The Miami Chief.

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In Our New Office, Nit

We have moved the Chief office this week, nit. The new office not yet completed and to give e reasons, why would take co ng. However it looks like it ight be complete i by the last this week, and if so we will t moved next week. The floor s been laid, and we trust that will be able to set up the ess and print on it this week yhow We just ask your kind cuse of the paper and the job partment until we get moved straightened out. It is ite a task to move, but when do get move l, there will be nthing stirring with our new chinery, type etc.

Rural Route Talk

Mr. Harry A. Nelson:

Your letter of the 17th instant tive to rural route No. 1 from ami, which was established e 16, has been received and Department is gratified to your appreciations of their ice.

regards the matter of pro- delivery six times a week end of three, you are inform- no particular form of is required, the Depart being prepared to take on the case being brought ation by an interested , providing the require- for daily delivery are be- .

question of increasing quency of service from cannot be given consider- at this time, owing to ort period the route has operation, the regula- provided in section 716 of al laws and regulations ing as follows.

requency of service on a established route shall ed three times a week, uch route is formed in greater part, by re- ent of six times a week

with service of three ek shall not be in- a frequency until for a six months it has reg- supplying permanant the ratio of four fam- collecting and deliver- ces of mail per month .

e circumstances are enable the Depart- crease the frequency vice in conformity ules, this office will be nsider the matters

Respectfully,
Jas. S. Blansley.
1st. Postmaster Gen.

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That Big Harvest Edition

We are certainly well pleased with the splendid patronage that is being given our big har- vest edition of the Chief Not a single time have we been re.used a nice ad when we went to our fine bunch of live merchants, and this means that we will be able to get out a good paper. We have already secured about thirty or more pictures for the edition. Pictures that will be transfered into nice half tones and printed. They are of nice residences, ranches big barns, cattle, harvest scenes, wheat fields, etc.

We want everybody in on this and will likely not have time to make a personal cansas of all, so, if you have somthing that should be in this booster edition, call us over the phone or see us in town.

Photographer G. A Addison of Canadian will be in Miami, on Friday and Saturday of this week especially to make pictures for this edition and let us know if you want him. If a Ford will run we will make trips to the country to get some nice scenes It takes some time to get this paper out and it is necessary to get all photos at once that we may get half tones made of them The big edition of 2000 copies will come out the last week in this month

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Over The Plains

The students of the Canyon Normal celebrated on July 5th this year.

J. L. Pope and H M Bainer of the Santa Fe Agricultural department report harv sting over the plains to be going on almost day and night.

Frank Ewings house at Higgins was struck by lightening last week Some damage was done to the building, but no one was hurt

John L Keffer and Miss Leta Mae Hawley of Lipscomb were married at Lipscomb last week.

Roscoe Cunningham of Portales, N.M fell under the train while trying to board same at Canadian last week and lost one arm in the accident. He and another boy were catching a freight but the unfortunate one failed to sustain his holt.

John Dorsey of Canadian delivered 900 head of thoroughbred attle last week to Teddy and Frank Trammell at $75.00 per head.

In order to insure more taxation, Plainview is going to extend their City limits if possible

Miss Ruby Mars of near Tahoka was beaten to death by a hail storm there last week. The house was blown over and with the wind came a severe hail.

The Panhandle Merc. Company of Panhandle are moving their stock of goods to White Deer where they will open a new store.

Last Sunday evening a very severe hail storm visited the farmers south of Claude, doing a great damage

Wellington and Shamrock played a 14 inning ball game last week with a 5 to 3 score in favor of Wellington. A very unusual Panhandle event.

Texhoma and Ochiltree played a 1 to 0 ball game last week, and Ochiltree got the one.

Miss Elsie Dougherty of McLean and Clarence Turner of Gainsville were married at McLean last week.

A severe wind at McLain Sunday ran box cars from the siding on to the main line.

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Our Mayor has seen to it that we have a clean-up day and Miami is by no means at the back in the progressive rank, still we have some unfavorable conditions that should be remedied.

The never ending gale of dust that blows down our main street obstructing the view of motorists and all traffic is a menace, the open doors of the stores of our progressive merchants catch the dust and it is distributed over their counters If main street was graveled this annoyance would be in reatly alleviated, so the Womans Study Club has chosen a committee to compose a petition to our City Council deploring the condition of main street and asking that the street be graveled. A donation to the fund necessary for the work will be offered by the Womans Study Club.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition

of the First State Bank of Miami at Miami, Texas, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 25 day of June, 1915 published in the Chief, a newspaper printed and published at Miami, State of Texas, on the 8. day of July 1915.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral		$151,393.47
Loans, real estate		9,807.58
Overdrafts		204.50
Bonds and Stocks		0.00
Real Estate (banking house)		0.00
Other Real Estate		0.00
Furniture and Fixtures		2,590.20
Due from Approved Reserve agents, net	$6,162.28	
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject check, net	0.00	$6,162.28
Cash Items		0.00
Currency		3,427.00
Specie		3,435.04
Int. in Guarantee Fund		1,449.21
Other Resources as follows:		
Items in transit for collection		,000.000
TOTAL		$178,469.32

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	3,200.00
Undivided Profits, net	25,857.18
Due to Banks and Bankers subject to check,	0,000.00
Individual Deposits subject to check	79 180.65
Time Certificates of Deposit	44,276.44
Demand Certificates of Deposit	0.00
Cashier's Checks	955.05
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	000.00
Certificates of deposit issued for money borrowed	0.00
Other Liabilities as follows:	0.00
TOTAL	$178,469.32

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF ROBERTS.

We, W. Coffee, as president, and H. E. Baird as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. Coffee, President.
H. E. Baird, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this the 6th day of July., A. D. nineteen hundred and fifteen.

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H. A. TALLEY, Notary Public.

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The BLACK BOX

By E. PHILLIPS OPPENHEIM

Author of "Mr. Grex of Monte Carlo," "The Vanished Messenger," "The Lighted Way," etc.

Novelized from the motion picture drama of the same name produced by the Universal Film Manufacturing Company. Illustrated with photographs from the motion picture production

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SYNOPSIS.

Sanford Quest, master criminologist of the world, finds that in bringing to justice Macdougal, the murderer of Lord Ashleigh's daughter, he has but just begun a life-and-death struggle with a mysterious master criminal. In a hidden hut in Professor Ashleigh's garden he has seen an anthropoid ape skeleton and a living inhuman creature, half monkey, half man, destroyed by fire. In his room have appeared from nowhere black boxes, one containing diamonds torn from a lovely throat by a pair of armless, threatening hands, both with sarcastic, threatening notes signed by the incrutable hands. On his return from finding the body of Macdougal, who had escaped on his way to prison, he is arrested for the murder of his valet. Ross Brown, and a Miss Quigg, in his rooms. Laura and Lenora, his assistants, suspect Craig the professor's valet, trap Craig and rescue Quest from the Tombs to hypnotize Craig into confession, but when Quest arrives he finds that Craig and Lenora have both disappeared. He dodges Police Inspector French, who has discovered his escape.

SIXTH INSTALLMENT

THE UNSEEN TERROR.

CHAPTER XIV.

With a little gesture of despair Quest turned away from the instrument which seemed suddenly to have become so terribly unresponsive, and looked across the vista of square roofs and tangled masses of telephone wires to where the lights of larger New York flared up against the sky. From his attic chamber the roar of the city a few blocks away was always in his ears. He had forgotten in those hours of frenzied solitude to fear for his own safety. He thought only of Lenora. He paused once more before the little instrument.

"Lenora, where are you?" he signaled. "I have taken a lodging in the Servants' club. I am still in hiding, hoping that Craig may come here. I am very anxious about you."

Still no reply! Quest drew a chair up to the window and sat there with folded arms looking down into the street. Suddenly he sprang to his feet. The instrument quivered—there was a message at last! He took it down with a little choke of relief.

"I don't know where I am. I am terrified. I was outside the garage when I was seized from behind. The 'Hands' held me. I was unconscious until I found myself here. I am now in an attic room with no window except the skylight, which I cannot reach. I can see nothing—hear nothing. No one has hurt me, no one comes near me. Food is pushed through a door, which is locked again immediately. The house seems empty, yet I fancy that I am being watched all the time. I am terrified!"

Quest drew the instrument towards him.

"I have your message," he signaled. "Be brave! I am watching for Craig. Through him I shall reach you before long. Send me a mesage every now and then."

Quest again took up his vigil in front of the window. Once more his eyes swept the narrow street with its constant stream of passers-by. Then suddenly he found himself gripping the window sill in a momentary thrill of rare excitement. His vigil was rewarded at last. The man for whom he was waiting was there! Quest watched him cross the street, glance furtively to the right and to the left, then enter the club. He turned back to the little wireless and his fingers worked as though inspired.

"I am on Craig's track," he signaled. "Be brave."

He waited for no reply, but opened the door and, stealing softly out of the room, suddenly confronted Craig in the deserted hallway. Before he could utter a cry Quest's left hand was over his mouth and the cold muzzle of an automatic pistol was pressed to his ribs.

"Turn round and mount those stairs, Craig," Quest ordered.

Craig turned slowly round and obeyed. He mounted the steps with reluctant footsteps, followed by Quest.

"Through the door to your right," the latter directed. "That's right! Now sit down in that chair facing me."

Quest closed the door carefully. Craig sat where he had been ordered, his fingers gripping the arms of the chair. In his eyes shone the furtive, terrified light of the trapped criminal.

"What do you want with me?" Craig asked doggedly.

"First of all," Quest replied, "I want to know what you have done with my assistant, the girl whom you carried off from the professor's garage."

Craig shook his head.

"I know nothing about her."

"She locked you in the garage," Quest continued, "and sent for me. When I arrived I found the garage door open, Lenora gone and you a fugitive."

Bewilderment struggled for a moment with blank terror in Craig's expression.

"How do you know that she locked me in the garage?"

Quest smiled, stretched out his right arm and his long fingers played softly with the pocket wireless

"In just the same way," he explained, "that I am sending her this message at the present moment—a message which she will receive and understand wherever she is hidden. Would you like to know what I am telling her?"

The man shivered. His eyes, as though fascinated, watched the little instrument.

"I am saying this, Craig," Quest continued. "Craig is here and in my power. He is sitting within a few feet of me and will not leave this room until he has told me your whereabouts. Keep up your courage, Lenora. You shall be free in an hour."

The trapped man looked away from the instrument into Quest's face. There was a momentary flicker of something that might have passed for courage in his tone.

"Mr. Quest," he said, "you are a wonderful man, but there are limits to your power. You can tear my tongue out from my mouth, but you cannot force me to speak."

Quest leaned a little farther forward in his chair, his gaze became more concentrated.

"That is where you are wrong, Craig. That is where you make a mistake. In a very few minutes you will be telling me all the secrets of your heart."

Craig shivered, drew back a little in his chair, tried to rise and fell back again helpless.

"My God!" he cried. "Leave me alone!"

"When you have told me the truth," Quest answered swiftly, "and you will tell me all I want to know in a few minutes. . . . Your eyelids are getting a little heavy, Craig. Don't resist. Something which is like sleep is coming over you. You see my will has yours by the throat."

Craig shook his head. A very weak smile of triumph flickered for a moment at the corners of his lips.

"Your torture chamber trick won't work on me!" he exclaimed. "You can never—"

The whole gamut of emotions seemed already to have spent themselves in the man's face, but at that moment there was a new element, an element of terrified curiosity in the expression of his eyes as he stared towards the door.

"Is this another trick of yours?" he muttered.

Quest, too, turned his head and sprang instantly to his feet. From underneath the door came a little puff of smoke. There was a queer sense of heat of which both men were simultaneously conscious. Down in the street arose a chorus of warning shouts, increasing momentarily in



"Mount Those Stairs, Craig."

volume. Quest threw open the door and closed it again at once.

"The place is on fire," he announced briefly. "Pull yourself together, man. We shall have all we can do to get out of this."

Craig turned to the door, but staggered back almost immediately.

"The stairs are going!" he shrieked. "It is the kitchen that is on fire. We are cut off! We cannot get down!"

Quest was on his hands and knees, fumbling under his trucklebed. He pulled out a crude form of fire escape, a rough sort of cradle with a rope attached.

"Know how to use this?" he asked Craig quickly. "Here, catch hold. Put your arms inside this strap."

Yard by yard, swinging a little in the air, Craig made his descent. When he arrived in the street there were a hundred willing hands to release him. Quest drew up the rope quickly, warned by a roar of anxious voices. Then he commenced to descend, letting himself down hand over hand, always with one eye upon that length of rope that swung below. Suddenly, as he reached the second floor a little cry from the crowd warned him of what had happened. Tongues of flame curling out from the blazing building had caught the rope, which was being burned through not a dozen feet away from him. He descended a little farther and paused in mid-air.

A shout from the crowd reached him.

"The cables! Try the cables!"

He glanced round. Seven or eight feet away, and almost level with him, was a double row of telegraph wires. Almost as he saw them the rope below him burned through and fell to the ground. He swung a little towards the side of the house, pushed himself vigorously away from it with his feet, and at the farthest point of the outward swing jumped. His hands grappled the telegraph wires safely. Even in that tense moment he heard a little sob of relief from the people below.

Hand over hand he made his way to the nearest pole and slipped easily to the ground. The crowd immediately surged around him.

"Where is the man who came down before me?" he asked a bystander.

"Talking to the police in the car over yonder," was the hoarse reply. "Say, guv'nor, you only just made that!"

Craig pushed his way through the crowd to where Craig was speaking eagerly to French. He stopped short and stooped down. He was near enough to hear the former's words.

"Mr. French, you saw the man come down the ropes and swing on the cables? That was Quest, Sanford Quest, the man who escaped from the Tombs prison. He can't have got away yet."

Quest drew off his coat, turned it inside out and replaced it swiftly. He coolly picked up a hat someone had lost in the crowd and pulled it over his eyes. He passed within a few feet of where Craig and the inspector were talking.

"Say, boys, Sanford Quest is in the crowd somewhere. He's the man who jumped on the cable lines. A hundred dollars for his arrest!"

Quest turned reluctantly away. Men were rushing about in all directions for him.

CHAPTER XV.

The professor swung round in his chair and greeted Quest with some surprise, but also a little disappointment.

"No news of Craig?" he asked.

"I got Craig, all right," he replied. "He came to the Servants' club, where I was waiting for him. My luck's out, though. The place was burned to the ground last night. I saved his life and then the brute gave me away to the police. I had to make my escape as best I could."

The professor tapped the table peevishly.

"This is insufferable," he declared. "I have had no shaving water; my coffee was undrinkable; I can find nothing. I have a most important lecture to prepare and I cannot find any of the notes I made upon the subject."

Quest smoked in silence for a moment.

"Any mail for me, professor?" he asked abruptly.

The professor opened a drawer and handed him a telegram.

"Only this!"

Quest opened it and read it through. It was from the sheriff of a small town in Connecticut:

"The men you inquired for are both here. They have sold an automobile and seem to be spending the proceeds. Shall I arrest?"

Quest studied the message for a moment.

"Say, this is rather interesting, professor," he remarked. "These are the two thugs who set upon me at the section house. They killed the signal man, who could have been my alibi, and swiped my car, in which, as it cannot be found, French supposes that I returned to New York. With their arrest the case against me collapses. I tell you frankly, professor," Quest continued frowning. "I hate to leave the city without having found that girl; but I am not sure that the quickest way to set things right would not be to go down, arrest these men and bring them back here, clear myself, and then go tooth and nail for Craig."

"I agree with you most heartily," the professor declared. "I recommend any course which will insure the return of my man Craig!"

"I cannot promise you that you will ever have Craig here again," Quest observed grimly. "I rather fancy Sing Sing will be his next home."

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Quest stepped off the cars at Bethel a little before noon that morning. The sheriff met him at the depot and greeted him cordially but with obvious surprise.

"Say, Mr. Quest," he exclaimed, as they turned away, "I know these men are wanted on your charge, but I thought—you'll excuse me for saying so—that you were in some trouble yourself."

Quest nodded.

"I'm out of that—came out yesterday. The moment my car is identified and Red Gallagher and his mate arrested every scrap of evidence against me goes."

"Well, here's the garage and the man who bought the car," the sheriff remarked, "and there's the car itself



"Put It Away; You Know You Daren't Use It."

in the road. It's for you to say whether it can be identified."

Quest drew a sigh of relief.

"That's mine, right enough," he declared. "Now for the men."

"Say, I want to tell you something," the sheriff began dubiously. "These two are real thugs. They ain't going to take it lying down."

"Where are they?" Quest demanded.

"In the worst saloon here," the sheriff replied. "They've been there pretty well all night, drinking, and they're there again this morning, hard at it. They've got firearms, and though I ain't exactly a nervous man, Mr. Quest—"

"You leave it to me," Quest interrupted. "This is my job and I want to take the men myself."

"You'll never do it," the sheriff declared.

"Look here," Quest explained, "if I let you and your men go in, there will be a free fight, and as likely as not you will kill one, if not both of the men. I want them alive."

"Well, it's your show," the sheriff admitted, stopping before a disreputable looking building. "This is the saloon."

"Well," Quest decided, "I'm going in, and I'm going in unarmed. You can bring your men in later, if I call for help or if you hear any shooting."

"You're asking for trouble," the sheriff warned him.

"I've got to do this my own way," Quest insisted. "Stand by now."

He pushed open the door of the saloon. There were a dozen men drinking around the bar and in the center of them Red Gallagher and his mate. Quest walked right up to the two men.

"Gallagher," he said, "you're my prisoner. Are you coming quietly?"

Gallagher's mate, who was half drunk, swung round and fired a wild shot in Quest's direction. The result was a general stampede. Red Gallagher alone remained motionless. Grim and dangerously silent, he held a pistol within a few inches of Quest's forehead.

"If my number's up," he exclaimed ferociously, "it won't be you to take me."

"I think it will," Quest answered. "Put that away."

Gallagher hesitated. Quest's influence over him was indomitable.

"Put it away," Quest repeated firmly. "You know you daren't use it. Your account's pretty full up, as it is."

Gallagher's hand wavered. From outside came the shouts of the sheriff and his men, struggling to fight their way in through the little crowd who were rushing for safety. Suddenly Quest backed, jerked the pistol up with his right elbow, and with almost the same movement struck Red Gallagher under the jaw. The man went over with a crash. His mate, who had been staggering about, cursing viciously, fired another wild shot at Quest, who swayed and fell forward.

"I've done him!" the man shouted. "Get up, Red! I've done him, all right! Finish your drink. We'll get out of this!"

He bent unsteadily over Quest. Suddenly the latter sprang up, seized him by the leg and sent him sprawling. The gun fell from his hand. Quest picked it up and held it firmly out, covering both men. Gallagher was on his knees, groping for his own weapon.

"Get the handcuffs on them," Quest directed the sheriff, who with his men had at last succeeded in forcing his way into the saloon.

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Crouching in her chair, her pale, terror-stricken face supported between her hands, Lenora, her eyes filled with hopeless misery, gazed at the dumb instrument upon the table. Her last gleam of hope seemed to be passing. Her little friend was silent. Once more her weary fingers spelled out a final, despairing message.

"What has happened to you? I am waiting to hear all the time. Has Craig told you where I am? I am afraid!"

There was still no reply. Her head sank a little lower on her folded arms. Even the luxury of tears seemed denied her. Fear, the fear which dwelt with her day and night, had her in its grip. Suddenly she leaped, screaming, from her place. Splinters of glass fell all around her. Her first wild thought was of release; she gazed upwards at the broken pane. Then very faintly from the street below she heard the shout of a boy's angry voice:

"You've done it now, Jimmy! You're a fine pitcher, ain't you? Lost it, that's what you've gone and done!"

The thoughts formed themselves mechanically in her mind. Her eyes sought the ball which had come crashing into the room. There was life once more in her pulses. She found a scrap of paper and a pencil in her pocket. With trembling fingers she wrote a few words:

"Police headquarters. I am Sanford Quest's assistant, abducted and imprisoned here in the room where the ball has fallen. Help! I am going mad!"

She twisted the paper, looked around the room vainly for string, and finally tore a thin piece of ribbon from her bosom. She tied the message round the ball, set her teeth and threw it at the empty skylight. The first time she was not successful and the ball came back. The second time it passed through the center of the opening. She heard it strike the sound portion of the glass outside, heard it rumble down the roof. A few seconds of breathless silence! Her heart almost stopped beating. Had it rested in some ledge or fallen into the street below? Then she heard the boy's voice:

"Gee! Here's the ball come back again!"

A new light shone into the room. She seemed to be breathing a different atmosphere—the atmosphere of hope. She listened no longer with horror for a creaking upon the stairs. She walked backwards and forwards until she was exhausted. . . . Curiously enough, when the end came she was asleep, crouched upon the bed and dreaming wildly. She sprang up to find Inspector French, with a policeman behind him, standing upon the threshold.

"Inspector!" she cried, rushing towards him. "Mr. French! Oh, thank God!"

Her feelings carried her away. She threw herself at his feet. She was laughing and crying and talking incoherently, all at the same time. The inspector assisted her to a chair.

"Say, what's all this mean?" he demanded.

She told him her story, incoherently, in broken phrases. French listened with puzzled frown.

Then he realized that she was on the point of a nervous breakdown and in no condition for interrogations.

"That'll do," he said. "I'll take care of you for a time, young lady, and I'll ask you a few questions later on. My men are searching the house. You and I will be getting on, if you can tear yourself away."

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The plain-clothes man, who was lounging in Quest's most comfortable easy chair and smoking one of his best cigars, suddenly laid down his paper. He moved to the window. A large, empty automobile stood in the street outside, from which the occupants had presumably just descended. He hastened towards the door, which was opened, however, before he was halfway across the room. The cigar slipped from his fingers. It was Sanford Quest, who stood there, followed by the sheriff of Bethel, two country policemen and Red Gallagher and his mate, heavily handcuffed.

"Say, aren't you wanted down yonder, Mr. Quest?" the man inquired.

"That's all right now," Quest told him. "I'm ringing up Inspector French myself. You'd better stand by the other fellows there and keep your eye on Red Gallagher and his mate."

"I guess Mr. Quest is all right," the sheriff intervened. "We're ringing up headquarters ourselves, anyway."

The plain-clothes man did as he was told. Quest took up the receiver from his telephone instrument and arranged the phototelesme.

"Police station No. 1, central," he said—"through to Mr. French's office, if you please. Mr. Quest wants to speak to him. Yes, Sanford Quest. No need to get excited! . . . All right I'm through, am I? . . . Hello, inspector?"

A rare expression of joy suddenly transfigured Quest's face. He was gazing downward into the little mirror.

"You've found Lenora, then, inspector?" he exclaimed. "Bully for you! . . . What do I mean? What I say! You forget that I am a scientific man, French. No end of appliances here you haven't had time to look at. I can see you sitting there, and Lenora and Laura looking as though you had them on the rack. You can drop that, French. I've got Red Gallagher and his mate, got them here with the sheriff of Bethel. They went off with my auto and sold it. We've got that. Also, in less than five minutes my chauffeur will be here. He's been lying in a farmhouse unconscious, since that scrap. He can tell you what time he saw me last. Bring the girls along, French—and hurry!"

Quest hung up the receiver.

Inspector French was as good, even better than his word. In a surprisingly short time he entered the room, followed by Laura and Lenora. Quest gave them a hand each, but it was into Lenora's eyes that he looked.

"I mustn't stop to hear your story, Lenora," Quest said. "You're safe—that's the great thing."

"Found her in an empty house," French reported, "out Grayson avenue way. Now, Mr. Quest, I don't want to come the official over you too much, but if you'll kindly remember you're an escaped prisoner—"

There was a knock at the door. A young man entered in chauffeur's livery, with his head still bandaged. Quest motioned him to come in.

"I'll just repeat my story of that morning, Mr. French," Quest said. "We went out to find Macdougal, and succeeded, as you know. Just as I was starting for home those two thugs set upon me. You know how I made my escape. They went off in my automobile and sold it in Bethel. I arrested them there myself this morning. Here's the sheriff who will bear out what I say, also that they arrived at the place in my automobile."

Inspector French held out his hand.

"Mr. Quest," he said, "I reckon we'll have to withdraw the case against you. No hard feelings, I hope?"

"None at all," Quest replied promptly, taking his hand.

Quest stood upon the threshold watching the sheriff and his prisoners leave the house. The former turned round to wave his adieux.

"There's an elderly guy out here," he shouted, "seems to want to come in."

Quest leaned forward and saw the professor.

"My dear Quest," he exclaimed, as he wrung his hand, "my heartiest congratulations! As you know, I always believed your innocence. I am delighted that it has been proved."

The professor sank wearily into an easy chair.

"I will take a little whisky and one of your excellent cigars, Quest," he said. "I must ask you to bear with me if I seem upset. After more than twenty years' service from one whom I have always treated as a friend this sudden separation, to a man of my



"Inspector!" She Cried, Rushing T wards Him.

age, is somewhat trying. I do not lude, as you perceive, Mr. Quest, the horrible suspicion you seem have formed of Craig."

"All the same," the inspector remarked thoughtfully, "someone who still at large committed those murd and stole those jewels. What is y theory about the jewels, Mr. Quest

"I haven't had time to frame yet," the criminologist replied. "You been keeping me too busy look after myself. However," he ad "it's time something was done."

He took a magnifying glass f his pocket and examined very clos the whole of the front of the sa

"No sign of finger prints," he m tered. "The person who opened probably wore gloves."

He fitted the combination and swu open the door. He stood there fo moment speechless. Something in attitude attracted the inspector's tention.

"What is it, Mr. Quest?" he as eagerly.

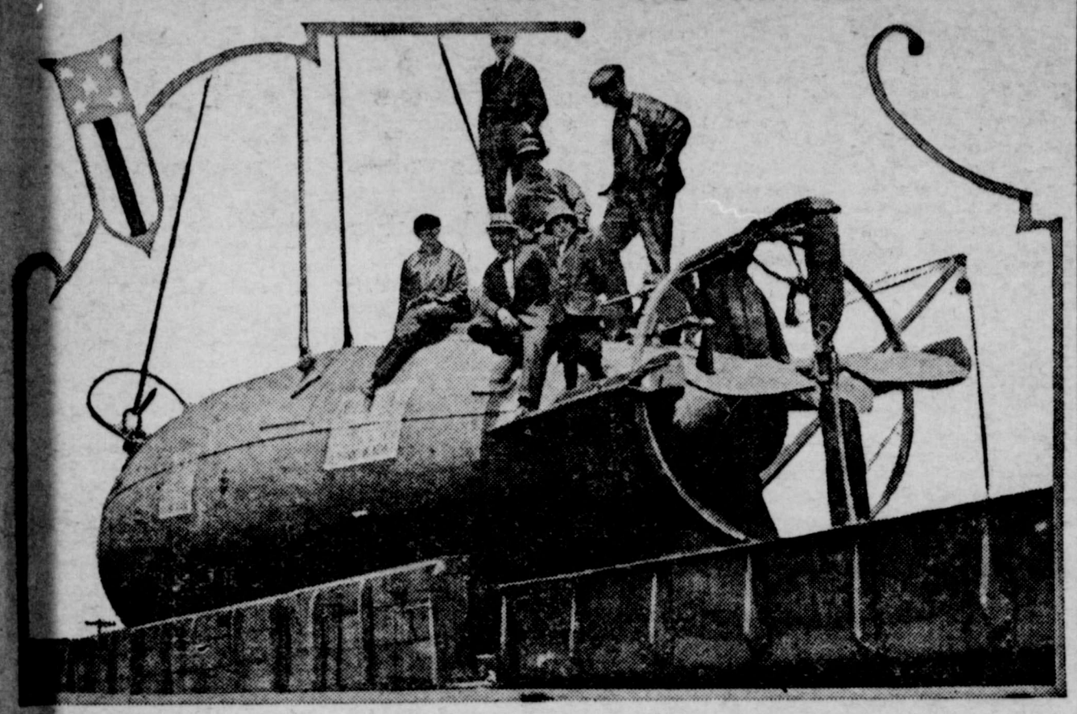
Quest drew a little breath. Exa facing him, in the spot where the els had been, was a small black He brought it to the table and moved the lid. Inside was a shee paper, which he quickly unfol They all three read the few lines gether:

"Pitted against the inherited ning of the ages, you have no cha I will take compassion upon Look in the right-hand drawer of desk."

Underneath appeared the signa of the "Hands." Quest moved like in a dream to his cabinet and pu open the right-hand drawer. He tur around and faced the other two In his hand was Mrs. Rheinhol necklace!

(TO BE CONTINUED)

OLD SUBMARINE GOES TO THE JUNK HEAP



The famous old American submarine Holland No. 9 was sent to the junk heap the other day, being utterly out of date and useless. It was bought by the United States in 1900 for $150,000.

ACADEMIC PROCESSION AT YALE UNIVERSITY



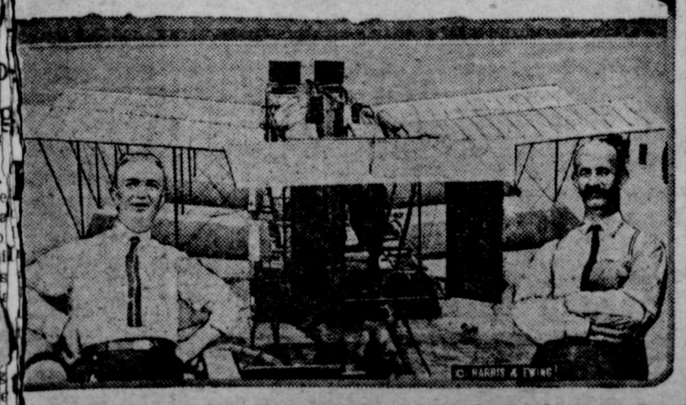
The academic procession at the Yale commencement. Behind the mace bearer are ex-President Timothy Dwight and President Hadley. At the right of the picture are Supreme Court Justice Charles E. Hughes, who received the degree of doctor of laws, and Prof. William Howard Taft, former president of the United States.

MRS. J. M. THOMSON IN BRIDAL GOWN



Genevieve Clark, daughter of Speaker Clark, who was married on June to James M. Thomson of New Orleans, photographed in her wedding n.

NEW HYDRO-AEROPLANE IS TESTED



This big hydro-aeroplane of a new type was tested recently on the Poto- near Washington, by A. S. Richardson (left), its inventor, and A. C. ardson (right), its builder. It is capable of carrying 20 passengers and our planes, two six-cylinder engines and two pontoons.

HEADS ADVERTISING CLUBS



Herbert S. Houston, vice-president of Doubleday, Page & Co., who was elected president of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World at the recent convention in Chicago. Mr. Houston was born in Illinois and has been in newspaper and magazine work all his business life.

Censor Requires Interpretation.

The mysterious German word "Zugel" recently produced trouble in a family residing in Coethen, says a Hamburg dispatch. A son serving in the German army wrote his parents that he was returning home on a leave of absence. He added that he would stop over in Brussels and asked for money to enable him to return to Germany. A few days later the family received a telegram: "Send 100 marks to Victoria hotel. Zugel." The parents hesitated to send the money, as this was not their name. They made inquiries at the office of military officials. The answer came: "Zugel no bunko steerer. You can safely send the money. Zugel is an abbreviation added by the censor, meaning 'zugelassen' (passed)."

His Aim.

"On the cattle ship on which my friend worked an ox got loose on the voyage and roamed about before they could capture it."

"Maybe the ox was looking for the steerage."

RULES OF UP-TO-DATE ZOO

Compiled for the Benefit of Visitors Who Without Proper Guidance Might Get Into Trouble.

All persons are prohibited from playing with the animals. If you are a monkey, don't recognize your friends at the zoo. Fraternizing with animals is considered a serious offense, no matter if the animal shows more intelligence than the one trying to torment him.

It shall be unlawful to stroke the whiskers of Caesar, the male lion, or to pull the tails of any of the lions at any time. Visitors must not interfere with the food that is given the lions or put their hands into the mouths of the beasts.

Making eyes at the baboons and shaking hands with the monkeys are not permitted at any time. Visitors must not pull the horns of the buffalo or strike the ears of the ostrich. Children are warned not to ride on the backs of the deer.

Violations of these park regulations will be punished by solitary confinement in the dog pound for six months. —Springfield News.

Rich Loot.

Brown was happily rambling through the land of dreams one night when he suddenly awakened to find the long barrel of a pistol unpleasantly close to his face.

"Utter one word," cried a strong voice back of the formidable gun, "and you are a dead man."

"I'm not saying one word," was the meek rejoinder of the submissive Brown.

"What I want," continued the burglar, without lowering the pistol, "is every single valuable that you have in the house, and I want them quickly."

"All right, old man," promptly replied Brown, digging up a slip of paper and handing it to the burglar. "Here is the combination to the refrigerator."

All His Fault.

One witness in a recent police court case was an old Irish woman.

Immediately the prisoner's lawyer asked her a question she began talking, and talked and talked and talked. "Stop! Stop!" ordered the magistrate, hammering on his desk.

But the old woman still talked on.

"Here, you in the witness box, do be quiet!" thundered the magistrate again. "Oh, do stop for a minute!"

And the old woman still went on.

Then the magistrate turned angrily on the lawyer.

"Look here, Mr. M——," he shouted, "you started her—now stop her!"

Wearisome Proposition.

"Well, Mirandy," said Mrs. Bosbyshell to her cook, "I hear it rumored that you are going to be married again, this time to Joe."

"No'm, I ain't gwine git mahried again, Miss Lucy," replied Mirandy. "I'm very fond o' Joe, but I ain't gwine mahry him."

"What's the trouble?" asked Mrs. Bosbyshell.

"Ain't no trouble, Miss Lucy," said Mirandy, "but yo' see I done been mahried three times already, an' tell yo' de truff I'm gittin' mighty tiahed payin' out good money to dem undahtakahs."

Time's Changes.

"You know when I was living here some years ago," remarked the man who had just dropped in, "you had a little boy about six years old whom you thought the brightest boy in the world."

"Yes, I remember," was the reply; "but he's been through college since then."

The Way of It.

"Are Bell and Barbara blood relations?"

"Oh, no. It is purely platonic grouch they have for each other!"—Puck.

JOHN'S DEDUCTION AT FAULT

Result of Bright Youth's Reasoning Brought Consternation to His Employer.

John was the new boy at the boarding house. His mistress was scolding him because he never surmounted an obstacle.

"John," she said, "when I sent you for a two-pound loaf of cake and they had none, why in the world did you not bring two one-pound cakes? That would be exactly the same thing."

John seemed to grasp the knowledge. His mistress thought so until the next day.

She was going on a journey, and being a large, stout woman, told John to engage her two seats in the Bus. When John returned she asked:

"Did you have any difficulty?"

"No, madam," replied the hopeless John, "but I could not get them both together, so I got one on the inside and one on the t p!"

Unexpected Chicken.

A stranger, arriving in a small town, hailed a passing resident and inquired:

"Can you direct me to a place where thew take boarders?"

"Hemmandhaws keeps 'em," the man replied.

"Is that a pretty good place?"

"Fair to middlin'."

"Have chicken very often for dinner?"

"Reg'lar and unexpected."

"What do you mean by regular and unexpected?"

"They have chicken reg'lar every Sunday—"

"I see—"

"And they also have it when an automobile unexpectedly kills one in the road."—Judge.

His Bid.

Between the blonde young woman on the other side of the car and her stout neighbor next to the left there intervened a space perhaps four inches in width. Clinging to the strap just in front of the blonde woman was a cheerful individual whose uncertain footing was, it seemed, not wholly due to the jolting and jerking of the common carrier. Presently he fastened an ingratiating smile upon the young woman.

"Madam," murmured he, "if you'd lemme sit down in that place there by you I'd—I'd vote for woman suffrage."—New York Evening Post.

Of Far More Importance.

Pat and a friend were reading an account of a shipwreck, in which they were greatly interested.

"Pat," said his friend, "in case of a shipwreck, presence of mind is worth everything else."

"Prisince of moind," ye say," replied Pat earnestly. "Faith, and I don't agree wid ye. In toime of shipwreck, absince of body is of far more importance than prisince of moind."—National Monthly.

Perfect Example.

"The paper speaks of a certain argument as being tactfully yet forcefully phrased," said the young student. "What would be a good example of that?"

"My son," returned the father, "can it be that you have never lent ear to your mother's able representations on the periodical occasions when I return home on pay day?"

One Advantage.

"Traded your motorboat for an aeroplane, eh? What's the idea?"

"Well, there's this about an aeroplane—even if the engine does break down, you're bound to land some where."

Development in Morocco has been generally stopped because of the war in Europe.

WANTED TO SEE THE RESULT

Little Willie Evidently Had at Some Time Beheld a Slot Machine in Operation.

There are some very funny things in a big store besides the things the girls say about the floor walker or the fancies the ribbon-counter boys have about the personalities of buyers and heads of departments.

For instance: The other day a small lad, with an unmistakable stamp of the country, was trailing his mother along through a big store. He was hanging back and she was pulling. The boy never had been in a big store, and the place was full of many wonders.

All of a sudden his pulling and lagging became a stubborn and pronounced utter stoppage.

"Come on, Willie," said the mother.

"Aw, maw, wait," begged the boy.

"No," protested his mother. "What's the matter with you?"

"Look!" cried the boy. He was pointing to a young man leaving an employees' time clock, which the young man had just punched.

"Wait, maw," continued Willie, "I want to see what he wins!"

Shrapnel in Warfare.

Shrapnel is most effective against prone skirmishers at ranges from 1,000 to 3,000 meters, when burst twenty-eight to twenty-two meters short of the target, and against standing skirmishers at the same ranges when burst fifty-six to forty-five meters short of the target. Black also points out that a single shrapnel from a light field howitzer produces a greater number of hits when the point of burst is favorably situated than one fired from a field gun.

Shrapnel is also playing a most important part in aerial warfare, and of these antiaircraft shrapnel, all of which embody the same general essentials, there is perhaps none more effective than that known as "Ehrhardt antiaircraft shrapnel."

Out of Long Experience.

Barristers should always be respectful to the court and accept decisions with good humor, says Dr. Blake Odgers, who illustrates the proper attitude of the profession.

A young barrister who held different views from the court, remarked on one ocasion that he was surprised to hear the judge make a certain statement, whereupon the leading counsel apologized for his junior on the ground of his youth.

"When he is as old as I am, my lord," he said deferentially, "he will never be surprised at anything your lordship says o. does."—Yorkshire Post.

Hint Did Its Work.

When the young British officer, ordered to the front, called on his tailor to get a fresh outfit, the tailor could not forget that there was an unsettled account.

But he felt nervous about broaching the subject.

"I see the enemy," said the young officer, "has had a check."

"Lucky enemy!" said the tailor, wistfully.

The young officer looked puzzled for a moment and then took the gentle hint. Next day the bill was settled.

Talented.

"Wasn't your wife something of an elocutionist before she married you?" asked the man who had just returned from an extended stay abroad.

"She is yet," answered the other, sadly, thinking of her oratorical efforts on the occasions when he had come home late from the club.

Vocal Carpenters.

Hazel—What is that scraping noise out front?

Dawn—Must be the chorus girls filing off the stage.

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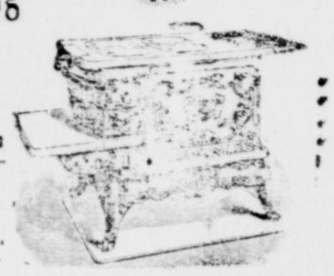
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BANKERS URGED TO CO-OPERATE WITH FARMERS

SOUL MATERIAL HAS ENTERED THE BANK VAULTS OF THE NATION.

The Bank a Financial Power House to the Community.

By Peter Radford.

One of the greatest opportunities in the business life of the nation lies in practical co-operation of the country banks with the farmer in building agriculture and the adventure is laden with greater possibilities than any forward movement now before the American public.

A few bankers have loaned money to farmers at a low rate of interest, and ofttimes without compensation, to buy blooded livestock, build silos, fertilize the land, secure better seed, hold their products for a beter market price, etc. The banker in contributing toward improving the grade of livestock; the quality of the seed and the fertility of the soil, plants in the agricultural life of the community a fountain of profit, that, like Tennyson's brook, runs on and on forever.

Community Progress a Bank Asset.

The time was when money loaned on such a basis would severely test the sanity of the banker; such transactions would pain the directors like a blow in the face. A cashier who would dare to cast bread upon waters that did not return buttered side up in time for annual dividends would have to give way to a more capable man. This does not necessarily mean that the bankers are getting any better or that the milk of human kindnesss is being imbibed more freely by our financiers it indicates that the bankers are getting wiser, becoming more able financiers and the banking industry more competent. The vision of the builder is crowding out the spirit of the pawnbroker. A light has been turned on a new world of investment and no usurer ever received as large returns on the investment as these progressive bankers, who made loans to uplift industry. The bankers have always been liberal city builders, but they are now building agriculture.

A Dollar With a Soul.

It is refreshing in this strenuous commercial life to find so many dollars with souls. When a dollar is approached to perform a task that does not directly yield the highest rate of interest, we usually hear the rustle of the eagle's wings as it soars upward; when a dollar is requested to return at the option of the borrower, it usually appeals to the Goddess of Liberty for its contractural rights; when a dollar is asked to expand in volume to suit the requirements of industry, it usually talks solemnly of its redeemer, but soul material has entered into the vaults of our banks and rate, time and volume have a new basis of reckoning in so far as the ability of some of the bankers permit them to co-operate in promoting the business of farming.

God Almighty's Noblemen.

These bankers are God Almighty's noblemen. Heaven lent earth the spirit of these men and the angels will help them roll in place the cornerstones of empires. They are not philanthropists; they are wise bankers. The spirit of the builder has given them a new vision, and wisdom has visited upon them business foresight.

The cackle of the hen, the low of kine and the rustle of growing crops echo in every bank vault in the nation and the shrewd banker knows that he can more effectively increase his deposits by putting blue blood in the veins of livestock; quality in the yield of the soil and value into agricultural products, than by business handshakes, overdrafts and gaudy calendars.

Taking the community into partnership with the bank, opening up a ledger account with progress, making thrift and enterprise stockholders and the prosperity of the country an asset to the bank, put behind it stability far more desirable than a letterhead bearing the names of all the distinguished citizens of the community. The bank is the financial power house of the community and blessed is the locality that has an up-to-date banker.

POLITICAL PRAYER MEETINGS

It is a sad day for Christianity when the church bells call the communicants together for a political prayer meeting. Such gatherings mark the high tide of religious political fanaticism, put bitterness into the lives of men; fan the flames of class hatred and destroy Christian influence in the community. The spirit actuating such meetings is anarchistic, un-Christlike and dangerous to both church and state.

The success of the nation is in the hands of the farmer.

Work for the best and the best will rise up and reward you.

Tenant farming is just one thing after another without a pay day.

Now is the to help boost the big harvest edition, dont wait till it is printed

RAILROADS WILL HELP THE FARMER

Common Carriers Will Co-operate in Marketing Farm Products—Middlemen Charge Higher Rates for Handling Farm Than Factory Products.

By Peter Radford.

The leading railroad systems of the nation will establish market bureaus to assist the farmers along their lines in marketing their products. The following lines have acceded to the request of the Farmers' Union and announced their willingness to enter into active co-operation with the farmers in marketing their products: Missouri, Kansas & Texas, Southern Pacific, Santa Fe, St. Louis, Southwestern and other "system" lines.

The express companies have surveyed the field and the Federal Government, through the parcel post, has demonstrated the possibilities of the common carrier as a useful agency in marketing farm commodities.

I consider the action of these giant business concerns in determining to co-operate with the farmers in marketing their crops, to be the greatest product of human thought on the Western hemisphere during the past year, and it demonstrates that the educational work of the Farmers' Union has brought the nation to a clearer understanding of the real problems of the farmer.

To give information on marketing is far more valuable than to give advice on production. There is a mutual interest between the railroads and the farmer which cannot exist between any other lines of industry. The railroads are the teamsters of agriculture and they are employed only when there is something to haul. Good prices will do more to increase tonnage than any other factor, and railroads want tonnage.

Agriculture has many inherent disadvantages which require combined effort to overcome in marketing. There are millions of producing units working independently and selling without knowledge of market conditions. The harvest is once a year, while consumption is pretty evenly distributed throughout the entire year, and most of the farmers, through custom and necessity, dump their entire crop on the market as soon as it is gathered. The problem of organizing and systematizing the markets is one in which the farmers invite assistance of all lines of industry friendly to their interests.

Farmers Bear the Burden.

The business of the manufacturer lends itself more readily to organization and the facilities for studying the markets are more easily available. The result is that the merchants are compelled to handle most staple manufactured articles at very little profit, and as a consequence the merchant must look to prducts which he buys direct from the farm for his profits.

The reports of the Federal Department of Agriculture show some very interesting information and enable a comparison between the cost of marketing products of the farm and those of the factory. A few items will serve to illustrate the general run. The cost of getting sugar from the refinery to the consumer is 9 cents on the dollar; the cost of getting tobacco from the factory to the consumer is 14 cents on the dollar. In selling a dollar's worth of eggs the middleman gets a profit of 50 cents on the dollar. In selling a dollar's worth of potatoes, the middleman makes 70 cents on the dollar; in selling a dollar's worth of fruit, the middleman gets 84 cents on the dollar, and on cantaloupes 82 cents.

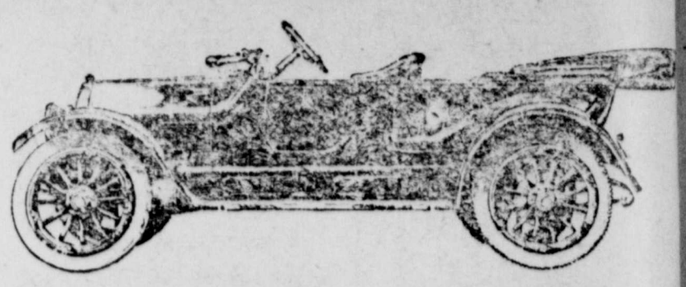
Farmers' Bulletin No. 570, published by the United States Department of Agriculture, in discussing this subject, said:

"The high price paid by consumers, ranging from 5 to 500 per cent, in some cases, more than the farmer receives, indicates that there is plenty of room for lowering the cost of farm products to consumers and at the same time largely increasing the cash income per farm, without increasing farm production. This condition is undoubtedly a marketing problem which will have to be solved by better organization of farmers and improved methods of marketing."

Large Shippers Influence Rates.

In railroad rates the inequalities are equally as glaring. Rate making in its primitive stages was largely influenced by demands and arguments of large shippers, but the farmers were unorganized and seldom appeared before rate-making bodies, and the burden of expense in transportation lies largely against the raw products of the farm.

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Aid of the Pres. Church Mrs. J. L. Seiber yester- ing. After business palat- shments of ice cream and served. Next meeting to church.

Husselby, wife and daugh- Isabel are in our city to will leave this evening for ls Fair. They contem- g gone about thirty days 'so visit in Washington n.

Murfee, Jr., Manager of ndle Lumber Company Chief sent to his father k.

Threshermen, Attention

We have a big supply of coal on hand. The very best coal at the lowest price. Figure with us.

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Womans Missionary Society met in regular session yesterday evening Next Wednesday will be Bible study and all members are urged to be present, and want who can to come and take part with us. We have decided to serve ice cream and cake the 17th of July and ask all to help us.

The Masonic lodge at this place held their instilation on Monday night and installed the following officers: F. H. Smyres, W.M., M.M Craig, S.W., John Short, J.W., H. T. Gill, Secty, and Thos. J. Bouey, Treas.

Will Goffnet made a trip to Memphis last week visiting relatives. His sisters, Misses Mary and Clara, returded with him to visit.

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R. E. Dougherty had us add his name to our mailing list this week We are to put you down Mr. Dougherty.

Samuel Edgeland N. F. Loet are among the many farmers who are building granaries and repairing to hold their wheat until the may get the top market

WELCOME NEWS FOR LOCAL PEOPLE

People in this town will be glad to hear the mixture of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-i-ka, can be obtained at our store. This simple remedy became famous by curing appendicitis and JUST ONE SPOONFUL relieves sour stomach, gas and constipation INSTANTLY because it drains off such a surprising amount of old foul matter from the body.

The celebration of the anniversary of the martyrdom of John Hu will be observed at the Methodis church at 11 o'clock. An appropr ate program will be rendered Sunday.

LodgeNo 805 A F & A M, meets night of First Friday of each month

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OUR PUBLIC FORUM

I---Introductory

Through the Press Service of Agriculture and Commerce, the master minds of this nation will be invited to the public forum and asked to deliver a message to civilization. Men who achieve seldom talk, and men who talk seldom achieve. There is no such thing as a noisy thinker, and brevity is always a close companion to truth.

It will be a great privilege to stand by the side of men who can roll in place the cornerstone of industry; to associate with men who can look at the world and see to the bottom of it; to commune with men who can hear the roar of civilization a few centuries away.

Too often we listen to the rabble element of our day that cries out against every man who achieves, "Crucify him." Mankind never has and probably never will produce a generation that appreciates the genius of its day. There never will be a crown without a cross, progress without sacrifice or an achievement without a challenge.

This is an age of service, and that man is greatest who serves the largest number. The present generation has done more to improve the condition of mankind than any civilization since human motives began their upward flight. The Greeks gave human life inspiration, but while her orators were speaking with the tongues of angels, her farmers were plowing with forked sticks; while her philosophers were emancipating human thought from bondage. her traffic moved on two-wheeled carts driven, and ofttimes drawn, by slaves; while her artists were painting divine dreams on canvas, the streets of proud Athens were lighted by fire brands dipped in tallow.

The genius of past ages sought to arouse the intellect and stir the soul but the master minds of today are seeking to serve. Civilization has assigned to America the greatest task of the greatest age, and the greatest men that ever trod the greatest planet are solving it. Their achievements have astounded the whole world and we challenge every age and nation to name men or products that can approach in creative genius or masterful skill in organization, the marvelous achievements of the tremendous men of the present day. Edison can press a button and turn a light on multiplied millions of homes; Vail can take down the receiver and talk with fifty millions of people; McCormick's reaper can harvest the world's crop, and Fulton's steam engine moves the commerce of land and sea.

The greatest thing a human being can do is to serve his fellow men: Christ did it; Kings decree it, and wise men teach it. It is the glory of this practical age that Edison could find no higher calling than to become the janitor to civilization; Vail the messenger to mankind; McCormick the hired hand to agriculture, and Fulton the teamster to industry, and blessed is the age that has such masters for its servants.

THE WONDERFUL AEROSCOPE, HIGHER THAN THE FERRIS WHEEL, GIVES VISITORS MARVELOUS VIEW OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST EXPOSITION



VISITORS ON THE AEROSCOPE 265 FEET ABOVE THE EARTH



THE GIANT FRAME OF THE AEROSCOPE AS IT APPEARED UNDER CONSTRUCTION

For the seeker of amusement there is opportunity a-plenty in the unique mechanical achievement, the Aeroscope, on "The Zone," at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. The Aeroscope resembles a giant crane of a novel and intricate design, its steel construction recalling that of the Bascule bridge. At the extremity of the long arm of the crane is a two-story car with a seating capacity for 100 persons and standing room for 20 more. At the short end of the crane is a giant mass of concrete, which serves as a counter-balance for the long arm of the crane. Beneath the car are two great water tanks, which take on water or discharge it as passengers enter or leave the car, thus always preserving the balance to a nicety. When, for example, a man weighing 160 pounds enters the car an amount of water of equal weight is released from the tank, and when the passenger departs 160 pounds of water are automatically discharged into the tank below the car. The car ascends without perceptible motion, and perfect safety and a jarless ride of ten minutes is assured to passengers while enjoying this trip of 265 feet into the clouds, or four feet higher than the Ferris wheel. Two motors control the ascent and descent in conjunction with the counter-balance of the huge car, and when it reaches its extreme height it begins to swing slowly around on the wheels at its base, giving a magnificent view of the exposition, of San Francisco bay and of the city of San Francisco.

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TEXAS NEWS CONDENSED

The Bell county fair association, at Midway, has been incorporated with $20,000 capital stock.

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An election for the purpose of voting $30,000 in bonds to build a court house in the town of Johnson City, Blanco county, was carried.

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The new city directory of Dallas estimates the population of that city as 130,516. The book contains 67,176 names.

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An election held in Rockwall for the issuance of $25,000 in bonds for the construction of good roads across East Fork, leading into Rockwall, carried by over four to one.

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The establishment of a drainage district and the issuance of bonds in the sum of $190,500 for its improvement carried in the election at Victoria by a vote of 175 to 84. The district to be drained comprises 73,500 acres of fine farming lands.

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Employes of the state department have presented former Secretary Bryan with an engraved gold watch. Everyone in the department contributed to the fund with which the gift was purchased and the presentation was made by Cone Johnson, solicitor of the department.

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In assuming the presidency of the American Academy of Medicine, which convened in San Francisco, Cal., for its fortieth session, Dr. Woods Hutchinson of New York told of medicine's conquest of the foes of civilization and the progress of some unfinished battles.

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Reported Italy Breaks With Turkey.

Paris.—Announcement was made at the French ministry of war that, according to the Italian press, Italy has broken diplomatic relations with Turkey. Italy, it is added, will send troops to the Dardanelles.

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Under orders from his physician to take a complete rest, President Wilson settled down at the "summer White House" at Cornish, N. H., last Friday for a brief vacation to prepare himself for the arduous work he is expecting within the next few months in connection with the European and Mexican situations.

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The Central Texas Gas company of Brownwood, with a capital of $150,000 has received its charter and has taken over the holdings of the Noedesha Oil and Gas company and the Bangs Fuel and Light company. The object is to complete development work in the Bangs field and supply that part of the state with oil and gas.

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Alleging a breach of contract, the Texas company has filed suit against the city of Fort Worth for $37,600. In its petition the plaintiff claims that it entered into a contract with the city in 1913 to furnish it not less than 32,000 barrels of oil and not more than 128,000 at 75 cents a barrel, to be delivered as needed, but the city ceased to buy as it had agreed and made its purchases from another company.

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Testimony offered at the inquiry into the cheating scandal at the United States naval academy, at Annapolis, Md., developed that hazing, supposing to have been stamped out ten years ago as the result of a congressional investigation, has revived and it was announced by counsel for the defense that an effort would be made to show that upper classmen had forced lower classmen to break into classrooms to obtain marks and other information through hazing or threats of hazing.

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Three hundred thousand pounds of meat were shipped from Chicago to the war sufferers in Poland by the Polish central relief committee. To date $109,055 has been collected by the committee to carry on the work.

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The Farmers' Gin company is being organized at Stamford with the object of building a gin to be in operation by the time cotton begins to move. The present plans are for a five-stand outfit with a plant costing about $.0,000.

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The Snyder Ice and Electrical company has completed installing its new improved engines and dynamos and has turned on the lights. The town has been without lights for a month.

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Eighteen cars of toys, manufactured in Germany, Austria and Holland, have reached Dallas. United States customs inspectors are busy checking up the cargo of 809 cases to be distributed among the local stores. There are toys and trinkets of all description in the shipment.

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An election held in Roby to determine whether the local tax for school purposes should be increased 5c on the $100 valuation, making the tax 50c, resulted in 38 for the increase and seven against.

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The Mineral Wells city commission has ordered an election for bonds for waterworks not to exceed $74,000, and on the same date, but on a separate ticket, a vote will be had on whether or not the city shall buy Lake Pinto, the present source of water supply.

COZY BUNGALOW WITH HIP ROOF

Gives Impression of Real, Genuine Hospitality to All Who Approach It.

PORCH VERANDA A FEATURE

Housewife's Delightful Task to Transform It Into Most Homelike Summer Parlor—Some Advice About Paint—Advantage in the Roof Described.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.

Mr. William A. Radford will answe questions and give advice FREE O COST on all subjects pertaining to th subject of building, for the readers of thi paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose two-cent stamp for reply.

First impressions go a long way toward shaping one's liking for a house. When approaching a bungalow like this, the visitor's first impression takes the form of a thorough appreciation of its clean, bright appearance. In addition it possesses an atmosphere of hospitality, as though real human beings live there and that they entertain their friends in a friendly, homey manner. Real, genuine hospitality lurks about such a home and radiates in every direction.

In summer time there is a warm weather invitation to enjoy the lounging furniture on the front porch, that seems to be offered almost as soon as you step from the street to the private cement walk that leads to the front door.

This front porch veranda is 17 by 8 feet in size, planned so that the main front entrance door comes almost opposite the front steps, thereby leaving the wing of the porch free for the outdoor sitting room furniture.

A woman likes to transform such a veranda wing into a cozy summer parlor, furnished with wicker-work chairs, and probably a small reading or sewing table, made of the same material, in such a way as to make a very comfortable outdoor reception room. She selects a rug for the floor that is in keeping with the other furnishings, and there are numerous pillows in suitable colors to carry out the general decorative scheme.

White used to be the universal paint for wooden houses in the country and the smaller houses in the towns or villages, and it still retains its popularity.

Burning coal in cities, and in some of the larger towns, smutted up white paint to such an extent that pigments were mixed with the white lead to add some color. Colors and shades of gray offer a sort of protection against black smudges from nearby chimneys, but discoloration really is more often due to poor paint and to defective workmanship rather than to outside influences.

Pure paints and oils are just as lasting as ever when the mixing and applying is properly done. White is a very substantial paint. It is more lasting than colored paints when the same grade of materials are used, for the reason that white lead and zinc are metallic substances that resist sun and weather better than pigments made from lighter materials.

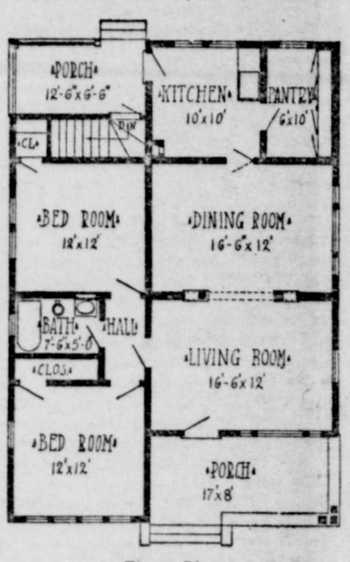
Quality of materials and workmanship are two important ingredients that are absolutely necessary to do a satisfactory job of house painting.

Hip roofs or cottage roofs, as they are commonly called in many sections of the country, look better when the pitch is low. Old houses built in this way are still attractive when they stand plumb and are well painted. Hip roofs are cheaper to build than any other form of roof when the saving in gables is figured in. It is all plain straight work except framing the rafters, and that job is no great puzzle. The roof may be made of light material, because it is easily braced and supported from the house partitions. Sometimes the studding are extended to meet the rafters. When this is done a very solid house frame is the result.

There is a big cellar under this little cottage that may be made useful for storage by running partitions across to separate the heating plant from the other rooms. The laundry in the basement of a cottage house or bungalow should amount to more than the laundry in a two-story house, because the extra space should be made to count for as much as possible.

The laundry under this house should be fitted with the usual stationary tubs, but it also needs a laundry stove and a large work table, a mangle and good ironing boards. There should be a good thick rug on the concrete floor to stand on while doing the ironing.

Such a laundry room needs good deep windows that may be easily opened for ventilation when necessary. It then makes a shop where tools and labor-saving conveniences may be permanently installed for use week after week the year round.



Floor Plan.

The floor plan of this cottage house is laid out for comfort. The two bedrooms and bathroom occupy one side of the house, preferably the side to the north or east. The bedrooms are used less than the living rooms and it is not necessary to have much heat in a bedroom.

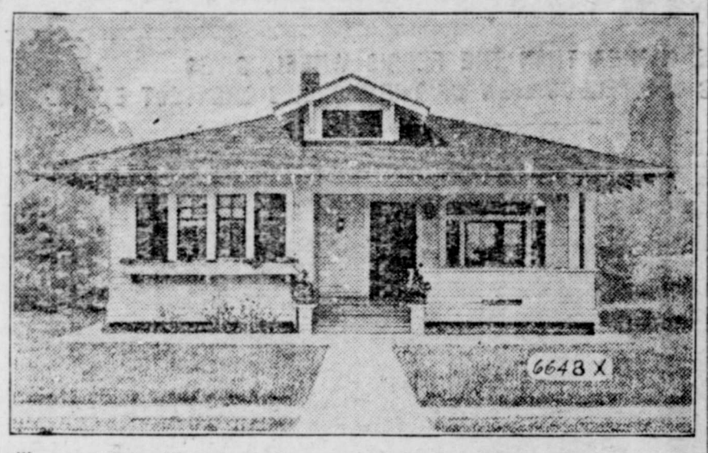
The living room and dining room could be easily made into one large living room with a fireplace in the far end. The only change necessary would be to connect the dining room and pantry with a doorway, which would be an improvement over the plan of placing the doorway between the dining room and kitchen. The chimney would be larger and placed in the center of the dining room wall. This one big chimney would answer for the furnace in the basement, the kitchen range and the large fireplace in the living room without adding very much to the expense of the house.

A fireplace at the end of this long sitting room-parlor with a built-in bookcase and buffet to match makes a very pleasant finish and helps to furnish the room. Fireplaces when well built add a great deal of comfort to the home. When artistically arranged, they add greatly to the interior finish.

It is fashionable to leave the chimney brickwork exposed. Very often rough, dark-colored brick are used with colored mortar to match. The chimneys are large and the mantels are heavy, with woodwork extending to the floor on both sides of the chimney.

The woodwork in all parts of the room is made to correspond. The old-fashioned, deep, twisty mouldings and corners are no longer wanted. The fashion has swung to smooth finish, plain but heavy, and there are no creases to hold dust, and no deep indentations to require frequent cleaning.

House interiors are made as light as possible. Large windows and plenty of them, light-colored walls and white ceilings, are almost universal in the newer houses. There is a great deal of white enamel finish, which is very hard, smooth, and glossy, so that it is easily kept clean. It is the most sanitary finish ever adopted for the interior of dwellings.



Care of House Plants.

Ferns will do better if left in the sun to have part sun. Mine are between a south and west window in a corner where they have a great deal of sun. When you use ammonia, use household ammonia, as the other is too strong

Wash Silk Rompers.

For the very small child an admirable every-day costume is a pair of rompers. And now for the mother who does not wish to put her baby into ordinary gingham rompers, there comes an edition de luxe of this most practical garment in the form of wash silk rompers. They are made of thin white wash silk, with scalloped collar and cuff, cut and made quite on the model of their plebeian counterparts.

Growth of Industry.

In ten years the fountain, stylographic and gold pen industry of the United States has almost trebled, while that of the steel pen has doubled.

HAPPINESS HAS BEEN FOUND

Thrift, According to Banker, Guarantees the Unattainable for Ages, But Does It?

"Thrift," runs a bank's advertisement in a car window, where many a weary eye must see it night and morning, "is the guarantee of happiness."

Men have hunted for happiness for many a century, hunted for it in wealth, in power, in knowledge, in friendship, in accomplishment, in religion, in gratified vanity, in change, in freedom, in crowds and in solitudes. No one has been able to fill a lifetime with happiness. It may not have been intended that anyone should. In all lives there are oases—garden spots in the desert, with springs of clear water, where one may lie in the shade of the trees. But at the end of the road the pain at least matches the comfort, unhappiness balances the happiness. Sometimes old men say that life is worth the trouble it takes to live it, and sometimes they deny it.

"But," says the advertisement in the car, which people stare at when they are tired of looking out of the window or at each other, "thrift is the guarantee of happiness."

Some are thrifty because they cannot possibly procure more than the necessities of life. Others are thrifty from choice. They worry about their money. They wake up in the middle of the night with cold sweat on their brows, having dreamt that the bank has failed. They deny themselves pleasures which might have allowed their lives to blossom out and expand. For the sake of a problematical future they build high walls around the present. They envy those who have more than they, and sometimes they despise those who have less.

With a few, thrift becomes the noblest of virtues. It is so when it is practiced for the sake of others. But it does not guarantee happiness. We must go a little further to find the panacea which shall cure humanity of ills and relieve it of its sorrows. If we could find out the secret we should put the seal on the philosophy of all the ages. For philosophy is a seeking after the solution proclaimed so glibly in the car placard. Philosophy's first question is, whether life is worth living, and its second question is, how it may be made most worth living; that is, happiest.

There is happiness in being without envy, in being without hatred, in being without fear. There is happiness in helping others. There is happiness in finding what one can do best, and doing it with all one's might. There is happiness in the emotion of brotherhood, in feeling in one's own body the flow of great forces which sway mankind from generation to generation.

But if we try to define happiness, or to point the way to it, we are as futile as the placard on the car. If there is a road to happiness, every man must find it for himself, and perhaps the first step will be renunciation and humility.

Nearly Lost.

She—If you could have only one wish, what would it be?

He—It would be that—that—— Oh, if I only dared to tell you what it would be!

She—Well, go on! Why do you suppose I brought up the wishing subject?

Canadian Wheat to Feed the World

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

The war's fearful devastation of European crops has caused an unusual demand for grain from the American Continent. The people of the world must be fed and there is an unusual demand for Canadian wheat. Canada's invitation to every industrious American is therefore especially attractive. She wants farmers to make money and happy, prosperous homes for themselves while helping her to raise immense wheat crops.

You can get a Homestead of 160 acres FREE and other lands can be bought at remarkably low prices. Think of the money you can make with wheat at its present high prices, where for some time it is liable to continue. During many years Canadian wheat fields have averaged 20 bushels to the acre—many yields as high as 45 bushels to the acre. Wonderful crops also of **Oats, Barley and Flax.**

Mixed farming is fully as profitable an industry as grain raising. The excellent grasses, full of nutrition, are the only food required either for beef or dairy purposes. Good schools, markets convenient, climate excellent.

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Write for literature and particulars as to reduced railway rates to Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

C. A. COOK,
125 W. 9th STREET, KANSAS CITY, MO.
Canadian Government Agents

HUBBY HAD NOT FORGOTTEN

Was Right There With Wedding Anniversary Present, and Yet Wifie Was Not Pleased.

It was late afternoon and time to get her husband's supper, but the woman sitting moodily by the fire never moved.

Her heart was breaking.

It was her birthday. She had been married only four years, but he—her husband—had forgotten her birthday already. That morning he had given her no present; not even an extra kiss before rushing off to town.

Presently there was the sound of a key turning in the lock. Into the room came her husband. Still she never moved.

He bent over her and whispered as he dropped a tiny parcel into her lap: "Many happy returns, darling!"

Her heart was mended. She sprang to her feet and seized him in a frantic grasp as she realized that, after all, he still loved her. Then she opened the parcel.

"Pipe cleaners!" she gasped, as she displayed a little bundle of feathers.

"Yes, sweetheart," said the man. "I knew that they'd please you, as you object to my using your hairpins!"

Woke Him Up.

The young man was rather slow. So the girl thought it time to give him a hint.

"Gracious," she exclaimed suddenly, "I've bruised my lip! Do you know, Mr. Jenkins, my mother always used to kiss a hurt place to make it well."

"And did it do any good?" asked the young man, failing to see the point.

"I don't remember," replied the girl, getting desperate; "but those old-fashioned remedies are sometimes very good."

Then he got busy.

When an old man falls in love he is entitled to a lot more sympathy than he gets.

A thornless rose would not impress one very deeply.

Such a Long Time Ago.

He had just reached the philosophical stage when he slipped into a restaurant between bars for a bit to eat. He ordered. Then he sat staring ahead, quietly thoughtful in expression, and waited.

It is admitted he did some waiting too. What happened to his order couldn't be understood outside the peculiar convolutions of a restaurant kitchen, but he spent half an hour sitting there staring ahead of him.

At last it came. As the waitress put the order before him he started from his deep study, as if he had forgotten he had an order coming. Then looking up at the fair transporter of edibles, he said:

"You don't look a day older!"—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

Ready to Risk It.

"Mr. Jones wants a windy-pane twelve inches be fourteen," remarked young Patrick Mulrooney, entering the glazier's shop.

In the shop was a smart young assistant who wanted to have a joke with Pat.

"Haven't any that size?" he replied gravely. "Will one fourteen inches by twelve do?"

Pat looked thoughtful for a minute. Then he replied:

"He's wantin' it at once, and this is the only shop in town. Give him wan o' thim. P'r'haps if we put it sideways no one will notice."

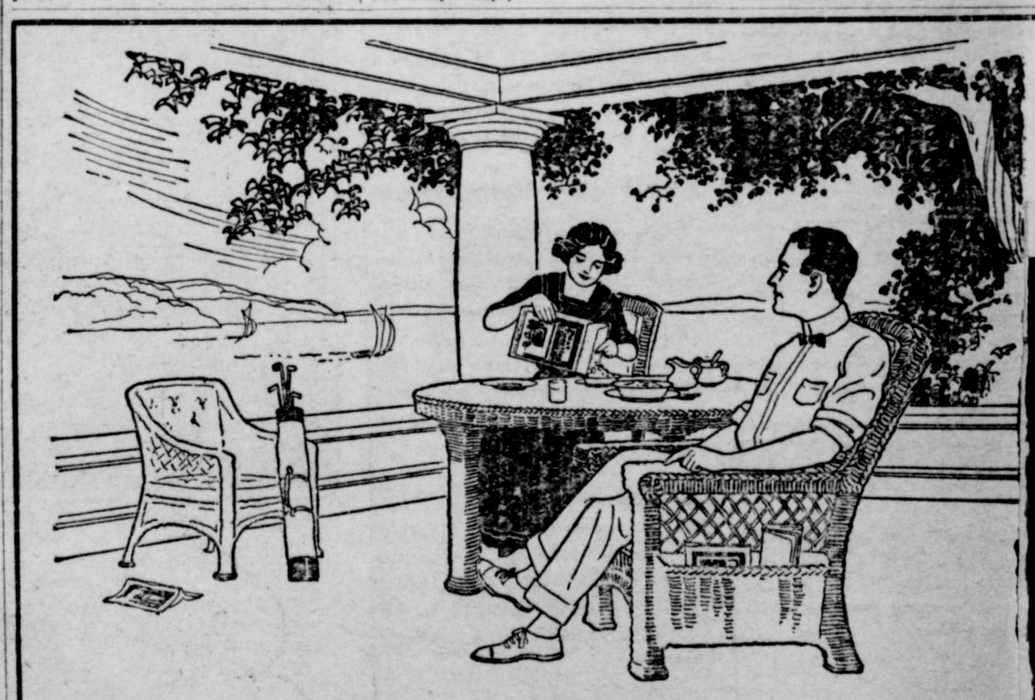
His Complaint.

"You say in your paper," said the man who had asked to see the editor, "that Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peck are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Peck's mother."

"Isn't that statement correct?" asked the editor.

"Oh, she's visiting us all right enough," admitted Mr. Peck, "a daresay my wife is enjoying it, but you can leave me out of it. If you put any more sarcastic remarks about that in your paper, I'll stop my subscription."

A woman would rather be insistent than otherwise.



Summer Comfort

is wonderfully enhanced when rest and lunch hour unite in a dish

Post Toasties

There's a mighty satisfying flavour about these thin wafery bits toasted corn.

So easy to serve, too, on a hot day, for they're ready to eat right from the package—fresh, crisp, clean. Not a hand touches Post Toasties the making or packing.

Served with cream and sugar, or crushed fruit, they are delicious.

HUERTA AND OROZCO ARRESTED BY U. S.

CONSPIRACY TO INCITE REVOLUTION CHARGED AGAINST FORMER MEXICAN LEADERS.

BOTH RELEASED ON BOND

Spent Nearly All of Day Sunday Under Military Guard at Fort Bliss, Near El Paso.

El Paso, Texas.—Gen. Victoriano Huerta, who arrived here Sunday morning from Chicago, was virtually a prisoner all day at Fort Bliss, together with Pascual Orozco, who met him at Newman, N. M., 20 miles from here. That night both were released on bond, Huerta giving security for $15,000 and Orozco for $7,500. The charge in each case was conspiracy to incite a revolution against a friendly country.

When Huerta reached Newman at 8:40 a. m. he was met by Pascual Orozco and Major Luis Fuentes, Huerta's son-in-law. Present also were 25 United States cavalrymen, commanded by Col George Morgan, accompanied by a number of federal border officials. Huerta was told that he was under arrest, but that he would be treated with every courtesy. He readily agreed to a request that he and Orozco accompany the federal officials to El Paso for a conference. After the conference he and Orozco were taken to Fort Bliss and held there until released on bond. After his release Huerta went to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Fuentes.

While they were held at the post, Gen. Jose Ynez Salazar, another Huerta leader, was reported within 40 miles of Jaurez with 2,000 men and to be awaiting only the orders from his superior, Gen. Huerta, to begin an attack on the border town where Huerta expected to establish his capital and start his revolution to sweep all Mexico. The Juarez garrison was expected to mutiny and a majority go over to the Huerta movement as dissatisfaction had been fomented by spies. In a warehouse on the south side of El Paso millions of rounds of ammunition were discovered and is now being guarded to prevent it from being taken across the border. Approximately 5,000 former federals and mercenaries were expected to join the movement here and along the border to Ojinaga.

Huerta appeared jovial. He joked with the guards, prattled of American women and their beauty and seemed to enjoy his newest experience immensely. When the troops galloped beside him going from the federal building to the fort, he said:

"This makes me feel as if I was a provisional president once more."

From the auto in which Chief of Police Dan Johnson, Captain W. D. Greet and Deputy Marshals Jere Dubose and Leonard Bryant rode with the two prisoners caught fire, General Huerta leaped and said: "Under fire again and on American soil at that."

He refused to make a statement regarding the purpose of his visit to El Paso or on the Mexican situation. He said he hoped Villa and Carranza would scratch out each other's eyes and end the revolution which he could not end. It was learned that his railroad tickets did not read any further than El Paso, although he declared before leaving Chicago that he was going to California to see the exposition.

Mrs. Jess Willard Dying.

Buffalo, N. Y.—Mrs. Jess Willard is dying of quick consumption, say Buffalo physicians who examined her. They declare she can not live more than a month. She will go to the Willard home at Emmett, Kan. Her husband had a contract with a wild west show playing here and asked for his wife.

...RE STORM IN OKLAHOMA.

...Houses Wrecked and Shade ...s Uprooted by Wind ... Tulsa.

...a, Ok.—It was impossible from ... reports to estimate the scope ...age wrought by a terrific storm ...swept over this locality Sunday ...g. The storm was accompanied ...high wind which in places as... the proportions of a tornado. ... wheat in places is ruined and ...re down, although farmers are ...d to believe much of the latter ... be saved.

...storm came from the northeast ...t a trail of uprooted and splin... trees and wrecked buildings in ...e. In Tulsa large shade trees ...ted out by the roots..

...ain was the hardest in years. ...tank at the Texas company's ... in West Tulsa was struck by ..., but the blaze was extin... but not before the entire ...s threatened with destruction.

...a Young Woman Near Tahoka

...a, Texas.—One of the most se... and windstorms ever record... history of the county visited ...on Monday night. Miss Ruby ...he 16-year-old daughter of a ...who lives northwest of this ...s killed and four other mem... family were injured, one, it ...ed, fatally. A terrific gale ...e Mears home, blowing the ...r. In a dash for refuge, Miss ...s knocked down and beaten ...by hail stones.

TO DISREGARD POOL HALL ACT

Attorney General Advises Prosecution of Halls in Forbidden Districts.

Waxahachie, Texas.—That the attorney general's department will disregard the recent ruling of the state supreme court in holding the pool hall local option law to be unconstitutional is indicated in a letter received by County Attorney Whipple from Attorney General Looney.

According to this letter, pool halls opening under the supreme court ruling in counties where they have been voted out will face rigid prosecution. The county attorney is advised to follow the decision of the court of criminal appeals and prosecute all persons who attempt to open and run pool halls in Ellis county.

County Attorney Whipple announces that he will follow the instructions of the attorney general and prosecute any violation of this law, regardless of the supreme court's adverse ruling.

It is known that arrangements were being made to reopen pool halls in Ellis county. Plans for opening one in Waxahachie had been completed and it was to have been in operation this week. A room had been leased and equipped with pool and billiard tables.

SHREVEPORT DRY, SAYS COURT.

Prohibition Forces Win Case Appealed From Parish Police Court.

Shreveport, La.—The Louisiana supreme court at New Orleans has reversed the decision of District Judge R. D. Webb of this parish in the Shreveport saloon license case and decided the case in favor of the prohibition forces. The high court's ruling was on an appeal by the prohibitionists against the lower court's judgment upholding a municipal referendum election held March 4, last, at which the council was authorized to issue saloon licenses in the city, irrespective of the parish, which for several years has been dry. Judge Webb decided that the prohibition law, under which the prohibitionists acted in refraining from participating in the referendum election, was defective, and that a previous law prevailed whereby a municipality in a dry parish after a certain period of prohibition could legally issue liquor licenses if the majority of the voters desired saloons.

The supreme court's ruling enjoins the mayor and city council from issuing licenses.

AMERICANS TO BE WITH HUERTA

Citizens of New York and El Paso Likely to be Involved.

Washington—The government's drag net resulting in the arrest of Gen. Huerta and Gen. Orozco, and thrwarting what is believed to have been a well organized movement to install a new revolution in Mexico, is likely to involve American citizens in El Paso and New York, according to information gathered in Washington. The hope of the Huerta followers, representing the Cientifico element, for an opportunity to reassert their control in Mexico, has been known to officials of the United States for more than two months.

Since the first news of the movement, it is understood, the government has been gathering evidence which made the case complete. How strong the case is against the detained persons, neither the department of state nor the department of justice would indicate.

The United States government has determined that so far as it can prevent there shall be no further revolutionary movements in Mexico and that American territory at any rate shall not be used as a base for such expeditions.

FRENCH GIVE MILLIONS FOR WAR

$1,120,000,000 Voted to Carry on Struggle for Three Months Longer.

Paris.—The bill appropriating 5,600,000,000 francs ($1,120,000,000) to cover government expenses for the three months beginning July 1, was passed almost unanimously in the chamber of deputies Friday. The vote was 492 to 1.

Alexandre Ribot, French minister of finance, said he recognized the necessity of France buying as little abroad for the requirements of war as possible. To do so, he asserted, would be one of the most important economies for the country. This would tend also to facilitate exchange, although up to the present there had not been the least monetary depreciation. French credit was intact and France felt no embarrassment, notwithstanding all her requirements. M. Ribot said April public subscriptions amounted to $199,000,000 and that in May the public took $204,400,000 in national defense bonds.

Villa's Right-Hand Man Leaves Mexico

Washington.—Gen. Felipe Angeles, artillery expert and right-hand man of Gen. Francisco Villa, has left his chief and is now in the United States en route to Boston, Mass., to visit his family. Definite word to this effect has reached the United States government from its border agents, who reported that Angeles had crossed into American territory secretly. Officials here were unable to throw much light on the reasons for the departure of Angeles

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"How about this little one?" asked the baggage master, resting his heel on its top.

"Oh, that!" replied the lady contemptuously. "Ten or twelve dollars will cover that one."

"I see," returned the official. "Father's going along too."

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The Commuters.

The Wife—I am beginning to suspect that the cook we got from Philadelphia has a terrible past.

The Mere Man—What makes you think that?

The Wife—She's been with us six months and hasn't even hinted at wanting to leave us for the city.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Grand Prize at Panama-Pacific Exposition Awarded to Walter Baker & Co. Ltd.

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VICTIM OF CRUEL DECEPTION

Fair Seaside Visitor Satisfied She Had Seen Remarkable "Government Salting Apparatus."

They were passing the holiday at Onset and during the course of the sunny afternoon took a stroll on the beach. At one point they came upon an improved breakwater, where some resident had filled bags with sand and piled them in breastworks fashion to prevent the sea from encroaching upon his land during the stormy season.

One of the young ladies was curious immediately. She would know what the bags were for.

"Why, it's very simple," explained her companion with due gravity. "The water in Onset bay originally was fresh, a peculiarity of nature which has puzzled scientists. It seemed too bad to deprive the place of seashore advantages, so the government took the matter in hand, filled the bags with salt and thereby has imparted the proper flavor to Onset water."

Far from rebuking him for being "fresh," she is now telling her friends of having seen the "government salting apparatus" down there.

Revenge!

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The story is told of a young mother who, after her first baby had been born, hurried to a hardware store to purchase a pair of scales, that she might be able to keep tab on the remarkable growth of her first born.

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"I think the scales are not right. My baby did not weigh as much as I think she ought to."

"Did it ever occur to you," asked the hard-hearted seller of hardware, "that the fault might be with the baby and not the scales?"

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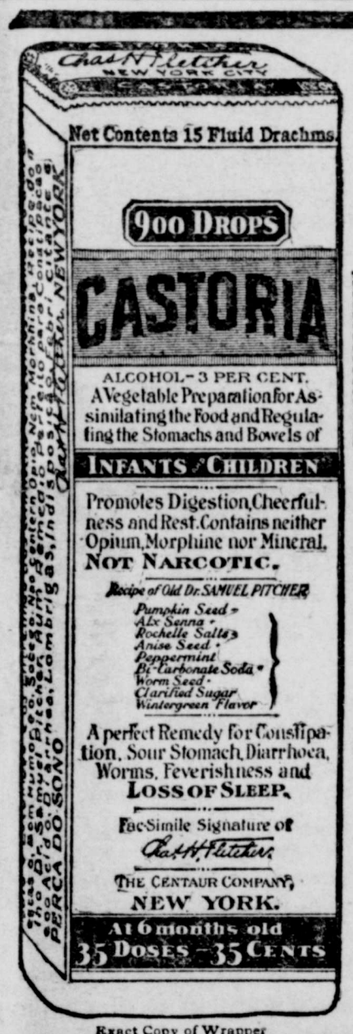
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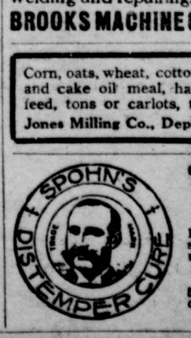


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A clear conscience is a good thing to carry through life with you. Is you havent such a thing, better get busy and get it.

A Poverty Party was had at Claude last week. This is a new one on us. How could Panhandle people have such a party?

Electing a millionaire to office is just like placing a bulldog at the market place where your children have to go to buy bread.

The high cost of money is evidenly keeping pace with the high cost of food stuffs judging by the interest some people pay.

$13 a month, board and clothing is not enough to induce many people to enlist and furnish their bodies as bullet stoppers eh?

Life is just what we make it There is so much genuine happiness in making other people happy we should never like for anything to do.

The strongest and happiest nation in this world is the one which gives its poor people the freedom and protection from greed and graft, which they so much deserve.

If that good old farmer, who toils early and late, year in and year out is not entitled to the best to eat, best to wear and a car to ride in, then please tell us who is

The American people, by majority vote, have a perfect right to change any part of all of our national constitution if they so desire. Don't forget that the Creator is greater than the creature.

"One man gets without the making what another makes without getting", said Senator Gore, in the senate. This is so true we will have more along this line at a later date.

Your assistance is certainly solicited in helping to get out the big harvester edition of the Chief. It is going to be a hummer. We will show you many good things in Roberts county that you did not know even if you have lived here a long time. We want to give this county the biggest advertisement it has ever had.

County Court was in session this week, but on account o the farmers and business men being so busy, everything was rushed through that could possibly be rushed.

More rain has fallen in Oklahoma in the past six months than had for two years. Great damag has been done to bottom land crops many bridges swept out and railroad service hindered.

A cranky and mean despicable disposition in any one will contaminate or ruin the sweetest child in the world. Don't let your children associate with such persons if you do not want them to be likewise.

The great loss between production and consumption of an average farmer means about four-fifths. In other words he produces five dollars and gives four for the privilage of enjoying one dollar. The four dollars lost is the 'go between'. Catch it.

We never saw as many busy people in our lives as there now in Roberts county. Every person you see is really too busy to stop to breathe long at a time. Every one seems to have more work than they can do in two months and have only two weeks to do it in

Few successes worth while have been won through half-hearted effort. The man sure of his ground, goes after it with might and main, advertising his wares each week and without a let-up, is the fellow who means business and gets the business too.

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We are very thankful to Frank Jamison of the Canadian Record for his hospitality last week when we visited him with our tale of woe. He met us at the train in a Ford and brought a big husky printer along to lift the forms and in less than an hour after we arrived in Canadian, the Chief was out, Mr. Jamison when you need us, say so.

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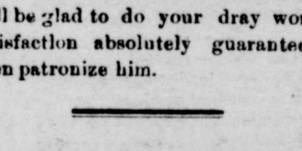
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