

# THE HEDLEY INFORMER

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## BRAY SCHOOL CLOSSES A SUCCESSFUL TERM

The Bray Public School closed last Thursday evening with a good program that was enjoyed by a large crowd. The term has been a very successful one.

Pupils who made a general average of 90 and above are as follows:

Cleo Spier 96  
Joe Davis 95  
Lillie Mae Mohler 94½  
Ethel Spier 94½  
Pearl Lowery 93½  
Edith Hill 92  
Wesley Banister 91½  
Lillie Mae Steel 90.  
Principal R. L. Bush left the latter part of last week for Brownwood.

Mrs. Rich Bowlin was a visitor in Clarendon Wednesday.

## TO THE PEOPLE

This being our first month here, we want to thank each of you for your trade. We are pleased with our list of customers and hope you will continue to let us have your trade.

If you are not one of our customers, come in and see us.

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## WARNING

This is to warn all parties not to go swimming in the pool on my place, as it is in plain view of my door. Parents please keep your little boys away from this place, as it is dangerous.

S. W. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Herd visited relatives in Clarendon Sunday.

## BIG SUNDAY SCHOOL AND B. Y. P. U. RALLY

The Panhandle Baptist Association will hold a Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Rally in Memphis next Wednesday, June 28th.

A splendid program has been arranged, and a good attendance is expected.

The Panhandle Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Assembly will meet in Ceta Canyon, Randall county, August 2 to 11. This is expected to be one of the greatest meetings ever held in this section of Texas.

Are you going?

## NOTICE TO FARMERS

The Federal Land Bank is now lending money at 5½ per cent to farmers who owe money on their land, that is due, past due, or to become due within the next five months. For particulars see C. E. (Jack) Killough, at the Donley County Abstract office, across the street East of Court House, Clarendon. 32p.

J. B. Masterson and family, accompanied by Mrs. D. J. Cannon, Mrs. C. G. Strickland, Mrs. O. R. Alexander and son, J. B., left Wednesday morning for Medicine Park, Okla., where they will meet relatives from other points and enjoy a picnic for several days. They made the trip in their car.

Jet Brumley went to Amarillo yesterday afternoon to meet his little son and daughter on their return from a visit to relatives in Arkansas.

R. E. L. Snodgrass and family had a pleasant visit a week or so ago from Mr. Snodgrass' brother and wife, who were moving from Prescott, Ariz., to Arkansas. They were making the trip in their car, and remained here several days.

C. E. Blankenship and family were visitors in Hedley last Saturday. They have recently returned from the Rio Grande Valley, but will likely go back there within the next few months. For the present they are located in Clarendon.

W. L. Crane, of Clarendon, was here Tuesday in the interest of his candidacy for Sheriff.

Tax Assessor Harry Warren to business here Saturday.

MRS. JOSIE McBRIDE  
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## WINDY VALLEY CLUBS HAVE GOOD MEETING

The Girls Sewing and Canning Club of Windy Valley met Tuesday morning with Mrs. W. B. Ayers, and had a lesson in cooking, featuring making of bread and preparing vegetable dishes.

Miss Richmond was with them and expressed herself as much pleased with their progress.

In the afternoon the ladies met with Mrs. Clay Inmon and had a lesson on finishing and fancy stitches. A large number of ladies were present, and a splendid meeting was the result.

On Tuesday, July 18, there will be an all day joint session of the ladies and girls clubs at the home of Mrs. W. B. Ayers.

Miss Richmond will be present, and it is hoped that all the women and girls will come and make this the biggest meeting yet.

Reporter.

LOST - Crank belonging to Chandler auto, somewhere between Dr. Webb's residence and town. Finder return to Dr. J. W. Webb.

## DR. COFFEY'S FATHER DEAD

Dr. J. C. Coffey left yesterday for McKinney in answer to a message that his father is again critically ill, with little hope held out for his recovery. A brother of the elder Mr. Coffey died at McKinney Wednesday, after a short illness, and was buried Thursday.

LATER - A message from Dr. Coffey states that his father died this morning.

Miss Ruth Marsalis, a highly esteemed young lady who formerly resided in Hedley, died last Sunday at her home in Sillsbee, Hardin county, Texas, after an illness of several months duration. She was a sister of Mrs. Henry Tims of this city and a daughter of J. C. Marsalis, who moved from here to South Texas about four and a half years ago. We extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Mackey were here Sunday from Childress, visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Mackey remained for a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Martin Bell.

J. W. Brumley and Miss Lizzie Wimberly visited in Memphis Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Y. F. Walker and son, Y. F. Jr., made a trip to Memphis Monday.

Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Miss Melba Johnson, Miss Mary Pope Walker, Mrs. J. C. Coffey, Mrs. P. V. Dishman and Ernest Johnson made an auto trip to Amarillo Monday.

Mayor W. E. Reeves set a good example for all of us last week by having his residence freshly painted, and improving the appearance of things considerably.

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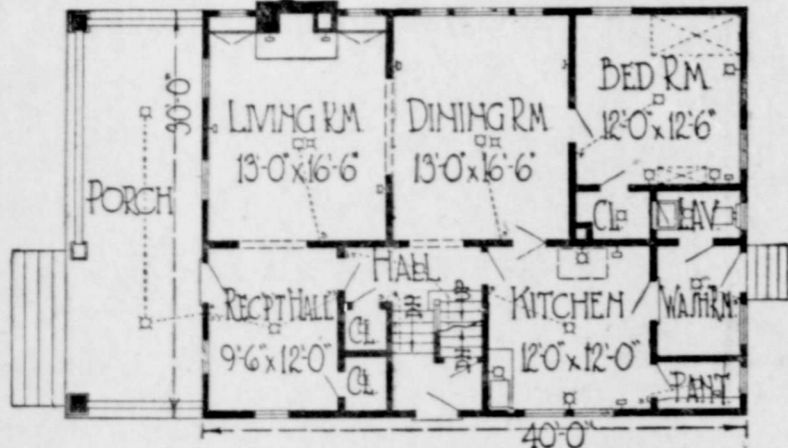
"Let there be light—"  
For years and years the practical meaning of this Biblical expression was lost to the farmer. True, he may have got some spiritual consolation from it, but there was a significance that had not dawned upon him. He kept hard at it, working his long hours each day and far into the night with

plans. It is not at all elaborate, being of the familiar, practical and economical square or box type, as it is often called, frame exterior set on a firm concrete foundation with high cellar for heating plant and storage room. A farmhouse without plenty of room for a large laundry, vegetable store room and modern heating plant, is not worth while and certainly not practical.

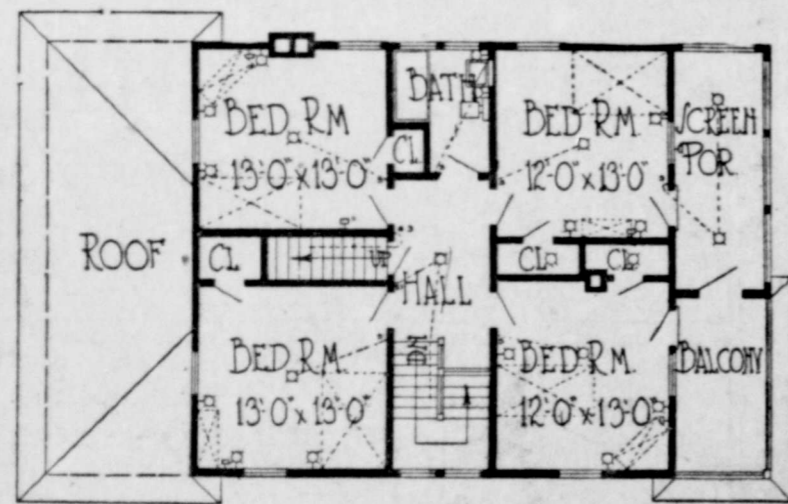
Across the entire front extends a wide, open porch, an ideal recreation place for the family in the warm weather and cool evenings. In the summer it can be screened in to keep out pests and dirt.

The front door opens into a small vestibule in which there is a clothes closet for outdoor clothes, umbrellas, etc. The reception hall opens into the large living room, 13 by 16 feet 6 inches, arranged in the manner in which modern buildings are, with fireplace and side wall bookcases. Windows in front and side provide plenty of light. It is also important to note in these floor plans that all electrical fixtures and outlets are indicated.

From the living room, one enters the dining room through a door opening rather wide and plain. In dining room provision is made for a central lighting fixture over the table, and smaller wall fixtures around the room. This room gets light from a triple side window. Crossing over, we find the door to the kitchen, a small, compact room of modern design and arrangement.



First Floor Plan.



Second Floor Plan.

little of the comforts of home that make it a solace and comfort after the day's work is over. His first consideration was a barn. And after he had built a structure that was not to be excelled in the neighboring country, he built a hoghouse or sheep barn. All the while he was living in a makeshift shelter which he called home.

But the light was coming, coming to show the way to the darkness. The light that showed the real value of a home, the absolute economy of the idea, and its influence on the future of the boys and girls who were growing up. As they began to desert the farms, to leave their parents to go to the lights of the city, the farmer began to think, and as he thought, he began to see the gleam that was to enlighten him. He realized that to keep his boys on the farm, to get the maximum joy out of life, he would have to build a regular home as well as a substantial barn.

And with the home came many of the conveniences that are now available in the city. With the home came running water, bathrooms, and electric light, the light that was to lead the farmer down the road to ideal home life.

You would have to travel far and long to find a modest farm home that embodies more real comfort, more convenience and labor-saving inventions than the house shown here with floor

Off the kitchen are pantry and wash-room, the latter a necessary room in the farm house plan, a place where the men coming in from the fields can wash up before stepping into the house proper. In this way much of the dirt that is used to come into the farm kitchen is left out. Off the dining room to the rear is a bedroom for those who have to wash early. There is also a lavatory in connection with the wash-room.

This arrangement leaves the upper floor entirely to bedrooms, of which there are four in this plan, with a rear screened-in sleeping porch and balcony. The two front bedrooms are 13 feet square, while the two rear ones are 12 by 13 feet. They all have clothes closets.

In short, we have a modern farm home, well constructed, containing all of the conveniences and comforts of the city home. It is the antidote for the poison that is gnawing at the vitals of the youth on the farm and driving them to uncertain conditions in the great cities. There is no excuse for the old-fashioned homestead any more. The snap of a button or the turning of a switch gives the best light there is at small cost. Running water from faucets allows the soothing vigor of a bath and relieves the farmer's wife of the hard task of hauling from the well or pumping it via the kitchen.

## Belinda's Home Brew Pot

By RUBY DOUGLAS

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Belinda was worried. A shadow appeared in her dark eyes and a pucker lingered on her lips.

"I certainly would not have set this brew if I had known I had to make this trip to Buffalo. It takes as much attention as a baby.

"Ten pounds of raisins at 30 cents a pound and two pounds of brown sugar at twenty, to say nothing of the tartaric acid—why—it's ridiculous. I can't afford to waste it. And it will be wasted if I do not stir it every day and watch it." Belinda began to wonder what she could do.

There was no one with whom she lived. She occupied her tiny studio alone. There was no one with whom she could burden the brew.

Her trip to Buffalo was necessary. She had promised Harry that on his next shore leave she would visit his mother in Buffalo so that they might both enjoy his holiday together. In fact, she had half promised that she would give him an answer to his proposal at this time.

Now, she seemed to feel it a nuisance to go so far away—just to see Harry. And she was beginning to wonder if this were the proper state of mind for an about-to-be-engaged girl. She was very fond of Harry and very proud of his officer's uniform. Not that Harry's uniform had seen any special service but it was becoming, and he had graduated from the naval academy and had been in part of the war zone.

For the moment the uniform and Harry—she called him Harry when she did not feel so kindly toward him—



"I Can't Afford to Waste It."

paled into insignificance by comparison with the home brew in which she was absorbed.

As she put things into her seltzcase she decided to be unconventional and ask the young man on the same floor to come in each morning and stir the pot. She had never seen him, but the regularity with which he came and went each morning and evening made her realize that he was a dependable person.

Tom Weston, Scotch as a bunch of purple heather was surprised at the quaint request of the girl whose voice he had heard in the next room to his own. For he it known that Belinda sang and practiced from time to time. The man's smile was encouraging to Belinda. She observed a long scar across his cheek. Then her eyes sought the expression that was unmistakable—the tale that told of unforgettable destruction. She knew in a minute that the man had fought in the big war.

"Would it—would you think it strange if I asked you to go to my room every morning for a few days and stir my home brew pot?" she asked timidly.

Tom laughed. "I've done harder things than that," he said. "I am dashing for a train," she went on. "Here is the key. The big stick that lies across the pot is to stir it with, and—oh, q, thanks so much."

Tom took the key. "I'll stir it. Don't worry. And—shall I post your mail, perhaps?"

"Oh, would you?" She gave him her address. "Don't send papers—just letters that look as if they might be checks from magazines. I draw pictures and—sometimes I get a check, which I need."

"I'll try to extract some from the postman for you. It will give me pleasure to do these little things for you, so don't worry while you are away."

Belinda loved the succession of r's in his words. In fact, Belinda found herself as she traveled toward Buffalo—and Harry—thinking far more about the Scotchman's smile and tone and general magnetism than about the man she was on her way to see. She could see the great scar across his face and the winning smile that obscured it.

Then she began to wonder if he had liked her. Was she his type? That she was very much his type Tom Weston had decided as he stirred each day the now hissing brew. He looked about the little studio; he observed the hominess of it; he declared that Belinda was a domestic girl—as well as a most beautiful one.

One morning the postman brought an envelope that Tom decided must be a check, and this gave him an excuse to send an accompanying note. He explained that the brew was getting noisy and active—temperamental, as he explained it and wondered if it were all right, or if, perhaps, he did not do the right thing by it.

His delight at getting an answer knew no bounds. And it had come back so quickly that he was sure she had not minded writing it.

Belinda had a most uncomfortable visit. Henry—she always called him that now—was not what she had once thought him. He had become, in her eyes, coquetted. He thought only of himself, and while he was persistent in his wooing of her, she felt that she would not be missed so greatly if she were to tell him no.

And this she did. She said that she felt that she did not love him enough to marry him.

When she returned to her studio she found a cluster of roses on her desk and a spray of white heather.

When Tom arrived home that night she opened the door of her studio. He almost dashed toward her when he shook her hand. "And—the brew?" he asked, to cover his joy at seeing her. It was the way of the Scot—to hide his emotion.

"Oh, it's all right. Come in and see," Belinda's heart was thumping too quickly.

"The roses?" she asked, looking up at him. "And the white heather?"

"Oh, the heather is to make the checks come quicker. It's lucky, you know."

Belinda held the spray in her fingers, her eyes lowered over it. "And the roses?"

Tom looked into her eyes. "Could I tell you about the roses some other day, please?" He hesitated. "I—just couldn't tell you now."

Belinda took the situation in her own hands and tried to make it casual. It seemed better.

"Of course you may. Why don't you come in and have a bite with me tomorrow night? I have to eat and so do you, and—it will be time to bottle the brew. Could you help?"

"I could help you do anything," he said.

And it was not long before the landlady in the house had to cut doors between the studios so as to make a real housekeeping apartment. Two of her tenants had decided to be married.

### SPRING SONG OF THE FLICKER

Winthrop Packard, Secretary of the Massachusetts Audubon Society, Tells of Antics of Bird.

There was a big galvanized ventilator that surrounded an old-time schoolhouse where Winthrop Packard, the secretary of the Massachusetts Audubon society, went to school as a boy, and he tells readers of Our Dumb Animals that it used to attract unusual birds. Once a magnificent bald eagle perched there, and sometimes snowy owls made it a resting place even in the daytime, but one spring the ventilator was found by a flicker.

He would light upon it, stiffen his tail down against it as if it were a tree, clutch at some convenient projection and pause a moment looking this way and that. Then he would begin to hammer out a rolling drum-beat tattoo on the metal, his head becoming just a blur in its rapid vibrations.

"Here was instrumental music if you please," says Mr. Packard, "the spring song of the flicker. We used to think him foolish for trying to dig a nesting hole in the metal, but I later learned better when I found his nest in an old poplar stub not far away. It was not that. He simply was proclaiming joy to all the world and he did it daily for weeks until his nine children got so big and clamorous for food that he had no more time for concerts."

### Great Wall of China.

The Great Wall of China was begun by the Emperor Tsin Chihwangti 214 B. C. and was finished 204 B. C. It was built to protect the western and more fertile end of the Great Plain, of which 210,000 square miles of China's area consists, from the hordes of nomadic Tartars. This marvelous work extends over mountains and rivers for nearly 1,400 miles. The main substance of the wall is earth or rubbish retained on each side by a strong casing of stone and brick and terraced by a platform of square tiles. It commences at the Gulf of Liao-Tung, whence it extends westward to the Chia-yu barrier gates, the workmanship gradually deteriorating. The thickness of the wall at the base is often as much as 25 feet.

### Springtime in Venice.

The day was one of those that can come to the world only in early June at Venice. The heavens were without a cloud, but a blue haze made mystery of the horizon where the lagoon and the sky met unseen. The breath of the sea bathed in freshness the city at whose feet her tides sparkled and slept. The long garland of vines that festoons all Italy seemed to begin in the neighboring orchards; the meadows waved their long grasses in the sun, and broke in iridescent spray; the poplars marched in stately procession on either side of the straight white road to Padua, till they vanished in the long perspective.—Howells.

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**Memory.**  
A joke is being told on an absent-minded eastern professor. He was taking some students to the country to study rocks. At the station he said, "We haven't a watch. We'll need one or we'll miss the train back. John, run home and get mine."  
"Have I time before the train comes?" John asked.  
"Yes," said the professor, pulling out his watch, "you have about 15 minutes."  
No faculty of the brain is as unreliable as memory. That's why man makes the same mistakes over and over.

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### 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 extensively 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 results, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy has so large a sale."  
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### Didn't Know Joe.

The examination of witnesses is an art, but one in which many lawyers fall because they do not put their questions in words that the common man understands. An able member of the bar was noted for his severity in the examination of witnesses, but he often failed to bring out an appropriate answer because he did not put himself on the same verbal plane with his witness.

"Did you speak jocosely?" he asked on one occasion.

"I don't know him," answered the witness.

The lawyer repeated the question with increased severity of manner: "Did you speak jocosely?"

"I tell you," said the witness, angrily, "I don't know Joe Cosely."

### To Help Working Children.

Weekly clinics designed to bring working children up to a higher standard of health and physical development have been established by a group of women members of the First Unitarian church, Baltimore, in the parish house of the church. The work has the indorsement of the state board of labor and statistics, to which the children apply for their work permits.

Patience is not exercised by master minds when it will do no good.

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## B. W. M. U.

met with Mrs. Y. F. Walker Tuesday afternoon. We finished our book, "All the World in all the Word," and will take "In Royal Service" for our next study.

We were glad to have Mrs. Bailey join our class. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mesdames Walker and Luttrell.

All members are urged to attend the meeting next Tuesday afternoon.

Reporter.

## THE ORIGINAL FEMININE

Adam came walking up the path with his pet dinosaur.

"Hubby," said Eve, wistfully, "shiny up that tree and get me the gold and purple leaf on the top bough."

"Eve, for heaven's sake—away up there? Why I'd fall and break my—"

"Never mind that, Adam; you shiny! I'm going over to Ned to a card party this afternoon and I've got to show some class to that bunch of stuck up hens!"

And so setting the example for all time, Adam took a chance and shinned up.

Byron Baldwin and family, of Memphis, were recent visitors in Hedley.

Sheriff Rutherford and County Attorney Thompson had business in Hedley Monday.

## Political Announcements

Subject to the will of the Voters at the July Primary

For Representative, 122d Legislative District

DEWEY YOUNG

Collingsworth County

H. B. HILL (re election)

of Wheeler County

For District Judge, 47th Judicial District

HENRY S. BISHOP

re election

PERRY S. PEARSON

For District Attorney

W. J. FLESEER

of Randall County

LLOYD FLETCHER

of Potter County

For District and County Clerk:

MISS LOTTIE E. LANE

W. E. BRAY re election

For County Judge

J. J. ALEXANDER

J. L. BAIN

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

H. C. (Harry) BRUMLEY

W. L. CRANE

J. H. RUTHERFORD

re election

For Tax Assessor

J. L. ALLISON

B. F. NAYLOR

For County Treasurer

MRS. WILLIE GOLDSTON

re election

For Commissioner Prec. 8

T. N. MESSER

W. E. REEVES

W. E. CHRISTIE

For Public Weigher at Hedley

F. M. OSBORN

ALVA T. SIMMONS

J. S. BEACH re election

W. L. HARDCASTLE

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Clarendon, Texas

## NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

Work on Hedley's new School building is said to be progressing satisfactorily. The brick masons are on the job now, and the structure will soon be assuming large proportions. "Watch Hedley grow!"

L. Mobley has our thanks for a nice subscription check Wednesday. He also orders the Star-T-gram.

T. R. Moreman made a business trip to Memphis Monday

## Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Donley County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Earl Hustice Brooks by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 47th Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Donley County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Clarendon, on the 3rd Monday in July, A. D. 1922, the same being the 17th day of July, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 15th day of June A. D. 1922, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1215, wherein Bula Brooks is plaintiff and Earl Hustice Brooks is defendant; the nature of plaintiff's demand being as follows:

Suit for divorce and custody of Dorothy Brooks and Edna Earl Brooks, minor children, grounds for the divorce being habitual drunkenness and non-support by and on the part of the defendant.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Clarendon, Texas, this 15th day of June, A. D. 1922

W. E. Bray, Clerk District Court, Donley County, Tex.

H. G. Dixon, who has moved out to Brice community, gave us the money this week for a year's subscription. Thanks.

C. A. Wright of Clarendon was a Hedley visitor Saturday.

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A new contest is just being started which will interest everyone who reads this paper. Anyone can enter this Contest—anyone can win! All it is necessary to do is to write a 4-line rhyme on Dr. Price's Phosphate Baking Powder, using only the words which appear on the label of the Dr. Price can (front and back).

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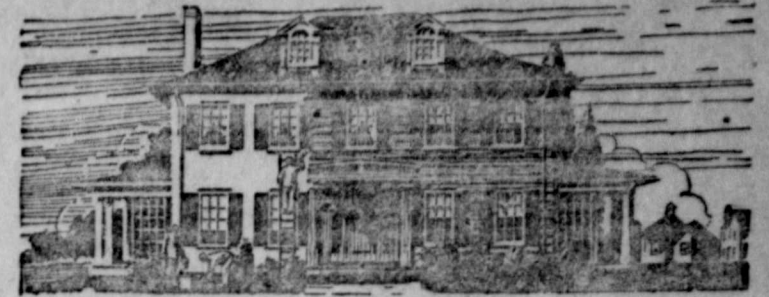
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Anyone may enter the Contest, but only one rhyme from each person will be considered. In case of ties, the full amount of the prize will be given to each tying contestant. Write plainly on only one side of a sheet of paper and be sure to give your name and address. Send your rhyme before July 1st to Price Baking Powder Factory, 1005 Independence Blvd., Chicago, Ill.



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### Lacking Appreciation.

Two of the country's most skillful surgeons journeyed from New York to a western city to operate on a child. The little chap is going to spend eight months in a plaster cast and his father is spending thousands so that the little fellow may be able to walk. Two business men start out for luncheon. "Let's go to Martin's," says one. "All right. But it's two blocks. We'll take my car."

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## KNICKER SUITS FLOURISH; SILK KNITTED SCARFS

IT HAS come to the place where sports clothes are broadly divided into two classes—those worn by sportsmen for actual wear in sports, and those worn by "onlookers"—or merely to create an atmosphere or to fit in with environment. And now we are hearing of "spectator" hats and "onlooker" sweaters. These have the casual character of sports clothes, but need not be so sturdy and they may therefore indulge in unusual decorations and press into their service silk fabrics. But for real sports wear there are regulation types and among

appeal of novelty as well as beauty. What a boon to fashion-kind are the gay knitted scarfs! Everybody's wearing them! That is, speaking of those who give timely thought to the art of good dressing. When any article of apparel is as universally popular as is the knitted scarf "there's a reason."

In the first place, knitted togs of every description are fashion's hobby this season. Next the mannish tailored suits, polo coats and the like, which are prevailing vogue, seem to call for "just a touch of color." The



KNICKERS FOR SPORT WEAR

them knickerbockers, in place of skirts, have made such progress that their name has been abbreviated to "knickers." Life is too short to say "knickerbocker" as often as one needs to among women given to outdoor life, so we have knicker suits, like that one illustrated, made of tweed and other dependable fabrics. It is above criticism for golfing, hiking and pastimes where skirts are inconvenient. As pictured, it is a boyish affair with belted coat and well-fitted knickers, and it calls for blouse, footwear and headwear of like character. Ribbed hose, broad toe, low heel, sport shoes, plain blouse, scarf tie, and sailor hat (fastened on with a chin strap), proclaim the discriminating taste of the sports-woman. Altogether it has a style and flavor all its own—as smart and charming as a riding habit. For mid-

knitted silk scarf supplies this need in its fascinating Roman stripes, gay plaids or checks. It may be said, in passing, that in addition to the colorful scarfs, many handsome matched suit colorings have also been brought out for those who prefer monotone effect in costuming. These are particularly attractive in heather mixtures.

With all due appreciation of the ornamental value of the knitted silk scarf, its greatest asset is its genuine usefulness for the summer time. Those who have the knack, add further glory to these scarfs by artfully throwing them about the throat with studied grace. Young girls are taking particular delight in thrusting the two fringed ends under the belt of their suits, sort of tuxedo collar fashion. The latest is for brilliant silk knit



EVERYBODY'S WEARING THEM

summer some of the knicker suits are made with sleeveless coats and worn with middie blouses.

For wear on the links and other sports wear, there are attractive new suits with figured skirts and solid color jackets. French manufacturers have contributed bright-hued jackets of brushed wool, knitted with a wide rib, for wear with sports skirts. The majority of them have flaring sleeves and shawl collars, but there are some of the smart stand-up collars.

The most interesting developments in the realm of sports clothes, come from the knitting mills. Worsted yarns and fiber silk, when knitted, give a flavor of sportswear to any garment, and this season presents them in dresses, coat suits, hat and scarf sets having the

scarfs with solid colored sweaters, either the tuxedo coats or the V neck slip-on.

Perhaps the zenith of beauty is attained in the sheer sea-breeze scarfs for summer, which are thin, almost to transparency, and stretch over the shoulders like a silken colibeb. In conclusion, if you would be up-to-date, become the happy possessor of a silk knitted scarf, for whittled outer wear is the keynote of present moment fashion.

Julia Bottomley

## Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

SIR ROBERT RADISH

"Listen, little Radishes," said Sir Robert Radish, "for I have something to tell you."



One Little Radish, Nudging Another.

"We're very anxious to hear what you have to say to us, Sir Robert Radish," said the little Radishes very politely.

"I will give a lecture and at the lecture I will tell you what I have in my radish mind to tell you," said Sir Robert Radish.

"I, think," he continued, "that is the best way to do it. In that way all the Radishes can hear the lecture, and perhaps if I just told those of you who are listening now there would be some missing it and that would be a pity."

"He flatters himself, doesn't he?" said one little Radish, nudging another.

"Oh well," said the second little Radish, "I suppose one gets to be that way if one is a lecturer."

"Perhaps," said the first little Radish, "But, at all events, he doesn't want one to miss his talk. He feels that his talk is to be important."

"Doubtless it is, doubtless it is," said the second little Radish. "Let us attend the lecture."

"Well, it will have to depend on where he gives it," said the first little Radish.

"He'll consider Radishes when he's picking out a lecture hall," said the second little Radish.

And now Sir Robert Radish was talking again.

"As I said before," he commenced, "I would like to give my talk or my lecture before as many Radishes as possible. That is why I will not give it now."

"There are a good many Radishes not quite old enough to care about such things as education and lectures."

"These Radishes will be old enough in a very short time. So I think that one week from today I will give my lecture. If by any chance I am called away on important business I will tell one of my brothers to give the lecture and will tell him what I have all ready to say."

"Yes, there is always a chance that I might be called away on important business."

"One of the dining-room tables might need me, or a nice little saucer and a piece of ice. There are any number of business appointments I might have at the last moment."

"Even some salt and a mouth might want me!"

"But the lecture will be given one week from today, and as the Radish children grow bigger I'd like those of you listening to me now to tell the others of the lecture."

So the little Radishes promised, and Sir Robert Radish talked no more but took a Radish nap.

A week later Sir Robert Radish was still on hand.

"Well, friends and relatives," he said, "I didn't have to go away after all."

"Perhaps a good many of us will go together. Doubtless that will be the way."

"But today, while I have time, I will deliver the lecture of which I spoke a week ago."

"I am glad so many of you are old enough and wise enough to listen, for I think what I have to say is interesting."

"Now, you know that many people suppose that plants will not grow in different places from those they have naturally belonged in. But that is wrong."

"Many plants are found to be growing in certain kinds of climates and places which really do not agree with them, whereas a change will."

"It is the same with plants as with people. Then, too, many plants used to the sea air will change their ways if they're transplanted to the mountain air."

"Of course the plants are transplanted into earth—but when I speak of air I mean that they're put where the air is very different and of course air makes a great deal of difference."

"Often plants like a change of scene and of air. Often a new place will agree better than an old place. But most interesting of all is the way plants will change their habits in various places. Now, the Water Cross is a relative of ours, and when the Water Cross is brought to an inland, mountainous place it has small radishes on its roots in a very short time, showing how family ways will come out!"

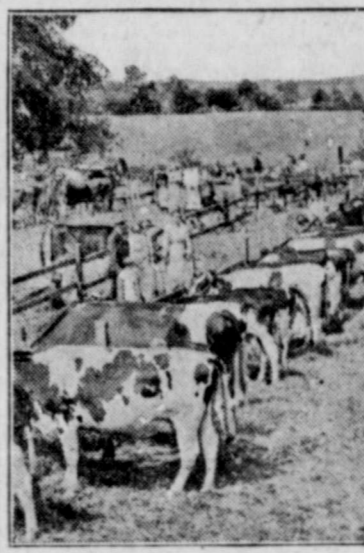
## DAIRY POINTS

GIVE PUREBREDS MORE CARE

Dairyman Often Takes More Interest in High Class Stock Because of Possibilities.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

There is no good reason why it should cost more to care for a good herd of purebred dairy cows than it costs to care for the same number of good grades, although farmers sometimes believe that the purebreds are more expensive to keep. However, says the United States Department of Agriculture, the dairyman often does



Purebred and Tuberculin-Tested Dairy Cows.

spend more on purebreds because he sees greater possibilities in them, and consequently takes more interest in them, feeding them better and building better barns to house them. He does not need to do this, but usually he finds that it pays him in gross returns and in net returns.

The results would have been the same, though possibly not in the same degree, if better care and feed had been given to a good grade herd. But it sometimes takes the stimulation supplied by the ownership of a few purebreds to induce a man to improve his practices.

### TREATING STERILITY IN COW

Most Cases Become Chronic or Permanent Unless Properly Handled by Veterinarian.

In many herds where abortion disease is present, from five to ten per cent of the cows become sterile or barren, and most cases become chronic or permanent unless they are treated by a qualified veterinarian. Dr. W. L. Williams of the New York State Veterinary college is to be given credit for the plan of procedure in handling these cows. The treatment should not be neglected too long after the cows manifest this symptom.

A thorough examination of the patient is necessary to locate the trouble either in the uterus, ovaries or fallopian tubes, and treated accordingly. It is not uncommon for a skilled operator to restore five out of six cases to a reproductive state under favorable conditions.

Cases of long standing should be sold to the butcher, as the treatment fails to help them. A case of more than eight months' to one year's standing is very discouraging to the operator, for he realizes that functional changes have taken place in the reproductive organs that will be difficult to correct by treatment. Therefore do not delay having an animal examined and treated in the beginning of the trouble instead of waiting until it is too late. The annual loss caused by sterility would be surprisingly high if survey could be made and accurate data obtained from the cattle breeders.

### RATION MUST BE ATTRACTIVE

Dairy Cow to Do Well Requires Feed Containing Proper Elements for Milk Flow.

Cows won't do well on food that isn't palatable, say the feeding men at the New York College of Agriculture at Ithaca. Not only must the dairy cow's ration contain the proper elements if she is to be "worth her keep," but it must be so attractive to her that she will eat plenty and keep up a good flow of milk.

On the other hand, say the dairy-men, it isn't wise to change a ration suddenly even to make it better. A cow is a delicate milk-producing machine, and sudden changes in her food are quite likely to upset some part of the machinery, with a resulting loss of milk.

The condition of the food probably has most to do with its palatability; moldy grains or roughage don't appeal to any self-respecting cow.

### COWS ON PASTURE TOO SOON

Many Owners Expect Animals to Thrive on Thin Grass—Grain Must Be Supplied.

Owners of cows usually put them out on pasture too soon, expecting the cows to get all feed necessary from scant early pastures. Until the pastures have made a good growth, cows will need about a pound of grain for every six pounds of milk as well as some dry hay.

## CALOMEL GOOD BUT NEXT DOSE MAY SALIVATE

It is Mercury, Quicksilver, Shocks Liver and Attacks Your Bones.

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### Measuring Ocean Depths.

The Navy department has been working on a device for measuring ocean depths by means of reflected sound waves, but as yet has not perfected it to a point where it wishes to give out information regarding it. A recent device of similar nature has been developed, by means of which depth measurements, accurate to within one foot, can be made even when the ship is moving at full speed. —Popular Mechanics Magazine.

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### Catering to the Trade.

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# Mary Marie

By ELEANOR H. PORTER

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## "THAT'S ALL!"

**SYNOPSIS.**—In a preface Mary Marie explains her apparent "double personality" and just why is a "cross-current and a contradiction"; she also tells her reasons for writing the diary—later to be a novel. The diary is commenced at Andersonville. Mary begins with Nurse Sarah's account of her (Mary's) birth, which seemingly interested her father, who is a famous astronomer, less than a new star which was discovered the same night. Her name is a compromise; her mother wanted to call her Viola and her father insisted on Abigail Jane. The child quickly learned that her home was in some way different from those of her small friends, and was puzzled thereat. Nurse Sarah tells her of her mother's arrival at Andersonville as a bride and how astonished they all were at the sight of the dainty eighteen-year-old girl whom the sedate professor had chosen for a wife. Nurse Sarah makes it plain why the household seemed a strange one to the child and how her father and mother drifted apart through misunderstanding, each too proud to in any way attempt to smooth over the situation. Mary tells of the time spent "out west" where the "perfectly all right and genteel and respectable" divorce was being arranged for, and her mother's (to her) unaccountable behavior. By the court's decree the child is to spend six months of the year with her mother and six months with her father. Boston is Mother's home. Mary describes her life as Marie with her mother in Boston.

## CHAPTER—IV—Continued.

Well, to resume and go on. There's the violinist. I mustn't forget him. But, then, nobody could forget him. He's lovely: so handsome and distinguished-looking with his perfectly beautiful dark eyes and white teeth. And he plays—well, I'm simply crazy over his playing. I only wish Carrie Heywood could hear him. She thinks her brother can play. He's a traveling violinist with a show; and he came home once to Andersonville. And I heard him. But he's not the real thing at all. Not a bit. Why, he might be anybody, our grocer, or the butcher, up there playing that violin. His eyes are little and blue, and his hair is red and very short. I wish she could hear our violinist play!

And there's another man that comes to the parties and teas—oh, of course there are others, lots of them, married men with wives, and unmarried men with and without sisters. But I mean another man specially. His name is Harlow. He's a little man with a brown pointed beard and big soft brown eyes. He's really awfully good-looking, too. I don't know what he does do; but he's married. I know that. He never brings his wife, though; but Mother's always asking for her, clear and distinct, and she always smiles, and her voice kind of tinkles like little silver bells. But just the same he never brings her.

He never takes her anywhere. I heard Aunt Hattie tell Mother so at the very first, when he came. She said they weren't a bit happy together, and that there'd probably be a divorce before long. But Mother asked for her just the same the very next time. And she's done it ever since.

I think I know now why she does. I found out, and I was simply thrilled. It was so exciting! You see, they were lovers once themselves—Mother and this Mr. Harlow. The something happened and they quarreled. That was just before Father came.

Of course Mother didn't tell me this, nor Aunt Hattie. It was two ladies. I heard them talking at a tea one day. I was right behind them, and I couldn't get away, so I just couldn't help hearing what they said.

I'm not sure, anyway, that Mother'll want to get married again. From little things she says I rather guess she doesn't think much of marriage, anyway. One day I heard her say to Aunt Hattie that it was a very pretty theory that marriages were made in heaven, but that the real facts of the case were that they were made on earth. And another day I heard her say that one trouble with marriage was that the husband and wife didn't know how to play together and to rest together. And lots of times I've heard her say little things to Aunt Hattie that showed how unhappy her marriage had been.

But last night a funny thing happened. We were all in the library reading after dinner, and Grandpa looked up from his paper and said something about a woman that was sentenced to be hanged and how a whole lot of men were writing letters protesting against having a woman hanged; but there were only one or two letters from women. And Grandpa said that only went to prove how much more lacking in a sense of fitness of things women were than men. And he was just going to say more when Aunt Hattie bristled up and tossed her chin, and said, real indignant:

"A sense of fitness of things, indeed! Oh, yes, that's all very well to say. There are plenty of men, no doubt, who are shocked beyond anything at the idea of hanging a woman; but those same men will think nothing of going straight home and mak-

ing life for some other woman so absolutely miserable that she'd think hanging would be a lucky escape from something worse."

"Harriet!" exclaimed Grandpa in a shocked voice.

"Well, I mean it!" declared Aunt Hattie emphatically. "Look at poor Madge here, and that wretch of a husband of hers!"

And just here is where the funny thing happened. Mother bristled up—Mother!—and even more than Aunt Hattie had. She turned red and then white, and her eyes blazed.

"That will do, Hattie, please, in my presence," she said, very cold, like ice. "Dr. Anderson is not a wretch at all. He is an honorable, scholarly gentleman. Without doubt he meant to be kind and considerate. He simply did not understand me. We weren't suited to each other. That's all."

And she got up and swept out of the room.

Now, wasn't that funny? But I just loved it, all the same. I always love Mother when she's superb and haughty and disdainful.

Well, after she had gone Aunt Hattie looked at Grandpa and Grandpa looked at Aunt Hattie. Grandpa shrugged his shoulders, and gave his hands a funny little flourish; and Aunt Hattie lifted her eyebrows and said:

"Well, what do you know about that?" (Aunt Hattie forgot I was in the room, I know, or she'd never in the

enough. When will I be allowed to take my proper place in life? Echo answers when.

Well, to resume and go on.

What was I talking about? Oh, I know—the prospective suitors. (Aunt Hattie can't hear me when I just write it, anyway.) Well, they all come just as they used to, only there are more of them now—two fat men, one slim one, and a man with a halo of hair round a bald spot. Oh, I don't mean that any of them are really suitors yet. They just come to call and to tea, and send her flowers and candy. And Mother isn't a mite nicer to one than she is to any of the others. Anybody can see that. And she shows very plainly she's no notion of picking anybody out yet. But of course I can't help being interested and watching.

As I said before, I don't believe Mother'll choose Mr. Harlow, anyway, even when the time comes. As for any of the others—I can't tell. She treats them all just exactly alike, as far as I can see. Polite and pleasant, but not at all over-liking. I was talking to Peter one day about it, and I asked him, but he didn't seem to know, either, which one she will be likely to take, if any.

Peter's about the only one I can ask. Of course I couldn't ask Mother, or Aunt Hattie, and Grandfather—well, I should never think of asking Grandpa a question like that. But Peter—Peter's a real comfort. I'm sure I don't know what I should do for somebody to talk to and ask questions about things down here. If it wasn't for him. He takes me to school and back again every day; so of course I see him quite a lot.

Speaking of school, it's all right, and of course I like it, though not quite so well as I did. There are some of the girls—well, they act queer. I don't know what is the matter with them. They stop talking—some of them—when I come up, and they make me feel, sometimes, as if I didn't belong. Maybe it's because I came from a little country town like Andersonville. But they've known that all along, from the very first. And they didn't act at all like that at the beginning. Maybe it's just their way down here. If I think of it I'll ask Peter tomorrow.

Well, I guess that's all I can think of this time.

**MOST FOUR MONTHS LATER**

It's been ages since I've written here, I know. But there's nothing special happened. Everything has been going along just about as it did at the first. Oh, there is one thing different—Peter's gone. He went two months ago. We've got an awfully old chauffeur now. One with gray hair and glasses, and homely, too. His name is Charles. The very first day he came, Aunt Hattie told me never to talk to Charles, or bother him with questions; that it was better he should keep his mind entirely on his driving.

She needn't have worried. I should never dream of asking him the things I did Peter. He's too stupid. Now Peter and I got to be real good friends—until all of a sudden Grandpa told him he might go. I don't know why.

I don't see as I'm any nearer finding out who Mother's lover will be than I was four months ago. I suppose it's still too soon. Peter said one day he thought widows ought to wait at least a year, and he guessed grass-widows were just the same. My, how mad I was at him for using that name about my mother! Oh, I knew what he meant. I'd heard it at school. (I know now what it was that made those girls act so queer and horrid.) There was a girl—I never liked her, and I suspect she didn't like me, either. Well, she found out Mother had a divorce. (You see, I hadn't told it. I remembered how those girls out West bragged.) And she told a lot of the others. But it didn't work at all as it had in the West. None of the girls in this school here had a divorce in their families; and, if you'll believe it, they acted—some of them—as if it was a disgrace, even after I told them good and plain that ours was a perfectly respectable and genteel divorce. Nothing I could say made a mite of difference, with some of the girls, and then is when I first heard that perfectly horrid word, "grass-widow." So I knew what Peter meant, though I was furious at him for using it. And I let him see it good and plain.

"There it is again! I'm not old enough!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

**Self-Penalized.**

One day in school I had been whispering to the boy behind me. The principal looked over my way and said: "You two boys come up here in these two front seats." I picked up a book and walked up to the front and sat down. Two boys from the back of the room came up also. The principal looked at me rather curiously and then said: "I didn't catch you."—Chicago Journal.

One's artificial laugh at an old story is sometimes suspiciously too loud.



"That Will Do, Hattie, Please, in My Presence," She Said, Very Cold, Like Ice.

world have used slang like that!) "And after all the things she's said about how unhappy she was!" finished Aunt Hattie.

Grandpa didn't say anything, but just gave his funny little shrug again.

And it was kind of queer, when you come to think of it—about Mother, I mean, wasn't it?

## ONE MONTH LATER

Well, I've been here another whole month, and it's growing nicer all the time, I just love it here.

And Mother is happy, I'm sure she is. Somebody is doing something for her every moment—seems so. They are so glad to get her back again. I know they are. I heard two ladies talking one day, and they said they were. They called her "Poor Madge," and "Dear Madge," and they said it was a shame that she should have had such a wretched experience, and that they for one should try to do everything they could to make her forget.

And that's what they all seem to be trying to do—to make her forget. There isn't a day goes by but that somebody sends flowers or books or candy, or invites her somewhere, or takes her to ride or to the theater, or comes to see her, so that Mother is in just one whirl of good times from morning till night. Why, she'd just have to forget. She doesn't have any time to remember. I think she is forgetting, too. Oh, of course she gets tired, and sometimes rainy days or twilights I find her on the sofa in her room not reading or anything, and her face looks 'most as if it used to sometimes after they'd been having one of their incompatibility times. But I don't find her that way very often, and it doesn't last long. So I really think she is forgetting.

About the prospective suitors—I found that "prospective suitor" in a story a week ago, and I just love it. It means you probably will want to marry her, you know. I use it all the time now—in my mind—when I'm thinking about those gentlemen that come here (the unmarried ones). I forgot and used it out loud one day to Aunt Hattie; but I shan't again.

She said, "Mercy!" and threw up her hands and looked over to Grandpa the way she does when I've said something she thinks is perfectly awful.

There it is again! I'm not old

## IRRIGATION NOW OF BIG BENEFIT

Border Method Followed in West Is Well Adapted to a Variety of Soils.

## WATER TURNED INTO STRIPS

Not Profitable to Prepare Field for One Crop—Alfalfa, Clover and Other Forage Crops Are Among Those Favored.

The border method of irrigation, followed in many parts of the western states, is well adapted to a variety of soils and crops and is growing rapidly in public favor. As described in Farmers' Bulletin 1243, "The Border Method of Irrigation," prepared by Samuel Forrier and now issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, the method consists essentially in the division of the field to be irrigated into a series of strips, lands, or beds, as they are variously termed, by low, flat levees extending usually in the direction of the steepest slope. Sufficient water is turned into the upper end of each strip and allowed to move down the slope in a thin sheet, moistening the soil to a given depth as it advances toward the lower end.

Crops Suited for Irrigation. It seldom pays, it is said, to prepare a field for the border method for one crop. The method is well adapted to the irrigation of alfalfa, clover and other forage crops, as well as all grains, and the forage crops may be rotated with the grains without modifying the method. It is also possible to irrigate potatoes, sugar beets and other rowed and cultivated crops by making a slight change in the borders, so that the latitude as to rotation is rather wide.

The most favorable soil for borders is a free-working loam several feet deep, underlain by a more or less pervious subsoil. As the sheet of water flows down each strip, the pervious top soil is readily moistened and the heavier soil beneath prevents the waste of water by deep percolation. Borders are also very generally used where the subsoil as well as the top layer of soil is porous, not because



Applying Water to Land by Method That Could Be More Generally Adopted in Eastern Farming Sections.

such formations are the most favorable but because no other method will do as well.

The cost of preparing land for the border method is low as compared with that required for most other methods if the physical conditions are favorable. At the same time it is usually feasible to obtain a fair crop at small cost by the use of temporary borders, and after the crop is harvested, the making of permanent borders may be undertaken without undoing much of the previous season's work.

## Slopes Are Essential.

A smooth, regular surface having a slope in one direction of about 2.5 inches to the hundred feet may be regarded as ideal for the border method of irrigation. It is possible to make borders on slopes one inch or less to the hundred feet and on steeper slopes up to 2 feet and more per hundred. Borders have been used on slopes as great as 7 1/2 feet to the hundred feet, but extra care must then be taken to prevent soil and crop erosion.

The amount of water that can be turned into the strip depends on the size of each strip, its slope, and other conditions. In narrow, short strips the head used may be reduced to half a cubic foot a second or from 20 to 25 miners' inches, and in wide, long strips 10 cubic feet a second may be none too large. A large volume of water cannot be handled successfully on steep slopes, but it is always possible to divide a head between two or more compartments.

Full details of the construction and operation of borders are contained in the bulletin, copies of which may be had free by writing to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

## PLAN TO AVOID GAPE WORMS

Pests Can Be Guarded Against by Putting Little Turpentine in Drinking Water.

Now that warm weather is coming on, gape worms will soon put in an appearance in certain localities. They can often be prevented by putting a few drops of turpentine in each quart of water—and scattering air slaked lime about the coops and runs.

## BIG SAVING MADE BY CULLING OUT SCRUBS

Nonproducing Fowls Eliminated From Many Flocks.

Extension Agents Explain Method of Weeding Out So Thoroughly That Poultry Raisers Soon Become Efficient.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Approximately \$40,000 was saved to poultry men in Texas last year through the work of extension workers employed co-operatively by the United States Department of Agriculture and the state agricultural college. In 22 counties of Maine the saving was about \$1,394.40. These sums represent the money value of culling, estimated on the feed cost of one cent a day a hen.

In Maine 15,964 hens were examined in culling demonstrations and 4,648 culled removed. In Texas about 15-



Extension Agent Explaining Method of Culling.

000 hens were culled. That this culling was successful is shown by the following figures: 19 birds were culled from a flock of 54, and in the next seven days the culs laid only 20 eggs; 290 birds were culled from flocks totaling \$46 and in the next seven days laid 26 eggs. Of the entire number of hens culled in Maine, the percentage of egg production for the entire flock was 32.3, for the hens left after culling 40.7 per cent, and for the culs 4.5 per cent.

The number of poultry owners instructed in Maine was 3,043 and in Texas 8,000, many of whom afterward culled their own flocks. The estimated savings represent only a part of the total value of this work. As a result of the demonstrations in one section in Maine, 79 persons eliminated 1,420 birds as culs, while in Texas the culling that resulted from all demonstrations was valued at \$125,000.

The extension agents not only demonstrated that the non-producing hen could be eliminated but explained the method of culling so thoroughly that those present could go home and put it into practice nearly as effectively as the demonstrators themselves.

## RIGHT CULTURE OF CABBAGE

Rich Soil Encourages Fast Growth, Large and Solid Heads—Chinese Variety Differs.

The history of the development of the cabbage gives the key to its culture. The richer the soil and the faster it is kept growing, the larger and solid the heads. It must be grown fast to head fast. If through lack of fertility or drought its growth is checked, there is either no real head or a loose, very inferior one, the whole strength of the plant going to develop such leaves as it had produced before the check. The Chinese cabbage is an entirely different species from the common cabbage and its brothers.

## KEEP COMPOST HEAP MOIST

Arrange Pile So That Rain Will Keep Material Wet and Prevent Loss of Fertility.

"It is of the utmost importance," says the Flower Grower, "that the top of the pile be kept hollow or at least flat, so that rain will keep the material wet and prevent burning and loss of fertility. Don't let the pile get rounded on top under any circumstances, as it should absorb the rainfall and not shed it, and therefore, the nearer level it is kept the better job of composting will result."

## DETERMINING SEX OF DUCKS

Hen Always Quacks in Coarse Voice, While Drake Will Emit Sibilant Sound.

Not every one knows how to tell the sex of ducks, but it is easy. The hen duck always quacks in a coarse voice; the drake never quacks, but emits a sibilant sound, described by one woman as being "like an old man with brownkeepers." It has a "quack" sound, but is high-pitched and not so loud as the raucous quacking of the hen ducks.

## YOUNG MOTHER NOW STRONG

Her Mother's Faith in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Led Her To Try It

Kenosha, Wisconsin.—"I cannot say enough in praise of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My mother had great faith in it as she had taken so much of it and when I had trouble after my baby was born she gave it to me. It helped me so much more than anything else had done that I advise all women with female trouble to give it a fair trial and I am sure they will feel as I do about it.—Mrs. FRED. P. HANSEN, 662 Symmonds St., Kenosha, Wisconsin.



A medicine that has been in use nearly fifty years and that receives the praise and commendation of mothers and grandmothers is worth your consideration.

If you are suffering from troubles that sometimes follow child-birth bear in mind that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a woman's medicine. It is especially adapted to correct such troubles.

The letters we publish ought to convince you; ask some of your women friends or neighbors—they know its worth. You will, too, if you give it a fair trial.

A Foreigner. A policeman, a new member of the force whose beat was in West Washington street, found a man writhing on the sidewalk. As he stood debating whether he should call an ambulance, one of the numerous spectators asked: "What is he, an epileptic?" "No," replied the policeman, "I think he is a Bulgarian."—Indianapolis News.

## FOR HURTS AND SORENESS

Apply Vacher-Balm. Nothing is "just as good," no matter what you pay. Ask your druggist. E. W. Vacher, Inc., New Orleans, La.—Advertisement.

## If He Had a Million.

Joe Brown was the porter at a little bank in southern Kansas. One spring day he rested on his broom and looked outdoors where nature beckoned him down to the river, where he might doze and wait for a catfish nibble on his line.

"Gee, boss," he declared fervently, "I suttinly do wisht Ah had a million dollars!" "A million dollars, Joe?" the cashier said, smiling. "What would you do with a million dollars?" "Ah'd buy me some pigs and make me some money,"—Judge.

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You are hereby commanded to  
summon Mattie L. Means and  
her husband, W. F. Means, Della  
Means and her husband, A. J.  
Means, and Hobart I. Carver, by  
making publication of this Cita-  
tion once in each week for four  
consecutive weeks previous to  
the return day thereof in some  
news paper published in your  
County, if there be a news paper  
published therein, but if not, in  
any news paper published in the  
47th Judicial District, and if  
there be no news paper in the  
47th Judicial District, then in a  
news paper published in the  
nearest district to said 47th  
Judicial district, to appear at  
the next regular term of the  
District Court of Donley County,  
Texas, to be holden at the Court  
House thereof in Clarendon,  
Texas, on the 3rd Monday in  
July, 1922, same being the 17th  
day of July, 1922, then and there  
to answer a petition filed in said  
Court on the 21st day of June,  
A. D. 1922, in a suit Numbered  
on the Docket of said Court No.  
1219 wherein Effie Brady,  
Guardian, joined pro forma by  
her husband, O. H. Brady, and  
Arthur Ashmead and Grace  
Mackie, joined pro forma by her  
husband, Henry Mackie, are  
Plaintiffs, and Mattie L. Means  
and husband, W. F. Means, Della  
Means and her husband, A. J.  
Means, Hobart I. Carver and J.  
H. Pritchard are Defendants,  
said petition alleging that the  
Plaintiffs and Defendants are en-  
titled to a certain interest in  
certain monies now in the regis-  
try of the District Court of Don-  
ley County, Texas; that these  
interests are by reason of the

Plaintiffs and Defendants being  
heirs of Austin Carver and Kate  
Carver, both deceased, said  
funds being the proceeds of the  
sale of community property of  
the said Austin and Kate Carver,  
deceased. Plaintiffs allege that  
they are entitled to an undivided  
interest in and to certain lands,  
being the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4  
of Sec No 31, Block C2 and the  
SW 1/4 of Section No 33 in Block  
C2, both tracts in Donley Coun-  
ty, Texas, said lands being com-  
munity property of Austin Car-  
ver and Kate Carver, both de-  
ceased, and Plaintiffs and De-  
fendants being their heirs.  
That Grace Mackie is entitled  
to five thirtyfifths (5/35) interest  
in said estate, and that each of  
the other heirs are entitled to a  
six thirtyfifths (6/35) interest;  
that Effie Brady plaintiff herein  
is guardian for Leora and Virgil  
Carver, minors, and children of  
Harrison A. Carver, deceased  
and son of Austin Carver and  
Kate Carver, deceased. That  
said two minors are entitled to a  
five-thirtyfifths (5/35) portion of  
said estate. Plaintiffs pray that  
said funds be divided and they  
be given their portion of the said  
estate now in the registry of this  
Court, and for commissioners to  
be appointed and a writ of parti-  
tion issue, and for judgment for  
their portions, each, of the mon-  
ies and lands as may be ascer-  
tained to be the property of the  
plaintiffs, and for such other re-  
lief as entitled to.  
Herein fail not, but have be-  
fore the said Court on the said  
first day of the next term there-  
of, this writ with your return  
thereon showing how you have  
executed the same.  
Witness, W. E. Bray, Clerk, of  
the District Court of Donley  
County, Texas.  
Given under my hand and seal

of said Court at Clarendon, Don-  
ley County, Texas, on this the  
21st day of June, A. D. 1922  
W. E. Bray Clerk  
of the District Court of  
Donley County, Texas.  
By W. E. Nelson, Deputy  
Issued this 21st day of June, A.  
D. 1922.

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of the District Court of  
Donley County, Texas.  
By W. E. Nelson, Deputy.

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There is a lot of skin trouble  
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### B. Y. P. U.

Program for Sunday June 25.  
Leader, Hazel Boone.  
Introduction—Leader.  
Topics:  
I—John Cooper.  
II—R. F. Newman.  
III—Melba Johnson.  
IV—Sarah Hays  
Piano Solo—Jessie Lee Pool.  
V—Faye Cooper.  
VI—Alton Quisenberry.  
VII—Dick Kirkpatrick.  
VIII—Jessie Lee Pool.

### REVIVAL MEETING AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

We will begin a Revival Meet-  
ing at the Methodist Church on  
Sunday, July 9th, and continue  
two weeks if need be.  
Everyone is urged to pray, and  
be ready for a great revival.  
J. M. Puller.

## June Special

We have taken our odds and ends in  
men's two-piece, all-wool summer suits  
and placed them in one group for quick  
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These suits were made exclusively for us  
by Hart Schaffner & Marx and Rosenwald  
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PAPER. THE INFORMER MAN THINKS SO, TOO. We can publish  
a better paper as soon as we get some better equipment. We can get  
better equipment any old time we get the money to pay for it. Which  
reminds us of what we started to say in first place, to-wit:

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and then pay a year in advance -- we feel pretty sure that we'd be able  
to have that new equipment on the road to Hedley within thirty days.  
We believe the improvement would be worth the money to all of us.

## Let's Try It; and Don't Wait Too Long

# Uncommon Sense . . .

By JOHN BLAKE

## REAL COURAGE

To be feared of a thing and yet do it, is what makes the proudest kind of a man.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

IF YOU have read "Kidnapped" you remember the quotation. It was spoken by Alan Breck after the boy, David, had stood for a minute terrified on the brink of a roaring torrent, and then, still sick with the fear of it, leaped across.

To Alan Breck, the leap meant little. It required no courage for him to make it, for he knew very little of fear. But for the boy, who did the thing he feared as he feared death, it was a real act of heroism.

The only real courage consists in doing the thing we are afraid to do. The hulking prizefighter of the John Sullivan type, who has as much imagination as a grizzly bear, is not brave. He is sure he is going to win. It takes no courage to go into a winning fight.

The bully is never brave. In fact he is always a coward. Feeling sure that his superior size will carry him through, he picks quarrels as a pleasant method of passing his time.

Put this same bully into the ring with a large hungry tiger, face him with a man who looks as if he enjoyed shooting bullies as much as the bully enjoys thrashing his physical inferiors, and all the courage oozes out of the bully.

You will never know whether you are brave or not till you find yourself in a position where you are afraid to do something that ought to be done.

If you do it, you have courage. If you shrink from it and quit, you have not.

Never mistake a physical willing-

## Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

### GIVE THE BEST

TO GET the best from life you must give the best.

In whatever position you may be, there should be no reluctance to make a fair exchange in which measure for measure is given on both sides in absolute sincerity.

That you should make a fashion of doing this encourages others who are taking note of you to do likewise.

They find through experience that there comes with continued actions of this kind an inexpressible gladness which fills their hearts with friendship and lightens their countenances with sunny complacency.

There are no pleasurable experiences of this sort felt by those who are constantly complaining about the short-comings of others, forgetful all the while of their own.

You cannot feel the balmy air of spring mornings unless you go forth into the glorious outdoors and become a part of it, nor can you give to others if you have nothing to give.

That you should waste your days in ignorance of this fundamental truth underlying happiness is a deplorable error, which, as the years pass softly over you, graying your hairs and marking little lines upon your face, often becomes a burden almost too heavy for self-respect.

You cannot have the best without divorcing from your heart all forms of selfishness, egotism, jealousy, covetousness, doubt and pride.

Your kit of fine sentiments may be packed to the top, but unless you shall stoop, open the bag, take out each sentiment one by one and use them as a

ness to take a chance, to attempt some dangerous thing for the kind of courage that counts.

It is not a brave but a very foolish man who walks a tight rope over Niagara falls. It is a brave man, who not wanting to die, and knowing that an operation may send him out of the world, cheerfully goes to the table, to take the one chance that may mean his continued support of his wife or his dependents.

Often the timid school boy, who fears to quarrel, and tries his best to keep his peace with his fellows, gets the name of coward. But when this same boy has to fight for what he thinks is his honor, or to save a little boy from a bully, he becomes a very dangerous fighter.

Real courage is not daunted by pain. The boy or the man who fights when he is afraid to, stops being afraid of anything, pain, or a black eye, or punishment. He fights because he has courage, and he usually wins.

There is more real courage in this world than you fancy. It is behind all great achievement. If you have it, you are fortunate. But don't be sure, either that you have or that you haven't it till you have done or refused to do something you were afraid to do.

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## THE ROMANCE OF WORDS

### "QUARANTINE"

THE origin of a term of 40 days—a "quarantine"—as a sanitary precaution against the spread of various diseases is lost in the dim mazes of early oriental history. Forty days was the period devoted in ancient times to the burial of the dead. The spies of the Israelites, spent 40 days in Canaan before they submitted the report. Jonah gave the residents of Nineveh 40 days in which to consider his prophecy and repent. Christ, Moses and Elijah each fasted for 40 days—the Christian observance of Lent being a commemoration of the most notable of these. Under William the Conqueror no man was permitted to remain in England more than 40 days without paying a tax of some kind, while under the Magna Charta it is provided that a widow shall remain 40 days in the house of her deceased husband before being allotted her dowry.

The modern sanitary adaptation of the quarantine was established by the French along the Mediterranean in order to prevent the introduction of plague from the eastern countries, but apparently the only reason for the arbitrary setting of such a "time is that it forms one of the periods resulting from a division of the lunar year by the mystic number nine.

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## SCHOOL DAYS



CERTAINLY THERE ARE GUARDIAN ANGELS

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plumber uses his tools in daily life, the opportunity to get the best in life will never come to you.

Like diamonds, such inspirations must be cut and polished to bring out their beauty, brilliancy and worth.

High-born ideas, unless put to use at their birth, soon become rusty and of no value.

In your privacy you may fondle them and dream of the wonderful things you intend to do, but if you replace them time and again in the old worn bundle without attempting to test their value in noble work you are not making an effort to get the best, or even a portion of the best, waiting anywhere for every man and woman willing to sacrifice, help others and give the best within them.

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## KIDDIES SIX

By Will M. Maupin

### LIFE

A LITTLE grief, and much of joy Marks every day.

A wealth of love without alloy, Along life's way.

A little toil, a little pain, The glint of sun, the welcome rain, And then comes night.

A peaceful rest at set of sun, A welcome home when work is done, And life's all right.

A time to meet, a time to part; Friends come and go.

Hand clasping hand, heart beats to heart.

Comes joy, comes woe.

The radiant light of clear blue skies The welcome gleam of children's eyes, Make hearts grow light.

A battle won for those loved best, And troubles faced with merry jest, And life's all right.

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Ravages of the Bookworm.

In the earliest writings we find mention of the ravages of the bookworm.

Evenus, who lived about 450 B. C., is the earliest author known to write of its ravages. Horace, Ovid, Pliny, Martial and Lucian also wrote of him.

## THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

I have a cinder in my eye,  
A feeling that I much despise.  
I s'pose I should rejoice because I haven't one in both my eyes.



## Stories of GREAT INDIANS

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

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### ROMAN NOSE'S MEDICINE WAR BONNET FAILED HIM

A CHEYENNE war party was attacking a Mormon emigrant train on the Oregon trail. As one of its defenders dropped to the ground mortally wounded a magnificent proportioned warrior dashed forward to "count coup" (touch the fallen enemy). The hat of the dead man had fallen off, exposing his bald head. As the red man struck the dead emigrant he shouted to the other Indians "Your Roman Nose has counted the first coup on the longest-faced white man ever killed."

In many respects Roman Nose (Wuquini—"Hooked Nose") of the Northern Cheyennes was the ideal type of the Indian warrior. Although he was not a chief, incidents of his great strength, masterful personality and wonderful bearing are legion. Once in a buffalo hunt his brother-in-law drew his bowstring so powerfully that it broke. The arrow was thrown high into the air as the string snapped. Roman Nose happened to ride up close behind his companion at this instant. Reaching up he caught the shaft, snapped it against his own bowstring and shot the buffalo dead.

A man of more reckless daring in battle never lived. He had a war bonnet, the wearing of which he fondly believed protected him from danger. His faith in it was justified until the day of the famous fight with Gen. G. A. Forsyth's 52 scouts at Beecher's Island, Colo., on September 18, 1868. Before going into the battle Roman Nose told his companions that he felt sure he would be killed that day. According to the belief the power of the war bonnet would fail if he ever ate anything that was taken from a dish with an iron utensil.

That morning at a feast given by his friends the Sioux, one of the women who served the meal had used a fork to take the food from the frying pan. When his friends learned of this they urged him to go through the ceremony of purification necessary to restore the power of the war bonnet, but Forsyth's scouts appeared before he could do so.

Therefore with the certain knowledge that he would be killed, Roman Nose assembled his warriors and led them on a charge against Forsyth. He almost rode over two of the scouts who were concealed in some high grass a short distance from the main command. One of these men fired. The Cheyenne fell from his horse, shot through the back and mortally wounded. That evening at sundown Roman Nose died. The strong medicine of his war bonnet had failed him at last.

### SATANTA OF THE KIWOWAS, AS "ORATOR OF THE PLAINS"

SATANTA (Set-t'-ainte—"White Bear"), chief of the Kiowas, acquired the sobriquet of "Orator of the Plains" at the famous Medicine Lodge treaty in 1867 where he made the leading speech in reply to the government commissioners. "I love the land and the buffalo and will not part with them," he declared. "I have heard that you intend to settle us on a reservation near the mountains. I don't want to settle. I love to roam over the prairies. There I feel free and happy, but when we settle down we grow pale and die."

He had uttered the creed of the nomadic plains Indian and he backed up his words with deeds. He was a daring leader and a merciless foe. He literally painted the southern plains red, his favorite color. On the warpath he daubed his face, hair and the upper part of his body with crimson and he painted his tepee entirely red, with streamers of the same color at the ends of the poles.

"Satanta is a fine-looking Indian, energetic and sharp as a brier. He puts on a good deal of style at his meals and spreads a carpet for his guests to sit on. He has painted fireboards for tables and a brass French horn which he blows vigorously when the food is ready," writes a government physician who was his guest in 1865.

Satanta was a grim humorist. Once at Fort Dodge Gen. W. S. Hancock gave him a major-general's uniform and the Kiowa showed his appreciation of the gift by putting it on and leading an attack on the post.

Some time later Satanta had the effrontery to visit Fort Harker clad in his general's uniform and riding in a government ambulance, drawn by eight mules, an equipage which he had captured in one of his raids. With a brawny Indian driver lashing the mules to top speed, Satanta, dashed into the fort and announced that he had come to make a formal call on Gen. A. N. Sully who was visiting there.

In 1871 Satanta was sentenced to life imprisonment in the Texas state penitentiary for having killed several whites in that state. After two years he was released. In 1874 the Kiowas went on the warpath again and although Satanta had no part in the outbreak, he was taken back to prison. On October 11, 1878, he killed himself by jumping from an upper window of the hospital where he lay ill.

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**Broiled Finnan Haddie.** Soak the fish twenty minutes in warm water, drain and dry thoroughly. Brush with melted butter and broil until browned on both sides. Transfer to a hot platter on which has been poured a cupful of cream or white sauce. Set into the oven a minute to heat the cream and serve hot with baked potatoes.

**Nellie Maxwell**  
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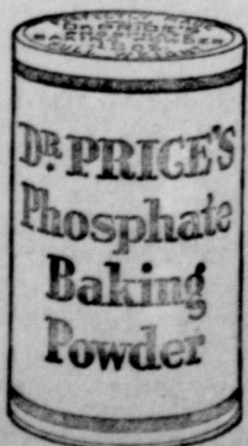
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W. J. Flesher, candidate for District Attorney, was here from Canyon last Friday. We enjoyed a visit from him.

Judge Perry S. Pearson, candidate for District Judge, was here Monday and Tuesday from Amarillo, and paid the Informer office a pleasant call.

Harry Brumley was here Saturday, and incidentally mentioned the fact that he is still in the race for Sheriff.

Miss Cleo Moreman returned last week from Brownwood, where she spent the past year in Howard Payne College.

Miss Pearl Newman came in last Sunday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Adams and little son and daughter were here a few days ago from Wellington, visiting their son and brother, Clyde Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Mitchell and daughter, Helen, were here from Clarendon the past week, visiting Mrs. Mitchell's sister, Mrs. F. M. Acord.

J. P. Pool, L. Spalding and C. Jester have returned from a prospecting tour of the South Plains. They came home via Amarillo.

J. M. Whittington has been here the past week from Amarillo.

J. W. Blankenship has returned from the Rio Grande Valley, and is greeting relatives and friends in Hedley again.

Mrs. E. O. Boliver was confined to her room three days this week, suffering from tonsillitis.

Mrs. D. J. Cannon, of Lone Grove, Okla., is here on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Masterson.

Mrs. O. R. Alexander and son, J. B., of Ft. Worth are here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Masterson.

Mrs. C. G. Strickland of Dallas is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Masterson.

J. C. Doneghy and J. R. Benson, President and Vice President of the First State Bank of Hedley, were business visitors here this week.

A. L. Johnson of Memphis left first of the week for a visit to his mother at Maynardville, Tenn.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Webb and children are at home again after several days visit with home folks at Quanah.

Mrs. L. E. Thompson and children visited in Memphis a few days the past week. Mr. Thompson went down Sunday.

Mrs. Herman Horschler, of Memphis, has been here a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Moore.

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J. J. Alexander was here from Clarendon Saturday, in the interest of his candidacy for County Judge.

J. L. Bain, candidate for County Judge, was shaking hands with Hedley friends Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Sylvius who held a meeting in Windy Valley, left Tuesday for Vernon. They are engaged in home missionary work.

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