in this city, is is under arrest, charged with having robbed the First National Bank at Claude during the noon hour last Saturday.

Word went out from Claude Saturday that the bank had been robbed of approximately $5,000 in currency by a lone bandit, and officers all over the Panhandle were posted to be on the lookout for the bandit.

Vermillion had been coming here shopping from the old field at intervals of about two weeks, and Saturday afternoon he appeared here and together with his wife and two children and did some shopping at local stores. He told several persons that they had been called to New Mexico on account of illness of relatives, and would take the morning train out of this city.

He had only recently bought a Ford touring car from the Rose Motor Co. here on the installment plan. He left the car at the company's garage Satday, turning it back to them after only having made the first payment. No. numbers were on the car at the time, it is alleged.

Several other acts, such as wanting to trade small bills for those of larger denomination caused local officers to grow suspicious, and after he had taken the train out they secured a better description of the robber and decided to have Vermillion arrested. Sheriff Graves wired down the Santa Fe line and a special officer picked him up at Albuquerque. At the time of the arrest his wife was not with him, nor were the children.

The sheriff of Armstrong county and another party went to Albuquerque and brought him back to Amarillo and on to Claude Tuesday. Vermillion denied any connection with the robbery to officers, and stated he could prove that he was in Pampa at or about the time the robbery is said to have occurred.

However, he was placed in jail at Claude to await the action of the grand jury.

At the time of his arrest Vermillion had only about $40 on his person. Officers are now on the lookout for his wife, who will also be held in connection with the case.

SECOND NUMBER A CHINESE OPERATTA

The second number of the Home Lyceum Course under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher association, will be presented Dec. 11, at the High School auditorium at 7:30 p. m.

This number is an operetta entitled "Crimson Eyebrows," and is composed of 20 characters. The scenes are laid in the palace garden of the empress of China, at Pekin. This operetta is a fantastic romance of old China, and is something entirely different from anything yet presented in Pampa.

Mrs. T. E. Rose, Mrs. Carson Loftus and Miss Lula Rorex have charge of the number, and it promises to be a most entertaining number.

TUBERCULOSIS SEALS ARE PLACED ON SALE

Austin, Texas.—According to D. E. Grout, executive secretary the Texas Public Health Association has received 2,500,000 Tuberculosis Christmas Seals, which will be sold throughout Texas from Thanksgiving Day until Christmas.

These tiny seals, no bigger than postage stamps, would, if placed end to end, reach from Longview nearly to Laredo, or a distance of 481 miles.

The design on the seal this year, printed in green, red and yellow, shows twin candles lighted in candelabra, with a background of holly, while the double barred cross, ensign of the tuberculosis movement, hangs between the candles.

Mr. Grout also stated that these penny seals finance almost entirely the work of the Texas Public Health Association. During the past year over 17,000 persons were reached personally with a message of health, exhibits at the large centers of population, nearly 8,000 school children were given complete physical examinations, and 40,000 children were taught health habits through the mail as a Health Crusade. This is but a part of the work that is made possible by the sale of Tuberculosis Seals.

KANSAS CITY STOCK MARKET

CHAS. M. PIPKIN,
Market Correspondent

Kansas City Stock Yards.—Cattle prices were steady to lower. Where quality and flesh were shown, offerings cleared readily but the medium and half fat kinds that showed short dry feed were off 15 to 25 cents. Butcher cattle were steady to 25 cents lower and stockers and feeders were stronger. Veal calves broke 50 cents to $1. Hog prices continued to sag. Chicago had the heaviest run for some time past and reported lower quotations. Lambs were 10 to 15 cents higher, and fat sheep were in limited supply at strong prices.

Monday's Receipts

Receipts Monday were 20,000 cattle, 7,500 hogs, and 3,000 sheep, compared with 21,000 cattle, 8,000 hogs, and 6,500 sheep a week ago, and 20,800 cattle, 20,550 hogs, and 4,850 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle

Some choice yearlings at $10.75, and good steers at $9.50 to $10.50 were quoted fully steady, but the bulk of the offerings at $8 to $9.50, mostly short feds of plain quality were 15 to 25 cents lower. A good many cattle are coming that should have been held until dry feed showed up better and they are the kind that are the hardest to move. Some grass fat steers at $6.50 to $7.50 were quoted steady. The bulk of the cows were plain quality, clean up kinds, that sold at $3.75 to $4.75 or 10 to 15 cents lower. The better cows at $5.50 to $6.50 were steady. Heifers sold at $4.50 to $9.50, and were quoted steady to 25 cents lower. Prime heifers would bring $10 to $10.25. Veal calves were 50 cents to $1 lower, and the lowest for some time past.

Stockers and Feeders

A strong demand continues for stockers and feeders. Prices were fully steady with last week's best time. A good many feeders have not made their purchases, and weather conditions are favorable for buying. Receipts of stockers and feeders will diminish from now on.

Hogs

Hog prices are 50 cents lower than a week ago. The market has sagged each day since Tuesday, and with the runs to Chicago increasing further declines will probably prevail. Here receipts remain light and prices are relatively higher than at the Ike market. The top price Monday was $11.25 paid for light lights. The bulk of offerings brought $11 to $11.10, the narrowest spread of the year. Packing sows sold at $10 to $10.25, and stock hogs and pigs $11 to $12.15.

Sheep and Lambs

The bulk of the fat lambs sold at $13.25 to $13.45 or 10 to 15 cents lower. Some plain lambs brought $14.50 to $14.85. One bunch of yearlings sold at $12.25. Practically no fall feeders or ewes arrived.

Horses and Mules

Good horses and mules are in active demand, but the plain and ordinary kinds are hard to sell.

LARGE CROWD AT METHODIST DINNER

An enormous crowd enjoyed the turkey dinner served by the Methodist ladies at noon Thursday.

The dinner was served in the new church basement, being the first time it has been used for a public gathering. The meal was a sumptuous one, and included everything on the menu which was necessary to appease the appetite of the epicure.

The ladies evidently deserve a hilly sum for their efforts, as a better patronage could not have been wished for.

DENVER COACH SHOP AT CHALDRESS BURNS

Childress, Texas.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the coach shop of the Fort Worth & Denver City Railway Monday night at 9 o'clock. The machinery, however, was saved. The loss, fully covered by insurance, is estimated at $75,000.

Plans already are prepared for building of the Denver shops here and construction work will begin as soon as it is definitely known that the 200-mile extension to the South Plains has been approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The fire Monday night destroyed one passenger coach, two baggage cars and some minor equipment and a number of workmen lost their tools.

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The fellows who blows his own horn is naturally a soloist.

Rear Admiral Fiske says the race is becoming effeminate, but we wonder just what effeminate has come to mean in these modern days.

A noted physician says legs are atrophying and there is no longer a fine play of leg muscles in our youth. He may be right, but there is a very fine display of them now-a-days, at any rate.

"Let every man who would live in a cleaner city, first sweep before his own door step," is an old Chinese proverb intended to have a figurative meaning purely. But let us give it a literal application, for that is the real test of the truth of any such utterance. Suppose every resident of this city looked carefully to the outside appearance of his store or home, and took pride in the neatness of his premises. Wouldn't we have a much more attractive community?

There seems to be common consent among the leaders of Congress to a program for the rapid advancement of a measure to reduce federal taxes. It has been recommended by the president and the secretary of the treasury and will be welcomed by the taxpayers. Members of the house ways and means committee have been procuring data for the new bill for some time, and its early passage is necessary at a time when taxes still are too heavy in spite of progress made in national economy and lower tax rates.

Surveying ten years of corporate activities, the National Industrial Conference Board is surprised to find that Big Business has become quite another sort of thing than the Big Business that was so mercilessly manhandled by trust busters early in its career. The secret of the change is that big business has fallen into the hands of the most capable men in the country, and they realize that square deal is the best policy in the long run. How quickly public opinion has responded is seen in the general recognition that the larger corporations are as a rule the most honestly and fairly conducted. Thus big business, from being regarded as a menace, may be in the way of becoming a public pet.—San Francisco Chronicle.

When we think of Shakespeare we think of something ancient or medieval. The thought that a Shakespearian play could be successfully acted in a modern setting, with the characters attired in modern clothing seems silly. "Imagine Hamlet, the melancholy Prince of Denmark, despatting himself in evening dress, positively ridiculous," the theatrical critics declared. "Imagine the court ladies wearing short skirts and bobbed hair." Well it would seem ridiculous to most of us who have ever witnessed traditional accouterments. But the thing has been done. Hamlet has been played in a modern setting, with all the characters attired in modern clothing, and the result has been quite a surprise and even a shock to the intellectuals of the theater, who in common with all the other members of the human race find it difficult at times to escape from the chains of tradition. It proved to be a great success. Basil Sydney acting Hamlet a la modern has proved to be more convincing than most serious interpretations of Hamlet made according to the dictates of tradition. Shakespeare's characters, divested of their medieval trappings, live as men still, more like the unusual individuals we occasionally have the pleasure of meeting. We understand them—at least the audiences who saw this unusual production of Hamlet did. Shakespeare's art transcends time. The interpretations of his will be given to the world centuries after we are gone today, as great today as they ever were. Human nature remains the same throughout the ages.

Among Our Exchanges

Briscoe County News: The cotton buyers have "perked up" a bit this week when they found that farmers were taking their cotton to neighboring towns for a better market. Silverton should buy all the cotton that is produced in the trade territory and see that the farmer gets all it is worth.

Sayre Journal: Every day should be a Thanksgiving day for every person, for it is a blessing to live in this land of the free, amid the institutions of equal opportunities and equal responsibilities. That the government officially recognizes this only accentuates our love for those principles which have made the Stars and Stripes a proud and clean flag.

Clinton Post-Dispatch: Occasionally we meet up with one of those fellows who points with pride to his ancestors, claiming that they were the old blue hen's chickens. They would leave the impression that the good Lord employed a better grade of clay when they were moulded. Such folks are your stereotyped respectables. To them, "What will people say?" is the all-important problem. Their ideal is to be well-dressed, and their only moral law the eleventh commandment—don't get caught.

Clarendon News: An eminent divine declared the past week that every badge of masculinity had been usurped by women except the mustache, and urged his brethren to wear one. We would, only, next week from the Rue de la Paix would most likely come charming little "mustarhols" in pink, blue, carmine and rose, ready to be affixed to madam's charming upper lip, and then our old scraggly brownish gray mustache would be immediately out of date and an object of merriment and scorn. No, if a man hasn't any other badge of masculinity than a mustache, he's up against it in this modern and maudlin age.

McLean News: The Shamrock Chamber of Commerce is taking page advertisements in their home paper. This is rather unusual, as most Chambers of Commerce expect the home editor to donate his time and space to all Chamber of Commerce doings. The Shamrock chamber is properly working on the idea of selling themselves to their own people as well as to the outside world. This will put them on a sound basis that will enable them to put over anything they undertake to do.

Claude News: As far as the governor's race was concerned Armstrong county went republican at the last general election. When we note the alleged crookedness with which our road money is being handled, we can not register much of a kick on Armstrong county voting for a republican candidate for governor. If your governor wants to play fair with those who voted her into office, why don't she throw the whole office force into the suit and assist Attorney General Moody to regain for the State the money he says has been filched from the road tax payers? Does it not seem to you that there is some grafting behind all this convention? If your governor wants to have a good record let her help Dan Moody to regain this money and not try to defeat him in his attempt to save the pocketbooks of our taxpayers. If the head of our State government is trying to deal fairly with her people, according to our ideas, then twice two does not make four.

The total number of farms in the country has declined 73,000 during the past few years, statistics show. That can probably be explained by the fact that all those too poor to support a flivver have been abandoned.

The United States at the present time has the greatest industrial capacity in its history. Opportunities are so great that as time goes on, production is bound to increase while buying power expands, lifting to new levels the standards of our national life.

Every man needs a little correction. Even the jailer finds his work is not confining.

We, all have our trials, but not half enough of us are convicted.

No matter what you do today, to morrow only exists in the imagination.

It all depends upon the point of view. You can't convince the oldest inhabitant that the good ole young

FLU TIME IS COMING

(By J. H. Lowry)

Of course you expect to have the flu this winter. I do not introduce this unpleasant subject in order to suggest a remedy. There is only one remedy, and I am not going to subject myself to prosecution on a charge of conspiracy to refract the Volstead law by naming it. But perhaps you would like a little information on the origin and nativity of the malady, and also on its symptoms. On these matters I can speak ex cathedra, having formed the habit of having the flu annually several years ago, and kept the custom without a break. Certainly no man ought to have the flu and not know it, and it would be a blunder equally as egragious to have some other disease and unjustly accuse the flu of being your tormentor. The flu originated in the brain of a Ural mountain glacier, making its debut at the same time the Russian soivet was hatched out in the brains of the Russian Reds. You may interrupt me to say a glacier has no brains, but I reply that neither has the flu, the Russian Reds nor the soivet, and will go ahead with my story. The scheme of the originator of the flu was to gather all the incongruous elements, mix them thoroughly, so when the malady made its attack it would work such complexities upon humanity that a victim would be unable to know the point of attack or describe his condition. In that it succeeded admirably, for flu victim has ever been able to say whether he was too hot or too cold, too full or too empty, too dry or too moist, or whether he was suffering from overeating or starving to death. So the first ingredient chosen for the composite malady of many incongruities was a Siberian blizzard; to this was added a portion of Mexican chili con carne. Then an iceburg was dumped in quickly followed by an acre of hell fire. To give the malady vigorous and rapid action, a volcano was added; then the mixture was flavored with a Chinese stinkpot and a thousand pounds of Limburger cheese. Thus constructed, the malady went forth to afflict humanity, and like all new things it did a land-office business from the beginning.

The symptoms of flu are positive and unmistakable. In the primary state of the disease the victim concludes that he is a volcano, seething and raging, and trying to erupt, but the top won't blow off, and the seething and raging continue. A feeling of overfulness comes and the victim lets out his belt several notches, only to find that it was emptiness that was bothering him, and he draws his belt tighter. Victim takes his bed, and confident that even the marrow in his bones is freezing, he has his wife pile all the blankets of the household on him. A minute later he finds that he is burning up, and kicks off the sheets. He calls for ice water, but before it can be given he finds that it was hot soup he needed. For several days and nights railroad engines run over victim's head, and steers with hoofs of ice do cake walks up and down his spine. One day he fears he will die, and sends for his relatives; next day he fears he won't die, and prays his Lord to take him home. No matter what the doctor tells you, if you develop these symptoms you have the flu.

At a conference of county auditors recently, there was unform expression of sentiment that there could be no material tax reduction unless people are educated to do without some of the governmental embellishments they are now paying for but can ill afford. In this sphere of influence the county official as a citizen can be of even greater service than in the discharge of his official duties. If he joins in the clamor for adding on this public service and that public service, which first requires the enactment of a law, he is participating in a species of paternalism which will ultimately destroy local and general government. Unless the alarming increase in demands for public services and expenditures—largely for nonessentials and all more or less socialistic—is curbed, there will be increased tax delinquencies and foreclosures. Neither community progress nor enduring prosperity for the individual can be purchased at the expense of the well-being of the home-owning citizen. There must be greater efficiency and economy in conducting county and city government and officials must be held more and more responsible by the voters for wholehearted co-operation and teamwork in eliminating waste and extravagance.

Sailor's Wife—So you'll be back in four years, will you?"

Sailor—Aye, but I may be a bit late on this trip.

Sailor's Wife—Well, if you are, don't let's 'ave any of your old excuses about the ship going down an' 'aving to walk 'ome.

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Some neighbors who plan to build houses,
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Came down to our yard and found it not hard
To find one in which they would dwell.
In turning the leaves of our plan books
One lady was heard to observe,
"This one is fine, but not just my kind—
I prefer one that's not so superb."
Then as they looked through the volumes,
Their comment on this one and that,
Brought fresh to our mind that we've every kind
That a reasonable person might want.
"This one," they said was so pretty;
The next one was charming or smart;
Another, a Southern colonial,
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She Produced the Proof

By G. B. BEAL and J. TERRILL

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"DID you want to see me?"

She opened the stage door and stood there, her abbreviated skirts revealing a well matured form.

"You are—Miss Gray?" questioned the rather dignified, middle-aged business man.

"Yes, I am Margery Gray. And you," glancing at the card she held, "You're John Stillson?

"Won't you come up to my dressing room?"

"Am I permitted?"

"Oh, yes. You aren't dangerous—not if I vouch for you. It's right this way."

He followed his guide through the strange maze into a narrow, unfurnished room.

"And now—I suppose it was business that made you brave the back stage of a burlesque theater?"

He was oddly ill at ease. "I had no idea that Miss Gray was—the Margery Gray I grew up with," he said at last. "It makes my position difficult. You see—it's about my boy. . . ."

"Your boy?" she echoed, at a loss.

"Yes, yes—my boy. He's been following you around the past month."

"But really, John—I don't know your boy."

"Well, I dare say you know his touring car better than you do his name. They call him Reggie."

"Reggie Stillson—why of course! And what did you want to say to me about Reggie?"

"Just this, Margie—I'm not one of those narrow-minded old chaps who think all stage people are crooked, bad, immoral. I know better than that—please understand me—"

"I do, John. But what about the boy?"

A new voice broke in before she could reply. "Margie—there's a guy out here waiting to see you."

"Tell him to wait a minute, Bobby. I guess that's Reggie now, John."

The man was obviously upset. "Good heavens! He mustn't see me here!"

"I'm afraid you'll have to do the undignified ducking act, then. Here—hide behind this cretonne curtain. Possibly I can get rid of him without his knowing you're here."

"I say, Margie—am I on the blacklist today? I've been waiting out here for a century or so ago. You can't be dressing, because you haven't any change now."

A hurried glance in the cracked mirror, a deft manipulation of a rabbit's foot, and Margie spoke again.

"Come on in, Reggie. I'm dying to see you, myself. But I've got only a minute for you."

"Well, I like that. I think you owe me a few minutes after this wait."

"Let's not talk about what we owe each other, Reggie. Life's too short for that. Tell me how you happen to be in this town, anyway."

"I live here, but that doesn't matter. I'll always be where you are."

"Great, Reggie, great!"

"Aw, quit kidding me. You know, I'm in love with you and I want to marry you."

"All right, I'll take you seriously this time, and I'll answer you seriously. You couldn't make me happy."

"That's not so—I'd give you the finest home and anything you'd want."

"You couldn't, boy—you haven't got it. And you'd never understand. You've never stood in the wing's back stage and heard the show go wrong, heard them rustle their programs out front, scuffle their feet, and cough—seen your friends come off stage with the sweat pouring off their faces, wornout with the effort to please—had someone come up to you and say 'go to it, girlie; make 'em like you.' And you shake down your clothes, take one last scrape at the pumice and you go out there and you fight, and fight. And then you get 'em—and they laugh, and applaud, and they like you, and want more of you. That's living, boy. And you couldn't give it to me?"

Reggie stared at her hopelessly.

"Do you know how old I am?" asked Margery suddenly.

"Sure—about my age. Eighteen or twenty."

"I'm nearly forty. You're a nice boy, Reggie. Now run back home and forget poor little me. Or—no, don't forget me. Remember me, and tell your children how near you came to marrying an actress, and what a good sport she was. Goody-by."

He tried to say it, but couldn't quite manage it. When she had closed the door on Reggie's retreating figure, the elder Stillson emerged from behind the curtain. "You know—that's a nice thing you did for my son," he said, a bit unsteadily. "But tell me—did you mean all that about the theater?"

She nodded. "It's what keeps us everlastingly at it, John."

"And—and that's the reason you wouldn't marry my son?"

"I beg your pardon if I'm intruding, Margie," a deep voice broke in suddenly, and into the narrow confines of the dressing room stepped a well-groomed if over-polished man in full evening dress.

"Oh, that's all right, Joe. You aren't intruding. No, John—that wasn't the only reason why I refused to marry your son. The real reason is my husband here."

Guessed It

Viola—Do you know why I won't marry you?

Jim—I haven't an idea.

Viola—Yes, that's why.

CALIFORNIA LETTER

By J. F. VICARS

Editors Pampa News, Pampa, Texas.

Your paper has been coming to me regularly for the past 17 years, and I have received and read every number of it during all those years, except when I have been traveling, visiting or moving around; and you report the local news so faithfully that we know just how things are moving along in Pampa and the country around. We know who has died, who has married, who has moved away, who has moved in, who has gone into business, who has gone out, who is sick and who has a new baby at their home, who is on a visit, who has visitors, all the news about the churches, clubs, circles, societies, schools, weather, crops, et cetera, and Mrs. Vicars takes just as much interest as I do. The News is the first thing we read when it comes, which is every Monday.

I notice you are running an ad for one of the great mail order houses of the country. It is all right for the people to have those catalogs, but I am going to tell you something. My wife and I patronized those houses for many years. Sometimes we got a good bargain but more often we were disappointed. So often there was a misfit, or the material was not what we expected, or the color was not what we wanted, and there was a long wait too, from the time we made the order until the goods were received, and then maybe, you will be dissatisfied and return them to exchange, or get your money back. I know all this for I have tried it, but it has been many years since we quit altogether.

The sensible, the honest thing for a citizen to do is to patronize his home merchant. He helps to support your schools, your churches, your city, county and state government. He is a good citizen and entitled to your patronage.

It is honest, is it fair, to go to him for credit and send your cash to the mail order house? Go to him, and in nine cases out of ten he can supply your demands with the advantage that you can see what you are getting.

Then, on the other hand, the merchant should advertise liberally so his customers will know just what he has to sell. It is conceded generally that the local paper is the best advertising medium, for those who do or should patronize the local stores also read the local paper.

Recently you made the observation that the Panhandle seemed to be suffering from an invasion of thieves, thugs and bandits. It appears, however that it is no more so in the Panhandle than elsewhere. In San Jose such things have become so common as no longer to be considered as news.

Recently a neighbor of ours had a novel experience with a burglar. She was awakened about 2 o'clock in the morning by a burglar who was standing by her bed. She screamed and he caught her by the throat and cautioned her to keep quiet, at the same time throwing a blanket over her head.

"I'll keep quiet," she said, "if you'll take the blanket off," which he did. She watched him go through her dresser. She told him that was unnecessary, as all the money she had was in a purse lying on the top of the dresser and contained just $13. In the meantime she slipped a diamond ring, unobserved, from her finger and hid it in the bed clothes.

As he stood with the purse in his hand she began to ask him questions. Had he any children? No. A wife? No. A mother? Yes, somewhere.

When he said "yes," she asked him how he would like for someone to slip into his mother's house and frighten her as she had been frightened by him.

Then he apologized and she said, "You are big and strong, why don't you get a job and go straight?" But he had lived too long that way and thought it too late to reform.

At this juncture the burglar seemed to hesitate about transfering the money from the purse to his pocket. "If this is all you have," he said, "I won't take it all." So he took two fives and left $3 in silver on the table. Then he continued, "I have left your daughter locked in her room and I want you to see if she is all right before I go." Mrs. Crummery, for that is her name, went to her daughter's bedroom with a fluttering heart and unlocked the door to find her sound asleep and wholly unconscious of what was going on.

When she returned to her room she found the intruder had waited but was ready to step out through the open window.

"Take these tracts," she said, "and read them," as she handed him some religious literature, "and when you have reformed come back to see me, but come in the day time and not through the window."

The burglar thanked her very courteously, bade her goodbye, then lightly stepped out of the window into the night.

Dr. J. H. Campbell, retired physician and surgeon, who has occupied rooms in the home of Mrs. Harriet Tinsley, formerly of Pampa, for the last three years, is seriously ill from exposure. He was found in his bath tub Monday morning where he had remained all night. He does not seem to be able to explain why he did this, but evidently he must have suffered from a stroke and yet from his conversation he must have been conscious all through the night. It was thought he would take pneumonia from this unusual exposure, but so far no symptoms have developed. But to me it will a great surprise if he recovers without a serious illness, if at all.

I read in the papers Gov. Ferguson has announced that she will issue pardone to 100 convicts as a Christmas gift. I think everybody in Texas who has the good of society at heart should protest against this absurd and foolish act of clemency. It costs too much to round up criminals and send them to the pen to have them turned out loose to repeat their crimes against society. The governor's kind heart has got control of her head. Sentiment is no substitute for justice.

J. F. VICARS, San Jose, Cal.

These peace conferences look as though the nations might be burying the hatchet, with the privilege of digging it up every once in a while to see if it is still there.

IT IS A CONTINUOUS BUT IMPORTANT JOB

In a paper prepared for the annual convention of the National Electric Light Association, Bruce Barton said:

"No plant can depreciate so fast as public good will; for the plant is built of the same brick and mortar today as yesterday, but your public is different every day. In every group of 1,000 people in the United States 11 people die every year and 22 people are born. There is no such thing in public relations as staying where you are. Every year 11 people out of every 1,000—full of your good will propaganda—depart into a country where there is no space or time and hence no kilowatt hours; and 22 people, full of nothing but ignorance and appetite; rise up to demand who you are, and by what right you are entitled to your business and your profits.

"On the wall of my office in New York hangs this quotation uttered by Abraham Lincoln in one of his debates with Douglas:

"In this and like communities public sentiment is everything. With public sentiment nothing can fail; without it nothing can succeed; consequently he who moulds public sentiment goes deeper than he who enacts statutes or pronounces decisions. He makes statutes and decisions, possible or impossible to be executed."

"That quotation should hang on the office wall of every corporation president."

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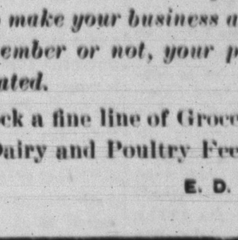
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POULTRY FACTS

FALL REMINDERS OF FARM FLOCKS

The past few months have been our dull months with chickens. About all we could do was to raise a flock of good pullets for winter egg production. Any man who has tried raising poultry knows that the last few months have called for extra effort on our part. But the time will soon be here when we are going to reap what we have been sowing, writes J. W. Hecknor, Jr., in the Farm and Ranch. The pullets will shell out the eggs and the price will soar higher as cold weather comes on. Our dull months, you see, have been our hard-working months. But to reap what is due us we must not lay down on the job now as cool weather approaches. The thing to do is to get everything in the best shape possible to clean up some cash this winter. The merchant puts his store in the best shape possible, cleans up and improves as much as he can, so as to be prepared for the fall business. Here is where his profits pile up. During the dull season he gets by, perhaps, but he counts on the business this fall for extra profits.

Clean up the old store. That is, cull out the nonproducers from the flock. Get rid of the drones. Keep nothing on the yards except money-makers. Turn all the shoddy goods to the market man, and hit the fall and winter months with a flock of healthy, vigorous bread-winners that bring in the dough. If you have a large flock and you are afraid to do the culling, then get the assistance of some one who has had some experience. It pays to cull. You get the same number of eggs on less feed and house room. The nonlayers eat up your profits and crowd the producers. Get rid of them.

If you are not feeding the birds as you should, get them on a good ration at once, as the pullets must be in condition to lay. If you have bred-to-lay chickens and you have done your part in keeping the pullets growing all summer and you continue to give them the right kind of attention, you need not fear but what you will be rewarded this fall and winter with a heavy egg production. Feeding right has much to do with a laying hen. She can't lay unless her food contains all the elements that go to make up an egg, and in the right proportions at that. An egg ration will have to be fed through the winter. It might pay to look into your feeding methods. Sometimes, by doing this, a mistake can be detected before it is too late.

Handling of Pullets in Autumn Requires Skill

No one thing requires more skill than the correct handling of a flock of pullets so that a maximum yield of eggs may be obtained all winter. First of all, the birds must be fat, as this gives them the necessary strength and endurance. To have them fat, large quantities of hard grain must be fed. Three-fourths of the food they consume should be hard grain. It is not as important during the latter part of their development that they have as much mash as when ready to lay. If milk is fed, very little mash is necessary. They should have plenty of green food at all times.

When the first eggs are found on the range, at least one-third or one-half of the birds best developed should be placed in their winter quarters. If the birds are allowed to remain very long on the range after starting to lay, the change to winter houses is sure to check them and may cause a fall molt. When the remaining birds show maturity, they should be put in winter quarters also.

Caution in Culling Is Urged by a Poultryman

Practically every rule has its exception. "Early molting birds are poor layers," say experienced poultrymen. This is true in the main, but there are exceptions.

N. E. Chapman, poultryman with the agricultural extension service, University of Minnesota, points out that many farm flocks went into a premature molt early in June because of lack of feed, hot poultry houses at night, and depredations of mites. Egg production by these flocks fell off rapidly, but as sufficient feed is supplied and poultry houses properly ventilated and the mites exterminated, the flocks are gradually increasing production.

"When culling such flocks, each hen should be carefully studied for evidence that the molt is about to subside," says Mr. Chapman. "The best hens will come back and they ought to have their chance. The poorest ones will, of course, continue to molt and should be discarded."

Balanced Dry Mash

The use of a balanced dry mash containing 2 per cent ground limestone in addition to the hopper of oyster shells will usually prevent the production of soft-shelled eggs. A failure of the egg-making organs to function properly might cause soft-shelled eggs. Such hens have to be located by the trap nest or by observation in small flocks. Then they can be marketed and replaced with vigorous pullets which will probably be free from such trouble.

DOINGS IN WEST TEXAS

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Slaton.—More than 100 business men and their wives attended the annual meeting of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce recently held at the high school auditorium. Many interesting and valuable talks were made, also the election of six additional directors to the board.

Clyde—A farmer living near Clyde gathered 211 bushels of Porto Rico Yams from one acre of land. The land was fertilized some but the potato plants received no special cultivation. With yams selling around $1 per bushel the crop is a profitable one.

Childress—Alderman Jno. R. Scott is advocating another municipal bond issue at Childress for additional sewerage and paving. Childress' growth is so rapid that more than 300 new homes need sewerage connections.

Goree.—The Knox County Commissioners have again taken charge of the highways of Knox County and are using county machinery on state highways.

Big Lake.—Motor trains, carrying passengers, mail and express, replaced steam passenger trains on the Orient Railway between San Angelo and Fort Stockton beginning Nov. 16. Also new fast motor car services was re-arranged between San Angelo and Big Lake and Best in the heart of the Reagan County oil fields.

Slaton.—$100,000 paving bonds were voted here in the special election of Nov. 17. This means approximately $300,000 new paving for the city of Slaton.

QUIT ADVERTISING AND LOST BUSINESS

E. L. Murdock, proprietor of Murdock Bros., for 18 years a leading ready-to-wear store of Champaign, Ill., declares that the chief reason for the recent failure of his business was due to his giving up newspaper advertising. He said in a signed letter in the Champaign Gazette-News:

"Another contributing cause, and perhaps the greatest contributing cause, is the fact that four years ago our firm, because we thought the rate was too high, withheld all advertising in the Gazette-News.

For two years we were without proper means of getting messages about our store into the homes of our friends and buyers. The result was that they soon forgot us. We tried other forms of advertising to supplant the newspaper, but we found none that was as effective. Our business continued on the downgrade.

"After two years we saw the error of staying out of the newspapers. Arrangements were made again with the Gazette-News to carry Murdock Bros., advertising into the homes of the community. The business began to thrive—but it was too late. Seemingly our friends had forgotten about us. The fault was ours. For too long a time we had failed to remind them about the plentiful merchandise and values in our store."

Ancestors

Stuttering Mose—J-just think, t-that b-b-beautiful b-b-butterfly once c-came from a cocoon.

Rastus—Good Lord, Ah guess we is the ancestors of everything.

Was Too Husky

Bill (to sad one)—"Cheer up, old man, why don't you drown your sorrow?"

Board—"She's bigger and stronger than I am."

They Knew

A teacher was instructing her class in the use of antonyms. "Now, children," she said, "what is the opposite of sorrow?"

"Joy," shrieked the class in unison.

"What is the opposite of pleasure?"

"Pain."

"And what is the opposite of woe?"

"Giddap."

He Was Confused

"Did you get home all right last night, sir?" asked the street car conductor.

"Of course—why not?" came back the passenger.

"Well, when you got up to give your seat to that lady last night you were the only two in the car."

Billie Played Safe

Six-year-old Billie found a pocketbook and made haste to return it to its owner.

"You're an honest lad," the latter told him, magnanimously. "Here, I'll give you a dime."

"Aw, you don't hafta," replied Billie running away. "I kept a quarter out."

Then and Now

"Before we were married, George used to kiss me when we went through tunnels."

"And now?"

"Now he takes a drink."

GROWING CHRISTMAS TREES NOW BUSINESS

Christmas-tree crops, raised on plats especially set aside for the growing of evergreens, seems to be a coming business, say forestry officials of the United States Department of Agriculture. Although Federal foresters do not feel that the use of Christmas trees is either a menace to the country's timber supply or incompatible with forest conservation, they point out that the practice of growing small evergreens especially for the Christmas trade is far better than cutting them in an indiscirminate manner.

In 1924 spruce and fir trees commonly sold for $1 to $3 and more on the streets of the larger eastern cities. Retail prices have increased several hundred per cent in the last 15 or 20 years and high prices are likely to prevail in the future. Growing Christmas trees in plantations near large consuming centers is beginning to look like an attractive business. This is particularly true for centers in the Eastern and Middle Western States, which are rather distant from a natural source of supply. Several such plantations are already in existence from which trees have been sold at prices ranging from 50 cents to $1.50 each. In a plantation adjacent to a main road it seems probable that the trees could be sold right on the ground to people passing in automobiles.

Spruces and firs, where they can be grown, are the logical choice for planting, because they are the most desired as Christmas trees and command the highest prices. Since the trees will be grown only for from five to eight years after they are set out, they can be planted at the rate of 5,000 to the acre.

It is doubtful, says the department, whether Christmas-tree plantations would at present yield satisfactory financial returns in the South and the far West because of the abundant supply of small evergreens found in the forests of those localities.

On the Job

A clergyman was conducting a funeral in a Western state when two shots were fired outside the church. The undertaker at once rushed out, but returned in a few moments, smiling.

"I've secured both those customers," he whispered to the parson with pardonable pride.

Even So

County Clerk—You solemnly declare that you are fitted to receive this license for marriage?

Rastus—Ah surely is, boss. In fact, Ah is the most licentious nigger in these here parts.

Willie Had Ideas

"How do you do, Willie? I've come to stay at your house for a week, and I'm sure you can't even guess who I am."

"I'll bet you're no relation of fathers."

MORE GAS WELLS ARE NEEDED EVERY YEAR

While the number of natural gas wells in the United States is close to 25,000, the business of tapping the sub-surface gas measures of the country yearly, presents increasing problems. The supply gradually grows more difficult and geological reports show that at no very remote date, it will pass beyond the range of economic operation, says the Texas Public Service Information Bureau.

Texas is among the leading states in production of natural gas. So far as potention supplies are concerned it seems likely that Texas will have natural gas for a long time owing to the great areas that have not been developed which are expected to be found productive. Texas produces about one-seventh of all the natural gas produced in the United States.

There is considerable waste of natural gas in the oil fields and there is room for economies in the use of this fuel in the homes and industries where it is used.

IF WE ONLY UNDERSTOOD

(By Rudyard Kipling)

If we knew the cares and trials,
Knew the efforts all in vain
And the bitter disappointment,
Understood the loss and gain—
Would the eternal roughness
Seem—I wonder—just the same?
Should we help where now we hinder
Should we pity where we blame?

Ah! we judge each other harshly,
Knowing not life's hidden force;
Knowing not the fount of action
Is less turbid at its source;
Seeing not amid the evil
All the golden grains of good;
And we'd both love each other better
If we only understood.

Could we judge all deeds by motives
That surround each other's lives,
See the naked heart and spirit,
Know what spur the action gives;
Often we should find it better,
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"Course I did," replied Junior. "I heard the lady back of us say she never saw a child behave so."

A Vast Difference

Albert—What's the difference between a drama and a melodrama?

Bernard—Well, in a drama the heroine merely throws the villian over. In a melodrama, she throws him over the cliff!

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Pampa News

Society and Clubs

BY MRS. JOE M. SMITH

Phone Local News and Society Items to No. 72

WAYSIDE CLUB ENTERTAINS

Members of the Wayside Club entertained their husbands and friends last Friday night at the home of Mrs. V. S. Keahey. A number of games were played, lasting until a late hour. The 45 persons present were then served delicious refreshments of sandwiches, pie with whip cream, coffee and hot chocolate.

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PARTY SERIES

Mesdames A. R. Sawyer and Mrs. R. B. Thompson were joint hostesses to a series of delightful parties last week at the Sawyer home. The rooms were tastily decorated with cut flowers,

The first of the parties occurred Thursday afternoon with forty-two as the favored diversion. The guest personnel included: Mesdames Neal McCullough, T. B. Solomon, T. V. Lane, C. W. Lawrence, J. W. Woodworth, W. Mullinax, J. W. Graham, Dave Pope, P. C. Ledrick, Wm. Crawford, W. W. Merten, Alex Schneider, Jr., George Rainouard, Raymond Harrah, Irvin Cole, V. E. Fatheree, Emmett Duncan, I. E. Duncan, J. R. Brown, L. H. Sullins, Harold Miller, Robert Morris, B. E. Finley and G. C. Malone.

Thursday evening the following guests enjoyed a delightful evening of forty-two: Messrs. and Mesdames Siler Faulkner, C. T. Hunkapillar, A. Cole, R. C. Campbell, T. E. Rose, W. Purviance, G. C. Walstad, C. C. Dodd and Joe M. Smith.

Friday night the last of the series was given, when five hundred was enjoyed. Those playing were: Messrs. and Mesdames C. C. Cook, DeLea Vicars, C. P. Buckler, L. C. McMurtry, E. S. Vicars and A. H. Doucette and Messrs. Larry Rider, Otto Studer, R. B. Thompson, A. R. Sawyer, and Miss Annie Laurie Sawyer.

Delicious salad courses were served at each of the parties.

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BELL CLUB

The Bell Home Demonstration club met in regular session at the school building Thursday, Nov. 12. Miss Seelbach gave a talk on poultry, which was beneficial to all, since all of the members are poultry club members, also. The club was reorganized for the 1926 year's work, and the following officers elected:

President—Alice Warminski.

Secretary-treasurer — Evangeline Skibinski.

The aim of the club for the coming year is (1) to raise better poultry; (2) each member attend the annual encampment; (3) each member have a complete exhibit for the Pampa fair next fall, and (4) to send one of our members to the short course at A. & M. College, or to the Dallas Fair club girls' encampment.

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JUNIOR PARTY

The Junior Class of the local high school enjoyed a "kid party" given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Thursday night, Nov. 19. Mr. and Mrs. Brown were recently elected father and mother sponsors of the Junior Class, and Miss Whiteley was elected sponsor of the class. Various "kid" games were played, and the evening spent with much merriment. Delicious refreshments of chocolate, sandwiches, cake and candy were served to the following: Rosie Baggerman, Clara Brown, Daisy Dean, Delpha Wood, Margaret Buckler, Vera Zimmerman, Lillian Mullinax, Virginia Turcotte, Margaret Watson, Frankie Barnhart, Elizabeth Carson, Minnie V. Haynes, Helen Sullins and Willard Johns, Donald Zimmerman, Thomas Clayton, George Walstad, Hallie Gantz and Jones Seitz.

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EL PROGRESSO CLUB

El Progresso Club met at the home of Mrs. H. L. Ledrick Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 24. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. V. E. Fatheree. Roll call was answered with current events. After a short business discussion the meeting was turned over to Mrs. R. B. Thompson as leader. The subject for study being "One of Ours," one of Willa Cathers' latest novels. Mrs. C. C. Cook as assistant, gave a vivid description of the characters. The major character being one Claude Wheeler, a farmer and an idealist who lost his life on the battlefields of France during the World War. His mother, a major character also, felt that death was the best thing for her boy as she knew he would never find the peace and contentment on this earth that he had so long sought. Mrs. Thompson gave the setting of the story, the scene of which was laid in Nebraska where Miss Cathers spent the greater part of her life, which she knows so well and always depicts with such loving touch. The latter part of the story is laid in France. After a brief discussion of the book the club was favored with a vocal duet by Mrs. H. L. and Mrs. P. C. Ledrick, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Clinton Henry. Delicious refreshments were served the following: Mesdames T. D. Hobart, G. C. Walstad, C. C. Cook, P. C. Ledrick, V. E. Fatheree, Dave Pope, C. P. Buckler, R. B. Thompson and H. L. Ledrick. The visitors included Mrs. Clinton Henry, Mrs. Marion Walstad and Mrs. Archie King, the latter a sister of the hostess.

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KINGSMILL CLUB

The Kingsmill Club met Friday afternoon, Nov. 20 with Mrs. J. C. Barnard as hostess. Ten members and two visitors were present. Election of officers was held and resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. W. E. Cobb.

Vice president—Mrs. Floyd McConnell.

Secretary—Mrs. C. T. Mullen.

Corresponding secretary—Mrs. Raymond Harrah.

Reporter—Mrs. M. L. Dowd.

The next meeting will be held Dec. 4 with Mrs. W. E. Cobb, when Miss Seelbach will give a demonstration.

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HOME SERVICE CLUB

Tuesday, Oct. 27, the Home Service Club met at the home of Mrs. A. B. McAfee. The lesson for the afternoon was "Texas Poets and Works." Three interesting and entertaining papers were given. Refreshments were served the several members present.

On Nov. 10 the club met at the home of Mrs. Will Lester, wheen Miss Seelbach was leader for the afternoon. She gave a demonstration of made-over garments, after which plans were made for a pie social to be held at the school house Thanksgiving night.

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HONORING MISS ARCHER

Mesdames J. E. Williams, John A. Williams and Mrs. Harold L. Miller delightfully entertained a number of friends at the home of the former Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Freda Archer. The time was spent playing forty-two and later a miscellaneous shower was given Miss Archer. The many beautiful gifts were presented by little Miss Jane Miller and Molita Turman. A receipt book was passed among the guests, and each wrote her favorite receipt. Delicious refreshments were served the following guests: Mesdames J. S. Baird, Wade Duncan, Ralph Arnold, W. C. Archer, Raymond Harrah, E. R. Turman, and Misses Eunice Barnard, Annie Laurie Sawyer, Helen Baird, and the honoree, Miss Archer.

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BAPTIST CIRCLES

Circles No. 1 and 4 of the Baptist church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Earnest Barrett. The business session was presided over by Mrs. Harry Barnard. Devotional was led by Mrs. Chas. Barrett and the mission study lesson conducted by Mrs. T. B. Solomon. Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, fruit salad, pie and cocoa were served the seven members and one visitor present.

Circles 2 and 3 met with Mrs. J. R. Henry. Mrs. John McKamy was in charge of the business session, which was followed by an examination in the mission study book, conducted by Mrs. S. L. Anderson. The hostess served fruit to the 11 members and two visitors present.

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W. M. S.

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet next Wednesday afternoon at the church for Bible study.

FOR LIMITED TIME ONLY

For the next few days we can offer a year's subscription to the Amarillo Daily News and a year's subscription to the Pampa News, both for $5.00. This is a genuine bargain.

STOP! LOOK!

For what? Box supper!

Where? Farrington school house.

When? Saturday night, Nov. 28.

By-the-way—everyone welcome. 33-3

To Our Friends and Patrons:

Owing to poor collections we are compelled to run on a strictly cash basis. Please keep this in mind and it will be appreciated. 32-4tc

Pampa Shoe and Harness Shop.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church wishes to thank all who patronized their bazaar Saturday, and all who helped in any way to make it a success. Especially do they thank Mr. Davis for the use of his building.

LOCAL Gossip

Mrs. Judge Grigsby of Perryton, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hobart of Canadian were week-end visitors at the T. D. Hobart home.

Buel Dunnivan and sisters, Bernice and Minerva of Miami, were guests of Mrs. B. J. Osborn and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Banks and daughter, Emma, and Misses Addie Lee Smith and Norma Lee Brown were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

I have moved my cream station and shoe shop to the first door south of the Pampa Drug store. Bring me your cream and shoe work. C. E. Shelton. 34-2tc

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tipps are the proud parents of a 10-pound daughter, who arrived Sunday, Nov. 22.

Miss Julia Mae Barnhart of White Deer spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Dolly Barnhart, and family.

The Pipkin Produce Company wants to skin you—wants all your chickens, eggs and hides. 51-tfc

Mrs. Clinton Henry of Palo Dura is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Pope.

Mrs. Edgar Taylor, nee Miss Artie Finley of Wichita Falls, is visiting Mrs. H. A. Gilliland and family, and her father, W. M. Finley.

Mrs. D. B. Jamison of Amarillo visited relatives and friends here last week.

Start your pullets and moulted hens to laying while eggs are at a high price. Pan-A-Ce-A tones up the dormant egg organs and starts the feed the egg way. For sale by Pampa Poultry Producers Assn. 34-4t

Mrs. M. S. Wise and son, Smith, Jr., arrived home Sunday from a visit with relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. Ruby Barnes and children, who have been visiting at the H. A. Gilliland home, have gone to Wichita, Kan., to visit before returning home to San Antonio.

We are glad to assist you in planning that new home you have been contemplating building. Our motto, "Service that Satisfies." White House Lumber Co., Pampa, Texas. 11-tfc

A. H. Doucette left Wednesday for the Carson-Hutchinson field to be absent several days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johns visited with Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Sanders of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Amacker of Amarillo, Sunday.

J. W. Graham, J. S. Carter, L. C. McMurtry, C. P. Buckler, E. A. Shackleton and C. M. Spurlock attended the Shrine celebration in Amarillo Tuesday.

Rev. B. J. Osborn and family went to McLean Monday, where the former conducted the funeral services for the Carpenter boy.

Mrs. Joe Shelton and son left Thursday for Gage, Okla., to visit friends.

Mrs. A. H. Doucette and Mrs. G. C. Malone were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Osborne are the parents of a son, born Monday, Nov. 23.

Mesdames B. W. Rose and John Haggard were Clarendon visitors Saturday.

Mr. Gowan of Fort Worth visited at the L. N. McCullough home this week.

J. S. Burgess left Thursday night of last week for Phoenix, Ariz., in the interest of the J. I. Case Co. He expects to be away about two weeks.

B. W. Rose returned Sunday night from Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coffee and son expect to spend Thanksgiving with relatives and friends in White Deer.

Mrs. Joe White of Clarendon is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

A. T. O'Neal returned from Oklahoma City Saturday.

Mrs. Baxter Johnson and baby and Miss Cathrine Clark of Crowell, arrived Wednesday for a visit at the R. C. Campbell home. Mrs. Johnson is the daughter of Supt. and Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. Jim White and daughter of White Deer were visitors here Saturday.

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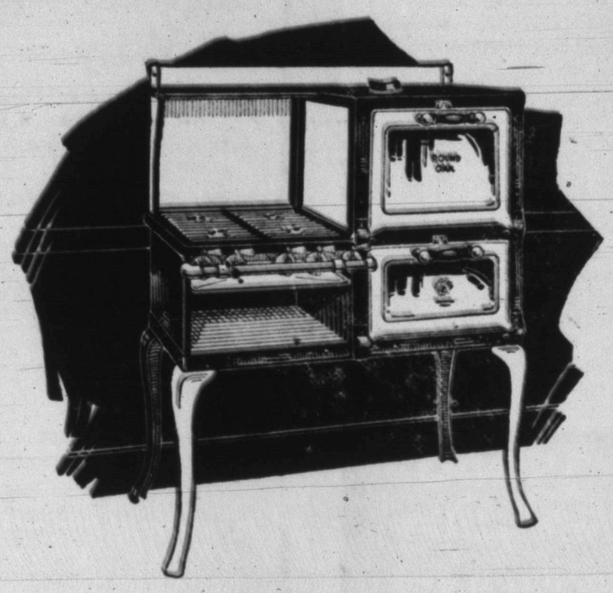
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To Each His Fear

By MARY W. OVINGTON

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"YOU shouldn't treat your little sister so, Carl."

A child of three was clasping his mother's skirts and screaming with terror.

"I didn't do anything," the child's brother grumbled. "I just said 'Boo' to her. She's a ''fraid cat.'"

"It's wrong to frighten a little child. Molly may never get over it," and the mother picked up the child in her arms.

Her small son stifled a hoot and ran off. The little girl continued to utter shriek after shriek. Terror gripped her heart and convulsively shook her small body.

It would have been well if Frederick Blake had seen this incident before he married Molly Carter. However, he would have been a small boy at the time and doubtless would have joined her brother in jumping out at her. When he met Molly he was attracted not only by her good looks but her high spirits and her fine record at sports. She never lost her nerve at tennis, even at the most exciting tournament. He was therefore utterly astonished when his wife went into hysterics because he came upon her suddenly when she was sitting alone in the library looking into the fire. She clutched his arm and screamed, and he laughed and called her what her brother had called her before, a "'fraid cat."

Molly's nerves certainly were on edge those first months of married life. Her best friends had to admit it. But it all began, she declared, with the awful shock of Fred's entrance into the library that afternoon. He had flung his hand on her shoulder and called in that great voice of his before she knew he was within a mile of the place.

It was a slippery, sloppy, harsh winter. There was no chance for outdoor life. Molly took cold and hugged the fire and was often out of sorts. Her husband retaliated by teasing her. His laugh, that his wife had once loved, grew hateful. At length, one evening, when as she firmly believed he deliberately jumped at her from behind a door, her terror knew no bounds. This time she hurried into her hat and coat and went to her mother's, and declared she intended never to live with him again.

"She can't mean it," he declared to Mrs. Carter, looking at her with fear in his eyes. "Molly wouldn't treat me like that."

When the trunks went out of the house, Carl was standing with his friend in the hall. "Looks like business," he remarked, and then, seeing Fred's face, went quietly away. He could not forget those sorrowful eyes, like a dog's.

Fred began to dissipate. The maid left and his house took on a desolate look under the chance ministrations of scrub women. He lived a good deal at the country club. Everybody who saw Molly told her that she was doing wrong. But she would not give in.

"She has been humiliated," Carl thought. "That's the chief trouble. Now if she could only see Fred in a blue funk. 'To each his fear.' Did Kipling say that? Now I wonder."

Three days after this, at midnight, Molly was awakened suddenly by her brother's pounding at her door. "Wake up," he cried. "Fred's horribly sick. Afraid he can't live. I've been with him two hours and have just rushed up for you. Get on your things, won't you?"

He need not have said the last words for she was already jumping into her things.

"You mustn't be too shocked," Carl explained as they entered the house. "Fred's terribly scared. You remember that newspaper story two weeks ago? Fred knew one of the men who died."

Her husband's face was perfectly white and he looked scared and helpless. She leaned over and kissed him until she brought the color to his cheeks. Then she looked about.

"And now," she said, when the patient looked like himself, "the nurse is discharged. I want you two to realize," and she glanced from one to the other with a satisfied smile, "that I've seen through your little hoax."

Her husband, excited, incoherent, sat up in bed and declared that she was mistaken, utterly mistaken; but her brother gave an old well-remembered boy's hoot. "You caught on, kid, and no mistake. Only don't forget, Fred wasn't on the inside. He's innocent. I gave him the stuff, but I suggested poison and he did the rest. He's got a powerful imagination. 'Fraid cat!"

He stuck out his tongue at his brother-in-law as though he were eight years old, and then dashed out of the room. Fred leaped from bed and pursued him. In a second Molly heard the outer door slam. When her husband came slowly back she was shaking with laughter.

"I believe, dear," she declared, "that I'm cured, cured of being frightened. I can see the funny side of it."

Her husband did not smile. "I'm cured, too," he said solemnly. "I'm cured of teasing. For I can see the tragedy."

Horse Radish

First Diner—I see you're enjoying your oysters.

Second Ditto—Bosh! Is guess it?

First Ditto—You're eating them with relish.—New York Central Magazine.

Health and Home

FOOD FOR CHILDREN WHO TRAVEL

Many times, and especially during the summer months, mothers are forced to take their children on trips with them. During these trips, the parent is forced to contend with that ever-present and serious problem of food for the child.

As in almost every other case, the chief source of worry, during these periods, is the milk supply, its source, its purity and its food value. It is not always convenient to get market milk of dependable quality for, in many sections of the country, adequate facilities for its care are not provided. To meet the needs of mothers in these trying situations, science has provided a form of milk, conveniently carried and easily prepared. The cans are in two sizes, the one containing six ounces an., the other sixteen.

Evaporated milk is just pure cows' milk with more than half of the water removed. None of its food value is lessened; in fact its digestibility is improved. It is easily mixed with water and is, undoubtedly, the most practical form of milk for use as a food for children. Some of the country's leading pediatricians recommend its use, employing the following formula:

From Sixth Week to Third Month.

Milk, evaporated	6 ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Boiled water	26 ounces

Seven feedings in twenty-four hours; 4 to 5 ounces at three-hour intervals during the day and four-hour intervals at night.

From Third Month to Fifth Month.

Milk, evaporated	7½ ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Boiled water	29½ ounces

Six feedings in twenty-four hours; 5 to 6 ounces at three-hour intervals during the day and a feeding at 10 p. m.

From Fifth to Seventh Month.

Milk evaporated	10 ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Boiled water	29 ounces

Five feedings in twenty-four hours, 6 to 7 ounces at four-hour intervals, the last feeding to be given at 10 p. m.

From Seventh to Ninth Month.

Milk, evaporated	11 ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Boiled water	35 ounces

7 to 9 ounces at four-hour intervals during the day. Last feeding at ten at night.

From Ninth to Twelfth Month.

Milk, evaporated	12 ounces
Lime water	3 ounces
Milk sugar	2 ounces
Barley water	34 ounces

8 to 9 ounces at four-hour intervals during day. Last feeding at ten at night.

PAMPA MAN BUYS MIAMI MEAT MARKET

W. W. Henry recently purchased the C. O. D. Market from Will Turner, who several months ago opened the market to the public, and has been giving good service.

Mr. Henry comes from Pampa, well recommended as a meat cutter, and from the cuts that we have seen turned out, it is evident that he is above the average. Mr. Henry states that he will handle meats, cream and produce as formerly handled by Mr. Turner, who will remain as an employe.—Miami Chief.

I have moved my cream station and shoe shop to the first door south of the Pampa Drug store. Bring me your cream and shoe work. C. E. Shelton. 35-tfc

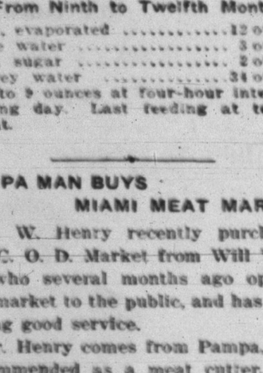
AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Lee Harrah, Superintendent.

Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Sunday.

Woman's Missionary Society meets Wednesday afternoons. Mrs. B. J. Osborn, acting president.

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HOW TO SELECT A THANKSGIVING OR CHRISTMAS FOWL

When you select your turkey for Thanksgiving or Christmas, says the United States Department of Agriculture, one of the chief considerations is the amount and quality of the flesh on the body, especially on the breast, back and hips. Plenty of flesh means plenty of meat for carving, and there should be also a generous amount of fat to insure a moist, tender turkey. The French always expose a turkey in the market with the back up so the housewife can better observe how plump the bird is.

Feeling the end of the breast or keel bone and examining the spurs on the feet may give some idea of the age of a turkey, but these tests are not infallible for picking out a tender turkey. Almost any turkey can be cooked so that it is tender; but it is, of course, easier to roast a young bird. The best method of cooking a turkey is that by which the flesh is kept moist and juicy. Cooking it in a covered roaster with a little water in the bottom in a carefully regulated oven will prevent it from drying out. The time for cooking varies according to the age of the turkey and its size.

The custom of having a turkey for Thanksgiving dinner dates back to the early New England settlers, who found turkeys wild and highly recommended by the Indians. Domestic turkeys are at their prime in the fall of the year, and their size makes them suitable for serving to a good many people, so that the custom for practical reasons, has continued down to the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bennett arrived the latter part of last week from Los Angeles, Calif., and Monday they went on to Dallas, where Mrs. Bennett will undergo an operation. They were accompanied to Dallas by Mrs. W. B. Henry.

The Beatrice Creamery wants your cream. Bring it to us and will give you a square deal. C. E. Shelton, agent. 35-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Potter of Durham, Okla., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Noblitt, and family.

Clifton Osborn of Clarendon College spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Osborn.

Circles No. 1 and 4 of the Baptist church will hold a food sale Saturday, Dec. 19, at the Woodward-Lane store.

According to L. C. McMurtry, grain dealer of this city, the condition of the wheat crop in this section is 20 per cent above normal. He believes the acreage will exceed 150,000.

Reports are that $25 worth of Bibles were recently stolen at Amarillo.

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WANTED—WHEAT PASTURE FOR calves. See Henry Schafer, White Deer, Texas. 34-2tc

FOR SALE—TWO FORD TRUCKS. See or phone Z. H. Mundy, Pampa, Texas. 32-4tc

FOR RENT—THREE-ROOM APARTment, about Oct. 10. See C. L. Mullen. 28-tfc

CHRISTMAS CARDS — OUR SAMples have arrived and are beauties. Drop in and make your selection and get first choice. The Pampa News. tf

LIST YOUR OIL LEASES, FARM and city property with C. S. Rice for quick action. Located in Kinnison & Walker's new barber shop. tfc

RUBBER STAMPS—IF IT IS RUBber stamps you want, The News can fix you up.

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