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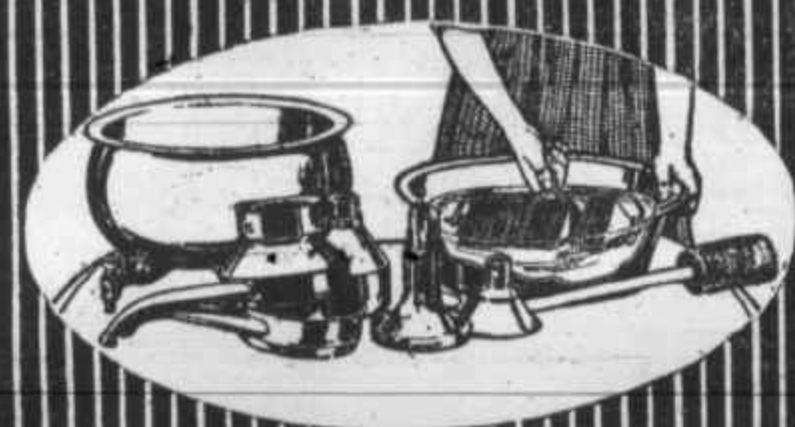
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DE LAVAL Cream Separators ARE EASIEST TO WASH

The construction of the De Laval bowl is such that it can be completely taken apart for washing. The discs, bowl parts and tinware have no tubes, crevices, holes or corrugated surfaces such as are found in other machines and which are very hard to clean.

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Let me be a little blinder,
To the faults of those about me,
Let me praise a little more;
Let me be, when I am weary,
Just a little bit more cheery,
Let me serve a little better
Those I am striving for.

Let me be a little braver
When temptation bids me waver,
Let me strive a little harder
To be all that I should be.

Let me be a little weaker,
With a brother that is weaker;
Let me think more of my neighbor
And a little less of me.

Let me be a little sweeter,
Make my life a bit completer,
By doing what I should do
Every minute of the day.

Let me toil without complaining,
Not a humble task disdain,
Let me face the summons calmly
When death beckons away.

—Detroit Free Press.

Mr. Waldo Terrell and Miss Madeleine Oldham of Houston, Mr. Mason McCarty and Miss Bettie Burch were dinner guests on Monday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McCarty.

WHETHER YOU USE

CALOMEL OR NOT

You Will Realize How Much Better For You This Safe Vegetable Remedy Will Be.

The liver is such a delicate organ that most people have learned from experience the danger of flooding it into action with the dangerous drug calomel. Calvert's drug store sells and recommends Dodson's Liver Tonic, a pleasant tasting, harmless vegetable liquid that encourages the liver, relieves constipation and biliousness without restriction of habit or diet.

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Calvert's drug store sells Dodson's Liver Tonic for 50 cents per bottle and every bottle sold is guaranteed to give satisfaction, and you get your money back without a question if it fails you. Some remedies are sold in quantities of Dodson's Liver Tonic look out for them. Remember the guarantee. —Adv.

Election Order

Be it ordered by the board of trustees of the Eagle Lake Independent School District that an election be held at the Band Stand in the Public Park in the town of Eagle Lake in the said Eagle Lake Independent School District on the 27th day of August, 1913, to determine whether the board of trustees of said district shall have power to annually levy and collect a tax upon all taxable property in said district, for the support and maintenance of public free schools in said Eagle Lake Independent School District, of and at the rate of not exceeding fifty cents on the \$100 valuation of taxable property in the district; such tax if voted, to be levied and collected for the year 1913 and annually thereafter unless it be discontinued as provided by law.

S. O. McCarty is hereby appointed manager of said election, and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding same.

None but property tax payers who are qualified voters in said Eagle Lake Independent School District, shall vote at said election.

A copy of this order signed by the president and attested by the secretary of this board shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the president shall cause notice of said election to be given in accordance with law.

Witness my hand and the seal of the said district this 21st day of July, 1913.

S. O. McCarty, Pres.,
Attest: P. T. Gordon, Sec.,
Board of Trustees of said District [SEAL]

A vast amount of ill health is due to impaired digestion. When the stomach fails to perform its functions properly the whole system becomes deranged. A few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets its all you need. They will strengthen your digestion, invigorate your liver, and regulate your bowels, entirely doing away with that miserable feeling due to faulty digestion. Try it. Many others have been permanently cured—why not you? For sale by all dealers. —Adv.

Notice to Farmers

My gin at Ramsey is now ready for the season's run. Will appreciate your patronage, and satisfaction guaranteed.

J. R. ALLEY.

Mr. W. A. Moore left last Friday for a two week's visit to his brother in Tennessee. Mr. Moore will also visit in the famous Red's Foot Lake section of Tennessee before returning home.

Who wants to buy a good pair of mules 4 years old, 154 hands high? Inquire at Headlight office.

The Self-Reliant Colonel

When Colonel Brown invited me to his house to spend the night I went full of pleasant anticipation. The policies of several railroads, two steamships companies, a political campaign and a large insurance company are largely swayed by this eminent man of affairs.

As a soldier and frontiersman and seafaring man Colonel Brown is able to take care of himself.

When we chatted together after dinner I was entertained with anecdote after anecdote of his adventures and his triumphs. Never had I passed a more interesting evening.

The Colonel is a bachelor, who lives with his mother, a dear, simple, quiet, elderly person who listens to the tales of the deeds of her son with tranquil interest and makes no comment.

We did. In fact, I think we smoked six or seven cigars after she tired. I am not certain of the exact number of cigars, but I do know that it was more than I was accustomed to smoke.

Perhaps I smoked more than was good for me. I was wakeful and so nervous that night that I could not bring myself even to a restful doze.

I do not know how long I had been trying to sleep when I heard a stealthy sound. Some one was trying to get into the house! Some old enemy of the Colonel's of whom I had just heard had come to murder him as he slept! Would the Colonel be equal to the emergency? Ah, yes! There could be no doubt about that. He was such a light sleeper.

I tried thus to reassure myself. But I finally concluded to make sure. Sneaking softly to my door I peered into the hall just in time to see the Colonel's mother hurrying past. I was somewhat taken aback. She wore both her slippers and dressing gown.

"Are there burglars in the house?" I cried.

"Oh dear, no!" she answered. "I have just been covering my son. He always kicks the cover off, and then he is sure to take cold."

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EAGLE LAKE TIN COMPANY.

Mr. L. L. Vineyard of Houston who has extensive interests in this section was here Monday looking after business matters. Mr. Vineyard's many friends throughout this section are all glad to see him.

Miss Madeleine Oldham of Houston is visiting her aunt Mrs. J. W. McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Carey returned Friday afternoon from a week's visit to friends in Sublime.

Mr. W. S. Gussalus, a farmer living near Fleming, Pa. says he has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in his family for fourteen years, and that he found it to be an excellent remedy, and takes pleasure in recommending it. For sale by all dealers. —Adv.

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ELDRIDGE HAS A PEN PLAN

Million a Year for Five Years His Estimate of Profits that Would Accrue on System.

Austin, Texas, August 8.—W. T. Eldridge again stepped into the limelight tonight when he announced through Roger Byrne, that he had a plan for guaranteeing the payment of the Prison Commission without a cent of loss to the State, providing certain agreements could be reached. The plan of Mr. Eldridge is to guarantee the payment of the State penitentiary system and guarantee a net profit to the State of \$1,000,000 per year for five years. Furthermore, he would make bond to the amount of \$1,000,000 to be forfeited to the State in case the net increase for the five years did not total \$5,000,000.

He would guarantee humane treatment of the convicts and many other points that are playing prominent parts in the discussion before both bodies of the special session. As to the salary he is to receive, that, according to Mr. Byrne, would be but one of the details to arrange should the plan be accepted.

And Mr. Eldridge also would agree to forfeit his salary in addition to his bond of \$1,000,000 if he is not able to accomplish the plan of the system on a \$5,000,000 per annum paying basis.

Mr. Byrne stated tonight that the matter would be taken up in the House at the first opportunity. Penitentiary leaders are somewhat taken back at the proposal and it is likely that a meeting of the insurgent element of the House will take up the proposition at once and consider placing their strength behind it.

THREE BROTHERS FIGHT ONE IS SERIOUSLY CUT.

A difficulty between three negroes, all brothers, Alonza, I. G., and Otis Hodges, occurred at Bonus last Saturday night in which one of the brothers, Alonza was horribly cut and slashed in a number of places. The most serious of his wounds is one extending from the shoulder around to the chest, going to the hollow and touching one of the lungs. The wounded negro is in a very serious condition. The cutting is said to have been done by Otis Hodges, who works on the Rogers farm. He was arrested and gave bond to await the outcome of the wounds.

VISITING BATTLE CREEK AND AT NEW YORK CITY.

Mrs. Mentor Northington and two daughters, Misses Josephine and Tot, left last Saturday afternoon for an extended visit to Battle Creek, Michigan. They were accompanied by Mrs. Northington's brother, Mr. John Beard, who goes for a visit to New York City.

NEW TROMBONE PLAYER FOR EAGLE LAKE BAND.

Mr. Arthur Moebes of Freiburg is expected here next week to work at the Eagle Lake Rice Mill during the mill season. Arthur is a splendid slide trombone player and will be a great addition to the Eagle Lake band.

FIREMEN GET TWO CALLS

Blaze in Racket Store Calls Out Fire Company Saturday Night and Early Next Morning.

An alarm of fire was turned in at about half past eleven o'clock last Saturday night, the blaze being on the interior of the Racket Store, Cummins & Waldvogel, proprietors. The fire company responded promptly and soon had the flames under control. The building was so full of smoke and the firemen, not wishing to damage the stock, were unable to enter the building. The fire was believed to have been extinguished and all returned to their homes, the alarm was given again at six o'clock Sunday morning, the smoldering fire having broken out again. The fire was rapidly gaining headway the second time and but for the timely arrival of the fire company the entire block on the east side of the square might have been destroyed. Just how the fire originated seems to be a mystery, but it is generally believed to have been set off by burglars. The back window of the store was broken in, and the wall having been taken out where it looked as if some one had tried to gain entrance. A razor and a number of cheap rings were found on the outside of the building under the window, thought to have been dropped by the burglars. The burglars fighting matches to see how to get about on the inside of the store is believed to have originated the fire. About half of the stock of goods was damaged by fire, smoke and water. The building was also considerably damaged, a portion of the shelving completely burned away and the ceiling badly charred. When the firemen reached the scene on the second alarm the flames had burst one of the upper transom windows and were rapidly gaining headway. Had the firemen not gotten there just when they did, the flames in a few more minutes would have been beyond control. The building is owned by Mr. A. J. Harbert, also the adjoining building on the south, the adjoining building on the north being owned by Mrs. J. W. McCarty. Both Mr. Harbert and Mrs. McCarty presented the fireboys \$25 each for their splendid work and promptness. A very large crowd was at the fire at both alarms. The proprietors closed the store after the fire and same remained closed Monday and Tuesday awaiting the arrival of the insurance adjuster before re-opening for business or straightening up the wreckage. The loss was covered by insurance.

OLD TIME CITIZEN IS VISITING HERE AGAIN.

Mrs. W. A. B. Cornetius of Lafayette, Louisiana, arrived in the city Monday for a visit to the family of her son, Mr. Walter Cornetius. Mrs. Cornetius made her home in Eagle Lake many years ago and may decide to again live here.

AUTO GETS ONE AT WEIMAR

Joseph Blastake Killed and Companions Injured in Auto Accident Near Weimar.

Weimar, Texas, August 7.—One man is dead, and two others are injured as the result of an accident near this city Friday evening about six o'clock.

Joseph Blastake, aged about 65 years, is dead, his head crushed; his son, Louis Blastake, aged about 45 years, is suffering from many bruises about the body.

The three men, residents of near Schulenburg, came to this city that morning, transacted some business and were on their way home in the automobile. About half a mile from the city the car was run into a ditch, in an endeavor to pass another car. The driver lost control and the machine overturned.

Assistance was rendered as soon as possible and the dead body and injured men were brought here and given medical attention. The Blastake automobile, though somewhat damaged, came to town under its own power.

CHILDREN MUST BE QUIET DURING BAND CONCERTS.

The children playing in the park during the band concert Tuesday night made so much noise shrieking and yelling that the band was forced to stop during one of the selections. Now this is carrying a thing too far. The members of the band want the children to attend the concerts and have a good time, but the parents of the children must bear in mind that the concert is not given wholly for the children's pleasure and that older people would like to hear the music also.

It was fierce Tuesday night, you could scarcely hear the music above the noise of the children, romping, shrieking and yelling like hyenas. The members of the band request the parents of the children of the town to see to it that their children are a little more orderly at all future concerts.

GETS APPOINTMENT TO U. S. NAVAL ACADEMY.

Mr. Herbert Wilson has received through Congressman Geo. F. Burgess of this district an appointment to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland. Herbert will take the examination during February.

QUITS RICE ASSOCIATION TO GO WITH TEXAS CO.

Mr. J. W. McCarty of Stuttgart, Arkansas, who has been connected with the Southern Rice Growers' Association at that place, has severed his connection with the association and is now in Atlanta, Georgia, where he is with Texas Company.

JOHN ZSKODA HAS JAW BONE REMOVED.

Mr. John Zskoda, an elderly citizen of the Cat Spring community, was operated on at the Fitzgerald Sanitarium Monday morning for removal of the lower jaw, his lower jaw bone having been removed. The operation was a successful one and the patient is going nicely.

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BAPTIST CONGREGATION ORDAINS THREE DEACONS

Rev. J. W. Mayfield of Wharton preached at the Baptist church Sunday night. After the services the church ordained three new deacons, Messrs. M. G. Calvert, E. L. Mooney and Sam Davidson, they being added to the church's board of deacons.

COLORADO PEOPLE READ THIS PAPER REGULARLY.

Little Johnson, one of the best colored farmers in this section, dropped around to the Headlight office this week and advanced his subscription figures a year ahead on our books. Little has been a regular reader of the Headlight for a number of years.

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