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FATS vs. LEANS FUN GALORE

Next Monday Afternoon the Battle Royal is to Take Place Here

Doubtless the most novel ball game of the season, the one held with the most laughable and comical incidents, will be that to be played at four o'clock next Monday afternoon when the "Fats" will oppose the "Leans" on the local diamond. It will be a show alright and you will miss it if you miss it.

The ground rules for the occasion stipulates that each member of the club must don a uniform of some description. The grand stand will be divided for the fans to root for their respective teams.

Admission: Gents, 25 cents; ladies, 10 cents. Proceeds to go defray expenses of Wellington's first team.

Manager for fats, Frank Swafford; Assistant, C. B. Boverie.

Manager for Leans, T. L. Sullivan; Assistant, Lee O'Neil. Umpires: C. M. Strong and W. P. Moore.

Score Keepers: M. W. Watkins and Jno. Buster.

Game called at 4 o'clock. Seven innings. The Line Up.

—FATS—		—LEANS—	
R. H. Coker	2nd	W. H. Goforth	
J. L. Brooks	1st	Gus Adams	
J. C. Woody	p.	Herbert Dysart	
J. W. Payne	3rd	Jim Moore	
Fred Burger	1 f	J. P. Pritchard	
Rev. Bowman	c.	C. C. Small	
O. L. Couch	s	Jeff Bevers	
J. L. Brown	c f	W. G. Hite	
W. H. Mims	r f	J. M. McDaniels	

Subs and Pinch Hitters as follows:
 J. T. Muse.....Joe Hardy
 J. T. Howell.....L. L. Ladd
 Geo. Lee.....Thos. Durham
 Chas. Fuson.....Kim Joyner
 J. O. Woods.....Claude McDaniel

He Moved Some.

Mrs. Ferry, living just outside the town of Floyd, shot at Harry Snodgrass with a pistol one day last week, the trouble arising over some hogs belonging to Snodgrass which had trespassed on the Ferry property. The shot took effect in the horn of his saddle, and he discretely took himself out of the range of a second shot.—Clarendon News.

Sixty Head of Horses.

Dont forget the first Monday trades day. 60 head of horses already here, for sale or trade. Come and bring your stock. Headquarters at the Farmers' Wagon Yard.

SOLONS BUSY AT AUSTIN

Hon. Lee Templeton Introduces Bill for Election of U. S. Senators

The Legislature convened on the 21st day of July in special session, and immediately Governor Colquitt sent a message asking the law makers to consider the appropriation bill, taking care of the expenses of the state government and the public institutions, together with a bill to put in force in Texas the popular election of United States Senators, and a law putting in force a new system for our penitentiaries. Little has been done, owing to the extreme hot weather and to the difficulty that many members are finding in getting information that will enable them to intelligently enact laws along these lines. The Legislature has found the penitentiary system at present, with its great amount of debts, the biggest thing before them. They are making good progress in appropriation bill and are cutting each item in order to save the State government any extraordinary expense.

Mr. Templeton has introduced a bill for the election of the United States Senators by popular vote, and has other measures ready to introduce when the Governor submits them.

It is a pity that at this time there is so much politics in the Legislature. Some of the political enemies of Governor Colquitt are trying to make his way as hard as possible when they should get down to business and enact laws free from petty politics.

The second week of the Legislature has begun and excellent progress is being made. The first thing to be considered this week was the disposition of the \$500,000 fine collected from the Standard Oil Company. It will be given to taking up the bonds of the A. & M. College and taking care of the warrants of the Confederate soldiers and their widows.

Milo Brown Improving.

Milo Brown is busy this week enlarging his black smith and machine shop building, which when completed will be one of the largest and best equipped shops of its kind in this section of the country.

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PRESBYTERIAN MEETING HERE

Rev. Nunn Strong Preacher and Much Interest is Manifested

Rev. Nunn of Cooper, Texas, a brother of our townsman, R. T. Nunn, began a meeting at the Presbyterian church in Wellington last Sunday. Rev. Nunn is a strong preacher and much interest is being manifested and we hear the meeting will continue over Sunday anyhow. The meeting began in the Presbyterian tabernacle but there they did not have adequate room so since Monday the services have been held at the Methodist tabernacle.

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Revival Notice.

The joint revival services of the Fresno and Loco Methodist churches will comence Sunday, August 10, in a tent just North of Pleasant Point school house, on the Mahan farm. Rev. J. W. Story Presiding Elder of this district, will assist in the meeting. We cordially invite all to come and work with us.

John Eldridge, Preacher in Charge.

Without the assistance of the press the work of development is severely handicapped.



Rev. W. B. Higgins

Rev. W. B. Higgins, the popular pastor of the Christian Church in Wellington the past year and who resigned to take up work in the Christian University at Fort Worth, left with his estimable family this week for their new home. Rev. Higgins in his pastorate here gave a service entirely satisfactory to the church and we hear the church was unanimous in calling him for another year if he felt like he could stay. He was not only popular with his own church but with the entire citizenship of the town who regret to lose him and his splendid family. Before going to Fort Worth he will hold a meeting at Red Oak, near Denton, Texas, which is scheduled to begin the Second Sunday in August.

Buys Bunch of Steers.

Mr. Al Popham of Amarillo, purchased recently from Mr. R. D. Benson of Fort Worth, Texas, 1238 3 and 4-year-old steers, at \$45.00 per head, f. o. b. Lubbock, and these steers are now passing through the Amarillo stock yards to White Deer, Texas, from which point they will move out on the Popham ranch. These are selected steers from the Benson ranches, situated in the Lubbock county, and constitute one of the large recent trades in this line. Mr. Popham is one of the pioneer cattlemen of the Panhandle, and is always active in the handling and dealing in cattle, and at present there are indications that we are on the eve of quite a revival in cattle trading generally.—Amarillo News.

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AGREEABLE TO A COMPROMISE

Senator Johnson Wants to Have Wellington Road Included

Austin, Texas, July 23.—Attorney General Looney, who returned from Greenville this morning, confirmed the report that a proposition looking to a compromise and settlement of the state's suit for injunction and \$15,000,000 penalties against the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad has been up for discussion in his department.

"The subject has only been discussed," said the Attorney General, but, while not caring to tell just how far the negotiations will go, he gave the impression that if the Katy agrees to eliminate the State's objections, the suit will be dismissed.

Attorney General Looney said it was the policy of his department to compromise any suit, if it was found to be to the interest of the people. An amicable settlement of a case out of court, he says, is a great deal better than to fight the case.

Since it became known that a compromise was in sight and that part of the exactions would be new mileage, as described in last night's dispatch, the Attorney General has received numerous telegrams asking that one requirement compel the Katy to build from McKinney to Denton. Senator Johnson wants a Katy Branch to build from Wellington to Memphis, Hall county, and Senator Townsend would welcome the Waco-Trinity link, as it would mean 100 miles of new railroad in his Senatorial district.—Dallas News.

Goes to Shamrock

Frank Wofford of Stigler, Okla., has leased one the G. R. Moore and Sons building on South Main Street, where the E. H. Small building formerly stood, and he will be here next month with a new and up to date stock of dry goods. It is his intention to be ready for business by the tenth.

Mr. Wofford is well and favorably known to the people of both Wheeler and Collingsworth counties, having been in business here and at Wellington.

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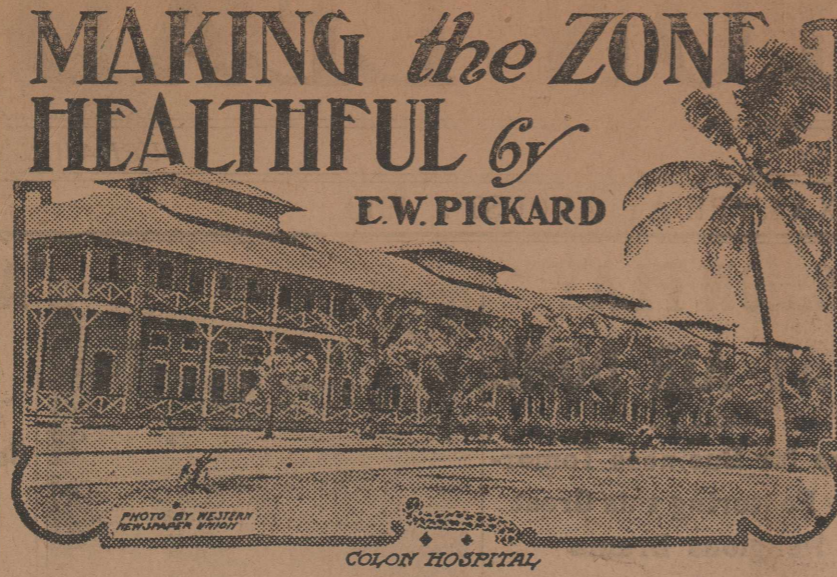


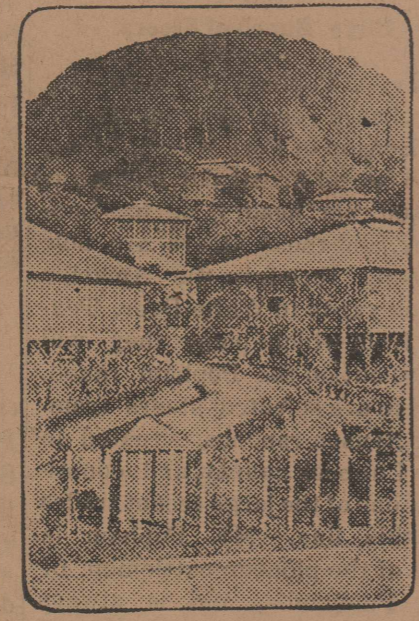
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MAKING the ZONE HEALTHFUL
By E.W. PICKARD

Ancon, C. Z.—All the world gives to Col. W. C. Gorgas, chief sanitary officer, and his assistants full credit for the wonderful work they have accomplished in making the Panama canal zone healthful and keeping it so. All the world that knows gives equal greater credit to those American, Italian and English doctors and soldiers who sacrificed their health and in some cases their lives to prove that yellow fever and malaria, the two terrors of tropic America, are transmitted by the bite of mosquitoes. It is not my intention to tell over again the latter story. The devotion of those brave men actually made possible the building of the Panama canal, for their work has been taken full advantage of by Colonel Gorgas and his forces, and the zone is now one of the most healthful places in the world.

Before the coming of the Americans the isthmus was a veritable pest hole. The French canal builders and their workmen and the laborers on the Panama railway died like flies, usually of malaria or yellow fever. Today a fatal case of malaria is a rarity, the more malignant form being almost unknown, and not a single case of yellow fever has originated in the zone in several years.

The Stegomyia mosquito, the yellow fever bearer, has not been exceedingly hard to exterminate because it breeds and lives only near human habitations. When the Americans had substituted a regular water system and underground sewers for the rain water barrels and the open ditches in Colon, Panama and the other towns, and had fumigated all the dwellings, Stegomyia was practically extinct. That job of fumigat-



Ancon Hill.

ing, by the way, raised a great row among the ignorant inhabitants of Panama. They could not understand why they should be all moved out into the street and their houses filled with evil-smelling fumes, and they were inclined to offer forcible resistance until the zone police took the matter in hand.

Much more difficult has been the task of eradicating malaria, for the Anopheline mosquito, which makes a specialty of carrying this disease, is widespread and of several varieties. It is the female only that bites, and she needs blood—preferably red blood—for the development of her eggs. The eggs are deposited in a slow moving or stationary water and hatch out into little larvae or "wigglers." At least once in two minutes the larva must come to the surface to breathe, and that is where the sanitary department gets it, usually.

As one wanders about the zone he sees at the headwaters of every stream, ditch or other water course, at frequent intervals along its banks, and at the edge of every pool, a big tin can or a keg. From this receptacle there is a constant drip, drip, drip of larvacide, a black, oily-looking compound of crude carbolic acid, caustic soda and resin. This spreads out over the water, an iridescent film, and when little Anopheline larva comes up for air he meets a swift death. To replenish these cans of larvacide a small army of Jamaicans is kept travelling about the zone, and others go around with tanks of the compound strapped on their backs, spraying every pool they come to.

Another measure of extermination has been the draining and filling in of swampy ground and the straightening and clearing of water courses so that their flow will be too swift for Madame Anopheline. The work of draining and filling has been extensive and near the Pacific end of the canal has resulted in the reclamation of large tracts of land for building sites.

The third part of the anti-mosquito campaign is the careful screening of buildings occupied by human beings. Ordinary mosquito netting would not do and only copper wire will stand the climate there. Consequently a fine meshed copper screening is used. If any Anophelines escape the larvacide and succeed in gaining entrance to a habitation, the mosquito-killers are summoned and seldom fail to get them. Nine days must elapse after a mosquito has bitten a malarious person before it becomes infectious, and this gives the mosquito brigade plenty of time to kill the insects while they are asleep on the walls. The isolation of infected persons in the hospitals helps a lot, for of course the mosquito cannot carry malaria until it has bitten a malarious person.

Rats, that carry the bubonic plague, and flies, that transmit various other diseases, have received adequate attention from the sanitary department, and dumb brutes are not neglected. As an instance of the latter fact, every horse and mule in the zone must be placed at night in one of a series of corrals established by the department and there it is fed and cared for, the owner paying a reasonable fixed charge for the service. These animals, if left out, often are attacked by a disease that is infectious and may be transmitted to human beings. Besides that, the native cannot be persuaded to keep his stable in sanitary condition.

Many other sanitary regulations are imposed on the people of the isthmus. All garbage must be deposited in receptacles to be collected by the department's wagons and burned in its crematories. Chickens may not be kept within a certain distance of any dwelling. Rain water may not be gathered and kept in open receptacles. That last rule is not easy to enforce, for the Panamanian prefers rain water for drinking purposes. But all these are for the general good, and the United States has the treaty right to attend to the sanitation of Panama and Colon as well as of the zone.

In addition to the two great hospitals at Ancon and Colon, the department of sanitation maintains a dispensary with physician and nurse at every town along the route of the canal and at Porto Bello, where the commission has a big stone quarry. The larger hospital, on Ancon hill, close to Panama, in the spring of the year had about 900 patients. Its wards and the residences of the physicians and nurses are scattered picturesquely though rather inconveniently on the east and north slopes of the beautiful hill, and the grounds are filled with magnificent trees and lovely flowering vines and bushes. A little further around the hill is the hospital for the insane, and it, too, is well filled, for the Jamaican and Barbadian negroes go crazy at the slightest provocation.

In Colon, stretching along the sea shore in the only pretty part of that flat city, is the other hospital, smaller but no less efficient and well manned than that at Ancon. Its grounds are swept continually by the refreshing winds from the Atlantic and many of its wards are built out over the water. Both hospitals are served by corps of physicians and surgeons, mostly rather young, but able, ambitious and studious.

One mighty good thing the French company did was to establish a sanitarium on Taboga island, and the Americans, recognizing its value, promptly reopened it for the benefit of white convalescents. These may remain on the pretty island for two weeks, paying \$2 a day for room, board and medical attention.

Taboga lies twelve miles due south of Panama and is as attractive a tropical isle as one will often see. Its curving white beaches in little bays are ideal bathing places; its lofty hills, clad with dense vegetation, afford occupation for the climber, and the small fishing village of Taboga is ancient and not uninteresting. Gorgeous birds and flowers and luscious fruits are everywhere. Nothing more perfectly beautiful can be imagined than an evening on the grassy slopes of the sanitarium grounds. A myriad stars glitter overhead, the Southern Cross and Canopus swinging above the southern horizon. In the forest night birds sing and a variety of tree locust sends forth a clear, musical note that can be heard a mile. In the little public square of the village the native women and children are laughing and singing as the men set forth on all-night fishing trips. And off to the north, this side of the glow of Panama, wink the light buoys of the canal's sea channel.

If in later years Taboga does not become a favorite winter resort for wealthy Americans, I shall miss my guess.

GREAT WORK IN SICKNESS
Experience of Famous Men Indicates That Genius is Cause of Ill Health.

Is genius the cause of ill health? The question naturally arises as one reads of the wonderful work accomplished by many of the world's greatest geniuses when they were suffering from disorders and diseases which would have totally incapacitated less courageous men. Darwin suffered so much from nervous exhaustion that he was prostrated by two hours' work daily, and was obliged to lie on his back the greater part of the day and seek relief from intellectual tension by listening to the reading of novels. Carlyle, during his last years, suffered from nervous affection of the right hand, which precluded any writing other than by dictation, which he found unsuited to his turn of composition, while Dickens at fifty-five was prematurely aged through nervous exhaustion and restlessness.

AWFUL



Tramp—Say, mister, I just found this baby in a basket.
Policeman—That's bad.
Tramp—Yes, but the worst part is that it was a wash basket.

AUCTION BY CANDLE LIGHT.

A quaint custom, known as the "Candle Auction," for the letting of a field called Stowell meadow, situated at Tatworth, near Chard, Somerset, England, was observed recently. The tenants on the estate of which Stowell meadow forms part were invited to meet at the village inn, and during the burning of an inch of tallow candle made bids for renting the ground for the ensuing year. During the evening those interested partook of a bread and cheese and pickle supper. Certain fines are imposed, which are put into a "kitty," and afterwards spent upon refreshments for the company. The custom has been observed for more than 200 years.

THAT'S SO.

She—Mrs. Squills complains that her husband can't get in what people owe him.
He—That's strange! A doctor should be able to make his patients cough up.

THE KIND.

"Only brave men go to charity fairs."
"Why brave ones?"
"Because they are the only people who will take chances."

PROOF POSITIVE.

"The prisoner is accused of uttering forged notes."
"The charge refutes itself. This prisoner can't utter anything. He's dumb."

CAUGHT WITH THE GOODS.

"Did your son who went to the city to make his fortune deliver the goods?"
"No, he was caught with them before he had a chance."

LITERALLY SO.

Stoojent—For the love of Mike! Can't you go any faster than this?
Shefoor—Why, soitenly! But, yee see, I have to stay on the car.—Cornell Widow.

DISILLUSION.

"Nan and Fan have quarreled at last, haven't they?"
"Yes; they've just found out that each has been using the other as a foil."

FIRM FREQUENTLY HEARD OF.

"Who painted Subbub's house?"
"He told me the name of the concern. I think he said it was done by Fitz and Startz."—Boston Transcript.

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Vernon voted a \$32,000 school bond issue.

The best way to swat the fly is to banish dirt.

The Baptist at Plainview will erect a \$50,000 church edifice.

The joy ride is all right provided it does not end in the cemetery.

Programs are out for the Mobeetic fair to be held on October 3 and 4.

A school of Journalism will be established at the University of Texas the coming session.

When it is evident that a man assumes that he knows everything, but few go to him for information.

So long as there are boys and melon patches there is going to be sin in the world.—Menard Messenger.

Plainview abolished the pool hall by a vote of 222 to 82. Vernon and Memphis abolished the pool hall also.

The catalogue for the Dallas State Fair has been issued, and shows immense enlargements and improvements over last year.

As we grow older we can't see why hoeing in the garden is not just as good exercise for a young boy or girl as dancing the turkey-trot to ragtime music.

Prohibition does prohibit with vengeance. Twenty-two convicts were recieved at the Texas penitentiary in one day last week, twenty-one of whom were convicted for boot-legging from north Texas prohibition territory.

All this talk of the newspaper paragraphers about the oposite sex wearing skirts with a split in the side up to their knees,

make us tired. If they don't like the view presented they should turn their heads or wear blind bridles. As for us we don't mind it, altho a bit near-sighted.—Comanche Chief-Exponent.

Foreign nations ask if Mexico is to be everlastingly the scene of civil war of the most chaotic kind. They would like for the United States to take some kind of action to protect foreign interests as the Monroe Doctrine prevent the foreigners themselves from coming in.

Wisconsin has an anti-gossip law which should adorn the statute books of every state. It carries with it a penalty of \$500 fine and imprisonment for peddling damaging stories about your neighbor and particularly to make remarks reflecting upon the good name of his wife, mother or sister.

The News is of the opinion that the most profitable business one can engage in in the Plainview country is stock-farming. Feedstuffs are raised here cheaply and in abundance, there is plenty of pure water and horses, mules, cattle and hogs are healthy and thrive better than in any other section.—Plainview News.

"You'd scarce expect one of my age in merchandizing to engage and hope to get a paying trade without the local paper's aid. And yet I did that very thing, I opened up a store last spring, this month the sheriff took the stock. Don't view me with a scornful eye but simply say as I pass by, "there goes a man who seemed to think he had no use for printer's ink." There is a truth, as broad as earth, and business men should know it's worth, it is simply this—the public buys the goods of those who advertise."

It always does one good to shake hands with a man who has a heart under his coat. It cheers, it encourages, and has a vitalizing effect. This is the genuine, the pure article, while occasionally we come in contact with people whose hand shake is cold and clammy as a pickled tongue, whose sticky grasp conveys to you the uncanny suggestion of a grave yard. You are not quite sure when you drop his hand whether he is dead or alive, yet you are pleased when the solemn

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A monument to Father Ryan, the poet-preacher of the South was unveiled at Mobile, Ala., last Saturday. The monument is the product of dime subscriptions, and the major part of the subscriptions came from Southern school children. Father Ryan was one of the South's truest sons, and his memory will long be cherished by the Southern people. The grace and pathos of his rymes appealed to the Southern heart, even as the sound of the evening vesper bells appeal to the school children in the pleasant and historic places of Tuscan; and no more lasting tribute could be paid to the memory of Father Ryan.—Texas Republic.

A bill has recently been offered in Congress limiting the appointment of U. S. Judges for twelve years instead of for life. The bill ought to pass. In public no man should be allowed to hold an office for life. It is a travesty on justice and not in line with progressive democrat doctrines. If a man has made a good and faithful officer he can be re-elected or re-appointed. In fact, the people ought to be allowed to vote for all public officials traits from constable to president. That is the progressive doctrine—it is right.—Georgetown Commercial.

A Cowardly Cur.

Sunday before last a man rode up to the home of Roy McLean, 25 miles west of Tulia, in Castro county, and asked Mrs. McLean if her husband was at home. Upon receiving a reply in the negative, he slapped and choked her, mounted his pony and rode away. No clue as to his identity has been obtained.—Clarendon News.

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Flies are the forerunners of pestilence, the advance agents of the doctor and they make business for the undertaker. There are many ingenious devices for trapping the fly and for protection against their entering the house and all effective agencies should be employed in fighting this arch enemy of health. Every day should be fly day at home. Kill the fly; remove all filth; destroy decaying vegetation and stamp out the breeding ground of the fly.

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are Permanently Proof against Cracking, Shrinking and Blowing Down. They are Air-Tight and Water-Tight—Weather, Wind, Fire and Vermin Proof. Self supporting. No Guys nor Cables. No Staves to shrink—no Hoops to tighten—ABSOLUTELY NO RISK—no Annoyance, Trouble, Worry or Care.

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Insurance policy against wind, storm and tornadoes furnished free on all our Silos erected per our instructions.



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Write for our free book on silage. Sold on 2 year's time.

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OF WELLINGTON, TEXAS

Capital Paid In	- - -	\$50,000
Surplus and Profit	- - -	20,000
Stockholders Responsibility	- - -	50,000
Total	- - -	\$120,000

The non-interest bearing and unsecured deposits of this bank are protected by the STATE GUARANTY FUND. We will appreciate your business.

H. C. WELLS, Cashier.

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And to prevent you from getting sick you will find many essentials in the way of pure drugs, toilet articles, necessities, conveniences and comforts for the sick-room at

OUR MODERN DRUG STORE

You can be sure when you make purchases here that you are getting the very best of everything. You can absolutely depend on the purity of our drugs and the good quality of the articles you get here. That means a good deal in time of sickness.

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We Sell
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V. V. DAVIS, Manager.
Lumber, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Lath, Shingles and Brick.

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HAVE YOU TRIED—

"Heliotrope" or "Choctaw" Flour?

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Those little Cakes and Knieknacs are fine for Summer and mighty labor saving these hot days

QUALITY GROCERS

HOWELL & ADAMS

West Side Square

Don't See the Doctor About Your Appetite. See Us

Mr. Dukeminier of Navarro county is here on a months visit to his brother J. J. Dukeminier and family.

McCall Patterns are carried at McCauley Dry Goods Co. also subscriptions taken for McCall's Magazine.

Miss Eula Williams returned to her home at Hollis last Sunday after a few days visit to Mrs. A. E. Brady.

Marvelo! McCauley Dry Goods Co. now have the agency for Marvelo face cream. Come and try a box at 50 cents.

W. W. Carter and two sons from near Dodsonville are in the city today trading, and made the Leader a pleasant call.

Rev. R. S. Garrard leaves tomorrow to begin a meeting at a point in Oklahoma not far from Hollis, called Station 8.

H. Billingslea and Miss Zillah Abbott of near Quail have secured marriage license and we learn are to be wedded Sunday.

Present at every game at the ball ground Wina-Vina, pure and ice cold. The best 5 cent drink. Sold by Box & Chapman.

C. C. Rolls and family are moving today to the residence in the West part of town recently purchased of H. S. Black.

Ben Wells and wife of Crafton Texas, are visiting relatives in Wellington at the homes of Elmer Dukeminier and D. R. Griffis.

To Flour users. We again have on hand, the Acme and Supreme Flour, best what is. Pritchard Grocery Co.

Soaps, and all kinds of toilet articles and extracts. Get our prices and you will buy here. —M. F. Goforth & Son. Call 19.

The Templetons have been in the abstract business in Colingsworth county longer than any who follows the business.

The Templetons are the only bonded abstractors in the county. So in placing your business with them you are protected.

Marriage license have been issued to O. B. Sanders and Miss Cora E. Berry of the Plymouth community, who are to be wedded Sunday.

Wina-Vina, absolutely pure and the best 5c drink on the market. Ice cold at Box & Chapman confectioners on south side of square.

Mrs. Dickey of Bowie, is here on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. O. F. Thomas. Mr. Hurst, a son-in-law of Mrs. Dickey is also here on a visit.

Prescriptions at night after closing time or on Sundays, will be filled if you will phone 131, the prescription clerk at Williams' Drug Store.

Marriage license have been issued to B. C. Harris of Wellington and Miss Effie May Shadix of Arlie, the wedding we understand to take place Sunday.

J. P. Hawkins returned this week from a prospecting trip to northern part of New Mexico, and he expresses himself as well impressed with that country.

R. H. Templeton has started improvements on the Wiles forty acre tract just north of town and will begin immediately the erection of a handsome new home.

Mrs. W. H. Grounds of Lelia Lake, together with her son H. L. Grounds and his wife, are visiting in the city for a few days, guests at the Fisher home.

Another big shipment of glass ware placed on sale at McCauley Dry Goods Co. last Saturday, 10 cents for choice. Come and get your share of the bargains.

We are going to sell our entire stock of Racket Goods at cost. Come and get our Prices. M. F. Goforth & Son.

On account of the protracted meeting in progress at the Presbyterian church it has been announced that there will be no preaching services at the Baptist church next Sunday.

The Methodist protracted meeting is scheduled to begin in Wellington on the 4th Sunday in August. The Baptist meeting has been announced to begin the 2nd Sunday in this month.

Our good friend J. B. Rhodes, in speaking of crop conditions, says he has the best corn he has made in five years, and that his cotton and feed stuff is looking well. But J. B. generally reaps a good yield.

C. A. Kesler, who with Mrs. Kesler is on a visit to Virginia, writes that he saw some good crops when on his visit to Delia and Johnson, counties, Texas, and advises us to send the Leader to him at Boone Mill, Va.

Rev. W. B. Higgins was in the city yesterday from Hollis where he had just closed a meeting which he said resulted in quite an addition to the church there.

Remember if you want any shrubbery, plants, flowers or fruit trees, for fall delivery, all adapted to this section of the Panhandle, see C. W. Drake, who represents the Amarillo Nursery Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tittsworth of Wolfe city, who have been visiting, Mrs. W. W. Joyner, of this place were called home Thursday on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Tittsworth's mother.

Have you tried Wina-Vina, the most popular new drink?

Wiley Anderson has the painting and decorating work on the Rock Lowrie and the two Templeton buildings, which means the work will be done in the best and most artistic manner. When it comes to painting, paper hanging and decorating Wiley can't be beat.

A stock of new post cards just received at William's Drug Store.

"IF WE KNEW YOU, AND YOU KNEW US"

If we knew you, and you knew us, There'd never be a single "cuss," But never having yet clasped hands, Both often fail to understand That each intends to do what's right, And treat each other "honor bright."

There'd be harmony and no disgust, If we knew you, and you knew us. And should we send you by mistake Some goods you would not care to take, (Or in your bill some error make), There'd never be a single "cuss," If we knew you, and you knew us.

Or when some goods you fire back Or when a kick on this or that, We'd take all in good part and never "cuss"

If we knew you, and you knew us, With our customers some hundred strong,

Occasionally things do go wrong, Sometimes our fault, sometimes theirs, Forbearance would decrease all care, Kind friends how pleasant—not a "cuss"

If we knew you, and you knew us.

Then let no doubling thoughts abide, Living let others live, Affirm good faith on either side, Confidence to each other give, And anytime you can get away, Come get acquainted it will pay; Then work together, and never a "cuss"

When we know you, and you know us.

A. & W. Big Store

W. A. Hanger of Fort Worth announces that he is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Texas in the primaries next July. It is said the Colquitt adherents will support him, but if the Colquitt supporters dwindle down like they have in the past year it won't be a support worth reckoning with.

Buster has the kind of a farm loan that you are looking for.

O. W. Alexander is enjoying the full satisfaction of his new Metz automobile which arrived Monday. Hurst says it is a Socialist machine, but we hardly believe so for it can be kept under better control than can a Socialist. Anyhow, it is a dandy little machine and we hope and trust our good friend Alexander will get a lot of pleasure and satisfaction out of it.

Our fellow townsman, J. S. Campbell, who has owned a fine half section of land situated some nine miles southeast, informs us that he has sold same to Scott Carr, of Vernon, Texas, who will move to same this fall with his family. We are informed that this splendid farm was sold at about \$7,000.00. Mr. Campbell will probably reinvest in other farm lands near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Tittsworth, of Wolfe City, came in first of the week for a visit to the former's sisters, Mrs. W. W. Joyner. On Wednesday the above couple accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Joyner, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bengé, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Orr, out to the cave south of town where the entire party very pleasantly spent the night, turning to town Thursday morning.

Local News

Wina-Vina. Get it at E. M. Williams. Meal and cake for sale. Phone 72. Fruit jars at Pritchard Grocery. See Buster for your farm loans. Ask about that Free Stetson Hat.—The Famous. A big shipment of fruit jars at Pritchard Grocery. The Drinks are on us free ice water.—The Famous. Catchy post cards at E. M. William's Drug Store. All kinds of coal at P. M. Shields & Co. Phone 72. D. C. Brooks left Monday for a business trip to Quanah. See M. F. Goforth & Son for lowest prices on Fruit Jars. Hughes Crescent Cottage House paint at C. D. Shamburgers. T. C. Bynum of Lonnie was trading in the city Thursday. Warner's Rust Proof Corsets. The Famous. A brother of Mrs. L. A. Terry is here from Mangum, on a visit. J. W. Culp moved this week to the J. O. Hammond residence. A boys Good suit \$1.95. —The Famous. If you want post, wire or fencing, call at C. D. Shamburgers. Fresh new alfalfa for sale at Brook's Feed Store. Phone 65. Get your fruit jars at Goforth & Sons and save money. Call 19. Buster farm loan office is over The City National Bank. See him. Pretty and artistic or comic post cards at William's Drug Store. Biggest stock of coal you ever saw, at Singley Bros. Big new coal bins.

Jerry Caddel and family left this week for their claim in New Mexico. See that new line of Guaranteed Hosiery at McCauley Dry Goods Co. Bass Wells of Crafton, Texas, a cousin of H. C. Wells, is here on a visit this week. Station Agent O'Brian moved this week to the residence just vacated by Jesse Cook. Sterling Muslin underwear is the best at the price. Sold By McCauley Dry Goods Co. Miss May McSpadden made a visit to Dodsonville Tuesday, returning the following day. C. C. Rolls and wife returned Thursday from a two weeks pleasure trip to Kansas City. Jesse Cook moved this week into his home north of the railway near the school house. Will pay 9 cents for eggs. Bring them in. Pritchard Grocery Co. For Concrete Blocks and house moving. See Joe Cook. 52 St. Miss Lou Briscoe of Doans, Texas, is visiting A. E. McSpadden on their ranch north of town. Bedford Welts—the newest goods for Balkan Blouse. —The Famous. When you need coal you can bet Singley Bros. will give you best satisfaction, they guarantee. Mrs. G. W. McCauley and children left Tuesday for a visit to Hollis, expecting to return today. Judge R. J. Thorn and family of Memphis are over this week on a visit to Tom Parker and family. Eggs, Chickens or Butter can be sold at the Pritchard Grocery for cash or trade, whichever suits you. Ladies and children are fond of pure ice cold Wina-Vina, the best 5 cent drink. At Box & Chapman.

The Best

grade of groceries at a moderate price, is the policy of this store. We guarantee everything we sell, if its not right it costs the customer nothing. While we do some credit business, we don't ask our customers that pay to shoulder the cost of our mistakes. If we get a bad account we take all the loss. A long list of satisfied customers is proof that our store is a good place to trade.

The Leader Grocery

"We Sell The Best Flour Made"

Mrs. L. L. Ladd and children left Wednesday for a lengthy visit to relatives in Wheeler county.

A. S. J. Lockhart and C. A. Dysart with their families, returned first of the week from a fishing expedition to Sweetwater creek, in Wheeler county. A. S. J. informs us that they enjoyed the trip very much, and had plenty of fish.

Rural Carrier A. B. Higgins, on route two, has been confined to his room for several days suffering from the mumps, but we are glad to learn is improving nicely and will soon be at his post of duty again. Young Mr. Peoples is ably substituting for him during his absence.

More profit is made on other 5 cent drinks but none of them have the quality and popular flavor of pure Wina-Vina at Box & Chapman, only.

The naturally handsome countenance of our popular Deputy Sheriff J. Gordon Neece was illuminated with a broad smile Monday and in our endeavor to ascertain the occasion of his great joy we learned that he was "papa" now, a fine daughter having arrived at his home Monday.

Call Pritchard Grocery, phone 15 for your groceries.

A large number of young people gathered at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. John Williamson on Wednesday afternoon to a party given by Miss Irene Williamson in honor of the 13th birthday of her friend, Miss Rose Cocch. Various plays and different kinds of entertainment were indulged in and refreshments consisting of home made candy and watermelon were served. All report having a jolly good time.

Mens suits-good ones \$4.95. —The Famous.

A. F. Gollighugh and family returned last Friday from Springdale, Arkansas. Mr. Gollighugh sold one of the best places in this vicinity several months ago and with his family moved to Arkansas. He said he had the change for awhile the longing came on to go to good old Collingsville, and he came back home here again, to a house in town and buy a farm sometime. Mr. Gollighugh says this is a good place where he is just content with a living but for a progressive fellow who wants to accumulate something the West offers better advantages.

Ollie Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams, died at Memphis on Monday of this week. The young man was about eighteen years old and was an exceptionally good boy. The cause of his death was the growth of a tumor on his brain which caused a large swelling just back of one ear. He was taken to Ft. Worth for treatment but the doctors said to remove the tumor with a knife would be sure death, so he was brought back to Memphis and given the best medical treatment but to no avail. About five months ago, it is said the young man was riding on horseback carrying a lead pipe on his shoulder when the horse fell down and the pipe struck him on the head just back of the ear and this bruise is thought to be the cause of the tumor. Mr. and Mrs. Williams live in this county near Quail but had been at Memphis for some time on account of sickness of their son.

For Trade.

A dandy fine Jack, in good fix, to trade for a good work horse and get the difference in money. See J. C. Skaggs at O. K. Wagon Yard.

Farm Facts.

Anything you are afraid of is going to get you.

Opportunity is the only knocker that is welcome.

The oil—can makes farm work easier—if you use it.

He who takes his own time generally takes other people's too.

The business of the rural borrower adds to the wealth of the nation.

Each year 2400 farmers are

Forget It.

The heat of itself is sufficient burden without adding to it irritation over trifles and outbursts of temper because of petty annoyances.

Forget it. By continual thinking of the hot weather, by keeping an eye on the thermometer and adding to discomfort by a fussy disposition, one draws to his head more blood than that organ should contain, and the result is misery and possible prostration or sunstroke. The wise way is

Our Splendid Correspondents

We continually receive compliments from people who say the Leader is the best local paper that they have ever seen anywhere. The popularity of the paper is in a large measure due to our splendid corps of correspondents, who with bright newsy paragraphs from the different sections of the county gives each week the news of the whole county. We are always sorely disappointed when our correspondents fail to send us a

Needed Tax Legislature.

The present slipshod way of collecting taxes in Texas should be remedied. Under the present law delinquent taxes far back as 1885 are a lien upon the property and collectable. Some county's have not had a cleaning up of their tax rolls since their organization. Hale county about eighteen months ago had its first cleaning since it set up business.

Under the present law the cleanup is made by the tax collector going over the list for years back, picking out the lands that show to be delinquent for any one or more years, advertise same in a newspaper for four weeks, then bring suit, on those tracts which the owner do not come forward and pay taxes on, get judgment advertise and sell.

Under this plan maybe the taxes has been paid, and the collector failed to properly credit. When the back tax law went into effect about fifteen years ago, the father of the editor of the News had just died; he had paid his taxes every year, but the tax collector brought suit for five or six years delinquency; his wife went through his papers, found all the tax receipts and presented them to the court and of course the cases were dropped.

If the receipts had been misplaced or destroyed of course the taxes would have had to have been paid again, with considerable extra penalties and other costs.

As lands are changing hands all the time it may be that a tract has been owned by a dozen or two different persons, and the tax receipts scattered, before the tax clean-up comes. A few

Play Four Games, Win Two.

In the game between Shamrock and Wellington on Friday afternoon of last week Shamrock was only able by a close scratch to make one score. However, this was better scratching than the Wellington team was able to do. The score was 1 to 0. It was a splendid scientific game throughout.

In the series of three games with Gasoline on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week Gasoline took the first game by a score of 3 to 5.

Wellington won the other two games. The score in the second game was 3 to 4, and required thirteen innings. The third game was 2 to 12.

Second Game.

Wellington	AB	H	R	PO	A	E
Jones rf.....	6	2	0	2	1	1
Strong 2nd.....	5	2	0	5	5	0
W. Dean ss.....	3	0	0	5	2	0
Moore lf.....	6	0	0	1	0	0
Cocke 1st.....	6	1	1	14	0	1
A. Dean c.....	6	0	0	5	0	1
O'Neil 3rd.....	6	2	1	5	6	2
Tucker cf.....	5	2	2	1	0	1
Fuller p.....	5	0	0	1	3	0
Dukeminier rf.....	3	2	0	0	0	0
	51	11	4	39	13	8

Gasoline	AB	H	R	PO	A	E
W. Burleson p.....	6	1	1	3	6	0
Foster lf.....	6	2	0	4	0	0
O. McCullum ss.....	4	2	0	0	2	2
Wise 1st.....	5	0	0	12	1	2
Mickey rf.....	6	1	1	0	0	0
R. Burleson 2nd.....	6	0	0	4	1	0
C. Burleson c.....	6	0	0	12	0	0
E. Painter cf.....	6	0	0	2	0	1
A. Burlison 3rd.....	6	1	1	1	5	1
	51	7	3	38	15	6

Gasoline 0001001010000-3
Wellington 0110000010001-4

Struck out by Burleson 11, by Fuller 5. Two base hits W. Burleson, Three base hits A. Burleson, O'Neil, Tucker. Double plays O'Neil unassisted, Foster to McCullum. Hit by pitched ball Burleson 2, Fuller 1. Base on ball—

weeks ago the editor had to pay taxes for the year 1887 on a piece of property that had changed hands a dozen times since and been subdivided into eight different parcels. Very likely the taxes were paid twenty-five years ago, but we had no receipt and accordingly had to pay in order to clear up the title. Thousands of such cases as above mentioned occur in Texas every year.

Last fall here in the Hale county several tracts of land were advertised, sued up, advertised for sale and sold by the sheriff, and when the new owners began to investigate they found that the real owners had paid the taxes for the years alleged delinquent and held the receipts. The tax collector had failed to credit the payments on his books and in one or two cases the tax assessor had made double the assessments—one time in the real owner's name and the other as "unknown owner".

The proper plan would be to clear up the tax list every year. Make it the law that by July 1 of each year the tax collector must go over his list, advertise all delinquents, bring suit at once, and foreclose and sell before Jan. 1st following, and thus clean up the matter while he is in office and everything is fresh; then make a tax lien of more than one or two years' standing null and void. Make it the law that where the tax collector fails or refuses to absolutely clean up his list within a year after the tax becomes delinquent he and his bondsman become liable for the amount of the taxes.—Plainview News.

Third game.

Wellington	AB	H	R	PO	A	E
Jones rf.....	5	0	0	2	0	0
Strong 2nd.....	5	0	1	5	1	1
W. Dean ss.....	5	1	1	1	2	1
Dukeminier 1st.....	5	1	2	7	0	0
Moore lf.....	4	2	2	0	0	0
O'Neil 3rd.....	3	2	3	2	2	2
A. Dean c.....	4	4	2	9	2	0
Tucker cf.....	5	1	0	1	1	0
Cocke p.....	4	1	1	0	2	0
	40	12	12	27	10	4

Gasoline	AB	H	R	PO	A	E
W. Burleson 3rd.....	4	1	1	3	3	2
Foster lf.....	4	1	0	2	1	0
O. McCullum ss.....	3	0	0	1	0	2
Wise 1st.....	4	1	0	9	0	0
R. Burleson p.....	3	1	0	2	4	1
Mickey 2nd.....	3	1	0	3	0	1
C. Burleson c.....	4	1	0	3	1	0
J. Burleson cf.....	3	0	0	0	0	0
A. Burlison rf.....	3	1	1	1	0	0
	31	7	2	24	9	6

Gasoline 0020000000-2
Wellington 00010533x-12

Struck out by Burleson 3, by Cocke 8. Two base hit Dukeminier. Three base hits A. Dean 3, Mickey, W. Burleson. Sacrifice hits Mickey, Moore, A. Dean. Double plays A. Dean to Strong to Dukeminier, Cocke to Dukeminier. Hit by pitched ball R. Burleson, Mickey, O'Neil. Base on balls off Burleson 2. Wild pitchers Cocke 2, Burleson 1.

Time of Game 1:50. Umpire Strong.

Junior B. Y. P. U. Program.

August 3, 1913, 3:30 p. m. Subject—The Wise Men Worship the King.

Leader—Edith Coe. Scripture Lesson, Matt. 2:10-12 The Wise Men and Jesus—Iola Crawford.

Herod Troubled and the Old Testament of Where Jesus Should be Born—Rose Couch.

The Wise Men Sent to Bethlehem, Find Jesus and Worship Him—Clyde Cochran.

What Personal Service Shall I Render in My Church This Week?—Open Discussion.

Be on time with your Bible in hand and somebody with you.

ANDERSON & GULLY

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

Wellington, Texas. August 1, 1913.

Mr. R. U. Thrifty, Save-money, Now.

Read On:

You have to buy about so many clothes anyway.

You'll probably need quite a lot in that line during the next six months.

If you can buy them in the desired styles and qualities at one third to one half less than ordinary prices, it's the shrewd buyers plan to do it.

DOLLARS SAVED ARE DOLLARS EARNED.

You are now offered something more than an ordinary "Sale" chance to save a lot of money on things you will need and buy anyway, sooner or later.

You can actually buy good goods now at this Big Sale at less than wholesale prices.

How can we do that? We can't and make money, that's certain. But our store contains hundreds of dollars worth of goods that we must close out AT ONCE in order to make room for our large order of new fall goods, soon to arrive. We know there is but one way to accomplish this: Reduce prices so low that other stores can't complete.

So we have done it.

It's human nature to doubt. You may doubt that we are actually selling goods so cheap; all we can say is—come and see for yourself.

IT MEANS DOLLARS TO YOU. Come soon before the best bargains go.

Yours truly,

A. & W. BIG STORE.

P. S. Of course you've heard about the Half Hour Special Big Ben Bargains. Take advantage of them and you'll be glad; miss them and you'll be sorry.

stricken by the bludgeon of a stupid market system.

The beauty of the products of the soil gives human life its first entertainment.

In all the farmer's operations the nick of time is the tick of accomplishment.

Don't kill it because it is a bug. That particular bug may be a very good friend.

Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness and health had their origin on the farm.

Farming for prizes is unprofitable farming and has no legitimate place in agriculture.

He that riseth late must trot all day and shall scarce overtake his business at night.

The fair should be made to accurately reflect the agricultural achievements of the community and State.

When the farmer is only troubled with "Meeting the demand" instead of "Finding a market", prosperity is staring him in the face.

The solution of the problem of a better money return from the soil and of a fuller social return from the country life is one of the most pressing tasks before the country.—Peter Radford.

to buckle down to business and—Forget it.

Smile as you sweat. Sweat and smile. The mental habit of optimism which includes forgetfulness of small things will make you fairly comfortable even under uncomfortable conditions. Therefore—Forget it. And also—

If something has gone wrong with the farm, or the store, or the shop, or office, if the plow is perverse or the store stuffy, or the shop slow or the office oppressive, why—Forget it.

Life is too short to treasure up the trivial. He who does that only heats his blood and actually poisons it, as laboratory tests have shown.

Whatever your trouble—it is not as big as you think it is—unless you make it so by dwelling on it and brooding over it.

Forget it. Do not brood. Forget. Do not harbor resentment. Dismiss it. Do not get warm mentally. You cannot afford that. Forget it.

The devastating forces of nature can not do more than affect the product of the farm for a single year.

letter. This week we have a splendid list of neighborhood correspondence, yet we miss several of our regular correspondence who failed to report

LATER—The above was set in type last week when seven or eight correspondence were represented but was crowded out, so imagine our disappointment when this week not a single correspondence reached us.

Merchants as Educators.

The merchant has one of the highest and most useful callings. He is a builder and an educator as well as a dealer. As a rule he does more to promote the general welfare of the community and to support its public institutions than any other class of citizens. Through the columns of the press the merchant teaches us how to live economically and keeps us informed of the progress of modern business and science in providing means for our care and comfort. The merchant is an indispensable business educator and he diligently studies our needs.

A merchant who has no message for the public is not keeping abreast of the times. The prosperous merchant must create the desire to buy goods and then supply it.—W. Holt Harris.

USED POARCH AS BATH ROOM

Two Girls Arrested Fined \$50 Each For Such Immodesty

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 19.—Chattanooga jurists have heretofore refrained from placing a ban on split skirts, etc., but when two young women of this city attempted to take a bath on the front porch of a residence here, the majesty of the law felt that the time for action had arrived. As a result, Judge Fleming fined Annie and Ollie Atwood \$50 on behalf of the city and \$50 additional on behalf of the state. The young women took the fines with composure, and even smiled.

Judge Fleming is an admirer of art for art's sake. He is even said to be able to see artist beauty in "September Morn" and similar much-talked-of pictures. He, like other judges here, has refrained from interfering with either the scantiness or thinness of woman's attire in Chattanooga.

When neighbors of the Atwood girls telephoned, complaining that they were being shocked by their actions, Chief Hill thought something must be done. He sent a police lieutenant to investigate. According to that officer, he found the two young women taking a bath on the front porch when he arrived. He immediately placed them under arrest. The girls did not deny the charge.

Arrested for Wearing Slit Skirts.

Richmond, Va., July 15th.—On a warrant charging indecent exposure, a woman giving her name as Blossom Browning, was arrested for wearing a slit skirt. The girl contends her dress was of a fashion bought in a licensed department store and suited her taste. She has retained counsel for her defense.



A COMMON friendship, who talks of a common friendship. There is no such thing in the world. On earth no word is more sublime.

FOR THE LENTEN TABLE.

If the Lenten season were observed by all creeds it would be better for the general health. A few weeks of fasting, or going without heavy meats, is a wholesome and advantageous thing. We are all too much inclined to self-indulgence, and cutting out food is a wise arrangement.

Spanish Hash.—Chop three or four cold potatoes, a slice of onion and a green pepper. Season with salt, pepper and a dash of mace; bind together with a beaten egg and bake in a buttered pan until brown. Serve with macaroni.

Tomatoes and Eggs.—Put two tablespoonfuls of butter in a saucepan, and when melted add a cupful of the thicker part of a can of tomatoes; the juice may be used in a sauce for meat or for soup. Season with salt, red pepper, a teaspoon of sugar and a little grated onion. Stir until hot, then add four eggs beaten enough to mix the whites and yolks. When the eggs are cooked serve on buttered toast.

Cheese Pie.—To a cup of cream cheese pressed through a sieve, add a tablespoonful of sugar, the juice of a lemon, also the rind, a tablespoonful of butter, melted, the yolks of two eggs well beaten and the beaten whites folded in at the last. Salt to taste, and bake in one crust.

Fish Salads.—Cook together over hot water a tablespoonful of flour, a teaspoonful each of salt, mustard, sugar and melted butter, a dust of cayenne, a third of a cup of mild vinegar and the beaten yolks of two eggs. Stir until smooth and thick, and beat while cooling. Separate into small flakes any cold fish, add a little lemon juice and let stand an hour. Stir with a fork, add the salad dressing and a half cup of whipped cream. Place in small molds, if desired, and chill. Garnish with a sprig of parsley.

Nellie Maxwell.

GIVE BOND TO STAY DIVORCE

An Innovation Looking to Curtail this Growing Evil Among Society

Canton, O., July 19.—The holy bond of matrimony will not be the only bond that joins Miss Elizabeth Boldi, of Canton, and Susan Bratt, Jr., of Youngstown, when they are wed tomorrow. To insure wedded bliss of the young couple and ironclad agreement, backed by bonds pledging a \$700 farm and \$700 cash, has been put up by the fathers of the prospective bride and bridegroom. The young people themselves have no doubt that their marriage will prove a happy one. They have sworn eternal love to one another and declare that the agreement and bonds are entirely superfluous, but the old folk, noting the increase of the divorce evil, decided to do all they could in a legal way to make the marriage stick so tight that it can never become unknotted.

By the terms of the agreement the bridegroom's father promises that his son will never loaf, gamble, drink, play pool or dance with any young woman other than his wife. The bride's father, on the other hand, promises that his daughter a model wife, will not gossip, run around with other men and will cook to the husband's satisfaction. A forfeiture of the \$700 bond is to follow a violation of the promises made by either side.

Letter From Mexico

Des Moines, New Mexico, July 28, 1913.

Dear Old Leader:—My last message told of this part being dry and hoped that we would get rain soon, we got it O. K., everything is booming up fine now, even the autcs from all parts of Texas are bouncing through here every day as many as six in a bunch.

Grass and stock are doing fine. We have fine cool nights in which to sleep, and hot days to make crops grow.

Yes, I am proud of my friends of Texas passing here enroute to Kool Colorado and not stopping even to say howdy.

Yours anon,
J. C. Worley.

Socialists Encampment.

The socialists of south west Oklahoma will hold their third annual encampment at Duke Oklahoma on August 12-13-14 & 15th 1913. Speakers: Stanley J. Clark, Kate Richards O'Hare, W. L. Thurman and Geo. G. Hamilron. Other noted speakers invited.

J. F. Miller Mgr.

Bring your home raised meat also chickens and eggs to the Pritchard Gro. Co.

UNITED STATES SHORT ON BEEF

Sends A Representative to South America to Advise in Shipping

Washington, D. C., July 22.—After years of exporting beef to other countries, the United States is preparing to become an importer of this commodity.

Simultaneous with the statement of the Department of Commerce that there has been a tremendous decrease in the exportation of cattle, tonight came the announcement that Dr. A. D. Melvi, chief of the bureau of animal industry, intends to sail within a few days for South America to prepare for shipment of beef from the Southern countries to this. He will advise the packers on America requirements.

STANDARD SUIT COMPROMISED

Pay Penalty of Half Million Dollars. Suit for Over Hundred Million

(Crowded out last week)

Austin, Texas, July 21.—The Attorney General's Department this afternoon gave out a statement announcing the settlement of the famous Magnolia Petroleum Oil Company oyster suit today at Greenville. A compromise was reached, and an agreed judgement entered in favor of the state against the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey for \$500,000 penalties.

The Texas Company pleaded not guilty, but agreed to a trusteeship, and F. A. Williams of Galveston was appointed trustee. This settles this famous case.

MORE ANENT NORRIS CASE

Further Sensation Promised by Other Arrests to be Made

Local friends of Dr. J. Frank Norris, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Fort Worth, who held a meeting here in December of last year, and who was the central figure in a series of sensational developments following the burning of his church and his home in Fort Worth in February, 1912, will be delighted to know that the parties who set fire to the church and the parsonage are known and that arrests are expected to occur at any time.

This information came to the Record through confidential source and we are not prepared to publish names at this time.

Suffice it to say however, that our informant is a citizen of Fort Worth, a member of Dr. Norris' church and one of his friends and supporters, and is thoroughly in touch with the situation.

It will be remembered that following the destruction by fire of the First Baptist Church and Dr. Norris' home he was indicted for perjury and arson, the indictments charging the pastor with setting fire to the church and home and with false swearing in connection with the investigation of the two incidents by the Tarrant County grand jury. Dr. Norris was tried and acquitted of the perjury charge, but the arson case has never been called.

Since then Dr. Norris and his friends have never ceased in their effort to locate the real incendiaries, it being generally conceded by all parties conversant with the facts in the now famous case that the destruction of the church and the Norris home was the work of firebugs, and that they have at last been successful in locating them in gist of the information that reached us this week, as stated in the first paragraph.

Just how soon arrests will follow is, of course, a matter of conjecture, but our informant says the warrants have already been issued.

Assuming the correctness of our information, it will be interesting to contemplate the developments that will follow, for the incendiaries can be relied upon to implicate those higher up. Dr. Norris and his friends have always contended that the burning of his church and his home and his indictment for perjury and arson were but parts of a conspiracy by certain enemies to disgrace him. If they can make good this contention—as many of the people all over Texas believe can be done—newspaper readers will be afforded some highly illuminative and intensely interesting information.—Ver-non Record.

VOTE ON THE AMENDMENTS

Overwhelmingly Defeated in Collingsworth County and the State

(Crowded out last week)

All three of the amendments were badly defeated in Collingsworth County in last Saturday's election. The first two received very poor support, but the vote against 18, as it was called, was almost unanimous. The vote throughout the state against the Amendments was in about the same proportion as the Texas Democratic majority, which has been pronounced by the Republicans as being beastly.

The vote for the country was very light, and the vote on No. 18 is given by boxes as follows:

Wellington, 17 for, 198 against.
Dozier, 1 for, 37 against.
Buck Creek, 12, solid against.
Aberdeen, 49, solid against.
Lilly, 24, solid against.
Marella, 18, solid against.
Goldsmith, 5 for, 4 against.
Rolla, 16, solid against.
Quail, 2 for, 28 against.
Shinnery, no election.
Dodsonville, 5 for, 40 against.
Goldsmith has the distinction of being the only box in the county giving a majority for the amendment.

Junior B. Y. P. U. Program.

August 3, 1913, 3:30 p. m.
Subject—The Wise Men Worship the King.
Leader—Edith Coe.
Scripture Lesson, Matt. 2:10-12
The Wise Men and Jesus—Iola Crawford.

Herod Troubled and the Old Testament of Where Jesus Should be Born—Rose Couch.

The Wise Men Sent to Bethlehem, Find Jesus and Worship Him—Clyde Cochran.

What Personal Service Shall I Render in My Church This Week?—Open Discussion.

Be on time with your Bible hand and somebody with you.

Card of Thanks

We take this method of expressing our many thanks for the courtesy and kindness shown to our baby was sick, and we can never express our love to them. Our little one to rest with Jesus, suffering and pain. Our loss, it is Heaven. We must all live to this vale of tears. May you all until Jesus come.
Mr. and Mrs. Foy L.

CURIOUS BITS OF HISTORY

MAKING ENGLISH CITIZENS OF FRENCHMEN.

By A. W. MACY.

After the fall of Quebec, in 1759, Canada passed into the possession of England. It had at that time a resident population of perhaps 100,000. A large percentage of these were Frenchmen, who could not understand English and knew nothing of English laws and customs. Yet in making the transfer neither the French nor the English took any account of this fact. The French king ceded the country to the English "in the most ample manner and form, without restriction," the English king proclaimed the country to be English, and that is all there was to it. There was no reservation of the French tenure of land. In all respects the inhabitants were to be British subjects, and to be treated as such. As a matter of fact this did not make much difference to the French Canadians, for it was hardly possible that their condition could be worse than it was already. Such an extraordinary proceeding — to transform a hundred thousand Frenchmen into English subjects by a stroke of the pen, without taking their welfare into account one way or the other.

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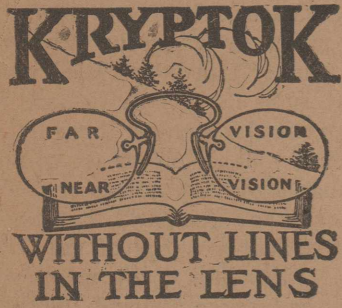
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A FEW WHYS

Why does a boy yell when he plays baseball?

Why will he run three blocks to "hitch on" to a wagon to carry him one block?

Why is his sister always the homeliest girl in the neighborhood?

Why is it harder to buy a hat or a pair of shoes for one boy than for a dozen men?

Why is he attacked with headaches and dizziness just before time to start for Sunday school?

Why does he come down to breakfast unwashed and his hair looking like a living feather-duster?

Why can't he let a cat cross the street in peace?

Why can't he see a dog trotting home in contentment without wanting to jog and jar him?

Why is it that in summer he wants to break windows with stones, and in winter wants to plunk every pedestrian in the eye with snowballs?

Why should he rather help Tommy Smith carry an old mattress through a mile of streets than to carry the family kerosene can a block himself?

You are right the first time guessing—it's just because he is a boy.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Put the lid on your peck of trouble.

The bottom of a hill is the easier to reach.

When a man is drunk he forgets that he's a fool.

For disobedience the small boy frequently gets the palm.

We never see ourselves as others see us, or as we see others.

Become familiar with the workings of the tariff. It's your duty.

Many a man who seems dead to the world is only buried in thought.

It's fairly safe for a pretty girl to be nice to a married man in a crowd.

Confidence in the almightiness of a dollar has proved the undoing of several plutocrats.

A girl can enjoy a kiss in the dark. She doesn't have to worry for fear she can't blush.

Some men find it as easy to climb a greased pole as to keep in the straight and narrow path.

A poor man is always saying he would like to be rich because of the great amount of good he could do with the money.

SOME POSTSCRIPTS

The blackbird, which claims nothing, eats good food; the goat, which claims much, gets stripped of its hide.

By an ingenious machine a California rancher slices potatoes that are unsalable for various reasons into chips, dries them and stores them for use as stock feed in winter.

In Arabia there is a tract of unexplored territory nearly five times the area of Great Britain, while nearly a quarter of Australia awaits the investigation of civilized man.

Salesmen of machinery too large to be carried around are finding motion picture films useful in showing prospective customers the operation of the machines they have to sell.

Though women were not admitted as students in German universities until 1905, they now number more than 3,000 and compose more than 5 percent of the entire student body.

A new French three-handed watch tells both twelve-hour and twenty-four-hour time, one hour hand being used for each kind on separate dials while a single minute hand does for both.

After long research a French physician has decided that the use of tobacco is harmful only under certain conditions, and that it is a valuable tonic and an antiseptic when properly used.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

An idle rumor is always busy.

Opportunity fairly bumps into some people.

The prospectus is all there is to some people.

Some stage performances are worth going miles to miss.

Love and riches make a rare combination—quite rare.

No army ever yet advanced as rapidly as it can retreat.

READY WITH AN EXPLANATION

Incident That Proves, if It Was Necessary, That You Can't Corner the Health Resort Proprietor.

Congressman A. W. Lafferty of Oregon declared the other evening that you can't lose the man who runs a health resort, and backed the statement with an interesting story.

Some time ago, he said, a woman who was a little worn out, but much of an invalid, went to a widely heralded health resort to recuperate. Half reclining in a big chair on the pleasant veranda of one of the hotels, she addressed the proprietor, who was looking after the comfort of the guests.

"My doctor, you know," said the invalid, in a languid voice, "told me to come here, that I might get the benefit of the south wind. Are the winds here always south winds?"

"Oh, yes, madam," was the prompt reply of the wise proprietor, "you may be assured of that."

"So I have understood," weakly replied the invalid, "but the flag on yonder pole surely indicates that the wind is now coming from the north."

"You are quite right, madam," was the easy explanation of the proprietor, "but it is a south wind just the same—a south wind coming back."

SENSE OF DANGER



First Deer—Do you know the expression in your eyes is positively human?

Second Deer—Don't say that. One of these excited hunters may mistake me for a guide.

DID NOT MEAN HEAVEN.

Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson, the great Shakespearean actor, who has just been knighted by the king, related at the annual meeting of the Actors' Orphanage Fund held in London the other day, an experience that befel Lady Bancroft. She was once accosted, he said, by a sturdy youth who reeled off a long, whining story. "Oh, lady, won't you help me?" he concluded. "I'm only a poor orphan."

Lady Bancroft, with her quick wit, looked up sharply: "Where do your father and mother live?" she asked. "Up this here court, lady," was the prompt response.

WILLIE'S REMORSE.

Mother—It shocks me awfully to think you took the penny. Remember, it is as much a sin to steal a penny as a dollar. Now, how do you feel, Willie?

Willie—Like a chump! There was a dollar right alongside the penny.

JIMSON'S PREDICAMENT.

"Jimson doesn't get enough exercise."

"He'd like to, but his wife recently bought a touring car, and he is ashamed to walk for fear people will think he don't know how to operate the machine."

FOR THE COLLEGE GRADUATE.

"My son has just been graduated from college. What would you advise him to read?"

"The Help Wanted' column,"—New York Times.

BRIGHT SIDE.

Gabe—What is an optimist?
Steve—An optimist is a one-armed man who knows he will never pound his thumb with a tack hammer.

LOGIC.

Kelly—If yez force me to pay that note now, I can't pay it.
O'Brine—But if I wait till yez pay it I'll never git it.—Puck.

ALUMINUM PRODUCTION.

More than 32,000 tons of aluminum was produced in the United States last year.

WOLSELEY AFRAID OF SNAKES

How a Little Yellow Reptile Once Put the Great British Soldier to Flight.

Possibly the only undignified retreat ever made by Lord Wolseley, Britain's great soldier who died March 25, occurred in India in 1858. After a long and dusty march in the very hot season he sought the waters of one of the tanks surrounded with fine groves of trees—which are the gifts of the pious and charitable. While he was rolling about in luxurious enjoyment a yellow snake shook its tongue close to his face, and, almost paralyzed with terror, he struck out for the stepped side of the bank as fast as if, to use his own words, he "were pursued by a whole zoological garden full of hostile and man-devouring beasts and reptiles." Lord Wolseley confessed to having, more than most men, "a loathing horror and indescribable repugnance to all sorts of reptiles," which he was never able to overcome, and late in life would still "fly even from the harmless toad."

HEROIC STATUE OF DRUSUS

Fine Marble Figure of Emperor Dressed as Priest Is Found at Paestum.

There has been an important discovery between the temples of Ceres and Neptune at Paestum, Italy, of a marble statue more than six feet high.

This is the first statue that has been found in the excavations at Paestum. Heretofore the excavations there have yielded only the ruins of temples and other buildings, but no works of art.

The statue is that of Drusus dressed as a sacrificing priest. A toga is partly drawn over the head. The expression on the face recalls a similar statue of Julius Caesar, which was discovered in Rome, but the folds of the drapery are more elaborate.

The statue is so adorably preserved that not even the nose is broken.—New York Sun.

KING OF UGANDA GOLF PLAYER.

The interesting fact that the young king of Uganda has taken to golf is revealed by E. H. Fison: "I saw him the other day," writes Mr. Fison, "make two of the best drives at golf that I have seen for many a long day." King David is also the captain of a football club. He will be eighteen years old this year.

MAY RETURN HOME.

Thanks to an amnesty granted in celebration of the Romanoff tercentenary, Maxim Gorky is to be allowed to return to Russia. In the official notification of this act of grace the novelist is described as "member of the Nishni Noygorod house painters' guild."

INSIDIOUS.

"Why did you insist on putting that woman forward as a candidate for office in your society?"

"She was getting too popular. I wanted to see her make her share of enemies."

AT TARGET PRACTICE.

Sergeant—I don't know what to do about these men. There hasn't been a hit signaled this half hour.

Subaltern—Give the order to charge the targets with fixed bayonets.—London Opinion.

IN THE BACKGROUND.

"I didn't hear you sing or speak at the strawberry festival. Why don't you come forward and show some public spirit at these affairs?"

"I did play a minor part. I donated the strawberries."

THAT NEW YORK STRIKE.

"Then the waiters' hopes of a sympathetic strike were not realized?"

"Naw; there doesn't seem to be much sympathy for a waiter."

EACH TO HIS PART.

"I wish I could do great deeds for the general good."

"Well, do what you can, old man. Clean up your back yard and swat the fly."

HIGH FINANCE.

"Say, Binks."
"What is it?"
"If you loan me \$10 I'll pay you \$5 on that amount I already owe you."

New Car Line to Memphis.

Bevens & Richardson are now courting the patronage of the public traveling between Wellington and Memphis. The schedule will be to leave Wellington at 7:00 o'clock in the morning, arriving at Memphis 9:00. Leave Memphis at 10:00 o'clock and arrive at Wellington at noon. \$3 one way or \$5 for round trip. Phone 17.

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Program of North West Texas Press Association.

The annual meeting of the North West Texas Press Association will be held this year at Memphis, Friday and Saturday, September 19th and 20th. The sessions will be held in the Carnegie library. These arrangements were decided upon at a meeting of the executive committee here Saturday when the following program was announced:

Meet at Carnegie Library 10:30 a. m. September 19th.

Called to order by President Orion Proctor of Bridgeport.

Invocation by Rev. Will T. Swain.

Address of welcome on behalf of City of Memphis by Attorney A. S. Moss; on behalf of Commercial Club by Sec'y A. W. Read.

Response to address of welcome—Hon. Edgar P. Haney, Wichita Falls.

Announcement of standing committees.

Newspaper's past, present and future—L. E. Haskett, Childress.

What is News and What Should Be Printed?—Frank H. Bowron, Graham.

Associational Advertising Bureau—Harry Koch, Quanah.

The Newspaper a Factor in Politics—M. Clendenon, Munday.

The Press and the Publicity Seeker—Ralph Shuffler, Olney.

Advertising Rates and How They Differ—C. C. Harrison, Seymour.

Necessary Preparation for Newspaper Work—Miss Laura V. Hamner, Claude.

The Newspaper and Civic Progress—J. C. Thomas, Childress.

A School of Journalism—Lieutenant-Governor Will H. Mayes, Brownwood.

The Press and the Church—Chas. W. Boner, Bellevue.

The Van of Civilization—J. L. Pope, Amarillo.

Memphis is making extensive plans for entertainment of the Association with an entertainment program that will make every moment of the stay enjoyable.

City Building Notes.

Publicity is the producer of prosperity.

Every great city has at least one great paper.

Commercial visiting is a great stimulant to business.

The man with moderate means has proved to be the better builder of cities.

The progressive city is destined to be the hotbed of commercial activity.

Cities are man made, therefore when you educate the man you lay the cornerstone of a great municipality.

The "C. Q. D. signal is given as a sign of distress at sea. Patronizing home industries will forestall this signal at home.

The city and the farm man have so much in common that they should go hand in hand toward the goal of higher achievements.

The study of hospitality should be the first lesson of the commercial secretary for in no other way can you create such a good impression as through appropriate entertainment.

Regardless of progress and development, that old hospitality for which the forefathers of Texas were noted should predominate and be shown to every visitor be he rich or poor.

For Sale or Trade.

84 acres of land under the Spring Valley Irrigation Co's. Dam, also water deed to same. Low estimate \$50 per acre. Will take some good Wellington property as part pay. If interested, call or write E. M. Williams, Wellington, Texas.



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If you are thinking of taking out a loan on your land or have note you wish to renew, call and see us in time for us to look after same for you.

Office in Court House.

Cocke & Sherwood.

Drink at the New Fountain.

Everything is spic and span about the confectionery of Box & Chapman. They have just this week installed a beautiful new fountain. Everything is neat and clean and the fixtures are the latest make and every precaution for sanitary and the clean dispensing of the goods is had in this new fountain. For pure goods in the cold drink line here's the place.

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Gospel Team.

Canadian, Texas, July 25.—The Woodward Gospel Team from Woodward, Okla., came to Canadian fifty strong on last Saturday and left for their homes at 11 p. m. Sunday. Services were held Saturday night in the Baptist church and on Sunday, services were held in the forenoon at three different churches and in the afternoon, two services were held, one for men in the high school auditorium and the other for women in the Baptist church. The closing service was held in the High School auditorium Sunday night. The Gospel team of Woodward is composed of the business men of the town and they came here at the invitation of many of our citizens. As a result of the services held here, 31 of the business men of the town were converted and made a public profession of their faith in God. Their visit here had a wonderful effect upon our people.

Monday night, a Gospel team was organized here with about 80 members and many others will join. This is a man and religion movement. Thomas F. Moody was chosen leader. Geo. Gerlach, assistant leader, Carl Studer, secretary, and Dr. Graham, treasurer.

For Sale.

Neat suburban home near Clarendon College. 16 acre tract 3 room house, well and windmill (pure water) 8 acre fine peach orchard, one acre berries, neat location. Price \$2300.

I have several good residences well located for school that can be bought reasonable. Investigate before school opens. See A. W. Gerner, News Office, Clarendon Texas.

Too Many

In looking over my stock of goods, I find that I have too many goods and I need money worse than the goods, so will sell anything at bargain prices, and some even at actual cost. I have got a lot of aluminum ware that I will sell at cost to close it out.

Wm. Cook.

Sale

Come to Goforth & Son, the Red-Front Confectionary and Racket Store on the East side of the square, for all kinds of cold drinks and confectionary goods. Phone 19

A school of Journalism will be established at the University of Texas the coming session.

The White Family.


Luther White, and wife and nineteen children, whose home is at Hillsboro, the Clarendon News, says are spending the summer on the South Plains. Four autos are required to transport the family.

Start Parcel Post Fight.

Washington, D. C. July 22.—Postmaster General Burleson was summoned today to appear before the Senate post office committee Thursday to explain by what authority he purposes to reduce parcel post rates.

The summons is believed to be the start of a fight to prevent the extension of the parcel post system as proposed in plans recently announced.

Are You Having Eye Troubles



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ONCE ADORNED VIKING BELLE

Bracelet of Gold, 1,000 Years Old, Recently Found in One of the Shetland Islands.

A 1,000-year-old bracelet was found by a boy on the island of Oxna, Shetland, recently. Mr. Gilbert Goudie, at the monthly meeting of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland, held in the museum, Edinburgh, told the interesting story of the bracelet, which has been acquired by the museum. Mr. Goudie related how the bracelet had come to light on a bare spot which had been scalped over and over again to provide extra soil for adjacent cultivation, and by its glitter in the sunlight had attracted the attention of the boy playing near. It is of solid gold, 2 1/2 inches in width in interior diameter at its greatest width, and it weighs 964 grains troy. It is formed of four strands of metal finely polished, and interplated in a continuous circular chain. In workmanship it compares with certain armlets and necklets of silver, part of a hoard of objects found in 1858 at Skaill, in Orkney, but otherwise it is unique as being the only object of gold of this interwisted pattern that is so far known to have been found in the country, though a very limited number are preserved in the archaeological collections of Sweden, Norway and Denmark. As a product of the late iron age of the Viking times, the date of its manufacture may be between 800 and 1000 A. D.

DOCTOR NOTES NEW AILMENT

Has Named It "Superlativism"—Really Is the Latest Form of Insanity.

Do you like to stretch a story you hear so it will be a bit more interesting for the next person that comes along? Do you exaggerate everything for effect? Then you have the latest form of insanity—superlativism.

"Superlativism," says Dr. Max Nordau, the famous psychologist and follower of Lombroso, "needs no explanation. It simply means the mania for putting into the most exaggerated form every story, every idea, every feeling.

"There are two kinds of people who have a natural tendency to this language of excess. They are either madmen or charlatans. Those unbalanced people receive few impressions, but they are tremendously strong, and each one tries to outdo the other in startling statements.

"And while it is only in the extreme cases that the tendency gets beyond the control, thousands of people go about every day in the incipient stages of this malady."

Dr. Nordau claims the disease originated in Germany, but that it traveled the world over in a remarkably short time.

IMPOSSIBLE IDEALS.

"I went as far as I dared in making my biography in the congressional Directory comprehensive and complimentary," said the member of congress. "You see, I wanted to please my wife."

"And did it?"

"No. She read it through and then exclaimed, 'Some enemy wrote that!'"

MISAPPLIED PHILOSOPHY.

"Mike," said Plodding Pete, "what would you do if you was rich?"

"I'd lead a life of ease," replied Meandering Mike.

"No you wouldn't. You'd be playin' polo or golf or takin' physical culture. Let well enough alone. A life of ease ain't nothin' but work in disguise."

NOTHING IN THEM.

"There is one trouble about so many public reforms."

"What's that?"

"They're worked on the vacuum system."

CORRECTION.

"Fine night," said Smithers, glancing at the heaven.

"No," replied the Boston Girl, "you mean infinite."—Harper's Bazar.

DISINTERESTED DEVOTION.

"She evidently loves her husband for himself alone."

"Why so?"

"She takes in washing to support him."